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Lands taken for Road Purposes in Taringatura Survey District, Wallace County.

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

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1894," and its amendments, for a certain work, to wit, for the purpose of a public road, in the Wallace County: And whereas the Wallace County Council has laid before the Governor a memorial, accompanied by a map, and also the statutory declaration required by the said Act: Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1894," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette* the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purpose of a public road.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 0 9	137	Taringatura ..	R. 4144	Red.
0 1 33	160	" ..	R. 4144A	"
9 3 2.1	136	" ..	"	"
5 0 0	257	" ..	"	"

All in the Southland Land District; as the said parcels of land are more particularly delineated on the plans deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon marked and coloured as above stated.

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 seventeenth day of September, 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, Akitio 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 owner of the land hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Akitio County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, do by this notice hereby proclaim as taken for a road the land in the Mount Cerberus Survey District hereinafter described, that is to say,—

Approximate Area of Land taken.	Being Section or Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 2 3	11	IV.	Mount Cerberus	R. 4109	Blue.

In the Land District of Wellington; as the same is more particularly delineated on 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 twentieth day of September, 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 a Road, Otepopo Survey District, Waitaki 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

ERRATA.—In *New Zealand Gazette* No. 106, of the 19th December, 1901, page 2422, for "Edward Giles Morgan Courtenay Kenny," appointed Lieutenant Waitohi Rifle Volunteers, read "Edward Geils Morgan Courtenay Kenny." In *New Zealand Gazette* No. 68, of the 28th August, 1902, page 1795, for "Edward Giles Morgan Courtenay Kenny," appointed Captain Waitohi Rifle Volunteers, read "Edward Geils Morgan Courtenay Kenny."

mortgagees of the land hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Waitaki 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.

The parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 1 7.9	(15 16 17 18 19)	III.	Otepopo	R. 4220	Red.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated upon the plan marked and coloured as above noted, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at 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 twentieth day of September, 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 through Blocks XI. and XVII., Wairaki 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 owners of the land hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Wallace County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, do by this notice hereby proclaim as taken for a road the land in Blocks XI. and XVII., Wairaki District, hereinafter described, that is to say,—

Approximate Area of Land taken.	Being Portion of Blocks Nos.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 43 2 38	XI. and XVII.	Wairaki ..	R. 4151	Red.

In the Land District of Southland; as the same is more particularly delineated on plan marked and coloured as above noted, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at 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 twentieth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Road as closed through Land in Waikawa 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, do by this notice hereby proclaim as closed the road in Waikawa Survey District hereinafter described.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Road closed.	Between Sections Nos.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 3 1	12, 17, and 15	IX.	Waikawa ..	R. 4126	Green.

In the Southland Land District; as the same is delineated upon the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at 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 twentieth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands taken for a Road in Waikawa Survey District, Southland 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 lessees of the lands hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Southland County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, do by this notice hereby proclaim as taken for a road the lands in the Waikawa Survey District hereinafter described, that is to say,—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels 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. 2 3 23	12	IX.	Waikawa ..	R. 4126	Red.
2 2 9	15 & 16	IX.	" ..	"	Blue.
4 2 37	16A & 20	IX.	" ..	"	Red.

All in the Land District of Southland; 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, 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 twentieth day of September, 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 Rifle Range near Penrose, Auckland.

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

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1894," and its amendments, for the purposes of a rifle range:

And whereas all conditions precedent required by law to be observed and performed prior to the issue of this Proclamation have been observed and performed:

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 in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1894," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a rifle range.

SCHEDULE.

The parcel of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Blocks Nos.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 100 0 0	Allotments 5 & 6 of Section 17, Suburbs of Auckland	I., V., and VI.	Otaguhu.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 19838, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon bordered green.

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 twenty-second day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and two.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands taken for a Road in Block X., Kaitawa Survey District.

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

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1894," for a certain work, to wit, for road purposes in Block X., Kaitawa Survey District:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 2 30	Ngarara, Sub-division 23	X.	Kaitawa	R. 1134	Red.
0 1 16	Section 1	"	"	"	Neutral tint.

All in the Wellington Land District; as the said parcels of land are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at 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 twentieth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Consenting to closing Roads in Rangitata Survey District.

RANFURLY, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR 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 Coldstream Road Board has applied for such consent in respect to the portions of roads 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 closing of the portions of roads mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Area of Road to be closed.	Being Part of Road through or fronting	Block.	Survey District.	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 3 2 8	Lot 2	VIII.	Rangitata	R. 4130	Green.
2 3 24	Lots 16 & 7	"	"	"	
2 3 24	Lots 15 & 6	"	"	"	
7 3 39	Lots 14 & 4	"	"	"	
0 0 24	Lot 12	"	"	"	
2 0 29	Lots 2 & 34643	"	"	"	

All in the Canterbury Land District; 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, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Roads in Egmont Road District to be District Roads.

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR 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 and declare that the roads known as the Queen's Road and Alberta Road, described in the Schedule hereto, shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be district roads.

SCHEDULE.

Those roads on the south side of Devon Road passing through Sections 126, 145, 146, and 166, Fitzroy District, commonly known as Glenavon Estate, in the Land District of Taranaki; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 4089, and deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Amending Boundaries of Papakura, Wairoa, and Hunua Road Districts, County of Manukau.

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twenty of "The Counties Act, 1886" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is provided that all the powers of a County Council relating to the alteration of the boundaries of any road or town districts within a county, or of amalgamating such districts, or of merging any of them into the county, and all other powers in relation to such districts exercisable by the Council by special order or on petition, may be exercised by the Governor in Council in respect of any of the counties in which the said Act is suspended: And whereas the said Act is suspended in the County of Manukau: And whereas, in pursuance of "The Road Boards Act, 1882," and "The Road Boards Act 1882 Amendment Act, 1883," petitions have been presented to His Excellency the Governor praying him to alter the boundaries of the Papakura, Wairoa, and Hunua Road Districts:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him 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 order and declare that from and after the twenty-sixth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and two, the boundaries of the said districts as at present constituted shall cease to be the boundaries of the said districts, and that the boundaries of the said districts shall be those which are specified in the Schedule hereto; and also that the Road Boards of the said districts shall be dissolved upon the said twenty-sixth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and two; and that the Road Boards of the said districts, as altered by this Order in Council, shall consist of five members for the Papakura Road Board, five members for the Wairoa Road Board, and five members for the Hunua Road Board; and, further, that the first election of members of the new Boards shall be conducted in accordance with "The Regulation of Local Elections Act, 1876": and doth, by and with the advice aforesaid, further appoint David Alexander Reid to be the Clerk and the Returning Officer to conduct the first elections of the Road Board of the Papakura Road District; and doth appoint Saturday, the eighteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and two, to be the day for holding such first elections; and that the first meeting of the new Board of the said Papakura Road District shall be held at the Presbyterian Building, Papakura Valley, on Saturday, the twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and two, at two o'clock in the afternoon: and doth, by and with the advice aforesaid, further appoint Samuel Augustus Browne to be the Clerk and the Returning Officer to conduct the first elections of the Road Board of the Wairoa Road District; and that Saturday, the eighteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and two, be the day for holding such elections; and that the first meeting of the new Board of the said Wairoa Road District shall be held at the Wairoa Road Board Office, Clevedon, on Saturday, the twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and two, at two o'clock in the afternoon: and doth, by and with the advice aforesaid, further appoint Alfred William Bell to be the Clerk and the Returning Officer to conduct the first elections of the Road Board of the Hunua Road District; and that Saturday, the eighteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and two, be the day for holding such elections; and that the first meeting of the new Board of the said Hunua Road District shall be held at the Hunua School on Saturday, the twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and two, at half-past one o'clock in the afternoon.

SCHEDULE.

PAPAKURA ROAD DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District bounded towards the north generally by the road forming the southern

boundary of the Manurewa Parish, from the Great South Road at the southern boundary of Section No. 40, Manurewa Parish aforesaid, to the southernmost corner of Section No. 94; thence by that section and Sections Nos. 91 and 153, Manurewa Parish aforesaid, Sections Nos. 178, 131, and 132, Pakuranga Parish, Sections Nos. 33 and 55, Maraetai Parish, by the road forming the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 57, and by Section No. 63, Maraetai Parish aforesaid, to Section No. 80, Wairoa Parish; thence by the north-western and north-eastern boundary-lines of the last-mentioned section to its north-eastern corner: thence towards the south-east generally by Section No. 78, Wairoa Parish aforesaid, to the road forming the northern boundary of Section No. 79; thence by that road to the northernmost corner of Section No. 47; thence by Sections Nos. 47 and 51, Wairoa Parish aforesaid, to the road forming the north-eastern boundary of Section No. 54; thence by that road to the northernmost corner of the said Section No. 54; thence by Sections Nos. 54, 59, 24, 75, 73, 74, 29, 40, and 39, Wairoa Parish aforesaid, to the south-western corner of the last-mentioned section; thence by the road forming the northern boundary of Section No. 61, Papakura Parish, to the north-western corner of the said Section No. 61; thence by Sections Nos. 61, 50, 55, and 30, to the north-western corner of the last-mentioned section; thence by the road forming the north-western boundaries of Sections Nos. 35, 34, and 33, Papakura Parish aforesaid, and the northern side of that road produced to the middle of the Great South Road: thence towards the south-west by a line along the middle of the Great South Road to the road forming the southern boundary of the Manurewa Parish, the place of commencement.

WAIROA ROAD DISTRICT.

All that area in the Auckland Land District bounded towards the north-west generally by the Papakura Road District, hereinbefore described, from the middle of the Great South Road to the north-western corner of Section No. 80, Wairoa Parish; thence by Section No. 71, Maraetai Parish, the road forming the eastern boundary of Section No. 72, and by Section No. 46, Maraetai Parish aforesaid, to the north-eastern corner of the last-mentioned section: thence towards the north generally by the Kiripaka and Papepape Blocks to the Hauraki Gulf, near the mouth of the Wairoa River; thence by the Hauraki Gulf to the north-western boundary-line of the Waitawa Block: thence towards the east generally by the Waitawa, Te Kawakawa, Te Kawakawa No. 2, and Kiripaka Blocks to Section No. 74, Otatau Parish: thence towards the south generally by Sections Nos. 74, 76, 77, 87, 88, 89, and 86, Otatau Parish, to the Wairoa River; thence by a line across that river and by its left bank to the north-eastern corner of Section No. 112, Hunua Parish; thence by the north-eastern boundary-line of that section and its production to the middle of the road at the north-western corner of the said Section No. 112; thence by a line along the middle of that road passing Sections Nos. 174, 173, and 172 to the road reserve west of the said Section No. 172; thence by a line through that reserve to Hay's Creek; thence by the said Hay's Creek, which forms the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 170, to the southernmost corner of the said Section No. 170; thence by Section No. 168, Hunua Parish aforesaid, to the road which forms its north-western boundary; thence by the south-eastern side of that road to the western boundary of the Hunua Parish; thence by the western and southern boundaries of that parish to the northern boundary of the Town District of Papakura; thence by the said Town District of Papakura, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 69, 17th August, 1882, to the middle of the Great South Road: and thence towards the south-west by a line along the middle of the Great South Road to the place of commencement.

HUNUA ROAD DISTRICT.

All that area in the Auckland Land District bounded towards the north generally by the Wairoa Road District, hereinbefore described, from the western boundary of the Hunua Parish to the Wairoa River; thence by the said Wairoa River to a point in line with the southern boundary-line of Section No. 50, Otatau Parish; thence by a right line to the south-western corner of the said Section No. 50; thence by Sections Nos. 50, 49, 48, 2, 86, and 90, Otatau Parish aforesaid, to the road forming the western boundary of Section No. 98; thence by that road to the south-western corner of the said Section No. 98; and thence by that section to its south-eastern corner: thence towards the east generally by Section No. 54 to the Mangatawhiri River; thence by the said Mangatawhiri River to a point in line with the northern boundary-line of Section No. 64, Otatau Parish; thence by a right line to the north-eastern corner of the said Section No. 64; thence by that section to the road forming its western boundary; thence by that road and its continuation past Sections Nos. 63 and 62 to the south-eastern corner of Section No. 69: thence towards the south generally by the southern boundary-line of the said Section No. 69, and part of its south-western boundary-line for a distance of 2287

links to the south-eastern boundary-line of the northern portion of Section No. 37, Otau Parish aforesaid; thence by that boundary-line to the western boundary of the Otau Parish, and by part of the said western boundary to the middle of the road which intersects the northern portion of Section No. 94, Opaheke Parish, and by a line along the middle of that road continued to the south-eastern corner of Section No. 95, Opaheke Parish aforesaid; thence by the north-eastern boundary-lines of Sections Nos. 95 and 96 to the southern boundary of the Hunua Parish, and by the southern boundary of that parish to the south-western corner of Section No. 199, Hunua Parish aforesaid: and thence towards the west generally by part of the western boundary of the Hunua Parish aforesaid, and by the Drury Road District (formerly known as the Opaheke Road District) as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 9, 2nd February, 1899, to the place of commencement.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the twelfth section of "The Public Domains Act, 1881," it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time delegate all or any of the powers by the said Act conferred, save as is therein mentioned, to any person or persons, for any period, and subject to such stipulations as may be specified in such Order, and that every such delegation may from time to time in like manner be altered or revoked: And whereas, pursuant to "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," by an Order in Council dated the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and two, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and two, the land described in the Schedule hereto, situate in the Canterbury Land District, was declared to be brought under the operation of and to be subject to the provisions of the said "Public Domains Act, 1881":

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby, and in respect of the land hereinafter mentioned, delegate all the powers conferred by the said Act, except the powers conferred by sections five and twelve thereof, for the period of ten years from the date hereof (unless previously altered or revoked under the said Act), to the undermentioned persons, who shall be known as the Sefton Domain Board, namely,—

JOHN BROWN,
JOHN WILSON,
HENRY COATES,
ROBERT LEWIS,
EDWARD CHARLES D'AUVERGNE,
ALFRED TOPP, and
JOHN McDONALD ANDERSON

(herein referred to as "the Board"), subject to the stipulations hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the second Monday in each month, at seven o'clock p.m., at Sefton, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Monday, the thirteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and two.

2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting; and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

3. Any three members of the Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the second Monday in January in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

5. The Board shall prepare and submit at each annual meeting a report of the proceedings of the Board for the previous year ending on the thirty-first day of December, together with a statement of the receipts and expenditure of

the Board for such year. A copy of every such report and statement, certified by the Chairman to be correct, shall be sent to the Minister of Lands as soon as possible after each annual meeting.

6. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be chairman of such meeting.

7. If, by resignation, death, incapacity, or otherwise, the office of Chairman shall be or become vacant, the members may at any monthly or special meeting appoint a Chairman.

8. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

And with the like advice and consent as aforesaid doth hereby also order that this delegation shall take effect in respect of the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 14 acres 2 roods 16 perches, more or less, being parts of Sections Nos. 3135 and 6675, Block IV., Rangiora Survey District, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point on the north side of the road forming the southern boundary of the said Section No. 6675, distant 550 links from Pemberton's Road; thence northerly by a right line at right angles to the north side of the said road forming the southern boundary of Section No. 6675, 1000 links; thence easterly by a right line parallel to the north side of that road, 1379.5 links; thence south-easterly by a right line, 1017 links, to a point on the north side of the said road forming the southern boundary of Section No. 6675, distant 2091.5 links from Pemberton's Road; thence westerly by the north side of the said road forming the southern boundary of Section No. 6675, 1541.5 links, to the place of commencement: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the twelfth section of "The Public Domains Act, 1881," it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time delegate all or any of the powers by the said Act conferred, save as is therein mentioned, to any person or persons, for any period, and subject to such stipulations as may be specified in such Order, and that every such delegation may from time to time in like manner be altered or revoked: And whereas, pursuant to "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," by an Order in Council of even date herewith, the land described in the Schedule hereto, situate in the Wellington Land District, is declared to be brought under the operation of and to be subject to the provisions of the said "Public Domains Act, 1881":

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby, and in respect of the land hereinafter mentioned, delegate all the powers conferred by the said Act, except the powers conferred by sections five and twelve thereof, for the period of ten years from the date hereof (unless previously altered or revoked under the said Act), to

THE PALMERSTON NORTH BOROUGH COUNCIL,

which shall be known as the Palmerston North Domain Board (herein referred to as "the Board"), subject to the stipulations hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the first and third Tuesdays in each month, at half-past seven o'clock p.m., at the Borough Council Office, Palmerston North, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Tuesday, the seventh day of October, one thousand nine hundred and two.

