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Additional Land taken at Ellerslie for the Purposes of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway.

(L.S.)

PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway to take further land at Ellerslie, 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-one, 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	Situating in Block No.	Situating in the Survey District of
A. R. P.			
0 2 16.2	Soil of right-of-way in Allotment 7 of Section 12, Suburbs of Auckland	I	Otahuhu.
0 0 2	Part of Lot 11	"	"
0 0 24.7	Parts of Lots 12 and 13	"	"
0 0 32	Lot 1	"	"
0 0 32	Lot 2	"	"
0 0 1.5	Part of Lot 3	"	"
0 0 37.2	Lots 509, 510, 511, and 512 in Allotments 7 and 59 of Section 12, Suburbs of Auckland	"	"
0 0 30	Lots 506, 507, and 508	"	"
0 0 37.7	Part of Allotment 7A of Section 12, Suburbs of Auckland	"	"
0 1 37.5	Crown land, parts of Allotments 7, 7A, and 59 of Section 12, Suburbs of Auckland	"	"
0 0 22.7	Part of Lot 504 of Allotments 7 and 59	"	"
0 0 1.2	Reserve in Allotments 7 and 59 of Section 12, Suburbs of Auckland	"	"

All in the Auckland Land District ; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked 14613, deposited in the office of the Minister for Railways, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow, neutral tint, blue, and sepia.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING !

Allocating Land in Block III, Hautapu Survey District, taken for a Railway to the Purposes of a Road.

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

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land taken for the purposes of the North Island Main Trunk Railway, and it has been considered desirable to allocate such land to the purposes of a road:

And whereas it has been certified by the Minister for Public Works that such land is not required for railway purposes: And whereas such land is situated in Rangitikei County, the local authority of which has consented to the issue of this Proclamation and appears to be the local authority most capable of conveniently and effectively controlling and maintaining the said road:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by section one hundred and ninety-seven 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 land described in the Schedule hereto shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a road, and that the said road shall be maintained by the Rangitikei County Council in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Council.

SCHEDULE.

The parcel of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land dealt with.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block No.	Situated in Survey District of
A. R. P. 0 0 27	Railway reserve (formerly part of Awarua 4c No. 9 Block and old road)	III	Hautapu.

In the Land District of Wellington; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 21984, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured 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-seventh day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in Hautapu Survey District taken for a Road-approach to a Railway.

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

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1905," for a certain public work, to wit, the construction of a road-approach to a railway:

And whereas all conditions precedent required by law to be observed and performed prior to the taking of such land for the purposes hereinafter specified have been observed and performed:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in

the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the construction of a road-approach to the North Island Main Trunk Railway.

SCHEDULE.

The parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Coloured on Plan	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 1 2 22 1 0 36	Section No. 2 .. Awarua No. 4c No. 9	Red .. Blue ..	III III	Hautapu. Hautapu.

All in the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 21984, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above.

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-seventh day of August, 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 Section 28523, Block XVI, Opuha Survey District, Mount Peel 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 owners of the land hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Mount Peel Road Board, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, do by this notice hereby proclaim as taken for a road the land in Opuha 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. 0 2 18½	28523	XVI	Opuha ..	R. 8012	Red.

In the Canterbury 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-ninth day of August, 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 Kairourou No. 2 and Whenuakura D Blocks, Block I, Turanganui Survey District, Cook County.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1905," for a certain work, to wit, for the purpose of a public road in Kairourou No. 2 and Whenuakura D Blocks, Block I, Turanganui Survey District:

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

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

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. 0 0 15 5	Kairourou No. 2	I	Turanganui	R. 8001	Yellow
0 0 35	Whenuakura D	"	"	"	Pink.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above noted, 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-ninth day of August, 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 Puhatikotiko 1a, Block IV, Waikohu Survey District, Cook County.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1905," for a certain work, to wit, for the purposes of a road in Puhatikotiko 1A Block:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 1 2	Puhatikotiko 1a	IV	Waikohu	R 8043	Red.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of September, 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 in Block II, Greenvale Survey District, Tuapeka 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 of the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and of the Tuapeka County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Greenvale Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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. 0 2 21	Section 5 and part of closed road	II	Greenvale	R. 8029	Red.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of August, 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, Waipakura Survey District,
Mangawhero Road District.*

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and thirty-three, (c.) 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 XIV, Waipakura 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 anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim as stopped the road in Block XIV, Waipakura Survey District, hereinafter described.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Road to be closed.	Being through or on Frontage of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 2 32	Upokongaro No. 1	XIV	Waipakura	R. 823A	Green.

In the Wellington 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 thirty-first day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Resuming Land held under Occupation-with-right-of-purchase License for Scenery-preservation Purposes.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and twenty-five of "The Land Act, 1892" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor in Council may, by Proclamation, resume possession of any land leased under Part III of the said Act which in his opinion is required for any public purpose:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto is held under occupation-with-right-of-purchase license from His Majesty the King under Part III of the said Act: And whereas in the opinion of the Governor the land described in the Schedule hereto is required for a public purpose—that is to say, for scenery-preservation purposes:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and twenty-five of "The Land Act, 1892," and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in that behalf, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby proclaim and declare that I hereby resume possession of the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto for the public purpose hereinbefore mentioned, the same being held under license as aforesaid; and do also hereby proclaim and declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on the sixth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and six.

SCHEDULE.

Area of the Land resumed.	Being Section No.	Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Bordered on Plan
A. R. P. 389 0 0	1	XIV	Waiawa	S.G. 55734	Red.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above stated.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Tram-line across Estuary from Otataru to Invercargill.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of September, 1906.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Governor in Council did, on the thirtieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and six, approve of plan marked M.D. 2942 of a tram-line which the Invercargill Borough Council (hereinafter called "the Council") proposed to construct across the New River Estuary from Otataru to Invercargill, and did authorise the Council to construct the said tram-line:

And whereas it is desirable that the said Order in Council and the approval and authority thereby conferred should be revoked and determined, and that another plan should be approved, and that the construction of the tram-line in accordance therewith should be authorised:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by "The Harbours Act, 1878," and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby revoke and determine the said Order in Council of the thirtieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and six, and every right and privilege thereby conferred; and do hereby approve of plan marked M.D. 2995, in duplicate, showing a tram-line across the said estuary and the place where it is to be constructed; and doth authorise and license the Council to construct the said tram-line in accordance with such plan, and to use and occupy such part of the foreshore, tidal land, and tidal water necessary therefor, subject to the following terms and conditions, that is to say:—

1. The tram-line shall be for the use and benefit of the public.
2. The Council may make such charge for the use of the tram-line as may be approved by the Minister of Marine.
3. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by the Order in Council shall continue in force for fourteen years, computed from the date thereof; and the Council shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister of Marine first obtained.
4. The Council shall be liable for any damage or injury which the tram-line may cause to any person through any negligence or default on its part.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Setting apart Land under "The Workers' Dwellings Act, 1905."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of September, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the power and authority vested in me by section three of "The Workers' Dwellings Act, 1905," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby set apart the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of "The Workers' Dwellings Act, 1905," and its amendment, the said land being Crown land.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 24·8 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 817, City of Wellington. Bounded towards the north-east by the Town Belt; towards the south-east by Section No. 818; towards the south-west by Coromandel Street; and towards the north-west by Seddon Terrace and Section No. 816: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 19364, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring that the Kawhia County Council shall exercise the Powers of a Harbour Board in Kawhia Harbour, and defining the Limits of such Harbour.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of September, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is among other things provided by section two hundred and forty-two of "The Counties Act, 1886," that, in any place where there is no Harbour Board, the Governor, on the request of the Council of any county bordering on any estuary or arm of the sea, may, by Order in Council duly gazetted, declare that such Council shall, from a date to be fixed in such Order, exercise all the powers of a Harbour Board within such limits of such estuary or arm aforesaid as the Governor may define for that purpose:

And whereas the Council of the County of Kawhia, which borders on the estuary or arm of the sea known as Kawhia Harbour, in the Provincial District of Auckland, has requested that it may be declared that it shall exercise all the powers of a Harbour Board within that estuary or arm of the sea:

And whereas it is desirable that such request should be acceded to, and that the limits of such estuary or arm of the sea should be defined as hereinafter appears:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby declare that, from and after the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and six, the said Council shall exercise all the powers of a Harbour Board within the limits of the estuary or arm of the sea hereinafter set forth, and which said estuary or arm of the sea is called Kawhia Harbour:

And in further pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, His Excellency, with the advice and consent aforesaid, doth hereby define the limits of the said estuary or arm of the sea within which the Council of the County of Kawhia is to exercise the powers aforesaid as follows, that is to say:—

