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Lands taken for a Road in the Parish of Onewhero, Raglan County.

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,
(*l.s.*) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

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 a road:

And whereas the Raglan County Council has laid before the Governor the memorial, accompanied by a map, required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, in the name and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, and as his duly appointed Deputy, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by section twenty-six 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, 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.

Area.	Being Part of Lot No.	Situated in Parish of	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 3 0 11 9 1 15 1 1 26	76 77 163	Onewhero	S.G. 38116	Red.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked as above mentioned, 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 Sir James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, for and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor, and as his duly appointed Deputy in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JOHN McKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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Lands taken for Roads in the Ngatarawa 2a and 4 Blocks, Heretaunga Survey District.

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,
(*l.s.*) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1894," and its amendments, for a certain work, the construction of roads in the Ngatarawa No. 2a and No. 4 Blocks, Heretaunga Survey District:

And whereas the Hawke's Bay County Council has laid before the Governor a memorial, accompanied by a map, and also the statutory declaration required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, in the name and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, and as his duly appointed Deputy, 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 said roads.

SCHEDULE.

The parcels of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of Block	Situated in the Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 0 27	Ngatarawa No. 2a	Heretaunga	Red.
3 3 38	Ngatarawa No. 4	"	Blue.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the said parcels of land are more particularly delineated on the plan marked S.G. 38166, 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 Sir James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, for and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor, and as his duly appointed Deputy in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

JOHN McKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Excepting Land from Operation of Section 117 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this sixteenth day of May, 1898.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Order in Council, except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), for a limited period or otherwise, and either generally or for such purposes and subject to such restrictions as shall be in such Order specified, any land, wheresoever situate, which is for the time being subject to the operation of the said section, or any interest therein or right over the same, or may in like manner make such exception in favour exclusively of any lessee or other person who has been *bona fide* in occupation of and has made improvements on such land, or has paid money to Native owners for lease or purchase thereof prior to the passing of the said Act: Provided that no Order in Council under the provisions of this section shall take effect until after the expiration of two months from the date of the publication thereof in the *Gazette*: Provided, also, that every alienation under the provisions of this section shall be confirmed by the Court in terms of section fifty-three of the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of lease, the block or parcel of land known as Manawatu-Kukutauaki 7D No. 1, Subdivision 5, situate in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing eight hundred and ninety-one acres one rood eleven perches, more or less, being the land comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court, dated the fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, in favour of Areta te Popo and Teoti Kerei te Popo.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending the Close Season for Seals.

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this sixteenth day of May, 1898.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1894" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, among other things, enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time make regulations (which shall have general force and effect throughout the colony, or particular force and effect only in any waters or places specified therein) for prescribing, among other things, a close season for seals, and for extending any close season so prescribed:

And whereas it is further provided by the said Act that every person who, during any close season for seals, takes any seals is liable for every such offence to a penalty not exceeding five hundred pounds, and in addition thereto is liable to a further penalty, not exceeding twenty pounds, in respect of every seal so taken:

And whereas by Order in Council, dated the twenty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, the months of January, February, March, April, May, and June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, were prescribed a close season for seals:

And whereas by Order in Council, dated the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, the said close season for seals was extended up to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six:

And whereas by Order in Council dated the second day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, the said close season for seals was further extended up to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven:

And whereas by Order in Council dated the twelfth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, the said close season for seals was further extended up to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight:

And whereas it is desirable to further extend such close season for seals:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and 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 with the like advice and consent doth order that such regulations shall have force and effect throughout the Colony of New Zealand, and in all salt, fresh, and brackish waters of the colony, and on all shores of such waters or any part thereof.

SCHEDULE.

REGULATIONS.

1. THE close season for seals prescribed by regulations made by Order in Council dated the 21st day of December, 1894, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 1, of the 4th day of January, 1895, and which was, by Order in Council dated the 12th day of April, 1897, extended up to the 30th day of June, 1898, is hereby further extended up to the 30th day of June, 1899.

2. Every person who, during the close season prescribed as aforesaid, takes any seal is liable to a penalty of not less than £25 nor more than £500, and in addition thereto is liable to a further penalty of not less than £1 nor more than £20 in respect of every seal so taken. The taking of seals means and includes the killing, catching, dredging for, raising, or hunting of any seal, or any attempt so to do.

3. No person shall buy, sell, expose for sale, consign for sale, buy for sale, or have in possession any seal, or any skins, oil, or blubber from any seal, in any manner in contravention of the said Act or of these regulations; and every person so doing is liable for every such offence to a penalty of not less than £1 nor more than £20.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Akaroa Borough Council to be subject to the Provisions of "The Public Bodies' Powers Act, 1887."

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this sixteenth day of May, 1898.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section four of "The Public Bodies' Powers Act, 1887" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is provided that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time declare that any leasing authority shall be subject to the provisions of the said Act, but that no such Order shall have any effect unless it be issued at the request or upon the recommendation of the leasing authority on whose behalf such Order is issued:

And whereas it has been made to appear that the Akaroa Borough Council are a leasing authority within the meaning of the said Act, and have requested that they may be brought under the provisions thereof:

Now, therefore, 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, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the said Act, doth hereby order and declare that from and after the date hereof the Akaroa Borough Council shall be subject to the provisions of "The Public Bodies' Powers Act, 1887."

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extension of Time for Preparation of County Rolls, County of Wairoa.

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this sixteenth day of May, 1898.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

1. For preparing the rolls for ridings within the County of Wairoa: Until the 22nd June, 1898.

2. Time for which such rolls shall be open for inspection: From the 27th June, 1898, to the 15th July, 1898.

3. Time for appeals against the said rolls: Until the 31st July, 1898.

4. Revision Courts may sit for hearing applications with reference to the said rolls, and adjourn: Until the 20th August, 1898.

5. Time when the said rolls, having been duly corrected and signed, shall come into force: On the 1st September, 1898.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extension of Time for Preparation of County Rolls, Inangahua.

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this sixteenth day of May, 1898.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

1. For preparing the rolls for ridings within the County of Inangahua: Until the 22nd July, 1898.

2. Time for which such rolls shall be open for inspection: From the 22nd July, 1898, to the 15th August, 1898.

3. Time for appeals against the said rolls: Until the 31st August, 1898.

4. Revision Courts may sit for hearing applications with reference to the said rolls, and adjourn: Until the 20th September, 1898.

5. Time when the said rolls, having been duly corrected and signed, shall come into force: On the 1st October, 1898.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Notifying Lands in Wellington for Sale by Public Auction.

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirteenth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, in the name and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, and as his duly appointed Deputy, do hereby appoint Wednesday, the thirteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, as the time at which the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction at Pahiatua; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto following the description of such lands respectively.

SCHEDULE. WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT. For Sale for Cash.

Section.	Block.	District or Village Settlement.	Area.			Upset Price.			Valuation for Improvements.		
			A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
16*	I.	Mangaone..	200	0	0	415	0	0	101	5	0
12	..	Mangamahoe Village Settlement	1	0	0	5	0	0	..	..	..
14	..	Ditto ..	1	0	0	5	0	0	..	..	..

* The Eketahuna Road Board has a claim of £1 19s. 11d. for rates on this section.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Amendment of Regulations for Conduct of Election of Members of the Boards of Governors of the Canterbury College and of the Canterbury Agricultural College.

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

WHEREAS, in exercise of the powers in that behalf conferred upon the Governor by "The Canterbury College and Canterbury Agricultural College Act, 1896," His Excellency Sir James Prendergast, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, did on the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, make certain regulations for the proper conduct of all elections of members of the respective Boards of Governors of the Canterbury College and the Canterbury Agricultural College: And whereas the said regulations were gazetted on the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (page 957): And whereas it is expedient that the said regulations should be amended in manner herein-after appearing:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, in the name and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, and as his duly appointed Deputy, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities me enabling in this behalf, do hereby amend the said regulations in manner following, that is to say,—

1. For the purposes of clause sixteen of the said regulations a casual vacancy shall be deemed to occur on the day on which the Board of Governors is apprised of the fact.

2. The advertisement prescribed by clause seventeen of the said regulations shall state the day and hour for the closing of nominations, as also of every roll relating to the election; and the first advertisement shall appear not later than the seventeenth day before the day of the election.

3. The interval prescribed by sub-clause two of clause eighteen of the said regulations as that which must elapse between each issue of the therein-mentioned newspaper and the next shall be not less than two days, instead of not less than four.

4. The form of voting-paper prescribed in clause twenty-five of the said regulations is hereby amended by omitting the third paragraph of the directions, and substituting in lieu thereof the following direction:—

"This voting-paper must be signed by the voter and enclosed in a sealed envelope, and if posted to the Returning Officer must be posted on or before the day of the election, or if delivered to him must be delivered before the day of the election or not later than five o'clock in the afternoon of that day."

5. With respect to the vote to be given by a School Committee, the Professors Board, or an Agricultural and Pastoral Society at the meeting referred to in clauses twenty-six, twenty-seven, and twenty-eight of the said regulations, such meeting may be held at any time on or before the day of the election.

6. Clause twenty-nine of the said regulations is hereby revoked, and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:—

"29A. The voting-paper, if delivered to the Returning Officer, must be delivered in a sealed envelope before the day of the election, or not later than five o'clock on the afternoon of that day; and, if posted to him, must be posted in a sealed envelope on or before that day."

7. Clause thirty-one of the said regulations, prescribing the cases in which the voting-paper shall be informal, is hereby amended by repealing subclauses three and four thereof, and substituting in lieu thereof the following subclauses:—

"(3A.) If, being delivered to the Returning Officer, the sealed envelope containing the voting-paper is not delivered at his office before the close of the poll; or

"(4A.) If, having been forwarded by post, the sealed envelope containing the voting-paper is not received at the office of the Returning Officer before the seventh day after the day of election, or if, from the postmark on the envelope or otherwise, the Returning Officer is satisfied that it was not posted until after the day of the election."

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

W. C. WALKER.

Land temporarily reserved in the Land Districts of Auckland and Canterbury.

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

WHEREAS by the two-hundred-and-thirty-fifth section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or particular description, and whether the same has been surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which in his opinion are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, in the name and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, and as his duly appointed Deputy, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands in the Land Districts of Auckland and Canterbury described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes in the said Schedule specified at the end of the description of the lands so intended to be temporarily reserved.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND.

ALL that parcel of land in the Auckland Land District, being the western portion of Section No. 1 of Block I. of the Village of Mokau, containing by admeasurement 20 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north by Oha Street, 125 links; towards the east by other portion of Section No. 1 of Block I. of the Village of Mokau, 100 links; towards the south by Section No. 2 of the same block, 125 links; and towards the west by Aria Terrace, 100 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For a public cemetery.

CANTERBURY.

All that parcel of land in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 1 rood 23 perches, more or less, being Section No. 3212 in red, Blocks IX. and XIII., Christchurch Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Rural Section No. 13501, 534.4 links; towards the north-east by Reserve No. 330, 900 links; towards the south-east by a public road, 150.9 links; and towards the south-west by Rural Section No. 1983, 999 links (the above-described land was formerly part of Reserve No. 330): be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Christchurch. For a gravel-pit.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, in the name and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, and as his duly appointed Deputy, having received

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—UNSURVEYED SECOND-CLASS LAND.
Tauranga and Rotorua Counties.

ALL that parcel of land in the Auckland Land District situate in Blocks VI., VII., X., and XI., Waiki South Survey District, and Blocks II. and III., Rotoma Survey District, and containing by admeasurement 8,290 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north generally by the Tahuaroa No. 2 and No. 3A Blocks; towards the east by Small Grazing-run No. 10B; towards the south by Small Grazing-run No. 9; and towards the west by Small Grazing-run No. 14 and the Waitahanui River to the point of commencement.

Description of land: About 1,200 acres forest, remainder open land, broken; about six miles from Pongakawa Post-office.

Cash price, 7s. 6d. per acre; occupation with right of purchase, 45d. per acre per annum; lease in perpetuity, 3-6d. per acre per annum.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Polling-places appointed, Mataura Electoral District.

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by "The Electoral Act, 1893," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

ROBINSON'S HALL, Kapuka,

to be a polling-place for the Electoral District of Mataura; and do also appoint

The SCHOOLHOUSE, Haldane,

to be a polling-place for the said Electoral District of Mataura in lieu of the house of Mr. Stephen Bailey, Haldane.

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

J. CARROLL.

Trustee for Timaru Cemetery appointed.

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, in the name and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, and as his duly appointed Deputy, do hereby appoint

JACOB LEVIEN

to be a Trustee, in the place of Moss Jonas, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Timaru Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons appointed by warrant of twenty-second day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Lands permanently reserved.

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

WHEREAS by the two-hundred-and-thirty-fifth section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or particular description, and whether the same has been surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which in his opinion are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned :

And whereas by the two-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of the said Act it is provided that land temporarily reserved under the said two-hundred-and-thirty-fifth section may, at the expiration of one month but not later than six months after the publication in the *Gazette* of notice of such temporary reservation, be permanently reserved, and that notice of such permanent reservation shall be published in the *Gazette* :

And whereas the lands specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto were, by the warrants the date of which is specified in the third column of the said Schedule, and the notification of which was published in the *Gazette* specified in the fourth column, temporarily reserved under the authority of the said Act for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule :

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, in the name and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, and as his duly appointed Deputy, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby permanently reserve the lands so temporarily reserved as aforesaid, and enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto, for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule, being the same purposes for which the said lands were so temporarily reserved as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	Gazette.
Auckland ..	Small Farms, near Howick	Lot 17, Sec. 9	..	A. R. P. 1 0 30	Road reserve ..	1898. 1 April	1898. No. 24, 7 April.
" ..	Waiwera Parish ..	64A	..	9 1 8	Landing reserve ..	"	"
" ..	Hukerenui S.D. ..	82	V.	4 3 10	Public-school site ..	"	"
" ..	Ngaruawahia Town	46	..	0 1 6	Site for Post- and Telegraph-offices	"	"
Nelson ..	Town of Waiau ..	6, 7	VI.	0 2 16	Public-school site ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	..	XX.	4 1 24	River protection ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	..	XXII.	3 0 28	Public utility ..	"	"
" ..	Waiau S.D. ..	1	XIII.	40 0 0	Public recreation-ground	"	"
" ..	" ..	3	"	0 3 22	Addition to public cemetery	"	"
" ..	Steeple S.D. ..	9, Sgre. 142	..	11 3 8	Quarry ..	"	"
" ..	Town of Millerton	51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 58, 59, 60	..	2 0 0	Public-school site ..	"	"
Marlborough	Mount Fyffe S.D. ...	2	X.	1 3 21	Public recreation-ground	"	"
Canterbury	Town of Ashburton	1097, 1101, 1102, 1254, 1255, 1256	..	1 2 21.4	Addition to site for Old Men's Home	"	"
"	Upper Ashley S.D.	3231 (in red)	XVI.	63 0 0	Public recreation-ground	"	"
"	Mount Thomas S.D.		XII.				
"	Oxford S.D. ..		IV.				
"	Wairaki S.D. ..		I.				
"	Akaroa S.D. ..		VII.				
"	" ..	2783	"	3 2 20	} Preservation of forest for scenery and climatic purposes	"	"
"	" ..	2784	VI., VII.	13 2 32			
"	" ..	2785	VII.	74 2 0			
"	" ..	2786	X.	6 2 0			
"	" ..	2787	"	5 3 0			
"	" ..	2788	VI.	161 0 0.			
"	" ..	2790	XI.	33 2 0			
"	Okain's S.D. ..	2791	V.	38 0 0			
"	Pigeon Bay S.D. ..	3002	VIII., XII.	57 0 0			
"	" ..	3234	X.	5 0 0			
"	" ..	3235	X., XIV.	75 3 0			
"	Akaroa S.D. ..	3236	VII.	5 2 0			
"	" ..	3237	"	44 0 0			
"	Okain's S.D. ..	3238	V.	5 1 37			
"	Akaroa S.D. ..	3239	VII.	56 2 0			
"	Tengawai (Cricklewood) S.D.	3240	XV.	5 1 9	Public-school site ..	"	"
Otago ..	Pomahaka S.D. ..	38	I.	10 0 17	Public-school site ..	"	"
Wellington	Town of Livingstone	48 and 59	..	4 0 0	Public-school site ..	"	"
Nelson ..	Mawhera-nui S.D.	6	II.	2 2 24	Public cemetery ..	"	"
Canterbury	Town of Akaroa ..	97 (in red)	..	0 2 14	Site for hospital ..	"	"
Otago ..	Town of Papatowai	78	..	1 0 10	Site for cottage hospital	"	"
Southland ..	Centre Hill S.D. ..	5	II.	0 3 5	Public-school site ..	"	"
" ..	Merivale Estate, Waiau S.D.	Lot 32	X.	5 2 22	" ..	"	"
Auckland ..	Waiohaki Parish ..	Part of 191A	..	7 0 0	" ..	"	"
Canterbury	Nimrod S.D. ..	3242 (in red)	III., IV., VII., & VIII.	268 2 0	For the preservation of the native fauna and flora	"	"

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, in the name and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, and as his duly appointed Deputy, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the thirteenth day of July, one thousand-eight hundred and ninety-eight; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase or on lease in perpetuity, or, in respect of any land containing or supposed to contain any metal, mineral, or valuable stone, be selected on lease in perpetuity only; and I do hereby also fix the 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.

OTAGO 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.
<i>First-class Land.</i>										
Tuapeka..	Town of Bastings	30, 39 to 44	I.	A. R. P. 7 1 29	£ s. d. 2 0 0	£ s. d. 14 0 0	s. d. 2 0	£ s. d. 0 7 0	s. d. 1 7 2	£ s. d. 0 5 7
"	" Ditto	32 to 38	"	1 3 16	3 0 0	6 0 0	3 0	0 3 0	2 4 8	0 2 5
Open land, light, watered; situated about sixteen miles from Lawrence Railway-station. Valuation for improvements on Sections 30 and 39 to 44, payable with application, or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £7 7s. 6d.										
Waihemo	Highlay	52	I.	5 3 20	1 0 0	6 0 0	1 0	0 3 0	0 9 6	0 2 5
"	"	53	"	9 2 11	1 0 0	10 0 0	1 0	0 5 0	0 9 6	0 4 0
"	"	54	"	13 2 37	1 0 0	14 0 0	1 0	0 7 0	0 9 6	0 5 7
"	"	55	"	11 3 33	1 0 0	12 0 0	1 0	0 6 0	0 9 6	0 4 10
"	"	56	"	6 3 30	1 0 0	7 0 0	1 0	0 3 6	0 9 6	0 2 10
"	"	57	"	6 2 34	1 0 0	7 0 0	1 0	0 3 6	0 9 6	0 2 10
"	"	58	"	4 3 13	1 0 0	5 0 0	1 0	0 2 6	0 9 6	0 2 0
"	"	59	"	3 3 39	1 0 0	4 0 0	1 0	0 2 0	0 9 6	0 1 7
"	"	60	"	8 0 9	1 0 0	8 0 0	1 0	0 4 0	0 9 6	0 3 2
"	"	61	"	1 2 0	1 0 0	2 0 0	1 0	0 1 0	0 9 6	0 0 10
"	"	62	"	6 1 14	1 0 0	6 0 0	1 0	0 3 0	0 9 6	0 2 5
"	"	63	"	11 3 22	1 0 0	12 0 0	1 0	0 6 0	0 9 6	0 4 10
Dry land, adjoining the Town of Macrae's.										
<i>Second-class Land.</i>										
Bruce ..	Akatore ..	31	I.	52 1 5	0 10 0	26 0 0	0 6	0 13 0	0 4 8	0 10 5
Poor land, well watered; situated about two miles from Milton. Valuation for improvements, payable with application, or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £3 3s.										
Bruce ..	Akatore ..	30	II.	109 2 0	0 15 0	81 15 0	0 9	2 1 3	0 7 2	1 13 0
High, rough land, lying about five miles from Milton.										
Tuapeka..	Benger ..	2 and 3	XII.	441 1 35	0 10 0	220 10 0	0 6	5 10 3	0 4 8	4 8 3
Open tussock land of fair quality, situated about six miles from Miller's Flat. Valuation for improvements, payable with application, or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £85.										
Taieri ..	Dunedin and East Taieri	46	II.	61 0 0	0 7 6	22 17 6	0 4 5	0 11 4	0 3 6	0 9 2
"	" Ditto	47	"	20 2 37	0 10 0	10 10 0	0 6	0 5 3	0 4 8	0 4 2
"	"	57	"	11 2 37	0 10 0	6 0 0	0 6	0 3 0	0 4 8	0 2 5
Open land of good quality, well watered; situated on the Otago Central Railway-line, close to Taioma Railway-station. Valuation for improvements, payable with application, or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, Section 57, £72 14s.										
Lake ..	Glenorchy ..	31	I.	51 0 14	0 5 0	12 15 0	0 3	0 6 5	0 2 4	0 5 1
Rocky fern country, situated near Glenorchy. Valuation for improvements, payable with application, or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £75.										
Lake ..	Kawarau ..	14	III.	13 1 22	0 10 0	6 10 0	0 6	0 3 3	0 4 8	0 2 7
Fair grazing-land, situated near Gibbston. Valuation for improvements, payable with application, or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £6 5s.										
Maniototo	Maniototo ..	13	III.	317 1 20	0 15 0	237 15 0	0 9	5 18 11	0 7 2	4 15 1
Open land of good quality, fairly well watered; situated about six miles from Naseby. Valuation for improvements, payable with application, or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £68 17s.										
Bruce ..	Maungatua ..	51	XV.	89 2 0	0 12 6	56 5 0	0 7 5	1 8 3	0 6	1 2 6
Rough bush land of fair quality; situated about seven miles from Henley.										
Bruce ..	Table Hill ..	33	I.	94 0 10	0 10 0	47 0 0	0 6	1 3 6	0 4 8	0 18 10
"	"	43	VI.	252 0 0	0 10 0	126 0 0	0 6	3 3 0	0 4 8	2 10 5
Rough land, partly bush and partly open; well watered; situated about six miles from Milton.										
Tuapeka..	Tuapeka West	9	XIII.	77 3 36	0 15 0	58 10 0	0 9	1 9 3	0 7 2	1 3 5
Rough section, mostly covered with manuka scrub; well watered, and accessible by a good road; situated twelve miles from Lawrence. Valuation for improvements, payable with application, or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £24.										

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

JOHN McKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Lands temporarily reserved in the Land Districts of Taranaki, Wellington, Canterbury, Otago, and Southland.

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

WHEREAS by the two-hundred-and-thirty-fifth section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or particular description, and whether the same has been surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which in his opinion are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, in the name and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, and as his duly appointed Deputy, in exercise and pursuance of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands in the Land Districts of Taranaki, Wellington, Canterbury, Otago, and Southland enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto, for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule, and opposite the descriptions of the lands so intended to be temporarily reserved.

SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Record Number.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	
Wellington	Town of Raetihi ..	211	..	A. R. P. 11 2 27	Public recreation-ground ..	23952
Canterbury	Town of Ashburton	298 X (in red)	X.	0 3 34	Plantation	37625
"	Albury Settlement—					
"	Tengawai S.D. ..	3246 "	XIV.	5 0 0	Coal-mine	18987
"	" ..	3247 "	"	10 0 0	Limestone-quarry ..	"
"	" ..	3248 "	"	5 0 0	Public-school site ..	"
"	" ..	3249 "	"	3 0 0	Gravel-pit	"
"	Opawa S.D. ..	3250 "	II.	1 0 0	Gravel-pit and camping-place for roadmen	"
"	" ..	3251 "	{ XIV. }	4 3 0	Road and tramway ..	"
"	Opawa S.D. ..	3252 "	II.	11 0 0	Coal-mine	"
"	" ..	3253 "	"	5 0 0	Public-school site ..	"
"	Tengawai S.D. ..	3254 "	XV.	1 0 0	Gravel-pit	"
"	Opawa S.D. ..	3255 "	III.	1 0 0	"	"
"	Tengawai S.D. ..	3256 "	XV.	1 0 0	"	"
"	Opawa S.D. ..	3257 "	III.	2 0 0	"	"
"	Tengawai S.D. ..	3258 "	XV.	1 0 0	"	"
"	" ..	3259 "	XI.	1 0 0	Water-supply and reservoir ..	"
"	" ..	3260 "	"	1 0 0	Gravel-pit	"
"	" ..	3261 "	"	1 0 0	"	"
Otago ..	Rimu S.D. ..	16	XIV.	11 2 19	Public-school site ..	38154
" ..	Dunback S.D. (Makareao Estate)	16	IV.	21 2 1	For the use of the Department of Agriculture	19156
Southland	Town of East Gore	15	VII.	2 0 4	Municipal	37494

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

JOHN McKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, James Prendergast, Knight, Chief Justice, in the name and on behalf of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, and as his duly appointed Deputy, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the seventh day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase or on lease in perpetuity, or, in respect of any land containing or supposed to contain any metal, mineral, or valuable stone, be selected on lease in perpetuity only; and I do hereby also fix the 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.
Second-class Land.

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.

A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
361	0	0	0	10	0	180	10	0	0	6	4	10	3
0	4	8	3	12	3								

Southland | Oteramika | 6 | XIV. | Flat land. About 50 acres open, wet, peaty ground; balance abandoned sawmill workings with small pines and manuka. Sandy clay soil. Accessible by river, four miles from formed road, and twelve miles from Mokotua Railway-station. Height above sea-level, 10 ft. to 20 ft.

Southland | Waikawa | 18 | IV. | Contains 60 acres flat land, and is covered with light bush with heavy undergrowth; soil rocky formation, generally inferior, well watered. Burdened with £60 valuation for improvements, consisting of house and outbuildings, £36; clearing and grass, £24. Distance from Waikawa Township, six miles.

Southland | Mabel | 41 | I. | Soil very peaty and well watered, generally inferior; land covered in parts with stunted manuka scrub. Bounded towards the north by Titipua Stream. Distance from Woodlands, ten miles.

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

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Postmaster appointed to take and receive Statutory Declarations.

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

GEORGE BROOKES,

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

As witness my hand, this thirteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

RANFURLY, Governor.

By his Deputy,
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

Acting-Consul of France at Wellington appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1898.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, directs it to be notified that he has been instructed by Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies to recognise the appointment of

M. LE COMTE DE COURTE

as Acting-Consul for France at Wellington, in place of M. de Jouffroy d'Abbans, at present on leave.

J. CARROLL.

Vice-Consul of the Netherlands at Auckland appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1898.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, directs it to be notified that he has recognised the appointment by the Consul-General for the Netherlands at Melbourne of

AMBROSE MILLAR, Esq.,

as Vice-Consul for the Netherlands at Auckland.

J. CARROLL.

Acting-Consul of Portugal at Wellington appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1898.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, directs it to be notified that he has recognised the appointment by the Consul of Portugal at Wellington of

IAN GAVIN DUNCAN, Esq.,

as Acting-Consul at Wellington during the absence of the Consul, John Duncan, Esq., from the colony.

J. CARROLL.

Acting-Consul of Portugal at Dunedin appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1898.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, directs it to be notified that he has recognised the appointment by the Consul of Portugal at Wellington of

CHARLES WILLIAM RATTRAY, Esq.,

as Acting Vice-Consul of Portugal at Dunedin during the absence of the Vice-Consul, Edmund Quick, Esq., from the colony.

J. CARROLL.

Inspector of Abattoirs, &c., Maungatawhiri Road District, County of Manukau, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1898.

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

WILLIAM KNOWLES CORNTHWAITE

to be an Inspector of Abattoirs and Slaughterhouses and of Cattle intended for Slaughter, under "The Abattoirs and Slaughterhouses Act, 1894," within the Road District of Maungatawhiri.

J. CARROLL.

Rangers under the Animals Protection Acts, Hawke's Bay and Waitaki-Waimate Districts, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1898.

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

Name.	District.
HUGH SANDERS	Hawke's Bay.
WALTER TORR	
WILLIAM HENRY PEAKMAN	
EBENEZER JACKSON and	
FREDERICK WARWICK WEST	Waitaki-Waimate.
JOHN WALL	

J. CARROLL.

Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1898.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned gentlemen to be Registrars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths, and

also to be Vaccination Inspectors, for the districts set respectively opposite their names, viz. :—

Name.	District.
JOSEPH HAY .. .. .	.. Dargaville.
(On and from 11th May, 1898.)	
FRANK HAMILTON ROACH .. .. .	.. Porangahau.
(On and from 23rd May, 1898.)	

J. CARROLL.

Services of Volunteer Corps accepted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1898.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to accept, under clause 39, (1), "The Defence Act, 1886," the services of the

Dunedin City Rifle Volunteers.

Acceptance to date from the 9th May, 1898.

T. THOMPSON.

Officers under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," Hawke's Bay District, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 12th May, 1898.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 9 of "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1881,"

HUGH SANDERS, of Takapau;
WALTER TORR, of Frasertown;
WILLIAM HENRY PEAKMAN, of Wairoa;
EBENEZER JACKSON, of Whetukura; and
FREDERICK WARWICK WEST, of Ormondville,

have been appointed officers for the purposes of that Act for the Counties of Hawke's Bay, Waipawa, Patangata, and Wairoa, and all boroughs situated within the said counties.

J. CARROLL.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1898.

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

Name.	District.
SAMUEL ANDREW .. .. .	.. Mount Cook.
ROBERT MARTIN .. .. .	.. Wainui.

J. CARROLL.

Member, Licensing Committee, appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 18th May, 1898.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES HENRY SPINLEY

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Waitemata.

T. THOMPSON.

Poultry Expert appointed.—Notice No. 513.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 18th May, 1898.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

DANIEL DEE HYDE

to be a Poultry Expert to the Government of New Zealand (temporary appointment only), in terms of "The Civil Service Reform Act 1886 Amendment Act, 1887." To date from the 16th May, 1898.

JOHN McKENZIE,
Minister for Agriculture.

Extending Time for holding First Election, &c., of Board of Trustees of Ngaroto Land Drainage District.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1898.

HIS Excellency the Governor, by his Deputy, has been pleased to extend the time for holding the first election of the members of the Board of Trustees of the

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Ngaroto Land Drainage District from Wednesday, the 18th day of May, 1898, to Wednesday, the 6th day of July, 1898; and also to extend the time for holding the first meeting of the said Trustees from Wednesday, the 25th day of May, 1898, to Wednesday, the 13th day of July, 1898.

