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*Vesting Control of the Co-operative Drain and Seventeen Valley Bridges in the Omaka Road Board, and apportioning the Cost of Maintenance.*

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

WHEREAS by section one hundred and fourteen of "The Public Works Act, 1894" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may, by Proclamation, publicly notified, direct that any bridge already constructed, or which may hereafter be constructed, over or across any river or arm of the sea shall, from and after a date to be fixed by such Proclamation, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of such local authority as shall be mentioned in that behalf in such Proclamation; and may by any such Proclamation as aforesaid fix and determine whether all or any, and, if so, what part, of the cost, whether theretofore incurred or thereafter to be incurred, of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing any such bridge is to be provided and paid by any local authority or authorities, and, if so, by what local authority or authorities; and may by any such Proclamation as aforesaid direct how, and when, and to whom any such payment is to be made:

And whereas by the said Act it is further provided that the Governor may from time to time, with the view of determining whether it is expedient to vest the exclusive care, control, management, and maintenance of any such work in any local authority, direct any person to be a Commissioner to inquire into and report to him upon any matter which he shall deem necessary to enable him to determine any such question as aforesaid:

And whereas a Commissioner was appointed and an inquiry was duly held with a view to determining what local authority could most conveniently and efficiently control the works mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and hereinafter referred to as "the said bridges," and what proportion of the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the said bridges should be paid by any, and, if so, which, local authority or authorities: And whereas such Commissioner did report to the Governor after due inquiry his opinion as to the matters respecting which he was appointed to report:

And whereas it is expedient to make provision under the said Act for the purposes and in the manner hereinafter set forth:

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Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and direct that the said works described in the Schedule hereto—namely, the bridges on the Redwood Pass Road known as "the Co-operative Drain and Seventeen Valley Bridges"—shall, from and after the date of this Proclamation, be under the exclusive care, and control, and management of the Omaka Road Board; and in further pursuance of the aforesaid powers and authorities I do hereby fix and determine that the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the said bridges shall be provided and paid by the Omaka and Awatere Road Boards in the following proportions: namely, by the Omaka Road Board in the proportion of two-thirds of such cost, and by the Awatere Road Board in the proportion of one-third of such cost. And I do hereby also further direct that the contribution hereby required to be made by the Awatere Road Board shall be paid from time to time in the proportion hereinbefore prescribed out of the funds of the said Road Board within a period of thirty days after demand in writing made by or on behalf of the Omaka Road Board; and such payment shall be made from time to time to the Clerk of the said Road Board for and on account of such Road Board.

SCHEDULE.

Those bridges known as the Co-operative Drain and Seventeen Valley Bridges, on the Redwood Pass Road, the site of which is shown in red upon the plan marked R. 1314, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Land District of Wellington.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for a Road in Block VIII., French Pass Survey District.

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, with the consent of the lessee of the land hereinafter mentioned, do by this notice hereby proclaim as taken for a road the land in the French Pass Survey District hereinafter described, that is to say,—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 5	11	VIII.	French Pass	R. 3084	Red.

In the Land District of Nelson; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above noted, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Land District of Wellington.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming the Taking of Lands for a Road through Block VI., Mangaone Survey District, Eketahuna County.

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, with the consent of the owners and of the mortgagee of the lands hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Eketahuna County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, do by this notice hereby proclaim as a road the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

CENTRAL MANGAONE ROAD.

The parcels of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Areas of Land taken for Road.	Being Part of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 10.8	58	VI.	Mangaone	R. 3806	Red edge.
0 0 27.3	18	"	"	"	Green edge.

In the Land District of Wellington; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above noted, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming the Taking of Land for Road in Block XII., Apiti Survey District.

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, with the consent of the lessee of the land hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Pohangina County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, do by this notice hereby proclaim as a road the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Block No.	Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 27.8	34	XII.	Apiti ..	199 2	Pink.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked as above mentioned, deposited in the District Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above noted.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Taking Lands for a Road through Section 1, Block X., Motu Survey District, Ngatapa Road District.

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, with the consent of the owner of the lands hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Ngatapa Road Board, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, do by this notice hereby proclaim as a road the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

MOTU VALLEY ROAD.

The parcels of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Block.	Survey District.	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 2 12 } 6 1 18 }	1	X.	Motu ..	R. 3827	Red.

All in the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon marked and coloured as above mentioned.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Local Land District constituted.*

(L.S.)

RANFURLY, Governor.

## A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the twenty-third section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that the Governor, by Proclamation in the *Gazette*, may from time to time establish and define, abolish, alter, or reconstitute local districts for the sale or disposal of land, and in like manner from time to time may appoint land offices and land officers or other persons for conducting sales of land in such local districts, and for receiving applications for the sale, letting, disposal, or occupation of Crown lands, and for generally carrying into effect the provisions of the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the district described in the Schedule hereto is hereby established, defined, and constituted a local land district for the sale and disposal of land under the said Act, and that the land offices the names of which are in the said Schedule set opposite the name of the said local district are appointed the land offices for the said local district.

## SCHEDULE.

Name and Description of Local District.	Names of Land Offices.
FOREST GATE LOCAL LAND DISTRICT. All that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, being sections numbered 3, 4, 5, and 8, Block VII.; 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15, Block VIII.; 1 and 2, Block XI.; and 2, Block XII., Ruataniwha Survey District	Principal Land Office, Napier. Local Land Office, the Odd Fellows' Hall, Waipawa.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Consenting to Entry of George Albert Martin upon Whatitiri No. 1e Block for Purpose of taking and laying off a Road.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of March, 1902.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. C. WALKER PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Public Works Act, 1894" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, in section ninety-eight thereof, enacted that no surveyor shall enter upon any Native cultivation for the purpose of taking a road under the authority of the said Act without the previous consent of the Governor in Council:

And whereas the consent of the Governor in Council is required to the entry of George Albert Martin, District Surveyor, upon the Native land known as Whatitiri No. 1e Block, containing 26 acres, situated in the Purua Survey District, in the Auckland Land District, for the purpose of taking and laying off a road-line through the said block:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby consent to the entry of the said George Albert Martin upon the said block for the purpose of taking and laying off a road-line.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of April, 1902.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of mortgage, all that block or parcel of land, situate in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, containing five hundred and ninety-four acres, more or less, known as Ohiti-Waitio No. 1e, being the whole of the land comprised in partition order of the Native Land Court, dated the twenty-sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and two, in favour of Wiki te Uamairangi.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of April, 1902.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of sale, the blocks or parcels of land particularised and set out in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing 35 acres, situate in the Provincial District of Auckland, known as Orua No. 2, being the land comprised in partition order of the Native Land Court, dated the 19th day of August, 1901, in favour of Tuta Nihoniho.

All that parcel of land, situate in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing 25 acres, more or less, and known as Orua No. 3, being the land comprised in partition order of the Native Land Court, dated the 19th day of August, 1901, in favour of Henare Mahuika.

All that parcel of land, containing 110 acres, more or less, situate in the Provincial District of Auckland, known as Orua No. 4, being the land comprised in partition order of the Native Land Court, dated the 19th day of August, 1901, in favour of Wiremu Pokiha and others.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of April, 1902.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

1. For preparing the rolls for ridings within the County of Southland: Until the 5th May, 1902.
2. Time for which such rolls shall be open for inspection: From the 10th May, 1902, to the 24th May, 1902.
3. Time for appeals against the said rolls: Until the 6th June, 1902.
4. Revision Courts may sit for hearing applications with reference to the said rolls, and adjourn: Until the 20th June, 1902.
5. Time when the said rolls, having been duly corrected and signed, shall come into force: On the 1st July, 1902.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Consenting to closing Road through Parish of Paremoremo, Block IV., Kumeu Survey District, and Parish of Waipareira, Waitemata County.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of April, 1902.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twelve, subsection one, of "The Public Works Act Amendment Act, 1900," it is enacted that a local authority shall not declare any county or district road to be stopped, and such road shall not be deemed to be stopped, until the consent thereto of the Governor by Order in Council gazetted is obtained: And whereas the Waitemata County Council has applied for such consent in respect to the road described in the Schedule hereto:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the above-in-part-recited Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby consent to the Waitemata County Council closing the parts of the road mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Area of Portion of Road to be closed.	Passing through or abutting on Section	Parish of	Situated in Block and Survey District	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 22 0 0	9 and 163	Paremoremo	Tikokopu and IV., Kumeu	R. 3743	Green.
2 1 36	39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, and 45, Suburb. Lot 2	Waipareira	..	R. 3743A	

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plans marked and coloured as above noted, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Declaring Portion of Main Trunk Road, in the Tiriraukawa Survey District, to be a Government Road.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of April, 1902.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1894," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order that the portions of the Main Trunk Road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be a Government road.

SCHEDULE.

THE several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Portions of Road.	Being through or on Frontage of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 0 0 1.9	9	XVI.	R. 3778	Green	Tiriraukawa, Rangitikei County.
0 0 16.8	"	"	"	"	Ditto.
0 2 24	"	"	"	"	"
1 0 1	"	"	"	"	"
0 0 11.4	"	"	"	"	"
0 0 24	10	"	"	"	"
2 1 17	"	"	"	"	"
1 1 4	"	"	"	"	"

All in the Land District of Wellington; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Prohibiting Trawling in a Portion of the Hauraki Gulf.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of April, 1902.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted by the fifth section of "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1894," that the Governor in Council may from time to time make regulations, which shall have general force and effect throughout the colony, or particular force and effect only in any waters or places specified therein, for, amongst other things, prescribing conditions and restrictions for the regulation of fishing and the taking of fish, and for prohibiting the use of any particular engines, tackles, or apparatus for taking any fish:

And whereas it is desirable to prohibit the taking of fish by trawling and the use of trawl-nets in a portion of the Hauraki Gulf:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the power and authority conferred by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the following regulations for the purposes of the said Act:—

## REGULATIONS.

1. No person shall trawl or use a trawl-net for the purpose of taking fish in that portion of the Hauraki Gulf which is bounded as follows: viz., Commencing at a point on a line drawn from Cape Colville to Rodney Point, and distant three nautical miles from high-water mark at Cape Colville; proceeding thence generally in a southerly direction at a distance of three nautical miles from high-water mark on the eastern shore-line of Hauraki Gulf till intersected by a straight line extending from the northern entrance of Cabbage Bay to Shearer Rock; thence in a westerly direction in a straight line to Shearer Rock; thence in a northerly direction to Flat Rock; thence in a northerly direction on a continuation of the last-mentioned line till intersected by the beforementioned line drawn from Cape Colville to Rodney Point; thence in a north-westerly direction to Rodney Point; thence generally southerly, easterly, and northerly along the high-water mark of the shore-line of the waters of the Hauraki Gulf to Cape Colville; thence in a straight line to the commencing-point: as the said area is delineated on the plan marked M.D. 2522, deposited in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

2. Any person committing a breach of the foregoing regulation shall be liable to a penalty of not less than one pound and not exceeding twenty pounds.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

## Rules under "The Supreme Court Act, 1882."

RANFURLY, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of April, 1902.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred by the thirty-first section of "The Supreme Court Act, 1882," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, and with the concurrence of their Honours the Judges of the Supreme Court of the said colony, doth hereby make the following rules, and doth declare that such rules shall take effect on and after the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and two:—

The application provided and authorised to be made under section 2 of "The Testator's Family Maintenance Act, 1900," shall be made by originating summonses.

Rule 519A shall be read as if the words "wife, husband" were inserted immediately after the word "legatee" and before the words "next of kin" in the said rule.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of May, 1902.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Order in Council, except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), for a limited period or otherwise, and either generally or for such purposes and subject to such restrictions as shall be in such Order specified, any land, wheresoever situate, which is for the time being subject to the operation of the said section, or any interest therein or right over the same,

or may in like manner make such exception in favour exclusively of any lessee or other person who has been *bond fide* in occupation of and has made improvements on such land, or has paid money to Native owners for lease or purchase thereof, prior to the passing of the said Act: Provided that no Order in Council under the provisions of this section shall take effect until after the expiration of two months from the date of the publication thereof in the *Gazette*: Provided also that every alienation under the provisions of this section shall be confirmed by the Court in terms of section fifty-three of the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of sale, mortgage, exchange, or otherwise, all that block or parcel of land, situate in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, containing one hundred and ninety-nine acres two roods four perches, more or less, known as Ohiti-Waitio No. 3D, being the whole of the land comprised in partition order of the Native Land Court, dated the twenty-seventh day of September, one thousand nine hundred, in favour of W. Broughton and another.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

## "The Education Act, 1877."—Class-books for Public Schools.

RANFURLY, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of May, 1902.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Education Act, 1877," the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the colony, doth make the regulation hereto annexed approving of class-books for public schools; and, with the like advice and consent, doth prescribe that this Order shall come into force on the first publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

## REGULATION.

Longmans' New Zealand Readers may be used in any public school as if they had been described and included in the list of works set forth in the Order in Council prescribing class-books for public schools, dated the 4th September, 1899.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

## Additional Regulation under "The Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1900."—Notice No. 700.

RANFURLY, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of May, 1902.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred on him by "The Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1900," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the following additional regulation:—

## REGULATION.

1. Application for the renewal or transfer of a license of a slaughterhouse or meat-export slaughterhouse shall be in the form in the Schedule hereto, signed by the applicant and addressed to the local authority, and shall be made so as to be in the hands of the Secretary for Agriculture at Wellington not later than the 1st day of June in every year.

2. The fee payable on renewal or transfer of a license shall be paid to the local authority at the time of application.

3. Paragraph (2) of clause 10 of the regulations published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the 4th day of April, 1901, is hereby revoked.

## SCHEDULE.

*Application for Renewal or Transfer of a License.*

To the County Council [or as the case may be].  
I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, hereby apply for a renewal [or transfer] of the license numbered \_\_\_\_\_ [In the case of a transfer, add to \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_].

[Name, address, and occupation of proposed transferee.]

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_.

[Signature of applicant.]

[Countersigned by the Inspector after inspection.]

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Warrant apportioning the Cost of constructing and maintaining Boundary Roads between the Pahiatua Borough Council and the Pahiatua County Council.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

WHEREAS by section seven of "The Public Works Acts Amendment Act, 1900" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that, where a road lies lengthways on the boundary of a borough, such road, whether included in whole or in part in such borough or not, shall be under the control of and shall be constructed and maintained by the borough, and that the cost of such construction and maintenance shall be borne by the Council of the borough and the local authority of every district of which such road is also a boundary or which is benefited by the construction or maintenance thereof, in such proportion as may be mutually agreed upon:

And whereas it is further provided that, if any dispute arises respecting the apportionment of such cost, such dispute shall be decided by the Governor, who may from time to time declare that the whole of such cost shall be borne by the Council of the borough, or may apportion the same among all or any of the local authorities concerned in such manner as he thinks fit:

And whereas a dispute has arisen between the Council of the Borough of Pahiatua and the County Council of Pahiatua as to the apportionment of the cost of constructing and maintaining the boundary roads described in the Schedule hereto, and it appears expedient to determine such dispute and to make the apportionment hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by the hereinbefore-in-part-recited Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby declare that the cost of constructing and maintaining the several portions of the boundary roads described in the Schedule hereto shall henceforth be borne by the Borough Council of Pahiatua and the County Council of Pahiatua in equal proportions of one-half each respectively; provided, however, that such cost shall not include the cost of constructing or maintaining footpaths on such roads.

## SCHEDULE.

THOSE portions of the roads which abut upon or form the southern boundary of the Borough of Pahiatua, and which extend from the south-eastern corner of Section 26 to the south-western corner of Section 25, Block VIII., Mangahao Survey District, for a length of one mile or thereabouts, and are known as the Tiraumea and Hall's Roads; as the said roads are shown on the plan marked R. 3223, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of a Portion of a Reserve in the Marlborough Land District.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," it is, amongst other things, enacted that the Governor may declare his intention to change or alter the dedication of any public reserve now or hereafter vested in His Majesty or the Governor for any of the purposes named in Class II. of the Schedule to the said Act, whether the same be granted or not; and if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be

expedient to change the purpose of such reserve or any part thereof from the purpose or presumed purpose for which it was set apart to any other purpose, the Governor may, by notice gazetted, declare his intention to make such change, and in such notice declare the manner and terms in which the same is intended to be so made:

Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," aforesaid, declare my intention to change the specific purpose of the portion of the reserve described in the second column of the Schedule hereto from that named in the first column of the said Schedule to that named in the third column of the said Schedule respectively.

## SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Original Reserve.	Portion which it is intended to change.	Intended Purpose.
All that parcel of land in the Marlborough Land District, containing by admeasurement 55 acres, more or less, being Section No. 7, Block V., Orieri Survey District. Reserved on the 4th February, 1898, <i>Gazette</i> No. 9, of the 10th February, 1898, page 245, for a resting-place for travelling stock.	All that parcel of land in the Marlborough Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres, more or less, being part of Section No. 7, Block V., Orieri Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 2, 500 links; towards the east by Section No. 8, 400 links; towards the south by other part of Section No. 7, 500 links; and towards the west by other part of Section No. 7, 400 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Lands and Survey Office, Blenheim.	Public cemetery

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this thirtieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Notice of Election of Chairman and Members of the Board of Conciliation for the Canterbury Industrial District.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1900," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby notify that

THOMAS GAPES, Paint-merchant, of Christchurch,  
ALBERT PALMER, Builder, of Christchurch,  
representing employers, and

CHARLES TAYLOR, Carpenter, of Christchurch,  
WALTER NEWTON, Upholsterer, of Christchurch,  
representing employees, have been duly elected as members, and

JAMES RICHARD TRIGGS, of St. Albans, Christchurch, has been duly elected as Chairman, of the Board of Conciliation in and for the Canterbury Industrial District.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and two.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Labour.

*Temporarily reserving Lands in the Nelson Land District.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

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

Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by



the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands in the Nelson Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes in the said Schedule specified at the end of the respective descriptions of the lands so intended to be temporarily reserved.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 70 acres 18 perches, more or less, being Parts 2 and 3 of Section No. 113 (Takaka), Block X., Waitapu Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 2036.14 links; towards the south-east by a public road, 3318.8 links; towards the south-west by Parts 1 and 4 respectively of Section No. 113, 2238.8 links; and towards the north-west by Sections Nos. 107 and 106 respectively, 3218.5 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 28061, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red. For an agricultural and pastoral society's showground.

All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Section No. 7, Block VI., Kawatiri Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a line commencing at a point in the south side of Burnett's Face Road 3067.4 links north of and 93303.7 links east of the Initial Station, Buller Meridional Circuit, and proceeding easterly along the south side of Burnett's Face Road 300 links; towards the south-east by Crown lands, 333.4 links; towards the south-west by Crown lands, 300 links; and towards the north-west by Crown lands, 333.4 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 47669, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red. For a school-site.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Lands temporarily reserved in the Land District of Wellington.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

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

Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands in the Land District of Wellington described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes in the said Schedule specified at the end of the respective descriptions of the lands so intended to be temporarily reserved.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 3 perches, more or less, being Section No. 10, Torere Village, Hautapu Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Sections Nos. 33 and 34, Torere Village; towards the east by Sections Nos. 11 and 12, Torere Village; towards the south by Torere Road; and towards the west by Section No. 9, Torere Village aforesaid: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 47996, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured purple. For primary education.

All that parcel of land in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 5, Torere Village, Hautapu Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 31, Torere Village; towards the east by Section No. 6, Torere Village; towards the south by Torere Road; and towards the west by Section No. 4, Torere Village aforesaid: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 47996, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red. For public buildings.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 26 acres and 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 5, Block XV., Nukumarū Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 4, Block XV., Nukumarū Survey District; towards the south-east by Section No. 243 of the said Block XV.; and towards

the south and west by Kai-iwi Valley Road: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 48464, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered purple. For primary education.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Land temporarily reserved in the Land District of Hawke's Bay.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

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

Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Land District of Hawke's Bay described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes in the said Schedule specified at the end of the description of the land so intended to be temporarily reserved.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being section No. 9, Township of Awanui, Waitapu Survey District. Bounded towards the north by a public road, 250 links; towards the east by a public road, 100 links; towards the south by Section No. 8, Township of Awanui, 250 links; and towards the west by Section No. 5, Township of Awanui, 100 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 48497, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red. For a landing-place.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Temporarily reserving Land in the Southland Land District.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

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

Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Southland Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purpose in the said Schedule specified at the end of the description of the land so intended to be temporarily reserved.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Land District of Southland, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 7, Block VII., Township of Waikaka. Bounded towards the north-west by Section No. 6, Township of Waikaka, 250 links; towards the north-east by Section No. 11 of the said Township of Waikaka, 100 links; towards the south-east by Section No. 8 of the Township of Waikaka aforesaid, 250 links; and towards the south-west by Main Street, 100 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 47877, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red. For a site for a post-office.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Additional Regulations under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900."*

RANFURLY, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon him by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand doth hereby make the following additional regulations for the purposes of the said Act:

REGULATIONS.

*Stopping Streets.*

1. The Council shall have a plan prepared of the street proposed to be stopped, and a survey made and a plan prepared of the new street (if any) showing the lands through which it is proposed to pass, and the owners and occupiers of such lands so far as known.
2. The said plans shall be open to public inspection at the office of the Council during four consecutive weeks prior to the holding of the meeting of electors required to be held by clause two of the Seventh Schedule to "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," and the Council shall once in each week during such period give public notice of the proposed alteration, and of the place where the plans are on view.
3. A notice of the proposed stoppage, printed on linen or calico, shall be affixed in a conspicuous place at each end of the street to be stopped.
4. A copy of the said notice and plans shall be transmitted by the Council for record in the office of the Chief Surveyor of the district; and no notice of the stoppage or diversion of the street shall take effect until such record is made.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and two.

J. G. WARD.

*Vaccination Districts constituted.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power vested in the Governor by "The Public Health Act, 1900," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing vaccination district known as the Eketahuna District, and do proclaim and declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said district is hereby divided anew into two vaccination districts, the names whereof shall be the Newman and Eketahuna Districts, and the boundaries whereof shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the marriage districts bearing the same names, as are set forth in a Proclamation dated the twenty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and two, made under the provisions of "The Marriage Act, 1880."

And I hereby declare that this Proclamation shall come into operation on the twenty-first day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and two.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and two.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Public Health.