All that area in the Auckland Land District bounded as follows: Commencing at a point on high-water mark on the western boundary of Kawhia F No. 2, or Ngairo, Block V, Kawhia North Survey District, the said point being distant two nautical miles from Tauratahi Hill, on the southernmost extremity of Maketu No. 6096B; proceeding thence in a southerly direction along high-water mark to the entrance to Kawhia Harbour; thence along the high-water

mark of Kawhia Harbour, bounding lands in Blocks IX, X, VI, VII, XI, XV, and XIV, Kawhia North Survey District; Blocks II and I, Kawhia South Survey District; Block XIII, Kawhia North Survey District; Block XVI, Albatross Survey District; Blocks XIII and IX, Kawhia North Survey District, to the northernmost extremity of Parawai Native Township at the mouth of Kawhia Harbour; thence to a point on the western boundary of said Parawai Township, distant two nautical miles from the before-mentioned Tauratahi Hill; thence to seaward along the arc of a circle described by a radius of two nautical miles from said Tauratahi Hill to the commencing-point: including such areas of all streams and their tributaries discharging into the above-described area as are covered by the tidal waters of the sea at high water of ordinary spring tides: the said area being coloured red on the plan marked M.D. 2992, deposited in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Increasing the Holding-area of Land to Settlers in the Upper Makuri Village Settlement, Wellington Land District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of September, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council issued on the twenty-ninth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, under the authority of the one-hundred-and-sixty-ninth section of "The Land Act, 1892," fixing the terms and conditions upon which lands in the Upper Makuri Village Settlement, Wellington Land District, should be disposed of, it was provided that no lessee should hold more than one allotment in the said village settlement:

And whereas by an Order in Council issued on the twelfth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and one, it was provided that any settler in the said village settlement could apply for and acquire two allotments therein:

And whereas it is expedient to allow one person to hold more than two allotments in the said Upper Makuri Village Settlement, provided the total area so acquired does not exceed fifty acres:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby cancel and revoke the Order in Council of the twelfth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and one, and amend the Order in Council of the twenty-ninth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, in so far as it affects the number of allotments that may be held in the Upper Makuri Village Settlement, and doth by this present Order declare that on and after the date hereof any settler may apply for and acquire more than two allotments therein, provided that the total area acquired does not exceed fifty acres. And it is hereby further declared that all the provisions of the Order in Council of the twenty-ninth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, aforesaid, shall apply, except as regards the number of allotments that may be held, to the Upper Makuri Village Settlement 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 third day of September, 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:

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 lease, all that block or parcel of land particularised and set out in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, containing 660 acres, more or less, situate at the Chatham Islands, being part of the land known as the Otonga 1st No. 4 Block, bounded generally as follows: Commencing at a point on the Mangaehu Stream; thence on a bearing 161° 00' 00" for a distance of 14900 links to the public road; thence along the said road in a north-easterly direction 1961.5, 50.5, 439.8, 3381.3, and 309.5 links; thence on a bearing 168° 45' 00" for a distance of 15300 links to the Mangaehu Stream by other part of the said block; thence along the said stream to the commencing-point.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS application has been made to the Governor by the owner of the land described in the Schedule hereto, praying that the restrictions on the alienation of the said land contained in the Land Transfer certificate of title (Vol. 42, folio 269) bearing date the twenty-eighth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, may be removed: And whereas inquiry has been duly made by the Native Land Court, and the said Court has recommended that such restrictions be removed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the fifty-second section of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," and in accordance with the recommendation of the Native Land Court, doth hereby order and declare that all restrictions imposed by the said Land Transfer certificate of title on the alienation of the said land are hereby removed.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing 21 acres and 16 perches, more or less, being a portion of the land known as Section No. 7, Harbour District (Ngahauranga Reserve), and comprised in certificate of title (Vol. 42, folio 269) of the Register-book of the Wellington District, in favour of Taare Waitara, and containing the following restrictions: "Inalienable by sale or mortgage, or by lease for more than twenty-one years."

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

J. CARROLL,
Native Minister.

Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS application has been made to the Governor by the owner of the land described in the Schedule hereto, praying that the restrictions on the alienation of the said land contained in the Land Transfer certificate of title (Vol. 8, folio 107) bearing date the nineteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, and now contained in partition order of the Native Land Court

dated the twenty-fourth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and two, may be removed: And whereas inquiry has been duly made by the Native Land Court, and the said Court has recommended that such restrictions be removed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the fifty-second section of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," and in accordance with the recommendation of the Native Land Court, doth hereby order and declare that all restrictions imposed by the said Land Transfer certificate of title and partition order of the Native Land Court on the alienation of the said land are hereby removed.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Mangahao Survey District, in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing 17 acres and 26 perches, more or less, known as Lot 6a of Section 115, Tutakara Native Reserve, being the land comprised in partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 24th day of October, 1902, in favour of Takana Rangimauriora, and containing the following restrictions: "Inalienable by sale or mortgage except to the Crown, or by lease beyond twenty-one years, in possession and not in reversion, and without fine, premium, or foregift, or agreement or covenant for renewal or for purchase at a future time, except with the consent of the Governor."

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

J. CARROLL,
Native Minister.

Volunteer Regulations amended.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by "The Defence Act, 1886," and "The Defence Act Amendment Act, 1900," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby amend in the manner and to the extent set forth in the Schedule hereto such of the General Regulations of the Defence Force of New Zealand, made on the eighth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the same date, as are set forth in the said Schedule. And I do hereby declare that such amended regulations shall come into force on the third day of September, one thousand nine hundred and six.

SCHEDULE.

TRAVELLING-EXPENSES AND TRAVELLING-ALLOWANCES.

REGULATION 365.—After the word "paid," on the eighteenth line, add: "The allowance for half-day on day of return can only be drawn after the claimant has been absent for one full day of twenty-four hours, and arrives at his headquarters after 6 p.m. on the day of return. No claim for meals on day of return will be allowed if the claimant arrived at his headquarters before 8 a.m. If his arrival be after 8 a.m., then an allowance for one meal will be granted; if after 1 p.m., then an allowance for two meals. Claimants who leave their headquarters late in the afternoon, and arrive back at their headquarters on following day before noon, will be entitled to actual reasonable and necessary expenses for dinner, bed, and breakfast. In cases where the half-day's allowance is not payable, then the claimant will (if necessary) be allowed a reasonable sum for cartage or portage."

CADET VOLUNTEERS.

Regulation 505.—Delete all the words after "members," on the fifth line, and substitute the following:—"In lieu of taking the oath of allegiance, every cadet shall, prior to enrolment, make affirmation in the following form, namely: 'I, A. B., do solemnly, sincerely, and truly declare and affirm that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King Edward the Seventh, and that I will faithfully serve in the Cadet Volunteer Force of the colony until I shall be lawfully discharged.'"

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

ALBERT PITT,
Minister of Defence.

Changing the Purpose of a Portion of a Reserve in Canterbury Land District.

SCHEDULE.

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of a reserve heretofore duly set apart for plantation purposes, being a reserve within Class I of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," and such land has not been vested in trust in any society, body corporate, or trustees:

And whereas it is expedient that such land shall be appropriated for a public recreation-ground, being a reserve within Class III of the aforesaid Act:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the second section of "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1889," do by this notification declare that the said reserve shall, from and after the sixth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and six, be appropriated for a public recreation-ground under Class III of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881"; and I do hereby direct that this notification shall be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing 138 acres, more or less, being Reserve No. 3731 (formerly portion of Reserve No. 1579), situated in Blocks XII and XVI, Rangiora Survey District. Bounded towards the north by the road forming the southern boundary of Reserve No. 3728; towards the east by the Beach Reserve, 2000 links distant from the high-water mark of the ocean; towards the south by Reserve No. 3658; and towards the west generally by the Saltwater Creek, the south-east and north-east boundaries of Section No. 13686, road-lines forming north-west boundary of same, and north-east boundaries of Sections Nos. 22535 and 22534, also by the south-west and south-east boundaries of Section No. 11323 (11361) to the commencing-point: as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked S.G. 25226/36, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Rural Lands in Wellington 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 described in the Schedule hereto are hereby set apart for disposal by way of sale or selection on and after the thirtieth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and six, at the respective prices specified in the said Schedule.

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 described in the said Schedule hereto shall be deemed to be "heavy-bush land."

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

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Second-class Heavy Bush Land.

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

				A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Wanganui	Tauakira	..	1	XVI	328	0	0	17	6	287	0	0	0	10	5	7	3	6	0	8	4	5	14	9

Situated in the northern portion of the Tauakira Block, on the eastern side of the watershed between Wanganui and Wangaeahu Rivers. Access from Wanganui, about twenty-nine miles distant, via Field's Track, Parehauhau, Te Komai, and Mangawhahi Roads, which are formed for dray traffic for about twenty miles. Of the remaining distance, five miles is formed bridle-track, and the balance surveyed road only. Comprises rough hilly land, with a few small flats; good soil, resting on papa formation; fairly heavy forest of tawa, rata, hinau, tawhero, rewarewa, together with some rimu and kahikatea, and a thick undergrowth of the usual kind. Watered by small streams. Elevation, from about 1,000 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level.

Kiwitea	..	Umutoi	..	7	IV	200	0	0	15	0	150	0	0	0	9	3	15	0	0	7	2	3	0	0
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Situated in the Umutoi Block, and fronts the Conspicuous Road. Access from Apiti Township, about seven miles distant—five miles and a half by Apiti-Rangiwahia Main Road, formed and metalled; remainder by Conspicuous Road, formed for dray traffic to within half a mile of the section; the last half-mile is passable for horse traffic. Comprises rough, broken country; has rather a bad frontage, but improves towards the back; soil rather inferior, light quality, resting on papa formation; fairly heavy forest, comprising birch, white-pine, hinau, maire, and tawhero, with a sprinkling of rimu, miro, matai, and a thick undergrowth of the usual variety. Well watered by springs and small streams. "Thirds" will accrue for a period of fourteen years and a half.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Rural Lands in Auckland 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 described in the Schedules hereto are hereby set apart for disposal by way of sale or selection on and after the thirtieth 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 described in the First Schedule hereto shall be deemed to be "heavy-bush land," the lands in the Second Schedule shall be deemed to be "light-bush land," and the lands in the Third 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 four years in the case of heavy bush land, 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 four years in the case of heavy-bush land, 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.