2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting; and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

3. Any three members of the Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

4. The Mayor shall be the Chairman of the Board. He may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote.

5. The Board shall prepare and submit at each annual meeting a report of the proceedings of the Board for the previous year ending on the thirty-first day of December, together with a statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Board for such year. A copy of every such report and statement, certified by the Chairman to be correct, shall be sent to the Minister of Lands as soon as possible after each annual meeting.

6. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be chairman of such meeting.

7. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

And with the like advice and consent as aforesaid doth hereby also order that this delegation shall take effect in respect of the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 13 acres, more or less, being Lots Nos. 215 to 220 (inclusive) and part of Lot No. 214 on deposited plan No. 791, and being part of Subdivisions 2, 3, and 4, Hokowhitu Block, Kairanga Survey District, comprising all the land described in certificate of title, Vol. cxviii., folio 295, Wellington.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Public Domains Act, 1881," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby revoke a certain Order in Council, dated the twenty-third day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, making delegation of certain powers in manner as therein appears; and doth hereby, with the like advice and consent, and in respect of the land hereinafter mentioned, delegate all the powers conferred by the said Act, except the powers conferred by sections five and twelve thereof, for the period of ten years from the date hereof (unless previously altered or revoked under the said Act), to the undermentioned persons, who shall be known as the Kirwee Domain Board, namely,—

GEORGE BEDFORD,
JOHN NICHOLAS LAUREY,
JOHN TURNER,
RICHARD CROSKELL, and
ROBERT JOHNSON

(herein referred to as "the Board"), subject to the stipulations hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the first Monday in each month, at half-past seven o'clock p.m., at the Kirwee Hotel, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Monday, the third day of November, one thousand nine hundred and two.

2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting; and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

3. Any three members of the Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the second Monday in January in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

5. The Board shall prepare and submit at each annual meeting a report of the proceedings of the Board for the previous year ending on the thirty-first day of December, together with a statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Board for such year. A copy of every such report and statement, certified by the Chairman to be correct, shall be sent to the Minister of Lands as soon as possible after each annual meeting.

6. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be chairman of such meeting.

7. If, by resignation, death, incapacity, or otherwise, the office of Chairman shall be or become vacant, the members may at any monthly or special meeting appoint a Chairman.

8. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

And with the like advice and consent as aforesaid doth hereby also order that this delegation shall take effect in respect of the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, being Section No. 2416 (in red), Hawkins Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Reserve No. 2358, 885 links; towards the east by Section No. 28280, 1160 links; towards the south by Section No. 16807, 856 links; and towards the west by Reserve No. 1752, 1138 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the map deposited in the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Public Domains Act, 1881," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby revoke a certain Order in Council, dated the fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and two, making delegation of certain powers in manner as therein appears; and doth hereby, with the like advice and consent, and in respect of the lands hereinafter mentioned, delegate all the powers conferred by the said Act, except the powers conferred by sections five and twelve thereof, for the period of ten years from the date hereof (unless previously altered or revoked under the said Act), to the undermentioned persons, who shall be known as the Kowai Domain Board, namely,—

Frank Courage,
Thomas McNaught,
George Dean Greenwood,
David Brown,
Samuel Coleman,
Thomas Henry Evans,
Alexander McLean,
John McLean, jun.,
George Baynton Starkey,
George Tickner, and
George Wornall

(herein referred to as "the Board"), subject to the stipulations hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the first Wednesday in each month, at eleven o'clock a.m., at the office of the Chairman, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Wednesday, the fifth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and two.

2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting; and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

3. Any five members of the Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the first Wednesday in February in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

5. The Board shall prepare and submit at each annual meeting a report of the proceedings of the Board for the previous year ending on the thirty-first day of December, together with a statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Board for such year. A copy of every such report and statement, certified by the Chairman to be correct, shall be sent to the Minister of Lands as soon as possible after each annual meeting.

6. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be chairman of such meeting.

7. If, by resignation, death, incapacity, or otherwise, the office of Chairman shall be or become vacant, the members may at any monthly or special meeting appoint a Chairman.

8. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

And with the like advice and consent as aforesaid doth hereby also order that this delegation shall take effect in respect of the parcels of Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 34 acres and 10 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 7855 and the whole of Section No. 7989, Block XII., Grey Survey District, and comprising the whole of the land described in certificate of title, Vol. cxxv., folio 77, Canterbury.

Also all that parcel of land in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 213 acres, more or less, being Reserve No. 2066, situated in Block VIII., Grey Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Innes Road and Reserve No. 1675; towards the south-east by Tobin's Road; towards the south-west by R.S. No. 19023; and towards the north-west by R.S. No. 28735: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Public Domains Act, 1881," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby revoke a certain Order in Council, dated the twentieth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and two, making delegation of certain powers in manner as therein appears; and doth hereby, with the like advice and consent, and in respect of the land hereinafter mentioned, delegate all the powers conferred by the said Act, except the powers conferred by sections five and twelve thereof, for the period of ten years from the date hereof (unless previously altered or revoked under the said Act), to the undermentioned persons, who shall be known as the Rahotu Domain Board, namely,—

HARRY LANGMAN,
WILLIAM RALSTON WRIGHT,
THOMAS ALEXANDER BRADLEY,
HENRY ROTHERY, and
PHILIP SEBASTIAN RILEY

(herein referred to as "the Board"), subject to the stipulations hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the fourth Saturday in each month, at three o'clock p.m., at the office of the Parihaka Road Board, Rahotu, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Saturday, the twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and two.

2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days'

notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting; and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

3. Any three members of the Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the fourth Saturday in January in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

5. The Board shall prepare and submit at each annual meeting a report of the proceedings of the Board for the previous year ending on the thirty-first day of December, together with a statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Board for such year. A copy of every such report and statement, certified by the Chairman to be correct, shall be sent to the Minister of Lands as soon as possible after each annual meeting.

6. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be chairman of such meeting.

7. If, by resignation, death, incapacity, or otherwise, the office of Chairman shall be or become vacant, the members may at any monthly or special meeting appoint a Chairman.

8. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

And with the like advice and consent as aforesaid doth hereby also order that this delegation shall take effect in respect of the parcels of Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 20 acres, more or less, being Section No. 105, Block I., Opunake Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Sections Nos. 69 and 70, 1899.4 links; towards the east by a public road, 716.9 links; towards the south by Rahotu Road, 2005.3 links; and towards the west by Section No. 69, 1141.1 links.

Also all that parcel of land in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 28 acres 2 roods 11 perches, more or less, being Section No. 45, Block I., Opunake Survey District. Bounded towards the north by a road, 2451 links; towards the east by the South Road, 1312.5 links; towards the south by Sections Nos. 47 and 46, 2283.7 links; and towards the west by a road, 1215.8 links.

Be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same are delineated on the plan deposited in the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Powers delegated to the Tuapeka Park and Recreation-grounds Domain Board under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Public Domains Act, 1881," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby revoke a certain Order in Council, dated the fourth day of October, one thousand nine hundred, making delegation of certain powers in manner as therein appears; and doth hereby, with the like advice and consent, and in respect of the land hereinafter mentioned, delegate all the powers conferred by the said Act, except the powers conferred by sections five and twelve thereof, for the period of ten years from the date hereof (unless previously altered or revoked under the said Act), to the undermentioned persons, who shall be known as the Tuapeka Park and Recreation-grounds Domain Board, namely,—

The Stipendiary Magistrate, Lawrence, *ex officio*,
The Mayor of Lawrence, *ex officio*,
John Thompson,
Edward Herbert,
Francis Oudaille,
John Collins Brown, and
Benjamin Warren Winn

(herein referred to as "the Board"), subject to the stipulations hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the third Wednesday in each month, at two o'clock p.m., at Lawrence, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and two.

2. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman or by any two members of the Board, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting; and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

3. Any three members of the Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

4. The members of the Board shall, at their first meeting, and thereafter at an annual meeting to be held on the third Wednesday in January in every succeeding year thereafter, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

5. The Board shall prepare and submit at each annual meeting a report of the proceedings of the Board for the previous year ending on the thirty-first day of December, together with a statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Board for such year. A copy of every such report and statement, certified by the Chairman to be correct, shall be sent to the Minister of Lands as soon as possible after each annual meeting.

6. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be chairman of such meeting.

7. If, by resignation, death, incapacity, or otherwise, the office of Chairman shall be or become vacant, the members may at any monthly or special meeting appoint a Chairman.

8. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

And with the like advice and consent as aforesaid doth hereby also order that this delegation shall take effect in respect of the parcels of Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 14 acres, more or less, situate in the Town of Lawrence, and being Sections Nos. 1 to 20 respectively, Block XVI., 1 to 7, and 20, Block XVII., 1 to 6, 17, and 18, Block XXXIV., and 1 to 20, Block XXXV., of said town. Bounded towards the north by Stranraer Street, 1200 links; towards the east by Ardrossan Street, 1300 links, also by Sections Nos. 19 and 18 of Block XVII., 200 links; towards the south by Section No. 19 of Block XVII., 250 links, by Section No. 8 of same Block XVII., 250 links, also by Sections Nos. 7 and 16 of Block XXXIV., 500 links; towards the west by Sandy Street, 1400 links; and intersected by Harrington and Burrow Streets, each 100 links wide.

Also all that parcel of land in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 67 acres and 30 perches, more or less, situate in the Tuapeka East District, and being Sections Nos. 20 and 30 respectively of Block XIX. of said district. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 91 of same block, 1559 links; towards the north-east by a road-line, 2461 links; towards the south by Section No. 17 of same block, 280 links; towards the south-east by Sections Nos. 1, 3, and 2 respectively of same block, 3154 links; towards the east by said Section No. 17, 347 links; and towards the west by said Section No. 17, 271 links, also by Crown lands 3161 links.

Also all that parcel of land in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 19 acres 1 rood 37 perches, more or less, situate in the Town of Lawrence, being Sections Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 13, 14, 15, and 16, Block XIV., together with Blocks XV., XVIII., and XIX., on the map of the said town. Bounded towards the north by Stranraer Street, 500 and 250 links; towards the east-north-east by Peel Street, 605 and 1019 links; towards the east by Section No. 11, Block XIV., 100 links, also by Sections Nos. 11 and 12, Block XIV., 230 links; towards the south by Thurso Street, 717 and 500 links; towards the west by Ardrossan Street, 1000 and 1000 links; and towards the north-north-west by Section No. 12, Block XIV., 130 links; and intersected by Harrington Street, 100 links wide.

Also all that parcel of land in the Otago Land District, situate in the Town of Lawrence, being Section No. 6, Block LIII., on the map of the said town, containing by admeasurement 5 acres and 15 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north by Thurso Street, 1336 links; towards the south-east by New Street, 419 links; towards

the south by Sections Nos. 1 and 2, 1210 links; and towards the west by Ardrossan Street, 400 links.

Also all that parcel of land in the Town of Lawrence, Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 roods 24 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north by Rea Street; towards the east by Lancaster Street; towards the south by Canna Street; and towards the south-west by Peel Street.

Also all that parcel of land in the Town of Lawrence, Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 35 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north by Thurso Street; towards the east by Burrow Street; and towards the south-west by Gabriel Street.

Also all that parcel of land in the Town of Lawrence, Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less. Bounded towards the north by Harrington Street; towards the east by Sandy Street; and towards the south-west by Gabriel Street.

Also all that parcel of land in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 1 rood 22 perches, more or less, being Section No. 2, Block LIV., Town of Lawrence. Bounded towards the north-west by Steep Street, 365.5 links; towards the north-east by Section No. 3, 649.4 links; towards the south-east by Crown lands, 365.4 links; and towards the south-west by a reserve, 658.7 links.

Also all that parcel of land in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 8 acres and 23 perches, more or less, being sections numbered respectively 3, 4, and 5, Block LIV., Town of Lawrence. Bounded towards the north-west by Steep Street, 400 links and 193.2 links; towards the north by Block XIX., Tuapeka East District, 1474.5 links; towards the south-east by Crown lands, 1913.3 links; and towards the south-west by Section No. 2 of the said Block LIV., 649.4 links.

Be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same are delineated on the plans deposited in the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby order and declare that the reserve for public recreation in the Wellington Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of "The Public Domains Act, 1881"; and such domain shall hereafter be managed, administered, and dealt with in manner directed by the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 13 acres, more or less, being Lots Nos. 215 to 220 (inclusive) and part of Lot No. 214 on deposited plan No. 791, and being part of Subdivisions 2, 3, and 4, Hokowhitu Block, Kairanga Survey District, comprising all the land described in certificate of title, Vol. cxviii., folio 295, Wellington.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Setting apart Reserves under "The Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1898."

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1898" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor in Council is authorised under the said

Act to set apart any specified area of Crown lands within a kauri-gum district to be a kauri-gum reserve under the said Act:

And whereas it is expedient to create and set apart the kauri-gum reserves hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby set apart the areas of Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto as kauri-gum reserves, with the names set over the descriptions of such reserves in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

MANGONUI COUNTY.

Pukehau Kauri-gum Reserve.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, situate in Blocks VII., XI., and XII., Rangaunu Survey District, containing by admeasurement 1,530 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the east and north by Block VIII., Rangaunu Survey District; again towards the east by Sections Nos. 33, 34, and 35 of the Parish of Waiake; towards the south by a public road; and towards the west generally by land granted to J. Davis (O.L.C. 31), by Section No. 1 of Block VII., Rangaunu Survey District, and by Rangaunu Bay, to the point of commencement: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 37704, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red. For Mangatete Settlement.

Pairatahi Kauri-gum Reserve.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, situate in Blocks VII. and XI., Rangaunu Survey District, containing by admeasurement 1,750 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north generally by Rangaunu Bay and by unadjudicated Native land; towards the east generally by the Koterutaaraukai River, by land granted to J. Davis (O.L.C. 31), by the Te Rangi Ranginga Block, and by Section No. 2 of Block XI., Rangaunu Survey District; towards the south generally by a public road, by Section No. 130 of the Parish of Mangatete, and by a public road; and towards the south-west generally by land granted to R. Matthews (O.L.C. 119), by Section No. 1 of Block XI., Rangaunu Survey District, again by land granted to R. Matthews aforesaid, by the Pairatahi River, again by land granted to R. Matthews aforesaid, and by the Okapiti River, to the point of commencement: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 37704A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red. For Mangatete Settlement.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vesting a Reserve in the Tapanui Borough Council.

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto has been permanently reserved for Town Hall and athenæum purposes: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said land in the Tapanui Borough Council:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in "The Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Tapanui," in trust, for Town Hall and athenæum purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 5, Block II., Town of Tapanui.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Increasing the Number of Allotments that may be held by Settlers in the Welford Village Settlement, Wellington.