*Temporarily reserving Lands in the Auckland Land District.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

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

Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands in the Auckland Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes in the said Schedule specified at the end of the respective descriptions of the lands so intended to be temporarily reserved.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being Section No. 18, Block XIII., Ohinemuri Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a line commencing at a point 298153.6 links south and 419589.2 links east of Mount Eden

initial station, and proceeding along a bearing  $316^{\circ} 9' 40''$  for a distance of 656 links; thence towards the south-east, along a line bearing  $53^{\circ} 52' 2''$ , for a distance of 1182 links; thence towards the south-west, along a line bearing  $136^{\circ} 10'$ , for a distance of 197 links; and thence towards the north-west, along a line bearing  $211^{\circ} 46' 42''$ , for a distance of 1209 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 48421, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red. For a reservoir-site.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, being Section No. 157A of the Parish of Taupiri, Hapuakohe Survey District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres and 14 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-west generally by a road running along the southern bank of the Mangawhara River, 225 links, 350 links, and 260 links respectively; towards the north-east by Section No. 157 of the Parish of Taupiri, 730 links; towards the south-west by Section No. 158 of the said Parish of Taupiri, 730 links; and towards the west by a public road, 173 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 48489, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Land District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red. For a landing-place.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, being Section No. 198A of the Parish of Waiwera, Waiwera Survey District, containing by admeasurement 6 acres and 26 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the south-east by a public road, 1230 links; towards the south-west by a public road, 1079 links; and towards the north by a public road, 1955 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 48465, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured purple. For a school-site.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Regulations, &c., relating to the Public-school Cadet Corps of the Colony.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

WHEREAS section eighty-five of "The Education Act, 1877," provides for "military drill" being carried out in the public schools of the colony: And whereas section seventeen, subsections one and two, of "The Defence Act Amendment Act, 1900," provides that the Governor may from time to time make regulations for the formation, equipment, and training of cadet corps in connection with the public schools, and give the control of such cadet corps to the Education Boards or the Education Department in such manner and to such extent as he thinks fit: And whereas it is expedient that cadet corps should be organized, equipped, and trained, and regulations made as aforesaid:

Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of all powers and authorities conferred on me by the aforesaid Acts, do hereby order and declare that all cadet corps in connection with the public schools of the colony already formed, and such other corps as may be formed hereafter, shall be and the same are hereby placed solely under the control of the Education Department: And in further pursuance of such powers and authorities as aforesaid I do hereby make the regulations set out in the Schedule hereto: And I do hereby order and declare that such regulations shall apply to all cadet corps as from the date hereof.

SCHEDULE.

REGULATIONS.

1. The Governor may from time to time appoint an officer to command such cadet corps, and such officer shall have power at such times as shall be arranged with the Education Board (hereinafter called "the Board") to inspect any of such corps and to enter any school for such purpose, and such officer will be held responsible for the training of such cadet corps. He shall also have power to issue such instructions and other "orders" as he may think necessary for the discipline, training, &c., of such cadet corps, and as approved by the Minister of Education (hereinafter called "the Minister"); and, further, he shall report from time to time on the efficiency of such cadet corps to the Minister.

2. The Minister may appoint such officers and instructors as he thinks fit for the training of such cadet corps, and he may remove any such officers or instructors so appointed if he thinks fit.



3. Education Boards shall set apart certain hours for military drill, not exceeding one hour in each week.

4. In every school in which there are twenty or more boys of twelve years of age or upwards the instruction in the military drill required by section 85 of "The Education Act, 1877," shall include physical drill, the manual and firing exercises, and such parts of company drill as it is possible to carry out.

5. The drill-book used shall be "Infantry Drill, 1896," or a later edition, or such special manual of drill as may be issued by the Department.

6. The Minister may recognise a cadet company in any school with a minimum establishment as follows: 2 lieutenants (or 1 captain and 1 lieutenant), 1 colour-sergeant, 2 sergeants, 2 corporals, 1 bugler, 40 privates (of whom 3 may be lance-corporals): total, 48 of all ranks.

7. In any school in which the number of enrolments brings the total establishment to more than 96 of all ranks, two companies shall be formed.

8. If there are less than 48 of all ranks, but not less than 24 of all ranks, a detachment may be formed, 20 at least being privates, under the charge of a lieutenant.

9. Two or three detachments from neighbouring schools may be formed into a company. The combined officers and non-commissioned officers of the detachments shall not exceed 1 captain, 2 lieutenants, 1 colour-sergeant, 3 sergeants, 4 corporals, and 1 bugler.

10. The officers shall be appointed by the Minister, on the recommendation of the headmaster, if the Board signifies its approval of such recommendation.

11. The non-commissioned officers shall be appointed, after examination, by the officer commanding the company or detachment.

12. At least one of the officers in each company or detachment must be a master of the school.

13. At the time of being enrolled in a public-school cadet company or detachment a cadet must, except as provided in clause 11,—

- (a.) Be on the roll of a public school;
- (b.) Be over twelve years of age; or
- (c.) Being under twelve years of age, be 4 ft. 7 in. in his stockinged feet, and be otherwise physically fit;
- (d.) Have obtained the consent of his parent or guardian to enrol.

14. The majority of a company at any time must be actually on the roll of the school, but—

- (a.) If already enrolled in a public-school cadet company, a boy may continue to belong to it after he has left school, provided that he may not be retained on the roll of the company after he has reached the age of sixteen;
- (b.) Where there are not sufficient boys over twelve on the roll of a school to form a detachment or a company, and where no other cadet corps exists, the required number may be made up by the addition of former pupils of the school who are over twelve and not over sixteen.

15. Battalions, consisting of not less than four companies nor more than six, may be formed in localities where the formation can be satisfactorily carried out. A battalion staff shall consist of 1 major, 1 adjutant, 1 quartermaster, 1 sergeant-major, 1 quartermaster-sergeant.

16. Battalion officers shall be appointed by the Minister on the recommendation of the inspecting officer indorsed by the Board.

17. Battalion bands, either brass or military, may be formed.

18. There shall, out of any funds appropriated by Parliament for the purpose, be paid for the benefit of each company, by way of capitation, the sum of two shillings and sixpence in respect of every cadet who attends the number of parades required by the Minister to be attended. Such capitation shall in each case be paid and applied in such manner as the Minister directs.

19. The Minister may appoint persons to inspect recognised public-school cadet companies, the times and places of such inspections being fixed by agreement with the Board in such a way as not to interfere with the ordinary routine of the schools.

20. In case of every recognised company or detachment, the Department will supply to the Board for the use of such company or detachment,—

- 1 model rifle and waistbelt for each cadet;
- 1 miniature rifle for each 10 cadets, but not more than 10 for any public school;
- 1 officer's sword with sling and knot if there are 24 cadets, 2 if 48 cadets, 3 if 72 cadets, and so on; but not more than 5 to any school;
- Rank-badges for non-commissioned officers, as required;
- 1 bugle for each company or detachment;
- 25 ball cartridges per cadet per annum.

21. Caps with badges, and haversacks, will be supplied at 2s. each respectively, and extra ammunition at cost price.

22. Rifles are to be kept clean, dry, and in good order, and after use must be placed safely in racks provided for them. The miniature rifles must be cleaned by means of the "pull through" after firing at each range, and on completion of the firing each rifle must be thoroughly cleaned before leaving the firing-point, and a piece of flannel smeared with vaseline run through the barrel; the lock-action and barrel also must be rubbed over with vaseline in order to prevent erosion. The miniature rifles must be kept locked up, and are not to be used except for target practice or for teaching the firing exercise. Neither miniature nor model rifles may be taken from the precincts of the schools except for an authorised parade or manoeuvre.

23. The ammunition issued for ball practice is to be expended as follows—viz., five rounds each at the 100, 200, 300, 400, and 500 yard ranges respectively; and to be fired standing at 100 yards, kneeling at 200 yards, sitting at 300 yards, and lying down at 400 and 500 yards. At all target practice and rifle matches every precaution must be taken to prevent accident, and the senior officer present on the range will be responsible to see that this is done. A bugler must be present at all times when ball-firing takes place. The number of ball cartridges issued at any one time to a cadet shall on no account be more than the number to be actually expended at a particular range, and the officer in charge shall see that every cartridge is accounted for.

24. Uniforms, if worn, shall be of a pattern approved by the Minister.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and two.

W. C. WALKER,  
Minister of Education.

*Warrant authorising the Council of the Borough of Onslow to construct and maintain Part of the Hutt Road, and apportioning the Cost of Construction and Maintenance.*

RANFURLY, Governor.

WHEREAS by section eight of "The Public Works Acts Amendment Act, 1900," it is enacted that in any case where a road in one district is largely used by or for the purpose of traffic to or from any other district or districts, and affords access to or from such district or districts, and the Governor is of opinion that it is equitable that the latter district should contribute towards the cost of constructing or maintaining the whole or any portion of such road in the former district, the Governor may from time to time apportion the cost of constructing or maintaining the whole or any part of such road among the local authorities of the respective districts as he thinks fit; and for that purpose, and to enable effect to be given thereto, the provisions of sections one hundred and thirteen and one hundred and fourteen of the principal Act shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply:

And whereas the Council of the Borough of Onslow has made application to the Governor to authorise the construction and maintenance of the road mentioned in the Schedule hereto (hereinafter referred to as "the said road"), and to apportion the cost of constructing and maintaining the said road between the said borough and other districts largely using the said road:

And whereas by section one hundred and thirteen of "The Public Works Act, 1894," it is further provided that the Governor may, with the view of determining whether or not the work should be done, or what proportion, if any, of the cost of the same should be borne by any local authority, and what local authority should do the work, direct any person to be a Commissioner to inquire and report to him upon any matter which he shall deem necessary to enable him to determine any such question as aforesaid:

And whereas subsection seven of section one hundred and fourteen of the said Act contains similar provisions in respect to maintenance and other matters:

And whereas a Commissioner was appointed and an inquiry duly held: And whereas such Commissioner did report to the Governor, after due inquiry, his opinion thereon:

And whereas the Governor is of opinion that the said road should be constructed and maintained:

Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Acts, do hereby authorise the Council of the Borough of Onslow to construct and maintain the said road. And I do hereby declare that the cost of constructing and maintaining the said road shall be borne by the Council of the City of Wellington, the Council of the Borough of Onslow, the

Council of the Borough of Petone, and the Council of the Borough of Lower Hutt, in the following proportions—viz., the Council of the City of Wellington to contribute seven twenty-fourths, the Council of the Borough of Onslow to contribute five twenty-fourths, the Council of the Borough of Petone to contribute seven twenty-fourths, and the Council of the Borough of Lower Hutt to contribute five twenty-fourths of the whole cost of constructing and maintaining such road.

SCHEDULE.

THAT portion of the road within the Borough of Onslow known as the Hutt Road extending from a point at the borough boundary near the Esplanade Hotel to the boundary-post near Ngahauranga, a distance of 143.68 chains.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Registrars of Electors, Westland and Waitaki Electoral Districts, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 5th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM ARTHUR DUNBAR BANKS

to be Registrar of Electors under "The Electoral Act, 1893," for the Electoral District of Westland, *vice* J. M. Hickson; also to appoint

WALTER YARWOOD PURCHASE

to be Registrar of Electors under the said Act for the Electoral District of Waitaki, *vice* H. Gourley. Appointments to date from the 5th May, 1902.

J. G. WARD.

*Appointment of Vice-Consul of Portugal at Wellington recognised provisionally.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 5th May, 1902.

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

ARTHUR DONALD STUART DUNCAN, Esq.,

as Vice-Consul of Portugal at Wellington.

J. G. WARD.

*Consular Agent of Italy at Christchurch recognised.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

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

THOMAS WALLACE, Esq.,

as Consular Agent of Italy at Christchurch.

J. G. WARD.

*Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be the Deputies of the Registrars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the districts set respectively opposite their names, viz.:

Name.	District.
PATRICK DALY MAGUIRE .. ..	Black's.
WILLIAM PYLE .. ..	Blackstone.

J. G. WARD.

*Registrar of Births and Deaths appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JULIAN FRANCIS LONG

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Onehunga, *vice* George Joseph Browne, on and from the 1st May, 1902.

J. G. WARD.

*Inspector of Weights and Measures, Borough of Kaiapoi, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable MICHAEL JOSEPH WILDERMOTH

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures, under "The Weights and Measures Act, 1868," and the Acts amending the same, for the Borough of Kaiapoi, *vice* Constable Michael Joyce.

J. G. WARD.

*Rangers under the Animals Protection Acts, Southland and Marlborough Districts, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 7th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned persons to be Rangers, under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, for the districts set opposite their names respectively, viz.:

Name.	District.
JAMES CARNEGIE GARDNER .. ..	Southland.
GEORGE FRANCIS STYLES .. ..	Marlborough.
GORDON MAITLAND .. ..	Marlborough.

J. G. WARD.

*Inspector of School of Anatomy, Dunedin, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 7th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint

TERENCE O'BRIEN,

Inspector of Police, Dunedin, to be an Inspector of the School of Anatomy at Dunedin, under "The Anatomy Act, 1875," *vice* Inspector W. S. Pardy.

J. G. WARD.

*Officers under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," Southland District, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 9th May, 1902.

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

JAMES CARNEGIE GARDNER, of Rannock, Orawia; and  
GEORGE FRANCIS STYLES, of Matura,

have been appointed officers for the purposes of that Act for the County of Southland west of the Matura River and the Counties of Wallace, Fiord, and Stewart Island.

J. G. WARD.

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

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable JAMES DANVERS LEECE

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Roxburgh, and Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Tuapeka, from the 1st instant, *vice* Constable W. Fouhy, transferred.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

*Public Vaccinators appointed.*

Department of Public Health,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned persons to be Public Vaccinators under "The Public Health Act, 1900," namely:

PATRICK JOSEPH POWER, Esq., L.R.C.S. Ireland, 1886, for the District of Otaki;

DAVID LLOYD CLAY, Esq., M.R.C.S. Eng. 1895, L.R.C.P. Lond. 1895,

for the District of Otaki;

SPENCER FRANCIS BEARD, Esq., L.S.A. Lond., M.R.C.S. Eng. 1877,

for the District of Pahiatua;

CHARLES LOW, Esq., M.B., &c.,

for the District of Mercury Bay.

J. G. WARD,

Minister of Public Health.

*Port Health Officer appointed.*

Department of Public Health,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES HENRY WHEELER, Esq., M.D., &c.,  
to be a Port Health Officer, under "The Public Health Act, 1900," for the Port of Hokianga.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Public Health.

*Vaccination Inspectors appointed.*

Department of Public Health,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned persons to be Vaccination Inspectors under "The Public Health Act, 1900," namely:—

ALFRED CLARK, Esq.,  
for the District of Eketahuna; as from the 21st day of April, 1902.

FREDERICK DOWSETT, Esq.,  
for the District of Newiman; as from the 21st day of April, 1902.

JOSEPH A. CUTTANCE, Esq.,  
for the District of Jackson's Bay, vice Joseph Collyer, resigned; as from the 2nd day of June, 1902.

MARCUS JACKMAN, Esq.,  
for the District of Clutha, vice J. A. Rix; as from the 8th day of April, 1902.

ROBERT ARCHIBALD BAYLIFFE, Esq.,  
for the District of Wairoa, vice S. F. Logan; as from the 4th day of April, 1902.

FRANCES MARY KELLY  
for the District of Awitu, vice A. B. Moir; as from the 5th day of April, 1902.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Public Health.

*Member of Taranaki Land Board reappointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 9th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to reappoint

JAMES RATTENBURY  
to be a member of the Land Board of the Land District of Taranaki, as from the 10th day of May, 1902.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Member of Hawke's Bay Land Board reappointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 9th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to reappoint

ROBERT READ GROOM  
to be a member of the Land Board of the Land District of Hawke's Bay, as from the 20th day of May, 1902.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Appointment of a Member of the Victoria College Council.*

Education Department,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint

A. R. GUINNESS, Esq., M.H.R.,  
to be a member of the Victoria College Council, as from the 5th day of May, 1902.

W. C. WALKER.

*Land Transfer Officer appointed.*

Head Office, Stamp Department,  
Wellington, 9th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN ANDREW AMBROSE  
to be Assistant Land Registrar for the Land Registration District of Canterbury, as from the 1st day of May, 1902.

W. C. WALKER,  
For Commissioner of Stamps.

*Inspector of Factories appointed.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 15th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant ALEXANDER CRUICKSHANK, of Dannevirke,  
to be an Inspector under "The Factories Act, 1901."

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Labour.

*Licensing Officer under "The Arms Act, 1880," appointed.*

Police Department,  
Wellington, 7th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant ALEXANDER CRUICKSHANK,  
of the New Zealand Police Force, to be a Licensing Officer under "The Arms Act, 1880."

JAMES MCGOWAN.

*New Zealand Militia Officer appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned appointment:—

*New Zealand Militia.*  
Sydney Vincent Trask to be Adjutant, Nelson District, with rank of Lieutenant, and with effect from 30th December, 1901.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned appointment:—

*No. 2 Company, Wellington Naval Artillery Volunteers.*  
Edgar Vernon Bevan to be Lieutenant. Appointment to date from 4th December, 1901.

R. J. SEDDON,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned appointment:—

*Wakatipu Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*  
John Alexander Algie to be Captain. Commission to date from 4th September, 1901.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned appointment:—

*Wakatipu Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*  
Philip Aldborough de la Perrelle to be Lieutenant. Commission to date from 4th September, 1901.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned appointment:—

*Wakatipu Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*  
Graham Dick Baird to be Lieutenant. Commission to date from 4th September, 1901.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned appointment:—

*Colac Bay Rifle Volunteers.*

George Tasman Dawson to be Captain. Commission to date from 4th December, 1901.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned appointment:—

*New Zealand Volunteer Medical Staff.*

Walter Robert Graham to be Surgeon-Captain. Commission to date from 18th March, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer resigned.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the commission held by the undermentioned officer:—

*East Coast Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain George John Winter. Date of resignation, 1st March, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer resigned.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the commission held by the undermentioned officer:—

*Wakatu Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Sydney Vincent Trask. Date of resignation, 29th December, 1901.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Corps attached to Battalion.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the

*Whangarei Rifle Volunteers (Whangarei)*

being attached to the 1st Battalion, Auckland Infantry Volunteers, and numbered "I" Company, with effect from 18th April, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Corps attached to Battalion.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the

*Kawa Kawa Rifle Volunteers (Kawa Kawa)*

being attached to the 1st Battalion, Auckland Infantry Volunteers, and numbered "J" Company, with effect from 18th April, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Corps attached to Battalion.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the

*Rotorua Rifle Volunteers (Rotorua)*

being attached to the 2nd Battalion, Auckland (Hauraki) Infantry Volunteers, with effect from 18th April, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Corps attached to Battalion.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the

*Waihi Rifle Volunteers (Waihi)*

being attached to the 2nd Battalion, Auckland (Hauraki) Infantry Volunteers, with effect from 18th April, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Corps attached to Battalion.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the

*Castlecliff Rifle Volunteers (Castlecliff)*

being attached to the 2nd Battalion, Wellington (West Coast) Rifle Volunteers, and numbered "I" Company, with effect from 16th April, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Corps attached to Battalion.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the

*Irish Rifle Volunteers (Wanganui)*

being attached to the 2nd Battalion, Wellington (West Coast) Rifle Volunteers, and numbered "J" Company, with effect from 16th April, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Corps attached to Battalion.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the

*Green Island Rifle Volunteers (Abbotsford)*

being attached to the 1st Battalion, Otago Rifle Volunteers, and numbered "M" Company, with effect from 14th April, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Clerk resigned.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 14th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

WILLIAM JOHN ORGAN

of his appointment as a Clerk in the Patent Office, as from the 14th May, 1902.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

*Member of Highbank Domain Board resigned.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 5th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of

HECTOR BOND

as a member of the Highbank Domain Board.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Member of Makaka Domain Board resigned.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 7th May, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of

WIGGS WILHELM MÖLLER

as a member of the Makaka Domain Board.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Borough of Lyttelton.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 8th May, 1902.

THE following notice, received from the Mayor of the Borough of Lyttelton, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900."

J. G. WARD.

BOROUGH OF LYTTTELTON.  
*Special Loan for Gasworks.*

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," that at a poll taken on the 30th day of April, 1902, on the proposal of the Lyttelton Borough Council to raise a special loan of £15,000 for the purpose of acquiring the undertaking of the Lyttelton Gas, Coal, and Coke Company, in terms of "The Lyttelton Borough Council Empowering Act, 1901," the following votes were recorded:—

For the proposal, 437; against the proposal, 57; informal, 17.

I therefore declare the said proposal duly carried.

T. C. FIELD,  
Mayor.

*Form of Declaration.*

I, Thomas Chamberlain Field, of Lyttelton, Mayor, do solemnly and sincerely declare that all proceedings required by law to be taken in or towards obtaining the sanction of the electors to the proposal of raising a special loan of £15,000 to provide for the cost of the undertaking of the Lyttelton Gas, Coal, and Coke Company, in terms of "The Lyttelton Borough Council Empowering Act, 1901," have been duly taken.

I further declare that the proposal submitted to a poll of the electors of the borough on the 30th day of April, 1902, was duly carried, 437 votes having been cast for and 57 against the same.

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 intitled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

T. C. FIELD,  
Mayor.

Declared at Lyttelton, this 3rd day of May, 1902, before me—Geo. Laursenon. J.P.

*Special Order made by the Waitemata County Council abolishing and constituting certain Ridings and fixing Representation thereof.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 14th May, 1902.

THE following special order, made by the Waitemata County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Counties Act, 1886."

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Colonial Secretary.

COUNTY OF WAITEMATA.  
*Special Order.*

THAT the **Kaukapakapa** Riding be dissolved, and two ridings constituted thereout—viz., (1) the **Kaukapakapa** Riding, comprising the **Kaukapakapa** Road District; (2) the **Kumeu** Riding, comprising the **Kaukapakapa** Outlying District—with one member for each; and that this special order take effect on and after the 1st day of November, 1902.

I certify that the foregoing resolution was passed at a special meeting of the Waitemata County Council held on the 4th day of April, 1902, and confirmed by way of special order on the 2nd day of May, 1902, and that all other forms of law in respect to such special order have been duly complied with.

OLIVER MAYS,  
Clerk, Waitemata County Council.

7th May, 1902.

*Special Order made by the Patea East Road Board, County of Patea.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 14th May, 1902.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Colonial Secretary.

PATEA EAST ROAD BOARD.

SPECIAL ORDER made by Patea East Road Board declaring certain Weeds Noxious Weeds within the District.

THE following special order has been duly made by the Patea East Road Board in compliance with the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1882," and "The Noxious Weeds Act, 1900":—

"That the following be declared noxious weeds within the Patea East Road District—viz., ragwort, burdock, giant burdock, and pennyroyal."

E. C. HORNER,  
Secretary.

I hereby declare that the above special order was duly passed by the Patea East Road Board in compliance with the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

E. C. HORNER,  
Secretary.

*Special Order made by the Patea West Road Board, County of Patea.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 14th May, 1902.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Colonial Secretary.

PATEA WEST ROAD BOARD.

SPECIAL ORDER made by Patea West Road Board, declaring certain Weeds Noxious Weeds within the District.

THE following special order has been duly made by the Patea West Road Board in compliance with the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1882," and "The Noxious Weeds Act, 1900":—

"That the following be declared noxious weeds within the Patea West Road District—viz., ragwort, burdock, giant burdock, and pennyroyal."

E. C. HORNER,  
Secretary.

I hereby declare that the above special order was duly passed by the Patea West Road Board in compliance with the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

E. C. HORNER,  
Secretary.

*Special Order made by the Cook County Council, County of Cook.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 12th May, 1902.

THE following special order, made by the Cook County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

J. G. WARD,  
For Colonial Treasurer.

COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.

A SPECIAL ORDER made by the Cook County Council on Friday, 21st March, 1902, and confirmed at a Subsequent Meeting held on the 2nd May, 1902.