AUCKLAND 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 Heavy-bush Land.

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Waikato ..	Taupiri Parish	497	..	..	456	0	0	0	13	0	296	8	0	0	7	8
" ..	"	501	..	..	522	0	0	0	13	0	339	6	0	0	7	8
" ..	"	502	..	..	609	0	0	0	13	0	395	17	0	0	7	8

Altitude, from 100 ft. to 1,400 ft. above sea-level. Access from Ohinewai Railway-station, twelve to fourteen miles by road open for cart traffic to Section 497. Section 497 comprises two-thirds forest, consisting of rata, rimu, tawa, kohekohe; balance open fern ridges and generally rather broken; homestead-site can be got near the road; soil, clay on open ridges and good bush-loam in the forest. Section 501 nearly all broken forest country of fair quality; bush-loam; forest comprises rata, rimu, tawa, and kohekohe. Section 502 comprises three-fourths bush, balance open fern and manuka; a few acres flat land near river, but chiefly broken land; soil, fairly good; bush-loam, but inferior on some of the spurs; bush varies from light to heavy, consisting of rata, rimu, and manuka, with undergrowth of mangatea and mongemonge. These sections are all well watered.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Second-class Light-bush Land.

Waikato ..	Taupiri Parish	499	..	..	563	0	0	0	13	0	365	19	0	0	7	8
" ..	"	505	..	..	517	0	0	0	13	0	336	1	0	0	7	8

Altitude, from 100 ft. to 1,400 ft. above sea-level. Access from Ohinewai Railway-station, eleven to thirteen miles by car-road (about four miles yet unformed to Section 505, but accessible by old Maori tracks). Sections comprise about one-third forest, consisting of rata, rimu, tawa, and kohekohe; balance open fern and manuka country. Section 505 has a few acres swamp. Generally undulating to broken land, and well watered by small streams.

THIRD SCHEDULE.

Second-class Scrub Land.

Waikato ..	Taupiri Parish	498	..	..	259	0	0	0	13	0	168	7	0	0	7	8
" ..	"	507	..	..	684	0	0	0	13	0	444	12	0	0	7	8
" ..	"	510	..	..	474	0	0	0	13	0	308	2	0	0	7	8
" ..	"	511	..	..	442	3	0	0	13	0	287	15	9	0	7	8
" ..	"	512	..	..	301	2	35	0	13	0	196	2	3	0	7	8

Altitude, from 100 ft. to 600 ft. above sea-level. Access from Ohinewai Railway-station, by road open for cart traffic to Sections 498 and 511, and nearly so to Sections 507, 510, and 512. Section 498 comprises 40 acres flat near the river, balance undulating to broken; soil, alluvial near river, with clay on spurs and ridges; small patches of mixed bush in gullies; well watered. Section 507, about 600 acres open fern and manuka land, balance patches of light bush and flax, and raupo swamp; some flats along stream on each side, balance undulating to broken. Section 510, a few acres light mixed bush, balance open fern and manuka, with patches of flax and raupo; swamp of good quality; sufficiently watered. Sections 511 and 512, open undulating country, with patches of swamp and clumps of light bush on Section 511; soil, rather inferior quality; sufficiently watered.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.
OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
TOWN LANDS.			
<i>Town of Bannockburn.</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
6	X	0 1 0	5 0 0
7	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
8	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
9	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
10	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
11	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
12	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
13	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
14	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
<i>Town of Ranfurly.</i>			
10	V	0 1 0	5 0 0
11	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
12	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
13	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
14	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
15	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
16	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
17	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
18	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
19	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
20	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
21	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
22	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
23	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
24	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
25	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
26	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
27	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
28	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
29	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
30	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
31	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
7	VI	0 1 0	5 0 0
9	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
10	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
11	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
12	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
13	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
14	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
15	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
16	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
17	"	0 0 28	3 10 0
18	"	0 0 28	3 10 0
19	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
20	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
21	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
22	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
23	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
24	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
25	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
26	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
27	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
28	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
29	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
30	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
31	"	0 1 0	5 0 0

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
32	VI	0 1 0	5 0 0
33	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
34	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
35	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
36	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
37	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
6	VII	0 0 38	4 15 0
7	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
9	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
11	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
13	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
14	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
15	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
16	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
17	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
18	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
19	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
20	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
21	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
22	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
23	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
24	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
25	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
26	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
10	VIII	0 1 0	5 0 0
11	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
12	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
13	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
14	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
15	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
16	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
17	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
18	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
19	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
20	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
21	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
22	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
23	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
24	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
25	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
26	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
27	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
28	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
29	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
30	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
31	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
1	IX	0 1 0	5 0 0
2	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
3	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
4	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
5	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
6	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
7	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
8	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
9	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
10	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
11	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
12	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
13	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
14	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
15	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
16	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
17	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
18	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
19	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
6	XII	0 1 0	5 0 0
8	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
10	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
12	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
13	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
14	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
15	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
16	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
17	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
18	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
19	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
20	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
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22	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
23	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
24	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
25	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
26	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
27	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
28	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
29	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
30	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
31	"	0 1 0	5 0 0

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
RURAL LANDS.			
<i>Maniōtoto Survey District.</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
32	XVI	0 1 16	0 14 0
33	"	0 1 39	0 19 9
34	"	1 1 19	2 14 9
35	"	0 3 7	1 11 9
36	"	0 1 39	0 19 9
37	"	0 2 2	1 0 6
38	"	0 3 16	1 14 0
39	"	0 2 3	1 0 9
41	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
42	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
43	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
44	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
45	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
46	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
47	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
48	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
49	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
50	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
51	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
52	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
53	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
54	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
56	"	0 2 0	1 0 0
57	"	1 0 22	2 5 6
58	"	0 3 29	1 17 3

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Land temporarily reserved in the Otago Land District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 2,358 acres 3 roods 31 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 8, 9, 11, and 12, Block XII, Glenkenich Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Sections Nos. 78 and 72A of Block XI, Glenkenich Survey District, the crossing of a public road, and by Section No. 72 of the said Block XI; towards the east by a public road, by Sections Nos. 4, 1, and 5, Block XII, Rangleburn Survey District, and by the road reserve along the left bank of the Pomahaka River; towards the south by the last-mentioned road reserve; and towards the west by Section No. 10 of Block XII, Glenkenich Survey District, by a road reserve, the crossing of same, and by Section No. 3 of the said Block XII: exclusive of road reserves which intersect the above-described area: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 43888A/312, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For the growth and preservation of timber.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Land temporarily reserved in the Hawke's Bay Land District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Hawke's Bay Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purpose in the said Schedule specified at the end of the description of the land so intended to be temporarily reserved.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 1,628 acres, more or less, being Section No. 5, Block XIV, Hikurangi Survey District. Bounded towards the north generally by a forest reserve; towards the north-east by Section No. 3, Block XIV, Hikurangi Survey District; towards the south generally by Huairua No. 2 Block; and towards the west generally by Crown lands and a road reserve along the left bank of the Waitahaia River and the Ruatahunga Stream: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 55750, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For an endowment for primary education.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned persons 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.
SAMUEL URE MACAULAY	Whangarei.
MAUD KNIGHT	Kuaotunu.

ALBERT PITT,
Colonial Secretary.

Engineer in Charge, Rotorua, appointed.

Department of Tourist and Health Resorts,
Wellington, 1st September, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

LAWRENCE BIRKS

to be Engineer in Charge at Rotorua. The appointment to date from the 1st August, 1906.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Tourist and Health Resorts.

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

Native Minister's Office,
Wellington, 29th August, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable SAMUEL KIDD, of Hawkesbury,

to be official member of the Ariteuru District Maori Council under the provisions of "The Maori Councils Act, 1900," vice William John Burrows, removed.

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.

Judge of the Native Land Court appointed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 30th August, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES EDWARD MACCORMICK, Esq., Barrister and Solicitor, of Auckland,

to be a Judge of the Native Land Court, as from the 27th day of August, 1906.

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.

Judge of the Native Land Court appointed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 30th August, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WALTER EDWARD RAWSON, Esq., Barrister and Solicitor, of Wellington,

to be a Judge of the Native Land Court, as from the 27th day of August, 1906.

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.

Judge of the Native Land Court appointed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 30th August, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT CAMPBELL SIM, Esq., Registrar, Native Land Court, Wellington,

to be a Judge of the Native Land Court, as from the 27th day of August, 1906.

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.

Judge of the Native Land Court appointed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 30th August, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES WAKELIN BROWNE, Esq., Registrar, Native Land Court, Auckland,

to be a Judge of the Native Land Court, as from the 27th day of August, 1906.

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.

Registrar of the Native Land Court, Auckland, appointed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALBERT GEORGE HOLLAND, Esq., Deputy Registrar, Native Land Court, Auckland,

to be Registrar of the Native Land Court at Auckland, as from the 1st day of September, 1906.

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.

Deputy Registrar of the Native Land Court, Wellington, appointed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ERNEST ALFRED WELCH, Esq., Clerk to the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court,

to be Deputy Registrar of the Native Land Court at Wellington, as from the 1st day of September, 1906.

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.

Gaoler appointed.

Department of Justice (Prisons Branch),
Wellington, 23rd August, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

SIDNEY GEORGE MILLINGTON

to be Gaoler of H.M. Prison at New Plymouth, *vice* Bartholomew Lloyd O'Brien.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

Official Visitor, Auckland Mental Hospital, appointed.