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council issued on the twenty-seventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, under the authority of section one hundred and sixty-three of "The Land Act, 1885," fixing the terms and conditions upon which village-settlement lands should be disposed of, it was provided that no lessee would be allowed to hold more than one allotment:

And whereas the Welford Village Settlement was, by a Proclamation dated the twenty-second day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, set apart for selection under the terms and conditions of the aforesaid Order in Council:

And whereas it is expedient to allow one person to hold more than one allotment in the said Welford Village Settlement:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby amend the Order in Council aforesaid in so far as it affects the number of allotments which may be held in the Welford Village Settlement, and doth declare that on and after the date hereof any settler in the Welford Village Settlement aforesaid may hold more than one allotment; and it is hereby further declared that all the provisions of the Order in Council of the twenty-seventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, aforesaid shall apply, except as regards the number of allotments that may be held by one person, to the Welford Village Settlement aforesaid.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Road through Plantation Reserve, Starborough, to be a Government Road.

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by section one hundred and two of "The Public Works Act, 1894," and of all other powers in any-wise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Right Honourable Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, 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 road in the Awatere Road District described in the Schedule below shall, on and after the date above mentioned, be a Government road.

SCHEDULE.

THAT road known as Starborough Nursery Road, bounding Sections Nos. 3f and 3g in Block X., Clifford Bay Survey District; as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 46664, deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to closing Road through Sections 9494 and 10270, Block XIV., Pigeon Bay District, Akaroa County.

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twelve, subsection one, of "The Public Works Acts 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 Akaroa 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 Akaroa County Council closing the part of the road mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Road required to be closed.	Intersecting Portions of Sections	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Marked on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 1 0	9494 and 10270	XIV.	Pigeon Bay	R. 4068	Green.

In the Canterbury Land District; 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 Wellington Land District.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Native Land proposed to be taken for a Public Road in Raglan County.

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken for a public work, to wit, the purposes of a public road in Blocks II. and VI., Karioi Survey District: And whereas the said lands are held or occupied by Native owners under a title which is not derived from the Crown: And whereas a map in duplicate has been prepared of the said lands by the Raglan County Council, as required by the eighty-eighth section of "The Public Works Act, 1894":

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the eighty-eighth section of the said 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 declare that the land shown upon such map, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be deemed to be taken for the purpose of the said public road, and the said land shall vest in the County Council of Raglan, as from the first day of November, one thousand nine hundred and two.

SCHEDULE.

The parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Part of Block	Situated in Block No.	Survey District.	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 3	Obiapopoko	II.	Karioi	R. 2917	Pink.
0 0 17 8	"	VI.	"	"	"

All in the Auckland Land District; as the said parcels of land are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vesting Lands in the Public Trustee under "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892."

RANFURLY, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1902.

Present:
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section four of "The West Coast Settlement (North Island) Act, 1880," the Governor in Council is empowered to make and set apart reserves for Natives within the "confiscated territory" described in the First Schedule to the said Act:

And whereas all such reserves hitherto so set apart have become vested in the Public Trustee in fee simple under "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892," subject to the trusts respectively affecting the same:

And whereas it is expedient to set apart the lands described in the Second Schedule hereto as reserves for the further benefit of the Natives whose names appear in the First Schedule hereto, or, as to such of them as may have died, to their successors ascertained or to be ascertained:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities conferred by the first-before-recited Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby set apart the lands described in the Second Schedule hereto; and with the like advice and consent doth direct that the said lands respectively shall vest in the Public Trustee in fee simple under and subject to the provisions of "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892," and all amendments thereof; and with the like advice and consent doth direct the issue of a Crown grant or grants of the lands described in the said Second Schedule to the Public Trustee in fee simple, subject as aforesaid.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

RANGIPUAHOAHO, Pirika, Miriama, Tieme Okiokings, Pukere, Te Rua, Mere te Amo, Te Hira Tarawha, Ngapuke Atamarie, Te Kooti, Tapihana, Ngatai, Tawhaki, and Te Warihi.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ALL those pieces of land, together containing 36 acres 1 rood, more or less, being Sections 41 and 47, Pukearuhe District, Block X., on the map of the Mimi Survey District.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Appointment of Members and Chairman, Conciliation Board, Westland.

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

WILLIAM ROBERT KETTLE, Merchant, of Greymouth;
ANDREW MCKAY, Contractor, of Greymouth;
HENRY COPPERSMITH, Coal-miner, of Brunner; and
HENRY BETTS, Junior, Coal-carrier, of Black's Point,
have been duly appointed as members, and that

The Reverend WILLIAM GRIGG, of Reefton,
has been duly appointed as Chairman, of the Board of Conciliation in and for the Westland Industrial District.

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

WM. HALL-JONES.

Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of a Reserve in the Mariborough 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 make, change, exchange, 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; 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, or if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to exchange any of the land comprised in such reserve for other land of equal value, to be dedicated to one or more purposes named in the said Class II., the Governor may, by notice gazetted, declare his intention to make such change, exchange, or dedication, as the case may be, 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 reserve described in the first column of the Schedule hereto from that named to the purpose named in the second column of the said Schedule respectively.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Original Reserve.	Intended Purpose.
All that parcel of land in the Marlborough Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 496, Town of Picton. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 497, Town of Picton, 210 links; towards the east by the Waiotahi Stream; towards the south by Section No. 495, Town of Picton, 240 links; and towards the west by Market Street, 110 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked S.G. 48518, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red. Reserved by notification in the Marlborough Gazette of the 23rd day of December, 1863, for a road.	For a site for a drill-shed.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-eighth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Land temporarily reserved in the Land District of Otago.

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 Otago 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 Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres and 16 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 5 and 6 of Block VII., Township of Sutton, Sutton Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the main road, 97 links; towards the north-east by Bristol Street, 1227½ links; towards the south-east by Section No. 4 of the said Block VII., 839 links; and towards the south-west by railway reserve, 991 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 48974, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged red. For railway reserve.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Land temporarily reserved in the Land District of Southland.

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 par-

ticular 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 Southland 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 Land District of Southland, containing by admeasurement 4 acres and 23 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 25, 26, 38, and 39, Township of Clifden. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 24, 964.8 links; towards the east by Aitken Street, 415 links; towards the south by Sections Nos. 27 and 40, 1000 links; towards the west by Howell Street, 374.4 links; and towards the north-west by Main Road, 54 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 48963, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged red. For purposes of the Agricultural Department.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Rahotu Public Cemetery appointed.

RANFURLY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint:

HENRY ROTHERY and
PHILIP SEBASTIAN RILEY

to be Trustees, in the place of William Howell and William Chick Phillips, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Rahotu Public Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons previously appointed by His Excellency the Governor.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Lands temporarily reserved in the Land District of Canterbury.

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 Canterbury 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 Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 3599 (in red), Block V., Town of Morven. Bounded towards the north by John Street; towards the east by Buckley Street; towards the south by Section No. 7, Block V., Town of Morven; and towards the west by Section No. 4 of the said Block V.: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 49116, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red. For site for public library.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-fourth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and two; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase or on lease in perpetuity, or, in respect of any land containing or supposed to contain any metal, mineral, or valuable stone, be selected on lease in perpetuity only; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

County.	District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price.		Occupation with Right of Purchase: Rent, 5 per Cent.			Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.		
					Per Acre.	Total Price.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.		
Whangaroa	Kohūmaru*	1	..	A. R. P. 188 2 32	£ s. d. 0 7 6	£ s. d. 70 17 6	s. d. 0 4.5	£ s. d. 1 15 5	s. d. 0 3.6	£ s. d. 1 8 4		
Weighted with £125, valuation for kauri timber.												
Whangaroa	Kohūmaru*	N.W.114	..	31 2 4	0 7 6	12 0 0	0 4.5	0 6 0	0 3.6	0 4 10		
"	"	S.E. 119	..	28 3 0	0 7 6	10 17 6	0 4.5	0 5 6	0 3.6	0 4 5		
"	"	S.W.127	..	48 1 0	0 7 6	18 0 0	0 4.5	0 9 0	0 3.6	0 7 3		
Section 1, about two-thirds forest, containing about 250,000 superficial feet of kauri timber. N.W. 114, about half forest; balance open fern land, undulating and broken. Situated about eight miles from Totara Post-office.												
Waipa	Tuhikara-	83, 84	..	99 1 3	0 10 0	49 10 0	0 6	1 4 9	0 4.8	0 19 10		
"	Ditto	273	..	46 2 13	0 10 0	23 10 0	0 6	0 11 9	0 4.8	0 9 5		
Sections 83, 84, about 60 acres fern hills, balance drainable swamp; access by good road, about four miles and a half from Hamilton. Section 273, open undulating land; access by formed road. About eight miles from Pirongia Township and seven miles from Ohaupo Railway-station.												
Waitemata	Okura*	67	..	52 0 0	0 15 0	39 0 0	0 9	0 19 6	0 7.2	0 15 7		
Open land, mostly of inferior quality, with small patches of good soil along Duck Creek and Weiti River. Situated about four miles from Wade Village by road and two miles by tidal creek.												
Tauranga	Otanewai-	3	IV.	300 0 0	0 10 0	150 0 0	0 6	3 15 0	0 4.8	3 0 0		
Undulating to broken land; nearly all open, with two small clumps of bush. Situated within Papamoa No. 2 Special Settlement Block, about ten miles from Te Puke and twelve miles from Tauranga.												
Bay of Isl'ds	Hukerenui	79	V.	38 1 35	0 10 0	19 0 0	0 6	0 9 6	0 4.8	0 7 7		
Undulating to broken country; one-fourth open land, remainder forest and old kauri-workings. About ten miles from Kawakawa and one mile from Towai Post-office.												
Piako	Patetere N.	14	IX.	291 2 4	0 12 6	182 10 0	0 7.5	4 11 3	0 6	3 13 0		
Weighted with £180, valuation for improvements—house, woolshed, fencing, and grassing.												
Undulating, open land; light soil; watered by Pokaewhenua Stream. Situated four miles from Putaruru Railway-station.												
Bay of Isl'ds	Okokako*	19	..	18 2 0	0 8 0	7 12 0	0 4.8	0 3 10	0 3.84	0 3 1		
Open land, about three miles and a half from Waimate North.												
Tauranga	Maketu	20	I.	120 0 0	0 10 0	60 0 0	0 6	1 10 0	0 4.8	1 4 0		
"	"	27	"	129 0 0	0 10 0	64 10 0	0 6	1 12 3	0 4.8	1 5 10		
"	"	29	"	57 2 0	0 10 0	29 0 0	0 6	0 14 6	0 4.8	0 11 7		
A small clump of bush on Section 27; other sections open land; situated in Papamoa No. 2 Special Settlement, from eleven to thirteen miles from Tauranga and from six to eight miles from Te Puke.												
Whakatane	Matata*	137A	..	487 0 0	0 10 0	243 10 0	0 6	6 1 9	0 4.8	4 17 5		
Swampy and dry land. About five miles from Matata Township.												
Kawhia	Maungama-	12	XVI.	100 0 0	0 15 0	75 0 0	0 9	1 17 6	0 7.2	1 10 0		
Weighted with £77 15s. 3d., valuation for improvements, comprising cottage, fencing, and grassing.												
About 20 acres swamp; balance open, undulating land. Situated at Paemako Settlement.												

* Parish.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-third day of September, one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

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

RANFURLY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural land enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and two; and also that the land mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase or on lease in perpetuity, or, in respect of any land containing or supposed to contain any metal, mineral, or valuable stone, be selected on lease in perpetuity only; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said land shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said land shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

County.	District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price.			Occupation with Right of Purchase: Rent, 5 per Cent.			Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
					Per Acre.	Total Price.		Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.	
				A. R. P.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.
Hokianga	Punakitere ..	1	XV.	933 0 0	10 0	466 10 0	0 6	11 13 3	0 4 8	9 6 7		

Weighted with £164 13s. valuation for 219,317 sup. ft. kauri timber and fifty-five totara trees.

Nearly all forest; broken land, part fronting Mangakahia River is good soil. balance medium. Situated about twenty-three miles from Kaikohe, and the same distance from Mangakahia Post-office.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-third day of September, one thousand nine hundred and two.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Limits of Napier Harbour defined.

RANFURLY, Governor.

IN pursuance of the power and authority in me vested by the ninth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby define the limits of the Harbour of Napier in the said colony to be--All that area covered by the sea, and by the tidal waters of the same, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point on the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, on the shore-line of Hawke's Bay, south of the Borough of Napier, where, intersected by an arc of a circle having its centre in the Borough of Napier, at the 1868 site of flagstaff at the Spit, the radius of said circle to be four statute miles in length; proceeding thence along the seaward boundary of said arc to its intersection with the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, on the shore-line of Hawke's Bay north of the Borough of Napier; thence generally in a southerly direction along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, of the shore-line to the western pier at the entrance of the Ahuriri Harbour; thence generally towards the north-west along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, of the shore-line of the Ahuriri Harbour to the Petane River; thence generally toward the north along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, of the left bank of the said Petane River to its intersection with arc of said circle having its centre at the 1868 site of flagstaff at Spit; thence across the said Petane River, and returning in a southerly direction along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, on the right bank of said Petane River to its mouth; thence towards the north and west along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, on the shore-line of said Ahuriri Harbour to its intersection with arc of said circle; thence in a south-westerly direction along arc of said circle to Te Raro-o-Kuri Island; thence following the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, of that part of the shore-line of Te Raro-o-Kuri Island which lies within the circumference of said circle to where said shore-line is again intersected by arc of said circle; thence again in a south-westerly direction along arc of said circle to its intersection with the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, of the shore-line of Ahuriri Harbour, at Wakatakapa; thence generally along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, of the shore-line of Ahuriri Harbour to the mouth of Saltwater Creek at Balmoral; thence generally in a southerly direction along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, on the left bank of said Saltwater Creek to its intersection with Church Road; thence across creek, and returning generally in a northerly direction along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, on the right bank of said creek to its mouth; thence in a south-easterly and south-westerly direction along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, of the shore-line of the Ahuriri Harbour to Backwater; thence generally in a southerly direction along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, on the left bank of Backwater to its end; thence returning in a northerly direction along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, on the right bank of said Backwater to its intersection with the shore-line of Ahuriri Harbour; thence generally in an easterly, northerly, and southerly direction along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, of the shore-line of said Ahuriri Harbour to the mouth of the Tutakuri River; thence generally in a south-easterly direction along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, on the left bank of the said Tutakuri River to the limit of tidal flow, a distance of about one and three-quarter miles from the bridge over the Tutakuri River on the Napier-Taradale Road; thence across river, and returning in a north-westerly direction along the high-

water mark, ordinary spring tides, on the right bank of said Tutakuri River to its junction with a stream flowing along the southern boundary of the Borough of Napier; thence in an easterly direction along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, on the left bank of said stream to its intersection with the Napier-Taradale Road; thence across said stream, and returning along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, on the right bank of said stream to its intersection with the shore-line of the Ahuriri Harbour; thence generally in a northerly direction along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, of the shore-line of the Ahuriri Harbour and the Eastern Pier to the entrance of the said Ahuriri Harbour; thence generally in an easterly and southerly direction along the high-water mark, ordinary spring tides, of the shore-line of Hawke's Bay to the commencing-point: always save and excepting from the aforesaid described area certain islands situated in the Ahuriri Harbour, called respectively Te Hourere, Parpara, Kouriwiri, Warehineuru, Poroporo, Tirohangahe, Tutaeeranuku, Tapu te Rangi, Te Awaawaka, Kohine te Tema, Kotaunui, Matawhero, and Awamauku. The said limits are delineated on the plan marked M.D. 2556, deposited in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and two.

WM. HALL-JONES.

Regulations under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900."

RANFURLY, Governor.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand doth hereby revoke the regulations made under the said Act on the sixth day of January last respecting financial adjustments, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the following regulations for the purposes of the said Act as hereinafter set forth, namely:--

REGULATIONS.

Financial Adjustments.

