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Declaring certain Area in the Borough of Eastbourne to be subject to "The Sand-drift Act, 1903."

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

WHEREAS by section two of "The Sand-drift Act, 1903" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may, on the petition of any local authority or of any two or more persons interested, from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that the provisions of the said Act shall, on a day named in the Proclamation, come into force within any specified area in New Zealand:

And whereas a petition has been received from the Corporation of the Borough of Eastbourne praying that the provisions of the said Act may be brought into force in the area described in the Schedule hereto:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section two of the said Act, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that on and after the twentieth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and six, the provisions of the said Act shall come into force within the area described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Borough of Eastbourne, bounded towards the north-east by Miro Street; towards the south-east generally by the main road from the said Miro Street to Nikau Street; thence by Nikau Street to the easternmost corner of Allotment No. 5 on Plan No. 803, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Wellington; thence by the south-eastern boundary-lines of Allotments Nos. 5, 6, 7, and 8 on the said Plan No. 803, and the south-eastern boundary-lines of Allotments Nos. 1, 4, 5, 8, 9, 12, 13, of Plan No. 1229, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Wellington, the south-eastern boundary-line of the last-mentioned section produced to the easternmost corner of Allotment No. 18, and the south-eastern boundary-line of the said Allotment No. 18 to Allen Street; thence by the said Allen Street and the production of the north-eastern side of that street to the northern side of the main

road; and thence by the said main road to the easternmost corner of Allotment No. 26 of the said Plan No. 1229; thence towards the south-west by the last-mentioned allotment; and towards the north-west by the reserve along the sea-beach: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 50621, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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 eighteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block II, Akaroa Survey District, Little River Road District.

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

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

ERRATA.—In Schedule to Order in Council of 28th June, 1906, closing road in Wakanui Road District, published in *Gazette* No. 56, of 5th July, 1906, for "23445" read "33445."

In Schedule to Proclamation dated 7th July, and published in *Gazette* No. 58, page 1894, taking land for road, Block XV, Mangakahia Survey District, for "2 acres 0 roods 22 perches" read "2 acres 0 roods 2·2 perches."

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of Lands hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
5 0 0	{ 1110 1783 2329	II	Akaroa ..	R. 6568	Pink.
0 0 8	2802	"	" ..	R. 6568A	"
0 1 0	2802	"	" ..	"	"
2 3 9	2802	"	" ..	"	"
0 2 35	18777	"	" ..	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Being Frontage of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
3 0 26	8318	II	Akaroa ..	R. 6568	Green.
4 2 38	2802	"	" ..	R. 6568A	"
0 0 13	2802	"	" ..	"	"
0 1 11	2802	"	" ..	"	"

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

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 twenty-third day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Section 2, Block XI, Kairanga Survey District, Kairanga County.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of Land hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
0 0 28	2 of 226	XI	Kairanga ..	R. 880	Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
0 0 6.9	2 of 226	XI	Kairanga ..	R. 880	Green.

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

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 thirtieth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Ohungarere No. 2 and No. 3, Block XII, Waipu Survey District, Otamatea County.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of Land hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
1 1 34	Ohungarere No. 2	XII	Waipu ..	R. 246	Pink.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
1 1 0	Ohungarere No. 2	XII	Waipu	R. 246	Green
0 3 5	Ohungarere No. 3	"	"	"	"

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as

above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

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 thirty-first day of July, 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 Sections 29 and 34, Block III, Glenomaru Survey District, Clutha County.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, with the consent of the owner of the land hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Clutha County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, do by this notice hereby proclaim as taken for a road the land in Block III, Glenomaru Survey District, hereinafter described, that is to say,—

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 2 32	29 and 34	III	Glenomaru	R. 3782	Pink.

In the Otago 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 twenty-third day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands taken for a Road in Horowhenua 3d No. 3a and 3e No. 3c, Waiopahu Survey District, Wirokino Road District.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, with the consent of the owner and of the mortgagee of the lands hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Wirokino Road Board, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, do by this notice hereby proclaim as taken for a road the lands in Waiopahu Survey District hereinafter described, that is to say:—

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Lands taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 0 18	Horowhenua 3d No. 3a	VI	Waiopahu	R. 4604	Red.
2 1 20	Horowhenua 3e No. 3c	"	"	"	Grey.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable 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 thirty-first day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Closing a Government Road in Block XV, Motu Survey District.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and thirty-three, (a), of "The Public Works Act, 1905," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Proclamation publicly notified, stop or alter the course of any Government road or any part thereof:

And whereas the Government road described in the Schedule hereto is no longer required for the purpose of a road in Block XV, Motu Survey District:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the above-in-part-recited Act, and of all other powers in any-wise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim as stopped the road in Block XV, Motu Survey District, hereinafter described.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Road.	Being Portion of Road-line	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 2 16	East of Section 6	XV	Motu	R. 6678	Green.

In the Hawke's Bay 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 twenty-third day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land in Belmont Survey District taken for the Purposes of the Wellington-Napier Railway.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Wellington-Napier Railway to take further land in Belmont Survey District, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections twenty-nine and one hundred and eighty-eight of "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 the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

The parcels of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 0 0 8-8	2, Subdivision K, Hutt	XIII	Belmont.
0 0 11-4	2, Subdivision L, Hutt	XIII	Belmont.
0 0 16-9	1 and 2, Subdivision L, Hutt	XIII	Belmont.
0 0 34-5	1, Subdivision D, Hutt	XIII	Belmont.
0 0 27-2	1, Subdivision C, Hutt	XIII	Belmont.
0 0 21-3	1, Subdivision C, Hutt	XIII	Belmont.
2 1 30-6	14, Harbour District..	XII	Belmont.
0 0 32-7	16, Harbour District..	XII	Belmont.
3 0 6-6	15, Harbour District..	XII	Belmont.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked 14097, 14098, and 14099, deposited in the office of the Minister for Railways, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow, blue, pink, neutral, purple, green, and red.

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 twenty-eighth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

ALBERT PITT,
Acting Minister for Railways.

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.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Tupapanui Block (2,614 Acres).

Area.	Section No.	Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Edged on Plan
A. R. P. 541 0 0	7	X	Makotuku	L. and S. 55448/1	Red.
484 0 0	8	"	"		
601 0 0	9	"	"		
502 0 0	10	"	"		
486 0 0	11	"	"		

As the same is delineated on 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 thirtieth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Native Land proposed to be taken for a Road-approach to Bridge in Whataatutu B2, Block XI, Mangatu Survey District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of July, 1906.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a public work, to wit, for the purpose of a road-approach to bridge in Whataatutu B2, Block XI, Mangatu Survey District:

And whereas the said land is held or occupied by Native owners under a title which is not derived from the Crown:

And whereas a map in duplicate has been prepared of the said land, as required by the eighty-ninth section of "The Public Works Act, 1905":

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

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. 2 3 14	Whataatutu B2	XI	Mangatu	R 7498	Red.

In the Hawke's Bay 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.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Native Lands proposed to be taken for the Establishment of a Hospital or Sanatorium near Otaki, in Titokitoki and Waitohu Blocks, Block IX, Waitohu Survey District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of July, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken for a public work, to wit, for the purpose of establishing a hospital or sanatorium for the cure of consumptive patients in Titokitoki and Waitohu Blocks, Block IX, Waitohu Survey District :

And whereas the said lands are held or occupied by Native owners under a title which is not derived from the Crown :

And whereas a map in duplicate has been prepared of the said lands, as required by the eighty-ninth section of "The Public Works Act, 1905" :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by the eighty-ninth section of the said Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby declare that the lands shown upon such map, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be deemed to be taken for the purpose of the establishment of the said hospital or sanatorium for the cure of consumptive patients; and the said lands shall vest in the District of Wellington Hospital Board as from the fifth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and six.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 8 2 19.8	Pt. Titokitoki No. 3	IX	Waitohu	R. 7866	Neutral.
1 0 26	Titokitoki A	"	"	"	Green.
6 3 34	Waitohu No. 11, Sec. B	"	"	"	Blue.

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

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

"The Taranaki Scholarships Act, 1905."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of July, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS certain lands in the Provincial District of Taranaki described in the Schedule to "The Taranaki Scholarships Act, 1905," are vested in the Public Trustee for the purposes set forth in the said Act: And whereas part of the said lands still remain unleased, and it is desirable they should be leased: And whereas the Public Trustee is, for the purposes of the said Act, a "leasing authority" within the meaning of section three of "The Public Bodies' Powers Act, 1887," and the Acts amending the same: And whereas by section four of the last-named Act it is enacted, *inter alia*, that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time declare that any leasing authority shall be subject to the provisions of that Act in any section or sections of the same: Provided always that no such Order shall have any effect unless it be issued at the request or upon the recommendation of the leasing authority on whose behalf such Order is issued: And whereas the Public Trustee has requested the issue of such Order and to be declared a "leasing authority" under the provisions of the said last-named Act, and its amendments, for the purposes hereinafter mentioned:

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 pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by section four of "The Public Bodies' Powers Act, 1887," doth hereby declare that the Public Trustee, as such "leasing authority" as aforesaid, shall be, for the furtherance of the purposes of "The Taranaki Scholarships Act, 1905," subject to the provisions of "The Public Bodies' Powers Act, 1887," and the Acts amending the same, except in so far as the same or any of them may conflict with "The Taranaki Scholarships Act, 1905."

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Recreation Reserve in Wellington Land District brought under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of July, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

PAHIATUA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 14 acres 3 roods, more or less, being an island formed by an overflow channel of the Mangatainoka River, and including a portion of the bed of the said channel, situated in Block VIII, Mangahao Survey District, bounded towards the north-east and east by Part 1 of Section 16 and by the Pahiatua Town District; towards the south-east by a road; and towards the south-west and west by the Mangatainoka River: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L and S. 50442, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Awaputahi Road, in the County of Weber, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of July, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR 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, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the Awaputahi Road, described in the Schedule hereto, shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be a county road.

SCHEDULE.

AWAPUTAHU ROAD.

ALL that road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, in the County of Weber, known as the Awaputahi Road, commencing at its junction with the Tahukaretu Road, and proceeding in a south-easterly direction for a distance of two miles, or thereabouts, to the northern point of sec-

tion-line between Sections 2 and 3 of Block XVIII, Weber Survey District; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 2771, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink, and lettered AB.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Mangamaire Road, in Waipawa County, a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of July, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR 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, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be a county road.

SCHEDULE.

MANGAMAIRE ROAD.

That portion of road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, known as the Mangamaire Road, in the County of Waipawa, commencing from its junction with the Pokokomoku Road, and proceeding thence in a southerly direction for a distance of 145 chains, or thereabouts, to a point about 10 chains from the section-line dividing Section 8, Block VI, from Section 1, Block X, Mangatua Survey District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 6723, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, thereon coloured pink, and lettered AB.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Roads in Woodside Runs, in Awatere Road District, to be Government Roads.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of July, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR 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, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the roads described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be Government roads.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Portion of Roads.	Abutting on Sections	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 25 3 31	1, 64, 217 to 222	X	Whernside ..	R. 7933	Red.
1 1 0	66	XVIII	Cape Campbell	"	"

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

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Validating the Description of the Rating-area in the Public Notifications of the Special Orders for the Original Loan of £500, and also for the Further Loan of £50, applied for by the Taieri County Council.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of July, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Taieri County Council lately proposed to raise a loan of five hundred pounds, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for metalling roads leading to Main Road in Block III, Maungatua Survey District, Taieri County, and a further loan of fifty pounds, under the provisions of subsection (c) of section eight of "The Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1903," the sum being ten per centum of the first-mentioned loan of five hundred pounds, and being required to complete works scheduled under the aforesaid loan of five hundred pounds: And whereas in the description of the rating-area in the public notifications of the special orders making the special rates Sections 68 and 69 are included in the rating-area instead of Sections 67 and 68, Block III, Maungatua Survey District: And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularity, and it is expedient to validate the same:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section ten of "The Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1902," and acting by and with the consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby declare that the special orders, both for the said loan of five hundred pounds and further loan of fifty pounds, shall respectively be deemed and taken to be as valid as though the rating-area had been correctly described in the said public notifications, and that the proceedings relative to the said loans shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of July, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Aotea District Maori Land Council, by a recommendation made and passed by the said Council on the twelfth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and five, and received on the thirtieth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and six, has recommended the Governor to except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," the block or parcel of land particularised and set out in the Schedule hereto, to enable the said land to be sold:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," and acting

by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of sale, the block or parcel of land particularised and set out in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Waitohu Survey District, in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing 50 acres, more or less, being the land known as Section No. 13 of Subdivision No. 26 of Ohau No. 3, and being part of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 61, folio 24, in the Land Transfer Office, at Wellington.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Duty to be levied on *Fermena*.

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS a certain article of merchandise known as *fermena* is imported into New Zealand, which is apparently a substitute for cream of tartar, the latter being a dutiable article under "The Customs and Excise Duties Act, 1888":

And whereas *fermena* has properties which enable it to be used for a similar purpose as cream of tartar:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority conferred upon me by section seventeen of "The Customs and Excise Duties Act, 1888," do hereby direct that there shall be levied on *fermena* a duty of one penny the pound, such duty being equal to the duty on cream of tartar.

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

C. H. MILLS,
Commissioner of Trade and Customs.

Governor's Order No. 175.

Warrant apportioning the Cost of maintaining Beach Road, Wakanui Road, East Street, and Bridge Street, within Hampstead Town District, and Wakanui Road, Smithfield Road, Milton Road, and Trevors Road, within Wakanui Road District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and nine of "The Public Works Act, 1905" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is provided that in any case where a road in one district is largely used by or for the purpose of traffic to or from any other district or districts, and affords access to or from such district or districts, and the Governor is of opinion that it is equitable that the latter district or districts should contribute towards the cost of constructing or maintaining the whole or any portion of such road in the former district, the Governor may from time to time apportion the cost of constructing or maintaining the whole or any part of such road among the local authorities of the respective districts as he thinks fit; and for that purpose, and to enable effect to be given thereto, it is also provided by the said Act that the provisions of section one hundred and nineteen of the said Act shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply in the case of the maintenance of the road:

And whereas a dispute has arisen between the Hampstead Town Board and the Wakanui Road Board on the question of the maintenance of the roads and streets hereinafter mentioned:

And whereas by the said section one hundred and nineteen it is, *inter alia*, provided that the Governor may, with a view of determining what proportion, if any, of the cost of maintaining any work should be borne by any local authority, direct any person to be a Commissioner to inquire and report to him upon any matter which he shall deem necessary to enable him to determine any such question as aforesaid:

And whereas a Commissioner was appointed for the purpose aforesaid, and an inquiry duly held:

And whereas such Commissioner did report to the Governor after due inquiry his opinion thereon:

And whereas the Governor is of opinion that it is equitable that the cost of maintaining the roads and streets mentioned in the First Schedule hereto shall be provided and paid in the manner and in the proportions hereinafter respectively set forth:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby apportion the cost of maintaining the

roads and streets (irrespective of footpaths) described in the First Schedule hereto between the Hampstead Town Board and the Wakanui Road Board in the proportions shown respectively against the names of such roads and streets as set forth in the Second Schedule hereto.

