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Terms and Conditions of Lease of Village-homestead Allotments in Canterbury.

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this sixth day of July, 1901.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the one-hundred-and-sixty-ninth section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may fix the terms and conditions upon which the lands in any village settlement shall be disposed of, subject as in the said section is provided: And whereas by a Proclamation made under the said Act on the fifteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, the lands described in the First Schedule hereto have been set apart under the said Act and declared open for lease as a village settlement, and it is expedient to fix the terms and conditions upon which the said lands shall be disposed of:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby fix the terms and conditions on which the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto shall be disposed of by way of lease in perpetuity, and which said terms and conditions are set forth in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—ASHBURTON COUNTY.—ALFORD SURVEY DISTRICT.—STOUR VILLAGE-HOMESTEAD SETTLEMENT.
First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half- yearly Rent.
1 and 2	V.	A. R. P.	s. d.	£ s. d.
3 and pt. 5	"	10 0 0	3 2-4	0 16 0
4 and pt. 5	"	6 3 22	3 2-4	0 11 0
6, 7, 8	"	7 1 4	3 2-4	0 11 8
9, 10	"	16 2 0	3 2-4	1 6 5
11, 12	"	0 2 0	16 0	0 4 0
13, 14, 15	"	0 2 0	16 0	0 4 0
16, 17	"	0 3 0	16 0	0 6 0
		0 2 14	16 0	0 4 8

These sections are situated at the junction of the Stour River and the south branch of the Ashburton River, adjacent to the Mount Somers coal-pits, and distant about eight miles in a north-westerly direction from the Mount Somers Railway-station. They comprise flat land, with light soil, but in some places rather swampy.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

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

2. The day on which the lands shall be open for selection shall be Tuesday, the 3rd day of September, 1901.

3. The rentals stated above shall be the prices at which the lands shall be open for selection.

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

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

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

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

8. Improvements and residence on the land comprised in each lease shall be as provided in Part III. of the said Act. The provisions of section 144, and all other provisions of the said Act with respect to substantial improvements, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations. The provisions of section 141, and all other provisions of the said Act in respect of compulsory residence, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations.

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

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

ERRATA.—In the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 95, of the 15th November, 1900, page 2079, for "Richard Turnbull Saxby," appointed Lieutenant, South Canterbury Mounted Rifle Volunteers, read "Saxby Richard Turnbull."
In notice of appointment of members of the Bluff Harbour Board, dated 11th July, 1901, and published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 67, of the same date, page 1444, for "Robert Allen Anderson" read "Robert Albert Anderson."

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

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations under "The Government Accident Insurance Act, 1899."

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, in Wellington, this fifteenth day of July, 1901.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE R. J. SEDDON PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand did, in exercise and pursuance of the powers vested in him by the thirty-fourth section of "The Government Accident Insurance Act, 1899" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), make regulations for directing, among other things, the use of tables fixing the rates of premium to be charged in connection with accident insurance contracts: And whereas it is expedient to revoke such tables in so far as they relate to the rates of premium for insuring employers and other persons against their collective liability under "The Workers' Compensation for Accidents Act, 1900," "The Employers' Liability Act, 1882," and its amendments, and at common law, and to make other provisions in lieu thereof: Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in the exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in this behalf vested in him, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby revoke that portion of the Second Schedule to the said Order in Council prescribing the rates of premium for the collective class of insurance as mentioned aforesaid, and in lieu thereof doth hereby order and direct that the rates contained in the Schedule hereto shall be the rates of premium for insuring employers and other persons against their collective liability under "The Workers' Compensation for Accidents Act, 1900," "The Employers' Liability Act, 1882," and its amendments, and at common law respectively; and in further exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities aforesaid, and by and with the like advice and consent aforesaid, His Excellency doth hereby order that this present Order in Council shall take effect on and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

PREMIUM RATES.

THE rates of premium shall be computed upon the amount spent in wages, and shall be fixed by the Commissioner having regard to the nature of the risk; provided that in the case of each policy the rate of premium shall not exceed in respect of every £100 paid in wages the sum shown in the subjoined table, according to the category in which, in the opinion of the Commissioner, the risk should be classified.

	£	s.	d.
I. Clerical staffs	0	3	0
II. Wholesale and retail dealers—			
Light goods	0	3	0
Medium goods	0	6	0
Heavy goods	0	10	0
Extra heavy, and live-stock	0	15	0
III. Handicrafts—			
Light	0	5	0
Medium	0	8	0
Heavy	0	15	0
Building trades	0	15	0
IV. Factories—			
(a.) Textile and leather goods	0	5	0
(b.) Food-stuffs, fodder, &c.—			
Light	0	8	0
Medium	0	10	0
Heavy	0	15	0
(c.) Wood and metal workshops	0	15	0
(d.) Not otherwise specified—			
Light	0	8	0
Medium	0	10	0
Heavy	0	15	0
Extra heavy	1	0	0

	£	s.	d.
V. Timber trades—			
Yards without power machinery	0	15	0
" with	1	0	0
Sawmills, including timber-getting	1	10	0
VI. Transport—			
Land and river (excluding railways)	0	18	0
VII. Local authorities—			
General employés (not including special services, such as tramways, &c.)	0	10	0
VIII. Farming industries—			
General employés not otherwise specified (if engaged on hazardous work within meaning of Act)	0	10	0
Agricultural machine drivers, feeders, and tenders	1	0	0
Bushfelling	2	10	0
IX. Miscellaneous—			
Flax-mills	1	5	0
Stevedores, wharf labourers, and lighter-men	2	0	0
Quarrymen, bridge-builders, tunnel hands	2	0	0

Discounts on the above rates may be allowed as under:—

Where the wages upon which the premium is computed amount to	Per Cent.
£5,000 but do not amount to £10,000	10
£10,000 but do not amount to £15,000	12½
£15,000 but do not amount to £20,000	15
£20,000 but do not amount to £25,000	17½
£25,000 but do not amount to £30,000	20
£30,000 but do not amount to £35,000	22½
£35,000 but do not amount to £40,000	25
£40,000 but do not amount to £45,000	27½
£45,000 and upwards	30

No discount shall exceed 30 per cent. of the rates.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Acting-Clerk of the Executive Council.

Notifying Lands in Wellington for Sale by Public Auction.

RANFURLY, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirteenth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Tuesday, the third day of September, one thousand nine hundred and one, as the time at which the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto opposite the description of such lands respectively.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—PAKIHUKURA VILLAGE.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Total Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
4	..	0 1 18	3 0 0
7	..	0 1 0	3 10 0
8	..	0 1 0	3 0 0
10	..	0 1 8	3 0 0
11	..	0 1 38	3 0 0

This village is situated in a prosperous farming district, the access being from Hunterville, which is about eleven miles distant *via* the Vinegar Hill Road and bridge and Pakihukura Valley Road, which are formed and metalled to the village. There is also access to Feilding, which is about twenty-six miles distant *via* the Makino and Waituna Valley Roads, which are also formed and metalled. The sections comprise good soil on papa formation, covered with rimu, with usual undergrowth.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this third day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one. T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Notifying Lands in Taranaki for Sale by Public Auction.

RANFURLY, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirteenth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Monday, the second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and one, as the time at which the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto opposite the descriptions of such lands respectively.

SCHEDULE.				
TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.				
Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.	Upset Price.
11	XI.	Opunake ..	A. R. P. 0 3 0	£ s. d. 7 10 0
18	XVI.	Huiroa ..	19 0 0	95 0 0
Weighted with £46 10s., valuation for improvements, comprising felling and grassing 19 acres, and 36 chains of fencing.				
70	X.	Mimi (Pukearuhe)	28 0 34	253 18 3
33	"	"	56 2 0	395 10 0
137	VI.	Paritutu (Hua)	30 1 16	60 14 0

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this third day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one.
T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the fourth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and one; 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.

NELSON 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.										
Grey	Cobden	10	II.	71 0 6	1 0 0	£ 71 0 0	s. d. 1 0	£ 1 15 6	s. d. 0 9 6	£ 1 8 4
"	"	13	"	63 3 20	1 0 0	64 0 0	1 0	1 12 0	0 9 6	1 5 7
"	"	14	"	54 3 7	1 0 0	55 0 0	1 0	1 7 6	0 9 6	1 2 0
Flat forest land, with a little millable timber. About four miles from Greymouth Railway-station.										
SECOND-CLASS LAND.										
Grey	Cobden	5	III.	89 3 4	0 15 0	£ 67 10 0	0 9	£ 1 13 9	0 7 2	£ 1 7 0
"	"	6	"	72 3 17	0 15 0	54 15 0	0 9	1 7 4	0 7 2	1 1 10
"	"	7	"	94 3 37	0 15 0	71 5 0	0 9	1 15 7	0 7 2	1 8 5
"	"	8	"	37 1 34	0 15 0	27 15 0	0 9	0 13 10	0 7 2	1 11 1
"	"	19	"	49 0 0	0 15 0	36 15 0	0 9	0 18 4	0 7 2	0 14 8
Flat and undulating forest country, with a little millable red-pine, and on parts heavy mixed scrub. About four miles from Greymouth Railway-station.										
Grey	Cobden	98	IV.	15 3 16	0 10 0	£ 8 0 0	0 6	£ 0 4 0	0 4 8	0 3 2
"	"	99	"	15 3 16	0 10 0	8 0 0	0 6	0 4 0	0 4 8	0 3 2
"	"	183	"	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0	0 6	0 7 6	0 4 8	0 6 0
"	"	184	"	50 2 37	0 15 0	38 5 0	0 9	0 19 1	0 7 2	0 15 3
"	"	185	"	30 0 0	0 10 0	15 0 0	0 6	0 7 6	0 4 8	0 6 0
"	"	186	"	42 2 7	0 15 0	32 5 0	0 9	0 16 1	0 7 2	0 12 10
Land somewhat broken, covered with forest and mixed scrub, adjacent to the Greymouth-Point Elizabeth Road, and distant about two miles from the Greymouth Railway-station.										
Grey	Cobden	4	V.	47 3 34	0 10 0	£ 24 0 0	0 6	£ 0 12 0	0 4 8	0 9 7
"	"	79	"	8 0 20	0 10 0	4 0 0	0 6	0 2 0	0 4 8	0 1 7
"	"	118	"	13 2 16	0 10 0	7 0 0	0 6	0 3 6	0 4 8	0 2 9
"	"	211	"	50 2 20	0 10 0	25 10 0	0 6	0 12 9	0 4 8	0 10 2
"	"	122	"	37 0 0	0 10 0	18 10 0	0 6	0 9 3	0 4 8	0 7 4
"	"	190	"	38 3 4	0 10 0	19 10 0	0 6	0 9 9	0 4 8	0 7 9
"	"	192	"	36 3 28	0 10 0	18 10 0	0 6	0 9 3	0 4 8	0 7 4
"	"	194	"	34 3 28	0 10 0	17 10 0	0 6	0 8 9	0 4 8	0 7 0
"	"	196	"	35 3 3	0 10 0	18 0 0	0 6	0 9 0	0 4 8	0 7 2
"	"	197	"	35 3 3	0 10 0	18 0 0	0 6	0 9 0	0 4 8	0 7 2
"	"	198	"	35 3 3	0 10 0	18 0 0	0 6	0 9 0	0 4 8	0 7 2
Undulating terrace country, covered with forest and heavy mixed scrub. About four miles from Greymouth Railway-station.										
Grey	Mawheraiti	17	IX.	53 0 0	0 10 0	£ 26 10 0	0 6	£ 0 13 3	0 4 8	0 10 7
Terrace land, forest, with a little milling timber, red-pine, and brown-birch. Accessible by road ending at Section 18, and across the River Grey, about a mile and three-quarters from Totara Flat Railway-station.										
Grey	Mawheranui	33	IV.	48 1 23	0 10 0	£ 24 0 0	0 6	£ 0 12 0	0 4 8	0 9 7
Undulating land, covered with forest, principally brown-birch, milling timber cut out. Accessible by Main Grey Valley Road, about a mile and a half from Ahaura Railway-station.										

