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*Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VIII.,  
Tauhoa Survey District, Kourawhero Parish, Upper Ma-  
hurangi Road District.*

(L.S.) **PLUNKET, Governor.**

### A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the owners of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Upper Mahurangi Road Board, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Tauhoa Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road first hereinbefore proclaimed.

#### FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of Lands hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 2 27 0 2 34.4	69, 71 74	VIII.	Tauhoa	R. 6008	Pink.

#### SECOND SCHEDULE. ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Passing through Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 3 0 2 3 22.5	69, 71 Adjoining 69, 71, 73, 70, 72, 74	VIII.	Tauhoa	R. 6008	Green.
2 0 3.8	Adjoining 70, 72, 74	"	"	"	"
1 1 0	Adjoining 88, 74	"	"	"	"
0 0 0.9	74	"	"	"	"

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, 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 thirty-first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

**ERRATA.**—In Proclamation taking lands for roads in Block VI., Mount Robinson Survey District, published in *Gazette* No. 88, 1904, page 2649, area 5 acres 3 roods 7 perches, for Section "555," read "555 and 33."  
In Proclamation taking lands for a road in Block D, Papanui Native Reserve, published in *Gazette* No. 5, 1905, page 138, for "Section 5b of Lot 60," read "Section 5 of Lot 60b."

*Local Land Officer at Westport appointed.*

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

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

EDWARD DARKER MOSLEY

to be the Land Officer for conducting sales of land and for receiving applications for the sale, letting, and disposal or occupation of Crown lands, and for generally carrying into effect the provisions of the said Act, within the Westport Local Land District as established by Proclamation dated the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and four, and published in *Gazette* No. 2 of the 12th January, 1905.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, 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 thirty-first day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Declaring Roads in Annan Settlement, Amuri County, to be County Roads.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of January, 1905.

Present:

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1894," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the roads in Amuri County described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be county roads.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKESWOOD ROAD.

ALL that deviation of the road called the Hawkeswood Road, in the Land District of Canterbury and in the County of Amuri, starting at a point about 700 links from the south-west corner of Section 18, in the Annau Settlement, Block XIII., Waiau Survey District, and extending generally in an easterly direction a distance of about 22 chains until it rejoins the Hawkeswood Road between Sections 18 and 28, Block XIII., Waiau Survey District.

BOURNE ROAD.

Also all that road called the Bourne Road, in the Land District of Canterbury and in the County of Amuri, starting from the Hawkeswood Road at the south-east corner of Section 16, Block XIV., Waiau Survey District, and extending in a northerly direction along the eastern boundary of Section 16 to its north-east corner, a distance of one mile or thereabouts.

TONGUE ROAD.

Also all that road called the Tongue Road, in the Land District of Canterbury and in the County of Amuri, starting at the Lottery River, at the south-west corner of Section 12, Block X., Waiau Survey District, and extending in a northerly direction until it joins the Kalkoura Road at the south-east corner of School Reserve 3650, Block VI., Waiau Survey District, a distance of two miles and a half.

Also all that road in the Land District of Canterbury and in the County of Amuri, starting from the Kalkoura Road between Sections 8 and 9, Block X., Waiau Survey District, and extending in a north-easterly direction a distance of about 35 chains or thereabouts.

Also all that road in the Land District of Canterbury and in the County of Amuri, starting from the Hawkeswood Road at a point on the north-eastern side of the Waiau Township, and about 800 links from the north-eastern corner thereof, in Block XIII., Waiau Survey District, and extending in a southerly direction through Section 28; thence in a south-easterly direction through Sections 27 and 26, Block XIII., Waiau Survey District; thence in an easterly and north-easterly direction through Sections 25 and 24, Block XIV., Waiau Survey District, until it joins the Hawkeswood Road at the north-east corner of Section 24, Block XIV., Waiau Survey District.

As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 5161ca, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

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

*Declaring Bladier's Road, Westland County, a County Road.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of January, 1905.

Present:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

BLADIER'S ROAD.

ALL that road in the Westland Land District, Westland County, known as Bladier's Road, commencing at its junction with the Kokatahi Road, at the south-west corner of Section 2150, Kanieri Survey District, and proceeding south-west to the north-eastern boundary of Section 1, Kokatahi Settlement, and thence in a south-easterly direction to the north-west corner of Section 4, Kokatahi Settlement, being a distance of 1 mile 60 chains or thereabouts: as the said road is delineated on the plan marked R. 5161<sup>14</sup>, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and coloured red thereon.

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

*Declaring Roads in Maytown Settlement, Waimate County, to be County Roads.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of January, 1905.

Present:

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1894," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the roads in Waimate County described in the Schedule below shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be county roads.

SCHEDULE.

MOORE'S ROAD.

ALL that road in the Land District of Canterbury, in the County of Waimate, starting from the Waimate Main North Road at the south-east corner of Section 9 and south-west corner of Section 10, Block XV., Waimate Survey District, and extending in a north-westerly direction between the two

sections aforesaid to the south-west corner of Section 3 and the south-east corner of Section 5, Block XV., Waimate Survey District, a distance of 20 chains or thereabouts.

**FORD'S ROAD.**

Also all that road in the Land District of Canterbury and in the County of Waimate, starting from Champion's Road at the north-east corner of Section 2, Block XI., Waimate Survey District, and extending in a north-westerly direction along Section 2 to the north-west corner of Section 1, Block XI., Waimate Survey District, a distance of 18 chains or thereabouts.

As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 5161ar, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

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

*Declaring Roads in Hanmer Springs Township, Amuri County, to be County Roads.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

**ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of January, 1905.

Present:

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1894," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the roads in Amuri County described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be county roads.

**SCHEDULE.**

**AMURI ROAD.**

ALL that road called Amuri Road, in the Land District of Canterbury and in the County of Amuri, starting from the main road to Christchurch *via* Culverden at the south-west corner of Section 1, Block IV., Hanmer Springs Township, and extending in a northerly direction until it joins the main road to Jollie's Pass at the north-west corner of Section 1, Block I., Hanmer Springs Township, a distance of 25 chains or thereabouts.

**CHELTHENHAM STREET.**

Also all that road called Cheltenham Street, in the Land District of Canterbury and in the County of Amuri, starting from Amuri Road at the south-west corner of Section 2, Block I., and north-west corner of Section 3, Block II., both in Hanmer Springs Township, and extending in an easterly direction until it joins Scarborough Terrace, at the south-east corner of Section 7, Block I., and north-east corner of Section 12, Block II., both in the Hanmer Springs Township, a distance of about 10 chains.

**HARROWGATE STREET.**

Also all that road called Harrowgate Street, in the Land District of Canterbury and in the County of Amuri, starting from the Amuri Road at the south-west corner of Section 7, Block II., and north-west corner of Section 8, Block III., both in the Hanmer Springs Township, and extending in an easterly direction until it joins Scarborough Terrace at the south-east corner of Section 18, Block II., and north-east corner of Section 22, Block III., both in the Hanmer Springs Township, a distance of 10 chains or thereabouts.

**LEAMINGTON STREET.**

Also all that road called Leamington Street, in the Land District of Canterbury and in the County of Amuri, starting from Amuri Road at the south-west corner of Section 12, Block III., and north-west corner of Section 1, Block IV., both in the Hanmer Springs Township, and extending in an easterly direction until it joins Scarborough Terrace at the south-east corner of Section 17, Block III., in the Hanmer Springs Township, a distance of 10 chains or thereabouts.

**BATH STREET.**

Also all that road called Bath Street, in the Land District of Canterbury and in the County of Amuri, starting from the main road to Christchurch at the south-west corner of Section 10, Block IV., and north-west corner of Section 1, Block V., both in the Hanmer Springs Township, and ex-

tending in an easterly direction to the south-east corner of Section 12, Block IV., and north-east corner of Section 4, Block V., both in the Hanmer Springs Township.

**SCARBOROUGH TERRACE.**

Also all that road called Scarborough Terrace, in the Land District of Canterbury and in the County of Amuri, starting from the eastern extremity of Leamington Street at the south-east corner of Section 17, Block III., Hanmer Springs Township, and extending generally in a northerly direction until it joins the main road to Jollie's Pass at the north-east corner of Section 11, Block I., Hanmer Springs Township.

As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 5161cc. deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

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

*Declaring Roads in the County of Weber to be County Roads.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

**ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of January, 1905.

Present:

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

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

**SCHEDULE.**

**MILL-STREAM ROAD.**

ALL that road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, known as Mill-stream Road, situated in the County of Weber, commencing at a point near the southern boundary of Section 1, Block 3, Weber Survey District, and running in a north-westerly direction to the southern boundary of Section 3, Block 10, Weber Survey District, the whole of the said road being a distance of 60 chains or thereabouts: as the same is delineated on the plan marked R. 5161z5, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, thereon coloured pink, and marked AB.

**TAHUOKARETU ROAD.**

All that road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, known as Tahuokaretu Road, situated in the County of Weber, commencing at a point marked A on the boundary between Sections 1 and 2, Block 18, Weber Survey District, and running generally in a north-easterly direction to a point where it junctions with Te Awaputahi Road at the southern corner of Section 1, Block 11, Weber Survey District, the whole of the said road being a distance of 66 chains or thereabouts: as the same is delineated on the plan marked R. 5161z5, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, thereon coloured pink, and marked AA.

**TE AWAPUTAHU ROAD.**

All that road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, known as Te Awaputahi Road, situated in the County of Weber, commencing at a point where it junctions with Tahuokaretu Road at the southern corner of Section 1, Block 11, Weber Survey District, and running in an easterly direction for a distance of 40 chains to a point where it junctions with Birch Road, on the south-west corner of Section 2, Block 11, Weber Survey District; commencing again at a point marked A on the southern end of Section 1, Block 12, Weber Survey District, and running in a north-easterly direction to the point in the Educational Reserve marked B, the whole distance being—junction Tahuokaretu to junction Birch Road, 39 chains; A to B, 1 mile 73 chains; total, 2 miles 32 chains, or thereabouts: as the same is delineated on the plan marked R. 5161z5, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, thereon coloured pink, and marked XY, AB.

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

*Declaring Roads in Waipawa County to be County Roads.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of January, 1905.

Present:

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

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

## SCHEDULE.

## RUANUI ROAD.

ALL that road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, known as Ruauui Road, commencing at its junction with Ormondville-Waikopiro Road, and running generally in a south-westerly direction to the south-west boundary of Section 21, Block X., Takapau Survey District, the whole of the said road being a distance of two miles and a half or thereabouts: as the same is delineated on the plan marked R. 5161xx, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured crimson lake and marked AB.

## PAEROA ROAD.

All that road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, known as Paeroa Road, commencing at its junction with Ormondville-Waikopiro Road, and running generally in a south-westerly direction to the north-west corner of Section 30, Block XIV., Takapau Survey District, the whole of the said road being a distance of two miles or thereabouts: as the same is delineated on the plan marked R. 5161xx, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured crimson lake and marked CD.

## MANGAPUAKA ROAD.

All that road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, known as Mangapuaka Road, commencing at the southern corner of Section 1, Block III., Mangatoro Survey District, and running generally in a south-easterly direction to the boundary of Section 2, Block II., Mangatoro Survey District, Nga-paeruru Block, the whole of the said road being a distance of two miles or thereabouts: as the same is delineated on the plan marked R. 5161xx, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured crimson lake and marked EF.

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

*Declaring Parts of Willcock's Road, Takaka County, a County Road.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of January, 1905.

Present:

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

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

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that part of Willcock's Road, 50 links wide, in the Nelson Land District, Takaka County, commencing at a point on the south-eastern boundary of Section 4 of Block XI., Waitapu Survey District, the said point being 749.9 links from the southernmost corner of the aforesaid section, and proceeding in a northerly direction a distance of 1 mile 50 chains, or thereabouts through the said Section 4, and

also through Section 1 of Block XI., Waitapu Survey District, to a point on the south-western boundary of Section 204 of Square 13 in the aforesaid block and survey district, the said point being 739.7 links from its southernmost corner: as the same is delineated on the plan marked R. 1203, deposited in the Office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

Also all that part of Willcock's Road, 50 links wide, in the Nelson Land District, Takaka County, commencing at a point on the south-western boundary of Section 204 of Square 13, in Block XI., Waitapu Survey District, the said point being 878.8 links from the southernmost corner of that section, and proceeding in a north-westerly direction a distance of 15 chains or thereabouts through Section 1 of Block XI., Waitapu Survey District, to a point on the aforesaid south-western boundary of the aforesaid Section 204 of Square 13, in Block XI., Waitapu Survey District, the said point being 1900.8 links from the beforementioned southernmost corner of that section: as the same is delineated on the plan marked R. 1203, deposited in the Office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

*Time for Preparation of Roll under Gold Duty Abolition and Mining Property Rating Act extended, Lake County.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of January, 1905.

Present:

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

WHEREAS, the County Council of the Lake County having failed, through misadventure, to prepare the valuation roll of mining property in the Lake County in the month of January, one thousand nine hundred and five, as required by section seven of "The Gold Duty Abolition and Mining Property Rating Act, 1890," it is expedient to extend the time for preparing the said roll, as hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in order that the purpose and intent of "The Gold Duty Abolition and Mining Property Rating Act, 1890," may have effect, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Rating Act, 1882," which said Act is incorporated with the first above-mentioned Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby extend the time for the preparation of the valuation roll for the Lake County under "The Gold Duty Abolition and Mining Property Rating Act, 1890," until the twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and five.

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

*Regulations for the Conduct of the Election of Members of the Victoria College Council.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of January, 1905.

Present:

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

IN exercise of the power vested in him by "The Victoria College Act, 1897," His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby, in respect of the regulations made by Order in Council under the said Act on the twenty-ninth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, make the alterations set forth in the Schedule hereto; and with the like advice and consent doth prescribe that this Order shall come into force on the date of the first publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

## SCHEDULE.

AMENDMENT OF REGULATIONS UNDER "THE VICTORIA COLLEGE ACT, 1897."

In clause 16: In lieu of the words "not earlier than the eighteenth nor later than the twentieth," substitute the

words "not earlier than the twenty-eighth nor later than the thirtieth."

In clause 18: In lieu of the words "the last issue shall appear not later than the sixth," substitute the words "the first issue shall appear not later than the eighteenth day, and the last not later than the tenth"; and at the end of the said clause insert the words "Provided that in the case of an election to fill a casual vacancy in the seat of any member of the Council, other than one of the group described in subsection (4) of section 5 of the said Act, in lieu of publishing such advertisement as aforesaid, the Returning Officer, not less than twenty-one days before the date of such election, shall cause a notification in the form prescribed in clause 17, and either printed or typewritten, to be posted to each elector on the roll of the electors entitled to vote at such election, at his address as appearing on such roll."

In clause 24: In lieu of the word "seventh" substitute "fourteenth."

In clause 25: In lieu of the words "Forthwith after the nominations are closed, and on the same day," substitute the words "within three days after closing the nominations."

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

*Regulations for Deer-shooting, Counties of Wairarapa South and Featherston.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of January, 1905.

Present:

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

IN exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same (hereinafter called "the said Acts"), His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the following regulations respecting the deer-shooting season within the Counties of Wairarapa South and Featherston (excepting therefrom the areas described in the First Schedule hereto), hereinafter called "the said district."

REGULATIONS.

1. RED deer (stags only) may be taken or killed within the said district from the 1st day of March, 1905, to the 29th day of April, 1905, both days inclusive.
2. Licenses to kill such deer may be issued by the Chief Postmaster at Wellington, and the Postmasters at Masterton, Carterton, Greytown North, Featherston, and Martinborough, on payment of a license fee of twenty shillings, in the form prescribed in the Second Schedule hereto, and subject to the said Acts and these regulations.
3. No licensee shall be allowed to take or kill more than five stags, and no stag shall be killed carrying antlers with less than ten points; and, further, the said Chief Postmaster and Postmasters shall not issue more than one license to take or kill deer to the same person.
4. No hind or fawn will be allowed to be killed on any pretext whatever, and no dogs will be allowed to accompany either the licensee or any attendant he may have with him.
5. Nothing herein contained shall extend to authorising any person to sell any deer or portion thereof.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

All that area of land in the Huangarua Survey District, in the County of Wairarapa South, being Sections 29 to 41 (inclusive), 59, 71, 72, 75, 79, 83, 90, 93, 97, 98, and part of Sections 70, 74, 78, 82, 86, 89, 92, 91, 94, 95, 96, 87, and 84, now in the occupation of Mr. John Martin and Mr. Featherston Johnston, and known as the Puruatanga Estate or Station. All that parcel of land in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement about 32,000 acres, more or less, situated in Haurangi, Waipawa, and Kaiwaka Survey Districts, County of Featherston, commencing at the most southern angle of Section 92, Block III., Haurangi Survey District, and bounded generally towards the north and north-east by part of the said Section No. 92, by Sections Nos. 93, 91, 46, 45, 44, 93, and 1, Block III., by Section No. 3, Block IV., by Sections Nos. 1 and 6, Block VIII., by Sections Nos. 1, 2, and 4, Block XII., Haurangi Survey District; by Section No. 5, Block IX., and by Section

No. 1, Block XIII., Waipawa Survey District, to Trig. Rough Hill East: generally towards the east and south-east by part of Section No. 188, by Section No. 189, Block XIII., Waipawa Survey District; by Sections Nos. 200, 201, 25, and 26, Block IV., Kaiwaka Survey District; by Sections Nos. 26, 12, 13, 14, and 15, Block VIII., by Section No. 28, Block XI., and by a road-line along the sea-coast to the south-eastern corner of Waitatuma Block: and generally towards the west by the Waitatuma Block, by the Turanganui River, by Crown lands, by Sections Nos. 79 and 78, Block X., Haurangi Survey District; by part of Section No. 42, by Sections Nos. 41, 39, and part of Section No. 38, Block VI., to the point of commencement.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

No. . . . .  
*License to take or kill Game (Deer).*  
 , of , having this day paid the sum of £ , is hereby authorised to take or kill deer (stags only), of not less than points, within the District of , from the day of , 1905, to the day of , 1905 (both days inclusive), subject to the provisions of "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the amendments thereof, and the regulations made thereunder. |

Dated at , this day of , 190 .

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

*Regulations for Deer-shooting, Nelson.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of January, 1905.

Present:

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

IN exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same (hereinafter called "the said Acts"), His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the following regulations respecting the deer-shooting season within the Nelson District, comprising the Counties of Waimea, Buller, Takaka, and Collingwood, and hereinafter called "the said district."

REGULATIONS.

1. RED deer stags and fallow deer bucks may be taken or killed within the said district from the 18th day of February, 1905, to the 17th day of April, 1905, both days inclusive.
2. Licenses to kill such deer may be issued by the Chief Postmasters at Nelson and Westport, on payment of a license fee of twenty shillings, in the form prescribed in the Schedule hereto, and subject to the said Acts and these regulations.
3. No licensee shall be allowed to take or kill more than six red deer stags or fallow deer bucks, and the said Chief Postmasters shall not issue more than one license to take or kill deer to the same person.
4. No doe, hind, or fawn will be allowed to be killed on any pretext whatever; and no dogs will be allowed to accompany either the licensee or any attendant he may have with him.
5. Nothing herein contained shall extend to authorising any person to sell any deer, or portion thereof.

SCHEDULE.

No. . . . .  
*License to take or kill Game (Deer).*  
 , of , having this day paid the sum of £ , is hereby authorised to take or kill deer (bucks or stags) within the District of , from the day of , 1905, to the day of , 1905 (both days inclusive), subject to the provisions of "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the amendments thereof.

Dated at , this day of , 190 .

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

*Native Lands proposed to be taken for a Road through Blocks VII. and XI., Linkwater Survey District, Picton Road District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twelfth day of December, 1904.

Present:

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

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the eighty-eighth section of the said Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby declare that the lands shown upon such map, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be deemed to be taken for the purposes of the said road, and the said lands vest in His Majesty the King, as from the first day of February, one thousand nine hundred and five.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 3 2 0	Ngakuta Native Reserve	XI.	Linkwater	R. 2275	Red.
7 1 0	Ditto ..	"	"	"	"
0 2 25	Whenua Native Reserve	VII.	"	"	"
1 0 6	Ditto ..	"	"	"	"
1 1 28	" ..	"	"	"	"

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

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Consenting to closing Cuthbert's Road, in Block XII., Christchurch Survey District, Heathcote Road District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of January, 1905.

Present:

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

WHEREAS by section twelve, subsection one, of "The Public Works Acts Amendment Act, 1900," it is enacted that a local authority shall not declare any county or district road to be stopped, and such road shall not be deemed to be stopped, until the consent thereto of the Governor by Order in Council gazetted is obtained:

And whereas the Heathcote Road Board has applied for such consent in respect to the road described in the Schedule hereto:

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Road to be closed.	Being	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 3 0 3	Govt. Road..	XII.	Christch'ch	R. 6139	Green.
0 2 10	" ..	XII.	"	"	"
4 0 8	Part of Reserve 2171	XII.	"	"	"

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

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

*Notifying Lands in Otago Land District for Sale by Public Auction.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirteenth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Tuesday, the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and five, as the time at which the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto opposite the description of such lands respectively.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
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TOWN OF HULL.

Town Lands.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	V.	0 1 0	5 0 0
2	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
4	"	0 1 16	5 10 0
5	"	0 1 15	5 9 5
6	"	0 1 16	5 10 0
9	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
10	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
1	VI.	0 1 0	5 0 0
2	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
3	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
4	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
5	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
6	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
7	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
1	VII.	0 1 0	5 0 0
2	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
3	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
4	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
5	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
6	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
1	VIII.	0 1 0	5 0 0
2	"	0 1 0	5 0 0

TOWN OF WAITAKI BRIDGE.

Suburban Lands.

1 to 7, and 23 to 29	VI.	3 2 0	22 15 0
8 to 22 ..	"	3 3 14	26 17 3
1 to 6, and 18 to 23	VII.	3 0 0	21 0 0

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

Rural Lands in Otago Land District open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on and after the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and five; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may be selected on lease in perpetuity only, in accordance with the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-one of the said Act, as they contain, or are supposed to contain, metals, minerals, or valuable stone; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.  
Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.

Tuapeka County.—Tuapeka West Survey District.

	A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
11	XIII.	100	2	0	0	3	6	0 18 11

A poor section, with little level land. The faces are steep and stony, and the aspect is westerly. Situated about twelve miles from Lawrence and about two miles from a school and post-office.

Vincent County.—Lower Wanaka Survey District.

	A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
7 5 and 6	V. VI.	391	3	20	0	4	8	3 18 5

Weighted with £120, valuation for improvements, consisting of a house and fencing.

Level land, with fair soil; portion of each section can be cultivated. Situated about three miles from Albert Town.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

Trustee for the Lumsden Public Cemetery appointed.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

HENRY GIBSON KEY

to be a Trustee, in the place of Samuel Stanford, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Lumsden Public Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons previously appointed by His Excellency the Governor.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Weber Public Cemetery appointed.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the forty-fifth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the local authority specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to have the control and management of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Local Authority.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
The Weber County Council.	WEBER. All that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being Subdivision No. 3 of Section No. 5, Block VIII., Weber Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Subdivision No. 2 of Section No. 5 aforesaid; towards the east by other portion of Section No. 5 aforesaid; towards the south generally by the Rabbit-fence Reserve; and towards the west generally by a public road: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the District Lands and Survey Office, Napier.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for an Addition to Alexandra (Otago) Public Cemetery appointed.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the forty-fifth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the local authority specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to have the control and management of the addition to Alexandra (Otago) Public Cemetery described in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Local Authority.	Description of Addition to Alexandra (Otago) Public Cemetery.
The Alexandra Borough Council	All that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Section No. 2, Block XXXVIII., Town of Alexandra. Bounded towards the north-west by cemetery reserve (10 acres), a distance of 500 links; thence towards the north-east by Block VII., Leaning Rock Survey District, a distance of 200 links; thence towards the south-east by a line at a right angle to the last-mentioned boundary-line, a distance of 500 links; and thence towards the south-west by a line at a right angle to the last-mentioned boundary, a distance of 200 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 45249, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

North Island Representation Commission.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 26th January, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM HENRY QUICK, Esquire;  
HERBERT SAMUEL WARDELL, Esquire;  
JOHN WILLIAM ALLMAN MARCHANT, Esquire, the Surveyor-General;

FRANCIS SIMPSON, Esquire, the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Taranaki Land District; and  
JAMES MACKENZIE, Esquire, the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Auckland Land District,

to be a permanent Commission, to be called the "North Island Representation Commission," for the purposes of "The Electoral Act, 1902," and the Acts amending the same.

J. G. WARD.

*South Island Representation Commission.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 26th January, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES STEPHEN REEVES, Esquire;  
THOMAS SHALLER WESTON, Esquire;  
GEORGE JOHN ROBERTS, Esquire, the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Westland Land District;  
THOMAS HUMPHRIES, Esquire, the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Canterbury Land District; and  
DAVID BARRON, Esquire, the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Otago Land District,

to be a permanent Commission, to be called the "South Island Representation Commission," for the purposes of "The Electoral Act, 1902," and the Acts amending the same.

J. G. WARD.

*Officer under the Fisheries Conservation Acts appointed, Canterbury.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 28th January, 1905.

IT is hereby notified that

MORRISON BARCLAY,

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

J. G. WARD.

*Ranger under the Animals Protection Acts, Canterbury District, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MORRISON BARCLAY

to be a Ranger under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, for the District of Canterbury.

J. G. WARD.

*Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN WILLIAM HENDERSON

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Motupiko, *vice* Hugh McDougall, on and from the 19th January, 1905.

C. H. MILLS,  
For Colonial Secretary.

*Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS HALE

to be the Deputy of the Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Onehunga.

C. H. MILLS,  
For Colonial Secretary.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1905.

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 EDWARD DOOLAN .. .. .	Pleasant Point.
JOHN ALEXANDER MACKENZIE .. .. .	Kawakawa.

C. H. MILLS,  
For Colonial Secretary.

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

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 1st February, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant JOHN TWOMEY

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Onehunga and Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Manukau, from the 25th day of January, 1905, *vice* Constable G. A. Tapp, transferred.

JAS. MCGOWAN.

*Members of Licensing Committees appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 2nd February, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM HENRY HAWKINS

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Pahiatua, and

WILLIAM GEORGE BASSETT

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wanganui.

JAS. MCGOWAN.

*Police Gaoler appointed.*

Department of Justice (Prisons Branch),  
Wellington, 6th February, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant WILLIAM FOUHY

to be Police Gaoler at Ashburton, *vice* Sergeant John Barlow, retired.

JAS. MCGOWAN.

*Inspector of Factories appointed.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WALTER NEWTON

to be an Inspector of Factories under "The Factories Act, 1901"; appointment dating from the 4th instant.

R. J. SEDDON,  
Minister of Labour.

*Assistant Medical Officer, Mental Hospital at Seacliff, appointed.*

Hospitals Department,  
Wellington, 7th February, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EDWARD SEYMOUR BRETT, M.B., Ch.B., Univ. Edin.,

to be Assistant Medical Officer of the Mental Hospital at Seacliff, as from the 8th December, 1904.

WM. HALL-JONES.



*Christchurch Domains Board appointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given for public information that the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Christchurch Domains Board, in pursuance of "The Christchurch Domains Act, 1904":—

Appointed by His Excellency the Governor—  
Henry George Ell, M.H.R.,  
Thomas Henry Davey, M.H.R.,  
George Witty, M.H.R., and  
Frederick Wallaston Hutton.

Appointed by the Christchurch City Council—  
Harry Joseph Beswick,  
Walter Henry Cooper,  
Bethel Prin Manhire, and  
His Worship the Mayor of Christchurch.

Appointed by the Selwyn County Council—  
George Scott,  
William McMillan,  
Hugh Percy Murray-Aynsley, and  
The Chairman of the Selwyn County Council.

Appointed by the Riccarton Road Board—  
Samuel Albert Staples.

The first meeting of the Board will be held at the City Council Chambers, Christchurch, on Monday, the 13th day of February, 1905, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Inspector of Sea-fishing appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in him by subsection 2 of section 6 of "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1894," to appoint

JAMES FITZPATRICK,

of Wanganui, police constable, to be an Inspector of Sea-fishing under the above-mentioned Act.

WM. HALL-JONES.

*President of Council under "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," appointed.*

Office of Minister of Native Affairs,  
Wellington, 29th January, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES WAKELIN BROWNE, Registrar of the Native Land Court, Auckland,

to the office of President of the Tokerau District Maori Land Council, under the provisions of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," vice Herbert Frank Edger, resigned.

J. CARROLL,  
Minister of Native Affairs.

*President of Maori Land Council authorised to exercise all Powers of a Judge of the Native Land Court or of the Native Appellate Court.*

Office of Minister of Native Affairs,  
Wellington, 29th January, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorise, under the provisions of section 6 of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," and its amendments, that—

JAMES WAKELIN BROWNE, Esq., of Auckland, President of the Tokerau District Maori Land Council,

shall possess and may exercise all the powers and authorities of a Judge of the Native Land Court or of the Native Appellate Court.

J. CARROLL,  
Minister of Native Affairs.

*Resignation of President of Councils under "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," accepted.*

Office of Minister of Native Affairs,  
Wellington, 29th January, 1905.

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

HERBERT FRANK EDGER

of the office of President of the Waiariki and Tokerau District Maori Land Councils, under the provisions of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900."

J. CARROLL,  
Minister of Native Affairs.

*President of Council under "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," appointed.*

Office of Minister of Native Affairs,  
Wellington, 29th January, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JACKSON PALMER, a Judge of the Native Land Court, to the office of President of the Waiariki District Maori Land Council, under the provisions of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," vice Herbert Frank Edger, resigned.

J. CARROLL,  
Minister of Native Affairs.

*Volunteer Officers appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 31st January, 1905.

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

*Seddon Horse Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*

Harold Gilbert Mair to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 7th December, 1904.

*Mangonui Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*

Herbert Bismarck Matthews to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 7th December, 1904.

ALBERT PITT,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officers resigned.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 31st January, 1905.

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

*Kaikoura Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Arthur John Murray. Date of resignation, 19th December, 1904.

*New Zealand Volunteer Medical Staff.*

Surgeon-Captain Peter Martin Keller. Date of resignation, 9th January, 1905.

ALBERT PITT,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer resigned, and posted to Active List, New Zealand Volunteers.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 31st January, 1905.

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

Lieutenant WILLIAM CAMPBELL CHRISTIE,

Masterton Rifle Volunteers, and to approve that he be posted to the Active List, New Zealand Volunteers, with rank of Lieutenant, and with effect from 6th December, 1904.

ALBERT PITT,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer transferred to Defence Cadet Battalion.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 31st January, 1905.

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

Captain GEORGE THOMPSON HALL

from the Active List, New Zealand Volunteers, to No. 1 Battalion, Wellington Defence Rifle Cadet Volunteers, as Adjutant, with rank of Captain, and with effect from 23rd December, 1904.

ALBERT PITT,  
For Minister of Defence.

*New Zealand Militia Officer posted to Retired List.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 31st January, 1905.

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

Captain STAPYLTON COTTON CAULTON

(formerly Captain, Seventh New Zealand Contingent) be deleted from the New Zealand Militia Active List, and that he be posted, under paragraph 255, Amended Volunteer Regulations, as published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 22, dated 12th March, 1903, to the Retired List, with rank of Captain, and with effect from 20th January, 1905.

ALBERT PITT,  
For Minister of Defence.

*New Zealand Militia Officer posted to Retired List, with Step in Rank.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1905.

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

Captain HENRY DRUMMOND JACKSON

(late Major, Ninth New Zealand Contingent) be deleted from the New Zealand Militia Active List, and that he be posted, under paragraph 255, Amended Volunteer Regulations, as published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 22, dated 12th March, 1903, to the Retired List, with rank of Major, and with effect from 20th January, 1905.

R. J. SEDDON,  
Minister of Defence.

*Award of the Meritorious Service Medal.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, under the Warrant dated 22nd April, 1898, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 30, of the 28th April, 1898, of the award of the Meritorious Service Medal to No. 205, Company Sergeant-Major ROBERT GEORGE VINING PARKER, Royal New Zealand Artillery.

R. J. SEDDON,  
Minister of Defence.

*Award of the Meritorious Service Medal.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 4th February, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, under the Warrant dated 22nd April, 1898, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 30, of the 28th April, 1898, of the award of the Meritorious Service Medal to No. 314, Sergeant-Artificer JOHN FOX, Royal New Zealand Artillery.

R. J. SEDDON,  
Minister of Defence.

*Alteration of Designation of Volunteer Bearer Corps.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 31st January, 1905.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the alteration of the designation of the New Zealand Bearer Corps to "The New Zealand Field Hospital and Bearer Corps," and the companies to be known by the following numbers:—

- No. 1.—Field Hospital and Bearer Corps, Auckland.
- No. 2.—Field Hospital and Bearer Corps, Dunedin.
- No. 3.—Field Hospital and Bearer Corps, Christchurch.
- No. 4.—Field Hospital and Bearer Corps, Wellington.
- No. 5.—Field Hospital and Bearer Corps, Nelson.

These companies to be distinguished by the letters—

N.Z.M.C.   N.Z.M.C.   N.Z.M.C.   N.Z.M.C.   N.Z.M.C.

1                    2                    3                    4                    5

respectively. Such letters to be worn on both shoulder straps.

ALBERT PITT,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Commission to inquire into the Claims of Heni te Rau and any other Persons claiming to be Absentee Members of the Ngatimutunga Hapu to Land in Waitara Survey District.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1905.

THE following Commission is published for general information.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

PLUNKET, Governor.

To all to whom these presents shall come, and to JAMES MACKAY, Esquire, of Paeroa, Auckland.