And I do hereby direct that any contribution hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the Wakanui Road Board in respect of the roads and streets mentioned in Part I of the Second Schedule hereto, and by the Hampstead Town Board in respect of the roads mentioned in Part II of that Schedule, shall be paid from time to time out of the funds of the said Boards respectively within a period of thirty days after demand in writing made by or on behalf of each such Board respectively; and all such payments shall be made from time to time to the Clerk of the Hampstead Town Board or the Clerk of the Wakanui Road Board, as the case may be, for and on account of the said Boards respectively.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF ROADS AND STREETS.

THAT road in the Hampstead Town District, known as Beach Road, from the boundary of Ashburton Borough through Hampstead Town District to its junction with Trevors Road in Wakanui Road District, a distance of 35 chains or thereabouts.

Also that portion of Wakanui Road within the Hampstead Town District from the boundary of Ashburton Borough to its junction with Trevors Road in Wakanui Road District, a distance of 37 chains or thereabouts; also that portion of Wakanui Road in Wakanui Road District, being a continuation of the said road from the junction of Trevors Road to the junction of Milton Road, a distance of 88 chains or thereabouts.

Also that road, known as Smithfield Road, from Seafield Road to East Street in Wakanui Road District, and from Milton Road to Seafield Road in Wakanui Road District, a distance of 34 chains and 116 chains respectively or thereabouts.

Also that road, known as Milton Road, in Wakanui Road District extending from Wakanui Road to Smithfield Road, a distance of 66 chains or thereabouts.

Also that road, known as Trevors Road, in Wakanui Road District extending from the south-western boundary of Hampstead Town District to its junction with Wakanui Road, a distance of 85 chains or thereabouts.

Also that street in Hampstead Town District, known as Bridge Street, between Belt Road and Smithfield Road, a distance of 54 chains or thereabouts.

And also that street, known as East Street, in Hampstead Town District proceeding from the boundary of Ashburton Borough to Smithfield Road, a distance of 54 chains or thereabouts.

As the said roads and streets are more particularly delineated on plan marked R. 6913, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Name of Road.	Proportion of Cost of Maintenance to be borne respectively by	
	Hampstead Town Board.	Wakanui Road Board.

PART I.

ROADS IN HAMPSTEAD TOWN DISTRICT.

The portion of Beach Road ..	Three-fifths	Two-fifths.
The portion of Wakanui Road ..	One-half ..	One-half.
The portion of East Street ..	Four-fifths	One-fifth.
Bridge Street ..	Two-thirds	One-third.

PART II.

ROADS IN WAKANUI ROAD DISTRICT.

Wakanui Road from Milton Road to Trevors Road	One-third	Two-thirds.
Smithfield Road from Seafield Road to East Street	One-third	Two-thirds.
Smithfield Road from Milton Road to Seafield Road	One-half ..	One-half.
Milton Road ..	One-half ..	One-half.
Trevors Road ..	One-half ..	One-half.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

Rural Lands in Nelson 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 lands enumerated in the Schedules hereto are hereby set apart for disposal by way of sale or selection on and after the second day of October, one thousand nine hundred and six, at the respective prices specified in the said Schedules.

2. The said lands 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 lands containing or supposed to contain any metal, mineral, or valuable stone, they 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 lands enumerated in the First Schedule hereto shall be deemed to be "light-bush land," and the lands in the Second Schedule shall be deemed to be "scrub land."

4. No general rate shall be levied or collected by any local authority from the said lands for the period of three years in the case of light-bush land, and two years in the case of scrub land, from the date from which in each case respectively such 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 in the case of light-bush land, and two years in the case of scrub land, shall not be demanded: provided that if at any time during the first five years of his occupancy the selector disposes of his interest in the land the rent so conceded shall be paid by him in full, and thereupon the Land Board may remit such instalments of rent payable by the incoming tenant, not exceeding in the aggregate the amount of rent previously conceded to the selector, as the Board shall think fit.

SCHEDULES.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

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.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Second-class Light-bush Land.

		A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Waimea..	Gordon	{ 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, & 25 }	II	523	2	38	7	6	196	8	0	0	4	5

Altitude, 750 ft. to 1,500 ft. above sea-level. Two hundred and forty-eight acres open land, covered with fern, native grasses, and manuka; remainder birch bush, with some rimu; formation, sandstone and clay gravels; well watered. Accessible by the ridge road, which can be used for cart traffic, although unformed; distant half a mile from the main coach-road, and four miles by that road from the Belgrove Railway-station.

Waimea..	Gordon	3	II	203	2	2	7	0	71	4	7	0	4	2
"	"	11	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	28	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

Pastoral, hilly country on clay gravels; fronts an unformed old cart-road along a ridge. Altitude, from 800 ft. to 1,200 ft. above sea-level. About 108 acres is covered with birch bush, remainder with fern and manuka scrub. Section 15 is well watered. Situated about two miles from Belgrove Railway-station.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Second-class Scrub Land.

Waimea..	Wai-iti	11	XIII	257	0	0	6	0	77	2	0	0	3	6
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Altitude, from 800 ft. to 1,500 ft. above sea-level. All hills, with fern, manuka scrub, tutu, and some native grass; inferior soil on sandstone gravels; well watered. Accessible by Oliver's Road; about five miles and a half from Kohatu (late Motupiko) Railway-station.

Waimea..	Wai-iti	12	XIII	23	2	37	6	0	7	2	5	0	3	6
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Altitude, from 1,500 ft. to 1,600 ft. above sea-level. All hills, with fern, manuka scrub, tutu, and some native grass; inferior soil on sandstone gravels. Accessible by formed cart-road; about five miles from Kohatu (late Motupiko) Railway-station.

Waimea..	Gordon	1	I	897	0	0	6	0	269	2	0	0	3	6
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Altitude, from 700 ft. to 1,700 ft. above sea-level. All hills; about 85 acres light bush of birch, remainder fern, manuka scrub, tutu, and some native grass; inferior soil on sandstone gravels; well watered. Accessible by main road; about half a mile from Kohatu (late Motupiko) Railway-station.

Waimea..	Gordon	5	I	318	0	0	6	0	95	8	0	0	3	6
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Altitude, from 1,200 ft. to 1,700 ft. above sea-level. All hills; about 12 acres light bush of birch, remainder fern, manuka scrub, tutu, and some native grass; inferior soil on sandstone gravels; well watered. Accessible by Oliver's Road and the main road; about seven miles from Belgrove Railway-station.

Waimea..	Gordon	6	I	152	0	0	6	0	45	12	0	0	3	6
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Altitude, from 1,600 ft. to 1,900 ft. above sea-level. All hills, with fern, manuka scrub, tutu, and some native grass; inferior soil on sandstone gravels; well watered. Accessible by formed cart-road; six miles and a half from Kohatu (late Motupiko) Railway-station.

Waimea..	Gordon	21, 29	II	121	2	34	6	0	36	10	3	0	3	6
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Altitude, from 800 ft. to 1,200 ft. above sea-level. About 14 acres birch bush, remainder open land, covered with fern, manuka scrub, and some native grass; all hilly pastoral country lying on clay gravels. Section 29 is well watered, and Section 21 has a little water. Intersected by the main Belgrove-Motupiko Road; situated about two miles from Belgrove Railway-station.

Waimea..	Gordon	26	II	308	0	0	6	0	92	8	0	0	3	6
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Altitude, from 1,200 ft. to 1,700 ft. above sea-level. All hills, with fern, manuka scrub, tutu, and some native grass; inferior soil on sandstone gravels; well watered. Accessible by Oliver's Road and the main Belgrove-Motupiko Road; situated about six miles from Belgrove Railway station.

Waimea..	Gordon	27	II	713	3	28	6	0	214	3	7	0	3	6
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Altitude, from 900 ft. to 1,600 ft. above sea-level. About 25 acres light birch bush, remainder fern, manuka scrub, tutu, and some native grass; all hills; inferior soil on sandstone gravels; well watered. Accessible by Oliver's Road and the main Belgrove-Motupiko Road; situated about five miles and a quarter from Belgrove Railway-station.

Waimea..	Gordon	30	II	322	3	0	6	0	96	16	6	0	3	6
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Altitude, from 1,000 ft. to 1,600 ft. above sea-level. All hills; formation, sandstone gravels; inferior soil, covered with fern, manuka scrub, tutu, and some native grass; well watered. Accessible by Oliver's Road and the main Belgrove-Motupiko Road; situated about five miles from Belgrove Railway-station.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS by section fourteen of "The Maori Land Laws Amendment Act, 1903," it is enacted that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act, or in any Crown grant or other instrument of title, the Governor may, on the recommendation of the Council, remove any restriction on the alienation of land owned by Maoris: Provided that the decision of the Governor on any recommendation of the Council shall be given within six months from the date of the receipt of such recommendation:

And whereas the Aotea District Maori Land Council, by a recommendation made and passed by the said Council on the twelfth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and five, and received on the thirtieth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and six, recommended the Governor to remove and revoke the restrictions against alienation contained in the instrument of title of the block of land known as Section No. 13 of Subdivision No. 26 of Ohau No. 3, so far as to permit the said land to be sold:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon and vested in me by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities me thereunto enabling, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Aotea District Maori Land Council aforesaid, do hereby remove and revoke the restrictions now existing against the alienation of the land particularised and set out in the Schedule hereto, so far as to permit the said land to be sold.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Waitohu Survey District, in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing 50 acres, more or less, being the land known as Section No. 13 of Subdivision No. 26 of Ohau No. 3, and being part of the land comprised in certificate of title, Volume 61, folio 24, in the Land Transfer Office, at Wellington, containing the following restriction: "Inalienable."

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,
For Native Minister.

Beri Beri declared to be an Infectious Disease.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section thirteen of "The Public Health Act, 1900," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the disease called or known as beri beri is an infectious disease within the meaning of the said Act.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister of Public Health.

Trustees for the Warea Public Cemetery appointed.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

WILLIAM BLAND CLARKE,
PERCIVAL AUSTIN PUTT, and
WILLIAM HENRY JULIAN

to be Trustees, in the place of Patrick Murphy, deceased, James Ducker, resigned, and James Jeken Elwin, jun., removed from the district, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Warea Public Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons previously appointed by His Excellency the Governor.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Kaponga Public Cemetery appointed.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

Local Authority.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
The Kaponga Town Board	KAPONGA. All that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, being Section No. 75, Block XI, Kaupokonui Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Sections Nos. 63 and 64, 625 links; towards the east by Section No. 77, 1600 links; towards the south by a road, 625 links; and towards the west by Section No. 74, 1600 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 21662, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured blue.

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

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Official Visitor, Sunnyside Mental Hospital, appointed.

Premier's Office,
Wellington, 28th July, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EVELINE WILLET CUNNINGTON

to be an Official Visitor of the Sunnyside Mental Hospital, Christchurch.

WM. HALL-JONES.

Assistant Medical Officer, Seacliff Mental Hospital, appointed.

Premier's Office,
Wellington, 31st July, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY JOHN TIZARD, M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond.,

to be Assistant Medical Officer of the Mental Hospital at Seacliff, as from the 18th June, 1906.

WM. HALL-JONES.

Inspector of Weights and Measures, County of Lake, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 23rd July, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable CHARLES BONNER

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures under "The Weights and Measures Act, 1903," for the County of Lake and the Boroughs of Queenstown and Arrowtown, vice Sergeant John Fleming.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Registrar of Marriages, &c. appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 23rd July, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FRANCIS ALFRED BURDETTE INGPEN

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Popotuna.

ALBERT PITT,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 28th July, 1906.

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

Name.	District.
GEORGE PATRICK SHEPHERD	Reefton.
FREDERICK JAMES CHISHOLM	Masterton.

ALBERT PITT,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Registrar of Electors, Auckland Central Electoral District, appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 1st August, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WALTER RUSSELL BLOW

to be Registrar of Electors under "The Electoral Act, 1905," for the Electoral District of Auckland Central, *vice* Edwin Harold Montgomery, resigned.

ALBERT PITT,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Public Vaccinator appointed.

Department of Public Health,
Wellington, 1st August, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES ALEXANDER COWIE, Esq., B.Sc. M.B. M.R.C.S. Eng., &c.,

to be a Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1900," for the District of Masterton.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister of Public Health.

Cadet in the Treasury appointed.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 30th July, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES JOHN FISHER

a cadet in the Treasury Department, under section 4 of "The Civil Service Reform Act, 1886," as from the 16th day of July, 1906.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Colonial Treasurer.

Clerks of Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 31st July, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable SAMUEL KIDD

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Hawksbury, from the 23rd day of July, 1906, *vice* Constable J. Burrows, transferred; and

Constable DAVID HYLAND

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Fairlie, from the 21st day of July, 1906, *vice* Constable S. Kidd, transferred.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 31st July, 1906.

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

WILLIAM LOW SARGEANT, Esq.,

of Kohukohu, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the Colony.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

Member of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 1st August, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ANDREW JACK

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Palmerston, *vice* F. Pirani, resigned.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

Appointing Official Member of Tamatea District Maori Council under "The Maori Councils Act, 1900."

Native Minister's Office,
Wellington, 31st July, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

DONALD BANKS, Esq.,

Clerk of the Court at Hastings, to be official member of the Tamatea District Maori Council under the provisions of "The Maori Councils Act, 1900," *vice* Peter Skerrett, Esq., removed.

J. CARROLL,
Minister for Native Affairs.

Officer dismissed.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office,
Wellington, 24th July, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to dismiss from the public service

WILLIAM FRANCIS OLIVER,

lately a Telegraphist at Christchurch.

ALBERT PITT,
Acting Postmaster-General.

Members of Oamaru Harbour Board appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 2nd August, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of the provisions of section 40 of "The Harbours Act, 1878," and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, appointed

WILLIAM GARDINER, of Papakaio, and
ADAM MCKAY, of Oamaru,

to be members of the Oamaru Harbour Board, the former in place of Alfred Avery, resigned, and the latter to fill the seat which became vacant when James Craig resigned.

WM. HALL-JONES.

Inspector of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 31st July, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable DAVID HYLAND

to be an Inspector under "The Factories Act, 1901." Appointment is dated the 28th July, 1906.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister of Labour.

Resignation accepted of Secretary to Boards of Examiners under "The Mining Act, 1905," and "The Coal-mines Act, 1905."

Mines Department,
Wellington, 30th July, 1906.

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

THOMAS HUTCHINSON HAMER, Esq.,

as Secretary to the Boards of Examiners under "The Mining Act, 1905," and "The Coal-mines Act, 1905," as from the 31st July, 1906.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Minister of Mines.

Secretary appointed to Boards of Examiners under "The Mining Act, 1905," and "The Coal-mines Act, 1905."

Mines Department,
Wellington, 30th July, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HERBERT EATON RADCLIFFE, Esq.,

as Secretary to the Boards of Examiners under "The Mining Act, 1905," and "The Coal-mines Act, 1905," as from the 1st August, 1906.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Minister of Mines.