RESOLVED, That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a supplementary loan of £200 authorised to be raised by the Cook County Council under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for completing the metalling of the road from Section 81, Block III., Patutahi Survey District, to Section 73, Block I., Turanganui Survey District, the said Cook County Council do hereby make and levy a special rate of  $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound upon the capital value of all rateable property of the Patutahi Loan District, comprising Sections 120, 121, Blocks II., III., Patutahi Survey District; Sections 86, 131, 132, 82, 83, 84, 85, 129, 130, 80, 81, 89, Block III., Patutahi Survey District; Sections 63A, 64, 77, 78, 65, 66, 67, 63, 68, Block IV., Patutahi Survey District; Sections 49, 51, 59, 61, 53, 55, 57, Block II., Patutahi Survey District; Sections 45, 47 (Subsection 5), Block I., Turanganui Survey District; part Okahuatui 2A, about 2,500 acres; part Okahuatui Section 2, about 2,500 acres; part Okahuatui 1, 1d, about 5,000 acres; part Tangihanga 1c, 800 acres: that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of August in each and every year during a period equal to the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Cook was hereto affixed in the presence of—

JOHN WARREN,  
Clerk.

I certify that the foregoing special order has been made in accordance with law, and that all the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," have been complied with.

JOHN WARREN,  
Clerk, Cook County Council.

*Special Order made by the Carterton Borough Council.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 12th May, 1902.

THE following special order, made by the Carterton Borough Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

C. H. MILLS,  
For Colonial Treasurer.

**CARTERTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the underwritten Special Order, passed by the above Council at a special meeting held on the 7th April, 1902, was duly confirmed at a subsequent special meeting held on the 6th May, 1902, viz.:—

"In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by 'The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900,' the Carterton Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £10,000 authorised to be raised by the Carterton Borough Council under the provisions of 'The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901,' for providing a high-pressure water-supply, the said Carterton Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable valuation of all rateable property of the Borough of Carterton, comprising Sections 1 to 33, 42 to 45, 54 to 57, 66 to 69, 78 to 81, 90 to 93, 102 to 106, Township of Carterton; Sections 142, 143, 205 to 214, part Sections 141, 173, 175, 176, 177, 179, 181, 182, 184, and 241, Taratahi Plain Block; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of December and the 1st day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off."

JAMES BAILLIE,  
Mayor.

I hereby certify that the above special order has been duly made and confirmed in accordance with the provisions of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900."

J. MONCRIEFF,  
Town Clerk.

*Special Order made by the Ross Borough Council.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 13th May, 1902.

THE following special order, made by the Ross Borough Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

C. H. MILLS,  
For Colonial Treasurer.

**BOROUGH OF ROSS.***Special Order.*

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," and "The Local Bodies' Goldfields Public Works and Loans Act, 1901," the Ross Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £5,000 authorised to be raised by the Ross Borough Council under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886," and "The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886," and the amendments thereof, and "The Local Bodies' Goldfields Public Works and Loans Act, 1901," for the purpose of acquiring and constructing a permanent and efficient water-supply for the Town of Ross under "The Local Bodies' Goldfields Public Works and Loans Act, 1901," the said Ross Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable valuation of all the rateable property of the Borough of Ross, comprising the district situate within its boundaries, and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of May and the 1st day of November in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order was passed by the Ross Borough Council at a special meeting held on the 14th day of March, 1902, and confirmed at a subsequent special meeting held on the 18th day of April, 1902.

JOSEPH GRIMMOND,  
Mayor.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Borough of Ross.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 13th May, 1902.

THE following notice, received from the Mayor of Ross, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

C. H. MILLS,  
For Colonial Treasurer.

**ROSS BOROUGH COUNCIL.**

In the matter of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," and "The Local Bodies' Goldfields Public Works and Loans Act, 1901."

To the Hon. the Colonial Secretary.

SIR,—I have the honour to give you notice that at a poll of the electors of the Borough of Ross duly qualified to vote under section 22 of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," held at the Council's offices, in the Borough of Ross, on the 14th day of March, 1902, on the proposal of the Ross Borough Council set out below, such proposal was duly carried, the votes recorded being—For the proposal, 95; against the proposal, 72.

The said proposal was as follows: "Public notice is hereby given that it is proposed by the Ross Borough Council to borrow, under 'The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886,' and its amendments, and 'The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1886,' and its amendments, and 'The Local Bodies' Goldfields Public Works and Loans Act, 1901,' by way of special loan, the sum of £5,000. The particulars of the undertaking and the sum proposed to be borrowed are as follows: Acquiring and constructing a permanent and efficient water-supply for the Town of Ross under 'The Local Bodies' Goldfields Public Works and Loans Act, 1901.' It is intended to pay during the construction of the works out of such loan the first year's interest thereon. It is intended to pledge as security for the said loan the water-supply, water-races, dams, goldfields revenue, and a special rate of  $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound on the capital value of the rateable property in the borough."

I have, &c.,

JOSEPH GRIMMOND,  
Mayor of Ross.

The Mayor's Office,  
Ross, 15th March, 1902.

*Statutory Declaration.*

I, Joseph Grimmond, Mayor of Ross, do solemnly and sincerely declare that all proceedings required by law to be taken in or towards obtaining the sanction of the electors of the Borough of Ross duly qualified to vote under section 22 of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," to the proposal of the Ross Borough Council set out in a notice of even date herein under my hand addressed to the Hon. the Colonial Secretary (which proposal relates to the raising of a special loan of £5,000 for acquiring and constructing a permanent and efficient water-supply for the Town of Ross under "The Local Bodies' Goldfields Public Works and Loans Act, 1901") have been duly taken, and that the resolution in favour of the proposal has been duly carried.

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 intitled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JOSEPH GRIMMOND,  
Mayor of Ross.

Taken and declared at Ross, this 15th day of March, 1902, before me—J. K. McKay, J.P.

*Special Order made by the Manukau Water-supply Board, County of Eden.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 14th May, 1902.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Colonial Secretary.

**MANUKAU WATER-SUPPLY BOARD.***BY-LAWS.*

MADE on the 10th day of January, 1902; confirmed, and sealed with the seal of the Manukau Water-supply Board, on the 14th day of February, 1902.

In pursuance of the powers thereunto enabling, the Manukau Water-supply Board do hereby make the by-laws following:—

**EXPLANATION OF THE TERMS USED.**

"Board" shall mean the body corporate of the Manukau Water-supply Board.

"Ordinary supply" shall mean only water used for strictly domestic purposes, and the Board reserve the right to determine in any case what shall be considered a supply for strictly domestic purposes.

"Extraordinary supply" shall mean water used for any other than purposes of ordinary supply, and may be charged extra accordingly.



## ORDINARY SUPPLY.

*On Properties in the Manukau Water-supply District.*

1. Rateable value on the valuation roll, in terms of "The Rating Act, 1894," and amendments thereto, not exceeding £12 10s., a rate of 10s. per annum.
2. Rateable value on the valuation roll exceeding £12 10s., a rate of £5 per cent. per annum on the first £100 of such value, and of £4 per cent. per annum on any rateable value over £100.

*Non-consumers' Rate.*

3. Upon all properties in the district to which the water can be, but is not, supplied, situate within 100 yards from any part of the waterworks mains, one-half of the above-mentioned rates.

*Miscellaneous.*

4. Urinals in hotels and manufacturing establishments, £1 10s. per annum each urinal. If more than three in any one premises, a deduction of 20 per cent. shall be made.
5. Urinals in private establishments, 15s. per annum each urinal.
6. Baths in hotels (first class) having ten or more bedrooms, £2 10s. per each bath per annum.
7. Lodging and boarding houses having five or more bedrooms, £2 per bath per annum.
8. Lodging and boarding houses under five bedrooms, £1 per annum for each bath.
9. Application for water shall be made at the office of the Corporation, and all necessary forms may be obtained there.
10. Water rates for such supply shall be payable half-yearly in advance; and new applications for service shall be accompanied by the tender of a sum equal to the rate for the broken period of the current half-year, commencing three days after date of application, except the payments be made two months prior to end of half-year, in which case payment shall be made to the end of the second half-year.
11. Every person supplied with water from the waterworks shall provide such proper taps, stopcocks, and such other apparatus as the Board requires, and shall keep the same in good repair, so as to prevent the water running to waste; and, in default of providing and keeping in repair such apparatus, the Board may stop the supply of water to such person in any manner it thinks fit.

## EXTRAORDINARY SUPPLY.

12. Manufacturers and other consumers, by meter at 1s. 6d. per 1,000 gallons; minimum charge, £1 5s. per quarter.
13. Supplies by meter or otherwise outside the district to private individuals or outside bodies to be charged for at such prices as the Board may determine.
14. Hose-taps for gardens and other purposes (excepting fire-extinguishing purposes), £1 per annum each or by meter, at the discretion of the Board. No hose attachment allowed unless paid for at this rate or by meter.
15. At standpipes, by meter of any quantity not exceeding 400 gallons, 2s. 6d.
16. 7s. 6d. per horse per annum for the maximum number of horses kept, or by meter, at the discretion of the Board.
17. Cow, mule, or ass, 5s. each per head per annum.
18. Builders shall be supplied by meter at 2s. per 1,000 gallons. They shall deposit the cost of the meter, which cost shall be retained as security that the meter is left in good order. No rent shall be charged for the meter. Minimum charge, 10s.
19. Rent of meters, 15s. per cent. on cost, payable quarterly in advance (a deposit of the value of the meter supplied shall, if deemed necessary, be deposited by applicants).
20. Fee for cutting off and turning on water-supply, 5s. each.
21. All pipes over  $\frac{3}{4}$  in. to be charged the difference of cost.
22. Exceptional cases for supply of piping outside of streets with mains, in manner as may be decided by the Board.
23. Rates by meter shall be payable quarterly.
24. Any consumer using the water shall, on delivery of written notice, have a meter affixed to gauge his supply. Meters shall be fixed in such places as the Board shall direct, and be charged for as mentioned in scale of charges.
25. Should any meter be out of repair, or cease to register, or register inaccurately, the officer duly appointed by the Board shall estimate the consumption at the average of the previous quarter charged to the consumer, who shall be liable to pay accordingly, and such decision shall be final.
26. All water-meters must be enclosed in a wooden box, and the keys of both meters and boxes, duly labelled with the name of the owner, must be lodged at the office of the Board. If required by the consumer, the box may have a glass front. Locks of meters to be uniform, and supplied by Board at expense of meter-user.

## PLUMBERS.

27. Competent plumbers may be licensed by the Board to lay pipes and do any work in connection with water-supply on payment of a fee of 2s. 6d. for every authority issued.
28. No plumber shall do any work connected with the water-supply without giving at least one clear day's notice thereof, and receiving written authority to do such work from the officer appointed by the Board.
29. Plumbers shall be responsible for all damage done or caused by them in performing any work whatever, either through bad workmanship or inferior material.
30. All work shall be done to the satisfaction and approval of the waterworks engineer, or other officer appointed by the Board, and must be passed by him before the water shall be turned on at the main.
31. All drawing-cocks used must be of the best quality and most approved description, and must be those known as "screw-down" valves, and in exposed or public places must be enclosed with a wood or iron box, under lock and key, of a size, quality, and description approved on behalf of the Board.
32. In addition to the stop-cock at the junction of the main in each service, a second stop-cock shall be placed in a strong box at and outside of the boundary of the property, supplied at the expense of the consumer.
33. In no case will the use of instantaneous-closing taps, valves, or cocks be permitted. Galvanised-iron piping of an approved quality only will be allowed for external services, and of the requisite sizes suitable to the requirements of the tenements, as shall be determined by the engineer or other officer appointed by the Board.
34. No direct connection shall be made with any steam-boiler or water-engine except by special consent of the Board, nor under any circumstances shall any connection be made whereby any water may be conveyed from any pipe to any water-closet.
35. In every bath or cistern supplied from the water-mains the outlet shall be distinct from and not connected with the inlet, and the inlet must be placed so that the orifice shall be above the highest water-level of the bath or cistern.

## REPAIRS.

36. Upon receiving notice from any officer appointed by the Board to do so, the person or persons receiving such notice shall forthwith repair any service-pipe, meter, tap, or other fixing used in the supply of water to any premises owned or occupied by him, or in his charge, care, or control, or in which he shall be in any manner interested; or in default of so doing shall be liable to have the water cut off.

## WASTE OF WATER.

37. No person shall cause or permit, or wilfully or negligently allow, any waste, or permit any unnecessary use of water to take place, either by allowing any cistern or other vessel to overflow, or the water to run from any tap, cock, valve, pipe, work, or engine, or in any other manner cause or permit waste of water.

## RATES IN ARREARS.

38. At the expiration of fourteen days from the date of any water rate being due, and after delivery of notice on the premises to which such water is laid on (excepting temporary supplies, which may be cut off after twenty-four hours' notice), it shall be competent for the officers of the Board to cut off any such supply in such manner as may be deemed advisable.

## WRONG OR FALSE INFORMATION.

39. No person shall give to any officer of the Board false information upon any matter pertaining to water-supply.

## PENALTIES.

40. Any person who shall violate, or fail to do or observe, or who shall in any way contravene any of the above rules, or any of the matters or things laid down in these by-laws, or who shall do any act, matter, or thing which he is prohibited from doing or is not allowed to do under the authority of these by-laws, shall for each and every such offence forfeit and pay a sum, on conviction, not exceeding £5.

This by-law shall apply to and be in force within the whole limits of the Manukau Water-supply District, and shall come into force on the 1st March, 1902.

This by-law was made and adopted by special order at a special meeting of the Manukau Water-supply Board on the 10th day of January, 1902. It was confirmed at a special meeting of the Board, held on the 14th day of February, 1902, and the seal of the Board was affixed in the presence of—

W. S. COCHRANE, Chairman.  
SAMUEL HESKETH, } Members.  
JOHN BROWN, }

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly passed and confirmed in accordance with "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

W. S. COCHRANE,  
Chairman,  
Manukau Water-supply Board.

*By-laws of the Raukawa District Maori Council, under "The Maori Councils Act, 1900," approved.*

Native Minister's Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the following by-laws made by the Maori Council of the Raukawa Maori District, under the provisions of section sixteen of "The Maori Councils Act, 1900."

J. CARROLL,  
Minister of Native Affairs.  
RANFURLY, Governor.

Approved.

SCHEDULE.

THE MAORI COUNCIL OF THE RAUKAWA MAORI DISTRICT.  
BY-LAWS.

THE Maori Council of the Raukawa Maori District, constituted under "The Maori Councils Act, 1900," hereby makes the following by-laws under and by virtue of the said Act, such by-laws to come into operation upon approval thereof by the Governor, and the publication of the same in the *Gazette* and *Kahiti* :—

*Interpretation.*

In these by-laws, except when inconsistent with the context, or when otherwise expressly provided, the following expressions shall have the meanings attached thereto :—

- "The said Act" means "The Maori Councils Act, 1900."
- "The Council" means the Maori Council of the Raukawa Maori District, constituted under the said Act.
- "Committee" or "Village Committee" means the Village Committee or Komiti Marae of a Maori kainga, village, or pa, appointed by the Maori Council under the provisions of the said Act.
- "District" means the Raukawa Maori District, proclaimed by the Governor under the said Act by Proclamation dated the 26th day of December, 1900.
- "Native township" means a township constituted under "The Native Townships Act, 1895."
- "Prescribed" means prescribed by rules or regulations made under the said Act or by these by-laws.

(A.) *Health and Personal Convenience.*

(Section 16, Subsection 1.)

1. Human corpses shall be buried, if the death occurs between the 15th day of March and the 15th day of September (both days inclusive) in any year, within four days after death; and, if the death occurs between the 16th day of September and the 14th day of March of the following year (both days inclusive), within three days after death, unless the Council shall otherwise direct, or unless it is otherwise provided for by any Act of the General Assembly.

2. It shall be the duty of the nearest relatives of the deceased, or, in their absence, of the owner or occupier of the house or premises wherein deceased died, to comply with the provisions of the last preceding by-law; and all or any of them shall be deemed to be guilty of a breach thereof as the Council may deem fit, and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one pound.

3. No human corpse shall be buried, except with the permission of the Council, in any place other than a burial-ground recognised by the inhabitants of a Maori kainga, or reserved or set apart by them or some duly constituted authority as a burial-ground.

4. No human corpse shall be permitted to lie in state in any house, but must be taken outside, and may lie in state in a tent to be erected in some suitable place which shall be indicated by the Chairman of the Village Committee or the member of Council for the riding.

5. The Council may, by notice in writing in Form A in the Schedule hereto, require the owner or occupier of any house within a kainga (other than cooking-houses, *kautas*, and out-buildings) which shall be erected after the coming into operation of these by-laws to construct a floor for the

same (within a time to be specified in such notice), to be approved by the Council or any person or body it may authorise in that behalf.

6. Any person who, after service upon him of such notice as aforesaid, refuses or neglects, within the time specified in such notice, or such further time as the Council may allow, to comply with the same, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one pound.

7. The Council may, in lieu of notice referred to in By-law No. 5, by notice in writing in Form B in the Schedule hereto, require the owner or occupier of any such building as is referred to in By-law No. 5 to construct or provide a couch or raised bedstead in such house at least 1ft. above the ground; and any person who, after service of such notice, shall refuse or neglect within the time specified in such notice to comply with the same shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one pound.

(B.) *Cleansing Houses.*

(Section 16, Subsection 2.)

8. The Chairman of the Council, or any person duly authorised by the Council in that behalf, may by notice in writing direct the owner or occupier of any house or other building in a dirty and unwholesome state to clean or cause the same to be cleaned within a time to be specified in such notice, which may be in Form C in the Schedule hereto. And if after service of such notice upon him any person shall refuse or neglect to comply with such notice, he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one pound for the first offence and not exceeding two pounds for every subsequent offence.

9. The Council may order the removal or destruction of any building in a dirty and unwholesome state, if in its opinion it is unsuitable for human accommodation, or if the owner or occupier thereof fails after due notice to clean, renovate, or himself remove or destroy the same. Any costs incurred by the Council in and about such removal or destruction shall be a debt due to the Council, recoverable as liquidated damages by process in the Magistrate's Court.

10. The Village Committee may in its discretion ease or modify the application of the foregoing By-laws Nos. 5, 6, 8, and 9, in the case of any old, ill, or feeble person occupying any such buildings as aforesaid, so that such by-law may not press heavily on such person. The Chairman of the Village Committee shall report the case and all the circumstances to the Chairman of the Council, whereupon the Council shall consider such case and decide whether it shall devote part of its funds towards cleansing and otherwise improving the dwellings of such sick, old, or feeble persons.

(C.) *Nuisances.*

(Section 16, Subsection 3.)

11. No nightsoil, refuse, or offensive rubbish shall be cast or deposited or allowed to flow into any spring, stream, or watercourse that flows through or past a Maori kainga, and which is used as a water-supply by the inhabitants of such kainga, or any other kainga on the banks of such stream or near such spring.

12. No person who is the owner or occupier of any premises within a Maori kainga shall permit or suffer any nightsoil or refuse or any offensive rubbish or matter of any kind whatever to accumulate or remain or be in or upon such premises, so as to be injurious or dangerous to health or so as to cause an offensive smell.

13. No horses, cattle, sheep, dogs, or other animals shall be buried within a Maori kainga.

14. No person shall throw or leave any dead animal on any property within a Maori kainga whereby any offensive smell is or is likely to be created.

15. Every person who commits a breach of any of the By-laws Nos. 11, 12, 13, and 14 shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one pound.

(D.) *Drunkenness.*

(Section 16, Subsection 4.)

16. No alcoholic liquor shall be supplied, drunk, or brought to any Maori *hui*, gathering, or meeting of any kind, or for any purpose whatsoever, whether held in a Maori kainga or at any other place within the district, except townships and European lots in a Native township.

17. Where a public meeting is held by invitation, the person or persons issuing such invitation shall be jointly and severally liable, if he or they supply or cause to be supplied any alcoholic liquor to the visitors, or any of them, or to any person whatsoever attending such meeting, to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

18. Any person found drunk at any kainga or Maori meeting shall be liable to a fine of not less than ten shillings and not exceeding two pounds.

19. Any person found drunk in any Maori kainga shall be liable to a fine not exceeding five shillings for the first offence, not exceeding ten shillings for the second offence, and not exceeding one pound for every subsequent offence.

20. Any person shall be guilty of an offence who—

- (1.) Being drunk, or under the influence of liquor, enters a meeting-house, or a church, or some other public building within a Maori pa.
- (2.) Takes any alcoholic liquor into such meeting-house, church, or public building.
- (3.) Drinks or causes any one else to drink any alcoholic liquor in any such meeting-house, church, or public building.

And such person shall be liable to a penalty of not less than five shillings and not exceeding one pound for a first offence, and not exceeding two pounds for every subsequent offence.

(E.) *Tohungas.*

(Section 16, Subsection 5.)

21. It shall not be lawful for any *tohunga* or alleged *tohunga* to cause any patient under his treatment to bathe in cold water.

22. It shall not be lawful for any such *tohunga* to hinder or prevent the attendance of a duly qualified medical practitioner on such patient, or the treatment of such patient with European medicines suitable to the complaint or prescribed by a duly qualified medical practitioner.

23. It shall not be lawful for any person alleged to be a *tohunga* to charge or receive any fee or reward for his services.

24. Any person committing a breach of the above By-laws Nos. 21, 22, and 23 shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

25. Wherever, on account of the practices of any person alleged to be a *tohunga*, he gathers a following and establishes himself in any kainga, or travels from one kainga to another with such following, so as, in the opinion of the Council or of any Village Committee, to cause serious inconvenience to the inhabitants of any kainga, or to any of them, by causing waste of food or substance, or in any other way, the Council may, by notice in writing, direct such *tohunga* to desist from such practices, and if he persist the Council may impose a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.

26. The Council may grant a license, after full inquiry, to persons skilled in the use of Maori herbs or *wairakau*, for such term and subject to such conditions as the Council may deem fit. Such license shall have force only within the district.

(F.) *Dog Registration.*

(Section 16, Subsection 7.)

27. The fee for the registration of any dog of a greater age than six months, owned by a Maori within the district, shall be five shillings: Provided that when dogs are kept or for the destruction of rabbits, the fee for registration for the sole purpose of the management of sheep or cattle, shall be two shillings and sixpence.

28. The fee shall be paid and registration made at the office of the Council, or to persons authorised under the seal of the Council to receive such fee and make such registration.

(G.) *Hawkers.*

(Section 16, Subsection 13.)

29. The following by-laws shall apply to Indian, Assyrian, and other hawkers selling their wares in the Maori kaingas within the district—that is to say:—

- (1.) Such person shall have a license from the Council before he may vend his wares within the kaingas of the district.
- (2.) The license in the Form D in the Schedule hereto shall have force throughout the whole of the district, and the fee therefor shall be one pound one shilling per annum, or twelve shillings and sixpence per half year.
- (3.) The Chairman or the Clerk of the Council, or a member of the Council duly authorised by the Council in that behalf, is empowered to issue such licenses.
- (4.) All fees paid for licenses shall be forwarded to the office of the Council.
- (5.) Any person hawking goods without license within Maori kaingas in the district shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds.