Hospitals Department,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ANNIE ELEANOR ARMITAGE

to be an Official Visitor of the Mental Hospital at Auckland, under "The Lunatics Act, 1882," and "The Lunatics Act Amendment Act, 1894."

GEO. FOWLDS,
Minister in Charge of Hospitals.

Cadet in Department of Labour appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 30th August, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FRANCIS SAMUEL ROSETTI SMITH ORR

to be a cadet in the Department of Labour.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Labour.

Member of Surveyors' Board resigned, and Successor appointed.

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

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

THOMAS WARD

as a member of the Surveyors' Board, and to appoint

PETER EDWARD CHEAL

to the vacancy on the Board, under the provisions of "The New Zealand Institute of Surveyors and Board of Examiners Act, 1900."

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Hastwell Domain Board resigned.

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

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

GEORGE WILLIAMS

as a member of the Hastwell Domain Board.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Waikino Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 1st September, 1906.

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

ARTHUR PAXTON WYLDE

to be a member of the Waikino Domain Board, in the place of Frederick Alfred Jones, resigned.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Volunteer Officer promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 1st September, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 82, General Regulations of the Defence Force of New Zealand, 1906, of the promotion of the undermentioned officer:—

1st Battalion, North Canterbury Mounted Rifle Volunteers.
Lieutenant (Adjutant) George Augustus King to be Captain.
Date of commission, 6th June, 1906.

ALBERT PITT,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 1st September, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal to

No. 39, Sergeant GEORGE MELDRUM, Wellington Highland Rifle Volunteers,

he having a total service up to 8th August, 1906, entitling him thereto of twenty years and fourteen days.

ALBERT PITT,
Minister of Defence.

Appointment of Trustees, Lyttelton Rifle Range Reserves.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 29th August, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, under "The Defence Act, 1886," "The Defence Act Amendment Act, 1900," and regulations thereunder, of the appointment of

Lieutenant-Colonel ARTHUR BAUCHOP, C.M.G., New Zealand Militia, Officer Commanding Canterbury Military District;

Major CHARLES JAMES COOPER, Canterbury Divisional Staff, New Zealand Garrison Artillery Volunteers;

Captain WILLIAM PATRICK WALL, Royal New Zealand Artillery, Commanding Lyttelton Detachment, Permanent Force; and

Captain CHARLES GEORGE FOSTER, No. 5 Company, New Zealand Garrison Artillery Volunteers,

as Trustees of the Lyttelton Rifle Range Reserves, being Reserve No. 276, containing 10 acres, more or less, situate in the Borough of Lyttelton, Canterbury Land District. Bounded on the north by the ridge running down from Mount Pleasant; on the west by Section No. 1963; on the east by Reserve No. 205; and on the south by Section No. 258. Also part of Rural Section No. 258, situate in the Borough of Lyttelton, Canterbury Land District, containing 15 acres, more or less. Commencing at the south-east angle of the section, and following along the southern boundary of the same, 6 chains 8 links; thence in a straight line in a northerly direction, 20 chains 2 links, to a point on the northern boundary of the said section; thence easterly along that boundary, 10 chains 70 links, to the north-east angle thereof; thence along the eastern boundary thereof, 6 chains 23 links, to the Sumner Road, and returning along that road to the commencing-point.

Appointments to date from 21st August, 1906.

ALBERT PITT,
Minister of Defence.

Special Order made by the Council of the County of Wairarapa South.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 31st August, 1906.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

WAIRARAPA SOUTH COUNTY COUNCIL.
Special Order striking Special Rate.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Wairarapa South County Council hereby resolves as fol-

lows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £150, authorised to be raised by the Wairarapa South County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for reducing the grade of a cutting on the Kokotau Road, in the Parkvale Riding of the Wairarapa South County, and also for the payment of any preliminary expenses incurred in connection with the scheme for which the loan is to be raised, hereby makes and levies a special rate of 4d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Kokotau Hill Regrading Special-rating District, comprising Sections 1/5 (Opukiaio), Sections 342 and 346 inclusive, and Sections 296, all in Block XV, Tiffin Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of July and the 1st day of January in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off. Interest on the said loan to be at the rate of 4 per centum per annum.

I certify that the foregoing special order was adopted by the Wairarapa South County Council at a properly convened special meeting held the 28th day of July, 1906, and duly confirmed at a subsequent meeting held the 28th day of August, 1906.

In witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my signature, and the common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Wairarapa South, this 28th day of August, 1906.

THOS. MOORE,
Acting Chairman.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 31st August, 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. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL ORDER made on the 15th day of December, 1905; confirmed on the 19th day of January, 1906:—

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Cook County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £300, authorised to be raised by the Cook County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for forming and metalling Harper's or College Road, the said Cook County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 4d. in the pound on the rateable value of all rateable property of the College Road Loan District, comprising Lot 7 of Whataupoko 8; part of Whataupoko 8 (49 acres and 32 perches); Lot 5, Whataupoko 8; Lot 4, Whataupoko 8; part 33, Makauri (14 acres and 2 perches); Lot 43, Mission Estate, Waerengaahika; part 45, Mission Estate, Waerengaahika (28 acres); Lot 1, Whataupoko 8; part 33, Makauri (43 acres 2 rods); 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.

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

JOHN WARREN.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1906.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

HAWERA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Mangatoki Riding Supplementary Loan, £850; Okaiawa Riding Loan, £1,050.

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

1. That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £850, authorised to be raised by the Hawera County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, to supplement the original loan of £1,650, also raised under the said Act, to defray the Mangatoki Riding's share of the cost of rebuilding or building the undermentioned bridges, such supplementary loan to be allotted as follows—

	Allocation.	
	Original Loan, £1,650.	Supplementary Loan, £850.
Public work,—	£	£
Mangatoki Bridge, Eltham Road ..	300	155
Waingongoro Bridge, Eltham Road	200	10
Mangatoki Bridge, Hastings Road	325	100
Kapuni Bridge, Eltham Road ..	375	345
Inaha Bridge, Skeet Road ..	50	..
Kapuni Bridge, Skeet Road ..	170	115
Waingongoro Bridge, Stuart Road	200	125
Contingencies	30	..
	£1,650	£850

the said Hawera County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the whole of the rateable and hereafter to become rateable property within the Mangatoki Riding of the Hawera County; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 15th day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off; and that the interest to be paid is at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum.

2. That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,050, authorised to be raised by the said Council, under the before-mentioned Act, for the following works:—

	Allocation.
	£
Public work,—	
To construct Ahaipaipa Road from Main South Road to junction with Scott Road ..	350
To provide Okaiawa Riding's share of the cost of erecting the following bridges—	
Kapuni Bridge, Skeet Road	285
Waingongoro Bridge, Main South Road ..	375
Contingencies	40
	£1,050

the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the whole of the rateable and hereafter to become rateable property within the Okaiawa Riding of the said county; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 15th day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off; and that the interest to be paid is at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum.

3. That the interest and sinking fund in respect of the above loans, or any addition thereto, shall be paid out of the general fund of the Hawera County Council and be charged to the respective ridings.

I hereby certify that the special order was made at a special meeting on the 19th day of May, 1906, and duly confirmed on the 30th day of June, 1906.

C. A. BUDGE,
Clerk.

Notice to Mariners No. 69 of 1906.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 29th August, 1906.

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

J. A. MILLAR.

AFRICA.

CAPE COLONY.—A yellow flag having a black ball in the centre has been adopted as the immigration flag at all ports within the colony. This flag, hoisted at the stay by vessels arriving in port, denotes that the exam. of passengers by the Immigration Officer is being carried out, and that no person

not provided with a permit, or duly authorised by the Immigration Office, is, under penalty, allowed on board that vessel.

INDIAN OCEAN.

Sunken Wrecks.

CEYLON.—COLOMBO HARB. APPROACH.—On 21st April the s.s. "Kazan," in approx. 6° 41' N., 79° 52½' E., on the Nilkete Rks., in the approach to the harb., forms a prominent object from seaward, and, as the vessel is unlikely to disappear quickly, she will be useful as a nav. aid for some time.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO.

PULO PENANG.—PULO RIMAU LT.—This lt. has been altered from F. to an occ. red lt., vis. 17½ secs., ecl. 2½ secs., elev. 129 ft. above H.W., R. 13 miles, exh. from an iron lt.-h. 57 ft. high, on a masonry base, in 5° 14' N., 100° 16½' E., on the ern. side of the isl., 1½ cables N. 12° E. from its srn. pt.

CHINA SEA, ETC.

CHUSAN ARCHIP.—TONGTING ISL.—A group-fl. lt., showing groups of 4 fls., is to be exh. from a lt.-h. now in course of constr. on the isl. About 1st May, 1906, a provis. group-occ. white lt., with groups of 4 ecls. every 30 secs.—lt. 16 secs., ecl. 2 secs.; lt. 2 secs., ecl. 2 secs.; lt. 2 secs., ecl. 2 secs.; lt. 2 secs., ecl. 2 secs.—elev. 180 ft. above H.W., R. 10 miles, was to be exh. in 29° 51½' N., 122° 35½' E., from the summit of the isl. A fog-sig. is also to be est. on this isl.

Cooper Bank lt.-boat (32° 5' N., 120° 10' E.) has been moved 6½ cables S. 74° W., and moored in 21 ft. L.W., on the edge of the bank forming the wrn. side of Kiushan Chan. It now marks the port side of the chan. for vessels bound up river.