Member of Horowhenua Lake Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 30th July, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 2 of "The Horowhenua Lake Act, 1905," been pleased to appoint

JOHN RODRICK McDONALD

to be a member of the Horowhenua Lake Domain Board, in the place of Waata Muruahi, resigned.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Members of Warea Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 30th July, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 3 of "The Domain Boards Act, 1904," been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM BLAND CLARKE,
PERCIVAL AUSTIN PUTT, and
WILLIAM HENRY JULIAN

to be members of the Warea Domain Board, in the place of Patrick Murphy, deceased; James Ducker, resigned; and James Jeken Elwin, jun., removed from the district.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Commissioner appointed to classify Pastoral Runs in Hawke's Bay Land District.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 31st July, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY TRENT

a Commissioner to classify pastoral runs in Hawke's Bay Land District; to act in the place of Eric Charles Gold Smith, and in conjunction with Charles Richard Baines and Thomas Hyde, appointed by Warrant of the 2nd day of June, 1906.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Horowhenua Lake Domain Board resigned.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 30th July, 1906.

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

WAATA MURUAHI

as a member of the Horowhenua Lake Domain Board.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees of Kaponga Public Cemetery resigned.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 30th July, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has accepted the resignations of

JOHN HENRY FRETHEY,
RICHARD THOMAS BURT MELLOW,
MAURICE FITZGERALD,
ROBERT LAW, and
WILLIAM SWADLING

as Trustees of the Kaponga Public Cemetery.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Approval of Fees fixed by By-laws of Lake County Council for Licensing of Vehicles plying for Hire.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 1st August, 1906.

IT is hereby notified, in accordance with section 311 of "The Counties Act, 1886," that so much of the By-laws Nos. 8 and 9 made by the Lake County Council, and sealed on the 20th day of June, 1906, as appoints the several sums to be paid to the Lake County funds for the licensing of vehicles plying for hire for the carriage of passengers or goods within the County of Lake has this day been approved by His Excellency the Governor.

ALBERT PITT,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 27th July, 1906.

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

J. MCGOWAN,
For Colonial Treasurer.

COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL ORDER made on the 20th day of April, 1906; confirmed on the 26th day of May, 1906:—

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in them in that behalf by "The Counties Act, 1886," and its amendments, the Cook County Council do hereby resolve as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,000, authorised to be raised by the Cook County Council, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for the erection of a cart-bridge in continuation with railway-bridge over Waikohu Stream, the said Cook County Council do hereby make and levy a special rate of 1/4d. in the pound on all rateable property of the Waikohu Bridge Loan District, comprising all the lands in the Schedule hereto attached; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of July in each and every year during a period equal to the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The rate of interest to be 5 per cent., and the cost of raising the loan to be paid out of loan-moneys.

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

W. H. TUCKER,
Chairman.
JOHN WARREN,
Clerk.

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

JOHN WARREN.

SCHEDULE.

Description of the Waikohu Bridge Special-rating District.

Commencing at the intersection of the Cook County boundary and the Koranga River; thence northerly and easterly by the said county boundary to the south-west corner of Section No. 2, Block II, Motu Survey District; thence easterly to the source of the Whakapaupokini Stream; thence northerly and easterly by the said stream and Motu River to the western boundary of Mangatu No. 4 Block; thence southerly and easterly by the western boundary of Mangatu No. 4 and the

northern boundary of Mangatu No. 3 Blocks to the Urukoko-mako Stream; thence by said stream to the eastern boundary of Poututu B and western boundary of Subdivision 2H of Puhatikotiko Blocks; thence southerly by the western boundary of said 2H Block to the Wheao Stream; thence westerly by said stream to the north-eastern boundary of Poututu B2 Block; thence southerly by the eastern boundary of said B2 Block to the northern boundary of 7B2 Puhatikotiko No. 7 Block; thence westerly by the southern boundary of Poututu B2 Block to the north-eastern boundary of Poututu A3 Block; thence southerly by the eastern boundary of Poututu A3 and A Blocks to the Waikohu River; thence southerly by said river to junction with the Wharekopae River; thence westerly by said river to the south boundary of the Waihuka Block; thence westerly along said boundary to Substation A2; thence southerly and westerly by the southern boundary of Run 47 to the north-western corner of Block 2B2, Wharekopae No. 2; thence northerly to the south-eastern corner of Section No. 1, Block IV, Ngatapa Survey District; thence by the northern boundary of Run 47 to Maungatapere; thence northerly by the western boundary of Forest Reserve to the Koranga River; thence westerly by said river to point of commencement.

Special Order made by the Council of the County of Stratford.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 27th July, 1906.

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

J. MCGOWAN,
For Colonial Treasurer.

STRATFORD COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order making Special Rate.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Stratford County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £200, being the further advance of 10 per cent. on the original loan of £2,000, authorised to be raised by the Stratford County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for re-forming and metalling the Bird Road from the Mountain Road to the Skinner Road, the said Stratford County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Bird Road Special-rating District, comprising the southern half of Section 45, the southern halves of those portions of Sections 46 and 47 north of the Bird Road, the southern half of Section 48, Sections 49, 50, 51, 114, 116, 120, 122, 123, and those portions of Sections 46 and 47 south of the Bird Road, of Block II; the southern half of Section 77, the southern half of that portion of Section 14 north of the Bird Road, the northern half of Section 1, Sections 7 and 8, with the exception of the southern 20 acres and 20 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches of those sections occupied by Mr. Webber, Sections 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and the northern half of that part of Section 14 south of the Bird Road, of Block VI; both blocks being in the Ngaire Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of February in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid off; the rate of interest to be 5 per cent. per annum.

The above special order was instituted at a special meeting of the Council held on the 13th day of June, 1906, and confirmed at a meeting held on the 18th day of July, 1906.

G. A. MARCHANT,
Chairman.

Special Order made by the Council of the County of Stratford.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 27th July, 1906.

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

J. MCGOWAN,
For Colonial Treasurer.

STRATFORD COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order making Special Rate.

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

the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £60, being the further advance of 10 per cent. on the original loan of £600, authorised to be raised by the Stratford County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for metalling the Marco Road from the Ohura Road as far as the money will allow, the Stratford County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Marco Road Special-rating District, comprising Sections 1, 2, 3, part 35 (eastern half), part 37 (western half), of Block XIII, and Section 4 of Block IX, both blocks being in the Pouatu Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of February in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid off; the rate of interest to be 5 per cent. per annum.

The above special order was instituted at a special meeting of the Council held on the 13th day of June, 1906, and confirmed at a meeting held on the 18th day of July, 1906.

G. A. MARCHANT,
Chairman.

Special Order made by the Rongotea Town Board.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 31st July, 1906.

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

W. HALL-JONES,
Colonial Treasurer.

RONGOTEA TOWN BOARD.

Copy of Special Order adopted by the Rongotea Town Board on the 15th May, 1906, and confirmed on the 14th June, 1906, after being duly advertised Four Times at Intervals of One Week in the *Manawatu Evening Standard* newspaper.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Town Districts Act, 1881," the Rongotea Town Board hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £700, authorised to be raised by the Rongotea Town Board, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for acquiring, developing, and extending an electric-lighting plant, the said Rongotea Town Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable valuation of all rateable property of the Rongotea Town 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 September and the 1st day of March in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-eight years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above special order was adopted by the Rongotea Town Board on the 15th May, 1906, and duly confirmed on the 14th June, 1906.

JAMES PENNEY,
Chairman.
C. PERCY WOOD,
Clerk.

Special Order made by the Council of the County of Grey.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 31st July, 1906.

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

W. HALL-JONES,
Colonial Treasurer.

GREY COUNTY COUNCIL.

Copy of Special Order made by the County Council of the County of Grey at a Special Meeting held on the 17th day of April, 1906, and confirmed at a Subsequent Meeting held on the 23rd day of May, 1906.

RESOLVED, That, in pursuance of the powers vested in it by "The Public Works Act, 1894," "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and all other statutes enabling it in that behalf so to do, the Council of the County of Grey hereby resolves, by way of special order, to borrow the sum of £2,000, such loan to be used for the purpose of providing the Council's proportion of the cost of reconstructing the Teremakau Traffic-bridge, on the Kumara-Greenstone Road, as set forth in the Governor's Warrant gazetted on page 441

of the *New Zealand Gazette*, 1905, and that the interest and sinking fund on the said £2,000 loan shall not exceed £5 per centum per annum, 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 twenty-six years, or until such loan is paid up.

Resolved, That, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it by "The Public Works Act, 1894," "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and all other statutes enabling it so to do, the Council of the County of Grey hereby resolves, by way of special order, as follows: That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £2,000, authorised to be raised by the said Council of the County of Grey, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of providing the Council's proportion of the cost of reconstructing the Teremakau Bridge, Kumara-Greenstone Road, as set forth in the Governor's Warrant gazetted on page 441 of the *New Zealand Gazette*, 1905, the said Council of the County of Grey hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1½d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the County of Grey, comprising the Ridings of Waipuna, Nelson Creek, Red Jacks, Cobden, Brunner-ton, Paroa, Maori Creek, Marsden, and Hohou; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring one 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 twenty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid up.

We hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of special order made by the Grey County Council at a special meeting held on the 17th day of April, 1906, and confirmed at a subsequent meeting held on the 23rd day of May, 1906.

J. MCCARTHY,
S. R. HARRIS,
Members of the County Council of the
County of Grey.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 31st July, 1906.

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

W. HALL JONES,
Colonial Treasurer.

HEATHCOTE ROAD BOARD.

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

PURSUANT to the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers in respect of properties comprised in Rural Section 326, known as "North Linwood," in the Avon Ward of the Heathcote Road District, to decide by vote of the ratepayers whether the proposals for raising a special loan of £5,800 for a period of twenty years, with interest and sinking fund at £5 per centum per annum, notice of which was published in the *Lyttelton Times* of the 20th and 27th June, and the 4th and 11th July, 1906, should be carried into effect, was duly taken in a marquee erected on a section at the corner of Worcester Street and Norwich Street, North Linwood, on Thursday, the 26th July, 1906, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. of the said day. And I hereby give further notice that at the taking of the said poll the votes of the said ratepayers in the said Rural Section No. 326, known as "North Linwood," were given as follows: For the proposal, 45; against the proposal, 5.

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

Dated this 27th day of July, 1906.

F. R. CORSON,
Chairman.

Despatch.—Extradition Treaty with Nicaragua.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 30th July, 1906.

THE following despatch and enclosure, received from His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, are published for general information.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

Downing Street, 2nd June, 1906.

SIR,—I have the honour to transmit to you, for publication in the Colony under your Government, a copy of an Order

of His Majesty the King in Council, dated the 11th of May, 1906, for giving effect to the Treaty between the United Kingdom and the Republic of Nicaragua for the mutual surrender of fugitive criminals, which was signed at Managua on the 19th of April, 1905.

I have, &c.,
ELOIN.

The Officer Administering the Government
of New Zealand.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

NICARAGUA EXTRADITION TREATY ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 11TH
MAY, 1906.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 11th day of May
1906.

Present:

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

LORD PRESIDENT, LORD CHAMBERLAIN, LORD RIBBLESDALE,
MR. L. HARCOURT.

WHEREAS by the Extradition Acts, 1870 to 1895, it was amongst other things enacted that where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, His Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Acts shall apply in the case of such foreign State; and that His Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent Order, limit the operation of the Order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of His Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be expedient:

And whereas a Treaty was concluded on the nineteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and five, between His Majesty and the President of the Republic of Nicaragua, for the mutual extradition of fugitive criminals, which Treaty is in the terms following:—

Treaty between the United Kingdom and the Republic of Nicaragua for the Mutual Surrender of Fugitive Criminals.

His Majesty the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, Emperor of India, and His Excellency the President of the Republic of Nicaragua, having determined, by common consent, to conclude a Treaty for the extradition of criminals, have accordingly named as their Plenipotentiaries:

His Majesty the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, Emperor of India; Herbert William Broadley Harrison, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, His Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires in the Republic of Nicaragua; and His Excellency the President of Nicaragua; Doctor Adolfo Altamirano, Minister of Foreign Affairs; who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon the following Articles:—

ARTICLE I.

The High Contracting Parties engage to deliver up to each other those persons who, being accused or convicted of a crime committed in the territory of the one Party, shall be found within the territory of the other Party, under circumstances and conditions stated in the present Treaty.

ARTICLE II.

Extradition shall be reciprocally granted for the following crimes and offences:—

1. Murder, or attempt or conspiracy to murder.
2. Manslaughter.
3. Administering drugs or using instruments with intent to procure the miscarriage of women.
4. Rape.
5. Carnal knowledge, or any attempt to have carnal knowledge, of a girl under the age of puberty, according to the laws of the respective countries.
6. Indecent assault.
7. Kidnapping and false imprisonment.
8. Abandoning, exposing, or detaining children.
9. Abduction.
10. Bigamy.
11. Maliciously wounding or inflicting grievous bodily harm.
12. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm.
13. Threats, by letter or otherwise, with intent to extort money or other things of value.
14. Perjury, or subornation of perjury.
15. Arson.

16. Burglary or house-breaking, robbery with violence, larceny, or embezzlement.

17. Fraud by a bailee, banker, agent, factor, trustee, director, member, or public officer of any company.

18. Obtaining money, valuable security, or goods by false pretences; receiving any money, valuable security, or other property, knowing the same to have been stolen or unlawfully obtained.

19 (a.) Counterfeiting or altering money or bringing into circulation counterfeited or altered money.

(b) Knowingly making without lawful authority any instrument, tool, or engine adapted or intended for the counterfeiting of the coin of the realm.

20. Forgery, or uttering what is forged.

21. Crimes against bankruptcy law.

22. Any malicious act done with intent to endanger the safety of any persons travelling or being upon a railway.

23. Malicious injury to property, if such offence be indictable.

24. Piracy and other crimes or offences committed at sea against persons or things which, according to the laws of the High Contracting Parties, are extradition offences.

25. Dealing in slaves in such a manner as to constitute a criminal offence against the laws of both States.

Extradition shall also be granted for participation in any of the aforesaid crimes, provided such participation be punishable by the laws of both Contracting Parties.

Extradition may also be granted at the discretion of the State applied to in respect of any other crime for which, according to the laws of both the Contracting Parties for the time being in force, the grant can be made:

Provided that the surrender shall be made only when, in the case of a person accused, the commission of the crime shall be so established as that the laws of the country where the fugitive or person so accused shall be found would justify his apprehension and commitment for trial if the crime had been there committed; and, in the case of a person alleged to have been convicted, on such evidence as, according to the laws of the country where he is found, would prove that he had been convicted.

Extradition shall not be granted if, according to the laws of either country, the maximum punishment for the offence charged is imprisonment for less than one year.

ARTICLE III.

No Nicaraguan shall be delivered up by the Government of Nicaragua to the Government of the United Kingdom, and no subject of the United Kingdom shall be delivered up by the Government thereof to the Government of Nicaragua.

ARTICLE IV.