30. A special license may be issued by the Chairman or Clerk or any member of the Council, or by the Chairman of the Village Committee of a kainga where any *hui* or gathering is held, to any person desirous of hawking and selling goods at such *hui* or gathering, on payment of a fee of ten shillings. Such license shall be in force only while such *hui* or gathering lasts, and no longer. Any person hawking and

selling goods at such *hui* or gathering without special license, or a license as provided in the foregoing by-laws, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds.

(H.) *Smoking.*

(Section 16, Subsection 14.)

31. Every person, whether European or Maori, who sells, gives, or supplies any cigarette, tobacco, or torori to any Maori youth under the age of fifteen years shall be deemed guilty of an offence, and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds.

32. Every Maori youth under the age of fifteen years who smokes tobacco, torori, or a cigarette, or any part of a cigarette, shall be deemed to be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable for the first offence to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, for the second offence to a penalty not exceeding ten shillings, and for a third or subsequent offence to a penalty of one pound.

(J.) *Gambling.*

(Section 16, Subsection 15.)

33. Any person, whether Maori or otherwise, desirous of establishing a billiard-room in any kainga, village, or pa, and any Maori desirous of establishing a billiard-room at any other place within the district, except townships (but not Maori lots within a Native township) and European settlements, shall first obtain a license from the Council, which may be granted subject to the following terms and conditions:—

- (a.) Such license shall be in Form E in the Schedule hereto.
- (b.) The fee for such license shall be ten pounds.
- (c.) Such license shall remain in force for twelve months from the date thereof (unless sooner revoked by the Council as hereinafter provided).
- (d.) All billiard-rooms shall be properly ventilated, and shall at all times be kept clean and in good order.
- (e.) All billiard-rooms shall remain open on week-days, and only between the hours of 9 a.m. and 10 p.m. Any person committing a breach of this by-law shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one pound for the first offence, not exceeding two pounds for the second offence, and for a subsequent offence shall be liable to have his license revoked.
- (f.) No Maori youth under the age of fifteen years shall be permitted to play billiards on such licensed premises, and, if discovered playing therein, the licensee or the person for the time being in charge of the premises shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds for the first offence, and for a second offence the Council may revoke the license.
- (g.) Renewal of license must be applied for before the expiry of the term for which a license has been granted.

34. Any Maori youth under the age of fifteen years found playing billiards in any place whatsoever shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings for the first offence, not exceeding ten shillings for the second offence, and for a third or subsequent offence to a penalty not exceeding one pound.

35. Any person keeping a billiard-room or a billiard-table in any Maori kainga, and any Maori keeping such a room or table at any other place within the district except townships (but not Maori lots within a Native township) and European settlements, without license from the Council, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty-five pounds.

36. Any person found playing for money, whether by cards or any other game, within the precincts of any kainga, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten shillings for the first offence, not exceeding one pound for the second offence, and not exceeding two pounds for every subsequent offence.

37. Any person, the owner or occupier of any house or premises situate in any Maori kainga who shall permit or allow gambling or playing for money in such house or upon such premises shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one pound for the first offence, not exceeding two pounds for the second offence, and not exceeding five pounds for every subsequent offence.

*Village Committees.*

38. The Council may delegate all or any of its powers under the foregoing by-laws to the Village Committee, and such Committee shall thereupon have full authority to exercise such powers within its kainga.

39. The Village Committee may impose a fine or a penalty for the breach of a by-law, but if the same is not paid within a specified time the Chairman of the Committee shall thereupon report such breach and all the circumstances of the case, and the failure to pay the fine or penalty imposed, to the Chairman of the Council.

## THE SCHEDULE.

## Form A.

(By-law No. 5.)

To [Name],  
[Address].

GREETING. You are requested to construct a raised wooden floor for your house within \_\_\_\_\_ days after the service of this notice upon you, to the satisfaction of the Council [or Village Committee] or its authorised agent. And you are warned that if after service of this notice upon you you refuse or neglect within the time above specified to comply with the said notice you will be liable to a fine not exceeding £1.

Dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_,  
[Seal.] \_\_\_\_\_, Chairman [or Clerk] of \_\_\_\_\_ Council  
[or Village Committee].

## Form B.

(By-law No. 7.)

To [Name],  
[Address].

GREETING. You are requested to construct or provide a couch or raised bedstead at least 1 ft. above the ground for your house within \_\_\_\_\_ days after service of this notice upon you. And you are warned that if you refuse or neglect within the time above specified to comply with this notice you will be liable to a penalty not exceeding £1.

Dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_,  
[Seal.] \_\_\_\_\_, Chairman [or Clerk] of \_\_\_\_\_ Council  
[or Village Committee].

## Form C.

(By-law No. 8.)

To [Name],  
[Address].

GREETING. You are requested to cleanse or cause your house to be cleansed within \_\_\_\_\_ days after service of this notice upon you. And you are warned that if after such service you refuse or neglect within the time specified to comply with this notice you will be liable to a penalty not exceeding £1.

Dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_,  
[Seal.] \_\_\_\_\_, Chairman [or Clerk] of \_\_\_\_\_ Council  
[or Village Committee].

## Form D.

(By-law No. 27.)

## HAWKER LICENSE.

KNOW all men that \_\_\_\_\_, a hawker, is duly licensed to vend his goods in the kaingas of the \_\_\_\_\_ District for one year from the date hereof.

Given under the seal of the Maori Council of the \_\_\_\_\_ Maori District, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, one thousand nine hundred and \_\_\_\_\_,  
[Seal.] \_\_\_\_\_, Chairman [or Clerk] of the Council.

## Form E.

(By-law No. 33.)

KNOW all men that \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, is duly licensed to keep a billiard-room at \_\_\_\_\_ for twelve months from the date hereof, subject to the provisions of the by-laws of the Council.

Given under the seal of the Maori Council for Maori District, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, one thousand nine hundred and \_\_\_\_\_,  
[Seal.] \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

The above by-laws were passed at a meeting of the Maori Council for the Raukawa Maori District held at Otaki on the 29th day of April, 1902; and are given under the seal of the said Council.

(L.S.) \_\_\_\_\_, PITTIERA TAIPUA,  
Chairman.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and two.

J. CARROLL,  
Minister of Native Affairs.

*Nga Tikanga Whakahaere o te Kaunihera Maori o te Takiwa o Raukawa i raro i "Te Ture Kaunihera Maori, 1900."*

Tari o te Minita Maori,  
Poneke, 6 Mei, 1902.

HE whakaatu tenei kua pai te Kawana i tenei ra ki te whakaae i nga tikanga-whakahaere i hangaia e te Kaunihera Maori o te Takiwa Maori o Raukawa i raro i nga tikanga o te rarangi tekau-ma-ono o "Te Ture Kaunihera Maori, 1900," e whakaaturia nei i te Kupu Apiti i raro iho nei.

J. CARROLL,  
Minita mo te Taha Maori.

## TE KUPU APITI.

KAUNIHERA MAORI O TE TAKIWA MAORI O RAUKAWA.  
NGA TURE-WHAKAHAERE.

TENEI te Kaunihera Maori o te Takiwa Maori o Raukawa i whakaturia i raro i "Te Ture Kaunihera Maori, 1900," ka hanga nei i enei tikanga-whakahaere i raro i te mana o taua Ture, me timata te whai mana o aua tikanga-whakahaere a te wa e whakaaetia ai e te Kawana, me te panuitanga o aua mea i roto i te *Gazette* me te *Kahiti* :—

*Whakamarama.*

I roto i enei tikanga-whakahaere, mehemea ia kaore e taupatupatu ana ki nga kupu e whai ake nei, a mehemea kaore i motuhake te takoto a etahi atu whakamaramatanga, koia enei o ratou tikanga :—

"Tua Ture" tona tikanga ko "Te Ture Kaunihera Maori, 1900."

"Te Kaunihera" tona tikanga ko te Kaunihera Maori o te Takiwa Maori o Raukawa i whakaturia i raro i taua Ture.

"Komiti" ara "Komiti Marae" tona tikanga ko te Komiti Marae o tetahi kainga Maori i whakaturia i raro i nga tikanga o taua Ture.

"Takiwa" tona tikanga ko te Takiwa Maori o Raukawa i panuitia e te Kawana i raro i taua Ture i tana panuitanga o te 26 o nga ra o Tihema, 1900.

"Taone Maori" tona tikanga he Taone Maori i whakaturia i raro i "Te Ture Taone Maori, 1895."

"Whakatakatoria" tona tikanga i whakatakatoria e nga tikanga whakahaere i hangaia i raro i taua Ture, e enei tikanga-whakahaere ranei.

(A.) *Te Ora me te Noho Tika.*  
(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 1.)

1. Ko nga tupapaku mehemea ka mate i waenganui i te 15 o nga ra o Maehe me te 15 o nga ra o Hepetema (e uru ana ano ia aua ra), i roto i te tau, me tanu i roto i nga ra e wha i muri iho i te matenga; a mehemea ka mate i waenganui i te 16 o nga ra o Hepetema me te 14 o nga ra o Maehe (e uru ana ano ia aua ra), me tanu i roto i nga ra e toru i muri iho i te matenga, haunga ia mehemea ka takoto ke te whakahau a te Kaunihera, mehemea ranei ka takoto ke tetahi atu tikanga o tetahi Ture o te Paremete.

2. Ma nga whanaunga tata o te tupapaku, a, mehemea kei te ngaro ke ratou ma te tangata nona te whare, e noho ana ranei i roto i te whare i mate ai te tupapaku, mana e whakaturuki nga tikanga o te tikanga-whakahaere i runga ake nei, a ka whakaaekea te he ki runga ki a ratou, ki tetahi ranei o ratou mo te takahi i taua tikanga-whakahaere i runga i ta te Kaunihera e kite ai he tika, a ka ahei kia whiua ki te moni kia kua e neke ake i te kotahi pauna.

3. E kore rawa e pai, haunga ia mehemea e whakaaetia ana e te Kaunihera, kia tanumia te tupapaku ki tetahi wahi ke atu i te urupa e mohiotia ana he tanumanga tupapaku e nga tangata Maori o tetahi kainga Maori, kua rahuitia ranei, kua ata wehea ranei e ratou, e tetahi atu ropu whai mana ranei, hei urupa tanumanga tupapaku.

4. Ki te mate he tangata kua e whakatakatoria ki roto ki te whare, engari me hari atu ki waho, ara, ki roto ki tetahi teneti, a ko taua teneti me whakatu ki nga wahi i rite ana mo era tu aua e whakaritea e te Tiamana o te Komiti Marae, e te Memu Kaunihera ranei o te wahanga o te takiwa.

5. Ka ahei te Kaunihera ki te tuku panui atu, penel i te Ahua A e mau nei i te Kupu Apiti, ki te tangata nona tetahi whare, ki te tangata ranei e noho ana i roto i tetahi whare i roto i tetahi kainga (haunga i nga kauta me nga whare tu noa o waho) mehemea e hangaia ana taua whare i muri iho i te mananga o enei tikanga-whakahaere, hei whakahau atu kia hangaia he puroa mo taua whare (i roto ano i te wa e whakaritea e taua panui) kia tika ki te whakaaro o te Kaunihera, o tetahi tangata, o tetahi ropu ranei e whakamanaia e ia.

6. Mehemea i muri iho i te taenga atu o taua panui ki a ia, ka turi tetahi tangata, ka kore ranei e whakarite i te

whakabau a taua panui, i roto i te takiwa i whakaritea e taua panui, i tetahi atu takiwa ranei e tukua atu e te Kaunihera, ka ahei kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kaua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna.

7. Ka ahei te Kaunihera (ki te whakaaro ia kia kaua e tukua te panui e whakaaturia nei e te tikanga-whakahaere tua-rima) ki te tuku panui atu, penei i te Ahua B e mau nei i te Kupu Apiti, ki te tangata nona tetahi whare, ki te tangata ranei e noho ana i roto i tetahi whare e whakamaramatia nei e te tikanga-whakahaere tuarima, hei whakahau atu kia hangaia he moenga ki roto ki taua whare, kia kaua e hoki iho i te kotahi putu te rewa ake i te whenua; a mehemea i muri iho i te taenga atu o taua panui ki a ia, ka kore taua tangata e rongu, ka turi ranei ki te whakatutuki i te whakahau a taua panui i roto i te wa i whakaritea, e tika ana kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kaua e neke ake i te kotahi pauna.

(B.) *Nga Whare Paru.*

(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 2.)

8. Ka ahei te Tiamana o te Kaunihera, tetahi tangata, ropu ranei e whakamanai e te Kaunihera mo tera take, ki te tuku panui atu ki te tangata nona, ki te tangata ranei e noho ana i roto i tetahi whare e paru ana, e kino ana, hei whakahau atu kia whakapaia e ia, kia meatia ranei e ia kia whakapaia taua whare i roto i tetahi takiwa e whakaritea i roto i taua panui, penei i te ahua "C" e mau nei i te Kupu Apiti. A mehemea i muri iho i te taenga atu o taua panui ki a ia, ka kore taua tangata e rongu, ka turi ranei ki te whakatutuki i te whakahau a taua panui, e tika ana kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kaua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna, mo te hara tuatahi kia kaua e neke atu i te rua pauna mo ia haranga i muri iho.

9. Ka ahei te Kaunihera ki te whakahau kia haria atu, kia whakahoutia, kia whakakorea ranei tetahi whare e paru ana e kino ana, mehemea ki tana whakaaro e kore e pai kia nohoia tera tu whare e te tangata, mehemea te tangata nona te whare, te tangata ranei e noho ana i roto i taua whare, ina tae mai he whakahau ki a ia kia whakapaia, kia whakahoutia, kia whakakorea ranei taua whare, ka kore e rongu ki taua whakahau. Ko nga moni a te Kaunihera e pau i taua whakapainga, whakahoutanga, whakakorenga ranei, me takoto mai hei nama ma taua tangata ki te Kaunihera, a e taea te whai atu ki roto i te Kooti Whakawa Tuturu.

10. Kei nga Komiti Marae te whakaaro ki te whakangawari i nga tikanga-whakahaere tua-rima, tua-ono, tua-waru, me tua-iwa i runga ake nei mehemea ka tupono he kaumatua, he mate, he ngoikore ranei, te tangata nona, a e noho ana ranei i roto i aua tu whare kua kororotia ake nei, kia kore ai e pa uaua aua tikanga ki taua tangata; engari me whakaatu e te Tiamana o te Komiti Marae ki te Tiamana o te Kaunihera tera ahua, a hei reira te Kaunihera whiriwhiri ai i tetahi huarahi e taea ai e ia te whakapau he moni hei whakapai i aua tu whare o aua tangata kaumatua, mate, ngoikore ranei i roto ano i te oranga o te Kaunihera, kei tau atu hei taumabatanga mo aua tu tangata.

(C.) *Nga Paru o te Marae.*

(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 3.)

11. Kua rawa te paru, nga mea rukenga ranei e whiua, e whakatakotoria, e tukua ranei kia tere ki roto ki tetahi puna wai, i tetahi awa wai, mehemea e rere ana ma roto ma te taha ranei o tetahi kainga Maori, a mehemea taua awa e meatia ana hei wai inu, hei wai kai ranei ma nga tangata o taua kainga o tetahi atu kainga ranei e takoto tahi ana, e tu ihi ana ranei i te taha o taua puna, awa ranei.

12. E kore e pai kia whakahauputia, kia waiho kia takoto ana, e tetahi tangata te paru, te mea kino, te mea rukenga ranei, i te marae, i nga taha ranei o tona kainga, e whai putake mai ai mo te mate, e puta mai ai ranei te haunga.

13. Kua e tanumia te hoiho, te kau, te hipi, te kuri, tetahi atu kararehe ranei ki roto i te rohe o tetahi kainga Maori.

14. E kore e pai kia whiua atu, kia waiho ranei tetahi kararehe kua mate, ki runga i tetahi wahi i roto i tetahi kainga Maori e puta mai ai te haunga kino.

15. Ki te takahi te tangata i tetahi o nga Tikanga-whakahaere Nama 11, 12, 13, me te 14, kua whakatakotoria ake nei, e ahei ana kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kaua e neke ake i te kotahi pauna.

(D.) *Mo Te Haurangi.*

(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 4.)

16. Kua he waipiro e tukua, e haria mai, e inumia ranei ki tetahi hui Maori ahakoa he aha te putake o taua hui, ahakoa e tu ki roto ki tetahi kainga Maori, ki tetahi atu wahi ranei i roto i te takiwa, haunga ia nga taone, ara nga rota pakeha i roto i nga taone Maori.

17. Mehemea i tu tetahi hui nui i runga i te karanga, me tau ki runga i te tangata, i nga tangata ranei nana te karanga, te whiu mehemea ia, ratou ranei ka tuku, ka mea ranei kia tukua he waipiro ki nga manuhiri, ki te tangata whenua ranei, ki etahi ki tetahi ranei o ratou, kia kaua e neke atu i te tekau pauna.

18. Ki te kitea tetahi tangata e haurangi ana i tetahi hui Maori, e ahei ana kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kaua e iti iho i te tekau hereni kia kaua e neke atu i te rua pauna.

19. Ki te kitea tetahi tangata e haurangi ana i roto i tetahi kainga Maori, ka ahei kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kaua e neke atu i te rima hereni mo te hara tuatahi, kia kaua e neke atu i te tekau hereni mo te hara tuarua, ki kaua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna mo ia haranga o muri iho.

20. Tera e whai hara te tangata mehemea—

(1.) I a ia e haurangi ana, ka tomo ia ki roto i tetahi whare runanga, whare karakia, i tetahi atu whare ranei o te katoa i roto i te kainga.

(2.) Ka hari ia i te waipiro ki roto i tetahi whare runanga, whare karakia, whare ranei o te katoa.

(3.) Ka inu ia, ka mea ranei kia inu tetahi atu tangata, i te waipiro i roto i tetahi whare runanga, whare karakia, whare ranei o te katoa.

A, ko taua tangata me whiu ki te moni, kia kaua e iti iho i te rima hereni, kia kaua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna mo te hara tuatahi, a, kia kaua e neke atu i te rua pauna mo ia haranga i muri iho.

(E.) *Nga Tohunga.*

(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 5.)

21. E kore rawa e tika tetahi tohunga, tetahi tangata ranei e kiia ana he tohunga ki te mea kia kaukau tetahi turoro, e mahia ana e ia, ki te wai matao.

22. E kore rawa e tika kia arai, kia whakarururu ranei, tetahi tohunga, kei tao mai he takuta ki taua turoro, kei mahia ranei ki nga rongoa pakeha e rite ana mo tona mate, e whakaritea ranei e te takuta mo taua mate.

23. E kore rawa e tika tetahi tangata, e kiia ana he tohunga, kia tono moni, taonga ranei hei utu mo tana mahi.

24. Ko te tangata e takahi ana i tetahi o nga tikanga-whakahaere 21, 22, me te 23, e tika ana kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kaua e neke atu i te tekau pauna.

25. Mehemea i runga i te whakahaere a tetahi tangata e kiia ana he tohunga, ka huihuia e ia tetahi ropu tangata, a ka noho i tetahi kainga, ka haere atu ranei i tetahi kainga ki tetahi atu kainga me taua ropu, a ka whakaaro te Kaunihera, tetahi Komiti Marae ranei, tera e pa he rarururu, he mate ranei ki nga tangata o tetahi kainga, ki tetahi ranei o ratou, ara, ka pau a ratou kai, o ratou rawa ranei, ka pa mai ranei tetahi atu mate, ka ahei te Kaunihera ki te tuku panui atu ki taua tangata kia whakamutua tana mahi, a ki te tohe ia ka ahei te Kaunihera ki te whiu i a ia ki te moni, kia kaua e neke atu i te rima tekau pauna.

26. Ka ahei te Kaunihera ki te whakaputa raihana, i runga ano ia te ata uiui, ki nga tangata e matau ana ki te mahi i nga rakau Maori, me nga wai-rakau, mo te wa, a i runga i nga tikanga e kitea e te Kaunihera he tika. Me whaimana taua raihana ki roto anake i te takiwa.

(F.) *Rehita-tanga-Kuri.*

(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 7.)

27. Ko te utu mo te rehita-tanga o te kuri a tetahi Maori i roto i te takiwa, kua neke atu i te ono marama te pakeke, e rima hereni.

Engari ko te utu mo te rehita-tanga o nga kuri e meatia ana hei mahi hipi anake, kau anake ranei, hei patu rapeti anake ranei e rua hereni me te hikipene mo te kuri kotahi.

28. Me utu te moni rehita, a me rehita te kuri ki te Tari o te Kaunihera, ki nga tangata ranei e whakamanai i raro i te hiiri o te Kaunihera hei koha i taua moni, a hei rehita kuri.

(G.) *Nga Kai-hoko Taonga.*

(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 13.)

29. Me pa enei tikanga e whai ake nei ki nga Inia, ki nga Ahiria, me era atu tangata harihari haere i te taonga hei hokohoko ki roto i nga kainga Maori o roto o te takiwa ara:—

(1.) Kia whiwhi rawa taua tangata ki te raihana a te Kaunihera ka ahei ai ki te hokohoko taonga i roto i nga kainga Maori o te takiwa.

(2.) Ko taua raihana me penei i te Ahua D, a ka whaimana mo te takiwa katoa o te Kaunihera a ko te utu mo taua raihana kia kotahi pauna kotahi hereni mo te tau, a kia tekau-ma-rua hereni me te hikipene mo te hawhe tau.

(3.) Ka ahei te Tiamana, te Karaka ranei o te Kaunihera tetahi ranei o nga mema o te Kaunihera i whakamanai e te Kaunihera hei pera ki te whakaputa i taua raihana.

(4.) Ko nga moni katoa e utua ana mo nga raihana me tuku ki te tari o te Kaunihera.

(5.) Ki te pokanoa te tangata kaore ona raihana ki te hokohoko taonga i roto i nga kainga Maori o te takiwa ka whiua ia ki te moni kia kaua e neke ake i te rima pauna.

30. Ka ahei te Tiamana, te Karaka ranei, tetahi mema ranei o te Kaunihera, te Tiamana ranei o te Komiti Marae o tetahi kainga, kei reira nei tetahi hui e tu ana, ki te whaka-

puta raihana ki tetahi tangata e hiahia ana ki te hokohoko taonga i taua hui, ko te utu mo taua raihana kia tekau heremi. Ko te mana o taua raihana mo te wa anake o taua hui, kua e roa atu. Ki te hokohoko taonga tetahi tangata i taua hui, a kaore ona raihana penei, kaore ranei ona raihana i raro i tetahi atu o nga tikanga-whakahaere i runga ake nei, ka ahei kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kua e neke atu i te rima pauna.

## (H.) Te Kai-tupeka.

(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 14.)

31. Ka whai hara te tangata, ahakoa he Pakeha he Maori ranei, e hoko ana, e hoatu ana ranei i te hikareti, i te tupeka, i te torori ranei ki tetahi tamaiti Maori kaore nei ano nga tau i eke ki te tekau-ma-rima, a e tika ana kia whiua ki te moni kia kua e neke atu i te rima pauna.

