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Native Lands acquired by His Majesty declared to be Crown Lands.

(L.S.)

PLUNKET, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and fifty of "The Land Act, 1892" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that whenever the Governor is satisfied that any Native lands acquired by the Crown in any way, or purchased out of any sums authorised or to be authorised to be issued and expended in the purchase of lands in the North Island of New Zealand, are free from Native claims and all difficulties in connection therewith, he shall, by Proclamation, declare such lands to be Crown lands, subject to be sold and dealt with as in the said Act is more particularly mentioned: And whereas the lands hereinafter mentioned have been purchased out of sums so authorised to be issued and expended as aforesaid:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, being satisfied that the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto are free from Native claims and all difficulties in connection therewith, do hereby, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, proclaim and declare the lands so enumerated as aforesaid to be Crown lands, subject to be sold and dealt with according to the provisions of the laws regulating the sale and disposal of Crown lands in force in the land districts in which they are respectively situated.

SCHEDULE.

| Names of Blocks. | Area. | Survey Districts. | Number of Map, and District Lands and Survey Office in which deposited. | | Deed. | |
|---|---------------------|----------------------|---|--------------|---------|-----------|
| | | | | | Number. | Series. |
| Opitomoko and Kuranui .. | A. R. P. 343 0 0 | Thames .. | 3057 (in red) | Auckland .. | 3575 | Auckland. |
| Parareka No. 2 .. | 302 3 25 | " .. | 3304 .. | " .. | 3576 | " |
| Parts of Block IX, Section 17, Te Aroha Survey District, Te Aroha Township, Blocks 5, 15, 17, 21, 22, 23, and 24 .. | 13 0 2 | Te Aroha .. | 2575 (in blue) | " .. | 3577 | " |
| Ditto, Blocks 12, 13, 14, and 19 .. | 7 0 18 | " .. | " .. | " .. | 3577 | " |
| Ditto, Block No. 17b No. 6 .. | 26 2 37 | " .. | 7205 (in red) | " .. | 3578 | " |
| Rangatira No. 3 .. | 788 0 0 | Tatua and Tauhara .. | 5271c .. | " .. | 3579 | " |
| Paeroa East No. 4b No. 1A .. | 822 0 0 | Paeroa .. | 4440r North | " .. | 3496 | " |
| Taorua No. 2A, Section 2 .. | 1,710 0 0 | Totoro and Aria.. | 63242B .. | New Plymouth | 387 | Taranaki. |

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 October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Remaining Portion of the Greymouth-Hokitika-Ross Railway.

(L.S.)

PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for the remaining portion of the Greymouth-Hokitika-Ross Railway:

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

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 section 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 land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the remaining portion of the line of railway hereinbefore specified.

SCHEDULE.

The several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

| Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken. | Being Portion of | Coloured on Plan | Sheet No. of Plan. | Situated in Block No. | Situated in the Survey District of |
|--|-----------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------|
| A. R. P. | | | | | |
| 0 1 13.6 | Section 1486 | Green .. | 1 | IV | Mahinapua. |
| 1 2 0.2 | Section 1653 | Purple .. | 1 | IV | Mahinapua. |
| 1 0 37 | Section 1265 | Green .. | 1 | IV | Mahinapua. |
| 0 1 7.5 | Section 1652 | Blue .. | 1 | IV | Mahinapua. |
| 0 3 8.2 | Section 1264 | Purple .. | 2 | IV | Mahinapua. |
| 1 0 8.7 | Section 1744 | Green .. | 2 | IV | Mahinapua. |
| 0 0 8.9 | Section 1331 | Yellow .. | 2 | IV | Mahinapua. |
| 21 2 5.4 | Railway reserve | Red .. | 2 | IV | Mahinapua. |
| 23 2 3.3 | Railway reserve | Red .. | 3 | IV | Mahinapua. |
| 0 0 35.5 | Section 1127 | Blue .. | 3 | IV | Mahinapua. |
| 24 0 25 | Railway reserve | Red .. | 4 | VIII | Mahinapua. |
| 23 2 19.3 | Railway reserve | Red .. | 5 | VII and VIII | Mahinapua. |
| 23 3 39.4 | Railway reserve | Red .. | 6 | VII | Mahinapua. |
| 23 2 36.3 | Railway reserve | Red .. | 7 | VII and XI | Mahinapua. |
| 23 2 20.9 | Railway reserve | Red .. | 8 | XI | Mahinapua. |
| 24 0 2 | Railway reserve | Red .. | 9 | XI | Mahinapua. |
| 23 3 39 | Railway reserve | Red .. | 10 | XI | Mahinapua. |
| 23 3 39 | Railway reserve | Red .. | 11 | XI, XIV, and XV | Mahinapua. |
| 23 3 33 | Railway reserve | Red .. | 12 | XIV | Mahinapua. |
| 23 3 39.2 | Railway reserve | Red .. | 13 | XIV | Mahinapua. |
| 24 1 5.2 | Railway reserve | Red .. | 14 | XIV | Mahinapua. |
| 10 1 33.1 | Railway reserve | Red .. | 15 | II | Totara. |

All in the Land District of Westland; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 21635, 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 third day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Defining the Middle Line of a Portion of the Waitaki-Bluff Railway—namely, Duplicate Railway-line between Dunedin and Mosgiel.

(L.S.)

PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the duplicate railway-line of a portion of the Waitaki-Bluff Railway—namely, from Dunedin to Mosgiel (hereinafter termed "the said railway")—is a railway the construction of which is authorised by "The Railways Authorisation Act, 1900": And whereas it has been determined to construct and maintain the same:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and in exercise of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the middle line of the said railway shall be that defined and set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point in railway land in the City of Dunedin, the said point being marked 235 miles 58 chains

34 links on the railway mileage from Lyttelton, on the Waitaki-Bluff Railway; proceeding thence generally in a south-westerly direction for a distance of 10 miles 1 chain 66 links, and passing in, into, through, or over the following lands—viz., railway land in the City and Borough of Dunedin, Sections 12, 18, 19, 22, 23, 26, 28, 29, 32, 35, 36, 39, 40, 43, and 44, Block VI, Town District; Section 1, Block XV, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District; Sections 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, and 43, and railway land, Lower Kaikorai Survey District; railway land and Sections 58, 9, 75, 13, and 14, Block VII, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District; Section 30 and railway land in irregular block; railway land and Sections 5 and 6, in Block I, Taieri Survey District; railway land in Block II, Taieri Survey District—and terminating in railway land in Block III, Taieri Survey District, the said point being marked 245 miles 60 chains on the railway mileage from Lyttelton: including all adjoining and intervening places, lands, reserves, streets, roads, tracks, rivers, streams, and watercourses: in the manner delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 22310, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

Or as an alternative to a portion of the above-defined middle line: Commencing at a point on the same marked 242 miles 4 chains, and proceeding thence westerly, northerly,

westerly, and southerly for a distance of about 2 miles 31 chains, and passing in, into, through, or over the following lands—viz., railway land, Sections 58, 9, 75, 8, 7, 6, and 12, Block VI, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District; Section 31 and railway land in irregular block—and terminating at a point in railway land marked 244 miles 35 chains on the railway mileage from Lyttelton, in Block II, Taieri Survey District: as the same is delineated on the aforesaid plan.

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 fourth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

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

Closing Government Roads in Block XII, Glenkenich Survey District, Tuapeka County.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

And whereas the Government roads described in the Schedule hereto are no longer required for the purpose of roads in Block XII, Glenkenich Survey District:

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

SCHEDULE.

| Approximate Area of the Roads. | Abutting or intersecting Sections | Situated in Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| A. R. P. 7 0 0 | 10 | XII | Glenkenich | R. 8079 | Green. |
| 13 2 22 | 11 | " | " | " | " |
| 10 3 10 | 9 & 12 | " | " | " | " |

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

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

Land set apart for Settlement.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the seventy-third section of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901" (herein termed "the said Act"), it is, amongst other things, enacted that before

certain moneys therein mentioned shall be expended upon any block of land it shall be necessary that the same be proclaimed as set apart for settlement:

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Ruatiti Block (18,500 Acres, approximate).

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing approximately 18,500 acres, situated in Blocks IV, VIII, and XII, Whirinaki Survey District, and Blocks I, V, and IX, Manganui Survey District; as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 55358/9, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fourth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands withdrawn from Tiniroto Village Settlement, Hawke's Bay Land District.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," and of every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the Proclamation of the eighth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, in so far as it relates to the lands described in the Schedule hereto, and do declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the said lands are hereby withdrawn from Tiniroto Village Settlement.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

| Section. | Village of | Survey District of | Area. |
|----------|-------------|--------------------|----------|
| | | | A. R. P. |
| 45 | Tiniroto .. | Hangaroa .. | 5 0 0 |
| 46 | " .. | " .. | 5 0 0 |
| 47 | " .. | " .. | 5 0 0 |
| 49 | " .. | " .. | 6 1 12 |
| 66 | " .. | " .. | 9 3 39 |

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 fourth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Reserve proclaimed for Public Pearl-shell-fishing at Penrhyn.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Cook and other Islands Government Act, 1901" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is provided that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, set aside Crown lands within the said Islands (as in the said Act defined) to be reserves for the purpose of naval or military defence, or any other specified public purpose: And whereas it is desirable to establish a reserve for public pearl-shell-fishing at the Island of Penrhyn upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on me by the said Act and by "The Cook and other Islands Government Act Amendment Act, 1904," and in exercise of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto are set aside as a reserve for the purpose of public pearl-shell-fishing; and do hereby declare that the said reserve shall be held and administered by the Resident Commissioner, subject to such conditions and regulations as may from time to time be made or prescribed in respect thereof under section four of "The Cook and other Islands Government Act Amendment Act, 1904," or any amendment thereof.

SCHEDULE.

ALL of the inland sea or lagoon enclosed by the reef and islands of the Penrhyn Atoll, excluding only the islands within the reef. Commencing on the south side of the Taria entrance; thence south-east and east to the Omoka Village; thence by the shores of the lagoon east, north, and west to the Village of Te Tautua; and thence west and south by the island known as Morokai to the point of commencement.

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 fourth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Reserve proclaimed for Public Pearl-shell-fishing at Manihiki.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Cook and other Islands Government Act, 1901" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is provided that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, set aside Crown lands within the said Islands (as in the said Act defined) to be reserves for the purpose of naval or military defence, or any other specified public purpose: And whereas it is desirable to establish a reserve for public pearl-shell-fishing at the Island of Manihiki upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on me by the said Act and by "The Cook and other Islands Government Act Amendment Act, 1904," and in exercise of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto are set aside as a reserve for the purpose of public pearl-shell-fishing; and do hereby declare that the said reserve shall be held and administered by the Resident Commissioner, subject to such conditions and regulations as may from time

to time be made or prescribed in respect thereof under section four of "The Cook and other Islands Government Act Amendment Act, 1904," or any amendment thereof.

SCHEDULE.

ALL the inland sea enclosed by the reef and islands known as Manihiki. Commencing at the Village of Taubunu; thence by the shores of the lagoon to the Village of Tukao; and thence by the reef and islands along the shore of the lagoon to the point of commencement: excluding, however, all the islands within the lagoon.

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 fourth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Native Land in Orahiri Survey District taken for Scenic Purposes.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is Native land and is required to be taken for scenic purposes:

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

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby proclaim and declare that the land shown upon such map, and described in the Schedule hereto, is hereby taken for scenic purposes as aforesaid; and the said land shall vest in His Majesty the King as from the twentieth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and six.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcels of land mentioned hereunder:—

| Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken. | Being | Coloured on Plan | Situated in Block No. | Situated in the Survey District of |
|---|---------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------|
| A. R. P. 7 1 8 | Part of Hanturu East B No. 2A | Purple | X | Orahiri. |
| 20 0 36 | Part of Section No. 3n1, Hanturu East | Yellow | X | Orahiri. |
| 54 1 3 | Part of Section No. 3n2, Hanturu East | Green | X | Orahiri. |
| 15 1 35 | Part of Section No. 3n3, Hanturu East | Red .. | X | Orahiri. |

All in the Land District of Auckland; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 21947, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Native Land in Mimi Survey District taken for Historic Purposes.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-fourth day of September, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is Native land and is required to be taken for historic purposes :

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

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby declare that the land shown upon such map, and described in the Schedule hereto, is hereby taken for historic purposes as aforesaid ; and the said land shall vest in His Majesty the King as from the 27th day of October, one thousand nine hundred and six.

SCHEDULE.

The parcel of land mentioned hereunder :-

| Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken. | Being Portion of | Situated in Block No. | Situated in the Survey District of |
|---|---|-----------------------|------------------------------------|
| A. R. P. 2 2 5 | Mohakatino-Parininihi No. 1c Block, and known as the "Kawau Pa" | I | Mimi. |

In the Land District of Taranaki ; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 22015, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Part of Okoke Road, in Clifton County, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of October, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be a county road.

SCHEDULE.

OKOKE ROAD.

That part of the Okoke Road, in the Taranaki Land District, commencing from the south-west corner of Section 5, Block VI, Upper Waitara Survey District, and proceeding thence in a general easterly direction for a distance of 110 chains, or thereabouts, along the frontage of the said Section 5 to within 12 chains, or thereabouts, of the homestead on Section 4, Block X, Upper Waitara ; as the same is more

particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 689, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Brewer-Taihore Road, Stratford County, a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of October, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be a county road.

SCHEDULE.

BREWER-TAIHORE ROAD.

That road known as the Brewer-Taihore Road, in the County of Stratford and in the Land District of Taranaki, from the junction with the Brewer Road at the north-west corner of Section 28, Block XV, Ngatimaru Survey District, and proceeding thence in a general south-westerly direction along frontages of or through Section 28 of Block XV, Section 7 of Block XVI, Section 27 and part of Section 26 of Block XV, all in Ngatimaru Survey District, for a distance of two miles and a quarter, or thereabouts, to junction with Taihore Road at western side of the said Section 26, Block XV, Ngatimaru Survey District ; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 743, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon shown in red colour.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring a certain Road in Hautapu Survey District to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of October, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by section one hundred and three of "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be a county road.

SCHEDULE.

| Approximate Area of each of the Portions of Road referred to. | Being Portion of | Coloured on Plan | Situated in Block No. | Situated in Survey District of |
|---|---------------------|------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| A. R. P. 1 2 22 | Section No. 2 | Red .. | III | Hautapu. |
| 1 0 36 | Awarua No. 4c No. 9 | Blue .. | III | 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.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations for the Importation, Storage, and Use of the Explosive known as "Monobel."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of October, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is expedient to make regulations for the importation, storage, and use of the explosive known as "Monobel," hereinafter described :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred by "The Explosives Act, 1882," and "The Explosives Act Amendment Act, 1899," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order and declare that the explosive described in the First Schedule hereto and known as "Monobel" may be imported into the colony, and stored and used subject to the several regulations and conditions set out or referred to in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

"MONOBEL" powder, an explosive powder, consisting of the following mixture :—

| Ingredients. | Parts by Weight. | |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| | Not more than | Not less than |
| Nitrate of ammonium | 82 | 78 |
| Nitro-glycerine | 11 | 9 |
| Wood-meal (dried at 100° C.) | 10 | 8 |
| Moisture | 2.5 | 0.5 |

SECOND SCHEDULE.

REGULATIONS.

1. THE said explosive (hereinafter referred to as "the explosive") shall be used only when contained in a case of paper thoroughly waterproofed with ceresine and resin.

2. The explosive, if compressed into a pellet, shall not have a density exceeding 1.3, and each cartridge shall be provided with an axial perforation or cavity of sufficient dimensions to admit of the ready insertion of the detonator, and that the ends or end of the paper case of each cartridge shall be clearly marked to indicate the position of the said perforation or cavity.

3. The explosive shall be used only with a detonator or electric detonator of not less strength than that known as No. 6 (*i.e.*, the detonator or electric detonator to be used shall possess an effective detonative strength as great as, or greater than, that of one containing 15 grains of a composition consisting in every 100 parts by weight of 80 parts of fulminate of mercury and 20 parts of chlorate of potassium.)