WHEREAS by "The Confiscated Lands Inquiry and Maori Prisoners' Trials Act, 1879," it was (*inter alia*) provided that the Governor in Council might, by Commission under the seal of the colony, appoint three persons to be Commissioners for the purpose of inquiring into all promises and engagements that had been made or alleged to have been made by or on behalf of the Government of the colony to or with any person or persons in respect of the matters thereinbefore stated, or any of them, in so far as affected any lands situated within the confiscated territory on the west coast of the North Island: And whereas by a Commission under the hand of Sir Hercules George Robert Robinson, the then Governor of the colony, bearing date the twentieth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, the Honourable Sir William Fox, K.C.M.G., the Honourable Sir Francis Dillon Bell, K.C.M.G., and Hone Mohi Tawhai, Esq., M.H.R. (hereinafter referred to as "the said Commissioners"), were appointed Commissioners for the purposes in the said Act mentioned: And whereas by another Commission, under the hand of the Honourable Sir Arthur Hamilton Gordon, K.C.M.G., the then Governor of the colony, bearing date the twenty-third day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, the said Sir William Fox (hereinafter, unless the context requires a different construction, also referred to as "the said Commissioners") was, for the purpose of giving effect to "The West Coast Settlement (North Island) Act, 1880," appointed a Commissioner to (*inter alia*) allocate and set aside such lands as were legally available in satisfaction of all or any awards made by the Compensation Courts held under "The New Zealand Settlements Act, 1863," or any amendment thereof, in so far as in his judgment such awards or any of them have not been performed and were then still unsatisfied; and also within the said territory to allocate and set aside such lands as might then be legally available in satisfaction of all promises or engagements made by or on behalf of the Crown or the Government of the colony which have formed the subject of inquiry by the Commissioners appointed under "The Confiscated Lands Inquiry and Maori Prisoners' Trials Act, 1879": And whereas the said Commissioners, in their reports published as Parliamentary Papers G.-2, 1880; G.-5, 1881; G.-5, 1882; G.-5c, 1882; G.-3, 1883; A.-5A, 1884; and A.-5B, 1884, recommended, amongst other things, that the block of land known as Section 6, Block VIII., Waitara Survey District, containing 3,000 acres or thereabouts, should be set aside to satisfy the claims of such of the absentee members of the Ngatimutunga Hapu as had not been included in the tribal reserves, or otherwise had their claims satisfied: And whereas one Heni te Rau, claiming to be the legal representative of the absentee members of the Ngatimutunga Hapu as aforesaid, has, by petition to Parliament, asked that the said block of land should be handed over to the Natives for the settlement of whose claims it was allocated by the said Commissioners: And whereas, on the supposition that all equitable claims of members of the Ngatimutunga Hapu had been disposed of by the awards of former Compensation Courts or other awards of the said Commissioners, and that the said recommendation was intended to meet the possible claims of absentees (if any) then unknown and not subsequently identified, the said block of land has been disposed of as Crown lands: And whereas it is expedient to determine what equitable claims (if any) in respect of the said block of land under the said recommendation are still unsatisfied and subsisting:

Now, therefore, know ye that I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having confidence in your knowledge, ability, and integrity, and in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in me vested by "The Commissioners Act, 1903," or otherwise howsoever, do hereby, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, appoint you, the said James Mackay, Esquire, to be a Commissioner to inquire into the claims of the said Heni te Rau as set out in her petition to Parliament as aforesaid, and of all other persons claiming to be the absentee members, or any of them, of the

Ngatimutunga Hapu, or their successors, for whose benefit the said Commissioners recommended that the said block of land should be set apart, taking into consideration all the circumstances and conditions under which the said block of land was so recommended by the said Commissioners to be set aside for such absentees, and also taking into consideration any former award of any Compensation Court, Commissioner, or grant from the Crown in connection with the taking, under the provisions of "The New Zealand Settlements Act, 1863," of the lands situated between the White Cliffs and the Waitotara River, on the west coast of the North Island.

And for the better enabling you to carry these presents into effect you are hereby authorised and empowered to make and conduct any inquiry hereunder at such place or places in the said colony as you may deem expedient, and to call before you and examine on oath, or otherwise as may be allowed by law, such person or persons as you may think capable of affording you information in the premises; and you are hereby empowered to call for and examine all such books, documents, papers, maps, plans, accounts, or records as you shall judge likely to afford you information on the subject of this Commission, and to inquire of any person concerning the premises by all other lawful ways and means whatsoever.

And, using all diligence, you are required to transmit to me, under your hand and seal, your opinions and recommendations resulting from such investigations and inquiries not later than the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and five, or such extended date as may be appointed in that behalf.

And it is hereby declared that this Commission shall continue in full force and virtue although the inquiry be not regularly continued from time to time by adjournment; and that you shall and may from time to time proceed to the execution thereof and of every power, matter, or thing herein contained.

And, lastly, it is hereby declared that this Commission is issued under and subject to the provisions of "The Commissioners Act, 1903."

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order; 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, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council.

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

*Special Order made by the Council of the County of Masterton.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 3rd February, 1905.

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

R. J. SEDDON,  
Colonial Treasurer.

SPECIAL ORDER made by the Masterton County Council striking a Special Rate under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Masterton County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £300 authorised to be raised by the Masterton County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the formation and metalling of a road on Lansdowne Estate giving access to Lot 9 of Sections 1 and 2, Block XIII., Kopuaranga Survey District, and other adjacent properties (and now known as Gordon Street), the said Masterton County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 3d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Gordon Street Loan Special-rating District, comprising Lot 1 of Section 1, Block XIII., Kopuaranga, 101 acres 2 roods 18 perches; Lot 9 of Sections 1, 71, 73, 75, Blocks I., Otahoua, and XIII., Kopuaranga, 80 acres; Lot 9 of Sections 1 and 2, Block XIII., Kopuaranga, 124 acres 1 rood 2 perches; part of Lot 7 of Sections 75 and 77, Block I., Otahoua, 25 acres; parts of Sections 1, Block XIII., Kopuaranga, and 71, 73, 75, Blocks

XIII., Kopuaranga, and I., Otahoua, 315 acres 3 roods; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of February and the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Passed by the said Council at a special meeting this 15th day of December, 1904; confirmed this 12th day of January, 1905.

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

C. E. COCKBURN-HOOD,  
County Chairman.

F. G. MOORE,  
County Clerk.

I certify that the above special order has been duly made.

F. G. MOORE,  
County Clerk.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 3rd February, 1905.

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

R. J. SEDDON,  
Colonial Treasurer.

COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL ORDER made on the 23rd Day of November, 1904; confirmed on the 7th Day of January, 1905.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in them in that behalf by "The Counties Act, 1886," and "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Cook County Council do hereby resolve as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £700 authorised to be raised by the Cook County Council, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for erecting a cart-bridge across the Wharekopae River, the said Cook County Council do hereby make and levy a special rate of 3d. in the pound upon the rateable valuation of all rateable property of the Wharekopae Bridge Loan District, comprising part Run 1, Block VI., Ngatapa Survey District; part Run 2, Block VII., Ngatapa Survey District; Section 2, Block XIII., Ngatapa Survey District; Section 1, Block V., Ngatapa Survey District; Section 1, Block X., Ngatapa Survey District; Sub. 1 of 1, Okahuatui; part Wharekopae 1A, Blocks VII. and XI., Ngatapa Survey District; Section 1, Block IX., Ngatapa Survey District; part Okahuatui No. 1, 5,000 acres; part Wharekopae 1A, Blocks VII. and XI., Ngatapa Survey District; Wharekopae 2A, Tangihanga C1, Wharekopae 2B, Block VIII., Ngatapa Survey District; Crown Lands 1, 2, 3, and 2, C2, Section 2, Tahora; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of August in each and every year during a period equal to the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The rate of interest to be 4 per cent.

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

W. H. TUCKER,  
Chairman.

JOHN WARREN,  
Clerk.

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

J. WARREN,  
Clerk, Cook County Council.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 3rd February, 1905.

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

R. J. SEDDON,  
Colonial Treasurer.

## COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.

A SPECIAL ORDER made on 16th December, 1904, and confirmed on 20th January, 1905.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in them in that behalf by "The Counties Act, 1886," and "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Cook County Council do hereby resolve as follows: That for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,500, authorised to be raised by the Cook County Council, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for erecting a cart-bridge across the Mangatu River, the said Cook County Council do hereby make and levy a special rate of  $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable valuation of all rateable property of the Mangatu Bridge Loan District, comprising Mangatu No. 2, 1 of M 2, 1 of N 2, 1 of K 1, 1 of 2r2, 1 of 2r1, 1 of 2r, 1 of 2g; Waipaoa 1b, 1c, part 1d; part Section 10, Blocks I., II., and VI., Mangatu No. 1; Subdivision 7, 2 of 4, 1 of 3, Mangatu No. 1; Section 14, Blocks X., XI., and XIV., Arowhanna Survey District; Subdivision of 2b, 1 of 2a, 1 of 2d1, 1 of 2b2, Mangatu; part of Waipaoa No. 2, 33,437 acres; Section 1 of 3, Blocks VII. and VIII., Mangatu; Subdivision 2r, 2p1, 2c1, 2c, 2a, 1 of 2b, 2 of 2a, Mangatu; Subdivision 6, Lot 2 of 3, Mangatu 1; Lot 1 of Subdivision 1, Mangatu 1; Lots 2 and 3 of Subdivision 1, Mangatu 1; Subdivision 6 and 8 of Mangatu 1; Lots 4 and 5, Subdivision 1 of Mangatu 1; part Section 10, Blocks I., II., and VI., Mangatu, 1,191 acres; Section 13, Mangatu 1; Sections 11, 12, and 15, Blocks II. and III., Mangatu Survey District; part Mangatu No. 1, 3,500 acres; 2 of 2d1, 3 of 2d1, 1 of 2e, 1 of 2f, 3 of 2g, 2 of 2d2, 3 of 2r, Mangatu; 2r, 2m2, 2 of 2m1, 2 of 2n, 2 of 2k, 2 of 2e, 2 of 2r, 2 of 2s2, 2 of 2r1, 2 of 2g, 4 of 2g, 2 of 2f, Mangatu; Section 25, Blocks XI. and XV., Arowhanna Survey District; part Subdivision 2, Mangatu 1; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of June and the 1st day of December in each and every year during a period equal to the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The rate of interest to be 4 per cent. per annum.

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

W. H. TUCKER,  
Councillor.  
J. A. HARDING,  
Councillor.

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

JOHN WARREN,  
Clerk.

## Special Order made by the Maungatua Drainage Board.

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 8th February, 1905.

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

R. J. SEDDON,  
Colonial Treasurer.

## MAUNGATUA LAND DRAINAGE DISTRICT.—EAST SUBDIVISION.

## Special Resolution making Special Rate confirmed.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Maungatua Land Drainage Board hereby resolve as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £500, authorised to be raised by the Maungatua Land Drainage Board under the above-mentioned Act for drainage-works, new wheel, timbering and bridging drains, &c., on the East Subdivision of Maungatua Land Drainage District, the said Maungatua Land Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the capital rateable value of all rateable property of the East Subdivision of the Maungatua Land Drainage District, comprising Sections or Lots 26, 27, 28, 28a to 37, Henley Estate, Block V., Maungatua Survey District; Lot 2 and Lot 4, being part of Sections 38, 39, Block V., Maungatua; Sections 4 to 8, 11, 29 to 62, Henley Estate, Block VI., Maungatua Survey District; A B, Plan 1434, being Sections 39, 44, 45, 46, Block VI., Maungatua Survey District, Sections 39 to 46, Henley Town: and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The above special resolution by way of special order was

advertised on 7th, 14th, 21st, and 28th January, 1905, and at a special meeting held on 30th January, 1905, was duly confirmed.

JOHN GRANT,  
Clerk, Maungatua Land Drainage Board.

## Special Order made by the Council of the County of Akitio.

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 8th February, 1905.

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

R. J. SEDDON,  
Colonial Treasurer.

## AKITIO COUNTY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL ORDER made on 5th November, 1904; confirmed on 17th December, 1904.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Counties Act, 1886," and "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Akitio County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,800, authorised to be raised by the Akitio County Council, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for the purpose of metalling the Huia Road from the Alfredton-Weber Road to the junction of the Waihoki Road, the Akitio County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1d. in the pound on the capital value of all rateable property of the Huia Road Special Loan District, comprising Sections 19, 20, 21, and 26, Block I., Aohanga; Section 6, Block II., Aohanga; Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24, Block VI., Aohanga; Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31, Block V., Aohanga; Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, and 26, Block X., Aohanga. The first year's interest, cost of raising the loan, and clerical expenses to be paid out of loan. The interest on the said loan to be at the rate of  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per centum per annum for a term of forty-one years.

The above special order was duly made and passed at a special meeting of the Akitio County Council on the 5th November, 1904, and confirmed on the 17th December, 1904.

F. ARMSTRONG,  
Chairman.  
W. SOUNESS,  
County Clerk.

14th January, 1905.

## Notice to Mariners No. 4 of 1905.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 1st February, 1905.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Board of Trade, London, are published for general information.

WM. HALL-JONES.

INDIAN OCEAN, ETC.  
Ice.

On 14th Sept. the "Waiwera" passed 2 large bergs and several floes in 47° S., 99° E. Dec.

On 3rd Oct. the s.s. "Karamea" passed 2 small bergs in 46° 53' S., 96° 55' E. Dec.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO, ETC.

Malacca Strait, &c.

PENANG HARB.—The following beacons are to be est. to mark the tel. and telephone cables in the harb.: A high white beacon is to be placed against and show over the harb. limit mark (5° 25' N., 100° 22½' E.). A white iron pile beacon, est. in a depth of 5 ft., at about 3 cables S. 88° W. from the above. A F. white lt., R. 5 miles, exh. from each beacon. These beacons or lts., in line N. 88° E., mark the direction of the telephone cables, and also the prohibited anchorage-ground. Nov.

ONE FM. BANK LT.—On 15th July, 1904, the constr. of a new lt.-h. in 2° 53' N., 101° E., on the bank, was to be commenced. During the progress of the works flares and other lts. about 8 ft. above H.W. may be occasionally shown, but the present lt. (rev. white) is still to be exh. Sept.

GASPAR STRAIT.—An exam. of the area where a sandbank, carrying about 2 fms., was reported in 1892 by the master of the ship "Oromaso" in approx. 1° 50' S., 107° 30¼' E., proved no trace of such a bank could be found. It has accordingly been expunged from the Admiralty charts. Nov.

## Java.

BATAVIA APPROACH.—The following black conical buoys, surm. by balls, in Batavia Bay and its approaches, have been replaced by black can buoys, surm. by truncated cones: 1. Karang Besar, in approx.  $5^{\circ} 53\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 28\frac{1}{2}'$  E. 2. Pedy-nab, in approx.  $5^{\circ} 56'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 34'$  E. 3. Hordyk, in approx.  $5^{\circ} 57'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 36\frac{1}{2}'$  E. 4. Karang Tiga, in approx.  $5^{\circ} 58'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 37\frac{1}{2}'$  E. 5. Meinderts shoal, in approx.  $5^{\circ} 58\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 39\frac{1}{2}'$  E. 6. Ketapang, in approx.  $5^{\circ} 58\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 40\frac{1}{2}'$  E. 7. Buoy S. of Middelburg, in approx.  $5^{\circ} 58\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 41\frac{1}{2}'$  E. 8. Ayer Rk., in approx.  $6^{\circ} 0\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 46\frac{1}{2}'$  E. 9. Tandul, in approx.  $5^{\circ} 54\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 38\frac{1}{2}'$  E. 10. Jong Reef, in approx.  $5^{\circ} 51'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 39\frac{1}{2}'$  E. 11. Pulo Kelor, in approx.  $6^{\circ} 1\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 43\frac{1}{2}'$  E. 12. Kiuper, in approx.  $6^{\circ} 2\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 44\frac{1}{2}'$  E. 13. Purmerend Bank, in approx.  $6^{\circ} 2\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 46\frac{1}{2}'$  E. 14. Pipa, in approx.  $6^{\circ} 4\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 49'$  E. 15. Pasop, in approx.  $6^{\circ} 4\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 49'$  E. 16. Neptunus Reef, in approx.  $6^{\circ} 4'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 49\frac{1}{2}'$  E. 17. Brunda, in approx.  $6^{\circ} 4\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 55\frac{1}{2}'$  E. Also, the black conical buoy, in approx.  $6^{\circ} 4\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 53'$  E., off the end of Tanjong Priok E. mole, has been replaced by a black can buoy. Oct.

TANJONG PRIOK.—The F. white lt. ( $6^{\circ} 5\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $106^{\circ} 53'$  E.) on the ern. harb. mole head has been altered to a quick-fl. white lt. Sept.

## CHINA SEA, ETC.

## Cochin China.

GULF OF SIAM.—Bangkok River Entr.—A lt.-v., grey, one mast with a black ball, and exh. 2 lts. vert., 6 ft. apart, red over white, is est. at the entr. to the river,  $10\frac{3}{4}$  cables, S.  $69^{\circ}$  E. from the bar-ht., occ. white ( $13^{\circ} 28\frac{1}{2}'$  N.,  $100^{\circ} 34'$  E.). The lts. are of low power. Also, it is proposed to erect 2 beacons at  $2\frac{1}{10}$  miles N.  $37^{\circ}$  E., and  $1\frac{1}{4}$  miles S.  $31^{\circ}$  E. respectively, from the bar-ht. When these beacons are est., which will probably be in Nov., 1904, the lt.-v. is to be withdrawn. The pilot-vessel is now  $2\frac{1}{10}$  miles S.  $28^{\circ}$  E. from the bar-ht. Dec.

## China.

YANG TSE KIANG.—The S. chan. fairway bell and lt.-buoy has been moved S.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles to approx.  $31^{\circ} 2'$  N.,  $122^{\circ} 9\frac{1}{2}'$  E., with the Tung sha lt.-v. N.  $48^{\circ}$  W.,  $10\frac{1}{10}$  miles, and Yang tse Cape, S.  $62^{\circ}$  W. Nov.

Kiu Toan Lt.-V.—On the 15th Aug., 1904, this lt.-v. ( $31^{\circ} 13\frac{1}{2}'$  N.,  $121^{\circ} 48'$  E.), exh. a fl. white lt., was to be replaced by a red lt.-v., marked "Kiutoan" on sides, with one mast, exh. a group-occ. white lt., with groups of 2 ecls. every 20 secs.: Lt. 12 secs., ecl. 2 secs.; lt. 4 secs., ecl. 2 secs. Elev. 30 ft., R. 10 miles. A fog-bell, struck twice every 20 secs.—stroke, interval 5 secs.; stroke, interval 15 secs.—is est. on the lt.-v. If the lt.-v. is out of position a red flag will be hoisted by day, and at night a F. red lt. will be exh. at each end of the vessel in place of the occ. lt. Nov.

Tsungming Crossing.—Drinkwater Pt. bell and lt.-buoy, in approx.  $31^{\circ} 24\frac{1}{2}'$  N.,  $121^{\circ} 59\frac{1}{2}'$  E., has been replaced by a lt.-buoy, red and black hor., exh. an occ. lt. as before, but without a bell. Nov.

SHANTUNG.—WEI HAI WEI.—A rk. which dries 4 ft. exists in approx.  $37^{\circ} 31\frac{1}{2}'$  N.,  $122^{\circ} 9\frac{1}{2}'$  E., in the chan. between Pei-shan Pt. and Hei-tau, with the N. pt. of Hei-tau, N.  $40^{\circ}$  E., one cable, and Kwoa Pu, S.  $55^{\circ}$  E. Rocky ledges and patches connect it with the islet off Pei-shan Pt., but there is a chan. about 30 yds. wide between it and the rks. W. of Hei-tau. Oct.

PECHILI STRAIT.—The s.s. "Unison" struck on a rk., carrying 2 fms. at L.W., in approx.  $38^{\circ} 19'$  N.,  $120^{\circ} 45'$  E., wrd. of Ta-kin-tau, with the srn. end of Ta-kin-tau, S.  $57^{\circ}$  E.,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  miles, and the N.-wrn. extr. of N. Kwangching tau N.  $62^{\circ}$  E. Nov.

GULF OF PECHILI.—Caution.—Mariners are advised to watch closely for mines, as the storms are carrying the Russian mines from their moorings. Dec.

## PACIFIC OCEAN.

## Fiji Islands.

VITI LEVU.—SUVA HARB.—The following alterations have been made in the harb.: 1. The 2 white buoys marking the wrn. edge of the ern. reef, respectively  $5\frac{1}{2}$  cables S.  $14^{\circ}$  W. and  $7\frac{1}{2}$  cables S.  $12^{\circ}$  W. from the ern. reef lt.-h., have been disc. 2. The white buoy on the wrn. side of the entr. to Nai Ngalo Ngalo has been removed, and replaced by a perch, with the red leading lt. ( $18^{\circ} 6\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $178^{\circ} 24\frac{1}{2}'$  E.) N.  $24^{\circ}$  E.,  $9\frac{1}{2}$  cables, and the dolphin off Cliffy Pt. Spit S.  $83^{\circ}$  E. 3. A perch is est. near the end of the spit on the ern. side of the entr. to Nai Ngalo Ngalo, with the red leading lt. N.  $17^{\circ}$  E.,  $8\frac{1}{2}$  cables, and the dolphin off Cliffy Pt. Spit S.  $78^{\circ}$  E. Oct.

## Society Islands.

TAHITI.—PAPIETÉ HARB.—The red buoy on the wrn. side of the entr. into the harb., prev. about  $5\frac{1}{2}$  cables S.  $83^{\circ}$  W. from Moto-uta Isl. Battery ( $17^{\circ} 31\frac{1}{2}'$  S.,  $149^{\circ} 34'$  W.), has been withdrawn. Also, the black beacon, prev. on the srn. end

of the reef 3 cables S.  $55^{\circ}$  W. from Moto-uta Battery, has been removed. Dec.

## Tuamotu or Low Archipelago.

MANIHU LAGOON.—A coral reef, about  $\frac{1}{2}$  cable in extent, carrying less than  $1\frac{1}{2}$  fms., exists in approx.  $14^{\circ} 28'$  S.,  $146^{\circ} 2'$  W., in the entr. to the lagoon, thus rendering the passage unsafe. Nov.

## NORTH AMERICA.—WEST COAST.

## California.

FORT ROSS COVE.—Two pinnacle rks., 100 yds. apart, the inner one at half-tide carried 13 ft., and 7 fms. close around, are reported to exist  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile outside of and in line with the reef 2 miles srn. of the cove. Nov.

SAN FRANCISCO LT.-V.—On 26th Nov., 1904, the fog-whistle of this lt.-v. ( $37^{\circ} 45'$  N.,  $122^{\circ} 41'$  W.) was to be altered to sound-blasts of 2 secs. dura. separated by intervals of 28 secs. Dec.

## Notice to Mariners No. 5 of 1905.

## LEADING-LIGHTS FOR OKURU RIVER ENTRANCE, WEST COAST, SOUTH ISLAND.

## Marine Department,

Wellington, N.Z., 3rd February, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after the 22nd February, 1905, when a vessel arrives off Okuru bar and signals that she wants to enter, the following leading-lights will be exhibited: A red light, about 15 ft. above high-water, will be exhibited from the front beacon, and a white light, about 20 ft. above high water, from the back beacon. A green light will also be shown from Okuru wharf on end of goods-shed.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty chart No. 2590; "New Zealand Pilot," seventh edition, 1901, Chap. x., page 366.

WM. HALL-JONES.

## Notice to Mariners No. 6 of 1905.

## LAMBTON HARBOUR, PORT NICHOLSON.—LIGHT FOR BOAT-HARBOUR.

## Marine Department,

Wellington, N.Z., 7th February, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that a red light has been established, at an elevation of 16 ft. above high water, at the outer end of the eastern wall of the boat-harbour in Lambton Harbour. The light will be visible all round, and should be seen on a dark night in clear weather at a distance of about four miles.

WM. HALL-JONES.

## Notice to Mariners No. 7 of 1905.

## Marine Department,

Wellington, 7th February, 1905.

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

WM. HALL-JONES.

## VICTORIA.

## Port Phillip Heads.—Blasting and Sweeping Operations.

PILOTS, exempt masters, and boatmen are hereby notified that blasting and sweeping operations in the fairway at entrance to Port Phillip will be resumed on or about the 9th 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 X H C when on sweeping duty.

When a charge is ready for exploding, a red flag will be shown from the larger of the boats engaged on the work, and prolonged whistle-blasts blown by the attendant steamer. On receiving such warning signals, mariners and others are cautioned not to approach the working boats nearer than half a mile. 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, 6th January, 1905.

## Tenders.

Public Works Department,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1905.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister for Public Works.

## PALMERSTON NORTH POST-OFFICE CONTRACT.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Trevor, James, and Sons, Wellington	..	5,254	0	0
Declined.				
Wakelin, R. A., Wellington	..	5,592	19	0
Hopwood and Son, J., Palmerston North	..	5,985	0	0
Adams and Cooper, Palmerston North	..	6,251	15	0

## UTIKU ROAD BRIDGE (HAUTAPU RIVER) CONTRACT.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Rhodes, Gardiner, and Woolf, Wellington	..	870	18	0
Declined.				
O'Connor, M., Wellington	..	874	5	0
Sellar, James, Taradale	..	898	5	7
Lyons, R., Palmerston North	..	959	9	9
McCann and Co., Mangaweka	..	968	12	6
Brown, J. H., Wellington	..	1,185	13	4

Plants declared to be Noxious Weeds in the Boroughs of Devonport and Green Island, the Mauriceville and Patangata Counties, and the Waimea West, Wallingford, Portobello, and Upper Moutere Road Districts.—Notice No. 933.

Department of Agriculture,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1905.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the undermentioned local governing bodies have by special order declared the plants enumerated opposite each to be noxious weeds within the meaning of "The Noxious Weeds Act, 1900," in the district under the jurisdiction of each respectively:—

Local Bodies.	Plants.
Devonport Borough Council	Gorse and Bathurst burr.
Green Island Borough Council	Gorse, broom, and dock.
Mauriceville County Council	Ox-eye daisy.
Patangata County Council	Gorse.
Waimea West Road Board	Gorse and broom.
Wallingford Road Board	Gorse.
Portobello Road Board	Ragwort and burdock.
Upper Moutere Road Board	Gorse.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister for Agriculture.

## Deceased Persons' Estates.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE for Management during the Month of January, 1905.

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	Addinell, Charlotte	Paraparaumu	..	25 Jan., 1905	..	Probate.
2	Anderson, Gideon	Pembroke	..	25 Jan., 1905	24 Oct., 1904	Probate.
3	Baker, Shirley Waldemar	Tonga	..	25 Jan., 1905	..	Probate.
4	Bashford, James	Durietown, Wanganui	England	6 Feb., 1905	24 Jan., 1905	Relatives known.
5	Beaird, Helena	Wellington	..	25 Jan., 1905	..	Probate.
6	Bremner, Alexander	Tokarahi	..	25 Jan., 1905	25 Dec., 1904	Relatives known.
7	Burgess, Thomas	Westerfield, Canterbury	Cornwall	..	13 Aug., 1904	Relatives known.
8	Burt, Elizabeth	Dunedin	England	..	22 Sept., 1904	Relatives known.
9	Clark, John	Waituna West	..	6 Feb., 1905	12 Nov., 1904	..
10	Cooper, William	Onehunga	England	18 Jan., 1905	8 Dec., 1904	Relatives known.
11	Dalton, Richard	Takaka	Ireland	..	22 Sept., 1904	Relatives known.
12	Fear, Francis	Tuapeka Flat	England	25 Jan., 1905	17 Dec., 1904	Relatives known.
13	Firbank, Arthur George	Tongaporutu	Australia	18 Jan., 1905	22 Nov., 1904	Relatives known.
14	Graham, George	Flint's Bush, near Thornbury	Scotland	..	30 Sept., 1904	Relatives known.
15	Gustra, Luis	Paremata, Wellington	..	6 Feb., 1905	24 Jan., 1905	Relatives known.
16	Haslam, Emily	Richmond, Nelson	England	6 Feb., 1905	27 Dec., 1904	Relatives known.
17	Howard, Josephine Adela	Maungaturoto	England	18 Jan., 1905	27 Oct., 1904	Relatives known.
18	Jackson, Andrew	Auckland	..	25 Jan., 1905	27 Nov., 1904	Relatives known.
19	Jaffa, Marma	Pleasant Point	India	..	24 June, 1904	..
20	Jones, Paul	Matapiro	England	..	24 Mar., 1904	..
21	Kilgus, Christian	Ponsonby, Auckland	Germany	..	18 Aug., 1904	Relatives known.
22	Lake, George	Hawera	England	1 Feb., 1905	19 Dec., 1904	Relatives known.
23	Miller, John	Whenuakura Valley	New South Wales	18 Jan., 1905	8 Dec., 1904	..
24	Mundy, Clara Elizabeth	Palmerston North	..	20 Dec., 1904	8 Oct., 1904	Probate.
25	McDougal, Duncan	Totarakiki	Scotland	25 Jan., 1905	20 Oct., 1904	Relatives known.
26	McGurk, John	Auckland	Ireland	6 Feb., 1905	8 Feb., 1899	Relatives known.
27	McMillan, Donald	Waikino	Scotland	7 Oct., 1904	7 Aug., 1904	Relatives known.
28	McNamara, Daniel	Pleasant Point	Ireland	7 Oct., 1904	21 Sept., 1904	Relatives known.
29	Nicoll, Alexander	Blenheim	Scotland	..	4 Sept., 1904	Relatives known.
30	Oakley, John	Westport	Tipperary, Ireland	..	9 Oct., 1904	Relatives known.
31	Parker, Jessie	Motueka	..	25 Jan., 1905	6 Dec., 1904	Probate.
32	Pope, James	Turanganui	England	..	9 Sept., 1904	..
33	Price, Alma Adelina A.	Papanui, Christchurch	..	25 Jan., 1905	26 April, 1903	Relatives known.
34	Roberts, William	Ruakopopatima	..	..	14 Oct., 1904	..
35	Saverson, Oswald	Karamea	Norway	..	27 Feb., 1904	..
36	Scott, Thomas	Moawhango	England	..	6 Oct., 1904	..
37	Smith, Thomas	Turangarere	Wales	6 Feb., 1905	5 Jan., 1905	..
38	Stewart, David	Taupiri	..	18 Jan., 1905	5 Dec., 1904	Relatives known.
39	Stewart, William	Geraldine	Scotland	..	17 July, 1904	..
40	Stodart, Duncan Henry	Methven	Scotland	18 Jan., 1905	4 Dec., 1904	Relatives known.
41	Surjan, Marko	Riverhead	Austria	18 Jan., 1905	11 Dec., 1904	Relatives known.
42	Thomson, Adam	Kaitangata	Scotland	20 Jan., 1905	24 Oct., 1904	Relatives known.
43	Wescombe, Robert Langdon	Fairfax	Tasmania	..	30 Aug., 1904	Relatives known.

Dated the 6th day of February, 1905.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

*Endowment Reserves for Education sanctioned by Parliament.*

Colonial Secretary's Office, Wellington, 6th February, 1905.

THE following resolutions, passed by the Legislative Council and by the House of Representatives, are published in accordance with section 238 of "The Land Act, 1892."

J. G. WARD.

No. 7, 1903.

EXTRACT from the JOURNALS of the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, Tuesday, the 15th Day of September, 1903.

Resolved, That this Council approves of the lands proposed to be reserved as endowments for primary education, as specified in Paper No. 128 of 1903, being permanently set aside as endowments for primary education.—On motion of the Hon. Mr. Stevens.

A true extract.

L. STOWE, Clerk, Legislative Council.

No. 211, 1903.

EXTRACT from the JOURNALS of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Tuesday, the 17th Day of November, 1903.

Resolved, That this House approves of the lands proposed to be reserved as endowments for primary education, as specified in Paper 148c of 1903, being permanently set aside as endowments for primary education.—On the motion of Hon. Mr. Duncan.

A true extract.

H. OTTERSON, Clerk of the House of Representatives.

No. 2, 1904.

EXTRACT from the JOURNALS of the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, Thursday, the 14th Day of July, 1904.

Resolved, That this Council approves of the lands proposed to be reserved as endowments for education, as specified in Paper No. 64 of 1904, being permanently set aside as endowments for primary and secondary education respectively.—On motion of the Hon. Mr. T. Kelly.

A true extract.

L. STOWE, Clerk, Legislative Council.

No. 180, 1904.

EXTRACT from the JOURNALS of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Saturday, the 5th Day of November, 1904.

Resolved, That this House approves of the lands proposed to be reserved as endowments for primary and secondary education, as specified in Paper No. 76c, laid upon the Table of the House on the 7th July, 1904, and Paper No. 265c, laid upon the Table of the House on the 4th November, 1904, being permanently set aside as endowments for primary and secondary education.—On the motion of the Hon. Mr. Duncan.

A true extract.

H. OTTERSON, Clerk of the House of Representatives.

No. 15, 1904.

EXTRACT from the JOURNALS of the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, Monday, the 7th Day of November, 1904.

Resolved, That this Council approves of the lands proposed to be reserved as endowments for education, as specified in Paper No. 210 of 1904, being permanently set aside as endowments for education.—On motion of the Hon. Mr. T. Kelly.

A true extract.