On 1st July, 1906, a red lt.-v., exh. an occ. white lt. every 10 secs. (U.)—lt. 5 secs., ecl. 5 secs.—elev. 35 ft., R. 11 miles, is to be est. in 34° 24½' N., 121° 56½' E., about 3 miles N. 83° W. from Drinkwater Pt. lt. and bell buoy. A bell, rung by the motion of the vessel, will be suspended on board. On the est. of the above lt.-v. the group-fl. white lt. on Drinkwater Pt. and Drinkwater Pt. lt. and bell buoy are to be disc.

PACIFIC OCEAN.

Ellice Islands.

NANOMANA ISL.—A bank carrying 7 fms., about ¼ a mile long N.-ely. and S.-wly. and 2 cables broad, on which rollers were observed, is reported to exist 2 miles N. 3° E. from the N. pt. of Nanomana Isl. It has been charted in approx. 6° 15½' S., 176° 20½' E., and marked P.D.

NORTH AMERICA.

West Coast.

JUAN DE FUCA STRAIT.—A series of fish-traps, extending from 1½ to 2 miles from the shore, are in course of erection in Juan de Fuca Strait, off the S. coast of Vancouver Isl., between Sooke Inlet and Port San Juan (48° 33' N., 123° 44' W.). It is not stated whether these erections are above water or not, but mariners are warned to keep clear of them.

The fog-bell, rung by hand, on Berens Isl., is replaced by a fog-bell, struck by machinery once every 5 secs., elev. 20 ft. above H.W., est. in a white square wooden building, in 48° 25½' N., 123° 24' W.

SOOKE INLET.—An F. white lt. (U.), elev. 18 ft. above H.W., R. 5 miles, is exh. from a wooden pole in 48° 21½' N., 123° 44' W., on the ern. extr. of Whiffen Spit. This lt., which is for the guidance of fishermen, is to be exh. annually from 1st March to 31st October.

NANAIMO HARB.—A fog-bell, sounding 1 stroke every 5 secs., elev. 20 ft. above H.W., is est. in a white square wooden building, in 49° 10' N., 123° 55' W., on Gallows Pt., harb. entr.; it has been charted on the srn. extr. of the pt.

ADMIRALTY CHART that has received large corrections:—
No. 2528. New Zealand, N. Isl., Sheet IV, Poverty Bay to Castlepoint.

Notice to Mariners No. 70 of 1906.

WAIRAU BAR.—MOORING-BUOY LAID.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 3rd September, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that a black mooring-buoy has been placed off the mouth of the Wairau River, for the purpose of heaving vessels off the bar should they ground there at any time. The buoy lies in three and a half fathoms of water at low-water springs, and bears from the shallow part of the bar N.N.E., distant 130 fathoms, and from flagstaff N. by W., distant one mile.

Admiralty Charts, &c., affected: New Zealand Chart, Sheet V, No. 2054; Cook Strait Chart, No. 695.

J. A. MILLAR.

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.

Tenders.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 1st September, 1906.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

ERECTION OF WATAROA BRIDGE, WESTLAND.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Fitzgerald and Bignell, Greymouth	..	10,992	5	0
<i>Declined.</i>				
Fraser, G. M., Alexandra S.	..	11,310	0	0
Dillon, T., Greymouth	..	12,304	14	0
Mouat, W. G., Greymouth	..	12,879	8	4

Notifying Land in the Auckland Land District subject to “The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900.”

Office of Board of Land Purchase Commissioners,
Wellington, 30th August, 1906.

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

SCHEDULE.

TEASDALE SETTLEMENT.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Auckland Land District, situate in the Mangapiko Parish, Waipa County, containing by admeasurement 179 acres 2 roods 5 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north generally by the Mangapiko and Mangaioi Rivers; towards the south-east by the road which passes through the Village of Te Awamutu, 1620 links and 730 links, and by another road on the boundary of Section 236, 142 links and 3840 links; and again towards the south-west by a road, 1796 links; and towards the north-west by a road-line, 2320 links and 1100 links, to the Mangapiko River, the starting-point: as the same is more particularly delineated upon the plan marked L. & S. 19345, deposited in the Head Office of the Lands and Survey Department, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged with red.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
Wellington, 30th August, 1906.

THE Waihi United Friendly Societies' Hospital Conference Friendly Society, situated at Waihi, Thames, is registered as a friendly society, under “The Friendly Societies Act, 1882,” this 30th day of August, 1906.

C. T. BENZONI,
Deputy Registrar of Friendly Societies.

New Zealand.—“Friendly Societies Act, 1882.”—Cancelling of Registry.

Name of society: The Auckland Labourers' Accident Fund Association. Register No. 299.

THE registration of the above-mentioned society is hereby cancelled at the request of the trustees, on the ground that the association is defunct, as there are no funds, no members, and no meetings have been held since the association quitted all their liabilities.

C. T. BENZONI,
Deputy Registrar.

Wellington, 3rd September, 1906.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
Wellington, 4th September, 1906.

THE Court Pride of Waitaki, No. 6533, situated at Kurow, Otago, is registered as a branch of the United Otago District of the Ancient Order of Foresters Friendly Society, under “The Friendly Societies Act, 1882,” this 4th day of September, 1906.

C. T. BENZONI,
Deputy Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Commissioner's Decisions under Tariff Acts.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 4th September, 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.
06/1410. “Bakerine,” Barrett's, composed of malt ground with other grain; as grain, ground, &c.	Is the 100lb
06/1329. Boot-extension for shortened or deformed leg; as surgical appliances	Free.
06/1122. Brass lashing-eyes; as brass manufactures n.o.e.	20 per cent.
06/1141. Brass sheets or plates, polished on one or both sides; as a. & m.s.	Free.
06/1218. Camera obscura; as n.o.e.	Free.
06/1427. China, porcelain, or parianware figures, busts, or groups; as parianware (item 130)	20 per cent.
06/1153. Coat-linings, tailors' striped, containing less than half silk; as textiles other than cotton or silk	20 per cent.
06/1362. “Coloritan”; as dye-stuffs and dyeing materials, crude	Free.
*06/1141. Copper sheets or plates, polished on one or both sides (see page 63 of Decision-book); as a. & m.s.	Free.
06/1188. “Emdeca” zinc wall and ceiling tiles; as zinc tiles	20 per cent.
06/1311. Felt pads for polishing boots; as n.o.e.	Free.
06/1330. “Kremesine salinate blend”; as water-hardening chemicals for brewers' use	..
06/1139. Labels, canvas printed; as stationery, manufactured (labels)	25 per cent.
06/1266. Paint, buggy, Sherwin and Williams's; as paints mixed ready for use	5s. the cwt.
06/1223. Plaster, granite silica; as n.o.e.	Free.
06/1354. Patterns, iron pulley; as manufactures n.o.e. of metal	20 per cent.
06/1419. Rusks; as biscuits o.k.	2d. the lb.
06/1318. Sateen sleeve-linings, checked, 39 in. and over; as a. & m.s.	Free.
06/1269. Swansdown, bleached or unbleached; as bootmakers' linings	Free.
06/1389. Tramways, points and crossings for; as rails	Free.
06/1169. Ventilating-fans; as blowers	Free.

W. T. GLASGOW,
Secretary and Inspector.

Commissioner's Order No. 819.]

Tenders for Castor-oil for New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department (Head Office), Wellington, 27th August, 1906.

THE undermentioned successful and unsuccessful tender-rates for the supply of 24,000 gallons of castor-oil for the New Zealand railways are published for general information.

T. RONAYNE,
General Manager, New Zealand Railways.

Tenderer.	Place of Delivery.	Rate per Gallon.		Remarks.
		s.	d.	
Murray, Roberts, and Co.	Auckland, Wellington, Lyttelton, and P't Chalmers	2	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	Accepted.
National Mortgage and Agency Com- pany	Ditto	2	9	Declined.
Mason, Struthers, and Co.	"	2	9 $\frac{1}{4}$	"
Ashby, Bergh, and Co.	"	2	9 $\frac{3}{8}$	"
Neill and Co.	"	2	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	"
Gollin and Co.	"	2	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	"
Briscoe and Co.	"	2	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	"

Tenders for Linseed-oils for New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department (Head Office), Wellington, 27th August, 1906.

THE undermentioned successful and unsuccessful tender-rates for the supply of boiled and raw linseed-oils for the New Zealand railways are published for general information.

T. RONAYNE,
General Manager, New Zealand Railways.

Tenderer.	Place of Delivery.	Rate per Gallon.		Remarks.
		Boiled.	Raw.	
J. Duthie and Co.	Auckland, Wellington, Lyttelton, and P't Chalmers	2 2 $\frac{5}{8}$	2 1 $\frac{5}{8}$	Accepted.
H. Quane and Co.	Ditto	2 2 $\frac{5}{8}$	2 1 $\frac{5}{8}$	"
Smith and Smith	"	2 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 2 $\frac{1}{2}$	Declined.
National Mortgage and Agency Com- pany	"	2 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 2	"
Murray, Roberts, and Co.	"	2 3	2 1	"

Tenders for Clock for New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department (Head Office), Wellington, 27th August, 1906.

THE undermentioned successful and unsuccessful tender-prices for supply and erection of a clock at new railway-station, Dunedin, are published for general information.

