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Land taken for a Road in Block XII., Opaku Survey District, Wairoa Road District.

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments, 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 Wairoa Road Board, 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 Opaku Survey District hereinafter described, that is to say,—

Approximate Area of Land taken.	Being Part of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 0-9	3	XII.	Opaku..	R. 707	Blue.

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same is 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 seventh day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and four.

JAS. MCGOWAN,
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Road as closed through Land in Block XII., Opaku Survey District, Wairoa Road District.

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do by this notice hereby proclaim as closed the road in Opaku Survey District hereinafter described:—

Approximate Area of Portion of Road to be closed.	Being through or fronting Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 18-4	3 and 5	XII.	Opaku ..	R. 707	Green.

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same is 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 seventh day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and four.

JAS. MCGOWAN,
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands taken for a Road in Blocks III., VI., VII., IX., Otaio, and Block XII., Nimrod Survey District, Waimate County.

(L.S.) RANFURLY, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, with the consent of the owners and of the mortgagees of the lands hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Waimate 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 Otaio and Nimrod Survey Districts hereinafter described, that is to say,—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.	R.S.				
0 0 17	20751	III.	Otaio ..	R. 5575	Red.
6 1 27	7105	"	" ..	"	"
0 1 19	7105	"	" ..	"	"
5 0 28	7105, Crown lands, and river-bed	"	" ..	"	"
0 0 27	3611	"	" ..	"	"
0 2 12	3611	"	" ..	"	"
6 2 20	3611	"	" ..	"	"
1 2 18	3611	"	" ..	"	"
0 0 10	7105	"	" ..	"	"
0 3 10	7105	"	" ..	"	"
0 2 22	7105	"	" ..	"	"
1 2 10	7105	"	" ..	"	"
0 2 20	14742	III., VI., VII.	" ..	"	"
0 0 18	14742	III.	" ..	"	"
2 3 11	6224	VI.	" ..	"	"
1 0 12	6225	"	" ..	"	"
0 0 21	6225	"	" ..	"	"
0 2 26	6225	"	" ..	"	"
0 3 25	6226	"	" ..	"	"
0 0 1	36242	XII.	Nimrod	R. 5575a	"
2 0 3	1934	"	"	"	"
	36328	"	"	"	"
	20015	"	"	"	"
4 2 22	23861	IX.	Otaio ..	"	"
	20014	"	" ..	"	"
	33733	"	" ..	"	"

All in the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans 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 seventh day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and four.

JAS. McGOWAN,
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Road as closed through Lands in Blocks III., VI., VII., XII., and IX., Otaio, and Block XII., Nimrod Survey Districts.

(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 Blocks III., VI., VII., and IX., Otaio, and Block XII., Nimrod Survey District, hereinafter described.

Approximate Area of the Portions of Road closed.	Being between Sections	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
0 0 17	20750, 20751	III.	Otaio	R. 5575	Green.
6 1 27	7105	"	"	"	"
4 3 26	7105, Crown lands, and river-bed	"	"	"	"
0 1 36	7105	"	"	"	"
0 0 24	3611	"	"	"	"
0 1 30	3611	"	"	"	"
3 2 32	3611	"	"	"	"
4 1 16	3611	"	"	"	"
0 0 20	7105	"	"	"	"
0 2 24	7105	"	"	"	"
0 2 30	7105	"	"	"	"
1 1 20	7105	"	"	"	"
0 0 9	19874, 14742	"	"	"	"
0 2 20	19872, 14704	III., VI.	"	"	"
	19874, 14742	VII.	"	"	"
2 1 31	14742, 19872, 33794	VI.	"	"	"
1 0 19	6225	"	"	"	"
0 0 18	6225	"	"	"	"
0 2 30	6225	"	"	"	"
0 2 38	6226	"	"	"	"
0 3 21	6224	"	"	"	"
3 1 37	31932, 1934, 36328	XII. & IX.	Nimrod & Otaio	R. 5575a	"
2 2 38	23861, 20015, 20014, 21829, 33773	Ditto	Ditto	"	"

All in the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans 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 seventh day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and four.

JAS. McGOWAN,
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for a Road through Block VII., Otahoua Survey District, Masterton County.

(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," for a certain work, to wit, for the purpose of a road in Masterton County:

And whereas the Masterton County Council has laid before the Governor the memorial, accompanied by a map, and also the statutory declaration, as 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 land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the said road.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 1 13	608	VII.	Otahoua	R. 5284	Red.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is 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 seventh day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and four.

JAS. MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands set apart for Settlement.

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

WHEREAS by the seventy-third section of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901" (herein termed "the said Act"), it is, amongst other things, enacted that before certain moneys therein mentioned shall be expended upon any block of land it shall be necessary that the same be proclaimed as set apart for settlement:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of every power and authority enabling me in this behalf, and for the purposes of the said Act, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the lands described in the Schedule hereto as set apart for settlement.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Taurangi Block (Extension), 1,746 Acres.

Area	Section No.	Block	Survey District.	Shown on Plan	Edged on Plan
A. R. P.					
188 0 0	9	XII.	Tangitu	S.G. 49054A	Red.
200 0 0	10	"	"		
200 0 0	11	"	"		
182 0 0	12	"	"		
176 0 0	13	"	"		
200 0 0	14	"	"		
200 0 0	15	"	"		
200 0 0	8	XVI.	"		
200 0 0	9	"	"		

As the same are delineated upon the plan marked as above mentioned, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above noted.

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

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

Lands set apart for Settlement.

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

WHEREAS by the seventy-third section of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901" (herein termed "the said Act"), it is, amongst other things, enacted that before certain moneys therein mentioned shall be expended upon any block of land it shall be necessary that the same be proclaimed as set apart for settlement:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of every power and authority enabling me in this behalf, and for the purposes of the said Act, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land described in the Schedule hereto as set apart for settlement.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Mokau-Ohura Block, 41,717 Acres.

Area.	Section No.	Block No.	Survey District.	Shown on Plan	Edged on Plan
A. R. P.					
246 0 0	1	IX.	Totoro		
196 0 0	2	"	"		
103 0 0	3	"	"		
190 0 0	5	"	"		
186 0 0	7	"	"		
170 0 0	8	"	"		
186 0 0	9	"	"		
184 0 0	10	"	"		
147 0 0	11	"	"		
200 0 0	12	"	"		
356 0 0	13	"	"		
134 0 0	14	"	"		
171 0 0	15	"	"		
200 0 0	16	"	"		
350 0 0	17	"	"		
185 0 0	18	"	"		
244 0 0	19	"	"		
199 0 0	20	"	"		
200 0 0	21	"	"		
196 0 0	22	"	"		
140 0 0	1	X.	"		
196 0 0	3	"	"		
170 0 0	4	"	"		
178 0 0	5	"	"		
303 0 0	6	"	"		
200 0 0	2	I.	Aria		
307 0 0	3	"	"		
198 0 0	4	"	"		
186 0 0	5	"	"		
379 0 0	6	"	"		
152 0 0	7	"	"		
171 0 0	8	"	"		
178 0 0	9	"	"		
200 0 0	10	"	"		S.G. 51435 Red.
180 0 0	11	"	"		
188 0 0	12	"	"		
249 0 0	13	"	"		
172 0 0	15	"	"		
160 0 0	16	"	"		
196 0 0	17	"	"		
196 0 0	18	"	"		
200 0 0	19	"	"		
200 0 0	20	"	"		
198 0 0	21	"	"		
586 0 0	1	II.	"		
645 0 0	2	"	"		
292 0 0	3	"	"		
292 0 0	4	"	"		
452 0 0	5	"	"		
373 0 0	6	"	"		
178 0 0	7	"	"		
198 0 0	9	"	"		
177 0 0	11	"	"		
196 0 0	12	"	"		
420 0 0	13	"	"		
625 0 0	14	"	"		
216 0 0	15	"	"		
440 0 0	1	III.	"		
425 0 0	3	"	"		
360 0 0	4	"	"		
680 0 0	5	"	"		
220 0 0	6	"	"		
1,047 0 0	7	"	"		
577 0 0	8	"	"		
1,754 0 0	10	"	"		

Area.			Section No.	Block No.	Survey District.	Shown on Plan	Edged on Plan
A.	R.	P.	3	V.	Aria		
760	0	0	4	"	"		
385	0	0	5	"	"		
312	0	0	6	"	"		
512	0	0	7	"	"		
470	0	0	8	"	"		
610	0	0	9	"	"		
835	0	0	2	VI.	"		
430	0	0	4	"	"		
256	0	0	5	"	"		
500	0	0	6	"	"		
900	0	0	7	"	"		
1,085	0	0	8	"	"		
492	0	0	10	"	"		
856	0	0	1	VII.	"		
670	0	0	2	"	"		
641	0	0	3	"	"		
914	0	0	1	VIII.	"	S.G. 51435	Red.
965	0	0	2	"	"		
501	0	0	1	IX.	"		
585	0	0	2	"	"		
1,240	0	0	2	X.	"		
324	0	0	3	"	"		
530	0	0	1	XIII.	"		
1,300	0	0	3	"	"		
1,205	0	0	4	"	"		
750	0	0	2	XIV.	"		
610	0	0	5	"	"		
770	0	0	7	"	"		
434	0	0	1	I.	Ohura		
1,050	0	0	4	II.	"		
345	0	0	22	"	"		
568	0	0	24	"	"		
300	0	0	25	"	"		
297	0	0	26	"	"		
222	0	0					

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T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Fixing Sittings of District Courts.

RANFURLY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in this behalf enabling me, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby fix and appoint that sittings of the District Courts of Taranaki, Wanganui, Wairarapa, Ashburton, Timaru and Oamaru, Otago Goldfields, Western Otago, Nelson, and Westland, for civil and criminal business, shall be held as follows, from and after the first day of May next, in lieu of those previously fixed and appointed:—

TARANAKI DISTRICT.