32. Ka whai hara tetahi tamaiti Maori, kaore nei ano i eke nga tau ki te tekau-ma-rima, mehemea ia ka kai i te tupeka, i te torori ranei, i te hikareti, i tetahi wahi ranei o te hikareti, a e tika ana kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kua e neke atu i te rima hereni mo te hara tuatahi, kia kua e neke atu i te tekau hereni mo te hara tuarua, kia kua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna mo te hara tuatoru, mo ia haranga ranei o muri iho.

## (J.) Nga Purei Moni.

(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 15.)

33. Ko te tangata, ahakoa he Maori he aha ranei, e hiahia ana ki te whakatu whare piriote ki roto i tetahi kainga Maori, a ko te tangata Maori e hiahia ana ki te whakatu whare piriote ki tetahi atu wahi i roto i te takiwa, haunga ia nga taone (engari nga roto Maori i roto i nga taone) me nga kainga Pakeha, me whiwhi i te tuatahi ki te raihana a te Kaunihera, ma te Kaunihera e whakaputa i runga i nga tikanga e whai ake nei:—

- (a.) Ko taua raihana me penei i te Ahua E e mau nei i te Kupu Apiti.
- (b.) Ko te utu mo taua raihana kia tekau pauna.
- (c.) Ko te wa e mana ai taua raihana kia kotahi tau i muri iho i te ra i tuhia ai (haunga ia mehemea ka whakakorea e te Kaunihera i runga i nga tikanga i raro iho nei).
- (d.) Ko nga whare piriote me hanga kia whai huarahi mo te hau ki roto ki waho, a me ata tiaki pai kia kua e paru.
- (e.) Me puare nga whare piriote i nga ra noa o te wiki, i waenganui i te 9 o nga haora o te ata me te 10 o nga haora o te po. Ko te tangata e takahi ana i tenei tikanga-whakahaere, ka ahei kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna mo te hara tuatahi, kia kua e neke atu i te rua pauna mo te hara tuarua, a ki te hara i muri iho e ahei ana kia whakakorea tona raihana.
- (f.) E kore e pai kia tukua tetahi tamaiti Maori, kaore nei ano i eke nga tau ki te tekau-ma-rima, kia purei piriote i roto i tetahi whare piriote whai raihana, a mehemea ka kitea e purei ana i reira, ka ahei kia whiua te tangata i a ia te raihana, te tangata ranei e tieki ana i te whare piriote, ki te moni kia kua e neke atu i te rima pauna mo te hara tuatahi, a mo te hara tuarua ka ahei te Kaunihera ki te whakakore i te raihana.
- (g.) Ki te hiahia kia whakahoutia te raihana me tuku mai te tono i mua atu o te wa e mutu ai te mana o te raihana.

34. Ko te tamaiti Maori kaore nei ano nga tau i eke ki te tekau-ma-rima e kitea ana e purei piriote, ahakoa i hea, ka ahei kia whiua ki te moni kia kua e neke atu i te rima hereni mo te hara tuatahi, kia kua e neke atu i te tekau hereni mo te hara tuarua, kia kua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna mo te hara tuatoru mo ia haranga ranei o muri iho.

35. Ko te tangata nana tetahi whare piriote, teepu piriote ranei i roto i tetahi kainga Maori, a ko te tangata Maori nana tetahi whare pera, teepu pera ranei i tetahi atu wahi i roto i te takiwa haunga ia nga taone (engari nga roto Maori i roto i tetahi taone Maori) me nga kainga Pakeha, mehemea kaore ia i whiwhi i te raihana a te Kaunihera, ka ahei kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kua e neke atu i te rua-tekau-ma-rima pauna.

36. Ko te tangata e kitea ana e purei moni ana, ahakoa he purei kaari, ko etahi atu takaro ranei i roto o te rohe o tetahi kainga Maori, ka ahei kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kua e neke atu i te tekau hereni mo te hara tuatahi, kia kua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna mo te hara tuarua, kia kua e neke atu i te rua pauna mo ia haranga o muri iho.

37. Ko te tangata nona tetahi whare, e noho ana ranei i roto i tetahi whare i roto i tetahi kainga Maori, mehemea e tukua ana, e whakaetia ana ranei e ia te purei moni ki roto i taua whare, ka ahei kia whiua ki te moni kia kua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna mo te hara tuatahi, kia kua e neke atu i te rua pauna mo te hara tuarua, kia kua e neke atu i te rima pauna mo ia haranga o muri iho.

## Nga Komiti Marae.

38. Ka ahei te Kaunihera ki te tuku i katoa i tetahi ranei o ona mana i raro i nga tikanga whakahaere kua whakata-kotoria ake nei, ki tetahi Komiti Marae, a hei reira ka whai-mana taua Komiti ki te whakahaere i aua mana i roto i tona kainga.

39. Ka ahei te Komiti Marae ki te whiua a ki te whaina mo te takahanga i tetahi tikanga whakahaere, engari mehemea kaore e utua taua whaina i roto i te takiwa i whakaritea, me tuku atu e te Tiamana o te Komiti te whakaatu o taua takahanga me nga kupu whakamarama o te take me te korenga i utua te whaina ki te Tiamana o te Kaunihera.

TE KUPU APITI.

Ahua A.

(Tikanga-whakahaere Nama 5.)

Kia [Ingoa],

[Kainga].

TENA KOE. He tono atu tenei ki a koe, kia hangaia he puroa mo to whare i roto i nga ra e 19 i muri iho o te taenga atu o tenei panui ki a koe, kia rite ki te whakaaro o te Kaunihera [o te Komiti Marae ranei] ki to tana tangata ranei i whakamana ai. A he whakatupato atu tenei ki a koe, mehemea i muri iho i taenga atu o tenei panui ki a koe, ka kore koe e whakarite i tana whakahau i roto i te wa kua kia ake ra, e ahei ana kia whiua koe kia utu i te moni, kua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna.

I tuhia i te o nga ra o 19  
[Hiiri.] , Tiamana [Karaka ranei] o te Kau-  
nihera [o te Komiti Marae ranei].

Ahua B.

(Tikanga-whakahaere Nama 7.)

Kia [Ingoa],

[Kainga].

TENA KOE. He tono atu tenei ki a koe kia hangaia he moenga mo to whare kia kua e papaku iho i te kotahi putu ki runga ake o te oneone, i roto i nga ra e 19 i muri iho i te taenga atu o tenei panui ki a koe. A he whakatupato atu tenei ki a koe, mehemea, i muri iho i te taenga atu o tenei panui ki a koe, ka kore koe e whakarite i tana whakahau i roto i te wa kua kia ake ra, e ahei ana kia whiua koe kia utu i te moni kua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna.

I tuhia i te o nga ra o 19  
[Hiiri.] , Tiamana [Karaka ranei] o te Kau-  
nihera [o te Komiti Marae ranei].

Ahua C.

(Tikanga-whakahaere Nama 8.)

Kia [Ingoa],

[Kainga].

TENA KOE. He tono atu tenei ki a koe kia whakapaia, kia meatia ranei e koe kia whakapaia to whare i roto i nga ra e 19 i muri iho i te taenga atu o tenei panui ki a koe. A he whakatupato atu tenei ki a koe, mehemea, i muri iho i te taenga atu o tenei panui ki a koe, ka kore koe e rongu, ka turei ranei koe i roto i te takiwa i whakaritea ki te whakata-tutuki i te whakahau a tenei panui, tere koe e whiua kia utu i te moni kia kua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna.

I tuhia i te o nga ra o 19  
[Hiiri.] , Tiamana [Karaka ranei] o te Kau-  
nihera [o te Komiti Marae ranei].

Ahua D.

(Tikanga-whakahaere Nama 29.)

RAIHANA, HOOKA.

KIA mohio koutou kua whakamanaia a he tangata harihari taonga hei hokohoko, ki te hoko haere i ona taonga i roto i nga kainga Maori o te takiwa i te Kaunihera o mo te tau kotahi timata atu i tenei ra.

I tukua i raro i te hiiri o te Kaunihera Maori o te  
[Hiiri.] Takiwa Maori o , i te  
nga ra o 19  
, Tiamana [Karaka ranei] o te Kau-  
nihera o

Ahua E.

(Tikanga-whakahaere Nama 33.)

KIA mohio nga tangata katoa kua whai raihana a ki  
te whakahaere i tetahi whare-piriote i mo te tau



kotahi i muri iho i te ra o tenei raihana, i raro i te mana o nga tikanga-whakahaere a te Kaunihera.

I tukua i raro i te hiiri o te Kaunihera Maori o te [Hiiri. Takiwa Maori o , i te o nga ra o , 19 .

I paahitia enei tikanga-whakahaere i te hui o te Kaunihera Maori o te Takiwa Maori o Raukawa, i tu ki Otaki, i te 29 o nga ra o Aperira, 1902, a i tukua atu i raro i te hiiri o te Kaunihera.

(L.S.)

PITIERA TAIPUA,  
Tiamana.

Inahoki te hainatanga a te Kawana i tenei ra, te ono o nga ra o Mei, tau kotahi mano e iwa rau ma rua.

J. CARROLL,  
Minita mo nga Mea Maori.

*Results of Road Board Elections.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 13th May, 1902.

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.

Ruarangi Road District, County of Whangarei :  
William John McLean.  
Robert Thomson.

Waikiekie Road District, County of Whangarei :  
George William Bull.  
Henry Mason.

Kaurihohore Road District, County of Whangarei :  
Norman McKenzie.  
John McLeod.

Matakohe Road District, County of Otamatea :  
Harry Smith.  
William Henry Angel.

Mangawi Road District, County of Otamatea :  
Robert Hastie.  
Thomas Miller.

North Albertland Road District, County of Rodney :  
George Farrand.  
Edmund Yates.

Matakana East Road District, County of Rodney :  
William Blair.  
James Walden.

Ahuroa Road District, County of Rodney :  
W. Lowe Sanderson.

Orakei Road District, County of Eden :  
Paora Reweti.  
Hikiera Taierua.

Tamaki West Road District, County of Eden :  
John Massey, jun.  
William Douthwaite Holgate.

Mount Wellington Road District, County of Eden :  
Lindsay Cooke.  
James Joseph Waddell.

Pukekohe West Road District, County of Manukau :  
Township Subdivision—  
Thomas Moore.  
Undivided portion—  
W. J. Steen.  
Samuel Salisbury.

Maungatawhiri Road District, County of Manukau :  
John Potter.  
Alfred Batty.

Maraetai Road District, County of Manukau :  
Samuel Parker.  
George Stephens.

Turanga Road District, County of Manukau :  
John Granger.  
Herbert William Shaw.

Pakuranga Road District, County of Manukau :  
Edwin Roberts.  
Edward Fitzpatrick.

East Tamaki Road District, County of Manukau :  
Thomas Ellison.  
Arthur Gillard.

Howick Township Road District, County of Manukau :  
Lachlan McInnis.  
Henry Bushell.

Papatoitoti Road District, County of Manukau :  
Christopher Bailey.  
Robert Carruth.

Mangere Road District, County of Manukau :  
Andrew Anderson.  
William Scott.

Waitoa Road District, County of Piako :  
James Bell.  
Andrew Joseph Farmer.

Tamahere Road District, County of Waikato :  
Joseph Barugh.  
Edward Rhodes.

Kirikiri-roa Road District, County of Waikato :  
Matthew George Farrer.  
Frederick Richard Seddon.

Cambridge Road District, County of Waikato :  
Cornelius Day.  
James Taylor.

Huntly Road District, County of Waikato :  
Lewis B. Harris.  
Edward S. Wight.

Pukekura Road District, County of Waipa :  
Richard Reynolds.  
William Vosper.

Tuhikaramea Road District, County of Waipa :  
Thomas McMiken.  
Walter Reid.

Katikati Road District, County of Tauranga :  
George Vesey Stewart.  
John Killen.  
William Taylor.

Otaki Road District, County of Horowhenua :  
J. J. Booth.  
Herbert Freeman.  
F. D. Thomson.

Te Horo Road District, County of Horowhenua :  
Guy Havelock Kingdon.  
Herbert James Richards.

Seatoun Road District, County of Hutt :  
Charles John Crawford.  
Herbert Ernest Richards.

Wairoa Road District, County of Patea :  
George Saunders.  
Frederic Wilson.  
Manley H. Wybourne.

Okutuku Road District, County of Patea :  
George Howie.  
William Marchant.

Kohi Road District, County of Patea :  
Robert Bremer.  
James Riddell.

Motoroa Road District, County of Patea :  
William McLean.  
John Wilkins.

Whenuakura-Waitotara Road District, County of Patea :  
No. 4 Ward—  
William Brewer.  
No. 5 Ward—  
James Emerson Wilson.

Waitotara-Momohaki Road District, County of Patea :  
William Birch.  
William Beaumont Fisher.

Okato Road District, County of Taranaki :  
Archibald Corbett.  
Patrick Duggan.

Paribaka Road District, County of Taranaki :  
Alexander John Dunn.  
Thomas Harvey.  
Jacob Rothery.  
James Simpson.

Waitara West Road District, County of Taranaki :  
Henry Old.  
George Varey Tate.

Manganui Road District, County of Stratford :  
Frederick John Jackson.  
Charles Arnold Jones.  
Samuel Milne Porritt.

Suburban North Road District, County of Waimea :  
David Barnett.  
Adolf G. Dencker.  
Arthur Dodson.

Mount Peel Road District, County of Geraldine :  
George James Dennistoun.  
Bernard E. H. Tripp.

Mandeville and Rangiora Road District, County of Ashley :  
Frederick Horrell.  
Gavin Dalziel.

Springs Road District, County of Selwyn :  
John Marshall.  
Thomas Quayle.

Lake Coleridge Road District, County of Selwyn :  
Thomas A. Phillips.  
Wilfred Hall.

Ellesmere Road District, County of Selwyn :  
John Gilbert.  
William Nixon.

South Rakaia Road District, County of Ashburton :  
David Gordon Holmes.  
Thomas Morland.

Wakanui Road District, County of Ashburton :  
No. 2 Subdivision—  
David Cochrane.  
No. 3 Subdivision—  
Albert Collin Cameron.

Upper Ashburton Road District, County of Ashburton :  
Lagmhoh Ward—  
Donald McLean.  
Westerfield Ward—  
Charles John Harper.  
Dromore Ward—  
Ronald Campbell.

Inch-Clutha Road, River, and Drainage District, County of Bruce :  
George Anderson.  
George McDonald.  
William Weir.

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

To the owner or owners of a parcel of land, containing 1 acre 1 rood 11 perches, more or less, being Allotment 5 of Section 822, Block IV., Mahinapua Survey District. The land of which this is a subdivision was first known as Rural Section 8237, Hokitika, and it faces the ocean. The grantee is Charles Flexman, described as of Dunedin, tanner and currier, of whom nothing is known. The land is in the occupation of Mr. John Boyle.

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

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

Dated this 10th day of May, 1902.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

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

To the owner or owners of a parcel of land, being part of Section 37 on the plan of the Township of Cobden, in the Provincial District of Nelson. Bounded on the north by a line commencing at the north-west corner of the said section, extending easterly along Robinson Street, 61.5 links; thence on the east by a line extending southerly along other part of the said section, 121 links; thence on the south by a line extending westerly along Nelson Quay, 70.5 links; and thence on the west by a line extending along Section 38 on the said plan, 140 links, to the point of commencement: be all or any of the said admeasurements a little more or less. The last registered owner is Charles Henry Bease, of Cobden, hotelkeeper, who is stated to have died after leaving New Zealand.

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

Now, this notice calls upon such owner or owners, within six months of the date of the publication of this notice in this *Gazette*, to establish to the satisfaction of the Public Trustee his or their title to the land specified in this notice; and, if such owner does or owners do not, within the time

limited, so establish his or their title, the Public Trustee will exercise the powers and authorities granted to him in and by "The Unclaimed Lands Act, 1894."

Dated this 10th day of May, 1902.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

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

To the owner or owners of a parcel of land, containing 1 rood, more or less, being Section 679, York Street, in the Township of Picton. The grantee and registered owner is Annie Pidsley Currie, described as of Laura Lodge, Weston Road, County of Somerset, England, widow of Alexander Currie, who cannot be traced.

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

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

Dated this 13th day of May, 1902.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

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

To the owner or owners of three parcels of land, containing 1 rood each, more or less, being Section 130, in Young Street, and Sections 292 and 297, in Powderham Street, all situated in the Town of New Plymouth, in the Provincial District of Taranaki. The grantee of each parcel of land is Thomas Poole Waterhouse, described as of Halifax, Yorkshire, England, who never uplifted his title, and cannot now be traced.

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

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

Dated this 12th day of May, 1902.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

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

Public Trust Office,  
Wellington, 13th May, 1902.

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

William Smith, late of Mangamahu, in the Provincial District of Wellington, saddler. Filed on the 7th day of May, 1902.

John Joseph Ryan, late of Gibbston, in the Provincial District of Otago, dredge-caretaker. Filed on the 9th day of May, 1902.

George Augustus Bryan, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, old-age pensioner. Filed on the 12th day of May, 1902.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

*Holiday to be observed on Prince of Wales's Birthday.*

Colonial Secretary's Office.  
Wellington, 9th May, 1902.

THE 3rd of June, being the anniversary of the birthday of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, will in future be observed as a public holiday in the Government offices throughout the colony.

J. G. WARD.

*Tenders.*

Public Works Office,  
Wellington, 8th May, 1902.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders is published for general information.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister for Public Works.

WHANGAREI BRIDGE CONTRACT.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
G. M. Fraser and Co., Dunedin .. ..	.. ..	6,788	3	3
<i>Declined.</i>				
McPhee and Weaver, Whangarei .. ..	.. ..	7,253	6	0
J. McLean and Son, Auckland .. ..	.. ..	7,362	6	8
McKechnie and Fleming, Dunedin .. ..	.. ..	7,725	0	0
A. Watson, Ponsonby .. ..	.. ..	8,400	0	0
May and Gordon, Devonport .. ..	.. ..	8,555	16	0
Newsom and Coulson, Auckland .. ..	.. ..	9,538	6	10

*Notice to Local Authorities under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 3rd April, 1902.

PURSUANT to section 63 of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Colonial Treasurer hereby gives notice that on Monday, the 2nd June, 1902, he will be prepared to consider applications from local authorities for loans under this Act.

Applications should be addressed to the Colonial Treasurer, and must be posted so as to arrive at the Treasury on or before the 31st May, 1902.

C. H. MILLS,  
For Colonial Treasurer.

*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.

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

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to an application in that behalf made to me by the Wellington Amalgamated Restaurant and Oyster-saloon Keepers' Industrial Union of Employers, registered No. 235, situated at

Wellington, 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 TREGEAR,  
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

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

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 8th May, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to an application in that behalf made to me by the Canterbury Sausage-casing Makers' Industrial Union of Workers, registered No. 279, 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 TREGEAR,  
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

*Lands in Canterbury Land District surrendered.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 13th May, 1902.

IT is hereby notified that, the leases of the undermentioned Crown lands having been surrendered with the consent of the Canterbury Land Board, the said lands have reverted to the Crown under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.  
PAWAHO HAMLET.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Formerly held by	Tenure.
19	XVI.	Christchurch..	Philip G. Hoek	L. in P.
20	"	" ..	Adol. C. Smith	"

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Reserve in Canterbury for Lease by Public Tender.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 14th May, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, up to 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, 2nd July, 1902, for the lease of the undermentioned reserve.

In the event of no tenders being received at the time named for the land, it will remain open for lease on application at the upset annual rental, and for the term stated below.

SCHEDULE.

CHRISTCHURCH LAND DISTRICT.—SELWYN COUNTY.—HALSWELL SURVEY DISTRICT.

Reserve.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term.
Part of 3093 ..	X.	A. R. P. 8 0 0	£ s. d. 2 12 0	7 years

This reserve is situated in the Rabbit Island Village Settlement, between the main Christchurch-Little River Road and the Halswell River, and about 30 chains northerly from the Motukarara Railway-station, and comprises lying land of fair quality, the soil being a light sandy loam.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Tenders must be accompanied by marked cheque or money order for six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 ls. lease fee, and the successful tenderer shall, before being admitted to possession of the land, pay the sum of £11 10s., being valuation of boundary-fencing surrounding the reserve.
2. Possession will be given on the day of acceptance of tender, subject to payment of rent, fee, and valuation, as provided in the preceding clause.
3. The lease will be for the term stated in the Schedule, dating from date of acceptance of tender.
4. The Commissioner of Crown Lands may at any time resume possession of the land comprised in the lease, or any portion thereof, by giving to the lessee twelve months' notice in writing of his intention so to do.
5. The lessee shall have no right to compensation either for any improvements that may be placed upon the land, or on account of the aforesaid resumption, or for any other cause.
6. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the whole or any portion of the land comprised in the lease, except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
7. The land shall be used for grazing purposes only, and shall not be broken up or cropped without the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained. The lessee shall, as soon as may be practicable after the commencement of the lease, lay the land down in permanent pasture of approved grasses, in a satisfactory manner, and so leave it on the expiration or sooner termination of the lease.
8. The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and shall prevent their increase or spread to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
9. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbriar on the land comprised in the lease; and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, sweetbriar, broom, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
10. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance, free of all deductions whatsoever.
11. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee shall fail to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within sixty days after the date on which the same ought to be fulfilled.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

THOS. HUMPHRIES,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Fencourt Settlement, Auckland, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 8th March, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Thursday, the 22nd day of May, 1902, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAIKATO COUNTY.—CAMBRIDGE SURVEY DISTRICT.—FENCOURT SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
1	VI.	A. R. P. 409 3 10	s. d. 4 6	£ s. d. 46 2 2

Flat rolling downs, with some good alluvial drained swamp, in grass; fenced on three sides by a post-and-wire fence for about 230 chains. Bounded by the Cambridge-Maungakawa Road. Situated about three miles and a half from Cambridge and the cheese-factory. Value of fencing, £192; value of grass, £100.