T. RONAYNE,
General Manager, New Zealand Railways.

Tenderer.	Price.	Remarks.
W. Littlejohn and Son	£ s. d. 179 0 0	Accepted.
J. Hislop	190 10 0	Declined.
A. W. MacArthur	220 0 0	"

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in Taranaki Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 3rd September, 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.	District.	Formerly held by	Tenure.	Reason for Forfeiture.
8	XIV	Aria	A. Lindsay	L.I.P.	Non-improvement.
5	XIII	Waro	L. M. Hutchins	"	Selector's request.
5	I	Mimi	J. A. McEldowney	O.R.P.	"
1	III	Mahoe	A. Baker	"	"
7	XV	Omona	G. H. and J. Clark	"	"
1	III	Opaku	Jos. Iorns, jun.	"	Non-execution of license.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Lands in Huinga Settlement, Taranaki Land District, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands Office,
New Plymouth, 4th September, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Thursday, the 4th day of October, 1906, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

If more than one application is received for the same section on the same day, the order of selection shall be decided by ballot at the Courthouse, Stratford, on Saturday, the 6th day of October, 1906, at 10 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—STRATFORD COUNTY.—HUINGA SETTLEMENT.

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

GROUP A.

NGAIRE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Dairy Farms.

Subdivision 1.

A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
20	VIII	168 0 0	15	0	{	63	0 0
					(a)	7	16 0

Subdivision 2.

21	VIII	99 0 0	13	3	{	32	15 11
					(b)	7	16 0

Subdivision 3.

22	VIII	193 0 0	12	3	{	59	2 2
					(c)	7	19 11

Subdivision 4.

23	VIII	162 0 0	15	3	{	61	15 3
					(d)	7	16 0

Subdivision 5.

24	VIII	161 0 0	11	9	{	47	5 11
					(e)	8	2 2

GROUP B.

NGAIRE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Ordinary Farms.

Subdivision 1.

26	VIII	320 0 0	11	9		94	0 0
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Subdivision 2.

25	VIII	186 0 0	10	9		49	19 9
27	"	188 0 0	9	9		45	16 6
28	"	185 0 0	10	9	{	49	14 5
					(f)	12	9 7

OMONA SURVEY DISTRICT.

7	V	222 0 0	11	9		65	4 3
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(a) Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £200, repayable in twenty-one years by half-yearly instalments of £7 16s. Total half-yearly payment, £70 16s.

(b) Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £200, repayable in twenty-one years by half-yearly instalments of £7 16s. Total half-yearly payment, £40 11s. 11d.

(c) Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £205, repayable in twenty-one years by half-yearly instalments of £7 19s. 11d. Total half-yearly payment, £67 2s. 1d.

(d) Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £200, repayable in twenty-one years by half-yearly instalments of £7 16s. Total half-yearly payment, £69 11s. 3d.

(e) Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £208, repayable in twenty-one years by half-yearly instalments of £8 2s. 2d. Total half-yearly payment, £55 8s. 1d.

(f) Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £320, repayable in twenty-one years by half-yearly instalments of £12 9s. 7d. Total half-yearly payment, £62 4s.

FRANCIS SIMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-runs in Dyer Settlement, Wellington Land District, open for Lease.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 8th August, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that applications for leases of the undermentioned small grazing-runs for a term of twenty-one years, with right of renewal, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments, will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 17th day of September, 1906.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—FEATHERSTON COUNTY.—HAURANGI SURVEY DISTRICT.—DYER SETTLEMENT (SOUTHERN PORTION).

Small Grazing-runs.

Section.	Block.	Area	Small Grazing-run Rent, 5 per Cent.				
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.			
Subdivision 1.							
		Acres.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
6	IV	1,880	2	3-6	108	2	0
7	VIII	1,642	4	0-6	166	5	0
8	"	1,535	4	8-4	180	7	0
					*2	3	3
Subdivision 2.							
9	VIII	678	5	10-8	100	0	0

* Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £25, repayable in seven years by half-yearly instalments of £2 3s. 3d. Total half-yearly payment, £182 10s. 3d.

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
Dunedin, 20th August, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-run will be open for lease on application, at the District Lands Office, Dunedin, on Thursday, the 11th day of October, 1906, under the provisions of Part V of "The Land Act, 1892."

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—TUAPEKA COUNTY.—WAIPORI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Pastoral Country.

SECTIONS 9, 10, and 15, Block VI: Area, 1,185 acres and 31 perches. Rent per acre, 4d. Half-yearly rental, £9 17s. 6d.

High country, somewhat broken, but with a fair aspect; adapted only for grazing purposes. Situated about thirteen miles from Outram, on a good road.

The selector of this run will have the right to a yearly grazing-license over Sections Nos. 16, Block VI, and 12, Block VIII, Waipori District, containing 409 acres (mining reserve), at a nominal rental of £1 per annum.

D. BARRON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Run in Westland Land District liable to Forfeiture.

District Lands Office,
Hokitika, 21st August, 1906,

PURSUANT to section 215 of "The Land Act, 1892," notice is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral license is liable to forfeiture, and that if the rent overdue thereon, together with a penalty of 10 per cent. for non-payment at due date, be not paid within three months from the date hereof the license will be declared forfeited.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

License No.	Run No.	County.	Licensee.
510	62, Hokitika River	Westland	Thomas Henry Scott.

G. J. ROBERTS,
Commissioner of Crown 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. 414 0 0	s. d. 0 9	£ s. d. 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 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.

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	"	" ..	228 0 0

HENRY TRENT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Twenty-five Workers' Dwellings available for Lease with Right to acquire the Freehold.

District Lands Office, Wellington, 21st August, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that applications for the undermentioned workers' dwellings will be received at this office, subject to the provisions of "The Workers' Dwellings Act, 1905," and its amendments and regulations made thereunder, from 10 o'clock a.m. on Monday, the 10th day of September, 1906, to 4 o'clock p.m. on Friday, the 14th day of September, 1906.

Applications must be accompanied by a deposit of one month's rent of the highest rented dwelling in the class and under the mode chosen, together with the sum of £1 ls. to defray the cost of the preparation and registration of the lease.

Applicants will be required to appear before the Land Board, at the Odd Fellows' Hall, Petone, on Tuesday, the 25th day of September, 1906, at 10 o'clock a.m., or at the District Land Office, Government Insurance Buildings, Wellington, on Wednesday, the 26th day of September, 1906, to answer any questions or produce such evidence as the Board deems necessary.

The ballot for the dwellings, if there is more than one applicant for the same dwelling, will be held at the Odd Fellows' Hall, Petone, on Friday, the 28th day of September, 1906, at 10 o'clock a.m. Possession will be given immediately on completion of the dwellings.

Copies of the regulations may be obtained on application, and designs inspected at the Post-office, Petone; the Borough Council Office, Petone; and the District Lands Office, Government Insurance Buildings, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—PETONE BOROUGH.—HERETAUNGA SETTLEMENT.

Workers' Dwellings.

OPEN for lease for a period of fifty years, with right of renewal for further term of fifty years, or option of acquiring the freehold, in modes shown hereunder:—

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease for Fifty Years, with Right of Renewal for Further Term of Fifty Years.	Lease for Term of Years, with Option of acquiring the Freehold.			
				Mode A.	Mode B.		Mode C.
				Twenty-five Years' Lease at 5 per Cent. on Capital Value.	(a.) Thirty-two Years' Lease at 8 per Cent. on Capital Value.	(b.) Forty-one Years' Lease at 6½ per Cent. on Capital Value.	Life Insurance: In addition to Premium, payment of Rent as under.

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN A.

		A. B. P.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.
10	II	0 0 14.7	2 5 0	2 5 0	3 12 0	2 18 6	2 5 0
18	II	0 0 14.7	2 5 0	2 5 0	3 12 0	2 18 6	2 5 0
16	VIII	0 0 14.9	2 5 0	2 5 0	3 12 0	2 18 6	2 5 0

Annual fire-insurance premium: Section 10, £2 5s. 7d.; Section 18, £1 18s.; Section 16, £2 5s. 7d.

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN B.

		A. B. P.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.
17	II	0 0 14.7	2 4 2	2 4 2	3 10 8	2 17 5	2 4 2
6	III	0 0 18	2 4 2	2 4 2	3 10 8	2 17 5	2 4 2
24	VIII	0 0 14.2	2 4 2	2 4 2	3 10 8	2 17 5	2 4 2

Annual fire-insurance premium: Section 17, £1 16s. 6d.; Section 6, £2 1s. 4d.; Section 24, £1 19s.

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN C.

		A. B. P.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.
9	II	0 0 18	2 1 8	2 1 8	3 6 8	2 14 2	2 1 8
12	III	0 0 14.7	2 1 8	2 1 8	3 6 8	2 14 2	2 1 8
6	VIII	0 0 13.2	2 1 8	2 1 8	3 6 8	2 14 2	2 1 8
12	"	0 0 14.7	2 1 8	2 1 8	3 6 8	2 14 2	2 1 8

Annual fire-insurance premium: Section 9, £1 19s. 8d.; Section 12, £2 2s.; Section 6, £2 2s.; Section 12, £2 4s. 4d.

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN D.

		A. B. P.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.
10	III	0 0 14.7	2 3 4	2 3 4	3 9 4	2 16 4	2 3 4
1	VIII	0 0 14.7	2 3 4	2 3 4	3 9 4	2 16 4	2 3 4
14	"	0 0 14.7	2 3 4	2 3 4	3 9 4	2 16 4	2 3 4

Annual fire-insurance premium: Section 10, £2 3s. 2d.; Section 1, £1 18s. 5d.; Section 14, £2 3s. 2d.