The extradition shall not take place if the person claimed on the part of the Government of the United Kingdom, or the person claimed on the part of the Government of Nicaragua, has already been tried and discharged or punished, or is still under trial in the territory of Nicaragua or in the United Kingdom respectively, for the crime for which his extradition is demanded.

If the person claimed on the part of the Government of the United Kingdom, or if the person claimed on the part of the Government of Nicaragua, should be under examination for any crime in the territory of Nicaragua or in the United Kingdom respectively, his extradition shall be deferred until the conclusion of the trial and the full execution of any punishment awarded to him.

ARTICLE V.

The extradition shall not take place if, subsequently to the commission of the crime, or the institution of the penal prosecution or the conviction thereon, exemption from prosecution or punishment has been acquired by lapse of time, according to the laws of the State applied to.

ARTICLE VI.

A fugitive shall not be surrendered if the offence in respect of which his surrender is demanded is one of a political character, or if he prove that the requisition for his surrender has in fact been made with a view to try or punish him for an offence of a political character.

ARTICLE VII.

A person surrendered can in no case be kept in prison or be brought to trial in the State to which the surrender has been made for any other crime, or on account of any other matters than those for which the extradition shall have taken place. This stipulation does not apply to crimes committed after the extradition.

ARTICLE VIII.

The requisition for extradition shall be made through the Diplomatic Agents, or duly recognised Consuls-General of the High Contracting Parties respectively.

The requisition for the extradition of an accused person must be accompanied by a warrant of arrest issued by the competent authority of the State requiring the extradition, and by such evidence as, according to the laws of the place where the accused is found, would justify his arrest if the crime had been committed there.

If the requisition relates to a person already convicted, it must be accompanied by a sentence of condemnation passed against the convicted person by the competent Court of the State that makes the requisition for extradition.

A sentence passed *in contumaciam* is not to be deemed a conviction, but a person so sentenced may be dealt with as an accused person.

ARTICLE IX.

If the requisition for extradition be in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the competent authorities of the State applied to shall proceed to the arrest of the fugitive.

The prisoner is then to be brought before a competent Magistrate, who is to examine him and to conduct the preliminary investigation of the case, just as if the apprehension had taken place for a crime committed in the same country.

ARTICLE X.

The extradition shall not take place before the expiration of fifteen days from the apprehension, and then only if the evidence be found sufficient, according to the laws of the State applied to, either to justify the committal of the prisoner for trial, in case the crime has been committed in the territory of the said State, or to prove that the prisoner is the identical person convicted by the Courts of the State which makes the requisition.

ARTICLE XI.

In the examinations which they have to make in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the authorities of the State applied to shall admit as entirely valid evidence the sworn depositions or statements of witnesses taken in the other State, or copies thereof, and likewise the warrants and sentences issued therein, provided such documents are signed or certified by a Judge, Magistrate, or officer of such State, and are authenticated by the oath of some witness, or by being sealed with the official seal of the Minister of Justice, or some other Minister of State.

ARTICLE XII.

If sufficient evidence for extradition be not produced within two months from the date of the apprehension of the fugitive, he shall be set at liberty.

ARTICLE XIII.

All articles seized which were in the possession of the person to be surrendered at the time of his apprehension shall, if the competent authority of the State applied to for the extradition has ordered the delivery thereof, be given up when the extradition takes place; and the said delivery shall extend not merely to the stolen articles, but to everything that may serve as a proof of the crime.

ARTICLE XIV.

The High Contracting Parties renounce any claim for the reimbursement of the expenses incurred by them in the arrest and maintenance of the person to be surrendered and his conveyance till placed on board ship; they reciprocally agree to bear such expenses themselves.

ARTICLE XV.

The stipulations of the present Treaty shall be applicable to the Colonies and foreign possessions of His Britannic Majesty. The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal who has taken refuge in any of such Colonies or foreign possessions shall be made to the Governor or chief authority of such Colony or possession by the chief Consular officer of Nicaragua in such Colony or possession.

Such requisitions may be disposed of (subject always, as nearly as may be, to the provisions of this Treaty) by the said Governor or chief authority, who, however, shall be at liberty either to grant the surrender or to refer the matter to his Government.

His Britannic Majesty shall, however, be at liberty to make special arrangements in the British Colonies and foreign possessions for the surrender of Nicaraguan criminals who may take refuge within such Colonies and foreign possessions, on the basis, as nearly as may be, of the provisions of the present Treaty.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal from any Colony or foreign possession of His Britannic Majesty shall be governed by the rules laid down in the preceding Articles of the present Treaty.

ARTICLE XVI.

The present Treaty shall come into force ten days after its publication, in conformity with the forms prescribed by the laws of the High Contracting Parties. It may be terminated by either of the High Contracting Parties by a notice not exceeding one year, and not less than six months.

It shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged in London within the period of six months from the date of signature.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and affixed thereto their respective seals.

Done in duplicate at Managua, the nineteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and five.

(L.S.) HERBERT HARRISON.
(L.S.) ADOLFO ALTAMIRANO.

And whereas the ratifications of the said Treaty were exchanged at London on the thirteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and six:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to Him by the said recited Acts, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the 25th day of May, one thousand nine hundred and six, the said Acts shall apply in the case of the Republic of Nicaragua, under and in accordance with the said Treaty:

Provided always that the operation of the said Acts shall be and remain suspended within the Dominion of Canada so long as an Act of the Parliament of Canada passed in 1886, and entitled "An Act respecting the Extradition of Fugitive Criminals," shall continue in force there, and no longer.

A. W. FITZROY.

[Extract from the *London Gazette* of Tuesday, 15th May, 1906.]

Notice to Mariners No. 61 of 1906.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 24th July, 1906.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Hydrographic Office, Washington, D.C., United States of America, are published for general information.

WM. HALL-JONES.

WASHINGTON.

PUGET SOUND.—SHILSHOLE BAY.—SALMON BAY.—LIGHTS AND BUOYS INTENDED.—About 5th June, 1906, Salmon Bay outer light (a fixed white post-lantern light) will be established on the southern end of the narrow spit making down from the northward into the entrance to Salmon Bay and Ballard Harbour from Shilshole Bay, eastern side of the northern part of Puget Sound, and on the north-eastern side of the dredged channel into the harbour.

Approx. position: Lat. 47° 40' 12" N., long. 122° 24' 18" W.

On the same date Salmon Bay inner light (a fixed red post-lantern light) will be established in the water on the southern side of the dredged channel from Shilshole Bay into Salmon Bay and Ballard Harbour, and about $\frac{3}{2}$ mile S. 40° 45' E. true (S.E. by E. $\frac{3}{4}$ E. e'y mag.) from Salmon Bay outer light, eastern side of the northern part of Puget Sound.

Approx. position: Lat. 47° 39' 59" N., long. 122° 24' 01" W.

Also Salmon Bay entrance buoy No. 2 (a red second-class nun), and Salmon Bay dredged-channel buoys Nos. 4, 6, and 8 (each a red second-class spar), will be established to mark the southern and south-western side of the dredged channel from Shilshole Bay into Salmon Bay and Ballard Harbour.

Coast Survey Charts.—Nos. 5052, 6450, and 6446. U.S. Lighthouse Board List of Lights on the Pacific Coast, 1906, page 44. United States Coast Pilot, Pacific Coast, 1903, pages 24 and 141. H.O. Publication No. 96, the Coast of British Columbia, 1891, page 36.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VANCOUVER ISLAND.—WEST COAST.—CLATOQUOT SOUND.—MOSQUITO HARBOUR ENTRANCE.—HANKIN ROCK.—BUOY ESTABLISHED.—The Canadian Government has given notice that a wooden platform buoy, 6 ft square, with pyramidal slat-work top, painted in red and black horizontal bands, has been established in 4 fathoms of water on Hankin Rock, Mosquito Harbour entrance, on the following bearings:—

Plover Point, N. 56° E. true (N.N.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ E. mag.), distant 500 yards.

Wood Islands, east tangent, N. 31° W. true (N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ W. mag.).

Approx. position: Lat. 49° 11' 20" N., long. 125° 46' 40" W.

Hydrographic Office Charts.—Nos. 903, 1450, and 1597. H.O. Publication No. 96, Coast of British Columbia, 1891, page 265.

HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

MAUI ISLAND.—MAALAEA BAY.—ALTERATION IN LIGHTS.—Referring to Notices to Mariners No. 16 (635 and 636) of 1906, further notice is given that on 30th April, 1906, the light at Maalaea Light-station, located on the western corner of the wharf at Maalaea Landing, north-western part of Maalaea Bay, western shore of the Island of Maui, was permanently discontinued.

Maalaea anchorage bell buoy will not be discontinued until further notice.

Also on 1st May, 1906, a fixed red lens-lantern light was established 80 ft. above the water and 32 ft. above the ground, on the top of a white mast, having at its base a small white house with lead-coloured trimmings and a red roof, located on McGregor's Point, south-western point of Maalaea Bay, south-eastern end of the western portion of the Island of Maui.

Approx. position: Lat. 20° 46' 50". long. 156° 31' 30" W.

Hydrographic Office Charts.—Nos. 527, 1216, and 1368.

Coast Survey Charts.—No. 4104. H.O. Light List, Vol. i, No. 730A. U.S. Lighthouse Board List of Lights on the Pacific Coast, 1906, page 58. H.O. Publication No. 115, the Hawaiian Islands, &c., 1903, page 84. Pacific Islands, Vol. iii, 1900, page 214.

Amending Rules for the Examination of Masters and Mates.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 31st July, 1906.

WHEREAS rules for the conduct of the examinations of masters and mates were made on the thirtieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 43, of the seventh day of the following month:

And whereas it is desirable to revoke certain parts of Appendix E to such rules, to substitute other questions and answers in lieu thereof, and to add a further article thereto:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section twenty-three of "The Shipping and Seamen Act, 1903," and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I do hereby revoke that part of Appendix E to the said rules which commences with the words "Fishing-vessels' lights" (article numbered ten of Order in Council of the eleventh day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four), and ends with the words "The white light shall be shown from sunset to sunrise, and one of the red pyrotechnic lights shall be shown on approaching or on being approached by another ship or vessel in sufficient time to prevent collision," and also clauses thirty-nine to forty-seven, inclusive, of the questions and answers contained in the said Appendix; and I do hereby add the following article numbered nine to the said Appendix, and substitute the following questions and answers numbered fifteen and forty to fifty-two for those revoked.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister of Marine.

Article 9.—Fishing-vessels and fishing-boats, when under way and when not required by this article to carry or show the lights hereinafter specified, shall carry or show the lights prescribed for vessels of their tonnage under way:—

(a.) Open boats (by which is to be understood boats not protected from the entry of sea-water by means of a continuous deck), when engaged in any fishing at night, with outlying tackle extending not more than 150 ft. horizontal from the boat into the seaway, shall carry one all-round white light.

Open boats, when fishing at night, with outlying tackle extending more

than 150 ft. horizontal from the boat into the seaway, shall carry one all-round white light, and in addition, on approaching or being approached by other vessels, shall show a second white light at least 3 ft. below the first light and at a horizontal distance of at least 5 ft. away from it in the direction in which the outlying tackle is attached.

- (b.) Vessels and boats (except open boats as defined in subdivision (a)), when fishing with drift-nets, shall, so long as the nets are wholly or partly in the water, carry two white lights where they can best be seen. Such lights shall be placed so that the vertical distance between them shall be not less than 6 ft. and not more than 15 ft., and so that the horizontal distance between them, measured in a line with the keel, shall be not less than 5 ft. and not more than 10 ft. The lower of these two lights shall be in the direction of the nets, and both of them shall be of such a character as to show all round the horizon, and to be visible at a distance of not less than three miles. Within the Mediterranean Sea and in the seas bordering the coasts of Japan and Korea, sailing fishing-vessels of less than 20 tons gross tonnage shall not be obliged to carry the lower of these two lights; should they, however, not carry it, they shall show in the same position (in the direction of the net or gear) a white light, visible at a distance of not less than one sea mile, on the approach of or to other vessels.
- (c.) Vessels and boats (except open boats as defined in subdivision (a)), when line fishing with their lines out and attached to or hauling their lines (and when not at anchor or stationary within the meaning of subdivision (h)), shall carry the same lights as vessels fishing with drift-nets. When shooting lines or fishing with towing-lines they shall carry the lights prescribed for a steam or sailing vessel under way respectively. Within the Mediterranean Sea and in the seas bordering the coasts of Japan and Korea sailing fishing-vessels of less than 20 tons gross tonnage shall not be obliged to carry the lower of these two lights; should they, however, not carry it, they shall show in the same position (in the direction of the lines) a white light, visible at a distance of not less than one sea mile, on the approach of or to other vessels.
- (d.) Vessels when engaged in trawling, by which is meant the dragging of an apparatus along the bottom of the sea,—

(1.) If steam-vessels, shall carry in the same position as the white light mentioned in Article 2, (a), a tricoloured lantern so constructed and fixed as to show a white light from right ahead to 2 points on each bow, and a green light and a red light over an arc of the horizon from 2 points on each bow to 2 points abaft the beam on the starboard and port sides respectively; and not less than 6 ft. nor more than 12 ft. below the tricoloured lantern

a white light in a lantern so constructed as to show a clear, uniform, and unbroken light all round the horizon.

(2.) If sailing-vessels, shall carry a white light in a lantern so constructed as to show a clear, uniform, and unbroken light all round the horizon; and shall also, on the approach of or to other vessels, show, where it can best be seen, a white flare-up light or torch in sufficient time to prevent collision. All lights mentioned in subdivision (d), 1 and 2, shall be visible at a distance of at least two miles.

- (e.) Oyster-dredgers and other vessels fishing with dredge-nets shall carry and show the same lights as trawlers.
- (f.) Fishing-vessels and fishing-boats may at any time use a flare-up light in addition to the lights which they are by this article required to carry and show, and they may also use working-lights.

- (g.) Every fishing-vessel and every fishing-boat under 150 ft. in length, when at anchor, shall exhibit a white light visible all round the horizon at a distance of at least one mile.

Every fishing-vessel of 150 ft. in length and upwards, when at anchor, shall exhibit a white light visible all round the horizon at a distance of at least one mile, and shall exhibit a second light as provided for vessels of such length by Article 11. Should any such vessel, whether under 150 ft. in length, or of 150 ft. in length or upwards, be attached to a net or other fishing gear, she shall on the approach of other vessels show an additional white light at least 3 ft. below the anchor light, and at a horizontal distance of at least 5 ft. away from it in the direction of the net or gear.

- (h.) If a vessel or boat when fishing becomes stationary in consequence of her gear getting fast to a rock or other obstruction, she shall in daytime haul down the day-signal required by subdivision (k); at night show the light or lights prescribed for a vessel at anchor; and during fog, mist, falling snow, or heavy rainstorms make the signal prescribed for a vessel at anchor (see subdivision (d), and the last paragraph of Article 15).