L. STOWE, Clerk, Legislative Council.

First Column.				Second Column.		Date of Temporary Reservation.	Gazette.
Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	A.	R. P.		
PRIMARY EDUCATION—AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.							
Maungamangero Survey District	17	VIII.	875 0 0	25 July,	1902	..	No. 61, of the 31st July, 1902.
"	10	VI.	575 0 0	13 Feb.,	1903	..	No. 12, of the 19th Feb., 1903.
Puniu Survey District ..	9	XIII.	267 2 0	5 Sept.,	1902	..	No. 72, of the 11th Sept., 1902.
Rotorua Survey District ..	8	X.	203 3 38	24 Nov.,	"	..	No. 98, of the 27th Nov., 1902.
Kawhia South Survey District	1	II.	169 0 0	13 Feb.,	1903	..	No. 12, of the 19th Feb., 1903.
PRIMARY EDUCATION—TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.							
Opaku Survey District ..	8	VI.	920 0 0	21 Oct.,	1902	..	No. 85, of the 23rd Oct., 1902.
Omona Survey District ..	3	XIV.	740 0 0	"	"	..	"
Waro Survey District ..	4	XIII.	507 0 0	"	"	..	"
"	3	XIV.	316 0 0	13 June,	1903	..	No. 48, of the 18th June, 1903.
Puniwhakau Village ..	24	..	1 2 9	"	"	..	"
"	19	..	0 1 0	"	"	..	"
Mimi Survey District ..	3	V.	470 0 0	"	"	..	"
Ohura Survey District ..	4	VII.	1,030 0 0	21 Oct.,	1902	..	No. 85, of the 23rd Oct., 1902.
Upper Waitara Survey District	10	XV.	938 0 0	"	"	..	"
PRIMARY EDUCATION—WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.							
Pukeokahu Survey District ..	15	IX.	100 0 0	23 Mar.,	1903	..	No. 24, of the 2nd April, 1903.
Moawhango Survey District ..	Run No. 4	V., IX., XIII.	6,185 0 0	13 May,	"	..	No. 39, of the 21st May, 1903.
Kaitieke Survey District ..	1	VII.	1,327 0 0	5 Sept.,	1902	..	No. 72, of the 11th Sept., 1902.
Mangawhero Survey District ..	7	I.	1,355 1 0	"	"	..	"
Mataroa Township (Ohinewairua Survey District)	4	VII.	0 1 0	"	"	..	"
Ditto ..	3	I.	0 1 20	"	"	..	"
"	2	IV.	0 1 10	"	"	..	"
"	10	"	0 2 0	"	"	..	"
"	3	VI.	0 1 0	"	"	..	"
"	7	"	0 1 0	"	"	..	"
"	4	VIII.	0 1 0	"	"	..	"
"	10	"	0 1 5	"	"	..	"
"	2	IX.	0 1 0	"	"	..	"
"	6	X.	0 1 0	"	"	..	"
Mataroa Township (Suburbs of)	24	..	2 2 26	"	"	..	"
"	37	..	1 2 0	"	"	..	"
"	38	..	3 0 0	"	"	..	"

First Column.				Second Column.		Gazette.
Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Date of Temporary Reservation.		
<b>PRIMARY EDUCATION—AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.</b>						
Pirongia Parish .. .. .	103	..	A. 51 1 0 R. 1 0 0	16 Feb., 1904	..	No. 14, of the 18th Feb., 1904.
" .. .. .	100	..	37 2 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	252	..	51 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	262A	..	7 1 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	107, 108, 109	..	150 1 33	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	153	..	50 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	171	..	50 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	293	..	45 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	51	..	50 1 5	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	55	..	51 2 33	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	49	..	49 1 24	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	30	..	48 2 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	23	..	50 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Apata Parish .. .. .	94, 95	..	57 3 0	20 May, .. .. .	..	No. 47, of the 2nd June, 1904.
Te Tumu Survey District .. .. .	1	VI.	239 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Mangamuka Survey District .. .. .	6	VII.	100 0 0	17 Aug., .. .. .	..	No. 71, of the 25th Aug., 1904.
Whangape Survey District .. .. .	69	II.	57 0 13	23 Aug., .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Opuawhanga Survey District .. .. .	19	VIII.	188 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Kawhia North Survey District .. .. .	7	XII.	278 0 0	20 Oct., .. .. .	..	No. 85, of the 28th Oct., 1904.
Omapere Survey District .. .. .	6	III.	167 3 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	9	IV.	257 3 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Kawhia South Survey District .. .. .	20	I.	150 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	1	XIII.	3,945 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	5	..	779 2 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Otanewainuku Survey District .. .. .	9	XIV.	142 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	27	XV.	272 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Otanake Survey District .. .. .	5	VIII.	87 0 8	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Orahihi Survey District .. .. .	7	III.	483 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Opuawhanga Survey District .. .. .	16	II.	365 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Pirongia Survey District .. .. .	20	XVI.	143 2 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Te Tumu Survey District .. .. .	11	I.	89 2 9	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Horohero Survey District .. .. .	1	XV.	2,232 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Punakitere Survey District .. .. .	12	X.	89 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Takahue Survey District .. .. .	1	XVI.	49 1 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
<b>SECONDARY EDUCATION—AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.</b>						
Town of Rotorua .. .. .	..	XLIII.	2 2 1	26 March, 1904	..	No. 29, of the 7th April, 1904.
" .. .. .	..	XLIV.	4 0 1	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	..	XLV.	3 1 8	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	..	XLVI.	2 1 8	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	..	XLVII.	4 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
<b>PRIMARY EDUCATION—HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.</b>						
Nuhaka North Survey District .. .. .	1	IX.	1,056 0 0	21 Dec., 1903	..	No. 1, of the 7th Jan., 1904.
Hikurangi Survey District .. .. .	{ 3 2	{ VIII. XII. }	{ 1,167 0 0 1,167 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Mangaoporo Survey District .. .. .	7	IV.	73 3 23	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Ngatapa Survey District .. .. .	3	XIII.	494 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
<b>PRIMARY EDUCATION—TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.</b>						
Pukearuhe Township .. .. .	3 (Town Belt)	..	1 1 23	20 Nov., 1903	..	No. 90, of the 26th Nov., 1903.
" .. .. .	81	..	1 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	62	..	1 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	58	..	1 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
<b>SECONDARY EDUCATION—TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.</b>						
Town of New Plymouth .. .. .	2347	..	0 0 9	26 March, 1904	..	No. 29, of the 7th April, 1904.
<b>PRIMARY EDUCATION—WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.</b>						
Maungakaretu Survey District .. .. .	14	II.	258 0 0	23 June, 1903	..	No. 54, of the 2nd July, 1903.
Waiopahu Survey District .. .. .	78	V.	79 0 0	22 Sept., .. .. .	..	No. 77, of the 1st Oct., 1903.
Mowhanau Village .. .. .	13	..	2 0 31	2 June, 1904	..	No. 48, of the 9th June, 1904.
" .. .. .	14	..	1 1 20	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Waiopahu Survey District .. .. .	1	VII.	254 0 0	25 July, .. .. .	..	No. 63, of the 28th July, 1904.
Ngamatea Survey District .. .. .	13	XV.	1,090 0 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
Piriaka Township .. .. .	7	I.	0 1 0	2 Aug., .. .. .	..	No. 65, of the 4th Aug., 1904.
" .. .. .	3	III.	0 1 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	10	..	0 1 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	4	IV.	0 1 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	3	V.	0 1 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .
" .. .. .	12	..	0 1 0	" .. .. .	..	" .. .. .

Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.

NOTICE.—THOMAS SKEWES-COX, Esq., M.P., of 8, Lancaster Place, Strand, London, W.C., a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of England, has this day been appointed by His Honour the Chief Justice a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in England, under the 2nd section of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875," for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington, this 1st day of February, 1905.

W. A. HAWKINS,  
Deputy Registrar, Supreme Court.

Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.

NOTICE.—ARTHUR CEPHAS SECOMB, Esq., of 60, Queen Street, Melbourne, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Victoria, has this day been appointed by His Honour the Chief Justice a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in Victoria, under the 2nd section of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875," for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington, this 1st day of February, 1905.

W. A. HAWKINS,  
Deputy Registrar, Supreme Court.



## Register of Nurses.

Hospitals Department, 21st January, 1905.

THE copy of the Nurses Register of New Zealand appearing hereunder is published in the *Gazette* in pursuance of an Act to provide for the registration of trained nurses in New Zealand, passed in the year 1901.

D. MACGREGOR, M.A., M.B.,  
Inspector-General of Asylums, Hospitals, and Charitable Institutions.

Names of Nurses registered under "The Nurses Registration Act, 1901."

## REGISTER OF NURSES.

Date of Registration.	Name.	Where trained.	Residence.
1902, May..	Adams, Florence Mary..	Christchurch Hospital, 1897-1902 .. ..	Hospital, Christchurch.
1904, Dec...	Aitken, Janet .. ..	Thames. State Examination, December, 1904 ..	Hospital, Thames.
1902, Jan...	Allan, Jean .. ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1892-98; Patea Hospital (matron), 1898; Wanganui Hospital (matron), 1898 to date	Hospital, Wanganui.
1902, May..	Allan, Ruth .. ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1898 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Dunedin.
1904, Dec...	Allen, Jane .. ..	Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, December, 1904	Hospital, Auckland.
1903, Dec...	Andrews, Eunice M. B.	Auckland Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, December, 1903	..
1902, May..	Anketell, Elizabeth ..	Wellington Hospital, 1891-1901; private nursing..	London.
1902, May..	Anketell, Margaret ..	Wellington Hospital, 1898-1901; private nursing ..	15, Charlotte Street, Wellington.
1904, Dec...	Austen, Edith J. ..	Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, December, 1904	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, June	Austin, Amelia T. ..	Colonial Hospital, Suva, Fiji, 1897-1900; private nursing	147, Grey Street, Auckland.
1902, March	Bagley, Amelia .. ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1892-95; Auckland Hospital, 1896 to 1902; Masterton Hospital (matron), 1902	Hospital, Masterton.
1904, May..	Bagley, Mary .. ..	Dunedin Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Wanganui.
1904, Sept.	Baker, Lily R. .. ..	Royal Free Hospital, London, 1890-98; S.E. Fever Hospital, London, 1895; East London Fever Hospital, 1896; civil nursing, South Africa, 1902-4	Private hospital, 217, Willis Street, Wellington.
1902, Feb...	Banbury, Amy D. ..	Auckland Hospital, 1890-95; private nursing. Member R.B.N.A.	Upper Grafton Road, Auckland.
1903, July..	Barclay, Agnes .. ..	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1895-1901 ..	Reg., Nurses' Society, 269, Regent Street, London.
1902, March	Barclay, Elizabeth ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1894-1901; Grey River Hospital (matron), 1901-2	1A, Victoria Street, Dunedin.
1903, May..	Barr, Katharine .. ..	Dunedin Hospital certificate. State examination, May, 1903	..
1902, May..	Barrow, Vinie.. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1895-99; Masterton Hospital, 1899-1901; Waipukurau Hospital, 1901 to date of registration	..
1904, May..	Bartleman, C. S. ..	Wellington Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Royal Terrace, Dunedin.
1903, March	Bawden, Alice .. ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1896-1901; private nursing, Bay of Plenty	Te Puke.
1902, Oct...	Beattie, Emily E. ..	Patea Hospital, 1898-1900; Wellington Hospital, 1900 to date. State examination, 1902	Auckland.
1902, May..	Beck, Jeanie L. .. ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1895 to date of registration	Hospital, Christchurch.
1902, Feb...	Beetham, Cicely .. ..	Auckland Hospital, 1898 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, Feb...	Bell, Marion B. .. ..	Auckland Hospital, 1895 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Auckland.
1904, May..	Benjamin, Kate .. ..	Christchurch Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Christchurch.
1902, Feb...	Bennett, Ellen .. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1893-98; private nursing ..	Wellington.
1902, March	Bennett, Louise .. ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1895-98; private nursing, 1898-99; Ashburton Hospital, 1899-1901; Kumara Hospital (matron), 1902	Wellington.
1902, Feb...	Berry, Elizabeth K. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1897 to date .. ..	Hospital, Wellington.
1902, June	Beswick, Charlotte ..	Wellington Hospital, 1889; Seacliff Asylum (matron), 1891 to date	Seacliff.
1902, Feb...	Bethune, Isabella M. ..	Whitechapel Infirmary, London, 1894-97; Chelsea Hospital for Women, 1898-1900; private nursing, 1901; Waipawa Hospital, 1902 to date of registration	..
1903, May..	Bicknell, Jessie .. ..	Nelson Hospital certificate, 1903; State examination, 1903 (passed first); Wairau Hospital, 1903	Hospital, Waipukurau.
1902, March	Birch, Antoinette ..	Queen Charlotte Hospital, 1879; London Hospital, 1881-82; private nursing, 1883-86; Nelson Hospital, 1886-90; Rotorua Sanatorium (matron), 1890-94; Women's Maternity Home, Parnell, 1896-1901. Member R.B.N.A.	England.
1904, Dec...	Bird, Charlotte M. ..	Riverton Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Riverton.
1902, May..	Bishop, Emily .. ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1898-1903 .. ..	..
1902, Oct...	Black, Alice .. ..	Private hospital, Patea, 1898-1900; Alexandra Maternity Home, 1900-1. State examination, October, 1902	11, Epuni Street, Wellington.
1902, May..	Black, Marion .. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1897-1900; private nursing ..	Hospital, Westport.
1903, May..	Blackmore, Emma ..	Timaru Hospital. State examination, May, 1903	Timaru.

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1902, Oct...	Blathwayt, M.	.. Dunedin Hospital, two years and a half; private hospital, Oamaru. State examination, October, 1902	Private hospital, North Road, Oamaru.
1902, June	Bremner, Jessie	.. Waimate Hospital, 1895-97; Southland Hospital, 1897-1901; Women's Hospital, Melbourne, 1901 to date of registration	Women's Hospital, Melbourne.
1904, Dec...	Brett, Jessie	.. Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Otaki.
1904, May..	Brewer, Amy E.	.. Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, June	Bridgman, Ethel A.	.. Auckland Hospital, 1898-1901; private hospital, to date of registration	Mount Roskill, Auckland.
1904, Dec...	Broad, Geraldine E.	.. Wellington Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Wellington.
1904, May..	Broadbent, Amy	.. Wellington Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Wellington.
1902, June	Brodie, G. A.	.. Sydney Hospital, 1887-91; Tamworth Hospital, N.S.W., 1891-92; private nursing, Sydney, 1892 to date of registration	119, Victoria Street, North, Darlinghurst, Sydney.
1903, Dec...	Brooke-Smith, Gertrude	Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, December, 1903	..
1902, May..	Brooke-Smith, Mabel	.. Christchurch Hospital, 1897-1900; military nursing, South Africa, 1900 to 1901; private nursing; Otaki Hospital, 1902-1903; Kumara Hospital (matron), 1903	Hospital, Kumara.
1903, Dec...	Brown, Catherine	.. Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, March	Brown, Eleanor	.. Southland Hospital, 1896-1904 ..	Sanatorium, Cambridge.
1904, Dec...	Brown, Elizabeth	.. Southland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Invercargill.
1902, Feb...	Brown, Margaret E.	.. Wellington Hospital, 1890-94; private nursing, 1894-99; Palmerston North Hospital, 1899-1900	Wallace Street, Wellington.
1902, Jan...	Browne, Elizabeth	.. Gisborne Hospital, 1891-97; New Plymouth Hospital (matron), 1897 to date of registration	Hospital, New Plymouth.
1902, Dec...	Brunskill, E. M.	.. Waikato Hospital certificate, 1902. State examination, December, 1902	Hospital, Hamilton.
1904, May..	Buckley, Annie	.. Waimate Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	..
1903, May..	Bull, Alice J.	.. Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, May, 1903	Hospital, Auckland.
1904, May..	Butters, Jessie	.. Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, Feb...	Buttle, Mrs.	.. Wellington Hospital, 1894-98; private nursing, 1898-1900	Thomson Road, Napier.
1902, Feb...	Byrne, Mrs. Ellen	.. Oamaru Hospital, 1890-1892; Naseby Hospital (matron), 1902	Hospital, Naseby.
1902, Feb...	Campbell, Mrs.	.. Christchurch Hospital, 1895-1900 ..	Fitzherbert Street, Palmerston North.
1902, June	Canning, Ada	.. Christchurch Hospital, 1893-96; private hospital to date	Rangatira Nursing Home, Christchurch.
1902, June	Carey, Alice M.	.. Westland Hospital, 1899-1902 ..	New Plymouth.
1902, Dec...	Carmichael, Annie M.	.. Southland Hospital, 1899-1901; Dunstan Hospital (matron), 1901. State examination, December, 1902	..
1902, Jan...	Carston, Margaret E.	.. Timaru Hospital, 1892-94; Ashburton Hospital, 1894-97; Waipawa Hospital, 1898-1900; military nursing, South Africa, 1900-1; Pahiatua Hospital (matron), 1902; Waipukurau Hospital (matron), 1904	Hospital, Waipukurau.
1902, Jan...	Catley, Clara M.	.. Christchurch Hospital, 1898-1901; private nursing	Wellington.
1904, May..	Cawte, Daisy	.. Blenheim Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	..
1902, Feb...	Chiene, Frances G.	.. Wellington Hospital, 1890-93; private nursing, 1893 to date of registration	20, Murphy Street, Wellington.
1902, May..	Chisholm, Jessie	.. Wellington Hospital, 1898-1902 ..	Fendalton, Christchurch.
1902, May..	Church, Rachel L.	.. Dunedin Hospital, 1892-96; private nursing, 1897 to date of registration	Chalet Hospital, High Street, Dunedin.
1902, March	Clapcott, Gertrude	.. Christchurch Hospital, 1896-99; private nursing, 1899-1900; Nelson Hospital, 1900-2; Southland Hospital, 1902	Hospital, Invercargill.
1902, May..	Clapp, Anna	.. Dunedin Hospital, 1898 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Dunedin.
1902, Feb...	Clark, Edith M.	.. Christchurch Hospital, 1899 to date of registration	Hospital, Christchurch.
1903, May..	Clarkson, Eve L.	.. Timaru Hospital certificate. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Ashburton.
1902, Dec...	Cogswell, L. E. M.	.. Waikato Hospital certificate, 1902. State examination, December, 1902	..
1902, May..	Collie, Elizabeth	.. Dunedin Hospital, 1897-1900; private nursing ..	62, Royal Terrace, Dunedin.
1902, June	Collins, Clara F.	.. Christchurch Hospital, 1893-96; private hospital ..	Rangatira Nursing Home, Christchurch.
1902, June	Condick, C. B.	.. Auckland Hospital, 1899-1902 ..	The Retreat, Wynyard Street, Auckland.
1902, June	Connell, Mrs.	.. Waikato Hospital, 1893-97; Thames Hospital, 1897-1900	Waikino.
1902, April	Connor, Margaret E.	.. Salford Hospital, England, 1887-92; private nursing, Sydney, 1893; Children's Hospital, Sydney, 1900; Napier Hospital (matron), 1901 to date	Hospital, Napier.

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1902, March	Corlett, Avis A.	Dunedin Hospital, 1899-1902; private nursing ..	Private Hospital, Symonds Street, Auckland.
1902, Oct...	Cowper Emma	Wanganui Hospital, 1897-99; private nursing. State examination, October, 1902	Kukuta, Makirikiri, Wanganui.
1902, March	Cox, Alice ..	Wellington Hospital, 1898-1901; New Plymouth Hospital, 1901 to date of registration	..
1902, Jan. ..	Craig, Ellen ..	Belvidere Hospital, Glasgow, 1887-88; Wellington Hospital, 1859-91; Hokitika Hospital (matron), 1891-96; Alexandra Maternity Home, 1896-97; private nursing, 1897 to date of registration	Palmerston North.
1902, June	Craig, Caroline	Wellington Hospital, 1895-99; private nursing, 1900 to date	95, Molesworth Street, Wellington.
1902, May..	Crawford, Phoebe	Auckland Hospital, 1893-97; Waikato Hospital, 1897-98; private nursing	Ponsonby Road, Auckland.
1902, Jan...	Crawford, Mrs.	Christchurch Hospital, 1896-1903; Timaru Hospital (matron), 1903	Sumner, Christchurch.
1902, Oct...	Creighton, Lillian F.	Private nursing, 1898 to date. State examination, 1902	Grey Street, Onehunga, Auckland.
1903, Dec...	Cruickshank, Jane	Dunedin Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, December, 1903	Hospital, Dunedin.
1903, Dec...	Cullmann, Isabella	Dunedin Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, December, 1903	Timaru.
1892, May..	Cuming, Mrs.	Wellington Hospital, 1893-96; private nursing, 1896-1902	Wellington.
1902, May..	Cummings, Annie T.	Hawera Hospital, 1896-97, 1899 to date of registration	Hospital, Hawera.
1902, June	Cunningham, Ada	New Plymouth Hospital, 1898-1901 .. ..	Devon Street, New Plymouth.
1902, Jan...	Curtis, Laura ..	Wellington Hospital, 1886-90; Southland Hospital, 1892-95; Thames Hospital, 1897-99; Patea Hospital (matron), 1899 to date	Hospital, Patea.
1902, June	Dale, Margaret H.	Dunedin Hospital, 1898-1902 .. ..	..
1902, May..	Dalziel, Agnes	Auckland Hospital, 1897-1902; private nursing ..	Institute for Trained Nurses, Liverpool Street, Auckland.
1902, May..	Dashwood, Bessie	Christchurch Hospital, 1898-1902 .. ..	..
1904, Dec...	Davis, Edyth M.	East London Hospital, 1892-95; Children's Hospital, Sheffield, 1897-99; Loughton-Essex Hospital (matron), 1900; private nursing, Auckland, 1902; Nelson Hospital (matron), 1904	Hospital, Nelson.
1902, April	Davis, Sarah ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1891 to date of registration	Hospital, Christchurch.
1903, Dec...	Davis, Mrs. ..	Wanganui Hospital certificate. State examination, December, 1903	Wanganui.
1904, May..	Davison, Jane T.	Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, June	Day, Mrs. ..	Auckland Hospital, 1887-1890; Gisborne Hospital, 1891-93	Hokitika.
1903, May..	Dencker, Catharine	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, May, 1903	Wellington.
1902, Jan...	Dennison, Elizabeth	Oamaru Hospital, 1897-1902; Ashburton Hospital, 1902 to date of registration	Hospital, Oamaru.
1902, March	Dennison, Mary	Oamaru Hospital, 1896 to date of registration ..	Hildesthorpe, Oamaru.
1903, July..	Derry, Florence	Dunedin Hospital certificate, 1892-96; Wanganui Hospital, 1897-1901; private hospital, Temuka, 1901-1903; South Wairarapa Hospital (matron), 1903	Hospital, Greytown.
1902, Feb...	Desmond, Mrs.	Oamaru Hospital (matron), 1887 to date of registration	Hospital, Oamaru.
1904, Dec...	Dewar, Florence E.	Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, June	Dickson, Frances M.	Auckland Hospital, 1886-96; private nursing. Member R.B.N.A.	Ponsonby, Auckland.
1902, June	Dix, Mrs. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1895-1900 .. ..	Austin Street, Wellington.
1904, Dec...	Dobson, E. E.	Christchurch Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Christchurch.
1903, Dec...	Doherty, Elizabeth E.	Birmingham General Hospital certificate, 1903; Hokitika Hospital, 1903	Wellington.
1904, Dec...	Doig, Christina	Dunedin Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Dunedin.
1903, Dec...	Donaldson, Isabella	Dunedin Hospital certificate. State examination, December, 1903	Hospital, Blenheim.
1902, Jan...	Dougherty, Ellen	Wellington Hospital, 1885-93; Palmerston North Hospital (matron), 1893 to date. Member R.B.N.A.; Member Matron's Council	Hospital, Palmerston North.
1903, Nov...	Doyle, Estelle M.	Homeopathic Hospital, Melbourne, certificate, 1901; Strathmore Private Hospital, Christchurch, 1902-3	263, Gloucester Street, Christchurch.
1902, June	Duffin, Joan ..	Auckland Hospital, 1898-1901; Otaki Hospital, 1901 to date of registration	Te Waikato Sanatorium.
1904, May..	Duke, F. Winifred	St. Vincent's Hospital, Sydney, 1897; Auckland Hospital, 1902; private nursing, and Isolation Hospital, Launceston, 1902-4	Park View, Brisbane Street, Launceston, Tasmania.
1902, Oct. ..	Dunsford, Edith M.	Timaru Hospital, 1894; private hospital, 1895 to date of registration. State examination, October, 1902; Hawera Hospital (matron), 1904	Hospital, Hawera.
1902, June	Easton, Mrs. ..	Wanganui Hospital, 1897-1900 .. ..	Foxton.

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1902, Jan...	Edwards, Florence ..	Napier Hospital, 1898-1902; Rotunda Hospital, midwifery certificate	Care of C. H. Edwards, Esq., Napier.
1902, Dec...	Ellis, Mrs. E. A. ..	Timaru Hospital, 1886-1900 .. .. .	High Street, Timaru.
1902, Feb...	Emerson, Charlotte M.	Auckland Hospital, 1890-91; Waikato and Gisborne Hospitals, 1892; Napier and Waipawa Hospitals, 1893-95; private nursing	73, Molesworth Street, Wellington.
1902, April	Erenstrom, Mrs. ..	Palmerston North Hospital, 1893-97; Wellington Hospital, 1891-93	75, Wallace Street, Wellington.
1902, Feb...	Ewart, Jessie ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1896-1900; Southland Hospital (matron), 1900 to date	Hospital, Invercargill.
1902, May..	Ewart, Mary ..	Royal Hospital, Belfast, 1874-75; district nurse, Belfast, 1875-86; Christchurch Hospital, 1887-98, matron 1898 to date	Hospital, Christchurch.
1903, July..	Farmer, Ellen ..	Taunton and Somerset Hospital, 1896-99; Gisborne Hospital, 1903	Hospital, Gisborne.
1902, Nov...	Fergusson, E. L. R. ..	Bristol Royal Infirmary, 1894-97; Lond. Obstet. Soc. diploma, 1897; private nursing, 1897-1900; Army Nursing Reserve in South Africa, 1900-2	Private hospital, Wanganui.
1903, Dec...	Field, Elizabeth Kate ..	Christchurch Hospital certificate; Nelson Hospital, 1903. State examination, December, 1903	Hospital, Nelson.
1902, Jan...	Finch, A. E. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1884-86; Napier and Dunedin Hospitals, 1886-89; Mount View Asylum (matron), 1889-93; Alexandra Maternity Home (matron), 1893 to date	Alexandra Home, Wellington.
1903, Dec...	Fisher, Mary ..	Dunedin Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Sanatorium, Rotorua.
1902, May..	Fleming, Cecilia ..	Thames Hospital, 1896-99; Thames Hospital, 1902 to date of registration	Hospital, Thames.
1903, May..	Foote, Clara P. ..	Auckland Hospital certificate, 1902. State examination, 1903	Rawlingstone Private Hospital, Grafton Road, Auckland.
1902, Feb...	Foote, Jean D. ..	Auckland Hospital, 1897-1902; private hospital ..	Rawlingstone Private Hospital, Grafton Road, Auckland.
1902, May..	Fothergill, Margaret E.	Wellington Hospital, 1898-1902; Grey River Hospital (matron), 1902	Hospital, Greymouth.
1902, Feb...	France, Harriett E. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1894-98; private nursing ..	50, Majoribanks Street, Wellington.
1903, July..	Fraser, Ellen Brodie ..	Gisborne Hospital, 1892-95 .. .. .	Waikino.
1902, May..	Fraser, Isabella ..	Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, 1887-89; Western Infirmary, Glasgow, 1889-90; Melbourne Hospital, 1891-93; Dunedin Hospital (matron), 1893 to date of registration. Member R.B.N.A.	Hospital, Dunedin.
1902, April	Freeman, Mrs. ..	General Hospital, Birmingham, 1881-84; Wellington Hospital, 1884-86; private hospital	Private hospital, Grey Street, Palmerston North
1902, May..	Friberg, Eleanor C. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1896-99; Wanganui Hospital, 1899-1900; Thames Hospital, 1900-1902	26, Ponsonby Road, Auckland.
1902, Feb...	Fulton, Florence ..	Dunedin and Timaru Hospitals. 1896-99; private nursing	3, Hawkestone Crescent, Wellington.
1904, May..	Fulton, Williamena S. ..	Wairau Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Private hospital, Blenheim.
1904, Dec...	Gardner, Elizabeth B. ..	Wellington Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Wellington.
1903, May..	Garrett, Adelaide ..	Wanganui Hospital, 1899 to 1903. State examination, 1903	Private hospital, Palmerston North.
1903, May..	Gates, Esther ..	Timaru Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Wanganui.
1902, June..	George, Bessie G. ..	New Plymouth Hospital, 1894-97; Nelson Hospital, 1897-98; private nursing	Auckland.
1902, May..	Gerrie, Isabel ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1896-99 .. .. .	Bottle Lake Hospital, Christchurch.
1904, Dec...	Gibson, Matilda ..	Dunedin Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Dunedin.
1902, Oct...	Giffard, Ida ..	Auckland Hospital, 1897-99; Rangatira Private Hospital, Christchurch, 1900-2. State examination, October, 1902	236, Gloucester Street, Christchurch.
1902, June	Gill, Annie ..	Auckland Hospital, 1896-99; private nursing ..	Tichmount, Wellesley Street, Auckland.
1903, Dec...	Gill, Dora ..	Christchurch Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Wanganui.
1902, Feb...	Godfray, Eva F. ..	London Hospital, 1888-90; private nursing, 1892-97; Waipawa Hospital (matron), 1897-1904; military nursing, South Africa, 1900	..
1902, June	Godfrey, Augusta ..	Wellington Hospital, 1885-90, matron 1890-98 ..	Karori.
1902, May..	Goodeve, Edith J. ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1897-1900 .. .. .	London.
1904, Dec...	Gordon, Alice ..	Wanganui Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Wanganui.
1902, May..	Gosling, Ellen ..	Wellington Hospital, 1896-1902; Reefton Hospital (matron), 1902 to date	Hospital, Reefton.
1903, May..	Graham, Mary E. ..	Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Coromandel.
1904, Dec...	Graham, Jane ..	Masterton Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Masterton.

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1902, May..	Green, Annie E.	Auckland Hospital, 1897-1900; private hospital, 1900 to date of registration	Private hospital, Ponsonby Road, Auckland.
1902, March	Greig, Janet F.	Wellington Hospital, 1894-98; Palmerston North Hospital, 1899-1900; private nursing, 1901; Palmerston North Hospital, 1902	Hospital, Palmerston North.
1904, Dec...	Grieve, Janetta	Southland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Invercargill.
1902, May..	Griffith, Ethel M.	Christchurch Hospital, 1889-1903; Hokitika Hospital (matron), 1903	Hospital, Hokitika.
1902, April	Griffiths, Helen F.	Wellington Hospital, 1898 to date of registration	South Africa.
1902, Dec...	Guffie, Constance	Naseby Hospital, 1899-1902; State examination, December, 1902; Reefton Hospital, 1903	Hospital, Reefton.
1902, Feb...	Guy, Elizabeth	Wellington Hospital, 1898 to date of registration	Hospital, Wellington.
1902, June	Hales, Lillian M.	Wellington Hospital; New Plymouth Hospital, 1902	Devon Street, New Plymouth.
1902, Feb...	Hall, Mary E.	Wanganui Hospital, 1897-1900; private hospital, 1900 to 1902; private nursing	Victoria Avenue, Wanganui.
1902, Feb...	Hames, Priscilla	Auckland Hospital, 1895-98; Waikato Hospital, 1898 to date of registration	Hospital, Hamilton.
1902, June	Handyside, Mrs.	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1891-95, ..	Invercargill.
1903, Dec...	Hanron, Catharine	Nelson Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Nelson.
1902, June	Hansard, Edith	Napier Hospital, 1892-97; private nursing	Clyde Road, Napier.
1902, Oct...	Harker, Leila E.	Battle Creek Sanatorium, Michigan, U.S.A., 1895-97; private nursing, Perth, Western Australia, 1897-99; private nursing, Gisborne, Christchurch, Auckland. State examination, October, 1902	Strand Arcade, Auckland.
1902, Feb...	Harkness, Sarah	Wellington Hospital, 1895-1902; private hospital..	Private hospital, Nelson.
1904, Dec...	Harley, Ethel	Dunedin Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Dunedin
1903, Dec...	Harris, Christina	Auckland Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, Feb...	Harris, Dora L.	Dunedin Hospital, 1894-97; private nursing, 1897 to date of registration	62, Royal Terrace, Dunedin.
1902, Feb...	Harris, Mrs. ..	Adelaide Hospital, South Australia, 1895-98; Naseby Hospital (matron), 1901-2	..
1902, May..	Hassal, Muriel	Christchurch Hospital, 1898-1901	Opawa, Christchurch.
1902, May..	Hattaway, Emma	Auckland Hospital, 1891-94; private nursing, 1894-96; Auckland Hospital, 1896-99; private nursing	Ngapuhi House, Arawa Street, Auckland.
1902, Oct...	Haycock, Mrs.	Napier Hospital, 1897-98; Wanganui Hospital, 1898; private hospital, 1899; private nursing, 1900; Timaru Hospital, 1901. State examination, October, 1902	Wanganui.
1902, May..	Hayward, Maude	Christchurch Hospital, 1895-99; Westport Hospital (matron), 1899 to date	Hospital, Westport.
1902, Feb...	Heath, Lillian..	Wellington Hospital, 1887-96; Masterton Hospital, (matron), 1896-98; private nursing	Masterton.
1903, Dec...	Heaven, Florence	Christchurch Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	..
1902, June	Henry, Elizabeth B.	Christchurch Hospital, 1890-94; private nursing ..	Coffee Palace, Dunedin.
1902, May..	Hewitt, Kathleen	Wairau Hospital, 1895-98; Masterton Hospital, 1899; private hospital, 1902	Private hospital, Brewer Road, Blenheim.
1904, May..	Hodgson, Grace A.	Perth, Western Australia, certificate, 1900; Kalgoolie Hospital, 1901; private nursing	54, Vivian Street, Wellington.
1902, Feb...	Hodgson, Jessie	Wellington Hospital, 1898-1902..	Wellington.
1902, June	Hoffmann, Mrs.	Dunedin Hospital, 1893-1900; Wairau Hospital (matron), 1900-2	Mornington, Dunedin.
1902, Jan...	Holford, Alice	New Plymouth Hospital, 1897-1901; maternity nursing, Sydney, 1902	New Plymouth.
1902, June	Holgate, Mrs.	Middlesex Hospital, London, 1892-96; London Obstet. Soc. diploma, 1899; certificated masseuse; district nurse, Christchurch, 1902. Member R.B.N.A. District nurse, Wellington, 1903	District Nurses' Office, Ghuznee Street, Wellington.
1902, Nov.	Hook, A. D. ..	Derby Royal Infirmary, 1891-93; Bristol Royal Infirmary, 1893-96; private nursing, 1896-1900; Army Nursing Reserve, South Africa, 1900-2; private hospital	Private hospital, Wanganui.
1902, Oct...	Hooker, Ada ..	Hospital for Incurables, Melbourne, 1889; Auckland Hospital, 1895-97; private nursing. State examination, October, 1902	Ranfurlly Club, Masterton.
1903, May..	Hughes-Jones, Ethel	Auckland Hospital certificate, 1902. State examination, 1903	Care of Dr. A. O. Knight, Ponsonby Road, Auckland.
1902, March	Hunt, Matilda	Wellington Hospital, 1889-1902..	Wellington.
1903, Dec...	Hutchins, Minnie	Dunedin Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Invercargill.
1902, Dec...	Irvine, Jessie ..	New Plymouth Hospital, 1896-99; Wellington Hospital certificate, 1902. State examination, December, 1902	Hospital, Wellington.
1903, Dec...	Irvine, C. A. ..	Christchurch Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Christchurch.
1902, Dec...	Irving, Mrs. ..	Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney, certificate, 1888; Napier Hospital (matron), 1895-1900	247, Armagh Street, Christchurch.
1903, May..	Jackson, Catharine	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Wanganui.
1904, Dec...	Jackson, Ethel	Colonial Hospital certificate, Suva, Fiji, 1900-3 ..	Trained Nurses' Institute, Liverpool Street, Auckland.

