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*Lands taken for widening King Edward Street, formerly known as Hillside Road, in the City of Dunedin.*

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

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1905," for a certain work, to wit, the widening of a street in the City of Dunedin, known as King Edward Street, formerly known as Hillside Road, in pursuance of powers granted by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900":

And whereas the Council of the City of Dunedin has laid before the Governor the memorial, accompanied by a map, and also the statutory declaration, as required by "The Public Works Act, 1905":

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purpose of widening the said street, and shall vest in the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Dunedin.

**SCHEDULE.**

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 16.11	1	VII, Town District	Township of Kensington	R. 5651	Red.
0 0 16	38 and 39	Ditto ..	Ditto ..	"	"

In the Otago 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 Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, 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 thirteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

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

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And whereas the Council of the City of Dunedin has laid before the Governor the memorial, accompanied by a map, and also the statutory declaration, as required by "The Public Works Act, 1905":

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purpose of widening the said street, and shall vest in the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Dunedin.

**ERRATUM.**—In the Schedule on page 174 of the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 5, of 25th January, 1906, setting out the Results of University Scholarships and Schools of Mines Examinations, the marks gained by J. Williams there shown under column "Theoretical Chemistry (Junior)" should be shown under column "Theoretical Chemistry (Senior)."

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of Allotments	Situated in Block	Situated in	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 6.4	3 and 4	X	Township of S. Dunedin Extension	R. 7530	Red.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is 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.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, 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 thirteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

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

Land taken for a Road in Block II, Weber Survey District, Weber County.

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

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1905," for a certain work, to wit, for the purpose of a road in Block II, Weber Survey District:

And whereas an agreement has been entered into with the owner of the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto to take such land for the public work hereinafter set forth:

And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to issue a Proclamation taking the land, as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, and being satisfied of the sufficiency of the agreement hereinbefore referred to, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purpose of a road.

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. 1 0 10	1	II	Weber ..	R. 6400	Purple.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, 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 thirteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

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

Land set apart for Settlement.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.  
Tadmor Block (2,109 Acres).

Area.	Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
149 0 0	48	III	Tadmor..	L. and S. 54872/1	Red.
	49	"	" ..		
524 0 0	19	VIII	" ..		
188 0 0	2	XI	" ..		
276 0 0	14	"	" ..		
258 0 0	26	"	" ..		
168 0 0	28	"	" ..		
150 0 0	29	"	" ..		
396 0 0	12	XII	" ..		

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, 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 thirteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

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

Declaring the Approach Road to Frankton Junction Railway-station, in the Hamilton Survey District, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this second day of February, 1906.

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, 1905," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order that the road known as the Approach Road to Frankton Junction Station, on the Kaipara-Waikato Railway, situated in the Hamilton Survey District, and described in the Schedule hereto, and which said road has hitherto been a Government road within the meaning of the said Act, shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

All that area in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing 3 acres 3 roods 3 perches, more or less, situated at Frankton Junction Station, on the Kaipara-Waikato Railway, being part of Lot 1 of the Parish of Te Rapa, County of Waipa (formerly Waikato), and being bounded as follows: On the north by a road which forms a portion of the

northern boundary of said Lot 1, a distance of 118 links; on the south-east by a straight line, a distance of 2998 links; on the north-east by a straight line, a distance of 700 links; again on the south-east by a straight line, a distance of 100 links; on the south-west by a straight line, a distance of 800 links; and on the north-west by a straight line, a distance of 3035 links: as the same is delineated upon the plan marked 14081, deposited in the office of the Minister for Railways, at Wellington, and thereon coloured purple.

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

*Altering the Boundaries of the Hawke's Bay Rabbit District.*  
—Notice No. 1013.

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this second day of February, 1906.

Present:

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

WHEREAS by "The Rabbit Nuisance Act 1882 Amendment Act, 1886" (hereinafter termed "the said Act") it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council, alter and redefine the boundaries of any district constituted under the said Act: And whereas the district known as "The Hawke's Bay Rabbit District" has been constituted under and for the purposes of Part II of the said Act, and it is expedient to alter the boundaries of the same in manner hereinafter appearing:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby alter and redefine the boundaries of the said Hawke's Bay Rabbit District so constituted as aforesaid, and doth hereby declare that the boundaries of the said district shall be those set forth in the Schedule hereto, and that the name of the said district, and the Board of Trustees acting for such district, shall continue as at present existing, subject to the provisions of the said Act; and, further, that this Order in Council shall take effect from the date of the gazetting hereof.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of the Colony of New Zealand comprising that portion of the County of Wairoa bounded as follows, viz.: Commencing at Te Ngaru; thence by the sea northward to the mouth of the Mohaka River; thence by the Mohaka River to its intersection with the south boundary of the Wairoa County; thence by said county-boundary to the point of commencement: together with the Counties of Hawke's Bay, Waipawa, Patangata, Woodville, and Weber; and including also those parts of Sections 1 (Education Reserve), 2, and 4, Makuri Survey District, Pahiatua County, the boundaries of which parts are more particularly set forth on plan marked L.S. 92/327, and deposited at the office of the Department of Agriculture, Wellington.

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

*Changing the Purpose of a Portion of a Reserve in the Taranaki Land District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this second day of February, 1906.

Present:

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

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of a reserve heretofore set apart for cemetery purposes, being a reserve within Class I of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881":

And whereas it is expedient that such land shall be appropriated for drainage purposes, being a reserve within the said Class I:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881,"

doth hereby declare that the said land shall, from and after the date hereof, be appropriated for drainage purposes under Class I of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881."

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 2 roods 18 perches, more or less, being portion of Reserve No. 180, Moa District, Block IV, Egmont Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Subdivision No. 6 of Section No. 179, Moa District, Block IV, Egmont Survey District; towards the east by the Kurapete Stream; towards the south by the other portion of Reserve No. 180, Moa District aforesaid; and towards the west by Wortley Road: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 50479/16, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

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

*Extension of Time for Confirmation of Special Order, Waimate County Council.*

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of February, 1906.

Present:

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

WHEREAS the Waimate County Council, at a meeting held on the twentieth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and five, passed a resolution making a certain special order appointing a member of the Lower Waihao Water Committee of Management: And whereas the said resolution was not confirmed within the time prescribed by "The Counties Act Amendment Act, 1903," and it is expedient to extend the said time as hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers vested in him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby extend the time within which the aforesaid resolution may be confirmed to the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and six.

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

*Regulations for Deer-shooting, County of Hawke's Bay.*

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of February, 1906.

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 County of Hawke's Bay (hereinafter called "the said district").

REGULATIONS.

1. RED deer (stags only) may be taken or killed within the said district from the 20th day of March, 1906, to the 30th day of April, 1906, both days inclusive.
2. Licenses to kill such deer may be issued by the Chief Postmaster at Napier, on payment of a license fee of five pounds, 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 two stags, and no stag shall be killed carrying antlers with less than ten points; and, further, the said Chief Postmaster 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.

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), of not less than points, within the District of , from the day of 1906, to the day of , 1906 (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.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of February, 1906.

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, 1906, to the 30th day of April, 1906, 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 four 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 or bucks only), of not less than points, within the District of , from the day of 1906, to the day of , 1906 (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, Marlborough.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of February, 1906.

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 Marlborough District, comprising the Counties of Marlborough and Sounds, 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 twenty-fourth day of February, 1906, to the twenty-third day of April, 1906, both days inclusive.
2. Licenses to kill such deer may be issued by the Chief Postmaster at Blenheim, 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 Postmaster 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 1906, to the day of , 1906 (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.

*Notice of Application to proclaim Stony Creek and Jones's Creek, together with all their Tributaries, Watercourses for the Deposit of Tailings, &c.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in him by section one hundred and nine of "The Mining Act, 1905," His Excellency the Governor hereby notifies that application has been made to him to constitute and set apart by Pro-

clamation the watercourses the name, locality, and description whereof are set forth in the Schedule hereto to be watercourses into which may be discharged any tailings, débris, and waste water produced by or resulting from mining operations carried on under the said Act.

Any person who objects to such Proclamation being made, or whose land, or riparian or other rights in respect of such land, will be damaged or injuriously affected by the operation thereof, is required to serve on the Minister of Mines, within the period of ninety days after the publication hereof in the *Gazette*, full particulars of such objection, and also a claim in the prescribed form setting forth full particulars of all compensation that will be claimed by him in the event of such Proclamation being made.

No person will be entitled to any compensation for damage or injury consequent on the operation of such Proclamation unless his claim is duly served in the manner and within the period aforesaid.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

THAT stream known as Stony Creek, in the Nelson Land District, which flows westerly from its source in Block X, Ngakawau Survey District, for a distance of about five miles to its confluence with Jones's Creek; and also the several tributaries thereof.

That stream known as Jones's Creek, in the Nelson Land District, which flows south-westerly from its confluence with Stony Creek, in Block II, Kawatiri Survey District, for a distance of about a mile to the sea.

Dated at Wellington, this thirteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and six.

JAS. MCGOWAN,  
Minister of Mines.

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

##### PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 6 acres 3 roods 25 perches, more or less, being Section No. 28, Block VI, Tiriraukawa Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 18, Block VI, Tiriraukawa Survey District; towards the south-east by Section No. 19 of the said Block VI; towards the south-west by Section No. 26 of the said Block VI and by the Mangamahoe Road; and towards the north-west by Section No. 47 of Block VI aforesaid. For an agricultural and stock reserve.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 9 acres 2 roods 25 perches, more or less, being Section No. 42, Block VI, Tiriraukawa Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Sections Nos. 45 and 18 of Block VI, Tiriraukawa Survey District; towards the south-east by the said Section No. 18; towards the south-west by Sections Nos. 47 and 41 of the said Block VI; and towards the north-west by a public road. For a recreation reserve.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 3 roods 35 perches, more or less, being Section No. 45, Block VI, Tiriraukawa Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east and towards the south-east by Section No. 18 of Block VI, Tiriraukawa Survey District; towards the south-west by Section No. 42 of the said Block VI. and by the abutment of a public road; and towards the north-west by Section No. 44 of Block VI aforesaid. For a public cemetery.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 1 rood 22 perches, more or less, being Section No. 47, Block VI, Tiriraukawa Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 42,

Block VI, Tiriraukawa Survey District; towards the south-east by Section No. 28 of the said Block VI; towards the south-west generally by the Mangamahoe Road and by Sections Nos. 29, 30, 31, and 32 of the said Block VI; and towards the north-west by Section No. 41 of Block VI aforesaid. For roadmen's huts.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 54860/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

##### *Lands temporarily reserved in the Canterbury Land District.*

##### PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres 1 rood 6 perches, more or less, being Section No. 3506, in red (Pareora No. 2 Settlement), Block XII, Otaio Survey District. Bounded towards the north and towards the east by Section No. 31 (Pareora No. 2 Settlement), Block XII, Otaio Survey District; towards the south by Section No. 38 of the said settlement and block; and towards the west by the Homestead Road. For a plantation reserve.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres 2 roods 39 perches, more or less, being Section No. 3507, in red (Pareora No. 2 Settlement), Block XII, Otaio Survey District. Bounded towards the west and towards the north by Section No. 30 (Pareora No. 2 Settlement), Block XII, Otaio Survey District; towards the east by the Homestead Road; and towards the south by Section No. 37 of the said settlement and block. For a plantation reserve.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 22 acres 2 roods 14 perches, more or less, being Section No. 3508, in red (Pareora No. 2 Settlement), Block XII, Otaio Survey District. Bounded by a road-line commencing at a point on the west side of Talbot's Road (the said point being distant 1904.2 links in a south-westerly direction from the junction of the said side of the said road with the southern side of the Pleasant Valley Road), and proceeding thence south-westerly along the said Talbot's Road and a line bounding Section No. 25 (Pareora No. 2 Settlement), Block XII, Otaio Survey District, a distance of 4933.3 links; thence north-westerly, north-easterly, and south-easterly by lines bounding the said Section No. 25, with distances respectively of 420, 5009.5, and 484.5 links, to the point of commencement. For a plantation reserve.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 2 roods 13 perches, more or less, being Section No. 3512, in red (Pareora No. 2 Settlement), Block XI, Otaio Survey District. Bounded towards the north by the Bluecliffs Road, a distance of 1613 links; towards the east by Section No. 52 (deposit plan No. 442), Block XI, Otaio Survey District, a distance of 388.5 links; and towards the south by a stream. For a plantation reserve.

Be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 19215/195, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and thirty-six of "The Land Act, 1892," and section two of "The Bush and Swamp Crown Lands Settlement Act, 1903," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare and provide as follows, that is to say:—

1. The rural lands described in the Schedule hereto are hereby set apart for disposal by way of selection on and after the sixteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and six, at the rentals specified in the said Schedule.

2. The said lands may be selected on lease in perpetuity only, as provided by section one hundred and twenty-one of "The Land Act, 1892," as they contain or are supposed to contain, metal, mineral, or valuable stone, and shall not be purchased for cash.

3. For the purposes of "The Bush and Swamp Crown Lands Settlement Act, 1903," the lands enumerated in the said Schedule hereto shall be deemed to be "light-bush land."

4. No general rate shall be levied or collected by any local authority from the said lands for the period of three years from the date from which in each case respectively such lands are disposed of, and no local authority shall have power to levy or collect any such rate from such lands during such period.

5. 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 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.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—CLIFTON COUNTY.

Second-class Light-bush Land.

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

ARIA SURVEY DISTRICT.

A. R. P.			s. d.		£ s. d.	
3	II	292 0 0	0	10 8	6	1 5

Situate on Kie Kie Road. Access from Paemako, fourteen miles distant—ten miles by dray-road, remainder by pack-track. The section comprises low, hilly, and undulating country; about 18 acres swamp. The forest is light, comprising tawa, rata, rimu, hinau, and kahikatea, with a light undergrowth of supplejack. The soil is good, on a papa-and-sandstone formation; watered by small streams. Elevation, from 150 ft. to 900 ft. above sea-level.

OHURA SURVEY DISTRICT.

A. R. P.			s. d.		£ s. d.	
11	III	251 3 35	1	1 2	6	18 7

Situate on Waitangata Road, twenty-three miles from Ongarue by a good dray-road. The section comprises flats on streams, with terraces and undulating land covered with light forest of hinau, rata, tawa, and a light undergrowth of fern and white wood. Soil fair, on papa-and-sandstone formation; well watered. Elevation, from 530 ft. to 1,100 ft. above sea-level.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

Rural Land in Taranaki Land District open for Sale or Selection.

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 land enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the sixteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and six; and also that the land mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase or on lease in perpetuity, or, in respect of any land containing or supposed to contain any metal, mineral, or valuable stone, be selected on lease in perpetuity only; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said land shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said land shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

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

					A. R. P.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		s. d.		£ s. d.		s. d.		£ s. d.							
Patea	..	Opaku	..	5	XI	1,806	0	0	0	8	0	722	8	0	0	4 8	18	1	3	0	3 8	14	9	0

Weighted with £750, valuation for improvements—350 acres felled and grassed, 90 chains fencing, buildings, logging, stumping, and tracks.

Situate on Maben Road. Access from Patea, distant about sixteen miles—two miles metalled dray-road, ten miles formed dray-road, remainder formed bridle-road. Generally low hills; about 50 acres level and easy slopes on Patea River, remainder rough and broken; soil fair, on papa formation. Forest fairly heavy, comprising tawa, rimu, rata, and black-birch, with thick undergrowth. The section is well watered. Elevation, from 100 ft. to 1,000 ft. above sea-level.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and thirty-six of "The Land Act, 1892," and section two of "The Bush and Swamp Crown Lands Settlement Act, 1903," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare and provide as follows, that is to say:—

1. The rural land enumerated in the Schedule hereto is hereby set apart for disposal by way of sale or selection on and after the twelfth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and six, at the respective prices specified in the said Schedule.
2. The said land may be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on lease in perpetuity: provided that in the case of land containing or supposed to contain any metal, mineral, or valuable stone, it shall be selected on lease in perpetuity only and shall not be purchased for cash.
3. For the purposes of "The Bush and Swamp Crown Lands Settlement Act, 1903," the land enumerated in the said Schedule hereto shall be deemed to be "heavy-bush land."
4. No general rate shall be levied or collected by any local authority from the said land for a period of four years from the date from which 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.
5. 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 four years 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.

SCHEDULE.

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

County.	District.	Section.	Block.	Area	Cash Price.		Occupation with Right of Purchase: Rent, 5 per Cent.		Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
					Per Acre.	Total Price.	Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.	Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
Cook ..	Hangaroa ..	1	V	A. R. P. 1,091 0 0	s. d. 7 6	£ s. d. 409 2 6	s. d. 0 4 5	£ s. d. 10 4 7	s. d. 0 3 6	£ s. d. 8 3 8

Rough forest country. Altitude, from 1,000 ft. to 2,400 ft. Mixed bush in the south and the west portions of the section; chiefly birch in the north-eastern portion. Light pumice land, well watered, with soil varying from medium to inferior. About fifty-one miles from Gisborne and forty-five miles from Wairoa. The bush contains tawa, rimu, hinau, manuka, and some totara, with undergrowth of supplejack and fern.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

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

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 land enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the twelfth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and six; and also that the land mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase or on lease in perpetuity, or, in respect of any land containing or supposed to contain any metal, mineral, or valuable stone, be selected on lease in perpetuity only; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said land shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said land shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

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

County.	District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price.		Occupation with Right of Purchase: Rent, 5 per Cent.		Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
					Per Acre.	Total Price.	Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.	Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
Cook ..	Hangaroa Vil- lage	73	..	A. R. P. 20 1 9	£ s. d. 3 0 0	£ s. d. 60 18 9	s. d. 3 0	£ s. d. 1 10 6	s. d. 2 4 8	£ s. d. 1 4 5

Weighted with £15, valuation for grassing.

Situated on the Hangaroa River, about eight miles from the Gisborne-Wairoa main road, with which it is connected by a formed road, and about thirty miles south-west from Gisborne. The land is all in grass.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Notifying Lands in Southland 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 Wednesday, the eighteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and six, 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.**

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF DIPTON.  
*Suburban Lands.*

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
7	I	0 2 0	3 0 0
8	"	0 2 0	3 0 0
9	"	0 2 0	3 0 0
10	"	0 2 0	3 0 0
9	II	0 2 0	3 0 0
6	III	0 2 0	3 0 0
8	"	0 2 0	3 0 0
7	VII	1 0 0	6 0 0

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

**T. Y. DUNCAN,**  
Minister of Lands.

*Appointment of Acting Consular Agent of France, at Wellington, recognised provisionally.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 13th February, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has recognised provisionally the appointment, by the Consul of France at Auckland, of

WALTER ISAAC NATHAN, Esq.,  
as Acting Consular Agent of France, at Wellington, during the absence of the Consular Agent, Harold Beauchamp, Esq.

**ALBERT PITT,**  
For Colonial Secretary.

*Appointment of Acting Consular Agent of France, at Christchurch, recognised provisionally.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 13th February, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has recognised provisionally the appointment, by the Consul of France at Auckland, of

WILLIAM THOMAS CHARLEWOOD, Esq.,  
as Acting Consular Agent of France, at Christchurch, during the absence of the Consular Agent, G. Humphreys, Esq.

**ALBERT PITT,**  
For Colonial Secretary.

*Registrar of Electors, Dunedin Central Electoral District, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 13th February, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES AUGUSTUS TIPPING

to be Registrar of Electors under "The Electoral Act, 1905," for the Electoral District of Dunedin Central, *vice* G. W. C. Moon. Appointment to date from 1st February, 1906.