J. CARROLL.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 18th May, 1898.

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

W. C. WALKER.

EKETAHUNA ROAD BOARD.—SPECIAL ORDER.

RESOLVED, That the special order proposed by this Board on the 5th March, 1898, striking a special rate of 2½d. in the pound on the properties interested in the loan of £800 for metalling Pukohai Road, be now confirmed.

The foregoing special order was duly passed at the ordinary meeting of the Eketahuna Road Board held on the 5th day of March, 1898, and duly confirmed at a meeting of the said Board held on the 7th day of May, 1898.

T. T. YOULE,

Clerk and Treasurer.

Road Board Office, Eketahuna, 16th May, 1898.

Levée on Queen's Birthday.

Government House,
Wellington, 18th May, 1898.

HIS Excellency the Governor will hold a levée at Government House on Tuesday, the 24th May, 1898, at 4 p.m., in honour of the anniversary of the birthday of Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen. Full dress.

By command.

DUDLEY ALEXANDER, Captain,
Private Secretary.

Gentlemen attending the levée will wear uniform or evening dress. Those having cards for the private entrée are requested to attend not later than 3.45 p.m. Each gentleman is requested to bring two cards, on each of which his name must be distinctly written: one of these cards is to be given up in the hall, and the other is to be handed to the officer announcing the names to His Excellency.

DUDLEY ALEXANDER, Captain,
Private Secretary.

First Meeting of Victoria College Council.

Education Department,
Wellington, 16th May, 1898.

PURSUANT to sections 14 and 15 of "The Victoria College Act, 1897," His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to direct that the first meeting of the College Council shall be held at the Colonial Museum, Wellington, on Monday, the 23rd May, 1898, at 3 o'clock p.m.; and to appoint Sir Edward Osborne-Gibbes, Bart., to preside at such meeting during the election of a Chairman.

W. C. WALKER.

Notice to Local Authorities under "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886."

The Treasury,
Wellington, 12th April, 1898.

PURSUANT to section 16 of "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," the Colonial Treasurer hereby gives notice that on Wednesday, the 1st June, 1898, he will be prepared to consider applications from local authorities for loans under the Act.

Applications should be addressed to the Colonial Treasurer, and must be posted so as to arrive at the Treasury on or before the 31st May, 1898.

R. J. SEDDON,
Colonial Treasurer.

Results of Road Board Elections.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th May, 1898.

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

HUGH POLLEN,
Under-Secretary.

Ahuroa Road District, County of Rodney :

George A. Burns.
W. Lowe Sanderson.
W. H. Taylor.

Ruarangi Road District, County of Whangarei :

Samuel Boyd.
John McLean.
Robert McConnell.
William J. McAlister.
William G. Thomson.

Matakana West Road District, County of Rodney :

James Cruickshank.
James Vipond.
John G. Derecourt.
Charles Simons.
Evan Richards.

Mount Wellington Road District, County of Eden :

Lindsay Cooke.
Adam Kay.
Andrew Stevenson Thompson.
Archibald Stewart.
Thomas Morrin.

Tamaki West Road District, County of Eden :

Thomas Atkinson.
George Penrose Hawke.
John Massey, jun.
Christopher Atwell Harris.
John Wright.

Mount Roskill Road District, County of Eden :

James Siddalls Kidd.
Thomas Billington.
William Henry Haslett.
Harry Moody.
Charles Worrall.
Thomas E. Hayr.
Robert Salmon.

Pakuranga Road District, County of Manukau :

Thomas Richard Gill.
Charles Roberts.
Edward Fitzpatrick.
Edwin Roberts.
Robert Millen.

Maungatawhiri Road District, County of Manukau :

Frederick George Austin.
Edward Hugh Mackey.
Robert Fitness.
Samuel Stephen Smith.
Robert Proude.

Howick Township Road District, County of Manukau :

John Burrow.
Henry Bushell.
John W. Gill.
Walter Langdon.
William Robinson.

Turanga Road District, County of Manukau :

Francis Dibble.
John Granger.
Walter Bobson.
Herbert W. Shaw.
Fredric Trice.

Maraetai Road District, County of Manukau :

William Duder.
John Gilbert.
James Jacobs.
William Spencer.
Charles William Stephens.

Wairoa Road District, County of Manukau :

Joseph Hoye.
Henry Walsh.
Henry Umpton Poynter.
Daniel Crawford.
Ewen Donald McLennan.

Waiuku Road District, County of Manukau :

William Sanday.
Charles Thomas Barriball.
William Flavell.
James D. Chalmers.
Joseph Barriball.

Pukekohe West Road District, County of Manukau :

John James Hart.
William Morrow.
James Potter.
Charles Shipherd.
Buckland Subdivision—
Jacob Henry Wright.

Paparoa Road District, County of Manukau :

George Somerville.
James Lindsay.
Robert Hattaway, jun.
Thomas Speechlay, jun.
John Thomas Gill.

Waipipi Road District, County of Manukau :

No. 1 Subdivision—
John Neil.
No. 2 Subdivision—
Alfred Martyn Barriball.
No. 3 Subdivision—
John McNaughten, sen.
No. 4 Subdivision—
R. Allen Bent.
No. 5 Subdivision—
Alexander Muir.

Hunua Road District, County of Manukau :

Alfred W. Bell.
George Cox.
John H. Garrett.
James A. Hill.
George Hirst.

Opaheke Road District, County of Manukau :

John Matheson.
David Ross.
Michael Shaughnessy.
John Thomas Perry.
Edwin Wagner.

Papakura Road District, County of Manukau :

Godwyn D. Smith.
Richard Kemp.
William H. Haslip.
George Embling.
Joseph Barkley.

Waitoa Road District, County of Piako :

Alexander Aitken.
John Candlish Allen.
Thomas Bellamy.
William Philip Chepmell.
Andrew Joseph Farmer.

Whangamarino Road District, County of Manukau :

Alexander A. Ross.
Alexander McRae.
William J. R. Bruce.
William Milne.
Walter Reid.

Kirikiroa Road District, County of Waikato :

John Gordon.
John Primrose.
Walter Chitty.
Thomas Paterson.
F. Richard Seddon.

Tamahere Road District, County of Waikato :

Aston T. F. Wheeler.
Joseph Barugh.
Arthur Furze.
Edward Rhodes.
Andrew Ramsay.

Cambridge Road District, County of Waikato :

Cornelius Day.
William Main.
James Taylor.
William H. Thomas.

Huntly Road District, County of Waikato :

John Powell Bailey.
William Collins.
Lewis B. Harris.
Frank Hubbard.

John Henry Niccolls.**Pukekura Road District, County of Waipa :**

Edward Allen.
Robert Fisher.
Edward Lake.
Thornton Walker.
William White.

Waikohu Road District, County of Cook :

James Orr.
Geoffrey McLean.
James C. E. Price.
Robert Colebrook.
William Powell.

Kumeroa Road District, County of Waipawa :

River Ward—
Patrick Henry Lynch.
Bridle-track Ward—
Hugh Duncan Buchanan.

Totara Ward—

William Davis.

Otawhao Ward—

Harry Gordon Balfour-Kinnear.

Township Ward—

James Storrie.

- Upper Tauern Road District, County of Wairarapa North:
 Charles Edwin Cockburn Hood.
 John Pascoe Perry.
 John William Carswell.
 Henry Herbert Lewis Wilson.
- Eketahuna Road District, County of Wairarapa North:
 Subdivision No. 1—
 F. W. M. Dowsett.
 T. Moss.
 Subdivision No. 2—
 A. Anderson.
 S. Bridge.
 Subdivision No. 3—
 H. Vile.
 Subdivision No. 4—
 T. Bayliss.
 E. Tomlinson.
- Mauriceville Road District, County of Wairarapa North:
 W. F. Day.
 C. Forsberg.
 F. W. H. Kummer.
 A. Larsen.
 T. A. Weston.
- Castlepoint Road District, County of Wairarapa North:
 No. 1 Subdivision—
 John A. Austin.
 No. 2 Subdivision—
 John William Groves.
 No. 3 Subdivision—
 William Herbert Langdon.
 No. 4 Subdivision—
 No nomination.
 No. 5 Subdivision—
 Robert W. Harvey.
- Akitek Road District, County of Wairarapa North:
 Francis Armstrong.
 David William Foreman.
 John Stewart Handyside.
 Francis Aloysius Sheath.
 William Groves Speedy.
- Featherston Road District, County of Wairarapa South:
 William John Nix.
 James Donald.
 Alfred Matthews.
 William E. Bidwill.
 Thomas Kennedy.
 John P. Russell.
 William Barton.
 Alexander D. McLeod.
- Makara Road District, County of Hutt:
 No. 1 Ward—
 Frederick W. Robinson.
 No. 2 Ward—
 William R. Trotter.
 No. 3 Ward—
 Henry Cook.
 No. 4 Ward—
 Samuel Bowler.
 No. 5 Ward—
 John E. Eagle.
- Waitotara-Momohaki Road District, County of Patea:
 James Kennedy.
 Thomas Clark.
 Wm. B. Fisher.
 Chas. Forde.
 W. C. O'Reilly.
- Okotuku Road District, County of Patea:
 Peter Elmslie.
 William Marchant.
 George Howie.
 Spencer Napier.
- Motoroa Road District, County of Patea:
 Joseph Frederick Harris.
 John McLean, jun.
 Henry P. Mitcalfe.
 William Palmer, jun.
- Whenuakura-Waitotara Road District, County of Patea:
 No. 1 Ward—
 William Wilson.
 No. 2 Ward—
 Duncan McDonald.
 No. 3 Ward—
 Isaac Lupton.
 No. 4 Ward—
 William Brewer.
 No. 5 Ward—
 Emerson James Wilson.
- Wairoa Road District, County of Patea:
 John Hunter.
 Albert Symes.
 James Walker, jun.
 George Saunders.
 Oscar Symes.
 Frederic Wilson.
- Kohi Road District, County of Patea
 Robert Bremer.
 John Johnstone.
 James McMeakin.
 James Riddell.
 William Henry Watkins.
- Patea East Road District, County of Patea:
 Ernest Peppin Blake.
 William Derrett, jun.
 Norman Thorpe.
 Edmund Morgan Honeyfield.
 Alfred Palmer.
 Oswald Hawken.
- Patea West Road District, County of Patea:
 Samuel Blake.
 Thomas Craft.
 John Morrison.
 Robert J. H. Nicholas.
 Michael O'Sullivan.
 George V. Pearce.
 William Charles Symes.
- Waimate Road District, County of Hawera:
 George Watson.
 Frederick William Wilkie.
 Walter Charles Clement.
 William Blennerhassett.
 Walter Blair.
 John Stevenson.
 James Reid Stewart.
- Okato Road District, County of Taranaki:
 John Carey.
 Andrew Gray.
 John Jones.
 Charles Sole.
- Mangorei Road District, County of Taranaki:
 James Wade.
 Mathew Carrick.
 Charles Oliver.
 William Henry Coad.
- Waiwakaiho Road District, County of Taranaki:
 John Hooper Allen.
 James Patrick Henderson.
 Henry King.
 Henry Alexander Smith.
 Charles Warren.
- Manganui Road District, County of Stratford:
 Cyril Robert Beattie.
 William Burnett.
 William Hathaway.
 Charles Arnold Jones.
 Joseph Mackay.
 George Richardson Tylee.
 Peter Wilson.
- Stoke Road District, County of Waimea:
 George Best.
 John Best.
 William Coleman.
- Waimea West Road District, County of Waimea:
 W. L. Palmer.
 Arthur Challies.
 J. A. Russ.
- Temuka Road District, County of Geraldine:
 Peter Coira.
 Geoffrey Nelson Feilden.
 John Maze.
 B. R. Macdonald.
 John Talbot.
- Mount Peel Road District, County of Geraldine
 Hon. John Barton Arundel Acland.
 Robert Mackay.
 Robert Thew.
 George James Dennistoun.
 Bernard E. H. Tripp.
- Templeton Road District, County of Geraldine:
 William Bailey.
 Thomas Dawson.
 Benjamin Thorpe Fowler.
 William John Guy.
 George Witty.
- Mandeville and Rangiora Road District, County of Ashley:
 David Buddo.
 Frederick Horrell.
 Charles Leech.
 Joseph Stalker.
 James Stevenson.
- Lake Coleridge Road District, County of Selwyn:
 Thomas A. Phillips.
 John Murchison.
 Wilfrid Hall.
 George Gerard.
- East Malvern Road District, County of Selwyn:
 George Frederick Wright.

Spreydon Road District, County of Selwyn :

John Brown.
Charles William Comer.
John Alexander Freeborn.
Henry Thomas Johnson.
Henry George Ell.

Springs Road District, County of Selwyn :

Henry Kimber.
John Marshall.
Frederick Charles Murray.
Thomas Quayle.
John Wolfe.

Mount Somers Road District, County of Ashburton :

William Taylor Chapman.
James Harrison.
Edward Herring.
John Hood.
David Syme.

Bonus for the Production of Quicksilver.

Mines Office,
Wellington, 17th February, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that a bonus of fourpence (4d.) per pound will be paid on the production of the first one hundred thousand pounds weight (100,000lb.) of good marketable retorted quicksilver, free from all impurities, from any mine in New Zealand, on the following conditions, that is to say :—

1. That at least one-third of the quantity is produced on or before the 31st March, 1900, and the remaining two-thirds on or before the 31st March, 1901.

2. No bonus will be payable until the whole of the one hundred thousand pounds (100,000 lb.) of quicksilver has been produced as stipulated to the satisfaction of an officer to be appointed by the Minister of Mines, and on whose certificate alone the bonus will be paid.

3. In the event of more than one person producing the required quantities of quicksilver before the dates named, inquiry will be made by the officer above referred to, when, if it is found that each applicant is equally entitled to a bonus, the amount will be divided in proportion to the quantities produced by each applicant, but in no case shall any bonus be paid until at least one hundred thousand pounds (100,000 lb.) of quicksilver has been produced in the aggregate.

A. J. CADMAN,
Minister of Mines.

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

IN pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling me under "The Public Works Act, 1894," and any amendment thereof, and also of "The Government Railways Act, 1894," I, Alfred Jerome Cadman, the Minister for Railways, do hereby make the following alterations in the scale of fares, rates, and charges in force on the New Zealand Government railways open for traffic, such alterations to come into force on and after the 23rd day of May, 1898 :—

PART IV.—GOODS: LOCAL RATES.

AUCKLAND SECTION.

Class K.

Tawa timber, from Mamaku to Te Aroha, Paeroa, and intermediate stations, will be charged 1s. 9d. per 100 superficial feet.

As witness my hand, this seventeenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

A. J. CADMAN,
Minister for Railways.

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

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 17th May, 1898.

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

Wallace Jones Jones, late of Leithfield, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, labourer. Filed on the 6th day of May, 1898.

Auguste Renaude, late of Arrow Falls, in the Provincial District of Otago, miner. Filed on the 6th day of May, 1898.

Charles James Henderson, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, labourer. Filed on the 10th day of May, 1898.

Arthur William Emeny, late of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, brewer's assistant. Filed on the 10th day of May, 1898.

George Poole, late of Big River, in the Provincial District of Nelson, miner. Filed on the 10th day of May, 1898.

A. A. DUNCAN,
Deputy Public Trustee.

Officiating Ministers for 1898.—Notice No. 16.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 13th May, 1898.

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

Roman Catholic Church.

The Reverend Hugh McDonnell.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,
Registrar-General.

Statement of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Australasia in New Zealand.

HALF-YEARLY return of the aggregate average amount of the weekly liabilities and assets of the Bank of Australasia within the Colony of New Zealand from the 12th day of October, 1897, to the 11th day of April, 1898, inclusive. (Published pursuant to the Royal Charter of Incorporation.)

	£	s.	d.
Bills in circulation not bearing interest ..	10,166	8	6
Notes in circulation not bearing interest ..	80,659	10	10
Bills and notes in circulation bearing interest ..	..	..	..
Balances due to other banks ..	..	..	..
Cash deposited not bearing interest ..	566,772	14	6
Cash deposited bearing interest ..	593,392	7	9
Total liabilities within the colony	£1,250,991	1	7

	£	s.	d.
Coin and bullion ..	390,854	12	10
Landed property (bank premises) ..	62,549	8	10
Notes and bills of other banks ..	3,132	9	1
Balances due from other banks ..	..	..	..
Debts due to the corporation, including notes, bills, and other securities ..	1,451,453	4	4
Total assets within the colony	£1,907,989	15	1

C. WINTER, Inspector.
J. W. PICKERSGILL, pro Accountant.

16th April, 1898.

Tenders for Steam Service on Lake Taupo.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 6th May, 1898.

TENDERS will be received at the General Post Office, Wellington, until noon of Monday, the 13th June proximo, for a service by steam-launch for a period of five years between Taupo and Tokaanu; twice weekly from the 1st November to 31st March, and once weekly from 1st April to 31st October in each year.

The steam-launch to be of from 25 to 30 tons burden, and capable of maintaining a speed of from ten to twelve knots an hour; to carry not less than fifty passengers, and to be equipped to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General.

Tenderers are required to state the date on which they would be prepared to commence the service.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

W. GRAY,
Secretary.

Officers appointed.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 9th May, 1898.

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

W. C. WALKER,
For Postmaster-General and Electric Telegraph Commissioner.

PERMANENT.

Name.	Position.	Office.	Date.
Cook, Albert Ernest	Assistant Messenger	General Post Office	1 April, 1898.
Cooke, Norman Wesley	Letter-carrier	Blenheim	15 Feb., "
Howard, James Gibson	Sorter, Accountant's Office	General Post Office	23 Nov., 1896.
Johnston, Charles Edward	Assistant Counter Clerk	Telegraph Office, Christchurch	1 April, 1898.
Longton, James	Night-watchman	General Post Office	24 March, "
Morris, George Lamb	Letter-carrier	Auckland	1 April, "
Williams, Ellen Elizabeth	Telephone Exchange Cadette	Masterton	1 July, 1897.
Williams, William Edward	Despatch Clerk	Telegraph Office, Christchurch	1 April, 1898.

NON-PERMANENT.

Name.	Office.	District.	Date.
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POSTMASTER AND TELEPHONIST.

Railway Officer.

London, Francis Walter | Putaruru | Auckland | 17 Feb., 1898.

POSTMASTERS.

Cowles, Richard Kenneth	Sherry River	Nelson	1 April, 1898.
Derby, Hugh	Round Hill	Invercargill	1 April, "
Evans, Edward	Te Kao	Auckland	1 Jan., "
Fletcher, James Archibald	Marumaru	Napier	1 April, "
Grace, Charles Woodhouse	Koriniti	Wanganui	1 April, "
Holbrough, George	Waitohi Flat	Timaru	1 April, "
Livingstone, Mary Ellen	Wakanui	Christchurch	1 Mar., "
Loosmore, Augustus	Helena Bay	Auckland	1 Mar., "
McGellan, Janet	Eiffelton	Christchurch	15 April, "
McKinley, Thomas Henry	Plimmerton	Wellington	1 April, "
McRae, James Wright	Stromvar	Wellington	4 April, "
O'Leary, Julia	Mangamaire	Wellington	15 April, "
Silvester, George	Ohinewai	Auckland	1 April, "
Stockwell, Thomas Goldsborough	Spar Bush	Invercargill	1 April, "
Taylor, William	Kokoamo	Oamaru	1 April, "
Waldie, Alexander Blackwood	Maryville	New Plymouth	12 Mar., "
Watson, William	Tangihua	Auckland	1 Jan., "
Wright, Rachel	Totaratahi	Oamaru	15 Mar., "

POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS.

Anderson, Thomas Raeburn	Colac Bay	Invercargill	1 April, 1898.
Bannerman, Margaret	Kyeburn	Dunedin	1 April, "
Coleman, John Nelson	Kai Iwi	Wanganui	1 April, "
Grierson, Jane Stephenson	Wairakei	Auckland	1 April, "
Latimer, Emily	Waharoa	Auckland	1 April, "
Lloyd, James	Maungawera	Dunedin	6 April, "
Mayne, Robert Landale	Hukanui	Wellington	1 April, "
Moore, Beryl	Ferntown	Nelson	1 Jan., "

TELEPHONISTS.

Aicken, Jessie*	Aicken's	Hokitika	7 Mar., 1898.
Cox, Thomas Joseph	Farewell Spit	Nelson	19 Mar., "
Fife, Andrew*	Waipatiki	Napier	18 Mar., "
Geary, Nelly	Mount Linton	Invercargill	1 Mar., "
Hansen, Waldemar	Shortland	Thames	23 Mar., "
Mabbett, Herbert William*	Weber	Napier	18 Mar., "
Sells, Arthur Edward*	Strathmore	New Plymouth	2 April, "
Warburton, Kate	Carswell's	Wellington	1 Mar., "
Wood, Charles	Lynton Downs	Christchurch	24 Mar., "

* Now Postmaster and Telephonist.

Offices opened and closed; Designations changed and corrected.

Post and Telegraph Department,

General Post Office, Wellington, 9th May, 1898.

THE following particulars of offices opened and closed, and of designations changed and corrected, are published for general information.

W. C. WALKER,

For Postmaster-General and Electric Telegraph Commissioner.

Name.	District.	Date.
POST-OFFICES OPENED.		
Koriniti	Wanganui	1 April, 1898.
Mangamaire	Wellington	15 April, "
Maungawera	Dunedin	6 April, "
Spar Bush	Invercargill	1 April, "
Stronvar	Wellington	4 April, "
POST-OFFICE CLOSED.		
Wheatstone	Christchurch	1 April, 1898.
MONEY-ORDER OFFICES AND POST-OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS OPENED.		
Addison's	Westport	16 April, 1898.
Waihou	Auckland	24 April, "
MONEY-ORDER OFFICE AND POST-OFFICE SAVINGS-BANK CLOSED.		
Mokihinui	Westport	20 April, 1898.
POSTAL-NOTE OFFICE OPENED.		
Kenepuru	Blenheim	1 May, 1898.
TELEPHONE-OFFICES OPENED.		
Black's Point*	Greymouth	25 April, 1898.
Crushington*	"	25 April, "
Plimmerton (reopened)†	Wellington	22 April, "
Strathmore*	New Plymouth	2 April, "
Tawataia (reopened)†	Wellington	16 April, "
Ti-tree Point*	Napier	27 April, "
TELEPHONE-OFFICES CLOSED.		
Otakou‡	Dunedin	31 March, 1898.
Mokihinui‡	Westport	20 April, "
Plimmerton	Wellington	30 March, "
TELEPHONE BUREAU OPENED.		
Tolaga Bay	Gisborne	19 April, 1898.

DESIGNATIONS.

Description.	Office.		District.	Date.
	From	To		
CHANGED.				
Post-office	Dieffenbach	Te Weka	Blenheim	1 May, 1898.
Telephone-office	Wellington Railway	Thorndon Railway, Wellington	Wellington	1 May, "
CORRECTED.				
Post- and telephone-office	Waikomiti	Waikumete	Auckland	1 May, 1898.

* Now post and telephone combined.

† Again post and telephone combined.

‡ Post-office remains open.

Tender for Police Shakos, Helmets, &c., accepted.

Police Department, Wellington, 12th May, 1898.

IT is notified for general information that the under-mentioned tender for supplying police shakos, helmets, &c., has been accepted for three years from the 4th May, 1898.

Name of Tenderer.	Police Shakos.	Police White Helmets.	Police Blue Helmets.	Covering White Helmets with Indigo-blue Cloth.	White Diaper or Bird's-eye Shako-covers.	Waterproof Shako-covers.
Hallenstein Bros. and Co., Dunedin	s. d. 7 9	s. d. 4 9	s. d. 7 0	s. d. 4 9	s. d. 1 9	s. d. 1 9

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T. THOMPSON.

Rainfall for April, 1898.

Station.	Observer	Total Fall, in Inches.	Days of Rain.	Maximum Fall, and Date (for Previous Twenty-four Hours).	Total Fall since Beginning of Year.	Days of Rain since Beginning of Year.
NORTH ISLAND.						
(A.) NORTH-EAST ASPECT—NORTH CAPE TO EAST CAPE.						
Parengarenga	A. R. Crane	2.16	11	0.54 on 30th ..	8.85	31
Pakaraka	Hon. H. Williams, M.L.C. ..	1.49	12	0.55 on 29th ..	11.84	38
Parua Bay	D. Davidson	0.97	8	0.33 on 22nd ..	7.91	32
Auckland	Government Observer ..	..	..	..	5.69	16
Cuvier Island*	Lightkeeper .. ..	..	..	..	10.15	32
Tauranga	R. O. Stewart	0.98	11	0.27 on 18th ..	14.48	42
Athenree (Tauranga) ..	Captain Stewart	1.54	15	0.35 on 27th ..	9.89	29
Rotorua	Dr. Ginders	2.62	11	0.83 on 5th ..	..	..
(B.) NORTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE MARIA VAN DIEMEN TO CAPE EGDMONT.						
Kaitaia	W. G. Puckey	2.27	7	0.73 on 4th ..	6.93	21
Paihia (Russell)	Captain Burleigh	1.23	9	0.50 on 4th ..	..	..
Awakino	N. A. Robison	4.03	10	1.18 on 21st ..	14.06	36
Raglan	H. V. Rutherford .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Te Kopua (Waikato) ..	Rev. H. Young	1.71	4	1.02 on 21st ..	7.63	19
New Plymouth	E. Veale	3.35	9	1.05 on 22nd ..	13.77	37
Upper Mongorei	Mrs. Brown	9.13	12	2.06 on 5th ..	26.15	44
Inglewood	Miss E. Trimble	9.37	10	2.58 on 5th ..	27.38	37
Ngatimaru	R. Drummond	5.36	7	2.74 on 25th ..	21.30	30
(C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGDMONT TO CAPE TERAWHITI.						
Mangaraka (Waitara) ..	D. Wilkie .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Upper Waitotara	E. F. Liffiton	3.09	12	1.15 on 22nd ..	12.41	41
Omata Valley	C. Forde	2.05	10	0.88 on 22nd ..	8.28	37
Stratford	Miss Bobin	5.50	10	1.80 on 5th ..	17.22	37
Opunake	A. H. Moore	2.67	9	0.58 on 18th ..	8.15	33
Manaia	G. A. Hurley	1.76	4	0.67 on 18th ..	8.87	22
Hawera	J. Livingston	1.13	8	0.34 on 21st ..	7.42	30
Kaponga	C. Maclean	3.15	7	1.24 on 4th ..	10.84	26
Aramoho (Wanganui) ..	J. T. Stewart	1.79	14	0.60 on 22nd ..	6.45	30
Wanganui	H. F. Seager	2.12	7	0.63 on 22nd ..	6.71	23
Kaitoke	A. Wygodil	1.57	10	0.48 on 22nd ..	5.37	32
No. 2 Line (Wanganui) ..	H. I. Jones	1.63	10	0.62 on 22nd ..	6.40	32
Raetihi (Wanganui) ..	G. T. Murray	5.14	13	1.79 on 22nd ..	17.13	44
Parapara School (Wanganui) ..	J. Katterns Manning ..	..	..	..	..	..
Campbelltown	H. Sanson	1.72	6	0.60 on 17th ..	7.68	28
Feilding	S. Goodbehere	1.68	12	0.51 on 21st ..	6.36	37
Te Kumu	G. S. Fulton	2.59	7	1.03 on 18th ..	7.78	27
Hunterville	G. L. Cook	1.72	9	0.63 on 22nd ..	7.96	40
Erehwon	Mrs. Caccia-Birch	1.55	6	0.62 on 18th ..	5.92	37
Ruanui	J. F. Studholme	2.42	7	1.13 on 18th ..	8.23	33
West Waitapu	J. Gurflee	1.75	8	0.75 on 22nd ..	6.96	38
Ashurst	H. Barnes	1.68	7	0.55 on 22nd ..	6.85	35
Bull's	E. J. Keiller	1.67	10	0.44 on 22nd ..	6.58	30
Palmerston North	C. J. Monro	1.55	12	0.46 on 22nd ..	8.11	39
State Farm (Levin)	O. J. Blaine	2.11	11	0.74 on 18th ..	7.95	37
Otaki	M. H. Ayre	2.44	13	0.75 on 17th ..	7.80	35
Kereru	C. A. Muggleton	2.05	6	0.79 on 17th ..	9.07	22
Pukerua	W. Bell .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER.						
Waipiro	J. S. Dodgshun	1.95	10	1.32 on 16th ..	13.23	27
Matahiia	F. J. Kemp	2.64	8	1.20 on 16th ..	15.04	22
Tolago Bay†	A. Reeves	1.28	4	1.15 on 17th ..	10.46	13
Gisborne	Rev. H. W. Williams ..	1.86	11	0.48 on 16th ..	10.18	40
Patutahi	H. N. Watson	0.71	6	0.34 on 18th ..	9.01	27
Maractaha	J. Woodbine Johnson ..	1.02	6	0.56 on 19th ..	7.68	29
Tiniroto (a)	J. Cook	3.44	7	1.18 on 19th ..	9.63	32
Waikaremoana	Fenton Lambert	1.33	6	0.79 on 18th ..	10.02	34
Tutira Lake	H. Guthrie-Smith .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Rakamoana	J. Moore	1.54	6	1.04 on 18th ..	12.66	33
Te Kowhai	J. H. Absolom	0.83	4	0.32 on 18th ..	11.06	25
Petane	W. H. Smith	1.21	4	0.62 on 18th ..	8.89	20
Napier (b)	E. Lyndon	2.01	3	1.97 on 18th ..	6.85	10
Hastings	J. N. Williams	0.79	2	0.47 on 18th ..	4.10	20
Waimarama	Thomas R. Moore	0.99	3	0.62 on 18th ..	5.87	23
Mangakuri	G. C. Williams	1.22	7	0.61 on 19th ..	5.95	25
Te Aute	S. B. Ludbrook	0.74	5	0.56 on 18th ..	4.60	25
Maraekakaho	A. Lockie	0.60	3	0.52 on 18th ..	4.48	22
Gwavas	J. Nicoll	0.83	4	0.60 on 18th ..	5.44	30
Mount Vernon	J. W. Harding	0.78	3	0.50 on 18th ..	3.04	23
Ormondville	J. C. Westall	2.20	8	0.83 on 19th ..	6.11	35
Woodville	J. Leithead	2.38	11	0.71 on 22nd ..	8.15	44
Pahiatua	W. Tosswill	2.12	9	0.63 on 23rd ..	9.75	35
Tane	H. A. Lambert	1.81	8	0.70 on 18th ..	10.76	39
Eketahuna (a)	T. Lewis	3.17	3	1.37 on 22nd ..	7.18	12
Otahuao	Miss E. A. D. Bennett ..	1.68	4	1.17 on 18th ..	5.21	26
Carterton	H. Braithwaite	2.57	7	1.70 on 18th ..	6.51	29
Featherston	G. G. Wellsted	3.50	6	1.75 on 18th ..	6.22	15
Summit	M. Cronin	8.38	8	2.10 on 18th ..	24.49	36
Upper Hutt	M. Maher	7.50	3	4.00 on 5th ..	16.20	15
Taita	T. Mason	5.98	9	1.61 on 22nd ..	13.20	34
Wainuiomata	J. Quaintance	5.25	7	2.05 on 5th ..	14.46	30
Lower Hutt	Miss Heaton	5.49	11	1.65 on 5th ..	12.09	35
Petone	Sir J. Hector	7.45	12	1.78 on 5th ..	13.78	36
Wellington	Government Observer ..	5.62	12	1.82 on 5th ..	10.89	39
Karori	W. Edmonds	4.49	12	1.47 on 18th ..	8.45	36
Late returns—						
January .. ..	.. ..	3.17	4	1.50 on 6th.	..	..
* February .. ..	.. ..	0.49	1	0.49 on 8th.	..	..
March .. ..	.. ..	2.03	11	0.75 on 5th.	..	..
† February .. ..	.. ..	0.30	2	0.20 on 21st.	..	..