In the Courthouse, New Plymouth, for civil business only, on 4th May, 5th August, and 4th November.

In the Courthouse, Hawera, for civil and criminal business, on 9th May, 10th August, and 10th November.

In the Courthouse, Stratford, for civil and criminal business, on 6th May, 8th August, and 8th November.

WANGANUI DISTRICT.

In the Courthouse, Wanganui, for civil business only, on 12th May and 12th August. For civil and criminal business, on 14th November.

In the Courthouse, Palmerston North, for civil business only, on 16th May and 16th August. For civil and criminal business, on 17th November.

WAIRARAPA DISTRICT.

In the Courthouse, Masterton, for civil and criminal business, on 19th May, 22nd August, and 23rd November.

In the Courthouse, Pahiatua, for civil and criminal business, on 17th May, 18th August, and 21st November.

ASHBURTON DISTRICT.

In the Courthouse, Ashburton, for civil business only, on 7th June, 7th September, and 6th December.

TIMARU AND OAMARU DISTRICT.

In the Courthouse, Timaru, for civil business only, on 9th June and 9th September. For criminal and civil business, on 8th December.

In the Courthouse, Oamaru, for civil and criminal business, on 21st June and 20th December. For civil business only, on 23rd September.

OTAGO GOLDFIELDS DISTRICT.

In the Courthouse, Lawrence, for civil and criminal business, on 1st June and 1st December.

In the Courthouse, Queenstown, for civil and criminal business, on 27th September.

In the Courthouse, Naseby, for civil and criminal business, on 20th September.

WESTERN OTAGO DISTRICT.

In the Courthouse, Invercargill, for civil business only, on 14th June, 13th September, and 13th December.

In the Courthouse, Gore, for civil business only, on 15th June, 14th September, and 14th December.

WESTLAND DISTRICT.

In the Courthouse, Westport, for civil and criminal business, on 9th June and 13th October.

In the Courthouse, Greymouth, for civil and criminal business, on 11th July and 18th October.

In the Courthouse, Hokitika, for civil and criminal business, on 17th June and 21st October.

In the Courthouse, Reefton, for civil business only, on 13th July and 19th October.

In the Courthouse, Kumara, for civil business only, on 16th July and 22nd October.

NELSON DISTRICT.

In the Courthouse, Nelson, for civil and criminal business on 21st July and 27th October.

Provided that in case any of the days so fixed as aforesaid shall happen to be a holiday, then the Court appointed for that day shall be holden on the first day thereafter not being a holiday.

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

C. H. MILLS.

Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of a Reserve in the Wellington Land District.

RANFURLY, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," it is, amongst other things, enacted that the Governor may declare his intention to change or alter the dedication of any public reserve now or hereafter vested in His Majesty or the Governor for any of the purposes named in Class II. of the Schedule to the said Act, whether the same be granted or not; and if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to change the purpose of such reserve or any part thereof from the purpose or presumed purpose for which it was set apart to any other purpose, the Governor may, by notice gazetted, declare his intention to make such change, and in such notice declare the manner and terms in which the same is intended to be so made:

Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," aforesaid, declare my intention to change the specific purpose of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto from a site for a Courthouse to a site for a post-office.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block II., Township of Taihape. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 2; towards the east by Crown land; towards the south generally by Huia Street; and towards the west generally by the main road: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and four.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Notifying certain Village-settlement Lands in Southland Land District under "The Bush and Swamp Crown Lands Settlement Act, 1903."

RANFURLY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Bush and Swamp Crown Lands Settlement Act, 1903," I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the lands enumerated in the Schedules hereto shall be subject to the provisions of section two of the said Act, the said lands having previously been set apart for lease as village settlements under "The Land Act, 1892"; and I do further declare that for the purposes of "The Bush and Swamp Crown Lands Settlement Act, 1903," the lands in the First Schedule shall be deemed to be "light-bush land," the lands in the Second Schedule shall be deemed to be "scrub land," and the lands in the Third Schedule shall be deemed to be "swamp land."

SCHEDULES.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Localitv.	Section.	Block.	Area.
FIRST SCHEDULE.			
<i>Light-bush Land.</i>			
			A. R. P.
Seaward Bush Township	13	III.	5 0 34
Ditto	14	"	5 1 9
"	34	"	5 0 0
"	57	"	5 0 0
Hokonui S.D. (Centre Bush)	726	"	28 2 27
Town of Feldwick	4	II.	1 0 3
Invercargill Hundred (Loanend)	65	VIII.	16 1 23
Ditto	83	"	4 3 5
"	85	"	4 3 5
"	86	"	9 0 34
"	87	"	9 0 34
"	88	"	8 1 35
"	89	"	8 1 35
"	90	"	8 1 35
"	91	"	8 1 35
"	93	"	4 3 5
"	96	"	10 2 5
"	97	"	9 0 31
"	98	"	9 0 31
"	99	"	9 0 31
"	100	"	9 0 31
"	101	"	16 2 37
"	102	"	16 2 37
"	103	"	16 2 36
"	104	"	16 2 36
"	105	"	16 0 10
"	106	"	16 0 10
Jacob's River Hundred (Colac Bay)	32	XVIII.	18 1 27
Ditto	33	"	18 1 27
"	39	"	17 2 27
"	40	"	17 2 27
Makarewa Village	8	IX.	13 1 36
"	10	"	13 2 31
"	6	X.	13 1 12
"	10	"	13 0 18
Seaward Bush Township	40	III.	4 0 0
Ditto	41	"	3 2 18
"	42	"	1 3 12
"	43	"	2 2 35
"	44	"	2 1 13
"	45	"	3 1 22
"	46	"	2 1 5
"	47	"	1 3 20
"	48	"	5 1 30
"	49	"	5 2 24
"	50	"	6 3 39
Oteramika Hundr'd (Mokotua)	70	I.	25 1 24
Ditto	72	"	22 3 17
"	74	"	12 0 32
"	76	"	12 0 32
"	77	"	5 2 17
"	78	"	5 2 17
"	79	"	5 2 17
"	80	"	5 2 17
"	91	"	5 2 11
"	92	"	5 2 17
"	93	"	5 2 17
"	94	"	5 2 11
"	96	"	12 0 32
"	98	"	12 0 21
"	100	"	24 1 18
Waikawa S.D. (Waikawa Village)	21	VII.	23 2 16

Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.
SECOND SCHEDULE.			
<i>Scrub Land.</i>			
			A. R. P.
Niagara Village ..	3	..	0 1 0
"	4	..	0 1 0
"	5	..	0 1 0
"	6	..	0 1 0
"	19	..	0 1 0
"	20	..	0 1 0
"	21	..	0 0 35
"	22	..	0 0 35
"	23	..	0 1 0
Invercargill Hundred (Tisbury)	73	XXII.	19 1 30
Ditto	74	"	19 3 11
"	76	"	19 3 11
"	77	"	19 3 11
"	78	"	19 3 11
"	79	"	19 3 11
Pahia Village ..	5	..	4 1 33
"	23	..	6 0 14
"	24	..	6 0 14
"	25	..	6 0 14
THIRD SCHEDULE.			
<i>Swamp Land.</i>			
Invercargill Hundred (Clifton)	62	XIX.	1 3 8
Ditto	63	"	0 3 27
"	64	"	0 3 8
"	68	"	0 2 7
Morley Village ..	3	V.	14 3 37
"	1	VI.	12 0 27

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Land temporarily reserved in the Auckland Land District.

RANFURLY, Governor.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods, more or less, being Section No. 55A, Parish of Maramarua. Bounded by a line commencing at a point on the southern side of a public road, the said point being distant 547.8 links measured along a line running in a north-westerly direction and bearing N. 53° 15' W. from the junction of the said public road with the road forming the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 55, Maramarua Parish, and proceeding thence in a south-easterly direction along a line bearing S. 25° 48' W., 283.6 links; thence in a north-westerly direction along a line bearing N. 64° 12' W., 170 links; thence in a north-easterly direction along a line bearing N. 25° 48' E., 300 links; and thence in a south-easterly direction by the said public road, 171.6 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 51852, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red. For a site for a public hall.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Lands permanently reserved.

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:

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

And whereas the lands specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto were, by the Warrants the dates of which are specified in the third column of the said Schedule, and the notifications of which were published in the *Gazettes* specified in the fourth column, temporarily reserved under the authority of the said Act for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule:

Now, therefore, I, Uchter John Mark, Earl of Ranfurly, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby permanently reserve the lands so temporarily reserved as aforesaid, and enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto, for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule, being the same purposes for which the said lands were so temporarily reserved as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	<i>Gazette</i> .
Auckland ..	Opeo S.D.* ..	2A	VII.	A. R. P. 5 0 0	Native-school site ..	1904. 16 Jan.	1904. No. 5, 21 Jan.
	Town of Waihi ..	31A	..	0 0 24	Borough Council building site	16 Feb.	No. 14, 18 Feb.
	Town of Rotorua ..	5, 11, 12	XXIII.	0 2 24	Post and Telegraph Department	"	"
	Ahipara S.D.* (Ahipara Parish)	19A	IV.	5 0 0	Native-school site ..	"	"
Hawke's Bay	Mata S.D.* ..	Aorangiwae No. 1 Block	..	1756 0 0	Forest and scenic reserve	"	"
Taranaki ..	Ohura S.D.* ..	1	IX.	1052 0 0	Forest reserve ..	"	"
Wellington	Mount Cerberus S.D.*	39	V.	8 1 35	Public-school site ..	"	"
" {	Akatarawa S.D.*	32	XII. XVI.	3000 0 0	(Climatic and water-conservation purposes	"	"
	Waiohine S.D.*						
	Wairarapa S.D.*						
" {	Rangitoto S.D.* ..	44	VIII.	2 0 0	Public-school site	"	"
	Hautapu S.D.* ..	4A	III.	3 3 21	Scenic reserve ..	"	"
	Christchurch S.D.*	3659 (in red)	VIII., XII.	24 0 0	Sanctuary for wild fowl	13 Jan.	No. 5, 21 Jan.
"	Cheviot S.D.* ..	3666 (in red)	V. (Sq. 87)	98 2 0	Forest reserve ..	16 Feb.	No. 14, 18 Feb.
Otago ..	Town of Clinton ..	Part 21	XXV.	0 1 26	Railway reserve ..	"	"
" ..	Town of Alexandra	1	XXXVII.	96 3 5	Recreation reserve	1903. 20 Nov. 1904.	" 1903." No. 90, 26 Nov. 1904.
Southland	Chatton S.D.* ..	13	X.	3 0 0	Gravel reserve ..	16 Feb.	No. 14, 18 Feb.