**ALBERT PITT,**  
For Colonial Secretary.

*Arrangements for First Election, &c., Komakorau Drainage Board.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 13th February, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM FULLER,

of Ngaruawahia, to be Returning Officer for the purpose of conducting the first election of five members of the Board of Trustees of the Komakorau Drainage District, as constituted under "The Land Drainage Act, 1904"; also to appoint Wednesday, the 28th day of March, 1906, to be the date, and the Ngaruawahia Town Board Office, at Ngaruawahia, to be the place, for holding such election; and also to appoint Wednesday, the 4th day of April, 1906, at half past seven o'clock in the afternoon, to be the time, and the Town Hall, at Ngaruawahia, to be the place, at which the first meeting of Trustees shall be held.

**ALBERT PITT,**  
For Colonial Secretary.

*Arrangements for First Election, &c., Hungahunga Drainage Board.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 13th February, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

PETER GILCHRIST,

of Te Aroha, to be Returning Officer for the purpose of conducting the first election of five members of the Board of Trustees of the Hungahunga Drainage District, as constituted under "The Land Drainage Act, 1904"; also to appoint Saturday, the 21st day of April, 1906, to be the date, and the Schoolhouse at Aratiatia to be the place, for holding such election; and also to appoint Saturday, the 28th day of April, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon, to be the time, and the said Schoolhouse at Aratiatia to be the place, at which the first meeting of Trustees shall be held.

**ALBERT PITT,**  
For Colonial Secretary.

*Clerks of Courts appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 15th February, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable JOHN BEATTIE BOYD

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Denniston, from the 12th instant, *vice* Constable E. C. Trehey, transferred; and

Constable MICHAEL COX

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Petone, from the 15th instant.

**JAS. MCGOWAN.**

*Sittings of Magistrate's Court appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 15th February, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

The ODD FELLOWS' HALL, Petone,

to be a place wherein a Magistrate's Court shall be held, under the provisions of "The Magistrate's Court Act, 1893."

**JAS. MCGOWAN.**

*Vaccination Inspector appointed.*

Department of Public Health,  
Wellington, 13th February, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THERESE JOHNSON

to be a Vaccination Inspector, under "The Public Health Act, 1900," for the District of Waipawa, *vice* Samuel Johnson, deceased. The appointment dates from the 12th day of February, 1906.

**J. MCGOWAN,**  
Acting Minister of Public Health.



*Hemp-grader under "The Products Export Act, 1903," appointed.—Notice No. 1014.*

Department of Agriculture,  
Wellington, 21st February, 1906.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES STEWART

to be a Hemp-grader for the purposes of "The Products Export Act, 1903"; the appointment to date from 15th February, 1906.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister for Agriculture.

*Members of Otago Harbour Board appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 15th February, 1906.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance and exercise of all the powers conferred upon him by subsection (1) of section 4 of "The Otago Harbour Board Act, 1883," and by "The Harbours Act, 1878," reappointed

JAMES TAYLOR MCKERRAS,  
The Hon. DAVID PINKERTON, M.L.C.,  
JAMES ROBIN, and  
THOMAS ROSS (of Rothesay)

to be members of the Otago Harbour Board, as from the 13th February, 1906.

WM. HALL-JONES.

*Special Order made by the Upper Wangaehu Road Board.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1906.

**T**HE following special order, made by the Upper Wangaehu Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

ALBERT PITT,  
For Colonial Treasurer.

UPPER WANGAEHU ROAD BOARD.

*Special Order making Special Rate.—Ruanui 10-per-cent. Loan (£150).*

RESOLVED, That, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act and its amendments, the Upper Wangaehu Road Board hereby by way of special order resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £150 (such loan being 10 per cent. of the original £1,500 loan), authorised to be raised by the Upper Wangaehu Road Board, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and "The Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1903," for the purpose of taking, under the Public Works Act, if necessary, and completing the Adamson's-Ruanui-Turakina Road, the said Upper Wangaehu Road Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{1}{8}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property of the Adamson's-Ruanui-Turakina Road Special-rating District, as defined by special order of the Upper Wangaehu Road Board for the original loan of £1,500, made on the 1st November, 1902; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a special order made (or adopted) at a special meeting of the Upper Wangaehu Road Board held at Mangamahu on Saturday, the 6th January, 1906, of which meeting every member received due notice, and which special order was confirmed at a subsequent meeting held on Saturday, the 3rd February, 1906.

A. C. MANNINGTON,  
Clerk to the Upper Wangaehu Road Board,  
Mangamahu, 12th February, 1906.

*Special Order made by the Porangahau Road Board.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1906.

**T**HE following special order, made by the Porangahau Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

ALBERT PITT,  
For Colonial Treasurer.

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SPECIAL MEETING OF THE PORANGAHAU ROAD BOARD HELD ON THE 8TH DAY OF JANUARY, 1906.

PROPOSED by Mr. George Hunter, and seconded by Mr. George White:—

That, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and in accordance with the requirements of "The Road Boards Acts Amendment Act, 1905," the following special order be adopted by the Porangahau Road Board: That whereas a loan of £2,500, raised by the Porangahau Road Board for the purpose of building a bridge over the Porangahau River at Makaramu and acquiring land for and making a road, having proved insufficient for the purpose for which the money was borrowed, the Porangahau Road Board do therefore resolve to apply to the Hon. the Colonial Treasurer for a further sum of £250, under subsection (a) of section 8 of "The Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1903," being 10 per cent. addition to the original loan of £2,500; and that, for the purpose of securing the interest of 5 per centum per annum payable on such additional loan of £250, the Porangahau Road Board makes and levies an annually recurring rate of  $\frac{1}{8}$ d. in the pound upon all the rateable property within the Porangahau Road District for a period of twenty-six years, or during the currency of the above-mentioned additional loan, and that such rate be payable in one sum on the 1st day of December in each year.

And that a meeting of the Porangahau Road Board be held at 2 p.m. of Thursday, the 8th day of February, 1906, to confirm the above special order.

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly confirmed at a meeting of the Porangahau Road Board held on Thursday, the 8th day of February, 1906.

ROBERT J. SIDWELL,  
Clerk, Porangahau Road Board.

*Special Order made by the Mangorei Road Board.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 21st February, 1906.

**T**HE following special order, made by the Mangorei Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

R. J. SEDDON,  
Colonial Treasurer.

MANGOREI ROAD BOARD.

THE Mangorei Road Board held a special meeting on the 23rd day of December, 1905, and adopted this special order:—

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Mangorei Road Board hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £500, authorised to be raised by the Mangorei Road Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of the constructing and metalling of a dray-road through part of Section 775, Mangorei Road District, and part of Section 791, Carrington Road District, both in Block 9, Paritutu Survey District, and the construction of a bridge over the Henui River, and for culverting and fencing on the line of the proposed road, and for providing compensation for lands taken or severed, the said Mangorei Road Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{1}{8}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Mangorei Road Special-rating District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 31st day of March and the 30th day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-two years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The Board held another special meeting on the 22nd day of January, 1906, when the above special order was duly confirmed.

PHILIP WELLS,  
Clerk.

*Special Order made by the Council of the Borough of Cambridge.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 21st February, 1906.

**T**HE following special order, made by the Cambridge Borough Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

R. J. SEDDON,  
Colonial Treasurer.

## CAMBRIDGE BOROUGH COUNCIL.

*Special Order making Special Rate.*

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and its amendments, the Cambridge Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £10,000, authorised to be raised by the Cambridge Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the following purposes—namely, (1) the construction and installation of a gas-supply, £5,000; (2) the extension and improvement of the water-supply, £1,250; (3) a drainage scheme and septic tank, £1,500; (4) tarring, channelling, and kerbing streets, £1,250; and (5) the erection of saleyards, £1,000—the said Cambridge Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1s. 7d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Borough of Cambridge, comprising 658 town sections and fifty-one Town Belt sections, containing in all 1,083 acres, more or less, and being situated in Block IX, Cambridge Survey District; 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 July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of fifty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The above resolution was duly passed at a special meeting of the Cambridge Borough Council held on the 16th day of January, 1906, and confirmed at a special meeting of the said Council held on the 15th day of February, 1906.

W. F. BUCKLAND,  
Mayor.  
F. J. BROOKS,  
Town Clerk.

Cambridge, 16th February, 1906.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1906.

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

ALBERT PITT,  
For Colonial Treasurer.

## CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY BOARD.

In the matter of "The Christchurch Tramways District Act, 1902," and "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and "The Local Elections Act, 1904."

WE hereby give notice that, on the 8th day of February, 1906, a proposal was submitted by the Christchurch Tramway Board to a poll of ratepayers of the Christchurch Tramways District for raising a special loan of £100,000, to be expended in tramway construction and equipment within the Christchurch Tramways District, exclusive of the Riccarton-Sockburn Subdistrict, particulars of which proposal have been advertised, and that the number of votes recorded respectively for and against the proposal were as follows:—

For	..	..	..	..	2,505
Against	..	..	..	..	964

And we declare the said proposal to be carried.  
Dated the 9th day of February, 1906.

WILLIAM REECE,  
Chairman, Christchurch Tramway Board.  
GEORGE W. HULME,  
Returning Officer.  
Christchurch.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 21st February, 1906.

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

R. J. SEDDON,  
Colonial Treasurer.

## TE AROHA BOROUGH COUNCIL.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Te Aroha duly held in the said borough on Monday, the 12th day of February, 1906, upon the proposal of the Council of the said borough hereinafter set

forth, the number of votes recorded for and against the said proposal was as follows, that is to say:—

For the proposal, 66; against the proposal, 13; majority in favour, 53.

And I, Andrew Joseph Farmer, the Mayor of the said borough, do hereby declare the said proposal carried.

The said proposal is as follows: To raise, under Part I of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and its amendments, a special loan for the purpose of completing the doing of all things necessary to light the streets and public places of the borough with electricity and to supply electricity to the inhabitants thereof.

The sum proposed to be borrowed is £1,000, at a rate of interest not to exceed £5 per centum per annum.

The Council propose to appropriate and pledge as security for this loan and interest a special rate of 3d. per pound on the rateable value (on the basis of annual value) of all the rateable property within the borough, and it is provided that the said loan shall be repayable at the expiration of twenty years from the 1st day of January, 1906. It is proposed to pay out of the loan the cost of raising same and the interest for the first year.

Dated this 12th day of February, 1906.

A. J. FARMER,  
Mayor of the Borough of Te Aroha.

*Notice as to Statutory Closing-day under "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904."*

NOTICE is hereby given that, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904," and in terms of notice in writing duly received by me from the Chairman of the Conference of Delegates of all the local authorities of the Combined District of Whangarei and Kamo, as constituted for the purposes of that Act, and comprising the Borough of Whangarei and the Town District of Kamo, I, James McGowan, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint Thursday to be the statutory closing-day for shops in the said Combined District of Whangarei and Kamo.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of February, 1906.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Minister of Labour.

*Notice as to Statutory Closing-day under "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904."*

NOTICE is hereby given that, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904," and in terms of notice in writing duly received by me from the Chairman of the Conference of Delegates of all the local authorities of the Combined District of Auckland, as constituted for the purposes of that Act, and comprising the City of Auckland and the Boroughs of Parnell, Newmarket, and Grey Lynn, I, James McGowan, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint Wednesday to be the statutory closing-day for shops in the said Combined District of Auckland.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of February, 1906.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Minister of Labour.

*Notice as to Statutory Closing-day under "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904."*

NOTICE is hereby given that, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904," and in terms of notice in writing duly received by me from the Chairman of the Conference of Delegates of all the local authorities of the Combined District of Petone and Lower Hutt, as constituted for the purposes of that Act, and comprising the Boroughs of Petone and Lower Hutt, I, James McGowan, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint Wednesday to be the statutory closing-day for the shops in the said Combined District of Petone and Lower Hutt.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of February, 1906.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Minister of Labour.

*Notice as to Statutory Closing-day under "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904."*

NOTICE is hereby given that, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904," and in terms of notice in writing duly received by me from the Chairman of the Conference of

Delegates of all the local authorities of the Combined District of Wellington, as constituted for the purposes of that Act, and comprising the City of Wellington, the Boroughs of Onslow, Karori, and Miramar, and the Town District of Johnsonville, I, James McGowan, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint Wednesday to be the statutory closing-day for shops in the said Combined District of Wellington.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of February, 1906.

JAS. MCGOWAN,  
For Minister of Labour.

*Notice as to Statutory Closing-day under "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904."*

NOTICE is hereby given that, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904," and in terms of notice in writing duly received by me from the Chairman of the Conference of Delegates of all the local authorities of the Combined District of Christchurch, as constituted for the purposes of that Act, and comprising the City of Christchurch and the Borough of Woolston, I, James McGowan, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint Thursday to be the statutory closing-day for shops in the said Combined District of Christchurch.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of February, 1906.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Minister of Labour.

*Notice as to Statutory Closing-day under "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904."*

NOTICE is hereby given that, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904," and in terms of notice in writing duly received by me from the Chairman of the Conference of Delegates of all the local authorities of the Combined District of Ashburton, as constituted for the purposes of that Act, and comprising the Borough of Ashburton and the Town Districts of Hampstead and Tinwald, I, James McGowan, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint Thursday to be the statutory closing-day for shops in the said Combined District of Ashburton.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of February, 1906.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Minister of Labour.

*Notice as to Statutory Closing-day under "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904."*

NOTICE is hereby given that, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904," and in terms of notice in writing duly received by me from the Chairman of the Conference of Delegates of all the local authorities of the Combined District of Dunedin, as constituted for the purposes of that Act, and comprising the City of Dunedin and the Boroughs of St. Kilda, Mornington, Roslyn, Maori Hill, North-east Valley, West Harbour, and Port Chalmers, I, James McGowan, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint Wednesday to be the statutory closing-day for shops in the said Combined District of Dunedin.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of February, 1906.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Minister of Labour.

*Notice as to Statutory Closing-day under "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904."*

NOTICE is hereby given that, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904," and in terms of notice in writing duly received by me from the Chairman of the Conference of Delegates of all the local authorities of the Combined District of Invercargill, as constituted for the purposes of that Act, and comprising the Boroughs of Invercargill, East Invercargill, North Invercargill, South Invercargill, Avenal, and Gladstone, I, James McGowan, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint Wednesday to be the statutory closing-day for shops in the said Combined District of Invercargill.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of February, 1906.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Minister of Labour.

*Notice as to Statutory Closing-days under "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904."*

WHEREAS the Mayors or Chairmen, as the case may be, of the local authorities of the respective separate districts mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto have duly notified to me that the days decided on as the statutory closing-days in their respective districts, pursuant to the provisions of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904," are the days set opposite their respective names in the second column of the said Schedule:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by the said Act, I, James McGowan, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint that the said respective days shall be the statutory closing-days for shops in the said respective separate districts.

First Column.	SCHEDULE.		Second Column.
The Boroughs of—			
	<i>North Island.</i>		
Birkenhead ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Cambridge ..	..	..	"
Carterton ..	..	..	Thursday.
Devonport ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Eltham ..	..	..	Thursday.
Feilding ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Foxton ..	..	..	"
Gisborne ..	..	..	Thursday.
Greytown ..	..	..	"
Hamilton ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Hastings ..	..	..	"
Hawera ..	..	..	"
Inglewood ..	..	..	Thursday.
Marton ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Masterton ..	..	..	Thursday.
Napier ..	..	..	Wednesday.
New Plymouth ..	..	..	Thursday.
Onehunga ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Pahiatua ..	..	..	"
Palmerston North ..	..	..	"
Patea ..	..	..	"
Stratford ..	..	..	Thursday.
Tauranga ..	..	..	"
Te Aroha ..	..	..	"
Thames ..	..	..	"
Waihi ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Wanganui ..	..	..	Thursday.
Woodville ..	..	..	Wednesday.
	<i>South Island.</i>		
Akaroa ..	..	..	Thursday.
Alexandra ..	..	..	"
Balclutha ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Blenheim ..	..	..	"
Brunner ..	..	..	"
Campbelltown ..	..	..	"
Cromwell ..	..	..	"
Geraldine ..	..	..	Thursday.
Gore ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Green Island ..	..	..	"
Greymouth ..	..	..	"
Hampden ..	..	..	"
Hawkesbury ..	..	..	"
Hokitika ..	..	..	"
Kaipoi ..	..	..	Thursday.
Kaitangata ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Kumara ..	..	..	"
Lawrence ..	..	..	"
Lyttelton ..	..	..	Thursday.
Mataura ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Milton ..	..	..	"
Mosgiel ..	..	..	Thursday.
Naseby ..	..	..	"
Nelson City ..	..	..	Wednesday.
New Brighton ..	..	..	"
Oamaru ..	..	..	Thursday.
Palmerston ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Picton ..	..	..	Thursday.
Queenstown ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Rangiora ..	..	..	Thursday.
Richmond ..	..	..	"
Riverton ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Ross ..	..	..	"
Roxburgh ..	..	..	Thursday.
Sumner ..	..	..	Wednesday.
Tapanui ..	..	..	"
Temuka ..	..	..	Thursday.
Timaru ..	..	..	"
Waimate ..	..	..	"
Winton ..	..	..	Wednesday.

First Column. The Town Districts of—	Second Column.
<i>North Island.</i>	
Bull's .. .. .	Wednesday.
Eketahuna .. .. .	Thursday.
Featherston .. .. .	"
Halcombe .. .. .	Wednesday.
Helensville .. .. .	Thursday.
Hunterville .. .. .	Wednesday.
Kaikora North .. .. .	"
Kaponga .. .. .	Thursday.
Kihikihiki .. .. .	Wednesday.
Lethbridge .. .. .	"
Manaia .. .. .	"
Martinborough .. .. .	Thursday.
Ngaruawahia .. .. .	Wednesday.
Normanby .. .. .	"
Opotiki .. .. .	"
Opunake .. .. .	"
Ormondville .. .. .	"
Papakura .. .. .	Tuesday.
Pukekohe .. .. .	Saturday.
Rongotea .. .. .	Wednesday.
Rotorua .. .. .	"
Taradale .. .. .	"
Te Awamutu .. .. .	"
Waipawa .. .. .	"
Waipukurau .. .. .	"
Waverley .. .. .	"
<i>South Island.</i>	
Amberley .. .. .	Saturday.
Bay .. .. .	Wednesday.
Clinton .. .. .	"
Grey .. .. .	Thursday.
Otautau .. .. .	Wednesday.
Outram .. .. .	Saturday.
Southbridge .. .. .	Wednesday.
Wynndham .. .. .	"
The Road Districts of—	
Arch Hill, Eden County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Avondale, Eden County .. .. .	"
Awatere, Marlborough County .. .. .	Friday.
Avon, Selwyn County .. .. .	Thursday.
Ahuroa, Rodney County .. .. .	Tuesday.
Courtenay, Selwyn County .. .. .	Thursday.
Cust, Ashley County .. .. .	"
Eden Terrace, Eden County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Ellesmere, Selwyn County .. .. .	"
Howick Township, Manukau County .. .. .	Friday.
Hikurangi, Whangarei County .. .. .	Thursday.
Heathcote, Selwyn County .. .. .	"
Halswell, Selwyn County .. .. .	"
Katikati, Tairāngia County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Kowai, Ashley County .. .. .	Thursday.
Lincoln, Selwyn County .. .. .	"
Little River, Akaroa County .. .. .	Friday.
Maunu, Whangarei County .. .. .	Thursday.
Mount Albert, Eden County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Mount Eden, Eden County .. .. .	"
Mount Somers, Ashburton County .. .. .	Thursday.
Mount Wellington, Eden County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Mauku, Manukau County .. .. .	Saturday.
Moa, Taranaki County .. .. .	Thursday.
Mount Stewart, Bruce County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Malvern East, Selwyn County .. .. .	Saturday.
Malvern South, Selwyn County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Malvern, Selwyn County .. .. .	Thursday.
Oxford, Ashley County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Omaka, Marlborough County .. .. .	"
Otauhuhu, Manukau County .. .. .	"
Parua, Whangarei County .. .. .	Friday.
Porangahau, Patangata County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Poverty Bay, Cook County .. .. .	Thursday.
Pukeatua, Waitemata County .. .. .	Tuesday.
Patutahi, Cook County .. .. .	Monday.
Pukekohe West, Manukau County .. .. .	Saturday.
Patea East, Patea County .. .. .	Tuesday.
Pukekohe East, Manukau County .. .. .	Thursday.
Patea West, Patea County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Puhoi, Rodney County .. .. .	Thursday.
Pieton, Marlborough County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Riccarton, Selwyn County .. .. .	Thursday.
Rakaia South, Ashburton County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Ruataniwha North, Waipawa County .. .. .	"
Ruarangi, Whangarei County .. .. .	Tuesday.
Suburban North, Waimea County .. .. .	Thursday.
Turanga, Manukau County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Tamaki West, Eden County .. .. .	Friday.
Tamaki East, Manukau County .. .. .	Thursday.
Takapau, Waipawa County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Temuka, Geraldine County .. .. .	Thursday.
Templeton, Selwyn County .. .. .	"
Taitapu, Selwyn County .. .. .	Wednesday.