4. That the explosive has been made at the works of Nobel's Explosives Company (Limited), at Ardeer, in the County of Ayr.

5. That the explosive is in all respects similar to the samples submitted to test in England on the 6th day of October, 1903, and other dates, and also in New Zealand on the 15th day of September, 1906.

6. In addition to the marking on the outer package required by an order of the Secretary of State in England, made under "The (Imperial) Explosives Act, 1875" (and in force for the time being), such outer package shall bear the words "As defined in the List of Permitted Explosives"; and, further, that each inner package shall be clearly marked with the words "Permitted Explosive, to be used only with not less than No. 6 detonator," and also with the name of the explosive, the name of the manufacturer, the date and place of manufacture, and the nature and proportion of the ingredients.

7. The said explosive shall be deemed to be an explosive within Class 3, Division 1, of the regulations of 6th June, 1898, referred to in the next paragraph hereof.

8. That the foregoing regulations shall be read and construed as part of the following regulations, *viz.* :—

- (1.) Regulations dated 6th June, 1898, and gazetted 16th idem, classifying and defining explosives and providing for their importation.
- (2.) Regulations dated 8th January, 1900, and gazetted 11th idem, providing for the inspection, manufacture, and storage of explosives.

ALEX. WILLIS,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

[D.06/1950.]

Exempting Road between Sections 156 and 160, 161, and 162, Block XX, Tokomairiro District, from the Provisions of Section 117 of "The Public Works Act, 1905."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of October, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by subsection one of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Public Works Act, 1905," it is, *inter alia*, provided that the said section shall not apply in any case where the local authority having control of a road or street, by resolution, declares that the provisions thereof shall not apply to any specified road or street, or any specified part thereof, and such resolution is approved by the Governor in Council :

And whereas the Council of the County of Bruce, the local authority having control of the road described in the Schedule hereto, did by resolution declare that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Public Works Act, 1905," shall not apply to the said road : And whereas such resolution was in the following terms :

"That at its meeting held the third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and six, the Bruce County Council declared, by resolution, that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of 'The Public Works Act, 1905,' shall not apply to the road marked 'District Road,' situated on the north-west boundary of the land comprised in this plan, and which said road lies between Section 156 and Sections 160, 161, and 162, Block XX, Tokomairiro District :"

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by the above-in-part-recited Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby approve of the said resolution.

SCHEDULE.

THAT road in the Otago Land District abutting on Sections 156, 160, 161, and 162, Block XX, Tokomairiro District ; as the same is more particularly delineated on plan marked R. 7738, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and coloured sienna, and lettered AB thereon.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Taupiri Mountain Domain.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of October, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two of "The Domain Boards Act, 1904" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to "The Public Domains Act, 1881," control of such domain :

And whereas by an Order in Council made under the provisions of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," on the twelfth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the nineteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and six, the land described in the Schedule hereto was brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of "The Public Domains Act, 1881" :

And whereas it appears expedient to appoint a Domain Board to control the said domain :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby appoint

RICHARD FRANCIS BOLLARD,
GEORGE LARGIE BRIGGS,
FRANCIS DAVYS,
THOMAS TRISTRAM,
ALFRED ARTHUR WHITE, and
ARTHUR HENRY WARING

to be the Taupiri Mountain Domain Board, having the control of the land described in the said Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the third day of November, one thousand nine hundred and six, at half past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the office of the Taupiri Sawmill Company, Taupiri, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

TAUPIRI MOUNTAIN DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 162 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Section No. 481, Parish of Taupiri. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 463, 1654.3 links; towards the east generally by Sections Nos. 454 and 453, 2943.6 and 2569.7 links, and a public road along the Mangawara Stream, 311, 401.3, 643.3, 330, 325.8, 297.9, 311, and 427.2 links respectively; towards the south generally by Sections Nos. 457 and 456, 862.7, 1505, 606, and 2385 links respectively; and towards the west by Section No. 445 and a public road, 4428.6, 141.7, 238, 221, 356.8, 239, 172.4, 187.7, and 282.5 links respectively: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 55331, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Little River Domain.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of October, 1906.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by "The Public Domains Act, 1881," and the amendments thereof (including "The Domain Boards Act, 1904"), His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby revoke a certain Order in Council, dated the eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and four, delegating powers to the Little River Domain Board, and doth hereby appoint

HUGH DUNCANSON BUCHANAN,
HENRY WHITE,
WILLIAM BIRDLING,
JAMES OPENSHAW COOP, and
JOHN FLETCHER BUCHANAN

to be the Little River Domain Board, having, subject to the said Acts, control of the lands described in the Schedule hereto, which lands are a public domain, and shall be called the Little River Domain; and also doth hereby appoint Saturday, the twenty-seventh day of October, one thousand nine hundred and six, at seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Library, Little River, as the place where, the first meeting of the said Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

LITTLE RIVER DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 62 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Reserve No. 1649, Block XIII, Pigeon Bay Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Reserve No. 935; towards the south-east by Sections Nos. 19397 and 31132; towards the south-west by Sections Nos. 31132 and 30378; towards the north-west, again towards the south-west, and again towards the south-east by Section No. 20137; and again towards the south-west by a public road; and again towards the north-west by Sections Nos. 1, 35, and 9. Also,

All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 2 roods 6 perches, more or less, being Reserve No. 3729 (formerly Lot No. 32 of the Morice Settlement), situated in Block XIII, Pigeon Bay Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the Valley Road; towards the north-east by Bolton Street, Little River Township; towards the south-east by the road and railway reserve; and towards the south-west by Fleet Street of the said township.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 26960A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations for Safe Navigation of Harbours, &c.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of October, 1906.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted by section two hundred and twelve of "The Harbours Act, 1878" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), that the Governor in Council may make regulations, to be called "General Harbour Regulations," for, amongst other things, regulating matters relating to the protection of life and property in or on vessels, and the safe navigation of any harbour, navigable river, or navigable lake:

And whereas it is desirable to make General Harbour Regulations for the hereinbefore-recited purposes:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the hereinbefore-in-part-recited Act, doth hereby make the following General Harbour Regulations:—

GENERAL HARBOUR REGULATIONS.

1. No person shall place any tree, log, or other obstruction in any harbour, or navigable river, or navigable lake, or on the shore or bank of any harbour, navigable river, or navigable lake, in such a position or manner as to cause, or be liable to cause, loss of life or injury to any person, or damage to any vessels, or to impede navigation.

2. If any such obstruction exists at the time of the coming into force of these regulations it shall be the duty of the person who placed it where it is to remove it within fourteen days after notice in writing so to do from the Harbour Board, or if the locality where the obstruction was placed is not within the jurisdiction of a Harbour Board, then from the Secretary of the Marine Department.

3. Any person who commits a breach of these regulations shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred pounds.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Conferring Jurisdiction on Native Land Court.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of October, 1906.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section fourteen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," it is enacted that the Native Land Court shall, as regards all lands within the meaning of subsection ten of section fourteen aforesaid, have jurisdiction as in the said subsection mentioned: Provided that the Court shall not proceed to exercise such jurisdiction unless the Governor in Council shall by Order authorise the same to be done:

And whereas the several lands specified in the Schedule hereto are lands in respect whereof the Court has jurisdiction as aforesaid, and it is expedient that the Court should be authorised to exercise the same:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby authorise the said Court to exercise in respect of the said lands the jurisdiction conferred as aforesaid—that is to say, to determine whether or not the said lands, or any parts thereof, were, on the investigations of the titles thereto, intended by the Native Land Court, or by the nominal owner or owners of such lands, to be held by such nominal owner or owners in trust for Natives not named in the titles; and to determine who are the several Natives (if any) entitled beneficially to such lands, and to order the inclusion of such Natives in the titles, either together with or in lieu of the nominal owners or any of them, and for the purpose aforesaid to order the cancellation or amendment of any existing instruments of title, and the issue of such new Crown grants or other instruments of title as may be necessary, and generally to exercise in respect of the said lands all the jurisdiction and powers conferred on the Native Land Court by subsection ten of section fourteen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

And it is hereby declared that this Order is made under the provisions in that behalf of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," and of "The Land Titles Protection Act, 1902," and that this Order shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorised.

SCHEDULE.

| Name of Block. | Area. | Provincial District. |
|-------------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| | A. R. P. | |
| Waotu South D No. 1 .. | 20 0 0 | Auckland. |
| Waotu South D No. 2 .. | 77 0 0 | Auckland. |
| Waotu South D No. 3 .. | 219 1 0 | Auckland. |
| Waotu South D No. 4 .. | 121 0 0 | Auckland. |
| Waotu South D No. 5 .. | 250 0 0 | Auckland. |
| Waotu South D No. 6 .. | 432 0 0 | Auckland. |
| Waotu South D No. 8 .. | 4,293 1 0 | Auckland. |
| Waotu South D No. 4A .. | 94 0 0 | Auckland. |
| Waotu South B No. 1 .. | 465 0 0 | Auckland. |
| Waotu South B No. 2 .. | 349 0 0 | Auckland. |
| Waotu South C No. 9 .. | 731 0 0 | Auckland. |

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vesting Reserves in the Levin Borough Council.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of October, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto have been permanently reserved for municipal purposes :

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient that the said lands should be vested in the Levin Borough Council :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserves mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Levin, in trust, as reserves for municipal purposes.

SCHEDULE.
WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

| Section No. | Block. | Locality. | Area. |
|-------------|--------|----------------|-------------------|
| 1 | I | Levin Township | A. R. P. 0 1 0 |
| 10 | " | " | 0 1 0 |
| 10 | II | " | 0 1 0 |
| 11 | " | " | 0 1 0 |
| 11 | III | " | 0 1 0 |
| 2 | IV | " | 0 1 0 |
| 3 | V | " | 0 1 0 |
| 10 | " | " | 0 1 0 |
| 4 | VI | " | 0 1 0 |
| 8 | " | " | 0 1 0 |
| 7 | X | " | 0 1 18 |
| 7 | XII | " | 0 1 0 |
| 3 | XIII | " | 0 1 38 |
| 7 | " | " | 0 1 0 |
| 6 | XIV | " | 0 1 0 |
| 13 | " | " | 0 1 0 |
| 2 | XV | " | 0 1 34 |
| 11 | XVII | " | 0 1 0 |
| 3 | XVIII | " | 0 2 30 |

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Second Schedule of "The Noxious Weeds Act, 1900," extended to include African Box Thorn.—Notice No. 1068.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of October, 1906.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Noxious Weeds Act, 1900" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby extend the operation of the Second Schedule of the said Act by including therein the plant known as African box thorn (*Lycium horridum*); and it is hereby declared that this order shall come into force from and after the day of publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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 the one-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the twentieth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and six; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase or on lease in perpetuity, or, in respect of any land containing or supposed to contain any metal, mineral, or valuable stone, be selected on lease in perpetuity only; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND 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. |
| Manukau | Waiiau* | 27, 50 | | A. R. P. 290 2 0 | s. d. 10 0 | £ s. d. 145 5 0 | s. d. 0 6 | £ s. d. 3 12 8 | s. d. 0 4 8 | £ s. d. 2 18 1 |

Weighted with £6, valuation for improvements—small house and fencing.
Altitude, from 100 ft. to 200 ft. above sea-level. Undulating land, covered with fern and tea-tree; soil of a clayey nature, inferior in quality; water can be obtained by sinking, present supply being obtained from swamps. Situated three miles from the Pa Wharf on the Waiuku Estuary, and seven miles from Mauku Post-office.

| 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. |

Rodney .. | Mangawai* .. | S. 21 | .. | 33 1 15 | 10 0 | 16 15 0 | 0 6 | 0 8 5 | 0 4 8 | 0 6 8
 Weighted with £4 10s., valuation for grassing.
 Altitude, from 50 ft. to 150 ft. above sea-level. Undulating land, covered with fern and manuka; soil on about 4 acres is fairly good; balance sandy soil of inferior quality, resting on sandstone formation; fairly well watered by fresh-water lagoon. Situated on the sea-coast, about six miles from Mangawai.

Whangarei | Owhiwa* .. | 205 | .. | 55 3 8 | 12 6 | 35 0 0 | 0 7 5 | 0 17 6 | 0 6 | 0 14 0
 Weighted with £50 8s., valuation for improvements—house, felling, grassing, fencing, and stumping.
 Altitude, from 600 ft. to 750 ft. above sea-level. Undulating and some steep land, 16½ acres in grass and under cultivation; balance covered with mixed forest, comprising tawhai, towai, rata, puriri, karaka, and totara, with light undergrowth of fern and shrubs; soil mixed loam and clay, resting on sandstone formation; fairly well watered by small streams. Accessible by formed road, about five miles from Parua Bay.

Waitemata | Waikomiti* .. | 132 | .. | 15 1 0 | 17 6 | 13 6 10 | 0 10 5 | 0 6 8 | 0 8 4 | 0 5 4
 Weighted with £6 10s., valuation for improvements—felling, fencing, and grassing.
 Altitude, from 180 ft. to 200 ft. above sea-level. Part fern land, part scattered dead light bush and tea-tree, with blackberries in places; soil of medium quality; water can only be obtained by sinking. Distant about three miles and a half from Waikomiti Railway-station—one mile and a half by good metalled road, balance not formed.

Whangaroa | Kaeo .. | 4 | III | 239 2 0 | 6 0 | 71 17 0 | 0 3 6 | 1 15 11 | 0 2 89 | 1 8 9
 Weighted with £25, valuation for improvements—bridge, 8 chains fencing, and 15 chains drain.
 About 60 acres of low swamp; balance very broken, covered with fern and scrubby tea-tree; soil inferior. Some danthonia has been sown, which is beginning to show here and there. There is a little mixed bush in two gullies, amounting to about 10 acres; part of the section has contained kauri-gum at one time, but is now thoroughly worked out. Situated about four miles from Whangaroa, and close to main Whangaroa to Kaeo Road.

* Parish.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
 Minister of Lands.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, having received the report of the Surveyor-General in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on and after the twenty-eighth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and six; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase or on lease in perpetuity, or, in respect of any land containing or supposed to contain any metal, mineral, or valuable stone, be selected on lease in perpetuity only; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

First-class Land.

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

Opotiki .. | Urutawa East | 2 | II | 880 0 0 | 25 0 | 1,100 0 0 | 1 3 | 27 10 0 | 1 0 | 22 0 0

Weighted with £20, valuation for improvements—20 acres bush felled.

Mostly covered with bush, principally tawa, rimu, and matai, with an undergrowth of fern, supplejack, &c.; 20 acres felled. Well watered by streams. Elevation, from about 1,500 ft. to 2,600 ft. above sea-level. Good soil, resting on sandstone formation. Situated on the main Gisborne-Opotiki Road, about ten miles distant from Motu Township and seventy-two miles from Gisborne.

Cook .. | Hangaroa (Tini-
 roto Village) | 45 | XV | 5 0 0 | 60 0 | 15 0 0 | 3 0 | 0 7 6 | 2 4 8 | 0 6 0
 " .. | Ditto .. | 46 | " | 5 0 0 | 60 0 | 15 0 0 | 3 0 | 0 7 6 | 2 4 8 | 0 6 0
 " .. | " .. | 47 | " | 5 0 0 | 60 0 | 15 0 0 | 3 0 | 0 7 6 | 2 4 8 | 0 6 0
 " .. | " .. | 49 | " | 6 1 12 | 60 0 | 19 3 6 | 3 0 | 0 9 7 | 2 4 8 | 0 7 8
 " .. | " .. | 66 | " | 9 3 39 | 20 0 | 10 0 0 | 1 0 | 0 5 0 | 0 9 6 | 0 4 0

Situated close to the Gisborne-Wairoa Main Road, about forty-two miles south-west from Gisborne. Generally undulating open land, with fair soil.