(a) January return not included in totals.

(b) Number of days in February not included in total.

Rainfall for April, 1898—continued.

Station.	Observer.	Total Fall, in Inches.	Days of Rain.	Maximum Fall, and Date (for Previous Twenty-four Hours..	Total Fall since Beginning of Year.	Days of Rain since Beginning of Year
SOUTH ISLAND.						
(A.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO KAIKOURA.						
Nelson	Dr. Hudson	3·81	12	1·87 on 17th	9·06	33
Stephens Island*	Lightkeeper	5·01	8	2·50 on 18th	8·89	20
The Brothers	Lightkeeper .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Avondale Station (Blenheim).. .. .	C. de V. Teschemaker	4·59	10	2·41 on 18th	..	..
Manaroa (Pelorus Sounds)	W. B. Tosswill	10·05	11	3·85 on 5th	18·38	40
Blenheim	N. T. Prichard	4·02	9	2·64 on 18th	7·21	26
Cape Campbell	Lightkeeper .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Flaxbourne	W. Tatchell	8·45	4	6·47 on 18th	14·43	28
Kekerangu	W. J. White	7·51	5	5·80 on 18th	14·85	39
Mount Fyffe (Kaikoura)	Miss H. Collins	5·19	10	3·50 on 18th	12·39	41
(B.) WEST ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO PUYSEGUR POINT.						
Farewell Spit	Lightkeeper	5·19	11	2·05 on 18th	11·36	30
Pakawau	T. C. V. Field	7·96	15	3·49 on 4th	22·97	45
Westport	H. S. Ewan	6·72	15	1·29 on 4th	27·26	60
Ngahere	J. Scott	14·54	16	2·95 on 3rd	41·39	60
Greymouth	J. Conner	11·18	14	2·00 on 4th and 9th	38·93	54
Hokitika	A. D. Macfarlane	10·72	11	2·52 on 4th	41·26	43
Dusky Sound	R. Henry .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Puysegur Point	Lightkeeper	16·82	21	1·89 on 25th	91·72	90
(C.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS.						
Waiau	F. S. Northcote	3·23	11	1·24 on 18th	8·39	36
Akaros	Miss Jacobson	1·16	5	0·49 on 22nd	6·53	32
Port Hills (Christchurch)	Miss M. L. Higgins	0·26	2	0·25 on 22nd	3·83	24
Christchurch	A. L. Taylor	0·29	2	0·23 on 22nd	4·47	16
Linwood	J. A. Bitteliff	0·20	4	0·14 on 22nd	4·37	30
Lincoln	J. W. Mellor	0·50	6	0·29 on 22nd	4·22	26
Southbridge	D. McMillan	0·63	5	0·30 on 22nd	4·27	23
Hororata	Hon. Sir J. Hall, K.C.M.G.	1·04	6	0·43 on 22nd	5·43	26
Kapunatiki	Hon. W. Rolleston	0·61	3	0·37 on 22nd	3·77	26
Orari	John Murray	1·40	7	0·59 on 17th	5·32	33
Bealey	C. White	3·54	8	2·20 on 4th	25·95	30
Mt. Peel	Mrs. O. Scott Thompson	3·31	14	1·17 on 17th	9·39	47
Peel Forest	W. E. Barker	3·02	11	1·13 on 17th	10·83	40
Methven	H. G. Baker	2·54	10	0·93 on 17th	9·29	39
Drayton (Methven)	E. P. Chapman .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Ashburton	A. E. Hart	1·24	5	0·49 on 22nd	4·73	20
Timaru	C. H. Inglis	0·73	6	0·32 on 17th	4·78	28
Fairlie	D. H. Gillingham	1·70	14	0·49 on 22nd	5·79	39
Waimate	W. S. Hamilton	1·00	12	0·30 on 21st	4·87	41
Geraldine	A. L. Temple	1·95	13	0·75 on 17th	6·61	44
Windsor Park (Oamaru)	E. Menlove	0·94	10	0·29 on 16th	3·59	33
Oamaru	G. Anderson	0·74	7	0·24 on 11th	3·26	25
Maheno	C. de S. Teschemaker	0·71	5	0·35 on 21st	2·89	19
(D.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT.						
Macetown	W. J. Stanford	3·46	6	1·50 on 6th	12·39	35
Queenstown	L. Hotop	3·02	9	0·67 on 5th	10·59	31
St. Bathans	J. Ewing	3·32	11	0·65 on 7th	8·93	35
Gladbrook Station	D. Crawford	2·13	12	0·57 on 17th	8·94	43
Roxburgh	Dr. W. J. Mullin	1·30	8	0·50 on 21st	6·44	35
Kokonga	R. W. Glendinning	1·06	11	0·29 on 22nd	3·27	32
Dunedin	Government Observer	1·85	10	0·43 on 17th	8·72	55
Eweburn	H. J. Mathews .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Tapanui	J. Gleeson	2·22	12	0·45 on 21st	11·25	61
Kaitangata†	W. M. Shore	1·64	4	0·66 on 17th	6·70	24
Balclutha	C. C. Halliday	1·17	7	0·30 on 9th	6·87	36
Naseby	G. L. Stewart	1·19	7	0·73 on 22nd	3·78	25
Clyde	L. D. Macgeorge	1·42	6	0·50 on 21st	3·69	13
Wyndham	W. H. Rodney	1·00	..	..	..	..
Dipton	R. D. MacLachlan	2·51	8	0·77 on 21st	11·79	34
Ratanui	J. Fraser	2·17	10	0·49 on 10th	17·13	60
Invercargill	J. L. Bush	1·87	12	0·30 on 10th & 11th	17·30	56
Otautau	N. A. McLaren	1·97	8	0·54 on 9th	19·07	52
Nightcaps	J. Ritchie	1·89	12	0·39 on 9th	11·41	45
Chatham Islands	A. Shand
Late returns—						
* March	1·28	5	0·40 on 4th.		
† March	2·06	5	0·86 on 16th.		

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Tenders for Railway Stores.

Railway Department, Wellington, 16th May, 1898.

THE following list of successful tender rates for supply and delivery of stores for New Zealand Railways, 1898-1900, is published for general information.

By order.

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RAILWAY STORES CONTRACTS, 1898-1900.

For Supply of	Auckland.	Wellington.	Addington.	Hillside.
General ironmongery ..	E. Porter and Co.	E. W. Mills and Co...	Ashby, Bergh, and Co...	N.Z. Hardware Company.
Furnishing ironmongery	"	Cameron and Christie	"	Thomson, Bridger, and Co.
Iron and steel ..	"	Briscoe, MacNeil, and Co.	John Anderson ..	N.Z. Hardware Company.
Oils, colours, &c. ..	"	Smith and Smith ..	Edward Reece and Sons	Smith and Smith.
Ship-chandlery ..	"	E. W. Mills and Co...	"	N.Z. Hardware Company.
Drainpipes, &c. ..	J. J. Craig ..	Peter Hutson and Co.	Ashby, Bergh, and Co...	Arthur Briscoe and Co.
Cement ..	John Wilson and Co.	"	"	Milburn Lime and Cement Company.
Lime ..	J. J. Craig ..	Milburn Lime and Cement Co., Dunedin	J. J. Craig ..	Milburn Lime and Cement Company.
Brushware ..	E. Porter and Co.	T. Bunting and Co., Christchurch	Ashby, Bergh, and Co...	Arthur Briscoe and Co.
Leather ..	"	E. W. Mills and Co...	"	N.Z. Hardware Company.

TENDER RATES AS FOLLOW:—

No.	Description of Article.	Rate.				Per
		Auckland.	Wellington.	Addington.	Hillside.	
SCHEDULE FOR IRONMONGERY.						
1	Adzes, Gilpin's, or approved maker, ship-carpenters', No. 2, square-or round-poled	£ 0 3 6	£ 0 2 9	£ 0 2 9	£ 0 2 3	each.
2	Adzes, Gilpin's, or approved maker, ship-carpenters', No. 3, square-or round-poled	0 4 0	0 3 0	0 4 0	0 2 8	"
3	Anvils, best, tied in ..	1 10 0	2 0 0	0 18 0	0 19 0	cwt.
4	" Wright's patent ..	2 5 0	2 3 6	1 10 0	1 19 0	"
5	Augers, screw, 1/4 in. to 3/4 in., Mathieson's ..	0 14 0	0 14 0	0 10 0	0 11 6	doz.
6	" " 1/2 in. to 1 in. ..	0 18 0	0 18 0	1 0 0	0 14 9	"
7	" " 3/4 in. to 1 1/4 in. ..	1 18 0	1 12 6	1 13 0	1 6 0	"
8	" " 1 1/2 in. to 2 in. ..	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	"
9	" " 2 1/4 in. to 2 1/2 in. ..	4 0 0	5 18 0	2 15 0	3 5 0	"
10	" " 1/2 in. to 3/4 in., Gilpin's ..	0 14 0	0 16 0	0 12 0	0 10 0	"
11	" " 3/4 in. to 1 in. ..	0 18 0	0 18 0	0 17 0	0 13 6	"
12	" " 1 in. to 1 1/4 in. ..	1 18 0	1 12 6	1 0 0	1 4 0	"
13	" " 1 1/2 in. to 2 in. ..	2 8 0	2 8 6	1 13 0	1 18 0	"
14	" " 2 1/4 in. to 2 1/2 in. ..	4 0 0	5 16 0	2 5 0	2 15 0	"
15	" single twist, 3/4 in. to 1 in. ..	0 4 3	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 4	each.
16	" " 1 1/4 in. to 1 3/4 in. ..	0 5 6	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 5 0	"
17	" " 1 1/2 in. to 1 3/4 in. ..	0 7 0	0 8 6	0 7 0	0 6 3	"
18	" " 1 3/4 in. to 1 3/4 in. ..	0 9 0	0 10 0	0 8 0	0 7 4	"
19	" " 2 in. to 2 1/4 in. without screws	0 12 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	0 11 6	"
20	" " 2 1/4 in. to 2 3/4 in. ..	0 18 0	1 4 0	0 18 0	0 11 6	"
21	" " 2 1/2 in. to 2 3/4 in. ..	1 5 0	1 15 0	1 5 0	0 13 6	"
22	" " 2 3/4 in. to 3 in. ..	1 15 0	2 5 0	1 10 0	0 18 6	"
23	Auger-bits, Gilpin's ..	0 0 2	0 0 2	0 0 2	0 0 1 3/4	1/8 in.
24	Axes, American, handled, 4 1/2 lb. to 6 lb., Sharp's	0 4 4	0 4 5	0 4 9	0 3 10	each.
25	" " " Mann's ..	0 4 6	0 4 3	0 3 9	0 3 10	"
26	Bells, handled, station, 6in. ..	0 7 6	0 6 6	0 5 0	0 5 0	"
27	" " " 8in. ..	0 15 0	0 15 6	0 13 6	0 13 6	"
28	Blocks, pulley, iron, one wheel ..	0 1 6	0 1 4	0 1 6	0 0 11	1/2 inch dia of wheel
29	" " " two wheels ..	0 2 3	0 2 4	0 3 0	0 1 9	"
30	" " " three wheels ..	0 2 9	0 2 9	0 4 0	0 2 3	"
31	" " " snatch ..	0 2 6	0 1 6	0 2 0	0 1 2	"
32	" differential pulley, 1/2 ton, 40ft. chain, Weston's, Tangye's patent, "extra strong"	1 4 0	1 8 6	1 6 0	1 0 0	each.
33	" " " 1 " " " " "	1 15 0	2 0 6	2 0 0	1 9 0	"
34	" " " 1 1/2 " " " " "	2 2 0	2 14 0	2 5 0	1 17 0	"
35	" " " 2 " " " " "	2 15 0	3 4 0	2 15 0	2 12 6	"
36	" " " 2 1/2 " " " " "	3 3 0	4 4 0	2 15 0	2 12 6	"
37	" " " 3 " " " " "	3 5 0	4 10 0	3 10 0	2 16 0	"

No.	Description of Article.	Rate.				Per
		Auckland.	Wellington.	Addington.	Hillside.	
SCHEDULE FOR IRONMONGERY—continued.						
38	Bolts and nuts, engineers', all descriptions, $\frac{3}{8}$ in. to $\frac{1}{2}$ in. thick, up to 5in. long	£ 1 16 0	£ 1 8 0	£ 1 12 0	£ 1 10 0	cwt.
39	" " " " $\frac{3}{8}$ in. to $\frac{1}{2}$ in. thick, over 5in. long	1 16 0	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 6 0	"
40	" " " " above $\frac{1}{2}$ in. dia., any length	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 10 0	1 9 0	"
41	" " " " $\frac{1}{2}$ in. and $\frac{5}{8}$ in. th'k, any l'gth	0 5 6	0 5 0	0 6 0	0 7 6	gross.
42	" coach, " " " " $\frac{3}{8}$ in. to $\frac{1}{2}$ in. thick, up to 5in. long	1 5 0	1 5 0	1 3 0	1 4 0	cwt.
43	" " " " " " " " $\frac{3}{8}$ in. to $\frac{1}{2}$ in. thick, over 5in. long	1 7 0	1 4 0	1 1 0	1 4 0	"
44	" " " " " " " " above $\frac{1}{2}$ in. thick, any length	1 5 0	1 3 0	1 1 0	1 4 0	"
45	" " " " " " " " $\frac{1}{2}$ in. and $\frac{5}{8}$ in.	0 6 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	gross.
46	" countersunk, " " " "	1 10 0	1 5 0	1 4 0	0 18 0	cwt.
47	" galvanised, Nettlefold's, discount off Nettlefold's list, 1886, Art. 86	25%	45%	5%	45%	"
48	Bolt-ends, hexagon or square nuts, $\frac{1}{2}$ in. to $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. diameter, Patent Nut and Bolt Company's	0 18 0	1 4 0	0 17 0	1 0 0	cwt.
49	Boxes, cash, Hobbs's lock	0 1 8	0 1 1	0 1 6	0 1 0	inch.
50	Brads, flooring, wire	0 0 2	0 0 2	0 0 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 0 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	lb.
51	Brass rod, from $\frac{1}{4}$ in. upwards	0 0 10	0 0 9	0 1 0	0 0 8 $\frac{1}{2}$	"
52	Brass sheet	0 0 10	0 0 9 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 0 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 0 7 $\frac{1}{2}$	"
53	Brass tubing, solid drawn, any gauge	0 1 3	0 0 11 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 1 2	0 0 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	"
54	Brass-cased tubing, $\frac{3}{8}$ in. to $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	0 0 4	0 0 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 0 3	0 0 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	foot.
55	" " " " $\frac{1}{2}$ in. to $\frac{3}{4}$ in.	0 0 5	0 0 5 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 0 5	0 0 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	"
56	Cement, Portland, White Bros., or other approved English manufacture	0 14 0	0 13 6	0 13 3	0 13 8	barrel.
57	Chain, short-link, Lloyd's test, $\frac{3}{16}$ in.	1 6 0	2 0 0	1 10 0	0 19 0	cwt.
58	" " " " $\frac{1}{4}$ in.	1 3 0	1 12 0	1 5 0	0 19 0	"
59	" " " " $\frac{5}{16}$ in.	1 2 0	1 8 6	1 4 0	0 19 0	"
60	" " " " $\frac{3}{8}$ in.	1 1 0	1 5 9	1 0 0	0 17 0	"
61	" " " " $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	1 0 0	1 1 6	0 19 0	0 17 0	"
62	" " " " $\frac{5}{8}$ in.	0 19 0	1 1 0	0 18 0	0 16 0	"
63	" " " " $\frac{3}{4}$ in. and upwards	0 18 0	0 18 6	0 17 0	0 15 0	"
64	" galvanised, long link	1 5 0	1 9 0	0 15 0	1 1 0	"
65	" short link	1 5 0	1 15 0	0 15 0	1 1 0	"
66	" twisted, short link	1 5 0	1 10 0	1 1 0	0 15 0	"
67	" " galvanised	1 10 0	1 16 0	1 0 0	1 10 0	"
68	" " japanned	0 4 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	0 2 10	doz. yds.
69	" brass, Nos. 12 and 14	0 4 6	0 3 2	0 4 0	0 4 6	"
70	Chalk, lump	0 7 0	0 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 6	cwt.
71	Closet-pans, galvanised, to sample	0 10 0	0 10 6	0 7 6	0 8 6	each.
72	Coach-screws, $\frac{7}{16}$ in. diameter and upwards	1 8 0	1 6 6	1 6 0	1 3 6	cwt.
73	" " " " $\frac{1}{2}$ in. to $\frac{3}{8}$ in.	0 8 0	0 5 6	0 5 0	0 4 6	gross.
74	Cocks, brass, H.P. water, bib, screwed or tinned tail, $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	0 1 8	0 1 8	0 1 3	0 1 6	each.
75	" " " " " " " " $\frac{3}{4}$ in.	0 2 9	0 2 7	0 4 0	0 2 6	"
76	" " " " " " " " 1in.	0 4 0	0 4 3	0 5 0	0 3 10	"
77	" " " " " " " " $1\frac{1}{2}$ in.	0 9 6	0 13 6	0 6 0	0 6 0	"
78	" " " " " " " " 2in.	0 16 0	1 2 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	"
79	" gun-metal " " Lord Kelvin's patent $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	0 5 0	0 6 6	0 2 0	0 5 6	"
80	" " " " " " " " $\frac{3}{4}$ in.	0 7 0	0 9 0	0 4 6	0 7 0	"
81	" " " " " " " " 1in.	0 11 6	0 11 6	0 6 6	0 8 0	"
82	" " " " " " " " $1\frac{1}{2}$ in.	0 16 0	0 14 6	0 5 0	0 11 0	"
83	" brass, range, complete, screwed, $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	0 1 9	0 1 6	0 2 0	0 1 6	"
84	" " " " " " " " $\frac{3}{4}$ in.	0 2 6	0 2 4	0 3 0	0 2 0	"
85	" " " " " " " " 1in.	0 3 6	0 3 2	0 5 0	0 4 0	"
86	" gun-metal, steam, plug, bib or otherwise, flanged at one or both ends, or screwed male or female, as required	0 1 6	0 2 3	0 1 6	0 0 10	"
87	" " " " " " " " $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	0 3 0	0 2 9	0 3 0	0 4 9	"
88	" " " " " " " " $\frac{3}{4}$ in.	0 4 0	0 4 2	0 5 0	0 4 9	"
89	" " " " " " " " 1in.	0 6 0	0 6 6	0 7 0	0 5 0	"
90	" gun-metal, wheel-top, steam, $\frac{3}{8}$ in. and $\frac{1}{2}$ in.	0 3 0	0 3 2	0 3 0	0 3 0	"
91	" " " " " " " " $\frac{1}{2}$ in. and 1in.	0 7 0	0 6 0	0 4 0	0 4 6	"
92	" " " " " " " " $1\frac{1}{2}$ in.	0 11 0	0 13 3	0 6 0	0 12 0	"
93	Copper pipe, brazed	6 0 0	4 15 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	cwt.
94	" solid drawn, 10 to 20 gauge	6 10 0	7 0 0	6 10 0	6 0 0	"
95	" sheet, up to and including $\frac{1}{2}$ in. thick	4 0 0	4 5 0	6 10 8	3 13 6	"
96	Cotter-pins, Nettlefold's, per cent. discount from Nettlefold's list, 1886, Art. 595	45%	50%	50%	60%	"
97	Dynamite, Nobel's best, or other approved make	0 1 8	0 2 3	0 2 0	0 1 6	lb.
98	" caps for exploding	0 4 0	0 5 6	0 4 0	0 3 0	box.
99	Emery-cloth, Oakey's, genuine, all numbers	1 10 0	1 12 6	1 10 0	1 6 0	ream.
100	" powder " " " "	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 6	0 0 3	lb.
101	Felt, roofing, red-edged	0 0 4 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	yard.
102	" saddlers', to sample, 50in. wide	0 1 8	0 1 11	0 1 9	0 1 7	"
103	Figures, steel, $\frac{1}{2}$ in. }	0 5 0	0 2 6	0 2 0	0 1 9	set.
104	" " $\frac{3}{4}$ in. } English {	0 7 0	0 3 0	0 3 6	0 2 6	"
105	" " $\frac{1}{2}$ in. }	0 10 0	0 4 4	0 4 6	0 3 3	"
106	" " $\frac{3}{8}$ in. }	0 15 0	0 5 9	0 6 6	0 4 3	"
107	Files and rasps, all descriptions, per cent. from Sheffield list	50%	42 $\frac{1}{2}$ % off	50% off	57 $\frac{1}{2}$ % off	"
108	" " " " " " Stubs's Lancashire list	List	5% on	20% on	List	"

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		Auckland.	Wellington.	Addington.	Hillside.	
SCHEDULE FOR IRONMONGERY—continued.						
109	File card-wire	£ 0 1 0	£ 0 0 10	£ 0 1 0	£ 0 1 0	sq. ft.
110	Fire-bricks "Glenboig"	12 0 0	12 10 0	12 10 0	11 10 0	1,000.
111	Fire-clay, English	0 6 6	0 7 0	0 5 6	0 6 0	cwt.
112	Fuse, double-tape, approved make	0 0 8½	0 0 8½	0 0 8	0 0 7	coil.
113	Gas-pipe, compo., 3in and 4in	0 0 3	0 0 3½	0 1 3	0 0 3	lb.
114	" and fittings, black, Lloyd and Lloyd's, or other brand to be approved by the department, per cent. discount from list	65%	65% off	65% off	72½% off	
115	Gas-pipe and fittings, galvanised, Lloyd and Lloyd's, or other brand to be approved by the department, per cent. discount from list	55%	55% off	55% off	62½% off	
116	Gimp-pins, all colours	0 0 6	0 0 6½	0 0 3	0 0 5	lb.
117	Glasses, gauge, Tomey and Sons'	0 8 0	0 6 0	0 7 6	0 4 9	doz.
118	Glass-cloth, Oakey's, improved flexible, all numbers	1 10 0	1 12 0	0 18 0	1 7 0	ream.
119	" paper, " " " "	0 15 0	0 17 0	0 18 0	0 15 0	
120	Glazier's putty-knives	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 0 6	0 1 0	each.
121	" diamonds, for sheet-glass	0 17 6	0 15 6	0 11 0	0 12 6	"
122	" " for plate-glass	1 5 0	1 12 6	1 10 0	1 4 0	"
123	Glue, pale, medal, No. 1	0 0 7	0 0 7	0 0 6½	0 0 5	lb.
124	" Russian	0 0 10	0 1 3	0 0 8	0 0 9	"
125	Grindstones, Newcastle on-Tyne, to 24in. diameter	0 0 3½	0 0 3½	0 0 3½	0 0 3	lin. diam.
126	" " above 24in. diam. and not exceeding 36in.	0 0 6	0 0 5	0 0 9	0 0 6	"
127	" " " 36in. " " 48in.	0 0 11	0 1 0	0 1 6	0 0 10	"
128	" " " 48in. " " 54in.	0 1 3	0 1 4	0 1 9	0 0 11	"
129	" " " 54in. " " 60in.	0 1 6	0 1 9	0 2 6	0 1 0	"
130	" " Bilston, to 24in. diameter	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 3	"
131	" " above 24in. diameter and not exceeding 36in.	0 0 6	0 0 8	0 1 0	0 0 6	"
132	" " " 36in. " " 48in.	0 1 0	0 1 2	0 1 6	0 0 10	"
133	" " " 48in. " " 54in.	0 1 6	0 1 6	0 1 9	0 0 11	"
134	" " " 54in. " " 60in.	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 6	0 1 0	"
135	" mountings, American	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 3	0 2 0	set.
136	Hammers, claw, American, adze-eye, Cheney's, No. 5	0 2 3	0 2 2	0 2 6	0 2 0	each.
137	" engineers', all steel	0 0 9	0 0 11	0 1 0	0 0 7½	lb.
138	" smiths', hand and sledge, steel-faced, all descriptions	0 0 4	0 0 5	0 0 4	0 0 3½	"
139	Handles, hickory, adze	0 9 0	0 8 6	0 8 0	0 8 6	doz.
140	" " axe	0 8 0	0 8 3	0 8 0	0 7 6	"
141	" " hand-hammer	0 3 3	0 4 0	0 3 3	0 3 0	"
142	" " sledge "	0 6 6	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 5 0	"
143	" " pick	0 8 0	0 7 9	0 7 6	0 6 6	"
144	" " tomahawk	0 3 0	0 3 4	0 2 0	0 2 6	"
145	" file, ferruled	0 1 6	0 0 10	0 2 0	0 1 0	"
146	" mop, "	0 3 6	0 4 6	0 2 0	0 4 0	"
147	" broom	0 2 3	0 2 3	0 3 0	0 2 0	"
148	" scythe, American, with patent fastenings	1 6 0	1 10 0	1 10 0	1 0 0	"
149	" shovel, long, "	0 8 0	0 8 3	0 4 0	0 9 6	"
150	" hay-fork, "	0 6 0	0 4 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	"
151	" hoe, "	0 6 0	0 3 3	0 12 0	0 3 6	"
152	" D, spade or shovel	0 7 6	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	"
153	Hasps and staples, on plate	0 4 6	0 3 4	0 4 0	0 2 6	doz.
154	" " to drive	0 4 0	0 2 3	0 1 0	0 1 6	"
155	Hinges, brass butt, 1½in., B. P. Cartland's 5150	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 3	0 0 3	pair.
156	" " 2in. " "	0 0 6	0 0 5	0 0 4½	0 0 4½	"
157	" " 2½in. " "	0 0 7	0 0 7½	0 0 5½	0 0 7	"
158	" " 3in. " "	0 0 10	0 0 11	0 0 9	0 0 10	"
159	" " 3½in. " "	0 1 6	0 1 6	0 1 2	0 1 3	"
160	" " 4in. " "	0 2 0	0 2 4	0 1 9	0 1 6	"
161	" iron butt, 2in. to 4in.	0 3 6	0 3 2	0 4 0	0 2 9	doz. pair.
162	" " 5in. to 6in.	0 9 0	0 11 0	0 4 6	0 8 6	"
163	" T, 6in.	0 2 6	0 2 7	0 2 6	0 2 6	"
164	" " 8in.	0 3 0	0 3 2	0 3 0	0 2 10	"
165	" " 10in.	0 3 6	0 3 7	0 3 6	0 3 2	"
166	" " 12in.	0 4 0	0 4 6	0 4 6	0 3 9	"
167	" " 14in.	0 5 0	0 5 3	0 5 0	0 4 6	"
168	" " 16in.	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	"
169	" " 18in.	0 8 6	0 9 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	"
170	" " 20in.	0 10 0	0 9 8	0 9 0	0 8 6	"
171	" ohest, 6in.	0 2 4	0 2 3	0 2 0	0 2 6	"
172	" " 8in.	0 3 3	0 3 6	0 2 6	0 2 9	"
173	" " 10in.	0 4 6	0 4 9	0 3 0	0 5 0	"
174	" " 12in.	0 6 6	0 5 8	0 3 0	0 6 0	"
175	" " 14in.	0 6 6	0 7 0	0 3 6	0 8 8	"
176	" " 16in.	0 8 6	0 8 0	0 4 0	0 10 0	"
177	Hooks, case	0 1 0	0 0 9	0 1 0	0 0 8	each.
178	" bag	0 1 0	0 0 9	0 1 6	0 0 8	"
179	" wool, to sample	0 1 3	0 1 8	0 1 9	0 1 0	"
180	" reaping	0 1 0	0 1 6	0 0 8	0 1 0	"
181	" slashers, Dennison's, Dunedin, light	0 4 6	0 5 0	0 3 0	0 4 4	"
182	" " intermediate	0 5 0	0 5 4	0 3 6	0 4 9	"
183	" " B. Edwards's, Invercargill, No. 18	0 4 6	0 5 9	0 4 9	0 4 4	"
184	" " " No. 24	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 9	"
185	Indiarubber hosepipe, ½in. x 2-ply	0 0 3	0 0 5	0 0 3	0 0 2½	foot.
186	" " ½in. x "	0 0 4	0 0 5½	0 0 4	0 0 4	"
187	" " ½in. x "	0 0 6	0 0 6½	0 0 5	0 0 4	"
188	" " ½in. x 3-ply	0 0 8	0 0 8	0 0 8	0 0 7	"
189	" " 1in. x "	0 1 0	0 0 11½	0 0 10	0 0 8½	"
190	" " 1½in. x "	0 1 3	0 1 1	0 1 2	0 0 9	"