First Column.	Second Column.
Waikohu, Cook County .. .. .	Thursday.
Waitotara-Momohaki, Patea County .. .. .	"
Waitoa, Piako County .. .. .	"
Whangamarino, Waikato County .. .. .	"
Warkworth, Rodney County .. .. .	Tuesday.
Whangaparaoa, Waitemata County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Waipara, Ashley County .. .. .	"
Wairoa, Manukau County .. .. .	Thursday.
The Counties of—	
<i>North Island.</i>	
Akitio .. .. .	Wednesday.
Bay of Islands .. .. .	Friday.
Cook .. .. .	Wednesday.
Coromandel .. .. .	Thursday.
Egmont .. .. .	Wednesday.
Hawke's Bay .. .. .	"
Horowhenua .. .. .	"
Hutt .. .. .	"
Kairanga .. .. .	"
Kiwitea .. .. .	"
Mauriceville .. .. .	Thursday.
Oroua .. .. .	Wednesday.
Otamatea .. .. .	"
Opotiki .. .. .	"
Pahiatua .. .. .	"
Rangitikei .. .. .	"
Rodney .. .. .	Saturday.
Thames .. .. .	Thursday.
Waipapu .. .. .	Wednesday.
Waimarino .. .. .	Thursday.
Wairarapa South .. .. .	"
Wairoa .. .. .	Wednesday.
Waitemata .. .. .	Thursday.
Waitotara .. .. .	"
Weber .. .. .	"
Whakatane .. .. .	"
Whangarei .. .. .	"
Whangaroa .. .. .	"
<i>South Island.</i>	
Amuri .. .. .	Wednesday.
Bruce .. .. .	"
Buller .. .. .	Thursday.
Cheviot .. .. .	"
Clutha .. .. .	Wednesday.
Collingwood .. .. .	Thursday.
Grey .. .. .	"
Inangahua .. .. .	Wednesday.
Kaikoura .. .. .	"
Lake .. .. .	"
Levels .. .. .	Thursday.
Maniototo .. .. .	"
Mount Herbert .. .. .	"
Southland .. .. .	Wednesday.
Stewart Island .. .. .	Thursday.
Taireri .. .. .	"
Tasapeka .. .. .	Wednesday.
Takaka .. .. .	"
Vincent .. .. .	"
Waihemo .. .. .	"
Waimate .. .. .	Thursday.
Waitaki .. .. .	"
Wallace .. .. .	Wednesday.
Waimea .. .. .	"

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of February, 1906.  
 JAMES MCGOWAN,  
 For Minister of Labour.

*Notice as to Statutory Closing-days under "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904."*

WHEREAS the local authorities of the respective separate districts mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto have failed to decide what working-day in the week shall be the statutory closing day for shops in their respective districts:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 13 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904," I, James McGowan, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint as the statutory closing-day for shops in each such district the respective working-days set opposite their respective names in the second column of the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

First Column.	Second Column.
The Boroughs of—	
Arrowtown .. .. .	Wednesday.
Dannevirke .. .. .	"
Motueka .. .. .	"
Waitara .. .. .	Thursday.
Westport .. .. .	"

First Column.	Second Column.
<b>The Town Districts of—</b>	
Clyde .. .. .	Wednesday.
Havelock .. .. .	Thursday.
<b>The Road Districts of—</b>	
Anama, Ashburton County .. .. .	Thursday.
Awhitu, Manukau County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Albertland North, Rodney County .. .. .	.. .. .
Albertland South, Rodney County .. .. .	Saturday.
Akaroa-Wainui, Akaroa County .. .. .	Thursday.
Ashburton Upper, Ashburton County .. .. .	"
Ashley, Ashley County .. .. .	"
Arai, Cook County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Aroha, Cook County .. .. .	"
Barrett, Taranaki County .. .. .	Thursday.
Balmoral, Bruce County .. .. .	.. .. .
Carrington, Taranaki County .. .. .	Thursday.
Cambridge, Waikato County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Coldstream, Ashburton County .. .. .	Thursday.
Dovedale, Waimea County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Drury, Manukau County .. .. .	"
Egmont, Taranaki County .. .. .	Thursday.
Elliott, Taranaki County .. .. .	"
Epsom, Eden County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Eyreton West, Ashley County .. .. .	Thursday.
Eyreton, Ashley County .. .. .	"
Frankley, Taranaki County .. .. .	"
Geraldine, Geraldine County .. .. .	"
Hangaroa, Cook County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Henui, Taranaki County .. .. .	Thursday.
Huntly, Waikato County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Hunua, Manukau County .. .. .	"
Half-way Bush, Taieri County .. .. .	Thursday.
Inoh-Clutha, Bruce County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Invercargill, Southland County .. .. .	"
Kaiti, Cook County .. .. .	"
Kohi, Patea County .. .. .	"
Karamu, Raglan County .. .. .	"
Kaipara, Rodney County .. .. .	"
Kirikiriroa, Waikato County .. .. .	"
Kaukapakapa, Waitemata County .. .. .	Thursday.
Kaukatea, Wanganui County .. .. .	"
Kaitoke, Wanganui County .. .. .	"
Kaurihohore, Whangarei County .. .. .	"
Karua, Manukau County .. .. .	Saturday.
Komokoriki, Rodney County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Le Bon's Bay, Akaroa County .. .. .	Thursday.
Longbeach, Ashburton County .. .. .	"
Lake Coleridge, Selwyn County .. .. .	"
Mount Roskill, Eden County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Maraetai, Manukau County .. .. .	"
Makara, Hutt County .. .. .	"
Manurewa, Manukau County .. .. .	"
Mataongaonga, Wanganui County .. .. .	Thursday.
Mangawai, Otamatea County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Mareretu, Otamatea County .. .. .	"
Motoroa, Patea County .. .. .	"
Matamata, Piako County .. .. .	Thursday.
Matakana West, Rodney County .. .. .	"
Matakana East, Rodney County .. .. .	"
Manganui, Stratford County .. .. .	"
Mercer, Manukau County .. .. .	"
Mangorei, Taranaki County .. .. .	"
Mangawhero, Wanganui County .. .. .	"
Mangatawhiri, Manukau County .. .. .	Saturday.
Marua, Whangarei County .. .. .	Thursday.
Maungakarama, Whangarei County .. .. .	"
Mahurangi Eastern, Rodney County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Mangere, Manukau County .. .. .	"
Mount Hutt, Ashburton County .. .. .	"
Mandeville and Rangiora, Ashley County .. .. .	Thursday.
Mount Peel, Geraldine County .. .. .	"
Matakohe, Otamatea County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Ngatapu, Cook County .. .. .	"
Newcastle, Waipa County .. .. .	"
Norsewood, Waipawa County .. .. .	"
Ormond, Cook County .. .. .	"
Orakei, Eden County .. .. .	"
Okutuku, Patea County .. .. .	"
Omata, Taranaki County .. .. .	Thursday.
Okato, Taranaki County .. .. .	"
Okain's Bay, Akaroa County .. .. .	Saturday.
One-tree Hill, Eden County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Otaki, Horowhenua County .. .. .	"
Opapeke, Manukau County .. .. .	"
Oero, Patangata County .. .. .	"
Oakura, Taranaki County .. .. .	Thursday.
Otanga, Whangarei County .. .. .	"
Panmure Township, Eden County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Papatoitoi, Manukau County .. .. .	"
Paparoa, Manukau County .. .. .	"
Pokeno, Manukau County .. .. .	"
Pelorus, Marlborough County .. .. .	"
Pouawa, Cook County .. .. .	"
Point Chevalier, Eden County .. .. .	"
Plimmerton, Hutt County .. .. .	"

First Column.	Second Column.
Pakuranga, Manukau County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Papakura, Manukau County .. .. .	"
Patangata, Patangata County .. .. .	"
Pukekura, Waipa County .. .. .	"
Purua, Wanganui County .. .. .	Thursday.
Pigeon Bay, Akaroa County .. .. .	"
Portobello, Peninsula County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Pollok Settlement, Manukau County .. .. .	Thursday.
Paparata, Manukau County .. .. .	Saturday.
Peninsula, Peninsula County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Parihaka, Taranaki County .. .. .	"
Remuera, Eden County .. .. .	"
Rakaia, Selwyn County .. .. .	Thursday.
Riwaka, Waimea County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Rangiaohia, Waipa County .. .. .	"
Rangitata, Ashburton County .. .. .	"
Spreydon, Selwyn County .. .. .	Thursday.
Springs, Selwyn County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Stoke, Waimea County .. .. .	"
Spring Creek, Marlborough County .. .. .	"
Titirangi, Cook County .. .. .	"
Taruberu, Cook County .. .. .	"
Taumumu, Patangata County .. .. .	"
Te Horo, Horowhenua County .. .. .	"
Te Akau, Raglan County .. .. .	"
Tauhoa, Rodney County .. .. .	"
Tataraimaka, Taranaki County .. .. .	Thursday.
Te Puna, Tauranga County .. .. .	"
Te Puke, Tauranga County .. .. .	"
Tomahawk, Peninsula County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Tamahere, Waikato County .. .. .	"
Tuhikarama, Waipa County .. .. .	"
Tuturau, Southland County .. .. .	"
Upper Hurford, Taranaki County .. .. .	Thursday.
Upper Mouters, Waimea County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Waimata, Cook County .. .. .	"
Wairoa, Manukau County .. .. .	"
Wallingford, Patangata County .. .. .	"
Warkworth (Northward), Rodney County .. .. .	"
Waitara West, Taranaki County .. .. .	Thursday.
Wangaehu Upper, Wanganui County .. .. .	"
Waipu North, Whangarei County .. .. .	"
Wakanui, Ashburton County .. .. .	"
Wairau, Marlborough County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Waimea West, Waimea County .. .. .	"
Whataupoko, Cook County .. .. .	"
Wirokino, Taranaki County .. .. .	Thursday.
Waipaoa, Cook County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Waimate, Hawera County .. .. .	"
Whenuakura-Waitotara, Patea County .. .. .	"
Wharehine, Rodney County .. .. .	"
Waiwakaiho, Taranaki County .. .. .	Thursday.
Waipawa, Waipawa County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Whareora, Whangarei County .. .. .	Thursday.
Waikiekie, Whangarei County .. .. .	"
Waimakariri Upper, Selwyn County .. .. .	"
Wanstead, Patangata County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Whakapirau, Otamatea County .. .. .	"
Waipipi, Manukau County .. .. .	Thursday.
Waipukurau, Waipawa County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Waiuku, Manukau County .. .. .	Thursday.
<b>The Counties of—</b>	
<i>North Island.</i>	
Awakino .. .. .	Thursday.
Castlepoint .. .. .	"
Clifton .. .. .	"
Eden .. .. .	Wednesday.
Eketaihuna .. .. .	Thursday.
Featherston .. .. .	"
Hawera .. .. .	Wednesday.
Hobson .. .. .	"
Hokianga .. .. .	Thursday.
Kawhia .. .. .	Wednesday.
Manawatu .. .. .	"
Mangonui .. .. .	Friday.
Manukau .. .. .	Wednesday.
Masterton .. .. .	Thursday.
Ohinemuri .. .. .	Wednesday.
Patangata .. .. .	"
Patea .. .. .	"
Piako .. .. .	Thursday.
Pohangina .. .. .	"
Raglan .. .. .	Wednesday.
Rotorua .. .. .	"
Stratford .. .. .	Thursday.
Taranaki .. .. .	"
Tauranga .. .. .	"
Taupo East .. .. .	Wednesday.
Taupo West .. .. .	"
Waikato .. .. .	"
Waipa .. .. .	"
Waipawa .. .. .	"
Wanganui .. .. .	Thursday.
Woodville .. .. .	Wednesday.

First Column.	South Island.	Second Column.
Akaroa .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Ashley .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Ashburton .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Fiord .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Geraldine .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Mackenzie .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Marlborough .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Peninsula .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Sounds .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Waikouaiti .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Westland .. .. .	.. .. .	"

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of February, 1906.

JAS. MCGOWAN,  
For Minister of Labour.

*Alterations to the Scale of Fares, Rates, and Charges in Force upon the New Zealand Government Railways.*

IN pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling me under "The Government Railways Act, 1900," I, Joseph George Ward, Minister for Railways, do hereby make the following alterations in the scale of fares, rates, and charges in force on the New Zealand Government railways open for traffic, such alterations to come into force on and after the 5th day of March, 1906:—

**PART IV.—GOODS: LOCAL RATES.**

**AUCKLAND SECTION.**

*Insert—*

Except where otherwise specified, goods of Classes A, B, C, D, carried from or to Auckland, Newmarket, Onehunga, or Westfield, to or from Karangahake-Waihi and intermediate stations, will be charged 25s. per ton.

Sugar, fencing wire and materials, galvanised iron, bar, rod, hoop, sheet, angle, and plate iron, steel, and (tar in 4-ton lots, owners to load and unload), from Auckland or Newmarket to Karangahake-Waihi and intermediate stations, will be charged 20s. per ton.

Goods of Classes A, B, C, D, between Paeroa and stations on the Waihi line, will be charged as follows:—

	s.	d.
Between Paeroa and Karangahake	4	4
Between Paeroa and Waikino or Waihi G.M. sidings ..	6	0
Between Paeroa and Waihi ..	7	8

Coal slack, native, delivered on railway-trucks at pit's mouth at a price not exceeding 2s. per ton, will be charged at the rate of 6s. per ton for conveyance from Huntly or Kimihia to Thames and Shortland. Minimum quantity, 6 tons per four-wheeled truck.

Goods booked through between stations on the Auckland Section and ports on the Manukau Harbour will be charged at the following rates for conveyance by steamer, in addition to the railway rates and charges to or from Onehunga Wharf as specified in Parts III., IV., and VI. hereof:—

*Cancel—*

	s.	d.
Furniture of every description, packed or unpacked, per ton weight ..	40	0
Goods of Class E, except manures (consignments under 10 cwt. rate and a half), per ton weight ..	6	3
Bricks, manure in bags, coal in bags, per ton weight ..	5	0
Goods not otherwise specified, per ton weight ..	10	0
Minimum charge for tonnage rates ..	1	0
Timber and mouldings (minimum charge, 1s.), per 100 superficial feet ..	1	0
Ploughs and disc harrows, each ..	4	0
Drays, set up or in pieces, each ..	7	6
Pianos and organs (packed), each ..	12	6
Tanks, each ..	5	0
Stoves, each ..	2	6
Powder (blasting or sporting), for each 56 lb. or fractional part thereof ..	2	6

All charges on goods consigned to ports on Manukau Harbour, or from ports on Manukau Harbour to flag-stations on the Auckland Section, must be prepaid.

*Insert—*

	s.	d.
Furniture of every description, packed or unpacked, per ton weight ..	45	0
Goods of Class E, except manures (consignments under 10 cwt. rate and a half), per ton weight ..	6	3
Manure in bags, coal in bags, per ton weight ..	5	0
Goods not otherwise specified, per ton weight ..	10	0

	s.	d.
Minimum charge for tonnage rates ..	1	0
Timber and mouldings (minimum charge, 1s.), per 100 superficial feet ..	1	0
Drays, set up or in pieces, each ..	7	6
Pianos and organs (packed), each ..	12	6
Tanks, each ..	5	0
Stoves, each ..	3	0
Powder, per cwt. ..	3	6
Bricks, per ton weight ..	6	0
Register gates, each ..	2	0
Ploughs, one furrow, each ..	4	0
Ploughs, two furrows, each ..	5	0
Ploughs, three furrows, each ..	6	0
Disc harrows, each ..	5	0

All charges on goods consigned to ports on Manukau Harbour, or from ports on Manukau Harbour to flag-stations on the Auckland Section, must be prepaid.

*Cancel—*

Copra, candlenuts, peanuts, rape-seed, linseed, sodas, and other material for use in the manufacture or packing of oil, soap, candles, and acids; machinery, either set up or in pieces; and empties, from Auckland, Newmarket, Mount Eden, and Onehunga to Westfield, will be charged 3s. 6d. per ton, including all charges. Minimum charge, 7s.

Oil, soap, candles, soda crystals, refined tallow, sulphuric acid, and oilcake, and their by-products, and empties, from Westfield to Auckland, Newmarket, Mount Eden, and Onehunga, will be charged 3s. 6d. per ton. Minimum charge, 7s.

Gaswater, and raw materials for the manufacture of manures other than street, stable, and farmyard, from Auckland to Westfield, will be charged 2s. 6d. per ton. Minimum charge, 12s. 6d.

Manures (other than street, stable, and farmyard) in 5-ton lots between Westfield and Auckland will be charged at Class P rates, including use of tarpaulin.

*Insert—*

Copra, candlenuts, peanuts, rape-seed, linseed, sodas, and other material for use in the manufacture or packing of oil, soap, candles, and acids; machinery, either set up or in pieces; and empties, from Auckland, Newmarket, Mount Eden, and Onehunga to Westfield and Farmers' Freezing Company's Siding (Glasgow) will be charged 3s. 6d. per ton, including all charges. Minimum charge, 7s.

Oil, soap, candles, soda crystals, refined tallow, sulphuric acid, and oilcake, and their by-products, and empties, from Westfield and Farmers' Freezing Company's Siding (Glasgow) to Auckland, Newmarket, Mount Eden, and Onehunga, will be charged 3s. 6d. per ton. Minimum charge, 7s.

Gaswater, and raw materials for the manufacture of manures other than street, stable, and farmyard, from Auckland to Westfield and Farmers' Freezing Company's Siding (Glasgow) will be charged 2s. 6d. per ton. Minimum charge, 12s. 6d.