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN E.

		A. B. P.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.
14	III	0 0 14.7	2 5 0	2 5 0	3 12 0	2 18 6	2 5 0
10	VIII	0 0 14.7	2 5 0	2 5 0	3 12 0	2 18 6	2 5 0
20	"	0 0 14.7	2 5 0	2 5 0	3 12 0	2 18 6	2 5 0

Annual fire-insurance premium: Section 14, £2 1s. 1d.; Section 10, £2 6s. 2d.; Section 20, £2 6s. 2d.

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN F.

		A. B. P.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.
11	II	0 0 14.7	2 3 4	2 3 4	3 9 4	2 16 4	2 3 4
8	III	0 0 14.7	2 3 4	2 3 4	3 9 4	2 16 4	2 3 4
2	VIII	0 0 14.7	2 3 4	2 3 4	3 9 4	2 16 4	2 3 4
22	"	0 0 14.7	2 3 4	2 3 4	3 9 4	2 16 4	2 3 4

Annual fire-insurance premium: Section 11, £2 5s. 7d.; Section 8, £2 0s. 10d.; Section 2, £1 18s. 5d.; Section 22, £2 3s. 2d.

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN G.

		A. B. P.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.	Per Month. £ s. d.
13	II	0 0 14.7	2 4 7	2 4 7	3 11 4	2 18 0	2 4 7
15	III	0 0 14.7	2 4 7	2 4 7	3 11 4	2 18 0	2 4 7
8	VIII	0 0 14.7	2 4 7	2 4 7	3 11 4	2 18 0	2 4 7
18	"	0 0 14.7	2 4 7	2 4 7	3 11 4	2 18 0	2 4 7
25	"	0 0 14.2	2 4 7	2 4 7	3 11 4	2 18 0	2 4 7

Annual fire-insurance premium: Section 13, £2 5s. 7d.; Section 15, £2 0s. 6d.; Section 8, £2 5s. 7d.; Section 18, £2 5s. 7d.; Section 25, £2 0s. 6d.

The first year's fire-insurance premium is payable immediately the dwelling is allotted.

All the buildings are of one class—viz., five rooms, with every convenience.

The modes of acquiring the freehold are as follow:—

Mode A.—By payment in cash of the capital value of the dwelling (including the land) at any time not less than twenty five years from the date of the lease. Rent during term of lease to be at the rate of 5 per cent. on the capital value.

Mode B.—(a.) By monthly payments over a period of thirty-two years, at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum on the capital value.

(b) By monthly payments over a period of forty-one years, at the rate of 6½ per cent. per annum on the capital value.

Mode C.—By monthly payments of rent at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on the capital value of the dwelling, and taking out an insurance policy on the life of the applicant with the Government Insurance Commissioner for the amount of the capital value of the dwelling.

JOHN STRAUCHON,
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.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Applications for Confirmation Certificates under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 5th September, 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	Transfer (1906-123) ..	21st August, 1906 ..	Oruamatua - Kaimanawa 2r	Toia Barns (formerly Toia Ngarangi) to Walter Humphries.
2	Mortgage (1906-124) ..	4th September, 1906..	Hinana No. 1B, part Subdivisions 1 and 2	Taiawhio te Tau to William Gascoyen Beard.

Notice of Appeal withdrawn.—Hutt, Section 20 (Momi), part Section 14.—"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

IN THE NATIVE APPELLATE COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the Hutt, Section 20 (Momi), part Section 14, and of an appeal by Eruera Kipa from the decision of the Native Land Court, dated the 9th day of April, 1906, on investigation of title.

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

Dated at Wellington, this 30th day of August, 1906.

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Whanganui.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 31st August, 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 Whanganui on the 7th day of September, 1906, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wellington, 1906-36.]

R. C. SIM, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1713	Lease (1906-5) ..	18th September, 1905	Kai-Iwi 6L ..	Ripeka Ngareta and Metiria Tuarere to Donald Ross.
1714	Transfer (1906-120) ..	23rd August, 1906 ..	Maungakaretu Survey District, Block II, Sections 3 and 6	Hohi Matene to Mrs. Jean Bell.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WATSON DIXON, of Rotorua, Tailor, was this day adjudged bankrupt on the petition of James Hodgson; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 7th day of September, 1906, at 2.30 o'clock.

Auckland, 31st August, 1906. E. GÉRARD,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD POINTON, of Napier, Butcher, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, at Napier, on Thursday, the 6th day of September, 1906, at 2.30 o'clock.

Napier, 29th August, 1906. J. B. JACK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOSEPH DEMPSEY, of Wanganui, Saddler, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 13th day of September, 1906, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

3rd September, 1906. W. RODWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following dividends in the respective estates are now payable at my office on all proved accepted claims. Promissory notes must be presented for indorsement.

Charles Ringwood, of Rangiwahia: Fourth and final dividend, of 4½d. in the pound, making 17s. 10½d. in all.

H. T. Sears, of Feilding, Tailor: Second and final dividend, of 3d. in the pound, making 3s. 3d. in all.

F. C. Wilson, of Feilding, Tailor: Second and final dividend, of 1s. 2½d. in the pound, making 3s. 2½d. in all.

R. Skerman, of Feilding: Second and final dividend, of 6½d. in the pound, making 7s. 0½d. in all.

Palmerston North, 30th August, 1906. G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that LIONEL OLDKNOW PAGET, of Crofton, Clerk, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 11th day of September, 1906, at 11 o'clock a.m.

30th August, 1906. JAMES ASHCROFT,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN CRAIG, of Nelson, Tailor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 4th day of September, 1906, at 3 o'clock.

27th August, 1906. W. ROUT, JUN.,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

In the matter of "The Bankruptcy Act, 1892"; and in the matter of LEONARD HERBERT VINCENT PRICE (formerly of Waimate but now of Christchurch), Farmer, a bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that the public examination of the above-named bankrupt is fixed for Friday, the

7th day of September, 1906, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the sitting of the above-named Court in bankruptcy, at the Courthouse, at Oamaru.

Dated this 25th day of August, 1906.

CHAS. W. COOKE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HUGH ELDER, the Senior, of Kaiapoi, Wool and Skin Dealer, and HUGH ELDER, the Younger, of Timaru, Grocer, both in the Provincial District of Canterbury, trading together in copartnership under the style of "Hugh Elder and Son," Timaru, were this day adjudged bankrupts; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Arcade, Timaru, on Friday, the 7th day of September, 1906, at 11 o'clock.

Timaru, 30th August, 1906. ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

MINING NOTICES.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Talisman Consolidated (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration of office of company in colony: Incorporated in England on the 23rd February, 1904; certified copy of power of attorney filed in Supreme Court at Auckland on 12th August, 1904.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney or Attorneys: Karangahake; Harry Stansfield.
Where mine is situate: Karangahake.
Nominal capital: £300,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £270,000.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in colony: £169,090.
Price paid to vendors of mine—
(a) In fully paid-up shares:
(b) In partly paid-up shares, credited as £ paid up:
(c) In cash:
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 300,000.
Number of shares on Colonial Register: 187,878.
Amount paid per share (Colonial Register):
Amount called up per share (Colonial Register): 18s.
Number and amount of calls in arrear (Colonial Register): Nil.
Number of forfeited shares on Colonial Register sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders on Colonial Register: 550.
Number of men employed by company in colony: 230.
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: £145,777 2s. 6d.
Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration of office of company in colony: £474,327 2s. 8d.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining operations in colony since last statement: £71,363 19s. 9d.
Total expenditure since registration of office of company in colony:
Total amount of dividends paid in colony: £8,272 16s.
Amount of cash in bank in colony: £2,371 15s. 11d.
Amount of cash in hand in colony: £50 14s. 4d.
Amount of debts directly due to company in colony: Nil.
Amount of such debts considered good: Nil.
Amount of liabilities of company in colony: Nil.

I, Harry Stansfield, of Karangahake, the Attorney of the Talisman Consolidated (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as on the 28th day of February, 1906 (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. STANSFIELD,
Attorney.

Declared at Karangahake, this 24th day of August, 1906, before me—E. J. Kitching, J.P.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903"; and in the matter of the Enterprise Hydraulic Sluicing Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 230 of the above-mentioned Act, that a General Meeting of the members of the above company will be held at the offices of Messrs. Mondy, Sim, and Stephens, 123 Princes Street, Dunedin, on Thursday, the 20th day of September, 1906, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.

Dated this 28th day of August, 1906.

R. T. STEWART,
Liquidator.

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In the matter of "The Mokoia Gold-dredging Company (Limited)," (in Liquidation); and in the matter of Section 230 of "The Companies Act, 1903."

TAKE notice that a General Meeting of the above-named company will be held on Wednesday, the 10th day of October, 1906, at 4 p.m., at the office of Messrs. Crawford and Bartleman, 14 Crawford Street, Dunedin, for the purpose of having laid before it an account showing the manner in which the winding-up of the company has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of.

Dated at Dunedin, this 3rd day of September, 1906.

JOHN C. SHORT, } Liquidators.
D. CRAWFORD, }

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," and its amendments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month.

1087. FRANK LUDLAM SILL, Applicant.—24 acres 1 rood 2 perches, part of Sections 41 and 42, and Section 43, Hua District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office (Plan 2346).

Dated this 3rd day of September, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

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T. HUTCHISON,
District Land Registrar.