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1903, Dec...	Jacobsen, Alice E.	Christchurch Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Christchurch.
1902, May..	James, Margaret	Dunedin Hospital, 1885 to date	Hospital, Dunedin.
1902, June	Jeffreys, C. J.	Christchurch Hospital, 1896-1900; military nursing, South Africa, 1900-2; private nursing; Otaki Hospital, 1903	Hospital, Otaki.
1903, May..	Johnston, Agnes	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Wellington.
1902, May..	Johnston, Louisa M.	Auckland Hospital, 1891-94; private nursing	St. Stephen's Avenue, Parnell, Auckland.
1902, June	Johnstone, Annie	Westland Hospital, 1896-99; private nursing	Kokatahi, Hokitika.
1902, June	Jones, Constance M.	Adelaide Hospital, South Australia, 1896-1901; private nursing	Edendale, Mount Roskill, Auckland.
1902, Jan..	Jones, Jane Melita	Nelson, Auckland, and Napier Hospitals, 1890-92; Nelson Hospital (matron), 1893-99; private nursing, 1899. Member R.B.N.A.	Tichmount, Wellesley Street, Auckland.
1902, June	Jones, Ruth E.	Training-school for Nurses, Michigan, U.S.A., 1893-96; private nursing	Ebor Villa, Onslow Road, Auckland.
1903, Dec...	Jordan, Eva Clare	Auckland Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, April	Jowsey, Mrs.	Timaru Hospital (matron), 1880-1903	Christchurch.
1902, Feb..	Keach, Ethel B.	Dunedin Hospital, 1893-1900; Westland Hospital (matron), 1900-2	Bothwell, Tasmania.
1904, Dec...	Keddie, Alexandra	Timaru Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Timaru.
1902, May..	Kerr, Agnes Dorothy	Wellington Hospital, 1890-93; Palmerston North Hospital, 1893-98; London Obstet. Soc. diploma, 1900; private nursing	Tauranga.
1902, June	Kerr, S. M.	Waikato Hospital, 1899-1903	Auckland.
1904, Dec...	Keyte, Bessie	Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, June	Kilgour, Ada F.	Grey River Hospital, 1898 to date of registration	Hospital, Greymouth.
1902, June	King, Harriett E.	Napier Hospital, 1897-1900	40, Hereford Street, Christchurch.
1902, May..	Kitto, Susan	Christchurch Hospital, 1898-1903; Wairau Hospital (matron), 1903; Timaru Hospital (matron), 1904	Hospital, Timaru.
1902, May..	Knight, Jane	Christchurch Hospital, 1899-1902; private nursing	Hereford Street, Christchurch.
1902, May..	Köhn, Louise C.	Christchurch Hospital, 1897-1901; Nelson Hospital, 1902 (matron) 1903	Wellington.
1902, March	Krull, Margaret K.	Wellington Hospital, 1897-1900; Masterton Hospital, 1900-1; private nursing; Otaki Hospital, 1903	Hospital, Otaki.
1902, June	Laird, Harriett M.	Auckland Hospital, 1893-97; private nursing, 1897-1900; Gisborne Hospital, 1900-1; private nursing	17, Richmond Road, Ponsonby, Auckland.
1902, May..	Lakeman, Edith	Southland Hospital, 1898 to date of registration	Hospital, Invercargill.
1902, Feb..	Lambe, Ethel	Auckland Hospital, 1894-97; private nursing, 1897-1900; Waipawa Hospital, 1900-2; Masterton Hospital (matron), 1902	..
1902, May..	Lane, Edith	Homoeopathic Hospital, Melbourne, 1886-89; Women's Hospital, Melbourne, 1899; private nursing	255, Cumberland Street, Dunedin.
1902, March	Lang, Charlotte A.	Napier Hospital, 1898-1902	Care of Messrs. Sharpe and Alford, Hastings.
1902, Jan..	Langley, Mabel	Thames Hospital, 1897-1902	26, Ponsonby Road, Auckland.
1902, June	Leonard, M. A. H.	Auckland Hospital, 1893-1900; private nursing	Arawa Street, Auckland.
1902, March	Leslie, Myra	Nelson Hospital, 1899-1902	Motueka, Nelson.
1904, Dec...	Lindsay, Ruth	Southland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Invercargill.
1902, Oct...	Linton, E. St. C.	Wellington Hospital, 1897-99; private nursing, Wellington, 1899 to date. State examination, October, 1902	Private hospital, Napier.
1902, Dec...	Linton, Muriel	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1902. State examination, December, 1902	Private hospital, Napier.
1902, May..	Little, Marian	Christchurch Hospital, 1892 to date of registration	Hospital, Christchurch.
1902, June	Littlecot, Gertrude	Christchurch Hospital, 1894-97; Southland Hospital, 1897; Maternity Home, Christchurch, 1897-99; military nursing, South Africa, 1900-2	Nurses' Institute, 39, Aliwal Street, Durban, South Africa.
1902, June	Lloyd-Lees, Emily	Wellington Hospital, 1886-88; Napier Hospital (matron), 1888-94; district nurse, Christchurch, 1894-96; private nursing	35, Worcester Street, Christchurch.
1903, May..	Longman, Louisa	Christchurch Hospital certificate, 1902. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Christchurch.
1904, Dec...	Low, Elizabeth D.	Wellington Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Wellington.
1904, Dec...	Lucas, E. M.	Wellington Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904 (passed first)	All Saints' Vicarage, Nelson.
1902, April	Lukin, Mary	Wellington Hospital, 1897-1900; private nursing, Sydney, N.S.W.	67, Darlinghurst Road, Sydney, N.S.W.
1903, May..	Lyons, Mary	Auckland Hospital certificate, 1902. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, June	Macandrew, Marian	Wellington Hospital, 1890; Dunedin Hospital, 1891-95; Kumara Hospital (matron), 1895-99; Grey River Hospital (matron), 1899-1900; Ashburton Hospital (matron), 1900 to date	Hospital, Ashburton.

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1902, Dec...	McArthur, Susan ..	Dunedin Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Dunedin.
1904, Dec...	Macbeth, Constance ..	Wellington Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	25, Mansfield Avenue, St. Albans, Christchurch.
1902, April	McCarthy, Mary E. ..	Westland Hospital, 1890-96; Grey River Hospital, 1896-99; Westport Hospital (matron), 1899-1900; private nursing	7, Broadway Terrace, Wellington.
1902, May..	Macdonald, K. L. ..	Napier Hospital, 1898 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Napier.
1902, August	Macdonald, Mary ..	Timaru Hospital, three years; Lond. Obstet. Soc. diploma, 1902; certificate, Clapham School of Midwifery, 1902; Glasgow Maternity Hospital, 6 months; private nursing	Wellington.
1903, May..	Macdonald, Rose ..	Dunedin Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Dunedin.
1902, June	McGill, Mrs. ..	Lawrence Hospital, 1886-97 .. ..	Island Block, Otago.
1903, May..	McGregor, Janet ..	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Wellington.
1902, May..	Mackay, Bessie ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1898 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Dunedin.
1902, June	McKendry, Jean ..	Grey River Hospital, 1895 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Greymouth.
1902, Feb...	McKenny, Cecilia ..	Wellington Hospital, 1898 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Wellington.
1902, May..	Maclachlan, Mary ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1899-1902; Timaru Hospital, 1902-3	Palmerston South.
1902, Feb...	McLagan, Mary ..	Masterton Hospital, 1897-99; Palmerston North Hospital, 1899 to date of registration	Hospital, Palmerston North.
1903, July..	McLaren, Agnes ..	Dunedin Hospital certificate, 1899 .. ..	Private hospital, Timaru.
1902, May..	McLean, Agnes ..	Wellington Hospital, 1896-99; Waipawa Hospital, 1900; private nursing	Care of Dr. McLean, Vivian Street, Wellington.
1904, May..	McLeod, Jessie ..	Invercargill Hospital certificate. State examination, May, 1904. Arrow Hospital (matron)	Hospital, Arrowtown.
1903, March	Mackenzie, Barbara ..	Kilmarnock Infirmary, 1898-1901; Royal Infirmary, Montrose, 1901-2	2, Levy Street, Wellington.
1902, May..	Macmillan, Agnes ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1895-99 .. ..	Prospect House Private Hospital, St. David Street, Dunedin.
1902, March	Manning, Alice M. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1897-1900.. ..	Wellington.
1902, June	Margetts, Emma J. ..	Auckland Hospital, 1887-90; private nursing, Sydney, 1890-98; private nursing	Rawhiti, Park Road, Auckland.
1902, June	Margetts, Helen ..	Auckland Hospital, 1887-90; certificated masseuse; private nursing	Rawhiti, Park Road, Auckland.
1902, Feb...	Margetts, Muriel ..	Auckland Hospital, 1892 to date of registration. Member R.B.N.A.	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, Jan...	Marriott, Annie E. ..	Victoria Hospital for Children, London, 1892-95; Cheltenham Hospital, 1895-96; Queen Charlotte Lying-in Hospital, 1901; private nursing, New Zealand, 1902	England.
1904, Jan...	Marsden, Mrs. Mary ..	Wellington Hospital, 1885; Blenheim Hospital (matron), 1887-1900	Stoke, Nelson.
1902, May..	Mason, Mrs. ..	Napier Hospital, 1884; Wellington Hospital, 1885-93; passed examination as chemist, 1887; City of London Lying-in Hospital, 1894; Palmerston North Hospital, 1895-97	Waimarama, Makora, Masterton.
1902, June	Mason, Olive H. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1889-97 .. ..	Masterton.
1902, May..	Massey, Mary ..	Wairau Hospital, 1893-99 .. ..	Nelson.
1904, Dec...	Massey, Emma ..	Gisborne Hospital. State examination, 1904	Nelson.
1902, May..	Mather, Eva ..	Wellington Hospital, 1898-1902.. ..	Christchurch.
1902, May..	Maude, Sibyl E. ..	Middlesex Hospital, 1889-92; Christchurch Hospital (matron), 1893-96; London Obstet. Soc. diploma, 1900; district nursing, Christchurch, 1896 to date. Member R.B.N.A.	27, Durham Street, Christchurch.
1902, Feb...	Maxwell, Jessie ..	Auckland Hospital, 1891 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Auckland.
1903, July..	Melville, Edith ..	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1899 .. ..	Registered Nurses' Society, 269, Regent Street, London, W.
1902, May..	Miller, Ethelwyn ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1898 to date of registration ..	Dunedin.
1902, Feb...	Miller, Eva B. ..	Waikato Hospital, 1896-1900; private nursing ..	Institute for Trained Nurses, Liverpool Street, Auckland.
1902, March	Miller, Lalla ..	Napier Hospital, 1898-1902; Pahiatua (matron), 1904.	Hospital, Pahiatua.
1902, Oct...	Milne, Elsie, Mrs. ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1892; private nursing, 1892-1901; Ashburn Hall Private Asylum (matron), 1902. State examination, October, 1902	Ashburn Hall, Dunedin.
1902, Oct...	Milne, Hettie, Mrs. ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1896-99. State examination, October, 1902	High Street, Caversham, Dunedin.
1902, May..	Monson, E. M. ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1889-92; private nursing; military nursing, South Africa, 1900	New South Wales.
1904, Dec...	Moody, Annie ..	Timaru Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Timaru.
1902, June	Moore, Hannah ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1890-1901 .. ..	Amberley, Canterbury.
1903, May..	Morris, Cecilia ..	Dunedin Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	..
1902, April	Morrison, Mrs. E. ..	Timaru Hospital, 1891-97; private nursing, 1898-99	Hospital, Invercargill.
1902, June	Morrison, Mrs. ..	Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney, 1885; Wellington Asylum (matron), 1887-89; Nelson Asylum (matron), 1889 to 1902	Nelson.

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1902, May..	Morrison, Ada ..	Auckland Hospital, 1889-90; Simpson Memorial Hospital, Edinburgh, three months, 1895-96; London Obstet. Soc. diploma, 1896; Thames Hospital, New Zealand, 1897-98; private hospital, Auckland, 1899 to date. Member R.B.N.A.	Woodside Private Hospital, Burleigh Street, Auckland.
1903, Dec...	Morton, Elizabeth ..	Thames Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Thames.
1902, Jan...	Mulcock, Alice ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1893-96; London Obstet. Soc. diploma, 1900; private nursing	339, St. Asaph Street, Christchurch.
1902, Feb...	Mulcock, Rebecca ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1894-95; Palmerston North Hospital, 1896-99; private nursing	235, Gloucester Street, Christchurch.
1902, Feb...	Murison, Charlotte M. ..	Sunnyside Asylum, 1888-91; Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, 1891-95; Simpson Memorial Hospital, Edinburgh, 1895; private nursing	94, Athol Place, Dunedin.
1902, Feb...	Murray, Frances R. ..	Auckland Hospital, 1893 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, May..	Murray, Mrs. ...	Christchurch Hospital, 1888-1900 .. ..	39, Hazeldean, Road, Sydenham.
1904, Dec...	Nicholson, Jane ..	Riverton Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Riverton.
1904, Dec...	Neilson, Jessie ..	Wanganui Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Wanganui.
1902, Jan...	Neill, Grace, Mrs. ..	King's College and Charing Cross Hospitals, 1873-76; Children's Hospital, Pendlebury (lady superintendent), 1876-79; St. John's House certificate midwifery, 1886; Assistant Inspector Hospitals, New Zealand, 1895 to date. Member R.B.N.A., and hon. member Matron's Council. Deputy Registrar Nurses and Midwives	Hospitals and Asylums Department, Government Buildings, Wellington.
1902, May..	Newall, Mary D. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1898 to date of registration ..	.. ..
1902, June	Newland, Blanche ..	New Plymouth Hospital, 1898 to date of registration ..	Hospital, New Plymouth.
1902, June	Nobbs, S. G. ...	Auckland Hospital, 1898 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Auckland.
1903, May..	Noble-Beasley, Kathleen	Wanganui Hospital, 1899-1903. State examination, 1903	Wanganui.
1902, May..	Noonan, Mrs. ...	Dunedin Hospital, 1894-1900; military nursing, South Africa, 1900-1; Wairau Hospital (matron), 1902	Dunedin.
1902, Nov.	Noy, Mrs. Isabel H. ..	Manchester Infirmary certificate, 1890-93; Grey River Hospital, 1896-97	57, Howe Street, Dunedin.
1904, Dec...	Nurse, Bertha ..	Wellington Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Wellington.
1903, Dec...	O'Brien, Meta.. ..	New Plymouth Hospital. State examination, 1903	Hospital, New Plymouth.
1902, June	O'Donnell, Anastasia ..	Grey River Hospital, 1898 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Greymouth.
1902, May..	Ogilvie, Mrs. ...	Wellington Hospital, 1896-99 .. ..	Seatoun, Wellington.
1902, June	Oldfield, Eva C. ..	New Plymouth Hospital, 1897-1900; Masterton Hospital (matron), 1900-2	Devon Street, New Plymouth.
1902, June	Palmer, Mrs. ...	Dunedin Hospital, 1890; Dunedin Hospital, 1892-94; Riverton Hospital (matron), 1894-96	Featherston.
1903, May..	Palmer, Clara M. ..	Christchurch Hospital certificate, 1902. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Palmerston North.
1902, Feb...	Palmer, Nina M. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1893-96; private hospital	Private hospital, Abel Smith Street, Wellington.
1902, May..	Parkinson, Ida ..	Wellington Hospital, 1896-99 .. ..	Hardinge Street, Auckland.
1903, Dec...	Parsons, Emily G. ..	Christchurch Hospital certificate, 1898 .. ..	.. ..
1902, May..	Pattison, Augusta P. ..	Napier Hospital, 1897-1900 .. ..	Highcliff, Napier.
1902, Jan...	Payne, Frances K. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1890-96; Christchurch Hospital (matron), 1898; Southland Hospital (matron), 1898; Wellington Hospital (matron), 1899-1902; Rotorua Sanatorium (matron), 1902-4; Wellington Hospital (matron), 1904. Member R.B.N.A. and Matron's Council	Hospital, Wellington.
1902, Dec...	Peiper, Dora ..	Invercargill Hospital, 1897-1900; Military nursing, South Africa, 1900-2; L.O.S. diploma, May, 1902	Wellington.
1904, May..	Penzholz, Luise ..	Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, June	Petremant, H. ..	Hospital for Women, Liverpool, 1897-99; Fever Hospital, Leicester, 1889-90; district nurse, Manchester, 1891-93; Lewisham Hospital, 1894-96; district nursing, Lancashire, 1898-1900; private hospital	Auckland.
1902, Feb...	Pettit, Ellen M. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1895-1902, matron 1902-4 ..	Sanatorium, Rotorua.
1902, May..	Phillips, Mary ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1878-88; Auckland Hospital, 1890-96; Costley Home (matron), 1901-2. Member R.B.N.A.	Hospital, Waipukurau.
1902, Feb...	Phillipson, Florence ..	Auckland Hospital, 1891-93; New Plymouth Hospital, 1893-97; Wanganui Hospital, 1897-98; private nursing. Member R.B.N.A.	Private hospital, Wicksteed Street, Wanganui.
1903, May..	Pitt, Frances M. ..	Wanganui Hospital, 1899-1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Wanganui.
1902, May..	Poland, Mary E. F. ..	Auckland Hospital, 1898-1901; Thames Hospital, 1901 to date of registration	.. ..
1904, Dec...	Pownall, Inez.. ..	Thames Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Thames.
1902, May..	Price, Lillie E. ..	New Plymouth and Hawera Hospitals, 1898-1904 ..	Hospital, Waihi.
1903, May..	Purcell, Mary.. ..	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Palmerston North.



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1902, June	Quinn, Lucie S. A. ..	Waimate Hospital, 1897-1900 .. .. .	Studholme Street, Temuka.
1902, Nov...	Rattigan, Margarita ..	Wellington Hospital, 1891-94; Waipukurau Hospital, 1894-96; private nursing	Wellington.
1902, March	Raymond, Mrs. Mary ..	Timaru Hospital, 1892-98; Grey River Hospital, 1898-1901	Maori Hill, Timaru.
1904, May..	Redwood, Agnes ..	Wairau Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Private hospital, Blenheim.
1902, May..	Rees, Mildred G. ..	Blenheim Hospital, 1888-90; Wellington Hospital, 1890-94; private nursing, 1894-99	Private hospital, Wellington.
1902, Oct. . .	Reeves, Lena ..	Waipukurau Hospital, 1897-1902. State examination, October, 1902, and December, 1902	London.
1902, Dec...	Reid, Mrs. Harper ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1888-1891 .. .. .	The Avenue, Wanganui.
1902, Feb...	Rennell, Edith ..	Wellington Hospital, 1897 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Wellington.
1903, Dec...	Renouf, Louise M. ..	Napier Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Timaru.
1903, Dec...	Roberts, Alice Myra ..	Ashburton Hospital certificate. State examination, 1903	Christchurch.
1903, Dec...	Robertson, Helen ..	Dunedin Hospital certificate. State examination, 1903	Dunedin.
1902, May..	Robinson, Emily S. ..	Wairau Hospital, 1891-99; Picton Hospital (matron), 1900 to date	Hospital, Picton.
1902, June	Robinson, Mrs. M. ..	Napier Hospital, 1895-1901 .. .. .	Fitzroy Road, Napier.
1903, Dec...	Robinson, Mary ..	Napier Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Napier.
1902, May..	Roby, Ann S. ..	Auckland Hospital, 1895-98 .. .. .	Tiri Private Hospital, Grafton Road, Auckland.
1902, Feb...	Rochfort, Alice S. ..	Wellington Hospital, 1894-98; Otaki Hospital (matron), 1899-1901; private hospital, Nelson, 1902; Government Sanatorium, Cambridge (matron), 1902 to date	Te Waikato Government Sanatorium, Cambridge.
1902, Oct. . .	Rochfort, Annie ..	Wellington Hospital, 1900 and 1901; private hospital, Nelson, 1902. State examination, October, 1902	Private hospital, Manuka Street, Nelson.
1904, May..	Rockfort, Mabel ..	Wellington Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Sanatorium, Cambridge.
1902, May..	Rose, S. J. ..	Auckland Hospital, 1893-97; private nursing ..	Awanui, Auckland.
1904, May..	Rosewarne, Helena ..	Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Auckland.
1903, Dec...	Ross, Barbara ..	Dunedin Hospital certificate. State examination, 1903	Dunedin.
1902, Feb...	Rothwell, Elizabeth ..	Waikato Hospital, 1891-96, matron 1896 to date. Member R.B.N.A.	Hospital, Hamilton.
1902, Feb...	Rowles, Elizabeth ..	Auckland Hospital, 1889 to 1903; Northern Wairoa Hospital (matron), 1903	Hospital, Aratapu.
1904, Dec...	Rule, Rose E... ..	Christchurch Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	..
1902, Feb...	Sanderson, Emily ..	Wellington Hospital, 1894-98; private nursing; Women's Hospital, Sydney, midwifery certificate	Brougham Street, Wellington.
1902, May..	Schnackenberg, Aimée..	Edinburgh Infirmary, 1893-97; Simpson Memorial Hospital, Edinburgh (maternity), 1897	Puriri, Grafton Road, Auckland.
1903, May..	Scolon, Elizabeth ..	Dunedin Hospital certificate. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Masterton.
1902, Dec...	Scott, Eleanor ..	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1902. State examination, December, 1902	San Francisco, U.S.A.
1902, Feb...	Sealy, Edith M. ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1893-99; Waipawa Hospital, 1899; Women's Hospital, Melbourne, 1900; Otaki Hospital (matron), 1901 to date	Hospital, Otaki.
1902, Oct. . .	Shackleford, L. A. ..	Private hospital, Dunedin, 1894 to date. State examination, October, 1902	Care of Dr. F. Batchelor, Princes Street, Dunedin.
1904, Dec...	Shanks, Elizabeth ..	Riverton Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Riverton.
1902, Feb...	Shillington, Eva ..	Westland Hospital, 1891-1902, matron 1902-3; Aratapu Hospital, 1903	..
1902, Feb...	Smales, Elaine ..	Auckland Hospital, 1895-99; Wanganui Hospital, 1899-1900; private nursing	St. Hill Street, Wanganui.
1902, Feb...	Smart, Alice ..	Auckland Hospital, 1897 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, May..	Smith, Barbara ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1897 to date of registration ..	Dunedin.
1902, June	Smith, Brenda ..	New Plymouth Hospital, 1895-99 .. .. .	Hospital, New Plymouth.
1902, May..	Smith, Mrs. Louisa E... ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1895-98 .. .. .	Cape Foulwind, Westport.
1902, March	Smi h, Mrs... ..	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1889-1902	Wellington.
1902, Feb...	Somerville, Mrs. Sara ..	Glasgow Western Infirmary, 1879-82; Simpson Memorial Hospital, Edinburgh, 1882-83; midwife diploma, West of Scotland Nursing Association, 1883-88	U.F.S. Dispensary, Timaru.
1902, June	Speed, Janet ..	Wellington Hospital, 1887-94; British A.N.S. Reserve, South Africa, 1900-2	Picton.
1902, May..	Spraggon, Harriett H... ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1897 to date of registration ..	Hospital, Dunedin.
1902, May..	Sproull, Emma ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1897-1900; Wanganui Hospital, 1901 to date of registration	Hospital, Wanganui.
1903, Dec...	Sproull, Letitia ..	Dunedin Hospital certificate. State examination, 1903	Christchurch.
1903, Jan...	Squire, Ada ..	Edinburgh Infirmary, 1889-90; Auckland Hospital (matron), 1895-98; private nursing to date	Hilo, Hawaiian Islands.
1903, Dec...	Stanley, Louisa L. ..	Waikato Hospital certificate. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Hawera,

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1902, May..	Stevens, Hilda ..	Wellington Hospital, 1897-1900; Riverton Hospital, 1901-2; Cromwell Hospital (matron), 1902-3	London.
1902, Jan...	Stewart, Caroline ..	General Hospitals, Hobart and Launceston; Children's Hospitals, Melbourne and Sydney; Gisborne Hospital (matron), 1890 to date	Hospital, Gisborne.
1902, Dec...	Stewart, Elizabeth ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1895-98; Invercargill Hospital (matron), 1898-1900; Wairau Hospital (matron), 1902-3	..
1902, Jan...	Stewart, Matilda ..	Auckland Hospital, 1885; Thames Hospital (matron), 1890 to date. Member R.B.N.A.	Hospital, Thames.
1902, Feb...	Strachan, Annie B. ..	Glasgow Western Infirmary, 1891-94; Edinburgh Royal Maternity and Simpson Memorial Hospitals, 1896; London Obstet. Soc. diploma, 1900; Waipawa Hospital, 1901; Otaki Hospital, 1903	District nursing, Wellington.
1902, Feb...	Stratford, Ethel ..	Auckland Hospital, 1897-1902 ..	Hospital, Coromandel.
1902, Feb...	Street, Maud M. ..	Auckland Hospital, 1896-1902; Coromandel Hospital (matron), 1903	Hospital, Coromandel.
1902, Oct...	Stronach, Fanny ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1893-96; private hospital, Dunedin, 1896 to date of registration. State examination, October, 1902	Private hospital, Stafford Street, Dunedin.
1903, May..	Stuart, Isabel..	Auckland Hospital, 1889-1897; Whangarei Hospital (matron), to date	Hospital, Whangarei.
1902, May..	Sutherland, Jeannie ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1892-95; Auckland Hospital, 1895-97; private hospital, Dunedin. Member R.B.N.A.	Chalet Private Hospital, High Street, Dunedin.
1903, Dec...	Taylor, Mrs. ..	Ashburton Hospital certificate. State examination, 1903	Leeston, Canterbury.
1902, May..	Taylor, Ada ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1899 to date of registration	Hospital, Christchurch.
1902, Feb...	Thomas, Amy..	Wellington Hospital, 1892-95; Palmerston North Hospital, 1895 to date of registration	Hospital, Palmerston North.
1902, April	Thompson, Annie ..	Auckland Hospital, 1894 to 1902..	Auckland.
1902, Feb...	Thompson, May ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1897-1901; Waipawa Hospital, 1901; Coromandel Hospital, 1903	..
1902, Feb...	Thomson, Edith M. ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1898-99; private nursing, Dunedin	101, Athol Place, Dunedin.
1903, May..	Threlkeld, Mary ..	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	The Limes, Christchurch.
1904, Dec...	Thurston, Mabel ..	Wellington Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Wellington.
1902, March	Todd, Jeanie ..	Wellington Hospital, 1897 to date ..	Hospital, Wellington.
1902, May..	Tombe, Annie..	Dunedin Hospital, 1895-99 ..	Prospect House Private Hospital, St. David Street, Dunedin.
1902, June	Tuersley, Emma ..	Wellington Hospital, 1887-91; Sunnyside Asylum (matron), 1891-98; Porirua Asylum (matron), 1900 to date	The Asylum, Porirua.
1902, June	Tuke, Beryl ..	New Plymouth Hospital, 1897-1901 ..	Canterbury, England.
1903, July..	Tuke, Ellen ..	Auckland Hospital certificate, 1898 ..	37, Grafton Street, Auckland.
1902, Feb...	Turner, Kassie ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1893-1901; private hospital	Private hospital, The Limes, Victoria Square, Christchurch.
1902, Dec...	Urquhart, Margaret ..	Christchurch Hospital certificate, 1902. State examination, December, 1902	Wellington.
1904, May..	Utting, Gertrude ..	Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, May..	Veitch, Amelia C. ..	Dunedin Hospital, 1889 to date ..	Hospital, Dunedin.
1903, Dec...	Wall, Alice ..	Dunedin Hospital certificate. State examination, 1903	..
1904, Nov...	Wallace, Mrs..	Charing Cross Hospital, 1883-86 ..	Hohipere, Upper Symonds Street, Auckland.
1904, May..	Ward, Annie L. ..	Strathmore Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Christchurch.
1902, Jan...	Warmington, Mary E. ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1891-93; Wanganui Hospital (matron), 1894-98; Patea Hospital (matron), 1898-99; private hospital, 1899-1900; military nursing, South Africa, 1900	New South Wales.
1902, March	Watkins, Alma ..	Christchurch Hospital, 1896-99; Linwood Maternity Home, 1899; Nelson Hospital (matron), 1901-2; private nursing	Wellington.
1903, May..	Watt, Ellen ..	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903	..
1902, April	Webb, Dora ..	Wellington Hospital, 1898-1902; South Africa concentration camp, 1902	South Africa.
1903, Dec...	Webb, Mary F. ..	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1903. State examination, 1903 (passed first)	Hospital, Waipukurau.
1904, May..	Welsman, Ethel F. ..	Christchurch Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Christchurch.
1902, May..	Weston, Mary E. ..	Napier Hospital, 1891-94; private nursing, Christchurch, 1894-1900; Wanganui Hospital, 1900-1; private nursing, Palmerston North	Palmerston North.
1903, May..	Wheeler, Priscilla ..	Auckland Hospital certificate. State examination, 1903	Hospital, Auckland.
1903, May..	White, Emmeline ..	Napier Hospital certificate, 1902. State examination, 1903	Women's Hospital, Melbourne.
1902, Jan...	White, Mrs. ..	Launceston Hospital, 1892-94; Palmerston North Hospital, 1896-99, 1900-2	..

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1903, Dec...	Wiggins, Ella A.	Christchurch Hospital certificate. State examination. 1903	Hospital, Christchurch.
1902, May..	Wilkinson, Mrs.	Hawera Hospital, 1896-97, 1899-1904	Te Aute, Hawke's Bay.
1902, May..	Williams, E. G.	Dunedin Hospital, 1897-1900; Wanganui Hospital, 1900-1	..
1902, Feb...	Williams, Marie	Auckland Hospital, 1898-1904	Rawhiti, Park Street, Auckland.
1902, June	Williamson, Janet W. M.	Dunedin Hospital, 1890-99; private nursing, 1899-1900; military nursing, South Africa, 1900; Nelson Hospital (matron), 1902-3. Royal Red Cross	Nelson.
1902, Feb...	Willis, Frances M.	Christchurch Hospital, 1898-1902	44, Durham Street, Christchurch.
1902, April	Willis, Helena	Wellington Hospital, 1890-98; private nursing, 1898-1900; Riverton Hospital (matron), 1900 to date	Hospital, Riverton.
1902, Feb...	Wilson, Aimée C.	Auckland Hospital, 1897-1902; Gisborne Hospital, 1902-3	..
1902, May..	Wilson, Mrs. Margaret..	New Plymouth Hospital, 1898-1901; Hawera Hospital (matron). 1901-4	..
1904, Dec...	Wilson, Margaret	Thames Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Thames.
1902, May..	Wingfield, Mrs.	Dunedin Hospital, 1895-98	Waimate.
1902, May..	Wiseman, A. J.	Wellington Hospital, 1896-1900; private nursing, Wellington	Montrose, Bowen Street, Wellington.
1902, Feb...	Woods, Lillian E. C.	Auckland Hospital, 1898 to date of registration	Hospital, Auckland.
1902, May..	Wooten, Mrs. Alma	Alfred Hospital, Melbourne, 1891-93; Auckland Hospital (matron), 1898 to date	Hospital, Auckland.
1903, Nov...	Wright, Louise C. E.	Wellington Hospital certificate, 1900; Bottle Lake Hospital, 1902-3; private hospital, Christchurch, 1903	151, Salisbury Street, Christchurch.
1904, Dec...	Wright, Margaret	Dunedin Hospital certificate. State examination, 1904	Hospital, Dunedin.
1902, May..	Wright, Mrs. . .	Wellington Hospital, 1893-1904	Wellington.
1903, Oct. . .	Wyatt, Elizabeth Lucy..	Napier Hospital certificate. 1896, 1901; Women's Hospital, Sydney, midwifery certificate, 1901; Sydney Hospital, dispensing certificate, 1901; Parkes Hospital, N.S.W. (matron), 1901-3; private nursing, Wellington; Wairau Hospital (matron), 1904	Wairau Hospital, Blenheim.
1902, Jan...	Wyllie, K. R. . .	Gisborne Hospital, 1894-1901	Gisborne.

I certify that the above is a true copy of the name, nursing experience, and residence of every person registered under "The Nurses Registration Act, 1901," as recorded in the Nurses Register-book kept in this office.

D. MACGREGOR,

Registrar of Nurses, and Inspector-General, Hospitals and Asylums.

Hospitals and Asylums Department,  
Government Building, 4th January, 1905.

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

Public Trust Office,  
Wellington, 7th February, 1905.

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.

Adam Thomson, late of Kaitangata, in the Provincial District of Otago, miner. Filed on the 20th day of January, 1905.

Elma Adeline Alexandrovina Price, late of Papanui, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, spinster. Filed on the 25th day of January, 1905.

George Lake, late of Hawera, in the Provincial District of Taranaki, accountant. Filed on the 1st day of February, 1905.

Thomas Smith, late of Turangarere, in the Provincial District of Wellington, labourer. Filed on the 6th day of February, 1905.

Luis Gustra, late of Paremata, in the Provincial District of Wellington, fisherman. Filed on the 6th day of February, 1905.

James Bashford, late of Wanganui, in the Provincial District of Wellington, labourer. Filed on the 6th day of February, 1905.

John McGurk, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, stonebreaker. Filed on the 6th day of February, 1905.

Emily Haslam, late of Richmond, in the Provincial District of Nelson, widow. Filed on the 6th day of February, 1905.

John Clark, late of Waituna West, in the Provincial District of Wellington, carpenter. Filed on the 6th day of February, 1905.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

Officiating Ministers for 1905.—Notice No. 5.

Registrar-General's Office.

Wellington, 4th February, 1905.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand passed in the fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King Edward VII., and intitled "The Marriage Act, 1904," the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

Congregational Independents.

The Reverend Alfred John Lee.

Auckland Central Mission.

Mr. Joseph Burton Butler.

ERRATUM.—In *New Zealand Gazette* No. 4, of the 19th January, 1905, page 84, list of Officiating Ministers, Notice No. 1, under "The Marriage Act, 1904," for "The Reverend Richard Richards," of the Roman Catholic Church, read "The Reverend Robert Richards."

E. J. von DADELSZEN,  
Registrar-General.

## Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the four weeks ending 7th January, 1905, and for the corresponding four weeks, 1904.