GERHARD MUELLER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-runs, Wellington Land District, open for Lease on Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 7th May, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-runs will be open for lease on application, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, on Tuesday, the 24th June, 1902, at the half-yearly rentals noted below. In case of more than one application for the same run on the same day, priority of selection will be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 a.m., at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WANGANUI COUNTY.—KAITIEKE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Kaitieke Block.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre per Annum.		Half-yearly Rent.	
			s. d.	£ s. d.		
2	VI.	A. R. P. 400 0 0	s. d. 1 0	£ s. d. 10 0 0		
2	VII.	500 0 0	1 0	12 10 0		
3	"	601 2 0	0 10 5	13 3 2		
4	"	700 0 0	0 9	13 2 6		
5	"	700 0 0	0 9	13 2 6		
6	"	885 0 0	0 9	16 11 11		
2	X.	300 0 0	1 0	7 10 0		
35	"	272 0 0	1 0	6 16 0		
36	"	350 0 0	1 0	8 15 0		
37	"	357 0 0	1 0	8 18 6		
38	"	350 0 0	1 0	8 15 0		
39	"	400 0 0	1 0	10 0 0		
40	"	400 0 0	1 0	10 0 0		
41	"	400 0 0	1 0	10 0 0		
42	"	800 0 0	0 9	15 0 0		
1	XI.	400 0 0	1 0	10 0 0		
2	"	400 0 0	1 0	10 0 0		
3	"	500 0 0	1 0	12 10 0		
4	"	550 0 0	1 0	13 15 0		
5	"	805 0 0	0 10 5	17 12 2		
6	"	805 0 0	0 9	15 1 11		
1	XIV.	400 0 0	1 0	10 0 0		
2	"	500 0 0	1 0	12 10 0		

Section 2, Block VI., Kaitieke: This section is situated mostly on the southern side of the Oio Road, and adjoins the proposed township, a small part giving access to the Oio Stream. The access is from Raetihi, which is about forty miles distant, 9½ miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence 20½ miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence 9½ miles by the Kaitieke Road to its junction with the Oio Road, thence half a mile by the Oio Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 5 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being more or less hilly. The flats and lower slopes of the hills are covered by manuka, fern, and light bush, with heavier bush on the higher land. The soil is of pumice on the flats, humus and clay loam elsewhere, resting on a sandstone-and-papa formation. About two-thirds of the section is covered with heavy bush, comprising tawa, tawhero, rimu, kahikatea, matai, hinau, miro, and mahoe, with manuka, tataka, whauwhau, and cabbage-trees on the lower slopes, with a fairly thick undergrowth of fern, raureka, karamu, konini, makomako, and a few supplejacks. The section is fairly well watered by the Oio and smaller streams. The elevation ranges from 800 ft. to 1,650 ft. above sea-level.

Section 2, Block VII.: This section is situated on the southern side of the Oio Road. The access is from Raetihi, which is about 41½ miles distant, 9½ miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence 20½ miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence 9½ miles by the Kaitieke Road to its junction with the Oio Road, thence two miles up the Oio Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 5 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being hilly. With the exception of about 25 acres of light bush on the lower slopes the land is covered with heavy bush. The soil is of good quality, being of a humus and clay loam, resting on papa-and-sandstone formation.

The forest is fairly heavy, comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, miro, hinau, maire, and light bush, comprising tataka, horoeka, cabbage-trees, and whauwhau, with a slight undergrowth of fern, raurekau, karamu, konini, makomako, and a few supplejacks. The section is well watered by permanent streams. The elevation ranges from about 850 ft. to 1,700 ft. above sea-level.

Section 3, Block VII., Kaitieke: This section is situated on the southern side of the Oio Road. The access is from Raetihi, which is about 42½ miles distant, 9½ miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence 20½ miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence 9½ miles by the Kaitieke Road to its junction with the Oio Road, thence three miles up the Oio Road to the section; of this total distance seven miles only is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track to within half a mile of the section. The section comprises about 3 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being hilly. The whole area is covered with dense bush. The soil is humus and clay loam, resting on a sandstone-and-papa formation. The forest is fairly heavy, and comprises tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, miro, hinau, maire, and mahoe, with a slight undergrowth of fern, raurekau, karamu, konini, and a few supplejacks. The section is well watered by permanent streams. The elevation ranges from 900 ft. to 1,730 ft. above sea-level.

Section 4, Block VII., Kaitieke: This section is situated on the southern side of the Oio Road. The access is from Raetihi, which is about forty-three miles distant, 9½ miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence 20½ miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence 9½ miles by the Kaitieke Road to its junction with the Oio Road, thence 3½ miles up the Oio Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, and the remaining 34½ miles is a good bridle-track. The section comprises hilly land, with small flats on some of the lower spurs. The whole area is densely wooded. The soil is of good quality, being humus and a clay loam, resting on sandstone-and-papa formation. The forest is fairly heavy, comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, &c., with a slight undergrowth of fern, raurekau, karamu, konini, and a few supplejacks. The section is well watered by permanent streams. The elevation ranges from about 1,000 ft. to 1,750 ft. above sea-level.

Section 5, Block VII., Kaitieke: This section is situated on the southern side of Oio Road. The access is from Raetihi, which is about forty miles distant, 9½ miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence 26½ miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road, thence four miles by the Oio Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track. The section comprises hilly land over its whole area, which is covered with dense bush. There are a few small flats on the lower slopes. The soil is of good quality, being humus and clay loam resting on sandstone-and-papa formation. The forest is dense, comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, hinau, miro, maire, and mahoe, with slight undergrowth of raurekau, fern, and a few supplejacks. The section is well watered by permanent streams. The elevation ranges from about 1,100 ft. to 1,750 ft. above sea-level.

Section 6, Block VIII., Kaitieke: This section is situated on the southern side of the Oio Road, the access being from Raetihi, which is about 38½ miles distant, 9½ miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence 26½ miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road, thence 2½ miles by the Oio Road to the junction; of this total distance seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remaining portion being a good bridle-track. With the exception of a few small flats on the spurs the section comprises hilly land densely covered with bush. The soil is of good quality, being humus and a clay loam resting on sandstone-and-papa formation. The forest is dense, comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, hinau, miro, maire, and mahoe, with a slight undergrowth of raurekau and a few supplejacks. The section is fairly well watered by small streams. The elevation ranges from about 1,300 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level.

Section 2, Block X., Kaitieke: This section is situated at the junction of the Kaitieke and Retaruke Roads, and is divided into two parts, separated by the Retaruke Road, 42 acres being on the western side and 258 acres on the eastern side of the road. The access is from Raetihi, which is about forty miles distant, 9½ miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence 20½ miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence ten miles by the Kaitieke Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 30 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being more or less hilly. The flat land is partly open and partly covered with manuka, whilst the hilly country is mostly covered with fern, manuka, and light bush. The soil is mostly pumice, with a thin layer of clay loam in places, resting on sandstone-and-

papa formation. What bush there is is of a light nature, comprising manuka, tataka, whauwhau, and horoeka, with a fairly thick undergrowth of fern. The section is well watered by a permanent stream. The elevation ranges from about 800 ft. to 1,200 ft. above sea-level.

Section 35, Block X., Kaitieke: This section is situated on the northern side of the Kaitieke Road, and adjoins the proposed township. The access is from Raetihi, which is about 38½ miles distant, 9½ miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence 20½ miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence 8½ miles by the Kaitieke Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 50 acres of flat or nearly flat land, almost entirely covered with manuka, the remainder of the section being hilly, and covered with some light and some fairly heavy bush. The soil is of pumice on the flats, and a layer of clay loam on hills, resting on a sandstone-and-papa formation. About half of the section is covered with fairly heavy bush, comprising tawa, tawhero, rimu, kahikatea, matai, miro, hinau, maire, and mahoe, whilst on the lower slopes the bush consists of manuka, tataka, horoeka, and whauwhau, with a slight undergrowth of raurekau, fern, and a few supplejacks. The section is well watered by the Kaitieke and smaller streams. The elevation ranges from about 800 ft. to 1,600 ft. above sea-level.

Section 36, Block X., Kaitieke: This section is situated on the Retaruke Road, about a mile above its junction with the Kaitieke Road. The section is divided into two parts separated by the Retaruke Road, 18 acres being on the western side and 332 acres on the eastern side. The access is from Raetihi, which is about forty-two miles distant, 9½ miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence 20½ miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence eleven miles by the Kaitieke Road, and one mile by the Retaruke Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track only. The section comprises about 20 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being hilly. The flat land is partly open and partly covered with manuka and fern, while the hilly country is covered partly with heavy bush, but mostly with light bush. The soil is mostly pumice, and peaty soil resting on pumice, sandstone-and-papa formation. The bush is mostly of a light nature, with about a quarter part of the section covered with heavy bush. The heavy bush comprises tawa, tawhero, rimu, kahikatea, whilst the lighter bush includes manuka, tataka, horoeka, and mahoe, with a slight undergrowth of fern and a few supplejacks. The section is fairly well watered by small streams. Water can always be obtained from the Retaruke River, across the river-bank reserve. The elevation ranges from 800 ft. to 1,400 ft. above sea-level.

Section 37, Block X., Kaitieke: This section is situated mostly on the western side, with a small portion on the eastern side, of the Mangaohae Road, and adjoins the proposed township. The access is from Raetihi, which is about thirty-nine miles distant, 9½ miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence 20½ miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence nine miles by the Kaitieke and Mangaohae Roads to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 20 acres of flat or nearly flat land, partly open, but mostly covered with manuka and light bush; the remainder of the section is hilly, the lower slopes being covered with light bush, whilst the gullies and higher land are covered with heavier bush. The soil is pumice on flats and a clay loam on hills and slopes, resting on a sandstone-and-papa formation. About three-quarters of the section is covered with fairly heavy bush, comprising tawa, tawhero, rimu, matai, kahikatea, miro, hinau, and mahoe, the lower slopes being covered with manuka, tataka, horoeka, and whauwhau, with a slight undergrowth of fern, raurekau, and very few supplejacks. The section is fairly well watered by the Mangaohae and smaller streams. The elevation ranges from about 800 ft. to about 1,550 ft. above sea-level.

Section 38, Block X., Kaitieke: This section is situated at the junction of the Mangaohae and Kaitieke Roads. The access is from Raetihi, which is about thirty-eight miles distant, 9½ miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence 20½ miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence eight miles by the Kaitieke Road to the section; of this total distance seven miles only is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 50 acres of flat or nearly flat land, partly open and partly covered with manuka; the remainder of the section is hilly and covered with manuka and light bush, with about 50 acres of fairly heavy bush. The soil is pumice on flats and a clay loam on hills, resting on a sandstone-and-papa formation. The heavier bush, of which there are about 50 acres, comprises tawa, tawhero, rimu, kahikatea; the lighter bush consisting of manuka, tataka, horoeka, mahoe, and whau-

whau, with a slight undergrowth of fern. The section is well watered by the Mangaohae and smaller streams. The elevation ranges from about 800 ft. to 1,300 ft. above sea-level.

Section 39, Block X., Kaitieke: This section is situated on the eastern side of the Retaruke Road, about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles above its junction with the Kaitieke Road. The access is from Raetihi, which is about  $42\frac{1}{2}$  miles distant,  $9\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence  $20\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence eleven miles by the Kaitieke Road, thence  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Retaruke Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 13 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the rest being hilly. The flat land is partly open and partly covered with manuka and light bush, the higher ground being covered with heavier bush. The soil is pumice on flats and a clay loam on hills, resting on sandstone-and-papa formation. About half of the section is covered with heavy bush, comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, hinau, maire, and mahoe, the lower slopes being covered with manuka, tataka, horoeka, whauwhau, with a slight undergrowth of fern and a few supplejacks. The section is watered by small streams. Dams could be constructed. The elevation ranges from about 850 ft. to 1,550 ft. above sea-level.

Section 40, Block X., Kaitieke: This section is situated on the western side of the Mangaohae Road, with a small portion on the eastern side. The access is from Raetihi, which is about forty miles distant,  $9\frac{1}{2}$  miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence  $20\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence nine miles by the Kaitieke Road, and one mile up the Mangaohae Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way to within one mile of the section. The section comprises about 15 acres of flat or nearly flat land, covered with manuka and light bush. The remainder of the section is hilly, covered with some light, but mostly heavy, bush. The soil is of pumice on flat and clay loam on hills, resting on sandstone-and-papa formation. About five-sixths of the section is covered with heavy bush, comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, matai, kahikatea, hinau, miro, maire, and mahoe, the light bush comprising manuka, tataka, horoeka, whauwhau, with a slight undergrowth of fern, raurekau, and a few supplejacks. The section is well watered by the Mangaohae and smaller streams. The elevation ranges from about 850 ft. to 1,600 ft. above sea-level.

Section 41, Block X., Kaitieke: This section is situated on the Retaruke Road about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  miles above its junction with the Kaitieke Road. The section is divided into two parts, separated by the Retaruke Road, 18 acres being on the western side and 382 acres on the eastern side. The access is from Raetihi, which is about  $43\frac{1}{2}$  miles distant,  $9\frac{1}{2}$  miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence  $20\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence eleven miles by the Kaitieke Road, thence  $2\frac{1}{2}$  miles up the Retaruke Road to the section; of this total distance seven miles only is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 8 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being hilly. The flat land is mostly covered with manuka, whilst the lower slopes of the hills are covered with light bush, and heavy bush covers the rest of the section. The soil is pumice and alluvial on flats, and humus and a clay loam elsewhere, resting on a sandstone-and-papa formation. About two-thirds of the section is covered with heavy bush, comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, hinau, maire, and mahoe. The lower slopes of the hills are covered with manuka, tataka, horoeka, whauwhau, with slight undergrowth of fern and a few supplejacks. The section is well watered by small streams. Water can also be obtained from the Retaruke River, across the river-bank reserve. The elevation ranges from about 850 ft. to 1,600 ft. above sea-level.

Section 42, Block X., Kaitieke: This section is situated at the southern end of the Mangaohae Road. The access is from Raetihi, which is about forty-one miles distant,  $9\frac{1}{2}$  miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence  $20\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence nine miles by the Kaitieke Road, thence two miles up the Mangaohae Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 10 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being more or less hilly. The flats are generally along the banks of the main creek. The whole area is densely wooded. The soil is of humus and clay loam, resting on sandstone-and-papa formation. The forest is dense, and comprises tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, miro, hinau, maire, rewarewa, and mahoe, with a slight under-

growth of tree-fern, raurekau, and a few supplejacks. The section is well watered by permanent streams. The elevation ranges from about 1,000 ft. to 1,800 ft. above sea-level.

Section 1, Block XI., Kaitieke: This section is situated on the northern side of the Kaitieke Road. The access is from Raetihi, which is about thirty-eight miles distant,  $9\frac{1}{2}$  miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence  $20\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence eight miles by the Kaitieke Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 25 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being hilly. The flat is partly open and partly covered with manuka and heavy bush; the hilly land is entirely covered with heavy bush. The soil is pumice on flats, and humus and clay loam elsewhere, resting on sandstone-and-papa formation. The forest is of a fairly heavy nature, comprising tawa, tawhero, rimu, kahikatea, matai, miro, hinau, mahoe, with manuka, tataka, and horoeka on the flats, with slight undergrowth of fern, raurekau, and a few supplejacks. The section is well watered by the Kaitieke and smaller streams. The elevation ranges from 850 ft. to 1,650 ft. above sea-level.

Section 2, Block XI., Kaitieke: This section is situated on the northern side of the Kaitieke Road. The access is from Raetihi, which is about thirty-seven miles distant,  $9\frac{1}{2}$  miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence  $20\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence seven miles by the Kaitieke Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 2 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being hilly; the whole is covered with fairly heavy bush. The soil is of humus and clay loam, resting on sandstone-and-papa formation. The forest is fairly heavy, comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, miro, hinau, maire, rewarewa, and mahoe, with slight undergrowth of fern, raurekau, and a few supplejacks. The section is well watered by the Kaitieke and smaller streams. The elevation ranges from about 900 ft. to 1,730 ft. above sea-level.

Section 3, Block XI., Kaitieke: This section is situated on the northern side of the Kaitieke Road. The access is from Raetihi, which is about thirty-six miles distant,  $9\frac{1}{2}$  miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence  $20\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence six miles by the Kaitieke Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 20 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being hilly. The whole is covered with fairly heavy bush. The soil is of a humus and a clayloam nature, resting on sandstone-and-papa formation. The forest is fairly heavy, comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, miro, hinau, maire, rewarewa, and mahoe, with slight undergrowth of fern, raurekau, and a few supplejacks. The section is well watered by the Kaitieke and smaller streams. The elevation ranges from about 900 ft. to 1,740 ft. above sea-level.

Section 4, Block XI., Kaitieke: This section is situated between the Kaitieke and Mangaohae Roads, having a frontage to both roads. The access is from Raetihi, which is about thirty-seven miles distant,  $9\frac{1}{2}$  miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence  $20\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence seven miles down the Kaitieke Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 40 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being hilly. The whole of the section is covered with heavy bush. The soil is of a humus and clay loam nature, resting on sandstone-and-papa formation. The forest is fairly heavy, comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, miro, hinau, maire, rewarewa, and mahoe, with slight undergrowth of fern, raurekau, and a few supplejacks. The section is well watered by the Kaitieke, Mangaohae, and smaller streams. The elevation ranges from about 850 ft. to 1,500 ft. above sea-level.

Section 5, Block XI., Kaitieke: This section is situated on the southern side of the Kaitieke Road. The access is from Raetihi, which is about  $36\frac{1}{2}$  miles distant,  $9\frac{1}{2}$  miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence  $20\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence  $6\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Kaitieke Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 40 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being hilly. The whole area is covered with bush. The soil is of good quality, being of a humus and clay loam nature, resting on a sandstone-and-papa formation. The forest is dense, comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, miro, hinau, maire, rewarewa, and mahoe, with good undergrowth of tree-fern,



raurekau, and a few supplejacks. The section is very well watered by permanent streams. The elevation ranges from 1,000 ft. to 1,500 ft. above sea-level.

Section 6, Block XI., Kaitieke: This section is situated on the southern side of the Kaitieke Road. The access is from Raetihi, which is about thirty-six miles distant,  $9\frac{1}{2}$  miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence  $20\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence six miles down the Kaitieke Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 15 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being hilly. The flat land is generally along the valley of the Mangamaire. The whole area is densely wooded. The soil is humus and clay loam, resting on sandstone-and-papa formation. The forest is dense, comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, miro, hinau, maire, rewarewa, and mako, with good undergrowth of tree-fern, raurekau, and a few supplejacks. The section is well watered by permanent streams. The elevation ranges from about 1,000 ft. to 1,800 ft. above sea-level.

Section 1, Block XIV., Kaitieke: This section is situated mostly on the eastern side of the Retaruke Road, a small portion being on the western side of the road. The access is from Raetihi, which is about forty-four miles distant,  $9\frac{1}{2}$  miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence  $20\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence eleven miles by the Kaitieke Road, thence three miles up the Retaruke Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 20 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being hilly. The flats and lower slopes of the hills are covered with light bush and fern, but heavier bush on the higher land. The soil is pumice on flats, and humus and clay loam elsewhere, resting on sandstone-and-papa formation. About three-quarters of the section is covered with heavy bush, comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, miro, hinau, maire, rewarewa, and mahoe; the rest of the section is covered with manuka, tataka, horoeka, and whauwhau, with fairly thick undergrowth of fern, raurekau, and a few supplejacks. The section is fairly well watered by small streams, and water can also be obtained from the Retaruke, across the river-bank reserve. The elevation ranges from about 850 ft. to 1,650 ft. above sea-level.

Section 2, Block XIV., Kaitieke: This section is situated almost entirely on the eastern side of the Retaruke Road, a small portion being on the western side. The access is from Raetihi, which is about forty-five miles distant,  $9\frac{1}{2}$  miles being by the Makotuku Valley Road, thence  $20\frac{1}{2}$  miles by the Waimarino-Taumaranui Road to Pukerimu, thence eleven miles down the Kaitieke Road, thence four miles up the Retaruke Road to the section; of this total distance only seven miles is formed for vehicular traffic, the remainder being a good bridle-track all the way. The section comprises about 20 acres of flat or nearly flat land, the remainder being hilly. The higher land is covered with heavy bush, the lower slopes and flats being covered with manuka and light bush. The soil is partly pumice and partly alluvial on flats, and clay loam elsewhere, resting on a sandstone-and-papa formation. The forest is fairly heavy, comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, kahikatea, matai, miro, hinau, maire, rewarewa, and mahoe, the lighter bush comprising manuka, tataka, horoeka, and whauwhau, with undergrowth of fern, raurekau, and a few supplejacks. The section is well watered by the Retaruke and smaller streams. The elevation ranges from about 900 ft. to 1,600 ft. above sea-level.

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Dunedin, 30th April, 1902.

IT is hereby notified, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned Crown lands will be offered to the holder of the adjoining land, under section 114 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 1st day of August, 1902.

SCHEDULE.

SECTION 19, Block XIV., Pomahaka Downs Estate: 10 acres.

D. BARRON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Aparima Hundred for Sale under Section 114 of "The Land Act, 1892."*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 8th April, 1902.

IT is hereby notified, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned Crown land will be offered to the holder of the adjoining land under section 114 of "The Land Act, 1892," on or after the 9th July, 1902.

SCHEDULE.

SECTION 51, Block III., Aparima Hundred: 1 acre 3 roods 11 perches.

JOHN HAY,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Kauri Timber in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 15th April, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned kauri timber, standing on forest reserve, Block VIII., Opuawhanga Survey District, will be offered for sale by public auction, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, on Friday, the 6th day of June, 1902, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

*Forest Reserve, Block VIII., Opuawhanga Survey District.*

332 green kauri-trees, containing about 1,218,099 sup. feet; 8 dry kauri-trees, containing about 14,172 sup. feet; 165 totara-trees, containing about 111,018 sup. feet: total upset price, £1,020 8s.

Time for removal of timber, eighteen months from date of sale.

One-half purchase-money payable in cash, or by marked cheque, on the fall of the hammer; the balance within six months thereafter.

GERHARD MUELLER,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Grazing-lease of 38 Acres of Forest Reserve in Wellington for Sale by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 30th April, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned forest reserve will be submitted to public auction, for lease for grazing purposes, on Wednesday, the 18th day of June, 1902, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at 11 a.m. If not sold on the 18th day of June, 1902, the lease of this reserve will remain open for application at upset annual rental.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—PAHIATUA COUNTY.—MANGAHAO SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTION 14, Block I.; 38 acres. Upset annual rental, £5. Term, seven years.

This land is situated east of the Hall Settlement, on the Manawatu River, and comprises a natural clearing of flat low-lying land (subject to flood) of good quality and rich alluvial soil.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

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

2. The land comprised in the lease shall remain under "The New Zealand State Forests Act, 1895," subject only to the right of the lessee to use it for grazing purposes.

3. The lessee shall have no right to fell or remove from the land any live or dead trees or timber, whether standing or lying on the ground.

4. All persons duly authorised in that behalf shall have free right of ingress, egress, and regress for any of the purposes of the Act last aforesaid, or for felling or removing from the land any trees or timber.

5. The lessee shall have no claim for compensation for improvements at any time, but at the expiration of his lease may remove all fencing and buildings erected by him on the land.

6. The lease shall be subject to the conditions that the land comprised in lease shall be fenced, the vegetation shall be conserved as far as possible, and the road through it shall be kept open for traffic, and sheep only shall be allowed to graze upon the land.

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

## Land in Wellington Land District open for Sale or Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, 15th April, 1902.  
**NOTICE** is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be open for sale or selection, at this office, 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 Tuesday, the 27th May, 1902.

## SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WELLINGTON FRUITGROWERS' BLOCK.

Second-class Land.

County.	District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price.		Occupation with Right of Purchase: Rent, 5 per Cent.		Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
					Per Acre.	Total Price.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
Horowhenua	Kaitawa ..	57	X.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.
				200 0 0	1 15 0	350 0 0	1 9	8 15 0	1 4 8	7 0 0

Weighted with £264 7s. 6d. for improvements.