SATISFACTORY evidence having been furnished of the loss of certificates of title, Vol. 20, folio 235, and Vol. 32, folio 266, comprising Allotments 83 and 101 of the Town of Gisborne, containing 2 roods, of which ANN FRASER, wife of Thomas Fraser, of Pouawa, Sheep-farmer, is the registered proprietress, and application having been made for the issue of provisional certificates of title, I hereby give notice that unless good cause is shown to the contrary I will issue such provisional certificates after the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 29th day of August, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Gisborne.

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R. N. JONES,
District Land Registrar.

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

1239. THE UNION BANK OF AUSTRALIA (LIMITED).—35 perches, part of Section 30, Township of Gisborne. Occupied by the said bank and its tenants.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Gisborne.

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R. N. JONES,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," and its amendments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 6th day of October, 1906.

3889. DAVID PELL LOASBY, JOHN DAVID HEAGERTY, WILLIAM OSBORNE WILLIAMS, MILTON RHODES VARNHAM, HENRY HUMPHRIES, and CHARLES JAMES BEARD, the Greytown Trustees.—1 rood 28 $\frac{3}{4}$ perches, part Section 61, Township of Greytown. Occupied by Applicants, for a Town Hall.

3901. ALEXANDER FRANK DAVIES.—1 acre 1 rood 28 $\frac{3}{4}$ perches, part Section 39, Karori District. Occupied by Applicant.

3902. CHARLES ALBERT HEMSLEY.—9 acres and 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ perches, part Section 39, Karori District. Occupied by Applicant.

3903. COLIN CAMPBELL CRUMP and CHARLES HENRY OSMOND.—89 acres 1 rood 8 $\frac{7}{10}$ perches, parts Section 42, Karori District. Occupied by weekly tenants of the Applicants.

3904. HENRY SARGEANT.—1 rood, Section 31, Town of Wanganui. Occupied by N. Meuli.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 5th day of September, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

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J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a transmission of the estate of HORBY PHILLIPS KEALS, deceased, as Lessee under Lease No. 4887, affecting part of Subdivision B of Section 542, City of Wellington, being the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 113, folio 272, to SARAH KEALS; and application having also been made to me to register a transmission of the estate of the said SARAH KEALS, deceased, to HARRY EDGAR NICHOLLS, of Wellington, Accountant, affecting the said lease; and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said lease, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with the production of the said lease and register the transmissions as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 20th day of September, 1906.

Dated this 5th day of September, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

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J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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

All that parcel of land, situate in the Town of Hokitika, containing 5 perches, be the same a little more or less, and being Section No. 295 on the public map of the said town. And also all that parcel of land, situate in the Town of Hokitika aforesaid, containing 4 perches, be the same a little or less, being Section No. 207 on the public map of the said town. Occupied by Alexander William Bock, of Hokitika aforesaid, Ironmonger, the Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 29th day of August, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Hokitika.

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R. ACHESON,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 55, folio 43, comprising Lots 1, 2, and 25, Plan 241, parts of Rural Section 2334, situated in the District of Timaru, whereof CHARLES PERCY COX, of Ashburton, Commission Agent, and FRANCES SARAH SEALY, wife of Edward Percy Sealy, of Timaru, Surveyor, are the registered proprietors, and application having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional certificate at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 4th day of September, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of Crown grants, Vol. 38, folios 222, 224, and 228, Vol. 50, folio 12, and Vol. 55, folio 49, for Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 12, Block VIII, Township of Waipahi, whereof FRIEDRICH LISCHNER, late of Conical Hills, Waipahi, is registered proprietor, and application having been made to me to issue provisional certificates of title for the said land, I hereby give notice of my intention to issue such provisional certificates at the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin, this 3rd day of September, 1906.

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W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

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

ISABELLA SMITH PRYOR.—Part Section 43, Block II, Town of Dunedin. Unoccupied. No. 4736.

WILLIAM LEONARD TENNET.—Allotments 15 and 16, Block VII, Township of Barrfield. Unoccupied. No. 4737.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 3rd day of September, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

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W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

"THE COMPANIES ACT, 1903." SUBSECTION (3) OF SECTION 266.

IT having been reported to me that the undermentioned companies have ceased to carry on business, I hereby give notice that at the expiration of three months from this date the names of such companies will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the companies will be dissolved.

NAMES OF COMPANIES.

The Caswell Sound Marble, Portland Cement, and Mining Company (Limited). 81/4.

The Wanganui and Rangitikei Brewery Company (Limited). No. 35.

The Island Bay Park Company (Limited). 87/5.

Paroa Gold-dredging Company (Limited). 88/6.

The Wellington Co-operative 'Bus Company (Limited). 89/10.

The Featherston Fibre Company (Limited). 89/13.

The Le-Cloux Sauce and Spice Manufacturing Company (Limited). 03/47.

Dated this 6th day of September, 1906, at the Registrar of Companies' Office, Wellington.

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C. H. WALTER DIXON,
Assistant Registrar.

THE GORE DISTRICT DAIRY FACTORY COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 230 of "The Companies Act, 1903," that a General Meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held in the office of the Liquidator, Mersey Street, Gore, on Friday, the 28th day of September, 1906, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.

Dated the 1st day of September, 1906.

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JOHN LATHAM,
Liquidator.

AI COMPANY (LIMITED), (IN LIQUIDATION).

A GENERAL Meeting of shareholders of the above company will be held in the Chronicle Buildings, corner of Taupo Quay and Wicksteed Place, Wanganui, on Saturday, 22nd September, 1906, at 7.30 p.m., for the purpose of laying the account of the winding-up before the meeting and offering any explanation the Liquidators may wish to give.

For the Liquidators,
HENRY REGINALD HATHERLY,
Chairman.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, trading as "McLauchlan, Dark, and Company," of Dunedin, Mantelpiece-makers, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 9th day of June, 1906.

Mr. H. M. McLauchlan will give receipts for all money due to the late firm, and will pay all debts due by the late firm.

Dated at Dunedin, this 30th day of August, 1906.

H. M. McLAUHLAN.

Witness to the signature of Hugh Murray McLauchlan—Edw. Aslin, Solicitor, Dunedin.

JNO. M. DARK.

Witness to the signature of John Maine Dark—J. George L. Hewitt, Solicitor, Dunedin.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, under the style or firm of "H. P. OAKDEN AND Co.," has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All amounts due to or by the firm of H. P. Oakden and Co. will be received and paid respectively by Harry Percy Oakden.

Dated the 28th day of July, 1906.

H. P. OAKDEN.

Witness to signature of Harry Percy Oakden—F. Wilson Smith, Solicitor, Auckland.

H. F. HOLMDEN.

Witness to signature of Harry Foster Holmden—John W. Stewart, Solicitor, Auckland.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between JOHN WILLIAM MILLS, ROBERT WALKER ASHCROFT, and ARTHUR WALLACE THOMPSON, carrying on business as Plumbers, at Pahiatua and Feilding, under the style or firm of "J. W. Mills and Co.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the date hereof.

Dated the 20th day of August, 1906.

JOHN WILLIAM MILLS.

ROBERT WALKER ASHCROFT.

ARTHUR WALLACE THOMPSON.

A. G. CARTY, Solicitor, Feilding.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the County of Kiwitea has appointed and established a public pound on Section 12, part Section 19, Block XV, Ongo Survey District, Village of Waituna West, on the northern line, in the County of Kiwitea, and that the same is hereby appointed a public pound accordingly.

Dated at Kimbolton, this 18th day of August, 1906.

By order of the Council of the County of Kiwitea.

CHAS. W. BAYNES,
County Clerk.

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WELLINGTON CITY COUNCIL.

"THE MOTOR REGISTRATION ACT, 1905."

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Wellington City Council held on Thursday, the 26th day of July, 1906, at 7.30 p.m., the following resolution was passed, namely:—

"The Council of the City of Wellington, the registering authority under the provisions of 'The Motor Registration Act, 1905' (hereinafter termed 'the said Act'), of the District of the City of Wellington, hereby resolves, pursuant to the provisions of the said Act, that the said Act shall be brought into force in the said district on and after the 27th day of August, 1906."

Dated this 1st day of August, 1906.

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JNO. R. PALMER,
Town Clerk.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

WAIMATE COUNTY COUNCIL.

In the matter of "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of "The Counties Act, 1886."

NOTICE is hereby given, under and pursuant to the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1905," that it is proposed by the Council of the County of Waimate to execute a certain public work, to wit, the construction of a road through Rural Sections 19174, 18204, and 16797, Blocks IV and VIII, Elephant Hill Survey District, being a local work, and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that a plan showing the land required to be taken for the said public work, together with the names of the owners and occupiers of such land so far as they can be ascertained, is deposited in the office of the County Council in Queen Street, Waimate, by direction of the said Council (the said land not being within a road district), and is there open to inspection by all persons at all reasonable hours. And notice is also hereby given that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land are hereby called upon to set forth in writing any well-grounded objection to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the local authority, being the Council of the County of Waimate.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1906.

Area of Land to be taken.	Section or Lot of which Land is part.	Blocks	Survey District.	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 11 0 31.6	Lots 68 and 69 on plan deposited as No. 1854, subdivisions of Rural Sections 16797, 18204, and 19174	IV and VIII	Elephant Hill	Plan of road through R.S.s 16797, 18204, 19174, and 19916, Blocks IV and VIII, Elephant Hill	Red.

The said land is situated in the Canterbury Land District, and is more particularly delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the County Council, at Waimate, in the said district, and thereon marked and coloured as above stated.

GEO. V. COCHRANE,
County Clerk.

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