- (i.) In fog, mist, falling snow, or heavy rainstorms, drift-net vessels attached to their nets, and vessels when trawling, dredging, or fishing with any kind of drag-net, and vessels line fishing with their lines out, shall, if of 20 tons gross tonnage or upwards respectively, at intervals of not more than one minute, make a blast; if steam-vessels, with the whistle or syren; and if sailing-vessels, with a fog-horn; each blast to be followed by ringing the bell. Fishing vessels and boats of less than 20 tons gross tonnage shall not be obliged to give the above-mentioned signals; but if they do not, they shall make some other efficient sound signal at intervals of not more than one minute.

(k.) All vessels or boats fishing with nets or lines or trawls, when under way, shall in daytime indicate their occupation to an approaching vessel by displaying a basket or other efficient signal where it can best be seen. If vessels or boats at anchor have their gear out they shall, on the approach of other vessels, show the same signal on the side on which those vessels can pass. The vessels required by this article to carry or show the lights hereinbefore specified shall not be obliged to carry the lights prescribed by Article 4, (a), and the last paragraph of Article 11. This article shall be read and construed as part of the regulations contained in Schedule I to the Order in Council under section 418 of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," made the 27th day of November, 1896, and as if it had formed one of such regulations and been numbered 9 among the articles containing the same.

15. Does this regulation apply to fishing-vessels? No; fishing-boats are not obliged to carry these lights.

40. What lights do open fishing-boats carry?

Open boats when engaged in any fishing at night, with outlying tackle extending not more than 150 ft. horizontal from the boat into the seaway, shall carry one all-round white light, and in addition, on approaching or being approached by other vessels, shall show a second white light at least 3 ft. below the first light and at a horizontal distance of at least 5 ft. away from it in the direction in which the outlying tackle is attached.

41. What lights are vessels whilst actually engaged in drift-net fishing required to carry?

Vessels and boats (except open boats) when fishing with drift-nets shall, so long as the nets are wholly or partly in the water, carry two white lights where they can best be seen. Such lights shall be placed so that the vertical distance between them shall be not less than 6 ft. and not more than 15 ft., and so that the horizontal distance between them, measured in a line with the keel, shall be not less than 5 ft. and not more than 10 ft. The lower of these two lights shall be in the direction of the nets, and both of them shall be of such a character as to show all round the horizon, and to be visible at a distance of not less than three miles.

42. Does this regulation apply to all vessels under the jurisdiction of the Governments who have agreed to the general international regulations?

It applies to all such vessels, with the following exception: Within the Mediterranean Sea and in the seas bordering the coasts of Japan and Korea sailing fishing vessels of less than 20 tons gross tonnage shall not be obliged to carry the lower of these two lights; should they, however, not carry it, they shall show in the same position (in the direction of the net or gear) a white light, visible at a distance of not less than one sea mile, on the approach of or to other vessels.

43. What lights are line-fishing vessels required to carry?

Vessels and boats (except open boats) when line fishing with their lines out, and attached to or hauling their lines, and when not at anchor, or stationary in consequence of her gear getting fast to a rock or other obstruction, shall carry the same lights as vessels fishing with drift-nets. When shooting lines, or fishing with towing-lines, they

shall carry the lights prescribed for a steam or sailing vessel under way respectively. Within the Mediterranean Sea and in the seas bordering the coasts of Japan and Korea sailing fishing-vessels of less than 20 tons gross tonnage shall not be obliged to carry the lower of these two lights; should they, however, not carry it, they shall show in the same position (in the direction of the lines) a white light, visible at a distance of not less than one sea mile, on the approach of or to other vessels.

44. What lights are steam-trawlers whilst actually engaged in trawling, and not being stationary, required to carry?

All steam-vessels engaged in trawling must carry, in the same position as the white light mentioned in Article 2, (a), a tricoloured lantern so constructed and fixed as to show a white light from right ahead to 2 points on each bow, and a green light and a red light over an arc of the horizon from 2 points on each bow to 2 points abaft the beam on the starboard and port sides respectively; and not less than 6 ft. nor more than 12 ft. below the tricoloured lantern a white light in a lantern so constructed as to show a clear, uniform, and unbroken light all round the horizon. These lights should be visible at a distance of at least two miles.

45. What lights are sailing-trawlers whilst actually engaged in trawling, and not being stationary, required to carry?

All sailing-vessels whilst engaged in trawling must carry a white light in a lantern so constructed as to show a clear, uniform, and unbroken light all round the horizon; and shall also, on the approach of or to other vessels, show, where it can best be seen, a white flare-up light or torch in sufficient time to prevent collision. These lights should be visible at a distance of at least two miles.

46. What lights are oyster-dredgers and other vessels fishing with dredge-nets required to carry?

The same lights as trawlers.

47. May fishing-vessels and fishing-boats use flare-up lights?

Yes. They may at any time use a flare-up light in addition to the lights which they are required by the Regulations to carry.

48. Do fishing-boats show any distinguishing lights when at anchor?

They show the same lights as ordinary vessels when at anchor, but should any fishing-vessel, whether under 150 ft. in length or of 150 ft. in length or upwards, be attached to a net or other fishing gear, she shall on the approach of other vessels show an additional white light at least 3 ft. below the anchor light, and at a horizontal distance of at least 5 ft. away from it in the direction of the net or gear.

49. What lights or day signal should a fishing-boat show when stationary in consequence of her gear getting fast to a rock or other obstruction?

If in the daytime she would haul down the basket or other distinguishing signal, and at nighttime show the light or lights prescribed for a vessel at anchor.

50. What sound signals are fishing-vessels required to make when at anchor in a fog?

When at anchor they should make the same signals as ordinary vessels.

51. What sound signals are fishing-vessels required to make at other times?

In fog, mist, falling snow, or heavy rainstorms, drift-net vessels attached to their nets, and vessels when trawling, dredging, or fishing with any kind of drag-net, and vessels line fishing with their lines out, shall, if of 20 tons gross tonnage or upwards respectively, at intervals of not more than one

minute, make a blast; if steam-vessels, with the whistle or syren; and if sailing-vessels, with a fog-horn; each blast to be followed by ringing the bell. Fishing vessels and boats of less than 20 tons gross tonnage shall not be obliged to give the above-mentioned signals; but if they do not, they shall make some other efficient sound signal at intervals of not more than one minute.

52. Are fishing-vessels required to show any distinguishing signal during the daytime?

All vessels or boats fishing with nets or lines or trawls, when under way, shall in daytime indicate their occupation to an approaching vessel by displaying a basket or other efficient signal where it can best be seen. If vessels or boats at anchor have their gear out they shall, on the approach of other vessels, show the same signal on the side on which those vessels can pass.

Public-school Cadet Detachments, &c., recognised.

Education Department,
Wellington, 2nd August, 1906.

THE undermentioned public-school cadet battalion, company, and detachments are recognised under the regulations published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 18th February, 1904:—

Auckland Education District.

The Te Puke Public-school Cadet Detachment.

Wellington Education District.

The No. 2 South Wellington Public School Cadet Company.

Greymouth Education District.

The Seddon-Runanga Public School Cadet Detachment.

Nelson Education District.

The Nelson No. 2 Public School Cadet Battalion, with the following officer: F. G. Gibbs, Commanding Nelson Central No. 1 Cadet Company, to command the battalion; W. Poole, Commanding Nelson Central No. 2 Company, to be Adjutant; and F. Peart, Commanding the Wakefield Public School Cadets to be Quartermaster.

Chatham Islands.

The Te One Public School Cadet Detachment.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister of Education.

New Zealand International Exhibition, 1906. — Minerals Court.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 30th July, 1906.

A GOLD medal and fifty guineas, a silver medal and twenty-five guineas, and a bronze medal and ten guineas will be awarded by the Mines Department for essays on the present condition and future prospects of the mineral resources of New Zealand, and the best means of fostering their development.

In judging the merits of the essays preference will be given to those which are of a practical character.

The essays must be sent in to the Under-Secretary for Mines, Wellington, signed with a motto, and accompanied by a sealed envelope containing the author's name and address, on or before 1st December, 1906.

The essays will be submitted to a Board of three persons (to be hereafter appointed), on whose decision the above prizes will be awarded.

NOTE.—“Mineral” means any metal or mineral, and includes petroleum and other mineral oils.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Minister of Mines.

Plants declared to be Noxious Weeds in the Borough of Lawrence.—Notice No. 1048.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 1st August, 1906.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Lawrence Borough Council has, by special order, declared Bathurst burr, broom, giant burdock, gorse, hakea, ragwort, foxglove, winged thistle, kangaroo acacia, viper's bugloss,

wild borage, fennel, periwinkle, elderberry, St. John's wort, tutsan, wild turnip, ox-eye daisy, hemlock, dock, stemless thistle, common plume or Scotch thistle, woolley-headed thistle, star thistle, lupin, and pennyroyal to be noxious weeds within the meaning of “The Noxious Weeds Act, 1900,” in the Borough of Lawrence.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister for Agriculture.

Tenders.

Public Works Department,
Wellington, 24th July, 1906.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

ERECTION OF POST-OFFICE AT WHAKATANE.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
McAdam, C., Auckland	566	0	0

Declined.

Larkin, James, Auckland	.. ..	619	0	0
Mathieson, J. G., Auckland	.. ..	626	12	1
Moody, W. F., Whakatane	.. ..	748	6	0

Tenders.

Public Works Department,
Wellington, 30th July, 1906.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

ERECTION OF POLICE RESIDENCE AT AVONDALE, AUCKLAND.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Kay, Robert, Auckland	740	0	0

Declined.

Baldock, G., Auckland	.. ..	754	19	2
Frankham, G. H., Auckland	.. ..	756	0	0
Radcliffe and Burton, Auckland	.. ..	870	0	0
Mathison, J. G., Auckland	.. ..	918	14	7

Notice of Intention to take Land for a Road through Section 5, Block IX, Pirongia Survey District.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of “The Public Works Act, 1905,” to execute a certain public work, to wit, the construction of a road through part of Section 5, Block IX, Pirongia Survey District, and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is further given that the plan of the said road, and of the land so required to be taken, is deposited in the Post-office at Kawhia, and is there open for inspection. And notice is also hereby given that all persons affected by the execution of such public work or the taking of such land shall, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land set forth the same in writing, and send such writing within forty days from the first publication of this notice to the Minister for Public Works, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

The parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 3 19	5	IX	Pirongia	R. 7935	Pink.

All in the Auckland 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.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and six.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

Notice of Intention to take Lands for a Road through Tahoraiti No. 1 Block, Blocks I and II, Tahoraiti Survey District.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1905," to execute a certain public work, to wit, the construction of a road through parts of Tahoraiti No. 1 Block, in Blocks I and II, Tahoraiti Survey District, and for the purposes of such public work the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken. And notice is further given that the plan of the said road, and of the land so required to be taken, is deposited in the Post-office at Dannevirke, and is there open for inspection. And notice is also hereby given that all persons affected by the execution of such public work or the taking of such lands shall, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such lands, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing within forty days from the first publication of this notice to the Minister for Public Works, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcels of land mentioned hereunder :—

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 5 3 29	Tahoraiti No. 1	I	Tahoraiti	R. 6554	Pink.
0 1 26	Ditto	I	"	"	"

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and six.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

Authorising the Laying-off of the Main Street, Pakipaki Township, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 28th July, 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 the main street in the Township of Pakipaki, Hawke's Bay Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft., instead of 99 ft. as prescribed by section 17 of "The Land Act, 1892."

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Officiating Ministers for 1906.—Notice No. 28.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 1st August, 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 :—

Church of the Province of New Zealand, commonly called the Church of England.

The Reverend Frank Gould.
The Reverend Christopher Price, M.A.

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.
The Reverend Alexander Miller.

E. J. von DADELSZEN,
Registrar-General.

Applications for Inspecting Engineer, Mines Department.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 14th July, 1906.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the position of Inspecting Engineer, Mines Department.

Applicants are required to state experience, and must hold a first-class mine-manager's certificate under either the Mining Act or the Coal-mines Act, and must also be a licensed surveyor of New Zealand.

Salary, £500 per annum; limit of age, fifty years.

Applications addressed to the Under-Secretary for Mines, Wellington, will be received up to noon of Monday, the 6th August, 1906.

T. H. HAMER,
Under-Secretary

Commissioner's Decisions under Tariff Acts.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 31st July, 1906.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Hon. the Commissioner of Trade and Customs has decided to interpret the Customs and Excise Duties Acts in relation to the undermentioned articles as follows :—

NOTE.—"Not otherwise enumerated" appears as n.o.e.; "other kinds" as o.k.; "articles and materials suited only for, and to be used solely in, the fabrication of goods in the colony" as a. & m.s. Articles marked thus * are revised decisions.

Articles, and how classed.	Rate of Duty.
06/1158. Dental scissors, specially constructed for dentists' mechanical work; as dental appliances	Free.
06/1019. "Euseptol," in bulk or bottle; as disinfectants	Free.
06/1259. Felt pads for smoothing hats; as n.o.e.	Free.
06/990. Generator-panels; as electric appliances	10 per cent.
06/1114. Grindstone-dresser, a belt-driven machine; as machinery n.o.e.	20 per cent.
06/1205. Languagephone records for, solely for teaching languages; as apparatus and appliances solely for teaching purposes	Free.
06/1091. Lamps, incandescent electric, for electric torches; as electric appliances	10 per cent.
06/1099. "Noxall" poison-distributor, a metal apparatus for distributing poisoned pollard; as agricultural implements	Free.
06/1198. Strychnine, hydrochloride of; as chemicals n.o.e.	15 per cent.
06/1224. Sulphur-dioxide; as disinfectants	Free.
06/1178. Whiffletrees; as carriage and cart makers' materials	Free.
05/785. Yarns, mercerised cotton used in the manufacture of tweeds; as a. & m.s.	Free.

W. T. GLASGOW,
Secretary and Inspector.

Commissioner's Order No. 815.]

Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.

NOTICE.—JAMES MACLEAN LANGLANDS, Esq., of 23 Castle Street, Edinburgh, a Law Agent of the Supreme Court of Scotland, has this day been appointed by his Honour the Chief Justice a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in Scotland, under the 2nd section of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875," for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington, this 1st day of August, 1906.

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

Workers' Dwellings for Lease.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 31st July, 1906.

PRELIMINARY notice is hereby given that twenty-five workers' dwellings in Heretaunga Settlement, Petone, will be available for lease, under the provisions of "The Workers' Dwellings Act, 1905," and the regulations made thereunder, in September, 1906.

Full particulars will be published at an early date by the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Wellington.

WM. C. KENSINGTON,
Under-Secretary for Lands.

RETURN of the VALUE of IMPORTS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th JUNE, 1906—continued.