Manures (other than street, stable, and farmyard) in 5-ton lots between Westfield or Farmers' Freezing Company's Siding (Glasgow) and Auckland will be charged at Class P rates, including use of tarpaulin.

Tinned fish in 5-ton lots, Helensville to Auckland, will be charged 12s. 6d. per ton, including wharfage at Helensville.

**HURUNUI—BLUFF SECTION.**

*Shunting between Private Sidings at Christchurch and Private Sidings at Riccarton and Addington.*

Shunting rate on grain in 20-ton lots carried between private sidings at Christchurch and private sidings at Riccarton and Addington, 1s. 9d. per ton.

**PART V.—CLASSIFICATION OF GOODS, LIVE-STOCK, PARCELS, AND LUGGAGE.**

*Insert—*

	CLASS
Bedsteads, brass and iron, New Zealand manufacture, consigned direct from factory, in lots of 10 cwt. Owners' risk ..	B

*Cancel—*

Ice, packed. Owners' risk ..	C
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*Insert—*

Ice, packed, not otherwise specified. Owners' risk ..	D
Ice, in 4-ton lots. Owners' risk ..	N
Meal, imported, for horse and cattle feeding ..	D
Egg-preserved, New Zealand manufacture, packed. Owners' risk ..	C
Seaweed, edible, packed. Owners' risk ..	D

As witness my hand, this tenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and six.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister for Railways.

*Alteration to the Scales of Fares, Rates, and Charges in Force upon the New Zealand Government Railways.*

IN pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling me under "The Government Railways Act, 1900." I, Joseph George Ward, Minister for Railways, do hereby make the following alterations in the scale of fares, rates, and charges in force on the New Zealand Government railways open for traffic, such alterations to come into force on and after the 5th day of March, 1906.

**PART I.—PASSENGERS.**

Cancel Regulations 14, 15, 16.

Insert—

**Season Tickets.**

14. Application for Season Tickets (and Commutation Tickets when such are not stocked) must be made on a form obtainable at any railway ticket-office, and must be lodged with the Manager or Stationmaster at least twenty-four hours before the tickets are required.

15. Fares will be charged as follows :—

FIRST CLASS.					SECOND CLASS.				
Miles.	12 Months.	6 Months.	3 Months.	1 Month.	Miles.	12 Months.	6 Months.	3 Months.	1 M <sup>th</sup> .
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
2	2 17 6	1 12 6	0 18 9	0 7 6	2	2 2 6	1 1 6	0 12 6	0 5 0
3	4 5 0	2 5 0	1 7 6	0 11 0	3	3 5 0	1 13 6	1 1 0	0 7 6
4	5 15 0	3 2 6	1 16 0	0 14 0	4	4 7 6	2 5 0	1 7 6	0 9 6
5	6 15 0	3 17 6	2 2 6	0 17 0	5	5 7 6	2 17 6	1 12 6	0 12 6
6	7 15 0	4 7 6	2 10 0	0 19 0	6	6 2 6	3 5 0	1 16 6	0 14 6
7	8 15 0	4 17 6	2 15 0	1 0 0	7	6 17 6	3 10 0	2 0 0	0 15 6
8	9 15 0	5 7 6	3 0 0	1 3 0	8	7 10 0	4 0 0	2 4 0	0 17 0
9	10 5 0	5 10 0	3 2 6	1 5 0	9	8 0 0	4 7 6	2 8 0	0 18 6
10	10 15 0	5 17 6	3 5 0	1 7 0	10	8 7 6	4 10 0	2 10 0	0 19 6
11	11 2 6	6 2 6	3 7 6	1 9 0	11	8 15 0	4 13 0	2 12 0	1 0 0
12	11 10 0	6 5 0	3 10 0	1 10 0	12	9 2 6	4 16 0	2 13 6	1 1 0
13	12 0 0	6 10 0	3 12 6	1 11 0	13	9 7 6	4 19 0	2 15 0	1 2 0
14	12 10 0	6 15 0	3 15 0	1 12 0	14	9 15 0	5 2 0	2 15 6	1 3 0
15	13 0 0	7 0 0	3 17 6	1 13 0	15	9 17 6	5 4 6	2 18 0	1 4 0
16	13 10 0	7 5 0	4 0 0	1 14 0	16	10 0 0	5 7 0	2 19 6	1 4 6
17	13 17 6	7 8 9 4	2 6 1 15 0	17	10 2 6	5 10 0	3 1 0	1 5 0	
18	14 5 0	7 12 6	4 5 0	1 16 0	18	10 5 0	5 12 6	3 2 6	1 5 6
19	14 12 6	7 17 6	4 7 6	1 17 0	19	10 7 6	5 15 0	3 4 0	1 6 0
20	15 0 0	8 2 6	4 10 0	1 18 0	20	10 10 0	5 17 6	3 5 6	1 6 6

**FOR EVERY MILE ABOVE 20 MILES.**

FIRST CLASS.				SECOND CLASS.			
12 Months.	6 Months.	3 Months.	1 Month.	12 Months.	6 Months.	3 Months.	1 Month.
s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
5 9	2 9	1 6	0 6	3 3	1 9	1 0	0 4

### Annual Season Tickets.

16. Annual Season Tickets, available only for use on the New Zealand Government Railways for one year from date of issue, will be issued at the following rates, viz. :—

—	Transferable.			Not Transferable.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Available over lines of both Islands ... ..	*65	0	0	60	0	0
Available over North Island lines ... ..	*40	0	0	35	0	0
Available over Middle Island lines ... ..	*55	0	0	50	0	0
<b>SECTIONAL TICKETS.</b>						
For distances not exceeding 150 miles ... ..	*27	10	0	22	10	0
151 miles and over, 1s. 6d. per mile added to the charge for 150 miles.						
Maximum charge { North Island ... ..	*40	0	0	35	0	0
{ Middle Island ... ..	*55	0	0	50	0	0

\* These tickets will be transferred for business purposes temporarily once in any month during their currency from the holder to a member or employé of the same firm or company on payment of a transfer-fee of 10s. on the occasion of each transfer. Application for transfer must be made to the District Manager. The ticket to be transferred, together with the transfer-fee, 10s., must be deposited when application for transfer is made.

A charge of £1 will be made for each ticket issued in lieu of annual season ticket lost.

## PART II.—LUGGAGE, PARCELS, HORSES, ETC.

### Cancel Regulation 27.

Insert—

Commercial travellers will each be allowed to take 112 lb. weight of luggage, including weight of two sample bicycles, packed, free of charge.

Commercial travellers holding annual All-lines, North Island, Middle Island, or Sectional season tickets may obtain annual tickets for their samples for the lines over which their season tickets are available at the following rates :—

—	Miles.	Per Cwt. up to 5 Cwt.	Each additional Cwt. up to 10 Cwt.	
			£	s. d.
For distances not exceeding ..	300	£ 2 10 0	£ 2	0 0
" ..	400	3 5 0	2	10 0
" ..	500	3 15 0	3	0 0
" ..	600	4 5 0	3	10 0
" ..	700	4 10 0	3	15 0
" ..	800	5 0 0	4	5 0
" ..	1,000	5 10 0	4	10 0
For distances over ..	1,000	5 15 0	5	0 0

In computing charges for annual luggage-tickets mileage will be counted one way only.

Commercial travellers who do not desire to take out annual tickets for their luggage will be charged as follows: For every 56 lb., or fraction of 56 lb. in excess of the free allowance specified, for every 50 miles or fraction of 50 miles, 6d.

The maximum quantity which will be carried at either of the above rates is 10 cwt. Any additional quantity, if sent by passenger-train, will be charged at



the ordinary rates for passengers' luggage, or it may be consigned as goods at goods rates (Class B).

Packages exceeding 2 cwt. in weight, or 20 cubic feet in measurement, will not be accepted for conveyance as passengers' luggage.

All charges must be prepaid.

These rates apply only to *bona fide* samples. If the samples, or any portion thereof, are sold ordinary parcels rates will be charged.

**PART III.—REGULATIONS.**

Insert—  
(42.)

**NATIVE BROWN COAL.**

NEW ZEALAND brown coal will be charged at the rates for Class Q up to 75 miles, and at the following rates for the distances specified below :—

Miles.	Per Ton.	Miles.	Per Ton.	Miles.	Per Ton.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.
76	6 11	118	7 8	200	10 5
77	6 11	119	7 8	205	10 8
78	6 11	120	7 9	210	10 10
79	7 0	121	7 9	215	11 0
80	7 0	122	7 9	220	11 3
81	7 0	123	7 9	225	11 5
82	7 0	124	7 10	230	11 7
83	7 0	125	7 10	235	11 9
84	7 1	126	7 10	240	12 0
85	7 1	127	7 10	245	12 3
86	7 1	128	7 11	250	12 5
87	7 1	129	7 11	255	12 7
88	7 2	130	7 11	260	12 9
89	7 2	131	7 11	265	13 0
90	7 2	132	8 0	270	13 3
91	7 2	133	8 0	275	13 5
92	7 3	134	8 0	280	13 8
93	7 3	135	8 0	285	13 10
94	7 3	136	8 1	290	14 0
95	7 3	137	8 1	295	14 3
96	7 4	138	8 1	300	14 6
97	7 4	139	8 1	305	14 8
98	7 4	140	8 2	310	14 10
99	7 4	141	8 2	315	15 0
100	7 4	142	8 2	320	15 3
101	7 5	143	8 2	325	15 6
102	7 5	144	8 3	330	15 9
103	7 5	145	8 3	335	16 0
104	7 5	146	8 3	340	16 2
105	7 5	147	8 3	345	16 4
106	7 6	148	8 4	350	16 7
107	7 6	149	8 4	355	16 9
108	7 6	150	8 4	360	17 0
109	7 6	155	8 6	365	17 2
110	7 6	160	8 8	370	17 4
111	7 7	165	8 11	375	17 7
112	7 7	170	9 1	380	17 9
113	7 7	175	9 3	385	18 0
114	7 7	180	9 5	390	18 2
115	7 7	185	9 8	395	18 4
116	7 8	190	9 11	400	18 6
117	7 8	195	10 2		

For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400 miles, 2s. per ton will be added.

(49.) NATIVE ANTHRACITE OR BITUMINOUS COAL.  
 NEW ZEALAND coal, anthracite and bituminous, will be charged at the rates for Class P up to 75 miles, and at the following rates for the distances specified below:—

Miles.	Per Ton.	Miles.	Per Ton.	Miles.	Per Ton.
	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.
76	9 4	118	10 0	200	12 4
77	9 4	119	10 1	205	12 7
78	9 4	120	10 1	210	12 10
79	9 5	121	10 1	215	13 1
80	9 5	122	10 1	220	13 5
81	9 5	123	10 1	225	13 8
82	9 5	124	10 2	230	13 11
83	9 5	125	10 2	235	14 2
84	9 6	126	10 2	240	14 5
85	9 6	127	10 2	245	14 8
86	9 6	128	10 2	250	14 11
87	9 6	129	10 3	255	15 2
88	9 6	130	10 3	260	15 5
89	9 7	131	10 3	265	15 8
90	9 7	132	10 3	270	15 11
91	9 7	133	10 3	275	16 2
92	9 7	134	10 4	280	16 5
93	9 7	135	10 4	285	16 8
94	9 8	136	10 4	290	16 11
95	9 8	137	10 4	295	17 2
96	9 8	138	10 4	300	17 5
97	9 8	139	10 5	305	17 8
98	9 8	140	10 5	310	17 11
99	9 9	141	10 5	315	18 2
100	9 9	142	10 5	320	18 5
101	9 9	143	10 5	325	18 8
102	9 9	144	10 6	330	18 11
103	9 9	145	10 6	335	19 2
104	9 10	146	10 6	340	19 5
105	9 10	147	10 6	345	19 8
106	9 10	148	10 6	350	19 11
107	9 10	149	10 7	355	20 2
108	9 10	150	10 7	360	20 5
109	9 11	155	10 8	365	20 8
110	9 11	160	10 9	370	20 11
111	9 11	165	10 10	375	21 2
112	9 11	170	10 11	380	21 5
113	9 11	175	11 1	385	21 8
114	10 0	180	11 4	390	21 11
115	10 0	185	11 7	395	22 2
116	10 0	190	11 10	400	22 5
117	10 0	195	12 1		

For each additional five miles or fraction thereof beyond 400 miles, 3d. per ton will be added.

#### PART IV.—GOODS, LOCAL RATES.

##### PICTON SECTION.

*Insert—*

Cement for export: Elevation to Picton will be charged 4s. 3d. per ton, including wharfage and handling at ship's side. Minimum quantity, 4 tons per truck.

#### PART V.—CLASSIFICATION.

*Insert—*

Phosphates, ground (New Zealand product): Owner's risk: Q.

As witness my hand, this tenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and six.

J. G. WARD,  
 Minister for Railways.

Officers appointed.

Post and Telegraph Department,  
General Post Office, Wellington, 13th February, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Post and Telegraph Department.

ALBERT PITT,  
Acting Postmaster-General and Electric Telegraph Commissioner.

PERMANENT.

Name.	Position.	Office.	Date.
Ansley, Arthur Addiss .. ..	Distributor .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	1 Sept., 1905.
Baxter, William Duff Nathan ..	Assistant P.O. Messenger ..	G.P.O. .. ..	1 April, "
Buchanan, Robert Alexander ..	Assistant Despatch Clerk ..	Hawera .. ..	13 July, "
Carter, Richard Henry .. ..	Assistant P.O. Messenger ..	Wellington .. ..	18 Sept., "
Coffey, James Joseph .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	" .. ..	18 " "
Corliss, Ellen Constance .. ..	Cadette, Telephone Exchange ..	Christchurch .. ..	17 July, "
Corr, Charles Thomas .. ..	Mail-carrier and Messenger ..	Denniston .. ..	1 Sept., "
Cryer, William John .. ..	Assistant and Messenger .. ..	Taihape .. ..	1 " "
Gallop, James Francis .. ..	Cadet .. ..	Christchurch T.O. ..	8 " "
Goodwin, Albert .. ..	Distributor .. ..	Dunedin .. ..	18 " "
Griffiths, George Ernest .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	Waihi .. ..	21 June, "
Guinness, Lewis Frederick .. ..	Second Lineman .. ..	Westport .. ..	1 Dec., "
Hatchard, Herbert .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	Wellington .. ..	15 Sept., "
Hayman, Arthur Henry .. ..	Cadet .. ..	Kaipoi .. ..	18 " "
Healey, Lawrence Herbert .. ..	Distributor .. ..	Wanganui .. ..	11 " "
Hughes, Ernest Jackson .. ..	Mail-carrier and Messenger ..	Woodville .. ..	19 " "
Hulbert, Edward James .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	Wellington .. ..	14 " "
Jacobs, Katharine Alida .. ..	Cadette, Telephone Exchange ..	Christchurch .. ..	10 July, "
Jeffery, Cecil Albert .. ..	Cadet .. ..	Cromwell .. ..	14 Aug., "
Leslie, Robert Birnie .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	Green Island .. ..	22 Sept., "
Moore, Walter Frederick .. ..	" .. ..	Pahiatua .. ..	25 Aug., "
Moore, Wybert Marmion .. ..	Cadet .. ..	Accountant's Branch, G.P.O.	25 Sept., "
O'Brien, Benjamin Joseph .. ..	Cadet and Letter-carrier .. ..	Waverley .. ..	10 Aug., "
Oliver, Leonard Theo. .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	Lyttelton .. ..	19 June, "
Pepperell, Langley Herbert .. ..	Assistant P.O. Messenger .. ..	New Plymouth .. ..	1 Nov., 1904.
Reekie, John Alexander .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	Wanganui .. ..	25 Sept., 1905.
Ross, Albert Joseph .. ..	Distributor .. ..	Wellington .. ..	1 " "
Schulenburg, James Thomson ..	Assistant Despatch Clerk .. ..	Hawera .. ..	10 Aug., "
Scully, Mary Teresa .. ..	Cadette, Telephone Exchange ..	Wellington .. ..	28 " "
Seabourne, George .. ..	P.O. Boy Messenger .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	12 Sept., "
Sotheran, Oliver .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	Brunnerton .. ..	13 " "
Spurdle, Alice Mary .. ..	Cadette, Telephone Exchange ..	Oamaru .. ..	3 Aug., "
Stack, Margaret Rose .. ..	" .. ..	Napier .. ..	10 July, "
Upchurch, Arthur Lewis .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	Hastings .. ..	4 Sept., "
Wakelin, Stanley Eugene .. ..	" .. ..	Wellington .. ..	18 " "
Webb, Rowland John .. ..	" .. ..	Opotiki .. ..	27 July, "
Woodford, Arthur Reginald ..	Distributor .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	28 Aug., "

NON-PERMANENT.