## KAWAKAWA SECTION.

	1905.			1904.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	72	14	86	86	22	108
2nd Class	502	516	1,018	516	500	1,016
Total	574	530	1,104	602	522	1,124
Season Tickets			6			2
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			12			37
Horses			3			9
Carriages						
Dogs			16			12
Total			31			58
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays						2
Cattle			3			3
Calves			1			2
Sheep						9
Pigs						
Total			4			16
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.			30			
Wool			6			16
Firewood						
Timber			5			15
Grain			126			64
Merchandise			116			182
Minerals			268			246
Total			551			523
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			50 1 3			50 9 6
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			5 2 3			6 19 8
Goods			112 13 6			117 15 2
Miscellaneous			0 13 6			4 9 4
Rents and Commission			3 4 0			3 12 0
Total			£171 14 6			£183 5 8

## WHANGAREI SECTION.

	1905.			1904.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	833	502	1,335	697	484	1,181
2nd Class	2,341	5,264	7,605	2,240	5,136	7,376
Total	3,174	5,766	8,940	2,937	5,620	8,557
Season Tickets			4			5
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			172			112
Horses						
Carriages						
Dogs			11			7
Total			183			119
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays			1			
Cattle			7			11
Calves			1			
Sheep			210			120
Pigs						44
Total			219			175
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.			54			
Wool						
Firewood			42			48
Timber			2,827			2,310
Grain			112			98
Merchandise			238			247
Minerals			5,303			5,226
Total			8,576			7,929
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			347 13 4			323 11 2
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			17 4 0			12 0 3
Goods			1,520 14 9			1,404 4 8
Miscellaneous			20 13 0			15 7 6
Rents and Commission			28 12 1			28 3 8
Total			£1,934 17 2			£1,783 7 3

## KAIHU SECTION.

	1905.			1904.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	49	190	239	39	180	219
2nd Class	1,117	2,274	3,391	926	2,064	2,990
Total	1,166	2,464	3,630	965	2,244	3,209
Season Tickets			0			0
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			124			122
Horses			5			4
Carriages			1			
Dogs			22			14
Total			152			140
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays			1			
Cattle						
Calves			6			
Sheep						
Pigs						
Total			7			
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.						
Wool			6			1
Firewood			30			
Timber			1,273			1,657
Grain			48			17
Merchandise			163			114
Minerals						
Total			1,520			1,789
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			168 13 6			141 5 10
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			14 12 0			11 18 3
Goods			322 19 0			358 15 6
Miscellaneous			11 14 11			9 17 1
Rents and Commission			21 6 0			20 2 0
Total			£539 5 5			£541 18 8

## AUCKLAND SECTION.

	1905.			1904.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	4,088	6,090	10,178	4,095	6,856	10,951
2nd Class	29,235	118,834	148,069	26,815	134,436	161,251
Total	33,323	124,924	158,247	30,910	141,292	172,202
Season Tickets			2,017			1,637
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			8,668			8,582
Horses			109			84
Carriages			9			4
Dogs			471			366
Total			9,257			9,036
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays			35			47
Cattle			1,499			1,850
Calves			78			256
Sheep			10,961			9,596
Pigs			89			105
Total			12,662			11,854
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.			720			1,170
Wool			393			362
Firewood			504			564
Timber			2,644			3,205
Grain			5,390			4,335
Merchandise			4,324			4,392
Minerals			11,738			11,051
Total			25,713			25,079
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			12,537 18 8			11,997 19 1
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			1,745 12 3			1,444 13 9
Goods			11,681 6 5			10,846 13 1
Miscellaneous			336 6 5			190 9 11
Rents and Commission			500 12 7			460 4 5
Total			£26,801 16 4			£24,940 0 3



## WESTPORT SECTION.

	1905.			1904.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	30	146	176	22	106	128
2nd Class	2,155	11,802	13,957	2,023	10,976	12,999
Total	2,185	11,948	14,133	2,045	11,082	13,127
Season Tickets	..	..	15	..	..	31
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	372	..	..	429
Horses	..	..	2	..	..	..
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	19	..	..	8
Total	..	..	393	..	..	437
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	..	..	..	2
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	132	..	..	10
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	132	..	..	12
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	12	..	..	54
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	150	..	..	282
Timber	..	..	205	..	..	187
Grain	..	..	105	..	..	85
Merchandise	..	..	216	..	..	309
Minerals	..	..	32,126	..	..	34,644
Total	..	..	32,814	..	..	35,561
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	627 5 8	..	..	591 13 10
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	..	33 7 4	..	..	23 19 2
Goods	..	..	4,407 17 5	..	..	4,486 19 1
Miscellaneous	..	..	163 13 1	..	..	156 14 11
Rents and Commission	..	..	101 16 9	..	..	102 17 9
Total	..	..	£5,334 0 3	..	..	£5,362 4 9

## NELSON SECTION.

	1905.			1904.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	144	722	866	143	706	854
2nd Class	2,498	10,830	13,328	2,242	10,584	12,826
Total	2,642	11,552	14,194	2,390	11,290	13,680
Season Tickets	..	..	6	..	..	9
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	496	..	..	445
Horses	..	..	6	..	..	10
Carriages	..	..	5	..	..	3
Dogs	..	..	23	..	..	35
Total	..	..	530	..	..	493
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	1	..	..	4
Cattle	..	..	3	..	..	3
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	71	..	..	123
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	75	..	..	130
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	48	..	..	120
Wool	..	..	182	..	..	154
Firewood	..	..	420	..	..	240
Timber	..	..	354	..	..	440
Grain	..	..	373	..	..	248
Merchandise	..	..	230	..	..	291
Minerals	..	..	427	..	..	840
Total	..	..	2,034	..	..	2,333
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	633 6 11	..	..	646 7 4
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	..	61 3 7	..	..	50 0 9
Goods	..	..	893 13 11	..	..	784 2 0
Miscellaneous	..	..	108 1 5	..	..	62 4 5
Rents and Commission	..	..	103 18 11	..	..	106 5 7
Total	..	..	£1,850 4 9	..	..	£1,649 0 1

## PICTON SECTION.

	1905.			1904.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	527	2,486	3,013	536	2,232	2,768
2nd Class	2,079	10,344	12,423	1,929	9,708	11,637
Total	2,606	12,830	15,436	2,465	11,940	14,405
Season Tickets	..	..	2	..	..	1
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	71	..	..	130
Horses	..	..	4	..	..	11
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	3
Dogs	..	..	27	..	..	26
Total	..	..	102	..	..	170
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	2	..	..	4
Cattle	..	..	2	..	..	2
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	5,328	..	..	2,504
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	1
Total	..	..	5,332	..	..	2,511
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	330	..	..	240
Wool	..	..	599	..	..	599
Firewood	..	..	294	..	..	330
Timber	..	..	12	..	..	62
Grain	..	..	260	..	..	176
Merchandise	..	..	337	..	..	342
Minerals	..	..	175	..	..	169
Total	..	..	2,007	..	..	1,918
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	823 11 3	..	..	728 14 3
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	..	32 2 3	..	..	32 0 7
Goods	..	..	574 6 3	..	..	556 0 0
Miscellaneous	..	..	44 0 7	..	..	47 12 0
Rents and Commission	..	..	45 3 8	..	..	52 0 2
Total	..	..	£1,519 4 0	..	..	£1,416 7 0

## LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.

	1905.			1904.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	171	1,824	1,995	266	2,576	2,842
2nd Class	208	1,480	1,688	318	1,660	1,978
Total	379	3,304	3,683	584	4,236	4,820
Season Tickets	..	..	0	..	..	0
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	393	..	..	305
Horses	..	..	12	..	..	1
Carriages	..	..	1	..	..	1
Dogs	..	..	3	..	..	5
Total	..	..	409	..	..	312
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	4	..	..	12
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	68	..	..	22
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	72	..	..	34
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wool	..	..	107	..	..	74
Firewood	..	..	..	..	..	..
Timber	..	..	46	..	..	53
Grain	..	..	89	..	..	90
Merchandise	..	..	135	..	..	202
Minerals	..	..	64	..	..	62
Total	..	..	441	..	..	481
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	481 15 4	..	..	581 13 6
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	..	46 2 1	..	..	57 10 1
Goods	..	..	168 7 4	..	..	192 12 8
Miscellaneous	..	..	Cr. 0 7 0	..	..	0 5 3
Rents and Commission	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	£695 17 9	..	..	£832 1 6

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1904-5.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 7th January, 1905 (282 Days).

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
<b>NORTH ISLAND,—</b>								
Kawakawa ..	8	£ 171 14 6	£ 1,523 15 8	£ 230 1 0	£ 1,620 0 2	106.31	£ 247 12 3	£ 263 5 0
Whangarei ..	23	1,934 17 2	18,379 17 5	627 15 9	7,190 18 7	39.12	1,038 17 3	406 8 10
Kaihu ..	17	539 5 5	5,529 5 3	412 5 1	3,664 12 4	66.28	422 16 6	280 4 8
Auckland ..	374	26,801 16 4	222,049 19 11	14,258 16 10	141,246 10 0	63.61	771 16 8	490 19 3
Gisborne-Karaka ..	13	299 3 11	2,319 12 5	245 16 4	2,188 8 3	94.34	231 19 3	218 16 10
Wellington-Napier-New Plymouth ..	479	59,085 0 1	437,533 5 3	32,333 10 9	307,661 16 11	70.32	1,206 5 8	848 4 7
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>914</b>	<b>88,831 17 5</b>	<b>687,335 15 11</b>	<b>48,108 5 9</b>	<b>463,572 6 3</b>	<b>67.44</b>		
<b>MIDDLE ISLAND,—</b>								
Hurunui-Bluff ..	1,234	95,775 2 11	801,231 16 8	59,468 8 9	562,059 1 7	70.15	£ 850 3 8	£ 596 7 11
Westland ..	117	7,181 10 0	62,750 8 2	3,740 0 11	42,723 19 2	68.09	724 6 3	493 3 0
Westport ..	31	5,334 0 3	63,830 7 0	2,344 10 7	29,847 5 2	46.76	2,676 15 11	1,251 13 2
Nelson ..	33	1,850 4 9	12,456 10 5	958 1 10	10,964 1 6	88.02	490 14 5	431 18 4
Piçon ..	34	1,519 4 0	11,751 17 9	1,245 10 3	11,211 1 6	95.40	449 6 9	428 13 2
Lake Wakatipu Steamers ..	..	695 17 9	4,081 12 10	392 11 11	4,148 8 9	101.64		
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>1,449</b>	<b>112,355 19 8</b>	<b>956,102 12 10</b>	<b>68,149 4 3</b>	<b>660,953 17 8</b>	<b>69.13</b>		
<b>Grand total ..</b>	<b>2,363</b>	<b>201,187 17 1</b>	<b>1,643,438 8 9</b>	<b>116,257 10 0</b>	<b>1,124,526 3 11</b>	<b>68.43</b>		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR (277 DAYS).

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.			
<b>NORTH ISLAND,—</b>								
Kawakawa ..	8	£ 183 5 8	£ 1,421 2 6	£ 161 5 11	£ 1,676 6 4	117.96	£ 230 18 8	£ 272 8 0
Whangarei ..	23	1,783 7 3	17,235 18 4	702 4 4	6,770 8 5	39.28	974 4 1	382 13 6
Kaihu ..	17	541 18 8	5,036 2 5	264 16 11	3,070 16 4	60.98	385 2 4	234 16 6
Auckland ..	374	24,940 0 3	196,765 6 0	11,443 12 1	118,873 2 9	60.41	737 13 10	445 13 4
Gisborne-Karaka ..	13	219 6 9	2,380 15 0	219 3 5	2,157 4 4	90.61	238 1 6	215 14 5
Wellington-Napier-New Plymouth ..	466	54,490 17 4	410,988 12 4	28,602 5 11	294,802 3 8	71.73	1,146 10 8	822 8 2
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>901</b>	<b>82,158 15 11</b>	<b>633,827 16 7</b>	<b>41,393 8 7</b>	<b>427,350 1 10</b>	<b>67.42</b>		
<b>MIDDLE ISLAND,—</b>								
Hurunui-Bluff ..	1,217	92,614 3 0	803,398 4 3	50,818 11 8	546,617 19 4	68.04	£ 860 2 0	£ 585 3 11
Westland ..	112	6,594 1 3	61,464 7 2	3,326 15 4	39,736 19 0	64.65	713 8 6	461 4 8
Westport ..	31	5,362 4 9	62,337 3 3	2,267 1 0	28,260 16 10	45.34	2,614 2 9	1,185 2 8
Nelson ..	33	1,649 0 1	11,898 9 0	952 14 4	10,987 5 3	92.34	468 14 6	432 16 8
Piçon ..	34	1,416 7 0	10,837 8 10	900 1 2	8,804 18 11	81.25	414 7 5	336 13 2
Lake Wakatipu Steamers ..	..	832 1 6	4,813 4 2	869 5 10	4,642 5 5	96.45		
<b>Total ..</b>	<b>1,427</b>	<b>108,467 17 7</b>	<b>954,748 16 8</b>	<b>59,134 9 4</b>	<b>639,050 4 9</b>	<b>66.93</b>		
<b>Grand total ..</b>	<b>2,323</b>	<b>190,626 13 6</b>	<b>1,588,576 13 3</b>	<b>100,527 17 11</b>	<b>1,066,400 6 7</b>	<b>67.13</b>		

H. DAVIDSON,  
Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department, 7th February, 1905.

## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF TRAFFIC ON ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1904, to 7th January, 1905.

All Sections.	Passengers.					Season Tickets.	Number.					Number.						
	First Class.		Second Class.		Total.		Total.	Parcels.	Horses.	Carriages.	Dogs.	Total.	Drays, &c.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.
	S.	R.	S.	R.	Total.													
1905*	265,925	783,950	1,488,910	3,871,800	6,410,585	106,082	617,487	11,975	1,701	28,878	660,041	1,664	78,893	10,271	1,810,601	53,618	1,955,047	
1904†	251,769	740,566	1,424,592	3,757,884	6,174,811	94,993	587,154	10,967	1,552	27,403	627,076	1,685	77,690	8,425	2,193,645	48,730	2,330,175	
Inc.	14,156	43,384	64,318	113,916	235,774	11,089	30,333	1,008	149	1,475	32,965	..	1,203	1,846	..	4,888	..	
Dec.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	..	..	383,044	..	375,128	

All Sections.	Tons.															
	Chaff, Lime, &c.		Wool.		Firewood.		Timber.		Grain.		Merchandise.		Minerals.		Total.	
	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.
1905*	103,472	0 0	64,003	8 0	84,504	0 0	374,016	17 0	578,712	19 0	464,683	8 0	1,368,158	0 0	3,037,550	12 0
1904†	101,926	0 0	57,960	12 0	81,464	0 0	387,125	16 0	625,090	10 0	479,879	6 0	1,299,276	8 0	3,032,722	12 0
Increase	1,546	0 0	6,042	16 0	3,040	0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	68,881	12 0	4,828	0 0
Decrease	..	..	..	..	..	..	13,108	19 0	46,377	11 0	15,195	18 0	..	..	..	..

\* 282 days.

† 277 days.

## ESTIMATED COST OF CONSTRUCTION, ALL LINES, to 31st March, 1904, as furnished by Public Works Department and by Greymouth and Westport Harbour Boards respectively.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.			Cost of Unopened Lines.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Kawakawa .. .. .	94,204	0 0	40,384	0 0		
Whangarei .. .. .	176,322	0 0	12,236	0 0		
Kaihu .. .. .	69,644	0 0	..	..		
Auckland .. .. .	3,060,491	0 0	209,295	0 0		
Gisborne-Karaka .. .. .	76,062	0 0	18,745	0 0		
Wellington-Napier-New Plymouth	4,733,038	0 0	358,873	0 0		
Wellington-Foxton (private line)	..	..	42,116	0 0		
Surveys, North Island .. .. .	..	..	23,914	0 0		
Miscellaneous .. .. .	..	..	5,169	0 0		
Hurunui-Bluff .. .. .	10,190,793	0 0	598,952	0 0		
Westland .. .. .	1,160,284	0 0	74,136	0 0		
Westport .. .. .	452,959	0 0	..	..		
Nelson .. .. .	266,843	0 0	42,263	0 0		
Picton .. .. .	348,571	0 0	..	..		
Lake Wakatipu steamer service ..	15,612	0 0	..	..		
Stock, Permanent-way .. .. .	..	..	42,376	0 0		
Stock, A.O.L. Stores .. .. .	23,088	0 0	..	..		
Surveys, Middle Island .. .. .	..	..	6,682	0 0		
Miscellaneous .. .. .	..	..	5,168	0 0		
Stock in suspense .. .. .	35,000	0 0	..	..		
<b>Total</b> .. .. .	<b>20,692,911</b>	<b>0 0</b>	<b>1,480,309</b>	<b>0 0</b>		

H. DAVIDSON,  
Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department, 7th February, 1905.





RETURN of the VALUE of IMPORTS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st DECEMBER, 1904—continued.

Countries.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Pictou.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton and Christchurch.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Bluff.	Parcels Post.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter, 1903.	Countries.		
Asia—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	Asia—		
China	28	...	...	2	...	...	...	1,307	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	1,345	1,189	China		
Japan	4,427	...	...	10	67	96	60	3,905	181	28	...	471	...	...	...	4,605	96	98	...	315	...	16,952	23,407	Japan		
Java	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	259	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	259	40	Java	
Philippine Islands	643	...	...	...	...	...	...	879	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	922	612	Philippine Islands	
Asia Minor	2,507	...	...	110	236	...	133	5,471	195	...	...	330	...	...	...	704	211	20	...	466	...	11,674	15,613	Asia Minor		
Sumatra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	76	...	Sumatra	
Pacific Islands—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pacific Islands—	
Friendly	5,968	...	...	...	...	...	...	661	...	...	...	122	...	...	...	109	...	...	...	76	...	6,936	2,032	Friendly		
Navigator's	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	70	Navigator's		
Society	1,635	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,635	528	Society		
Sandwich	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	28	184	4	Sandwich	
New Caledonia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	20	New Caledonia	
New Hebrides	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	20	New Hebrides
Surprise	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,560	1,966	...	4,526	...	...	Surprise	
Totals	1,018,623	1,836	694	17,124	23,185	3,372	41,465	823,780	71,807	5,653	456	40,365	7,274	18,291	4,820	554,550	37,549	15,247	451,491	67,910	49,514	3,254,996*	...	Totals		
Corresp. Quarter, 1903...	978,410	1,439	793	17,134	27,729	6,876	44,931	957,988	64,152	5,322	463	44,370	7,160	22,533	3,659	527,099	37,827	12,539	497,459	58,614	49,285	...	3,365,777†	Corresp. Quarter, 1903		

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the VALUE of IMPORTS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the YEARS 1904 and 1903.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1904	3,248,163	9,560	3,024	70,257	90,213	21,992	174,965	3,796,746	249,433	19,321	4566	132,665	30,815	70,400	17,569	2,320,507	195,132	65,577	2,243,006	361,784	165,939	13,291,634‡	...
1903	3,167,185	4,520	4,776	67,304	99,762	20,495	166,869	3,966,891	234,994	21,825	1890	146,279	43,178	88,912	14,337	2,025,427	169,117	51,801	2,049,194	292,683	151,236	...	12,788,675§

\* Includes specie, £3,957.

† Includes specie, £128,785.

‡ Includes specie, £391,664.

§ Includes specie, £712,716.

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 7th February, 1905.

W. T. GLASGOW, Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN of the VALUE of EXPORTS from the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st DECEMBER, 1904.

COUNTRIES.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Waitara.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau and Pictou.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton and Christchurch.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Bluff.	Parcels Post.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter, 1903.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
<i>British Possessions.</i>																								
United Kingdom ..	449,958	2,410	..	178,557	155,557	934	91,509	27,588	524,625	335,400	24,015	16,364	..	14,152	438	232,937	82,414	7,204	74,557	115,311	2,862	2,336,792	2,108,895	
<i>Australia—</i>																								
Victoria ..	17,600	8,648	..	..	605	..	..	99	8,721	1,618	2,034	2,635	969	36,699	215	4,736	..	..	50,725	28,914	376	164,594	271,961	
New South Wales ..	26,726	13,276	..	203	569	277	..	731	11,331	3,092	2,503	4,965	6,329	53,235	6,515	4,142	26	106	106,097	3,849	1,102	245,074	188,601	
Queensland ..	43	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22	..	..	550	..	..	..	136	..	..	684	..	84	1,519	1,806	
South Australia ..	3,795	5,068	..	..	..	..	..	9	754	..	..	75	56	..	..	84	..	..	973	407	50	11,271	5,414	
Western Australia ..	3,200	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	284	1,935	..	204	99	..	..	1,425	108	..	1,115	4,187	61	12,618	18,605	
Tasmania ..	99	773	..	..	..	..	..	..	686	..	..	..	..	..	..	432	..	..	696	1,062	62	3,810	5,037	
<i>Pacific Islands—</i>																								
Norfolk ..	64	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	64	177	
Fiji ..	12,421	..	..	..	281	..	..	..	582	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,358	412	..	327	..	121	15,502	18,754	
Malden ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	58	
Fanning ..	118	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	118	311	
<i>Africa—</i>																								
Cape Colony ..	147	..	..	..	187	..	829	..	489	..	..	..	..	..	..	304	..	..	71	777	22	2,826	9,786	
Natal ..	1,807	..	..	..	298	..	..	..	8,245	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,273	2,157	..	11,762	471	21	28,034	22,073	
Transvaal Colony ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	38	38	45	
Orange River Colony ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	
Rhodesia ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	19	1	
<i>Asia—</i>																								
Hongkong ..	2,704	..	..	..	216	..	..	..	542	..	..	..	3,221	..	..	..	..	..	40	40	..	6,763	18,811	
Bengal ..	724	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	142	..	..	..	..	..	..	609	..	..	352	..	18	1,845	2,855	
Bombay ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	7	54	
Madras ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4	3	
Burmah ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Ceylon ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	98	..	16	114	156	
Singapore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	68	
<i>America—</i>																								
Canada ..	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	69	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,000	37	1,129	26	
British Columbia ..	2,518	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	78	..	7	2,603	21	
Falkland Islands ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,046	
<i>Foreign Countries and Possessions.</i>																								
<i>Europe—</i>																								
France ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,936	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,936	169
Italy ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	
Austria ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	36	
Germany ..	8,640	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	264	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	..	..	11	..	29	8,955	5,983	
Belgium ..	488	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,758	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,246	71	
Denmark ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	462	..	..	..	..	6	468	429	

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COUNTRIES.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Waitara.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Weirau and Picton.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lytelton and Christchurch.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Bluff.	Parcels Post.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter, 1903.	
Europe—continued—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
Switzerland ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	47	47	53
Norway ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	8
Sweden ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Holland ..	55	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	55	496
Greece ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Russia ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	2	11
America—																								
U.S., East Coast..	66,127	..	..	684	..	..	..	..	32,203	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,511	1,572	..	3,203	7,167	153	112,620	124,098	
West Coast..	15,227	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	618	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	508	..	16	16,369	17,123	
Argentina ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	250	
Chili ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Brazil ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	43	..	..	..	..	..	..	43	83
Uruguay ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	655	..	..	..	1,668	..	..	2,323	480	
Asia—																								
China ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	..	..	14	65	
Japan ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	52	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	52	277	
Philippine Islands	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	..	..	15	..	
Pacific Islands—																								
New Guinea ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	84	..	..	..	..	..	..	84	20
New Caledonia ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	62
New Hebrides ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	134	
Friendly ..	11,116	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	232	..	..	11,348	7,448	
Navigators ..	11,445	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	132	..	..	..	..	..	15	..	..	..	..	..	57	11,649	7,492	
Society ..	6,948	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	6,951	7,535	
Sandwich ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	10	16	11	
Surprise ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
New Britain ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	649
Easter ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	390	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	390	..	
Antarctic Regions ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23
Totals ..	641,993	30,175	..	179,444	157,713	1,211	92,338	28,442	597,462	342,051	28,552	24,793	11,064	104,086	7,168	252,223	86,689	7,310	253,231	163,185	5,229	3,014,359	..	
Corresponding Q'ter, 1903	627,497	46,824	..	95,038	132,821	594	97,317	45,817	634,576	171,316	12,916	27,519	19,382	116,230	9,398	264,329	82,323	25,264	282,523	149,416	6,547	..	2,847,647	

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the VALUE of EXPORTS from the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the YEARS 1904 and 1903.

1904 ..	2,512,938	121,028	..	651,362	390,046	129,072	301,238	338,135	2,779,684	1,145,845	222,959	99,518	70,043	449,458	35,991	2,156,288	917,375	227,650	1,388,073	790,923	20,722	1,474,834	..
1903 ..	2,501,605	153,593	..	541,077	398,737	88,173	264,059	416,983	2,737,762	892,238	219,129	105,014	93,202	417,802	54,275	2,670,513	886,985	292,648	1,441,085	814,654	20,844	..	2,847,647

\* Includes specie, £4,210.

† Includes specie, £2,460.

‡ Includes specie, £9,598.

§ Includes specie, £38,452.

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 7th February, 1905.

W. T. GLASGOW,  
Secretary and Inspector.



RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of EXPORTS from NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st DECEMBER, 1904—continued.

ARTICLES	AUCKLAND		KAIPARA		TAURANGA		POVERTY BAY		NEW PLYMOUTH		WAITARA		PATEA		WANGANUI		WELLINGTON		NAPIER		WAIRAU AND PICTON		NELSON		ARTICLES
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	
Manufactures,—		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£	Manufactures,—
Apparel ... ..	...	229	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	145	...	...	...	...	...	...	Apparel ... ..
Leather ... ..	151	811	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	340	1759	...	...	...	...	...	Leather ... ..
Phormium ... ..	1639	41289	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2661	65944	...	...	135	3759	2	Phormium ... ..
Woolens ... ..	...	316	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	Woolens ... ..
Other kinds ... ..	...	6744	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	1316	...	476	...	...	...	Other kinds ... ..
	...	49399	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	69176	...	476	...	3759	...	145		
Miscellaneous ... ..	...	1826	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	156	...	235	...	112	...	100	Miscellaneous ... ..	
Total New Zealand Produce and Manufactures ... ..	...	621051	...	30175	...	...	...	179331	...	167155	...	1211	...	92338	...	28418	...	588572	...	341705	...	28552	...	24752	
Specie ... ..	...	4210	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Other Colonial, British, and Foreign Produce and Manufactures ... ..	...	16732	...	...	...	...	...	113	...	558	...	...	...	...	24	...	8890	...	346	...	...	...	...	41	
TOTALS ... ..	...	641993	...	30175	...	...	...	179444	...	167713	...	1211	...	92338	...	28442	...	597462	...	342051	...	28552	...	24793	



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ARTICLES	WESTPORT		GREYMOUTH		HOKITIKA		LYTTLETON		TIMARU		OAMARU		DUNEDIN		INVERCARGILL		PARCELS POST	TOTALS		CORRESPONDING QUARTER, 1903	ARTICLES	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value		Quantity	Value			Value
<b>Manufactures,—</b>		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		<b>Manufactures,—</b>
Apparel ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	258	...	10	...	...	...	32	...	22	...	...	731	...	446	Apparel
Leather ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1225	7075	...	...	...	...	110	351	...	...	...	1826	8986	...	13764	Leather
Phormium ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	1809	49	1271	...	...	255	6512	1736	44339	...	6444	164979	...	160710	Phormium
Woolens ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	467	...	...	...	...	...	556	...	...	...	...	...	...	1371	Woolens
Other kinds ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1404	...	...	...	...	...	3816	...	6296	...	...	...	20155	39833	Other kinds
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11013	...	1281	...	20	...	11267	...	50657	...	...	187232	...	214910	
Miscellaneous ... value	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	461	...	...	...	...	...	831	...	218	5229	...	9218	...	7731	Miscellaneous
<b>Total New Zealand Produce and Manufactures</b> ... ..	...	11064	...	104076	...	7168	...	248344	...	86503	...	7310	...	249137	...	162811	5229	...	2974902	...	2808082	
<b>Specie</b> ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4210	...	2460	
<b>Other Colonial, British, and Foreign Produce and Manufactures</b> ... ..	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	3879	...	186	...	...	...	4094	...	374	...	...	35247	...	37105	
<b>TOTALS</b> ... ..	...	11064	...	104086	...	7168	...	252223	...	86689	...	7310	...	253231	...	163185	5229	...	3014359	...	2847647	

The values of wool, meat (frozen), grain (oats and wheat), tallow, hemp, butter, and cheese have been approved by the various Chambers of Commerce.

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 7th February, 1905.

W. T. GLASGOW, Secretary and Inspector.



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		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.										
Auckland	Sailing Steam	12	..	17	1	..	2	16	6183	157	1	896	18	17	7029	175	1	479	10	2	1438	24	3	1917	34	17	6612	167	3	2334	42	20	8946	209	18	7330	175	
	Totals ..	12	..	45	1	12	2	59	120207	2668	1	896	18	60	121103	2686	10	34231	1339	2	1438	24	12	35669	1363	69	154438	4007	3	2334	42	72	156772	4049	69	133285	3889	
Kaipara	Sailing Steam	..	..	2	1	..	2	1	977	22	..	..	..	1	977	22	..	..	..	1	755	15	1	755	15	2	977	22	1	755	15	3	1732	37	10	5212	112	
	Totals ..	..	..	3	1	..	3	1188	38	..	..	..	3	1188	38	..	..	..	1	755	15	1	755	15	3	1188	38	1	755	15	4	1943	53	14	8990	200		
Poverty Bay	Sailing Steam	..	..	3	..	..	3	798	29	..	..	..	3	798	29	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	798	29	..	..	..	3	798	29	1	196	8		
	Totals ..	..	..	3	..	..	3	798	29	..	..	..	3	798	29	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	798	29	..	..	..	3	798	29	2	573	23			
New Plymouth	Sailing	..	..	2	..	..	2	223	15	..	..	..	2	323	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	323	15	..	..	..	2	323	15	..	..	..		
Wanganui	Sailing Steam	..	..	4	..	..	4	625	32	..	..	..	4	625	32	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	625	32	..	..	..	4	625	32	..	..	..	1	377	16
	Totals ..	..	..	4	..	..	4	625	32	..	..	..	4	625	32	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	625	32	..	..	..	4	625	32	1	377	16			
Wellington	Sailing Steam	1	..	8	..	1	..	8	5708	118	..	..	..	8	5708	118	2	2444	33	..	..	..	2	2444	33	10	8152	151	..	..	..	10	8152	151	8	6891	123	
	Totals ..	7	..	21	2	1	1	27	64991	1880	2	3392	82	29	68383	1962	2	2444	33	1	2530	30	3	4974	63	29	67435	1913	3	5922	112	32	73357	2025	33	74153	1969	
Napier	Sailing Steam	..	..	2	..	..	2	525	17	..	..	..	2	525	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	525	17	..	..	..	2	525	17	3	992	28			
	Totals ..	..	..	4	..	..	3	1428	39	..	..	..	3	1428	39	1	195	9	..	..	..	1	195	9	4	1623	48	..	..	..	4	1623	48	3	992	28		
Picton	Sailing	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	94	7			
Nelson	Sailing Steam	1	..	..	..	..	1	887	23	..	..	..	1	887	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	887	23	..	..	..	1	887	23	1	887	20			
	Totals ..	1	..	..	..	..	1	887	23	..	..	..	1	887	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	887	23	..	..	..	1	887	23	2	1072	36			
Westport	Sailing Steam	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	6198	124	3	6198	124	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	6198	124	3	6198	124	2	1005	25		
	Totals ..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	6198	124	3	6198	124	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	6198	124	3	6198	124	6	8160	145			
Greymouth	Sailing	..	..	1	..	..	1	251	9	..	..	..	1	251	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	251	9	..	..	..	1	251	9	1	251	9			

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		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.												
Lyttelton	Sailing Steam	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	2080	56	..	..	..	3	2080	56	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2080	56	..	..	..	3	2030	56	11	3472	104
		..	..	4	..	..	..	4	6588	114	..	..	..	4	6588	114	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	6588	114	..	..	..	4	6588	114	2	8130	57
Totals ..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	7	8618	170	..	..	..	7	8618	170	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	8618	170	..	..	..	7	8618	170	13	6602	161	
Timaru	Sailing Steam	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
		..	..	2	..	..	..	2	776	32	..	..	..	2	776	32	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	776	32	..	..	..	2	776	32	1	191	7	
Totals ..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	776	32	..	..	..	2	776	32	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	776	32	..	..	..	2	776	32	2	3819	69		
Oamaru ..	Sailing	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	287	10	..	..	..	1	287	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	287	10	..	..	..	1	287	10	..	..	..		
Dunedin	Sailing Steam	..	..	1	..	1	..	2	1156	23	..	..	..	2	1156	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1156	23	..	..	..	2	1156	23	3	3295	61		
		2	..	1	1	1	..	4	10251	153	1	3719	61	5	13970	214	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	10251	153	1	3719	61	5	13970	214	3	11310	206		
Totals ..	..	2	..	2	1	2	..	6	11407	176	1	3719	61	7	15126	237	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	11407	176	1	3719	61	7	15126	237	6	14605	267		
Bluff Harbour	Steam	..	..	14	..	..	..	14	28615	1032	..	..	..	14	28615	1032	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	28615	1032	..	..	..	14	28615	1032	16	34209	1133		
Total ship'g inwards	Sailing Steam	2	..	44	2	2	2	45	19700	511	1	896	18	46	20596	529	3	2923	43	3	2193	39	6	5116	82	48	22623	554	4	3089	57	52	25712	611	..	..	..
		20	..	65	6	13	1	88	220701	5642	6	13309	267	94	234010	5909	10	33947	1338	1	2530	30	11	36477	1368	98	254648	6980	7	15839	297	105	270487	7277	..	..	..
Totals ..	..	22	..	109	8	15	3	133	240401	6153	7	14205	285	140	254606	6438	13	36870	1381	4	4723	69	17	41593	1450	146	277271	7534	11	18928	354	157	296199	7888	..	..	..
Corresponding Quar., 1903	Sailing Steam	6	..	40	12	2	..	47	21124	512	7	4724	90	54	25848	602	1	818	15	5	3150	62	6	3968	77	48	21942	527	12	7874	152	..	..	..	60	29816	679
		18	3	66	9	12	1	85	199170	5270	13	19181	375	98	218351	5645	11	39015	1628	..	..	..	11	39015	1628	96	238185	6898	13	19181	375	..	..	..	109	257366	7273
Totals ..	..	24	3	106	21	14	1	132	220294	5782	20	23905	465	152	244199	6247	12	39833	1643	5	3150	62	17	42983	1705	144	260127	7425	25	27055	527	..	..	..	169	287182	7952

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1904	Sailing Steam	21	1	169	14	16	8	188	85902	2070	9	4829	108	197	90731	2178	18	15631	243	14	8889	176	32	24520	419	206	101533	2313	23	13718	284	229	115251	2597	..	..	..
		77	..	255	21	44	3	339	843408	22150	23	57955	1121	362	901363	23271	37	135425	5580	1	2530	30	38	137955	5610	376	978833	27730	24	60485	1151	400	1039318	28881	..	..	..
Totals ..	..	98	1	424	35	60	11	527	929310	24220	32	62784	1229	559	992094	25449	55	151056	5823	15	11419	206	70	162475	6029	582	1080366	30043	47	74203	1435	629	1154569	31478	..	..	..
1903	Sailing Steam	21	..	160	20	13	1	173	79517	1892	12	7509	145	185	87026	2037	21	19111	302	9	5588	109	30	24699	411	194	98628	2194	21	13097	254	..	..	..	215	111725	2448
		63	5	258	30	44	2	326	757233	20682	37	89851	1577	363	847134	22259	39	143205	5893	..	..	..	39	143205	5893	365	900488	26575	37	89851	1577	..	..	..	402	990339	28152
Totals ..	..	84	5	418	50	57	3	499	836800	22574	49	97360	1722	548	934160	24296	60	162316	6195	9	5588	109	69	167904	6304	559	999116	28769	58	102948	1831	..	..	..	617	1102064	30600

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		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	
Auckland	Sailing Steam	1	..	15	..	1	..	16	6214	162	..	..	..	16	6214	162	1	1018	14	..	..	..	1	1018	14	17	7232	176	..	..	..	17	7232	176	20	7994	199	
Totals ..	..	2	..	38	8	8	..	39	53997	1682	8	14441	237	47	68438	1919	9	31966	1311	..	..	..	9	31966	1311	48	85963	2993	8	14441	237	56	100404	3230	56	95509	3303	
Kaipara	Sailing Steam	1	..	13	..	..	..	14	5409	134	..	..	..	14	5409	134	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	5409	134	..	..	..	14	5409	134	21	7657	196		
Totals ..	..	1	..	17	..	..	..	17	7229	194	..	..	..	17	7229	194	1	762	34	..	..	..	1	762	34	18	7991	228	..	..	..	18	7991	228	28	12577	326	
New Plymouth	Sailing	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Wanganui	Sailing	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	332	15	..	..	..	2	332	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	332	15	..	..	..	2	332	15	..	..	..		
Wellington	Sailing Steam	..	..	16	3	..	..	25	86703	2092	4	11003	176	29	97706	2268	..	..	..	1	2530	30	..	1	2530	30	25	86703	2092	5	13533	206	30	100236	2298	30	104912	2402
Totals ..	..	9	..	16	3	..	2	25	86703	2092	4	11003	176	29	97706	2268	..	..	..	1	2530	30	1	2530	30	25	86703	2092	5	13533	206	30	100236	2298	32	106745	2434	
Napier	Sailing Steam	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	525	17	..	..	..	2	525	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	525	17	..	..	..	2	525	17	2	525	17		
Totals ..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	3	913	33	..	..	..	3	913	33	1	195	9	..	..	..	1	195	9	4	1108	42	..	..	..	4	1108	42	3	913	33	
Picton	Sailing	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Nelson	Steam	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Westport	Sailing Steam	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	706	14	..	..	..	1	706	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	706	14	..	..	..	1	706	14	2	1005	25		
Totals ..	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	4	6567	127	..	..	..	4	6567	127	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	6567	127	..	..	..	4	6567	127	2	2801	61		
Totals ..	..	..	..	4	..	1	..	5	7273	141	..	..	..	5	7273	141	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	7273	141	..	..	..	5	7273	141	4	3806	86		
Greymouth	Sailing Steam	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	1604	43	..	..	..	4	1604	43	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1604	43	..	..	..	4	1604	43	1	251	9		
Totals ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	903	23	..	..	..	1	903	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	903	23	..	..	..	1	903	23	..	..	..	1	251	9
Totals ..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	5	2507	66	..	..	..	5	2507	66	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	2507	66	..	..	..	5	2507	66	1	251	9			
Lyttelton	Sailing	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1743	26	2	2385	29	3	4128	55	1	1743	26	2	2385	29	3	4128	55	3	1458	38	

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Timaru	Sailing Steam	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	4245	65	1	820	14	1	820	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4245	65	1	820	14	1	820	14	1	773	12
Totals ..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	4245	65	1	820	14	2	5065	79	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4245	65	1	820	14	2	5065	79	2	2859	34	
Dunedin	Sailing Steam	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	4306	54	3	4306	54	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	4306	54	3	4306	54	1	981	15			
Totals ..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	3	9368	119	3	9368	119	..	..	..	1	2804	30	1	2804	30	..	..	..	4	12172	149	4	12172	149	2	1929	50
Bluff Harbour	Steam	2	..	13	..	..	..	15	35687	1143	..	..	..	15	35687	1143	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	35687	1143	..	..	..	15	35687	1143	15	34066	1112	
Total Ship'ng outwards	Sailing Steam	3	..	37	6	1	..	39	14790	385	4	5126	68	43	19916	453	2	2761	40	2	2385	29	4	5146	69	41	17551	425	6	7511	97	47	25062	522	..	..	
Totals ..	..	12	..	63	15	8	2	73	184096	5046	15	34812	532	88	218908	5578	10	31905	1340	2	5334	60	12	37239	1400	83	216001	6386	17	40146	592	100	256147	6973	..	..	
Correspondng. Quar., 1903	Sailing Steam	4	..	43	3	2	1	44	16144	426	3	1749	39	47	17893	465	5	3544	62	1	1040	16	6	4584	78	49	19688	488	4	2739	55	..	..	53	22477	543	
Totals ..	..	14	..	66	6	8	..	78	187310	5092	6	12437	186	84	199797	5278	10	38820	1619	..	..	..	10	38820	1619	88	226130	6711	6	12437	186	..	..	94	238617	6897	
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COMPARATIVE RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED OUTWARDS for the YEARS 1904 and 1903.