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this third day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

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SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—AWARUA AND TE KAPUA BLOCKS.
Second-class Surveyed 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.	
Rangitikei..	Tiriraukawa	1, 27	VIII.	A. R. P. 673 1 18	£ s. d. 1 0 0	£ s. d. 673 7 3	s. d. 1 0	£ s. d. 16 16 8	s. d. 0 9 6	£ s. d. 13 9 4	

This lot is situated in the Awarua and Te Kapua Blocks, about fifteen miles from Hunterville, the access being by dray-road along Poukiore, Watershed Roads, and Murray's Track. It comprises rough broken land, with no flats to speak of. The soil is of fair quality, on papa formation. The forest is heavy, and of a mixed character, and contains rimu, matai, rata, tawa, &c., with the usual undergrowth. The lot is well watered by small streams.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this third day of July, one thousand nine hundred and one.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Inspector of Clubs appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 4th July, 1901.

THE under-mentioned person has been appointed, under "The Alcoholic Liquors Sale Control Act, 1893," to be an Inspector of Clubs to which a charter has been or may hereafter be granted under "The Licensing Act, 1881," and the Acts amending the same:—

TERENCE O'BRIEN, Inspector of Police.

J. G. WARD.

Rangers under the Animals Protection Acts, Nelson District, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 5th July, 1901.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GODFREY BEATSON and
ROBERT HENRY COLEMAN

to be Rangers, under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, for the District of Nelson.

J. G. WARD.

Volunteer Officers appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 4th July, 1901.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint of the under-mentioned appointments:—

New Zealand Volunteer Medical Staff.

Henry William Dundas Mackenzie to be Surgeon-Captain. Commission to date from 14th June, 1900.
Frederick Maurice Purchas to be Surgeon-Captain. Commission to date from 27th April, 1901.
Andrew Seymour Brewes to be Surgeon-Captain. Commission to date from 11th May, 1901.

Tapanui Rifle Volunteers.

The Reverend Adam Begg to be Honorary Chaplain. Commission to date from 6th March, 1901.

W. C. WALKER,
For Minister of Defence.

Notice respecting Proposed Borough of Eltham, County of Hawera.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 16th July, 1901.

PURSUANT to section 175 of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that a petition has been presented to him praying for the constitution of the area described in the Schedule hereto as a borough under the said Act, to be named the Borough of Eltham. All persons affected are hereby called upon to lodge any written objections to or petitions against the constitution of the said borough which they may desire to lodge within one month from the first publication of this notice.

Such objections or petitions to be addressed to the Colonial Secretary, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area, forming part of Block X. of the Survey District of Ngaire, in the County of Hawera, containing about 1,745 acres, more or less. Bounded as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the point of junction of the Mangawhero Stream and the Waingongoro River, on the east side of the said Waingongoro River; thence northerly along the said east side of the Waingongoro River to the south-west corner of Section No. 12; thence northerly along the western boundaries of Sections Nos. 12 and 6 to a point in a line with the north boundary of Section No. 10; thence easterly through Sections Nos. 6 and 7, and along the north boundary of said Section No. 10, to the north-east corner of said Section No. 10, on the Mountain Road; thence southerly along the east boundary of said Section No. 10 to a point on the Mountain Road in a line with the north boundary of Section No. 29; thence easterly along the said north boundary of Section No. 29 to the west boundary of Section No. 27; thence south along the west boundaries of Sections Nos. 27 and 33 to the south-west corner of Section No. 33; thence east along the south boundary of Sections Nos. 33 and 34 to the south-east corner of Section No. 34, on the Rawhitiroa Road; thence by a line due south, through Sections Nos. 45 and 46, to the north boundary of the Mangawhero Road; thence westerly along the north side of the said road to the east side of the Mountain Road; thence northerly along the Mountain Road to the north bank of the Mangawhero Stream; thence along the north bank of the Mangawhero Stream to the starting-point: all the said sections being sections of Block X. of the said Survey District of Ngaire.

J. G. WARD.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Matakoho Road Board, County of Otamatea.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 15th July, 1901.

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

J. G. WARD.

MATAKOHE ROAD BOARD.

THE following is the result of a poll taken at the Board's office, Matakoho, on Saturday, 12th January, 1901, upon a proposal to raise a loan of £550 for forming and metalling road from Wharf to Main Road, from Post-office to Public Hall, and from thence to Main Road at the church:—

Number of votes recorded in favour of the proposal, 34; number of votes recorded against the proposal, 4.

A majority of the votes recorded being in favour of the proposal, I therefore declare it carried.

JOSEPH OVENS,

Chairman, Matakoho Road Board.

Matakoho, 15th January, 1901.

Notice to Mariners No. 45 of 1901.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 15th July, 1901.

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

WM. HALL-JONES.

VICTORIA.—PILOT-STATION, PORT ALBERT.

REFERRING to General Notice to Mariners, Victoria, dated 1st June, 1898, page 106, it is hereby notified that the Pilot-station on Snake Island will shortly be removed to Sunday Island, from where the tide signals will then be exhibited; also that when such removal takes place the fixed green light exhibited from the old lighthouse on Snake Island will be discontinued.

C. W. MACLEAN,

Department of Ports and Harbours, Port Officer.
Melbourne, 14th June, 1901.

Results of Road Board Elections.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 16th July, 1901.

THE following notices of the election 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.

Howick Township Road District, County of Manukau:
William Robinson.

Papakura Road District, County of Manukau:
William Knight.

Drury Road District, County of Manukau:
James Cossey.
James Fitzgerald.
Stephen Early Hill.
Peter Roy.
Goodwyn D. Smith.

Malvern Road District, County of Selwyn:
Frederick Benham.
Joseph Charles Evans.
Thomas Kain.
George Rutherford.
Joseph Wallace.

East Malvern Road District, County of Selwyn:
Frederick Bull.
William Lilley.
George Rutherford.
Richard Scarlett.
George Frederick Wright.

Civil Service Senior Examination.

Education Department,
Wellington, 6th March, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that, for the Civil Service Senior Examination of January, 1902, candidates may read "The Tempest" as an alternative to "King Lear," one of the special books already prescribed for the examination. The examination papers will contain alternative questions on these two plays, in addition to questions on the other work set.

W. C. WALKER.

"The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1900."—Notice of Cancellation of Registry.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 2nd July, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to an application on that behalf made to me by the Christchurch Master Bakers' Industrial Union of Employers, registered No. 130, situated at Christchurch, the registration of that industrial union will be cancelled at the expiration of six weeks from the date hereof unless within the six weeks specified proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having some claim on the funds of the industrial union to set aside such cancellation, and the same is set aside accordingly.

EDWARD TREGGAR,
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

Bonus for the Production of Quicksilver.

Mines Office,
Wellington, 7th June, 1900.

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 (100,000 lb.) 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, 1903, and the remaining two-thirds on or before the 31st March, 1904.

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.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Minister of Mines.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New Zealand, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 24th June, 1901.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. ..	764,726	9	3
Bills in circulation	.. ..	22,673	13	8
Balances due to other Banks	.. ..	12,754	8	2
Government deposits	.. ..	958,711	1	4
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. ..	3,336,131	18	9
Bearing interest	.. ..	3,579,576	4	10
Total average liabilities	.. ..	£8,674,573	16	0

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metal	.. ..	1,012,345	5	7
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. ..	79,272	19	2
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. ..	43,114	4	1
Balances due from other Banks	.. ..	846	19	1
Landed property	.. ..	114,841	12	1
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. ..	875,515	7	3
2. Colonial Government securities	.. ..	781,977	8	1
3. Other funded securities	.. ..		
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. ..	3,273,786	16	3
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. ..	1,602,033	18	9
Total average assets	.. ..	£7,783,734	10	4

4-per-cent. guaranteed stock, £2,000,000. (Interest, £40,000 per six months, paid May last.)
Capital payable by shareholders, £500,000.
Reserve fund, £23,474 7s. 4d.

Dated at Wellington, this 11th day of July, 1901.

JAMES EMBLING, General Manager.
RICHD. W. GIBBS, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the amount of the average Liabilities and Assets of the Union Bank of Australia, Limited, at all Branches in the Colony of New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1901.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. ..	140,418	16	10
Bills in circulation	.. ..	6,516	6	8
Balances due to other Banks	.. ..	..	..	..
Government deposits	.. ..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. ..	1,146,745	9	10
Bearing interest	.. ..	1,209,258	9	1
Total average liabilities		£2,502,939	2	5
ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metal	.. ..	602,358	1	0
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. ..	1,510	0	0
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. ..	1,642	10	0
Balances due from other Banks	.. ..	..	..	..
Landed property	.. ..	71,632	7	9
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. ..	191,482	13	8
2. Colonial Government securities	.. ..	..	..	..
3. Other funded securities	.. ..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. ..	1,327,471	1	9
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. ..	56,056	6	6
Total average assets		£2,252,153	0	8

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th June, 1901, £1,500,000.

Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 7 per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last dividend declared, £52,500.

Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £899,689 13s. 8d.

Dated at Wellington, this 8th day of July, 1901.

G. E. TOLHURST, Inspector.
GEO. H. MEE, Chief Clerk.

GENERAL ABSTRACT showing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Australasia, within the Colony of New Zealand, taken from the several weekly statements during the Quarter from the 1st April to the 30th June, 1901.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. ..	117,120	1	5
Bills in circulation	.. ..	10,562	15	9
Balances due to other Banks	.. ..	..	..	..
Government deposits	.. ..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. ..	755,853	0	0
Bearing interest	.. ..	623,385	1	5
Total average liabilities		£1,506,920	18	7
ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metal	.. ..	340,342	4	5
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. ..	2,050	6	7
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. ..	3,141	3	0
Balances due from other Banks	.. ..	..	..	..
Landed property	.. ..	62,078	3	4
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. ..	324,442	2	2
2. Colonial Government securities	.. ..	27,500	0	0
3. Other funded securities	.. ..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. ..	1,682,792	14	7
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. ..	2,651	19	11
Total average assets		£2,444,998	14	0

Amount of the capital stock paid up at this date, £1,600,000.
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 10 per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last dividend declared, £80,000.

Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £939,040.

Dated at Wellington, this 8th day of July, 1901.

C. WINTER, Inspector.
JNO. A. MACLEOD, *pro* Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New South Wales, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1901.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. ..	150,610	15	5
Bills in circulation	.. ..	6,078	10	1
Balances due to other Banks	.. ..	1,534	0	8
Government deposits	.. ..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. ..	930,589	6	4
Bearing interest	.. ..	1,572,838	8	4
Total average liabilities		£2,661,651	0	10
ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metal	.. ..	555,995	4	6
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. ..	26,197	16	8
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. ..	4,583	10	9
Balances due from other Banks	.. ..	15,659	15	6
Landed property	.. ..	97,755	17	10
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. ..	294,363	9	9
2. Colonial Government securities	.. ..	122,547	17	9
3. Other funded securities	.. ..	63,988	7	11
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. ..	1,940,665	5	2
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. ..	128,869	19	10
Total average assets		£3,250,627	5	8

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th June, 1901, £2,000,000.

Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 10 per cent.

Amount of last dividend declared, £100,000.

Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £1,250,000.

Dated at Wellington, this 12th day of July, 1901.

ALOYSIUS MACDONALD, for Inspector.
J. S. CAMPBELL, Inspector's Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the National Bank of New Zealand, Limited, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1901.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. ..	243,560	13	11
Bills in circulation	.. ..	5,708	14	0
Balances due to other Banks	.. ..	20,728	7	6
Government deposits	.. ..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. ..	1,057,860	19	7
Bearing interest	.. ..	1,220,441	9	8
Total average liabilities		£2,548,300	4	8
ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metal	.. ..	354,402	12	9
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. ..	31,677	16	8
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. ..	5,382	6	8
Balances due from other Banks	.. ..	19,592	14	10
Landed property	.. ..	86,340	4	0
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. ..	275,986	19	1
2. Colonial Government securities	.. ..	19,615	7	8
3. Other funded securities	.. ..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. ..	1,851,155	9	9
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. ..	11,304	19	5
Total average assets		£2,655,458	10	10

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th June, 1901, £250,000.

Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 8 per cent.

Amount of the last dividend declared, £10,000.

Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £100,009.

Dated at Wellington, this 8th day of July, 1901.

J. H. B. COATES,
General Manager.

STATEMENT of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the under-mentioned BANKS in the COLONY of NEW ZEALAND for the QUARTER ended 30th June, 1901.

LIABILITIES.

BANKS.	Notes in Circulation.		Bills in Circulation.		Balances due to other Banks.		Deposits.			Total Liabilities.				
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	Government.	Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	£	s. d.			
Bank of New Zealand	764,726	9 3	22,673	13 8	12,754	8 2	958,711	1 4	3,336,131	18 9	3,579,576	4 10	8,674,573	16 0
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	140,418	16 10	6,516	6 8	..	..	..	..	1,146,745	9 10	1,209,258	9 1	2,502,939	2 5
Bank of New South Wales.. .. .	150,610	15 5	6,078	10 1	1,534	0 8	..	..	930,589	6 4	1,572,828	8 4	2,661,651	0 10
Bank of Australasia	117,120	1 5	10,562	15 9	..	..	..	..	755,853	0 0	623,385	1 5	1,506,920	18 7
National Bank of New Zealand, Limited	243,560	13 11	5,708	14 0	20,728	7 6	..	..	1,057,860	19 7	1,220,441	9 8	2,548,300	4 8
Totals	1,416,436	16 10	51,540	0 2	35,016	16 4	958,711	1 4	7,227,180	14 6	8,205,499	13 4	17,894,385	2 6

ASSETS.

BANKS.	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals.		Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars.		Notes and Bills of other Banks.		Balances due from other Banks.		Landed Property.		Notes and Bills discounted.		Colonial Government Securities.		Other Funded Securities.		Debts due to Bank, exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad.		Securities not included under other Heads.		Total Assets.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Bank of New Zealand	1,012,345	5 7	79,272	19 24	243,114	4 1	846	19 1	114,841	12 1	875,515	7 3	781,977	8 1	..	..	3,273,786	16 3	1,602,033	18 9	7,783,734	10 4
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	602,358	1 0	1,510	0 0	1,642	10 0	..	..	71,632	7 9	191,482	13 8	..	..	..	..	1,327,471	1 9	56,056	6 6	2,252,153	0 8
Bank of New South Wales	555,995	4 6	26,197	16 8	4,583	10 9	15,659	15 6	97,755	17 10	294,363	9 9	122,547	17 9	63,988	7 11	1,940,665	5 2	128,869	19 10	3,250,627	5 8
Bank of Australasia	340,342	4 5	2,050	6 7	3,141	3 0	..	..	62,078	3 4	324,442	2 2	27,500	0 0	..	..	1,682,792	14 7	2,651	19 11	2,444,998	14 0
National Bank of New Zealand, Limited	354,402	12 9	31,677	16 8	5,382	6 8	19,592	14 10	86,340	4 0	275,986	19 1	19,615	7 8	..	..	1,851,155	9 9	11,304	19 5	2,655,458	10 10
Totals	2,865,443	8 3	140,708	19 3	157,863	14 6	36,099	9 5	432,648	5 0	1,961,790	11 11	951,640	13 6	63,988	7 11	10,075,871	7 6	1,800,917	4 5	18,386,972	1 6

CAPITAL AND PROFITS.

BANKS.	Capital paid up.	Rate per Annum of Last Dividend.				Amount of Last Dividend declared.	Amount of Reserved Profits at Time of declaring such Dividend.
	£					£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Bank of New Zealand—							
4-per-cent. stock guaranteed by the Government of N.Z. ..	2,000,000					..	23,474 7 4
Capital payable by shareholders	500,000					..	..
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	1,500,000	Seven per cent. ..	..	..	..	52,500 0 0	899,689 13 8
Bank of New South Wales	2,000,000	Ten per cent. ..	..	..	..	100,000 0 0	1,250,000 0 0
Bank of Australasia	1,600,000	" ..	..	..	..	80,000 0 0	939,040 0 0
National Bank of New Zealand, Limited	250,000	Eight per cent. ..	..	..	..	10,000 0 0	100,009 0 0

The Treasury, Wellington, 16th July, 1901.

JAS. B. HEYWOOD, Secretary to the Treasury.

Small Grazing-runs, Auckland, open for Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 22nd June, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned small grazing-runs will be open for lease on application, at this office, on and after Wednesday, the 21st August, 1901, for a term of twenty-one years, with right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years, at the annual rentals noted below.

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

SCHEDULE.

RAGLAN COUNTY, PARISH OF KARAMU.
(Subdivisions of Section 174, Auckland University College Endowment.)

First-class Pastoral Country.

- Run No. 1: 1,214 acres; annual rent, £15 3s. 6d.
- Run No. 2: 1,829 acres; annual rent, £22 17s. 3d.
- Run No. 3: 612 acres; annual rent, £7 18s.
- Run No. 4: 1,296 acres; annual rent, £16 4s.
- Run No. 5: 611 acres; annual rent, £7 12s. 9d.
- Run No. 7: 969 acres; annual rent, £12 2s. 3d.
- Run No. 8: 1,477 acres; annual rent, £18 9s. 3d.
- Run No. 9: 1,006 acres; annual rent, £12 11s. 6d.

Locality and Description of Runs.

Situated from two to four miles from Whatawhata, and about ten miles from Raglan, and comprising nearly all broken forest land, of limestone formation and of good quality. The runs will make good grass country when cleared.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

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

2. No person can lease more than one run.

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

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

5. One half-year's rent and £1 1s. for the lease must be paid immediately the application is declared successful; the rent to be paid half-yearly in advance during the term of the lease.

6. The lessee has no right to purchase any part of the land; but he can select 150 acres around the homestead through which no road can be taken or other public privilege exercised without compensation.

DECLARATION.

I, _____, of _____, do solemnly and sincerely declare—

- 1. That I am of the age of seventeen years and upwards.
- 2. That I am the person who, subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," am desirous of becoming the purchaser of a lease of Run No. †
- 3. That I am purchasing such lease solely for my own use and benefit, and not directly or indirectly for the use of any other person or persons whatever.
- 4. That I am not already the holder of any such lease in any part of the colony, nor have I any interest in any such lease.
- 5. That I am not the holder of any run under Part VI. of the aforesaid Act, nor have I any interest in any such run.
- 6. That I do not own any freehold land or land held by lease or license of any kind whatever anywhere in the colony, either by myself or jointly with any other person, which, exclusive of the land I am now purchasing the lease of, will exceed in area 1,000 acres.

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

Declared at _____, this _____ day of _____, 190 _____, before me— _____, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Colony of New Zealand.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

* Place of abode, and occupation. † Here specify.