Name.	Office.	District.	Date.
POSTMASTER.			
<i>Railway Officer.</i>			
Bowling, William .. ..	Waiareka Junction .. ..	Oamaru .. ..	13 Dec., 1905.
POSTMASTERS AND TELEGRAPHISTS.			
<i>Railway Officers.</i>			
Brown, John .. ..	Pukeuri Junction .. ..	Oamaru .. ..	9 Dec., 1905.
Foote, William Joseph .. ..	Middlemarch .. ..	Dunedin .. ..	9 " "
Low, David .. ..	Kelso .. ..	" .. ..	16 " "
Morton, William Portlock .. ..	Halcombe .. ..	Wellington .. ..	31 Oct., "
Roussell, Philip George .. ..	Turakina .. ..	Wanganui .. ..	21 Dec., "
POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS.			
<i>Railway Officers.</i>			
Mooney, William .. ..	Ohinewai .. ..	Auckland .. ..	1 Nov., 1905.
Von Sturmer, John Heaton .. ..	Taupiri .. ..	" .. ..	1 " "
POSTMASTERS.			
Aitken, David .. ..	Paradise .. ..	Invercargill .. ..	1 Nov., 1905.
Barker, George .. ..	Egmont Village .. ..	New Plymouth .. ..	11 Oct., "
Carlson, William Thomas .. ..	Whangapara .. ..	Auckland .. ..	1 Sept., "
Crosby, Henry .. ..	Poniuhakau .. ..	New Plymouth .. ..	22 Nov., "
Doman, George Andrew .. ..	Kirikopuni .. ..	Auckland .. ..	10 " "
Erickson, Anna Malena .. ..	Orwell Creek .. ..	Greymouth .. ..	15 " "
Forrest, Archibald .. ..	Manawaru .. ..	Auckland .. ..	1 " "
Gray, Annie .. ..	Taratabi .. ..	Wellington .. ..	1 " "
Gray, Mabel Beatrice .. ..	Teddington .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	1 " "
Guest, George .. ..	Kaipara Flats .. ..	Auckland .. ..	15 Oct., "
Hattaway, Vincent Stephen .. ..	Piopia .. ..	" .. ..	1 Dec., "

NON-PERMANENT—*continued.*

Name	Office.	District.	Date.
<b>POSTMASTERS—<i>continued.</i></b>			
Hoey, David Ewing .. .. .	Puwera .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	18 Nov., 1905.
Hutton, Margaret .. .. .	Glenary .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	1 Oct., "
Irving, Mary .. .. .	Mabel Bush .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	27 Sept., "
James, Nellie .. .. .	Tarara .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	1 July, "
McKinlay, Sarah .. .. .	Tararua .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	13 Nov., "
Manson, William .. .. .	St. Leonard's .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	1 " "
Murray, Ruth Blanche .. .. .	Papamoa .. .. .	Thames .. .. .	14 " "
Nesbit, James William .. .. .	Owaka Valley .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	21 Oct., "
Petrie, John Wilmshurst .. .. .	Spreydon .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	28 Nov., "
Purvis, Mabel Jemima .. .. .	Otahuti .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	28 Aug., "
Rolfe, Bella .. .. .	Caroline .. .. .	" .. .. .	6 Nov., "
Russell, Emma Jane .. .. .	Tarara .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	12 Oct., "
Scott, Richard Robert .. .. .	Aokautere .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	13 Nov., "
Stewart, Jeannie .. .. .	Isla Bank .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	18 Oct., "
Taylor, Thomas Edward .. .. .	Mangaone Valley .. .. .	Napier .. .. .	13 Nov., "
Woof, William .. .. .	Tatu .. .. .	New Plymouth .. .. .	8 " "
<b>POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS.</b>			
Ayres, Richard .. .. .	Berhampore .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	1 Dec., 1905.
Bain, James .. .. .	Douglas Road .. .. .	New Plymouth .. .. .	1 Nov., "
Buchanan, Edith Mary .. .. .	New Brighton .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	26 " "
Fontaine, Mary .. .. .	Lowcliffe .. .. .	" .. .. .	1 Dec., "
Gillin, Martha .. .. .	Twelve-mile Landing .. .. .	Greymouth .. .. .	4 " "
Gumbley, Laura Ellen .. .. .	Fernhill .. .. .	Napier .. .. .	1 Jan., 1906.
Kerr, Archibald .. .. .	Turangarere .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	7 Nov., 1905.
Kershaw, John William .. .. .	Pirinoa .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	1 " "
Longhurst, George William .. .. .	Makara .. .. .	" .. .. .	11 Dec., "
McKay, Catherine Annie .. .. .	Wedderburn .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	7 " "
McKenzie, Alexander George .. .. .	Greenhills .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	3 Nov., "
Robertson, Donald Edward .. .. .	Plimmerton .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	1 Oct., "
Ruddle, Patience Amy .. .. .	Cricklewood .. .. .	Timaru .. .. .	12 Dec., "
Sargison, James Henry .. .. .	Moonlight .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	19 Nov., "
Sheppard, John .. .. .	Matakanui .. .. .	" .. .. .	1 Dec., "
Stephens, Thomas Adams .. .. .	Wright's Bush .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	10 Nov., "
Spowart, George Sim .. .. .	Clarksville .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	1 Dec., "
Wheeler, Hetty .. .. .	Grassmere .. .. .	Blenheim .. .. .	1 " "
Williams, Amy Gertrude .. .. .	Renwicktown .. .. .	" .. .. .	7 Oct., "
<b>TELEPHONISTS.</b>			
Bramley, William .. .. .	Ngaputahi .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	14 Dec., 1905.
Fraser, Hugh .. .. .	Komako .. .. .	" .. .. .	27 Oct., "
Gray, Mabel Beatrice .. .. .	Teddington .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	2 Nov., "
Guest, George .. .. .	Kaipara Flats .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	16 " "
Kay, Helen Frances .. .. .	Paterangi .. .. .	" .. .. .	7 " "
Moroney, William .. .. .	Pakipaki .. .. .	Napier .. .. .	1 Dec., "
Morris, Thomasina .. .. .	Shag Valley .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	7 Nov., "
Raynes, Andus .. .. .	Upper Onehunga .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	1 Dec., "

*Offices opened and closed, and Designation changed.*

Post and Telegraph Department,  
General Post Office, Wellington, 13th February, 1906.

THE following particulars of offices opened and closed are published for general information.

ALBERT PITT,  
Acting Postmaster-General and Electric Telegraph Commissioner.

Name.	District.	Date.
<b>POST-OFFICES OPENED.</b>		
Aokautere .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	13 November, 1905.
Grassmere .. .. .	Blenheim .. .. .	1 December, "
Kirikopuni .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	10 November, "
Mangaone Valley .. .. .	Napier .. .. .	13 " "
Papamoa .. .. .	Thames .. .. .	14 " "
Paradise .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	1 " "
Piopio .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	1 December, "
Ponihakau .. .. .	New Plymouth .. .. .	22 November, "
Puwera .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	18 " "
Raurimu .. .. .	" .. .. .	15 " "
Spreydon (reopened) .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	28 " "
Tararua .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	18 " "
<b>POST-OFFICE CLOSED.</b>		
Braco .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	11 October, 1905.
<b>POSTAL-NOTE OFFICES OPENED.</b>		
Huiroa .. .. .	New Plymouth .. .. .	16 December, 1905.
Okato .. .. .	" .. .. .	24 January, 1906.
Ruahine .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	1 " "
Tuatapere .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	16 " "
Whangapara .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	24 " "

OFFICES, ETC.—continued.

Name.	District.	Date.
<b>TELEPHONE EXCHANGE OPENED.</b>		
Balfour .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	20 January, 1906.
<b>TELEPHONE-OFFICES OPENED.</b>		
Barrhill .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	15 January, 1906.
Greenfield .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	18 December, 1905.
Highbank .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	15 January, 1906.
Holmeslea .. .. .	" .. .. .	15 " "
Ida Valley .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	19 " "
Islington .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	22 December, 1905.
Kaihiku .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	10 January, 1906.
Kaikoura Suburban	Christchurch .. .. .	4 " "
Kelcher's .. .. .	Timaru .. .. .	15 " "
Moewhare .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	27 December, 1905.
Oruanui .. .. .	" .. .. .	20 " "
Reikorangi .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	19 January, 1906.
Te Haroto .. .. .	Napier .. .. .	15 December, 1905.
Upper Waiwera .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	21 " "
Waihaorunga .. .. .	Timaru .. .. .	29 " "
Waikiekie .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	22 " "
<b>TELEPHONE BUREAUX OPENED.</b>		
Dipton .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	17 January, 1906.
Greenfield .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	18 December, 1905.
Helensville .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	16 November, "
Ida Valley .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	19 January, 1906.
Islington .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	22 December, 1905.
Kaihiku .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	10 January, 1906.
Reikorangi .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	19 " "
Turakina .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	16 December, 1905.
Waihaorunga .. .. .	Timaru .. .. .	29 " "

DESIGNATION CHANGED.

Description.	Office.		District.	Date.
	From	To		
Post-office .. .. .	Waioatahi .. .. .	Kutarere .. .. .	Thames .. .. .	8 Jan., 1906.

Notifying Land in the Wellington Land District subject to "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900."

Office of Board of Land Purchase Commissioners, Wellington, 13th February, 1906.

PURSUANT to the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and its amendments, I hereby notify that the undermentioned Crown land, being the land known as the Waddington Settlement, which has been acquired under the said Acts, is subject to the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

WADDINGTON SETTLEMENT.

ALL that parcel of land in the Land District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 143 acres and 18 perches, more or less, being parts of Sections 40 and 41, in the Hutt District, Block XIV, Belmont Survey District. Bounded toward the north-east by Section 42, 5486.1 links; toward the south-east by Section 21, 3753.1 links; toward the south-west by other parts of Sections 41 and 40, 5168.5 links; toward the north-west by the Naenae Road, 1742.1 links, to the point of commencement; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked S.G. 19317, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged with red.

R. J. SEDDON,  
For Minister of Lands.

Notifying Land in the Canterbury Land District subject to "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900."

Office of Board of Land Purchase Commissioners, Wellington, 13th February, 1906.

PURSUANT to the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and its amendments,

I hereby notify that the undermentioned Crown land, being the land known as the Mills Settlement, which has been acquired under the said Acts, is subject to the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

MILLS SETTLEMENT.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 247 acres and 11 perches, more or less, situated in Block VIII, Waimate Survey District, being Sections 16106x, 21524, 25636, 30161, and part of 16106; also an area, containing by admeasurement 615 acres 3 roods 20 perches, more or less, situated in Block XI of the same district, being Sections 16947, 17508, 19515, 21262, 23741, 23901, 29844, 36641, part of 17507, and part of 19514, making a total area of 862 acres 3 roods 31 perches: as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked S.G. 19324, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and edged pink thereon.

R. J. SEDDON,  
For Minister of Lands.

Authorising the Laying-off of Tainui Road, in the Township of Somerfield Extension, of a Width of 66ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 15th February, 1906.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 2 of "The Towns Main Streets Act, 1902," I, Thomas Young Duncan, Minister of Lands, do hereby authorise the laying off of Tainui Road, Township of Somerfield Extension, Canterbury Land District, of a width of 66 ft., instead of 99 ft. as prescribed by section 17 of "The Land Act, 1892."

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
Minister of Lands.

*Notice to Mariners No. 13 of 1906.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 14th February, 1906.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Marine Board Offices, Port Adelaide, South Australia, is published for general information.

WM. HALL-JONES.

*GULF OF ST. VINCENT.—ENTRANCE TO PORT WAKEFIELD.*

NOTICE is hereby given that a white light, 8 ft. high, has been fixed on the south end of the wharf; also a red light, 20 ft. high, has been placed on the wharf 360 ft. north of the white light.

The above lights in line lead up to the outer red beacon, but do not show mid-channel inside of that.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 2389B and Plan No. 2152.

ARTHUR SEARCY,  
President of the Marine Board.  
Marine Board Offices, Port Adelaide,  
19th January, 1906.

*Notice to Mariners No. 14 of 1906.**FLOATING TARGET OFF VULCAN POINT.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 20th February, 1906.

THE master of the s.s. "Invercargill" reports sighting, at 9 a.m. on 18th February, a floating target drifting north, right in track of vessels, about three miles east of Vulcan Point, Moeraki light, bearing N.W. by N.  $\frac{1}{2}$  N. A danger to navigation.

WM. HALL-JONES.

*Notice of Appointment of Agent for the Public Trustee at Taihape.*

Public Trust Office,  
Wellington, 19th February, 1906.

IT is hereby notified for general information that

JOHN PETTY ALDRIDGE, Esq.,

has been appointed Agent for the Public Trustee at Taihape from 19th February, 1906.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

*Native Licensing Assessor elected.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 21st February, 1906.

NOTICE has been received at this office, under the hand of the Returning Officer, that

PAORA PAKIHI

has been elected to be Assessor for the Native Licensing District of Waioeka.

F. WALDEGRAVE,  
Under-Secretary.

*Civil Service Junior Examination, 1905-6.*

Education Department,  
Wellington, 21st February, 1906.

THE list of candidates that passed with credit at the Civil Service Junior Examination of December, 1905, published in the *Gazette* of the 25th January, 1906, is hereby amended by striking out the name of Smale, Lily Ann, Napier, from the position of No. 199 (equal) in the order of merit, and inserting it after the name of Hancock, John, Dunedin, as No. 112 (equal) in order of merit.

G. HOGBEN,  
Inspector-General of Schools.

*Time for closing Tenders, Chatham Islands, extended.*

General Post Office,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the time of closing tenders for the Chatham Islands mail-service is extended by one week from the 22nd instant.

THOMAS ROSE,  
Acting-Secretary.

*"The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Acts Compilation Act, 1905."—Notice of Proposed Cancellation of Registry.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 21st February, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 21 of "The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Acts Compilation Act, 1905," each registration of the industrial unions mentioned in the Schedule hereto will be cancelled at the expiration of six weeks from the date hereof unless within such period it is shown that it has not ceased to exist.

*SCHEDULE.*

THE Coastal Steamship Company (Limited) Industrial Union of Employers, registered No. 338, situated at Auckland.

The Hawke's Bay Master Bakers Industrial Union of Employers, registered No. 352, situated at Napier.

The Wellington Master Hairdressers and Tobacconists Industrial Union of Employers, registered No. 426, situated at Wellington.

The Southland Threshing-mill Owners Industrial Union of Employers, registered No. 392, situated at Gore.

The Auckland Fishermen's Industrial Union of Workers, registered No. 470, situated at Auckland.

The Taranaki Sawmill, Timber-factory, and Timber-yard Employees Industrial Union of Workers, registered No. 419, situated at Inglewood.

The Wellington Freezers Industrial Union of Workers, registered No. 336, situated at Petone.

EDWARD TREGEAR,  
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

*"The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Acts Compilation Act, 1905."—Notice of Cancellations of Registry.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 21st February, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registration of the Industrial Unions of Workers mentioned in the Schedule below are hereby cancelled as from the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

*SCHEDULE.*

THE Wanganui Meat-works Industrial Union of Workers, registered No. 423, situated at Wanganui.

The Auckland Wharf Labourers Industrial Union of Workers, registered No. 400, situated at Auckland.

EDWARD TREGEAR,  
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

*Branches of Friendly Society registered.*

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1906.

THE Queen's Own Lodge, No. 36, situated at Christchurch, and the Royal Standard Lodge, No. 61, situated at Sydenham, are registered as branches of the Protestant Alliance Friendly Society of Australasia Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 20th day of February, 1906.

GEO. LESLIE,  
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

*Officiating Ministers for 1906.—Notice No. 6.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 21st February, 1906.

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:—

*Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.*

The Reverend Thomas H. Roseveare.

*Primitive Methodist Connexion.*

The Reverend Hedley White.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,  
Registrar-General.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

*Land in Auckland Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 16th February, 1906.  
 NOTICE is hereby given that, the lease of the undermentioned land having been forfeited by resolution of the Auckland Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
L.P.	1501	11	V	Kawhia South	L. Gick ..	Non-signature of lease; deficient improvements; land abandoned.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
 Minister of Lands.

*Lands in Marlborough Land District surrendered.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
 Blenheim, 12th February, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that, surrenders of the undermentioned lands having been accepted by resolution of the Marlborough Land Board, the said lands have thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—FLAXBOURNE SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Formerly held by	Tenure.
18	VI	Cape Campbell	William James Gill	L.I.P.
21	IX	"	Joseph Warnock	L.I.P.

T. Y. DUNCAN,  
 Minister of Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
 Wellington, 12th February, 1906.

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 4th day of April, 1906, 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.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—AKITIO COUNTY.—PONGAROA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

*Village-homestead Allotment.*

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
28	..	A. R. P. 19 3 0	s. d. 1 7 2	s. d. 15 10

Weighted with £65 19s. 3d., valuation for improvements. Situated on the Huia Road. The access is from Pongaroa Township, which is about one mile and a quarter distant, of which half a mile is metalled road, the remainder being a 6 ft. track. The section comprises flat and low undulating land, grassed, and watered by a creek. The soil is of good

quality, resting on papa formation. The elevation ranges from about 500 ft. to 600 ft. above sea-level. The improvements consist of 19½ acres felled and grassed, about 37 chains of fencing (out of repair), and a whare.

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
 Auckland, 19th February, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Wednesday, the 11th day of April, 1906, 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.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.

WORKMEN'S HOMES ALLOTMENTS.

*Waitemata County.—Titirangi Survey District.—Plumer Hamlet.*

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
3	..	4	3	9	0	15	0	1	16	1
9	..	1	3	32	1	1	0	1	0	6
10	..	2	0	0	1	3	0	1	3	0

Level agricultural land, loam soil, clay subsoil; in native grass; eastern boundaries of Lots 9 and 10 fenced with post-and-wire fence. Situated about three-quarters of a mile from Henderson Railway-station.

*Eden County.—Titirangi Survey District.—Methuen Hamlet.*

8	..	2	0	0	3	1	0	3	1	0
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Agricultural land, good soil, clay subsoil, slightly undulating and easily drained; two old fences intersect the section. Situated less than half a mile from Avondale Railway-station.

VILLAGE SECTION.

*Whakatane County.—Whakatane Survey District.—Opouriao Settlement.—Village of Taneatua.*

35	..	0	2	0	..	..	0	10	0
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Level land, in grass. About ten miles from Whakatane on good formed road.

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 29th January, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Wednesday, the 14th day of March, 1906, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

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

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—AKAROA COUNTY.—PIGEON BAY SURVEY DISTRICT.—MORICE SETTLEMENT.

Ordinary Farm.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
8 and 8A	IX	A. R. P. 177 0 0	s. d. 13 4.5	£ s. d. 59 3 8

This section is situated in the upper portion of the Morice Settlement, the detached homestead-site of 7½ acres on White's Road being not quite four miles and a half north-east of Little River Railway-station. It consists of good pastoral land, at an altitude of from 750 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level. With the exception of a little bush along the creek it is all cleared bush land of good quality. The section is watered by springs and streams.

THOS. HUMPHRIES,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

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

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land, under section 114 of the said Act, on or after Wednesday, the 7th day of March, 1906.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
Part of 13	I.	Aohanga	A. R. P. 1 1 12

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Part of Wakefield Domain, Nelson Land District, for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Nelson, 20th January, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 5 p.m. on Wednesday, the 28th February, 1906, for a lease of the undermentioned land, for a term of seven years, under the provisions of "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

Tenders must be addressed "The Commissioner of Crown Lands, Nelson," and marked on the outside "Tender for part of Wakefield Domain," and must be accompanied by one-half year's rent at the rate offered and £1 ls. lease fee.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Part of Wakefield Domain.

SECTION No. 79b, Block XVI, Wai-iti Survey District (Waimea South Original District): Area, 78 acres 3 roods 8 perches.

Low hilly country, a large portion of which may be ploughed.

Full particulars regarding terms and conditions of lease may be obtained on application.

W. G. MURRAY,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 23rd January, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned lands will be disposed of to the holders of adjoining lands, under section 114 of the said Act, on or after Thursday, the 26th day of April, 1906.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
2	VII	Makuri .. ..	A. R. P. 36 0 5
3	"	" .. ..	40 3 28

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Dunedin, 22nd January, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral runs will be offered for lease by public action, at this office, on Wednesday, the 28th day of February, 1906, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of Part VI of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

RUN No. 23 (Wakatipu), Lake County (Class I): Area, 19,600 acres; term, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £20.

Sections 8 and 9, Block II, and Sections 1 to 6, Block VIII, Beaumont District, and Sections 74A and 75, Block III, Tuapeka West District, Tuapeka County (Class II): Area, 3,796 acres; term, seven years; upset annual rental, £45.

Sections 60 to 67, Block II, Earnslaw District, and Sections 38, 40, and 41, Block I, Glenorchy District, Lake County (Class II): Area, 554 acres; term, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £1.

LOCALITY AND DESCRIPTION OF RUNS.

Run 23 (Wakatipu).—This run is distant about four miles from Arrowtown and adjoins the Township of Macetown. It is situated on the east side of Arrow River and north side of Soho Creek, and is well watered by these streams. The larger area lies to the west and south aspects, and comprises the best country. The sunny faces are poor and broken. As few stock can be carried during the winter months the average carrying-capacity is limited to about two thousand sheep. The country varies in altitude from 2,000 ft. to nearly 6,000 ft. Silver tussock is the vegetation on the lower faces and snow grass on the higher elevations.

Sections 8 and 9, Block II, and Sections 1 to 6, Block VIII, Beaumont District, and Sections 74A and 75, Block III, Tuapeka West District.—Situating about four miles from the Town of Lawrence and within easy distance of the main road from Lawrence to Beaumont. The greater portion of this run is rough and broken, and is covered with scrub and fern. The remaining portion is good land covered with tussock and finer grasses. The altitude varies from 500 ft. to 1,600 ft.