1904	Sailing Steam	22	2	155	31	14	2	170	68875	1731	24	26521	420	194	95396	2151	21	14777	273	11	10606	156	32	25383	429	191	83652	2004	35	37127	576	226	120779	2580	..	..	..
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Customs Department, Wellington, 7th February, 1905.

W. T. GLASGOW,  
Secretary and Inspector.

**CROWN LANDS NOTICES.**

*Lands in Morven Township, Canterbury Land District, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 7th February, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, and at the Land Office, Timaru, on Wednesday, the 29th day of March, 1905, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

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

**SCHEDULE.**

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—WAIMATE COUNTY.—WAITAKI SURVEY DISTRICT.

*Waikakahi Settlement, Morven Township.*

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
2	Morven Town Block VI.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
4		0 1 0	24 0 0	3 0 0
5		0 1 0	15 0 0	1 17 6
7		0 1 0	7 10 0	0 18 9
9		0 1 0	7 10 0	0 18 9
10		0 1 0	12 0 0	1 10 0
11		0 1 0	7 10 0	0 18 9
12		0 1 0	12 0 0	1 10 0

THOS. HUMPHRIES,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Pastoral Run in Canterbury Land District open for Lease by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 6th February, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for lease by public auction for the term and at the upset annual rental stated, at the Land Office, Timaru, on Tuesday, the 14th day of March, 1905, at 3 o'clock p.m., under the provisions of Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892."

**SCHEDULE.**

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

*Class I.*

Run No.	Name of Run.	County.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term of License.
41	Mount Nimrod..	Waimate	Acres. 14,000	£ 300	Years. 12

This run is situated on the Hunters' Hills, at the head of the Pareora River, about ten miles distant from Cave Railway-station, at an altitude of from 1,800 ft. to 5,219 ft. above sea-level. It comprises chiefly sloping spurs with a northerly aspect, generally covered with blue-grass, snow-grass, and other native grasses. The run is weighted with a sum of £328 15s. as valuation for improvements, comprising half value of about 19½ miles of boundary-fencing. The amount of this valuation must be paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Christchurch, before possession is given.

THOS. HUMPHRIES,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Makuri Township, Wellington Land District, for Lease by Public Tender.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 p.m. on Wednesday, the 29th day of March, 1905, for an occupation license of the undermentioned land in terms of section 116 of "The Land Act, 1892."

**SCHEDULE.**

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—PAHIATUA COUNTY.—MAKURI TOWNSHIP.

SECTIONS Nos. 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, and 62, Block XI., and 73, Block XIII. (grouped): Area, 3 acres 3 roods 38 perches;

upset rental, £6 per annum; term of license, year to year.

These sections comprise part of the area that is known locally as the "Government Paddock." They are cleared and grassed, but patches of secondary growth are appearing in places.

Sale plans, giving terms and conditions of license, may be obtained at this office.

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Pastoral Runs in Southland Land District classified.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given for public information that the Commissioners appointed in pursuance of section 189 of "The Land Act, 1892," have reported to His Excellency the Governor that the lands described in the Schedule hereto have been classified by them as therein noted.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

**SCHEDULE.**

CLASS I.—PASTORAL LANDS, being Lands suitable exclusively for Pasturage, and not capable of being used with Profit in Areas of a Carrying-capacity of less than Five Thousand Sheep.

Run No.	Area.	Description.
423B	Acres. 10,000	Situated in Nokomai, Garvie, Wakaia, Gap, and Rockside Survey Districts. Bounded towards the north-east by Crown land and Run No. 436A; towards the east by Run No. 328; towards the south by Runs Nos. 327B and 327; and towards the north-west by Run No. 423A.
413 & 463 (grouped)	10,950	Situated in Titiroa and Monowai Survey Districts. Bounded towards the east by the Waiau River; towards the south and west by edge of forest: excluding Sections Nos. 1 and 2, Block I., Monowai Survey District.
500	3,450	Situated near the north-west coast of Stewart Island, being the island known as "Codfish Island."

JOHN HAY,  
D. KING,  
JNO. McLEAN,  
Commissioners.

*Pastoral Runs in Otago Land District for Lease by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Dunedin, 23rd January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral runs will be offered for lease by public auction at this office on Tuesday, the 28th day of February, 1905, for the terms and at the upset annual rentals stated, under the provisions of Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892."

**SCHEDULE.**

Otago Land District.

SECTIONS 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16, Block V., Lower Wanaka District, Vincent County: Area, 2,798 acres 3 roods 15 perches; term, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £5; valuation for improvements, £14 4s. The improvements consist of fencing. This run is situated on the shores of Lake Wanaka, from two to four miles from Albert Town.

Sections 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, road and bridge reserves, Block XI., Mount Hyde District, and Sections 3, 4, and 6, Block XVI., Maungatua District, Taieri County: Area, 1,942 acres 3 roods; term, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £5. These sections form a peninsula, bounded on the east and partly on the south side by Lee Stream. The land generally is rough and broken. Very little fencing is required, as the Taieri River and Lee Stream form good natural boundaries on three sides. Situated about six miles from Outram.

Runs 226 and 226F, and Sections 86 and 92, Block I., St. Bathans District, Maniototo County (Class I.): Area, 8,824 acres 3 roods 27 perches; term, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £65; valuation for improvements, £211 12s. The improvements consist of fencing, wool-shed, sheepyards, and dip. The sections are situated about two miles and the runs about three miles and a half from St. Bathans. The runs consist of open, broken, pastoral land, with fair soil of a gravelly nature. The sections are undulating, the soil on them being good.

Possession will be given on 1st March, 1905.

D. BARRON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Hetana Hamlet, Auckland Land District, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 30th January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of March, 1905, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

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

#### SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAITEMATA COUNTY.—TITIRANGI SURVEY DISTRICT.—HETANA HAMLET.

##### Ordinary Farm.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
1	VIII.	A. R. P. 39 0 22	£ s. d. 1 0 2	£ s. d. 19 17 11 7 11 6*

\* Interest and sinking fund on building valued at £150, repayable in fourteen years by half-yearly instalments of £7 11s. 6d. Total half-yearly, £27 9s. 5d.

The soil is partly semi-volcanic on clay subsoil and partly of a clayey nature. The aspect is easterly and north-easterly. There is 12 acres of orchard, enclosed by barbed-wire fence; about 20 acres of grass land; and the whole place is ploughable. The section has a frontage to the Muddy Creek Road (with haakea hedge) and frontage to the main road through the hamlet; distant 56 chains from the New Lynn Railway-station, which is eight miles from Auckland. There are trains running at intervals during the day. There is an eight-roomed house on the property, valued at £150, repayable in fourteen years by half-yearly payments of £7 11s. 6d.

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Runs in Otago Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Dunedin, 25th January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral runs will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Tuesday, the 28th day of February, 1905, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the terms and at the upset annual rentals stated, under the provisions of Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892."

#### SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Runs Nos. 254, 254A, and 260 (grouped), Taieri and Maniototo Counties (Class I.): Area, 76,020 acres; term, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £554 6s. 3d.

Runs Nos. 9 and 9A (grouped), Lake County (Class I.): Area, 12,790 acres; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £32. The purchaser of these runs will require to take up a license for a term of three years over the Lake-frontage Reserve at a rental of £8 per annum: area of reserve, 1,910 acres.

Run No. 346A, Lake County (Class I.): Area, 8,100 acres; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £24. The purchaser of this run will require to take up a license for a term of three years over the Lake-frontage Reserve at a rental of £4 per annum. Area of reserve, 800 acres.

Run No. 121L, Waikouaiti County (Class II.): Area, 420 acres; term, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £15 15s.

Section 19, Block VI., Budle District (Class II.): Area, 190 acres 1 rood 33 perches; term, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £4 14s.

Sections 20 and 21, Block VI., Budle District (Class II.): Area, 335 acres 1 rood 36 perches; term, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £8 6s.

Possession of these runs will be given on 1st March, 1906.

##### Description of Runs.

Runs Nos. 254, 254A, 260: Known as Rocklands Station, and situated about twenty-five miles from Outram, on the old Dunstan Road. These runs comprise high pastoral country, the elevation ranging from 1,500 ft. to 3,700 ft. About 16,000 acres of good lambing country lie between Deep Stream, Deep Creek, Sutton Creek, and the east boundary of the run. The higher lands, situated on the Lammerlaw Range, are mostly summer country.

Runs Nos. 9, and 9A, 346A: These runs are situated on the east side of Lake Wakatipu, Nos. 9 and 9A being some twelve to eighteen miles, and No. 346A eighteen to twenty-four miles, from Queenstown. The lower portions are mostly covered with fern and the higher contain fair tussock. The country, though somewhat rough, is apparently good healthy sheep country.

Run No. 121L: This run is situated about ten miles from Palmerston. It is well watered, and contains broken pastoral country of very fair quality.

Sections Nos. 19, 20, and 21, Block VI., Budle District: These sections are situated about five miles from Macrae's. They comprise rough broken ridges, somewhat high, but contain fair pastoral country.

D. BARRON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Run in Otago Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Dunedin, 23rd January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for lease by public auction at this office on Tuesday, the 28th day of February, 1905, for the term and at the upset annual rental stated, under the provisions of Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892."

#### SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Runs Nos. 170, 170A, 170B, 170C, 170D, 170E, and 353B (grouped), Tuapeka and Maniototo Counties (Class I.): Area, 69,000 acres; term, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £500.

The country is known as "Beaumont Station." It is situated about thirteen miles from Lawrence, and is near the Beaumont Bridge over the Clutha River. The frontage extends about seven miles up-stream, thence it runs back over the Lammerlaw Range to the head-waters of the Teviot and Taieri Rivers, upwards of 33,000 acres being on the watershed of these streams, the balance sloping by easy ridges to the Clutha River. The front part may be described as well grassed throughout where the country is not covered with scrub. This scrub is estimated to cover about 4,000 acres, leaving upwards of 20,000 acres of first-class grazing country.

Possession will be given on 1st March, 1905.

D. BARRON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in the Town of Mackenzie, Canterbury Land District, for Sale by Public Auction.

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 25th January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered by the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Christchurch, for sale by public auction for cash at the Courthouse, Mackenzie, on Wednesday, the 8th day of March, 1905.

#### SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—CHEVIOT ESTATE.  
Town of Mackenzie.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price per Section.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	IX.	0 1 0	15 0 0
2	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
3	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
4	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
5	"	0 1 0	15 0 0
6	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
7	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
8	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
9	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
10	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
11	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
12	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
13	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
14	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
15	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
16	"	0 1 0	15 0 0
17	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
18	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
19	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
20	"	0 1 0	15 0 0

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Land in Forest Gate Settlement, Hawke's Bay Land District, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Napier, 23rd January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Wednesday, the 15th day of March, 1905, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

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

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—WAIPAWA COUNTY.—RUATANIWAHIA SURVEY DISTRICT.—FOREST GATE SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
11	VIII.	A. R. P. 34 3 0	s. d. 8 6.25	£ s. d. 7 8 1

This section forms part of the Forest Gate Settlement, being distant about ten miles from Waipawa by good metalled road, and adjoining Onga Onga Township. Somewhat shingly on the road frontage; quality of soil of remainder first-class, and suitable for general cropping; water during summer months is only obtainable from wells. The section is all in grass, ring-fenced, and subdivided into two paddocks. The improvements which are included in the price of the section are 11½ chains of fencing on road frontage, and 9½ chains of subdivisional fencing: total value, £4. Improvements which are not included in the price of the section but which must be paid for by the incoming tenant consist of 53 chains fencing, valued at £39 15s.; and one-roomed house, valued at £12; small sheep-yards, valued at £1 5s.; and slaughter-yards, valued at £5: total value, £58.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Village-homestead Allotment in Hawke's Bay Land District open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Napier, 23rd January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village-homestead allotment will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Wednesday, the 15th day of March, 1905, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

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

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—WOODVILLE COUNTY.—WOODVILLE SURVEY DISTRICT.

*Village-homestead Allotment.*

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
3	IV.	A. R. P. 1 0 5	£ s. d. 1 4 0	£ s. d. 0 12 0

This section is situated about one mile from the Township of Woodville on the main coach-road. The following improvements will have to be paid for by the incoming tenant: Four-roomed house, with scullery and galvanised-iron tank, £90; fencing, £10; total, £100. There are also a small orchard and plantation on the section.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Reserves in Wellington Land District for Lease by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 4th January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserves will be offered for lease by public auction, at the Public Hall, Taihape, on Wednesday, the 8th day of March, 1905, for the terms and at the upset annual rentals stated.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section No.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term of Lease.
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*Taihape Township.*

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	
7	VII.	0 1 13	6 0 0	7 years.
9	XX.	1 0 21	3 10 0	7 years.

These sections are situated in the Township of Taihape, the access to Section 7 being by Kuku Street, which has been formed and metalled, and to Section 9 by Kaka Road, which has been metalled past the section. The lots comprise flat and undulating land. The soil is of good quality, resting on papa formation. Section 7 is all in grass. The forest on Section 9 is thin, having been milled; it comprises some kahikatea and hinau, with undergrowth of mako, konini, &c.

*Mangaweka Township.*

40	..	0 1 0	7 0 0	14 years.
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This section is situated on the main street in the Township of Mangaweka, about 10 chains from the post and telegraph office. It comprises flat land, felled and in grass. The soil is of good quality, resting on papa formation. Note: The owners of the buildings on this section will be allowed one month from date of sale in which to remove them if they do not become the purchasers of the lease.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A deposit of six months' rent, together with £1 1s. lease fee, must be paid on the fall of the hammer.
2. There are no restrictions or limitations as to the number of sections which one person may lease, and no declaration is required. Residence and improvements are not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, nor for any other cause.
3. Possession will be given on the day of sale.
4. The leases shall be for the term of years stated hereon, but shall be subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.
5. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance.
6. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease, except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
7. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbriar on the land comprised in the lease; and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, sweetbriar, broom, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
8. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee shall fail to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to be fulfilled.

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Small Grazing-run in Lyndon No. 2 Settlement, Canterbury Land District, open for Lease on Application.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 17th January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-run will be open for lease on application at this office, for a term of twenty-one years, with right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years, on Thursday, the 23rd February, 1905, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

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

## SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—AMURI COUNTY.—LYNDON SURVEY DISTRICT.—LYNDON No. 2 SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Small Grazing-run: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
2	VII., XI.	A. R. P. 3,684 0 0	s. d. 1 10 5	£ s. d. 172 13 9

This run is situated about eight miles and three-quarters north-west of Waiau Township by road, of which a small portion is metalled and the remainder formed. The distance from Hamner Springs to the northern part of the run is about seven miles by road, of which two miles is metalled and the remainder unformed. The run comprises pastoral land, situated at an altitude of from 800 ft. to 3,381 ft. above sea-level. About 1,100 acres is downs and low hills, covered with good native tussock and some English grass; about 250 acres of this portion is capable of cultivation, consisting of good soil on clay subsoil. Of the remainder of the run, about 1,984 acres is hills, varying in character from easy to steep and rough, with tussock and a sprinkling of English grass; and 600 acres is very steep, rough, and rocky, more or less covered with patches of manuka scrub, tawai, papauma, mountain totara, &c.

The improvements, which are included in the price of the run, consist of 92 chains of rabbit-proof fencing, 477 chains of six- and seven-wire and standard boundary-fencing, and 96 chains of six-wire and standard subdivisional fencing, valued at £217 11s. 6d.

The improvements which were effected by the former lessee, and which are not included in the price of the land, consist of half-coast of about three miles and three-quarters of boundary-fencing, and nearly two miles of subdivisional fencing, valued at £257, which sum must be paid by the successful applicant before being admitted to possession of the run.

The lessees of Sections 3, 6, 8, and 9 shall have free rights of ingress, egress, and regress at all times to and over the portion of the run adjacent to the intake, headworks, and about 20 chains of water-race traversing the run, the lessee of which shall not, however, be bound to maintain nor contribute to the cost of maintenance of such race.

In respect of the rabbit-proof fence on the run, the following conditions are to be observed and fulfilled by the lessee:—

1. He shall at all times during the term of his lease keep in good repair and condition as a sufficient rabbit-proof fence every rabbit-proof fence now existing on any part of the lands comprised in his lease, or upon the boundary of the same.

2. If any such rabbit-proof fence is cut for purposes of passage, he shall, at the point where it is cut, forthwith erect a sufficient rabbit-proof gate; and each lessee shall have the right to erect not more than one rabbit-proof gate in the fence adjoining his run, and shall have free rights of access to and through such gate, and through the land between the fence and the river.

3. He shall at all times maintain in good repair and condition as a sufficient rabbit-proof gate every gate now existing or at any time hereafter erected in any such rabbit-proof fence, and keep every such gate constantly closed except whilst it is being actually used for purposes of passage.

4. In the event of it being found necessary to remove the whole or any portion of the fence further southward on to sound ground, the lessee shall undertake the removal and re-erection of the fence to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, and thereafter maintain the same as before specified.

5. In the event of the lessee failing to maintain, remove, re-erect, or do any other necessary work to the fence when called upon to do so, it shall be lawful for the Commissioner, or any other person authorised by him, to enter upon the land, and do such necessary work at the lessee's cost.

THOS. HUMPHRIES,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Run in Westland Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Hokitika, 16th January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Thursday, the 23rd day of February, 1905, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the term and at the upset annual rental stated, under the provisions of Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892."

## SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

RUN No. 195, Mikonui River, Westland County: Area, 2,800 acres; term, ten years; upset annual rental, £2 16s.

Heavy-timbered hillsides, with narrow margin of flats along banks of Upper Mikonui River, covered with scrub and grass. Access by dray-road from Ross to within four miles of run, thence by metalled horse-track.

Possession of the run will be given on 1st March, 1906.

G. J. ROBERTS,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Grazing-farms in Cheviot Estate, Canterbury Land District, open for Lease on Application.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 12th January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands in the Cheviot Estate will be open for lease on application, at the District Lands and Survey Offices, Christchurch and Cheviot, on Wednesday, 22nd February, 1905, at the annual rentals noted below.

In the event of more than one application being received for the same farm on the same day, the order of selection shall be decided by ballot, at the local Land Office, Cheviot, on Friday, 24th February, 1905, at 12 o'clock noon.

## SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—CHEVIOT ESTATE.

First-class Land.

Sections Nos.	Block.	Area.	Grazing-farm.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half- yearly Rent.

CHEVIOT SURVEY DISTRICT.

Spotswood Village.

		A. R. P.	s. d.	£ s. d.
33, 34, and Railway Reserve	IV.	74 2 20	11 0	20 10 6
35 to 46, and Railway Reserve	"	74 2 30	13 0	24 5 6
47 to 52	"	10 0 30	13 0	3 6 3
53, 54, 57 to 63, and Railway Reserve	"	25 0 13	13 0	8 3 0

Level open country; good soil.

Lots 33, 34, &c., are in second year's grass. Weighted with a valuation of £10 16s. for about 36 chains of boundary-fencing. The river-bank fence is the property of the owner on the opposite side of the river.

Lots 35 to 46, &c., are in stubble, and the new lessee will be allowed to take a root or green crop, followed by a grain-crop, with which grass must be sown. Weighted with a valuation of £15 for about 50 chains of boundary-fencing. The river-bank fence is the property of the owner on the opposite side of the river.

Lots 47 to 52: The northern portion is in stubble, and from this portion the new lessee will be allowed to take a root or green crop, either with or immediately after which the land must be sown down in grass. The southern portion is in new grass, and must be left as pasture for at least two years. Weighted with a valuation of £4 11s. for about 13 chains of boundary-fencing.

Lots 53, 54, 57 to 63, &c.: The northern portion is in stubble, and from this portion the new lessee will be allowed to take a root or green crop, either with or immediately after which the land must be sown down in grass. The southern portion is in new grass, and must be left as pasture for at least two years. Weighted with a valuation of £12 for about 39 chains of boundary-fencing.

LOWBY PEAKS SURVEY DISTRICT.

Phoebe Village.

19, 20, 22 to 30, and Railway Reserve	VIII.	70 3 0	8 0	14 3 0
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Level open country; good soil. The eastern portion is in second year's grass; the western portion is in stubble, and from this portion the new lessee will be allowed to take a root or green crop, followed by a grain-crop, with which grass must be sown. Weighted with a valuation of £15 6s. 8d. for about 46 chains of boundary-fencing.



Sections Nos.	Block.	Area.	Grazing-farm.			
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.		
<i>Mina Village.</i>						
		A. R. P.	s. d.	£ s. d.		
2, Reserve, Block III., Mina North, and Railway Reserve	XII.	69 0 22	10 0	17 5 9		
1, 3, Reserve, and Blocks I. and II., Mina North	"	46 0 18	11 0	12 13 8		
6, 13, Block IV., Mina North, and Railway Reserve	"	64 1 0	13 0	20 17 8		
4, 5, and Blocks V. and VI., Mina North	"	62 1 4	13 0	20 4 10		
8, 9, Block II., Mina South, and Railway Reserve	"	64 0 0	13 0	20 16 0		
7, 10, and Block I., Mina South	"	38 0 0	13 0	12 7 0		
11, 12, Blocks III., IV., V., and VI., Mina South and Railway Reserve	"	49 0 37	12 0	14 15 5		

Generally open, flat land, of good quality.

Lot 2, Reserve, &c., are all in grass. Weighted with a valuation of £17 7s. for about 72 chains of boundary-fencing. The Crown reserves to itself all rights of cutting or permitting the cutting of the willows growing on this holding, together with free rights of ingress, egress, and regress for or in connection with such cutting.

Lots 1, 3, Reserve, &c.: The southern portion is in new grass. Between that portion and the stream which intersects the holding there is an area of about fifteen acres in stubble; and from this portion the new lessee will be allowed to take a root or green crop, either with or immediately after which the land must be sown down in grass. Weighted with a valuation of £11 for about 50 chains of boundary-fencing. The Crown reserves to itself all rights of cutting or permitting the cutting of the willows growing on this holding, together with free rights of ingress, egress, and regress for or in connection with such cutting.

Lots 6, 13, &c.: The northern portion is in stubble, and from this portion the new lessee will be allowed to take a root or green crop, followed by a grain-crop, with which grass must be sown. The southern portion is in old grass. Weighted with a valuation of £20 for about 58 chains of boundary-fencing.

Lots 4, 5, &c.: About twenty acres of the southern portion is in grass; the remainder is in stubble, and from this portion the new lessee will be allowed to take a root or green crop, followed by a grain-crop, with which grass must be sown. Weighted with a valuation of £20 for about 39 chains of boundary-fencing.

Lots 8, 9, &c., are all in stubble, and the new lessee will be allowed to take a root or green crop, followed by a grain-crop, with which grass must be sown. Weighted with a valuation of £19 12s. for about 55 chains of boundary-fencing.

Lots 7, 10, &c.: About eleven acres at the southern end is in new grass; the remainder is in stubble, and from this portion the new lessee will be allowed to take a root or green crop, followed by a grain-crop, with which grass must be sown. Weighted with a valuation of £14 6s. for about 45 chains of boundary-fencing.

Lots 11, 12, &c.: The eastern portion is in stubble, and from this portion the new lessee will be allowed to take a root or green crop, followed by a grain-crop, with which grass must be sown. The western portion is in grass. Weighted with a valuation of £14 for about 43 chains of boundary-fencing.

*Domett Village.*

44, Block III., Domett, and Railway Reserve	XVI.	77 2 20	8 0	15 10 6
30 to 34, 45, Block IV., Domett, and Railway Reserve	"	68 0 20	8 0	13 12 6
35 to 41, 42, and Block V., Domett	"	46 0 23	9 0	10 7 8

Lot 44, &c.: Partly low down-land; balance good flat valley-land; all in stubble. The new lessee will be allowed to take a root or green crop, followed by a grain-crop, with which grass must be sown. Weighted with a valuation of £27 18s. for about 77 chains of boundary-fencing.

Lots 30 to 34, &c., are principally low well-grassed land. The hill portion is now in rape, and from this portion the new lessee will be allowed to take a grain-crop, followed by a root or green crop, either with or immediately after which

the land must be sown down in grass. The remainder is in stubble, and from this portion the new lessee will be allowed to take a root or green crop, followed by a grain-crop, with which grass must be sown. Weighted with a valuation of £10 3s. for about 38 chains of boundary-fencing.

Lots 35 to 41, &c., consist of flat land; good soil. The south-eastern paddock of about fourteen acres is in stubble, and from this portion the new lessee will be allowed to take a root or green crop, followed by a grain-crop, with which grass must be sown. The remainder is in grass. Weighted with a valuation of £20 for about 35 chains of boundary-fencing.

Possession of the lands will be given on 1st March, 1905, or as soon thereafter as applications are approved by the Land Board.

The outgoing tenants have the right, for a period of one month from 1st March, 1905, of removing any fences (except boundary-fencing) which they may have erected upon the lands comprised in their leases, and the new selectors will take possession subject to this right.

The lessees of these lands will be liable, under the provisions of the Fencing Acts, in respect of boundary-fences erected by the holders of contiguous lands.

The leases of blocks comprising parts of the Railway Reserve will be liable to termination at any time in respect of such reserve, or village sections adjacent thereto, on six months' notice in writing being given to the lessee that the land is required by Government, and no compensation shall be claimed or given in respect of such termination, but future payments of rent shall be abated in proportion to the area so resumed.

Special attention is drawn to Condition No. 8, prohibiting any cropping which would injure or remove any survey mark or peg.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The term of lease is seven years.
2. Every applicant shall make the declaration prescribed, and shall, immediately after the application has been approved, or declared successful at the ballot, deposit a sum equal to one half-year's rent of the land applied for. Such payment shall be in discharge of the half-year's rent due on the 1st day of March, 1905. He shall also pay the sum of £1 1s. for the preparation of the lease and the registration thereof, and the amount of valuation for improvements (if any), before being admitted to possession of the land.
3. In case of more than one application being lodged on the same day for the same farm, the order of selection shall be decided by ballot.
4. No person may become the holder of more than one allotment.
5. No lessee will be allowed to transfer, sublet, or in any way part with the possession or occupation of the whole or any portion of his holding, either for cropping or otherwise, for any period whatsoever, except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
6. The lessee must at least once a year properly clean, clear from weeds, and keep open all creeks, drains, ditches, and watercourses which are now or may be upon the land; and the Commissioner of Crown Lands shall have the power at any time to enter upon and make any drain or road through the land that he may deem necessary.
7. The lessee must at least once a year properly cut and trim all live fences now on the land, or which may be planted upon the land during the term, and shall stub all gorse not growing as fences, and also stub all broom, sweetbriar, and other noxious plants.
8. In the event of the lessee cultivating any of the land included in his lease he will be allowed (subject to the conditions hereinbefore specially expressed as to certain of the allotments) to take not more than three successive crops of any kind, and if any grain-crops are taken they shall be alternated with green or root crops, so that no two grain-crops shall be taken in succession; and either with or immediately after a third crop of any kind the land shall be properly sown down with good cultivated grasses and clovers, and left in pasture for at least two years from the harvesting of the last crop before being again cropped, but in any case the lessee shall lay the whole of the land down in pasture at least one year before the termination of his lease, and shall so leave it at the expiration of his tenancy. In the case of farms comprising parts of the railway reserve or small subdivided lots no cultivation shall be done upon the same which would injure or remove any survey mark or peg.
9. In the event of the lessee failing to comply with any of the covenants herein the lease shall be liable to forfeiture; and in case of a breach of the conditions relating to the trimming of live fences and stubbing gorse, broom, and sweetbriar, and to the cleaning, clearing from weeds, and keeping open all creeks, drains, ditches, and watercourses, it shall be lawful for the Commissioner of Crown

Lands to have such work done, and to recover the cost of the same from the lessee.

10. All buildings erected upon the land shall be kept in good order and repair.

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

12. Rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance during the term of the lease.

13. The lessee shall have no right to purchase any part of the land.

14. The Government reserves a right of ingress and egress to the telegraph-line which passes through some of the lands to be disposed of.

15. A right to search for and take gravel for making or maintaining roads from any of the lands disposed of is reserved; payment to be made for surface damage only.

16. On the expiration or other determination of the lease the former lessee shall not have any right of renewal, but shall be entitled to full valuation from the incoming lessee for any exterior fences, appropriate to the lease, erected and then existing on the land.

17. In any case where it is determined that any lands included in any lease shall not again be offered for further lease, then the amount of the valuation of the improvements as aforesaid shall be paid to the outgoing lessee or occupier, less any arrears of money due to the Crown by him in respect of such lands, and such amount shall be paid out of the Cheviot Estate Fund.

18. If a lease is forfeited for breach of conditions, such valuation shall be made on recovering possession of the land.

19. Payment of any valuation for improvements shall be made to the Receiver of Land Revenue by the new lessee of such land before he is admitted into possession, and moneys so paid to the Receiver shall not be deemed part of the Cheviot Estate Fund.

20. The amount of the valuation for such improvements, in case of the land being relet, when paid by the new lessee, shall be paid by the Receiver of Land Revenue to the original lessee or other person entitled, and, in case of forfeiture, less any rent which may be due to the Crown at the date of such forfeiture, and the cost of recovering possession of the land, and also the charges and expenses of reletting such land, and making, issuing, and completing any fresh lease.

DECLARATION.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \* \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly and sincerely declare,—

1. That I am of the age of seventeen years and upwards.
2. That I am applying for a lease of Grazing-farm No. † \_\_\_\_\_.
3. That I am applying for such lease solely for my own use and benefit, and not directly or indirectly for the use of any other person or persons whatever.
4. That I do not own any freehold land or land held by lease or license of any kind whatever anywhere in the colony, either by myself or jointly with any other person, which, exclusive of the land I am now applying for the lease of, will exceed in area 5,000 acres.
5. That I am applying for the said land subject to the provisions of "The Cheviot Estate Disposition Act, 1893," and "The Land Act, 1892."

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."

A.B.

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

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

THOS. HUMPHRIES,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Run in Marlborough Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Blenheim, 17th January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Thursday, the 23rd day of February, 1905, for the term and at the upset annual rental stated, under the provisions of Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT. - MARLBOROUGH COUNTY. - CLOUDY BAY SURVEY DISTRICT.

RUN No. 99: Area, 428 acres; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £5.

Broken pastoral country, covered with fern, some grass, and about 15 acres of birch bush; well watered. Fronts on main Kaituna-Tuamarina Road; about nine miles from Blenheim.

Possession will be given on 1st March, 1905.

HENRY TRENT,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Village-homestead Allotments in Wellington Land District open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 20th December, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village-homestead allotments will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Wednesday, the 8th day of March, 1905, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.  
Village-homestead Allotments.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity Rent, 4 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.

RANGITIKEI COUNTY.—HAUTAPU SURVEY DISTRICT.

Mangaweka Village Settlement.

Pt.	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Pt. 6 of 43	..	0	2	0	2	0	0	10	0

Weighted with £1 15s., valuation for improvements, consisting of 3½ chains of fencing.

This allotment is situated in the Mangaweka Village Settlement, on the Te Kapua Road. The access is by formed and metalled dray-road. The section comprises all flat land, felled and grassed. The soil is of good quality, resting on papa formation.

WANGANUI COUNTY.—OHINEWAIKUA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Mataroa Village Settlement.

Pt.	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
28	..	1	3	0	0	11	5	1	0

Weighted with £7 15s., valuation for improvements, consisting of 15½ chains of fencing.

This allotment is situated close to the rising Township of Mataroa, on the Main Trunk Railway. There are a school, post and telegraph office, and store within about half a mile of the section, and a sawmill close to it. The access is from Mataroa Township, which adjoins the area. There is no formed road to the land, but the access is fairly easy. The section comprises flat and sloping land, all open and in grass, and containing good building-sites, one close to the road and one at the back of the section on a terrace. The soil is of good quality, resting on clay and papa formation.

