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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

FENCOURT SETTLEMENT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 7,107 acres, more or less, being Sections Nos. 47, 150, 157, and 158, and parts of Sections Nos. 48 and 83, of the Parish of Tamahere; and Sections Nos. 170, 171, 172, 173, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 300, 303, 304, 305, 307A, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 325A, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 330A, 331, 333, 334, and 337, and parts of Sections Nos. 168, 169, 203, and 206 of the Parish of Hautapu; and being bounded towards the north generally by a public road, by Sections Nos. 84, 159, and 156 of the Parish of Tamahere, by a public road, by the line forming the south-eastern boundary of Sections Nos. 168, 221, 220, 213, and 212 of the Parish of Tamahere, and by the production of the said line to the Confiscation boundary; towards the north-east by the Confiscation boundary; towards the south generally by a public road, by Sections Nos. 297, 298, and 299 of the Parish of Hautapu, by a public road, by Sections Nos. 301 and 302 of the same parish, by a public road, by Section No. 203A and other portion of Section No. 203 of the Parish of Hautapu aforesaid, and by a public road; towards the west by a public road; and towards the south-west generally by other portions of Sections Nos. 169 and 168 of the Parish of Hautapu aforesaid, by a public road, by Section No. 76 of the Parish of Tamahere, and by the Hamilton-Cambridge Railway: as the said area is delineated

upon the plan marked S.G. 19183, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged with red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly; Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

WM. HALL-JONES,
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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SCHEDULE.

PAREORA (No. 2) SETTLEMENT.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing 8,122 acres 1 rood 23 perches, more or less, being Lots 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15 of deposited Plan 382; Lots 121, 122, 123, 124, 127, 128, 129, 129A, 130, 130A, 132, and 133 of deposited Plan 419; Lots 135, 136, 138, and part of 134, deposited Plan 441; Lots 47, 49, 50, 50A, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 78, and 79, deposited Plan 442; Lots 44, 45, 46, 59, 60, 61, 61A, 73, 74, 75, 76, 82, 83, 84, and 94, deposited Plan 466; Lots

48, 62, and part of 107, deposited Plan 467; Lots 145, 145A, 146, 147, and 148, deposited Plan 501; Lots 2, 3, and 4 (parts of Lot 16), deposited Plan 1326; and Lot 3 (part of Lot 131), deposited Plan 1402; situated in the Otaito and Patiti Survey Districts: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 19215, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged with red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly; Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

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SCHEDULE.

WAIHI SETTLEMENT.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing 113 acres 3 roods 7 perches, more or less, being Section No. 3106, situated in Block XIV., Geraldine Survey District; as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 19220, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly; Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

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SCHEDULE.

TAKITU SETTLEMENT.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing 9,697 acres 3 roods 37 perches, more or less, situated in the Meyer and Elephant Hill Survey Districts, being Rural Sections Nos. 24004, 25940, 25941, 25942, 25943, 25944, 25945, 25946, 25947, 26294, 26295, 26296, 26297, 26321, 26322, 26323, 26324, 26325, 26326, 26327, 26342, 26343, 29721, 29722, 29723, 29725, 29726, 29727, 29728, 30226, 30259, 30750, 30821, 30822, 30823, 36124, 36170, and part of 20118; as the same is delineated upon the plan marked S.G. 19214, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly; Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

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For Minister of Lands.

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Mining Notices.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Big River Gold-mining Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 7th January, 1891; 11th April, 1891.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; T. Hubert Lee.
Nominal capital: £12,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £12,000.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £600.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.
Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
Amount paid per share: 6d.
Amount called up per share: 6d.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; nil.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 67.
Present number of shareholders: 62.
Number of men employed by company: 20.
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 2,863 oz. 19 dwt. 12 gr.; £11,627 15s. 3d.
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 23,421 oz. 14 dwt. 1 gr.; £94,136 8s. 3d.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £4,720 11s. 5d.
Total expenditure since registration: £52,768 15s.
Total amount of dividends declared: £46,200.
Total amount of dividends paid: £46,200.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
Amount of cash at banker's: £58 10s. 4d.
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): £112 2s.

I, Thomas Hubert Lee, Manager of the Big River Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the 30th day of December, 1899; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

T. HUBERT LEE,
Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 24th day of January, 1900,
before me—E. J. Scantlebury, J.P.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Snowy Creek United Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 11th November, 1898; 17th December, 1898.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Thomas Hubert Lee.
 Nominal capital: £12,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £12,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,244 19s. 8d.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £3,600.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 48,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 48,000.
 Amount paid per share: 2s. on 24,000 contributing shares.
 Amount called up per share: 2s. on 24,000 contributing shares.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £34 11s.
 Number of shares forfeited during year: 18,100 contributing.
 Number of forfeited shares sold during year, and money received for same: 18,100; £3 2s. 2d.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 94.
 Present number of shareholders: 57.
 Number of men employed by company: Nil; mine let on tribute.
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: Nil.
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: Nil.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £1,459 7s. 3d.
 Total expenditure since registration: £1,459 7s. 3d.
 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: £10 19s. 6d.
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £435 12s. 10d.
 Amount of debts considered good: About £100.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): About £315.