Countries.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tairāngā.	Pōverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Pitonui.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton and Christchurch.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Bluff.	Parcels Post.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter, 1905.	Countries.
Africa—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Africa—
Canary Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Canary Islands
Egypt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Egypt
Asia—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Asia—
China	223	...	50	...	...	...	...	83	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	China
Japan	8,727	...	...	44	...	...	...	96	903	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Japan
Philippine Islands	2,775	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,736	162	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Philippine Islands
Java	1,053	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Java
Asia Minor	241	...	...	...	...	...	...	276	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Asia Minor
Persia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	948	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Persia
Pacific Islands—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pacific Islands—
New Guinea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	New Guinea
Solomon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Solomon
Surprise	1,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Surprise
Loyalty	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Loyalty
New Hebrides	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	New Hebrides
Friendly	7,233	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Friendly
Navigators	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Navigators
Society	1,987	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Society
Paumotu Archipelago	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Paumotu Archipelago
Sandwich	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sandwich
Totals	625,769	1,173	203	14,757	15,233	2,919	32,796	1,014,621	62,029	3,560	1400	21,922	7,002	15,370	2,969	486,405	29,780	10,534	454,203	82,087	44,940	2,891,702*	...	Totals
Corresp. Quarter, 1905..	566,414	574	273	13,147	14,530	3,501	25,688	649,854	46,177	2,920	1650	14,918	4,461	11,638	2,324	381,102	24,735	10,324	373,918	58,911	39,488	...	...	Corresp. Quarter, 1905

* Includes specie imported at Auckland, £23,955; Poverty Bay, £1,000; New Plymouth, £450; Wellington, £232,850; Napier, £692; Nelson, £1,700; Greymouth, £700; Christchurch, £3,680; Dunedin, £30,490; Invercargill, £4,905.

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 28th July, 1906.

W. T. GLASGOW, Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN of the VALUE of EXPORTS from the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th JUNE, 1906.

COUNTRIES.	Ankland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Povey Bay.	New Plymouth.	Waikare.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Waikare and Patea.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton and Christchurch.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Investment and Bluff.	Parcels Post.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter 1905.
British Possessions.																							
United Kingdom ..	317,655	..	..	178,524	83,962	89,904	62,432	183,212	720,321	304,518	97,926	2,963	940	261	..	917,179	423,938	70,454	196,424	262,328	3,291	3,865,672	2,642,191
Australia—																							
Victoria ..	9,862	12,426	..	5	6,159	..	..	..	13,892	3,125	250	5,892	699	35,925	490	10,831	170	..	109,615	35,402	356	245,029	215,398
New South Wales ..	222,109	17,089	..	239	721	..	1,881	..	21,521	3,651	12,698	7,882	8,069	23,932	11,201	19,097	188	22	93,729	5,818	780	450,475	282,490
Queensland ..	106	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	226	..	..	780	..	..	..	210	..	..	301	310	68	1,951	2,549
South Australia ..	2,284	1,699	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,734	..	175	..	..	..	..	194	..	..	1,162	307	25	7,592	6,701
Western Australia ..	3	2,430	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,190	..	..	127	..	..	..	2,526	..	..	448	4,082	70	9,928	10,207
Tasmania ..	103	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	658	..	17	3	..	..	..	1,377	..	..	2,912	1,010	57	6,137	5,327
Pacific Islands—																							
Norfolk ..	683	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	1,885	72	..	1,098	135	120	678	10	64	683	523
Fiji ..	11,278	..	..	..	195	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16,270	11,527
Fanning ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100
Malden ..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Banks ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	87
Africa—																							
Cape Colony ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7,287	3,105
Natal ..	2,274	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,126	..	..	..	..	..	..	978	2,971	..	2,427	..	16	23,769	27,954
Transvaal Colony ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,653	7,805	..	9,385	..	56	..	24
Orange River Colony ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11
Asia—																							
Hong Kong ..	1,877	..	..	..	189	..	..	..	383	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	152	..	37	2,399	1,445
Bengal ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	220	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	417	736
Bombay ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	3
Madras ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
Ceylon ..	5,318	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	47	..	..	113	..	81	5,559	38
Singapore ..	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	392
America—																							
Canada ..	429	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,265	..	..	89	..	28	1,804	12,120
British Columbia ..	60	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,326	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	581	..	..	3,917	3,426
Foreign Countries and Possessions.																							
Europe—																							
France ..	348	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,516	..	..	1,880	..	..	8,744	479
Italy ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
Austria ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
Switzerland ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42
Germany ..	4,809	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,005	..	..	158	..	..	6,995	6,397
Sweden ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Denmark ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	900
Belgium ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Holland ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	..	..	..	25

RETURN of the VALUE of EXPORTS from the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th JUNE, 1906—continued.

COUNTRIES.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Waitara.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau and Pictou.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton and Christchurch.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Bluff.	Parcels Post.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter 1905.	
America—																								
U.S., East Coast..	42,252									3,997						46,137	2,796	355	16,897	22,505	71	155,068	128,407	
" West Coast..	10,869							8,233								180			116		30	14,248	33,482	
Brazil ..																91						180	825	
Argentina ..																605			125			91	779	
Uruguay ..																						808	6	
Chil ..								180														180		
Africa—																								
Egypt ..																								
Portuguese E.Africa																	1,258					1,258	240	
Asia—																								
China ..									1,081			18											32	27
Japan ..	1,896																					2,977	1,046	
Philippine Islands																							50	
Pacific Islands—																								
New Caledonia ..	945																					1,025	2,639	
New Hebrides ..																							40	
Friendly ..	14,964																						14,964	
Navigator ..	13,485																						11,962	
Society ..	6,218							220											35			14,335	12,578	
Sandwich ..	374																		89			6,307	5,597	
Solomon ..	779																					423	381	
Caroline ..																						779	508	
New Britain ..																							723	
Loyalty ..																							618	
Surprise ..																								
Totals ..	670,939	33,614		180,452	91,198	89,904	62,482	135,038	788,309	315,351	111,061	16,917	11,593	60,190	11,711	1,014,720	438,734	70,951	437,249	331,772	4,992	4,877,392		
Corresponding Q'ter, 1905	576,362	34,034		125,209	22,650	62,898	25,042	101,208	508,249	145,443	61,994	23,815	11,334	108,645	9,815	677,105	284,734	63,409	356,236	235,651	4,599		13,437,962	

* Includes specie, Auckland, £4,450. † Includes specie, Auckland, £1,921.

W. T. GLASGOW,
Secretary and Inspector.

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 28th July, 1906.

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of EXPORTS from NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th JUNE, 1906—continued.

ARTICLES	AUCKLAND		KAITIARA		TAURANGA		POVERTY BAY		NEW PLYMOUTH		WAIKATO		WELLINGTON		NAPIER		WAIKATO AND PICTON		NELSON		ARTICLES	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value		
Manufactures,—																						
Apparel	481	204	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Apparel
Leather	2639	2639	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Leather
Phormium	65219	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Phormium
Woolleins	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Woolleins
Other kinds	11727	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Other kinds
Miscellaneous	...	79839	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Miscellaneous
Total New Zealand Produce and Manufactures	...	1154	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Specie	646850	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Colonial, British, and Foreign Produce and Manufactures	4450	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	19699	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	670899	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of EXPORTS from NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th JUNE, 1906—continued.

ARTICLES	WESTPORT		GREYMOUTH		HOKITIKA		LYTTELTON		TIMARU		DUNEDIN		INVERCARGILL		PAROKEA POST		TOTALS		CORRESPONDING QUARTER, 1905		ARTICLES	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value		
Manufactures,—																						
Apparel	..	£	..	£	..	£	..	£	..	£	..	£	..	£	..	£	..	£	..	£	..	£
Leather
Phormium	30	880	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Woolleins
Other kinds	..	56	..	1210	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Miscellaneous	..	886	..	1210	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total New Zealand Produce and Manufactures	..	11593	..	60176	..	11706	..	1010541	..	438596	..	432776	..	331363	..	4992	..	4633413	..	3409506	..	..
Specie
Other Colonial, British, and Foreign Produce and Manufactures	14	..	5	..	4179	..	138	..	4473	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
TOTALS	..	11593	..	60190	..	11711	..	1014720	..	438734	..	437249	..	331772	..	4992	..	4677322	..	3437962	..	..

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

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 28th July, 1906.

W. T. GLASGOW, Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED OUTWARDS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th JUNE, 1906.

Ports of DEPARTURE.	Sailing or Steam Vessels.	CLEARED FOR						BRITISH.						FOREIGN.						TOTALS.						Corresponding Quarter, 1905.					
		United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.			
		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.								
		Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.						
Auckland	Sailing Steam	2	16	1	1	1	17	5974	174	2	1126	20	2	1791	2	2	1901	194	2	1791	2	2	1791	29	21	8891	223	26	10855	266	
Totals		3	20	1	7	1	25	52818	1692	5	15546	663	5	1791	1	1	1229	2855	1	1229	1	1	1229	27	31	69598	2382	35	80769	3929	
Kaipara	Sailing Steam	5	36	2	8	1	42	58792	1866	7	16672	683	7	1791	2	2	1791	2549	3	3020	3	3	3020	56	52	78484	2605	61	91624	3195	
Totals			17	3	3	17	7825	192	3	2674	70	3	3	2674	70	3	2674	192	3	2674	70	3	2674	17	17	7825	192	15	7743	171	
New Plymouth	Sailing						20	10499	262				20	10499	262								20	20	10499	262	17	9870	217		
Wanganui	Sailing						3	686	25				3	686	25								3	3	686	25	2	486	18		
Wellington	Sailing Steam	1	1	1	1	1	2	1406	30	2	1406	30	2	1406	30	2	1406	30	2	1406	30	2	1406	25	2	1406	30	4	2659	59	
Totals		13	14	1	2	2	29	97733	2244	1	1114	25	29	97733	2244	1	1114	2219	1	1114	25	30	98347	2244	30	98347	2244	27	83977	2059	
Napier	Sailing Steam	1	1	1	1	1	31	99139	2249	1	1114	25	31	99139	2249	1	1114	25	25	1114	25	25	1114	25	32	100258	2274	31	86636	2118	
Totals		1	1	1	1	1	1	275	9	1	275	9	1	275	9	1	275	9	1	275	9	1	275	9	1	275	9	1	275	9	
Picton	Steam						1	1901	40				1	1901	40			40				1	1	1901	40	1	1901	40	1	1901	30
Nelson	Sailing																														
Westport	Sailing Steam						4	6399	133				4	6399	133			133				4	4	6399	133	4	6399	133	3	4408	87
Totals			4	4	4	4	4	6399	133				4	6399	133			133				4	4	6399	133	4	6399	133	6	6434	123
Greymouth	Sailing Steam						4	857	34				4	857	34			34				4	4	857	34	4	857	34	1	466	11
Totals			4	4	4	4	4	857	34				4	857	34			34				4	4	857	34	4	857	34	2	1369	33
Lyttelton	Sailing Steam	2	2	2	2	2	2	8996	138	2	8996	138	2	8996	138	2	8996	138	2	8996	138	2	8996	19	1	887	19	1	887	8	
Totals		2	2	2	2	2	2	8996	138	2	8996	138	2	8996	138	2	8996	138	2	8996	138	2	8996	19	1	887	19	1	887	158	
Totals		2	2	2	2	2	2	8996	138	2	8996	138	2	8996	138	2	8996	138	2	8996	138	2	8996	19	1	887	19	1	887	166	

RETURN OF THE NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED OUTWARDS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th JUNE, 1906—continued.

PORTS OF DEPARTURE.	Sailing or Steam Vessels.	CLEARED FOR						BRITISH.						FOREIGN.						TOTALS.						Corresponding Quarter, 1905.											
		United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whales Fisheries.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		Totals.		Vessels.	Crews.	Tons.									
		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.				With Cargoes.								
Timaru	.. Steam	..	1	..	..	1	2535	30	1	1721	36	2	4256	66	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2535	30	1	1721	36	2	4256	66	1	3397	60
Dunedin	{ Sailing Steam	..	1	1	1	1227	17	1	1227	17	1	1227	17	1	1227	17	4	4409	75				
	{ ..	1	..	2	2	2	10493	211	3	5255	70	5	15748	281	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	10493	211	2	5255	70	5	15748	281	6	21198	372
Totals ..	..	1	..	2	3	3	10493	211	3	6482	87	6	16975	298	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	10493	211	3	6482	87	6	16975	298	10	25607	447
Bluff Harbour	{ Sailing Steam	..	1	..	..	1	93	7	..	..	..	..	93	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	93	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..			
	{ ..	1	..	13	1	14	31336	1077	1	1716	34	15	33052	1111	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	31336	1077	1	1716	34	15	33052	1111	14	32049	1088
Totals ..	..	1	..	14	1	15	31429	1084	1	1715	34	16	33145	1118	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	31429	1084	1	1716	34	16	33145	1118	14	32049	1088
Total Shipping outwards	{ Sailing Steam	3	..	43	3	45	17116	471	2	2114	36	47	19230	507	2	1126	20	2	1791	29	4	2917	49	47	18242	491	4	3905	65		
	{ ..	21	..	58	6	83	217118	5669	6	11083	192	89	228153	5861	5	15546	663	5	15546	663	6	11083	192	94	243699	6524		
Totals	24	..	101	9	128	234234	6140	8	13149	228	136	247383	6368	7	16672	683	7	16672	683	10	14940	257	145	265846	7080		
Corresponding Quar., 1905	{ Sailing Steam	2	..	42	7	44	17204	462	6	4290	88	50	21494	550	6	5216	78	2	2411	31	8	7027	109	50	22420	540	8	6701	119
	{ ..	15	..	58	11	74	177099	5056	11	29425	485	85	206524	5541	8	30768	1286	1	2304	39	9	33072	1325	82	207867	6342	12	31729	524
Totals	17	..	100	18	118	194303	5518	17	33715	573	135	228018	6091	14	35984	1364	3	4715	70	17	40699	1434	132	230287	6882	20	38430	643

W. T. GLASGOW, Secretary and Inspector.

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 28th July, 1906.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in Auckland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 27th July, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that, the leases and licenses of the undermentioned lands having been forfeited by resolution of the Auckland Land Board, the said lands have thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease or License No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
L.P.	2037	2	VI	Matamata Township	F. J. Sanders ..	Refused to sign lease.
"	1561	4	V.S.	Te Kuiti ..	R. E. Webb ..	Non-fulfilment of conditions.
"	1815	27	I	Kawhia South ..	D. Conrick ..	Abandoned.
"	1854	2	X	Otanewainuku ..	Scott and Harford ..	"
"	1659	5	X	Otanake ..	W. G. Simmonds ..	"
O.R.P.	2481	8	VIII	Whareorino ..	G. D. Lawrie ..	"
"	1020	3	I	Kai Iwi ..	T. Pairama ..	Survivor's request.
"	2092	7	XIV	Takahue ..	C. Tuck ..	"
"	2907	{ 2 3	{ IX X	Wharepapa ..	W. Norwood, jun... ..	Selector's request.
"	1650	35, 36	VI	Hukerenui ..	W. H. Munro ..	"
L.P.	2061	25	..	Matamata Settle- ment	A. Jones ..	"

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Lands in Taranaki Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 27th July, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that, the leases and licenses of the undermentioned lands having been forfeited by resolution of the Taranaki Land Board, the said lands have thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Formerly held by	Tenure.	Reason for Forfeiture.
9	VI	Upper Waitara ..	G. Chatfield ..	O.R.P. ..	Selector's request.
3	XIV	" ..	S. Lowe ..	" ..	"
4	V	Pouatu ..	F. R. Wilton ..	" ..	"
4	III	Aria ..	R. F. Ward ..	L.I.P. ..	Abandoned.
8	VI	" ..	H. Johnson ..	" ..	"
2	VII	Mimi ..	P. Bockett ..	O.R.P. ..	"
7	XIII	Upper Waitara ..	D. W. Smith ..	" ..	Selector's request.
8	VI	" ..	T. and W. McMullen ..	" ..	Abandoned.
60	IV	Paritutu ..	R. T. Clark ..	L.I.P. ..	"
36	"	" ..	J. Griffin ..	" ..	Non-payment of rent.
4	XV	Omona ..	M. Kerr and R. Johnson ..	O.R.P. ..	Abandoned.
2	XI	Totoro ..	A. Williams ..	L.I.P. ..	Selector's request.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Land in Hawke's Bay Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 27th July, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that, the license of the undermentioned land having been forfeited by resolution of the Hawke's Bay Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Lease No.	Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Formerly held by	Tenure.	Reason for Forfeiture.
191	4	VIII	Nuhaka ..	Tiemi Mete ..	O.R.P. ..	Non-residence.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

Land in Hawke's Bay Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 31st July, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that, the lease of the undermentioned land having been forfeited by resolution of the Hawke's Bay Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease No.	Formerly held by	Section.	Locality.	Reason for Forfeiture.
L. in P. (L.S.)	168	F. P. Lowell	17	Elsthorpe Village ..	Non-compliance with conditions of lease.