Land in Puhuka Hamlet, Canterbury Land District, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 12th June, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned Crown land will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity as workmen's homes, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, and the Land Office, Timaru, on Monday, the 29th July, 1901.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—LEVELS COUNTY.—PUHUKA SETTLEMENT.

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Half-yearly Rent.
Arowhenua ..	1	X.	A. R. P. 2 2 17	£ s. d. 2 0 0
" ..	2	"	4 0 0	3 3 3
" ..	3	"	4 0 0	3 3 3
" ..	4	"	3 0 27	2 8 6
" ..	5	"	3 0 0	2 6 0
" ..	6	"	2 0 0	1 11 8
" ..	7	"	2 0 0	1 11 8
" ..	8	"	3 0 0	2 7 5
" ..	9	"	3 0 0	2 4 5
" ..	10	"	5 0 0	4 1 7
" ..	11	"	5 0 0	4 5 4

SIDNEY WEETMAN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Pawaho Hamlet, Canterbury, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 3rd July, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned Crown land will be opened for selection on lease in perpetuity as a workmen's homes allotment, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, on Tuesday, 20th August, 1901, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and the regulations made thereunder, and the general conditions set forth in the pamphlet for the disposal of the Pawaho Hamlet in 1898.

If more than one application be received for the allotment on the same day, then the order of selection shall be decided by ballot at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—SELWYN COUNTY.—CHRISTCHURCH SURVEY DISTRICT.—PAWAHO HAMLET.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
18	XVI.	A. R. P. 0 3 19	s. d. 18 3	£ s. d. 0 7 11

This section lies near the western end of the Pawaho Hamlet, about three-quarters of a mile from the Heathcote Railway-station, on the hillside between the Lyttelton Borough Reservoir and Hills Road, and comprises rather steep land, the altitude ranging from 11 ft. to 150 ft. above sea-level, with from 3 in. to 9 in. of fairly good soil on clay. The section is weighted with a valuation of £2 10s. for boundary-fencing, which sum must be paid on selection, in addition to the usual deposit and fees.

SIDNEY WEETMAN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Government Observatory.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the month of June, 1901. Altitude above the sea, 140 ft. Observations taken at 9.30 a.m.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected, in Inches.	From Self-registering Instruments, for Twenty-four Hours previously.							Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.	Direction of Wind.
		Max. Temp. in Shade.	Min. Temp. in Shade.	Mean Temp. in Shade.	Solar Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation.	Rainfall, in Inches.	Veloc. Wind, in Miles.		
1	30-213	Fah. 57.0	Fah. 50.0	Fah. 53.5	Fah. 76	Fah. 41	0.80	70	6	N.W.
2	30-250	58.0	55.0	56.5	83	48	0.50	270	6	N.W.
3	30-218	61.0	53.0	57.0	82	42	0.30	180	5	N.W.
4	30-281	61.5	51.0	56.2	99	41	..	180	5	N.E.
5	30-234	63.5	53.0	58.2	103	47	..	210	5	N.W.
6	30-173	59.5	53.0	56.2	72	47	0.80	290	6	N.W.
7	30-110	58.0	54.0	56.0	87	48	0.30	510	7	N.W.
8	30-318	59.5	49.0	54.2	69	39	0.10	356	2	N.W.
9	30-448	65.0	49.0	57.0	97	41	..	134	1	S.
10	30-373	68.0	48.0	58.0	95	35	..	50	3	Calm
11	30-264	59.0	45.0	52.0	90	35	..	40	5	Calm
12	30-184	58.0	44.0	51.0	77	36	..	30	3	Calm
13	29-927	62.3	48.0	55.1	97	38	..	110	5	N.W.
14	29-924	58.0	51.0	54.5	83	45	0.600	280	4	N.W.
15	30-195	61.0	42.0	51.5	90	33	..	70	4	Calm
16	30-100	55.0	41.0	48.0	84	33	..	50	7	N.W.
17	29-918	54.0	50.0	52.0	80	41	0.950	280	5	N.W.
18	29-924	57.3	52.0	54.6	92	45	0.300	360	5	N.W.
19	29-500	60.0	53.0	56.5	79	46	0.260	370	6	N.W.
20	29-525	58.5	51.0	54.7	70	51	0.540	400	6	N.W.
21	29-606	57.5	47.5	52.5	95	46	0.040	200	6	S.
22	29-927	51.0	41.0	46.0	70	34	0.400	240	6	S.E.
23	30-150	46.3	39.0	42.6	75	31	0.220	300	5	S.
24	30-322	46.0	40.0	43.0	80	32	0.050	150	5	S.
25	30-392	50.0	42.0	46.0	89	33	..	110	5	S.
26	30-372	48.0	42.3	45.1	79	32	..	100	5	S.
27	30-288	55.0	32.0	43.5	88	25	..	50	4	Calm
28	30-516	52.0	38.0	45.0	87	33	0.150	100	6	S.
29	30-469	50.5	41.8	46.1	85	35	0.080	170	5	S.
30	30-150	47.8	34.0	40.9	79	26	..	110	5	S.
*	30-042	56.6	46.3	51.4	84.4	38.6	4.470	192	4.9	..
†	29-895	..	..	49.0	..	..	5.095 14 days	..	..	..

* Means, &c. † Same month previous year.

NOTE.—Early part of month generally fine with occasional showers, wind chiefly N.W. and moderate; latter part showery with prevailing S. wind and cold weather. Maximum rainfall on 17th, 0.95 in.; thunder on 16th, 17th, and 18th; hail on 16th; fog on 14th and 15th. Maximum temperature in shade, 63°; minimum, 32°. Mean temperature dew-point, 43.1°; mean humidity, 74. Slight earthquake on 6th, at 1.25 p.m.

R. B. GORE, Observer.

Bonus for the Encouragement of the Manufacture of Condensed Milk in New Zealand.—Notice No. 644.

Department of Agriculture, Head Office, Wellington, 17th June, 1901.

A BONUS for the encouragement of the manufacture of condensed milk in New Zealand is offered under the following conditions.

The total amount offered is £1,000, and it will be paid at the rate of one-fifth of a penny per pound to the manufacturer or manufacturers of the first 1,200,000 lb. of long-keeping condensed milk manufactured in this colony between the 1st day of July, 1901, and the 30th day of June, 1902, subject to the following provisions:—

1. Part-payments of the bonus may be made with respect to each calendar month during the above-mentioned period. Applications for such payments must be made in writing and forwarded so as to reach the Secretary for Agriculture within fourteen days after the end of the month with respect to which the claim is made, and must be accompanied by a statutory declaration (for form see Schedule) to the effect that the conditions of these regulations have been duly complied with.

2. The bonus will be allotted in strict order of priority of receipt of such applications and declarations.

3. The bonus will only be granted on good sound marketable milk of the fair average quality of the condensed milk manufactured by the applicant during the period for which the bonus is available.

4. The milk must be either (a) long-keeping unsweetened condensed milk, made from normal full-cream milk, and containing at least 10 per cent. of butter-fat, with no added preservative, or (b) long-keeping sweetened condensed milk made from normal full-cream milk, and containing not less than 10 per cent. of butter-fat, with no added preservative other than pure cane-sugar.

5. No application for payment of bonus will be entertained unless the manufacturers have given the department an opportunity to take samples whenever it so desires from the milk manufactured during the period with respect to which the claim is made, nor unless satisfactory proof is given to the said Secretary as to the quantity of condensed milk manufactured in terms of these conditions, and generally in relation to all matters affecting such claim.

6. The department reserves to itself the right to refuse to grant any bonus on any condensed milk which does not appear to comply with the above regulations.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister for Agriculture.

SCHEDULE.

I, _____, of _____, secretary or manager of _____, do solemnly and sincerely declare, in regard to _____ lb. of condensed milk manufactured by _____ during the month of _____, 190 _____, and in respect to which a part-payment of the bonus offered by the New Zealand Government for the encouragement of the manufacture of condensed milk in New Zealand is claimed, that the manufacture of the said milk complies with the whole of the conditions under which the bonus is offered, which conditions are published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of June, 1901. And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

[Signature.]

Declared at _____, this _____ day of _____, one thousand nine hundred and _____, before me— _____, Justice of the Peace, Solicitor, or Notary Public.

Crown Lands Notices.

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

District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin, 16th July, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned village-homestead allotment will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity at this office on Wednesday, the 2nd September, 1901.

If more than one application is received for the allotment on the same day the order of selection shall be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 a.m., at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—TUAPEKA COUNTY.

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
				Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
Greenvale	44	IV.	A. R. P. 1 1 36	s. d. 2 4 8	£ s. d. 0 1 3

Open land; good soil; well watered. Situated one mile from Heriot Railway-station by good road.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. THE land described above is first-class land, and is a village-homestead allotment, open for selection on lease in perpetuity under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act").

2. The day on which the land shall be open for selection shall be Wednesday, the 2nd day of September, 1901.

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

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

5. Each applicant shall state his or her residence, occupation, and condition in life (namely, whether married or

single), and will be required to make the declaration prescribed in Schedule C of the said Act.

6. The successful applicant shall pay the first half-year's rent, together with the lease- and registration-fee, immediately the application has been approved or declared successful at the ballot.

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

8. Improvements and residence on the land comprised in the lease shall be as provided in Part III. of the said Act. The provisions of section 144, and all other provisions of the said Act with respect to substantial improvements, shall apply accordingly to a lessee under these regulations. The provisions of section 141, and all other provisions of the said Act in respect of compulsory residence, shall apply accordingly to a lessee under these regulations.

9. The lessee shall not subdivide, sublet, or transfer the land held by him under these regulations, except under and subject to the provisions of Part I. of the said Act.

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

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

D. BARRON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lease of Hatuma Township Reserve and Buildings to be disposed of by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 12th July, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to noon on Wednesday, the 4th September, 1901, for a lease for three years of the Hatuma Township Reserve, Hawke's Bay Land District, containing 196 acres 1 rood 10 perches, together with woolshed, yards, sheep-dip, two five-roomed cottages, large shed, and cook-house situated thereon, subject to the attached conditions.

DESCRIPTION.