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191	Indiarubber hosepipe, 1½in. x 3-ply	£ 0 1 6	£ 0 1 4	£ 0 1 6	£ 0 0 11	foot.
192	" " 2in. x "	0 1 9	0 1 8	0 1 9	0 1 2	"
193	" suction-hose, spiral bore, 1in. x 2-ply	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 0 10½	"
194	" " " 1½in. x "	0 1 3	0 1 3	0 1 6	0 1 1	"
195	" " " 1½in. x "	0 1 6	0 1 7	0 1 9	0 1 4	"
196	" " " 1½in. x "	0 1 8	0 1 9	0 2 6	0 1 5	"
197	" " " 2in. x "	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 1 9	"
198	" " " 2½in. x "	0 2 3	0 2 4	0 3 0	0 1 11	"
199	" " " 2½in. x "	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 3 6	0 2 9	"
200	" belting, 2in. x 3-ply	0 0 6	0 0 4½	0 0 5	0 0 4½	"
201	" " 2½in. x "	0 0 6½	0 0 5½	0 0 7	0 0 5½	"
202	" " 3in. x "	0 0 8	0 0 6	0 0 10	0 0 7	"
203	" " 3½in. x 4-ply	0 0 9	0 0 9	0 1 0	0 0 10	"
204	" " 4in. x "	0 0 11	0 0 10½	0 1 3	0 1 1	"
205	" " 5in. x "	0 1 2	0 1 1	0 1 8	0 1 4	"
206	" insertion sheet	0 1 3	0 2 4	0 2 6	0 0 11	lb.
207	" sheet, best quality, white, A.W., North British Rubber (Co.'s	0 2 3	0 2 4	0 2 6	0 2 0	"
208	" " " red, Rb. "	0 3 6	0 5 3	0 3 0	0 3 6	"
209	" gauge-glass rings	0 0 8	0 1 0	0 1 6	0 0 9	doz.
210						
211	Iron. [Taken out of Schedule.]					
212						
213						
214	" galvanised, plain sheet, 26 G.	1 1 0	1 5 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	owt.
215	" " " 28 G.	1 3 0	1 4 0	1 0 0	1 0 0	"
216	" " " hoop	0 18 0	1 1 0	0 18 0	0 16 0	"
217	" black hoop (or "plough-plate"), up to 3in. wide, 18 to 10 G.	0 10 0	0 10 6	0 11 0	0 9 0	"
218	Jacks, bottle, 6 tons, Tangye's	0 17 6	1 9 0	1 10 0	0 16 6	each.
219	" timber, " Price's, New Zealand manufacture	6 15 0	8 5 0	6 0 0	5 5 0	"
220	Keys, railway-car, for guards, to pattern	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 6 0	0 5 0	doz.
221	" rim-lock	0 3 6	0 4 9	0 6 0	0 3 0	"
222	" night latch, blank	0 5 0	0 1 6	0 6 0	0 2 9	"
223	" drawer and cupboard lock, blank	0 3 0	0 1 0	0 3 0	0 1 6	"
224	Lamp-glasses, for bottom of car-roof lamp, to pattern	2 0 0	1 7 0	1 18 0	1 8 0	"
225	Lead, ingot	0 14 6	0 18 0	0 12 0	0 16 6	cowt.
226	" sheet	0 18 6	1 2 0	0 19 0	0 18 6	"
227	Letters, steel, English, ½in. alphabet	0 10 0	0 6 6	0 2 0	0 3 6	set.
228	" " " ¼in. "	0 12 0	0 7 6	0 2 6	0 4 6	"
229	" " " ½in. "	1 0 0	0 10 9	0 3 6	0 7 6	"
230	" " " ¾in. "	1 7 6	0 17 0	0 5 6	0 10 6	"
231	Muntz-metal, rod	0 0 8½	0 0 9	0 1 0	0 0 7	lb.
232	" " sheet	0 0 8	0 0 8	0 1 0	0 0 8	"
233	" " nails for sheathing, 1in. to 2in.	0 1 0	0 0 9	0 0 8	0 0 8½	"
234	Nails, diamond-head, wire, up to 1in.	1 3 6	1 12 0	0 16 0	1 0 0	cowt.
235	" " 1½in. to 6in.	0 15 0	0 17 0	0 14 0	0 13 0	"
236	" " patent wrought, 1½in. to 3in., per cent. discount from list	30%	15%	35%	45%	"
237	" " " 3in. to 6in.	0 18 0	1 4 0	0 17 6	0 14 3	owt.
238	" " clout, ½in. to ¾in.	0 0 4	0 0 5½	0 0 4	0 0 4	lb.
239	" " " 1in. to 2in.	0 0 4	0 0 3½	0 0 2½	0 0 3	"
240	" " countersunk	0 0 3	0 0 4½	0 0 3	0 0 4	"
241	" " finishing, ½in. to 1in.	0 0 4½	0 0 6	0 0 5	0 0 4	"
242	" " " 1½in. to 2in.	0 0 3½	0 0 4	0 0 5	0 0 4	"
243	" " galvanised-wire, lead-headed	1 8 0	1 4 6	1 4 0	1 3 0	cowt.
244	" " panel pins, iron	0 0 3	0 0 4	0 0 3	0 0 4	lb.
245	" " copper	0 0 10½	0 1 3	0 0 4	0 1 0	"
246	" " brass	0 0 11	0 1 2	0 0 3	0 0 9	"
247	" " tinned wire, clout	0 0 5	0 0 4½	0 0 5	0 0 4	"
248	Netting, wire, galvanised, 36in. wide, 1½in. mesh, 17 gauge	0 0 3½	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 2½	yard.
249	Nuts, iron, hex., tapped, Whitworth's standard	1 6 0	1 10 0	1 6 0	1 5 0	cowt.
250	" " " blank	1 1 0	1 4 6	1 5 0	1 0 0	"
251	" " " square, tapped	1 3 0	1 5 0	1 0 0	0 19 0	"
252	" " " blank	0 18 0	1 3 0	0 19 0	0 18 0	"
253	Oil, kerosene, not less than 150° test, and of approved brand	0 1 4	0 1 6	0 1 4½	0 1 3½	gal.
254	" " olive, Gallipoli	0 5 0	0 5 3	0 4 0	0 3 6	"
255	Oil-feeders, common, 1 pint	0 13 0	0 16 6	0 8 0	0 11 0	doz.
256	" " " ½ spring bottom	0 6 6	0 4 6	0 2 0	0 5 0	"
257	" " " Kaye's patent, with strainer, ½ pint	1 8 0	1 11 0	1 1 0	1 1 0	doz.
258	" " " " 1 "	1 18 0	2 6 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	"
259	" " " " 1½ "	2 3 0	2 15 0	1 19 0	2 0 0	"
260	Oil-bottles, tin, ½ gallon	0 9 0	0 9 6	0 8 0	0 8 6	"
261	" " " 1 "	0 12 0	0 15 3	0 11 0	0 10 6	"
262	Packing, Harris's patent, all descriptions, N.B. Rubber Company	0 1 5	0 1 6½	0 1 6	0 1 2½	lb.
263	" " Italian asbestos millboard, United Asbestos Company's "Special A1"	0 2 0	0 1 3	0 2 6	0 0 6	"
264	" " " metallic tape, United Asbestos Company's "Victor," extra special	0 5 6	0 2 10	0 2 6	0 2 9	"
265	" " " yarn, United Asbestos Company's	0 3 6	0 3 6	0 2 6	0 1 9	"
266	" " " plaited yarn, United Asbestos Company's, fig. 7	0 3 6	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 6	"
267	" " " rolled cloth (round), United Asbestos Company's	0 4 6	0 2 4	0 2 6	0 3 0	"
268	Platelayers' beaters, 8lb., steeled both ends, to pattern	2 10 0	2 7 6	1 10 0	1 16 0	doz.
269	" " pickaxes, 7lb. to 8lb.	1 18 0	2 4 0	2 5 0	1 13 0	"
270	Plaster of Paris, in 7lb. tins	0 1 6	0 2 0	0 1 6	0 1 3	tin.

Or equal quality.

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271	Ploughshares, cast	0 0 10	0 1 0	0 1 1	0 0 6	each.
272	Powder, blasting	0 0 6	0 0 7	0 0 6½	0 0 5	lb.
273	Pumps, Douglas, fig. 1, No. 3	0 12 0	0 11 6	0 12 0	0 11 6	each.
274	" " " " No. 4	0 14 0	0 12 9	0 16 0	0 12 6	"
275	" " " " No. 5	0 17 0	0 15 6	0 17 0	0 13 6	"
276	" " " " No. 6	1 1 0	0 17 6	1 1 0	0 18 0	"
277	" " suction and force, with air-chamber complete, fig. 66, No. 3A	3 0 0	3 10 0	2 15 0	1 13 0	"
278	" " suction and force, with air-chamber complete, fig. 66, No. 4A	3 10 0	3 18 0	3 5 0	2 0 0	"
279	" " suction and force, with air-chamber complete, fig. 66, No. 5A	4 0 0	4 7 6	3 15 0	2 4 0	"
280	" " suction and force, with air-chamber complete, fig. 66, No. 6A	4 5 0	4 18 6	4 5 0	2 8 0	"
281	Ridging, galvanised-iron, 16in., 26 G., with 2in. lead edges in addition	0 0 5½	0 0 7½	0 0 6	0 0 5½	foot.
282	" " " " 18in., " " " "	0 0 6	0 0 8	0 0 6½	0 0 6½	"
283	" " " " 20in., " " " "	0 0 7	0 0 9	0 0 7	0 0 7½	"
284	" " " " 24in., " " " "	0 0 10½	0 1 1	0 0 7	0 0 7½	"
285	Rivets, iron, ¼in. thick, all descriptions	1 3 6	1 1 0	0 17 6	0 18 0	cwd.
286	" " ½in. " " " "	1 3 0	0 19 6	0 17 0	0 17 9	"
287	" " ¾in. " " " "	0 19 0	0 17 6	0 17 0	0 16 0	"
288	" " 1in. " " " "	0 16 6	0 16 6	0 17 0	0 15 0	"
289	" " 1¼in. " " " "	0 16 0	0 14 6	0 16 0	0 14 6	"
290	" " cooper's	0 0 3	0 0 3½	0 0 2½	0 0 2½	lb.
291	" " tinned	0 0 10	0 0 6	0 1 0	0 1 1	"
292	" " cooper	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 0 11	"
293	" " and washers	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 0 11	"
294	Rules, box, 2ft., 4-fold	0 13 0	0 11 0	0 18 0	0 10 6	doz.
295	Safes, Milner's (List No. 2), No. 1, without fittings	8 10 0	8 5 0	7 10 0	10 0 0	each.
296	" " " " No. 2, " " " "	10 5 0	10 15 0	9 10 0	12 0 0	"
297	" " " " No. 3, " " " "	12 10 0	12 15 0	11 10 0	16 0 0	"
298	" " " " No. 3, with 2 drawers	14 0 0	14 15 0	13 10 0	18 0 0	"
299	" " " " No. 4, " " " "	17 10 0	18 15 0	15 10 0	21 0 0	"
300	" " " " No. 4½, " " " "	20 10 0	21 5 0	18 10 0	25 0 0	"
301	" " " " No. 4½A, " " " "	23 15 0	24 15 0	22 0 0	30 0 0	"
302	" " " " No. 4½B, " " " "	32 10 0	35 10 0	26 0 0	40 0 0	"
303	Saws, Sorby's or Disston's, as ordered, hand, panel, and rip, 26in.	0 5 0	0 5 6	0 6 0	0 4 9	"
304	" " cross-cut, double-ended	0 1 7	0 1 6	0 1 0	0 1 4	foot.
305	" " band, ¼in.	0 0 6	0 0 4	0 0 9	0 0 6	"
306	" " ½in.	0 0 6	0 0 4	0 0 10	0 0 7	"
307	" " ¾in. Perrin's, or approved maker	0 0 7	0 0 4½	0 0 10	0 0 7	"
308	" " 1in.	0 0 9	0 0 5	0 0 10	0 0 7	"
309	" " 1¼in.	0 0 10	0 0 5½	0 0 10	0 0 7	"
310	" " double-end, American, " Lightning "	0 1 8	0 1 6	0 1 6	0 1 5	"
311	" " one-man, " " " "	0 1 11	0 1 11	0 2 0	0 1 9	"
312	" " circular, per cent. discount from Sheffield list	55%	55%	35%	60%	"
313	" " bow, for metal	0 3 6	0 4 9	0 1 0	0 2 6	each.
314	" " blades, for above	0 9 0	0 10 0	0 6 6	0 5 0	doz.
315	Screws, brass, Nettlefold's, per cent. discount from Nettlefold's [list, 1886, Art. 2]	37½%	37½%	55%	40%	"
316	" " iron, " " " " Art. 1	57½%	45%	55%	62½%	"
317	Scythe-blades, 42in.	1 12 0	1 15 0	1 12 0	1 10 0	doz.
318	" " " " 24in.	1 14 0	1 17 0	1 10 0	1 10 0	"
319	Scythe-stones	0 3 6	0 3 0	0 4 0	0 2 4	"
320	Shovels, stamped, fire, hand	0 7 0	0 7 6	0 9 0	0 5 6	"
321	" " coaling, square-mouthed, 14in. x 12½in., steel	2 0 0	1 14 0	1 10 0	1 15 0	"
322	" " " " grain-scoops, 16in. x 12in.	2 10 0	2 14 0	1 16 0	1 16 0	"
323	" " Black's, No. 4, D.H.R.P.	2 0 0	2 5 0	1 16 0	1 19 0	"
324	" " Ames's, No. 3, L.H.R.P.	2 8 0	2 9 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	"
325	Slates, roofing, best Welsh " Countess " (20in. x 10in.)	14 10 0	16 0 0	11 0 0	10 15 0	1,000
326	Solder, plumbers' or tinSmiths'	0 0 9	0 1 0	0 0 9	0 0 7½	lb.
327	Spades, Parkes's, No. 3	2 8 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	2 3 0	doz.
328	Spanners, shifting, Coe's patent, 6in.	0 1 9	0 1 10	0 1 0	0 1 7	each.
329	" " " " 8in.	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 1 6	0 1 9	"
330	" " " " 10in.	0 2 3	0 2 6	0 1 6	0 2 1	"
331	" " " " 12in.	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 4 0	0 2 7	"
332	" " " " 15in.	0 5 0	0 4 9	0 4 0	0 3 10	"
333	" " improved Clyburn, 12in.	0 7 0	0 6 4	0 2 6	0 5 0	"
334	" " " " 15in.	0 9 0	0 7 6	0 3 6	0 6 0	"
335	" " " " 18in.	0 10 6	0 9 6	0 4 6	0 8 0	"
336	Spelter, fine and coarse	0 0 10	0 1 0	0 1 6	0 0 9	lb.
337	Spikes, 5in. to 8in.	0 16 0	0 18 0	0 16 6	0 16 0	cwd.
338	" " 9in. to 12in.	0 15 6	0 17 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	"
339	Spouting, ridging, and downpipe, per cent. discount from N.Z. [gal. spouting list]	55%	50%	50%	62½%	"
340	" " " " fittings,	25%	40%	List	55%	"
341	Staples, wire fencing	0 16 0	0 18 0	0 16 0	0 13 6	cwd.
342	" " " " fencing, galvanised iron	0 18 6	1 4 6	0 17 0	1 0 0	"
343	Tacks, copper	0 0 11	0 1 1	0 0 10	0 0 11	lb.
344	" " tinned	0 0 3	0 0 2½	0 0 4	0 0 2	1,000.
345	" " blued	0 0 2½	0 0 2½	0 0 2	0 0 2	"
346	" " wire	0 0 5	0 0 7	0 0 2	0 0 4	"
347	Tanks, 400 gallons, iron	3 7 6	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 6 0	each.
348	" " " " galvanised	5 10 0	6 15 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	"
349	Tapes, measuring, Chesterman's, 33ft., " Constantia "	0 6 6	0 6 3	0 6 0	0 5 6	"

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350	Tapes, measuring, Chesterman's, 66ft. "Constantia"	£ 0 9 0	£ 0 9 3	£ 0 8 0	£ 0 7 6	each.
351	" " " without case, 33ft. "	0 3 3	0 4 0	0 3 6	0 2 6	"
352	" " " " 66ft. "	0 5 3	0 6 0	0 6 6	0 4 6	"
353	" " " steel, 3/4 in. wide, 66ft. "	1 10 0	1 12 6	1 4 0	1 8 6	"
354	Tin ingot, Colonial ..	3 16 0	4 5 0	3 10 0	3 8 6	cwt.
355	Tin plate, best charcoal, IXXX ..	1 16 0	1 4 0	1 7 0	1 4 0	box.
356	Tomahawks, American ..	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 4 0	1 2 6	doz.
357	Trucks, American, store, 0, Ames's ..	0 14 0	0 14 9	0 11 0	0 10 0	each.
358	Trucks, American, store, 1, Ames's ..	0 16 0	0 17 6	0 12 0	0 12 0	"
359	" " " " 2 " ..	0 19 6	1 2 0	0 18 0	0 14 0	"
360	" " " " 3 " ..	1 4 0	1 18 6	1 2 0	1 1 0	"
361	" " " " 4 " ..	1 8 0	2 8 0	1 10 0	1 2 0	"
362	Valves, Peet's patent, gun-metal, 1/2 in.)	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	"
363	" " " " 3/4 in.) Bib or otherwise,	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	"
364	" " " " 1 in.) flanged or screwed	0 8 0	0 7 9	0 6 0	0 6 6	"
365	" " " " 1 1/2 in.) in any manner re-	0 14 0	0 13 2	0 12 0	0 12 6	"
366	" " " " 2 in.) quired.	1 1 0	1 1 0	0 17 6	0 17 6	"
367	Vices, solid box, bright staple ..	0 0 5	0 0 4 1/2	0 0 6 1/2	0 0 4 1/2	lb.
368	" bench, wrought-iron, parallel, 4 in. jaw, screw or side lever	1 15 0	1 18 0	1 0 0	2 10 0	each.
369	" " " " 5 in. "	2 5 0	2 6 0	1 10 0	3 10 0	"
370	" " " " 6 in. "	3 5 0	3 12 0	2 0 0	4 5 0	"
371	" " " " 7 in. "	4 0 0	5 6 0	3 10 0	5 0 0	"
372	Washers, iron, light ..	0 0 3	0 0 8	0 0 3 1/2	0 0 2	lb.
373	" " " heavy ..	0 0 2 1/2	0 0 2 1/2	0 0 4	0 0 2	"
374	" " " copper ..	0 0 10 1/2	0 1 0	0 0 6	0 0 11	"
375	" " " lead ..	0 0 3	0 0 4	0 0 3	0 0 3	"
376	Weighing-machines, Fairbank's, "Union" counter, to 240 lb.	2 7 6	2 12 0	2 5 0	2 5 0	each.
377	" " " Avery's (No. 112), 3cwt. ..	5 15 0	5 18 0	3 15 0	4 15 0	"
378	" " " " 4 " ..	6 5 0	6 12 6	4 10 0	5 10 0	"
379	" " " " 5 " ..	7 0 0	7 12 6	5 15 0	6 5 0	"
380	" " " " (No. 104), 7 " ..	9 15 0	9 16 0	7 10 0	9 0 0	"
381	" " " " " 10 " ..	11 5 0	11 10 0	9 0 0	11 0 0	"
382	" " " " " 15 " ..	15 0 0	16 0 0	11 0 0	12 10 0	"
383	" " " " " 20 " ..	17 0 0	19 15 0	12 0 0	15 0 0	"
384	Wire, fencing, galvanised, Nos. 6 to 8 W.G.) Johnson & Nephew,	10 10 0	11 10 0	11 10 0	10 7 6	ton.
385	" " " steel, black, ") or other approved	9 0 0	10 15 0	9 10 0	8 10 0	"
386	" " " iron, ") make	9 0 0	10 15 0	9 0 0	8 10 0	"
387	" " " (Galvanised barbed, of 2 strands of 12 W.G.,) 4-pointed bars, 6 in. apart. "Porcupine" brand, or other approved make	13 10 0	14 10 0	12 10 0	11 10 0	"
388	" galvanised-steel, strand, signal, 7 wires of 16 W.G.	1 10 0	1 1 0	1 1 0	1 2 6	cwt.
389	" " " " 7 " 14 "	1 10 0	1 0 0	1 1 0	1 2 6	"
390	" gauze, iron ..	0 0 4 1/2	0 0 3 1/2	0 0 3	0 0 4 1/2	sq. ft.
391	" " " brass ..	0 0 6	0 0 7	0 1 0	0 0 6	"
392	" " " steel ..	0 0 7	0 1 0	0 0 10	0 0 6	lb.
393	" " " brass, up to and including 1/2 in.	0 0 9	0 0 9 1/2	0 1 0	0 0 8	"
394	" " " copper, ..	0 0 10	0 0 11	0 1 3	0 0 11	"
395	" " " iron, bright ..	0 0 2	0 0 3	0 0 1 1/2	0 0 1 1/2	"
396	Zinc, ingot ..	1 8 0	1 8 6	0 16 0	1 0 0	cwt.
397	" sheet ..	1 6 0	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 3 6	"
398	" " perforated, 7ft. by 3ft. ..	0 3 6	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 3	sheet.
399	" " " " 8ft. by 3ft. ..	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 3 6	0 3 9	"
400	" " " " 7ft. by 3ft., No. 15, 1/8 in. hole	0 10 0	0 15 0	0 7 6	0 8 6	"
401	" " " " " No. 12, 3/16 in. "	0 9 6	0 12 6	0 7 6	0 7 6	"
402	" " " " " 8ft. by 3ft., " 3/16 in. "	0 11 0	0 16 6	0 8 0	0 6 6	"
Carpenters' tools, as under :-						
403	Bevels, brass-bound, 8 in. ..	0 2 0	0 2 6	0 1 0	0 2 0	each.
404	Bits, centre, Mathieson's, 1/2 in. ..	0 3 0	0 4 0	0 1 0	0 3 0	doz.
405	" " " " 3/8 in. ..	0 3 0	0 4 6	0 1 0	0 3 0	"
406	" " " " 1/2 in. ..	0 3 0	0 4 6	0 2 0	0 3 0	"
407	" " " " 5/8 in. ..	0 3 3	0 4 6	0 2 0	0 3 3	"
408	" " " " 3/4 in. ..	0 3 3	0 4 6	0 2 0	0 3 6	"
409	" " " " 7/8 in. ..	0 3 6	0 5 0	0 2 0	0 3 6	"
410	" " " " 1 in. ..	0 3 6	0 5 0	0 2 0	0 3 6	"
411	" " " " 1 1/8 in. ..	0 3 6	0 5 0	0 2 0	0 4 0	"
412	" " " " 1 1/4 in. ..	0 3 6	0 5 6	0 2 0	0 4 6	"
413	" " " " 1 3/8 in. ..	0 3 9	0 5 6	0 2 0	0 4 6	"
414	" " " " 1 1/2 in. ..	0 4 3	0 5 6	0 2 0	0 4 6	"
415	" " " " 1 5/8 in. ..	0 4 3	0 6 0	0 2 6	0 4 6	"
416	" " " " 1 in. ..	0 4 9	0 6 0	0 2 6	0 5 0	"
417	" " " " 1 1/8 in. ..	0 4 9	0 6 4	0 2 6	0 5 0	"
418	" " " " 1 1/4 in. ..	0 5 3	0 6 6	0 2 6	0 6 0	"
419	" " " " 1 3/8 in. ..	0 5 4	0 7 0	0 2 6	0 6 0	"
420	" " " " 1 1/2 in. ..	0 6 0	0 7 0	0 2 6	0 6 0	"
421	" " " " 1 5/8 in. ..	0 6 0	0 7 6	0 2 6	0 6 0	"
422	" " " " 1 3/4 in. ..	0 6 9	0 7 9	0 2 6	0 6 0	"
423	" " " " 1 7/8 in. ..	0 6 9	0 8 0	0 2 6	0 6 0	"
424	" " " " 1 3/4 in. ..	0 7 6	0 8 6	0 2 6	0 7 0	"
425	" " " " 1 7/8 in. ..	0 7 6	0 9 0	0 2 6	0 7 0	"
426	" " " " 1 3/4 in. ..	0 9 0	0 9 6	0 2 6	0 7 0	"
427	" " " " 1 7/8 in. ..	0 9 0	0 10 0	0 2 6	0 7 0	"
428	" " " " 1 3/4 in. ..	0 10 0	0 10 3	0 2 6	0 7 0	"
429	" " " " 1 7/8 in. ..	0 10 0	0 10 3	0 2 6	0 7 0	"
430	" " " " 1 3/4 in. ..	0 10 0	0 10 6	0 2 6	0 7 0	"

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431	Bits, centre, Mathieson's, 1 ¹ / ₁₆ in.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	doz.
432	" " " " 2 in.	0 11 0	0 11 9	0 2 6	0 7 0	"
433	" expansion, W. A. Clark's, to make a hole ¹ / ₁₆ in. and up to 3 in. diameter	0 7 6	0 7 6	0 3 0	0 6 6	each.
434	" gimblet, German, No. 1	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 0	0 2 0	doz.
435	" " " " No. 2	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 0	0 2 0	"
436	" " " " No. 3	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 0	0 2 0	"
437	" " " " No. 4	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 0	0 2 0	"
438	" " " " No. 5	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 0	0 2 0	"
439	" " " " No. 6	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 0	0 2 0	"
440	" " " " No. 7	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 0	0 2 0	"
441	" " " " No. 8	0 2 6	0 2 9	0 2 0	0 2 0	"
442	" " " " No. 9	0 2 9	0 2 9	0 2 0	0 2 3	"
443	" " " " No. 10	0 2 10	0 2 9	0 2 0	0 2 3	"
444	" " " " No. 11	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 2 6	"
445	" " " " No. 12	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 2 6	"
446	" " " " No. 13	0 3 6	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 3 0	"
447	" " " " No. 14	0 3 8	0 3 0	0 2 0	0 3 0	"
448	" twist, Leadbeater's, ¹ / ₁₆ in.	0 1 3	0 1 0	0 0 3	0 1 0	each.
449	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 1 3	0 1 0	0 0 3	0 1 0	"
450	" " " " ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 3	0 1 0	0 0 4	0 1 0	"
451	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 1 3	0 1 3	0 0 4	0 1 0	"
452	" " " " ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 3	0 1 3	0 0 6	0 1 3	"
453	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 1 6	0 1 3	0 0 6	0 1 3	"
454	" " " " ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 9	0 1 3	0 0 6	0 1 3	"
455	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 2 0	0 1 6	0 0 6	0 1 3	"
456	" " " " ¹ / ₂ in.	0 2 0	0 1 6	0 0 6	0 1 6	"
457	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 2 0	0 1 6	0 0 6	0 1 6	"
458	" " " " ¹ / ₂ in.	0 2 0	0 1 8	0 0 6	0 1 6	"
459	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 2 3	0 1 8	0 0 6	0 1 6	"
460	" " " " ¹ / ₂ in.	0 2 9	0 1 8	0 0 6	0 1 9	"
461	Braces, ratchet, 5 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 7 6	0 6 3	0 3 0	0 5 0	"
462	" wagon, 8 in.	0 10 0	0 5 6	0 1 6	0 6 0	"
463	Chisels, firmer, Ward's, ¹ / ₁₆ in.	0 0 7	0 0 6	0 0 4	0 0 6	"
464	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 0 7	0 0 6	0 0 4	0 0 6	"
465	" " " " ¹ / ₂ in.	0 0 7	0 0 6	0 0 4	0 0 6	"
466	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 0 7	0 0 6	0 0 4	0 0 6	"
467	" " " " ¹ / ₂ in.	0 0 7	0 0 6	0 0 4	0 0 6	"
468	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 0 8	0 0 8	0 0 4	0 0 7	"
469	" " " " ¹ / ₂ in.	0 0 8	0 0 8	0 0 5	0 0 8	"
470	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 0 9	0 0 8	0 0 5	0 0 9	"
471	" " " " ¹ / ₂ in.	0 0 9	0 0 8	0 0 5	0 0 9	"
472	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 0 10	0 0 9	0 0 6	0 0 10	"
473	" " " " 1 in.	0 0 10	0 0 9	0 0 7	0 0 10	"
474	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 2	0 1 0	0 0 7	0 1 0	"
475	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 4	0 1 0	0 0 7	0 1 0	"
476	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 4	0 1 0	0 0 7	0 1 0	"
477	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 6	0 1 3	0 0 8	0 1 3	"
478	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 6	0 1 3	0 0 8	0 1 3	"
479	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 8	0 1 6	0 0 9	0 1 6	"
480	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 9	0 1 6	0 0 10	0 1 6	"
481	" " " " 2 in.	0 2 0	0 1 6	0 0 10	0 1 9	"
482	Compasses, carpenters', 8 in., winged	0 1 9	0 3 0	0 1 0	0 1 6	"
483	Gauges, mortise, brass-bound, Mathieson and Son's, or approved [maker's	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 1 6	0 3 6	"
484	Gauges, scribing, brass-bound, 8 in. long	0 1 3	0 3 4	0 0 6	0 2 0	"
485	Gauges, outside, Ward's, ¹ / ₁₆ in.	0 0 8	0 0 8	0 0 4	0 0 9	"
486	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 0 9	0 0 8	0 0 5	0 0 9	"
487	" " " " ¹ / ₂ in.	0 0 9	0 0 8	0 0 5	0 0 11	"
488	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 0 10	0 0 8	0 0 5	0 1 0	"
489	" " " " ¹ / ₂ in.	0 0 10	0 0 9	0 0 6	0 1 0	"
490	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 0 11	0 0 9	0 0 6	0 1 0	"
491	" " " " 1 in.	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 0 7	0 1 2	"
492	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 4	0 1 0	0 0 7	0 1 2	"
493	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 4	0 1 2	0 0 7	0 1 4	"
494	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 6	0 1 2	0 0 7	0 1 4	"
495	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 8	0 1 4	0 0 7	0 1 9	"
496	" inside, " " ¹ / ₁₆ in.	0 0 8	0 0 8	0 0 4	0 0 9	"
497	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 0 9	0 0 8	0 0 5	0 0 9	"
498	" " " " ¹ / ₂ in.	0 0 9	0 0 8	0 0 5	0 0 11	"
499	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 0 10	0 0 8	0 0 5	0 1 0	"
500	" " " " ¹ / ₂ in.	0 0 10	0 0 9	0 0 6	0 1 0	"
501	" " " " ³ / ₁₆ in.	0 0 11	0 0 10	0 0 6	0 1 0	"
502	" " " " 1 in.	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 0 7	0 1 2	"
503	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 4	0 1 2	0 0 7	0 1 2	"
504	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 4	0 1 2	0 0 7	0 1 4	"
505	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 6	0 1 3	0 0 7	0 1 4	"
506	" " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 8	0 1 6	0 0 7	0 1 9	"
507	Hammers, claw, American, Cheney's, or approved maker's	0 2 3	0 2 4	0 2 6	0 2 0	"
508	" framing, 4 lb., double-faced, solid cast steel, Mathieson and Son's	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 1 0	0 3 0	"
509	Oil stones, Washita	0 1 2	0 1 3	0 1 0	0 1 2	lb.
510	Oil-slips, "	0 1 10	0 1 11	0 2 0	0 2 0	"