Waiapu .. | Matakaoa .. | 1 | XII | 145 2 0 | 30 0 | 218 5 0 | 1 6 | 5 9 2 | 1 2 4 | 4 7 4

Hilly country, covered with mixed bush; soil fairly good. Situated at the junction of Mangaiti and Waiwhakaata Streams, about three miles and a half from Te Araroa Township—three miles by the Pukeamaru Road, and thence by 30 chains of unformed road to the section.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
 Minister of Lands

Notifying Land in Auckland 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 twentieth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and six, as the time at which the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the price at which the said land shall be sold as that mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAIKATO COUNTY.

| Section. | Locality. | Area. | Upset Price. |
|----------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| 205A | Whangamarino Parish | A. R. P. 2 0 12 | £ s. d. 5 0 0 |

Situated at Waerenga, about thirteen miles east of Wairangi Railway-station by formed road.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Notifying Lands in Wellington 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 twentieth day of November, 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.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—POHANGINA COUNTY.—MAKOURA VILLAGE.

Village Lands.

| Section. | Area. | Upset Price. |
|----------|----------|--------------|
| | A. R. P. | £ s. d. |
| 4 | 1 0 0 | 13 0 0 |
| 5 | 1 0 0 | 13 0 0 |
| 6 | 1 0 0 | 13 0 0 |
| 7 | 1 0 0 | 13 0 0 |

Makoura Village is situated in the Salisbury Block at the junction of the Makoura and Makiekie Roads. The access is from Aputi, about nine miles distant by metalled road. The above sections, which are felled and in grass, are somewhat steep at the back, but have fairly easy sloping land fronting the Makoura Road.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Site for the Deposit and Disposal of Nightsoil or Refuse, Campbelltown (Bluff).

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance of the provisions of section fifty-nine of "The Public Health Act, 1900," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby consent to the Mayor and Councillors of the Borough

of Campbelltown setting apart the reserve granted as an endowment in aid of the borough funds, being Sections 3, 4, and 5, Block V, Campbelltown, as a site for the deposit and disposal of nightsoil or refuse.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this sixth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and six.

GEO. FOWLDS,
Minister of Public Health.

Trustee for the Matahuru Public Cemetery appointed.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

WILLIAM FITNESS

to be a Trustee, in the place of Niel Anderson, removed from the district, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Matahuru Public Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons previously appointed by His Excellency the Governor.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Cobden Public Cemetery appointed.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

WILLIAM URQUHART,
JAMES POULTER,
WILLIAM THOMAS, and
PERO WHITE

to be Trustees, in the place of Alonzo Wisdom, Albert Gunn, and William Noble, resigned, and Thomas Dickie, removed from the district, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Cobden Public Cemetery, in conjunction with John Dinan, jun., previously appointed by His Excellency the Governor.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Clerk, Department of Tourist and Health Resorts, appointed.

Department of Tourist and Health Resorts,
Wellington, 4th October, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM HENRY FRETHEY

to be a Clerk in the Civil Service (Department of Tourist and Health Resorts) under the provisions of section 3 of "The Civil Service Reform Act Amendment Act, 1887"; to date as from the 25th September, 1906.

J. G. WARD,
Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health
Resorts Department.

Cadet appointed.

Public Works Department,
Wellington, 8th October, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CECIL AUGUSTINE CARMINE

to be a clerical cadet in the Public Works Department; the appointment to date from 6th July, 1906.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

Cadet appointed.

Public Works Department,
Wellington, 8th October, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES PHILIP CHURCH

to be an engineering cadet in the Public Works Department; the appointment to date from 23rd May, 1906.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

Native Interpreters licensed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 4th October, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorise

ANARU EKETONE, of Ngaruawahia,

to act as an Interpreter of the First Grade; and

PATRICK JAMES HERLIHY, of Wellington,

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

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Native Affairs.

Clerk of District Court appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

SAMUEL TANSLEY

to be Clerk of the District Court at Dannevirke.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th October, 1906.

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

ALEXANDER JOHN HATFIELD, Jun., Esq.,

of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the Colony of New Zealand.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

Appointment to the Police Department.

Police Department,
Wellington, 8th October, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EDMUND WALTER DINNIE,

to be Finger-print Expert and Photographer in the above Department, as from the 1st day of October instant.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

Inspector of Sea-fishing appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 6th October, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in him by subsection (2) of section 6 of "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1894," appointed

JOHN MUNRO,

of Marsden Point, to be an Inspector of Sea-fishing under the above-mentioned Act.

J. A. MILLAR.

Cadet in Lands and Survey Department appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 3rd October, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

RUDOLPH ARTHUR RICHARD ENTING

to be a clerical cadet in the Department of Lands and Survey, as from the 10th day of May, 1906.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Duntroon Domain Board resigned.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 3rd October, 1906.

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

FREDERICK REEVES

as a member of the Duntroon Domain Board.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Public Vaccinators appointed.

Department of Public Health,
Wellington, 8th October, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned persons to be Public Vaccinators under "The Public Health Act, 1900," for the districts set opposite their names respectively, namely:—

| Name. | District. |
|---|-------------------------|
| WILLIAM TODD, Esq., M.D., Univ. Southern California, 1896 .. | Black's and Blackstone. |
| HUGH EDWARD WEBB, Esq., M.B., B.S., 1906, Univ. of New Zealand .. | Martinborough. |
| FRANCIS COURTENAY SUTHERLAND FORBES, Esq., B.M., Mast. Surg., Univ. Aberd., 1889 .. | Mangonui. |

GEO. FOWLDS,
Minister of Public Health.

Volunteer Officer promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 4th October, 1906.

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

Greytown (North) Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Henry Ainslie Parkinson to be Captain. Date of commission, 5th September, 1906.

ALBERT PITT,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 4th October, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 83, General Regulations of the Defence Forces of New Zealand, 1906, of the following appointment:—

No. 2 Company, Waikato Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

James George Berry to be Captain. Date of commission, 22nd August, 1906.

ALBERT PITT,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 4th October, 1906.

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

College Rifle Volunteers (Auckland).

Captain Charles Thomas Major, D.S.O. (N.Z.M.). Date of resignation, 24th August, 1906.

ALBERT PITT,
Minister of Defence.

New Zealand Militia Officers posted to Retired List.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 4th October, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, under clause 26, (1), "The Defence Act, 1886," of the retirement of the undermentioned officers, at present borne on the New Zealand Militia Unattached List; and to approve, in accordance with paragraph 142, General Regulations of the New Zealand Defence Forces, 1906, that

they be posted to the Retired List, with their present rank, and with effect from 1st October, 1906:—

NEW ZEALAND MILITIA.

Unattached List.

Honorary Major Herbert Catchpole Pilcher.
 Captain Arthur Gustavus Smith.
 " Frederick Howard.
 " Edward Woolfield.
 " Robert Johnston.
 " Gustav Hensen.
 " Gilbert Mair, N.Z.C.
 " George Preece, N.Z.C.
 " Stephen Smith.
 " Harry Travers Owen.
 " John Richard Rushton.
 Lieutenant John Fedor A. Kelling.
 " George Taylor.
 " William Donald.
 " William Johnstone.
 " Frederick Hickson.
 " Robert Horne.
 " Francis Coleman Hallows.
 " Joseph E. Hickson.
 " John F. B. Peacock.
 " James Carter.
 " Joseph William Jordan.
 " George Aicken.
 " Charles John Johnston.
 " James Daniel Baird.
 " James Mottishead Collins.
 " Charles Edward Beetham.
 " Henry Robert Bunny.
 " Thomas McGuinness.
 " Cranley Lancelot Pery.
 " George Bell.
 " Francis Joseph Wardell.
 " John Ryburn Buckley.
 " William George Jackson.
 " Henry Gairdner Blackmore.
 " Nicholas Price Carver.
 " Thomas Allen Pearce.
 " Louis Arthur Nathan.
 " Thomas Wills.
 " Edward Burnett Robinson.
 " James Crawford.
 " Edward Godfred Christie.
 " Francis Simpson.
 " John Paxton Hall.
 " John Grigg O'Neill.
 " Walter Edward Russell.
 " Christopher McLean.
 " George Wheeler.
 " Robert William Anderson.
 " William Bell Davis.
 " George Peacock.
 " Robert Cashmer.
 " William Speedy.
 " Duncan McMasters.
 " Matthew Alfred Shepherd.
 " Frank Yates Lethbridge.
 " Charles Barton.
 " George Sewell Heard.
 " Henry Edwin Webb.
 " John Rutherford.
 " John Partridge.
 " Henry Edward Pulford.
 " Isaac Bayley.
 " William Smith.
 Surgeon Henry Thomas Spratt.
 " Courtney Nedwill.
 " W. Henry Phillip Dakers.

ALBERT PITT,
 Minister of Defence.

Services of Defence Rifle Club accepted.

Defence Office,
 Wellington, 4th October, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept, under clause 15, "The Defence Act Amendment Act, 1900," the services of the

Havelock Defence Rifle Club,

with headquarters at Havelock, Marlborough. Acceptance to date from 27th September, 1906.

ALBERT PITT,
 Minister of Defence.

Services of Defence Rifle Club accepted.

Defence Office,
 Wellington, 4th October, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept, under clause 15, "The Defence Act Amendment Act, 1900," the services of the

Mokihinui Defence Rifle Club,

with headquarters at Seddonville, Nelson. Acceptance to date from 27th September, 1906.

ALBERT PITT,
 Minister of Defence.

Services of Defence Rifle Club accepted.

Defence Office,
 Wellington, 4th October, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept, under clause 15, "The Defence Act Amendment Act, 1900," the services of

Union Defence Rifle Club,

with headquarters at Ormondville, Wellington. Acceptance to date from 27th September, 1906.

ALBERT PITT,
 Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Defence Office,
 Wellington, 4th October, 1906.

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

No. 76, Private HENRY HARMAN, Waimea Rifle Volunteers,

he having a total service to 19th September, 1906, entitling him thereto of twenty years and one hundred and sixty-eight days.

ALBERT PITT,
 Minister of Defence.

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
 Wellington, 8th October, 1906.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue Letters of Naturalisation, under "The Aliens Act, 1880," in favour of the undermentioned persons:—

| Name. | Occupation. | Residence. |
|--|---------------|------------|
| Tony Andrijasovic .. | Gum-digger .. | Parenga. |
| Ivan Bartlovich .. | Gum-digger .. | Kerikeri. |
| Theodor Gmeinwieser, otherwise known as Ted Wieser | Gum-digger .. | Puhipubi. |
| Marino Gojak .. | Gum-digger .. | Kerikeri. |
| Andrew Gorgen Jensen | Gold-miner .. | Ahaura. |
| Peter Kosovich .. | Gum-digger .. | Poroti. |
| Peter Louie .. | Seaman .. | Auckland. |
| Antonio Rudan .. | Labourer .. | Taupaki. |
| George Yukis .. | Gum-digger .. | Tangaihi. |

ALBERT PITT,
 Colonial Secretary.

Special Order made by the Council of the Borough of Woolston.

The Treasury,
 Wellington, 6th October, 1906.

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

J. G. WARD,
 Colonial Treasurer.

WOOLSTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Special Order making Special Rate.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," and "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and their

amendments, and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, the Woolston Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges and sinking fund on a loan of £20,000, authorised to be raised by the Woolston Borough Council, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for concrete channelling and kerbing, grading footpaths and streets, widening streets, formation and new footpaths, asphaltting footpaths, engineering, first year's interest and contingencies, and the cost of raising the loan, the said Woolston Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 2d. in the pound upon the unimproved value of all rateable property within the Borough of Woolston; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of February and the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-five years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The above resolution was passed at a special meeting of the Woolston Borough Council on Friday, the 12th day of January, 1906, and confirmed at a special meeting of the said Council on Wednesday, the 14th day of February, 1906.

JOHN RICHARDSON,
Mayor.

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.

Requisition as to taking Land compulsorily under "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and its Amendments.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is intended, on behalf of His Majesty, to take compulsorily, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and its amendments, the land the acreage, description, and classification of which, as also the names and addresses of the owners of such land, are specified in the Schedule hereto; and every owner of the land, and also every other person having any estate or interest therein, is hereby required to serve their respective claims for compensation on the Minister of Lands, in the form and manner and within the period provided by the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

TE OHU ESTATE.

ACREAGE and Description.—All that parcel of land, containing 4,650 acres or thereabouts, inclusive of roads, being part of the Te Ohu or Manawatu No. 3A Block, situated in Blocks II, V, VI, and X of the Norsewood Survey District, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point where the right bank of the Mangatewainui River crosses the west side of the main road from Dannevirke to Napier, and bounded towards the south-east generally by that road: towards the south-west generally by the road forming the north-east boundary of Lot B on a plan deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Napier, under No. 1254; by the Matamau Stream; by Sections 45 and 46, Block X, Norsewood Survey District; by Section 1, Block V, Norsewood Survey District; by the Mangatewaiti Stream: towards the north-west by that portion of the Te Ohu or Manawatu No. 3A Block which is situated west of Section 34, Block V, Norsewood Survey District: again towards the south-west by the continuation of the road which forms the north-eastern boundary of the said Section 34 to the point in line with the north-western boundary of Section 3, Block II, Norsewood Survey District: towards the north-west by other portion of Te Ohu: towards the north and north-east generally

by Sections 3 and 2, Block II, Norsewood Survey District; and by the Mangatewainui River to the commencing-point: excepting always the Allotments Nos. 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, shown on a plan deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Napier, under No. 1210, and excepting also the portions of roads forming the immediate frontage of the said allotments, which said excepted allotments and roads are not included in the above-described area.

The Minister's classification of the land.—Second class.

The land intended to be taken is the whole of the owner's interest in the area above mentioned.

The registered owner is Mrs. Jane Holder Mathews, executrix of James Mathews, deceased, and the property is subject to certain rights of way created by or arising out of the deposit of Plans 1210 and 1254.

The registered owners of any lesser estate or interest are as set out hereunder:—

- The Bank of Australia, holders of Mortgage 28035.
- The Bank of Australia, holders of Mortgage 12573 (Land Transfer).
- George Albert Gammon and William Alfred Gammon, holders of Sublease No. 2217, expires 2nd March, 1909.
- T. H. G. Lloyd and M. Tansey, transferees of Lease 2217 from G. A. and W. A. Gammon.
- Mary Guy, holder of Lease 2470, from James Mathews, expiring 1st September, 1910.
- Thomas Henry Gordon Lloyd, George Albert Gammon, William Alfred Gammon, and Harry McLellan Simmonds, transferees of Lease 2470, from Mary Guy.
- T. H. G. Lloyd and M. Tansey, transferees of Lease No. 2470 from T. H. G. Lloyd, G. A. Gammon, W. A. Gammon, and H. M. Simmonds.

Dated at Wellington, this 5th day of October, 1906.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Gorse declared to be a Noxious Weed in the Johnsonville Town District.—Notice No. 1067.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 9th October, 1906.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Johnsonville District Town Board has, by special order, declared gorse to be a noxious weed within the meaning of "The Noxious Weeds Act, 1900," in the Johnsonville Town District.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister for Agriculture.

Examination for Mine-managers' and Battery Superintendents' Certificates.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 5th October, 1906.

EXAMINATIONS of candidates for certificates as First- and Second-class Mine-managers and Battery Superintendents under "The Mining Act, 1905," and First- and Second-class Mine-managers under "The Coal-mines Act, 1905," will be held on Tuesday, the 22nd January, 1907, and following days, at places to be hereafter named. All applications, with necessary certificates, and fee of £1 by post-office order, should be addressed to "The Secretary to the Board of Examiners under the Mining Act [or Coal-mines Act], Wellington," and must be received before the 22nd December. Forms of application may be obtained at Schools of Mines, Thames, Waihi, and Coromandel, also from Inspectors of Mines, Thames, Westport, and Dunedin.

H. E. RADCLIFFE,
Secretary to the Board of Examiners.

[NOTE.—No candidate will be permitted to present himself for examination unless he holds an authority from the Secretary stating that his certificate of service has been accepted by the Board.]

Examination for Dredgemasters' Certificates.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 5th October, 1906.

AN examination of candidates for certificates as dredgemasters, under "The Mining Act, 1905," will be held on Tuesday, the 29th January, 1907, at Grey-mouth and Dunedin. All applications, with necessary certificates, and fee of £1 by post-office order, should be addressed to "The Secretary to the Board of Examiners under the Mining Act, Wellington," and must be received before the 3rd January, 1907. Forms of application may be obtained from Inspectors of Mines, Westport and Dunedin.