Agricultural land, from flat to low rolling downs, at an average height of about 600 ft. above sea-level. All ploughable and sown in English grasses. From 6 in. to 9 in. of black soil over a cementy subsoil. Ring-fenced and subdivided into four paddocks on the northern side of the railway-line; on southern side of railway, fenced only on the eastern boundary. The streams on the northern portion dry up during the summer months, but dams can easily be constructed. On the southern portion it is well watered by the Makotukutuku Stream. The Hatuma Road goes through the centre of the reserve, and there is a railway-station at the woolshed.

CONDITIONS.

1. Tenders must be accompanied by a deposit by bank draft, marked cheque, post-office order, or cash, for the amount of a half-year's rent at the rate offered, together with a lease-fee of one guinea, and must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Napier, and marked "Tender for Lease of Hatuma Township Reserve."

2. The lease shall be for a term of three years, dating from the date possession is given to the accepted tenderer.

3. The rent shall be payable half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st March and 1st September in each year.

4. The lessee may, during each year of the lease, plough up and crop an area not exceeding 20 acres; and each portion of the leasehold so cultivated shall, immediately upon the removal of the crop, be sown down with good permanent cultivated grasses and clovers in sufficient quantity, and be so left for the remainder of the term. The lessee shall not cut the cultivated grass for hay or seed the first year of the course, nor shall he burn any straw grown upon the land.

5. The lessee shall be responsible for the safe custody and maintenance of the buildings, structures, and fences, and shall deliver up the same in good order at the termination of his lease. The lessee will also be responsible for the abatement of any nuisance in or about the premises or land.

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6. The lessee will be required to insure and keep insured in the name of the King, during the currency of his lease, the woolshed and other buildings at their full insurable value.

7. The lease will be subject to a condition that the settlers on the Hatuma Estate shall have a right to the use of the shearing-shed, dip, quarters, and adjacent paddock during shearing-time, and that the lessee shall shear, class, and bale the wool of such settlers at a price not exceeding £1 10s. per hundred sheep, the owners of the sheep providing wool-packs.

8. The lessee shall, between the 1st of January and the 30th of May in each year, permit settlers on the Hatuma Estate to have the use of the dip, and shall provide all materials necessary for efficiently dipping the sheep to the satisfaction of the Sheep Inspector, and also one man to assist, at a price not exceeding 5s. for the first ten sheep, and 2d. per head over that number.

9. A right to search for and take gravel for making or maintaining roads is reserved.

10. The lessee shall, at least once in every year, properly cut and trim all live hedges and fences, and clear out all drains and ditches running through the land, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands. A right to enter upon the land and construct any necessary drains or ditches is also reserved on behalf of the Crown or the local body.

11. The lessee shall, during the currency of the lease, clear all gorse, broom, sweetbriar, &c., not growing as fences, and noxious plants, and keep the same from growing or spreading on the land.

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

13. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-run, Hawke's Bay Land District, open for Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 2nd July, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned small grazing-run will be open for lease on application at this office on Wednesday, the 21st August, 1901.

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

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.
Second-class Land.

County.	Survey District.	Run No.	Area.	Half-yearly Rent.
Wairoa	Mangahopai and Waiau	S.G.R. 38	A. 7,069 R. 0 P. 0	£ 20 s. 1 d. 9

Situated in Rotokakarangu Block, immediately north of the Mohaka River, and distant about forty miles from Wairoa and twenty-eight miles from Mohaka. About 2,100 acres are open fern land, the balance being bush. The soil is light pumice; well watered. Valuation for improvements, payable with application, or immediately the result of the ballot is declared, £29. The improvements are as follows: Whare, £10; grass sown, £17 10s.; bush underscrubbed, £1 10s.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Southland for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 30th April, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Wednesday, the 7th day of August, 1901, at 11 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Survey District.	Area.	Upset Price.
364	Taringatura	A. 14 R. 0 P. 0	£ 14 s. 0 d. 0
374	"	A. 20 R. 2 P. 0	£ 20 s. 10 d. 0

JOHN HAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Run, Southland, for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 24th June, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned Crown land will be offered for lease at this office on Wednesday, 21st August, 1901, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

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

PASTORAL Run No. 532, Centre Hill District (formerly Small Grazing-run 38): Area, 2,744 acres; upset annual rental, £22 17s. 4d.; term, seven years. Burdened with £133 19s. 6d., valuation for improvements consisting of hut, sheep-yards, and fencing.

Possession will be given on the day of sale.

The purchaser must deposit the statutory declaration as required by section 195 of "The Land Act, 1892," and pay the amount of the half-year's rent and license-fee, together with the valuation for improvements, on the fall of the hammer.

JOHN HAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Lands in Westland for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Hokitika, 24th June, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned pastoral run will be offered for lease by public auction at this office on Wednesday, the 21st August, 1901, at 2.30 p.m.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Run No.	Locality.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
23	Landsboro' River	Acres. 23,000	£ s. d. 11 10 0

Term, 10 years.

Subject to the provisions of Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892." Possession will be given on the day of sale.

The purchaser must deposit the statutory declaration as required by section 195 of "The Land Act, 1892," and pay the amount of the half-year's rent and license-fee on the fall of the hammer.

W. G. MURRAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Wellington for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 24th June, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned land in the Wellington Land District will be offered for sale by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, on Wednesday, the 14th August, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon. If not sold on that date it will remain open for sale thereafter at upset price.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

County.	Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
Hutt	Rimutaka	48, 56, and part 44	V.	A. R. P. 95 2 32	£ s. d. 47 17 0

These sections are situated on the western side of Whiteman's Valley Road. The access is from Silverstream, which is about four miles distant *via* the Whiteman's Valley Road, which is formed and metalled. The sections comprise rough, barren, hilly country, with about 15 acres of flat land. The soil is of poor quality, resting on a sandstone-and-clay formation. There are about 5 acres of bush, comprising mostly birch; dead timber through which the fire has run is standing or lying on the remainder of the sections, fern having sprung up wherever the fire has been. The sections are well watered by permanent springs. The elevation ranges from about 1,000 ft. to 1,500 ft. above sea-level.

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.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plan obtained at this office.

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office, Hokitika, 1st May, 1901.

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 Friday, the 2nd August, 1901.

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

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

First-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.
Westland ..	Whitcombe Pass	932	I.	A. R. P. 281 0 0	£ s. d. 1 10 0	£ s. d. 421 10 0	s. d. 1 6	£ s. d. 10 10 9	s. d. 1 2-4	£ s. d. 8 8 7
Very rich red soil, 5 ft. deep to gravel; ribbonwood and vines; very open, and intersected with patches of open pakihis laid down in English grass; well watered; on road-frontage there is an area of 18 acres recently cleared and laid down in English grass. Weighted with £36 as valuation for improvements.										
Westland ..	Whitcombe Pass	933	I.	A. R. P. 418 0 0	£ s. d. 1 10 0	£ s. d. 627 0 0	s. d. 1 6	£ s. d. 15 13 6	s. d. 1 2-4	£ s. d. 12 10 10
All very rich red soil, lightly timbered with ribbonwood and vines; about 30 acres cleared some years ago, and now in excellent English grass; soil in many places 5 ft. deep. Weighted with £10 as valuation for improvements.										

W. G. MURRAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Native Land Court Notices.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Cambridge, Waikato.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Cambridge, Waikato, on the 22nd day of July, 1901, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
[Auckland, 1901-47.]

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 9th July, 1901.

JAS. W. BROWNE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.
APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
809	Punia Wuru (by her solicitors, Hesketh and Richmond) ..	Tawawahakaporo.
810	Punia Wuru (by her solicitors, Hesketh and Richmond) ..	Urenui.
811	Kaahurangi Ka	Matamata North.
812	Teni Tuhakaraina, Pahi te Hiwi, and Whakakihi Pirika, successors for Mita Ngatewe; Anatahia Hipirini, successor for Te Tekerahi; Tewenui Hoani and Taratu Hoani, successors for Hoani te Heihei.	Kiwitahi No. 3A.
813	Mauriohocho te Manuhaura (376-20, 3/156)	Maungatautari No. 6A.

Native Land Court Agent licensed.

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, NEW ZEALAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that a license has been issued to the under-mentioned person authorising him to appear as an agent in the Native Land Court for the year ending the 31st day of December, 1901, subject to the provisions of section 20 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," viz. :-

JOHN MUNRO FRASER.

Dated at Wellington, this 16th day of July, 1901.

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Levin.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Levin on the 27th day of August, 1901, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
[Wellington, 1901-22.]

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 12th July, 1901.

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.
APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
452	Lease (1900-264A) ..	1st October, 1900 ..	Moteo te Hapua te Pirau Nos. 3 and 3A	Hiha Ngarangione to Finton Higgins.
453	Lease (1900-265) ..	18th June, 1900 ..	Moteo te Hapua te Pirau No. 5	Hohepa Umurangi and Hemi Awapuni (trustees for Meretina Hohepa and others) to Finton Higgins.
454	Transfer (1900-265) ..	11th October, 1900 ..	Te Aute No. 6B ..	Ekengarangi Hapuku and Haromi Watene (as trustees) to Tom Davey.
455	Transfer (1900-309) ..	15th October, 1900 ..	Waikopiro B No. 12 ..	Te Atua Rahui to John James McNeill Boyd.
456	Transfer (1900-310) ..	15th October, 1900 ..	Waikopiro B No. 13 ..	Renata Ropiha (trustee for Ieni Rahui) to John James McNeill Boyd.
457	Transfer (1901-63) ..	13th April, 1901 ..	Aorangi No. 1, Section 8D	Ratima Pekamu to Hoeta Kahuhui.
458	Lease (1901-79) ..	16th May, 1901 ..	Manakau, Section 71, 72 and 14	Tamati Ranapiri (Thomas Ransfield) to Daniel Nees.
459	Lease (1901-80) ..	28th December, 1900 ..	Ohau No. 3	Tamati Ranapiri (Thomas Ransfield) and Hera Rorana to Patrick Mungavin, alias Wiremu McGrath.
460	Lease (1901-81) ..	20th May, 1901 ..	Ohau, Section 22, part of No. 3c	Tamati Ranapiri (Thomas Ransfield) to Robert Cobb.
461	Transfer (1901-82) ..	19th November, 1900 ..	Ohau No. 3A No. 2, Section 8	Mohi te Kootu, alias Te Kohu, and Akapita te Tewe to Edmund Thomas Costello.
462	Transfer (1901-83) ..	13th December, 1900	Maungapiharau ..	James Cootes (Hemi Kuti) to Robert Lee.
463	Lease (1901-84) ..	3rd January, 1901 ..	Otaki town - sections 187, 179, 186, 178, 177	Tiemi Ranapiri and Riria Ranapiri to Minnie Elizabeth Huddle.
464	Transfer (1901-85) ..	30th November, 1900	Mangapouri 125N ..	Tame Ranapiri to George McBeath.
465	Transfer (1901-86) ..	20th November, 1900	Mangapouri No. 6 ..	Tame Ranapiri to George McBeath.
466	Lease (1901-87) ..	30th May, 1901 ..	Aorangi (Lower) No. 3E	Manawaroa te Aweawe to William Bryant Pearce.
467	Transfer (1901-90) ..	4th July, 1901 ..	Taonui Ahuaturanga, Section 2B	Hara Tauranga to Te Aira Winiata and Hoani Wiremu.
468	Transfer (1901-91) ..	5th July, 1901 ..	Taonui Ahuaturanga, Section 2B	Mokena Pahurahi to Te Aira Winiata and Hoani Wiremu.
469	Mortgage (1900-200) ..	15th August, 1900 ..	Hastings East, Lots 1 and 2, parts of Sections 7 and 8	Ihaka Tupurupuru to Arthur Francis Jarman.