* Survey District.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Lands temporarily reserved in the Wellington Land District.

RANFURLY, Governor.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 9 acres, more or less, being Section No. 192, Block I., Koitiata Survey District. Commencing at peg No. VIII., on the western side of a road reserve running along the southern bank of the Turakina River, the said peg being distant 2508.1 links north and 2907.9 links west of trig. station, Mount Wilson, Block I., Koitiata

Survey District, and proceeding thence in a westerly direction by a line bearing S. 70° 6' 30" W., a distance of 990 links, to peg A; thence in a northerly direction by a line bearing N. 19° 53' 30" W., a distance of 905 links, to peg B; thence in an easterly direction by a line bearing N. 70° 6' 30" E., a distance of 988 links, to the road reserve aforesaid; and thence in a southerly direction by said road reserve to peg No. VIII. before mentioned: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. For a reserve for travelling stock.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 85 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Section No. 191, Block I., Koitiata Survey District. Bounded towards the north by road reserve along the southern bank of the Turakina River; towards the east generally by road reserve along the southern bank of the Turakina River, and by Section No. 192, Block I., Koitiata Survey District; towards the south by Section No. 190 of said Block I.; and towards the west by road reserve along the southern bank of the Turakina River. For a recreation reserve.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked S.G. 48252, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered pink.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office.
Wellington, 6th April, 1904.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FRANCIS HILGENDORF

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Blueskin, *vice* Robert Landreth, deceased.

J. G. WARD.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office.
Wellington, 6th April, 1904.

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 RITCHIE BOSWELL	Little River.
FREDERICK WILLIAM MOORE ..	Brunner.
ARTHUR DAVID HATHAWAY ..	Motupiko.
WILLIAM BAILEY	Waimate Plains.
JAMES WILLIE McLEAN	Taupo.
CHARLES ANTON OLSEN	Wairoa.
WILLIAM McNICKLE	Black's.

J. G. WARD.

Officer under the Fisheries Conservation Acts appointed, Hawke's Bay.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 6th April, 1904.

IT is hereby notified that

HARRY TREDENHAM FITZHERBERT CARLYON

has been appointed to be an Officer for the purposes of "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and the Acts amending the same.

ALBERT PITT,
For Colonial Secretary.

Rangers under the Animals Protection Acts, Auckland, Hawke's Bay, and Canterbury Districts, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 9th April, 1904.

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

Name.	District.
REUBEN CONNOR	Auckland.
JOHN GLESSING	Auckland.
HARRY TREDENHAM FITZHERBERT CARLYON	Hawke's Bay.
JAMES McCARTNEY	Canterbury.

ALBERT PITT,
For Colonial Secretary.

Cadette appointed in Friendly Societies' Registry Office.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 11th April, 1904.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EMILY MURIEL ADAMS

to be a cadette in the Friendly Societies Office, under section 4 of "The Civil Service Reform Act, 1886."

R. J. SEDDON.

Clerk of Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 13th April, 1904.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable JAMES COGHLAN GRIFFITHS

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Carterton, on and from the 5th day of March, 1904, *vice* Constable F. C. Smith, deceased.

JAS. MCGOWAN.

Inspector under "The Noxious Weeds Act, 1900," appointed.— Notice No. 866.

Department of Agriculture.
Wellington, 11th April, 1904.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES SAVAGE

to be an Inspector for the purposes of "The Noxious Weeds Act, 1900," for the Borough of Devonport; the appointment to date from 29th March, 1904.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister for Agriculture.

New Zealand University.—Appointment to the Senate.

Education Department,
Wellington, 12th April, 1904.

IN pursuance of "The New Zealand University Amendment Act, 1902," His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM EDWARD COLLINS, Esq., M.B. Lond., M.R.C.S. Eng.,

to be a member of the Senate of the New Zealand University, *vice* Dr. Charles Lloyd Morice, deceased.

R. J. SEDDON,
Minister of Education.

Native Interpreter licensed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 13th April, 1904.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorise

TEREI NGATAL,

of Gisborne, to act as an Interpreter of the First Grade, under the provisions of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," and "The Native Interpreters Classification Act, 1900."

J. CARROLL,
Native Minister.

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

Police Department
(Commissioner's Office),
Wellington, 29th March, 1904.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable JAMES COGHLAN GRIFFITHS,

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

JAS. MCGOWAN.

Volunteer Officer promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 6th April, 1904.

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

Christchurch City Guards Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Frederick Charles Brenchley Bishop to be Captain. Date of commission, 1st March, 1904.

ALBERT PITT,
For Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officers appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 6th April, 1904.

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

Feilding Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

John Finlaison Sutherland to be Lieutenant (supernumerary to Establishment). Date of commission, 10th March, 1904.

New Zealand Volunteer Medical Staff.

Surgeon-Captain Charles McBeath Dawson (New Zealand Militia) to be Surgeon-Captain. Date of commission, 18th March, 1904.

ALBERT PITT,
For Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer transferred.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 6th April, 1904.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, under paragraph 57, Volunteer Regulations, of the transfer of

Lieutenant ALEXANDER BURNET CHARTERS from No. 5 Company N.Z.E.V. (Wellington Engineer Volunteers) to the Masterton Rifle Volunteers, with rank of Lieutenant, and with effect from 5th February, 1904.

ALBERT PITT,
For Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officers resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 6th April, 1904.

THE resignations of the undermentioned officers have been accepted by His Excellency the Governor:—

Opotiki Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant James Thomas Tabb. Date of resignation, 13th February, 1904.

Chutha Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Duncan Watt. Date of resignation, 17th March, 1904.

ALBERT PITT,
For Minister of Defence.

Honorary Volunteer Officer resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 6th April, 1904.

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

Brunner Ranger Rifle Volunteers.

Honorary Chaplain the Reverend Alexander William Crawley Stace. Date of resignation, 23rd February, 1904.

ALBERT PITT,
For Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer resigned, and placed on Active List.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 6th April, 1904.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the commission held by

Lieutenant ALFRED HUTSON,

Wellington Volunteer Cycle Corps, and to approve that his name be placed on the Active List, New Zealand Volunteers, with the rank of Lieutenant, and with effect from 1st March, 1904.

ALBERT PITT,
For Minister of Defence.

Name of Volunteer Officer removed from Auckland Local Military Examination Board.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 6th April, 1904.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve that the name of

Lieutenant-Colonel JAMES PIRIE, V.D. (Retired List), be removed from the list of members comprising the Auckland Local Board of Examination, and with effect from 22nd March, 1904.

ALBERT PITT,
For Minister of Defence.

Appointment of Trustees, Christchurch Volunteer Drill-shed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 9th April, 1904.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the appointment, under "The Volunteer Drill-sheds and Lands Act, 1888," and "The Volunteer Drill-sheds and Lands Trustees Validation Act, 1890," of the undermentioned—

Colonel THOMAS WILLIAM PORTER, C.B., Officer Commanding Canterbury Militia and Volunteer District; Lieutenant-Colonel HENRY SLATER (Retired List);

Lieutenant-Colonel WILLIAM ALEXANDER DAY, commanding 1st North Canterbury Battalion of Infantry Volunteers;

Major ROCHFORD SNOW, commanding 1st Battalion North Canterbury Mounted Rifle Volunteers;

Major GEORGE JOHN SMITH, commanding 2nd North Canterbury Battalion of Infantry Volunteers—

to be Trustees of the Christchurch Volunteer Drill-shed, as from 5th February, 1904.

ALBERT PITT,
For Minister of Defence.

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 7th April, 1904.

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.
Mati Cvitanovich ..	Farmer ..	Patumahoe.
George Ivceovich ..	Gum-digger ..	Dargaville.
Tom Jokish ..	Gum-digger ..	Awanui.
Chin Ying Kew ..	Storekeeper ..	Auckland.
Justina Wilhelmina Miske	Domestic duties..	Orepuki.
Joseph Moura ..	Seaman ..	Auckland.
Antonio Mucalo ..	Gum-digger ..	Gumtown.
Johan Pausina ..	Gum-digger ..	Babylon.
Frank Pavicich ..	Gum-digger ..	Awanui.
Henrietta Reese ..	Settler ..	Halcombe.
Joseph Benjamin Serre	Settler ..	Auckland.
Mate Simich ..	Gum-digger ..	Mangawai.
Ivan Urlich ..	Gum-digger ..	Awanui.

J. G. WARD.

Authorising the Laying-off of the Main Street in the Town of Sumter, Hawke's Bay Land District, of a Width of 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 4th April, 1904.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 2 of "The Towns Main Streets Act, 1902," I, Thomas Young Duncan, Minister of Lands, do hereby authorise the laying-off of the main street in the Town of Sumter, Hawke's Bay Land District, of a width of 66 ft., instead of 99 ft. as prescribed by section 17 of "The Land Act, 1892."