H. E. RADCLIFFE,
Secretary to the Board of Examiners.

[NOTE.—No candidate will be permitted to present himself for examination unless he holds an authority from the Secretary stating that his certificate of service has been accepted by the Board.]

BALANCE-SHEET OF THE NEW ZEALAND STATE COAL-MINES.

Statement of Liabilities and Assets at 31st March, 1906.

| <i>Liabilities.</i> | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|--------|----|----|---------|----|----|
| Debenture loan | | | | 140,000 | 0 | 0 |
| Sundry creditors | 13,533 | 19 | 7 | | | |
| Accrued interest | 2,450 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Debenture Sinking Fund | 2,800 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | 18,783 | 19 | 7 |
| General Profit and Loss Account— | | | | | | |
| Balance of profit at 31st March, 1905 .. | 10,360 | 4 | 9 | | | |
| Net profits for the year ended 31st March, 1906 | 14,647 | 10 | 4 | | | |
| | | | | 25,007 | 15 | 1 |

| <i>Assets.</i> | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|--|---------|----|----|--------|----|----|
| Point Elizabeth Colliery and Development Property Account— | | | | | | |
| Cost at 31st March, 1905 | 18,426 | 5 | 4 | | | |
| Less depreciation | 1,842 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | 16,583 | 12 | 10 | | | |
| Additional outlay during the year | 1,094 | 9 | 2 | | | |
| | 17,678 | 2 | 0 | | | |
| Depreciation, 10 per cent. | 1,767 | 16 | 2 | | | |
| | 15,910 | 5 | 10 | | | |
| Machinery, plant, ropes, and rolling-stock— | | | | | | |
| Cost at 31st March, 1905 | £18,605 | 3 | 1 | | | |
| Less depreciation | 1,860 | 10 | 4 | | | |
| | 16,744 | 12 | 9 | | | |
| Additional outlay during the year | 3,966 | 19 | 6 | | | |
| | 20,711 | 12 | 3 | | | |
| Depreciation, 10 per cent. | 2,071 | 3 | 3 | | | |
| | 18,640 | 9 | 0 | | | |
| Buildings at mine— | | | | | | |
| Cost at 31st March, 1905 | £2,010 | 5 | 3 | | | |
| Less depreciation | 201 | 0 | 6 | | | |
| | 1,809 | 4 | 9 | | | |
| Additional outlay during the year | 168 | 5 | 5 | | | |
| | 1,977 | 10 | 2 | | | |
| Depreciation, 10 per cent. | 197 | 15 | 0 | | | |
| | 1,779 | 15 | 2 | | | |
| Cottages— | | | | | | |
| Cost at 31st March, 1905 | 300 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Less depreciation | 30 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | 270 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Depreciation, 10 per cent. | 27 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| | 243 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Stores (stock on hand) | 1,064 | 7 | 7 | | | |
| Timber (stock on hand) | 83 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| Coal (stock on hand at mine) | £137 | 8 | 4 | | | |
| Coal (stock on hand at wharf and afloat) | 167 | 11 | 6 | | | |
| | 304 | 19 | 10 | | | |
| | 1,452 | 16 | 11 | | | |
| Seddonville Colliery and Development Property Account— | | | | | | |
| Cost at 31st March, 1905 | £12,651 | 5 | 8 | | | |
| Less depreciation | 1,265 | 2 | 7 | | | |
| | 11,386 | 3 | 1 | | | |
| Additional outlay during the year | 2,636 | 16 | 0 | | | |
| | 14,022 | 19 | 1 | | | |
| Depreciation, 10 per cent. | 1,402 | 5 | 11 | | | |
| | 12,620 | 13 | 2 | | | |
| | | | | 38,026 | 6 | 11 |

| | | | |
|--|-------------|--------------|---------------|
| Machinery, plant, ropes, and rolling-stock, cost at 31st March, 1905 | 15,283 2 11 | | |
| Less depreciation | 1,528 6 3 | | |
| | <hr/> | | |
| Additional outlay during the year | 13,754 16 8 | | |
| | 1,308 12 9 | | |
| | <hr/> | | |
| Depreciation, 10 per cent... .. . | 15,063 9 5 | | |
| | 1,506 6 11 | 13,557 2 6 | |
| Buildings at mine, cost at 31st March, 1905 | 590 0 0 | | |
| Less depreciation | 59 0 0 | | |
| | <hr/> | | |
| Depreciation, 10 per cent... .. . | 531 0 0 | | |
| | 53 2 0 | 477 18 0 | |
| Cottages, cost at 31st March, 1905 | 360 0 0 | | |
| Less depreciation | 36 0 0 | | |
| | <hr/> | | |
| Depreciation 10 per cent. | 324 0 0 | | |
| | 32 8 0 | | |
| | <hr/> | 291 12 0 | |
| Briquette plant .. .. . | .. .. . | 3,990 19 7 | |
| Stores (stock on hand) | 345 9 11 | | |
| Coal (stock on hand at mine) | £150 0 0 | | |
| Coal (stock on hand at wharf and afloat) | 238 14 8 | | |
| | <hr/> | 388 14 8 | |
| | | 734 4 7 | |
| | | <hr/> | |
| Point Elizabeth Railway Property Account—Balance outstanding .. .. . | .. .. . |  | 31,672 9 10 |
| Hulks Property Account, cost at 31st March, 1905 .. .. . | .. .. . | 2,340 0 0 | 1,684 6 5 |
| Less depreciation, 10 per cent. .. .. . | .. .. . | 234 0 0 | |
| | | <hr/> | 2,106 0 0 |
| Christchurch Depot Property Account .. .. . | .. .. . | .. .. . | 2,250 0 0 |
| Greymouth office furniture | £225 14 11 | | |
| Less depreciation | 22 11 6 | | |
| | <hr/> | | |
| Depreciation, 10 per cent. | 203 3 5 | | |
| | 20 6 4 | 182 17 1 | |
| Wellington office furniture | 77 6 5 | | |
| Less depreciation | 7 14 7 | | |
| | <hr/> | | |
| Depreciation, 10 per cent. | 69 11 10 | | |
| | 6 19 2 | | |
| | <hr/> | 62 12 8 | |
| Sundry debtors .. .. . | .. .. . | .. .. . | 245 9 9 |
| Cash in hand and in the Public Account at 31st March, 1906 .. .. . | .. .. . | 106,878 19 5 | 4,697 0 6 |
| Less vouchers outstanding .. .. . | .. .. . | 3,768 18 2 | |
| | | <hr/> | 103,110 1 3 |
| | | | <hr/> |
| | | | £183,791 14 8 |

£183,791 14 8

Statement of General Profit and Loss Account for the Year ended 31st March, 1906.

| <i>Dr.</i> | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
|--|--------|----|----|----------|--------|----|---|
| To Point Elizabeth Colliery— | | | | | | | |
| Management and office salaries | 1,561 | 19 | 11 | | | | |
| Rents | 136 | 4 | 0 | | | | |
| Interest and exchange | 2,680 | 19 | 10 | | | | |
| Travelling expenses | 489 | 5 | 0 | | | | |
| Printing and stationery | 74 | 9 | 2 | | | | |
| Telegrams and postages | 174 | 0 | 7 | | | | |
| Repairs and maintenance | 344 | 16 | 0 | | | | |
| Railway haulage | 11,673 | 9 | 11 | | | | |
| Insurance | 21 | 15 | 0 | | | | |
| Marine insurance | 295 | 1 | 4 | | | | |
| Compensation for accidents and fund | 683 | 13 | 0 | | | | |
| General expenses | 138 | 0 | 7 | | | | |
| Marine freights | 40,537 | 16 | 3 | | | | |
| Hulks Working Account | 454 | 19 | 6 | | | | |
| Railway freights | 22 | 19 | 8 | | | | |
| Charges (Wellington) | 240 | 8 | 5 | | | | |
| Depreciation: mine, buildings, plant, and machinery | 4,063 | 14 | 5 | | | | |
| | | | | 63,593 | 12 | 7 | |
| Seddonville Colliery— | | | | | | | |
| Management and office salaries | 970 | 12 | 11 | | | | |
| Rents | 70 | 16 | 0 | | | | |
| Interest and exchange | 2,233 | 2 | 11 | | | | |
| Travelling expenses | 326 | 3 | 3 | | | | |
| Printing and stationery | 49 | 12 | 10 | | | | |
| Telegrams and postages | 116 | 0 | 5 | | | | |
| Repairs and maintenance | 20 | 0 | 7 | | | | |
| Railway haulage | 6,222 | 13 | 10 | | | | |
| Insurance | 14 | 10 | 0 | | | | |
| Marine Insurance | 67 | 7 | 1 | | | | |
| Compensation for accidents and fund | 149 | 10 | 3 | | | | |
| General expenses | 176 | 15 | 11 | | | | |
| Marine freights | 8,285 | 5 | 11 | | | | |
| Hulks Working Account | 909 | 18 | 11 | | | | |
| Charges (Wellington) | 192 | 1 | 9 | | | | |
| Bad debts: New Zealand Railways Account | 396 | 17 | 2 | | | | |
| Depreciation: mine, buildings, plant, and machinery | 2,994 | 2 | 10 | | | | |
| | | | | 23,195 | 12 | 7 | |
| Greymouth and Wellington office furniture account depreciation | | | | | 27 | 5 | 6 |
| Debenture sinking fund | | | | | 2,800 | 0 | 0 |
| Balance net profits for the year | | | | | 14,647 | 10 | 4 |
| | | | | £104,264 | 1 | 0 | |

| <i>Cr.</i> | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
|---|--------|----|----|---------|----|----|
| By Point Elizabeth Colliery Working Account: Gross profits | 84,907 | 7 | 6 | | | |
| Seddonville Colliery Working Account: Gross profits | 19,356 | 13 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | 104,264 | 1 | 0 |

£104,264 1 0

Statement of Seddonville Colliery Profit and Loss Account for the Year ended 31st March, 1906.

| <i>Dr.</i> | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | <i>Cr.</i> | £ s. d. |
|---|---------------------|---------|--|---------------------|
| To Management and office salaries | 970 12 11 | | By Balance of Working Account: Gross profits at mine | 19,356 13 6 |
| Rents | 70 16 0 | | Balance: Loss | 3,888 19 1 |
| Interest and exchange | 2,233 2 11 | | | |
| Travelling-expenses | 326 3 3 | | | |
| Printing and stationery | 49 12 10 | | | |
| Telegrams and postages | 116 0 5 | | | |
| Repairs and maintenance | 20 0 7 | | | |
| Railway haulage | 6,222 13 10 | | | |
| Insurances | 14 10 0 | | | |
| Marine insurance | 67 7 1 | | | |
| Compensation for accidents and fund | 149 10 3 | | | |
| General expenses | 176 15 11 | | | |
| Marine freights | 8,285 5 11 | | | |
| Hulks Working Account | 909 18 11 | | | |
| Charges (Wellington) | 192 1 9 | | | |
| Bad debts (New Zealand Railways Account) | 396 17 2 | | | |
| Depreciation: mine, buildings, plant, and machinery | 2,994 2 10 | | | |
| | <u>23,195 12 7</u> | | | |
| | <u>£23,195 12 7</u> | | | <u>£23,195 12 7</u> |

Statement of the Receipts and Expenditure of the State Coal-mines Account for the Year ended 31st March, 1906.

| Dr. | | Receipts. | | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | | Cr. | | Expenditure. | | £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | |
|---|--|-----------|--|--------------|--|---------------|--|--|--|--------------|--|---------------|--|---------|--|
| To Cash in hand and in Public Account at 31st March, 1905 | | | | | | 90,534 15 0 | | By Point Elizabeth Colliery— |  | .. .. |  | .. .. |  | .. .. |  |
| Sundries Refunds | | | | 0 14 0 | | | | Property and development .. |  | .. .. |  | 1,163 15 2 | | | |
| Sales of coal, Point Elizabeth | | | | 120,778 16 3 | | | | Machinery, plant, and rolling-stock .. |  | .. .. |  | 2,865 11 0 | | | |
| Sales of coal, Seddonville | | | | 31,731 15 6 | | | | Buildings .. |  | .. .. |  | 117 18 7 | | | |
| Recoveries | | | | 1,778 9 2 | | 154,289 14 11 | | Stores and materials .. |  | .. .. |  | 5,188 3 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Wages .. |  | .. .. |  | 34,704 18 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Timber .. |  | .. .. |  | 1,010 5 7 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Wharfage, &c. (Wellington) |  | .. .. |  | 207 14 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Railway freights .. |  | .. .. |  | 30 9 1 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 45,288 16 3 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Seddonville Colliery— |  | .. .. |  | .. .. |  | .. .. |  |
| | | | | | | | | Property and development .. |  | .. .. |  | 2,657 17 2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Machinery, plant, and rolling-stock .. |  | .. .. |  | 786 9 4 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Stores and materials .. |  | .. .. |  | 1,617 3 9 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Wages .. |  | .. .. |  | 10,346 4 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Briquette plant .. |  | .. .. |  | 3,803 5 7 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Wharfage, &c. (Wellington) |  | .. .. |  | 166 2 9 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 19,377 3 3 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Hulks Working Account .. |  | .. .. |  | 1,143 17 7 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Christchurch depot property |  | .. .. |  | 2,250 0 0 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Management and office salaries |  | .. .. |  | 2,537 6 4 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Rent .. |  | .. .. |  | 145 12 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Interest and exchange |  | .. .. |  | 4,914 2 9 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Marine freights |  | .. .. |  | 45,105 3 3 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Travelling-expenses |  | .. .. |  | 705 14 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Printing and stationery |  | .. .. |  | 105 18 1 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Telegrams and postages |  | .. .. |  | 290 1 0 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Repairs and maintenance |  | .. .. |  | 298 10 2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Railway haulage .. |  | .. .. |  | 18,006 7 0 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Marine insurance |  | .. .. |  | 366 2 4 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Insurance |  | .. .. |  | 36 5 0 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Compensation for accidents and fund |  | .. .. |  | 833 5 4 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | General expenses |  | .. .. |  | 310 3 4 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 73,654 11 7 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Cash in hand and in Public Account at 31st March, 1906 |  | .. .. |  | 106,878 19 5 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Less vouchers passed outstanding |  | .. .. |  | 3,768 18 2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 103,110 1 3 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | £244,824 9 11 | | | |

State Coal-mines Office, Wellington, 12th July, 1906.
 LOUIS H. EILERS, Accountant.
 P. HEYES, F.S.A.A. Eng., Inspecting Accountant.

JAS. MCGOWAN,
 Minister of Mines.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
Wellington, 8th October, 1906.

THE Hereweka Lodge, No. 60, situated at Portobello, is registered as a branch of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 8th day of October, 1906.

R. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
Wellington, 8th October, 1906.

THE Star of Linwood Lodge, No. 67, situated at Linwood, is registered as a branch of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 8th day of October, 1906.

R. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Land Surveyors' Examination, Australasia and New Zealand, September, 1906.

The Surveyors' Board,
Government Buildings,
Wellington, N.Z., 4th October, 1906.

NEW ZEALAND CANDIDATES.

AT the examination of surveyors held in September, 1906, twenty candidates presented themselves. Of these, the following seven passed the examination, and received certificates of competency from the Surveyors' Board:—

| Candidate. | Address. |
|-------------------------------|------------------|
| KENNETH MONTROSE GRAHAM | .. Wellington. |
| WHITTAKER LOUDON.. | .. Wellington. |
| EDMUND WILLIAM MARKHAM LYSONS | .. New Plymouth. |
| PETER WILLIAM GEORGE BARLOW | .. Opotiki. |
| BERTRAND COOPER .. | .. Wellington. |
| WILLIAM STEWART .. | .. Wellington. |
| ALFRED WAIMATE CHEAL | .. Auckland. |

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

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

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 9th October, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that, no person having taken out administration, the Public Trustee has filed in the office of the Supreme Court at Wellington an election to administer the several intestate estates of the deceased persons whose names, residences, and occupations, so far as known, are hereunder respectively set forth, their gross properties being estimated not to exceed £250 in each case.

Alexander McLean, late of Masterton, in the Provincial District of Wellington, carpenter. Filed on the 28th day of July, 1906.