T. Y. DUNCAN,
Minister of Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 30th July, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Wednesday, the 26th day of September, 1906, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—PIAKO COUNTY.—PATETERE NORTH SURVEY DISTRICT.—SELWYN SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
97	VI	A. R. P. s. d. £ s. d.	414 0 0	0 9 7 15 3

Agricultural and pastoral land of inferior to very fair light sandy loam. Generally undulating country, all in fern, manuka, and scrub, and very largely ploughable. Altitude varies from 400 ft. to 525 ft. above sea-level. Well watered by Oraka Stream, access to the stream being through the fishing reserve. The improvements (included in price of land) consist of the whole of about 50 chains of fencing on and near road boundary, valued at £12, and a half-share (value £10) in about 42 chains of boundary-fencing; total value, £22. This section adjoins the Putaruru Village, close to the Putaruru Railway-station.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 9th July, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be offered to the holder of adjoining land on lease in perpetuity, under section 114 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 12th day of October, 1906.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Locality.	Area.
6	XIX	Dacre Township ..	A. R. P. 15 0 4

JOHN HAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 21st July, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be offered to the holder of adjoining land on lease in perpetuity, under section 114 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 26th day of October, 1906.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION No. 2, Block XIV, Maniototo Survey District: Area, 299 acres 2 roods 16 perches.

D. BARRON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Marlborough Land District for Disposal under Section 114 of "The Land Act, 1892."

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 11th June, 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 adjacent lands, on lease in perpetuity, under section 114 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 14th day of September, 1906.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
9	XI	Wakamarina ..	A. R. P. 18 0 0
10	"	" ..	24 0 0
30	"	" ..	142 0 0
37	"	" ..	205 0 0
12	"	" ..	43 0 0
13	"	" ..	179 0 0
29	"	" ..	223 0 0

HENRY TRENT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Nelson Land District for Sale under Section 115 of "The Land Act, 1892."

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 28th May, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of, under section 115 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 31st day of August, 1906.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 4, Block XI, Matiri Survey District: Area, 450 acres.

W. G. MURRAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, 15th June, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be open for sale or selection, at this office, either for cash, for occupation with right of purchase, or for lease in perpetuity, at the option of the selector, on Tuesday, the 25th day of September, 1906, under the provisions of Part III of "The Land Act, 1892."

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND 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.
Southland..	Waikawa ..	13	III	A. R. P. 159 0 7	s. d. 5 0	£ s. d. 39 15 0	s. d. 0 3	s. d. 19 11	s. d. 0 2-4	s. d. 15 11

Land inferior, only about 10 acres being suitable for cultivation, the balance being a peat-moss or bog. Distant about six miles and a half from Tokanui Post-office.

JOHN HAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Milling-timber in Wellington Land District for Sale by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 2nd July, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 6th day of August, 1906, for the right to cut and remove the matai and kahikatea timber on the undermentioned Crown land at the royalties and under the conditions stated below.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

PART Aorangi 3a, Block XVI, Te Kawanu Survey District: 28 acres (approximately).

	Estimated Quantity in Sup. Feet.	Royalty per 100 Sup. Feet.
Matai	148,400	s. d. 2 0
Kahikatea	299,600	0 9

Approximate value at royalties stated, £260 15s.
Upset bonus for privilege of cutting, £5.

Aorangi 3a Block is situated on the Oroua River, about three miles from the Oroua Bridge Railway-station, on the Palmerston-Foxton Railway line. The distance from Palmerston North is about thirteen miles. There is no legal road access to the land, and the purchaser will require to make arrangements himself with adjoining owners for getting out the timber.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The right to cut and remove the timber on the lot will be sold generally in accordance with the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," the Timber Regulations made thereunder, and the following conditions:—

2. The quantities of the various timbers set forth in the above Schedule are approximate only, and are furnished for the general information of intending purchasers, who are expected to make their own estimate of the quantity of the timber on the lot.

3. Each tender must be for the whole of the timber in the lot, and shall enclose as deposit the amount tendered for the privilege of cutting, together with a license fee of £1 1s.; also two approved promissory notes payable on demand, each promissory note to be for one-half the above quoted value of the timber. The said promissory notes shall be cancelled and returned as the value of the timber represented by them has been cut out and paid for by royalty; or should any breach of the conditions occur, such as an undue delay in the payment of the instalments of royalty as they become due from time to time, or for any other breach of the conditions, the Land Board shall have the right to present one or both of the uncanceled promissory notes as it shall think fit.

4. The purchaser of the lot shall have the right to cut all the timber thereon during a period of two years from the date of sale, and it shall be a condition that his mill shall be in working-order within six months from date of sale; and such mill shall thereafter be kept continuously working at a reasonable rate of speed.

5. The license shall be only for the cutting and removal of the timber, and shall give no right to the use of the land.

6. Royalties at the rates quoted in the above Schedule shall be paid quarterly on the output of the mill as disclosed by the mill-books. All books used in connection with the mill and working of the bush shall be subject to inspection and verification at all times by the Crown Lands Ranger, or by any other officer appointed by the Land Board.

7. The licensee shall enter in a delivery-book, to be supplied by the Department, each class, sort, and quantity of timber despatched either from the mill or from the yard. Each page of said delivery-book shall be numbered consecutively, and shall consist of not less than three dockets bearing the same number, one of which shall be posted every fortnight to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Wellington. All timber, including face-outs, sold for cash or exchanged for other commodities shall be entered in the same delivery-book.

8. The timber in the lot shall be cut in a face, and the Land Board shall have the power to demand a more systematic and better cleaning-up of the bush, if deemed necessary.

9. The licensee shall not put, throw, or place, or allow to be put, thrown, or placed, into any river, stream, or watercourse, or into any place where it may be washed into any river, stream, or watercourse, any sawdust or other sawmill refuse.

10. If no tender is received for the timber on the 6th August, 1906, the right to cut it at the upset bonus and royalties quoted in Schedule above will remain open for application until further notice.

11. The lot will be sold generally in accordance with the area and boundaries as shown on the sale map at the Crown Lands Office, Wellington.

12. No compensation will be given, nor shall any be claimed, for any error, discrepancy, or misdescription whatever in respect of the lot or in these conditions.

13. The attention of intending purchasers is directed particularly to Rules 8, 9, 18, 23, 24, 25, 28, 38, 40, and 49 of the Timber Regulations, copies of which may be had on application to the undersigned.

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

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 9th July, 1906.

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 adjacent land, under section 114 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 12th day of October, 1906.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 107A: Block XII, Taringatura Survey District; area, 6 acres 1 rood 30 perches.

JOHN HAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Application for Confirmation Certificate under Section 55

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 28th July, 1906.
 NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been made to a Judge of the Court for a certificate under section 55 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," confirming the alienation hereunder specified. All objections to the granting of such certificate must be lodged with me within fourteen days from the publication of this notice.
 [Auckland, Sec. 55, 1906-12.] A. G. HOLLAND, Deputy Registrar.

THE ALIENATION ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
14	Conveyance (C.A. 1906-63)	27th July, 1906	Lot 111, Parish of Awhitu	Henare Ngaroma Kaihau, of Waiuku, to Emily Jane Bright, the wife of Thomas Bright, also of Waiuku.

Further Adjournment of Sitting of the Native Land Court at Raglan.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 26th July, 1906.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the sitting of the Native Land Court which was notified to be held at Raglan on the 5th day of December, 1905, and which was adjourned to the 2nd day of April, 1906, and which was subsequently adjourned to the 31st day of July, 1906, has, in accordance with instructions from the Hon. the Native Minister, been further adjourned to the 28th day of September, 1906.
 [Auckland, 1906-24.] A. G. HOLLAND, Deputy Registrar.

Sitting of the Native Land Court of Opotiki.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 26th July, 1906.
 NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Opotiki on the 15th day of August, 1906, to hear and determine the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which application has been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.
 [Auckland, 1906-23.] A. G. HOLLAND, Deputy Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATION.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Deed of lien (C.A. 1906-62)	17th July, 1906	Part 2, Lot 62, Parish of Waioeka.	Isaac Walker, of Opotiki, to the Bank of New Zealand.

Applications for Confirmation Certificates under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 28th July, 1906.
 NOTICE is hereby given that applications have been made to a Judge of the Court for certificates under section 55 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," confirming the alienations hereunder specified. All objections to the granting of such certificates must be lodged with me within fourteen days from the publication of this notice.
 [Gisborne, 1906-23.] JOHN BROOKING, Registrar.

THE ALIENATIONS ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1076	Transfer of mortgage (3-254)	25th July, 1906	Lots 2 and 3, Lot 4, Allotments 4 and 12, Kaiti 228	E. J. Harris to Mabel Ormond.
1077	Transfer of mortgage (3-254)	25th July, 1906	Allotment 5, Kaiti 228	E. J. Harris to Joseph Kennedy.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Hastings.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 30th July, 1906.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Hastings on the 7th day of August, 1906, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Wellington, 1906-34.] R. C. SIM, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
703	Mutu Karaitiana	Patangata No. 4.
704	Mutu Karaitiana	Waoku No. 2.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 67 OF "THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
706	Horace Baker	Omahu 3a	That the applicant be allowed interest on his survey lien.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
707	P. Sheridan, Crown Agent	Waimarama No. 3	Applying to the Native Land Court to cancel the succession order made at Hastings on the 26th September, 1903, appointing successors to the interest of Maraea Te Awaite otherwise Maraea Aorangi in Waimarama No. 3 Block; and to correct the partition order for Waimarama No. 3a Block by substituting the name of the said Maraea Aorangi therein for the names of the successors as appointed in error.

Applications for Confirmation Certificates under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 1st August, 1906.
 NOTICE is hereby given that applications have been made to a Judge of the Court for certificates under section 55 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," confirming the alienations hereunder specified. All objections to the granting of such certificates must be lodged with me within fourteen days from the publication of this notice.
 [Wellington, Sec. 55.] R. C. SIM, Registrar.

THE ALIENATIONS ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Assignment of rents (1906-99)	24th July, 1906	Wellington, Section 152	William Katene to John Jones.
2	Transfer (1906-101)	27th July, 1906	Williamstown, Section 9, Wahanga 1	Ihaia Puketapu to James Futter.
3	Mortgage (1906-102)	31st July, 1906	Rewa Survey District, Block III, Run 54	Tuhokairangi Wainohu to the Government Advances to Settlers Office Superintendent.
4	Transfer (1906-103)	23rd July, 1906	Raketapauma 1B	Eruera Whakaahu to Mary Ingram Russell.
5	Transfer (1906-104)	23rd July, 1906	Raketapauma 1B	Eruera Whakaahu to Florence Catherine Bignell.

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

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

In the matter of the land known as Ruakaka No. 2 Block, and of the application of Pero Ngapaki, made to the Chief Judge of the said Court, in pursuance of section 39 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," applying to be appointed as one of the successors to the interest of Ropata Whitikau, deceased, in the said land.

WHEREAS the said application was inquired into in open Court, and, as the result of such inquiry, it appears that the application was made under a misapprehension, the said Pero Ngapaki having been appointed as a successor, with three others, to the interest of the said Ropata Whitikau, deceased, on the 9th day of March, 1889:

Now, therefore, I, the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, in exercise of the power in that behalf conferred on me by the said section 39, do hereby dismiss the said application.

As witness my hand, this 27th day of July, 1906.

H. G. SETH SMITH, Chief Judge.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES MALONE (known also as Melton), of Ongarue, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at Mr. A. Hyde's premises, Te Awamutu, on Tuesday, the 31st day of July, 1906, at 1 p.m. o'clock.

Auckland, 24th July, 1906. E. GÉRARD, Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES WILKIE ORBELL, of Martinborough, Carrier, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at Courthouse, Featherston, on Friday, the 3rd day of August, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon.

Masterton, 27th July, 1906. W. B. CHENNELLS, Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court of Wanganui, holden at Palmerston North.

NOTICE is hereby given that WALTER GOODALL, of Palmerston North, Painter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 3rd day of August, 1906, at 2.30 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Palmerston North, 30th July, 1906.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES STODDART ROWDEN, of Wellington, Architect, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 3rd day of August, 1906, at 11 o'clock a.m.

JAMES ASHCROFT,
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 26th July, 1906.

In Bankruptcy.

Estate of J. BARR.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend, of 3s. 8½d. in the pound, is payable at my office on and after 27th July, 1906.

R. W. H. DUNN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

Estate of EDWARD HENRY GRIFFIN, of Reefton, Carter.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend (the first and final) of 3s. in the pound is now payable at my office on all proved accepted claims.

HENRY COOPER,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Reefton, 25th July, 1906.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends in the under-mentioned estates are now payable at my office on all proved accepted claims. All promissory notes must be produced for indorsement before receiving dividend.

McMillan and Thompson, first and final, of 4s. 0½d. in the pound.

Robert McMillan, first and final, of 2s. 6d. in the pound.

J. BEVAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Hokitika, 20th July, 1906.

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In Bankruptcy.

Estate of CHARLES O. WILLETTTS.

A FIRST and final dividend, of 4½d. in the pound, is now payable at my office, Thames Street, Oamaru.

CHAS. W. COOKE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that statements of accounts and balance-sheets in respect of the undermentioned estates, together with the report of the Audit Office thereon, have been duly filed in the above Court; and I hereby further give notice that at the sitting of the said Court, to be holden on Monday, the 13th day of August, 1906, I intend to apply for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 28th day of July, 1906.

334. William Bannerman, Flax-miller, Balclutha.

335. George Swan, Cabinetmaker, Mosgiel.

337. John Laffey, formerly Hotelkeeper, Carlton, Dunedin.

340. David Wilson, Blacksmith, Balclutha.

342. Laurence Clancy, Restaurant-keeper, Dunedin.

345. James Shirley, Storekeeper, Waikawa.

346. John Luck, Engine-driver, Cromwell.

C. C. GRAHAM,
Official Assignee.

MINING NOTICES.