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Authorising the Laying-off of the Main Streets in the Town of Mahoe-iti, Wellington Land District, of a Width of 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 4th April, 1904.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 2 of "The Towns Main Streets Act, 1902," I, Thomas Young Duncan, Minister of Lands, do hereby authorise the laying-off of Marshall Avenue and Millward Street, in the Town of Mahoe-iti, Wellington Land District, of a width of 66 ft. each, instead of 99 ft. as prescribed by section 17 of "The Land Act, 1892."

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Plant declared to be a Noxious Weed in the County of Kaikoura.—Notice No. 867.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 13th April, 1904.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Kaikoura County Council has by special order declared ragwort or ragweed to be a noxious weed within the meaning of "The Noxious Weeds Act, 1900," in the district under its jurisdiction.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister for Agriculture.

Notice to Mariners No. 28 of 1904.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—EXHIBITION OF LIGHT ON HOBSON STREET WHARF.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 8th April, 1904.

THE Auckland Harbour Board has given notice that a fixed green light, showing all round the horizon, is exhibited from sunset to sunrise on the northern apex of the new shed ("O") on Hobson Street Wharf, as a permanent harbour light.

This light is 37 ft. above high water spring tides, and 30 ft. from the extreme (northern) end of the wharf, and it should be visible in clear weather at a distance of eight miles.

C. H. MILLS,
Acting Minister of Marine.

Notice to Mariners No. 29 of 1904.

TIMARU HARBOUR.—LIGHT ON EASTERN EXTENSION OF BREAK-WATER RELIT.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 11th April, 1904.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 61 of 1903, issued by this Department on the 3rd September last, the Timaru Harbour Board have notified that the eastern extension staging for the Timaru breakwater has been re-erected, and that the bright light shown from the end of the staging has been relit.

C. H. MILLS,
For Minister of Marine.

Notice to Mariners No. 30 of 1904.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 11th April, 1904.

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

C. H. MILLS,
For Minister of Marine.

VICTORIA.

Port Phillip Heads.—Blasting and Sweeping Operations.

PILOTS, exempt masters, and boatmen are hereby notified that it is intended to commence blasting and sweeping operations in the fairway entrance to Port Phillip on or about the 27th instant.

The following signals will be shown from the masthead of the steamer engaged on the work: Letter B when on blasting, and code-signal XHC when on sweeping duty.

Mariners and boatmen are cautioned not to approach the boats engaged on blasting-work nearer than a quarter of a mile, and warning will be given by prolonged whistle-blasts from the attendant steamer when a charge is about to be exploded. Mariners are specially requested to keep clear of the steamer when sweeping, as the apparatus will render the vessel's movements slow and uncertain.

C. W. MACLEAN,
Port Officer.

Melbourne, 22nd February, 1904.

Special Order made by the Hutt River Board.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 13th April, 1904.

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

J. CARROLL,
For Colonial Treasurer.

HUTT RIVER BOARD.

Hutt River District Loan.

I, DILNOT SLADDEN, Chairman of the Hutt River Board, hereby certify that at a meeting of the Board held on the 4th day of February, 1904, the following resolution was passed by way of special order:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £15,000, authorised to be raised by the Hutt River Board (£10,000 of which it is proposed to ex-

pend in two successive years), under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for the construction of further protective works in the Hutt River District, and the acquisition of lands in connection with the carrying-out of the said work, and the payment of compensation to any persons in connection with the existing river-protective works or the said further works, or the acquisition of lands for such works, and for paying engineering or other expenses and contingencies in connection with the said loan, the said Hutt River Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{1}{8}$ d. in the pound to be made and levied within the Hutt River District on Class 1 of the lands within the said district (being the lands liable to great actual damage), and a special rate of $\frac{1}{16}$ d. in the pound to be made and levied within the said district on Class 2 of the said lands (being the lands liable to less actual damage), and a special rate of $\frac{1}{32}$ d. in the pound to be made and levied within the said district on Class 3 of the said lands (being the lands indirectly liable to damage); and that such special rates shall be annual-recurring rates during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of June and the 1st day of December in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

DILNOT SLADDEN,
Chairman Hutt River Board.

Special Order made by the Oakura Road Board, County of Taranaki, making By-laws.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 13th April, 1904.

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

C. H. MILLS,
For Colonial Secretary.

OAKURA ROAD BOARD.

Special Order.

To regulate and control the traffic on the metalled portions of the Koru and Plymouth Roads, the Oakura Road Board hereby make the following by-laws:—

BY-LAWS made in pursuance of the Powers conferred by Section 130, "Public Works Act, 1894," and its Amendments, to regulate Traffic on Metalled Portions of Koru and Plymouth Roads.

1. No person or persons shall, from the 1st day of May, 1904, to the 30th day of September, inclusive, in any year, use any portion or the whole of the metalled part of the Koru and Plymouth Roads, situate in the Oakura Road District, by the traction thereon by means of bullocks of any vehicle, engine, machine, or thing.

2. No person or persons shall use any portion or the whole of the metalled part of the Koru and Plymouth Roads, situate in the Oakura Road District, by the traction thereon at any time of any year of any dray, wagon, cart, machine, or vehicle whatsoever carrying sawn or split timber, unless the tire of each wheel of such conveyance, if drawn by not more than two horses or four bullocks, be at least 4 in. in width, and 5 in. in width if drawn by more than two horses or four bullocks.

3. No person or persons shall use any portion or the whole of the metalled part of the Koru and Plymouth Roads, situate in the Oakura Road District, by the traction thereon at any time of any year of any vehicle carrying sawn timber unless such vehicle shall be licensed for the year in which it is so used by the payment of a license fee of £10.

4. The transportation or haulage of any traction or other engine which shall of itself, or together with any thing or things being transported thereon, weigh more than 1½ tons avoirdupois to each pair of wheels is prohibited on any portion or the whole of the metalled part of the Koru and Plymouth Roads situate within the Oakura Road District, from the 1st day of May to the 30th day of September, inclusive, in any year.

5. The penalty for a breach of the foregoing by-laws shall be—For the first offence, not more than £2; and for a second or other offence, not more than £5.

6. These by-laws shall come in force on the 1st day of May, 1904.

FREDK. MORRIS,
Chairman.

I hereby certify that the above by-laws were made by special order in accordance with section 75 of "The Road Boards Act, 1882,"

F. LISLE,
Clerk to Board.

Tenders.

Public Works Department,
Wellington, 9th April, 1904.

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

JAS. MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

HANMER SANATORIUM.—COLD-WATER SWIMMING-BATHS CONTRACT.		£	s.	d.
Accepted.				
Wadey, Wm., Rangiora	954	0	0
Declined.				
Forbes, R. A., Tai Tapu	986	0	0
Gulliver and Rogers, Rangiora	1,280	0	0

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

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 11th April, 1904.

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.

Catherine Stewart, late of Table Hill, in the Provincial District of Otago, widow. Filed on the 26th day of March, 1904.

Thomas Wharton, late of No Town, in the Provincial District of Westland, miner. Filed on the 11th day of April, 1904.

James Chisholm Walker, late of Wanganui, in the Provincial District of Wellington, old-age pensioner. Filed on the 11th day of April, 1904.

Alexander Gordon, late of Hastings, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, labourer. Filed on the 11th day of April, 1904.

Conrad Guthmann, otherwise known as John Goodman, late of Kumara, in the Provincial District of Westland, miner. Filed on the 11th day of April, 1904.

Henry James Hollis, late of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, letter-carrier. Filed on the 11th day of April, 1904.

J. W. POYNTON,
Public Trustee.

The Education Board of the District of Wanganui.

IT is hereby publicly notified that the following is the result of the election of one member to fill an extraordinary vacancy:—

Newman, Edward	396	votes.
Gilshnan, Edward	77	"

The total number of valid votes recorded was 473. The number of votes rejected as informal was 33.

I therefore declare Mr. EDWARD NEWMAN duly elected.

W. J. CARSON,
Returning Officer.

Wanganui, 23rd March, 1904.

Notice of Appointment of Committee for Incorporated Block.

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,
GISBORNE DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court has appointed the following persons to be members of the committee for the purpose of administering the land set opposite their names.

Dated at Gisborne, this 5th day of April, 1904.

JOHN BROOKING, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Block.	Names of Members of Committee.
Tapuilikitia C ..	Papapa Waihopi, Mahaki Paraone, Harawira Karauria, Otene Pitau, Hetekia te Kani Pere, Himiona Kaitipa, and Henare Ruru.

Surveyors licensed.

Office of the Surveyors' Board,
Government Buildings,
Wellington, 7th April, 1904.

IT is hereby notified that licenses under "The New Zealand Institute of Surveyors and Board of Examiners Act, 1900," have been issued to the following surveyors by the Surveyors' Board:—

Surveyor.	Address.
BURTON, SIDNEY TASSO Dunedin.
MOUNTFORT, CHARLES WHEELER Napier.
SMITH, HAROLD Wellington.

C. E. ADAMS,
Secretary, Surveyors' Board.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Land in Canterbury Land District surrendered.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 11th April, 1904.

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

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—PAREORA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Rosewill Settlement.

Section.	Block.	Formerly held by	Tenure.
106, Rosewill Settlement	XI.	James Fleming	Lease in perpetuity

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 11th April, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity at this office on Monday, the 23rd day of May, 1904, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—LEVELS COUNTY.—PAREORA SURVEY DISTRICT.—ROSEWILL SETTLEMENT.