James Glover, late of Alton, in the Provincial District of Taranaki, labourer. Filed on the 28th day of July, 1906.

Samuel Trescowthick Henwood, late of Gisborne, in the Provincial District of Auckland, butcher. Filed on the 1st day of August, 1906.

John George Gurling, late of Hamilton, in the Provincial District of Auckland, carpenter. Filed on the 1st day of August, 1906.

William Powell, late of Kaikoura, in the Provincial District of Marlborough, cabinetmaker. Filed on the 1st day of August, 1906.

William Allen, late of Waikiwi, in the Provincial District of Otago, farm labourer. Filed on the 1st day of August, 1906.

David Bell, late of Seddon, in the Provincial District of Marlborough, carpenter. Filed on the 1st day of August, 1906.

John Hayward, late of Wyndham, in the Provincial District of Otago, rabbitier. Filed on the 6th day of August, 1906.

Emily Jull, late of Waipawa, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, married woman. Filed on the 13th day of August, 1906.

Job Tidy, late of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, no occupation. Filed on the 15th day of August, 1906.

John William Leahy, late of Mataroa, in the Provincial District of Wellington, bootmaker. Filed on the 15th day of August, 1906.

John Macafee, late of Bunnythorpe, in the Provincial District of Wellington, old-age pensioner. Filed on the 15th day of August, 1906.

Joseph Brittliff, late of Southbridge, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, labourer. Filed on the 15th day of August, 1906.

Norman James Douglas Doney, late of Napier, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, labourer. Filed on the 15th day of August, 1906.

Ralph John Newton, late of Hunterville, in the Provincial District of Wellington, labourer. Filed on the 16th day of August, 1906.

Samuel Jury Williams, late of Napier, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, accountant. Filed on the 16th day of August, 1906.

James McGuinness, late of Guntown, in the Provincial District of Auckland, bushman. Filed on the 17th day of August, 1906.

Martha Ann Smith, late of Hamilton, in the Provincial District of Auckland, domestic. Filed on the 17th day of August, 1906.

Charles John Savage, late of Wanganui, in the Provincial District of Wellington, cabinetmaker. Filed on the 1st day of September, 1906.

Henry Charles Gregory, late of Turangarere, in the Provincial District of Wellington, labourer. Filed on the 1st day of September, 1906.

Peter Miller, late of Kaikora North, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, labourer. Filed on the 1st day of September, 1906.

Jessie Fulton, late of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, married woman. Filed on the 1st day of September, 1906.

William Martin, late of Tyuron, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, settler. Filed on the 1st day of September, 1906.

Margaret Miller, late of Dunedin, in the Provincial District of Otago, widow. Filed on the 5th day of September, 1906.

J. W. POYNTON,
Public Trustee.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Pastoral Run in Hawke's Bay Land District surrendered.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 8th October, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that, a surrender of the under-mentioned pastoral run having been accepted by resolution of the Hawke's Bay Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

| Run No. | Block. | Survey District. | Tenure. | Lease No. | Formerly held by |
|---------|--------|------------------|---------|-----------|------------------|
| 3 | V | Waitara .. | P.R. | 26 | Oswald Orr. |

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Pastoral Run in Otago Land District liable to Forfeiture.

District Lands Office,
Dunedin, 8th October, 1906.

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

| License No. | Run No. | County. | Licensee. |
|-------------|---------|------------|------------------|
| 1265 | 245E | Vincent .. | James Mackenzie. |

D. BARRON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Flax-cutting Lease in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land, suitable for flax-cutting and cultivation, will be offered for lease by public auction for a term of fifteen years, at the District Lands Office, Auckland, on Thursday, the 18th day of October, 1906, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—AWAKINO COUNTY.

ALL that area bounded on the north by Kinohaku West F, Section 1; on the south by Section 1, Block X, Whareorino Survey District; and on the west by the sea, with a depth of from 10 to 15 chains from coast, containing approximately 230 acres.

Most of the land consists of a high plateau, with cliffs and steep faces along the foreshore. The flax is very high and strongly grown, and reaches several feet above the head of a man mounted on horseback, and has been variously estimated to contain from 8,000 to 15,000 tons.

Attention is expressly drawn to the fact that no road to or shipping-place on or near is guaranteed or implied. Persons interested should visit the ground and inspect the area personally. Probably the best situation for a mill would be either at Mokau or Kawhia.

Terms and Conditions of Lease.

1. The lease will be for fifteen years, weighted with £1,000 as the upset present value of the flax. The bidding at auction to start at that amount. The successful bidder must pay one-fourth of the purchase-money on the fall of the hammer, one-fourth within fourteen days, and balance either in cash or bills extending, at fixed periods, over twelve months, bearing 5 per cent. interest, and indorsed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner; failing payment of which all instalments paid shall be forfeited and the interest of the successful bidder absolutely determined without payment of any compensation.

2. One shilling per acre per annum rental will be charged for the first four years, and after that till end of term the rental, which must be paid half-yearly in advance, will be a sum per annum equal to one-fourth of the amount bid for the present crop.

3. No flax shall be cut oftener than once in three years, and only four crops, including the present one, shall be taken from the land during the term of the lease. The method and manner of cutting shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

4. All flax planted and other flax growing on the ground will become the property of the Crown on the termination of the lease, and no plants are to be removed or destroyed.

5. The lessee shall take all risks of fire, and he will be held responsible to take every precaution necessary to guard against the flax being burned.

6. The term will commence from date of the issue of the lease.

7. No compensation of any kind will be allowed for improvements, but the lessee may, with the consent of the Land Board, remove the buildings and plant at the expiration of the lease.

8. The right is reserved to cut drains, and survey and take roads, through the area leased, also full right of access at any time by the Commissioner of Crown Lands or employees of the Government.

9. The lessee shall, when directed so to do, connect all drains with any Government system of drainage within the district. Drains by the lessee to conform with such system.

10. The area dealt with in these conditions is the Crown lands upon which the flax is growing, lying between the edge of the forest or scrub and the sea coast, extending from the southern boundary of Kinohaku West F, Section 1, to the southern boundary of Section 1, Block VII, Whareorino Survey District. The land may be surveyed at any time if thought

necessary by the Commissioner. Should any dispute arise as to the boundaries the Commissioner will be the sole judge, and his decision shall be final. It is to be clearly understood that the plan is merely a sketch, and the area mentioned only approximate.

11. The lessee shall not transfer or sublet except with the approval of the Land Board.

12. All rights reserved by the Crown in these conditions are to be without payment for compensation whatsoever. Should any dispute arise as to the meaning of these conditions the decision of the Commissioner of Crown Lands shall be final. A lease will be issued in due course to the successful bidder, subject to the foregoing conditions.

13. The lease may also contain such additional conditions as the Commissioner in his discretion considers necessary in the interests of the Crown and the public.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Linton Settlement, Wellington Land District, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 25th September, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Wednesday, the 31st 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 section on the same day, the order of selection shall be decided by ballot.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—OROUA COUNTY.—RANGITOTO SURVEY DISTRICT.—LINTON SETTLEMENT.

Dairy Farm.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | | | Half-yearly Rent. | |
|----------|--------|-------|----|----|-------------------|-------|
| | | A. | R. | P. | £ | s. d. |
| 42 | VIII | 150 | 0 | 39 | 46 | 19 0 |
| | | | | | *20 | 7 1 |

* Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £400, repayable in fourteen years by half-yearly instalments of £20 7s. 1d. Total half-yearly payment, £67 6s. 1d.

Weighted with £9, valuation for improvements.

Locality and Description of Section.

This section is situated in the Linton Settlement, in what is known as the "Manchester Block," Oroua County, and the access thereto is from Halcombe Railway-station, which is about three miles distant by Gillett's Line, along a formed and metalled road. The land is partly flat and partly undulating; the elevation varies from 320 ft. to 420 ft. above sea-level. The soil is of very good quality on the flat, and good on the undulating portion, resting on stiff clay and shingle formation. The forest is about 6½ acres in extent, and comprises tawa, titoki, kahikatea, matai, miro, ramarā, hināu, cabbage-trees, with usual undergrowth. The section is watered by a stream and by a dam.

The improvements which are included in the price of the land are as follows, viz.: Half value of 44 chains of fence on southern boundary, 10 chains of fence on eastern boundary, half value of 31½ chains of fence on Gillett's Line, half value of 30.4 chains of fence on northern boundary, half value of 40 chains of fence on western boundary, 180½ chains of live, stab, and wire subdivisional fences, and 90 acres ploughed and sown in grass; also two concrete cisterns and force-pumps, and paved yard, three orchards, gardens, shelter and ornamental planting, sheepyards, plough-drains, metalled roads, and existing main road to homestead.

The improvements which are not included in the price of the land, and which must be paid for by the tenant, comprise the homestead dwelling (containing twelve rooms), old woolshed, implement-shed and granaries, harness-room, combined dairy and storeroom, loose-box, buggy-shed, combined shed and wash-house with brick chimney, &c., the whole valued at £403, repayable in fourteen years by half-yearly instalments of £20 7s. 1d.

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in the Township of Domett, Canterbury Land District, for Sale by Public Auction.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 12th September, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction by the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Christchurch, at the Post-office, Mackenzie, on Wednesday, the 17th day of October, 1906, at 10 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

TOWNSHIP OF DOMETT. — CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT. — CHEVIOT ESTATE.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | Upset Price per Section. | |
|----------|--------|----------|--------------------------|-------|
| | | | £ | s. d. |
| | | A. R. P. | | |
| 1 | III | 0 1 13 | 19 | 17 6 |
| 2 | " | 0 1 0 | 15 | 0 0 |
| 3 | " | 0 1 10 | 18 | 15 0 |
| 6 | " | 0 1 13 | 19 | 17 6 |
| 7 | " | 0 1 7 | 17 | 12 6 |
| 8 | " | 0 1 1 | 15 | 7 6 |
| 9 | " | 0 0 36 | 13 | 10 0 |
| 10 | " | 0 0 31 | 11 | 12 6 |
| 11 | " | 0 0 27 | 10 | 2 6 |
| 12 | " | 0 2 20 | 37 | 10 0 |
| 5 | V | 0 1 0 | 15 | 0 0 |
| 6 | " | 0 1 0 | 15 | 0 0 |
| 11 | " | 0 1 0 | 10 | 0 0 |
| 14 | " | 0 1 0 | 10 | 0 0 |
| 15 | " | 0 1 0 | 10 | 0 0 |
| 16 | " | 0 1 0 | 10 | 0 0 |
| 17 | " | 0 1 0 | 10 | 0 0 |

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Lands in Mowhanau Village, Wellington Land District, for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 12th September, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 17th day of October, 1906, for leases of the undermentioned lands under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WAITOTARA COUNTY.—MOWHANAU VILLAGE (KAI IWI BEACH).

| Section. | Area. | Upset Annual Rent. | | Term. |
|----------|----------|--------------------|-------|---------------|
| | | £ | s. d. | |
| | A. R. P. | | | |
| 6 | 1 0 0 | 2 | 0 0 | 7 years. |
| 7 | 0 2 22 | 1 | 10 0 | 7 " |
| 8 | 0 2 27 | 1 | 10 0 | 7 " |
| 9 | 0 3 24 | 2 | 0 0 | 7 " |
| 10 | 0 3 30 | 2 | 0 0 | 7 " |
| 11 | 0 3 39 | 2 | 0 0 | 7 " |
| 73 | 0 3 35 | 2 | 0 0 | 7 " |
| 15 | 0 3 13 | 1 | 15 0 | Year to year. |
| 16 | 0 3 13 | 1 | 15 0 | " |
| 17 | 0 3 39 | 1 | 15 0 | " |

Mowhanau Village is situated in the Kai Iwi Block, on the sea-coast, about five miles from Wanganni by a buggy-road, and by a pack-track from the Kai Iwi Railway station. The sections offered for lease comprise flat and undulating land in grass. The soil is of a sandy loam on papa formation.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Tenders must be accompanied by marked cheque or post-office order for six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 ls. lease fee, and addressed to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Wellington. They should be marked on the outside "Tender, Mowhanau Village."
2. No declaration is required, and residence and improvements are not compulsory. No compensation shall be

claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, nor for any other cause.

3. Possession will be given on the day of acceptance of tender.

4. The leases shall be for the terms mentioned in Schedule, but, in the event of the land being required by the Government, shall be subject to twelve months' notice of resumption in the case of Sections 6 to 11 and 73, and to three months' notice in the case of Sections 15, 16, and 17.

5. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance.

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

7. The land shall not be cropped or broken up, except with the consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

8. The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and he shall prevent their increase or spread, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

10. The right of the public to the full and free use of Waitangi Parade is reserved.

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

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Hawke's Bay Land District open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands Office,
Napier, 17th September, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Wednesday, the 7th day of November, 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 District Lands Office, Napier, on Thursday, the 8th day of November, 1906, at noon.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—PATANGATA COUNTY.—ELSTHORPE VILLAGE.

Section 13: Area, 1 rood. Lease in perpetuity: Rent, 5 per cent.—Half-yearly rent, 5s.

Section 17: Area, 2 roods 16 perches. Lease in perpetuity: Rent, 5 per cent.—Half-yearly rent, 10s.

Weighted with £4, valuation for fencing.

The Village of Elsthorpe is situated on the main road from Kaikora to the coast, about fourteen miles from the former place.

HENRY TRENT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserve in Marlborough Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Blenheim, 10th September, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserve will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Tuesday, the 30th day of October, 1906, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881."

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—ARAPAWA SURVEY DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | Upset Annual Rent. | |
|----------|--------|----------|--------------------|-------|
| | | | £ | s. d. |
| | | A. R. P. | | |
| 23 | I | 112 0 0 | 3 | 0 0 |

Nearly all hill, covered with light mixed bush and fern; well watered. About six miles and a half from Teora, by track.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease, fourteen years.
2. Possession will be given on date of sale.
3. The lessee shall have no right to compensation either for any improvements that may be placed upon the land or for any other cause.
4. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the whole or any portion of the land during the term of the lease, without the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first obtained.
5. The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and shall prevent their increase and spread to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
6. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, sweetbriar, and other noxious weeds or plants on the land comprised in the lease; and shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, broom, sweetbriar, or other noxious weeds or plants as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
7. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance, free from all deductions whatsoever.
8. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee shall fail to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to be fulfilled.
9. The lessee shall, if required, depasture travelling stock at the following rates:—

| | Per Head per Night. | |
|---|---------------------|----|
| | s. | d. |
| Horses and cattle— | | |
| Ten or less | 0 | 3 |
| More than ten and not more than fifty .. | 0 | 1½ |
| More than fifty | 0 | 0½ |
| Sheep— | | |
| Twenty-five or less | 0 | 0½ |
| More than twenty-five and not more than two hundred and fifty | 0 | 0½ |
| More than two hundred and fifty | 0 | 0½ |

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

F. STEPHENSON SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 23rd August, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village-homestead allotment will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Tuesday, the 16th day of October, 1906, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—MANGAWA SURVEY DISTRICT.—PAHIATUA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent. | | |
|----------|--------|----------|---|----------------------|---------|
| | | | Rent per Acre per Annum. | Half-yearly Rent. | |
| | | A. R. P. | s. | d. | £ s. d. |
| 65 | .. | 19 3 3 | 11 | 7·3 | 5 14 9 |

Weighted with £376 5s. 5d., valuation for improvements. Situated at the junction of the Carisbrook and Mangaramarama Roads. Access from Mangatainoka Railway-station, about one mile and a half distant by metalled road. Comprises flat land intersected by the Mangaramarama Stream, which is liable to flood the land at time of heavy rains. The section is felled, grassed, fenced, and subdivided. About 9 acres has been stumped and cultivated. Willows are planted along the stream, and there is a good macrocarpa fence around garden and house. The soil is of good quality, resting on shingle formation. A plentiful water-supply is provided by the Mangaramarama Stream.

The improvements consist of 19½ acres felled and grassed, about 66 chains of fencing, stumping, draining, shelter-trees, house, cowshed, dairy, &c.

Terms and Conditions of Lease.