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511	Oil-feeders, conical, quarter-pint	£ 0 0 7	£ 0 0 7	£ 0 0 6	£ 0 0 6	each.
512	Pincers, 7in.	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 1 0	"
513	Planes, trying, wood, 22in. with 2½in. iron, Mathieson and Son's	0 6 9	0 7 6	0 3 6	0 5 6	"
514	" jack, 16in. 2½in. "	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 3 0	0 4 9	"
515	Planes, smoothing, wood, 8in. with 2in. iron, "	0 4 0	0 4 2	0 3 0	0 3 0	"
516	" " " 8in. " 2½in. "	0 4 0	0 4 6	0 3 0	0 3 6	"
517	" panel, 16in. " 2½in. "	0 6 0	1 16 0	0 3 0	0 6 0	"
518	" rebate, ½in.	0 2 3	0 2 6	0 1 0	0 2 0	"
519	" " 1in.	0 2 6	0 2 8	0 1 0	0 2 0	"
520	" " 1½in.	0 2 9	0 2 9	0 1 0	0 2 0	"
521	" tee, 1½in.	0 2 6	0 10 0	0 1 0	0 3 0	"
522	" bull-nose, 1½in.	0 9 6	0 10 0	0 1 0	0 2 6	"
523	" hollows and rounds, No. 1	0 4 3	0 3 0	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
524	" " No. 2	0 4 3	0 3 0	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
525	" " No. 3	0 4 3	0 3 0	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
526	" " No. 4	0 4 3	0 3 0	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
527	" " No. 5	0 4 3	0 3 3	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
528	" " No. 6	0 4 3	0 3 3	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
529	" " No. 7	0 4 3	0 4 0	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
530	" " No. 8	0 4 3	0 4 0	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
531	" " No. 9	0 4 3	0 4 0	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
532	" " No. 10	0 4 3	0 4 3	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
333	" " No. 11	0 4 3	0 4 6	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
534	" " No. 12	0 4 3	0 4 6	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
535	" " No. 13	0 4 6	0 4 6	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
536	" " No. 14	0 4 6	0 4 9	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
537	" " No. 15	0 4 9	0 4 9	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
538	" " No. 16	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
539	" " No. 17	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
540	" " No. 18	0 6 0	0 5 3	0 1 0	0 3 9	"
541	" plough and irons, complete, Mathieson and Son's	1 5 0	1 7 6	1 0 0	1 0 0	"
542	" router, right and left hand, complete, with irons, Stanley Rule and Bevel Company's	0 5 6	0 6 0	0 2 0	0 4 6	"
543	Rules, boxwood, 2ft., four-folding, Rabone and Son's	0 1 6	0 1 4	0 2 0	0 1 0	"
544	Saws, rip,	0 6 6	0 6 3	0 4 0	0 4 9	"
545	" panel,	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 3 0	0 4 9	"
546	" tenon, 12in., } Disston and Son's {	0 3 6	0 4 6	0 3 0	0 4 9	"
547	" dovetail, 8in., }	0 3 6	0 3 6	0 1 6	0 4 9	"
548	" keyhole, 12in., }	0 2 0	0 1 8	0 1 6	0 1 6	"
549	" bow, 14in., complete	0 4 3	0 4 0	0 1 6	0 3 0	"
550	Saw-sets, Morrell's pleyer, No. ¼ and 1	0 3 0	0 2 6	0 1 6	0 4 6	"
551	" " No. ¾ and 4	0 3 6	0 4 3	0 1 6	0 6 0	"
552	Screwdrivers, 6in.	0 1 0	0 0 9	0 0 9	0 1 0	"
553	" " 14in.	0 2 0	0 2 6	0 1 0	0 2 0	"
554	" " 27in.	0 3 6	0 5 9	0 1 0	0 6 0	"
555	Spokeshaves, 2in., brass-plated	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 1 6	"
556	" " 2½in., "	0 1 2	0 1 3	0 1 0	0 1 9	"
557	" " 3½in., "	0 1 4	0 1 6	0 1 0	0 2 6	"
558	Squares, brass-bound, 4in. }	0 1 4	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 2 0	"
559	" " 8in. } Mathieson and Son's or Ward's make {	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 1 0	0 3 0	"
560	" " 12in. }	0 2 9	0 2 9	0 1 6	0 5 0	"
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1	Basins for washstand, 15in. stamped iron, enamelled	0 2 0	0 4 6	0 2 0	0 1 6	each.
2	Blacklead	0 0 6	0 0 7	0 0 8	0 0 3½	lb.
3	Boilers, copper	0 1 3	0 1 0½	0 1 1	0 1 0	"
4	Bolts, tower and barrel, iron	0 0 1	0 0 1	0 0 2	0 0 0½	inch.
5	" " brass	0 0 3	0 0 2	0 0 3	0 0 2	"
6	Brackets for shelves, cast iron, 8in. x 6in.	0 0 4	0 0 3	0 0 7	0 0 3	each.
7	" " " 10in. x 8in.	0 0 5	0 0 4½	0 0 8	0 0 4½	"
8	" " " 12in. x 10in.	0 0 7	0 0 6½	0 0 10	0 0 7	"
9	Bricks, bath	0 2 3	0 1 9	0 2 6	0 1 5	doz.
10	Brilliant-shine metal-polish, E. W. Bennett's	0 10 0	0 9 0	0 6 0	0 11 0	doz. ¼ p'ts
11	" " "	0 16 0	0 14 0	0 8 0	0 18 0	doz. pints
12	Buckets, galvanised-iron, strapped, 12in., of New Zealand manufacture	1 2 0	1 1 0	0 15 6	0 16 0	doz.
13	" " 14in., "	1 8 0	1 4 6	0 18 0	1 0 0	"
14	Candles, sperm, 6's, of colonial manufacture, to sample	0 0 6	0 0 6	0 0 6½	0 0 6	lb.
15	" carriage, 6's, "	0 0 8	0 0 6	0 0 9	0 0 8	"
16	" tallow, "	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 5	0 0 3	"
17	Cans, water, japanned, 2-gallon	0 4 0	0 2 6	0 4 6	0 1 6	each.
18	" watering, galvanised, with rose, 10 quarts	0 4 6	0 3 3	0 5 0	0 2 9	"
19	Chairs, "Office Oak," wove seat, iron rods	0 10 0	0 7 1	0 8 3	0 7 10	"
20	" " " Florence Oak,"	0 8 6	0 6 3	0 7 0	0 6 10	"
21	Coal-scuttles, "Waterloo scoop," 18in., japanned or galvanised, as ordered	0 3 6	0 2 9	0 3 2	0 2 4	"
22	Fenders, medium quality, to sample	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 1 5	foot.
23	Filters, Cheavin's Improved Patent Self-cleaning, B	1 11 0	1 7 6	1 0 0	0 18 0	each.
24	" " " C	2 2 6	1 15 0	1 5 0	1 2 0	"
25	" " " D	2 10 0	2 2 6	1 10 0	1 10 0	"

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106	Ranges, cooking, "Orion," No. 0	£ 4 5 0	£ 3 19 0	£ 3 0 0	£ 3 12 6	each.
107	" " " " " " No. 1, with copper boiler ..	5 0 0	4 16 0	4 0 0	4 15 0	"
108	" " " " " " No. 2,	6 10 0	6 9 0	4 10 0	6 0 0	"
109	" " " " " " "Zealandia," 36in., Plate No. III. in catalogue	5 0 0	4 10 0	4 0 0	4 2 6	"
110	Scissors, lamp	0 15 0	0 17 6	0 10 0	1 0 0	doz.
111	office, 6in. to 8in.	1 0 0	0 17 6	0 12 0	0 8 6	"
112	Springs, door, spiral, steel, 18in.	1 10 0	0 18 0	0 15 0	0 13 0	"
113	sofa, 7in., 9 W.G., coppered steel, turned ends	0 15 0	0 11 3	0 15 0	0 9 6	gross.
114	Stove-piping, 5in. to 6in., black	0 0 9	0 0 5	0 0 5	0 0 4	foot.
115	elbows, black, 1ft. each way from point..	0 2 0	0 1 6	0 1 0	0 0 8	each.
116	caps, " with 1ft. of pipe	0 1 3	0 0 6	0 0 8	0 0 7	"
117	5in. to 6in., galvanised steel, 22 G	0 1 2	0 0 10	0 0 10	0 0 9	foot.
118	elbows, galvanised steel, 22 G, 1ft. each way from point	0 3 0	0 2 2	0 2 0	0 2 0	each.
119	caps, galvanised steel, 22 G, with 1ft. of pipe ..	0 1 3	0 1 1	0 1 6	0 1 3	"
120	Stoves, "Queen," No. 6	0 17 0	0 18 6	0 17 0	0 13 6	"
121	" "Nimble," No. 6	1 10 0	1 15 0	1 19 0	1 7 6	"
122	" " " " " " No. 7	1 15 0	2 1 0	2 2 0	1 16 0	"
123	" " " " " " "Enchantress," No. 6	2 10 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 19 6	"
124	" " " " " " "Dover," No. 6	2 5 0	1 17 6	2 0 0	1 13 0	"
125	" " " " " " No. 7	2 15 0	2 7 6	2 6 0	2 0 0	"
126	" " " " " " No. 8	3 5 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 12 6	"
127	Water-wells, china, to sample, for damping brushes ..	1 5 0	0 11 6	0 14 0	0 17 0	doz.
128	bottles, to sample	2 0 0	2 7 6	1 12 0	1 10 0	"
129	tumblers, "	0 15 0	0 6 6	0 9 0	0 4 6	"
Window-fittings, viz.:—						
130	Blind-cord	0 7 6	0 5 0	0 5 6	0 4 9	grossyds.
131	Rollers, Hartshorn's spring, 1in., complete, 36in. and 48in.	0 7 6	0 9 0	0 6 0	0 6 6	doz.
132	" " " " " " 1½in.	0 11 0	0 10 9	0 10 0	0 10 0	"
133	Roller-ends, brass, with projecting brackets	0 7 0	0 5 0	0 7 0	0 4 6	"
134	Sash-weights, iron	0 0 1	0 0 0	0 0 1	0 0 0	lb.
135	Axle-pulleys, brass	0 6 0	0 3 0	0 3 6	0 3 0	doz.
136	Sash-fasteners, brass, with china knob, to sample ..	0 12 0	0 11 6	0 8 0	0 9 6	"
137	Rack-pulleys,	0 8 0	0 5 0	0 6 0	0 3 6	"
138	Sash-line, Silver Lake Company's, B quality	0 1 7	0 1 9	0 1 9	0 1 4	lb.
139	" " " " " " copper	0 1 7	0 2 0	0 1 0	0 2 0	"
SCHEDULE FOR IRON AND STEEL.						
1*	Iron, bar, flat, square, and round, B.B.H.	12 0 0	13 0 0	12 15 0	11 0 0	ton.
2*	" " " " " " Netherton crown, best	11 0 0	11 0 0	10 15 0	10 0 0	"
3†	" " " " " " R.H. crown, or equal quality ..	9 10 0	10 10 0	9 15 0	7 17 6	"
4†	" " " " " " of N.Z. manufacture	10 0 0	10 12 6	10 0 0	8 2 6	"
5	black sheet, 11 to 20 G	11 0 0	12 10 0	12 0 0	9 10 0	"
6	" " " " " " from 20 to 26 G	12 0 0	13 10 0	14 0 0	12 0 0	"
7	plate, ½in. thick and upwards, R.H. crown, or equal quality, [up to 4cwt. over 4cwt.]	10 10 0	12 0 0	11 0 0	8 10 0	"
8	" " " " " "	11 10 0	12 10 0	11 10 0	8 10 0	"
9	" angle, Netherton crown, best	12 10 0	12 0 0	11 0 0	9 10 0	"
10	" T " " " "	12 10 0	11 0 0	11 10 0	10 0 0	"
11	" angle, R.H. crown, or equal quality	10 0 0	11 0 0	10 0 0	8 10 0	"
12	" T " " " " "	10 0 0	11 0 0	10 10 0	9 0 0	"
13	" angle, of N.Z. manufacture	10 10 0	11 0 0	10 15 0	8 17 6	"
14	" B.B.H. plate, ½in. thick and upwards, up to 4cwt.	12 10 0	13 10 0	11 15 0	9 10 0	"
15	" " " " " " over 4cwt.	12 10 0	14 0 0	12 15 0	9 10 0	"
16	Steel, double shear	2 16 0	2 10 0	2 2 0	1 18 0	cwt.
17	blister	1 18 0	1 16 0	1 6 0	1 3 0	"
18	cast, all shapes, Thomas Firth and Sons	2 2 0	2 0 0	2 2 0	1 18 0	"
19	angle and T, bar, Siemens-Martin, or Basic	0 13 0	0 12 0	0 11 0	0 10 0	"
20	plate,	0 12 6	0 13 0	0 11 6	0 9 6	"
21	sheet,	0 14 6	0 13 0	0 12 0	0 10 6	"
22	Bessemer sheet	0 14 0	0 13 0	0 11 9	0 10 6	"
23	" " round, up to 6in. diameter	0 12 0	0 14 0	0 15 0	0 12 6	"
SCHEDULE FOR OILS, COLOURS, ETC.						
1	Acid, muriatic, in stoppered bottles	0 0 8	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 4	lb.
2	" nitric " "	0 1 2	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 1 0	"
3	" fluoric " "	0 7 0	0 4 0	0 0 6	0 4 0	"
4	" sulphuric " "	0 0 6	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 4	"
5	Alum	0 0 3	0 0 2	0 0 2	0 0 2	"
6	Ammonia, liquid, in stoppered bottles	0 1 3	0 1 6	0 0 7	0 1 6	"
7	Borax	0 0 6	0 0 6	0 0 4	0 0 6	"
8	Brushes, stencil, No. 6, G. B. Kent and Sons'	0 10 6	0 4 0	0 6 0	0 4 0	doz.
9	" " " " " " No. 12,	0 13 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	"
10	" " " " " " "fitches, flat, round, and lining, ½in.) Winsor & Newton, (	0 6 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	"
11	" " " " " " " " ½in.) or approved make (	0 7 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	"
12	" " " " " " " " 1in.)	0 8 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	"

* To be of a tensile strength of 22 tons to the square inch of original area, with an elongation of not less than 20 per cent.

† To be of a tensile strength of 20 tons to the square inch of original area, with an elongation of not less than 15 per cent.

NOTE.—The department shall have power to subject any part out of each delivery of bar iron to test, and, should any bar fail to show the strength and ductility above specified, the whole delivery will be rejected, and the contractor shall have no claim for payment on account of the iron used for test.

No.	Description of Article.	Rate.				Per
		Auckland.	Wellington.	Addington.	Hillside.	
SCHEDULE FOR OILS, COLOURS, ETC.—contd.						
82	Paints, Alex. Fergusson and Co.'s "Elephant" brand, Hubbuck's first quality, or Blundell, Spence, and Co.'s best, as under— <i>contd.</i>	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	lb.
	Zinc, white, Fergusson's No. 1, Hubbuck's patent, or Blundell, Spence, and Co.'s "Snow," genuine	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 3	0 0 4	
83	Hæmatite, Nelson, any colour and manufacture required ..	0 14 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	cwt.
84	" Whangarei or Thames, any colour and manufacture required	0 14 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	"
85	" Bon accord," white, for outside and inside work ..	0 10 0	0 11 0	0 9 6	0 11 0	gal.
85A	red, for roofs	0 10 0	0 11 0	0 9 6	0 10 0	"
86	Patent filling-up, Nobles and Hoare's	3 0 0	1 18 0	1 6 0	1 18 0	cwt.
87	" knotting,	0 12 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	0 16 0	gal.
88	Potash, American	0 0 11	0 0 8	0 0 6	0 0 8	lb.
89	" yellow, prussiate of	0 1 6	0 2 0	0 1 0	0 2 0	"
90	" bichromate	0 2 0	0 1 0	0 0 8	0 1 0	"
91	Pumice-stone, lump	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 3½	0 0 4	"
92	" ground fine	0 0 4	0 0 3	0 0 2	0 0 3	"
93	" composition, Suter Hartmann and Co.'s, any grain	0 5 0	0 6 0	0 4 6	0 6 0	doz. blk.
94	Putty, in bladder	0 15 0	0 13 9	0 14 0	0 13 9	cwt.
95	Sal ammoniac	0 0 7	0 0 10	0 0 7	0 0 10	lb.
96	Shellac	0 1 6	0 1 4	0 1 0	0 1 4	"
97	Soda, washing	0 0 2	0 0 1	0 0 1	0 0 1	"
98	" caustic	0 0 5	0 0 4	0 0 3	0 0 4	"
99	Spirits, methylated	0 6 0	0 3 3	0 4 0	0 3 9	gal.
100	Sulphur, flowers of	0 0 3	0 0 3	0 0 3	0 0 3	lb.
Varnish (New Zealand manufacture) for coachbuilders, viz. :—						
101	Best wearing body	0 18 0	0 19 0	1 0 0	0 19 0	gal.
102	" hard body	0 16 0	0 19 0	0 16 0	0 19 0	"
103	" elastic carriage	0 13 6	0 15 0	0 12 6	0 15 0	"
104	" hard carriage	0 12 6	0 15 0	0 12 0	0 15 0	"
105	Copal	0 10 0	0 12 0	0 11 6	0 12 0	"
106	Hard oak	0 8 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	0 9 0	"
107	Elastic oak	0 8 0	0 9 0	0 8 6	0 9 0	"
Varnish (Nobles and Hoare's), for coachbuilders, viz. :—						
108	Best wearing body	1 12 0	1 6 0	1 7 6	1 6 0	"
109	" hard body	1 12 0	1 6 0	1 7 6	1 6 0	"
110	" hard carriage	1 1 0	0 18 0	0 18 6	0 18 0	"
111	" black Japan	1 3 0	0 19 0	0 19 0	0 19 0	"
112	" Japan gold-size	1 1 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	"
113	Whitening	0 6 0	0 5 0	0 4 6	0 5 0	cwt.
SCHEDULE FOR SHIP-CHANDLERY, ETC.						
1	Blankets, to sample	0 10 6	0 15 6	0 11 0	0 9 6	pair.
1A	Blanketing,	0 1 6	0 2 6	0 2 0	0 1 8	sq. yard.
2	Baize, any colour	0 3 3	0 3 6	0 2 0	0 2 6	"
3	Beeswax	0 1 3	0 1 9	0 0 11	0 1 2	lb.
4	Boots, gum, full length, N.B. Rubber Company	1 7 6	1 12 0	0 18 6	1 4 0	pair.
5	Bunting, coloured, red, white, and green, to sample	0 0 10	0 0 8	0 0 8	0 0 7½	yard.
6	Calico, ½ grey	0 0 10	0 1 6	0 0 6½	0 0 6½	sq. yard.
7	" white	0 0 10	0 1 8	0 0 7½	0 0 7	"
8	Canvas, extra all long flax, No. 0, 24in.	0 1 3	0 1 2½	0 1 0	0 1 3	"
9	Dusters, Turkish, to sample	0 6 6	0 6 6	0 5 6	0 5 9	doz.
10	" feather,	0 2 0	0 2 3	0 1 10	0 1 7	each.
11	Flannel, scouring,	0 0 9	0 2 6	0 0 8½	0 0 9½	yard.
12	Grease, anti-friction	1 2 0	1 2 0	0 16 0	0 16 9	cwt.
13	Holland, for window-blinds, any shade	0 1 0	0 1 3	0 0 4	0 0 10½	sq. yard.
14	Line, Hambro'	0 0 9	0 0 7	0 0 7	0 0 6½	lb.
15	Marline	0 0 8	0 0 8	0 0 8	0 0 6	"
16	Oakum	1 16 0	2 2 0	1 5 0	1 13 6	cwt.
17	Pitch, Stockholm, in barrels	0 12 0	0 11 0	0 11 6	0 9 9	"
18	Plaiding, 28in. wide, to sample	0 1 10	0 2 0	0 1 8	0 1 8	yard.
19	Rope, N.Z. flax, 1in.	1 13 0	1 17 0	1 8 0	1 14 0	cwt.
20	" " 1½in. to 6in.	1 12 0	1 17 0	1 6 0	1 10 0	"
21	" " 2½in., with coloured thread as required, to be supplied only to the Railway Department	1 12 0	1 19 0	1 9 0	1 11 3	"
22	" bolt, any size	2 14 0	3 4 0	2 0 0	3 0 0	"
23	Rosin, fine amber	0 10 6	0 10 6	0 7 6	0 6 9	"
24	Sacks, corn (4-bushel)	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 5 0	0 4 9	doz.
25	Salt, coarse	0 5 0	0 4 6	0 3 6	0 3 0	cwt.
26	" rock	0 6 0	0 4 6	0 3 6	0 3 0	"
27	Sapolio, in cakes	0 5 6	0 5 3	0 4 0	0 4 0	doz.
28	Scrim, double width	0 0 4	0 0 4½	0 0 3½	0 0 3½	yard.
29	" tape	0 1 0	0 1 7	0 5 0	0 0 8	gross yds.
30	Soap, yellow, bar, equal to store sample	1 2 0	0 19 0	0 13 0	0 10 6	cwt.
31	" soft	1 10 0	1 9 6	1 8 0	1 4 0	"
32	" scented, brown Windsor, Rimmel's 301	0 1 0	0 1 3	0 0 6	0 0 10	lb.
33	" toilet, of New Zealand manufacture, to sample	0 0 10	0 0 5½	0 0 3	0 0 5	"
34	Squeegees, to sample	0 3 6	0 9 6	0 4 6	0 3 3	each.
35	Tar, Stockholm	0 2 0	0 1 8	0 1 3	0 1 3	gal.
36	Towels, office, to sample	0 10 0	0 17 6	0 6 6	0 6 3	doz.
37	Tow, flax	0 0 2	0 0 1½	0 0 1	0 0 1	lb.
38	Twine, office, fine, medium, and coarse, to sample	0 1 0	0 0 11½	0 0 8½	0 0 8½	"
39	" sailmaker's best seaming, to sample	0 1 9	0 1 9	0 1 2	0 1 8	"
40	" tufting	0 2 0	0 2 3	0 1 9	0 1 10	"
41	" roping	0 1 9	0 1 6	0 0 10	0 0 9	"
42	Worsted, blue or white, Shetland	0 3 6	0 8 6	0 2 9	0 2 11	"

Description of Article.		Rate.				Per
		Auckland.	Wellington.	Addington.	Hillside.	
SCHEDULE FOR DRAIN-PIPES, ETC.						
1	Bricks, ordinary red, hard-burnt	£ 2 0 0	£ 2 0 0	£ 2 10 0	£ 2 0 0	1,000.
2	Drain-pipes, stoneware, double-glazed, socketed, 3in. ..	0 0 3 ¹ / ₂	0 0 3	0 0 2 ¹ / ₂	0 0 2 ³ / ₄	foot
3	" " " " " 4in. ..	0 0 4 ¹ / ₂	0 0 3	0 0 3 ¹ / ₂	0 0 4 ¹ / ₂	"
4	" " " " " 6in. ..	0 0 5 ¹ / ₂	0 0 4 ¹ / ₂	0 0 5 ¹ / ₂	0 0 6	"
5	" " " " " 9in. ..	0 1 0	0 0 9	0 0 8 ³ / ₄	0 0 11	"
6	" " " " " 12in. ..	0 1 5 ¹ / ₂	0 1 1 ¹ / ₂	0 1 1 ¹ / ₂	0 1 5	"
NOTE.—Double junctions to be charged as 3 pipes; single junctions, elbows, and bends as 2 pipes.						
7	Fire-bricks, colonial, tenderer to state make	0 14 0	0 8 6	0 15 0	0 18 0	100.
8	Fire-clay, " " "	0 2 6	0 4 6	0 3 2	0 6 0	cwt.
SCHEDULE FOR COLONIAL CEMENT.						
1	Cement, Portland, New Zealand manufacture; tenderer to state make	0 3 6	0 3 6	0 4 0	0 3 9	cwt.
SCHEDULE FOR LIME.						
	Lime	0 0 10	0 1 2	0 1 1	0 1 0	bushel.
	" hydraulic (Craig's), special gold-medal quality	0 1 1 ¹ / ₂	..	..	..	"
SCHEDULE FOR BRUSHWARE OF NEW ZEALAND MANUFACTURE.						
	Brooms, American	0 16 0	0 11 6	0 10 0	0 14 6	doz.
	" " bass, No. 4	0 19 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	0 17 6	"
	" " " No. 5	1 5 0	1 0 6	1 0 0	1 0 0	"
	" " cane and bass, No. 5	1 5 0	1 0 6	1 0 0	1 2 6	"
5	" " " No. 6	1 7 6	1 4 0	1 1 0	1 3 0	"
6	" " hair, to sample	2 15 0	3 1 0	2 19 0	2 0 0	"
7	Brushes, bannister, single, to sample	1 10 0	1 1 0	1 0 0	0 19 0	"
8	" " scrubbing, winged	0 10 6	0 8 6	0 12 6	0 11 0	"
9	" " deck scrubs	2 2 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 16 0	"
10	" " horse, body	1 0 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 16 0	"
11	" " dandy	0 12 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 18 0	"
12	" " stove, in sets of three	0 2 4	0 1 6	0 1 6	0 1 9	set.
13	" " tar, long-handled	0 16 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 10 6	doz.
14	" " " short-handled	0 11 0	0 6 1	0 6 0	0 4 0	"
15	" " tarpaulin-dressing	0 16 0	0 10 0	0 12 0	0 18 0	"
16	" " millet whisks	0 9 0	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 6 0	"
SCHEDULE FOR LEATHER, ETC.						
1	Bags, cash, leather, to sample	0 8 0	0 5 0	0 7 0	0 15 0	each.
2	Belting, leather, single, 1in.	0 0 6	0 0 3	0 0 3 ¹ / ₂	0 0 2 ³ / ₄	foot.
3	" " " " " 1 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 0 7	0 0 4 ¹ / ₂	0 0 4 ¹ / ₂	0 0 3 ³ / ₄	"
4	" " " " " 2in.	0 0 9	0 0 5 ¹ / ₂	0 0 6	0 0 5 ¹ / ₂	"
5	" " " " " 2 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 0 11	0 0 8 ³ / ₄	0 0 8	0 0 7 ¹ / ₂	"
6	" " " " " 3in.	0 1 3	0 0 11	0 0 10 ¹ / ₂	0 0 8 ¹ / ₂	"
7	" " " " " 3 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 1 6	0 1 2	0 1 0	0 0 11	"
8	" " " " " 4in.	0 1 9	0 1 3	0 1 3	0 1 2 ³ / ₄	"
9	" " " " " 4 ¹ / ₂ in.	0 2 0	0 1 7	0 1 4	0 1 3 ¹ / ₂	"
10	" " " " " 5in.	0 2 3	0 1 10	0 1 10	0 1 7	"
11	" " " " " 6in.	0 2 9	0 2 3	0 2 4	0 2 0	"
12	" " " " " 8in.	0 3 3	0 3 4	0 2 10	0 2 7	"
13	" " " double, 4in.	0 3 3	0 2 0	0 1 10	0 1 8	"
14	" " " " 5in.	0 3 6	0 2 9	0 2 6	0 2 3	"
15	" " " " 6in.	0 4 0	0 3 6	0 4 6	0 3 3	"
16	" " " " 8in.	0 5 0	0 4 9	0 6 0	0 4 6	"
17	" " " " 9in.	0 7 0	0 6 0	0 7 0	0 5 9	"
18	" " " " 10in.	0 9 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	0 6 6	"
Hose-pipe, best leather, copper-riveted, as follows:—						
19	2 ¹ / ₂ in. diameter	0 4 0	0 2 6	0 2 0	0 2 1	"
20	3in. "	0 4 3	0 2 9	0 2 6	0 2 6	"
21	3 ¹ / ₂ in. "	0 4 6	0 3 5	0 3 0	0 2 6	"
22	4in. "	0 5 0	0 3 9	0 3 9	0 3 0	"
23	5in. "	0 5 6	0 5 3	0 4 0	0 3 0	"
24	6in. "	0 6 0	0 6 3	0 4 10	0 4 0	"
25	7in. "	0 6 6	0 7 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	"
26	8in. "	0 7 6	0 8 0	0 5 6	0 8 6	"
27	9in. "	0 10 0	0 8 6	0 5 6	0 8 6	"
28	Leather, cow, white hide, shaved	0 15 0	0 17 6	0 11 0	0 10 0	side.
29	" " " bag hide	1 18 0	2 7 6	1 17 0	1 13 0	full hide
30	" " " black harness	0 16 0	1 2 6	0 18 6	0 15 6	side.
31	" " " for pumps	0 1 4	0 1 8 ³ / ₄	0 1 1	0 1 3	lb.
32	" " " morocco skins, genuine, large size, green, brown, & maroon	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 1 1	0 1 4	"
33	" " " roan skins, " " " " "	6 0 0	8 0 0	2 5 0	3 0 0	doz.
34	" " " basil skins, best saddlers'	3 10 0	4 18 0	1 15 0	1 0 0	"
35	" " " unstrained	1 5 0	1 5 0	0 19 0	0 17 6	"
36	" " " buttons, ⁵ / ₈ , black and coloured	0 18 0	1 0 0	0 19 0	0 15 0	"
37	" " " for belts	0 2 6	0 2 0	0 1 4	0 0 9	gross.
38	" " " sole, English	0 2 6	0 1 6	0 1 9	0 1 5	lb.
39	" " " colonial	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 1 6	0 2 0	"
40	" " " laces for belts, green hide, to sample	0 1 3	0 1 3	0 0 10	0 1 0	"
41	" " " " white hide, " "	0 5 0	0 3 3	0 3 0	0 2 0	"
42	" " " " " " " " "	0 4 6	0 2 3	0 3 0	0 2 0	"
43	" " " " " " " " "	0 2 0	0 1 4	0 4 0	0 1 9	"
44	" " " " " " " " "	0 2 0	0 1 6	0 1 10	0 1 4	"
45	" " " " " " " " "	0 1 6	0 1 8	0 1 6	0 1 3	"

Tenders for Supply of Tweed, &c., accepted.