Ordinary Farm.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
106	XI.	A. R. P. 498 0 0	£ s. d. 6 10 2	£ s. d. 85 5 8

Agricultural and pastoral land, between 440 ft. and 710 ft. above sea-level, comprising 459 acres of agricultural downs in grass, 25 acres of pastoral faces in tussock and grass, and 14 acres of unploughable land along the creeks. Watered by creeks, but their permanency is not guaranteed. Distant eight miles from Levels Railway-station by gravelled and formed roads. The improvements, which are included in the price of the section, consist of 203 chains of boundary-fencing, valued at £60.

THOS. HUMPHRIES,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Parata Township, Wellington Land District, for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 1st March, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, the 20th day of April, 1904, for leases of the under-mentioned lands for a term of twenty-one years (with the right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years), under the provisions of "The Native Townships Act, 1895," and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—HOROWHENUA COUNTY.
Parata Township.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Upset Annual Rental.	
		A.	R.	P.	£	s. d.
29	I.	1	1	2	2	5 0
30	I.	1	0	24	2	5 0
*31	I.	0	3	28	2	5 0
* Weighted with £3 15s., valuation for improvements.						
17	VI.	0	2	12	1	15 0

These sections are situated on the main road and railway-line between Wellington and Otaki, the distance from Wellington by railway-line being thirty-seven miles. The access is from Waikanae Railway-station, which adjoins the township. The sections comprise flat grass land; the soil is of first-class quality, resting on clay-and-shingle formation. The improvements on Section 31, Block I., consist of 5 chains of fencing.

Plans and full particulars as to terms and conditions of lease may be obtained at this office.

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 14th March, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be offered to the holder of adjoining land under section 114 of the said Act on and after Monday, the 20th June, 1904.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
39	IV.	Glenkenich ..	A. R. P. 3 3 15

D. BARRON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Kauri Timber (40,632,801 Superficial Feet) for Sale by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 21st March, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of "The Land Act, 1892," and "The New Zealand State Forests Act, 1885," that written tenders will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, from the proprietors of existing sawmills, up to 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, the 5th day of May, 1904, for the purchase of the under-mentioned fourteen lots of kauri timber, comprising a total of 40,632,801 superficial feet.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Hobson County.—Tutamoe Forest Reserve.

Lot No. 3, standing on Block XV., Tutamoe Survey District, consisting of 1,237 green kauri-trees, containing 5,047,183 superficial feet; and 182 dry kauri-trees, containing 387,460 superficial feet: total, 1,419 kauri-trees, containing about 5,434,643 superficial feet.

Lot No. 4, standing on Blocks XV. and XVI., Tutamoe Survey District, consisting of 540 green kauri-trees, containing 2,409,898 superficial feet; and 681 dry kauri-trees, containing 1,876,315 superficial feet: total, 1,221 kauri-trees, containing about 4,286,213 superficial feet.

Lot No. 5, standing on Blocks XV. and XVI., Tutamoe Survey District, consisting of 1,141 green kauri-trees, containing 5,263,396 superficial feet; and 1,364 dry kauri-trees, containing 3,688,697 superficial feet: total, 2,505 kauri-trees, containing about 8,952,093 superficial feet.

Lot No. 6, standing on Blocks XVI., Tutamoe, and IV., Kaihu Survey Districts, consisting of 325 green kauri-trees, containing 1,251,411 superficial feet; and 117 dry kauri-trees, containing 299,208 superficial feet: total, 442 kauri-trees, containing about 1,550,619 superficial feet.

Lot No. 7, standing on Blocks III. and IV., Kaihu Survey District, consisting of 550 green kauri-trees, containing 2,149,972 superficial feet; and 892 dry kauri-trees, containing 2,994,946 superficial feet: total, 1,442 kauri-trees, containing about 5,144,918 superficial feet.

Whangarei County.—Puhipuhi State Forest Reserve.

Lot No. 3, standing on Blocks III. and VII., Hukerenui Survey District, consisting of 1,343 green and dry kauri-trees, containing about 3,168,000 superficial feet.

Lot No. 4, standing on Block III, Hukerenui Survey District, consisting of 1,297 green and dry kauri-trees, containing about 2,482,300 superficial feet.

Lot No. 5A, standing on Blocks III. and IV., Hukerenui Survey District, consisting of 340 green and dry kauri-trees, containing about 1,171,900 superficial feet.

Lot No. 6, standing on Blocks IV., VII., and VIII., Hukerenui Survey District, consisting of 174 green and dry kauri-trees, containing about 322,700 superficial feet.

Hobson County.—Tangihua Forest Reserve.

Lot No. 4, standing on part Blocks I. and VII., Tangihua Survey District, consisting of 406 green kauri-trees, containing 1,322,834 superficial feet; and 13 dry kauri-trees, containing 39,428 superficial feet: total, 419 trees, containing about 1,362,262 superficial feet.

Lot No. 5, standing on parts Blocks I., III., and VII., Tangihua Survey District, consisting of 313 green kauri-trees, containing 904,385 superficial feet; and 14 dry kauri-trees, containing 18,670 superficial feet: total, 327 trees, containing about 923,055 superficial feet.

Lot No. 6, standing on Block I., Tangihua Survey District, consisting of 354 green kauri-trees, containing about 1,064,723 superficial feet.

Lot No. 8, standing part on Blocks I. and VII., Tangihua Survey District, and XII., Maungaru Survey District, consisting of 91 green kauri-trees, containing about 242,375 superficial feet.

Hokianga County.—Omahuta State Forest Reserve.

Lot No. 2, standing on part of Blocks XI., XII., XV., and XVI., Maungataniwha Survey District, consisting of 1,116 green kauri-trees, containing about 4,527,000 superficial feet.

Tenders are to be addressed "Gerhard Mueller, Esq., Commissioner of Crown Lands, District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland," and are to be marked outside "Kauri Timber, Lot No. , Forest Reserve," and must be accompanied by the prescribed deposit in cash, marked cheque, or post-office order. All tenders shall be subject to the following regulations and conditions, and also to the general regulations of the 15th January, 1900, or the 12th March, 1900.

REGULATIONS AND CONDITIONS.

1. Applicants tendering for the purchase of kauri timber shall forward to the Conservator of State Forests or Commissioner of Crown Lands, at the Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, a tender on the form hereto annexed, stating the price at which they are prepared to purchase the timber specified in their tenders, at per 100 superficial feet, and giving the following particulars:—

(a.) The quantity of timber, whether standing or in logs, already owned, in possession of, or secured by the tenderer, and whether situated on freehold land, leasehold land, Native land, or Crown land.

- (b.) A description of the locality where the timber and logs already owned or secured are situated, and, if in several localities, the names of each shall be stated, together with the quantity of timber thereon, the amount of timber required, and how long it would last, &c. An illustrative sketch-map must accompany the description.
- (c.) A description of the lot and quantity of the particular timber tendered for, and also the locality of the mill at which it is proposed that this timber shall be sawn.
- (d.) How it is proposed to remove the timber, whether by tramway, or by putting it into the creeks and driving it out, or by hauling, rafting, towing, or in any other manner.
- (e.) The terms of payment offered being either wholly in cash, or partly in cash and partly by instalments, as specified in clause 8 hereof.

2. All tenders shall be accompanied by a deposit of 5 per cent. on the amount of the tender, which will be returned in case of non acceptance of the tender, and in the case of a successful tenderer shall be retained as part payment for the timber.

3. The Conservator of State Forests or Commissioner of Crown Lands shall transmit such tenders, together with the Ranger's report thereon, and his remarks and recommendations, to the Commissioner of State Forests or Minister of Lands.

4. The highest or any of such tenders shall not necessarily be accepted, and the right is reserved by the Commissioner of State Forests or Minister of Lands to allot the timber in such manner and on such conditions as, in his opinion, the circumstances of the case warrant: Provided that before accepting a tender he shall satisfy himself that the tenderer is the proprietor of a then-existing mill, and that the timber applied for is to supply such mill.

5. In the event of the acceptance of any tender, a license shall be issued to the tenderer as licensee, and there shall be a maximum time provided for the removal of the timber, with conditions providing against waste in terms of No. 49 of the general regulations under "The New Zealand State Forests Act, 1885," dated the 15th day of January, 1900, or No. 49 of the general regulations under "The Land Act, 1892," dated the 12th day of March, 1900.

6. The licensee shall make and deliver to the Conservator of State Forests or Commissioner of Crown Lands, at a period fixed by such Conservator or Commissioner in each year, a written statement of the quantity of timber such licensee has in hand on the several classes of land held by him.

7. It shall be unlawful for the licensee to transfer, assign, or in any way dispose of his license, or of the timber, or of his interest therein, to any other person until after the expiration of two years from the date at which the tender was accepted: Provided, however, that where the licensee proposes to sell the timber with his mill, plant, and appliances in their entirety, he may do so with the written approval of the Commissioner of State Forests or Minister of Lands first obtained; and in such case the license may be transferred accordingly. Such approval may be given or refused in the discretion of the Commissioner or Minister.

8. Payment for timber shall be made by the licensee either wholly in cash on acceptance of tender, or partly in cash and partly by instalments, as follows:—

- For half to one million feet, half in cash on acceptance of tender and half in six months thereafter;
- For one to three million feet, one-third in cash on acceptance of tender, one-third in eight and one-third in sixteen months thereafter;
- For three to six million feet, one-fifth in cash on acceptance of tender, one-fifth in seven, one-fifth in fourteen, one-fifth in twenty-one, and one-fifth in twenty-eight months thereafter;
- For six to ten million feet, one-fifth in cash on acceptance of tender, one-fifth in nine, one-fifth in eighteen, one-fifth in twenty-seven, and one-fifth in thirty-six months thereafter.