1. WHENEVER, upon the constitution of a new borough, or any alteration of the boundaries of an existing borough, agreements for financial and other adjustments are required to be made as specified in section one hundred and eighty-three of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," such agreements shall respectively be made and executed within three calendar months from the date of constitution of the new borough or date of alteration of boundaries respectively, as the case may be.
2. All such agreements shall provide, *inter alia*, for the following matters:--
 - (a.) What part of the real and personal property of the local authority or local authorities directly affected by such constitution or alteration shall respectively become the property of the new borough or other authority acquiring the severed area, as the case may be.
 - (b.) What part of the rates payable to the existing local authority or local authorities from which such new borough or added area has been taken shall be deemed payable to such new borough or other authority acquiring such severed area respectively.

(c.) What part of the debts, liabilities, or engagements of such existing local authority or local authorities, whether absolute and outstanding at the date of such severance or then contingent or prospective (if the same be capable of extinction), shall be liabilities or engagements of such new borough or other local authority acquiring such severed area respectively.

(d.) What part of the interest and sinking fund of any loan raised by such existing local authority or local authorities shall be payable by the new borough or other local authority acquiring such severed area respectively.

3. If no such agreements as aforesaid be made within the said period of three calendar months from the date of such constitution or alteration of boundaries as aforesaid, then, upon the written application of either of the local authorities directly affected by such constitution or alteration, the Governor may appoint one or more persons to be Commissioners to inquire and report to him upon any matters which he shall deem necessary to enable him to make an adjustment of property, liabilities, contracts, and engagements between such local authorities. The Commissioners shall report to the Governor, after such inquiry as they think necessary, their opinion as to the matters inquired into, but it shall not be obligatory on the Governor to act in accordance with any opinion or recommendation expressed or made by the Commissioners. Any such Commissioner shall have all the powers of a Board or Commission appointed by the Governor in Council under the provisions of "The Commissioners' Powers Act, 1867." After consideration of the report of the Commissioners, the Governor shall, by Warrant under his hand, make such adjustment or award as he shall deem just. Such adjustment or award shall be notified to the parties by the Colonial Secretary. All applications under this regulation shall be addressed to the Colonial Secretary.

4. Any such adjustment or award may provide for all or any of the matters mentioned in regulation two, and may declare in whom any property shall be vested, and for what estate, and by whom any moneys shall be paid, or other acts and things done (including the payment by either party of the whole or any part of the costs and expenses of such inquiry), and generally may give such directions as may be necessary for giving full effect to these regulations.

5. Every such adjustment or award shall be final and conclusive as between the parties.

Recovery of Proportion of Cost of Bridge, &c., when more than one District benefited.

6. With respect to the demand and recovery of the proportion of the cost of any work under section 219 of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," the following provisions shall apply:—

(1.) Such proportion of cost may be demanded from the contributing local authority in instalments as the work progresses, at such intervals of not less than one month as the constructing local authority thinks fit. Every such demand shall be by notice in writing signed by the Clerk of the Council of the constructing local authority.

(2.) The instalments shall bear the same proportion to the value of the work executed as the proportion of cost to be paid by the contributing local authority bears to the total cost of the work.

(3.) All payments shall be made to the Clerk of the said Council.

(4.) Any instalments not paid within thirty days of the receipt of the aforesaid notice may be recovered in any Court of competent jurisdiction as a debt due to the constructing local authority.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-fourth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and two.

JAS. MCGOWAN.

[NOTE.—The above is in substitution of Warrant published on page 2061 of *Gazette* of 18th September, 1902.]

Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th September, 1902.

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

Name.	District.
PAUL EUGENE BEAN	Featherston.
(On and from the 27th September, 1902.)	
WILLIAM CHRISTOPHER McDERMOTT	Waimate.
(On and from the 22nd September, 1902.)	

JAS. MCGOWAN,
For Colonial Secretary.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 17th September, 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.
JOHN CHARLES MACGREGOR	Mataura.
ALFRED HENRI DE TOURETTES	Kaipoi.

JAS. MCGOWAN,
For Colonial Secretary.

Vice-Consul of Brazil, at Wellington, recognised.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1902.

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

ALFRED HENRY MILES, Esq.,
as Vice-Consul of Brazil at Wellington.

J. G. WARD.

Member of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 19th September, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN A. WILSON
to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Waitemata, *vice* J. Slatter, deceased.

JAS. MCGOWAN.

Inspector of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 22nd September, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable HENRY CORNELIUS CARMODY
an Inspector under "The Factories Act, 1901."

WM. HALL-JONES,
Acting Minister of Labour.

Inspector of Factories appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable THOMAS ELLIOTT CREEKS
an Inspector under "The Factories Act, 1901."

WM. HALL-JONES,
Acting Minister of Labour.

Lecturer and Instructor, Thames School of Mines, appointed.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 22nd September, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ORMSBY GORE ADAMS, Esq.,
to be Lecturer and Instructor at the Thames School of Mines, as from the 28th August, 1902, *vice* F. B. Allen, Esq., M.A., B.Sc., resigned.

JAS. MCGOWAN,
Minister of Mines.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 20th September, 1902.

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

JOHN HANNAH, Junior, Esq.,
of Otautau, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the colony.

JAS. MCGOWAN.

Battalion Officer promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 17th September, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the following promotion:—

2nd Battalion North Canterbury Mounted Rifle Volunteers.
Lieutenant and Adjutant Percy H. Johnson to be Captain, and with effect from 28th July, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer transferred to Reserve.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 17th September, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, under paragraphs 94 and 97, Volunteer Regulations, 1895, of the transfer of

Captain JOHN JOSEPH DOUGALL
from the Canterbury Engineer Volunteers to the Canterbury District Reserve Corps Volunteers, and with effect from 1st September, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 17th September, 1902.

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

Dunedin Rifle Volunteers.
Captain Thomas Ross Burt. Date of resignation, 2nd September, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 19th September, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration to

Captain JOHN HARKNESS BICE,
Honorary Unattached List New Zealand Volunteers, he having a total efficient rank and commissioned service counting towards the Decoration to the 12th March, 1902, of twenty years seven months and thirteen days.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer transferred.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 19th September, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the transfer of

Captain THOMAS ARTHUR WHITE,
Unattached Active List, New Zealand Volunteers, to the Taieri Mounted Rifle Volunteers, with rank as Captain, under section 63a, Amended Volunteer Regulations, with effect from 27th August, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Acting Minister of Defence.

New Zealand Militia Officer transferred.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 22nd September, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the transfer of

Lieutenant CECIL HARRY STREET
from the New Zealand Militia to the Waitaki Mounted Rifle Volunteers, with rank of Lieutenant, under paragraph 63, Amended Volunteer Regulations, 1900, and with effect from 9th August, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Honorary Volunteer Officer resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 22nd September, 1902.

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

Christchurch City Guards Rifle Volunteers.
Honorary Chaplain the Reverend Henry Airay Watson.
Date of resignation, 1st August, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 22nd September, 1902.

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

Rangiora Rifle Volunteers.
Lieutenant Adam Ernest Smith. Date of resignation, 1st September, 1902.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 23rd September, 1902.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue Letters of Naturalisation, under "The Aliens Act, 1880," in favour of the undermentioned persons:—

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
John Victor Emile Ansin	Lighthouse-keeper	Moeraki Lighthouse, Hampden.
Joseph Bayer	Farmer	Upper Waiwera
Peter Bayer	Farmer	Upper Waiwera
Frank Maillas	Miner	Limestone, Greymouth.
John Mischewski	Settler	Inglewood.
Raffaello Paladini	Cabinetmaker	Wellington.
George Rasmussen	Labourer	Gisborne.
Henri Robaey	Farmer	Te Mata.
Viggo Johan Sorenson	Pastrycook	Auckland.
Antonio Vidulich	Labourer	Wellington.
Carl William Zoder	Laundryman	Napier.

JAS. MCGOWAN,
For Colonial Secretary.

Notice of the Laying-off of a Road through Land in Awarua 4c No. 9 Block, Hautapu Survey District.

NOTICE is hereby given, by direction of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, under the authority of section 92 of "The Public Works Act, 1894," that the road described in the Schedule hereto was duly taken and laid off through the land specified in the said Schedule, under the authority of the Governor of the said colony, by Warrant dated the 27th March, 1895.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Land taken.	Being Part of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 0 7	Awarua 4c No. 9 Block	III.	Hautapu	R. 4157	Red.

In the Land District of Wellington; as the said area is delineated upon the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.
Dated this 20th day of September, 1902.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Tenders.

Public Works Department,
Wellington, 23rd September, 1902.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

NGAHERE-BLACKBALL RAILWAY, NGAHERE BRIDGE CONTRACT.

Accepted.

	£	s.	d.
H. Bignell, Greymouth	23,331	3	11

Declined.

M. O'Connor, Wellington	24,492	16	8
Griffiths and Martyn, Westport	24,496	12	0
J. Jay, Greymouth	24,754	8	0
Mace and Nicholson, Wellington	26,175	0	0
A. McKay, Greymouth	28,262	7	6

Notice to Mariners No. 68 of 1902.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 18th September, 1902.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, are published for general information.

WM. HALL-JONES.

INDIA.—EAST COAST.—MASULIPATAM.

It is hereby notified, for the information of mariners, that the alteration of the light at Masulipatam, notified in this office Marine Notice No. 9 of 1902, is postponed. Further notice will be given of the date from which the intended alteration will take place.

THOS. G. R. FINNY,
Commander, R.I.M., Presidency Port Officer.
Presidency Port Office,
Madras, 31st July, 1902.

INDIA.—EAST COAST.—CUDDALORE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, from and after 1st October, 1902, the light at Cuddalore will be altered from D 6th order red fixed to D 4th order white occulting, showing four occultations every minute, visible from all directions seaward, distance twelve miles.

THOS. G. R. FINNY,
Commander, R.I.M., Presidency Port Officer.
Presidency Port Office,
Madras, 1st August, 1902.

Notice to Mariners No. 69 of 1902.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 18th September, 1902.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Portmaster, Brisbane, Queensland, is published for general information.

WM. HALL-JONES.

CAPTAIN HURFORD, of the s.s. "Konowarra," reports that a depth of only 3 fathoms exists one mile and three-quarters off shore at a point seventeen miles and a half south from Point Lookout.

This locality is opposite the breach in Stradbroke Island, and, as a bar is probably forming there, masters of vessels are recommended to steer a course further off shore.

Chart affected: No. 1029; Australian Directory, Vol. ii.

JOHN MACKAY,
Acting Portmaster.
Marine Department,
Brisbane, 22nd August, 1902.

Notice to Mariners No. 70 of 1902.

PACIFIC CABLE IN DOUBTLESS BAY.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 19th September, 1902.

REFERRING to Notice to Mariners No. 27 of 1902, issued by this Department on the 27th April last, notice is hereby given that four beacons have been erected to mark the line of approach of the Pacific Cable to Doubtless Bay.

Two beacons are on Tokerau Beach, one mile north-west of Aorere River. These indicate the line of cable from sea through the middle of the bay to within three miles from the beach. They bear N. 26° E. and S. 26° W. (magnetic) from one another.

Two beacons a quarter of a mile south of Cable Station, marking the line of approach from the Tokerau line to within half a mile of the Cable Station beach, and bearing N. 43° W. and S. 43° E. from one another.

Two smaller beacons at Cable Station, indicating the line taken by the shore end of the cable from the station to a position about half a mile off the beach, and bear from one another N. 4° E. and S. 4° W.

All beacons are painted white, triangular in shape, and open-boarded, and, with the exception of the last two, are 20 ft. in height, and have triangular surmounts.

Mariners are cautioned not to anchor when on or near the lines of beacons.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty chart No. 2525; "New Zealand Pilot," 7th edition, chap. iii., page 68.

WM. HALL-JONES.

Special Order made by the Collingwood County Council, merging Takaka Road District.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 22nd September, 1902.

THE following special order, made by the Collingwood County Council, is published for general information.

JAS. MCGOWAN,
For Colonial Secretary.

SPECIAL ORDER made by the Collingwood County Council.

THAT, in accordance with the prayer of a duly published petition presented to the Collingwood County Council for the abolition of the Takaka Road District, signed by a majority of the ratepayers for such road district whose property in respect of which they are rated is situated within the County of Collingwood, possessing in the aggregate not less than half the rateable property therein, the Collingwood County Council, in pursuance of the powers vested in them by "The Counties Act, 1886," do now make the following special order: That the Takaka Road Board be dissolved, and that the said road district be merged in the County of Collingwood, on and after the 1st day of October next.

I, William Baird, the Clerk of the Collingwood County Council, do hereby certify that the above special order has been duly made by the Collingwood County Council in accordance with the provisions of "The Counties Act, 1886." Dated at Takaka, this 15th day of September, 1902.

WILLIAM BAIRD,
Clerk to Collingwood County Council.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Clutha County Council.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 18th September, 1902.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Clutha County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

J. G. WARD,
Acting Colonial Treasurer.

RESULT of poll of ratepayers of the Ahuriri Special-rating District, taken upon the 11th day of September, 1902, upon the proposal to raise a special loan of £500:—

For the proposal, 0 votes; against the proposal, 5 votes; informal, 0 votes: total, 5 votes.

I therefore declare the proposal rejected.

JOHN MCNEILL,
Chairman, Clutha County Council.

Special Order made by the Clifton County Council.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 19th September, 1902.

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

J. G. WARD,
Acting Colonial Treasurer.

CLIFTON COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order.—Pukearuhe Loan, £1,000.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Clifton County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,000, authorised to be raised by the Clifton County Council under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for the purpose of forming and fencing portions of the Pukearuhe or North Road, the said Clifton County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable valuation of all rateable property in the Pukearuhe Special-rating District, comprising Sections part 5, 6-9, 12-17, Block X., Mimi Survey District; Sections 1-4, part 5, 6-12, 15,

Block X., Mimi Survey District; Sections part 9, 11, 14, 36-39, part 10, Block X., Mimi Survey District; and such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable in one instalment on the 1st day of February 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, and that the interest to be paid is at the rate of $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum.

The above special order was adopted at a special meeting of the Clifton County Council held 4th July, 1902, and confirmed at a subsequent meeting held 5th September, 1902.

R. H. PIGOTT,
Chairman, Clifton County Council.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Wirokino Road Board.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 19th September, 1902.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Wirokino Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

J. G. WARD,
Acting Colonial Treasurer.

WEREROA LOAN, £500.

RESULT of poll of ratepayers of Wereroa Special-rating District, taken on Thursday, 11th September, 1902, on the proposal to borrow £500 under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for the purpose of constructing all the roads in Wereroa Township:—

Number of valid votes recorded, 21: Number of valid votes for the proposal, 20; number of valid votes against the proposal, 1.

The number of valid votes recorded for the proposal being more than three-fifths of the total number of valid votes recorded, I hereby declare the poll carried.

JNO. DAVIES,
Chairman, Wirokino Road Board.
Levin, 13th September, 1902.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Selwyn County Council.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 20th September, 1902.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Selwyn County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

J. G. WARD,
Acting Colonial Treasurer.

SELWYN COUNTY COUNCIL.

Notice pursuant to "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

PURSUANT to the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Coalgate Water-supply District, constituted under "The Water-supply Act, 1891," of the taking of which poll notice was duly given and was published in *The Press* newspapers of the 30th August and 3rd September, 1902, was duly taken in the South Malvern Road Board Office, at Coalgate, on Saturday, the 6th September, 1902, for the purpose of deciding by the vote of the said ratepayers whether the proposal contained in the notice published in *The Press* newspaper of the 23rd and 30th July and 6th and 13th August, 1902, to borrow from the Government of New Zealand a sum of £500 for twenty-six years at $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum, for the construction of water-races in the said district, should be carried into effect; and I hereby also give notice that the votes recorded were as follows:—

Number of votes recorded in favour of the proposal, 23; number of votes recorded against the proposal, 4.