1. Applications for a lease shall be made in manner as provided in Part I of the said Act; and all such applications shall be made to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Wellington; and a lease will be issued in accordance with the provisions of Part I aforesaid.
2. Each applicant shall state his or her residence, occupation, and condition in life (namely, whether married or

single), and will be required to make the declaration prescribed in Schedule C of the said Act.

3. The successful applicant shall pay the first half-year's rent, together with the lease and registration fee, and the valuation for improvements, immediately the application has been approved or declared successful at the ballot.

4. The rent must be paid half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st days of January and July in each year, as provided in section 157 of the said Act; and the first half-year's rent is payable as before provided.

5. Improvements and residence on the land comprised in the lease shall be as provided in Part III of the said Act. The provisions of section 144, and all other provisions of the said Act with respect to substantial improvements, shall apply accordingly to a lessee under these regulations. The provisions of section 141, and all other provisions of the said Act in respect of compulsory residence, shall apply accordingly to a lessee under these regulations.

6. The lessee shall not divide, sublet, or transfer the land held by him under these regulations, except under and subject to the provisions of Part I of the said Act.

7. No lessee shall hold more than one allotment in Pahiatua Village Settlement, and such allotment shall be held for his or her sole use and benefit, and not for the use or benefit of any other person whomsoever. Each section is an allotment. No married woman shall be eligible as a selector; but this provision shall not apply to any married woman who may become a transferee under a will or by virtue of an intestacy.

8. All the provisions of the said Act, so far as applicable, shall extend and apply to the land affected by these regulations, and to the applications and lease to be made and issued thereunder, and generally to the interests created, and the persons whose rights, liabilities, or interests are thereby affected; and the mention of any particular provision of the said Act shall not be deemed to exclude any other provision of the said Act applicable to the particular case.

JOHN STRAUCHON,
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.

Village Allotments in Wellington Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village allotments will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, at the Assembly Rooms, Mangaweka, on Wednesday, the 17th day of October, 1906, at 1 o'clock p.m., under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—HAWAENGA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.—VILLAGE ALLOTMENTS.

| Section. | Area. | Upset Price. | Section. | Area. | Upset Price. |
|----------|----------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------|
| | A. R. P. | £ s. d. | | A. R. P. | £ s. d. |
| 49 | 0 1 0 | 4 10 0 | 53 | 0 1 0 | 4 10 0 |
| 50 | 0 1 0 | 4 10 0 | 55 | 0 2 0 | 8 0 0 |
| 51 | 0 1 0 | 4 10 0 | 56 | 0 2 0 | 8 0 0 |
| 52 | 0 1 0 | 4 10 0 | | | |

Situated in the Hawaenga Village Settlement, on the east bank of the Rangitikei River, about two miles and a half north-east of Mangaweka.

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Workers' Dwellings at Ellerslie and Otahuhu, Auckland Land District, available for Lease with Right to acquire the Freehold.

District Lands Office, Auckland, 1st October, 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 22nd day of October, 1906, to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 23rd day of October, 1906.

No deposit is required with any application, but every successful applicant shall before being admitted to possession pay the amount of the first month's rent and 10s. for the registration of the lease: Provided that the successful applicant may, with the permission of the Land Board, pay the sum of £1 as part of the first month's rent, and undertake to complete the payment within thirty days, together with the registration fee.

Applicants will be required to appear before the Land Board on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1906, at the District Lands Office, Auckland, at 10 o'clock a.m., 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 District Lands Office, Auckland, on Thursday, the 25th day of October, 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 District Lands Office, Auckland.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

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. | 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. | | | Fire-insurance Premium. | |
|----------|-------|---|---|--|--|-------------------------|---|
| | | | 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. |

ECCLESTON No. 2 SETTLEMENT.—OTAHUHU.

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN A.

| | A. R. P. | Per Month. £ s. d. | Per Month. £ s. d. | Per Month. £ s. d. | Per Month. £ s. d. | Per Month. £ s. d. | Per Annum. £ s. d. |
|----|-----------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 7 | 0 1 39 | 2 5 0 | 2 5 0 | 3 12 0 | 2 18 6 | 2 5 0 | 1 15 6 |
| 13 | 0 1 11·67 | 2 3 4 | 2 3 4 | 3 9 4 | 2 16 4 | 2 3 4 | 1 13 6 |
| 22 | 0 1 0 | 2 2 6 | 2 2 6 | 3 8 0 | 2 15 3 | 2 2 6 | 1 13 0 |

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN B.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|--------|
| 9 | 0 1 39 | 2 3 4 | 2 3 4 | 3 9 4 | 2 16 4 | 2 3 4 | 1 12 3 |
|---|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|--------|

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN C.

| | | | | | | | |
|----|--------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|
| 21 | 0 1 15 | 2 4 2 | 2 4 2 | 3 10 8 | 2 17 5 | 2 4 2 | 1 13 3 |
|----|--------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|

LAWRY SETTLEMENT.—ELLERSLIE.

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN D.

| | | | | | | | |
|----|--------|-------|-------|--------|---------|-------|--------|
| 4 | 0 0 32 | 2 5 0 | 2 5 0 | 3 12 0 | 2 18 6 | 2 5 0 | 1 18 0 |
| 18 | 0 0 26 | 2 3 9 | 2 3 9 | 3 10 0 | 2 16 11 | 2 3 9 | 1 13 0 |

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN E.

| | | | | | | | |
|----|--------|--------|--------|-------|---------|--------|--------|
| 3 | 0 0 32 | 2 3 4 | 2 3 4 | 3 9 4 | 2 16 4 | 2 3 4 | 1 16 6 |
| 8 | 0 1 10 | 2 3 4 | 2 3 4 | 3 9 4 | 2 16 4 | 2 3 4 | 2 1 3 |
| 12 | 0 1 0 | 2 2 11 | 2 2 11 | 3 8 8 | 2 15 10 | 2 2 11 | 2 1 3 |

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN F.

| | | | | | | | |
|----|--------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|
| 1 | 0 0 31 | 2 4 7 | 2 4 7 | 3 11 4 | 2 18 0 | 2 4 7 | 1 12 3 |
| 6 | 0 0 32 | 2 4 2 | 2 4 2 | 3 10 8 | 2 17 5 | 2 4 2 | 1 12 3 |
| 11 | 0 1 0 | 2 4 2 | 2 4 2 | 3 10 8 | 2 17 5 | 2 4 2 | 2 2 3 |

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN G.

| | | | | | | | |
|----|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|
| 9 | 0 1 0 | 2 5 10 | 2 5 10 | 3 13 4 | 2 19 7 | 2 5 10 | 2 4 3 |
| 13 | 0 1 0 | 2 5 0 | 2 5 0 | 3 12 0 | 2 18 6 | 2 5 0 | 2 4 3 |
| 15 | 0 1 0 | 2 4 7 | 2 4 7 | 3 11 4 | 2 18 0 | 2 4 7 | 1 13 9 |
| 17 | 0 0 19 | 2 2 11 | 2 2 11 | 3 8 8 | 2 15 10 | 2 2 11 | 2 1 9 |

DWELLINGS.—DESIGN H.

| | | | | | | | |
|----|--------|--------|--------|-------|---------|--------|--------|
| 10 | 0 1 0 | 2 2 11 | 2 2 11 | 3 8 8 | 2 15 10 | 2 2 11 | 2 0 6 |
| 14 | 0 1 2 | 2 1 8 | 2 1 8 | 3 6 8 | 2 14 2 | 2 1 8 | 2 0 6 |
| 16 | 0 0 25 | 2 0 5 | 2 0 5 | 3 4 8 | 2 12 7 | 2 0 5 | 1 18 3 |

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.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserves in Wellington Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 25th September, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, the 22nd day of November, 1906, for the leases of the undermentioned reserves, for a term of seven years, under the provisions of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881."

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | Minimum Annual Rental. |
|----------|--------|-------|------------------------|
|----------|--------|-------|------------------------|

TOWNSHIP OF HUNTERVILLE.

| | A. | R. | P. | £ | s. | d. |
|----|----|----|----|---|----|----|
| 43 | 5 | 0 | 7 | 7 | 11 | 3 |

Situated on Marshall Road, about 30 chains from Hunterville Post-office, and about 60 chains from the railway-station, by good metalled streets. The section, which is all in grass, comprises hilly land, with a small flat near the road. The soil is of good quality, on papa formation.

TOWNSHIP OF BUNNYTHORPE.

| | A. | R. | P. | £ | s. | d. |
|------|----|----|----|---|----|----|
| 1926 | 1 | 1 | 14 | 1 | 5 | 0 |

Situated in the suburbs of Bunnythorpe Township, about one mile from the railway-station by a good metalled road. Comprises flat land, intersected by an old watercourse, which is dry except in the wet season. The soil is of very good quality, on clay formation.

| | A. | R. | P. | £ | s. | d. |
|-------------|----|----|----|---|----|----|
| 1957 & 1959 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 6 |

Situated in the Village of Bunnythorpe, and accessible by a dray-road formed to within a few chains of the north-east corner of Section 1359. All flat land, subject to floods. Good alluvial soil, on shingle formation. The area is all logged up and in grass.

TOWNSHIP OF BROWNSTON.

| | I. | II. | III. | IV. | V. | VI. | VII. | VIII. | IX. | XIII. | £ | s. | d. |
|----------------|----|-----|------|-----|----|-----|------|-------|-----|-------|---|----|----|
| 11 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 12 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| 8 | 0 | 2 | 30 | 0 | 9 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| 5 | 0 | 2 | 20 | 0 | 8 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| 4, 5, 6, 10 | 0 | 3 | 33 | 0 | 12 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| 17, 18, 19, 20 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| 6, 7 | 0 | 3 | 24 | 0 | 12 | 0 | | | | | | | |
| 10 | 0 | 1 | 30 | 0 | 5 | 6 | | | | | | | |

These sections comprise clay land, felled and grassed. Situated about 24 chains from Hukanui Railway-station by metalled dray-road.

Terms and Conditions of Lease.

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

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

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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Reserves in Canterbury Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Christchurch, 1st October, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserves will be offered for lease by public auction, under the provisions of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," at the District Lands Office, Christchurch, at 12 o'clock noon, on Thursday, the 22nd day of November, 1906, for a term of seven years, at the upset annual rentals stated.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—PIGEON BAY SURVEY DISTRICT.

| Reserve. | Block. | Area. | Upset Annual Rental. |
|----------|--------|----------|----------------------|
| | | A. R. P. | £ s. d. |
| 60 | II | 478 0 0 | 143 8 0 |
| 61 | II | 323 0 0 | 64 12 0 |
| 62A | I | 30 0 0 | 7 10 0 |

Locality and Description of Reserves.

Reserve No. 60 is situated near Godley Head, between Taylor's Mistake and Lyttelton Harbour, and comprises open hill, ranging from sea-level to 804 ft. elevation, and carrying native and English grasses.

Reserve No. 61 is situated at Adderley Head, Port Lyttelton, access thereto being obtainable only by water. The reserve consists of pastoral hill-land, carrying native and English grasses. The land occupied by the Lyttelton Harbour Board's pilot-station in Little Port Cooper, the site of the lookout house on the head, and right-of-way between the two are reserved from lease.

Reserve No. 62A is situated at Camp Bay, Port Lyttelton, and comprises land of the same quality as Reserve No. 61. The lessee will be required to keep securely fenced off the point within the reserve on which are situated some graves. A right of way is reserved over a strip of land 1 chain wide along the western boundary of the reserve.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

- The purchaser of the lease shall, immediately upon the fall of the hammer, deposit an amount equal to six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 ls. lease fee.
- Possession will be given on 1st January, 1907.
- The leases will be for a term of seven years.
- The Commissioner of Crown Lands may at any time resume possession of the land comprised in the lease, or any portion thereof, by giving to the lessee twelve months' notice in writing of his intention so to do.
- The lessee shall have no claim against the Crown for compensation either for any improvements that may be placed upon the land, or on account of the aforesaid resumption, or for any other cause.
- The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the whole or any portion of the land comprised in the lease, except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
- The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and shall prevent their increase or spread, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
- The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbriar on the land comprised in the lease; and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, sweetbriar, broom, or other noxious weeds or plants as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
- The lessee shall once a year during the said term, and at the proper season of the year, properly cut and trim all live fences now on the demised land, or which may be planted thereon during the said term.
- The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance, free from all deductions whatsoever.
- The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee shall fail to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within sixty days after the date on which the same ought to be fulfilled.

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

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Appellate Court at Russell, Bay of Islands.

Native Land Court Office, Auckland, 1st October, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Appellate Court will be held at Russell, Bay of Islands, on the 6th day of November, 1906, to hear and determine the several appeals against the decisions of the Native Land Court, and the Tokerau District Maori Land Council, set forth in the Schedule hereto. All persons interested in the said applications are hereby notified to attend at the time and place aforesaid.

[Auckland, 1906-83.]

A. G. HOLLAND, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPEALS AGAINST DECISIONS OF THE NATIVE LAND COURT.

| No. | Name of Appellant. | Name of Land. | Decision in respect of which Appeal is made. |
|-----|--|-----------------------------|---|
| 1 | Hone Rameka (536-2, 2/108) .. | Otaha No. 4 .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of October, 1905, partitioning the said land. |
| 2 | Uru Paraone, Hori Keretene, Hone Keretene, and Riri Maihi (710-1, 2/119) | Motatau No. 3 .. | Decision, dated the 29th day of March, 1906, upon investigation of title. |
| 3 | Riri Maihi Kawiti, Hori Kuretene, Hotevene P. Kawiti, Abuhahu Mangu, Hapurona Ruatara, Hone Keretene, Uru Paraone, and others (711-1, 2/119) | Motatau No. 4 .. | Decision, dated the 7th day of April, 1906, upon investigation of title. |
| 4 | Hara Wetiwaha and others (709-1, 2/120) | Motatau Nos. 1, 3, and 4 .. | Decisions, dated the 2nd and 29th days of March, 1906, and the 7th day of April, 1906, upon investigation of title. |
| 5 | Nau Paraone and others (710-2, 2/120) | Motatau No. 3 .. | Decision, dated the 29th day of March, 1906, upon investigation of title. |

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 39 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," EMPOWERED BY ORDER IN COUNCIL DATED THE 18TH DAY OF APRIL, 1906, TO BE HEARD AS AN APPEAL UNDER SECTION 62 OF "THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895."

| No. | Name of Appellant. | Block affected. | Nature of Appeal. |
|-----|------------------------------|-----------------|--|
| 6 | Rina Maika (208-5, 2/120) .. | Porotu .. | Appeal from decision of the Native Land Court, dated the 11th day of January, 1905, appointing Ngarui Ngahua to succeed to the interests of Raira te Hau and Akinihi te Hau, deceased, in the said land. |

APPEALS AGAINST DECISIONS OF THE TOKERAU DISTRICT MAORI LAND COUNCIL REFERRED TO THE APPELLATE COURT BY THE CHIEF JUDGE UNDER SECTION 11 OF "THE MAORI LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1903."

| No. | Name of Appellant. | Name of Land. | Decision in respect of which Appeal is made |
|-----|---|--------------------------|--|
| 7 | Heta Paraihe and others (613-4, 2/99) | Otahi No. 1 .. | Decision, dated the 3rd day of December, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 8 | Tame Ru, Piri Ru, Peti Henare Kingi, Poni Rewharewha, Hau Toetoe, Maraea Arano, and others (561-7, 2/100) | Taupo .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of October, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 9 | Rogokahira Hape and others (561-8, 2/100) | Taupo .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of October, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 10 | Rawinia Tamati Hou (611-4, 2/100) | Matauri No. 1 .. | Decision, dated the 6th day of October, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 11 | Henareeta Paraone (597-4, 2/101) | Waikare .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of August, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 12 | Harata te Waru, Wiremu Hoori, Kereama Hoori, Romana Werek-ke, and Henare Hoori (597-5, 2/101) | Waikare .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of August, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 13 | Mihi Reo, Wepiha Reo, Ngahua Wepiha, and others (696-1, 2/101) | Waikare No. 2 (Patoetoe) | Decision, dated the 5th day of September, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 14 | Mita Wepiha, Mihi Reo, Wepiha Reo, Peti Hau, Hane Ngaika, and others (597-7, 2/102) | Waikare Nos. 1 and 2 .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of August, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 15 | Kata te Paahi, Heemi Riwhi, Riwhi Moihi, Arama Amato, Mere Riwhi, Harata Riwhi, Wairama Riwhi, Hapaira Taiapo, Erana Riwhi, Peti Taiapo, Taiapo Whare, Hoori Rakena, Hoone Rewha, and others (561-9, 2/108) | Taupo and Matarakara .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of October, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 16 | Paraone Paoro, Hareata Paoro, and Hiria Paoro (592-2, 2/109) | Kahikatoa .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of October, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 17 | Hareata Paoro, Paraone Paoro, and Hiria Paoro (498-4, 2/110) | Touwai .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of October, 1905, upon investigation of title. |