9. All such instalments shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum as from the date of acceptance of tender, and, with the interest, shall be secured by promissory notes payable on demand, and made and indorsed to the satisfaction of the Conservator of State Forests or Commissioner of Crown Lands.

10. Timber not removed within the time provided for its removal shall revert to the Crown, but the Commissioner of State Forests or Minister of Lands may grant an extension of time for a period not exceeding three years on payment of not less than 5 per cent. per annum on the prairie or net value of the land on which the timber is standing or lying, subject to such conditions as the Commissioner or Minister may impose.

11. The Crown reserves the right either to accept royalty on the estimated quantity of timber as appraised, or on the

amount as it comes from the mill, sawn or in flitches; the conditions governing payment of royalty therefor being those specified in No. 38 of the aforesaid general regulations, subject, however, to these regulations.

12. In every case where payment is to be made by instalments the following special provisions shall apply:—

- (1.) The property in all uncut timber shall remain in the Crown until all the instalments are paid.
- (2.) The value of the timber cut shall at no time exceed the total amount actually paid.
- (3.) In any case where the Conservator of State Forests or Commissioner of Crown Lands is satisfied that timber has been cut in excess of the limit fixed by the last preceding paragraph, he shall appraise the quantity and value of the timber so cut in excess and demand payment from the licensee of the amount of such appraisal. The amount paid shall be in or towards satisfaction of the accruing instalments in the order in which they accrue due, and shall accordingly be credited to the same, as also to the promissory notes securing the same. In default of payment of such amount for the space of fourteen days the whole of the unpaid instalments shall be payable forthwith, and payment may be enforced accordingly.

FORM OF TENDER.

Tender for Kauri Sawmilling Timber.

I, _____, hereby tender for _____ superficial feet of kauri timber.

The position of the timber applied for is shown in red on the lithograph, tracing, or sketch-plan attached hereto.

It is intended to cut the timber at the _____ Mill, situated on _____, in the _____ District, concerning which I attach the following statement as to output, timber on hand, &c.

STATEMENT.

Name of mill, _____, situated in _____ District, within _____ miles of _____ Township, and close to or fronting _____ River.
 Capacity, _____ million feet per annum.
 Output during last year, _____ million feet.
 Details of total quantity of timber now on hand for cutting at the above mill— _____ Feet.

Total quantity on hand

I, _____, hereby certify that the above is a correct statement as regards the _____ Mill, for which a tender is now being made to obtain _____ million feet of kauri timber.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 190 _____
 Name: _____

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

GERHARD MUELLER,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands and
 Conservator of State Forests.

Land in Wellington Land District for Disposal in Terms of Section 13 of "The Land Act Amendment Act, 1895."

District Lands and Survey Office,
 Wellington, 7th March, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be offered for lease to the holder of adjoining land, in accordance with the provisions of section 13 of "The Land Act Amendment Act, 1895," on or after Friday, the 10th day of June, 1904.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
62	VI.	Waiopahu ..	A. B. P. 5 0 0

JOHN STRAUCHON,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Tolago Bay, Gisborne.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 31st March, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Tolago Bay, Gisborne, on the 17th day of May, 1904, 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.

[Gisborne, 1904-12.]

JOHN BROOKING, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.		
1	Hirena Maukau and Ka Heuheu	Waihoa No. 1.
2	Hare Noanoa, Emi Miria Pu, and Witana Puanga	Roto-o-tabe.
3	Ani Kirimana	Uawa No. 2D.
4	Hone Paerata	Anaura.
5	Ropiha Tamararo	Tuawhatu No. 4.
6	Harete Wiremu and others	Kourateuwahi No. 2G.
7	Harete Wiremu and others	Wharekaka D.
8	Mere Karaka Puaiari	Waihoa No. 1.
NEW APPLICATIONS.		
9	Hone Paerata	Anaura.
10	Rutene Potiti and others	Anaura.
11	W. H. Potae and others	Kaiaua.
12	Wi Hekopa and Paku Mangi	Mangatuna No. 1E.
13	Emere Ngahue	Mangaheia No. 1B 2A.
14	Mere Meihana and Himiona Kautuku	Mangaheia No. 1B.
15	Hone Paerata	Maraha.
16	Hone Paerata	Nuhiti No. 1.
17	Hone Paerata	Nuhiti No. 2.
18	M. Mullooly (executor under will of Arapera Pahura)	Pourewa.
19	M. Mullooly (trustee for Ereti Amaru)	Paremata No. 2.
20	Miriama Waihi	Panikau No. 3A.
21	Hone Paerata	Tangoiro.
22	Paratene Kamura and Hoana Hautapu	Uawa No. 2.
23	Hone Paerata	Waione.
24	Himiona te Kani and others	Wairoro No. 3.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
25	Andrew Reeves	Kopuni	£25.

APPLICATION UNDER SUBSECTION (9) OF SECTION 14 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," TO RESTRAIN TAMATI TAUTAU FROM SELLING ANY OF THE SHEEP OR WOOL OF A CERTAIN FLOCK NOW IN HIS POSSESSION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Nature of Application.
26	Moana Tautau	To restrain Tamati Tautau from selling any of the sheep or wool of a certain flock now in his possession.

APPLICATION FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
27	Hori Kirimana	Katerina Tue, "Taiao," "Pere."

REFERENCE BY THE CHIEF JUDGE TO THE NATIVE LAND COURT FOR INQUIRY AND REPORT.

No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Inquiry.
28	Kopuatarakihi No. 1	For the Court to ascertain the extent of the shares awarded to Hone Paerata and others to whom Kopuatarakihi No. 1A was allotted.
29	Kopuni	To ascertain whether a survey lien of £25 has been paid.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
30	Hone Paerata	Anaura	For the Court to inquire whether the will of Hone Maeha affects this land or not.
31	Kaa Moko	Paremata, Pakarae, and Whangara	For the Court to inquire who are the proper successors to Raheara te Kakahu, deceased.

INQUIRY UNDER SECTION 38 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
32	Wiremu Konohi	Kaiaua	To ascertain the boundaries laid down by the Court between the several parcels when making partition of the land.

APPLICATION FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
33	Manahi Parapara (Mis. 268)	Kourateuwhi No. 1.

Application for Confirmation Certificate under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 7th April, 1904.
 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, Sec. 55, 1904-13.]

JOHN BROOKING, Registrar.

THE ALIENATION ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
150	Mortgage	6th April, 1904	Lots 7 and 8, parts of Whataupoko Nos. 4 and 7	John Campbell to J. Coleman.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Gisborne.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 8th April, 1904.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Gisborne on the 2nd day of May, 1904, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Gisborne, 1904-14.]

JOHN BROOKING, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
151	Transfer	26th October, 1903	Section 35, Block C., Whataupoko	Harata Matete, Mereana Matete, Ereti Matete, Hōhipine Matete, and Te Kauru Matete, to F. Stafford.
152	Lease	9th July, 1903	Mangatuna No. 1	Wi Rakaitapu to W. F. Hale.
153	Lease	15th October, 1903	Mangatuna No. 1	Wi Kēpa Pūhipūhi and others to W. F. Hale.
154	Lease	15th February, 1904	Kaiti 313 2A3A, 313 2A3B, 313 2A3C	Piriniha te Eke, Karaitiana te Eke, and Te Eke Maki, to J. Cleary.
155	Transfer	12th January, 1904	Sections 2 and 4, Papa-whariki	Hamiora Hei to H. Hill.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
156	Fred Smith	Puhatikotiko No. 2A	£7 4s.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Woodville.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 7th April, 1904.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Woodville on the 14th day of April, 1904, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Wellington, 1904-5.]

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
18	Arihi te Nahu	Otawhao A No. 10.
19	Tangatake Hapuku	Otawhao A No. 11.

Applications for Confirmation Certificates under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 12th April, 1904.