APPLICATION FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
470	Heeni Hoani Kuiti	Waiwiri East No. 1.

APPLICATIONS FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
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ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.

548	Tarei Tahitangata	Pukehou 4B No. 4A.
549	Teaiti Hiwi and others	Pukehou 4G No. 11.
550	Waretini Tuainuku	Waiwiri East No. 4.
551	Pirihira Hohepa	Manawatu Kukutauaki No. 3, Section 1A, No. 44.
552	Hohepa te Hana and Pirihira Hohepa.. .. .	Manawatu Kukutauaki No. 3, Section 1A, No. 40.
553	Hohepa te Hana and Pirihira Hohepa.. .. .	Manawatu Kukutauaki No. 3, Section 1A, No. 42.
554	Hohepa te Hana and Pirihira Hohepa.. .. .	Manawatu Kukutauaki No. 3, Section 1A, No. 43.
555	Hohepa te Hana and Pirihira Hohepa.. .. .	Manawatu Kukutauaki No. 3, Section 1A, No. 46.
556	Hori te Waru and others	Waiorongomai No. 9.
557	Ariki Hopihona and others	Waiorongomai No. 9B.
558	Roha Wehipeihana	Ohau No. 3, Section 20.
559	Wiremu Kiriwehi and others.. .. .	Manawatu Kukutauaki No. 3, Section 2.
560	Paerikiriki Otene	Te Mata (Riverslea) Block XII., Section 16, Lot 5.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Children.
561	Pitiera Taipua (by his solicitor, J. P. Innes)	Tuwhakatupua No. 2D ..	Tohuroa Hira Parata and Wiremu Otene Taipua.
562	Mihaka K. Kapukai	Taumanuka No. 3	Akūhata Karepa.
563	Kipa te Whatanui	Pahianui No. 8	The children of Turia Henare, deceased.

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW TRUSTEE IN SUBSTITUTION FOR EXISTING TRUSTEE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Minors.
564	Keita Heketa te Awe (by her agent, Kuku Karaitiana)	Tikokino Nos. 13, 15, 16, and 17; Tahoraiti No. 1; Ahuatūrangā, Section 200, Block VIII.; and personal estate	The children of Heketa te Awe, deceased.

APPLICATIONS FOR RIGHT OF ROAD.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
565	Ngapeka Taiawhio and others	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 7D No. 1, Subdivision 11.
566	Karauti Romana	Tahamata; Ohau No. 3, Subdivision 15; Ohau No. 3A No. 1.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
567	Hirini Tame Piripi	Hone Turiri.
568	Teoti Makitanara (George Macdonald)	Pirimona Pokiki.
569	Hiraani Ahitana (by her agent, A. L. D. Fraser)	Paora Ropiha.
570	Hare Rore Pukekohatu	Pairama te Rukunga.
571	Te Maewae Porotene	Raniera te Whata.
572	John Topi Patuki, jun.	Teone Topi Patuki.
573	Hanikamu te Hiko	Tamati Ngataru.

APPLICATION TO DETERMINE THE AMOUNT OF COMPENSATION FOR LAND TAKEN FOR PROTECTION OF A BRIDGE, AND TO ASCERTAIN THE PERSONS ENTITLED TO RECEIVE THE SAME.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
574	The inhabitants of the Manawatu Road District (by their solicitors, Hankins and Loughnan)	Aorangi No. 1, Section 9A.

Rainfall for June, 1901.

Station.	Observer.	Total Fall, in Inches.	Days of Rain.	Maximum Fall, and Date (for Previous Twenty-four Hours.)
NORTH ISLAND.				
(A.) NORTH-EAST ASPECT—NORTH CAPE TO EAST CAPE.				
Mangonui	R. D. Stewart	16.40	20	3.04 on 29th
Pakarakā	Hon. H. Williams, M.L.C.	9.62	21	1.61 on 30th
Parua Bay	D. Davidson	9.48	25	1.97 on 10th
Whangamata	F. H. Whalley	8.16	24	1.65 on 10th
Waihi (Thames)	H. B. Devereux	7.70	17	1.63 on 19th
Turua	L. J. Bagnall	2.99	15	0.60 on 18th
Auckland	Government Observer	2.75	18	1.00 on 14th
Waiotapu	J. Scanlon	6.25	19	1.80 on 18th
Cuvier Island	Lightkeeper .. .. .	..	..	..
Tauranga	A. E. Hammond	3.88	16	1.25 on 19th
Athenree (Tauranga)	Captain Stewart	5.45	22	1.88 on 19th
Opotiki	C. Brown .. .. .	..	..	..
Rotorua	Dr. Kenny	5.28	17	1.27 on 19th
Rotorua (State Forest)	J. E. Barrett .. .. .	..	..	..
Te Aroha	J. Muir .. .. .	..	..	..
(B.) NORTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE MARIA VAN DIEMEN TO CAPE EGMONT.				
Kaitiā	W. G. Puckey	11.11	15	2.00 on 14th
Paihia (Russell)	Captain Burleigh .. .. .	..	..	..
Awakino	N. A. Robison	6.45	14	1.73 on 7th
Te Kopua (Waikato)	Rev. H. Young .. .. .	..	..	..
Hamilton	Thomas Walter	6.62	18	1.25 on 20th
Raglan	H. V. Rutherford	6.43	15	1.18 on 30th
New Plymouth	G. W. Palmer	7.44	23	1.75 on 11th
Upper Mangorei	Mrs. Monro .. .. .	..	..	..
Mangorei—Korito Road	Mrs. J. Brown	17.61	18	2.25 on 2nd
Inglewood	Miss N. Trimble	11.90	17	1.69 on 11th
Ngatimaru	R. Drummond	9.77	14	1.92 on 21st
(C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGMONT TO CAPE TERAWHITI.				
Mangaraka (Waitara)	D. Wilkie .. .. .	..	..	..
Upper Waitotara	E. F. Liffiton	4.62	14	0.94 on 21st
Omata Valley	C. Forde .. .. .	..	..	..
Stratford	J. H. Penn	10.95	19	1.67 on 7th
Tahora	R. S. McKerrow	7.18	17	1.42 on 21st
Opunake	A. H. Moore	4.69	12	1.55 on 20th
Manaiā	Luther Hill .. .. .	..	..	..
Hawera	J. Livingston	4.41	9	1.24 on 11th
Orouamatua (Patea)	A. S. Birch	2.48	26	0.60 on 22nd
Kapara	F. R. Field	4.14	19	0.90 on 20th
Kaponga	C. Maclean .. .. .	..	..	..
Aramoho (Wanganui)	J. T. Stewart	2.62	13	0.83 on 22nd
Wanganui	H. Hemun	2.91	8	0.99 on 22nd
Kaitoke	A. Wyehodil	2.41	10	0.99 on 22nd
No. 2 Line (Wanganui)	H. I. Jones	2.43	8	0.78 on 22nd
Raetihi (Wanganui)	G. T. Murray	4.54	17	1.23 on 20th
Campbelltown	H. Sanson	2.77	11	0.91 on 22nd
Feilding	Miss E. M. Goodbehere .. .. .	..	..	..
Te Kumu	G. S. Fulton .. .. .	..	..	..
Hunterville	G. L. Cook	2.47	14	0.59 on 22nd
Erehwon	Mrs. Caccia-Birch	2.59	14	0.72 on 22nd
Ruanui	J. F. Studholme	2.81	16	0.75 on 22nd
West Waitapu	J. Gurflee	2.57	13	0.62 on 14th
Kimbolton	Dr. W. C. Greig	1.86	5	0.85 on 14th
Ashhurst	H. Barnes	2.52	13	1.08 on 22nd
Bull's	E. J. Keiller	2.46	13	0.99 on 22nd
Raumai	T. K. Grieve .. .. .	..	..	..
Palmerston North	C. J. Monro	2.79	12	0.82 on 22nd
State Farm (Levin)	P. W. Goldsmith	3.71	14	7.14 on 18th
Otaki	M. H. Ayre	3.44	11	1.54 on 18th
Kereru	C. A. Muggleton	4.87	9	1.76 on 17th
Pukerua	W. Bell	3.66	14	0.75 on 20th
Pahautanui	J. Pearce	2.76	15	1.00 on 20th
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER.				
Matahiia	K. S. Williams .. .. .	..	..	..
Tolago Bay	A. Reeves	4.63	10	2.00 on 10th
Portland Island	A. Hansen	2.72	11	0.91 on 22nd
Gisborne	Rev. H. W. Williams	4.21	16	2.24 on 10th
Patutahi	H. N. Watson	3.27	14	1.53 on 10th
Maraetaha	J. Woodbine Johnson .. .. .	..	..	..
Tiniroto	W. J. Jamieson .. .. .	..	..	..
Takapau	D. Macfarlane	4.24	16	1.32 on 10th
Waikaremoana	Fenton Lambert	2.40	7	0.80 on 10th
Tutira Lake	H. Guthrie-Smith .. .. .	..	..	..

Rainfall for June, 1901—continued.