As the number of valid votes recorded in favour of the proposal exceeds three-fifths of the total number of votes recorded at the poll, I declare the said proposal carried.

Dated this 11th day of September, 1902.

RICHD. WESTENRA,
Chairman of the County Council of Selwyn.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Selwyn County Council.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 20th September, 1902.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Selwyn County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

J. G. WARD,
Acting Colonial Treasurer.

SELWYN COUNTY COUNCIL.

Notice pursuant to "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

PURSUANT to the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Waimakariri Water-supply District, constituted under "The Water-supply Act, 1891," of the taking of which poll notice was duly given and was published in the *Lyttelton Times* newspapers of the 4th and 6th September, 1902, was duly taken in the office of the Selwyn County Council, the office of the Midland Saleyards Company, Sockburn, and in the offices of the Templeton, Lincoln, and Springs Road Boards, on Wednesday, the 10th September, 1902, for the purpose of deciding, by the vote of the said ratepayers, whether the proposal contained in the notice published in the *Lyttelton Times* newspaper of the 8th, 15th, 22nd, and 29th August, 1902, to borrow from the Government of New Zealand a sum of £700 for twenty-six years, at $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum, for the construction of water-races in the said district, should be carried into effect; and I hereby also give notice that the votes recorded were as follows:—

Number of votes recorded in favour of the proposal, 142; number of votes recorded against the proposal, 2.

As the number of valid votes recorded in favour of the proposal exceeds three-fifths of the total number of votes recorded at the poll, I declare the said proposal carried.

Dated this 11th day of September, 1902.

RICHD. WESTENRA,
Chairman of the County Council of Selwyn.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Manganui Road Board.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 22nd September, 1902.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Manganui Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

J. G. WARD,
Acting Colonial Treasurer.

MANGANUI ROAD BOARD.

RESULT of poll of ratepayers of the Kent Terrace Special rating District, Township of Midhirst, taken on Monday, the 15th September, 1902, upon the following proposal:—

To form, grade, and metal Kent Terrace, in the Township of Midhirst, from the Beaconsfield Road to the Mountain Road: to borrow for such purpose a loan of £275, under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the loan to be for a period of twenty-six years, and the rate of interest $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum; to pay out of such loan the cost of raising it: to strike as security on this loan a special annual-recurring rate of $4\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound, for twenty-six years, over the following lands, namely, Block I., Midhirst East, Sections 1 to 24, both included; Block VI., Midhirst East, Sections 1 to 25, both included; and Subsections 1, 2, 3, 4 of Section 3, Block XIII., Huiroa Survey District.

Number of ratepayers on special roll, 15; number of votes exercisable, 15: Number of votes recorded in favour of the proposal, 5; total number of votes recorded, 5.

I therefore declare the proposal carried.

J. MACKAY,
Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan, Mosgiel Borough Council.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 22nd September, 1902.

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

J. G. WARD,
Acting Colonial Treasurer.

In the matter of the proposal of the Council of the Borough of Mosgiel to raise a special loan of £7,500.

To the Hon. the Colonial Secretary.

I, THOMAS AITKEN, Mayor of the Borough of Mosgiel, do hereby give you notice that on the 28th day of August, 1902, a poll of the electors of the said borough was taken upon the proposal of the Council of the said borough, in pursuance of the powers and provisions contained in "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," and "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, to raise a special loan of £7,500, to be called "The Drainage and Waterworks Loan," for and in connection with the following public works, that is to say, (1) the constructing drains, purchasing or otherwise acquiring lands, and providing all buildings, engines, machinery, and other things necessary for the drainage of the Borough of Mosgiel; (2) the constructing, providing, or establishing

waterworks for the supply of water for the use of the inhabitants of the Borough of Mosgiel: that the amount applicable for drainage purposes is to be £3,000, and the amount applicable for waterworks is to be £4,500: that the property to be specially appropriated and pledged as a security for such loan and the interest thereon, pursuant to the said Acts, is to be the said drainage and waterworks (the subject-matter of the loan), and the revenues, rents, tolls, issues, and profits thereof, and a special rate of 9d. in the pound sterling on the rateable value of all property in the said borough: that the whole loan is to be repayable on the 1st day of January, 1928, and is to bear interest at the rate of £4 per centum per annum, payable half-yearly: that in connection therewith seventy-five debentures of £100 each are to be issued, each payable on the said date, with separate coupons attached thereto for each half-year's interest, and the principal and interest secured by such debentures are to be payable at the National Bank of New Zealand (Limited), at Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, or Dunedin: and that the cost of raising the loan and the interest for the first year are to be paid out of the said loan.

And at the said poll the resolution in favour of the said proposal was duly carried.

Dated this 9th day of September, 1902.

THOMAS AITKEN, Mayor.

I, the abovenamed Thomas Aitken, 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 referred to in the foregoing notice 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 intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

THOMAS AITKEN.

Declared at Mosgiel aforesaid, this 9th day of September, 1902, before me—Jas. F. Leary, J.P.

Bonus for Treatment of Auriferous Black Sand.

Mines Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 14th November, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given that a bonus of £2,000 will be paid to any person who, before the 1st January, 1904, shall invent such appliances as will successfully save gold from black sands in New Zealand.

The bonus will be paid on compliance with the following conditions:—

1. The invention shall, in its main features, differ from all machinery and appliances at present in use for the saving of gold, whether coarse or fine.

2. It shall be readily transportable from place to place, and shall be capable of utilising local water for all its requirements.

3. The invention must be capable of treating not less than 30 cubic yards an hour of black sand or any coarser material up to a diameter of 4 in.; and it must be capable of treating such material profitably where there is not more than a value, in gold, of 3d. per cubic yard; not less than 80 per cent. of the gold contained in the material to be recovered by the machine.

4. No bonus to be paid until the invention has been continuously worked for not less than six months, and it shall, during that period, have treated not less than 100,000 cubic yards of material, working three shifts a day.

5. The bonus will be paid on the certificate of an officer that not less than twenty persons other than the applicant for the bonus are successfully working the invention.

6. Any person who receives the bonus shall not be allowed to take out patent rights in New Zealand for his invention.

JAS. MCGOWAN,
Minister of Mines.

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.

JAS. MCGOWAN,
Minister of Mines.

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

Native Minister's Office,
Wellington, 22nd September, 1902.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has this day been pleased to approve of the following by-laws made by the Maori Council of the Arapawa Maori District, under the provisions of section sixteen of "The Maori Councils Act, 1900," as set out in the Schedule hereto.

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

Approved.

SCHEDULE.

THE MAORI COUNCIL OF THE ARAPAWA MAORI DISTRICT.

BY-LAWS.

THE Maori Council of the Arapawa 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 Arapawa 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 Arapawa Maori District, proclaimed by the Governor under the said Act by Proclamation dated the 30th day of July, 1902.

"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 guardian, 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 front of any meeting house or in the courtyard (*marae*) thereof, but may lie in state at some other spot in the vicinity that may be indicated by the Chairman of the Village Committee or the member of Council for the riding.

(B.) *Cleansing Houses.*

(Section 16, Subsection 2.)

5. 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 A 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.

6. The Council may order the removal, renovation, 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 cleaning, renovation, removal or destruction shall be a debt due to the Council, recoverable as liquidated damages by process in the Magistrate's Court.

7. The Village Committee may in its discretion ease or modify the application of the foregoing By-laws Nos. 5 and 6, 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.)

8. 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.

9. 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, or upon any footpath, street, drain, or any public thoroughfare, so as to be injurious or dangerous to health or so as to cause an offensive smell.

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

11. No person shall permit or suffer any dead animal or any portion of any dead animal to be upon or to lie upon his land or any portion thereof occupied by him in close proximity to the public road or any public place so as to cause an offensive smell.

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

13. Every person who commits a breach of any of the foregoing By-laws Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one pound.

(D.) Drunkenness.

(Section 16, Subsection 4.)

14. 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.

15. 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.

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

17. 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.

18. 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.)

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

20. 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.

21. Any person committing a breach of the above By laws Nos. 19 and 20, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

22. 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.

(F.) *Stray Cattle*.

(Section 16, Subsection 8.)

23. Any person furiously riding a horse in any kainga or through any streets of any Maori kainga occupied as a township, or furiously driving any sledge, wagon, carriage, or other vehicle through the same, may be fined a sum not exceeding one pound.

(G.) *Hawkers*.

(Section 16, Subsection 13.)

24. 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 B in the Schedule hereto shall have force throughout the whole of the district, and the fee therefor shall be two pounds.
- (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.) The Secretary shall register the name and residence of all persons to whom licenses are issued. The said register shall be open to all persons who may wish to inspect the same. The fee for each search shall be one shilling.
- (6.) Any person hawking goods without license within Maori kaingas in the district shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds.
- (7.) The Council may cancel the license of any hawker if it is proved that such hawker is a confirmed drunkard or has been convicted by the law of larceny or any other criminal offence.

25. 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 five shillings per day while such *hui* lasts. 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.)

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

27. Every Maori 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.)

28. No billiard-room shall be constructed and no billiard-table erected within any Maori kainga, or at any other place within the district except townships and European settlements: Provided that this by-law shall have force in respect of Maori lots within a Native township. Any person guilty of a breach of this by-law shall be liable to a fine not exceeding twenty-five pounds.

29. Any person found playing for money, or for valuable consideration, 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.

30. Any person, Maori or otherwise, 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 ten shillings for the first offence, not exceeding one pound for the second offence, and not exceeding two

pounds for every subsequent offence. Provided that in the event of any owner being absent when an offence as aforesaid is committed, such owner shall not be liable.

Village Committees.

31. 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.

32. 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 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 B.

(By-law No. 24.)

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 for the Maori District, this day of , one thousand nine hundred and , Chairman [or Clerk] the Council.

The above by-laws were passed at a meeting of the Maori Council for the Arapawa Maori District held at Waikawa on the 4th day of September, 1902; and are given under the seal of the said Council.

(L.S.) HAPARETA RORE PUKEKOHATU,
Chairman.

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

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.

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

Tari o te Minita Maori,
Poneke, 22 o Hepetema, 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 Arapawa 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 Taba Maori.

Kua whakaaetia. RANFURLY, Kawana.

TE KUPU APITI.

KAUNIHERA MAORI O TE TAKIWA MAORI O ARAPAWA.

NGA TIKANGA-WHAKAHAERE.

TENEI te Kaunihera Maori o te Takiwa Maori o Arapawa 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:—

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

"Te Kaunihera" tona tikanga ko te Kaunihera Maori o te Takiwa Maori o Arapawa 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 Arapawa i panuitia e te Kawana i raro i taua Ture i tana panuitanga o te 30 o nga ra o Hurae, 1902.

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

"Whakatakotoria" tona tikanga i whakatakotoria 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 o te tau o muri atu (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 whakahaere 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, ma tona kai-tiaki ranei, 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 whakatutuki nga tikanga o te tikanga-whakahaere i runga ake nei, a ka whakaaetia 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 kaula 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. Kua rawa e whakatakotoria te tupapaku ki nga roro ki nga marae ranei o nga whare nunui, engari me whakatakoto ki tetahi atu wahi i rahaki e tata ana mai e whakaritha e te Tiamana o te Komiti Marae, e te Mema Kaunihera ranei o te wahanga o te takiwa.

(B.) *Nga Whare Paru.*

(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 2.)

5. Ka ahei te Tiamana o te Kaunihera, tetahi tangata, ranei i whakamanaia 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 whakahaere 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 A 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 rongo, ka turi ranei ki te whakatutuki i te whakahaere a taua panui, e tika ana kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kaula e neke atu i te kotahi pauna mo te hara tuatahi, kia kaula e neke atu i te rua pauna mo ia haranga ki muri iho.

6. Ka ahei te Kaunihera ki te whakahaere 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 whakahaere ki a ia kia whakapaia, kia whakahoutia, kia whakakorea ranei taua whare, ka kore e rongo ki taua whakahaere. 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 ki te Kooti Whakawa Tuturu.

7. Kei nga Komiti Marae te whakaaro ki te whakanga-wari i nga tikanga-whakahaere tua-rima, me tua-ono, i runga ake nei mehemea ka tupohe he kaumatua, he mate, he ngoikore ranei, te tangata nona, a e noho ana ranei i roto i aua tu whare kua korerotia ake nei, kia kore ai e pa uaua aua tikanga whakahaere 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 whiri-whiri ai i tetahi huarahi e taetae 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 taumahatanga mo aua tu tangata.

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

(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 3.)

8. 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 tahi ana ranei i te taha o taua puna, awa ranei.

9. 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, ki runga ranei ki tetahi rori waewae, tiriti, arawai, tetahi wahi ranei e haeretia ana e te katoa, e whai putake mai ai mo te mate, e puta mai ai ranei te haunga.

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

11. Kua te tangata e waiho noa i te kararehe mate, i tetahi wahi ranei o te kararehe mate kia takoto ana i runga i tona whenua i tetahi wahi ranei e nohoia ana e ia e patata ana ki nga rori o te katoa ki tetahi wahi ranei no te katoa e puta mai ai te haunga kino.

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

13. Ki te takahi te tangata i tetahi o nga Tikanga-whakahaere Nama 8, 9, 10, 11, me te 12, 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.)

14. 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.

15. Mehemea i tu tetahi hui nui i runga i te karanga, me tau ki runga ki te tangata, ki 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 tetahi ki tetahi ranei o ratou, kia kaua e neke atu i te tekau pauna.

16. 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.

17. 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, kia kaua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna mo ia haranga e muri iho.

18. Tera e whai hara te tangata mehemea—

- (1.) I a ia e haurangi ana, ka tomo ia ki roto ki tetahi whare runanga, whare karakia, ki tetahi atu whare ranei o te katoa i roto i te kainga.
- (2.) Ka hari ia i te waipiro ki roto ki 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 e muri iho.

(E.) *Nga Tohunga.*

(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 5.)

19. 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.

20. E kore rawa e tika kia arai, kia whakarururu ranei, tetahi tohunga, kei tae 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.

21. Ko te tangata e takahi ana i tetahi o nga Tikanga-whakahaere 19 me te 20, e tika ana kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kaua e neke atu i te tekau pauna.

22. Mehemea i runga i te whakahaere a tetahi tangata e kiia ana he tohunga, ka huihua 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.

(F.) *Nga Kararehe Haereere noa.*

(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 8.)

23. Ki te whakaoma kaha tetahi tangata i tona hoiho i roto i tetahi kainga Maori i runga ranei i nga tiriti o tetahi kainga Maori e noho a taonetia ana, ka whiu kaha ranei i te koneke i te wakena i te paki i tetahi atu waka pera ranei ka ka ahei kia whiua ia ki te moni kaua e neke ake i te kotahi pauna.

(G.) *Nga Hooika.*

(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 13.)

24. Me pa enei tikanga whakahaere e whai ake nei ki nga Inia, ki nga Ahiria, me era atu tangata harihari haere i te taonga hei hokohoko ki roto ki 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 B, a ka whai mana mo te takiwa katoa o te Kaunihera a ko te utu mo taua raihana kia rua pauna.
- (3.) Ka ahei te Tiamana, te Karaka ranei o te Kaunihera, tetahi ranei o nga mema o te Kaunihera i whakamanaia 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.) Me rehita e te Hekeretari te ingoa me te kainga o te tangata e whakaputaina ana he raihana, ko taua rehita me puare ki nga tangata katoa e hiahia ana kia kite, ko te utu mo te kitenga, kotahi hereni.
- (6.) 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.
- (7.) Ka ahei te Kaunihera ki te whakakore i te raihana o tetahi tangata hooika ina pono te whakaatu he tangata tino haurangi ia, kua whiua ranei ia e te ture mo te tahae mo tetahi atu hara ranei.