Defence Office, Wellington, 16th May, 1898.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the under-mentioned tenders for tweed, &c., for the Defence, Police, and Prisons Departments, as set forth in the Schedule hereto, have been accepted for three years from the 16th day of May, 1898:—

SCHEDULE.

Name of Tenderer.	Article.									
	A. For Permanent Militia. Tweed, Indigo, Wool, dyed, 29 in. wide, 11 oz. to Yard, at per Yard.	B. For Volunteers. Tweed, Indigo, Wool, dyed, 29 in. wide, 9 oz. to Yard, at per Yard.	C. For Police. Tweed, Indigo, Wool, dyed, 29 in. wide, 11 oz. to Yard, at per Yard.	D. For Prisons. Coasting, Indigo, Wool, dyed, 56 in. wide, 23½ oz. to Yard, at per Yard.	E. For Prisons. Serge, Alizarine, Wool, dyed, 56 in. wide, 19 oz. to Yard, at per Yard.	F. For Prisons. Tweed, 29 in. wide, 15 oz. to Yard, at per Yard.	G. For Prisons. Tweed, Grey, 56 in. wide, 25 oz. to Yard, at per Yard.	H. For Prisons. Tweed, Grey, 58 in. wide, 33 oz. to Yard, at per Yard.	I. For Prisons. Blankets, Grey Single, with Red Stripes, 30 in. x 70 in., weighing 4 lb., hemmed at Both Ends, each.	J. For Defence and Police. Blankets, Grey Single, without Red Stripes, 30 in. x 70 in., weighing 4 lb., hemmed Both Ends, each.
Mosgiel Woollen Company	s. d. 3 0	s. d. 2 9	s. d. 3 6	s. d. ..	s. d. ..	s. d. 3 3	s. d. ..	s. d. 5 0	s. d. ..	s. d. ..
Oamaru Woollen Company	..	..	..	7 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Messrs. Ross and Glendinning	..	..	..	..	4 8	..	..	..	..	..
Wellington Woollen Company	..	..	..	..	..	..	3 9	..	6 8	6 8

T. THOMPSON:

Crown Lands Notices.

Rural Land in Southland District open for Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, 16th May, 1898.

THE under-mentioned Crown land will be open for selection, in terms of sections 121 and 136 of "The Land Act, 1892," for lease in perpetuity, on and after Thursday, the 7th July, 1898.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

First-class Land.

County.	Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
					Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
Southland ..	Waikawa ..	33	II.	A. R. P. 10 2 3	s. d. 2 2-4	£ s. d. 0 11 7

This section is covered with bush, from which all marketable timber has been removed by sawmillers. Soil, clay; well watered; varying in height above sea-level from 50 ft. to 150 ft. Distance from Waikawa Township about one quarter-mile.

D. BARRON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands forfeited, Southland Land District.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 12th May, 1898.

IT is hereby notified that the leases or licenses of the under-mentioned lands have been forfeited, or surrendered accepted, by resolutions of the Southland Land Board, and that the said lands have reverted to the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

System.	Lease No.	Lessee.	Section.	Block.	District.
P.L.	545	Frances Crighton ..	..	18	IV. Waikawa.
O.R.P.	78	Annie Stott ..	..	2 to 5	.. Niagara Village.
..	83	Elizabeth F. Bailey ..	..	19, 20	..
L.P.	276	Henry B. Curran ..	..	6	XIV. Oteramika.
..	281	S. F. M. Kirkland ..	..	33	.. Waikawa.
P.R.	87	Robert Tapper ..	..	Pastoral Run 462	.. Wallace County.

JOHN MCKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Land in Cheviot Estate open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 10th May, 1898.

THE under-mentioned section will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity at this office on Wednesday, 29th June, 1898.

If more than one application be received on the same day, then the order of selection shall be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 a.m., at this office.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—CHEVIOT COUNTY.—CHEVIOT SURVEY DISTRICT.
Surveyed First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Lease in Perpetuity: Half-yearly Rent.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
15, 42	XI.	155	0	0	8	16	6

This section is situated at Gore Bay, Cheviot, between 10 ft. and 500 ft. above sea-level, and comprises about 2 acres of flat land, good soil, 10 acres of hill-face well grassed, 83 acres of hill top and sides carrying tussock and fern, and 60 acres of scrub and waste land. The section includes two bush gullies, the bush consisting principally of ngaio, with a few other varieties of native shrubs, and ferns. There is permanent water on the land.

The improvements consist of six-roomed wooden house, iron roof, brick chimney, plastered walls, with outhouse attached, paddock, and small garden. The buildings are valued at £100. The lessee shall keep the buildings insured in the name of the Queen for the full insurable value thereof, in an office to be approved by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

SIDNEY WEETMAN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Village-homestead Allotments in Otago open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

Crown Lands Office,
Dunedin, 13th April, 1898.

THE under-mentioned village-homestead allotments will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity at this office on Wednesday, 1st June, 1898.

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—VILLAGE-HOMESTEAD ALLOTMENTS.
First-class Land.

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity.	
				Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.

MANIOTOTO COUNTY.

		A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Naseby ..	16 | XI.	24	1	27	0	9	6	0	9	7

Good land, all ploughable. Situated about seven miles from Hyde. Valuation for improvements, payable with application or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £4 5s.

TAIERI COUNTY.

		A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Strath Taieri	57 | V.	18	0	18	2	5	88	1	2	5
"	58	21	1	27	1	8	2	0	17	9
"	59	23	1	35	2	1	24	1	4	3
"	62	21	1	23	1	7	2	0	16	10

Open undulating land, ploughable. Situated on the Middlemarch-Hyde Road, about five miles from the former locality. The Taieri River lies about half a mile distant, and the Otago Central Railway skirts the sections on the west. These sections form part of an Otago High School endowment. Valuations for fencing, payable with application or immediately the result of the ballot is declared: Section 57, £6 3s. 6d.; Section 58, £5 18s.; Section 59, £9 4s.; Section 62, £7 13s. 6d.

J. P. MAITLAND,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Lands in Otago for Lease.

Crown Lands Office,
Dunedin, 13th April, 1898.

THE under-mentioned Crown lands will be opened for application upon lease in perpetuity at this office on Wednesday, the 1st June, 1898, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," and "The Land for Settlements Act, 1894," and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—COUNTY OF WAITAKI.
First-class Land.

Survey District.	Allotment.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity.	
			Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.

ARDGOWAN ESTATE.

	A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Oamaru ..	125	16	1	15	14	0	5	14	5

Level and gently sloping agricultural land; good strong soil. Situated two miles and a half from Oamaru Railway-station. Valuation for improvements, payable with application or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £49 13s. 6d.

TEANERAKI SETTLEMENT.

	A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Oamaru and Awamoko	1	5	0	0	19	2	2	8	1

First-class agricultural land. Situated one mile and a half from Enfield Railway-station. Valuation for improvements, payable with application or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £2.

J. P. MAITLAND,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Runs in Southland for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 4th May, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that leases of the under-mentioned pastoral lands will be submitted to public auction on Thursday, the 23rd day of June, 1898, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

PASTORAL LANDS UNDER PART VI. OF "THE LAND ACT, 1892."

Run No.	District.	Area.	Upset Rental per Annum.	Term.
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SOUTHLAND COUNTY.

	A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
525 Hokonui	8,153	2	15	51	0	0	14	years.

FIORD COUNTY.

	A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
526 | ..	75,670	0	0	2	10	0	21	years.

Run 525, situated in Hokonui Survey District, Southland County: Hilly pastoral country; well watered; vegetation, silver-tussock and native grasses; height above sea-level, from 800 ft. to 2,200 ft. Distance from Benmore Railway-station, six miles.

Run 526, situated in Fiord County, between Big River and Preservation Inlet: High broken country, partly bush; well watered; vegetation, native grasses on hill-tops, lower portion bush; height above sea-level, from 500 ft. to 4,000 ft. Distance from Cromarty, Preservation Inlet, one mile.

Possession will be given on the day of sale. Purchasers must deposit a statutory declaration, as required by section 195 of "The Land Act, 1892," and pay the sum of the half-year's rent and license-fee on the fall of the hammer.

D. BARRON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in the Township of Tokaanu for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, 11th May, 1898.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned lands in the Township of Tokaanu will be offered under the provisions of "The Native Townships Act, 1895," and the Land Acts, for lease by public auction for a term of twenty-one years, with right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years, at the Puhao-rangi House, Tokaanu, on Friday, 17th June, 1898.

SCHEDULE.
 TOKAANU TOWNSHIP.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rent.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rent.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.			A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	I.	11 3 22	4 0 0	24	IV.	0 1 0	2 10 0
2	"	8 1 14	3 0 0	25	"	0 1 0	2 10 0
3	"	2 3 18	2 0 0	26	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
4	"	3 3 38	3 0 0	27	"	0 1 0	2 10 0
5	"	2 2 14	2 0 0	28	"	0 1 0	2 10 0
6	"	4 0 0	4 0 0	29	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
7	"	4 0 0	4 0 0	30	"	0 1 0	4 10 0
8	"	3 0 0	3 0 0	31	"	0 1 0	4 0 0
9	"	3 0 0	2 0 0	32	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
10	"	3 0 0	2 0 0	3	V.	5 0 7	2 10 0
11*	"	3 0 0	3 0 0	4	"	5 2 2	2 10 0
12	"	2 2 0	1 10 0	5	"	5 0 6	2 10 0
13	"	2 0 0	2 0 0	6	"	5 0 13	2 10 0
15	"	3 0 0	1 10 0	9	"	7 0 18	4 0 0
16†	"	3 1 21	4 0 0	10	"	4 3 10	5 0 0
17	"	1 2 0	1 10 0	11	"	5 1 2	6 10 0
18‡	"	0 2 36	1 0 0	12	"	5 0 11	6 0 0
19	"	1 0 0	1 0 0	13	"	4 3 39	5 0 0
21	"	1 0 0	1 10 0	14	"	7 3 0	6 0 0
23	"	3 0 0	2 0 0	11	VI.	0 1 14	5 0 0
24	"	1 0 0	1 10 0	2	"	0 1 10	3 0 0
25	"	1 0 0	1 10 0	3	"	0 1 0	4 10 0
26	"	0 1 37	1 10 0	3A	"	0 1 14	4 0 0
27	"	0 2 0	1 10 0	4	"	0 1 0	4 0 0
28	"	0 1 21	1 15 0	5	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
29	"	0 2 0	2 0 0	6	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
38	"	1 2 25	2 0 0	7	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
39	"	2 3 6	3 0 0	7A	"	0 1 11	4 0 0
42	"	1 0 17	2 0 0	8	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
1§	II.	3 0 30	80 0 0	8A	"	0 1 0	3 10 0
2	"	0 1 0	2 10 0	10	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
3	"	0 1 16	2 0 0	11	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
4	"	0 1 0	2 0 0	12	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
5	"	0 1 0	1 10 0	14	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
6	"	0 1 0	2 0 0	15	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
7	"	0 1 0	1 10 0	16	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
8	"	0 1 0	2 0 0	17	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
9	"	0 1 0	1 10 0	19	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
10	"	0 1 0	2 0 0	20	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
11	"	0 1 0	1 10 0	21	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
12	"	0 1 0	2 0 0	22	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
13	"	0 1 0	1 10 0	23	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
14	"	0 1 0	2 0 0	24	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
15	"	0 1 0	1 10 0	25	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
16	"	0 1 0	2 0 0	26	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
17	"	0 1 0	1 10 0	27	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
19	"	0 1 0	1 10 0	29	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
21	"	0 1 0	2 0 0	30	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
1	III.	1 2 1	2 0 0	31	"	0 1 0	4 0 0
2	"	2 0 0	2 10 0	32	"	0 1 0	3 10 0
3	"	2 0 0	2 10 0	33	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
4	"	4 0 11	2 0 0	34	"	0 1 0	3 10 0
5	"	0 2 0	2 0 0	35	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
8	"	1 2 0	1 10 0	36	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
9	"	2 1 0	2 0 0	37	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
10	"	0 2 0	2 0 0	38	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
11	"	0 2 0	2 10 0	39	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
12	"	0 2 0	2 0 0	40	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
13	"	1 0 0	2 0 0	41	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
14	"	0 2 0	1 15 0	42	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
15	"	1 0 0	1 10 0	43	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
16	"	0 2 0	1 15 0	45	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
17	"	1 0 0	1 10 0	46	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
18	"	0 2 0	1 15 0	47	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
20	"	0 2 0	2 0 0	48	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
21	"	1 0 0	2 5 0	49	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
6	IV.	0 1 0	3 0 0	51	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
7	"	0 1 0	2 10 0	52	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
10	"	0 1 0	2 10 0	53	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
11	"	0 1 0	2 0 0	54	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
14	"	0 1 0	2 10 0	55	"	0 1 0	2 0 0
15	"	0 1 0	2 0 0	56	"	0 1 0	3 5 0
17	"	0 1 0	2 10 0	57	"	0 1 0	2 10 0
18	"	0 1 0	2 10 0	1	VIII.	1 0 0	5 0 0
19	"	0 1 0	2 0 0	2	"	1 0 0	4 0 0
21	"	0 1 0	2 10 0	3	"	1 2 0	5 0 0
22	"	0 1 0	2 10 0	4	"	5 2 0	6 0 0
23	"	0 1 0	2 0 0	5	"	8 0 0	4 0 0

* Weighted for improvements, £20.
 † " " £104.
 ‡ " " £120.

§ Weighted for improvements, £1,750 (for lease to the 30th June, 1911).
 || Weighted for improvements, £5.

Maps and full particulars may be obtained at the Land Offices in the colony.

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

Rural Lands in Wellington District open for Sale or Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, 2nd April, 1898.

THE under-mentioned Crown lands will be open for sale or selection, in terms of section 136 of "The Land Act, 1892," either for cash, for occupation with right of purchase, or for lease in perpetuity, at the option of the selector, on and after Wednesday, the 25th day of May, 1898.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

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

First-class Land.

STIRLING BLOCK.

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Wairarapa N.	Tararua ..	42	VI.	200	0	0	1 2 6	225	0	0	1 1 5	5 12 6	0 10 8	4	10	0

This section is situated in the Stirling Block, the access being from the Newman Railway-station, which is about nine miles distant, eight miles of which is a metalled road, and the remaining mile a road which is formed only. It is also within seven miles of Hukanui Railway-station, Post-office, store, &c., by a formed and partially metalled road. The area comprises hilly land, with about 10 acres flat. The soil is of fair quality, resting on a papa formation. The forest is mixed, and comprises rimu, rata, birch, &c., with an undergrowth of tawa, konini, supplejack, &c. The land is watered by a creek. The Eketahuna Road Board have a claim of £3 12s. 9d. against this section for rates due.

COONOR BLOCK.

Pahiatua ..	Makuri ..	23	VII.	99	0	0	1 6 0	128 14 0	1 3 6	3 4 5	1 0 48	2 11 6
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This section is situated in the Coonor Block, the access being from Makuri, which is about nine miles distant; and it is also within twenty-four miles of Woodville and Pahiatua by roads which are formed and partially metalled. The area comprises fairly level land, with about 20 acres of flat. The soil is of good quality, and rests on a limestone formation. The forest is mixed, comprising rata, maire, rimu, and tawa, with an undergrowth of konini, thousand-jacket, lawyer, supplejack, &c. The section has very little water. This section is weighted with £113 17s. 6d. for improvements, which comprise a four-roomed house, water-tank, 12 acres in grass, and 66½ chains of fencing, having a total value of £113 17s. 6d.

MEKALICKSTONE BLOCK.

Wairarapa N.	Aohanga	14	V.	150	0	0	1 3 6	176 5 0	1 2 1	4 8 2	0 11 28	3 10 6
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This section is situated in the Mekalickstone Block, fronting on the Huia Road, the access being from Alfredton, which is about twenty-four miles distant *via* the Huia and Alfredton-Weber Roads, twenty-four miles of which distance is a dray-road and the balance a horse-track. The section is also within eighteen miles of Makuri Township, by eight miles of dray-road and ten miles of horse-road. The Rakaunui Post-office, store, and school are six miles away by dray-road and horse-track. The area comprises undulating land, with soil of a fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is heavy, comprising rimu, kahikatea, rata, tawa, and a mixed undergrowth. The section is watered by a small stream. This section is weighted with £10 for improvements, comprising 5 acres in grass at £2 per acre. The Crown reserves the right to take land for road purposes.

WOODVILLE BLOCK.

Wairarapa N.	Aohanga	29	V.	200	0	0	1 7 6	275 0 0	1 4 5	6 17 6	1 1 2	5 10 0
"	"	30	"	100	0	0	1 10 0	150 0 0	1 6	3 15 0	1 2 4	3 0 0

Section 29, Block V., Aohanga, is situated in the Woodville Block, on the Huia Road, three-quarters of a mile from its junction with the Alfredton-Weber Road. The access is from Alfredton, which is about twenty-five miles distant by a dray-road. The section is also two miles and a half from Rakaunui, where there is a post-office, school, and store. The area comprises undulating land, with soil of a fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is heavy in the front portion and light at the back, and comprises rimu, rata, miro, and a mixed undergrowth of rangiora, tawa, supplejack, &c. The section is watered by a small stream.

Section 30, Block V., Aohanga, is situated in the Woodville Block, at the junction of the Huia and Alfredton-Weber Roads. The access is from Alfredton, which is about twenty-four miles distant by a dray-road; and from Makuri, which is about fourteen miles distant, partly by dray- and partly by horse-road. Rakaunui, where there is a school, post-office, store, &c., is about two miles away. The area comprises hilly land, with soil of fair quality, resting on clay and papa formation. The forest, except where 8 acres have been felled but not grassed, is heavy, and comprises chiefly rimu, rata, hinau, &c., with a mixed undergrowth of supplejack, ground-fern, &c. This section is watered by a stream.

PAHIATUA No. I. BLOCK.

Wairarapa N.	Mt. Cerberus	5	IV.	100	0	0	1 7 6	137 10 0	1 4 5	3 8 9	1 1 2	2 15 0
"	"	33	V.	200	0	0	1 15 0	350 0 0	1 9	8 15 0	1 4 8	7 0 0
"	"	16	VIII.	320	0	0	1 10 0	480 0 0	1 6	12 0 0	1 2 4	9 12 0

Section 5, Block IV., Mount Cerberus, is situated in the Pahiatua No. I. Block, on the Manuhara Road. The access is from Makuri and Pongaroa, the section being fifteen miles distant from the former and about six miles from the latter, where there is a post-office, school, store, &c. There is a good horse-track to within a mile of the section. The area comprises undulating land, with soil of a fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is heavy, comprising rimu, rata, tawa, &c., with a mixed undergrowth of supplejack, &c. The section is watered by small gullies. This section is weighted with £13 10s. for improvements, comprising 6 acres grassed at £2 5s. per acre.

Section 33, Block V., Mount Cerberus, is situated in the Pahiatua No. I. Block, on the Alfredton-Weber Road, about three miles from Pongaroa by a formed dray-road. It comprises comparatively flat or sloping land, easy of access to any part, watered by a permanent stream. The soil is good, resting on a papa formation, and is covered with forest of a mixed character, containing tawa, rimu, totara, &c., with an open undergrowth of rangiora, supplejack, &c.

Section 16, Block VIII., Mount Cerberus, is situated in the Pahiatua No. I. Block, on the Alfredton-Weber Road, near Pongaroa. The access is from Alfredton, which is about thirty miles distant by a dray-road. The distance from Pongaroa is about two miles. The area comprises level and easy sloping land in front, but the back portion rises to a considerable height and is somewhat broken. The soil varies from fair to good, but is poor in the north-west; it rests on papa formation. The forest is mixed, and comprises rimu, tawa, matai, with an undergrowth of rangiora and supplejack. This section is watered by a small stream.

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.	

PAHIATUA No. II. BLOCK.

				A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Wairarapa N.	Mt. Cerberus	2	X.	200	0	0	1	5	0	250	0	0	1	3	6	5	0
"	"	5	"	239	0	0	1	5	0	298	15	0	1	3	7	9	5
"	"	8	"	200	0	0	1	2	6	225	0	0	1	1.5	5	12	6

Section 2, Block X., Mount Cerberus, is situated in the Pahiatua No. II. Block, on the Kaituna Road, the access being from Pongaroa Township, where there is a school, post-office, store, &c., which is about eight miles distant, by five miles of dray-road, one mile of horse-track, and two miles of road which has been surveyed only. The area comprises undulating and sloping lands, having soil of a fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest, which is heavy, comprises rimu, matai, kahikatea, and a mixed undergrowth of supplejack, &c. The section is watered by small streams.

Section 5, Block X., Mount Cerberus, is situated in the Pahiatua No. II. Block. The access is from Pongaroa, where there is a school, post-office, store, &c., which is about seven miles distant—viz., two miles of dray-road, one mile and a half of horse-track, and three miles and a half of road which is surveyed only. The area comprises undulating land, with soil of fair quality, resting on clay and papa formation. The forest is heavy, and comprises rimu, matai, totara, &c., and the usual undergrowth. The land is well watered by a stream.

Section 8, Block X., Mount Cerberus, is situated in the Pahiatua No. II. Block, on the Kaituna Road. The access is from Pongaroa, where there is a school, post-office, store, &c., and which is about eight miles and a half distant, five miles being a dray-road, and the remaining three miles and a half a road which is surveyed only. The area comprises good undulating country along the frontage, and high spurs at the back. The soil is of fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is mixed, comprising tawa, rimu, rata, matai, &c., with an undergrowth of rangiora, supplejack, &c. The section is well watered by a permanent stream.

PAHIATUA No. III. BLOCK.

Wairarapa N.	Mt. Cerberus	4	III.	250	0	0	1	2	6	281	5	0	1	1.5	7	0	8
"	"	6	"	219	0	0	1	2	6	246	7	6	1	1.5	6	3	2
"	"	3	VII.	232	0	0	1	7	6	319	0	0	1	4.5	7	19	6

Section 4, Block III., Mount Cerberus, is situated in the Pahiatua No. III. Block, on the Waihi-Akitio Road. The access is from Alfredton, which is about thirty-six miles distant by the Alfredton-Weber Road, which is a formed dray-road, and which extends to within half a mile of the section, the remainder of the distance being a formed horse-road. The area comprises hilly country, with about 10 acres of flat. The soil is of poor to fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is mixed, and comprises rimu, matai, kahikatea, hinau, totara, and miro, with an undergrowth of wharangi, manuka, supplejack, &c. The section is watered by a stream.

Section 6, Block III., Mount Cerberus, is situated in the Pahiatua No. III. Block, on the Waihi-Akitio Road. The access is from Pongaroa or Weber, each of which is about ten miles distant, by eight miles of dray-road and two miles of bridle-track. The area comprises undulating land, with easy spurs in front and rising land towards the back line. The soil is of good quality, resting on sandstone-and-papa formation. The forest is mixed, and comprises tawa, totara, matai, and an undergrowth of rangiora and supplejack.

Section 3, Block VII., Mount Cerberus, is situated in the Pahiatua No. III. Block, on the Akitio River, which has to be forded to reach the section. The access is from Dannevirke, which is about thirty-two miles distant by dray-road. The area comprises low spurs of good and easy slope, and has soil of good quality, resting on sandstone formation. The forest, which is mixed, originally comprised kahikatea, rimu, tawa, and totara, and an undergrowth of rangiora, but most of the useful timber has now been removed.

PAHIATUA No. IV. BLOCK.

Wairarapa N.	Aohanga ..	8	I.	100	0	0	1	7	6	137	10	0	1	4.5	3	8	9
"	" ..	9	"	100	0	0	1	7	6	137	10	0	1	4.5	3	8	9

Section 8, Block I., Aohanga, is situated in the Pahiatua No. IV. Block, on the Mangatiti Road. The access is from Makuri, which is about twelve miles and a half away, nine miles of this distance being either dray- or horse-road, and the remainder a road which is partly cleared only. Rakaunui, where there is a school, post-office, store, &c., is the nearest centre at present, the distance being only three miles—viz., two miles of dray-road and one mile which has only been surveyed for a road. The area comprises undulating country, with fair soil, resting on a papa formation. An area of 10 acres of the section is in grass, and the balance covered with heavy bush, comprising rimu, rata, hinau, with an undergrowth of supplejack, lawyer, &c. The section is watered by a stream. This section is weighted with £22 10s. for improvements, comprising 10 acres in grass at £2 5s. per acre.

Section 9, Block I., Aohanga, is situated in the Pahiatua No. IV. Block, on the Mangatiti Road. The access is from Makuri, which is about thirteen miles distant, nine miles of which is either dray- or horse-road, and the remainder a road which is only partly cleared. Rakaunui School, Post-office, and store are two miles and a half away, by two miles of formed dray-road and half a mile of road which is surveyed only. The area comprises hilly land, with soil of fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is mixed, comprising rimu, totara, hinau, &c., with an undergrowth of fern, supplejack, lawyer, &c. The section is watered by a creek. The improvements comprise 6 acres felled and burned, but not grassed.

MASTERTON REFORM BLOCK.

Wairarapa N.	Makuri ..	10	XI.	150	0	0	1	7	6	206	5	0	1	4.5	5	3	2
"	" ..	21	"	150	0	0	1	7	6	206	5	0	1	4.5	5	3	2

Section 10, Block XI., Makuri, is situated in the Masterton Reform Block, on the North Range Road. The access is from Makuri, which is about seventeen miles distant, by five miles of dray-road, ten miles of bridle-track, and two miles of road which has been surveyed only. The area comprises a good leading spur, with a flat of about 10 acres. The soil is of good quality, resting on limestone formation. The forest, which is mixed, comprises tawa, rimu, rata, &c., with mixed undergrowth of supplejack, &c. The section is watered by small streams.

Section 21, Block XI., Makuri, is situated in the Masterton Reform Block, on the North Range Road, the access being from Makuri, which is about sixteen miles distant, by five miles of dray-road, ten miles of bridle-track, and one mile of road which is surveyed only. The area comprises good easily accessible spurs and gullies, with good soil, resting on papa formation. The forest is mixed, comprising tawa, rimu, rata, hinau, matai, &c., with an undergrowth of supplejack, rangiora, &c. The section is watered by a permanent stream.

SALISBURY BLOCK.

Pohangina ..	Apiti ..	14	XII.	200	0	0	1	1	0	210	0	0	1	0.6	5	5	0
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This section is situated in the Salisbury Block, on the Main Cross Road East and the Coal Creek Road, the access being from Apiti, which is about five miles and a half distant, by four miles and a half of metalled road and one mile of formed bridle-road. The area comprises hilly and undulating land, with about 20 acres of flat. It is cut by a ravine. The soil is of fair quality, resting on papa-and-sandstone formation. The forest is mixed, and comprises rimu, matai, tawa, rata, miro, &c., with the usual undergrowth. The section is well watered by constantly running streams.

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.

DELAWARE BLOCK.

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Pohangina..	Pohangina	15			200	0	0	1	7	6	275	0	0	1	4	5

This section is situated in the Delaware Block, on the Takapari Road, the access being from Ashurst, which is about twenty-two miles distant, by eighteen miles of metalled road and four miles of bridle-track. The area comprises hilly land, with about 40 acres of flat. The soil is of good quality, resting on papa formation. It is covered with mixed forest, comprising rimu, matai, tawhero, hinau, &c., and the usual undergrowth. The section is well watered by constantly running streams.

POHANGINA BLOCK.

Pohangina..	Umutoi ..	29			150	0	0	1	6	0	195	0	0	1	3	6
" ..	" ..	36			150	0	0	1	3	6	176	5	0	1	2	1

Section 29, Block IV., Umutoi, is situated in the Pohangina Farm-homestead Block, on the Table Flat Road. The access is from Apiti, which is about six miles distant, by a formed road, which is metalled about half the distance. The area comprises broken country, with soil of fair quality, resting on papa-and-shingle formation. The forest is mixed, and comprises rimu, matai, rata, &c., and the usual undergrowth.

Section 36, Block IV., Umutoi, is situated in the Pohangina Block, on the Table Flat Road, the access being from Apiti, which is about eight miles distant, by a formed dray-road metalled for about three miles of the distance. The area comprises broken country, with soil of fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is mixed, comprising rimu, matai, rata, &c., and the usual undergrowth. This section is weighted with £18 for improvements, comprising 6 acres felled and grassed and 4 acres felled only.

MARTON No. I. BLOCK.

Kiwitea ..	Hautapu ..	12			200	0	0	1	9	6	295	0	0	1	5	7
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This section is situated in the Marton No. I. Block, on the Lagoon Road. The access is from Rangiwahia, which is about seven miles distant, by four miles of formed dray-road and three miles of formed bridle-track. The area comprises broken country, with about 15 acres of flat. The soil is of fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is of a mixed character, and comprises manuka, rimu, matai, rata, tawa, miro, &c., and the usual undergrowth. The section is well watered by a constantly running stream.

Kiwitea ..	Hautapu ..	3			200	0	0	1	7	0	270	0	0	1	4	2
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This section is situated in the Marton No. I. Farm-homestead Block, the access being from Rangiwahia, which is about ten miles distant. There is a dray-road to within five miles of the land, the rest being horse-road only. The area comprises broken land. The soil is of good quality, resting on a papa and sandstone formation. The forest is mixed bush, comprising rimu, matai, rata, &c., with the usual undergrowth.

Second-class Land.

ONSLow BLOCK.

Kiwitea ..	Umutoi ..	16			200	0	0	0	17	6	175	0	0	0	10	5
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This section is situated in the Onslow Block, on the Renfrew Road. The access is from Rangiwahia, which is about six miles and a half distant, by two miles and a half of formed dray-road, three miles of bridle-road, and one mile of road which is surveyed only. The area comprises broken country at a considerable altitude, with soil of fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is mixed, and comprises rimu, birch, kaiwaka, &c., and the usual undergrowth.

First-class Land.

PALMERSTON NORTH KNIGHTS OF LABOUR BLOCK.

Rangitikei ..	Tiriraukawa	5	III.	150	0	0	1	10	0	225	0	0	1	6	5	12
" ..	"	3	VII.	200	0	0	1	10	0	300	0	0	1	6	7	10
" ..	"	13	VIII.	200	0	0	1	2	6	225	0	0	1	1	5	5

Section 5, Block III., Tiriraukawa, is situated in the Palmerston North Knights of Labour Block, on the Whaka Road, the access being from Hunterville, which is about twenty-five miles distant, by fourteen miles of formed dray-road, ten miles and a half of formed bridle-track, and about half a mile of unformed bridle-track. The area comprises hilly country, with about 10 to 15 acres of flat land. It contains soil of good quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is mixed, comprising rimu, matai, totara, maire, &c., and the usual undergrowth.