Station.	Observer.	Total Fall, in Inches.	Days of Rain.	Maximum Fall, and Date (for Previous Twenty-four Hours).
NORTH ISLAND—continued.				
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER—continued.				
Hangaroa	H. W. Guthrie-Smith .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Rakamoana	Messrs. Tait and Mills	3.33	9	0.82 on 10th
Te Kowhai	J. H. Absolom .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Petane	Thos. Clark	1.60	15	0.33 on 22nd
Napier	E. Lyndon	1.34	8	0.49 on 21st
Hastings(*)	J. N. Williams	1.98	17	0.76 on 22nd
Waimarama	Thomas R. Moore	2.76	14	1.37 on 21st
Mangakuri	G. C. Williams	2.01	11	0.91 on 22nd
Te Aute	S. B. Ludbrook	2.95	16	1.52 on 22nd
Maraekakaho	A. Lockie	1.79	12	0.85 on 22nd
Gwavas	J. Nicoll	1.89	18	1.04 on 22nd
Mount Vernon	J. W. Harding	1.77	15	1.04 on 22nd
Ormondville	J. D. Watson	2.13	.. .. .	.. .. .
Woodville	J. Leithead	2.92	11	1.18 on 22nd
Pahiatua	W. Tosswill	2.53	14	0.96 on 22nd
Herbertville	A. McKinnon	2.33	11	0.94 on 22nd
Tane	H. A. Lambert	3.25	16	1.03 on 22nd
Eketahuna	J. T. Lewis	3.00	13	0.80 on 22nd
Otahuao	Miss E. A. D. Bennett	2.20	13	0.98 on 22nd
Masterton	J. Payton	2.83	16	0.97 on 22nd
Carterton	H. Braithwaite	2.53	11	0.71 on 22nd
Featherston	G. G. Wellsted	3.36	7	1.16 on 19th
Summit	W. G. Ingram	15.67	18	1.40 on 22nd
Upper Hutt	J. Hanning .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Taitā	T. Mason	3.70	17	0.72 on 20th
Wainuiomata	J. Quaintance	3.51	8	1.17 on 22nd
Lower Hutt	Miss Heaton	3.49	15	.. .. .
Petone	Sir J. Hector	3.93	18	0.75 on 14th and 20th
Wellington	Government Observer	4.47	17	0.95 on 17th
Karori	W. Edmonds	3.60	15	0.74 on 17th
SOUTH ISLAND.				
(A.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO KAIKOURA.				
Nelson	Dr. Hudson .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Waimea (Nelson)	W. E. Hayne .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Motueka	G. S. Huffam	12.32	15	3.59 on 19th
Collingwood	Rev. A. H. Hern	16.35	16	3.63 on 5th
Quartz Ranges (Collingwood)	F. G. Mace	35.85	14	6.00 on 19th
Stephens Island	Lightkeeper .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
The Brothers	Lightkeeper	5.96	16	0.83 on 20th
Avondale Station (Blenheim)	C. de V. Teschemaker	4.52	10	1.53 on 19th
Manaroa (Pelorus Sounds)	M. C. Masefield .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Blenheim	N. T. Prichard	1.96	9	0.81 on 19th
Seddon	N. Craig	2.42	8	0.70 on 17th
Cape Campbell	Lightkeeper	2.56	9	0.90 on 19th
Flaxbourne	W. Tatchell	1.58	10	0.37 on 22nd
Kekerangu	W. J. White	1.01	8	0.36 on 18th
Kaikoura	Dr. J. St. C. Gunn	1.03	4	0.67 on 22nd
Hanmer Plains	Miss Taylor .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Hermitage	A. Ross	16.70	.. .. .	.. .. .
(B.) WEST ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO PUYSEGUR POINT.				
Farewell Spit	Lightkeeper	5.90	13	1.10 on 14th
Pakawau	T. C. V. Field	16.00	18	3.30 on 1st
Westport	H. S. Ewan	12.00	16	2.04 on 5th
Denniston	A. B. Lindop .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Ngahere	J. Scott	13.66	15	3.26 on 4th
Greymouth	J. Conner	12.65	15	2.23 on 17th
Hokitika	A. D. Macfarlane	15.79	16	2.80 on 19th
Dusky Sound	R. Henry .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Puysegur Point	Lightkeeper .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
(C.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS.				
Cheviot	A. C. Bellwood	0.87	8	0.33 on 22nd
Waiau	F. S. Northcote	0.46	2	0.33 on 23rd
Akaroa	Miss Jacobson	0.88	6	0.27 on 20th
Port Hills (Christchurch)	Miss M. L. Higgins	0.99	7	0.50 on 1st
Christchurch	A. L. Taylor	0.85	8	0.35 on 20th
Lincoln	J. A. Biltoliff	0.89	9	0.30 on 20th
Lincoln	F. W. Hilgendorf	0.86	7	0.39 on 20th
Southbridge	D. McMillan	1.17	6	0.70 on 20th
Hororata	Hon. Sir J. Hall, K.C.M.G.	1.19	5	0.37 on 21st
Late return —				
(*) April .. .. .	.. .. .	2.16	11	0.81 on 19th.
May .. .. .	.. .. .	0.92	5	0.61 on 12th.

Rainfall for June, 1901—continued.

Station.	Observer.	Total Fall, in Inches.	Days of Rain.	Maximum Fall, and Date (for Previous Twenty-four Hours).
SOUTH ISLAND—continued.				
(C.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS—continued.				
Kapunatiki(*)	Hon. W. Rolleston	1.07	5	0.52 on 20th
Orari	G. A. M. Macdonald	0.64	5	0.52 on 20th
Bealey	H. G. Hunt	4.80	13	0.75 on 19th, 20th
Mt. Peel	Mrs. O. Scott Thompson	1.60	4	1.24 on 20th
Peel Forest	W. E. Barker	1.62	5	0.85 on 20th
Methven	H. G. Baker	1.87	5	0.69 on 22nd
Winchmore (Ashburton)	A. E. Hart .. ..	..	..	..
Windermere(*)	Miss F. J. M. Wright	1.85	6	0.76 on 20th
Timaru	R. Fergusson	0.64	7	0.36 on 20th
Fairlie	D. H. Gillingham	1.05	5	0.70 on 20th
Waimate	W. S. Hamilton	0.41	7	0.14 on 20th
Geraldine	E. F. Temple	1.19	5	0.83 on 20th
Woodbury (Geraldine)	B. E. H. Tripp	2.16	3	1.10 on 20th
Windsor Park (Oamaru)	E. Menlove	0.26	7	0.08 on 20th and 28th
Oamaru	G. Anderson .. ..	..	..	..
Maheno	C. de S. Teschemaker	0.42	3	0.29 on 29th
(D.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT.				
Otekaike (North Otago)	John Tait	0.15	3	0.06 on 22nd
Macetown	A. C. W. Porter	3.83	8	1.47 on 13th
Queenstown	L. Hotop	1.26	6	0.50 on 19th
St. Bathans	J. Ewing	0.66	7	0.23 on 20th
Gladbrook Station	F. R. Jeffreys	0.36	4	0.15 on 22nd
Roxburgh	Dr. W. J. Mullin	0.19	5	0.07 on 19th
Kokonga	R. W. Glendinning	0.09	2	0.05 on 19th
Dunedin	Government Observer	1.45	5	0.68 on 20th
Caversham	G. M. Burlinson .. ..	..	..	..
Blackmount (the Waiau)	Mrs. R. McKenzie	1.96	15	0.70 on 19th
Ranfurly	A. W. Roberts	0.05	1	0.05 on 19th
Tapanui	W. Dunham	0.41	6	0.12 on 19th
Kaitangata	W. M. Shore .. ..	..	..	..
Balclutha	C. C. Halliday	0.72	5	0.20 on 22nd
Naseby	A. King .. ..	..	..	..
Alexandra South	D. C. Rose	0.23	5	0.11 on 20th
Clyde	L. D. Macgeorge	0.21	3	0.09 on 20th
Wyndham	W. H. Rodney .. ..	..	..	..
Dipton	R. D. MacLachlan	0.73	7	0.36 on 20th
Ratanui	J. Fraser	0.88	4	0.40 on 28th
Invercargill	J. L. Bush .. ..	..	..	..
Gladstone	H. J. Turner	0.36	10	0.08 on 5th
Otautau	N. A. McLaren	0.61	6	0.29 on 8th
Nightcaps	J. Ritchie	0.36	6	0.09 on 20th
Chatham Islands	A. Shand .. ..	..	..	..
Stewart Island	W. Traill	2.12	16	0.39 on 27th
Late returns—				
(*) May .. ..	.. ..	0.69	3	0.52 on 23rd
(b) May .. ..	.. ..	1.14	3	0.85 on 23rd

J. HECTOR, Director.

Meteorological Office, Museum, Wellington, New Zealand.

Bankruptcy Notices.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM PATRICK DOWLING, of Mount Eden Road, Auckland, lately Hotelkeeper but at present out of business, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 19th day of July, 1901, at 2.30 o'clock.

12th July, 1901.

JOHN LAWSON,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY SEPTIMUS DECIMUS HOMES and MARY HANNAH HOMES, of Taihape, Boardinghouse-keepers, were this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Mangaweka, on Monday, the 22nd day of July, 1901, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Wanganui, 11th July, 1901.

JOHN NOTMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

DIVIDENDS as under are now payable at my office, Perry Street, Masterton, on all proved accepted claims:—

Joseph Williams, of Masterton, Tobacconist, 3s. in the pound (first).

Henry Aulin, of Eketahuna, Storekeeper, 5s. in the pound (second and final, making 15s. in all).

Promissory notes must be produced for indorsements of dividend.

Masterton, 11th July, 1901.

W. B. CHENNELLS,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY SAMUEL SEARLE, of Waimate, Cabinetmaker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Oamaru, on Tuesday, the 16th day of July, 1901, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Oamaru, 9th July, 1901.

CHAS. W. COOKE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court of Timaru and Oamaru, holden at Timaru.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM JOHNSON, of Waitohi, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Arcade, Timaru, on Friday, the 19th day of July, 1901, at 10 o'clock.

Timaru, 12th July, 1901.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Mining Notices.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Waimea Creek and Flat Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 21st April, 1900.

Whether in active operation or not: Not in active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Christchurch; H. J. Luxford.

Nominal capital: £10,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £7,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,446 5s.

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; fully paid shares to the value of £2,000 to be allotted.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 10,000.