25. 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 whakaputa raihana ki tetahi tangata e hiahia ana ki te harihari haere i tetahi taonga hei hokohoko mana i taua hui, ko te utu mo taua raihana kia rima hereni mo ia ra e tua ana te hui. Ko te mana o taua raihana mo te wa anake o taua hui, kaua e roa atu. Ki te harihari haere tetahi tangata i te taonga hei hokohoko mana 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 kaua e neke atu i te rima pauna.

(H.) *Te Kai-tupeka.*

(Tekiona 16, Rarangi 14.)

26. 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 Maori kaore nei ano nga tau i eke ki te tekau-ma-rima, a e tika ana kia whiua ia ki te moni kia kaua e neke atu i te rima pauna.

27. Ka whai hara tetahi 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 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, kia kaua 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.)

28. E kore e ahei kia hangaia he whare piriote kia whakaturia ranei he teepu piriote ki roto i tetahi kainga Maori, ki roto ranei i tetahi wahi o te takiwa, haunga ia nga taone i ata panuitia hei taone me nga kainga o nga pakeha: Engari ka pa noa atu nga tikanga o tenei rarangi ki nga rota Maori i roto i nga taone Maori. Ki te takahia tenei tikanga-whakahaere ka whiua te tangata ki te moni kia kaua e neke atu i te rua-tekau-ma-rima pauna.

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

30. Ko te tangata ahakoa he Maori tetahi atu tangata ranei 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 ki taua whare, ka ahei kia whiua ki te moni kia kaua e neke atu i te tekau hereni mo te hara tuatahi, kia kaua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna mo te hara tuarua, kia kaua e neke atu i te rua pauna mo ia ha ranga o muri iho. Kaua e pa ki te tangata nona te whare mehemea e ngaro ana ia me pa ki te hunga e purei ana i roto.

Nga Komiti Marae.

31. 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.

32. Ka ahei te Komiti Marae ki te whiu 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.)

Ki a [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 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 turi ranei koe i roto i te takiwa i whakaritea ki te whakatatuki i te whakahaere a tenei panui, tera koe e whiua kia utu i te moni kia kaua e neke atu i te kotahi pauna.

I tuhia i te o nga ra o , 19 .
[Hiiri.] o , Tiamana [Karakara ranei] o te Kaunihera
[o te Komiti Marae ranei].

Ahua B.

(Tikanga-whakahaere Nama 24.)

RAIHANA HOOKA.

KIA mohio koutou kua whakamansia a , he tangata harihari taonga hei hokohoko, ki te hoko haere i ona taonga i roto i nga kainga Maori o te takiwa o 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 o nga ra o , 19 .

, Tiamana [Karakara ranei] o te Kaunihera o

I paahitia enei tikanga-whakahaere i te hui o te Kaunihera Maori o te Takiwa Maori o Arapawa, i tu ki Waikawa, i te 4 o nga ra o Hepetema, 1902, a i tukua atu i raro i te hiiri o te Kaunihera.

(L.S.)

HAPARETA ROBE PUKEROHATU,

Tiamana.

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

J. CARROLL,

Minita mo nga Mea Maori.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the COLONY of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of AUGUST, 1902, showing the Places from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES FROM AND TO DIFFERENT PLACES.

Countries.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	
United Kingdom	78	60	18	21	177	55	31	8	7	101
Queensland .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Victoria	169	62	17	11	259	116	52	13	14	195
New South Wales	717	216	34	40	1,007	508	229	34	26	797
Western Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tasmania	62	23	6	4	95	18	4	1	..	23
Fiji	19	8	..	1	28	21	10	5	4	40
Other British possessions	2,221	8	..	..	2,224*	5	5	2	3	15†
Pacific Islands	19	6	2	2	29‡	18	9	2	5	34§
Other foreign ports	24	13	2	7	46||	67	28	6	3	104¶
Totals, August, 1902	3,809	391	79	86	3,865	808	368	71	62	1,309
Totals, August, 1901	988	395	82	65	1,530	661	350	50	40	1,101

* From Cape Colony. † For Durban. ‡ From Society Islands, 16; Sandwich, 6; Navigators, 4; Friendly, 3. § For Society Islands, 25; Navigators, 9. || From United States of America, West Coast. ¶ For United States of America, West Coast, 95; Monte Video, 9.

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.*

Ports.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
Kaipara .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	4	4
Auckland	579	51	475	155	630	442	53	333	162	495
Wellington	1,703	76	1,557	222	1,779	484	38	353	169	522
Lyttelton .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	46	9	38	17	55
Oamaru .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	2	2
Dunedin	1,102	..	1,102	..	1,102	..	..	..	..	..
Invercargill	316	38	254	100	354	199	32	155	76	231
Totals, August, 1902	3,700	165	3,388	477	3,865	1,176	133	879	430	1,309
Totals, August, 1901	1,383	147	1,070	460	1,530	1,011	90	711	390	1,101

CHINESE.—Arrivals at—Auckland, 3; Wellington, 1. Departures—Wellington, 9.

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

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 24th September, 1902.

GEO. DRURY,
Deputy Registrar-General.

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

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 23rd September, 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.

Charles Kost, late of Fitzroy, in the State of Victoria, bootmaker. Filed on the 19th day of September, 1902.

John Lewis Kidd, late of Foxton, in the Provincial District of Wellington, police constable. Filed on the 19th day of September, 1902.

John Michael Harvey, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, accountant. Filed on the 19th day of September, 1902.

Elizabeth Lomas, late of Waipori, in the Provincial District of Otago, married woman. Filed on the 19th day of September, 1902.

Alexander McLeod, late of Glenorchy, in the Provincial District of Otago, gold-miner. Filed on the 19th day of September, 1902.

Robert A. Goodall, late of Christchurch, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, drover. Filed on the 19th day of September, 1902.

John Henry Martin, late of Lawrence, in the Provincial District of Otago, labourer. Filed on the 19th day of September, 1902.

J. W. POYNTON,
Public Trustee.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Land in Canterbury Land District surrendered.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 23rd September, 1902.

IT is hereby notified that, a surrender of the lease of the undermentioned Crown land having been accepted by the Canterbury Land Board, the said land has reverted to the Crown, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—KAIMAHI SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Formerly held by	Tenure.
11	VI.	Christchurch	Robert Kelly	L. in P.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 23rd September, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village-homestead allotment will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," at this office, on Tuesday, the 18th day of November, 1902.

In the event of more than one application being received for the allotment on the same day, priority of selection shall be decided by ballot.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—SEAWARD BUSH TOWNSHIP.
First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre	Half-yearly Rent.
50	II.	A. R. P. 5 0 0	s. d. 4 0	£ s. d. 0 10 0

Covered with bush fit for firewood only. Soil good; well watered. Situated a quarter of a mile from Seaward Bush Siding.

JOHN HAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Langdale Settlement, Wellington, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 23rd September, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Tuesday, 4th November, 1902, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

If more than one application is received for the section on the same day, priority of selection shall be decided by ballot.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—CASTLEPOINT COUNTY.—REWA SURVEY DISTRICT.—LANGDALE SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
11	III.	A. R. P. 34 2 0	s. d. 5 0	£ s. d. 4 6 3

This section is comprised of 15½ acres of flat, 5 acres of swamps and lagoons, balance, 14½ acres, easy sloping hills. The altitude of the flat is 55 ft. and the highest point of the hills 100 ft. above sea-level. The land is under English and native grasses and vegetation, including a good deal of rushes. The soil is of a clayey nature, which cakes in summer. This fault will be lessened when the land is properly drained and cultivated. The only permanent water is the Whareama River, on the other side of the reserve along the river-bank. Water is obtainable, probably, by sinking wells. The section is fenced along the southern boundary and Langdale Road. The improvements (which go with the land) are: Half-value of 40 chains of fencing adjoining Blairlogie (four plain and one barbed wire, posts 8 ft. apart); 2 chains along Langdale Road (seven plain wires, posts 8 ft. apart); and 28½ acres grassing: the whole valued at £37. Access is by the Langdale Road, a quarter of a mile to the junction with the Blairlogie Road, thence twenty-five miles and three-quarters to Masterton; to Ti Nui, nine miles by the Langdale and Masterton-Ti Nui Roads.

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Epuni Hamlet, Wellington, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 23rd September, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity at this office on Tuesday, the 4th November, 1902, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

If more than one application is received for the section on the same day, priority of selection shall be decided by ballot.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—HUTT COUNTY.—BELMONT SURVEY DISTRICT.—EPUNI HAMLET.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
89	XIV.	A. R. P. 2 0 0	£ s. d. 5 8 8	£ s. d. 5 8 8

Weighted with £2 16s., valuation for 8 chains of fencing. This section is situated in the Epuni Hamlet, the access being from the Lower Hutt, which is about two miles distant by formed dray-road, which is metalled to within half a mile of the section. The section comprises flat land laid down in good English grasses. The soil is a rich loam of great depth, resting on shingle and clay formation. Water can probably be obtained by sinking. The section is fenced on its north-western boundary by a quick hedge and wire fence combined, valued at £2 5s., which is included in the price of the land.

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Kokatahi Settlement, Westland, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Hokitika, 23rd September, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Tuesday, the 4th November, 1902, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

If more than one application is received for the same section on the same day, priority of selection shall be decided by ballot.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WESTLAND COUNTY.—KANIERI AND TOAROA SURVEY DISTRICTS.—KOKATAHI SETTLEMENT.
Dairy Farms.—First-class Land.

Section.	Survey District.	Block.	Area.		Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			A. R. P.	s. d.	Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
1	Kanieri ..	XIV.	215	1 36	2 7½	14 2 9
2	" ..	"	202	2 27	4 1½	20 18 0
3	" ..	"	197	0 31	3 1½	15 8 2
4	" ..	"	191	0 7	4 1½	19 14 0
1	Toaroa ..	I.	351	0 32	2 3	19 15 1
2	" ..	"	351	3 8	2 7½	23 1 9
3	" ..	"	352	1 23	2 4½	20 18 0

G. J. ROBERTS,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Kaimahi Settlement, Canterbury, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 23rd September, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Wednesday, the 12th November, 1902, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

If more than one application is received for the allotment on the same day, the order of selection shall be decided by ballot.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—SELWYN COUNTY.—CHRISTCHURCH SURVEY DISTRICT.—KAIMAHI SETTLEMENT.
First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.		Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
11	VI.	5	0 0	2 12 3	6 10 8

This section is situated near the southern corner of the Kaimahi Settlement, fronting upon the Harewood Road, about one mile and a quarter north-westerly from Papanui Railway station, and about four miles from the Christchurch Post-office: it comprises flat agricultural land, with from 10 in. to 15 in. of black soil, on a sandy-clay subsoil. The successful applicant will be liable, under the provisions of "The Fencing Act, 1895," to pay to the adjoining occupiers the half value of boundary fencing erected by them.

THOS. HUMPHRIES,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Windsor Park Settlement (No. 2), Otago, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 23rd September, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, and at the Land Office, Oamaru, on Tuesday, the 28th day of October, 1902, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

If more than one application is received for the same section on the same day, priority of selection shall be decided by ballot.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—WAITAKI COUNTY.—AWAMOKO SURVEY DISTRICT.—WINDSOR PARK SETTLEMENT (No. 2).
First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
GROUP A.—CLASSIFIED AS ORDINARY FARMS.				
39A	VIII.	A. R. P. 413 1 29	£ s. d. 0 3 6	£ s. d. 36 3 6
40A	"	402 3 20	0 6 0	60 8 8
41A	{ VIII. and IX.	332 0 8	0 6 9	56 0 8
GROUP B.—CLASSIFIED AS DAIRY FARMS.				
Subdivision No. 1.				
42A	IX.	175 0 12	0 11 9	51 8 7
43A	"	170 2 4	0 11 10½	50 12 6
Subdivision No. 2.				
44A	VIII.	299 3 25	0 11 0	82 9 6
45A	"	268 2 30	0 10 10½	73 1 0
Subdivision No. 3.				
46A	VIII.	50 0 9	0 9 3	11 11 6
47A	"	35 0 0	0 9 9	8 10 8
48A	"	30 0 0	0 10 1½	7 11 11

D. BARRON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Run, Otago, for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 26th August, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for lease by public auction on Monday, the 13th day of October, 1902, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin, at 11 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

PASTORAL LAND UNDER PART VI. OF "THE LAND ACT, 1902."

RUN No. 10, Wakatipu, Lake County: Area, 12,000 acres; term of lease, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £50; valuation for improvements, £86. Situated about one mile from Queenstown.

TERMS OF SALE.

Possession will be given on day of sale. Valuation for improvements must be paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Dunedin, before the purchaser will be let into possession.

The above run will be sold generally in accordance with the provisions of Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892."

The purchaser must deposit the statutory declaration required by section 195 of "The Land Act, 1892," and pay the first half-year's rent, together with the license fee (£1 ls.), on fall of the hammer.

D. BARRON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Chatton District, Southland, for Sale under Section 114 of "The Land Act, 1892."

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 21st July, 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 lands, under section 114 of "The Land Act, 1892," on or after Friday, the 24th day of October, 1902.

SCHEDULE.

SECTION 14A, Block XII., Chatton District; 7 acres 1 rood 10 perches.

JOHN HAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Town and Rural Lands at Hanmer Springs, Canterbury, for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 18th August, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned town and rural sections, being subdivisions of the Hanmer Springs Reserve, will be offered for lease by public auction, for a term of forty-two years, at Hanmer Sanatorium, Hanmer Springs, on Tuesday, 14th October, 1902, under the provisions of section 242 of "The Land Act, 1892," and subject to the conditions stated hereunder.

In the event of any of the sections not being disposed of at auction, they will immediately thereafter be open for lease on application at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, at the upset rentals named, subject to the same general conditions of lease.

If more than one application is received for the same section on the same day, the order of selection shall be decided by ballot at the next following meeting of the Land Board.

SCHEDULE.

HANMER SPRINGS RESERVE.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental (5 per cent. of Capital Value).
<i>Hanmer Springs Township.</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
5	II.	0 1 32	2 0 0
6	"	0 1 32	2 0 0
7	"	0 1 32	3 0 0
12	"	0 3 30	1 10 0
14	"	0 3 0	1 10 0
10	III.	0 1 32	2 0 0
11	"	0 1 32	2 0 0
13	"	0 3 0	1 10 0
1	IV.	0 2 0	2 0 0
2	"	0 2 0	2 0 0
3	"	0 2 0	2 0 0
4	"	0 2 0	2 0 0
5	"	0 3 0	2 0 0
6	"	0 3 0	1 10 0
7	"	0 2 0	1 10 0
8	"	0 2 0	1 10 0
9	"	0 2 0	1 10 0
10	"	0 2 0	1 10 0
11	"	1 1 29	2 0 0
12	"	1 1 1	2 0 0
1	V.	0 2 0	1 10 0
2	"	0 3 2	1 10 0
3	"	1 1 25	2 0 0
4	"	1 1 24	2 0 0
<i>Hanmer Springs Village.</i>			
14	..	27 0 6	1 7 0
Part 45	..	62 0 0	1 11 0

Sections 5, 6, 7, and 14, of Block II., Hanmer Springs Township, are weighted with the following amounts for improvements existing upon the land: Section 5, £5 14s. for fencing and planting; Section 6, £2 15s. for fencing and planting; Section 7, £5 14s. for fencing and planting; and Section 14, £1 10s. for fencing. These sums must be paid by the successful bidder upon the fall of the hammer.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A deposit of a half-year's rent, together with £1 ls. lease fee, and the amount of valuation for improvements, if any, must be paid on the fall of the hammer, or with the application for the lease.

2. Possession will be given on day of sale, or on approval by the Land Board of the application.

3. The leases will be for a term of forty-two years.

4. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance, free of all deductions whatsoever; and if not paid within twenty-one days after due date the lessor may re-enter upon the land and determine the lease.