IN THE WARDEN'S COURT OF THE OTAGO MINING DISTRICT, HOLDEN AT ROXBURGH.

To the Warden at Roxburgh.

THE Roxburgh Amalgamated Mining and Sluicing Company (Limited) hereby make application for permission to run half the water—viz., two heads and a half—held under License 754A, commencing in the Teviot Stream about 4 yards above the head of Hercules Water-race (being the water transferred to the applicant company by John Ewing on the 20th April, 1899), in the water-race held under License No. 764A by the said applicant company, which commences in the said Teviot River at a point one mile and three-quarters above the Ladysmith Company's head of race.

Period for which permission is required: Fifteen years from the 25th October, 1903.

Address of service: Care of Robert Cockburn, Roxburgh.

THE ROXBURGH AMALGAMATED MINING AND SLUICING COMPANY (LIMITED)

(By their Agent, ROBERT COCKBURN),
Applicant.

Precise time of filing the foregoing application: 12 noon, 25th September, 1905.

Time and place appointed for hearing of the application and all objections thereto: Thursday, 12th October, 1905, at 10 a.m., in the Warden's Court, Roxburgh; adjourned hearing, 13th September, 1906, at 10 a.m., at same place.

Objections must be filed in the Registrar's office and notified to applicant at least twenty-four hours before the day so appointed.

FREDERICK JEFFERY,
Mining Registrar.

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IN THE WARDEN'S COURT OF THE OTAGO MINING DISTRICT, HOLDEN AT ROXBURGH.

To the Warden at Roxburgh.

THE Roxburgh Amalgamated Mining and Sluicing Company (Limited) hereby make application for permission to run half the water—viz., nine sluice-heads—under license, last renewal 645 (being the water transferred to the applicant company by John Ewing on the 20th day of April, 1899), in the water-race held under License No. 764A by the said applicant company, which said race takes its rise one mile and three-quarters above the Ladysmith Company's head-race.

Period for which permission is required: Fifteen years from 17th October, 1903.

Address of service: Care of Robert Cockburn, Roxburgh.

THE ROXBURGH AMALGAMATED MINING AND SLUICING COMPANY (LIMITED)

(By their Agent, R. COCKBURN),
Applicant.

Precise time of filing the foregoing application: 12 noon, 25th September, 1905.

Time and place appointed for hearing of the application and all objections thereto: Thursday, 12th October, 1905, at 10 a.m., in the Warden's Court, Roxburgh; and adjourned hearing, 13th September, 1906, at 10 a.m., at same place.

Objections must be filed in the Registrar's office and notified to applicant at least twenty-four hours before the day so appointed.

FREDERICK JEFFERY,
Mining Registrar.

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STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Kuranui Caledonian (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration of office of company in colony: 10th January, 1905; 11th January, 1905.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney or Attorneys: Victoria Arcade, Auckland; H. Gilfillan, jun.

Where mine is situate: Thames.

Nominal capital: £30,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £14,400.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in colony: £4,364 9s. 6d.

Price paid to vendors of mine: In partly paid-up shares, credited as 1s. paid up, 143,285.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 300,000.

Number of shares on Colonial Register: 103,304.

Amount paid per share (Colonial Register): 6d. on 21,971, 1s. on 76,004, 2s. on 150.

Amount called up per share (Colonial Register) : 2s.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear (Colonial Register) :
 £101 19s. 6d.
 Number of shares forfeited on Colonial Register sold,
 and money received for same : Nil.
 Number of shareholders on Colonial Register : 354.
 Number of men employed by company in colony : 13.
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last
 statement : 413 oz. 14 dwt. ; £1,117 6s. 1d.
 Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since
 registration of office of company in colony : 413 oz.
 14 dwt. ; £1,117 6s. 1d.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining
 operations in colony since last statement : £3,346 6s. 5d.
 Total expenditure since registration of office of company in
 colony : £3,786 1s. 3d.
 Total amount of dividends paid in colony : Nil.
 Amount of cash at bank in colony : £1,797 18s. 8d.
 Amount of cash in hand in colony : £7 7s.
 Amount of debts directly due to company in colony :
 £101 19s. 6d.
 Amount of such debts considered good : £101 19s. 6d.
 Amount of liabilities of company in colony : £6 15s.

I, Henry Gilfillan, jun., of Auckland, the Attorney of
 the Kuranui Caledonian (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,
 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."

H. GILFILLAN, JUN.,
 Attorney.

Declared at Auckland, this 27th day of July, 1906, before
 me—Frederick L. Prime, J.P. 709

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 amend-
 ments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within
 one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this
 notice.

4239. HENRY WILLIAMS.—Part of Allotment 68,
 Village of Waiuku, containing 10 perches. Occupied by
 Applicant.

4299. EDMUND FITZPATRICK.—Allotments 34 and
 35, Town of Ngaruawahia, containing 2 roods 9 perches.
 Occupied by Applicant.

4334. ALEXANDER PRINGLE SPEEDY.—Allotments
 25, 26, 27, 28, and part of Allotments 24, 106, 107, 110, and
 111, Parish of Tuhikaramea, containing 804 acres 3 roods
 33 perches. Occupied by Applicant.

4341. JOHN MCKAIL GEDDES.—Lots 24, 25, of Allot-
 ments 17, 18, Section 11, Suburbs of Auckland, containing
 2 acres and 4 perches. Occupied by Applicant.

4344. JOHN SHAW.—North-western part of Allot-
 ment 59, Parish of Taupiri, containing 4 acres and 5 perches.
 Occupied by Applicant and others.

4348. DANIEL THOMAS McINTOSH and GREGORY
 BENMORE OSMOND.—Lots 28, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, of
 Allotment 25, Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland, containing
 6 acres 2 roods 12 perches. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
 Dated this 28th day of July, 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 amend-
 ments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within
 one calendar month from the date of the publication of this
 notice in the *Gazette*.

3884. ALFRED RICHARD WATKINS.—37 perches,
 part Section 10, Ohiro District (Township of Mitchelltown).
 Occupied by Applicant.

3887. PRUDENTIA ELIZABETH EDMONDSON.—
 1 rood 20 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches, part Section 453, City of Wellington.
 Unoccupied.

3888. WILLIAM WATSON.—2 roods 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches, part
 Section 453, City of Wellington. Unoccupied.

3890. JOSEPH JOSEPH.—13 acres 2 roods 29 perches,
 part Section 124, Hutt District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
 Dated this 1st day of August, 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 pro-
 visions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," and its amend-
 ments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or
 before the 3rd day of September, 1906.

572. EDWIN BAMFORD.—40 acres, part of Part 1 of
 Section 27, Omaha District. Occupied by Emma Bell.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.
 Dated this 30th day of July, 1906, at the Lands Registry
 Office, Blenheim.

T. SCOTT SMITH,
 District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land
 hereinafter described will be brought under the pro-
 visions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," and its amend-
 ments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within
 one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this
 notice.

1385. CHARLES YATES FELL, WILLIAM ROUT,
 JUN., and RALPH BENJAMIN JACKSON.—41 acres
 and 2 perches, part of Section 84, Waimea South. Unoc-
 cupied.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.
 Dated this 30th day of July, 1906, at the Lands Registry
 Office, Nelson.

H. EYRE KENNY,
 District Land Registrar.

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

10096. GEORGE HARPER, HENRY DYKE AC-
 LAND, and HUGH THOMAS DYKE ACLAND (Trus-
 tees of estate of Hon. J. B. A. Acland, deceased).—638
 acres 3 roods 85 perches, Rural Sections 3307A, 3308A, 4036,
 4277, 4278, 4557, 5148, 5149, 6682, 6683, 7616, 7617, 8757,
 and 11241, and parts of Rural Sections 1972, 2680, 2713,
 3208, 3683, 4035, 4276, 4556, 7953, 11240, and 12804, Blocks
 III and IV, Acland, and II, Orari Survey Districts. Oc-
 cupied by Applicants.

10294. MICHAEL HAMILTON.—24 perches, part of
 Lot 94 of the Christchurch Town Reserves. Occupied by
 Chance Hayston.

10326. JOHN GEORGE SHRIMPTON.—1 rood, Lot 4,
 Plan 2062, part of Lot 177 of the Christchurch Town Re-
 serves. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
 Dated this 31st day of July, 1906, at the Lands Registry
 Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
 District Land Registrar.

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EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of Crown
 lease, Vol. 103, folio 187, for Sections 29 and 30,
 Block III, Maniototo District, whereof MARY FEN-
 NESSY, of Naseby, Spinster, is the registered proprietor,
 and application having been made to me to issue a pro-
 visional lease for the said land, I hereby give notice of my
 intention to issue such provisional lease at the expiration of
 fourteen days from the publication.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin, this 30th
 day of July, 1906.

W. WYINKS,
 District Land Registrar.

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

2877. WILLIAM ANDERSON.—15 acres 3 roods
 18 perches, Section 1, Block XVII, Invercargill Hundred.
 Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.
 Dated this 30th day of July, 1906, at the Lands Registry
 Office, Invercargill.

C. E. NALDER,
 District Land Registrar.

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APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue
 of a provisional certificate of title in favour of
 MICHAEL CASEY, of West Plains, Farmer, for Section 4,
 Block XXXVI, Town of Invercargill, being the land con-

tained in certificate of title, Vol. 5, folio 190, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I shall issue a provisional certificate of title as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, the 30th July, 1906.

C. E. NALDER,
District Land Registrar.

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PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

MIRAMAR BOROUGH COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," "The Public Works Act, 1905," and "The Tramway Act, 1894."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the Corporation of the Borough of Miramar proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, to undertake, construct, or execute a certain public work—namely, the construction of electric tramways in the said borough—and for the purposes of the said public work the lands specified in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that a plan of the lands so required is deposited in the public office of the Town Clerk of the said Council, situate at the "King's Chambers," in the City of Wellington, and is open for inspection without fee by all persons during ordinary office hours; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work, or by the taking of the said lands, should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or the taking of such lands, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the said Council, addressed to the Town Clerk thereof, at the office aforesaid.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

Approximate Area of each Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Part of Section No.	Coloured on Plan	Situate in the
A. R. P. 0 0 36.86	9, Watts Peninsula (Block VII, Port Nicholson Survey District)	Pink	Borough of Miramar
0 0 16	Ditto	"	"
0 0 1	"	"	"
0 0 2	7, Watts Peninsula (Block VII, Port Nicholson Survey District)	"	"

All in the Wellington Land District; as the same pieces of land are more particularly delineated on the plan above mentioned, and therein coloured as above mentioned.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 1st day of August, 1906.

R. E. BENNETT,
Town Clerk.

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THE WELLINGTON CHAMBERS (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 230 of "The Companies Act, 1903," that a General Meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at the office of Gualter, Dykes, and Company, Featherston Street, Wellington, on Monday, the 27th day of August, 1906, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before the company showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and for the purpose of passing an extraordinary resolution disposing of the books, accounts, and documents of the company, and of the Liquidator.

AUBREY GUALTER,
Liquidator.

1st August, 1906.

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IN LIQUIDATION.—FRANK HENDERSON AND CO. (LIMITED), AUCKLAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary meeting of shareholders, held at Auckland, on the 17th July, the following resolutions were passed:—

- (1) That the company be wound up voluntarily.
- (2) That HERMANN HEINRICH REIMERS be appointed Liquidator of this company.

Auckland, the 18th July, 1906.

H. REIMERS, Liquidator,
Legal Chambers, 143 Queen Street, Auckland.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the W. H. Comstock Company (Limited), a joint-stock company incorporated in the Dominion of Canada, proposes to commence and intends to carry on business in the City of Wellington, and that the situation and locality of the office or place where such business will be carried on is Messrs. Howden Bros.' building at the corner of Farish Street and Old Customhouse Street, in the City of Wellington.

Dated at Wellington, this 31st day of July, 1906.

A. H. LYON,
Attorney for the said Company.

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CHELTENHAM BLACKSMITHING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that at a special general meeting of the above company, held on 2nd May, 1906, the following resolution was carried, viz.: "That the Cheltenham Blacksmithing Company (Limited) go into voluntary liquidation, and appoint some person to act as Liquidator." Mr. F. C. Ross was appointed Liquidator at the same meeting. And the said resolution above mentioned was confirmed at a special general meeting held on the 19th day of May, 1906.

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F. C. ROSS, Secretary.

"FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT, 1882."

CANCELLING OF REGISTRY.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
Wellington, 2nd August, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to section 10 of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," by writing under his hand dated this 2nd day of August, 1906, canceled the registry of the Court "Star of the North," No. 8888, Register No. 17 (25), held at Houbora, branch of the Auckland District of the Ancient Order of Foresters, on the ground that the said branch has ceased to exist.

C. T. BENZONI,
Deputy Registrar.

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I, CHARLES MACKIE BEGG, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S., Edin.; L.F.P.S., Glasg., 1903; M.B., Bac. Surg., Edin., 1903; M.D., M.R.C.P., Edin., 1905; F.R.C.S., 1906, now residing in Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 28th August 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.

C. MACKIE BEGG.
Dated at Wellington, 27th July, 1906. 708

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, PERCY ROFEE SARGOOD, WILLIAM ERNEST SARGOOD, and THOMAS FINLAYSON, carrying on business in New Zealand and London as Warehousemen, Merchants, and Manufacturers, under the style or firm of "Sargood, Son, and Ewen," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 31st day of May, 1906, so far as regards the said William Ernest Sargood.

The business will in future be carried on under the same style as before by the undersigned Percy Roife Sargood and Thomas Finlayson, and they will receive and pay all accounts owing to and by the late partnership.

Dated at Dunedin, this 27th day of July, 1906.

P. R. SARGOOD.
W. E. SARGOOD.
THOS. FINLAYSON.

Witness—J. P. McGowan, Accountant, Dunedin. 714

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Ross BOUTTELL and ANDREW YATES LEES, carrying on business as Storekeepers at the Lower Hutt, under the style or firm of "Bouttell and Lees," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of August, 1906.

All debts due and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by the undersigned Andrew Yates Lees, who will continue to carry on the said business in his own name.

Dated the 27th day of July, 1906.

ROSS BOUTTELL.

Witness to the signature of Ross Bouttell—Frederic J. Courtney, Solicitor, Wellington.

ANDREW Y. LEES.

Witness to the signature of Andrew Yates Lees—A. R. Meek, Solicitor, Wellington. 704

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between WALTER MARTIN NEUMEGEN and HENRY EDWARD ELLIOTT, carrying on business as Barristers and Solicitors at 33 Shortland Street, Auckland, under the style or firm of "Neumegen and Elliott," has been dissolved as from the 30th day of June, 1906. The said Walter Martin Neumegen will continue to carry on business at 33 Shortland Street, and will receive all moneys due to the late firm.

Dated this 13th day of July, 1906.

W. M. NEUMEGEN.

HENRY E. ELLIOTT.

Witness—G. M. Hemus, Law Clerk, Auckland. 717

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