Sections 60 to 67, Block II, Earnslaw District, and Sections 38, 40, and 41, Block I, Glenorchy District.—This run consists of very poor country, rough, broken, and covered with fern. It is situated within a mile of the road from Glenorchy to Rees River.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

Possession of these runs will be given on the 1st March, 1907.

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

Valuations for improvements must be paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Dunedin, before the licensees will be let into possession.

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

D. BARRON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.



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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 8th January, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Monday, the 26th day of February, 1906, 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, at Waimate.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—WAIMATE COUNTY.—WAIMATE SURVEY DISTRICT.—MILLS SETTLEMENT.

Dairy Farms.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
Subdivision 1.				
		A. R. P.	s. d.	£ s. d.
1	XI.	59 2 1	14 6	21 11 5
2	"	42 3 34	15 0	16 2 3
3	"	49 3 6	15 0	18 13 5
4	"	50 0 0	15 6	19 7 6
Subdivision 2.				
7	XI.	65 1 2	14 9	{ 24 1 4 (1) 5 1 0 (2) 11 12 4
Subdivision 3.				
8	XI.	124 0 34	14 9	{ 45 16 1 (3) 15 3 0 (4) 11 13 4
Subdivision 4.				
6	XI.	52 0 20	14 9	19 4 5
10	"	50 0 0	15 6	19 7 6
11	"	50 0 0	15 6	19 7 6
Subdivision 5.				
12	XI.	25 3 0	14 0	{ 9 0 3 (5) 2 3 3
13	"	41 1 0	14 3	14 13 11
Subdivision 6.				
5	XI.	14 3 27	15 6	5 15 8
9	"	10 0 0	15 0	3 15 0
Subdivision 7.				
14	VIII.	48 1 23	28 6	34 9 8
15	"	44 2 39	28 6	31 17 7
18	"	25 1 21	27 0	35 17 3 (6) 11 6 8
22	"	24 3 35	30 0	
Subdivision 8.				
16	VIII.	21 0 31	30 0	15 17 11
17	"	30 2 16	28 6	21 16 1
19	"	15 0 0	30 0	11 5 0
20	"	15 0 0	30 0	11 5 0
21	"	20 3 37	28 6	14 19 0

(1) Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £100, repayable in fourteen years by half-yearly instalments of £5 1s. Total half-yearly payment of Section 7, £40 14s. 8d.  
 (2) Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £200, repayable in fourteen years by half-yearly instalments of £11 12s. 4d. Total half-yearly payment of Section 7, £40 14s. 8d.  
 (3) Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £300, repayable in fourteen years by half-yearly instalments of £15 3s. Total half-yearly payment of Section 8, £72 12s. 6d.  
 (4) Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £135, repayable in seven years by half-yearly instalments of £11 13s. 4d. Total half-yearly payment of Section 8, £72 12s. 6d.  
 (5) Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £25, repayable in seven years by half-yearly instalments of £2 3s. 3d. Total half-yearly payment, £11 3s. 6d.  
 (6) Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £175, repayable in ten years by half-yearly instalments of £11 6s. 8d. Total half-yearly payment, £47 3s. 1d.

THOS. HUMPHRIES,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Blenheim, 12th February, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Wednesday, the 28th day of March, 1906, under the provisions of Part VI of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—MARLBOROUGH COUNTY.—CLOUDY BAY AND LINKWATER SURVEY DISTRICTS.

RUN No. 65: 1,580 acres. Term, twenty-one years. Upset annual rental, £10.

All steep, broken country; inferior soil; covered with bush, mostly birch. Fire has been through the Crown portion with the spurs, which are now covered with fern, with a little grass and blackberry. About seventeen miles from Blenheim, and about two miles from main road from Blenheim to Picton.

HENRY TRENT,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Dunedin, 6th January, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Wednesday, the 28th day of February, 1906, under the provisions of Part VI of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—WAIHEMO COUNTY.

SECTIONS Nos. 47, Block VII., and 5, Block XI., Rock and Pillar Survey District: Area 254 acres 1 rood 23 perches; term of lease, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £6 10s. Weighted with £29 1s. 6d., valuation for improvements.

D. BARRON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 22nd January, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserve will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Wednesday, the 28th day of February, 1906, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," and Part VI of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.

QUARANTINE Reserve at Te Waewae Point, Bluff Harbour, known as Pastoral Run No. 420, Campbelltown Hundred: 5,640 acres; upset annual rental, £52 17s. 6d.; term, fourteen years.

Locality and Description of Run.

Run 420 is situated in Campbelltown Hundred, Southland County, immediately across the harbour from the Bluff, and extends eastward for about nine miles between the ocean and Awarua Bay. The whole block is level, about 30 ft. above the sea, and is of a dry gravelly formation with the exception of a small area of swamp land towards the east boundary. In some places it is fairly well grassed, principally with snow-tussock; in other places considerable areas of moss are in evidence, as well as a few patches of stunted scrub towards the sea. Stock can be driven to and from this run round Awarua Bay from Woodend, some twelve miles.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

Possession will be given on the 1st March, 1907.

Valuation for improvements must be paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Invercargill, before the licensees will be let into possession.

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

JOHN HAY,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 22nd January, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral runs will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of February, 1906, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of Part VI of "The Land Act, 1892."

## SCHEDULE

## SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

## Class I.

County.	Run No.	Survey District.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.		Term of Lease.
				£	s. d.	
Southland ..	398 and 447 (grouped)	Kingston, Nokomai, and Rockyside	Acres. 26,260	41	0 10	21 years.
" ..	251	Tuturau, Slopedown, and Mokoreta	18,250	152	1 8	14 "
" ..	329	Hokonui .. ..	3,300	20	12 6	14 "
" ..	149	Taringatura .. ..	8,575	107	3 10	14 "
" ..	207	Hokonui .. ..	2,773	23	2 2	14 "
" ..	207A	" .. ..	2,879	18	0 0	14 "
Wallace ..	*133	Wairio .. ..	2,465	25	13 8	11 "

\* Weighted with £48, half-value of boundary-fence.

## LOCALITY AND DESCRIPTION OF RUNS.

Runs Nos. 398 and 447 are situated in Nokomai, Kingston, and Rockyside Districts, Southland County, about seven miles from Parawa Railway-station by fair buggy-road, or four miles from Nokomai Railway-station by dray-road. The whole country is high and mountainous, ranging in altitude from 800 ft. to 4,700 ft. above sea-level. It is poorly grassed with snow and blue tussock on the higher parts, and with a little white tussock on the lower levels. The country is naturally rocky and shingly, and on the whole is what may be classed as suitable for summer grazing.

Run No. 251 is situated in Slopedown, Tuturau, and Mokoreta Survey Districts, Southland County, about twelve miles by good road from Wyndham Township. The country generally speaking is rough, being broken by steep gullies, and varies in altitude from 600 ft. to 2,300 ft. above sea-level. The north and north-east portions are well grassed, principally with white and snow tussock; the area lying to the south of the south branch of the Mimiha Stream is rough, scrubby country, containing fern, tutu, and certain mixed grasses, principally snow tussock; the higher parts of the run along the Slopedown Range are rather peaty and boggy.

Run No. 329 is situated in Hokonui Survey District, Southland County, about twelve miles from Balfour, of which distance nine miles is a good formed buggy-road. The country is somewhat hilly and broken, ranging in altitude from 700 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level, and fairly well grassed with white and snow tussock intermixed with a few patches of scrub and fern.

Run No. 149 is situated in Taringatura District, Southland County, about seven miles from Centre Bush Railway-station by good gravelled road. The country is somewhat hilly, and ranges in altitude from 500 ft. to 1,800 ft. above sea-level. It cannot, however, be called broken, and consists principally of well-sheltered spurs running down from the higher tops to the abutting lowlands towards the south and east, and is generally well grassed with white, blue, and snow tussock. In some places a little tutu is visible, with patches of fern and scrub.

Run No. 207 is situated in Hokonui District, Southland County, about two miles from Lumsden by riding-track. The country is hilly and broken, ranging in altitude from 1,200 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level, and is fairly well grassed with snow, white, and blue tussock. It also contains patches of fern and tutu, and in many places the surface is covered with a considerable growth of moss, indicating a cold bottom, although the country is of a stony nature.

Run No. 207A is situated in Hokonui District, Southland County, about four miles from Lumsden by riding-track. The country is hilly, stony, and broken, varying in altitude above sea-level from 1,000 ft. to 2,100 ft., and is fairly grassed with white, blue, and snow tussock; it contains also considerable areas of moss, as well as patches of tutu.

Run No. 133 is situated in Wairio District, Wallace County, about four miles and a half from Wairio Railway-station by good road. The country is hilly and stony, is well grassed with white and snow tussock and other finer grasses, and attains an altitude of from 400 ft. to 1,000 ft. above sea-level.

## CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

Possession of Run No. 133 will be given on the 1st March, 1906. Possession of the other runs will be given on the 1st March, 1907.

Valuation for improvements must be paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Invercargill, before licensees will be let into possession.

Run No. 133 is weighted with £48—half-value of boundary-fence.

The runs will be sold generally in accordance with Part VI of "The Land Act, 1892."

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

JOHN HAY,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, 20th November, 1905.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be open for sale or selection, either for cash, for occupation with right of purchase, or for lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Tuesday, the 27th day of February, 1906, under the provisions of Part III. of the said Act.

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.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

County.	District.	Section.	Block.	Area	Cash Price.		Occupation with Right of Purchase: Rent, 5 per Cent.		Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
					Per Acre.	Total Price.	Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.	Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
Pohangina	Pohangina ..	19	IV.	A. R. P. 61 0 0	£ s. d. 0 15 0	£ s. d. 45 15 0	s. d. 0 9	£ s. d. 1 2 11	s. d. 0 7 2	£ s. d. 0 18 4

Situated on the south bank of the Makawakawa or Diggers' Stream, about eighteen miles north of Ashhurst Access from Ashhurst via Pohangina Village Road for seventeen miles and a half, and for remaining distance by road reserve. Comprises rough, broken country, with some steep cliffs. Soil of fair quality, resting on papa-and-sandstone formation. Forest light, comprising hinau, maire, tawa, &c., with some rimu and white-pine, and thick undergrowth of the usual variety. Well watered by the Makawakawa Stream.

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,

Christchurch, 23rd January, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral runs will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Wednesday, the 28th day of February, 1906, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of Part VI of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

Class II.

Run No.	Name of Run.	County.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term of License.
136A	Part of Broomfield	Ashley ..	Acres. 330	£ 14	Yrs. 7
139	Loburn ..	" ..	1,028	40	7
169A	Part of Snowdon	Selwyn	4,300	215	7

Locality and Description of Runs.

Run No. 136A is situated on the north side of the south branch of the Kowai River, about nine miles westward from the Amberley and Balcairn Railway-stations, and consists of low downs, carrying tussock pasture, with some mixed fern and scrub. Altitude, about 700 ft. above sea-level. Access is by the Kowai River bed.

Run No. 139 is situated in the forks of the Grey River, south-west of Mount Grey, and about fifteen miles northward from Ashley Railway-station. It consists of tussock pasture and scrub, at an altitude of from 2,000 ft. to 2,500 ft. above sea-level.

Run No. 169A is situated in the upper valley of the Selwyn River, about twenty-three miles north-westward from Glentunnel Railway-station, by road via Snowdon. It consists of open, hilly, tussock country, ranging up to an elevation of about 3,000 ft. above sea-level, and is bounded on the north-west by the Thirteen-mile Bush.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

Possession of these runs will be given on the 1st March, 1907.

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

Valuations for improvements must be paid to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Christchurch, before licensees will be let into possession.

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

THOS. HUMPHRIES,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,

Napier, 27th January, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserves will be offered for lease by public auction, at the Lands and Survey Office, Gisborne, on Wednesday, the 28th day of March, 1906, under the provisions of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881."

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term.
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COOK COUNTY.—HANGAROA SURVEY DISTRICT.

A. R. P. £ s. d.  
50 | XIV | 20 0 0 | 5 0 0 | Fourteen years.  
Land of good quality; about 15 acres flat and in grass.

WAIROA COUNTY.—TARAMARAMA SURVEY DISTRICT.

5 | VI | 33 3 32 | 16 0 0 | Fourteen years.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. One half-year's rent, together with £1 1s. lease fee, to 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 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, free from all deductions whatsoever.
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 land shall be used for grazing purposes only, and shall not be broken up or cropped without the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
9. 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.
10. The lease of Section 50, Block XIV, will contain a provision that all persons shall have free right of ingress and egress to any of the fords or crossings.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

## NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Order under Section 39 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the succession to the interest of Henare Matuahu, deceased, in Oraukura, Rangipo North No. 2, and Taurewa No. 4; and in the matter of the application of Wiripo Tohiraukura, on behalf of Tiahuia Kiekie, under section 39 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

WHEREAS the said application was referred by me to the Native Land Court for inquiry and report, and the same has been duly reported on: And whereas the Native Land Court, by orders dated the 17th day of November, 1897, appointed Parekarangi Kiekie, Runga Kiekie, and Erina Taupoki Kiekie (in the said orders erroneously named Eruni Taupoki Kiekie) to succeed to  $\frac{1}{10}$  share of the interest of Henare Matuahu in the several blocks above mentioned: And whereas it appears that the said Tiahuia Kiekie is equally entitled with the said Parekarangi Kiekie, Runga Kiekie, and Erina Taupoki Kiekie to a share of the said  $\frac{1}{10}$  of the said interest, and that the name of the said Tiahuia Kiekie was by mistake omitted when the matter of the said succession was under investigation before the Native Land Court:

Now, therefore, for the purpose of rectifying the said mistake, and in exercise of the power in that behalf vested in me, as Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, by the said Act, and by section 39 thereof, I hereby order that the said several succession orders of the 17th day of November, 1897, be amended by adding thereto the name of Tiahuia Kiekie as one of the successors to the interest of the said Henare Matuahu in the several blocks above mentioned, and entitled to  $\frac{1}{10}$  of such interest; and that the said several orders be further amended by striking out the figures  $\frac{1}{30}$ ,  $\frac{1}{30}$ , and  $\frac{1}{30}$ , where the same occur in the said several orders, after the names of the said Parekarangi Kiekie, Runga Kiekie, and Erina Taupoki Kiekie respectively, and by inserting the figures  $\frac{1}{10}$ ,  $\frac{1}{10}$ , and  $\frac{1}{10}$  in lieu thereof; and that all partition orders that are affected by this order be also amended accordingly.

As witness my hand, this 12th day of February, 1906.

H. G. SETH-SMITH, Chief Judge.

Notice of Appeal withdrawn. — Ninihi Block. — "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

IN THE NATIVE APPELLATE COURT OF NEW ZEALAND, AUCKLAND DISTRICT.

In the matter of the Ninihi Block, and of an appeal by Hoori Rakete and others against the decision of the Native Land Court, given on the 15th day of July, 1905, on an inquiry under subsection (10) of section 14 of "The Native Land Court, 1894."

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

Dated at Auckland, this 16th day of February, 1906.

A. G. HOLLAND, Deputy Registrar.

Application for Confirmation Certificate under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 21st February, 1906.

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

[Wellington, Sec. 55.]

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

THE ALIENATION ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Conveyance (1906-20)	14th February, 1906	Tairari C No. 1A	Sarah Palmer (alias Sarah Brown) to Thomas Palmer.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Nelson.

Native Land Court Office, Wellington, 21st February, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Nelson on the 22nd day of March, 1906, 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, 1906-11.]

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Lease (1901-120)	5th September, 1901	Rangitoto, Block VI.	Makarini te Tahua and others to John Manson and Harry Manson.
2	Conveyance (1903-62)	28th February, 1903	Aorere Reserve G, part Section 2	Teera Inia Uenuku to William Calverley Riley.
3	Conveyance (1903-63)	19th April, 1893	Aorere Reserve G, part Section 1	Karewa Riwai and Hoani Uakthi to William Calverley Riley.
4	Conveyance (1903-212)	16th October, 1903	Aorere, Section 13	Matene Raharuhi to George Willis Riley.
5	Conveyance (1904-153)	6th August, 1904	Aorere, Reserve E	Huria Matenga to William Scrimgeour.
6	Conveyance (1905-8)	14th December, 1904	Aorere, Reserve E	Matiria Parekura to William Scrimgeour.
7	Conveyance (1904-221)	30th August, 1905	Aorere, Section 13 (part of)	Pikihuia Renata to George Willis Riley.
8	Conveyance (1906-1)	23rd October, 1905	Aorere, Section 13 (part of)	Rangi Iriau to George Willis Riley.

## APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
10	Ruta Rene, Ngahuia te Onenuku, and others .. ..	Rangitoto.
11	Mata Hekenui, Peita Renata, Teieti Mokena, Wiki Mokena, Hone Tui, Kirika Tui, and others .. ..	Whangarae No. 2.
12	Pourewa Makena (W. E. Rawson) .. ..	Rangitoto No. 11.

## APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 90 OF "THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area of Land taken.	Nature of Application.
41	Under-Secretary for Public Works	Aorere Native Reserve No. 1, Section 2 Aorere E, Native Reserve	A. R. P. 0 3 0.5 1 0 18	To ascertain the amount of compensation to be paid to the owners of or other persons interested in the said land taken under section 90 of "The Public Works Act, 1894," for the purposes of approach-roads to the Aorere Bridge; also to ascertain who are the proper persons to whom such compensation should be paid.

## APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW TRUSTEES IN SUBSTITUTION FOR EXISTING TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Minors.	Existing Trustee.
42	Tapata Wiremu .. ..	Taituku, Section 30 .. ..	Te Whanau Pani, Motu Tukahono, Noti Tukahono	Rora Pairama.
43	Huhana Meihana .. ..	Nelson "tenths" .. ..	Tamati Raharuhi and Hinga Raharuhi	Matene Raharuhi.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
44	Ehirimoana Tamihana and others	Nelson "tenths" .. ..	To include certain names of deceased persons in the order of the Court—namely, Hoani Taitapu, Tamihana Eruini, Herewini te Pouwhero, Paratene te Peneha, Matiria Rangitukua, Rawinia te Pohe, Heeni Ngarawai, Ripeka Turiharaha, and Kawana Poaru.
45	Unaiki Weepu .. ..	Nelson "tenths" .. ..	That the order on investigation of title made by the Native Land Court on the 28th November, 1892, be amended by including the name of the applicant, with others, as successors to Kahuraupo, deceased.

## APPLICATIONS FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
46	Matene Raharuhi .. ..	Aorere G, part Subdivision 1.
47	Huria Matenga .. ..	Aorere E.
48	Matiria Parekura .. ..	Aorere E.
49	Ruita Peita (Lucy Josephs) .. ..	Takaka C.
50	Thomas B. Ellison and J. M. B. Rutland .. ..	Takaka, Subdivision 3, Section 9.
51	Reupena Pokia and Manaake (as trustee) .. ..	Wainui, Section 11, Square XII, Subdivision 2, Totaranui Survey District.
52	Tiripa Tawhe te Ruruku .. ..	Rangitoto, Block II (D'Urville Island).
53	Ihaka te Rei and Pourewa Mokena .. ..	Rangitoto, Block XII (D'Urville Island).

## APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 50 OF "THE NATIVE LAND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENT AND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1901," FOR INQUIRY INTO THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE ADOPTION MENTIONED BELOW.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Adopted Child.	Particulars of Adoption.
54	Hokipera Renata .. ..	Kohi Elizabeth Rowlands	Adoption by Hokipera Renata of Kohi Elizabeth Rowlands, child of Elizabeth Rowlands.