5. The lessee shall have no right to mortgage, 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.

6. 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.

7. The lessee shall prevent the growth or spread of gorse, broom, sweetbriar, and other noxious weeds or plants on the land comprised in the lease, and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, broom, sweetbriar, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

8. The lessee shall not carry on, or permit to be carried on, upon the land or any part thereof, any noisy, noxious, or offensive trade or manufacture, or do or suffer to be done thereon any act or thing whatsoever which may be an annoyance to the lessor or to any other lessee in the neighbourhood.

9. In the event of the lessee, upon the expiry of the term, not again becoming the occupier of the land under a fresh lease, he shall be entitled to payment of valuation for all improvements which he shall have effected upon the land, so far as the same are existing and unexhausted.

10. The lessee of every town section shall, within one year from the date of selection, erect upon each section a permanent building of a value of at least £50.

11. The lessee of each village allotment shall put on the land comprised in his lease substantial improvements of a permanent character, within the meaning of section 3 of "The Land Act, 1892," as follows:—

Within one year from the date of his lease, to a value equal to 10 per cent. of the capital value of the land;

Within two years from the date of his lease, to a value equal to another 10 per cent. of the capital value of the land;

And thereafter, but within six years from the date of his lease, to a value equal to another 10 per cent. of the capital value of the land, and, in addition thereto, a value equal to £1 for every acre of Section 14 and 10s. for every acre of Section 45.

Sale plans may be obtained at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch.

THOS. HUMPHRIES,

Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Canterbury Land District open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands and Survey Office,

Christchurch, 18th August, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Crown lands in the Tarawahi Hamlet will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity as workmen's homes allotments, at this office, on Tuesday, 21st October, 1902, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and Amendment Act, 1901.

In the event of more than one application being received for the same allotment on the same day, the order of selection shall be decided by ballot.

SCHEDULE.

SELWYN COUNTY.—CHRISTCHURCH SURVEY DISTRICT.—TARAWAHI HAMLET.

First-class Surveyed Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1, 2, 3	XV.	0 3 0	7 0 8	2 12 9
5, 5A, 6	"	1 0 38	6 12 8	4 2 1
9, 10	"	0 2 0	7 0 8	1 15 2
11, 12	"	0 3 0	6 15 4	2 10 9
14, 15	"	1 0 0	6 12 8	3 6 4
16, 17	"	1 0 25	6 12 0½	3 16 4
18, 19	"	0 2 0	7 0 8	1 15 2
20, 21, 22	"	0 3 0	7 0 8	2 12 9
23, 24	"	2 0 0	6 12 8	6 12 8
28, 29, 30	"	1 2 0	6 12 8	4 19 6

The Tarawahi Hamlet is situated on the north bank of the River Heathcote, half a mile from the foot of the Port Hills, and about two miles and a quarter southward from Cathedral Square, City of Christchurch, and 1 mile 10 chains from the Sydenham Post-office, *via* Colombo Street, from which the nearest part of the hamlet is 12 chains, and the furthest 40 chains, distant.

Sections 1, 2, and 3: All flat agricultural land, 8 in. to 12 in. of black loamy soil on clay subsoil.

Sections 5, 5A, and 6: All flat agricultural land, 6 in. to 9 in. of black loamy soil on sandy subsoil.

Sections 9, 10, 11, and 12: All flat agricultural land, 8 in. to 12 in. of black loamy soil on sandy subsoil.

Sections 14, 15, 16, and 17: All flat agricultural land, 6 in. to 10 in. of black loamy soil on sandy subsoil. On Section 17 there is a hot-house, 30 ft. by 11 ft., with brick walls and ends 3 ft. 7 in. high, glass roof, and two glass doors.

Sections 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24: All flat agricultural land, 10 in. to 12 in. of black loamy soil on clay subsoil.

Sections 28, 29, and 30: All flat agricultural land, 8 in. to 12 in. of black loamy soil on clay subsoil.

THOS. HUMPHRIES,

Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserves in Wellington for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 12th August, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, up to noon on Monday, 6th October, 1902, for the lease of the undermentioned reserves.

In the event of no tenders being received for the lands at the time named, they will remain open for lease on application at the upset annual rentals and for the terms stated below.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section No.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term.
<i>Taihape Township.</i>				
14	I.	A. R. P. 0 1 0	£ s. d. 0 12 0	7 years.
16	IV.	0 1 8	1 5 0	"
15	VI.	0 1 0	1 5 0	"
10	VIII.	0 1 0	1 5 0	"
14	"	0 1 0	1 5 0	"
4	XII.	0 1 0	0 12 0	"
7	"	0 1 0	0 12 0	"
14	XIII.	0 1 20	0 15 0	"
1	XIV.	0 1 0	0 15 0	"
5	"	0 1 10	0 15 0	"
6	XV.	0 1 36	0 12 0	"
16	"	0 1 0	1 5 0	"
9	XVI.	0 1 0	0 15 0	"
13	"	0 1 0	1 0 0	"
2	XVIII.	1 0 0	1 5 0	"
<i>Mangaweka North Township.</i>				
5, 6	IV.	0 1 36	3 0 0	7 years.
<i>Mangaweka Township.</i>				
86	..	0 1 0	2 0 0	7 years.
<i>Bunnythorpe Township.</i>				
1232	..	0 2 0	0 10 0	7 years.
1113	..	0 1 16	0 5 0	"
1114	..	0 1 16	0 5 0	"
<i>Manakau Township.</i>				
44	..	1 0 0	1 0 0	7 years.
<i>Suburbs of Pohangina.</i>				
32B	..	8 0 18	1 12 6	7 years.
<i>Umutoi Village.</i>				
23, 24	..	0 2 39	1 0 0	7 years.
<i>Makukupara Village.</i>				
17	..	8 1 20	1 5 2	14 years.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Tenders must be accompanied by marked cheque or post-office order for six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 ls. lease fee.

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

3. Possession will be given on the day of acceptance of tender.

4. The leases shall be for the term of years as specified above, but shall be subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government, except in the cases of Sections 44, Manakau Township, 5 and 6, Mangaweka North Township, 17, Makukupara Village, and 23 and 24, Umutoi Village, of which the leases may be determined on three months' notice being given.

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

6. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease, except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.

7. 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.

8. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee shall fail to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to be fulfilled.

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

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 18th August, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Crown land will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Wednesday, the 22nd October, 1902, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

In the event of more than one application being received for the section on the same day, the order of selection shall be decided by ballot.

SCHEDULE.

KAWHIA COUNTY.—MAUNGAMANGERO SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity Rent, 4 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
4	VII.	A. R. P. 762 0 0	s. d. 0 9-12	£ s. d. 14 9 7

Altitude, 1,000 ft.; heavy tawa bush; part limestone, part sandstone; well watered; superior grazing country; about twenty-three miles by formed road and six miles by pack-track from Te Kuiti Railway-station.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-run, Hawke's Bay Land District, open for Lease on Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 2nd September, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-run will be open for lease on application, under Part V. of "The Land Act, 1892," at this office, on Wednesday, the 29th October, 1902.

If more than one application is received for the run on the same day, priority of selection will be by ballot.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—COOK COUNTY—HANGAROA AND PATUTAHU SURVEY DISTRICTS.

First-class Pastoral Country.

—	Area.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.	
			s. d.	£ s. d.
S.G.R. 79A	A. R. P. 2,691 0 0	s. d. 0 3-3	£ s. d. 18 10 0	

An area of about 1,100 acres of this run is open land, covered with fern, grass, and scrub, with small patches of light bush. The balance consists of hilly country, covered with tawa, rata, rimu, kahikatea, totara, &c. The open country is principally light clay, with some very poor pumice patches. The soil on the portion of the bush land west of the Rangiora Stream is partly light, and a good deal of land poor, whereas that to the east of the stream is very good. The run is well watered, and lies at an elevation of from 600 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level. Situated on the main road from Gisborne to Wairoa, about thirty-eight miles from the former town.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-run, Taranaki Land District, open for Lease on Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 10th September, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-run will be open for lease on application, under Part V. of "The Land Act, 1892," at this office, on Tuesday, the 28th day of October, 1902.

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

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—CLIFTON COUNTY.

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.				Rent per Acre.		Half-yearly Rent.		
			A.	R.	P.	S.	£	s.	d.		
Upper Waitara.	9	XV.	2,113	0	0	0	4	8	21	2	8

Rough, broken country, suitable for grazing; all covered with moderately heavy forest, consisting of tawa, tawhero, rimu, rata, &c., with the usual undergrowth of karamu, mahoe, karewa, kiekie, &c. Altitude, from 500 ft. to 1,500 ft. above sea-level. Soil of fair quality, resting upon papa formation; well watered by permanent streams. Access by Ohura Road, which is formed as a dray-road. The section is situated about two miles from the Ohura Road via Tawhiwhi Road, which is formed for horse traffic for about one mile.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 23rd July, 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 Friday, the 24th October, 1902.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.				Price per Acre.	
			A.	R.	P.	S.	£	s.	d.
14	I.	Aohanga	4	3	16	2	10	0

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Kauri and Totara Timber in Auckland for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 18th August, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the kauri and totara timber on the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction at this office on Thursday, the 23rd day of October, 1902, at 11 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

SECTION 48, Parish of Maungataniwha, Mangonui County: About 60 dry kauri-trees, containing 262,332 superficial feet; 80 green kauri-trees, containing 372,953 superficial feet; and 15 totara-trees, containing 12,038 superficial feet. Upset price, £482 9s.

Terms of Sale: One-half of purchase-money in cash or by marked cheque on the fall of the hammer, balance within six months thereafter. Time allowed for removal of timber, twelve months from date of sale.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Waikakahi Settlement, Canterbury Land District, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 19th August, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Crown lands in the Waikakahi Settlement will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Tuesday, the 28th October, 1902, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and "The Land for Settlements Amendment Act, 1901."

SCHEDULE.

WAIMATE COUNTY.—WAITAKI SURVEY DISTRICT.
First-class Surveyed Lands.—Ordinary Farms.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.							
			Rent per Acre.		Half-yearly Rent.					
Subdivision A.										
			A.	R.	P.	S.	d.	£	s.	d.
1	III.	26	0	8		9	9	6	7	0
11	"	27	3	24		10	0	6	19	6
Subdivision B.										
12	"	15	0	0		12	6	4	13	9
13	"	15	0	0		13	6	5	1	3
Subdivision C.										
14	"	10	0	0		15	6	3	17	6
15	"	10	0	0		16	6	4	2	6
16	"	10	0	0		17	6	4	7	6
17	"	10	0	0		17	6	4	7	6
18	"	10	0	0		17	6	4	7	6
Subdivision D.										
19	"	15	0	0		17	6	6	11	3
20	"	16	0	0		17	6	7	0	0
Subdivision E.										
2	"	13	3	24		10	6	3	13	0

THOS. HUMPHRIES,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Willows Settlement, Hawke's Bay, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 2nd September, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Crown lands will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Napier, on Wednesday, the 22nd October, 1902, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

If more than one application is received for the same section on the same day, the order of selection shall be decided by ballot.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—COOK COUNTY.—TURANGANUI SURVEY DISTRICT.—WILLOWS SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.							
			Rent per Acre per Annum.		Half-yearly Rent.					
14	VI.	40	3	0	1	3	4	23	15	5
15*	"	42	2	18	0	16	10	17	18	7

* Weighted with £6 17s. 10d., valuation for improvements.

Locality and Description of Sections.

Situated in Poverty Bay District, about three miles and a half from Gisborne. First-class agricultural land; accessible by a good metalled road. The improvements on Section 14, which are included in the price of the section, consist of 30 chains of fencing, valued at 10s. per chain, £15. The improvements on Section 15, included in the price of the section, consist of 72 chains of fencing, valued at 10s. per chain, £36.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Rural Lands in the Hawke's Bay Land District open for Sale or Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office, Napier, 26th August, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Crown lands will be open for sale or selection in terms of section 136 of "The Land Act, 1892," either for cash, for occupation with right of purchase, or for lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Wednesday, the 15th October, 1902.

If more than one application is received for the same section on the same day, the order of selection shall be decided by ballot.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

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

Wairoa	Nuhaka North	1	XIII.	479 0 0	1 0 0	479 0 0	1 0	11 19 6	0 9 6	9 11 7
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Hilly fern land; soil light to good. On this section there is an area of about 60 acres of mixed bush, chiefly tawa, rimu, and matai. Good homestead-site. Well watered. Situated about thirty miles from Wairoa.

Wairoa	Nuhaka North	5	XIII.	701 0 0	1 0 0	701 0 0	1 0	17 10 6	0 9 6	14 0 5
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About 350 acres of fern and tutu, balance covered with tawa, rimu, matai, &c.; well watered; soil good. Altitude, 800 ft. to 1,500 ft. Distance from Wairoa about thirty miles.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in the Township of Pohangina, Wellington, for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of "The Land Act, 1892," that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 p.m. on Tuesday, the 18th day of November, 1902, for leases of the undermentioned sections. If any of the sections are not applied for on the date mentioned they will remain open for selection at the upset rentals and for the term stated.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—POHANGINA COUNTY.—POHANGINA TOWNSHIP.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	
			£	s. d.
40	X.	A. R. P. 0 1 0	1	5 0
41	"	0 0 38	0	10 0
42	"	0 1 0	0	15 0
43	"	0 1 0	0	7 6
45	"	0 1 0	0	7 6
46	"	0 1 0	0	12 6
47	"	0 1 0	0	7 6
48	"	0 1 0	0	12 6
49	"	0 1 0	0	7 6
51	"	0 1 0	0	9 6
54	"	0 1 0	0	14 0
55	"	0 1 0	0	8 6
57	"	0 0 28	0	6 0

Term of lease, seven years.

CONDITIONS.

- Tenders must be accompanied by marked cheque or post-office order for six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 ls. lease fee.
- There are no restrictions or limitations as to the number of sections which one person may lease, and no declaration is required. Residence and improvements are not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, nor for any other cause.
- Possession will be given on the day of acceptance of tender.
- The leases shall be for the term of years as specified above, but shall be subject to termination by six months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.
- The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance.
- The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose 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 not be cropped nor broken up, except with the consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

8. The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and he shall prevent their increase or spread, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

9. The lessee shall prevent the spread and growth 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 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.

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Town of Rotorua, Auckland, for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 16th August, 1902.

IT is hereby notified that the leases of the undermentioned lots in the Town of Rotorua will be submitted for sale by public auction at the Courthouse, Rotorua, on Friday, the 31st October, 1902, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

TOWN OF ROTORUA.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Annual Rent.
3	XLVIII.	A. R. P. 0 1 0	£ s. d. 4 0 0
4	"	0 1 0	4 0 0
1	XLIX.	0 1 0	5 0 0
2	"	0 1 0	4 0 0
3	LI.	0 1 0	4 0 0
4	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
9	"	0 1 0	4 0 0
6	L.	0 1 15	4 0 0
7	"	0 1 15	4 0 0

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

- Term of lease, ninety-nine years.
- Rents are payable half-yearly in advance to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Auckland; and the first half-yearly payment is to be made on the fall of the hammer.

3. Sections to be improved within one year from the date of the lease to the value of ten times the annual rental. No valuation for improvements will be allowed at the end of the term of lease.

4. No lease to be assigned, underlet, or the possession thereof parted with except with the consent in writing of the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland.

5. All rates, taxes, charges, and assessments whatsoever to be paid by the lessee.

6. All buildings erected to be kept in good repair and condition, and in the erection of any building upon the sections within the town the lessee must abide by and conform to the alignment of streets and roads, and to all by-laws and regulations made by the local authority intrusted with the administration of the local affairs of the Township of Rotorua.