Section 3, Block VII., Tiriraukawa, is situated in the Palmerston North Knights of Labour Block, on the Pukemapou Road. The access is from Hunterville, which is about twenty-two miles distant, by fourteen miles of formed dray-road and eight miles of formed bridle-track. The area comprises broken country, with soil of a fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is of a mixed character, comprising rimu, matai, miro, maire, totara, &c., with the usual undergrowth.

Section 13, Block VIII., Tiriraukawa, is situated in the Palmerston North Knights of Labour Block, on the Wairepu Road, the access being from Mangaweka, which is about ten miles distant by a fairly good bridle-track. Hunterville is about seventeen miles distant by the Watershed and Murray's Track Roads, of which distance thirteen miles is dray-road and four miles bridle-track. The area comprises broken country, with enough flat land for a homestead-site. The soil is of fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is mixed, and comprises rimu, matai, rata, tawa, miro, &c., and the usual undergrowth. The section is well watered by constantly running streams.

SOMMERVILLE BLOCK.

Wanganui ..	Ohinewairua	5	IX.	196	0	0	1	7	6	269	10	0	1	4	5	6
Rangitikei ..	Tiriraukawa	3	IV.	200	0	0	1	0	0	200	0	0	1	0	5	0

Section 5, Block IX., Ohinewairua, is situated in the Sommerville Block, on the Adamson Track Road, the access being from Taihape Township, which is about six miles distant, by a road which is formed for dray traffic for two miles and a half of the distance at the township end, and cleared only (a chain wide) the remainder of the distance. The area comprises hilly country, with about 10 acres of flat land and a good homestead-site. The soil, which rests on a papa formation, is of good quality, but light and rather shallow on the high ground. The forest is of a mixed character, and contains kahikatea, matai, maire, &c., and an undergrowth of konini, &c. At the northern end of the section there is an area of about 40 acres of half-open country, having grassy patches in flax, tutu, and koromiko scrub. The section is well watered by springs and streams.

Section 3, Block IV., Tiriraukawa, is situated in the Sommerville Block, on Murray's Track. The access is from Hunterville, which is about twenty-four miles distant, by fifteen miles of dray-road and nine miles of bridle-track. The area comprises broken country, with enough flat land for a homestead-site. The soil is of fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is mixed, comprising rimu, matai, rata, tawa, &c., with the usual undergrowth.

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.

HUNTERVILLE No. I. BLOCK.

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.								
Rangitikei	Maungakaretu	3	XIII.	204	0	0	1	7	6	280	10	0	1	4	5	7	0	3	1	1	2	5	12	3

This section is situated in the Hunterville No. I. Block, on the Turakina Valley Road, the access being from Hunterville, which is about nineteen miles distant, by nine miles of dray-road to Otairi Station, nine miles of formed bridle-track up the Turakina River, and one mile of rough pack-track. The area comprises hilly country, with about 30 acres of flat land. The soil is of good quality, and rests on papa formation. The forest, which is of a mixed character, comprises rimu, matai, kahikatea, totara, &c., and the usual undergrowth. The section is well watered by constantly running streams. This section is weighted with £14 10s. for improvements, comprising 2½ acres grassed and a whare.

HUNTERVILLE No. II. BLOCK.

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.								
Rangitikei	Tiriraukawa	14	III.	202	0	0	1	2	6	227	5	0	1	1	5	5	13	8	0	10	8	4	10	11
"	"	6	V.	200	0	0	1	7	6	275	0	0	1	4	5	6	17	6	1	1	2	5	10	0

Section 14, Block III., Tiriraukawa, is situated in the Hunterville No. II. Block, on the Taheke Road, the access being from Murray's Track, which is about three miles distant, one mile and a half of which is a formed bridle-track. The area comprises broken country, with a few flats on the stream. The soil rests on a papa formation, and is of fair quality. The forest, which is of a mixed character, comprises rimu, rata, tawa, &c., and the usual undergrowth. The section is well watered.

Section 6, Block V., Tiriraukawa, is situated in the Hunterville No. II. Block, on the Turakina Valley and Karetu Roads, the access being from Hunterville, which is about seventeen miles distant, by fifteen miles and a half of formed dray-road and one mile and a half of formed bridle-track. The area comprises hilly country, with about 40 acres of flat land. The soil is of good quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is mixed, and comprises rimu, kahikatea, tawa, &c., with the usual undergrowth. This section is weighted with £16 for improvements, comprising 8 acres in grass.

HUNTERVILLE No. III. BLOCK.

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.								
Rangitikei	Tiriraukawa	14	VI.	200	0	0	1	10	0	300	0	0	1	6	7	10	0	1	2	4	6	0	0	
"	"	15	"	200	0	0	1	8	0	280	0	0	1	4	8	7	0	0	1	1	4	5	12	0

Section 14, Block VI., Tiriraukawa, is situated in the Hunterville No. III. Block, on a surveyed road, the access being from Hunterville, which is about twenty miles distant, by fourteen miles of formed dray-road and six miles of bridle-track. The area comprises broken country, with small flats, and soil of good quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is of a mixed character, and comprises rimu, matai, tawa, rata, &c., with the usual undergrowth. This section is weighted with £35 for improvements, comprising 20 acres in grass.

Section 15, Block VI., Tiriraukawa, is situated in the Hunterville No. III. Block, on a surveyed road, the access being from Hunterville, which is about twenty miles distant, by fourteen miles of formed dray-road, five miles of bridle-track, and one mile of rough pack-track. The area comprises broken country with a few flats. The soil is of fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest comprises rimu, matai, rata, tawa, &c., with the usual undergrowth. The section is well watered by constantly running streams.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.								
Rangitikei	Maungakaretu	2	XV.	200	0	0	1	5	0	250	0	0	1	3	6	5	0	1	0	5	0	0		
"	Pukeokahu	32	XIII.	200	0	0	1	5	0	250	0	0	1	3	6	5	0	1	0	5	0	0		
"	"	33	"	225	0	0	1	7	6	309	7	6	1	4	5	7	14	9	1	1	2	6	3	9
Pohangina	Pohangina	44	X.	104	1	0	2	10	0	260	12	6	2	6	6	10	4	2	0	5	4	3		

Section 2, Block XV., Maungakaretu, is situated on a surveyed road, the access being from Taihapa, which is about twelve miles distant, by eleven miles of formed bridle-track and one mile of rough pack-track. The area comprises hilly country, with from 15 to 20 acres of flat land. The soil is of good quality, but rather light, and rests on a papa formation. The forest comprises rimu, matai, kahikatea, maire, a few totara, &c., and the usual undergrowth. The section is well watered by constantly-running streams. The Rangitikei County Council has a claim of 11s. 6d. for rates due on this section.

Section 32, Block XIII., Pukeokahu, is situated on a surveyed road, and has access from Kaikoura (Utika Post-office), which is about twelve miles distant, by nine miles of formed horse-road to the Moawhango River, over which there is a foot-bridge, and three miles of good walking-track. There is also access from Moawhango, which is about fifteen miles distant by a rough Maori track. The section is rather broken, but there are a few acres of flat land, and the soil is of fair quality, resting on papa formation. With the exception of 10 or 15 acres of tutu and koromiko, the land is open, and it is well watered by constantly running streams.

Section 33, Block XIII., Pukeokahu, fronts on a surveyed road, the access being from Kaikoura (Utika Post-office), which is about twelve miles distant, by nine miles of formed horse-road to the Moawhango River, over which there is a foot-bridge, and from thence to the section by a good walking-track. There is also access from Moawhango, which is about fifteen miles distant, by a rough Maori track. Most of the land comprised in this section is ploughable, and there are from 50 to 60 acres of flat land. It has a good clay soil, resting on papa formation. With the exception of 75 acres of tutu and koromiko, the land is open grass country. It is well watered by constantly running streams and springs.

Section 44, Block X., Pohangina, is situated in the Awahou-Pohangina Block, on the main road, the access being from Ashurst Railway-station, which is about nine miles distant, and from Pohangina Township, which is about one mile and three-quarters distant by a metalled dray-road. With the exception of a steep gorge, the land is nearly all flat, and has a good soil resting on sandstone and shingle formation. The section is all in grass, and it is well watered by permanent streams in the gullies. This section is weighted with improvements comprising 104 acres in grass, £208; 84 chains of fencing, £53 16s.; yards, £3: total value, £269 16s.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.								
Pahiatua	Makuri	18	VI.	600	0	0	1	2	6	675	0	0	1	1	5	16	17	6	0	10	8	13	10	0
"	"	50	XVI.	166	0	0	0	17	6	145	5	0	0	10	5	3	12	8	0	8	4	2	18	3

Section 18, Block VI., Makuri, is situated on the Woodville-Aohanga Road, and has access from Pahiatua, which is about thirteen miles and a half distant, by seven miles of formed and metalled dray-road, five miles of dray-road and horse-track, and one mile and a half of surveyed road, which is only partly cleared. The section is also about six miles distant from Hull's Crossing and Kohonui Post-office. The area comprises hilly and sloping country, with clay soil of fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest, which is of a mixed character, comprises rata, rimu, a few totaras, maire, miro, &c., and the usual undergrowth of supplejack.

Section 50, Block XVI., Makuri, is situated on the Otawa Road, about a mile from its junction with the Mangatoro Road. The access is from Coonor, where there are a school and a post-office, the distance being about four miles and a half. The first three miles and a half of this distance is a formed and partly metalled road, but the remaining mile has only been cleared of bush. The area comprises hilly land, with sharp spurs and ridges on the front of the section, and rather broken land on the back portion. The soil is of fair quality, resting on papa formation. The forest comprises rata, miro, birch, &c., and an undergrowth of konini, supplejack, &c. The section is weighted with improvements comprising 100 acres in grass, and 40 acres which were in grass, but have since been traversed by fire, £292 10s.; and sheep-yards, £10: the total value of which is £302 10s.

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

Crown Lands in Wellington Land District for Sale under Section 114 of "The Land Act, 1892."

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 18th May, 1898.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned land will be offered for sale under section 114 of "The Land Act, 1892," on and after the 25th August, 1898.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 33, Block IV., Mount Cerberus Survey District, containing 8 acres: Upset price, £1 5s. per acre.

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

Village-homestead Allotments, Southland, open for Lease upon Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 4th April, 1898.

THE under-mentioned Crown lands will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity at this office on Thursday, the 26th May, 1898.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Village-homestead Allotments.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity.	
			Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.

MAKAREWA TOWNSHIP.

		A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
14	V.	13	3	0	3	2	1	2	0

Bush land; adjacent to Main North Road, six miles from Invercargill; soil fair. Limit of holding in this village, 20 acres.

SEAWARD BUSH TOWNSHIP.

		A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
32	III.	5	0	0	4	0	0	10	0
33	"	5	0	0	4	0	0	10	0

Land nearly flat, covered with mixed bush, soil fair; distance from Tisbury Railway-station, one mile. Limit of holding in this village, 10 acres.

HOKONUI.—CENTRE BUSH VILLAGE.

		A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
725	..	24	0	20	1	2	4	0	14	9

Situated about one mile and a half from Centre Bush Railway-station; soil fair, bush light. Limit of holding in this village, one allotment.

LONGWOOD VILLAGE.

		A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
53	V.	6	3	0	1	7	2	0	5	5
54	"	9	3	11	1	7	2	0	7	10

Situated about one mile and a half from Wakaputu Railway-station; soil fair, mostly bush land. Limit of holding in this village, 100 acres. Section 54 is burdened with £3 10s. as valuation for fencing.

NIAGARA VILLAGE.

		A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
41	..	5	1	9	0	7	2	0	1	7

Situated about three miles from Waikawa Township; light bush land, soil fair. Limit of holding, one allotment.

D. BARRON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Runs, Marlborough, for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 19th April, 1898.

IT is hereby notified that the under-mentioned lands will be offered by auction, at the Lands and Survey Office, Blenheim, on Wednesday, the 1st day of June, 1898, at 11 o'clock a.m.

PASTORAL LICENSES UNDER PART VI. OF "THE LAND ACT, 1892."

Arapawa Survey District: Run No. 66: 1,100 acres; term, fourteen years; upset annual rent, £4.

Arapawa Survey District: Run No. 106: 200 acres; term, ten years; upset annual rent, £2.

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

C. W. ADAMS,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserves in Taihape Township for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 4th April, 1898.

THE under-mentioned reserves will be offered for lease by public auction at Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 25th May, 1898.

SCHEDULE.
TAIHAPE TOWNSHIP.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rent.	Term.
10	I.	A. R. P. 0 1 0	£ s. d. 1 0 0	7 years.
1	II.	0 1 0	2 10 0	7 "
3	III.	0 1 0	1 0 0	7 "
2	IV.	0 1 0	1 0 0	7 "
6	"	0 1 0	1 0 0	Year to year.
3	V.	0 1 0	1 0 0	7 years.
1	VI.	0 1 0	1 10 0	7 "
3	"	0 1 0	1 0 0	7 "

TERMS OF LEASE.

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

2. There are no restrictions or limitations as to the number of sections which one person may lease, and no declaration is required. Residence and improvements are not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessees, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of improvements effected by the lessee, nor for any other cause.

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

4. The leases shall be for the term of years as specified above but shall be subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.

5. The rent shall be payable half-yearly, in advance.

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

7. The lessee shall use all reasonable means to prevent the spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbriar on the land comprised in his lease.

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

Small Grazing-run, Taranaki, for Lease upon Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 19th April, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned small grazing-run will be open for lease upon application at this office on Wednesday, 8th June, 1898.

If more than one application be received priority of selection will be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—CLIFTON COUNTY.—UPPER WAITARA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
1	X.	A. R. P.	s. d.	£ s. d.
5	XIII.	4,220 0 0	0 4 2	37 0 6
3	XIV.			

All forest, principally tawa, towai, rata, matai; a little totara on ridges, and manuka in gullies. Rough pastoral country, with broken spurs, landslips, and papa gutters; well watered. Access by the Ngatoto Road and Waitara River. Distance from Purangi, about two miles and a half.

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-runs, Taranaki, for Lease upon Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 4th April, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned small grazing-runs will be open for lease upon application at this office on Wednesday, 25th May, 1898.

If more than one application be received for the same run, priority of selection will be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—CLIFTON COUNTY.—WAITARA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Pastoral Country.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Rent, 2½ per Cent.				
			Rent per Acre.		Half-yearly Rent.		
8	XII.	A. R. P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
10	"	1,460 0 0	0	3·75	11	8	4
		1,203 0 0	0	3·75	9	8	0

All forest; pastoral country; well watered. Timber consists of tawa, rata, rimu, towai, and usual undergrowth. A few acres flat on Section 8, about the south-east corner. Access by Kaipikari Road, distant from Urenui about ten miles, and by Junction and Mataro Roads from Tarata, about seven miles. The ridges rise to 900 ft. above sea-level, and to 500 ft. above the valleys.

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Runs, Westland, for Lease by Public Auction.

Crown Lands Office,
Hokitika, 19th April, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that the licenses of the pastoral runs set out below will be offered by public auction, at the Lands Office, Hokitika, on Wednesday, the 15th day of June next, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the prices and for the terms given, and subject to any rights of renewal or resumption as may be prescribed by the Land Acts or other constituted authority, and subject to the necessary declarations being taken. Maps may be seen at the Lands Office, Hokitika, where other full particulars as to conditions of sale and license, &c., may be ascertained.

Payments to be made on the fall of the hammer, and consist, with regard to the said licenses, of six months' rent in advance and license-fee of £1 1s.

No. of Run.	Area.	Locality.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term.
23	Acres. 23,000	Landsborough River	£ s. 11 10	Ten years from 1st Mar., 1899.
32	7,000	Wainihinihi River	7 0	Ditto.
34	5,500	Kawhaka River ..	5 10	"
47	15,000	Okuru River ..	15 0	"
49	12,000	Kakapotahi River	6 0	"
55	17,000	Poerua River ..	17 0	"
59	10,000	Cascade Plateau ..	5 0	"
69	10,000	Cascade River ..	10 0	"
87	7,000	Upper Haast River	7 0	"
93	10,000	Mount Meta Range	10 0	"
97	5,000	Fox Range ..	5 0	"
103	5,000	Lake Kanieri ..	5 0	"
105	5,000	Upper Taipo River	5 0	"

Description.—Run No. 23, 23,000 acres, Clark and Haast Valleys: Principally cattle-feed in bush on hillsides and flats; lower open country. Access by Haast Pass Track and Clark River bed.

Run No. 32, 7,000 acres, Wainihinihi Valley: Rough hillsides and terrace-slopes; all forest country. Easy access by open river-beds from Hokitika—Christchurch Road.

Run No. 34, 5,500 acres: Comprises upper valley of Kawhaka River; densely timbered country. Average altitude, 1,000 ft. Access from main road *via* track to Government Reservoir and river-bed.

Run No. 47, 15,000 acres, Upper Okuru Valley: Comprises river-flats, marginal terraces, and hillsides; altogether cattle country, with mixed forest. Access by Okuru River bed.

Run No. 49, 12,000 acres, in Happy Valley, Kakapotahi River: Mainly suited for cattle; open flats will graze a few horses; the balance heavily bushed. Access by Rangitoto Road and rough bush-track.

Run No. 55, 17,000 acres, Lower Poerua Valley: Bulk of run is thickly timbered, and only fitted for cattle; balance consists of river-flats and islands, partly open, suitable for horses and sheep. Access by Main South Road, which bounds the block.

Run No. 59, 10,000 acres, Cascade Plateau, South Westland: High terraced country, partly open, with stunted scrub, low fern, and poor tussock; will keep store sheep. Access from main road *via* Cascade River bed and Laschellis Creek, or by old pack-track from Jackson Bay.

Run No. 69, 10,000 acres, Cascade River: Chiefly cattle-feed on slopes of bush-clad hills. Access by Barn Bay Track from main road.

Run No. 87, 7,000 acres: Comprises rough bush-clad mountain-sides and small flats in Upper Haast Valley; only suitable for feeding cattle. Access by Haast Pass Road.

Run No. 93, 10,000 acres: Summer sheep country, on summits and upper spurs of Mount Meta Range; scanty tussock. Average altitude, 3,800 ft. Access from Mathias River in Canterbury, and from Whitcombe Pass Track in Westland.

Run No. 97, 5,000 acres: Good tussock country; tops and upper slopes of the Fox Range; altogether sheep pastures. Average altitude equals 3,700 ft. Access from Cook and Fox River beds.

Run No. 103, 5,000 acres: Low heavily timbered hills between Lake Kanieri and Kokatahi Settlement; wholly cattle country. Access from Kokatahi Road.

Run No. 105, 5,000 acres, Upper Taipo Valley: Bush-clad hillsides, with small patches of open flats and islands. Access by Taipo Track and river-bed.

W. G. MURRAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Town of Palmerston North for Sale by Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 10th May, 1898.

THE under-mentioned sections will be submitted to public auction for sale for cash, at the Theatre Royal, Palmerston North, on Wednesday, the 22nd June, 1898, at 2 o'clock p.m.:

Section 822, Palmerston North: Area, 1 acre 1 rood; upset price, £150.

Section 1086, Palmerston North: Area, 1 acre 2 roods 6 perches; upset price, £75.

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

Mr. H. Martin, of Palmerston North, holds a lease from the Palmerston North Domain Board of Section 1086, Palmerston North, for twenty-one years from the 18th August, 1890, the annual rent being £4 4s. for the first seven years of the said term, £5 5s. for the next seven years, and £6 6s. for the remaining seven years. This section is therefore offered subject to his lease, a copy of which is open for inspection by intending purchasers.

There are no restrictions or limitations imposed on purchasers of these sections other than above mentioned.

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

Native Land Court Notices.

Native Land Court Agents licensed.

[In continuation of notice, dated 14th April, 1898, and published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 28, of 21st idem, page 671.]

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT,
NEW ZEALAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that licenses have been issued to the under-mentioned persons authorising them to appear as Agents in the Native Land Court for the year ending the 31st day of December, 1898, subject to the provisions of section 20 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," viz.:

WILLIAM HENRY GRACE.
ALFRED KNOCKS.

Dated at Wellington, this 12th day of May, 1898.

R. C. SIM,
Registrar.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."—Application under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 11th May, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that application has been made to a Judge of the Court for a certificate under section 55 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," confirming the alienation hereunder specified. All objections to the granting of such certificate must be lodged with me within fourteen days from the publication of this notice.

JAS. W. BROWNE, Registrar.

THE ALIENATION ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Mortgage (C.A. 98-29) ..	..	Allotment 144, Parish of Waipipi	Ellen Flavell, the wife of John Flavell, of Waiuku, to John Moore, of Patumahoe.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 10th May, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Te Wairoa on the 22nd day of June, 1898, to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

JOHN BROOKING, Registrar.

[Gisborne, 98-21.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
781	Te Pirihī Kaihote and Apikara Hiraka	Hinewhaki No. 2 West.
782	Te Teira Marutu and Atareta te Hakia	Mahanga No. 1d.
783	Auru Mahanga and Arapata Hapuku	Mahanga No. 2.
784	Hirini Tokowhenua	Orangitirohia No. 7.
785	Hana Winiata, for Winiata Kaihete	Ohuia No. 4.
786	Riripeti Kaiora	Paeroa No. 1b.
787	Mere te Irikowhai	Tawapata South Nos. 4, 5, and 6.
788	Akenihi Papatu	Taupara.
789	Mihi Hape	Taupara No. 2.
790	Niel Walker	Tutaekuri No. 3.
791	Te Haenga Paretipua, Karaitiana Haronga, and others	Whakaki.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 78 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," TO ASCERTAIN THE INTEREST ACQUIRED BY OR ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
792	Hon. John McKenzie, the Minister of Lands	Kahaatureia Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 67 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
793	Horace Baker	Orangitirohia No. 3	£ s. d. 0 12 6
794	Horace Baker	Orangitirohia No. 4	0 12 6
795	Horace Baker	Orangitirohia No. 5	0 12 6
796	Horace Baker	Orangitirohia No. 13	5 16 2
797	Horace Baker	Orangitirohia No. 14	6 8 9
798	Horace Baker	Orangitirohia No. 15	6 8 9
799	Horace Baker	Orangitirohia No. 18	1 9 0
800	Horace Baker	Orangitirohia No. 19	1 19 3

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 66 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT AMENDMENT ACT, 1895."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
801	R. C. L. Reay	Orangitirohia No. 10	£ s. d. 2 2 0
802	R. C. L. Reay	Orangitirohia No. 12	3 10 0
803	R. C. L. Reay	Orangitirohia No. 17	3 10 0

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 65 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
804	Hirini Moekau	Mangapoike A	£78 ls.

APPLICATIONS FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
805	Te Teira Marutuana, Atareta te Hakia	Mahanga No. 1d.
806	Panera Huruhuru	Rato.

APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION WITH WILL ANNEXED.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
807	Reti Kaukau	Tipene Waewaeporo.

APPLICATIONS FOR DETERMINATION OF RELATIVE SHARES AND INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
808	Riria Kaihue and others	Kiwi.
809	Wiremu Kaimoana and R. K. Hawaikirangi	Ohuia No. 1.

INQUIRY AUTHORISED BY ORDER IN COUNCIL DATED THE 22ND DAY OF MARCH, 1897, UNDER SUBSECTION (10) OF SECTION 14 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area.
810	R. K. Hawaikirangi and another	Wharepu No. 1	42 acres 2 roods 1 perch.

INQUIRY UNDER SECTION 49 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Land.	Matter referred for Inquiry.
811	Aranui No. 1	Complaint by Te Rawha that the share allotted to her on partition of the said land, owing to her name and that of Kutoro having been made to appear as the name of one and the same person, is not as large as she is entitled to.
812	Opoho No. 4d	To ascertain whether there is any objection on the part of the owners of Opoho No. 4d ¹ and Opoho No. 4d ² to the boundary between the two parcels as surveyed, the line not having been carried in accordance with the order of the Court.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
813	Te Rawha	Aranui No. 1.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 69 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
814	Wi Kaimoana, Paora Turuhira	Paeroa No. 1.

ADJOURNED CLAIMS.
APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1045	Iharaira Hemopo and others (2-78)	Nuhaka No. 2A.
1046	Rongo Hamana (15-298)	Ohuia No. 1.
1047	Areta Apatu (3-61)	Poutaka.
1048	Epanaia Whanga and others (2-80)	Tutuotekaha No. 2.
1049	Winiata Kaihote and Riria Kaihue (3-81)	Ohuia No. 3.

APPLICATION FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDER.

No.	Name of Surveyor.	Name of Land.	Amount.
1059	G. Walker (C.O. 103)	Waikawa No. 2	£40 14s.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 17th May, 1898.

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 24th day of June, 1898, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
[Wellington, 98-81.]

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
950	Nira te Rangiao	Mita Karaka Tapa.
951	Uru te Angina	Hamiora te Hunga o te Rangi.

"Native Land Court Act, 1894."—Sitting of Court further adjourned.

Native Land Court Office, Wellington, 13th May, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sitting of the Native Appellate Court advertised to take place at Whanganui on the 31st March, 1898, and adjourned to the 20th May, 1898, has, on account of the Native meeting to be held at Papawai, been further adjourned to the 8th June, 1898, at the same place.

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

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

Native Land Court Office, Wellington, 13th May, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Rehearing Court under the above Act advertised to sit at Whanganui on the 20th May, 1898, has, on account of the Native meeting to be held at Papawai, been adjourned to the 8th June, 1898, at the same place.

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

"The Native Land (Validation of Titles) Act, 1893."

Validation Court Office, Wellington, 17th May, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Validation Court will be held at the Native Land Court House, Whanganui, on Wednesday, the 8th day of June, 1898, to hear and determine the matter set forth in the Schedule hereto.

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

THE application of Robert Thompson Batley, of Moawhango, for validation of an agreement for sale of Section No. 13m of Awarua No. 2c Block, by Horima Paerau to the said Robert Thompson Batley.

THE WEST COAST SETTLEMENT
RESERVES ACT, 1892."

NOTICE to NATIVE OWNERS and LESSEES of a MEETING to be held at the Reserves Agent's Office, Post-office Buildings, HAWERA, at 10 o'clock a.m. on THURSDAY, the 26th MAY, 1898, to fix the RENT for NEW LEASES to FREDERICK VILLEBOIS LYSAGHT and MARY EMILY DYKE LYSAGHT of Parts of the WHAREMOA NATIVE RESERVE, known as "Hapua" and "Ohangai," and part of section numbered 588 on the public map of the Patea District, in the Provincial District of Taranaki, containing 50 acres, 110 acres 3 roods, and 640 acres respectively (more or less), being Land comprised in Confirmed Leases registered Nos. 53 and 31.