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Runs in Southland Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 25th January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral runs will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Tuesday, the 28th day of February, 1905 at 11 o'clock a.m., for the terms and at the upset annual rentals stated, under the provisions of Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Class I., suitable exclusively for Pasturage.

RUNS Nos. 413 and 463, Wallace County: Area, 10,950 acres; term, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £70.  
Run No. 423B, Southland County: Area, 10,000 acres term, fifteen years; upset annual rental, £65.

Run No. 500, Stewart Island County, Codfish Island; Area, 3,450 acres; term, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £5 5s.

Possession of the above runs will be given on the 1st March, 1906.

*Descriptions of Runs.*

Run No. 423b: Situated in the Nokomai, Rockside, Gap, Garvey, and Wakaia Survey Districts, Southland County, about ten miles from Wakaia Township, six miles of which can only be packed upon; the balance is unformed, but could be used for dray traffic with a little expenditure. All high stony country, hilly and broken, ranging in altitude from 1,500 ft. to 4,000 ft. above sea-level. Although high, the country is fairly warm and sheltered, and carries fair grass, consisting principally of snow and blue tussock.

Runs Nos. 413 and 463: Known as Sunnyside, situated in Monowai and Titiroa Survey Districts, Wallace County, and on west bank of Waiiau River, about forty-five miles from Otautau Railway-station by good road. The country south of Monowai River is hilly and broken, well sheltered, and in some places fairly well grassed with white tussock and other finer grasses, but a considerable portion is heavily covered with fern and patches of manuka scrub; the country north of the Monowai River is all a level stony flat, very poorly grassed, and carrying patches of manuka scrub. The whole area varies from 600 ft. to 1,600 ft. above sea-level.

Run No. 500: This run, known as "Codfish Island," lies to the west of Stewart Island about two miles and a half, some twelve miles to the north of Mason Bay, or about forty miles from Bluff Harbour, and in Stewart Island County. The island is all bush-clad, varying from scrub to heavy bush, with the exception of a small patch of open land on the east side, facing Stewart Island. The country is undulating, varying in height from sea-level to about 300 ft.

JOHN HAY,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Reserves in Hunterville Township for Lease by Public Tender.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 4th January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 p.m. on Wednesday, the 8th day of March, 1905, for leases of the undermentioned reserves for a term of seven years, at the upset annual rentals stated below.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.  
*Hunterville Township.*

Section No.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
207	1 0 0	1 10 0

This section is situated on Ongo Line, one of the main streets in Hunterville, and is fenced, in grass, and watered by a constant-running stream. The soil is clay, resting on papa formation. Term, seven years.

245	0 1 8	1 10 0
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This section is situated in the Township of Hunterville close to the railway-station, and fronts on the road leading to the goods-shed. The section comprises all flat land, in grass. The soil is of good quality, resting on gravel formation. Term, seven years.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Tenders must be accompanied by marked cheque or post-office order for six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 1s. lease fee.
2. There are no restrictions or limitations as to the number of sections which one person may lease, and no declaration is required. Residence and improvements are not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, nor for any other cause.
3. Possession will be given on the day of acceptance of tender.
4. The leases shall be for the term of years as specified, but shall be subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.
5. The rents shall be payable half-yearly in advance.

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

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

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

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Reserves in Hawke's Bay Land District for Lease by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Napier, 17th January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserves will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Friday, the 10th day of March, 1905, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," for the terms and at the upset annual rentals stated.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term.
			A. R. P.	£ s. d.	
35	XIII.	Norsewood	6 3 10	2 12 6	14 years.
5	V.	Ruataniwha	103 3 0	21 0 0	14 years.
8	VIII.	Nuhaka..	5 0 0	1 10 0	Year to year.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Tenders must be accompanied by marked cheque or post-office order for six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 1s. lease fee.
2. There are no restrictions or limitations as to the number of sections which one person may lease, and no declaration is required. Residence and improvements are not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, nor for any other cause.
3. Possession will be given on the day of sale.
4. The leases shall be for the term of years as specified above, but shall be subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.
5. The rents shall be payable half-yearly in advance.
6. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease, except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
7. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbriar on the land comprised in the lease; and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, sweetbriar, broom, ragwort, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
8. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee should fail to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to be fulfilled.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Small Grazing-run in Otago Land District open for Lease on Application.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Dunedin, 5th January, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-run will be open for lease on application, at this office, on Tuesday, the 21st day of February, 1905, under the provisions of Part V. of "The Land Act, 1892."

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

## SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—WAIHEMO COUNTY.—HIGHWAY SURVEY DISTRICT.  
Small Grazing-run.

Sections.	Block.	Area.			Rent per Acre per Annum.		Half-yearly Rental.		
		A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
3, 5, & 6	VII.	3,906	2	0	0	5	40	14	0

Weighted with £1,001 7s. 6d., valuation for improvements. A valuation of the growing crops will be made about fourteen days before the date for receiving applications for this run. Such valuation will be equal to two-thirds the value of the crops, and shall not exceed £100. The amount shall be payable in addition to the sum of £1,001 7s. 6d. stated above.

## Description and Locality of Run.

Section 3, on which the homestead stands, rises to a height of 2,692 ft. above sea-level. There is an area of about 100 acres round the homestead, which is all the land that can be cultivated. The remainder rises abruptly to the trig-station on Mount Highlay, and in winter is very cold and sometimes under snow. The soil is light, and is covered with snow-tussock. Section 6 is better land. Section 5 is poor, the larger portion on the south side of Deepdell Creek especially so. The soil is light, and just covers the schist rock. This run is situated alongside the Township of Macrae's. The improvements consist of seven-roomed house, men's hut, dairy, woolshed and stable, cowshed, pigsty, dip, sheep-yards, plantation, water-power plant and fittings, 70 acres in grass, and 1,018 chains of boundary and subdivisional fencing.

D. BARRON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 19th December, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village-homestead allotment will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Tuesday, the 28th day of February, 1905, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

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

## SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—INVERCARGILL HUNDRED.—ACKERS VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

SECTION 107, Block XX.: Area, 17 acres 2 roods 10 perches; rent per acre per annum, 1s. 7-2d.; half-yearly rent, 14s. 1d. Situation good. Distance from Invercargill eight miles by good summer road. Soil sandy loam; bush of no commercial value, fit only for firewood. Weighted with £11 10s., valuation for 10 chains fencing and 6 acres clearing. Limit of holding, 65 acres.

JOHN HAY,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Village-homestead Allotments in Southland Land District open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity under the Provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," and "The Bush and Swamp Crown Lands Settlement Act, 1903."

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 19th December, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village-homestead allotments will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Tuesday, the 28th day of February, 1905, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," and "The Bush and Swamp Crown Lands Settlement Act, 1903."

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

For the purposes of "The Bush and Swamp Crown Lands Settlement Act, 1903," the lands enumerated the First Schedule hereto are classed as "light-bush land," and the lands in the Second Schedule are classed as "scrub land."

No general rate shall be levied or collected by any local authority from the said lands for the period of three years in the case of light-bush land, and two years in the case of scrub land, from the date from which in each case respectively such land is disposed of, and no local authority

shall have power to levy or collect any such rate from such land during such period.

After the first half-year's rent has been paid by the selector the further instalments of rent payable by him for a period of three years in the case of light-bushland, and two years in the case of scrub land, shall not be demanded: provided that if at any time during the first five years of his occupancy the selector disposes of his interest in the land the rent so conceded shall be paid by him in full, and thereupon the Land Board may remit such instalments of rent payable by the incoming tenant, not exceeding in the aggregate the amount of rent previously conceded to the selector, as the Board shall think fit.

## SCHEDULES.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.		Lease in Perpetuity Rent, 4 per Cent.			
			A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

## Light-bush Land.

Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.		Lease in Perpetuity Rent, 4 per Cent.						
			A.	R.	P.	s.	d.				
Invercargill Hundred (Tisbury Village Settlement)	71	XXII.	20	3	8	2	4	8	1	5	0
Ditto ..	72	"	20	3	8	2	4	8	1	5	0

Situation fair. Distance from Tisbury Railway-siding, three miles by good summer road. Soil fair, covered with bush, consisting of kamai and white-pine, fit only for fencing and firewood. Limit of holding, 50 acres.

## SECOND SCHEDULE.

## Scrub Land.

Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.		Lease in Perpetuity Rent, 4 per Cent.						
			A.	R.	P.	s.	d.				
Hokonui Survey District (Croydon Village Settlement)	774	..	6	2	18	1	7	2	0	5	2
Ditto ..	779	..	10	2	11	1	7	2	0	8	6

Situation fair. Distance from Gore, about four miles. Road partly formed to sections, but not suitable for heavy traffic. Light sandy soil; undergrowth heavy scrub; timber chiefly kamai and white-pine, suitable for firewood only. Limit of holding, 50 acres.

JOHN HAY,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Run in Canterbury Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 19th December, 1904.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for lease by public auction, at the upset annual rental and for the term stated below, on Tuesday, the 28th day of February, 1905, at the Land Office, Timaru, at 11 a.m., under the provisions of Part VI. of "The Land Act, 1892."

In the event of the run not being sold at auction, it will immediately thereafter be open for lease on application at this office, and at the Land Office, Timaru.

## SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—WAIMATE COUNTY.

## Class I.

RUN No. 44, Bluecliffs: Area, 17,000 acres; upset annual rental, £250; term of lease, thirteen years.

This run is situated on the western slopes of the Hunters Hills, between the summit and the River Waihao, about twenty-three miles distant from St. Andrew's Railway-station, at an altitude of from 2,000 ft. to 5,000 ft. above sea-level. It comprises high spurs, falling steeply into the creeks, but becoming less rugged as they approach the Waihao River, mostly covered with tussock, snow-grass, and other native grasses. The run is weighted with a sum of £324 3s. 9d. as valuation for improvements: this comprises the half value of about thirteen miles of boundary fence, full value of about three miles and a quarter of fencing which lies entirely within the run although used as a boundary fence, full value of nearly three miles of subdivisional fencing, and two huts, each 12 ft. by 12 ft., built of wood and roofed with iron. The amount of this valuation must be paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Christchurch, before possession is given.

THOS. HUMPHRIES,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

## NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICE.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Dunedin.*

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 6th February, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Dunedin, at the Magistrate's Court House, on Saturday, the 25th day of February, 1905, at 11 a.m., to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Wellington, 1905-6.]

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Lease (1904-180) ..	19th August, 1904 ..	Otago Heads Native Reserve, Lot 62	Ema te Au to William McGregor Dickson and others.
2	Mortgage (1904-200) ..	21st October, 1904 ..	Otago Heads Native Reserve, Lot 11	Nani Ellison to Jessie Barbara Helen Dods.
3	Lease (1905-19) ..	7th December, 1904 ..	Moeraki Native Reserve, Block XVI., Section 9	Teo Pita Tipa to John Lefevre.

## BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES EDWARD SEWELL ALGER, of Stratford, Tailor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 13th day of February, 1905, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

C. H. ARNDT,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

1st February, 1905.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE ALBEN REID, of Marton, Auctioneer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Marton, on Friday, the 10th day of February, 1905, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

W. RODWELL,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 3rd February, 1905.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of WILLIAM TINLINE, of Wanganui, Hotel-keeper.

NOTICE is hereby given that a second and final dividend, of 1s. in the pound, on all proved claims is now payable at my office.

W. RODWELL,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 7th February, 1905.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE SWAN, of Mosgiel, Cabinetmaker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 7th day of February, 1905, at 2.30 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,  
Official Assignee.

Dunedin, 1st February, 1905.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN WALDIE, of Dunedin, Slaughterman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 9th day of February, 1905, at 2.30 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,  
Official Assignee.

Dunedin, 2nd February, 1905.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that statements of accounts and balance-sheets in respect of the undermentioned estates, together with the report of the Audit Office thereon, have been duly filed in the above Court; and I hereby further give notice that at the sitting of the said Court to be holden on Monday, the 13th day of February, 1905, I intend to apply for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 28th day of January, 1905.

300. Harrison, John William, Butcher, Port Chalmers.  
301. Crossan, William, Storeman, Outram.  
303. Albertson, Hans, Mariner, Port Chalmers.  
305. Shore, Sophie Louise, Cook, Dunedin.  
306. Munro, James Jackson, Farmer, Outram.  
307. Wood, Edward Howard, Hotelkeeper, Dunedin.  
308. Clarke, Walter Thomas, Fishmonger, South Dunedin.  
310. Gale, George, Tailor, Dunedin.  
311. Gartner, Leon, Picture-frame Maker, South Dunedin.  
314. Watson, Charles James, Painter, Dunedin.  
The Alpine Dredging Company (Limited).  
Roberts, Griffith (deceased), Hotelkeeper, Beaumont.

C. C. GRAHAM,  
Official Assignee.

## MINING NOTICES.

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Orlig Dredging Company (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration: 13th March, 1899.  
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Dunedin; John B. Brugh, 1, Moray Place, Dunedin.  
Nominal capital: £7,000.  
Amount of capital subscribed: £7,000.  
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £6,000.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £1,000; nil.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,000.  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 7,000.  
Number of shares allotted: 7,000.  
Amount paid per share: £1.  
Amount called up per share: £1.  
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
Number of shares forfeited: 45, on which £4 10s. was paid.  
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.  
Present number of shareholders: 72.  
Number of men employed by company: 8.  
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 1,058 oz. 3 dwt. 21 gr.; £4,145 16s. 10d.  
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 4,482 oz. 7 dwt. 9 gr.; £17,491 3s. 9d.  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £2,558 14s. 8d.

Total expenditure since registration : £19,740 3s. 8d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared : £3,825 5s.  
 Total amount of dividends paid : £3,825 5s.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil.  
 Amount of cash in bank : £885 5s. 1d.  
 Amount of cash in hand : Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company : Current expenses (say) £225.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company : Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good : Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any) : Nil.

I, John Barnet Brugh, the Legal Manager of the Olgri Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JOHN B. BRUGH,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 13th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—Alex. Macpherson, J.P. 186

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company : New Bendigo Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration : 3rd February, 1903.  
 Whether in active operation or not : In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager : Dunedin ; John B. Brugh, 1, Moray Place, Dunedin.  
 Nominal capital : £6,600.  
 Amount of capital subscribed : £4,400.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash : £4,400.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any) : £2,200.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid : £2,200.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided : 6,600.  
 Number of shares allotted : 6,600.  
 Amount paid per share : £1.  
 Amount called up per share : £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear : Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited : Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same : Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company : 197.  
 Present number of shareholders : 178.  
 Number of men employed by company : Caretaker at present.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year : 134 oz. 2 dwt. 7 gr. ; £678 14s.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration : 484 oz. 19 dwt. 9 gr. ; £1,881 13s. 4d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year : £1,418 1s. 6d.  
 Total expenditure since registration : £6,690 19s. 3d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared : Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid : Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's : £370 1s.  
 Amount of cash in hand : Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company : Levy and interest, £1,532 13s., and (say) £20.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company : £3 15s.  
 Amount of such debts considered good : £3 15s.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any) : Nil.

I, John Barnet Brugh, the Legal Manager of the New Bendigo Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JOHN B. BRUGH,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 13th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—Alex. Macpherson, J.P. 187

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company : Garden Gully Dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration : 14th August, 1903.  
 Whether in active operation or not : In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary : Dunedin ; John B. Brugh, 1, Moray Place, Dunedin.  
 Nominal capital : £3,000.

Amount of capital subscribed : £2,600.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash : £2,600.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any) : Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid : Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided : 3,000.  
 Number of shares allotted : 2,600.  
 Amount paid per share : £1.  
 Amount called up per share : £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear : Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited : Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same : Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company : 25.  
 Present number of shareholders : 32.  
 Number of men employed by company : 9, sometimes 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year : 497 oz. 10 dwt. ; £1,894 3s. 5d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration : 497 oz. 10 dwt. ; £1,894 3s. 5d.  
 Amount expended in buying property and carrying on operations during preceding year : £4,417 6s. 3d.  
 Total expenditure since registration : £4,417 6s. 3d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared : Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid : Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's : £76 17s. 2d.  
 Amount of cash in hand : Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company : Say, £75, and current expenses (say) £100.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company : Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good : Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any) : Nil.

I, John Barnet Brugh, the Legal Manager of the Garden Gully Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JOHN B. BRUGH,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 13th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—Alex. Macpherson, J.P. 188

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company : New Kohinoor Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration : 25th November, 1904.  
 Whether in active operation or not : In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary : Wellington ; George Ross.  
 Nominal capital : £2,500.  
 Amount of capital subscribed : £1,931.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash : £1,099 2s. 6d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any) : Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid : Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided : 2,500.  
 Number of shares allotted : 1,931.  
 Amount paid per share : Various.  
 Amount called up per share : 7s. 6d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear : 12 ; £77 10s.  
 Number of shares forfeited : Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same : Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company : 7.  
 Present number of shareholders : 28.  
 Number of men employed by company : 8 to 10.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year : Nil.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration : Nil.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year : £304 0s. 5d.  
 Total expenditure since registration : £304 0s. 5d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared : Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid : Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's : £795 2s. 1d.  
 Amount of cash in hand : Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good : Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company : Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company : £922.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any) : £65.

I, George Ross, of Wellington, Secretary of the New Kohinor Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December last; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

GEORGE ROSS,  
Secretary.

Declared at Wellington, this 31st day of January, 1905,  
before me—Peter McArdle, J.P. 189

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Minerva Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration: 5th February, 1890; 24th February, 1890.  
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Greymouth; G. Perotti.  
Nominal capital: £12,000.  
Amount of capital subscribed: £12,000.  
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £6,428 1s. 3d.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £400.  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.  
Number of shares allotted: 17,285.  
Amount paid per share: 6s. 3d.  
Amount called up per share: 6s. 7d.  
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
Number of shares forfeited: 6,715.  
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: 7,381; £61 10s. 2d.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 16.  
Present number of shareholders: 18.  
Number of men employed by company: 1 occasionally.  
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: Nil.  
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 821 oz. 8 dwt. 2 gr.; £2,946 16s. 1d.  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £27 18s. 3d.  
Total expenditure since registration: £11,108 6s.  
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
Amount of debts owing by company: £36 16s. 6d.

I, Gerold Perotti, of Greymouth, the Manager of the Minerva Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

G. PEROTTI,  
Manager.

Declared at Greymouth, this 30th day of January, 1905,  
before me—A. W. Yarrall, J.P. 190

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Greenstone Junction Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration: 22nd September, 1899.  
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Kumara; William Bernard Gilbert.  
Nominal capital: £9,000.  
Amount of capital subscribed: £7,500.  
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £7,500.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,500.  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 12,000.  
Number of shares allotted: 12,000.  
Amount paid per share: 15s.  
Amount called up per share: 15s.  
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 81.

Present number of shareholders: 129.  
Number of men employed by company: 8.  
Quantity and value of gold produced since preceding year: 515 oz. 17 dwt. 6 gr.; £1,967 1s. 3d.  
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 2,900 oz. 10 dwt. 1 gr.; £11,228 13s. 4d.  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £1,967 11s. 1d.  
Total expenditure since registration: £19,300 19s. 11d.  
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
Amount of cash at banker's: 18s. 3d.  
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
Amount of contingent liabilities of company: Nil.  
Amount of debts due by company: Mortgage, £500; other debts, £1,005 9s. 5d.  
Total amount due in respect of mortgages, £500.

I, William Bernard Gilbert, of Kumara, the Manager of the Greenstone Junction Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

WM. B. GILBERT,  
Legal Manager.

Declared at Kumara, this 26th day of January, 1905, before me—James S. Benyon, J.P. 191

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Waihi Beach United Gold-mining Company (No Liability).  
When formed, and date of registration: 16th June, 1898; 12th October, 1898.  
Whether in active operation or not: In operation, but partly protected.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Queen Street, Auckland; Roderick McDonald Scott.  
Nominal capital: £7,000.  
Amount of capital subscribed: £7,000.  
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: .  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £3,187 10s.  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 140,000.  
Number of shares allotted: 140,000.  
Amount paid per share: 1s.  
Amount called up per share: 6d.  
Number and amount of calls in arrear: 1; £168 11s. 10d.  
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 99.  
Present number of shareholders: 183.  
Number of men employed by company: Supervisor and 7 contractors.  
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: Nil.  
Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: Nil.  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £510 1s. 8d.  
Total expenditure since registration: £3,320 15s. 3d.  
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
Amount of cash at banker's: £460 18s. 4d.  
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
Amount of debts directly due to company: £168 11s. 10d.  
Amount of debts considered good: £168 11s. 10d.  
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): £501 17s. 6d.  
Amount of debts due by company: £101 18s. 8d.

I, Roderick McDonald Scott, of Auckland, the Manager of the Waihi Beach United Gold-mining Company (No Liability), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

R. McDONALD SCOTT,  
Manager.

Declared at Auckland, this 27th day of January, 1905,  
before me—D. B. McDonald, J.P. 192

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Big Beetle Gold-mining Company (No Liability).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 31st July, 1901.  
 Whether in active operation or not: Protected; but let on tribute.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Queen Street, Auckland; Roderick McDonald Scott.  
 Nominal capital: £5,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £5,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,483 6s. 8d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £250.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 100,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 100,000.  
 Amount paid per share: 4d.  
 Amount called up per share: 4d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 1; £126.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 49.  
 Present number of shareholders: 117.  
 Number of men employed by company: 1.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: 165 oz.; £465 19s.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: 251 oz.; £755 4s. 6d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £1,332 15s. 2d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £2,346 16s. 7d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £54 14s. 7d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: 10d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £126.  
 Amount of debts considered good: £126.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: Nil.

I, Roderick McDonald Scott, of Auckland, the Manager of the Big Beetle Gold-mining Company (No Liability), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

R. McDONALD SCOTT,  
 Manager.

Declared at Auckland, this 27th day of January, 1905, before me—D. B. McDonald, J.P. 193

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Totara Flat Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 21st February, 1903.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Wellington; George Ross.  
 Nominal capital: £6,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £5,007.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £950 8s. 8d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £1,652 6s. 4d.; £143 6s.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £2,411.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 6,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 5,007.  
 Amount paid per share: £1.  
 Amount called up per share: £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 3; £13 5s.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 52.  
 Present number of shareholders: 51.  
 Number of men employed by company: 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: 534 oz. 7 dwt. 6 gr.; £2,067 14s. 1d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: 1,032 oz. 1 dwt. 16 gr.; £3,997 4s. 4d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £2,979 8s. 8d.

Total expenditure since registration: £5,144 19s. 3d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £122 10s. 11d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: £23 3s.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: (Approximate) £2,400 (including debentures and interest).  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, George Ross, of Wellington, the Secretary of the Totara Flat Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

GEORGE ROSS,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Wellington, this 2nd day of February, 1905, before me—Peter McArdle, J.P. 194

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: New Lyell Sluicing Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 26th August, 1904.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Wellington; E. M. Boulton.  
 Nominal capital: £2,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £1,740.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £263.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 2,000, of £1 each.  
 Number of shares allotted: 1,000 fully paid, 740 contributing.  
 Amount paid per share: 8s. on 690 shares, 4s. on 50 shares.  
 Amount called up per share: 8s. on 690 shares, 4s. on 50 shares.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 2; £23.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 17.  
 Present number of shareholders: 18.  
 Number of men employed by company: 5.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Nil.  
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: Nil.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: Nil.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £282 0s. 2d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in hand: £7 10s.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £129 1s. 5d.

I, Edward Marriott Boulton, of Wellington, the Secretary of the New Lyell Sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

E. M. BOULTON,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Wellington, this 2nd day of February, 1905, before me—T. W. Young, J.P. 195

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Wairau Valley Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 25th May, 1904.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Wellington; E. M. Boulton.



Nominal capital: £40,000, in shares of 5s. each.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £2,014.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £812 5s. 9d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £9,085.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 160,000, of 5s. each.  
 Number of shares allotted: 8,056 contributing, 36,340 fully paid.  
 Amount paid per share: 1s. 10d. on 8,000, 1s. on 56.  
 Amount called up per share: 1s. 10d. on 8,000, 1s. on 56.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 6; £61 18s. 2d.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 85.  
 Present number of shareholders: 90.  
 Number of men employed by company: 4.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Nil.  
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: Nil.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: Nil.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £585 6s. 5d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: 10s. 5d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: £13 15s. 9d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £694 2s.

I, Edward Marriott Boulton, of Wellington, the Secretary of the Wairau Valley Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

E. M. BOULTON,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Wellington, this 2nd day of February, 1905,  
 before me—Thos. Dwan, J.P. 196

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: New Zealand and Brazilian Prospecting Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 19th August, 1903.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Brazil; Claud Cato, Napier, New Zealand.  
 Nominal capital: £7,950.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £985.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £985.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £5,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 7,950.  
 Number of shares allotted: 5,985.  
 Amount paid per share: £1.  
 Amount called up per share: £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.  
 Present number of shareholders: 71.  
 Number of men employed by company: None at present.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: Nil.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: Nil.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £921 16s. 9d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £921 16s. 9d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £480 2s. 9d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £175.  
 Amount of such debts considered good: £175.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £195.  
 Amounts of debts due under mortgage: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): About £100.

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I, Claud Cato, of Napier, Secretary of the New Zealand and Brazilian Prospecting Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

CLAUD CATO,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Napier, this 27th day of January, 1905, before me—M. Lascelles, J.P. 198

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Rio das Mortes Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 2nd October, 1903.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Minas Geraes, Brazil, South America; Claud Cato, Napier, New Zealand.  
 Nominal capital: £60,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £12,100.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £10,857 17s. 6d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £15,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 60,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 27,100.  
 Amount paid per share: £1.  
 Amount called up per share: £1.  
 \* Number and amount of calls in arrear: £1,242 2s. 6d.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 8.  
 Present number of shareholders: 134.  
 Number of men employed by company: 5.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: Nil.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: Nil.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £7,430 2s. 5d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £7,430 2s. 5d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 † Amount of cash at banker's: £3,427 15s. 1d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £1,242 2s. 6d.  
 Amount of debts considered good: £1,242 2s. 6d.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £80 (in New Zealand).  
 Amount of debts due under mortgage: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): About £3,000.

\* This amount is largely made up of calls due in London and Rio de Janeiro. They are probably paid, but, being only due last December, there has not been sufficient time to have received advice to such effect.

† This amount includes amounts held in London and Rio de Janeiro to meet disbursements on account of the dredge. These payments have no doubt been made, but advice is not yet to hand. All such payments would, of course, decrease amount shown as contingent liabilities.

I, Claud Cato, of Napier, Secretary of the Rio das Mortes Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

CLAUD CATO,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Napier, this 27th day of January, 1905, before me—M. Lascelles, J.P. 197

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: New Saxon Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 15th May, 1904.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Nos. 11 and 12, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland; Joseph Bernard Sheath.  
 Nominal capital: £5,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £4,791 12s.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,197 18s.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 100,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 95,832.  
 Amount paid per share: 3d.  
 Amount called up per share: 3d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.  
 Present number of shareholders: 169.  
 Number of men employed by company: 9.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 83 oz. 6 dwt.; £230 15s. 4d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: 83 oz. 6 dwt.; £230 15s. 4d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £1,079 5s. 1d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £1,779 5s. 1d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £136 18s. 4d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: £14 13s. 9d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £374 1s. 5d.

I, Joseph Bernard Sheath, of Auckland, Secretary of the New Saxon Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

J. B. SHEATH,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Auckland, this 31st day of January, 1905,  
 before me—Joshua Jackson, J.P. 199

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

Name of company: New Monowai Gold and Silver Mines (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 4th October, 1904.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Nos. 11 and 12, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland; Joseph Bernard Sheath.  
 Nominal capital: £7,500.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £7,500.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,450.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 100,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 100,000.  
 Amount paid per share: 6d. on 96,000, 3d. on 4,000.  
 Amount called up per share: 6d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £50.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.  
 Present number of shareholders: 77.  
 Number of men employed by company: 4.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Nil.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: Nil.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £295 11s. 10d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £2,380 11s. 10d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £38 3s. 2d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £50.  
 Amount of debts considered good: £50.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £400 19s. 9d.

I, Joseph Bernard Sheath, of Auckland, Secretary of the New Monowai Gold and Silver Mines (Limited), do solemnly

and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

J. B. SHEATH,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Auckland, this 31st day of January, 1905,  
 before me—Joshua Jackson, J.P. 200

#### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY

Name of company: Mahara Royal Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 9th April, 1903.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Nos. 11 and 12, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland; Joseph Bernard Sheath.  
 Nominal capital: £5,137.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £5,131 17s.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,874 12s. 1d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,499 10s.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 102,740.  
 Number of shares allotted: 102,637.  
 Amount paid per share: 10d. on 76,926, 9d. on 25,711, 8d. on 10,183, 7d. on 357, 6d. on 182, 5d. on 132.  
 Amount called up per share: 10d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £152 7s. 1d.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.  
 Present number of shareholders: 174.  
 Number of men employed by company: 10.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 393 oz. 16 dwt.; £1,182 15s. 9d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: 1,142 oz. 19 dwt.; £3,455 10s. 9d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £2,433 19s. 1d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £7,761 19s. 11d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £351 17s. 3d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £152 7s. 1d.  
 Amount of debts considered good: £152 7s. 1d.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £1,430 2s. 2d.

I, Joseph Bernard Sheath, of Auckland, the Secretary of the Mahara Royal Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

J. B. SHEATH,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Auckland, this 31st day of January, 1905,  
 before me—Joshua Jackson, J.P. 201

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

Name of company: Old Alburnia Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 25th July, 1903.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Nos. 11 and 12, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland; Joseph Bernard Sheath.  
 Nominal capital: £11,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £11,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £5,927 6s. 3d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 110,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 110,000.  
 Amount paid per share: 1s. 1d. on 102,555, 1s. on 7,445.  
 Amount called up per share: 1s. 1d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £31 0s. 5d.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

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

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.

Present number of shareholders: 189.

Number of men employed by company: 20.

Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: 20 oz. 2 dwt.; £58 14s. 2d.

Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: 20 oz. 2 dwt.; £58 14s. 2d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £4,010 18s. 5d.

Total expenditure since registration: £6,498 6s. 11d.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash at banker's: £644 7s. 5d.

Amount of cash in hand: 18s. 4d.

Amount of debts directly due to company: £31 0s. 5d.

Amount of debts considered good: £31 0s. 5d.

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

Amount of debts owing by company: £355 2s. 5d.

I, Joseph Bernard Sheath, of Auckland, the Secretary of the Old Alburnia Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

J. B. SHEATH,  
Secretary.

Declared at Auckland, this 31st day of January, 1905,  
before me—Joshua Jackson, J.P. 202

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Tairua Broken Hills Gold-mining Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 12th July, 1899.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Nos. 11 and 12, New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland; Joseph Bernard Sheath.

Nominal capital: £17,500.

Amount of capital subscribed: £14,550.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £14,550.

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

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 175,000.

Number of shares allotted: 145,500.

Amount paid per share: 2s.

Amount called up per share: 2s.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.

Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

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

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.

Present number of shareholders: 147.

Number of men employed by company: 50.

Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 6,719 oz. 15 dwt.; £10,287 1s. 10d.

Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: 32,473 oz. 2 dwt.; £58,302 2s. 1d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £12,320 1s. 8d.

Total expenditure since registration: £53,760 13s. 1d.

Total amount of dividends declared: £22,891 6s. 11d.

Total amount of dividends paid: £22,891 6s. 11d.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash at banker's: £715 9s. 2d.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company: £179 15s.

Amount of debts considered good: £179 15s.

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

Amount of debts owing by company: £417 3s. 11d.

I, Joseph Bernard Sheath, of Auckland, the Secretary of the Tairua Broken Hills Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

J. B. SHEATH,  
Secretary.

Declared at Auckland, this 31st day of January, 1905,  
before me—Joshua Jackson, J.P. 203

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Clutha River Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 31st March, 1904.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Vogel Street, Dunedin; Charles S. Reeves.

Nominal capital: £2,500.

Amount of capital subscribed: £2,300.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £950.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £1,800.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,000.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 2,500.

Number of shares allotted: 2,300.

Amount paid per share: 15s. on subscribing shares.

Amount called up per share: 15s.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: 3; £25.

Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

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

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 11.

Present number of shareholders: 42.

Number of men employed by company: 3.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 38 oz. 10 dwt. 13 gr.; £150 6s. 11d.

Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 38 oz. 10 dwt. 13 gr.; £150 6s. 11d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £999 16s. 9d.

Total expenditure since registration: £999 16s. 9d.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Amount of debts owing by company: £412 3s. 7d.

Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.

Amount of debts considered good: Nil.

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

I, Charles S. Reeves, of Dunedin, the Manager of the Clutha River Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

CHAS. S. REEVES,  
Manager.

Declared at Dunedin, this 19th day of January, 1905,  
before me James Hazlett, J.P. 204

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: First Chance Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 23rd June, 1902.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Vogel Street, Dunedin; L. G. Reeves.

Nominal capital: £7,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £3,500.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,500.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £7,000; £3,500.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £3,500.

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

Number of shares allotted: 7,000.

Amount paid per share: £1.

Amount called up per share: £1.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.

Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

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

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 117.

Present number of shareholders: 151.

Number of men employed by company: 1.

Quantity and value of gold produced since last statement: 509 oz. 9 dwt. 18 gr.; £1,976 13s. 8d.

Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 2,266 oz. 2 dwt. 2 gr.; £7,777 7s.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement—£1,568 8s. 10d.

Total expenditure since registration: £8,356 0s. 3d.

Total amount of dividends declared: £3,150.

Total amount of dividends paid : £3,150.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's : £654 1s. 11d.  
 Amount of cash in hand : Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company : Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good : Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any) : Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company : £107 6s.

I, Charles S. Reeves, of Dunedin, the Acting-Secretary of the First Chance Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

CHAS. S. REEVES,  
 Acting-Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 19th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—James Hazlett, J.P. 205

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company : New Half-way House Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration : 25th November, 1901.  
 Whether in active operation or not : In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager : Vogel Street, Dunedin ; L. G. Reeves.  
 Nominal capital : £8,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed : £8,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash : £4,000.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any) : £8,000 ; £4,000.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid : £4,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided : 8,000.  
 Number of shares allotted : 8,000.  
 Amount paid per share : £1.  
 Amount called up per share : £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear : Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited : Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same : Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company : 136.  
 Present number of shareholders : 157.  
 Number of men employed by company : 7.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced since last statement : 257 oz. 14 dwt. 21 gr. ; £1,007 4s. 2d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration : 1,235 oz. 18 dwt. 10 gr. ; £4,797 13s. 10d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement : £1,652 16s. 8d.  
 expenditure since registration : £4,686 19s. 7d.  
 amount of dividends declared : £800.  
 Total amount of dividends paid : £800.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's : £178 1s. 4d.  
 Amount of cash in hand : Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company : Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good : Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any) : Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company : £46 11s. 1d.