This section is situated in the Wellington Fruitgrowers' Block, in the Waikanae Valley. The access is from Waikanae Railway-station, which is about four miles and a half distant; two miles and a half are metalled dray-road, and the rest is formed sufficiently wide to enable a dray to be taken over it. The section comprises some nice flat and undulating land on the front, rising and becoming rather broken at the back. The whole lies well to the sun. The soil is of good quality in front, and fair at the back, resting on clay-and-rock formation. The forest is fairly heavy, comprising mainly rimu, matai, hinau, rata, tawa, birch (on ridges), &c., with a thick undergrowth of supplejack, keakea, horopito, ponga, &c. The section is well watered by springs and small streams. The improvements, which are out of repair, comprise 160 acres grassed, stumping, fencing, orchard, two-roomed cottage, old whare: total, £264 7s. 6d.

JOHN STRAUCHON,

Commissioner of Crown Lands.

## NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Appellate Court at Whangarei.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 1st May, 1902.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Appellate Court will be held at Whangarei on the 21st day of May, 1902, to hear and determine the several appeals against the decisions of the Native Land Court set forth in the Schedule hereto. All persons interested are hereby notified to attend at the time and place aforesaid.  
 [Auckland, 1902-15.]

JAS. W. BROWNE, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

No.	Name of Appellant.	Name of Land.	Decision in respect of which Appeal is made.
1	Himi Peru, Tanatiu Huna, and Mereana Himi Peru (441-5, 1/31)	Maruata (No. 6), Popoia, Kiripaka (No. 1A)	Decision, dated the 3rd day of October, 1896, appointing successors to Riwai Taikawa.
2	Henare Wharara and others (580-7, 1/31)	Otara .. .. .	Decision, dated the 6th day of October, 1896, partitioning the said land.
3	Rarihi Eruera, Erueti Kerehama, Hohi Kemara, and others (571-12, 1/32)	Horahora No. 1 .. .. .	Decision, dated the 16th day of October, 1896, partitioning the said land.
4	Hama Horomona (by his solicitor, E. Thurlow Field), (881-1, 1/46)	Rahuikuri .. .. .	Decision, dated the 6th day of July, 1897, appointing successor to Horomona Kaikou.
5	Wharekohatu Hihitaua, Hirama Mokopapaki, and Honiana (225-4, 1/47)	Pakikaikutu .. .. .	Decision, dated the 18th day of June, 1897, made under subsection (10) of section 14 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," declaring the persons entitled.
6	Ka te Ao Paratene te Takupu, Patu Patuone, Raupia Hohepa, Ani Ngakete, Kawana Peru, Patu Hihira, and Wiri Nehua (318B.L.-19, 1/48)	Puhipuhi No. 4 .. .. .	Decision, dated the 24th day of June, 1897, partitioning the said land.
7	Hori Kimate (571-16, 1/71) ..	Horahora No. 1, Pukahakaha East, Pukahakaha West	Decision, dated the 15th day of March, 1898, appointing successors to the interests of Haki Kopa.
8	Henare Panoho, Hohepa Panoho, and Henare Wharara (by their solicitor and agent, W. A. Caruth), (852-53, 1/111)	Whatitiri No. 13z .. .. .	Decision, dated the 25th day of August, 1899, partitioning the said land.
9	Tame Haehae Werengitana (707-30, 1/127)	Kiripaka No. 1B No. 3A .. .. .	Decision, dated the 11th day of September, 1900, appointing successor to Meteria Werengitana.
10	Patira te Taka (911-2, 1/142) ..	Otutahuna .. .. .	Decision, dated the 14th day of December, 1900, upon investigation of title.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 39 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," AUTHORISED BY ORDER IN COUNCIL DATED THE 11TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1897, TO BE HEARD AS AN APPEAL UNDER SECTION 62 OF "THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895."

No.	Name of Appellant.	Block affected.	Nature of Appeal.
11	Ngana Pomare (217-4, 1/125) ..	Pukeokui .. .. .	Appeal from the decision of the Native Land Court, dated the 20th day of October, 1896, appointing successors to the interest of Hare Pomare, <i>alias</i> Hare Pomare te Tawhewhe.

## Tenders for Stores for 1902-3.

Public Works Office, Wellington, 14th May, 1902.

THE following is a list of the successful tenders for the stores-supply contracts for 1902-3.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister for Public Works.

Class of Supplies.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	Greymouth.
I. General iron-mongery	Briscoe and Co. (Ltd.)	Briscoe and Co. (Ltd.)	Ashby, Bergh, and Co. (Ltd.)	John Edmond ..	John Edmond ..	Duncan McLean.
II. Builders' iron-mongery	Ditto ..	Cameron and Christie	Ditto ..	N.Z. Hardware Comp'y (Ltd.)	N.Z. Hardware Comp'y (Ltd.)	"
III. Engineers' and plumbers' material	T. and S. Morrin (Ltd.)	Briscoe and Co. (Ltd.)	" ..	Thomson, Bridger and Co.	John Edmond ..	"
IV. Galvanised roofing-material	..	A. and T. Burt (Ltd.) (Items 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 18 to 37)	A. and T. Burt (Ltd.) (Items 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 18 to 37)	A. and T. Burt (Ltd.) (Items 1 to 5 and 18 to 37)	Briscoe and Co. (Ltd.) (Items 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 18 to 37)	(Items 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 18 to 37).
V. Ship-chandlery ..	Briscoe and Co. (Ltd.)	Briscoe and Co. (Ltd.)	Ashby, Bergh, and Co. (Ltd.)	Briscoe and Co. (Ltd.)	John Edmond ..	Duncan McLean.
VI. Iron and steel ..	Ditto ..	E. W. Mills and Co. (Ltd.)	Ditto ..	Thomson, Bridger, and Co.	" ..	"
VII. Paints, oils, &c.	" ..	Smith and Smith	" ..	Ditto ..	" ..	E. M. Holmes.
VIII. Cement ..	J. Wilson and Co.	N.Z. Portland Cement Company	" ..	Milburn Lime and Cement Company	Milburn Lime and Cement Company	Duncan McLean.
IX. Lime ..	J. J. Craig ..	Ditto ..	" ..	Ditto ..	Ditto ..	"
X. Drainpipes, &c.	Carder Bros. and Co.	P. Hutson and Co.	" ..	Briscoe and Co. (Ltd.)	Briscoe and Co. (Ltd.)	"
XI. Explosives ..	E. Porter and Co. (Items 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, and 25) N. Guthridge (Ltd.) (Items 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24)	Briscoe and Co. (Ltd.) (Items 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 23, 24, 25) N. Guthridge (Ltd.) (Items 3, 4, 8, 19 to 22) Bannatyne and Co. (Ltd.) (Items 1, 2, 5, 15, 16, 18)	" .. (Items 3, 4, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 17 to 24) Dalgety and Co. (Ltd.) (Items 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 9, 14, 15, 16, 25)	John Edmond .. (Items 3, 4, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 19 to 24) Dalgety and Co. (Ltd.) (Items 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 9, 14, 15, 16, 25) N.Z. Hardware Company (Items 17 and 18)	John Edmond .. (Items 3, 4, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 19 to 24) Briscoe and Co. (Ltd.) (Items 17 and 18) Dalgety and Co. (Ltd.) (Items 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 9, 14, 15, 16, 25)	(Items 3, 4, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 17 to 24). Dalgety and Co. (Ltd.) (Items 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 9, 14, 15, 16, 25).
XII. Tents ..	Sargood, Son, and Ewen	..	Sargood, Son, and Ewen	Sargood, Son, and Ewen	Alex. Thompson	Sargood, Son, and Ewen.

## Population of the Colony.

RETURN of the Estimated Population (exclusive and inclusive of Maoris) of the Colony of New Zealand on the 31st March, 1902.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Estimated population (exclusive of Maoris) on 31st December, 1901 .. .. .	414,223	373,434	787,657
Increase during March quarter, 1902—			
By Births .. .. .	2,608	2,415	5,023
„ Arrivals .. .. .	4,914	2,509	7,423
Decrease during March quarter, 1902—			
By Deaths .. .. .	1,125	736	1,861
„ Departures .. .. .	5,958	2,290	8,248
Net increase during March quarter, 1902 .. .. .	439	1,898	2,337
Estimated population (exclusive of Maoris) on 31st March, 1902 .. .. .	414,662	375,332	789,994
Maori population, census, 1901 .. .. .	23,112	20,031	43,143
Total estimated population of the colony on 31st March, 1902 .. .. .	437,774	395,363	833,137

NOTE.—The above figures do not include the population of the Cook Islands, which were proclaimed to be within the boundaries of New Zealand on and after the 11th June, 1901.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 13th May, 1902.E. J. von DADELSZEN,  
Registrar-General.

**P**ARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE for Management during the Month of April, 1902.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Order, or Date of Filing of Election to administer.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Adams, Henry Cockayne	Kaipoi ..	England ..	29 Apr., 1902	10 Sept., 1901	Relatives known.
2	Brown, John ..	Sheffield ..	England ..	26 Mar., 1902	13 Jan., 1902	Probate.
3	Brown, Joseph ..	Westport ..	Ireland ..	29 Apr., 1902	21 Feb., 1902	
4	Bullock, Edward ..	Christchurch ..	..	22 Apr., 1902	21 Feb., 1902	
5	Burnard, Harry Mitchell	Motueka ..	England ..	29 Apr., 1902	14 Feb., 1902	Relatives known.
6	Cooper, Catherine ..	Helensville ..	Scotland ..	17 Apr., 1902	19 Mar., 1902	Relatives known.
7	Corney, Ernest Hall ..	New Plymouth ..	England ..	14 Apr., 1902	25 Nov., 1897	Relatives known.
8	Cronin, Patrick ..	Waikino ..	..	14 Apr., 1902	6 Mar., 1902	Relatives known.
9	Dodson, William Beckitt	St. Clair, Dunedin	England ..	17 Apr., 1902	13 Mar., 1902	Relatives known.
10	Eade, Susannah ..	West Melton ..	England ..	18 Apr., 1902	12 Mar., 1902	Probate.
11	Gain, Henry ..	Amberley ..	England ..	18 Apr., 1902	2 Jan., 1902	
12	Gallagher, Daniel ..	Niagara, Otago ..	Ireland ..	29 Apr., 1902	4 Apr., 1902	
13	Grant, George ..	Glenorchy ..	Scotland ..	26 Mar., 1902	8 Feb., 1902	Will annexed.
14	Harvey, Elizabeth Anne..	New Plymouth ..	Devon, England ..	15 Feb., 1902	29 Dec., 1901	Probate.
15	Hastie, James ..	Pukekohe ..	Ireland ..	29 Apr., 1902	11 Mar., 1902	Relatives known.
16	Hazelhurst, William Henry	Urenui ..	..	14 Apr., 1902	6 Mar., 1902	Relatives known.
17	Hitchcock, Henry ..	Wellington ..	London, England ..	29 Apr., 1902	25 Mar., 1902	Relatives known.
18	Jourdain, Maria Louise ..	Mount Eden, Auckland	England ..	11 Mar., 1902	3 Feb., 1902	Probate.
19	Knight, James Robert ..	Nobles ..	England ..	15 Jan., 1902	20 Aug., 1901	Probate.
20	Leary, Percy Charles ..	Waituna ..	..	22 Apr., 1902	15 Mar., 1902	Relatives known.
21	Mannix, John ..	Wharekopae ..	Ireland ..	11 Apr., 1902	19 Mar., 1902	Relatives known.
22	Pattison, Francis Henry..	Avondale, Auckland	..	25 Apr., 1902	17 Mar., 1902	Relatives known.
23	Rix, Robert George ..	Addington ..	..	18 Apr., 1902	3 Mar., 1902	Probate.
24	Scott, Daniel Fergus ..	Whatawhata ..	Scotland ..	12 Apr., 1902	13 Jan., 1902	
25	Sinclair, Annie ..	Invercargill ..	..	25 Apr., 1902	7 Apr., 1902	Relatives known.
26	Walsh, Richard ..	Barrytown ..	..	..	17 Mar., 1902	Relatives known.

Dated the 14th day of May, 1902.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

*Tenders for Mail Steam Service between Wellington and Motueka.*

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 28th April, 1902.

**S**EPARATE TENDERS will be received at the General Post Office, Wellington, until noon of Wednesday, the 21st May, 1902, for the performance of one of the following mail steam services between Wellington and Motueka:—

1. A weekly service each way from the 1st November to the 31st May, and a fortnightly service between the 1st June and the 31st October.

2. An alternative service each way twice weekly, from the 20th December to the end of February; weekly, from the 1st March to the 30th June; fortnightly, from the 1st July to 19th December. Or,

3. A service three times a fortnight, from the 20th December to the end of February; once a week, from the 1st March to the 30th June; and fortnightly, from the 1st July to the 19th December.

Motueka is to be the final port of departure of the steamer on the voyage to Wellington. The service to be performed by a steamer of not less than 75 tons register, with a maximum draught of 7 ft., and capable of steaming not less than eight knots an hour. The vessel's hold or holds to be suitably ventilated, to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General, for the stowage and carriage of fruit.

Tenderers are required to state the rates to be charged for passengers, for fruit, agricultural, garden, and dairy produce of all descriptions, and general merchandise.

Tenders, to be indorsed "Tenders for Wellington-Motueka Mail-service," must be made on the printed form of inland mail tender (which may be obtained at any Chief Post-office), and addressed to the Secretary, General Post Office, Wellington.

Names, tonnage, and horse-power of steamers proposed to be used to be stated.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

W. GRAY.

*Adoption of Child under Section 50 of "The Native Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1901."*

Native Land Court Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1902.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the adoption, particulars of which are set out hereunder, has been duly registered by me under the provisions of section 50 of "The Native Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1901."

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

PARTICULARS OF ADOPTION OF CHILD.

To the Registrar of the Native Land Court, Whanganui District.

I, MERE PAERAU, of Whangaehu, the wife of Hirini Mohuia, of Whangaehu, hereby give notice that I have taken Rapana Paki, a child of Paki te Hunga and Roka Hakaraia, to be my adopted child according to Maori custom; and I request that such adoption be registered under the provisions of section 50 of "The Native Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1901."

As witness my hand, this 3rd day of May, 1902.

Her  
MERE X PAERAU.  
mark.

Signed by the said Mere Paerau (by her making her mark, she being unable to write) in the presence of—C. E. Mackay, Solicitor, Whanganui; W. R. Borlase, Licensed Interpreter, First Grade, Whanganui.

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the contents of the above notice of adoption were explained by me in the Maori language to Mere Paerau at the time of her signing the same, and that she appeared to fully understand the meaning thereof.

W. R. BORLASE,  
Licensed Interpreter, First Grade,  
Whanganui.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that SAMUEL PASCOE, of Auckland, Storeman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 12th day of May, 1902, at 2.30 o'clock.

JOHN LAWSON,  
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 5th May, 1902.

*In Bankruptcy.*

DIVIDENDS are now being paid in the undermentioned estates. Holders of promissory notes must produce same for indorsement at my office, at New Plymouth, before receiving dividends thereon:—

John Abbott, second and final dividend, of 5s. 2d. in the pound, making 15s. 2d. in the pound.

C. G. White, second and final dividend, of 1s. 4½d. in the pound, making 7s. 4½d. in the pound.

W. Walton, second and final dividend, of 1s. 3d. in the pound, making 3s. 3d. in the pound.

Geo. Rae, first and final dividend, of 2s. 7d. in the pound.

W. H. Partridge, first and final dividend, of 10s. 3d. in the pound.

Fred Furze, first and final dividend, of 10½d. in the pound.

W. D. Scott, first and final dividend, of 1s. 7½d. in the pound.

M. J. Hay, first and final dividend, of 3s. 5d. in the pound.

G. E. Bowers, first and final dividend, of 2s. 3d. in the pound.

E. Sutton (deceased), first and final dividend, of 10s. 8d. in the pound.

A. Elgar, first and final dividend, of 18s. 6d. in the pound.

Jure De Silva, first and final dividend, of 3s. 6d. in the pound.

E. GÉRARD,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

New Plymouth, 10th May, 1902.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN SHOWSTRAND, of Kilbirnie, Carpenter and Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Saturday, the 17th day of May, 1902, at 11 o'clock a.m.

JAMES ASHCROFT,  
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 10th May, 1902.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ELIZABETH MARY ROBINSON, of Blackball, Boardinghouse-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 15th day of May, 1902, at 11 o'clock.

G. S. SMITH,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

6th May, 1902.

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

In the matter of "The Bankruptcy Act, 1892," and the amendments thereof; and in the matter of SARAH TURNER, late of Blackstone Hill, Widow, a bankrupt (deceased).

TAKE notice that on the application of the representatives of the abovenamed SARAH TURNER (deceased), and on reading the affidavit of Alexander Lawrence Herdman, sworn and filed herein, and hearing Mr. James R. Kirk, of counsel for the said representatives, it was ordered that the order of adjudication, dated the 20th day of June, 1901, against the abovenamed SARAH TURNER be annulled.

Dated this 28th day of April, 1902.

N. P. HJORRING,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

Estate of EDWARD TRYTHALL, of Dunedin, Sharebroker.

FIRST and final dividend, of 5½d. in the pound, on all proved claims is now payable at my office.

C. C. GRAHAM,  
Official Assignee.

Dunedin, 7th May, 1902.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that statements of accounts and balance-sheets in respect of the undermentioned estates, together with the report of the Audit Office thereon, have been duly filed in the above Court; and I hereby further give notice that at the sitting of the said Court to be holden on Monday, the 16th day of June, 1902, I intend to apply for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 9th day of May, 1902.

253. Thomas Montresor Baldwin, Commission Agent, Dunedin.

258. James Hunter, Tailor, Tapanui.

259. Thomas Nevill, Farmer, Ida Valley.

260. Quan Foo, late Storekeeper, Port Chalmers.

264. Ralph Dunne, Picture-framer, Dunedin.

267. George Coghill, Outfitter, Dunedin.

C. C. GRAHAM,  
Official Assignee.

**MINING NOTICES.****STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.**

Name of company: Waimumu Queen Dredging Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 21st June, 1899.

Whether in active operation or not: Yes.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Gore; Jas. A. Yule.

Nominal capital: £7,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £5,200.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £4,516 15s.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,800.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 7,000.

Number of shares allotted: 5,200.

Amount paid per share: Various.

Amount called up per share: 18s.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: £163 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: 47.

Present number of shareholders: 55.

Number of men employed by company: 8.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 798 oz. 16 dwt.; £3,163 13s. 5d.

Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 1,175 oz. 0 dwt. 23 gr.; £4,623.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £3,597 19s. 7d.

Total expenditure since registration: £9,044 2s. 8d.

Total amount of dividends declared: 1s.

Total amount of dividends paid: 1s.

Total amount of unpaid dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash at banker's: £95 12s. 4d.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Amount of debts owing by company: £164 5s. 11d.

Amount of debts directly due to company: £4 3s. 6d.

Amount of debts considered good: £4 3s. 6d.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, James Alexander Yule, of Gore, the Manager of the Waimumu Queen Dredging Company, do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the 31st December, 1901; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JAMES A. YULE,  
Manager.

Declared at Gore, this 1st day of February, 1902, before me—Thomas Green, J.P. 680

**STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.**

Name of company: Waikaka Queen Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 6th July, 1899.

Whether in active operation or not: Yes.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Gore; Jas. A. Yule.

Nominal capital: £7,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £5,510.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £5,439 7s. 6d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,050.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 7,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 5,510.  
 Amount paid per share: Various.  
 Amount called up per share: 20s.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £70 12s. 6d.  
 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: 94.  
 Present number of shareholders: 89; preference shares, 43.  
 Number of men employed by company: 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 268 oz. 15 dwt. 2 gr.; £1,034 14s. 9d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 268 oz. 15 dwt. 2 gr.; £1,034 14s. 9d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £1,957 17s. 3d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £7,862 1s. 1d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unpaid dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £1,628 16s. 2d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, James Alexander Yule, of Gore, the Manager of the Waikaka Queen Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st day of December, 1901; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JAMES A. YULE,  
 Manager.

Declared at Gore, this 6th day of February, 1902, before me—Thomas Green, J.P. 681

#### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: MacCharlton Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 3rd December, 1900.  
 Whether in active operation or not: Not.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Gore; Jas. A. Yule.  
 Nominal capital: £7,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £6,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: 7s.; £987 10s.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,000.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 7,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 6,000.  
 Amount paid per share: Various.  
 Amount called up per share: 7s.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £1,112 10s.  
 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: 47.  
 Present number of shareholders: 51.  
 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: £993 17s. 7d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in hand: £22 10s.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £1,461 7s. 7d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, James Alexander Yule, of Gore, Manager of the Mac Charlton Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly

and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on 31st December, 1901; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JAMES A. YULE,  
 Manager.

Declared at Gore, this 6th day of February, 1902, before me—Thomas Green, J.P. 682

#### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Royal Waimumu Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 6th October, 1900.  
 Whether in active operation or not: Not.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Gore; Jas. A. Yule.  
 Nominal capital: £5,500.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £5,500.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,516 5s.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 5,500.  
 Number of shares allotted: 5,500.  
 Amount paid per share: Various.  
 Amount called up per share: 15s.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £608 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: 59.  
 Present number of shareholders: 62.  
 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: £3,700 16s. 4d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unpaid dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £2,511 1s. 3d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, James Alexander Yule, of Gore, the Manager of the Royal Waimumu Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the company on the 31st day of December, 1901; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JAMES A. YULE,  
 Manager.

Declared at Gore, this 6th day of February, 1902, before me—Thomas Green, J.P. 677

#### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Waikaka Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 9th May, 1900.  
 Whether in active operation or not: Yes.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Gore; Jas. A. Yule.  
 Nominal capital: £6,500.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £4,900.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £4,476 5s.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,600.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 6,500.  
 Number of shares allotted: 4,900.  
 Amount paid per share: Various.  
 Amount called up per share: 20s.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £423 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: 57.



Present number of shareholders: 59.  
 Number of men employed by company: 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 147 oz. 19 dwt. 17 gr.; £569 14s. 5d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 147 oz. 19 dwt. 17 gr.; £569 14s. 5d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £512 7s.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £4,972 15s. 3d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unpaid dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £48 4s.  
 Amount of cash in hand: £25.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £1,668 11s. 1d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, James Alexander Yule, of Gore, Manager of the Waikaka Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the company on 31st December, 1901; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JAMES A. YULE,  
 Manager.

Declared at Gore, this 6th day of February, 1902, before me—Thomas Green, J.P. 678

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Victoria Waimumu Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 7th September, 1900.  
 Whether in active operation or not: Not.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Gore; Jas. A. Yule.  
 Nominal capital: £7,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £4,065.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,781 7s.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £2,000.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 7,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 4,065.  
 Amount paid per share: Various.  
 Amount called up per share: 17s.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £678 18s.  
 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: 46.  
 Present number of shareholders: 52.  
 Number of men employed by company: 1.  
 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: £175 11s. 2d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £2,692 16s.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unpaid dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in hand: £90.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £2,063.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of such debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, James Alexander Yule, of Gore, Manager of the Victoria Waimumu Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the company on the 31st December, 1901; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JAMES A. YULE,  
 Manager.