## APPLICATION FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
55	Waihaere Hiparaiti (agent for Taimona Pakake)	Hariata te Ipo.

*Notice of Nomination for Committee for Incorporated Block.*

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the persons whose names are set out in the second column of the Schedule hereunder have been proposed for nomination as candidates for the Committee to administer the block set out in the first column.

Dated at Gisborne, this 17th day of February, 1906.

JOHN BROOKING, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

Name of Land.	Names of Persons nominated.
Waimata West 1A	Peka Kerekere. Te Kani Pere. Horiana Tupeka. Matenga Taihuka. Mika Rore. Harete Taihuka.

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

Native Land Court Office,  
Wellington, 19th February, 1906.

NOTICE having been lodged with me by Riakiao Wharepa, of Wharekauri, that she has taken Wiremu Rangipupu, the child of Ngawira Haupuhuroa, to be her adopted child, and a certificate by a Judge of the Native Land Court, as required by Regulation No. 7, having been received, it is hereby notified that the said notice of adoption has been duly filed and registered.

R. C. SIM,  
Registrar.

## BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ERNEST SMARDON, of Te Aroha, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Te Aroha, on Saturday, the 24th day of February, 1906, at 4 o'clock p.m.

E. GÉRARD,  
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 16th February, 1906.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES KEELY, the younger, of Cambridge West, Butcher, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Cambridge, on Tuesday, the 27th day of February, 1906, at 3 o'clock p.m.

E. GÉRARD,  
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 15th February, 1906.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD PATTERSON, of Rotorua, formerly of Te Aroha, Plumber, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 21st day of February, 1906, at 2.30 o'clock.

E. GÉRARD,  
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 14th February, 1906.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of HENRY JUDGE CALLINGHAM, of Whangamomona, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend, of 3s. 6½d. in the pound, is now payable on all proved admitted claims in the above estate. Promissory notes (if any) must be produced for indorsement.

H. NORMAN LIARDET,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Stratford, 16th February, 1906.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that SIDNEY MARK CLARK, of 234 Tinakori Road, Wellington, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 27th day of February, 1906, at 11 o'clock a.m.

JAMES ASHCROFT,  
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 20th February, 1906.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN SWEENEY, of Cobden, Miner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 22nd day of February, 1906, at 11 o'clock.

T. R. SAYWELL,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

15th February, 1906.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE HAIGH PERKINS, of Woolston, Hairdresser, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 26th day of February, 1906, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,  
Official Assignee.

19th February, 1906.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that PETER McINTOSH, of Timaru, Blacksmith, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Arcade, Timaru, on Monday, the 26th day of February, 1906, at 11 o'clock.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Timaru, 16th February, 1906.

## MINING NOTICES.

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

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

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

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Gore; James A. Yule.

Nominal capital: £7,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £5,200.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £5,175.

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: £1,800.

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

Number of shares allotted: 7,000.

Amount paid per share: 20s.

Amount called up per share: 20s.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: £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: 47.  
 Present number of shareholders: 79.  
 Number of men employed by company: 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 894 oz. 16 dwt.; £3,170 18s. 3d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 4,883 oz. 12 dwt. 6 gr.; £17,048 10s. 4d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £3,068 4s. 4d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £20,749 18s. 9d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £2,625.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £2,625.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £396 14s. 2d.  
 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: £115 11s. 5d.

I, James Alexander Yule, of Gore, the Secretary of the Waimumu Queen Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company; 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. A. YULE,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Gore, this 5th day of February, 1906, before me—Thos. Taylor, J.P. 254

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

Name of company: Royal Waimumu Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 6th October, 1900.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Gore; James A. Yule.  
 Nominal capital: £5,500.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £5,500.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £5,330.  
 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: 5,500.  
 Number of shares allotted: 5,500.  
 Amount paid per share: 20s.  
 Amount called up per share: 20s.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 425.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 59.  
 Present number of shareholders: 44.  
 Number of men employed by company: 10.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 1,159 oz. 19 dwt.; £4,773 16s. 6d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 4,287 oz. 13 dwt. 4 gr.; £17,205 8s.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £2,604 1s. 1d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £17,862 12s. 9d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £4,336 5s.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £4,336 5s.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: £1 10s.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £319 2s. 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 (if any): Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £82 7s. 10d.

I, James Alexander Yule, of Gore, the Secretary of the Royal Waimumu Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company; 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. A. YULE,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Gore, this 5th day of February, 1906, before me—Thos. Taylor, J.P. 255

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

Name of company: Waikaka Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 9th May, 1900.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Gore; James A. Yule.  
 Nominal capital: £6,500.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £4,900.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £4,627 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: £1,600.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 6,500.  
 Number of shares allotted: 6,500.  
 Amount paid per share: 20s.  
 Amount called up per share: 20s.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 325.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: £25.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 57.  
 Present number of shareholders: 59.  
 Number of men employed by company: 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 923 oz. 13 dwt.; £3,608 8s. 3d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 3,911 oz. 16 dwt. 3 gr.; £15,743 12s. 4d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £2,300 0s. 6d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £16,530 4s. 4d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £3,718 15s.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £3,718 15s.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: £16 15s.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £121 2s.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £13.  
 Amount of debts considered good: £13.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £42 10s. 3d.

I, James Alexander Yule, of Gore, the Manager of the Waikaka Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company; 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. A. YULE,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Gore, this 5th day of February, 1906, before me—A. Macdonald, J.P. 256

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

Name of company: Waikaka Queen Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 6th July, 1899.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Gore; James A. Yule.  
 Nominal capital: £7,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £5,510.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £5,495.  
 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: £1,050.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 7,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 5,510.  
 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: 94.  
 Present number of shareholders: 103.  
 Number of men employed by company: 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 764 oz. 15 dwt.; £2,979 10s. 4d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 3,762 oz. 14 dwt. 8 gr.; £15,447 2s.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £3,141 7s. 10d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £20,573 3s. 8d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £1,118 19s.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £1,118 19s.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: £11 4s.

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: £465 7s. 3d.

I, James Alexander Yule, of Gore, the Secretary of the Waikaka Queen Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company; 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. A. YULE,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Gore, this 5th day of February, 1906, before me—A. Macdonald, J.P. 257

### 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: 7.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since preceding year: Gold, 275 oz. 9 dwt. 1 gr.; £997 18s. 4d.  
 Total quantity of gold or silver produced since registration: Gold, 3,157 oz. 19 dwt. 2 gr.; £12,226 11s. 8d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £1,054 9s. 2d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £20,355 9s. 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: 7s. 1d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: £3 7s.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £1,335 3s. 6d.  
 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 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."

W. B. GILBERT,  
 Legal Manager.

Declared at Kumara, this 27th day of January, 1906, before me—Geo. Robt. Rudkin, J.P. 258

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: New Zealand Crown Mines Company (Limited), (being a foreign company as defined by section 2 of "The Mining Companies Acts Amendment Act, 1897").  
 When formed, and date of registration: 27th June, 1896.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney or Attorneys: Shortland Street, Auckland; Charles Rhodes.  
 Where mine is situate: Karangahake.

Nominal capital: £200,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £200,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in colony: Nil.  
 Price paid to vendors of mine—  
 (a.) In fully paid-up shares: £100,000.  
 (b.) In partly paid-up shares, credited as £ paid up: Nil.  
 (c.) In cash: £50,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 200,000; working capital (cash), £50,000.  
 Number of shares on Colonial Register: 54,027.  
 Amount paid per share (Colonial Register):  
 Amount called up per share (Colonial Register): £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear (Colonial Register): £1.  
 Number of shares forfeited (Colonial Register): Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares on Colonial Register sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders on Colonial Register: 131.  
 Number of men employed by company in colony: 129.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during period since last statement: Gold, 6,310 oz. 0 dwt. 9 gr.; silver, 4,966 oz. 7 dwt. 20 gr.: £27,358 13s. 5d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration of office of company in colony: Gold, 124,011 oz.; silver, 103,273 oz.: £543,845 14s. 2d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations in colony during period since last statement: £33,285 10s. 3d.  
 Total expenditure since registration of office of company in colony: £514,835 15s. 9d.  
 Total amount of dividends paid in colony: £12,224 3s.  
 Amount of cash at banker's in colony: Attorney's Account, £4 6s. 9d.; Working Account, £364 3s. 8d.  
 Amount of cash in hand in colony: Petty cash (Auckland), Nil; petty cash (mine), £10.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company in colony: £2 19s. 10d.  
 Amount of such debts considered good: £2 19s. 10d.  
 Amount of liabilities of company (if any) in colony: £726 17s. 1d.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £1,692 15s. 4d.

I, Charles Rhodes, of Auckland, the Attorney of the New Zealand Crown Mines Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st day of August, 1905 (being the date of the last balance-sheet); 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. RHODES,  
 Attorney.

Declared at Auckland, this 9th day of February, 1906, before me—S. Thorne George, J.P. 259

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Three Mile (Greenstone Creek) Dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 15th September, 1899.  
 Whether in active operation or not: Active.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Dunedin; Charles Gilbert White.  
 Nominal capital: £8,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £6,500.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £6,500.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £6,500.  
 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: 8,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 8,000: 6,500 for cash, 1,500 otherwise.  
 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: 64.  
 Present number of shareholders: 105.  
 Number of men employed by company: 10.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 759 oz. 19 dwt.; £2,968 18s. 2d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 4,131 oz.; £16,015 5s. 7d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £3,427 11s. 6d.



Total expenditure since registration : £22,712 5s. 3d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared : £400.  
 Total amount of dividends paid : £400.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's : £183 1s. 7d.  
 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 : £346 2s. 8d.  
 Amount due in respect of mortgages : Nil.

I, Charles Gilbert White, of Dunedin, the Manager of the Three Mile (Greenstone Creek) Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on 31st December, 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."

C. G. WHITE,  
 Legal Manager.

Declared at Dunedin, this 24th day of January, 1906, before me—Herbert Webb, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 260

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company : Taniwha Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration : 19th December, 1902.  
 Whether in active operation or not : In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager : Lawrence, Peel Street; Herbert Hastings Leary.  
 Nominal capital : £700.  
 Amount of capital subscribed : £700.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash : £700.  
 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 : 700.  
 Number of shares allotted : 700.  
 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 : 9.  
 Number of men employed by company : 7.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year : Gold, 715 oz. 8 dwt. 9 gr.; £2,756 4s. 11d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration : 2,188 oz. 4 dwt.; £8,424 4s. 1d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year : £2,164 12s. 8d.  
 Total expenditure since registration : £7,321 2s. 2d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared : £1,960.  
 Total amount of dividends paid : £1,960.  
 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 : Estimated, £180.

I, Herbert Hastings Leary, of Lawrence, the Secretary of the Taniwha Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the 31st December, 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."

HERBERT H. LEARY,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Lawrence, this 7th day of February, 1906, before me—David McIntosh, J.P. 261

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company : Olig 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 Secretary : 1 Moray Place, Dunedin; John B. Brugh.

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Nominal capital : £7,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed : £6,955.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash : £5,955.  
 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 : 7,000.  
 Number of shares allotted : 6,955.  
 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 : 67.  
 Number of men employed by company : 7.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year : 621 oz. 18 dwt. 8 gr.; £2,329 19s. 8d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration : 5,119 oz. 7 dwt. 26 gr.; £19,902 6s. 7d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year : £3,090 8s. 3d.  
 Total expenditure since registration : £21,691 2s. 7d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared : £4,173.  
 Total amount of dividends paid : £4,173.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's : £41 2s. 8d.  
 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 : £104 10s. 11d.

I, John Barnet Brugh, the Secretary of the Olig Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on 31st December, 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."

JOHN B. BRUGH,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 24th day of January, 1906, before me—Alex. Macpherson, J.P. 262

### 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 : 1 Moray Place, Dunedin; John B. Brugh.  
 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 arrears : 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 : 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year : 852 oz. 17 dwt. 12 gr.; £3,345 3s. 2d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration : 1,350 oz. 7 dwt. 12 gr.; £5,239 6s. 7d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year : £2,889 15s. 5d.  
 Total expenditure since registration : £7,437 1s. 8d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared : 1s.—£130.  
 Total amount of dividends paid : 1s.—£130.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's : £402 4s. 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 : £219 0s. 1d.

I, John Barnet Brugh, the Secretary 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 at 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."

JOHN B. BRUGH,  
Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 9th day of February, 1906,  
before me—Alex. Macpherson, J.P. 263

### 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 Secretary: 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: 139.

Number of men employed by company: 8.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 1,777 oz. 19 dwt. 6 gr.; £6,910 9s. 6d.

Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 18,648 oz. 1 dwt. 11 gr.; £72,249 6s. 9d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £4,133 9s. 10d.

Total expenditure since registration: £46,960 11s.

Total amount of dividends declared: £26,537.

Total amount of dividends paid: £26,420 6s.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: £116 14s.

Amount of cash at banker's and on deposit: £1,428 4s. 2d.

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: £260 0s. 5d.

I, Charles Stephen Reeves, 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 at 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."

CHAS. S. REEVES,  
Manager.

Declared at Dunedin, this 19th day of January, 1906,  
before me—Alec. Burt, J.P. 271

### 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 Secretary: 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: 153.

Number of men employed by company: 8.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 559 oz. 2 dwt. 9 gr.; £2,166 17s. 11d.

Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 2,825 oz. 4 dwt. 11 gr.; £9,944 4s. 11d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement; £2,709 13s. 11d.

Total expenditure since registration: £11,065 14s. 2d.

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 and on deposit: £614 17s. 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: £572 3s. 7d.

I, Charles Stephen 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 at 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."

CHAS. S. REEVES,  
Acting-Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 19th day of January, 1906,  
before me—Alec. Burt, J.P. 272

### 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 Secretary: Dunedin; C. S. Reeves.

Nominal capital: £3,500.

Amount of capital subscribed: £3,500.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,300.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £2,200 paid for dredge and claim.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £2,200 paid for dredge and claim.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 3,500.

Number of shares allotted: 2,300.

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: 11.

Present number of shareholders: 45.

Number of men employed by company: 8.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 636 oz. 15 dwt.; £2,460 14s. 2d.

Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 675 oz. 5 dwt. 13 gr.; £2,611 1s. 1d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £2,651 13s.

Total expenditure since registration: £3,651 9s. 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: £64 3s.

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: £733 9s. 10d.

I, Charles Stephen Reeves, the Secretary 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 at 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."

CHAS. S. REEVES,  
Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 19th day of January, 1906, before me—Alec. Burt, J.P. 273

**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 Secretary: 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: £825.  
 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: 125.  
 Number of men employed by company: 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 273 oz. 17 dwt. 21 gr.; £1,058 17s. 5d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 3,211 oz. 16 dwt. 9 gr.; £12,425 3s. 8d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £1,462 6s. 4d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £13,622 11s. 8d.  
 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 and on deposit: £661 7s. 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: £350 18s. 1d.

I, Charles Stephen Reeves, of Dunedin, the 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 at 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."

CHAS. S. REEVES,  
 Acting-Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 19th day of January, 1906, before me—Alec. Burt, J.P. 274

**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: 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): £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.  
 Number of shares allotted: 7,500.  
 Amount paid per share: 10s.  
 Amount called up per share: Nil.  
 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: 129.  
 Number of men employed by company: 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 1,045 oz. 15 dwt. 20 gr.; £4,049 7s. 6d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 2,421 oz. 4 dwt. 23 gr.; £9,294 1s. 2d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £2,509 14s. 3d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £9,623 6s. 2d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £2,051 15s.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £2,051 15s.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's and on deposit: £682 17s. 8d.  
 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: £79 3s. 4d.

I, Charles Stephen 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 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."

CHAS. S. REEVES,  
 Acting-Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 19th day of January, 1906, before me—Alec. Burt, J.P. 275

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

Name of company: New Shetland Terrace Sluicing Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 20th May, 1904.  
 Whether in active operation or not: No.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: 148 Princes Street, Dunedin; George M. MacLean.  
 Nominal capital: £3,500.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £1,805.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,264 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: Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 3,500.  
 Number of shares allotted: 1,805.  
 Amount paid per share: 15s.  
 Amount called up per share: 15s.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 18; £89 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: 41.  
 Present number of shareholders: 41.  
 Number of men employed by company: 1.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 48 oz. 10 dwt. 15 gr.; £193 7s. 1d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 160 oz. 2 dwt. 22 gr.; £636 14s.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operation during preceding year: £505 12s. 1d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £2,225 6s. 10d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of overdraft at banker's: £285 8s. 6d.  
 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: Nil.

I, George Milne MacLean, of Dunedin, the Manager of the New Shetland Terrace 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, 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."

GEORGE M. MACLEAN,  
 Manager.

Declared at Dunedin, this 31st day of January, 1906, before me—John Angus, J.P. 286

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

Name of company: Phoenix Water-race Company (Limited), (Registered).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 12th October, 1867.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; S. E. Brent.  
 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: 1,000.

Number of shares allotted: 1,000.

Amount paid per share: 30s.

Amount called up per share: 30s.

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: 34.

Present number of shareholders: 18.

Number of men employed by company: 1.

Quantity and value of gold produced during the preceding year:

Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: [The property (water-races) is leased to gold-mining companies.]

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £36 2s. 9d.

Total expenditure since registration: £970 19s. 6d.

Total amount of dividends declared: £7,625.

Total amount of dividends paid: £7,619 3s. 9d.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: £5 16s. 3d.

Amount of cash at banker's: £27 4s.

Amount of cash in hand:

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: £18 7s. 10d.

I, Septimus Edward Brent, of Dunedin, the Manager of the Phoenix Water-race Company (Limited), (Registered), 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."

S. E. BRENT,  
Manager.

Declared at Dunedin, this 31st day of January, 1906, before me—John Angus, J.P. 287

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Shotover Quartz-mining Company (No Liability).

When formed, and date of registration: 6th March, 1898.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; S. E. Brent.

Nominal capital: £7,500.

Amount of capital subscribed: £7,245.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £5,745.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £7,245, £5,745 respectively.

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: 30,000 at 5s. each.

Number of shares allotted: 28,980.

Amount paid per share: 5s.

Amount called up per share: 5s.

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: 43.

Number of men employed by company: 12.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 332 oz.; £1,245 0s. 4d.

Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 1,965 oz. 12 dwt. 14 gr.; £7,513 3s. 9d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £2,186 7s. 1d.

Total expenditure since registration: £13,772 9s. 1d. (and on new property and plant, £1,173 13s.).

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): 750 debentures.

Amount of debts owing by company: £1,334.

I, Septimus Edward Brent, of Dunedin, the Manager of the Shotover Quartz-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, 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."

S. E. BRENT,  
Manager.

Declared at Dunedin, this 31st day of January, 1906, before me—John Angus, J.P. 288

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Last Chance Hydraulic Sluicing, Elevating, and Dredging Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 27th July, 1899.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; S. E. Brent.

Nominal capital: £12,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £9,950.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £4,655.

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

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £3,300.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 12,000.

Number of shares allotted: 9,950.

Amount paid per share: 14s.

Amount called up per share: 14s.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.

Number of shares forfeited: 2,050.

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: 103.

Number of men employed by company: 11.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 304 oz. 5 dwt.; £1,187 13s. 6d.

Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 1,691 oz. 15 dwt. 22 gr.; £6,509 6s. 11d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £1,143 3s. 5d.

Total expenditure since registration: £8,653 19s. 11d.

Total amount of dividends declared: £995.