I, Charles S. Reeves, of Dunedin, the Acting-Secretary of the New Half-way House Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

CHAS. S. REEVES,  
 Acting-Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 19th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—James Hazlett, J.P. 206

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company : Alpine No. 2 Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration : 1st May, 1899.  
 Whether in active operation or not : In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager : Vogel Street, Dunedin ; L. G. Reeves.  
 Nominal capital : £6,500.  
 Amount of capital subscribed : £6,220.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash : £6,220.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any) : Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid : £325.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided : 6,500.  
 Number of shares allotted : 6,220.  
 Amount paid per share : £1.  
 Amount called up per share : £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear : Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited : Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same : Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company : 62.  
 Present number of shareholders : 123.  
 Number of men employed by company : 1.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced since last statement : 565 oz. 2 dwt. 10 gr. ; £2,191 4s. 5d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration : 2,937 oz. 18 dwt. 12 gr. ; £11,366 6s. 3d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement : £1,501 11s. 8d.  
 Total expenditure since registration : £12,160 5s. 4d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared : £3,415 15s.  
 Total amount of dividends paid : £3,415 15s.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's : £1,172 14s. 10d.  
 Amount of cash in hand : 19s. 1d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company : Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good : Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any) : Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company : £46 15s. 6d.

I, Charles S. Reeves, of Dunedin, Acting-Secretary of the Alpine No. 2 Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

CHAS. S. REEVES,  
 Acting-Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 19th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—James Hazlett, J.P. 207

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company : New Alpine Consols Dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration : 3rd July, 1902.  
 Whether in active operation or not : In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary : Vogel Street, Dunedin ; L. G. Reeves.  
 Nominal capital : £7,500.  
 Amount of capital subscribed : £3,750.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash : £3,750.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any) : £7,500 ; £3,750.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid : £3,750.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided : 7,500 shares of 10s. each.  
 Number of shares allotted : 7,500.  
 Amount paid per share : 10s.  
 Amount called up per share : 10s.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear : Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited : Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same : Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company : 90.  
 Present number of shareholders : 126.  
 Number of men employed by company : 1.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced since last statement : 547 oz. 15 dwt. 23 gr. ; £2,126 18s. 9d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration : 1,375 oz. 9 dwt. 3 gr. ; £5,244 13s. 10d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement : £1,585 10s.  
 Total expenditure since registration : £7,113 11s. 11d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared : £926 15s.  
 Total amount of dividends paid : £926 15s.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's : £397 15s. 2d.  
 Amount of cash in hand : 10s. 1d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company : Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good : Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any) : Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company : £57 8s. 5d.

I, Charles S. Reeves, of Dunedin, the Acting-Secretary of the New Alpine Consols Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

CHAS. S. REEVES,  
Acting-Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 19th day of January, 1905,  
before me—James Hazlett, J.P. 208

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Enterprise Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration: 24th August, 1891.  
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Vogel Street, Dunedin; C. S. Reeves.  
Nominal capital: £7,000.  
Amount of capital subscribed: £7,000.  
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,500.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £7,000; £3,500.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £3,500.  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 7,000.  
Number of shares allotted: 7,000.  
Amount paid per share: £1.  
Amount called up per share: £1.  
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 14.  
Present number of shareholders: 140.  
Number of men employed by company: 14.  
Quantity and value of gold produced since last statement: 2,079 oz. 19 dwt. 9 gr.; £8,061 18s. 11d.  
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 16,870 oz. 2 dwt. 5 gr.; £65,338 17s. 3d.  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £5,172 8s. 11d.  
Total expenditure since registration: £42,827 1s. 2d.  
Total amount of dividends declared: £23,912.  
Total amount of dividends paid: £23,845 14s.  
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: £66 6s.  
Amount of cash at banker's: £264 4s. 3d., and on deposit £931.  
Amount of cash in hand: 1s. 3d.  
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
Amount of debts owing by company: £223 1s.

I, Charles S. Reeves, of Dunedin, the Manager of the Enterprise Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

CHAS. S. REEVES,  
Manager.

Declared at Dunedin, this 19th day of January, 1905,  
before me—James Hazlett, J.P. 209

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Phoenix Dredging Company (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration: 27th September, 1902.  
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Waikaka (Secretary's residence); Malcolm McCorkindale.  
Nominal capital: £1,500.  
Amount of capital subscribed: £1,500.  
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,500.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £1,500.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 30.  
Number of shares allotted: 30.  
Amount paid per share: £50.  
Amount called up per share: £50.  
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 15.  
Present number of shareholders: 15.  
Number of men employed by company: 7.  
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 964 oz. 15 dwt.; £3,855.  
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 1,922 oz.; £7,645.  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £3,776 0s. 6d.  
Total expenditure since registration: £3,805 9s. 1d.  
Total amount of dividends declared: £1,200.  
Total amount of dividends paid: £1,200.  
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
Amount of cash at banker's: £348 11s. 7d.  
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
Amount of debts directly due to company: £4.  
Amount of debts considered good: £4.  
Amount of debts owing by company: £113 18s. 1d.  
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Malcolm McCorkindale, the Secretary of the Phoenix Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

MALCOLM MCCORKINDALE,  
Secretary.

Declared at Gore, this 28th day of January, 1905, before me—W. F. Inder, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 210

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Alexandra Bonanza Gold Dredging and Sluicing Company (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration: 5th September, 1899.  
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Dunedin; John Davie.  
Nominal capital: £30,000.  
Amount of capital subscribed: £27,000.  
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £17,085 15s.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £3,000.  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 30,000.  
Number of shares allotted: 21,393.  
Amount paid per share: £1.  
Amount called up per share: £1.  
Number and amount of calls in arrear: £330 5s.  
Number of shares forfeited: 1,473.  
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.  
Present number of shareholders: 140.  
Number of men employed by company: Average, 6.  
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 81 oz. 6 dwt. 9 gr.; £313 1s. 4d.  
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 300 oz. 14 dwt. 2 gr.; £1,167 12s. 10d.  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £957 5s.  
Total expenditure since registration: £19,902 4s. 9d.  
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
Amount of cash at banker's and on deposit at interest: Dr. £1,469 15s. 8d.  
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
Amount of debts owing by company: £411 16s. 3d.  
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, John Davie, of Dunedin, Legal Manager of the Alexandra Bonanza Gold Dredging and Sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JOHN DAVIE,  
Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 24th day of January, 1905,  
before me—James Hazlett, J.P. 211

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

Name of company: Roxburgh Amalgamated Mining and Sluicing Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 2nd March, 1889.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Dunedin; John Davie.  
 Nominal capital: £30,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £29,152 10s.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £13,090 11s. 3d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £15,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 30,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 29,152.  
 Amount paid per share: 18s. 6d. on contributing shares, £1 on vendors'.  
 Amount called up per share: 18s. 6d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £30 14s. 3d.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 825.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.  
 Present number of shareholders: 160.  
 Number of men employed by company: Average, 18.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 443 oz. 10 dwt. 8 gr.; £1,731 7s. 2d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 19,864 oz. 12 dwt. 1 gr.; £77,183 2s. 3d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £2,527 18s. 4d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £70,098 4s. 4d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £21,497 18s. 4d. (14s. 9d. per share).  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £21,497 18s. 4d. (14s. 9d. per share).  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's and on deposit at interest: £243 4s. 10d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £390 19s. 10d.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, John Davie, of Dunedin, Legal Manager of the Roxburgh Amalgamated Mining and Sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JOHN DAVIE,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 24th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—James Hazlett, J.P. 212

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

Name of company: New Woodstock Dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 25th July, 1903.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; James Brown.  
 Nominal capital: £3,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £3,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,750.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 3,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 3,000.  
 Amount paid per share: £1 per share on 2,000 shares, 15s. per share on 1,000 shares.  
 Amount called up per share: £1 per share on 2,000 shares, 15s. per share on 1,000 shares.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 17.  
 Present number of shareholders: 18.  
 Number of men employed by company: 1.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced since last statement: 543 oz. 6 dwt. 1 gr.; £2,099 1s. 4d.

Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 629 oz. 8 dwt. 1 gr.; £2,432 18s. 1d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £3,006 2s. 3d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £4,844 10s. 5d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £258 2s. 1d.  
 Amount of cash in hand:  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £165 9s. 6d.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, James Brown, the Secretary of the New Woodstock Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JAS. BROWN,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 30th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—Alex. Sligo, J.P. 213

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

Name of company: Island Block Gold Dredging and Sluicing Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 26th February, 1900.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; James Brown.  
 Nominal capital: £60,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £24,030.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £12,030.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £12,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 60,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 25,000.  
 Amount paid per share: £1 per share on 12,030 shares.  
 Amount called up per share: £1 per share on 12,030 shares.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 970.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 30.  
 Present number of shareholders: 89.  
 Number of men employed by company: 13.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced since last statement: 1,828 oz. 2 dwt. 12 gr.; £7,151 2s. 9d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 4,771 oz. 18 dwt. 3 gr.; £18,575 14s. 4d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £5,963 9s. 7d.  
 Total amount expended since registration: £24,142 0s. 9d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £742 19s. 1d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £344 9s.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): £191 18s. 6d.

I, James Brown, the Secretary of the Island Block Gold Dredging and Sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JAS. BROWN,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 30th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—Alex. Sligo, J.P. 214

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

Name of company: Nokomai Hydraulic-sluicing Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 26th March, 1898.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Stafford Street, Dunedin; Kum Poy.  
 Nominal capital: £24,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £24,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £7,000.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £17,000; no cash.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £17,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 2,400.  
 Number of shares allotted: 2,400.  
 Amount paid per share: £10.  
 Amount called up per share: £10.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.  
 Present number of shareholders: 40.  
 Number of men employed by company: 38.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 1,543 oz. 17 dwt. 7 gr.; £5,890 4s. 3d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 10,547 oz. 6 dwt. 1 gr.; £40,318 2s. 4d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £5,200 19s. 10d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £33,602 14s. 11d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £13,883 11s.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £13,883 11s.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's and on deposit: £319 12s. 11d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £380 2s. 10d.

I, Kum Poy, of Dunedin, the Legal Manager of the Nokomai Hydraulic-sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

KUM POY,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 1st day of February, 1905,  
 before me—Eardley C. Reynolds, J.P. 215

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

Name of company: Daylight Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 15th May, 1900.  
 Whether in active operation or not: Not.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Dunedin; George Blyth.  
 Nominal capital: £8,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £6,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £4,242 16s. 6d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £3,532 10s.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,899.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 8,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 7,899.  
 Amount paid per share: £1.  
 Amount called up per share: £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: —; £176 10s.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 2,190.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 98.  
 Present number of shareholders: 93.  
 Number of men employed by company: Nil.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: Nil.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: Nil.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £63 3s.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £3,769 17s. 3d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's and on deposit: £499 4s. 3d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: 7s. 6d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.

Amount of debts owing by company: £83 12s.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, George Blyth, the Secretary of the Daylight Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

GEORGE BLYTH,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 24th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—James Hazlett, J.P. 216

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

Name of company: Central Charlton Dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 8th December, 1899.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Dunedin; Hector Faulkner Monro Mercer.  
 Nominal capital: £7,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £5,300.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £5,300.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,700.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 7,000 shares of £1 each.  
 Number of shares allotted: 7,000.  
 Amount paid per share: £1.  
 Amount called up per share: £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 66.  
 Present number of shareholders: 111.  
 Number of men employed by company: 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 1,170 oz. 11 dwt.; £4,589 2s. 9d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 3,787 oz. 8 dwt.; £14,765 14s. 7d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £2,449 16s. 3d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £17,146 11s. 6d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: 8; £2,800.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: 8; £2,800.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £240 11s. 8d., and Reserve Account, £251 10s.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Hector Faulkner Monro Mercer, of Dunedin, the Manager of the Central Charlton Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

H. F. M. MERCER,  
 Manager.

Declared at Dunedin, this 24th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—Wm. Eric Reynolds, J.P. 217

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

Name of company: North Beach Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 27th February, 1900.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Dunedin; Hector Faulkner Monro Mercer.  
 Nominal capital: £9,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £6,225.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £6,225.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £2,100.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 9,000 shares of £1 each.

Number of shares allotted: 8,325.  
 Amount paid per share: £1.  
 Amount called up per share: £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 111.  
 Present number of shareholders: 97.  
 Number of men employed by company: 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 879 oz. 6 dwt. 13 gr.; £3,421 6s. 10d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 4,053 oz. 8 dwt. 2 gr.; £15,755 5s. 9d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £2,843 14s. 3d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £19,293 18s. 1d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: 8; £3,330.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: 8; £3,330.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £432 4s. 6d; at reserve, £405 6s. 8d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £215.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Hector Faulkner Monro Mercer, of Dunedin, the Manager of the North Beach Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

H. F. M. MERCER,  
 Manager.

Declared at Dunedin, this 27th day of January, 1905, before me—F. C. Calvert, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court. 218

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

Name of company: Rising Sun Gold-mining Company (No Liability).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 18th July, 1895; 16th October, 1895.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Queen Street, Auckland; John Hughlings Jackson.  
 Nominal capital: £18,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £18,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £4,023 2s. 6d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,900.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 120,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 89,484.  
 Amount paid per share: 1s. 2½d.  
 Amount called up per share: 1s. 2½d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 41,741.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: 41,741.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 15.  
 Present number of shareholders: 47.  
 Number of men employed by company: Property protected.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: Nil.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: Nil.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: Property protected.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £3,957 8s. 9d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: 5s. 10d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good:  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any):  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £11 11s. 6d.

I, John Hughlings Jackson, of Auckland, the Manager of the Rising Sun Gold-mining Company (No Liability), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December,

1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

J. H. JACKSON,  
 Manager.

Declared at Auckland, this 27th day of January, 1905, before me—D. B. McDonald, J.P. 223

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

Name of company: Sunbeam Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 29th June, 1903; 30th June, 1903.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Queen Street, Auckland; John Hughlings Jackson.  
 Nominal capital: £12,750.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £11,256 13s. 4d.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,083 16s. 8d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): 50,000 at 1s., £2,500; nil: 43,850 at 1s., £2,192 10s.; £1,315 10s.: 50,000 at 10d., £2,083 6s. 8d: £208 6s. 8d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £666 13s. 4d.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 170,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 153,850.  
 Amount paid per share: 103,850 paid up to 1s. 4d., 50,000 paid up to 11d.  
 Amount called up per share: On 103,850, 4d.; on 50,000, 1d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 4; £4 3s. 4d.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 60.  
 Present number of shareholders: 100.  
 Number of men employed by company: 2 now.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: Nil.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: Nil.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £1,554 5s. 8d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £2,916 17s. 10d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £97 15s. 11d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good:  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): £455.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £93 6s. 7d.

I, John Hughlings Jackson, of Auckland, the Manager of the Sunbeam Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1905; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

J. H. JACKSON,  
 Manager.

Declared at Auckland, this 27th day of January, 1905, before me—D. B. McDonald, J.P. 224

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

Name of company: Waimangu Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 1st December, 1904.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Queen Street, Auckland; John Hughlings Jackson.  
 Nominal capital: £7,500.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £6,750.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,000.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £3,500 (£1,000 and property).  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £2,500.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 100,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 50,000 at 1s. paid up; 40,000 at 6d. paid up: 90,000.  
 Amount paid per share: On contributing issue, 6d.; on vendors' shares, 1s.  
 Amount called up per share: 6d.



Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same:  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 103.  
 Present number of shareholders: 103.  
 Number of men employed by company: 4.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year:  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration:  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: Not yet started.  
 Total expenditure since registration:  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £613 2s. 6d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good:  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any):  
 Amount of debts due by company: £64 6s. 4d.

I, John Hughlings Jackson, of Auckland, the Manager of the Waimangu Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

J. H. JACKSON,  
 Manager.

Declared at Auckland, this 27th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—D. B. McDonald, J.P. 225

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

Name of company: Waihi Consolidated (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 23rd March, 1900;  
 23rd March, 1900.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager:  
 Queen Street, Auckland; John Hughlings Jackson.  
 Nominal capital: £37,500.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £25,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,875.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £15,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 150,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 100,000.  
 Amount paid per share: 3s. 4½d.  
 Amount called up per share: 3s. 4½d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: £3 8s. 4d.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.  
 Present number of shareholders: 141.  
 Number of men employed by company: 1.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: Nil.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: Nil.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £406 15s. 9d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £3,453 12s. 6d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £243 12s.  
 Amount of cash on fixed deposit: £550.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good:  
 Amount of liabilities of company (if any): £70 18s. 4d.

I, John Hughlings Jackson, of Auckland, the Manager of the Waihi Consolidated (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

J. H. JACKSON,  
 Manager.

Declared at Auckland, this 27th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—D. B. McDonald, J.P. 226

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

Name of company: New Skippers Sluicing Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 16th September, 1902.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary:  
 Dunedin; Herbert Edward Wilson.  
 Nominal capital: £4,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £3,414.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £811.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £1,792; nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £811.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 4,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 3,414.  
 Amount paid per share: £1.  
 Amount called up per share: £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 17.  
 Present number of shareholders: 24.  
 Number of men employed by company: 6.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year:  
 232 oz. 14 dwt. 17 gr.; £878 18s. 7d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration:  
 440 oz. 7 dwt. 3 gr.; £1,675 16s. 4d.  
 Total amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £964 15s. 10d.  
 Total amount expended since registration: £4,140 5s.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's and on deposit at interest:  
 Current account, £46 4s. 9d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £74 16s.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities (if any): Say, £70.

I, Herbert Edward Wilson, of Dunedin, Secretary of the New Skippers Sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

HERBERT E. WILSON,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 25th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—L. Mendelsohn, J.P. 227

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

Name of company: Golden Bed Dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 5th May, 1899.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary:  
 Dunedin; Edward Trythall.  
 Nominal capital: £13,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £11,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £10,693 17s. 6d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £2,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 13,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 12,794.  
 Amount paid per share: £1 per share on 10,794 shares.  
 Amount called up per share: £1 per share on 10,794 shares.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 88.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: 75; £95 5s.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 140.  
 Present number of shareholders: 200.  
 Number of men employed by company: 8, and Secretary.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year:  
 1,805 oz. 7 dwt.; £6,996 1s. 9d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration:  
 4,662 oz. 12 dwt. 19 gr.; £18,140 13s. 10d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £5,050 14s. 11d.  
 Total amount expended since registration: £18,749 11s. 8d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £1,270 12s.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £1,269 7s.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: £1 5s.  
 Amount of cash at banker's and on deposit at interest:  
 Bank current account, £804 9s. 5d.; deposit, £452 1s. 8d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: £2 3s. 5½d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £10.  
 Amount of debts considered good: £10.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £272 15s.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities (if any): Nil.

I, Edward Trythall, of Dunedin, Secretary of the Golden Bed Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

EDWARD TRYTHALL,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 10th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—David Larnach, J.P. 228

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: New Golden Beach Hydraulic Elevating and Dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 12th December, 1903.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation. Mortgagee foreclosed recently. Arrangements are now being made to get mortgagee to uplift lien and allow company to go on.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; Edward Trythall.  
 Nominal capital: £5,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £3,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,509 15s.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 5,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 3,000.  
 Amount paid per share: £1 per share on 2,516 shares, less calls in arrear, and 484 shares taken up in payment of debts due by old company.  
 Amount called up per share: £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 2; £6 5s.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 60.  
 Present number of shareholders: 52.  
 Number of men employed by company: 9 and Secretary.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 487 oz. 14 dwt. 14 gr.; £1,902 11s. 1d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 540 oz. 2 dwt. 18 gr.; £2,108 4s. 4d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £2,173 12s. 8d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £4,760 3s. 10d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's and on deposit at interest: £95 12s. 4d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £4,441 3s. 7d.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Edward Trythall, of Dunedin, Secretary of the New Golden Beach Hydraulic Elevating and Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

EDWARD TRYTHALL,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 10th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—David Larnach, J.P. 229

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Matau Dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 16th October, 1897.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; E. R. Smith.  
 Nominal capital: £7,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £6,200.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £6,200.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £800; no cash.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £800.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 7,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 7,000.  
 Amount paid per share: £1.  
 Amount called up per share: £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.  
 Present number of shareholders: 123.  
 Number of men employed by company: 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 709 oz. 1 dwt. 5 gr.; £2,717 12s. 11d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 8,595 oz. 15 dwt. 12 gr.; £33,126 18s. 2d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £2,754 17s.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £22,665 10s. 8d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £14,875.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £14,875.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's, and on deposit at interest: £463 16s. 4d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £119 14s.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Edmund Robinson Smith, of Dunedin, Secretary of the Matau Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

E. R. SMITH,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 13th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—David Larnach, J.P. 230

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Clyde Dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 17th May, 1895.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; E. R. Smith.  
 Nominal capital: £8,000 (2,000 unissued).  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £6,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £5,850 (does not include £2,000 paid as premium).  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £150; no cash.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £150.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 8,000 (2,000 unissued).  
 Number of shares allotted: 6,000.  
 Amount paid per share: 20s.  
 Amount called up per share: 20s.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.  
 Present number of shareholders: 82.  
 Number of men employed by company: 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 984 oz. 6 dwt. 9 gr.; £3,770 9s. 1d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 12,196 oz. 18 dwt. 1 gr.; £46,953 10s. 5d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £2,727 3s. 9d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £33,847 16s. 3d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £20,600; £4 0s. 6d. on 4,000 shares, and 15s. on 6,000.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £20,600.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's and on deposit at interest: £845 1s. 5d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £45.  
 Amount of debts considered good: £45.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £265 (approximate).  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): £100.

I, Edmund Robinson Smith, of Dunedin, Secretary of the Clyde Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

E. R. SMITH,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 13th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—David Larnach, J.P. 231

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Bakery Flat Sluicing Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 10th September, 1896.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation; claim let on tribute.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; A. Johnston C. Brown.  
 Nominal capital: £3,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £2,500.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,012 10s.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £300.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 3,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 2,500.  
 Amount paid up per share: 18s. 6d.  
 Amount called up per share: 18s. 6d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 1; £3 15s.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 24.  
 Present number of shareholders: 28.  
 Number of men employed by company: At present claim is worked on tribute.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 257 oz. 1 dwt. 12 gr.; £989 15s.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 2,603 oz. 16 dwt. 14 gr.; £9,784 16s. 8d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £1,048 16s. 2d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £10,917 18s. 9d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £1,062 10s.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £1,062 10s.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's and on deposit at interest: Current account, £58 19s. 4d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £339 12s. 11d.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Alexander Johnston Cree Brown, of Dunedin, Secretary of the Bakery Flat Sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

A. JOHNSTON C. BROWN,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 25th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—L. Mendelsohn, J.P. 232

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Blackwater River Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 27th April, 1900.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; A. Johnston C. Brown.  
 Nominal capital: £11,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: Contributing capital, £6,475; vendors', £3,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £8,891 18s.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £3,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 11,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 9,475.  
 Amount paid per share: 18s.  
 Amount called up per share: 18s.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 525.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 82.  
 Present number of shareholders: 115.  
 Number of men employed by company: 9.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 1,753 oz. 6 dwt. 17 gr.; £6,975 9s. 4d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 3,034 oz. 4 dwt. 3 gr.; £12,170 4s. 9d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £4,843 13s. 4d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £18,340 1s. 8d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £3,316 5s.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £3,316 5s.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: £3 12s. 6d. (still outstanding).  
 Amount of cash at banker's, and on deposit at interest: Current account, £95 2s. 8d.; on deposit, £400.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: Monthly current accounts accrued only.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Alexander Johnston Cree Brown, of Dunedin, the Secretary of the Blackwater River Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

A. JOHNSTON C. BROWN,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 25th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—L. Mendelsohn, J.P. 233

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Arrow Falls Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 4th April, 1898.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Manager: Invercargill; R. F. Guthbertson.  
 Nominal capital: £31,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £30,500.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,341 16s.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £30,000; £2,250.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £27,750.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 31,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 30,500.  
 Amount paid per share: £1 on 30,000, and 4s. on 500.  
 Amount called up per share: £1 on 30,000, and 4s. on 500.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 5; £8 4s.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 16.  
 Present number of shareholders: 33.  
 Number of men employed by company: 12 (average).

Quantity and value of gold produced since last statement : 101 oz. 9 dwt. 20 gr. ; £390 13s.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration : 1,896 oz. 13 dwt. 10 gr. ; £5,395 14s. 9d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement : £607 9s.  
 Total expenditure since registration : £8,476 8s. 7d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared : Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid : Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's : £14 2s. 9d.  
 Amount of cash in hand : £1 17.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company : £20 0s. 5d.  
 Amount of debts considered good : £20 0s. 5d.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any) : Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company : £128 12s. 7d.

I, R. F. Cuthbertson, of Invercargill, the Manager of the Arrow Falls Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

R. F. CUTHBERTSON,  
 Manager.

Declared at Invercargill, this 20th day of January, 1905,  
 before me—Wm. Scandrett, J.P. 234

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Waihui Gold-mining Company (No Liability).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 15th November, 1900; 7th December, 1900.  
 Whether in active operation or not: Not.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: 119, Victoria Arcade, Auckland; Joseph James Macky.  
 Nominal capital: £2,625.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £2,250.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,626 18s. 10d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £1,835 5s. 6d.; £1,626 18s. 10d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 70,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 60,000.  
 Amount paid per share: 7½d.  
 Amount called up per share: 7½d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 2; £39 14s. 6d.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 19,068.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 43.  
 Present number of shareholders: 35.  
 Number of men employed by company: Nil.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: Nil.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: Nil.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £153 17s. 7d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £1,645 10s. 3d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £15 10s. 1d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): £10 13s. 9d.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £6.

I, Joseph James Macky, of Auckland, the Manager of the Waihui Gold-mining Company (No Liability), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

J. J. MACKY,  
 Manager.

Declared at Auckland, this 4th day of February, 1905,  
 before me—D. B. McDonald, J.P. 235

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: May Queen Extended Gold-mining Company (No Liability).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 3rd September, 1895; 12th November, 1895.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: 119, Victoria Arcade, Auckland; Joseph James Macky.  
 Nominal capital: £15,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £15,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £7,506 8s. 2d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 100,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 95,500.  
 Amount paid per share: On 58,216 shares, 1s. 10½d.  
 Amount called up per share: 1s. 10½d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 3 (37,284 shares); £155 7s.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 37,284.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: 3,600; £15.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 63.  
 Present number of shareholders: 82.  
 Number of men employed by company: 3.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: —; £143 12s. 3d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: —; £1,566 7s.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £680 17s. 2d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £8,635 19s. 6d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £161 13s. 1d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £5 19s. 7d.

I, Joseph James Macky, of Auckland, the Manager of the May Queen Extended Gold-mining Company (No Liability), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

J. J. MACKY,  
 Manager.

Declared at Auckland, this 4th day of February, 1905,  
 before me—D. B. McDonald, J.P. 236

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Victoria Gold-mining Company (No Liability).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 28th August, 1890; 2nd September, 1890.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: 119, Victoria Arcade, Auckland; Joseph James Macky.  
 Nominal capital: £30,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £16,722 5s.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £16,722 5s.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £20,461 10s. 8d.; £16,722 5s.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 150,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 110,829.  
 Amount paid per share: 3s. 5½d.  
 Amount called up per share: 3s. 5½d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 153.  
 Present number of shareholders: 176.  
 Number of men employed by company: 10.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: 104 oz.; £280 13s. 4d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: —; £13,390 17s. 10d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £1,052 5s. 8d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £27,835 4s. 4d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £91 19s. 10d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Joseph James Macky, of Auckland, the Manager of the Victoria Gold-mining Company, do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1904; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

J. J. MACKY,  
 Manager.

Declared at Auckland, this 4th day of February, 1905, before me—D. B. McDonald, J.P. 237

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Mill Creek Freehold (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 27th November, 1903.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Gore; James Brownlie.  
 Nominal capital: £4,500.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £4,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £4,000.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 90.  
 Number of shares allotted: 80.  
 Amount paid per share: £50.  
 Amount called up per share: £50.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 29.  
 Present number of shareholders: 29.  
 Number of men employed by company: Average, 7.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since the last statement: 377 oz. 9 dwt.; £1,462 7s. 6d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: 377 oz. 9 dwt.; £1,462 7s. 6d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £1,654 16s. 2d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £5,817 6s. 8d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £359 9s. 1d.

I, James Brownlie, of Gore, the Secretary of the Mill Creek Freehold (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

JAMES BROWNLIE,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Gore, this 28th day of January, 1905, before me—W. F. Inder, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 238

### NEW ZEALAND MINES TRUST (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the New Zealand Mines Trust Company (Limited) proposes to cease carrying on business in New Zealand.

Dated this 28th day of January, 1905.

CHAS. RHODES,  
 Attorney for the said Company.

In the matter of the Sullivan's Lead Gold-dredging Company (Limited), (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the members of the Sullivan's Lead Gold-dredging Company (Limited) will be held at the office of the Liquidator, Russell's Buildings, Water Street, Dunedin, on Monday, the 24th April, 1905, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of; also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company and of the Liquidator shall be disposed of.

H. F. M. MERCER,  
 Liquidator.

Dunedin, 30th January, 1905. 219

In the matter of the Happy Valley Gold-dredging Company (Limited), (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the members of the Happy Valley Gold-dredging Company (Limited) will be held at the office of the Liquidator, Russell's Buildings, Water Street, Dunedin, on Tuesday, the 25th April, 1905, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of; also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company and of the Liquidator shall be disposed of.

H. F. M. MERCER,  
 Liquidator.

Dunedin, 30th January, 1905. 220

### LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel 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.

4073. CHARLES EDWARD STORER.—Allotment 79 in the Parish of Pukekura, containing 46 acres 2 roods 38 perches. Occupied by tenant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 4th day of February, 1905, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

EDWIN BAMFORD,  
 District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," and its amendments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 9th day of March, 1905.

3571. ARTHUR HENRY KRAHAGEN.—2 roods 20 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches, part Section 207, Taratahi Plain Block. Occupied by Applicant.

3573. WILLIAM PALMER.—16 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches, part Section 207, Taratahi Plain Block. Occupied by Applicant.

3599. JOHN McLEAN.—24 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches, part Section 358, City of Wellington. Occupied by J. H. Robertson as tenant.

3612. JOHN MORRISON and JOSEPH MORRISON.—99 acres 1 rood 30 perches, part Section 42, Waitotara District. Occupied by Applicants.

3617. ELIZABETH ROBERTSON DUNCAN.—104 acres 1 rood 18 perches, Section 77, Left Bank, Wanganui River. Part occupied by Applicant and part by Charles Evan Mackay and other tenants.

3622. CHRISTINA HAGAN.—47 acres 2 roods 14 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches, part Section 99, Hutt District. Occupied by Applicant.

3623. RICHARD GEANGE and JOHN GEANGE.—90 acres 1 rood 25 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches, part Sections 95 and 99, Hutt District. Occupied by Ruth Geange.

3626. JOHN JOSEPH FANNING and FRANK FANNING.—20 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches, part Section 509, City of Wellington. Occupied by Ivan Black and other tenants.

3627. GEORGE WINDER, JOHN HENRY OTTO SCHWARTZ, ALEXANDER JAMES McTAVISH, and WILLIAM EDWIN REDSTONE.—2 acres, Sections 1043 and 1044, City of Wellington. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 8th day of February, 1905, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

J. M. BATHAM,  
 District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel 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.

1364. ALEXANDER THOMS.—50 acres, Section 16, Square 9, Kaiteriteri. Unoccupied.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 3rd day of February, 1905, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

H. EYRE KENNY,  
District Land Registrar.

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

9903. ALBERT LOE.—1 rood 5½ perches, part of Rural Section 235, Sydenham Ward, City of Christchurch. Occupied by George Herbert Caygill.

9996. ELLEN LOW.—2 roods, part of Rural Sections 3344 and 4041, Town District of Southbridge. Occupied by James Alexander Robertson and Ross Moore.

9997. JOHN HENRY MADDOCKS.—2 roods ¾ perch, Lot 63, Plan 816, part of Rural Section 1834, Block I., Patiti Survey District. Occupied by James Doyle.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 7th day of February, 1905, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,  
District Land Registrar.

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EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Register-book, Vol. 114, folio 70, comprising part of Rural Sections 2667, 3162, and 4864, situated in Block XIII. of the Oxford Survey District, whereof JOHN DEANS (deceased), late of Riccarton, Esquire, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional certificate at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 7th day of February, 1905, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,  
District Land Registrar.

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

JOHN O'ROURKE.—Section 3, Block X., Town of Oamaru. Unoccupied. 4649.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 6th day of February, 1905, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

W. WYINKS,  
District Land Registrar.

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### PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by FRANK BEE, HENRY FAIRBURN BUTCHER, JAMES JUST NIVEN, and JOHN MCHARDY, under the style or firm of "The Napier Fish Supply Company," in the trade or business of trawling for fish, and fish-dealers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent so far as the said John McHardy is concerned, and that the said business will in future be carried on by the said Frank Bee, Henry Fairburn Butcher, and James Just Niven alone, under the style or firm as above mentioned.

Dated this 1st day of February, 1905.

H. F. BUTCHER.  
JAS. J. NIVEN.

Witness to the signing hereof by Henry Fairburn Butcher and James Just Niven—F. Logan, Solicitor, Napier.

FRANK BEE.

Witness to the signature of Frank Bee—F. Logan, Solicitor, Napier.

J. MCHARDY.

Witness to the signature of John McHardy—J. Humphries, Law Clerk, Napier.

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### COUNTY OF TUAPEKA.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND FOR A ROAD AT KELSO.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1894," to execute a certain public work, to wit, the making of a road giving access to footbridge over Pomahaka River at Kelso, and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken.

And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the Post-office, Kelso, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Chairman, Tuapeka County Council, Lawrence.

#### SCHEDULE.

The parcels of land required to be taken:—

Approximate Area of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Coloured on Plan	Situated in Block No.	Situated in Survey District of
1 acre 1 rood	Section 1	Red	XV.	Glenkenich.

All in the Otago Land District.

Signed this 19th day of January, 1905.

ROBERT COTTON,  
Chairman, Tuapeka County Council.

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THE following are the charges for slaughtering and inspecting stock at the Hawera Borough Abattoir, which has been registered, under No. Ab. 14, as the abattoir within the meaning of "The Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1900," for the Borough of Hawera, instead of the scale contained in the notice dated the 10th day of November, 1903, signed by me, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 12th November, 1903, namely,—

	s.	d.
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" calf .. .. .	2	0
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Cleaning tripes .. .. .	0	6
" calves' heads and trotters ..	0	6

B. A. MEEK,  
Town Clerk, Borough of Hawera.

Hawera, 1st February, 1905. 222

### THE BRITISH-AUSTRALASIAN TOBACCO COMPANY (LIMITED), MELBOURNE,

NOTIFIES that, in compliance with section 307 of the Companies Act of 1903—viz., "Before any company voluntarily ceases to carry on business in any part of New Zealand, at least three months' notice shall be given by its attorney of its intention so to do, and such notice shall be published in at least three consecutive issues of the *Gazette* and of some newspaper circulating at each place in New Zealand where the company carries on business"—it ceased carrying on business in the colony as from 31st March, 1904.

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