7. Privies, ashpits, and other works of a similar character to be constructed and maintained as directed by the local authority. All drains and channels, and the sanitary state and condition of the premises, to be subject to the by-laws and regulations of the local authority.

8. No wells to be sunk or any excavations to be made without the consent in writing of the local authority.

9. The trade or business of a soap-boiler, tallow-chandler, tanner, slaughterman, meat curer or preserver, or any noisy, noxious, or offensive trade or manufacture of any kind whatever will not be permitted.

10. Provision will be made in the leases for inspection of premises at all reasonable times.

11. Leases liable to forfeiture if rent be thirty days in arrear, and the leases will contain provisions for re-entry and for the recovery of rents.

GERHARD MUELLER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-run, Hawke's Bay, open for Lease on Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 26th August, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-run will be open for lease on application at this office on Wednesday, 15th October, 1902, at the half-yearly rental noted in the Schedule.

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

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—COOK COUNTY.—HANGAROA SURVEY DISTRICT.

First-class Pastoral Land.

—	Area.		Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
	A.	R. P.	s. d.	£ s. d.
Run 32	4,807	0 0	0 4 5	45 1 3

Undulating and broken country, consisting of light soil on papa formation; watered by numerous streams. The Gisborne-Waikaremoana Main Road and Gisborne-Rotorua Stock-track give access to the run. Distance from Gisborne via Hangaroa Village, about forty miles.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Taranaki for Sale under Section 117 of "The Land Act, 1892."

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 2nd July, 1902.

IT is hereby notified, in pursuance of section 140 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned Crown lands will be offered to the holder of the adjoining land, under section 117 of the said Act, on and after Friday, the 3rd day of October, 1902.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 665, Patea District, Block VI., Hawera Survey District: Area. 1 acre and 6 perches.

JAS. MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Application for Confirmation Certificate under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 19th September, 1902.

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

[Auckland, Sec. 55, 1902-15.]

JAS. W. BROWNE, Registrar.

THE ALIENATION ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
19	Lease (C.A. 1902-95) ..	21st August, 1902 ..	Kiwitahi No. 3A ..	Teni Tuhakaraina, trustee for Wiktoria Tuhakaraina, to Norman Taylor, of Auckland.

Application for Confirmation Certificate under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 20th September, 1902.

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

[Gisborne, 1902-8.]

JOHN BROOKING, Registrar.

THE ALIENATION ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
930	Lease	19th September, 1902	Okaunga D ..	Eruera te Kura to Sarah Elizabeth Clark.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894," Sections 122, 123, and 124. — Waimata South No. 2 Block.

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.

At a sitting of the Native Land Court held at Gisborne, before James Meacham Batham, Esquire, Judge, on the 30th August, 1902, it was ordered that certain persons be nominated as a Committee to manage the affairs of the Corporation for the land above named:

Notice is hereby given that nominations have been received by the Registrar of the persons named hereunder to act as a Committee for the said land.

Nominators.	Names of Persons nominated.
Eruera te Kura and Pirihiira Kauta	Turangi Rawiri.
Taraipine Tutaki and Mika Rore	Peka Kerekere and Himiona Katipa.
Harete Taihuka and Wanete Wiripo	Rewi Haapu, Hemi Kauta, Pirihi Tutekohi, and Matenga Taihuka.
Haia Hokeke and Eruera te Kura	Hoani Matiaha and Hemi Kauta.
Edward Harris	Turanga Rawiri, Rawiri Karaha, Eruera te Kura, and Rutene Koroua.

JOHN BROOKING, Registrar.

"The Native Land Court Act, 1894," Sections 122, 123, and 124. — Waimata East No. 2 Block.

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.

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Notice is hereby given that nominations have been received by the Registrar of the persons named hereunder to act as a Committee for the said land.

Nominators.	Names of Persons nominated.
Mihi Paraire and Frank Harris	Rawiri Karaha.
Noa Wakaatere and Hemi Kauta	Eruera te Kura.
Watikena Takina and Hone Takina	Hemi Kauta, Hoani Matiaha, and Rutene Koroua.
Nopara Kiwi and Keepa Pomare	Hare Nahonaho, Rawiri Karaha, and Rutene Koroua.
Edward Harris	Pirihi Tutekohi, Peka Kerekere, and Rawiri Turanga.

JOHN BROOKING, Registrar.

Applications for Confirmation Certificates under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 23rd September, 1902.

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

[Wellington, Sec. 55.]

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

THE ALIENATIONS ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Wool lien (1902-171) ..	11th September, 1902	Porangahau No. 1 (Makaramu)	Tipene Matua to Murray, Roberts, and Co.
2	Mortgage (1902-174) ..	19th September, 1902	Ngawakaakupe B	Horiana Natanahira to the Public Trustee.
3	Assignment of rents (1902-175)	19th September, 1902	Ngawakaakupe B	Horiana Natanahira to the Public Trustee.

Notice of Appeal Withdrawn. — Ohiti-Waitio No. 3.

IN THE NATIVE APPELLATE COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the Ohiti-Waitio No. 3 Block, and of an appeal by Hera te Upokoiri from the decision of the Native Land Court, on partition.

NOTICE is hereby given that, by notice to the Registrar, and with the approval of the Chief Judge, the said appeal has been withdrawn.

Dated at Wellington, this 20th day of September, 1902.

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Dannevirke.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 23rd September, 1902.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Dannevirke on the 15th day of October, 1902, to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Wellington, 1902-33.]

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.
APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATION.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Transfer (1902-172)	1st September, 1902	Hastings (Riverslea), Lot 11	Mereana Notita Hapu to William Tucker, jun.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
2	Takana Rangimauiora	Tutaekara, Section 115, Subdivision 6.
3	Minister of Lands	Mangatoro 1A.
4	Anaru Tuhua and others	Rakautatahi No. 3B.
5	Anaru Tuhua and others	Rakautatahi No. 4.
6	Maata Hoewaka	Mangatoro 1A.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
43	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 1A	£ 8 3 6
44	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 1B	18 4 6
45	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 1c	16 16 3
46	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 1D	15 3 3
47	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 1E	40 5 9
48	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 2	27 16 6
49	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 3	46 12 6
50	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 4	23 1 6
51	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 5	31 17 6
52	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 3A	3 14 3
53	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 3B	12 7 6
54	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 3C	9 8 6
55	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 3D	9 8 6
56	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 3E	8 8 0
57	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 3F	14 8 6
58	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 3G	9 18 0
59	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio 1E No. 1	9 11 4
60	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio No. 2	22 17 9
61	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio No. 3	17 13 6
62	Kennedy Brothers	Ohiti-Waitio No. 4	10 6 0

APPLICATION FOR ASSESSMENT OF COMPENSATION, IF ANY, TO BE PAID FOR LANDS TAKEN FOR ROADS, AND TO ASCERTAIN WHO ARE THE PERSONS ENTITLED TO RECEIVE THE SAME.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area of Land taken.
63	Patangata County Council	{ Eparaima C Whawhakanga Porangahau No. 2..	A. R. P. 6 0 38 3 0 23 5 1 18

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that LOUIS SPITZ and BARNET SPITZ, trading as "Spitz Bros.," of Buckland, Storekeepers, were this day adjudged bankrupts; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 22nd day of September, 1902, at 2.30 o'clock.

15th September, 1902.

JOHN LAWSON,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend in the under-mentioned estate is now payable on all proved claims upon production of promissory notes (if any) for indorsement at my office, 133, Lambton Quay, Wellington.

In the assigned estate of A. Sandel, second and final dividend, of 4s. 4d. in the pound, making 10s. 4d. in the pound.

JAMES ASHCROFT,
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 18th September, 1902.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that statements of accounts and balance-sheets in respect of the under-mentioned 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 Wednesday, the 24th day of September, 1902, I intend to apply for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 9th day of September, 1902.

Clifford Lyford, of Featherston, Labourer.
Jas. Miller and John McPhee (trading as "Miller and McPhee"), of Konini, Sawmillers.
John Mowlem, of Masterton, Auctioneer.
Frank Dearing Pelling, of Eketahuna, Hotelkeeper.
Samuel Webb, of Pahiatua, Tailor.
John Taucher, of Pahiatua, Fish and Fruit Dealer.
Ernest Dockery, of Carterton, Painter.
John Bey, of Pahiatua, Labourer.

W. B. CHENNELLS,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

DIVIDENDS in the following estates are now payable at my office upon all proved and admitted claims:—
David Thomas Gibbard, first and final, 4s. in the pound.
Charles Morganti, first and final, 2s. 9d. in the pound.
Edward Francis Hickey, first and final, 9d. in the pound.
A. D. BAYFIELD,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Westport, 10th September, 1902.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN THOMAS WARD, of Ohoka, near Kaiapoi, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 17th day of September, 1902, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.

17th September, 1902.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS ELLIOT WALTON, of Dunedin, Insurance Agent, was this day adjudged bankrupt on a creditor's petition; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of September, 1902, at 2.30 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,
Official Assignee.

Dunedin, 16th September, 1902.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that MICHAEL McALLEN, of Dunedin, Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 30th day of September, 1902, at 2.30 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,
Official Assignee.

Dunedin, 22nd September, 1902.

MINING NOTICES.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1882," and in the matter of the New Electric Extended Gold-dredging Company (Limited), (in liquidation).

TAKE notice that, pursuant to section 202 of "The Companies Act, 1882," a General Meeting of the members of the abovenamed company will be held at the registered office of the company, No. 1, Bond Street, Dunedin, on Wednesday, the 10th day of December, 1902, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having the account of the liquidation laid before them and hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators, and also of determining the manner in which the books, accounts, &c., of the company shall be disposed of.

Dated the 20th day of September, 1902.

D. LARNACH,
Secretary.

1042

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1882," and the amendments thereof, and in the matter of the Golden Standard Dredging Company (Limited), (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 202 of "The Companies Act, 1882," a General Meeting of the Golden Standard Dredging Company (Limited), (in liquidation), will be held at the Dunedin Stock Exchange, Princes Street, Dunedin, on Monday, the 1st day of December, 1902, at the hour of 5 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having laid before the meeting the account of the Liquidators showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation thereof that may be given by the Liquidators.

The company will be asked to declare by extraordinary resolution how the bank accounts and documents of the company and the Liquidators are to be disposed of.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 1902.

A. TAPPER,
THOS. SMITH PATERSON } Liquidators.

1043

ATLAS PROSPECTING AND GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registered Office of the abovenamed company is situated in Bridge Street, Reefton, and that HENRY COOPER is the Manager of the said company.

Dated at Reefton, this 28th day of August, 1902.

WM. NOONAN,
J. FERGUSON, } Directors.

1036

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 on or before the 27th day of October, 1902.

1480. Applicants: BERNARD CHAMBERS and THOMAS MASON CHAMBERS.—Rural Sections 9 and 10, Clyde, and Agricultural Section 9, Turiroa, containing 139 acres 1 rood 18 perches; also Rural Section 28, Turiroa, containing 80 acres and 10 perches. In occupation of Applicants.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 1902, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

1047

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

939. NEW PLYMOUTH SASH AND DOOR FACTORY AND TIMBER COMPANY (LIMITED).—Sections 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, Town of New Plymouth; 1 acre 2 roods 7-22 perches. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office (Plan 1863).

Dated this 17th day of September, 1902, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

R. L. STANFORD,
District Land Registrar.

1037

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.

9201. JOHN FRANCIS GURNEY.—23½ perches, parts of Town Sections 908 and 910, City of Christchurch. Occupied by the Dunlop Tyre Company.

9336. CHARLES MANN.—5½ perches, part of Section 178, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicant.

9345. ROSE ST. BARBE HASLAM.—2 roods 29 perches, part of Rural Section 163, Block XI., Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

9376. HENRY PARRETT.—10 acres, part of Rural Section 1143, Blocks V. and IX., Halswell Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

9380. THE HONOURABLE GEORGE WILLIAM SPENCER LYTTTELTON.—4 acres and 1 perch, parts of Rural Section 76, Blocks XIV. and XV., Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Mrs. Ealham, John Alexander Freeborn, and John Murray.

9381. WILLIAM NIXON.—3 roods 29 perches, part of Rural Section 9940, Block XIII., Leeston Survey District. Unoccupied.

9384. EDITH AGNES WILKIN.—1 rood, part of Sections 544 and 546, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1902, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

1045

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. ciii., folio 179, comprising one undivided moiety of part of Section 712, City of Christchurch, whereof WILLIAM ACTON ADAMS, of Christchurch, Solicitor, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title and register a dealing affecting the said land, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional certificate and register such dealing at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1902, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

1046

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

Sections 45, 46, and 47, Sawyers Bay District.—GEORGE MANN MIDDLEDITCH, Applicant. Occupied by Applicant. No. 4501.

Sections 14 and 15, Block V., Town of Havelock.—PEDER FULDSETH, Applicant. Occupied by Applicant and Alfred Rowe. No. 4502.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 1902, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

H. TURTON,
District Land Registrar.

1044

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

I, THOMAS COPELAND SAVAGE, M.R.C.S. England, L.R.C.P. London, M.B. London, B.S. London, F.R.C.S. England, now residing in Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 20th of October 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-General.

THOMAS C. SAVAGE.

Dated at Wellington, 19th October, 1902. 1038

I, ARTHUR STANLEY WOHLMANN, M.D., B.S., Lond., M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond. now residing in Rotorua, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 9th September 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-General.

ARTHUR S. WOHLMANN.

Dated at Wellington, 8th August, 1902. 1039

I, THOMAS DAWSON TATE, M.D., of Indiana, U.S.A., now residing in Opawa, Christchurch, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 25th day of October, 1902, 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 Christchurch.

THOMAS DAWSON TATE.

Dated at Christchurch, 20th September, 1902. 1040

THE following Scale of Charges for the use of Messrs. West and Co.'s slaughterhouse at Thames, which slaughterhouse has been registered under No. Ab. 5 as an abattoir within the meaning of "The Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1900," for the Borough of Thames and that portion of the Thames County comprised in the Parawai, Kauaeranga, and Waiopahi Ridings, has been approved, in lieu of the scale contained in my notice dated 2nd April, 1902, as from 1st July last:—

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ALBERT BRUCE,
Town Clerk, Borough of Thames.

Thames, 18th September, 1902. 1035

CLEVEDON-MATAITAI ROAD.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND FOR ROAD.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed by the Wairoa Road Board, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1894," to execute certain public works, to wit, the construction of a road in the Wairoa Survey District and in the Parish of Taupo, and for the purpose of such public works the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is further given that copies of the plans of the said road and of the land so required to be taken are deposited at the shop of Robert Couldrey, Clevedon, Wairoa South, adjacent to the office of the Wairoa Road Board, and are there open for inspection.

All persons affected by the execution of the said public works or by the taking of the said land shall, if they have any well-grounded objection to the execution of the said public works or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing within forty days from the first publication of this notice to the Chairman of the Wairoa Road Board, Clevedon.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Section or Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan	Parish or Survey District.
A. R. P. 3 2 0	Part of Urunghahau	VIII.	11583	Pink	Wairoa Survey District.
25 3 0	Mataitai No. 1	{ VIII. IV.	"	Green	
0 3 8	Mataitai No. 5	IV.	"	Purple	
0 2 30	Mataitai No. 3	V.	12322	Pink	
0 1 23	"	V.	"	Green	
3 0 2	"	V.	"	Pink	
2 3 28	"	V.	"	"	
6 1 24	"	V.	11583	"	
3 3 18	"	V.	"	"	
12 1 8	Waitawa Block	V.	11583	Yellow	
11 1 24	Te Kawakawa No. 1 Block	V.	"	Green	
3 1 13	Te Kawakawa No. 2	V.	"	Purple	

By order of the Wairoa Board.

HENRY WALSH,

Chairman, Wairoa Road Board.

Dated this 20th day of September, 1902. 1041

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