I, Thomas Hubert Lee, Manager of the Snowy Creek United Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the 30th day of December, 1899; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

T. HUBERT LEE,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 24th day of January, 1900,
 before me—E. J. Scantlebury, J.P. 188

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Hercules Quartz-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 28th October, 1889; 22nd November, 1889.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Thomas Hubert Lee.
 Nominal capital: £24,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £24,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid in cash: £9,750.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid per share: 8s. 1½d.
 Amount called up per share: 8s. 1½d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Part of 39th; £10 5s. 6d.
 Number of shares forfeited: 3,686 for year.
 Number of forfeited shares sold during year, and money received for same: 3,686 shares sold, and realised £18 5s. 2d.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 70.
 Present number of shareholders: 55.
 Number of men employed by company: 5.
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: Nil.
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 3,405 oz. 4 dwt. 22 gr.; £14,328 16s. 8d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £565 7s. 2d.
 Total expenditure since registration: £20,704 15s. 2d.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £3,600.
 Total amount of dividends paid: £3,600.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: £10 0s. 4d.
 Amount of debts directly due to company: About £25.
 Amount of debts considered good: £16 17s. 6d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): £113 12s. 3d.

I, Thomas Hubert Lee, Manager of the Hercules Quartz-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the 30th day of December, 1899; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

T. HUBERT LEE,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 24th day of January, 1900,
 before me—E. J. Scantlebury, J.P. 189

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Consolidated Dredging Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 15th December, 1898; 18th January, 1899.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; Thomas Hubert Lee.
 Nominal capital: £6,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £6,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,900.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £600 (2,000 shares issued to vendors paid to 6s. each).
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 12,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 12,000.
 Amount paid per share: 7s. 6d. on 12,000 shares.
 Amount called up per share: 7s. 6d. on 10,000 (cont.) shares—£3,750; 1s. 6d. on 2,000 vendor's shares—£150.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
 Number of shares forfeited during year: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold during year, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 22.
 Present number of shareholders: 42.
 Number of men employed by company: 7.
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 145 oz. 14 dwt. 13 gr. melted weight; £569 4s. 11d.
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 145 oz. 14 dwt. 13 gr. melted weight; £569 4s. 11d.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £4,775 11s. 9d. (including purchase of dredge, £2,000).
 Total expenditure since registration: £4,775 11s. 9d.
 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): About £817.

I, Thomas Hubert Lee, Manager of the Consolidated Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the 30th day of December, 1899; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

T. HUBERT LEE,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 24th day of January, 1900,
 before me—E. J. Scantlebury, J.P. 190

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Lord Edward Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 13th October, 1883; 13th November, 1883.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Reefton; T. Hubert Lee.
 Nominal capital: £24,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £12,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,950.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £12,000 (amount deemed paid up on the 24,000 shares at registration).
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 24,000.
 Amount paid per share: 13s. 3½d. (including the 10s. per share deemed paid up at registration).
 Amount called up per share: 3s. 3½d.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
 Number of shares forfeited during year: 2,111.
 Number of forfeited shares sold during year, and money received for same: 2,111; £8 11s. 3d.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 13.
 Present number of shareholders: 42.
 Number of men employed by company: 5.
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: Nil.
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 83 oz.; £133 12s. 2d.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £266 8s. 11d.
 Total expenditure since registration: £4,036 13s. 5d.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at banker's: £34 17s. 11d.
 Amount of cash in hand: £5.
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £1 12s. 1d.
 Amount of debts considered good: £1 12s. 1d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Thomas Hubert Lee, Manager of the Lord Edward Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the

affairs of the said company at the 30th day of December, 1899; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

T. HUBERT LEE,
 Manager.

Declared at Reefton, this 24th day of January, 1900,
 before me—E. J. Scantlebury, J.P. 191

Private Advertisements.

NOTICE is hereby given that at extraordinary general meetings of the above-named Sharland and Company (Limited), duly convened, and held respectively on the 9th day of January, 1900, and the 24th day of January, 1900, the subjoined special resolution was duly passed and confirmed:—

"1. That it is desirable to reconstruct the company; and, accordingly, that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that Martin Kennedy and William Watson be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding-up.

"2. That the said Liquidators be and they are hereby authorised to consent to the registration of a new company, to be named 'Sharland and Co. (Limited),' with a memorandum and articles of association which have already been prepared with the privity and approval of the directors of this company.

"3. That the draft agreement submitted to this meeting, and expressed to be made between this company and its Liquidators of the one part and Sharland and Co. (Limited) of the other part, be and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidators be and they are hereby authorised, pursuant to section 222 of 'The Companies Act, 1882,' to enter into an agreement with such new company (when incorporated) in terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications they think expedient."

Dated this 25th day of January, 1900.

W. WATSON,
 Chairman.

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COPY OF REGISTER OF MONEY UNCLAIMED held by the Wellington Building and Investment Company (Limited):—

Name, Occupation, and Last Known Address of Owner on Books.	Amount due to Owner.	Description of Unclaimed Money.	Date of Last Claim.
Mills, Henry, Greytown N.	£ s. d. 3 13 1	Dividend (the first) of 30s. per share on two shares in Northern Land, Loan, and Building Company of Wellington (Limited) (now wound up). Dividend (the second) of 4s. per share on two shares in same company. Dividend (final) of 2s. 6½d. per share on two shares in same company	No claim made.
Matthews, Charles, Princes Street, Dunedin, N.Z.	7 6 2	Dividend (the first) of 30s. per share on four shares in Northern Land, Loan, and Building Company of Wellington (Limited) (now wound up). Dividend (the second) of 4s. per share on four shares in same company. Dividend (the final) of 2s. 6½d. per share on four shares in same company	No claim made.
Grosvenor, Edward, 17, Macquarie Street (South), Sydney, N.S.W.	1 5 0	Dividend (final) of 2s. 6½d. per share on ten shares in Northern Land, Loan, and Building Company of Wellington (Limited) (now wound up)	24th Mar., 1892.

For the Wellington Building and Investment Company (Limited),—
 R. M. SIMPSON, Secretary.

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