TO Natanahira Ngahina, Mere Ngapuku, Ra-weangapaku, Tohetana, Rahua, Teremona, Mowahu, Ngahina Tokau, Tukino, Te Hokio, Kawarau, Rongohurumanu, Te Patukohu, Te Raroa, Te Araroa, Te Whetu, Te Matewai, Haupuhira, Te Ari, Te Hikaka Takirau, Kuki Rangipupu, Haupiroa, Rihana Riakiao, Moerewawa, Te Awarua, Kakau, Noti (trustee, Kakau), Ngahina, Rangiwahia Wi Poki, Te Waru Taumau (trustee, Te Ngaruru), Haweturi, Parata, Te Waewae, Makere Pokau, Te Hikaka, Rehua, Kokiri Pouri, Te Kokiri, Te Awe, Tuki, Wherorangi, Taumihira, Patutu, Mouhatu (trustee, Te Ngaruru), Ngahina Taea, Taringa (trustee, Rangipikitea), Maihi, Patukohu, Te Pehipehi, Okeroa, Moahu, Tikapa, Roti Moerangi, Tupua Moewa, Tukurangatai, Taniwha, Tumahuki, and Te Ongi (trustee, Ngahina Taea), Ngaparititi, Iwiaohia, Wharemate, Tiria, Te Hanatito, Te Waru, Te Awarua, Tamaka, Tuanini, Tihirua, Rangiumu, Maraea Haweturi, Pokere, and Taihuria (trustee, Haweturi), Ani Wera (trustee, Te Rapiha Rangiaukori), Te Awarua Pikau, Te Ngaruru, Rongo te Rawhiti (trustee, Te Ngaruru), Te Rangitutaki, Puaitaha, Rangimaeki, Pare te Wehenga, Potuituwai, Te Kapa Tamaohungia, Te Ringa Tamaohungia, Ngatau, Te Onetu, Rangitaniwha, Tekenui, Ngatohu, Te Putaka, Mihi Taitua, Te Rawaho, Ketu, Nehora, Te Kaewa, Whai Pakanga (trustee, Te Kaewa), Kura Taumahi, and Huatahi (trustee, Te Kaewa), Te Waka (Raupo), Taiteariki, Mouputuputu, Marokopa, Kerei, Te Karoro, Oiwahere, Hineara (trustee, Oiwahere), Te Piki, Taringa, Te Kapa, Waipakanga, Tame, Te Rina, Huirangi, Kimirongo, Tutenga, Maruera, Kaewa, Rakura, Pehipehi, Tarewananga, Mataao, Hawetukia, Tairoroma, Tamatautahi, Te Mawhiti, Te Puri Ngarangi, Whanaupunga, Tupitea, Hinekahu, Waikareao, Hineao, Tumaraoro, Te Rama, Te Rama Papaka, Te Pahunga, Te Okera, Ngapara, Waikawakawa, Te Mokena, Te Mira, Ngaruerangi, Tinipouneru, Temanu Kaewa, Tarakino (trustee, Mira Tuatina), Kake Pepe, Ruaroa, Te Hirangi Takarangi, Te Raharumai, Taumairoa, Te Kahau Raranga (trustee, Parirakawa), Panini (trustee, Rahuramahi), Tohetana, Wero, Maraea-Waihora, Hineao, Teringa Kura Kokako, Whakahihi, Tohe (Taea), Tamarapa, Mata Moerewawa, Rangipikitea, Mere Hore, Te Ari, Paerangi, Ngahina te Kau, Rehua, Moehau, Ngakawhena, Tohe, Tiria, Waewae, Ruanui Opokiwa (trustee, Ngahina), Rahiri, Rangipuri, Ngawira, Turingihau, Heretaniwha, Turingihau, Waiata Kakau, Te Awarua, Hauapae Ruru (trustee, Te Ngaruru), Tawhiti, Te Araroa, Hinerua, Mihitaitua, Ngawira, Rahirikau, Rahiri Wira, Kauhauraranga (trustee, Parirakawa), Panenui (trustee, Te Ngaruru), Terahurumai, Tapahi, Hinemanuhiri, Riria Rerekaipeke, Tiki Rerekaipeke, Kakau, Hineotinga, Rangimoeki, Tare Te Wehenga, Taukiriwhata (trustee, Rangimoeki), Waikauri, Hinerangi, Kura Rangiumu, Te Urutahi, Te Uruotonga, Tamatea, Te Ao Awarua, Roka Titipu and Kerepinepine (trustees, Parewaho and Tuanini), Karo Nukuhau, Mere Pounamu, Arama, Te One, Ema, Keita, Tiki, Ruta, Te Mokena, Tutae, Te Kura, Ngatau, Te Weurangi, Mereana Taea, Tutakaikura, Rangiwetuki, Tutepurangi, Puaraukato, Kitiama, Riako, Te Haupuhira, Riakiao, Ngawira Turingihau, Heretaniwha, Ngawira, Tikapa Tama-

ohungia, Taringa Tamaohungia, (trustees, Rangipikitea and Tikapa Tamaohungia), Puiwaitaha, Tangiora, Tuaiwa, Rahiri, Kunako, Te Ratoia, Wairaka, Te Ngaruru, Te Hau te ki, Koheta and Panenui (trustee, Pare Raukawa), Karoro, Rangitupoki, Wherorangi, Taumihira, Patutu (trustee, Te Ngaruru Tuki), Taiteariki, Te Hikaka Takirau, Marokopa, Kerei, Whaipakanga, Te Waka Taparuru, Tikapa, Te Hokio, Kawarau, Papaka Ngahaporoaki, Ratoia, Te Awarua, Waurangi, Weurangi, Tamawhero, Ruarangi, Kokiripouri, Te Kokiri, Peata te Hirata, Hiromona te Umairangi, Haipene Ihairira, Pita Heremaha, Puke-tehe Heremaha, Te Rangitoitu, Erana Ringarau, Te Rangiwetuki, Te Hikaka, Rongo te Rawhiti (trustee, Te Ngaruru), Huatuhui, Te Uruotonga, Tutu, Te Puamoeawa, Te Rotimoerangi, Rotimoerangi, Hineao, Tunui Mininiki, Hemi, Mere Ngapaku, Rangiumu, Wi Poki, Haweturi, Maraea Haweturi (trustee, Haweturi), Pokere Haweturi (trustee, Haweturi), Taihuria Haweturi (trustee, Haweturi), Pokai Whenua, Totara, Te Motunui, Tamahiri, Turiakina, Moutoko, Haipene, Motenui, Te Pokaiatua, Te Waka, Whanaupunga, Eruera Rotoia, Te Mutu, Te Oro, Rangihina, Rangiwana, Koheta (trustee, Te Ngaruru), Waikauri, Toroa, Terawha, Tihirangi, Te Rawaho, Te Kowhai, Te Pirihii, Te Rangirunga, Tuarea, Wharemate, Iwiaohia, Nihera Raukura, Te Rangihirama, Tukohu, Ngataura, Nihera Raukura, Te Muroa, Hemi Watene, Hema Watene, Ngarangi, Mauriri, Ngatau, Onetu, Rangitaniwha, Tekenui, Pureraukawa, Komaho, Kimirongo, Awarua, Wairaka, Pua Raukato, Puamoeawa, Puararanga, Ngatau, Tapahi, Pareraukawa, Komako, Puanui, Te Wenu, Mahara, Panenui (trustee, Te Ngaruru), Tawhiti, Te Urutahi, Uruotonga, Kimirongo, Awarua, Te Ao Awarua, Te Rahurumai, Te Pua Moewa, Urutahi, Tupotohaka, Taumairoa, Te Onetu, Mihi, Pokaiatua, Nga-peita, Tipirangi, Te Puri, Pikihiatoki, Rangihuta, Kingi Tamakiterangi, Te Toru Tamakiterangi (trustee, Ngakeepa Tamakiterangi), Poritamakiterangi (trustee, Ngakeepa Tamakiterangi), Warira Tamakiterangi (trustee, Ngakeepa Tamakiterangi), Terawhiti Tamakiterangi (trustee, Ngakeepa Tamakiterangi), Rangiamohia, Rangipaki, Kuraro, Mahuri, Te Pirihii Tukawainga, Ngawihau, Hinekete, Mauriri Nukuohua, Whakawiria Tumahuki, Te Kiri, Miriama Hinekorengi, Raukura, Phipipi, Tuki, Roera, Tekeereama, Ngarewarewa, Tukohu, Piki, Pua Mahurangi, Tarawha Hineao, Herewhata, Honipumipi, Rahirikau, Hinauri, Ngakawa, Tekahu, Tioko, Mereana Hawaiki, Waikare, Waiawa, Tutepurangi, and the other Native owners of all those pieces of land situate in the Provincial District of Taranaki, being portions of the Wharemoa Reserve, known as "Hapua" and "Ohangai," and part of section numbered 588 on the public map of the Patea District, and containing by admeasurement 50 acres, 110 acres 3 roods, and 640 acres respectively (more or less), being the land comprised in confirmed leases Nos. 53 and 31, to Frederick Villebois Lysaght and Mary Emily Dyke Lysaght, of Hawera, farmers.

Whereas the above-named Frederick Villebois Lysaght and Mary Emily Dyke Lysaght have given notice to me, under the provisions of section 8 of "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892," that they desire to obtain under that section new leases of the land above described and I consider their applications ought to be given effect to: Now, therefore, I do hereby appoint a meeting to take place between the said Frederick Villebois Lysaght and Mary Emily Dyke Lysaght and all the Native owners of the above-described land, for the purpose of fixing the rent to be paid for the said land for the first twenty-one years of the new leases; and I fix the Reserves Agent's Office, Post Office Buildings, Hawera, as the place where, and Thursday, the 26th day of May, 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, as the time when, such meeting shall take place.

Dated this 2nd day of May, 1898.
JAMES C. MARTIN,
Public Trustee.

Dunedin Savings-bank Balance-sheet for 1897.

STATEMENT of the Receipts and Payments of the Dunedin Savings-bank for the Twelve Months ending the 31st December, 1897:—

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
Balance from 1896	.. ..	7,719	2	6
Lodged by depositors	.. ..	34,163	6	2
Interest on loans	.. ..	4,656	4	0
" bank deposits	.. ..	1,253	16	3
" debentures	.. ..	400	0	0
Insurance premiums	.. ..	79	16	2
Rent	.. ..	100	0	0
Fines	.. ..	0	7	6
Loans repaid	.. ..	19,286	9	6
Property Account	.. ..	517	14	10
Fixed deposits	.. ..	12,500	0	0
		£80,676	16	11

PAYMENTS.		£	s.	d.
Withdrawn by depositors	.. ..	63,196	16	2
Charges	.. ..	775	3	4
Loans granted	.. ..	454	11	8
Insurance premiums	.. ..	79	18	8
Property Account	.. ..	143	17	8
Interest on loans, dishonoured cheque	.. ..	30	4	0
Building Account	.. ..	9	15	0
Balance	.. ..	15,986	10	5
		£80,676	16	11

We hereby certify that we have examined the above statement of receipts and payments of the Dunedin Savings-bank, have compared the same with the books of the bank, and to the best of our knowledge and belief it contains a true and correct account of all transactions of the bank. We have also seen securities for the investments, and compared the depositors' ledger-balances, also cash accounts, with the bank pass-book.

WILLIAM BROWN AND CO., } Auditors.
R. C. MOODIE,

Dunedin, 31st January, 1898.

PROFIT and Loss ACCOUNT for Twelve Months ending 31st December, 1897.

1897.	Dr.	£	s.	d.
Dec. 31.	To Interest credited depositors	4,235	3	0
	Charges (including £100 written off Building Account)	875	3	4
	Balance	12,365	14	11
		£17,476	1	3

1896.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
Dec. 31.	By Balance	11,309	15	2
1897.				
Dec. 31.	By Interest on loans	4,283	13	6
	" debentures	400	0	0
	" bank deposits	1,382	5	1
	Rent	100	0	0
	Fines	0	7	6
		£17,476	1	3

By Balance £12,365 14 11

Audited and found correct.

WILLIAM BROWN AND CO., } Auditors.
R. C. MOODIE,

Dunedin, 31st January, 1898.

STATEMENT of ASSETS and LIABILITIES, 31st December, 1897.

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Cash in bank	.. ..	16,254	8	5
Less outstanding cheques	.. ..	267	18	0
		15,986	10	5
Cash in Bank, Deposit Account	.. ..	14,000	0	0
Fixed deposits	.. ..	17,000	0	0
Accrued interest thereon	.. ..	614	16	5
Debentures	.. ..	6,640	0	0
Accrued interest thereon	.. ..	200	0	0
Loans on mortgage	.. ..	63,882	8	6
Accrued interest thereon	.. ..	1,030	1	11
Property Account	.. ..	6,810	5	5
Insurance premiums advanced	.. ..	15	8	10
Rent due	.. ..	25	0	0
Land and building (less amount written off)	.. ..	3,979	9	4
		£130,184	0	10

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Due to 2,779 depositors	.. ..	113,854	19	3
Ditto, Suspense Account	.. ..		3	0
Property Suspense Account	£4,080 19 3			
Less written off, loss on Elmers's property	.. ..	120	12	7
		3,960	6	8
Assets in excess of liabilities	.. ..	12,365	14	11
		£130,184	0	10

We have seen the securities for the above assets, and have compared the depositors' ledger-balances, and found the above statement correct.

WILLIAM BROWN AND CO., } Auditors.
R. C. MOODIE,

Dunedin, 31st January, 1898.

Napier Savings-bank Balance-sheet for 1897.

BALANCE-SHEET of the Napier Savings-bank from the 1st January to the 31st December, 1897:—

1897.	RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.
Jan. 1.	By Balance at Bank of New South Wales	658	14	2
	Balance in hand	40	9	2
Dec. 31.	Cash deposited	3,173	1	0
	Interest on mortgages	517	11	1
	Refund, mortgages	270	0	0
	Refund, bank property	65	0	0
	Refund, fixed deposit	1,500	0	0
		£6,224	15	5

1897.	PAYMENTS.	£	s.	d.
Dec. 31.	To Deposits withdrawn	4,159	5	0
	Charges	149	15	3
	Bank Property Account	12	3	8
	Suspense Account	0	14	3
	Fixed deposit	1,000	0	0
	Post-office Savings-Bank	800	0	0
	Balance at Bank of New South Wales	61	4	8
	Balance in hand	41	12	7
		£6,224	15	5

1897.	ASSETS.	£	s.	d.
Dec. 31.	By Balance at Bank of New South Wales	61	4	8
	Balance in hand	41	12	7
	Balance due on land sold	227	10	0
	Interest accrued, mortgages	237	19	6
	Bank Property Account	522	3	8
	Mortgages	6,860	0	0
	Fixed deposit	1,000	0	0
	Post-office Savings-Bank	800	0	0
	Estimated value of land and premises	650	0	0
		£10,400	10	5

1897.	LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Dec. 31.	To Balance due 482 depositors	9,182	3	2
	Gas Company	0	12	9
	Balance	1,217	14	6
		£10,400	10	5

EDWD. LYNDON, Manager.

Audited and found correct, 31st January, 1898.

BANNER AND IRVINE, Accountants.

We certify that, to the best of our belief, the accompanying balance-sheet is a true and correct statement of the assets and liabilities of the Napier Savings-bank as at the 31st December, 1897.

EDWD. LYNDON, Manager.
E. W. KNOWLES, Vice-President.
CHAS. H. EDWARDS,
W. J. TABUTEAU,
J. WILSON CRAIG, } Trustees.
J. H. VAUTIER,
JOHN McVAY,

RETURN showing the CUSTOMS and EXCISE DUTIES collected at the several Ports of New Zealand during the QUARTER ended 31st March, 1898.

CUSTOMS DUTIES.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganni.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Picton.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton and Christchurch.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	Parcels Post.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1897.	
																							Quantities.	Revenue.		
Spirits, \textsterling gal.	16s.	15830		73	1109	612	196	3132	17714	4490	418	33	2551	811	1627	1067	14376	1320	1086	17799	4171			110519 gal.	£ 88415	£ 82879
perfuméd,	30s.	66				1		1	30				5			83			88					183 "	274	313
Cigars and Snuff, \textsterling lb.	7s.	2132			9	59		91	1932	262			209	14	46	66	794	17		1894	14			21540 lb.	7539	6363
Cigarettes	*	3204			118	210		328	2404	608	22		263	22	44	22	1061	55	26	2712				12684500	11099	9695
Tobacco, manufactured, \textsterling lb.	9s. 6d.	14797		45	565	1551	40	2380	12013	2625	175		1823	543	1243	649	7878	301	513	11213	1941			344543 lb.	60295	57070
raw, for manufacture, \textsterling lb.	2s.	1114																						11140 "	1114	793
Wine, sparkling, \textsterling gal.	9s.	170			7	5		37	302	51			19				5	118	9		95			1818 gal.	818	776
Australian,	5s.	315		5	43	19	22	83	672	172	11		80	30	15	29	360	53	58	647	148			11048 "	2762	2578
other kinds,	6s.	874			72	17		129	1126	262			57	16	28	3	848	72	11	668	159			14473 "	4342	3946
Ale, Beer, &c., \textsterling gal.	2s.	872			48			162	1307	215			270		18	16	522	8		765	343			45460 "	4546	4730
Tea, \textsterling lb.	4d.	4105		11	14	350	33	267	6253	229	5		227	65	129	67	2826	252	9	4424	214			1168900 lb.	19480	20187
Coffee, raw, \textsterling lb.	2d.	113					3		74	36			7				76			192	15			63720 "	531	544
roasted,	5d.	3															3							288 "	6	11
Chicory, Cocoa, and Chocolate, \textsterling lb.	3d.	129			4	5	1	4	171	17			13	1			105	3		172				50000 "	625	788
Sugar, Molasses, and Treacle, \textsterling lb.	1d.	20396			184	42	49	672	3364	1685	107		338	306	375	299	4698	358	240	7039	1868			20193600	42070	41477
Glucose, \textsterling lb.	1d.	35							72	3			22				107			161	8			97920 "	408	316
Opium, \textsterling lb.	40s.	10			1				402								512			780				852 1/2 "	1705	1390
Goods by Weight		8686	4	5	171	455	44	737	10737	1250	32		1688	84	343	97	6837	110	96	9501	1079				41956	42341
ad valorem		46368		182	576	1008	458	2440	52013	3297	265	10	3596	301	1266	366	29625	2580	1313	41310	3722				190696	184401
Other Duties not specified above		4438	3		70	256	24	372	8236	532	39		263	74	78	57	4920	316	190	7523	418				27814	26888
Parcels Post Duties																						2596			2596	2135
Totals		123657	7	321	2991	4590	870	10835	118822	15734	1074	43	11431	2267	5724	2758	75237	5454	3542	107038	14100	2596			509091	
Corresponding Quarter, 1897		120950	4	441	3103	4080	706	8380	114426	14998	833	33	10360	2111	5639	3269	72197	4945	2856	105555	12600	2135			489621	
Financial Year, 1897-98		487857	91	1031	12132	17837	3262	40582	442294	64809	4618	217	40857	10397	23440	11855	289707	19185	12666	389635	50115	9093			1931630	

* 17s. 6d. per 1,000 of 2 1/2 lb. and under, and 6d. per oz. for weight over 2 1/2 lb. per 1,000.

EXCISE DUTIES.

Heads of Revenue.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Other Districts.	Totals.		Corresponding Quarter, 1897.
							Quantities.	Revenue.	
Beer	3d. per gallon	£ 4,469	£ 2,243	£ 3,358	£ 4,841	£ 4,309	1,537,600 gallons	£ 19,220	£ 18,806
Tobacco	1s. per lb.	589					11,780 lb.	589	429
Cigare, Cigarettes, and Snuff	1s. 6d. per lb.	54					720 "	54	35
Tinctures, &c., containing more than 50 per cent. of proof spirit	9d. per lb.	21	66		130		5,786 "	217	297
Totals		5,133	2,309	3,358	4,971	4,309		20,080	
Corresponding Quarter, 1897		4,965	2,047	3,311	4,774	4,470			19,567
Financial Year, 1897-98		20,119	8,401	12,907	18,026	16,357			75,810

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the COLONY of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of APRIL 1898, showing the Places from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES FROM AND TO DIFFERENT PLACES.

Countries.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	
United Kingdom	2	..	..	..	2	86	65	8	10	169
New South Wales	424	213	52	48	737	620	304	38	41	1,003
Queensland .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Victoria	162	67	15	9	253	108	83	12	18	221
South Australia .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Western Australia .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tasmania	45	25	6	7	83	29	14	4	3	50
Fiji	6	4	1	..	11	9	7	1	..	17
Other British possessions ..	23	3	..	1	27*	57	36	4	1	98†
Pacific Islands	28	3	..	..	31‡	8	1	2	..	11§
Other foreign ports	15	8	5	4	32||	20	3	1	..	24¶
Totals, April, 1898	705	323	79	69	1,176	937	513	70	73	1,593
Totals, April, 1897	700	352	90	94	1,236	1,250	613	82	87	2,032

* From Cook Islands, 8; Vancouver, 19. † For British Columbia, 10; Norfolk Island, 11; Cook Islands, 8; Vancouver, 69.
 ‡ From Friendly Islands. § For Friendly Islands. ¶ From United States of America, West Coast, 31; East Coast, 1.
 ¶ For United States of America, West Coast, 24.

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.*

Ports.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
Kaipara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
Auckland	451	49	341	159	500	573	40	407	206	613
Wellington	278	62	215	125	340	639	65	445	259	704
Invercargill	299	37	228	108	336	237	38	155	120	275
Totals, April, 1898	1,028	148	784	392	1,176	1,450	143	1,007	586	1,593
Totals, April, 1897	1,052	184	790	446	1,236	1,863	169	1,332	700	2,032

CHINESE.—Arrivals at Wellington, 1.

* It is important to mention that, in the returns from which this table is made up, immigrants to the colony are all counted at the first port of arrival, and emigrants at the final port of departure.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 16th May, 1898.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,
Registrar-General

Bankruptcy Notices.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CAROLINE COLE, of Thames, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 17th day of May, 1898, at 2.30 o'clock.

J. LAWSON,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 10th May, 1898.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM HENRY ALLSWORTH, of Masterton, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, at Masterton, on Saturday, the 21st day of May, 1898, at 11 o'clock a.m.

W. B. CHENNELLS,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Masterton, 11th May, 1898.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES HERBERT TURNER, of Wellington, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Saturday, the 21st day of May, 1898, at 11 o'clock.

JAMES ASHCROFT,
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 13th May, 1898.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDERICK WILLIAM HAGEDORN, of Westport, Cabinetmaker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 23rd day of May, 1898, at 3 o'clock p.m.

A. D. BAYFEILD,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Westport, 9th May, 1898.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES CHARLES BURBERY, of Mackenzie, Cheviot, Tinsmith, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 20th day of May, 1898, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.

Christchurch, 13th May, 1898.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWIN GILL, of Lyttelton, Clerk, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 23rd day of May, 1898, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.

Christchurch, 14th May, 1898.

In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of the bankruptcy of TIMOTHY CRONIN, of Timaru, Hotelkeeper.

I HEREBY give notice that, having filed the necessary affidavit in Court, it is intended to hold a public examination of the above-named bankrupt in the District Court, Timaru, on the 18th day of May, 1898, at 11 o'clock.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Timaru, 10th May, 1898.

In Bankruptcy.

Estate of THOMAS CONNELLY, of Winchester, Farmer.

A FIRST and final dividend, of 6s. 3½d. in the pound, on all accepted proved claims is now payable at my office, Arcade, Timaru, upon production of promissory notes (if any held) for indorsement.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Timaru, 10th May, 1898.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CAMPBELL HOBBS, of Tinalwald, Horse-trainer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 23rd day of May, 1898, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

JOHN DAVISON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

16th May, 1898.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN HENRY DIXON, of Invercargill, Painter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 19th day of May, 1898, at 2.30 o'clock.

CHARLES ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Invercargill, 9th May, 1898.

Mining Notices.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Hartley and Riley Beach-dredging Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 14th July, 1897.
Whether in active operation or not: Not in active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; Alexander Bartleman.
Nominal capital: £5,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £5,000.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,302 10s.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £200; nil.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £200.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 5,000.
Number of shares allotted: 5,000.

Amount paid per share: 12s. 6d.
Amount called up per share: 12s. 6d.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £710.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 73.
Present number of shareholders: 78.
Number of men employed by company: Nil.
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: Nil.
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: Nil.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: Nil.
Total expenditure since registration: £828 12s. 8d.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
Amount of cash at banker's: £1,473 17s. 4d.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
Amount of such debts considered good: Nil.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Alexander Bartleman, of Dunedin, the Secretary of the Hartley and Riley Beach-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st day of December, 1897; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

A. BARTLEMAN,
Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 9th day of May, 1898, before me—P. C. Neill, J.P. 568

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Taieri Gold-slucing Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 16th July, 1896.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; Alexander Bartleman.
Nominal capital: £10,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £4,440.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £650.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £3,790; nil.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £3,790.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 10,000.
Number of shares allotted: 4,440.
Amount paid per share: £1 on 650.
Amount called up per share: £1 on 650.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 13.
Present number of shareholders: 13.
Number of men employed by company: 10.
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: Nil.
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: Nil.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: Nil.
Total expenditure since registration: £2,060 0s. 11d.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Alexander Bartleman, of Dunedin, the Secretary of the Taieri Gold-slucing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st day of December, 1897; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

A. BARTLEMAN,
Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 10th day of May, 1898, before me—A. Lee Smith, J.P. 569

THE ROXBURGH GOLD STEAM-DREDGING 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 the company's registered office, Roxburgh, on Saturday, the 23rd day of July, 1898, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, 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 Liquidator; and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.

Dated the 5th day of May, 1898.

JABEZ BURTON,
Liquidator.

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In the matter of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884"; and in the matter of the Southern Star Gold-mines (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named company, which was incorporated in England under the English Companies Acts, being now in liquidation, intends to cease carrying on business in this colony. It is requested that all claims against the company be sent in to the undersigned at once.

Dated at Auckland, the 9th day of May, 1898.

BUDDLE, BUTTON, AND CO.,
Solicitors for Liquidator.

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"THE FOREIGN COMPANIES ACT, 1884."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registered Office of the Hauraki Peninsula Exploration Gold-mining Company (Limited) has been transferred from Legal Chambers, Queen Street, to Curran Street, Ponsonby, at which latter place the business of the said company will be conducted in future.

Dated at Auckland, this 30th day of April, 1898.

BASLEY AND BRUCE,
Solicitors for the Hauraki Peninsula Exploration
Gold-mining Company (Limited).

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In the matter of "The Mining Companies Act, 1894"; and in the matter of the Maori Point Sluicing Company (No Liability).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registered Office of the above company is situated at 140, Hereford Street, Christchurch.

Dated this 10th day of May, 1898.

GEO. B. RITCHIE,) Directors of the
W. BARNETT,) said Company.

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THE SEW HOY BIG BEACH GOLD-MINING 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 the office of Mr. R. T. Wheeler, jun., Colonial Mutual Buildings, Princes Street, Dunedin, on Monday, the 1st day of August, 1898, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, 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; and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company, and of the Liquidators thereof, shall be disposed of.

Dated the 16th day of May, 1898.

JAMES GORE,) Liquidators.
R. T. WHEELER, JUN.,)

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Land Transfer Act Notices.

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

572. MARY ANNE ANDERSON.—16 perches, being southern half of Section 1182, Hokitika. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of May, 1898, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

ALFD. H. KING,
District Land Registrar.

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

8191. MARY GERKEN, JAMES MOOR, and WILLIAM MOOR the younger (Executors of FREDERICK WILLIAM GERKEN, deceased).—52 acres and 15 perches, Rural Sections 1066 and 2967, and part of Rural Section 943, Halswell Survey District. Occupied by G. A. Lindemann.

8231. FRANCIS TAVENDER.—1 rood 37 perches, part of Rural Section 385, Borough of Rangiora. Occupied by Mrs. Hoovell.

8263. THOMAS HENRY TORRENS.—1 rood, part of Rural Section 76, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of May, 1898, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

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

3439. WILLIAM LOVATT.—The western part of Lots 36 and 37 of Allotments 4 and 5, Section 10, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 3 roods 35 perches. Unoccupied.

3454. WILLIAM MASON.—Lots 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, and 30 of Allotments 25 and 26, Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 15 acres 1 rood 39 perches. Occupied by Applicant.

3455. JOSHUA THOMAS JOHNS.—Part of Allotment 86 of the Parish of Titirangi, containing $4\frac{1}{2}$ acres. In the occupation of a tenant.

3462. WILLIAM CAREY HILL.—Middle part of Allotment 32, Parish of Matakoho, containing 80 acres. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of May, 1898, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

J. M. BATHAM,
Deputy District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 20th day of June next.

1191. Applicant: ALLAN McDOUGALL CARMICHAEL.—375 acres, being parts of Blocks 105 and 114, Puketapu District.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 16th day of May, 1898, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 20th day of June, 1898.

2743. WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM McBROOM.—157 acres 1 rood 17 perches, Sections 175, 176, and 178, Okotuku District. Occupied by James William Burrows Hughes.

2776. CHARLES LULHAM STYLES.—1 rood 6 perches, part Section 1, Harbour District, known as "Vautier's Avenue," Wadestown. Unoccupied.

2777. WILLIAM GEORGE WHITE and ETTY ANN ALLARD LUCENA.—1 acre 1 rood 38-8 perches, part Section 1, Harbour District (being part of Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, Wadestown). Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 18th day of May, 1898, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

W. STUART,
District Land Registrar.

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

Section 70, Block VII., North Harbour and Blueskin District.—The PUBLIC TRUSTEE and JOHN JORDAN, Applicants. Occupied by William Clarkson. No. 4240.

Part of Section 18, Block XXIII., Town of Dunedin.—JAMES McLEOD NICOLSON, Applicant. Occupied by a monthly tenant. No. 4241.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 16th day of May, 1898, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

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H. TURTON,
District Land Registrar.

Private Advertisements.

GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.

LOST POLICY.

Head Office, Wellington.

APPLICATION having been made to me, under section 28 of "The Life Assurance Policies Act, 1884," for the issue of a copy of the Policy on the life of ALEXANDER CARMICHAEL NOBLE, of Clinton, late of Invercargill, numbered 66961 in the books of the Government Insurance Commissioner, and evidence having been supplied as to the loss of the original, I hereby give notice that I shall issue a copy as requested unless notice be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 20th day of June, 1898.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of May, 1898.

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J. H. RICHARDSON,
Commissioner.

In the matter of a Bill intituled "An Act to authorise William McLean" (in such Bill and herein referred to as "the promoter") "to use and hire for Use Light Locomotives in Streets and Roads."

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made at the next session of the General Assembly of New Zealand for leave to bring in a Bill to authorise the promoter and his assigns and licensees to use and hire for use any vehicle propelled by mechanical power which, unladen, is under three tons in weight, either used alone, or for the purpose of drawing one vehicle, and no more, of such weight that the combined weight of the two when unladen shall not exceed four tons; such vehicle being so constructed that no smoke or visible vapour is emitted therefrom, except from some temporary or accidental cause.

Copies of the Bill will be deposited at the office of the Examiner of Standing Orders on or before the commencement of the session, and may also be had upon application to the undersigned.

It is intended to amend the law in favour of the promoter so that he may use vehicles as before described, subject only to the enactments, rules, or regulations affecting vehicles generally, and to exempt such locomotives used or hired by the promoter or his licensees from the provisions of the Police Offences Acts, 1890 and 1894, and all other provisions regulating the use of traction-engines, but subject to the provisions of the said Bill.

The Bill also provides for the making of regulations by the Governor in Council regulating the keeping and use of petroleum and inflammable liquids or fuel intended to be used for such light locomotives, and exempting the same from the law at present regulating the same.

Dated this 18th day of May, 1898.

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BRANDON AND HISLOP,
Solicitors and Agents for the Bill.

In the matter of a Bill intituled "An Act to authorise a Company intended to be incorporated by the Name of the Stratford Electrical Supply Company (Limited), to break up and cross over Streets and Roads, to place Mains, Service-lines, and Distributing-mains either above or below Ground, and to lay down and place Pipes, Conduits, and Service-pipes, and to erect Pillars, Arches, or Poles, and to make, construct, and do other Works and Things for supplying the Town of Stratford and Suburbs with Electrical Energy."

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made at the next session of the General Assembly of New Zealand for leave to bring in a Bill to authorise a company intended to be incorporated by the name of the Stratford Electrical Supply Company (Limited), (hereinafter referred to as "the company"), to supply the Town of Stratford and suburbs with electrical energy for lighting purposes and as a motive-power.

Copies of the Bill will be deposited at the office of the Examiner of Standing Orders on or before the commencement of the session.

It is intended to apply for the following powers on behalf of the company, that is to say:—

The company, under the superintendence of the persons having the control thereof respectively, may open and break up or cross over the soil and pavement of the several streets,

roads, and bridges within the area of supply specified in the Schedule hereto, and lay down and place within, upon, or under such streets, roads, and bridges, mains, conduits, and service-pipes, and may in or on such streets and roads erect any pillars, arches, and poles, and do all other acts and things which the company shall from time to time deem necessary for supplying electrical energy for public and private purposes within the area of supply, doing as little damage as may be in the execution of the powers granted by this Act, and making compensation for any damage that may be done.

SCHEDULE.

Area of Supply.

The Town of Stratford, and such part of the County of Stratford as are included within a radius of three miles from the Post-office of Stratford.

WM. G. MALONE,
Solicitor and Agent for the Promoters of the Bill, Broadway, Stratford.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1882," and of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884," and of the Cook Island Trading Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Office, or place of business, of the above-named company has been removed from 31, Palmerston Buildings, Auckland, to Brown, Campbell, and Co.'s Buildings, 31, Shortland Street, Auckland.

PERCY BROWN,
Manager.

TOLE AND McALISTER,
Solicitors for the Company.

Dated at Auckland, this 7th day of April, 1898.

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