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	Transfer (1904-35)	9th February, 1904	Te Tipua No. 2	Hui te Miha to George NoRae Drummond and Dolina Catherine McMaster.
2	Transfer (1904-47)	9th February, 1904	Polhill Gully Native Reserve, Block XV., Lot 20, part Section 1	Agnes Simeon to William John Thompson.
3	Transfer (1904-52)	10th March, 1904	Horowhenua, Lot 92, Subdivision 10	Taitoko Mataitaua to Mary Jane Palmer.
4	Transfer (1904-53)	8th April, 1904	Aorangi No. 1, Section 3b No. 2	Hara Tauranga to Alexander Rutledge.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE for Management during the Month of March, 1904.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Order, or Date of Filing of Election to administer.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Armstrong, Wright Steven-son	Brunnerton	Scotland	1 Mar., 1904	19 Jan., 1904	Relatives known.
2	Bertelsen, Niels Albert	Parnell, Auckland	Denmark	1 Mar., 1904	8 Feb., 1904	Relatives known.
3	Brown, Thomas	Aohanga	Scotland	25 Mar., 1904	20 Feb., 1904	Relatives known.
4	Butcher, Joseph Albert	Masterton	..	11 Mar., 1904	13 Feb., 1904	Relatives known.
5	Corboy, William	Loburn	Ireland	11 Mar., 1904	26 Jan., 1904	Relatives known.
6	Curragh, James or James William	Christchurch	Ireland	25 Mar., 1904	22 Feb., 1904	Relatives known.
7	Dowd, James	Waipawa	..	21 Mar., 1904	10 July, 1868	Relatives known.
8	Faulkner, Edward	Waikaia	..	5 Mar., 1904	5 Jan., 1904	..
9	Ferguson, Daniel	Dunedin	Scotland	2 Mar., 1904	24 Jan., 1904	Relatives known.
10	Graham, John	Ashburton	Scotland	7 Mar., 1904	24 Sept., 1902	Relatives known.
11	Haywood, William	Aramoho	England	11 Mar., 1904	24 Jan., 1904	Relatives known.
12	Hemsworth, Thomas William	Sydenham	Ireland	14 Mar., 1904	31 Jan., 1904	..
13	Ivicevich, Joseph or Ivan	Waipu	Austria	14 Mar., 1904	29 Jan., 1904	..
14	Jarman, Oscar	Wanganui	Norway	10 Mar., 1904	About Aug., 1903	Relatives known.
15	Jurichevich or Jorecevich, Mate or Mato	Waiuku	Austria	21 Mar., 1904	27 Feb., 1904	Relatives known.
16	Kelly, William	Te Kiri, Opunake	..	21 Mar., 1904	8 Nov., 1903	..
17	Knight, Daniel	Onau	..	2 Mar., 1904	25 Nov., 1903	Relatives known.
18	Martin, Robert Stirling	Western Spit, Napier	England	10 Mar., 1904	22 Dec., 1903	Probate.
19	Meagher, James	Blackball	Ireland	14 Mar., 1904	29 Oct., 1903	Relatives known.
20	Milson, or Milsom, Elizabeth	North-east Valley, Dunedin	Victoria	18 Mar., 1904	14 Feb., 1904	Relatives known.
21	Morris, William	Christchurch	England	25 Mar., 1904	17 Feb., 1904	Probate.
22	Noble, James Winton	Alexandra South	Scotland	11 Mar., 1904	2 Feb., 1904	Relatives known.
23	Phelan, John Matthew	Avondale	..	18 Mar., 1904	6 Feb., 1904	Relatives known.
24	Richardson, George	Rimu	England	18 Mar., 1904	14 or 15 Feb., '04	..
25	Rossich, Jozo	Tokatoka, North Wairoa	Austria	5 Mar., 1904	19 Oct., 1903	..
26	Simon, or Levy, Theodore	Westport	Died in France	7 Mar., 1904	18 July, 1902	Relatives known.
27	Stelton, Robert	Dunedin	Scotland	25 Mar., 1904	18 Feb., 1904	Probate.
28	Stewart, Archibald	Pahiatua	Scotland	25 Mar., 1904	17 Feb., 1904	Relatives known.
29	Stewart, Cath-rine	Table Hill, Manuka Creek	Scotland	26 Mar., 1904	24 Jan., 1904	Relatives known.
30	Such, George Frederick	Remuera, Auckland	England	10 Mar., 1904	7 Feb., 1904	Probate.
31	Thompson, Alfred	St. Albans, Christchurch	England	18 Mar., 1904	2 Feb., 1904	Relatives known.
32	Tripp, Anne	Ponsonby, Auckland	..	26 Feb., 1904	..	Relatives known.
33	Whyte, James	Nelson	England	25 Mar., 1904	1 Feb., 1904	Probate.

J. W. POYNTON,
Public Trustee.

Dated the 13th day of April, 1904.

Tenders for Supply of Coal, 1904-5.

Railway Department (Head Office), Wellington, 11th April, 1904.

THE following successful and unsuccessful tender rates for the supply and delivery of lignite or brown coal for the New Zealand railways for 1904-5 are published for general information.

By order. T. RONAYNE,
General Manager, New Zealand Railways.

Section of Railway.	Tenderer.	Place of Delivery.	Kind of Coal.	Rate per Ton.	Remarks.
Whangarei ..	Hikurangi Coal Company (Limited)	Company's siding	Hikurangi	8/4	Accepted (about 1,000 tons).
Auckland	Taupiri Coal-mines (Limited)	Huntly and Kimihia	Taupiri and Kimihia	8/	Accepted (about 17,000 tons).
"	Union Collieries (Limited) ..	Company's siding, Mercer	Union	7/3	Declined.
"	J. J. Craig	Auckland	Newcastle	19/	Declined.
"	"	Onehunga	Newcastle nuts	23/	Declined.
Dunedin-Gore ..	New Zealand Coal and Oil Company	Stirling.. ..	Kaitangata	8/	Accepted (about 10,000 tons).
South of Gore ..	Nightcaps Coal Company ..	Nightcaps	Nightcaps	7/6	Accepted (about 12,000 tons).
"	"	"	Nightcaps nuts	5/	Accepted (about 12,000 tons).

MINING NOTICES.

I, THE undersigned, hereby make application to register the Ulster Gold-mining Company (Limited) as a limited-liability company, under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Act, 1894," and the amendments thereof.

1. The name of the company is to be the Ulster Gold-mining Company (Limited).

2. The place of intended operations is at Painkiller District, near Reefton, in the Provincial District of Nelson, Colony of New Zealand.

3. The registered office of the company will be situated in Bridge Street, Reefton, County of Inangahua, Colony of New Zealand.

4. The nominal capital of the company is seven thousand five hundred pounds, divided into thirty thousand shares of five shillings each.

5. The number of shares subscribed for is thirty thousand, being the entire number of shares in the company.

6. The number of paid-up shares is six thousand, numbered from 1 to 6,000 (both inclusive), paid up to one shilling and sixpence per share.

7. The amount already paid up in cash is six hundred pounds.

8. The name of the Manager is Thomas Hubert Lee.

9. The names and addresses and occupations of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

Names of Shareholders of Vendors' Shares (paid up to 1s. 6d. per Share).	No. of Shares.
Stevenson, James, Reefton, Hotelkeeper ..	1,500
Whelan, Charles, Reefton, Postmaster ..	750
Harold, D., Reefton, Baker ..	750
Lee, T. Hubert, Reefton, Auctioneer ..	1,500
McCloy, A., Reefton, Miner ..	1,500
	6,000
Names of Shareholders of Contributing Shares.	No. of Shares.
McArthur, Charles, Reefton, Miner ..	300
Peers, Arthur Charles, Blackball, Mine ..	200
Coyle, Michael, Blackball, Miner ..	200
McQuilkin, Patrick, Reefton, Miner ..	200
Russell, J. H., Reefton, Butcher ..	100
Archer, F. W., Caplestone, Contractor ..	250
Shepherd, W. G., Reefton, Battery-hand ..	200
Patterson, James, Reefton, Storekeeper ..	100
Galloway, Helen L., Reefton, Teacher ..	200
Noonan, William, Reefton, County Clerk ..	200
Watts, C. T. A., Crushington, Miner ..	100
Scarlett, James, Reefton, Hotelkeeper ..	300
Ritchie, William, Reefton, Miner ..	150
Banks, John, Reefton, Blacksmith ..	250
Dunphy, R., Reefton, Hotelkeeper ..	200
McManus, C., Reefton, Hotelkeeper ..	200
Stevenson, James, Reefton, Hotelkeeper ..	500
Phillips, Thomas, Reefton, Solicitor ..	200
O'Brien, John J., Reefton, Fruiterer ..	100
Kelly, P., Reefton, Miner ..	200
Kennard, W. E., Reefton, Miner ..	300
Auld, James, Crushington, Battery-manager ..	500
Butler, Patrick, Reefton, Mining Investor ..	500
Howell, John H., Caplestone, Miner ..	200
Taylor, John E., Reefton, Miner ..	250
Cooper, John, Reefton, Miner ..	250

Names of Shareholders of Contributing Shares.	No. of Shares.
Libeau, Louis, Reefton, Miner ..	250
Conway, Edward J., Reefton, Baker ..	250
Smith, Hugh, Reefton, Baker ..	200
McNeill, R. W. J., Ikamatua, Farmer ..	500
Wilby, Walter, Reefton, Engineer ..	250
McMahon, T., Reefton, Miner ..	400
Watts, W., Crushington, Miner ..	100
Felton, T. L., Reefton, Stationmaster ..	500
Henderson, Thomas H., Reefton, Miner ..	100
Duncan, William, Totara Flat, Blacksmith ..	150
Whelan, Mary, Reefton, Household Duties ..	200
Whelan, Charles, Reefton, Postmaster ..	250
McKenney, A., Reefton, Miner ..	100
Dudgeon, Norman, Reefton, Mining Engineer ..	500
McMahon, B. P., Reefton, Mining Agent ..	500
Sunderland, W., Reefton, Plumber ..	200
Johns, William, Reefton, Miner ..	200
Allan, Robert, Reefton, Miner ..	200
Betts, Henry, Reefton, Union Secretary ..	500
McSweeney, Thomas, Reefton, Miner ..	200
Morris, W. J., Reefton, Draper ..	200
Stevenson, L., Reefton ..	250
Wilson, J., Reefton, Miner ..	100
Hubert, W., Reefton, Miner ..	200
Rea, William, Reefton, Miner ..	100
Thorburn, James, Reefton, Investor ..	500
Muldoon, John, Reefton, Foreman ..	100
Wallis, Thomas James, Reefton, Miner ..	100
McAuley, Thomas, Reefton, Engine-driver ..	300
McMahon, Timothy, Reefton, Engine-driver ..	100
Kirwan, William, Reefton, Mine-manager ..	500
Wills, James, Reefton, Storekeeper ..	300
McMahon, Ellen, Reefton ..	200
Harold, D., Reefton, Baker ..	550
Noble, James, Reefton, Printer ..	200
Mirfin, Charles, Reefton, Journalist ..	125
White, Alexander, Reefton, Engine-driver ..	200
Lee, T. Hubert, Reefton, Auctioneer ..	500
McCloy, A., Reefton, Miner ..	500
Harold, Minnie, Reefton, Clerk ..	200
McKenney, Jacob, Reefton, Mine-manager ..	300
Lee, T. Hubert, Reefton, Auctioneer (Manager, in trust for absent shareholders) ..	6,775

Total 24,000

Dated at Reefton, this 13th day of April, 1904.

T. HUBERT LEE,
Manager.

Witness to signature—W. Auld, Clerk, Reefton.