APPEALS AGAINST DECISIONS OF THE TOKERAU DISTRICT MAORI LAND COUNCIL—*continued.*

| No. | Name of Appellant. | Name of Land. | Decision in respect of which Appeal is made. |
|-----|--|-------------------------------|--|
| 18 | Paoro Hoori, Nako T. Hona, Taniwha M. Pona, and Tame Tua (498-5, 2/111) | Touwai | Decision, dated the 25th day of October, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 19 | Paoro Hoori, Nako T. Hona, Taniwha M. Pona, and Tame Tua (698-1, 2/111) | Ririwha (Stephenson's Island) | Decision, dated the 25th day of October, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 20 | Hamiora Hohepa (611-5, 2/112) | Matauri No. 1 .. | Decision, dated the 6th day of October, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 21 | Wiremu Poakatahi and Eparaima Poakatahi (706-1, 2/112) | Punakitere No. 4 .. | Decision, dated the 29th day of November, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 22 | Kaka Porowini, Hetaraka Manihera, Komene Manihera, and others (707-1, 2/112) | Motatau No. 5 .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of November, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 23 | Maata Eparaima (708-1, 2/113) | Puketaururu | Decision, dated the 29th day of November, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 24 | Kaka Porowini, Perepe Komene, and others (648-3, 2/113) | Kotuku A and B .. | Decision, dated the 2nd day of December, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 25 | Rauahi Puataata (648-4, 2/113) | Kotuku A | Decision, dated the 2nd day of December, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 26 | Aterina Maatenga (648-5, 2/114) | Kotuku B | Decision, dated the 4th day of December, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 27 | Hirini Katene (648-6, 2/114) .. | Kotuku B | Decision, dated the 4th day of December, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 28 | Rongokahira Hape and others (561-10, 2/114) | Taupo | Decision, dated the 25th day of October, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 29 | Kohe Tahere (694-2, 2/115) .. | Te Wawa | Decision, dated the 29th day of November, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 30 | Hone Hapa (699-1, 2/115) .. | Motukawanui | Decision, dated the 11th day of October, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 31 | Motukiwi Honetua (561-11, 2/115) | Taupo | Decision, dated the 25th day of October, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 32 | Kipa Roera (agent for Hone Ngapua, Ene te Tane, Hara Roera, and others), (706-2, 2/116) | Punakitere No. 4 .. | Decision, dated the 29th day of November, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 33 | Raina Puriri (707-2, 2/116) .. | Motatau No. 5 .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of November, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 34 | Kohe Tahere (706-3, 2/116) .. | Punakitere No. 4 .. | Decision, dated the 29th day of November, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 35 | Maera Kuao, Hori Whiu, Watting te Haara, Te Pirihi Whiu, Herewini Waa, and others (707-3, 2/117) | Motatau No. 5 .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of November, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 36 | Hone Paraea and others (707-4, 2/117) | Motatau No. 5 .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of November, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 37 | Riri Maihi Kawiti and Nau Paraone (707-5, 2/117) | Motatau No. 5 .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of November, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 38 | Kipa Roera (agent for Hone Ngapua, Akuhata Haki, Hara Roera, and others), (707-8, 2/118) | Motatau No. 5, Section 26 | Decision, dated the 25th day of November, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 39 | Kipa Roera (agent for Hone Ngapua, Te Tane Haratua, Hara Roera, and others), (707-7, 2/118) | Motatau No. 5, Section 2 | Decision, dated the 25th day of November, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 40 | Hori Pakihana and others (707-6, 2/118) | Motatau No. 5 .. | Decision, dated the 25th day of November, 1905, upon investigation of title. |

APPEALS FOR THE DISTRICT OF MANGONUI.

APPEAL AGAINST DECISION OF THE NATIVE LAND COURT.

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| 41 | Hemi Paeara and others (94-6, 2/71) | Waimahana | Decision, dated the 5th day of April, 1905, appointing successor to the interest of Hohepa te Pau in the said land. |
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APPEALS AGAINST DECISIONS OF THE TOKERAU DISTRICT MAORI LAND COUNCIL REFERRED TO THE APPELLATE COURT BY THE CHIEF JUDGE, UNDER SECTION 11 OF "THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1903."

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| 42 | Karu Wiripo, Wiremu Muunu, Ngawaiata Pakinga, Manihera Wiki, Kerehi Kopa Kiriona, Harawira Takerei, Matiu Takerei, Rapata Wiki Tawhai, and Ramari Rapata (223-11, 2/77) | Manukau | Decision, dated the 14th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 43 | Tatana Hunia, Peri te Huhu, Wiremu Hunia, Waru Mita, Ratana Tamaho, Ramari H. Pukeroa, Hemi Hui, Kiriwai Harawira, Timini Reihana, Mita Puku, Karaihe Mare, Emeri Ruhe, Reihana Hemi, Reihana Hui, Kino Ratana, Teira Mita, Hare Tatana, Kehu W. Hunia, Meriana Tatana, Wharemate Tamaho, Henare Mita, Rikihana Peri, Hemi Watene, Tini Hunia, Hepara Peri, Waata Hunia, Wharekahuru Peri, and Herepete Kingi Hori (223-12, 2/77) | Manukau | Decision, dated the 14th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 44 | Karu Wiripo, Reihana Hemi, and others (223-13, 2/78) | Manukau | Decision, dated the 14th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 45 | Hapukuku Rua (223-14, 2/78) .. | Manukau | Decision, dated the 14th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 46 | Kehu Wi Hunia and others (223-15, 2/78) | Manukau No. 1 .. | Decision, dated the 14th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |

APPEALS FOR THE DISTRICT OF MANGONUI—*continued.*
 APPEALS AGAINST DECISIONS OF THE TOKERAU DISTRICT MAORI LAND COUNCIL—*continued.*

| No. | Name of Appellant. | Name of Land. | Decision in respect of which Appeal is made |
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| 47 | Karaka Rutene, Paraha Ratahi, Pai Komene, Heiwari Mete, and others (223-16, 2/79) | Manukau | Decision, dated the 14th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 48 | Eparaima Matiu Kapa, Keepa Horo, Hone Riwini, Matiu Tupuni, Hohepa Kapa, Karena Wiki, Rapata Waaka, Takimona Harawira, Paratene Kapa, Hira Wi, and others (227-8, 2/79) | Ahipara | Decision, dated the 15th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 49 | Ngahuka Rewe, Pane Hapa, Pene Ngatote, Hoani Wiremu, Pereene Hapa, and Rangitahi Kaiapa (227-9, 2/79) | Ahipara | Decision, dated the 15th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 50 | Te Okena Hapakuku Ruia (227-10, 2/80) | Ahipara (Taumatakaramu No. 24) | Decision, dated the 15th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 51 | Heta Rawiri (227-11, 2/80) | Ahipara | Decision, dated the 15th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 52 | Karaihe Mare (227-12, 2/80) | Ahipara | Decision, dated the 15th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 53 | Mereana Kihirini, Maraea Pene, Rewi Ngapeka, Kerehoma Hamiora, and Pekamu te Rua (agent for the appellants), (227-13, 2/82) | Ahipara (Taumatakaramu No. 24) | Decision, dated the 15th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 54 | Ripine Kanara, Hoera Marupo, Aneta Hohepa, Paki Kanara, and others (269-2, 2/82) | Pukepoto No. 6 .. | Decision, dated the 14th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 55 | Herepete Rapihana and others (269-3, 2/82) | Pukepoto Nos. 6, 7, and 8 | Decision, dated the 14th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 56 | Pene Korako, Kerehoma Hamiora, Merana Kihirini, Maraea Pene, Peri Warihi, Tiopira Hewari, Para Puhipi, Paki Haimona, Marino Mehana, Ngarui Paki, Henare Rewi, Kapeti Wi, Rakeiti Heemi, Mare Rapata, and Wi Kerehoma (227-14, 2/83) | Ahipara | Decision, dated the 15th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 57 | Wiremu Hunia, Kehu Wiremu, and others (223-17, 2/84) | Manukau | Decision, dated the 14th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 58 | Karaka Rutene, Paraoone Hohepa, Paraha Ratahi, Heiwari Mete, Hera Heiwari, Pai Komene, Popata Komene, Ropaina Karaka, and Rapata Hoterene (223-18, 2/84) | Manukau | Decision, dated the 14th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 59 | Mitikakau Otene (227-15, 2/85) | Ahipara | Decision, dated the 15th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 60 | Wairama Maihi te Huhu, Wi Mehana, Paora Wahapu, Hone Wetini, Taniora Wetini, Eru Ihaka, Pene Arano, Karipa Wi Patene, More Arano, Hemōata Pene, Puti Wiri, Wiri Paratene, Rameka Hare Reweti, Wiremu Hare Reweti, Erina Natanahira, Natanahira Awarau, Rapata Hoterene, Hubana Karipa, and others (223-19, 2/85) | Manukau | Decision, dated the 14th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 61 | Paora Wahapu, Rewi Ngapara, Wairama Maihi te Huhu, Taniora Wetini, Hone Wetini, Kingi Wharewhare, Karipa Wi Patene, Eru Ihaka, More Arano, Wi Mehana, Pātana Natanahira, Pene Arano, Hanonona Hera, Paata Hoera, Matire Hemi, Hemoata Pene, Puti Wiri, Pete Hone Mare, W. H. Reweti, Hori Eriha, Mapere Kingi Wharewhare, Wiri Paratene, Henare Natanahira, Natanahira Awarau, Rawiri Natanahira, Putiputi Natanahira, Rameka Hare Reweti, Muru Hoori, Ripaka Potaua, Mereana Hoori, Papa Hone, Erina Natanahira, Hone Wiki, Tamāti Wiremu, Hetaraka Rameka, Hone Rewi, Arama Hone, Neri Waaka, Tua Natanahira, and others (227-16, 2/86) | Ahipara | Decision, dated the 15th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 62 | Wiremu Hoani Tana, Pereene Hapa, Reweti Haumutunga, and Kere Haumutunga (227-17, 2/86) | Ahipara | Decision, dated the 15th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 63 | Pene Korako, Merana Kihirini, Paki Haimona, Rewi Ngapara, Maraea Pene, Ngarui Paki, Kerehoma Hamiora, Peri Warihi, and Wi Kerehoma (223-20, 2/89) | Manukau | Decision, dated the 14th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 64 | Timoti Puhipi, Kerehoma Hamiora, and others (227-18, 2/89) | Ahipara | Decision, dated the 15th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 65 | Re te Tai Papahia and Wi Tana te Tai (227-19, 2/89) | Ahipara | Decision, dated the 15th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 66 | Ngareta H. Huru (223-21, 2/92) | Manukau | Decision, dated the 14th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 67 | Hare Huru (227-20, 2/94) | Ahipara | Decision, dated the 14th day of October, 1904, upon investigation of title. |
| 68 | Hamiora Hohepa (283-4, 2/111) | Hikurua, part of Te Mahimahi | Decision, dated the 6th day of October, 1905, upon investigation of title. |

APPLICATION UNDER SUBSECTION (9) OF SECTION 14 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," FOR ISSUE OF AN INJUNCTION AGAINST CUTTING OR REMOVING FLAX AND DIGGING GUM.

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Land. |
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| 69 | Herepete Rapihana, Rapihana Patana, Wiremu Rapihana, Heremaia Pita, Wharangi Rapihana, Riki Hopa, and Ngarama te Maru (269-2, 2/82) | Pukepoto. |

APPEALS FOR THE DISTRICT OF HOKIANGA.
APPEALS AGAINST DECISIONS OF THE NATIVE LAND COURT.

| No. | Name of Appellant. | Name of Land. | Decision in respect of which Appeal is made. |
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| 70 | Piripi Hahuora, Awarua Maihi, Hohepa Poutu, Te Teira Piripi, Te Karehu Moka, Pani te Whawhai, Ani Taiuru, Moka Erumono, Heemi Tauwahika Rewiri, Hone Ihaka, Hema Maihi, Eru Hiri, Kara Putakee, Taungahuru Paati, Ruka Paati, and Ripeka Paata (303-47, 2/17) | Waima No. 2 .. | Decision, dated the 26th day of March, 1902, partitioning the said land. |
| 71 | Rekene Pehi and others (303-48, 2/18) | Waima No. 2 .. | Decision, dated the 26th day of March, 1902, partitioning the said land. |
| 72 | Keti Hohaia (303-49, 2/18) | Waima South .. | Decision, dated the 26th day of March, 1902, partitioning the said land. |
| 73 | Mohi Wikitahi and others (303-50, 2/18) | Waima South .. | Decision, dated the 26th day of March, 1902, partitioning the said land. |
| 74 | Hone Waipuna and others (303-51, 2/19) | Waima South A .. | Decision, dated the 26th day of March, 1902, partitioning the said land. |
| 75 | Amiria Wharerarau and others (478-1, 2/19) | Waima No. 2 E .. | Decision, dated the 26th day of March, 1902, partitioning the said land. |
| 76 | Ihapera Atama, Rora Atama, Wikitera Hapakuku, Himi Hapakuku, and Hapakuku Ruia (420-40, 2/19) | Piahia No. 1 .. | Decision, dated the 24th day of February, 1902, partitioning the said land. |
| 77 | Wata Tahana (203-7, 2/52) | Pakia A .. | Decision, dated the 7th day of April, 1904, appointing successor to the interest of Hapakuku Moe-tara. |
| 78 | Hare Rewiri (287-8, 2/53) | Mangawhero A and G .. | Decision, dated the 8th day of April, 1904, appointing successor to the interest of Wiremu Titore. |
| 79 | Te Moananui Topia, Wiremu Kiripi Whatonga, Kereama Wi Kiripi, and others (310-20, 2/55) | Whakakoro .. | Decision, dated the 1st day of July, 1904, partitioning the said land. |
| 80 | Eruera Rapana and others (385-30, 2/55) | Waihou A .. | Decisions, dated the 30th day of April, 1904, and the 28th day of May, 1904, partitioning the said land. |
| 81 | Patu Hohaia (385-31, 2/55) | Waihou A No. 8, Mangamuka, and Utakura | Decision, dated the 11th day of July, 1904, appointing successor to the interest of Hohaia Patuone in the said lands. |
| 82 | Hohepa Heperi (385-32, 2/56) | Waihou A .. | Decisions, dated the 30th day of April, 1904, and the 28th day of May, 1904, partitioning the said land. |
| 83 | Wharekuri Neri (206-36, 2/56) | Utakura No. 1B, No. 2P, and No. 2Q | Decision, dated the 11th day of August, 1904, partitioning Utakura No. 1B Block. |
| 84 | Karena Kiwa, Hone Pororua, Maraea Pororua, Rakena Pou, Matehaere Harihone, Matiu Rakena, Ngatai Tahere, and Hohepa Tahere (427-17, 2/57) | Mangamuka West .. | Decision, dated the 15th day of August, 1904, partitioning the said land. |
| 85 | Eruera Rapana and others (206-40, 2/57) | Utakura No. 2D, No. 6, and No. 7 | Decision, dated the 2nd day of August, 1904, partitioning the Utakura No. 2D Block. |
| 86 | Awarua Maihi, Heni Takotowi Kerenene, Ngatimo, Moka, Heemi Rewi, Mita Rekene, Kahawai Piripi Hahuora (315-7, 2/57) | Whakaterere-Manawakiaiaia | Decision, dated the 15th day of August, 1904, under subsection (10) of section 14 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1904." |
| 87 | Rekene Pehi, Kiri Paraea, Maraea Paraea, and others (315-8, 2/58) | Whakaterere-Manawakiaiaia | Decision, dated the 15th day of August, 1904, under subsection (10) of section 14 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894." |
| 88 | Karaka te Maunga, Uwia te Maunga, Horomona Heta, Kuini Pereniki, Wiremu te Maunga, Pipa te Maunga, Pine Wikitahi, and Matiu Tawhai (agent for the appellants), (315-9, 2/59) | Whakaterere-Manawakiaiaia | Decision, dated the 15th day of August, 1904, under subsection (10) of section 14 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894." |

APPEALS AGAINST DECISIONS OF THE TOKERAU DISTRICT MAORI LAND COUNCIL REFERRED TO THE APPELLATE COURT BY THE CHIEF JUDGE, UNDER SECTION 11 OF "THE MAORI LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1903."