Total amount of dividends paid: £992 10s.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: £2 10s.

Amount of cash at banker's: £56 3s. 3d. At interest: 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: Nil.

I, Septimus Edward Brent, of Dunedin, the Manager of the Last Chance Hydraulic, Sluicing, 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, 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."

S. E. BRENT,  
Manager.

Declared at Dunedin, this 31st day of January, 1906, before me—John Angus, J.P. 289

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Barewood Gold-mining Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 24th December, 1903.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; S. E. Brent.

Nominal capital: £8,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £8,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,200.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £7,200; £1,200.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £6,000.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 8,000.

Number of shares allotted: 8,000.

Amount paid per share: 12s. on contributing shares.

Amount called up per share: 14s.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: £200.

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: 41.  
 Number of men employed by company: 21.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 1,065 oz. 19 dwt. 12 gr.; £4,009 9s. 7d.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 3,749 oz. 2 dwt. 2 gr.; £14,307 0s. 8d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £4,328 17s. 3d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £14,316 2s. 2d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £2,800.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £2,800.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash at banker's: £136 5s. 11d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: £4 1s. 6d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £27 16s. 4d.  
 Amount of debts considered good: £27 16s. 4d.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £96 19s. 6d.

I, Septimus Edward Brent, of Dunedin, the Manager of the Barewood 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, 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."

S. E. BRENT,  
 Manager.

Declared at Dunedin, this 31st day of January, 1906,  
 before me—John Angus, J.P. 290

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

Name of company: Scandinavian Water-race Company (Limited), (Registered).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 1868.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: St. Bathans; Neil Nicolson.  
 Nominal capital: £12,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £12,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £12,000.  
 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: 240.  
 Number of shares allotted: 240.  
 Amount paid per share: £50.  
 Amount called up per share: £50.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: None.  
 Number of shares forfeited: None.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: None.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 30.  
 Present number of shareholders: 23.  
 Number of men employed by company: 12.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 845 oz.; £3,295 10s.  
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: No record.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £3,488 10s.  
 Total expenditure since registration: No record.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £15,660.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £15,660.  
 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: £2,774 10s.  
 Amount of debts considered good: £2,200.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £5,610.

I, Neil Nicolson, of St. Bathans, the Secretary of the Scandinavian Water-race Company (Limited), (Registered), 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."

NEIL NICOLSON,  
 Secretary.

Declared at St. Bathans, this 17th day of February, 1906,  
 before me—W. McConnochie, J.P. 291

#### LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

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

4250. COLIN McLEOD.—Part of Allotment 2, Section 20, Town of Onehunga, containing 27 perches. Occupied by tenant.

4262. SMITH AND CAUGHEY (LIMITED).—Lot 18 of Allotment 5, Section 29, City of Auckland, containing 12 $\frac{3}{4}$  perches. Occupied by Applicants.

4300. THE NEW ZEALAND BRICK, TILE, AND POTTERY COMPANY (LIMITED).—Lot 7 of Allotment 257, Parish of Waikomiti, containing 19 acres 3 roods 18 perches. Occupied by Applicants.

4301. THEODORE WALLACE PAYNE.—Lot 53 of Allotment 22, Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 16 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of February, 1906, 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 within one month.

1081. ARTHUR SIDNEY TONKS, WILLIAM GEORGE WHITE, and ALBERT ERNEST DEATH, as Executors of JOHN WINKS, deceased.—Section 125 and parts of Sections 126, 129, 130, 136, and 137, Patea District; as shown on Plans Nos. 2283 and 2284, deposited in this office. Occupied in part by Francis Job Gane, of Normanby; Joseph Crockett, of Normanby; and the Applicants.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 19th day of February, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

T. HUTCHISON,  
 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 on or before the 23rd day of March, 1906.

1286. Applicant, HERBERT HENRY RUSSELL.—1 acre 1 rood 30 $\frac{3}{4}$  perches, Suburban Section 13, East Hastings, part of Subdivision E, Heretaunga Block. Occupied by John Olds.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 19th day of February, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

THOS. HALL,  
 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 22nd day of March, 1906.

3595. HARRIETT MITCHELL.—3 acres 1 rood 18 $\frac{3}{4}$  perches, part Sections 9 and 10, Block VIII, Te Awahou, Town of Foxton. Occupied by Albert Edward Shadbolt.

3813. JOHN HAMMOND and JAMES FLOCKHART McKELVIE.—208 acres 2 roods 31 perches, part Sections 20, 21, 22, and 23, Rangitikei District. Occupied by Applicants.

3816. EMILY WHITBREAD LEWIS.—4 acres 3 roods 14 $\frac{3}{4}$  perches, part Section 10, Right Bank Wanganui River. Unoccupied.

3823. JOSEPH ERWIN MOOSMAN.—2 acres 32 $\frac{3}{4}$  perches, part Section 27, Right Bank Wanganui River, Township of Aramoho. Occupied by Applicant.

3824. WILLIAM ALBERT READ.—2 acres 21 $\frac{3}{4}$  perches, part Section 27, Right Bank Wanganui River, Township of Aramoho. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 21st day of February, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

J. M. BATHAM,  
 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 date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

1377. LUCY GORRIE.—18 perches, Section 1130, City of Nelson. Occupied by Richard Glover.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 15th day of February, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

H. EYRE KENNY,  
District Land Registrar.

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APPLICATION having been made by me to issue a provisional certificate of title for Section No. 16, Township of Kanieri, Register, Volume 2, folio 392, in the name of JOSEPH MANDL, of Hokitika, Brewer, and satisfactory evidence having been adduced of the loss of the original Crown grant, I hereby give notice that I will, after the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice, unless restrained, issue such provisional certificate of title.

Dated this 15th day of February, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

R. ACHESON,  
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 date of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 35 perches, more or less, situate in the Town of Greymouth, being the Sections Nos. 436 and 438 on the plan of the said town. Occupied by Michael Fraher, of Greymouth, Settler, the Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 17th day of February, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

R. ACHESON,  
District Land Registrar.

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EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Register-book, Vol. 6, folio 45 (Amuri)—comprising Lots 45 and 46 on Plan 9 (Amuri), situated in the Township of Rotherham, and being part of Section 27, Square 84, Amuri, whereof CHARLES LITTLECOTT, of Culverden Station, Hurunui, Settler, but now of Christchurch, Labourer, 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 20th day of February, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,  
District Land Registrar.

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

10205. GEORGE HUMPHRIES.—1 acre 1 rood 17 perches, part of Rural Section 163, Block XI, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

10210. THE EDUCATION BOARD OF THE DISTRICT OF NORTH CANTERBURY.—1 acre, part of Rural Section 2074, Block XV, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by the Board as a school-site.

10220. JOHN TERRAS BELL.—1 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches, part of Rural Section 79, Sydenham Ward, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Arthur C. Clements.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 20th day of February, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,  
District Land Registrar.

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

2870. JOHN MITCHELL.—9 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches, Sub-allotments 8 and 9 of Allotment 4 of McMaster's subdivision of Section 1, Block I, Invercargill Hundred. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of February, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

C. E. NALDER,  
District Land Registrar.

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### PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903."

NOTICE is hereby given that the DAYTON MONEYWEIGHT SCALE COMPANY (LIMITED), a company incorporated in the State of New South Wales, in the Commonwealth of Australia, and having its head office at Sydney, in the said State, has commenced and intends to carry on business in New Zealand; and that the office or place of business in New Zealand, where legal process of any kind may be served upon the company and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered, is in the buildings of the New Zealand Express Company (Limited), Customhouse Quay, in the City of Wellington.

Dated the 12th day of February, 1906.

C. J. LOCKWOOD,  
Attorney for the Dayton Moneyweight Scale  
Company (Limited). 243

### THE HOWICK MOTOR-BUS COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company held at Howick on the 24th day of January, 1906, the following special resolution was passed, and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the said company held at Howick on the 7th day of February, 1906, the said resolution was duly confirmed, viz.: "That the Howick Motor-Bus Company (Limited) be voluntarily wound up."

Dated this 12th day of February, 1906.

HUGH K. GILMOUR,  
Chairman.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903"; and in the matter of the Patent Brick Company of New Zealand (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named company, which is being voluntarily wound up, are required, on or before the 31st day of March, 1906, being the day for that purpose fixed by the undersigned, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any), to the undersigned, PETER HALLYBURTON MILLER, of No. 32 Cuba Street Extension, in the City of Wellington, Accountant, the Liquidator of the said company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims, at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 15th day of February, 1906.

P. H. MILLER,  
Liquidator.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903"; and in the matter of the Patent Brick Company of New Zealand (Limited).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company, duly convened, and held at the registered office of the company, at 32 Cuba Street Extension, in the City of Wellington, on Monday, the 12th day of February, 1906, the following extraordinary resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that P. H. MILLER be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

Dated this 15th day of February, 1906.

GEORGE WINDER,  
Chairman.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903," and of the Kakahi Co-operative Supply Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the Supreme Court was, on the 14th day of February, 1906, presented to Sir Robert Stout, K.C.M.G., Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, by Briscoe and Company (Limited), of Customs Street, in the City of Auckland, a creditor of the said company; and the said petition is directed to be heard before a Judge of the said Court at the Supreme Court House, Wellington, on the 13th day of March, 1906, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon; and any creditor or contributory of the said company desirous of opposing the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing, by himself or his counsel, for that purpose. And a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

RUSSELL AND CAMPBELL,  
Wyndham Street, Auckland,  
Solicitors for the Petitioner.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned ROBERT STURGEON DEATH and WILLIAM BELLVE, carrying on business as livery-stable proprietors and carriers at Eltham, under style or firm of "Death and Bellve," was on the 31st day of January, 1906, dissolved by mutual consent. The business of livery-stable proprietor hitherto carried on by the late firm will in future be carried on by Robert Sturgeon Death, and the business of carrier hitherto carried on by the late firm will be carried on by William Bellve. All debts due to and owing by the late firm on account of the livery-stable business will be received and paid by the undersigned Robert Sturgeon Death, and all debts due to and owing by the late firm on account of the carrying business will be received and paid by the undersigned William Bellve.

Dated at Eltham, this 12th day of February, 1906.

R. S. DEATH.  
WILLIAM BELLVE.

Witness to the signatures of Robert Sturgeon Death and William Bellve—A. H. Johnstone, Solicitor, Eltham. 264

BOROUGH OF ALEXANDRA.

BY-LAW No. 3.—HEAVY-TRAFFIC BY-LAW.

BY-LAW of the Council of the Borough of Alexandra, made in pursuance of the powers and provisions in that behalf contained in "The Public Works Act, 1905," "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," and its amendments, and in pursuance of all and every the other powers enabling the said Council in that behalf, the Council of the Borough of Alexandra doth ordain as follows:—

1. In this by-law, if not inconsistent with the context,—
    - "The borough" or "the said borough" shall mean the Borough of Alexandra;
    - "The Corporation" shall mean the Corporation of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Alexandra;
    - "Council" or "Borough Council" shall mean and include the Mayor and Councillors of the Borough of Alexandra;
    - "The Inspector" shall mean any Inspector for the time being appointed by the Council of the Borough of Alexandra in whatsoever capacity, and every person now holding such appointment;
    - "The Town Clerk" shall mean the Town Clerk or Acting Town Clerk of the Corporation;
    - "Heavy traffic" shall mean (a) the transportation of any vehicle, engine, or machine which shall itself or together with any thing or things being transported thereon weigh more than 1½ tons avoirdupois to each pair of wheels; (b) the traction of any vehicle or thing by means of bullocks notwithstanding that such vehicle or thing may separately or together with any load thereon weigh less than 1½ tons avoirdupois;
    - "Road" shall mean and include any road, bridge, or culvert under the care, control, or management of the Council;
    - "Vehicle" shall mean and include any coach, carriage, omnibus, drag, car, cab, cart, dray wagon, timber-carriage, lorry, sledge, van, express wagon, and any other conveyance whatever be its construction, drawn by animals, in or by which goods may be removed upon land from place to place.
- The Schedules hereto form part of this by-law.

Words of the singular number shall include the plural, and words of the plural number shall include the singular.

2. No person shall use any traction-engine on a road within the borough which together with any thing or things carried thereon shall weigh more than 1½ tons avoirdupois to each pair of wheels, unless the same shall be duly licensed in manner hereinafter mentioned.

3. No person shall use any vehicle on a road within the borough which together with any thing or things carried thereon shall weigh more than 1½ tons avoirdupois to each pair of wheels, unless the same shall be duly licensed in manner hereinafter mentioned.

4. Any person owning or using a traction-engine or vehicle who shall desire to obtain a license for the same shall deliver at the office of the Town Clerk an application in writing, signed by him, pursuant to the form contained in Schedule B to this by-law, or to the like effect, describing such engine or vehicle; and for any such license granted there shall be paid to the Town Clerk, to be placed to the credit of the Borough Fund, such sum or sums of money as are respectively specified in Schedule A to this by-law.

5. Licenses for engines or vehicles may be in the form in Schedule C hereunder, or to the like effect, and shall continue in force for one year from the date of issue, and no longer.

6. Any person may, in lieu of paying the license fee payable for a year in respect of any such engine or vehicle, pay one-fourth, one-half, or three-fourths of the amount of such fee, and on payment of any such proportion thereof the engine or vehicle in respect of which such payment is made shall thereupon be licensed under this by-law either for one-quarter, one-half, or three-quarters of a year according to the amount paid.

7. In every license there shall be specified the number and duration of the license, the name and abode of the owner of the engine or vehicle in respect of which the license is granted, the description of the engine or vehicle, the weight of the vehicle when loaded and unloaded, and the number of animals (if any) which may be employed to draw the same.

8. The driver of every engine or vehicle required by this by-law to be licensed shall have the license for the same in his immediate personal possession, and shall, whenever required by the Inspector or the Town Clerk, produce such license for inspection forthwith. Any driver who shall, on being so required, refuse or fail forthwith to produce such license shall be guilty of a breach of this by-law.

9. If the Town Clerk or Inspector is of opinion that any engine or vehicle infringes this by-law, he may request the driver thereof to stop the same, and the driver shall stop the same forthwith until the weight of such engine or vehicle, or the load thereon, or the weight or measurement of the contents thereof, can be ascertained, and in default of the driver so doing he shall be guilty of a breach of this by-law; and, further, such Town Clerk or Inspector may thereupon stop and detain such engine or vehicle until the weight thereof, or the load thereon, or the weight or measurement of the contents thereof, can be ascertained.

10. The driver of any engine or vehicle so stopped shall truly answer all such questions as such Town Clerk or Inspector shall reasonably put to him as to the load or contents of such engine or vehicle, and the quantity, weight, size, or measurement of the same, and permit the Town Clerk or Inspector to mount such engine or vehicle for the purpose of verifying any answers given to him, or for ascertaining the quantity, weight, size, or measurement aforesaid, and the driver thereof shall do all things necessary to cause the vehicle or engine to be stopped while such Town Clerk or Inspector is engaged in his functions under this clause of this by-law.

11. Nothing herein contained shall be held to relieve any person owning or using any engine or vehicle from liability in respect of any injury done or damage sustained by the traction of excessive weight or extraordinary traffic over or along any bridge, culvert, or road within the borough.

12. Any person committing a breach of or failing to comply with any of the provisions of this by-law shall for each and every such offence be liable to a penalty of £5, or such less sum as to the Court shall seem fit, which penalty shall be recoverable in a summary way, as provided by law.

13. This by-law shall come into force on the 14th day of February, 1906.

SCHEDULE A.

LICENSE fee to be paid annually by the owner of any traction-engine or vehicle, as mentioned in sections 2 and 3 of this by-law:—

	£	s.	d.
(a.) For any traction-engine ..	5	0	0
(b.) For any vehicle—			
(1.) If with four wheels ..	4	0	0
(2.) If with two wheels ..	2	0	0

SCHEDULE B.

Application for License for a Vehicle [or Traction-engine].

To the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Alexandra.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby request that a license may be granted for the following vehicle [or traction-engine], of which I am the owner [or user], to be used on roads within the Borough of Alexandra, that is to say,—

Description: . . . No. . . . Horse-power: . . .  
 Maker: . . . (in case of vehicle). Description: . . .  
 Number of animals used: . . . which vehicle [or traction-engine] when unloaded weighs . . . (If applicant is not the owner) Name and place of abode of owner: . . .

And I undertake to comply with all by-laws of the Council which may be in force during the continuance of this license.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

License authorised by the Council of the Borough of Alexandra, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 190 .  
 \_\_\_\_\_, Mayor.

SCHEDULE C.

Borough of Alexandra. . . . No. . . .  
 WHEREAS \_\_\_\_\_ has made application for a license for the following vehicle [or traction-engine] to be used on roads within the said borough, pursuant to the provisions of By-law No. 3, that is to say,—

Description: . . . No. . . . Horse-power: . . .  
 Maker: . . . Number of animals used: . . .  
 Weight, unloaded: . . . Weight, loaded: . . .  
 Name and place of abode of owner: . . .

And whereas the issue of such license has been duly authorised by the Council of the said borough.

Now, therefore, I, the Town Clerk of the said borough, by the authority and on behalf of the said Council, do hereby license the said vehicle [or traction-engine] to be used on roads within the Borough of Alexandra for the period of one year from the date hereof, and no longer, subject to the said by-law and to such other by-laws as may from time to time be in force in the said borough.

Given under my hand, at the Town Clerk's Office, Alexandra, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 190 .

This by-law was duly made by the Council of the Borough of Alexandra by special order duly passed and adopted on the 8th day of January, 1906, and after being duly advertised was confirmed on the 5th day of February, 1906, and ordered to be publicly notified to come into force on the 14th day of February, 1906.

The common seal of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Alexandra was hereto affixed, this 5th day of February, 1906.

HENRY SCHAUMANN, Mayor.  
 LAWRENCE RYAN, Councillor.  
 W. S. LAIDLAW, Town Clerk.

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I, WILLIAM FULTON NEIL, Bachelor of Medicine, New Zealand, 1906, and Bachelor of Surgery, New Zealand, 1906, and now residing at Dunedin, do hereby give notice that I intend to apply on the 10th day of March, 1906, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Colony of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualifications at the office of the Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages.

Dated at Dunedin, 10th February, 1906.

WILLIAM FULTON NEIL, M.B., Ch.B., B.Sc.

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I, THOMAS GILRAY, Bachelor of Medicine, New Zealand, 1906, and Bachelor of Surgery, New Zealand, 1906, and now residing at Dunedin, do hereby give notice that I intend to apply on the 12th day of March, 1906, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Colony of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualifications at the office of the Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages.

Dated at Dunedin, 12th February, 1906.

THOMAS GILRAY, M.B., Ch.B.

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MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, WILLIAM COCHRAN BURNS, M.B., Bac. Surg., 1897, M.D., 1905, Univ. Glasg., now residing in Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 20th March next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Colony of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar-General.

WILLIAM C. BURNS.

Dated at Wellington, 19th February, 1906. 278

PATENT OFFICE SUPPLEMENT.

A SPECIAL Supplement to the *New Zealand Gazette* is now published fortnightly, containing all notices concerning patents and trade-marks required by law to be gazetted; also, particulars of lapsed applications for patents, expired letters patent, and other information useful to inventors, manufacturers, and others. The Supplement will be issued free to subscribers to the *Gazette*, and to others on payment of a subscription of ten shillings per annum, payable in advance to the Government Printer.

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