Declared at Gore, this 6th day of February, 1902, before me—Thomas Green, J.P. 679

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Shellback Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 18th May, 1900.

Whether in active operation or not: Not.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Hospital Street, Greymouth; James Louis Doogan.  
 Nominal capital: £10,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £7,500.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,907 9s. 9d.  
 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: £2,500.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 10,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 10,000.  
 Amount paid per share: 16s. 6d.  
 Amount called up per share: 16s. 6d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 65; £2,197 10s. 3d.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 100.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 60.  
 Present number of shareholders: 87.  
 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: £3,207 17s. 4d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £3,583 17s. 4d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £323 12s. 5d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): £3,650.

I, James Louis Doogan, of Greymouth, Secretary of the Shellback Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st day of December, 1901; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

J. L. DOOGAN,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Greymouth, this 3rd day of May, 1902, before me—A. W. Yarrall, J.P. 692

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Industry Gold-mining Company (Limited) as a limited liability company under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1894," and amendments thereof.

1. The name of the company is to be the Industry Gold-mining Company (Limited).
2. The place of intended operations is at Merrijigs, near Reefton, in the Provincial District of Nelson.
3. The registered office of the company will be situate in Broadway, Reefton, County of Inangahua, Colony of New Zealand.
4. The nominal capital of the company is twelve thousand pounds (£12,000), divided into twenty four thousand (24,000) shares of ten shillings (10s.) each.
5. The number of shares subscribed for is twenty-four thousand (24,000), being the entire number of shares in the company.
6. The number of paid-up shares is nil.
7. The amount already paid up is nil.
8. The name of the Manager is Thomas Hubert Lee.
9. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

	No. of Shares.
James Auld, Crushington, Battery-manager	200
James Martin, Reefton, Mine-manager	500
James Stevenson, Reefton, Hotelkeeper	350
Bowater and Bryan, Reefton, Sawmillers	100
Thomas Phillips, Reefton, Solicitor	100
Alexander Dunbar, Reefton, Saddler	100
James Billett, Reefton, Contractor	500
Edward J. Conway, Reefton, Baker	200
William O'Brien, Reefton, Salesman	200
T. J. W. Ferens, Reefton, Bank-manager	250
Andrew Campbell, Reefton, Bank Accountant	1,000
Edward Woolhouse, Reefton, Storekeeper	250
John Anderson, Reefton, Tailor	250
James Roxborough, jun., Reefton, Traveller C.C. and M.C.	100
John Stephens, Reefton, Storeman	100
Walter F. Brett, Reefton, Mining Engineer	250

	No. of Shares.
B. P. McMahon, Reefton, Accountant .. ..	500
Bessie Reseigh, Reefton, Hotelkeeper .. ..	100
Charles H. Rhodes, Reefton, Storekeeper .. ..	100
R. A. Sutherland, Reefton, Hairdresser .. ..	250
Daniel Walsh, Reefton, Miner .. ..	4,000
Edward B. Garven, Reefton, County Engineer .. ..	350
R. E. Bellamy, Reefton, Builder .. ..	200
David Campbell, Reefton, Blacksmith .. ..	800
Henry Kater, Reefton, Plumber .. ..	250
Duncan Cameron, Crushington, Battery-hand .. ..	200
George Henry Moss, Reefton, Salesman .. ..	150
James Osbourne, Reefton, Hotelkeeper .. ..	500
William Cochrane, Reefton, Livery-stable Keeper .. ..	500
Elisha Lockington, Reefton, Sawmiller .. ..	500
John Webber, Reefton, Miner .. ..	200
Charles Anderson, Reefton, Carpenter .. ..	100
Edward Paine, Reefton, Carter .. ..	200
N. Crabbe, Reefton .. ..	300
Patrick Walsh, Reefton, Bushman .. ..	300
James Patterson, Reefton, Storeman .. ..	1,000
James Walsh, Reefton, Bushman .. ..	400
Frank Lynch, Reefton, Clerk .. ..	100
Julia Nagle, Reefton .. ..	200
Timothy Moore, jun., Reefton, Carter .. ..	100
William Stringer, Reefton, Carter .. ..	175
James McFarlane, Reefton, Carpenter .. ..	500
Elizabeth Campbell, Reefton, Spinster .. ..	100
Alexander White, Reefton, Engine-driver .. ..	250
George Bitera, Mawheraiti, Station-owner .. ..	500
Robert Lees, Reefton, Miner .. ..	3,000
Sarah Whitton, Reefton .. ..	500
David Young, Reefton, Speculator .. ..	1,000
T. Hubert Lee, Reefton, Auctioneer .. ..	900
T. Hubert Lee, Manager (in trust for absent shareholders), Reefton, Auctioneer .. ..	1,325
<b>Total</b> .. ..	<b>24,000</b>

Dated at Reefton, this 9th day of May, 1902.

T. HUBERT LEE,  
Manager.

Witness to signature—W. Auld, Accountant, Reefton.

I, Thomas Hubert Lee, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

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

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

T. HUBERT LEE.

Taken before me, at Reefton, this 9th day of May, 1902—  
E. J. Scantlebury, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Colony of New Zealand. 693

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: **Undaunted Gold-mining Company (Limited).**  
When formed, and date of registration: 28th April, 1899.  
Whether in active operation or not: **Not.**  
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: **Invercargill; Arthur Ernest Otway.**  
Nominal capital: **£6,000.**  
Amount of capital subscribed: **£2,795.**  
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: **£1,258 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: **£1,750.**  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: **6,000.**  
Number of shares allotted: **Contributing, 2,795; vendors', 1,750.**  
Amount paid per share: **Various.**  
Amount called up per share: **20s.**  
Number and amount of calls in arrear (not including cancelled shares): **1,235; £730 15s.**  
Number of shares forfeited: **855.**  
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: **Nil.**  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: **85.**  
Present number of shareholders: **75.**  
Number of men employed by company: **Nil.**  
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: **Nil.**  
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: **442 oz. 14 dwt. 7 gr.; £1,737 2s. 3d.**

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: **£359 1s. 1d.**  
Total expenditure since registration: **£7,699 14s. 5d.**  
Total amount of dividends declared: **Nil.**  
Total amount of dividends paid: **Nil.**  
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: **Nil.**  
Amount of cash at banker's: **£1 1s. 3d.**  
Amount of cash in hand: **£5 2s.**  
Amount of debts owing by company: **£4,264 6s. 5d.**  
Amount of debts directly due to company: **Nil.**  
Amount of debts considered good: **Nil.**  
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): **Nil.**  
Directors: **James Alexander Fullarton, Medical Practitioner, Invercargill; Martin Metzger, Hotelkeeper, Invercargill; Henry Hawson, Merchant, Invercargill; George Mitchell, Commercial Traveller, Invercargill; and Francis Jack, Sawmiller, Winton.**

I, Arthur Ernest Otway, of Invercargill, the Secretary of the Undaunted Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at 31st December, 1901; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

ARTHUR E. OTWAY,  
Secretary.

Declared at Invercargill, this 13th day of February, 1902, before me—Jno. W. Mitchell, J.P. 698

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: **Mataura Consolidated Gold-dredging Company (Limited).**  
When formed, and date of registration: 15th January, 1901.  
Whether in active operation or not: **Not.**  
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: **Invercargill; Arthur Ernest Otway.**  
Nominal capital: **£6,000.**  
Amount of capital subscribed: **£1,345.**  
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: **£566 0s. 6d.**  
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: **£4,650.**  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: **6,000.**  
Number of shares allotted: **Contributing, 1,345; vendors', 4,650.**  
Amount paid per share: **Various.**  
Amount called up per share: **10s. 6d.**  
Number and amount of calls in arrear: **995; £170 19s. 6d.**  
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: **53.**  
Present number of shareholders: **57.**  
Number of men employed by company: **Nil.**  
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: **22 oz. 17 dwt. 18 gr.; £89 4s. 10d.**  
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: **22 oz. 17 dwt. 18 gr.; £89 4s. 10d.**  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: **£1,358 16s. 1d.**  
Total expenditure since registration: **£1,358 16s. 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: **Nil.**  
Amount of cash in hand: **£12 11s. 4d.**  
Amount of debts owing by company: **£851 1s. 9d.**  
Amount of debts directly due to company: **Nil.**  
Amount of debts considered good: **Nil.**  
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): **Nil.**  
Directors: **Horace Bastings, Gentleman, Invercargill; Andrew Sinclair, Company-manager, Invercargill; John Murray, Coal-merchant, Invercargill.**

I, Arthur Ernest Otway, the Secretary of the Mataura Consolidated Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as at 31st December last; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

ARTHUR E. OTWAY,  
Secretary.

Declared at Invercargill, this 21st day of April, 1902, before me—Jno. W. Mitchell, J.P. 699

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: King Edward Gold-mining Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 22nd June, 1901.

Whether in active operation or not: Yes.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Invercargill; Arthur Ernest Otway.

Nominal capital: £4,500.

Amount of capital subscribed: £910.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £705 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: 4,500.

Number of shares allotted: Contributing, 910; vendors', 3,000.

Amount paid per share: Various.

Amount called up per share: 14s.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: 240; £43 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: 31.

Present number of shareholders: 31.

Number of men employed by company: 9.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 11 oz. 7 dwt. 8 gr.; £43 12s. 7d.

Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 11 oz. 7 dwt. 8 gr.; £43 12s. 7d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £1,122 8s. 8d.

Total expenditure since registration: £1,122 8s. 8d.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash at banker's: £8 14s. 7d.

Amount of cash in hand: £3.

Amount of debts owing by company: £282 19s. 7d.

Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.

Amount of debts considered good: Nil.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): £300.

Directors: James Alexander Fullarton, Surgeon, Invercargill; William Lewis, Draper, Invercargill; John Forrester, Engineer, Invercargill; Francis Jack, Farmer, Winton; and Edmund Webber, Schoolmaster, Invercargill.

I, Arthur Ernest Otway, of Invercargill, the Secretary of the King Edward Gold-mining Company (Limited), do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on 31st December, 1901; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

ARTHUR E. OTWAY,  
Secretary.

Declared at Invercargill, this 7th day of February, 1902,  
before me—Jno. W. Mitchell, J.P. 700

RECORD REIGN DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED),  
(IN LIQUIDATION).

A GENERAL Meeting of the above company will be held at my office, Athenaeum Chambers, Dee Street, Invercargill, on Tuesday, 15th July, 1902.

Business: To receive Liquidator's accounts, pass same, and wind up the company.

675 ALEXANDER CROSS, Liquidator.

THE BRITANNIA GOLD-DREDGING COMPANY  
(LIMITED).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above company, duly convened, and held at the Dunedin Stock Exchange Buildings, Princes Street, Dunedin, on the 18th day of April, 1902, the subjoined extraordinary resolution was duly passed:—

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

And at the said meeting it was resolved that JOHN ARMOUR HOPCRAFT, of Dunedin, Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for the purposes of winding up the said company.

Dated at Dunedin, this 7th day of May, 1902.  
PETER MILLER,  
Chairman.

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THE WESTLAND GOLD-DREDGING COMPANY  
(LIMITED).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the abovenamed company, duly convened, and held at the Dunedin Stock Exchange Buildings, Princes Street, Dunedin, on the 2nd day of May, 1902, the subjoined extraordinary resolution was duly passed:—

## RESOLUTION.

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

And at the said meeting it was resolved that GEORGE ARNSTON ESTHER, of Dunedin, Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for the purposes of winding up the said company.

Dated at Dunedin, this 8th day of May, 1902.

685 W. R. FROST, Chairman.

In the matter of the Britannia Gold-dredging Company  
(Limited), (in liquidation).

THE Creditors of the abovenamed company are required, on or before Saturday, the 7th day of June, 1902, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any), to JOHN ARMOUR HOPCRAFT, of Dunedin, the Liquidator of the said company, and, if so required by notice in writing by the said Liquidator, are, by their solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 3rd day of May, 1902.

686 J. A. HOPCRAFT,  
Liquidator, Octagon, Dunedin.

In the matter of the Westland Gold-dredging Company  
(Limited), (in liquidation).

THE Creditors of the abovenamed company are required, on or before Saturday, the 7th day of June, 1902, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any), to GEORGE ARNSTON ESTHER, of Dunedin, the Liquidator of the said company, and, if so required by notice in writing by the said Liquidator, are, by their solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 5th day of May, 1902.

687 GEO. A. ESTHER,  
Liquidator, Princes Street, Dunedin.

THE WOODSTOCK GOLD-MINING COMPANY  
(LIMITED).

"THE FOREIGN COMPANIES ACT, 1884."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Office of the Woodstock Gold-mining Company (Limited) is situate at the office of the New Zealand Mines Trust (Limited), Shortland Street, Auckland.

Dated the 6th day of May, 1902.

670 CHAS. RHODES,  
Attorney for said Company.

JACKSON AND RUSSELL,  
Solicitors for the said company,  
Shortland Street, Auckland.

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THE NEW ZEALAND JUBILEE GOLD-MINE  
(LIMITED).

"THE FOREIGN COMPANIES ACT, 1884."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Office of the New Zealand Jubilee Gold-mine (Limited), for the keeping of the Colonial Share-register and for the transaction of its ordinary business, is situate at the office of the New Zealand Jubilee Gold-mine (Limited), at the Jubilee Mine, Waitakauri, in the Provincial District of Auckland.

Dated this 23rd day of April, 1902.

682 A. H. S. SELLOM,  
Attorney,  
MILLER AND PORRITT,  
Solicitors, Paeroa.

In the matter of the Electric Extended Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the abovenamed company, duly convened, and held at Dunedin on Tuesday, the 6th day of May, 1902, the following extraordinary general resolution was passed:—

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

And at the said meeting DAVID LARNACH, of Dunedin, Accountant, was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1902.

ALFRED JAMES,  
Chairman.

Witness—J. W. Bowden, Law Clerk, Dunedin. 705

In the matter of the Electric Extended Gold-dredging Company (Limited), (in Liquidation).

THE creditors of the abovenamed company are requested, on or before Friday, the 13th day of June, 1902, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any), to DAVID LARNACH, of Dunedin, the Liquidator of the said company; and, if so required by notice in writing by the said Liquidator, are by their solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims, at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1902.

D. LARNACH,  
Liquidator,  
Bond Street, Dunedin.

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#### LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

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

918. CHARLES FRANCIS FREEMAN CLAYTON GREENE.—Southern parts of Sections 5, 6, 7, Tikorangi District, 77 acres 1 rood. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office (Plan 1780).

Dated this 8th day of May, 1902, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

R. L. STANFORD,  
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.

913. HENRY WESTON.—Part of Barrett's Reserve A and part of Section 774, Grey District; area, 48 acres and 20 perches. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office (Plan 1771).

Dated this 9th day of May, 1902, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

R. L. STANFORD,  
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 16th day of June, 1902.

2997. JOSEPH APLIN.—63 acres, Section 256, Taratahi Plain Block. Occupied by William Rossiter.

3225. HENRY EDWARD RICHARDS.—12 $\frac{3}{4}$  perches, part Section 664, City of Wellington. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of May, 1902, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

W. STUART,  
District Land Registrar.

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

9241. THE MAYOR, COUNCILLORS, AND BURGESSSES OF THE BOROUGH OF LINWOOD.—15 perches, parts of Rural Section 88, Borough of Linwood. Occupied by J. Souter, W. Rennie, A. W. Hancock, J. M. Fisher, T. J. Edmonds, and Margaret Williams.

9259. REGINALD LINCOLN KEARNE.—351 acres 3 roods 33 perches, Rural Sections 7754, 7832, and 7841, and parts of Rural Sections 7753, 7755, 7833, 7834, 7835, 7836, and 7760, Block VII., Grey Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

9278. SAMPSON HORE.—4 acres 3 roods 13 perches. Lot 5, Plan 1484, part of Rural Section 154, Block XV., Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

9279. JOSEPH RALSTON JONES.—50 acres, Rural Section 4912, Block III., Leeston Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of May, 1902, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,  
District Land Registrar.

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EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. xxxii., folio 27, comprising part of Rural Section 125, situated in the Christchurch Survey District, whereof HENRY CUTLER, of Riccarton, Brewer, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional certificate at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 13th day of May, 1902, 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 calendar month from the publication hereof in the *Gazette*.

Part Section 25, Block XXXII., City of Dunedin. ELIZABETH ANN COLVILLE LOW and ALEXANDER LOW, Applicants. Unoccupied. No. 4467.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1902, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

H. TURTON,  
District Land Registrar.

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#### PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned HERBERT ALEXANDER ROSS and JOHN MACKIE WILSON, carrying on business as Practical Sanitary Engineers, Plumbers, Gas and Bell Fitters, at 134, George Street, Dunedin, under the style or firm of "Ross and Wilson," was on the 3rd day of May, 1902, dissolved by mutual consent.

As witness our hands, this 7th day of May, 1902.

HERBERT A. ROSS.  
JOHN M. WILSON.

Signed by the said Herbert Alexander Ross and John Mackie Wilson, in the presence of—Chas. E. Statham, Solicitor, Dunedin. 673

NOTICE is hereby given that we, the undersigned HERBERT ALEXANDER ROSS and CHARLES SHAW JENKINS, have entered into Partnership as from the 3rd day of May, 1902, as Practical Sanitary Engineers, Plumbers, Gas and Bell Fitters, and will carry on business at 134, George Street, Dunedin, in the premises formerly occupied by the late firm of Ross and Wilson, and we shall continue the said business under the style or firm of "Ross and Jenkins."

As witness our hands, this 7th day of May, 1902.

HERBERT A. ROSS.  
CHAS. S. JENKINS.

Signed by the said Herbert Alexander Ross and Charles Shaw Jenkins, in the presence of—Chas. E. Statham, Solicitor, Dunedin. 674

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned GUSTAF HJALMAR LINDSTROM and JOHN ADAM HANSMANN, as Tanners, Leather-merchants, and Fellmongers, at Timaru, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on in future by Mr. Lindstrom on his own account, and all moneys owing to the late firm are payable to him.

Dated this 21st day of April, 1902.

G. H. LINDSTROM.  
J. A. HANSMANN.

Witness to the signature of Gustaf Hjalmar Lindstrom—  
J. Hay, Solicitor, Timaru.

Witness to the signature of John Adam Hansmann—  
Allan Hopkins, Estate Agent, Cathedral Square, Christ-  
church. 688

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately sub- sisting between the undersigned WILLIAM JOHN LISTER and CHARLES HENRY BARRIE, as Cabinetmakers, Uphol- sterers, and Undertakers, at Timaru, has this day been dis- solved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on in future by Mr. Lister on his own account, and all moneys owing to the late firm are payable to him.

Dated this 6th day of May, 1902.

W. J. LISTER.  
C. H. BARRIE.

Witness to both signatures—J. Hay, Solicitor, Timaru. 689

I, CHARLES HERWARD WAKE, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, England, and Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians, London, now residing in Stratford, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 10th June next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Colony of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at New Plymouth.

CHAS. HERWARD WAKE.

Dated at New Plymouth, 8th May, 1902. 690

WELLINGTON CITY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," "The Wellington City Empowering Act, 1897," "The Wellington City Empowering Act, 1899," and "The Public Works Act, 1894."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the City of Wellington proposes, under the provisions of the abovementioned Acts, to execute a certain public work—namely, the widening of Adelaide Road and Revans Street, in the said city; and for the purposes of such public works the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that plans of the lands so required to be taken are deposited in the public office of the Town Clerk to the said Council, situate at the corner of Brandon Street and Featherston Street, in the said city, and are open for inspection without fee by all persons during ordinary office hours; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of such lands should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such lands, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing within forty days from the first publication of this notice to the Town Clerk, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

The parcels of land required to be taken:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Coloured on Plan	Situated in the
A. R. P. 0 2 32.3	765	Bordered green	City of Wellington.
0 0 21.6	742	Red ..	" "
0 0 11.3	742	Green ..	" "

In the Land District of Wellington; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans above mentioned.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 12th day of May, 1902.

J. E. PAGE,  
Town Clerk.

WALLACE COUNTY.

NOTICE UNDER "THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1894."

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that the Wallace County Council propose to take for public roads—

1. Parts of Sections 136, 257, and 160, Taringatura District (being part of Avondale Estate), containing by admeasurement 15 acres and 17.2 poles, the land required being coloured red on plan, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point which is 2554.6 links north and 8834.1 links east of Trig. F, Wairio District; thence due south a distance of 860.8 links; thence at a bearing of 64° 35' 20" a distance of 2579.6 links; thence at a bearing of 206° 33' 30" a distance of 267.2 links; thence due west a distance of 149.3 links; thence at a bearing of 324° 35' 20" a distance of 2282.1 links; thence in a southerly direction a distance of 12056.9 links: as the same is shown on plan.

2. Also, other part of said Section 136, Taringatura District, containing 1 rood 24.6 poles, commencing at a point which is 10445.6 links south and 8444 links east of Trig. F, Wairio District; thence at a bearing of 352° 59½' a distance of 318.3 links; thence at a bearing of 190° 31½' a distance of 842.5 links; thence at a bearing of 20° 36' a distance of 547.5 links to the starting-point: as the same is shown on plan.

3. Part of Section 137, Taringatura District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres and 9 poles, and bounded as follows: viz., commencing at a point which is the south-west corner of Section 289, Taringatura District; thence due south a distance of 180.9 links; thence at a bearing of 268° 31' a distance of 2830.9 links; thence at a bearing of 221° 47' a distance of 1034.7 links; thence at a bearing of 346° a distance of 114.6 links; thence at a bearing of 46° 47' a distance of 1016.9 links; thence at a bearing of 88° 31' a distance of 2771.6 links; thence due north a distance of 183.5 links; thence due east a distance of 100 links; thence due south a distance of 100 links to the commencing-point: be all the aforesaid areas and linkages a little more or less.

And that the said Council has caused a plan to be prepared showing the lands required to be taken for the same, which is coloured red thereon, together with the names of the owners and occupiers thereof as far as they can be ascertained, and that said plan is deposited at the office of the said Council, Otautau, and open for inspection by all persons at all reasonable hours; and all persons affected are hereby called upon to set forth in writing any well-founded objection to the execution of such work or the taking of such lands, and to send such writing within forty (40) days from the first publication of this notice to the Wallace County Council, at their office at Otautau.

Dated this 30th day of April, 1902.

JAS. FULLARTON,  
County Clerk and Treasurer.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CEASE CARRYING ON BUSINESS.

In the matter of "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884"; and in the matter of the General Exploration Company (registered under German laws), carrying on business in Westport.

I HEREBY give notice that it is the intention of the above company to cease carrying on business in Westport aforesaid as from the date hereof.

Dated the 2nd day of May, 1902.

F. F. MUNRO,  
Attorney.  
FREE AND COTTRELL,  
Solicitors, Westport. 671

HORSESHOE DRAINAGE BOARD.—HORSESHOE DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that, at a poll taken on the 7th day of May, 1902, for the election of one Trustee, votes were recorded as follows:—

Buchanan, Edward Alexander .. .. 17  
Hunt, Herbert Hill .. .. 30

I therefore declare Herbert Hill Hunt to be duly elected.

JOHN W. WHITTAKER,  
Returning Officer. 672

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