Number of shares allotted: 7,000.

Amount paid per share: 8s.

Amount called up per share: 8s.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £1,353 15s.

Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 88.

Present number of shareholders: 83.

Number of men employed by company: Nil.

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: Nil.

Total expenditure since registration: £490 12s. 1d.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash at banker's: £55 18s. 6d., and on deposit £900.

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, Charles Lord Russell, of Christchurch, the Manager of the Waimea Creek and Flat Gold-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 31st December, 1900; and I hereby make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

C. L. RUSSELL.

Declared at Christchurch, this 10th day of July, 1901, before me—R. Hill Fisher, J.P. 968

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Hokitika Junction Dredging Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 23rd May, 1900.

Whether in active operation or not: Not in active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Christchurch; H. J. Luxford (31st December, 1900).

Nominal capital: £13,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £9,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,140 15s.

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: £3,000.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 13,000.

Number of shares allotted: 12,000.

Amount paid per share: 10s.

Amount called up per share: 10s.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £2,359 5s.

Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 104.

Present number of shareholders: 101.

Number of men employed by company: Nil.

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: Nil.

Total expenditure since registration: £654 1s.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash at banker's: £467 12s. 6d., and deposits, £1,000.

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): £1,271 14s. 2d.

I, Charles Lord Russell, of Christchurch, the Manager of the Hokitika Junction 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 31st December, 1900; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

C. L. RUSSELL.

Declared at Christchurch, this 10th day of July, 1901, before me—R. Hill Fisher, J.P. 969

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: O'Brien's Patent Hydraulic Dredging Company.
 Date of registration: 3rd November, 1900.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Waipori; William O'Brien, jun.
 Capital: £1,000, in 1,000 shares at £1 each.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £750.
 Paid-up shares given to shareholder: 250; valued at £250.
 Number of shares allotted: 1,000 (all paid up).
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.
 Present number of shareholders: 7.
 Number of men employed by company: 4 (all shareholders).
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 86 oz. 5 dwt. 20 gr.; £332 4s. 2d.
 Total expenditure (constructing dredge, &c.) to 30th April, 1901: £938 3s. 11d.
 Wages owing by company: £104 18s.

REMARKS.—The company consists of 7 shareholders; all are directors, and 4 of same work the dredge. The company was formed principally to test O'Brien's patent for working dredges with water-power.

Statement made as at 30th April, 1901.

WM. O'BRIEN, JUN.,
 Manager.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1882"; and in the matter of the Cardrona Valley Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company, duly convened, and held at the Agricultural Hall Buildings, Crawford Street, Dunedin, on the 10th day of May, 1901, the following special resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the 31st day of May, 1901, the following resolution was duly confirmed, viz.:—

"That the Cardrona Valley Gold-dredging Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of 'The Companies Act, 1882,' and its amendments."

And at such last-mentioned meeting JOHN CHARLES SHORT and ALEXANDER BARTLEMAN, both of Dunedin, were appointed Liquidators for the purposes of winding up the company.

Dated at Dunedin, this 24th day of June, 1901.

JOHN C. SHORT,
 Chairman.

Witness—W. G. Riddell, Solicitor, Dunedin. 971

THE RECORD REIGN DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the Record Reign Dredging Company (Limited), held at the registered office of the company, Athenaeum Chambers, Dee Street, Invercargill, on the 28th day of June, 1901, the following resolution was passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the company that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that the company be wound up accordingly."

Mr. ALEXANDER CROSS was appointed Liquidator.

G. FRÖGGATT,
 Chairman.

Invercargill, 28th June, 1901. 972

Land Transfer Act Notices.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. xci., folio 121, comprising Lots 10 and 11, Plan 672 (part of Rural Section 188), Christchurch Survey District, whereof WILLIAM HENRY BLACK, of Christchurch, Salesman, is the registered proprietor, and of the outstanding duplicate of memorandum of mortgage No. 15908, charging the said land in favour of JOHN ROBERT CAMPBELL, WILLIAM GUISE BRITTAN, and EDWARD HORACE TEMPLER; and application having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title and to register a dealing affecting the said mortgage, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional certificate and register such dealing, dispensing with the production of the said duplicate mortgage, at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1901, 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.

9073. CHARLES JOSEPH GLOVER SAMUDA.—2 roods 1 perch, Lots 4 and 5, Plan 1593, part of Rural Section 697, Block XI., Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by William Lake.

9074. SAMUEL BAILEY.—1 acre, parts of Rural Section 2737, Block XVI., Rolleston Survey District. Occupied partly by John Voice, and partly by Albert John Voice.

9075. TEOTI PITA MUTU.—28 acres and 16 perches, Lots 4 and 5, Kaiapoi Native Reserve, Block VII., Rangiora Survey District. Occupied by Charles Frank D'Auvergne and Bonamy Grut D'Auvergne.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1901, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
 District Land Registrar.

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

No. 602. DAVID BROCKLEHURST.—1 rood, Section 798, Town of Hokitika. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of July, 1901, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

VICTOR GRACE DAY,
 District Land Registrar.

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

Allotment 11, Taipo Hill Estate.—THOMAS TESCHEMAKER, ELIZA JEANETTE TESCHEMAKER, and LATHAM OSBORN BEAL, Applicants. Occupied by R. B. Clark. 4425.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1901, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

H. TURTON,
 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 the date of the gazetting of this notice.

DALGETY AND COMPANY (LIMITED).—64 acres 1 rood 20 perches, being Section 39, Block IV., Jacob's River Hundred. Occupied by the Trustees under the will of the late William Stevens. No. 2798.

SARAH RAINES.—2 roods 14.5 perches, being Lots 67 and 68 on Plan 330 of the subdivision of Section 2, Block I., Hundred of Invercargill. Occupied by Twentyman Hodgson and Abram Watson, jun. No. 2801.

RICHARD LANG.—34 acres 3 roods 21 perches, being Section 32, Block XI., New River Hundred. Occupied by Applicant. No. 2802.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 8th day of July, 1901, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

W. WYINKS,
 District Land Registrar.

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Private Advertisements.

I, CHARLES HENRY WHEELER, M.D. Royal University Ireland, Master of Surgery Royal University Ireland, and Diplomate in State Medicine of the Royal Colleges of Physicians and Surgeons Ireland, now residing in Rawene, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 12th August next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Colony of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualifications in the office of the Registrar at Auckland.—Dated at Rawene, 12th July, 1901.

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CHARLES HENRY WHEELER.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership subsisting between us, the undersigned SAMUEL CROW, SAMUEL PEARCE EATON, and ALEXANDER CROW, all of Dunedin, carrying on business as Woollen Importers and Warehousemen at Dunedin aforesaid, under the style of "Eaton, Crow, and Co.," was, on the nineteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and one, dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the undersigned Samuel Pearce Eaton and Alexander Crow, by whom the business will in future be carried on.

Dated this 18th day of June, 1901.

SAML. CROW.
S. P. EATON.
ALEX. CROW.

Witness to the signatures of Samuel Crow, Samuel Pearce Eaton, and Alexander Crow—W. G. Riddell, Solicitor, Dunedin. 970

CHRISTCHURCH CITY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND FOR PURPOSES OF A "PUBLIC WORK."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Christchurch City Council, on behalf of the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Christchurch, incorporated under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," intends, under the provisions of "The Christchurch City Borrowing Act, 1899," "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," "The Public Health Act, 1900," "The Public Works Act, 1894," and every other authority enabling it in that behalf, to execute a certain "public work"—namely, to provide a central yard, and erect such buildings thereon as are necessary in connection with the destruction of rubbish, or for storing, housing, and preserving machinery, stock, tools, plant, and material belonging to or used by the Council, or necessary and convenient for the proper performance of the duties devolving upon the Council under the said Acts—and that for the purpose of such "public work" the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken.

And notice is hereby further given that, by direction of the said Council, a plan showing the land so required to be taken and the names of the owners and occupiers of the said land, so far as such names can be ascertained, is deposited in the public office of the said Christchurch City Council, situate at the junction of Worcester Street and Oxford Terrace, in the said city, and is there open for inspection.

And the said Council hereby calls upon all persons affected by the execution of the said "public work" or by the taking of the said land to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said works or the taking of such land, and to send such writing within forty days from the first publication of this notice to the said Christchurch City Council, at its said office.

SCHEDULE.

The parcels of land required to be taken :—

Names of Owner and Occupier.	Approximate Area and Description of the Parcel of Land intended to be taken.
So far as is known to the Council, the owner of the said land is Sarah Jane Simeon, and the occupier is the Crown Ironworks Company (Limited).	All that piece or parcel of land comprising Section 615 and part of Section 617, City of Christchurch, and containing 1 rood 20 $\frac{2}{3}$ perches, more or less, commencing at a point in Armagh Street at the north-west corner of Section 615; thence easterly along the north boundary of the said section, 101 links, to the eastern boundary; thence eastward, 515 links, along the north boundary of Section 617; thence southwards at an angle of 90°, 251 links, to the southern boundary of the said section; thence westward, at an angle of 90°, along the south boundary of the said section, 515 links; thence westerly along the south boundary of Section 615 to its western boundary, 101 links; thence northwards, 251 links; thence along the western boundary of the said section to the commencing-point; as the same is delineated in the said plan so deposited as aforesaid, and therein coloured green in outline.

As witness my hand, at Christchurch, this 9th day of July, 1901.

HY. R. SMITH,
Town Clerk.

NOTICE OF INTENTION OF THE NGATAPA ROAD DISTRICT BOARD TO TAKE LAND FOR A ROAD UNDER "THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1894."

NOTICE is given that it is the intention of the Ngatapa Road District Board, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1894," to take the parcel of land mentioned in the Schedule hereto for the purpose of a public road. A plan of the said land is open for inspection between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. at the homestead of the Ngatapa Station, Ngatapa, Poverty Bay.

All persons affected by the above proposal are hereby called upon to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections to the taking of the said land, and to send such writing within forty days from the date hereof to the office of the said Board at Gisborne.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1901.

H. M. PORTER,
Clerk to Board.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Land required to be taken.	Being Part of Block	Situated in Block No.	Shown on Plan No.	Coloured on Plan	Situated in Survey District of
A. R. P. 0 2 35	Okahuatū	No. 1	397	Purple	Wai-kohu

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MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

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