I, Thomas Hubert Lee, do solemnly and sincerely declare that—

1. I am the Manager of the said intended company.
2. The above statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular.

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

T. HUBERT LEE.

Taken before me, at Reefton, this 13th day of April, 1904
—E. J. Scantlebury, J.P. 480

"THE COMPANIES ACT, 1903," SECTION 266 (4).

Re The Shamrock Lead Gold-mining Company (Limited).
TAKE notice that the name of the above-mentioned company has been struck off the Register, and the company has been dissolved.

Dated at Christchurch, this 12th day of April, 1904.

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P. G. WITHERS,
 Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE MANANU GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Mananu Gold-mining Company (Limited) proposes to cease carrying on business in New Zealand.

Dated the 31st day of March, 1904.

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CHAS. RHODES,
 Attorney for the said Company.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that A. E. STEVENS, of Thames, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt on the petition of W. S. Whitley; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 19th day of April, 1904, at 2.30 o'clock.

Auckland, 11th April, 1904.

E. GÉRARD,
 Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ADAM FINDLEY, of Miller-ton, Miner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 14th day of April, 1904, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

6th April, 1904.

A. D. BAYFEILD,
 Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that DAVID JAMES WATSON, of Hokitika, Mill-hand, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 9th day of April, 1904, at 11 o'clock a.m.

J. BEVAN,
 Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM PAUL HEWITT, of Sheffield, Roadman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 12th day of April, 1904, at 11 o'clock.

6th April, 1904.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
 Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that LEONARD SMITH, of Invercargill, lately Hotelkeeper, now Trainer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 19th day of April, 1904, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

Invercargill, 9th April, 1904.

CHARLES ROUT,
 Deputy Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

APPPLICATION having been made to me to issue a provisional title in the name of CHARLES BRADSHAW, late of Campbelltown, Hotelkeeper, but now of Wellington, Shopkeeper, for Section 9, Block IV., Town of Campbelltown, being the land described in certificate of title, Register-book, Vol. 16, folio 185, and satisfactory evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I shall issue a provisional title as requested at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Transfer Office, Invercargill, the 8th March, 1904.

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R. W. DYER,
 District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," and its amendments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 14th day of May, 1904.

3482. ANNIE BROWN.—24 $\frac{7}{10}$ perches, part Section 106, City of Wellington. Occupied by Applicant.

3487. ROBERT EWING.—9 $\frac{1}{8}$ perches, Lot 19, Te Aro Pa Reserve, City of Wellington. Occupied by Applicant.

3494. EDWARD ANDERSON.—38 $\frac{7}{10}$ perches, parts Section 508, City of Wellington. Occupied by Applicant.

3498. THE WELLINGTON DIOCESAN BOARD OF TRUSTEES.—3 roods 30 perches, Section 391, City of Wellington. Occupied by Joshua Charlesworth as tenant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of April, 1904, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

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W. STUART,
 District Land Registrar.

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

9777. The Hon. GEORGE WILLIAM SPENCER LYTTTELTON.—2 acres, Lot 21, Plan 1944, part of Rural Section 76, Block XV., Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by James Robertson.

9778. JOSEPH ELLIS, THE YOUNGER.—1 acre and 31 perches, Lots 31 and 34, Plan 816, part of Rural Section 1946, Block I., Patiti Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th day of April, 1904, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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G. G. BRIDGES,
 District Land Registrar.

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

Section 21, Block XXXIX., Town of Hampden.—MICHAEL JOYCE, Applicant. Occupied by Applicant. No. 4603.

Part of Sections 11 and 13, Waikari District.—DONALD CAMERON, Applicant. Occupied by Applicant. No. 4604.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 11th day of April, 1904, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

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W. WYINKS,
 District Land Registrar.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

I WILLIAM MILLIGAN McCORMICK, M.B. C.M. Glas., 25th July, 1895, now residing in Ashburton, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 5th May next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Colony of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualifications in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Christchurch.

Dated at Ashburton, 5th April, 1904.

WILLIAM MILLIGAN McCORMICK,
 M.B. C.M.

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In the matter of "The Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1877," and in the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903," and in the matter of the Timaru Workers' Co-operative Supply Stores (Limited).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company, duly convened, and held at the Sophia Street Hall, Timaru, on the 26th day of March, 1904, the following extraordinary resolutions were duly passed:—

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

2. "That John Martin Bunt be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

Dated this 26th day of March, 1904.

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T. HAWKEY,
 Chairman.

I, ALFRED CAMPBELL, M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond., 1897, F.R.C.S. Edinburgh, 1900, now residing in Christchurch, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 9th May, 1904, 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.
ALFRED CAMPBELL,
 M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond., F.R.C.S. Edin.
 Dated at Christchurch, 9th April, 1904. 481

I, EMILY HELENA VIOLETTA RIDLEY, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, University of New Zealand, and now residing in Dunedin, do hereby give notice that I intend to apply on the 7th day of May, 1904, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Colony of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification at the office of the Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages.
 Dated at Dunedin, the 7th April, 1904.
 482 **EMILY H. V. RIDLEY, M.B. B.Ch.**

AUCKLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

IN accordance with the provisions of "The Auckland Grammar School Act, 1899," it is hereby notified that the Honourable J. A. TOLE, B.A., LL.B., has been re-appointed a Senate's Member of the Board of Governors of the Auckland Grammar School.
W. WALLACE KIDD,
 Auckland, 7th April, 1904. Returning Officer.

AUCKLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

IN accordance with the provisions of "The Auckland Grammar School Act, 1899," it is hereby notified that, being the only persons nominated for the two seats, the Honourable Sir G. M. O'ROBBE and Mr. ALFRED KIDD, M.H.R., have been re-elected by the members of the General Assembly of the Provincial District of Auckland as members of the Board of Governors of the Auckland Grammar School.
W. WALLACE KIDD,
 Auckland, 7th April, 1904. Returning Officer. 476

"THE COMPANIES ACT, 1903."

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 266, SUBSECTION (3).

TAKE notice that the companies enumerated in the Schedule hereto will, unless cause is shown to the contrary within three months from this date, be struck off the Register, and the companies dissolved.

SCHEDULE.

- The Premier Egg-beater Company (Limited). 1900/2.
 - The Shepherd Spark-arrester and Smoke-consumer Company (Limited). 98/6.
 - The Edendale Gold-dredging Company (Limited). 1902/5.
- Dated at Invercargill, this 6th day of April, 1904.
R. W. DYER,
 479 Assistant Registrar of Joint-stock Companies.

METHODIST CHURCH OF AUSTRALASIA IN NEW ZEALAND.

I HEREBY certify that the Annual Conference has appointed the Reverend HENRY BULL to be the Authorised Representative for 1904-5, in accordance with the provisions of "The Wesleyan Methodist Church Property Trust Act, 1887."
SAMUEL LAWRY, President of the Conference.
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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between JOSEPH GOULD and GEORGE GOULD, carrying on business as Merchants and Land and Estate Agents under the style or firm of "Gould, Beaumont, and Co.," was dissolved (having terminated by the effluxion of time) on the 31st day of March, 1904.

The business will be carried on in future by the undersigned George Gould, who will pay all debts owing by, and receive all moneys owing to, the late firm.
 Dated this 9th day of April, 1904.

JOSEPH GOULD,
GEORGE GOULD.

Witness—A. C. Rolleston, Solicitor, Christchurch.

Referring to the above notice, I beg to notify that I have, as from the 31st day of March, 1904, admitted Mr. FREDERICK MAURICE WARREN as a partner in the above business, which will be carried on as heretofore under the style or firm of "Gould, Beaumont, and Co."
 488 **GEORGE GOULD.**

"THE COMPANIES ACT, 1903," SECTION 266 (4).

Re Tattersall's Auctioneering Company (Limited).
TAKE notice that the name of the above-mentioned company has been struck off the Register, and the company has been dissolved.
 Dated at Christchurch, this 12th day of April, 1904.
P. G. WITHERS,
 488 Assistant Registrar of Companies.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND, NELSON DISTRICT.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903," and in the matter of GRIFFIN AND SONS (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the order of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Nelson District, dated the 11th day of March, 1904, confirming the reduction of the capital of the above-named company from £12,029 to £6,014 10s., and the minute approved by the said Court showing with respect to the capital of the company as altered the several particulars required by the above Act, was registered by the Registrar of Joint-stock Companies at Nelson on the 28th day of March, 1904. The said minute is in the words and figures following:—

"The capital of Griffin and Sons (Limited) henceforth is £33,985 10s., divided into 40,000 shares, whereof 12,029 shares are of ten shillings each and are fully paid up; the remainder, that is to say, 27,971 shares, are of twenty shillings each and are subscribing shares.

"At the time of the registration of this minute all of the 12,029 fully paid-up shares of ten shillings each have been issued and are to be deemed fully paid up, and none of the 27,971 subscribing shares of twenty shillings each have been allotted.

"Approved by the Court.

"H. W. ROBINSON,
 "Registrar."

Dated this 28th day of March, 1904.

477 **FELL AND ATKINSON,**
 Solicitors for the above-named Company.

PHARMACY BOARD OF NEW ZEALAND.

IN accordance with the provisions of "The Pharmacy Act, 1893," and the regulations thereunder, I hereby notify that it is my intention, on the 13th day of May, 1904, to hold an election for one member of the Pharmacy Board of New Zealand, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. William Parker. And I hereby appoint Monday, the 25th April, 1904, at 4 p.m., as the time, and my office, corner of Featherston and Brandon Streets, Wellington, as the place, for receiving nominations of a duly qualified person to fill such vacancy.

CHAS. W. NIELSEN,
 Registrar. 486

Wellington, 14th April, 1904.

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