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| 89 | Pere te Whiu, Hami te Whiu, Ngaronoa te Wau, Ngarui Meka Haira, and others (530-1, 2/96) | Waihou No. 1A (Waihou Lower) | Decision, dated the 10th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 90 | Heta Rawiri, Rapata Paina, and others (530-2, 2/97) | Waihou (Lower) .. | Decision, dated the 10th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 91 | Hohepa te Tai, Amiria te Tai, and Hone H. te Tai (530-3, 2/97) | Waihou (Lower) .. | Decision, dated the 10th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |

APPEALS FOR THE DISTRICT OF HOKIANGA—*continued*.
 APPEALS AGAINST DECISIONS OF THE TOKERAU DISTRICT MAORI LAND COUNCIL—*continued*.

| No. | Name of Appellant. | Name of Land. | Decision in respect of which Appeal is made. |
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| 92 | Mitikakau Otene, Taipari Heihei, and others (527-4, 2/98) | Te Karae | Decision, dated the 15th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 93 | Tangitupua Tipene (527-5, 2/99) | Te Karae | Decision, dated the 15th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 94 | Mere Turiana (527-6, 2/99) .. | Te Karae | Decision, dated the 15th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 95 | Te Hira Mataika (530-4, 2/102) .. | Waihou (Lower) .. | Decision, dated the 10th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 96 | Re te Tai, Hohepa te Tai, Witana te Tai, Hori te Tai, Penetana te Tai, Amiria te Tai, and Herena te Tai (530-5, 2/102) | Waihou (Lower) and Whakarapa | Decision, dated the 10th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 97 | Re te Tai Papahia, and Witana te Tai (530-6, 2/103) | Waihou (Lower) and Whakarapa | Decision, dated the 10th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 98 | Hunia Paaka, Pauro Murupaenga, and Aperahama Ngawhare (530-7, 2/103) | Waihou (Lower) and Whakarapa | Decision, dated the 10th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 99 | Te Waru Henare and Ani te Waru (530-8, 2/103) | Waihou (Lower) and Whakarapa | Decision, dated the 10th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 100 | Wiripo Ngapera and others (530-9, 2/104) | Whakarapa | Decision, dated the 10th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 101 | Toki Pangari (527-7, 2/104) .. | Te Karae | Decision, dated the 15th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 102 | Nui Hare and others (527-8, 2/104) | Te Karae | Decision, dated the 15th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 103 | Taniora Mato (527-9, 2/105) .. | Te Karae | Decision, dated the 15th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 104 | Wiremu Rikihana and others, Hone Papahia and others, and Herewini te Toko and others (by their solicitors, Parr and Blomfield), (530-10, 2/107) | Waihou (Lower) and Whakarapa | Decisions, dated the 10th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 105 | Herapeiti and others (by their solicitors, Earl and Kent), (530-11, 2/108) | Waihou (Lower) and Whakarapa | Decisions, dated the 10th day of July, 1905, upon investigation of title. |

APPEALS FOR THE DISTRICT OF WHANGAREI.

APPEALS AGAINST DECISIONS OF THE NATIVE LAND COURT.

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| 106 | Manira Whatarau, Henare P. Kake, Rihi Manira, and Petera Wahatua (318B.I.-43, 2/41) | Pubipuhi No. 4A | Decision, dated the 8th day of October, 1903, partitioning the said land. |
| 107 | Haora Hoani, Herewaina, Pihama, and others (225-6, 2/46) | Pakikaikutu | Decision, dated the 9th day of October, 1903, partitioning the said land. |
| 108 | Riri Maihi Kawiti, Rata Hemi, Hirini Paraone, and Hoori Paraone (344-8, 2/74) | Maromaku | Decision, dated the 19th day of May, 1905, partitioning the said land. |
| 109 | Wi Tikena and Hemara (547-1, 2/105) | Parahaki | Decision, dated the 23rd day of June, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 110 | Henare Pirihi (752-7, 2/105) .. | Takahiwai | Decision, dated the 25th day of May, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 111 | Te Tahi Honetana (752-8, 2/106) | Takahiwai | Decision, dated the 25th day of May, 1905, upon investigation of title. |
| 112 | Peka Rata, Taunaha Hona te Horo, Tautohe Paki, and Ngairo Rupi (752-9, 2/106) | Tokahiwai | Decision, dated the 25th day of May, 1905, upon investigation of title. |

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Hastings.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 6th October, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Hastings on the 19th day of October, 1906, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wellington, 1906-45.]

E. A. WELCH, Deputy Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Land. |
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| 715 | Maraea Apatu and others | Rakautatahi 1B. |
| 716 | Ripeka Nohoturuturu and others | Ngapaeruru No. 7. |
| 717 | Ripeka Nohoturuturu and others | Mangaorapa No. 2. |
| 718 | Aperahama te Whero and Hori Kerei | Mangaorapa. |
| 719 | Kabu Inia | Kaimotumotu South. |
| 720 | Rupuha te Hanga, Hiraani Ahitana, and others | Te Whawhakanga. |
| 721 | Raniera Erihana (for Meparu Maku and others) | Pukekura West. |
| 722 | Wiremu Ponatahuri | Pukekura West No. 1. |
| 723 | Ereni Kingi and J. H. Maru | Otarata. |
| 724 | Teone Teehi (for Te Hau Paimarize) | Rangipo-Waiu B. |
| 725 | Heperi Pikirangi | Rangipo-Waiu B. |
| 726 | Ripeka Nohoturuturu | Porangahau No. 2B. |
| 727 | Maraea Apatu and another | Rakautatahi No. 1B. |
| 728 | H. M. Downs (by J. M. Fraser) | Taraketi No. 2F. |
| 728A | Hera te Upokoiri | Taraketi. |

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

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Adopted Child. | Particulars of Adoption. |
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| 854 | Te Moanaroa Kokohu .. | Warihi Wheura .. | Adoption by Te Moanaroa Kokohu of Warihi Wheura, child of Maihi Papi and Whakarite. |
| 855 | Waiti Hori .. | Kahumaori .. | Adoption by Waiti Hori, of Kaitoki, of Kahumaori, a child of Hape and Teneti. |
| NOTE.—Notice has been received from Waiti Hori stating that he cancels and withdraws the above application. | | | |
| 856 | Tungaane Hori .. | Ripeka Matene .. | Adoption by Tungaane Hori of Ripeka Matene, child of Matene and Arapera. |
| 857 | Paraneha Hori .. | Te Hau Rapaea .. | Adoption by Paraneha Hori, of Kaitoki, of Te Hau Rapaea, child of Taite Rapaea and Wahawaha. |
| NOTE.—Notice has been received from Paraneha Hori stating that he cancels and withdraws the above application. | | | |
| 858 | Para Paku .. | Robert Blair Sim .. | Adoption by Para Paku of Robert Blair Sim, child of John Sim and Marion Sim. |
| 859 | Nirai Runga .. | Nirai Runga .. | Adoption by Nirai Runga, of Moteo, of Nirai Runga, a child of Aporo te Huiki and Para Marewa, of Moteo. |

APPLICATION UNDER SUBSECTION (3) OF SECTION 14 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," FOR EXCHANGE OF LANDS.

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Names of Land proposed to be exchanged. |
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| 860 | Mutu Marereira .. Raphana Hawaikirangi .. | Kakewahine No. 1. Kakewahine No. 2. |

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEE IN SUBSTITUTION FOR EXISTING TRUSTEE.

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Land. | Names of Minors. | Name of Existing Trustee. |
|-----|--|---------------------------|--|---------------------------|
| 867 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangituhia, and Te Whatuiapiti | Rotoakiwa 2A .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 868 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangituhia, and Te Whatuiapiti | Te Ipuotaraia No. 2 .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 869 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangituhia, and Te Whatuiapiti | Owhaoko D No. 8 .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 870 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangituhia, and Te Whatuiapiti | Matatuowhiro .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 871 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangituhia, and Te Whatuiapiti | Poupoutahi D .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 872 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangituhia, and Te Whatuiapiti | Waoku No. 2 .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 873 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangituhia, and Te Whatuiapiti | Papaaruhe .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 874 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangituhia, and Te Whatuiapiti | Te Ake .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 875 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangituhia, and Te Whatuiapiti | Kakewahine No. 1 .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 876 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangituhia, and Te Whatuiapiti | Kaimotumotu North .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 877 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangituhia, and Te Whatuiapiti | Otawhao A No. 3 .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 878 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangituhia, and Te Whatuiapiti | Otawhao A No. 4 .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 879 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangituhia, and Te Whatuiapiti | Manawatu No. 6 (Te Whiti) | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 880 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangikawhua, and Te Whatuiapiti | Otawhao A No. 5 .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 881 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangikawhua, and Te Whatuiapiti | Otawhao A or No. 1 .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 882 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangikawhua, and Te Whatuiapiti | Otawhao A or No. 5 .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 883 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangikawhua, and Te Whatuiapiti | Mataweka .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |
| 884 | Te Kikiri o te Rangi, Te Rangikawhua, and Te Whatuiapiti | Kaimotumotu North .. | Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua | Te Whatuiapiti. |

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 29 OF "THE NATIVE LAND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENT AND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1901."

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Land. | Nature of Application. |
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| 885 | Maraea Puri (formerly Heketa) | Tikokino, Lots 21, 22, 31, and 32, agricultural reserve in the Town of Hampden, Hawke's Bay | Application by the applicant that the purchase-money be paid to her, also that a title to the land be granted her. |

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

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Land. | Nature of Application. |
|-----|-----------------------------------|---------------|---|
| 886 | P. Sheridan (agent for the Crown) | Okaihau No. 3 | Applying to the Native Land Court to cancel the succession order, made at Hastings on the 26th day of September, 1903, appointing successors to the interest of Maraeta Awaite (otherwise Maraeta Aorangi) in Okaihau No. 1 Block, and to correct the partition order for Okaihau No. 1 Block by substituting the name of the said Maraeta Aorangi therein for the names of the successors as appointed in error. |

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 91 OF "THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1905."

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Land. | Area taken. | Nature of Application. |
|-----|----------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|--|
| 887 | Under-Secretary for Public Works | Otawhao A No. 3 | A. R. P. 0 0 39 | To ascertain the amount of compensation to be paid to the Native owners of, and other persons interested in, the said lands taken under section 91 of "The Public Works Act, 1905," for railway purposes; to ascertain also who are the proper persons to whom such compensation should be paid. |

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wellington.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 8th October, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Wellington on the 15th day of October, 1906, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
[Wellington, 1906-44.]

E. A. WELCH, Deputy Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 91 OF "THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1905."

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Land. | Nature of Application. |
|-----|--|--|---|
| 13 | Pirihira Epiha (by his solicitor, J. J. McGrath) | Te Momi, Subdivision 14, Section 20 (Hutt) | Applying for an order, in terms of above section, ascertaining the persons to whom a sum of £15, at present held by the Public Trustee as compensation for the above land taken for the purposes of the Wellington-Napier Railway, is payable, and for an order directing the Public Trustee to pay the amount to such persons. |

Notice of Appeal withdrawn.—Oakura, Section 170, and other Blocks.—"The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

IN THE NATIVE APPELLATE COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of Oakura, Section 170, and other blocks, and of an appeal by Arthur Pitt Porutu and Ani Pitt Porutu from the decision of the Native Land Court, dated the 3rd day of February, 1905, on succession to Kopata Ngarongomate, Hori Pipi, Neha Manihera, Rangikapuho, and Meretini Kaumoana, deceased.

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 4th day of October, 1906.

E. A. WELCH, Deputy Registrar.

Applications for Confirmation Certificates under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 9th October, 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.)

E. A. WELCH, Deputy Registrar.

THE ALIENATIONS ABOVE REFERRED TO.

| No. | Nature of Alienation. | Date. | Name of Land. | Names of Parties. |
|-----|-----------------------|----------------------|---|---|
| 1 | Transfer (1906-134) | 29th September, 1906 | Wellington, Town Section 487, Subdivision 3 | Hohepine Love to Thomas Henry Macdonald. |
| 2 | Lease (1906-136) | 19th September, 1906 | Hikutoto South No. 2 | Arawhata Pirini to William Orr. |
| 3 | Mortgage (1906-137) | 3rd October, 1906 | Christchurch District, part Lot 12, part of Rural Section 175 | Eruera Manihera to Patrick Sarsfield Flood. |
| 4 | Mortgage (1906-138) | 3rd October, 1906 | Christchurch District, part Lot 12, part of Rural Section 175 | Eruera Manihera to Thomas William Rowe. |

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT FRATER, of Melrose, Devonport, near Auckland, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt on the petition of the Taupo Totara Timber Company (Limited); and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 12th day of October, 1906, at 2.30 o'clock.

E. GÉRARD,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 4th October, 1906.

In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court of Taranaki, holden at Stratford.

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES LEWIS DUGGAN, of Midhirst, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 15th day of October, 1906, at 11 o'clock a.m.

H. NORMAN LIARDET,
Deputy Official Assignee.

8th October, 1906.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE DAVID JONES, of Wanganui, Tailor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 12th day of October, 1906, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

W. RODWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.

3rd October, 1906.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CATHERINE SARAH WILTSHIRE, of Palmerston North, Boardinghouse keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 12th day of October, 1906, at 2.30 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Palmerston North, 3rd October, 1906.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HERMINE WILLIAMSON, of Christchurch, Widow, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 12th day of October, 1906, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.
5th October, 1906.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES DANIEL FITZGERALD, of Gore, Grocer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 12th day of October, 1906, at 2 o'clock.

JOHN LATHAM,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Gore, 5th October, 1906.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of PETER McINTOSH, of Timaru, Blacksmith. A FIRST and final dividend, of 5s. 8d. per pound, on all accepted proved claims is now payable at my office, Arcade, Timaru.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Timaru, 29th September, 1906.

MINING NOTICES.

THE DEEP STREAM AMALGAMATED HYDRAULIC SLUICING COMPANY (LIMITED).

A MEETING of shareholders in the company will be held at my office, Bond Street, Dunedin, on Wednesday, the 24th October, 1906, at 4.30 p.m., when the following resolutions will be submitted:—

1. "That the accounts presented to this meeting by the Liquidator, showing the manner in which the liquidation has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, be received and adopted."

2. "That the books, accounts, and documents of the company, and of the Liquidator thereof, be retained by the Liquidator for a period of three months from date and then destroyed."

W. T. MONKMAN, Liquidator.
Dunedin, 28th September, 1906. 875

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 307 of "The Companies Act, 1903," that the Premier Sunrise (New Zealand) Gold-mining Company (Limited), a company incorporated in Great Britain, intends and will, after the expiration of three months from the publication of this notice in the *New Zealand Gazette*, cease to carry on business in the Colony of New Zealand.

Dated this 2nd day of October, 1906.

THE PREMIER SUNRISE (NEW ZEALAND)
GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED),
886 (By its Attorney, W. PATTON).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 307 of "The Companies Act, 1903," that the Indian Glenrock (Wynaad) Company (Limited), a company incorporated in Great Britain, intends and will, after the expiration of three months from the publication of this notice in the *New Zealand Gazette*, cease to carry on business in the Colony of New Zealand.

Dated this 2nd day of October, 1906.

THE INDIAN GLENROCK (WYNAAD)
COMPANY (LIMITED),
887 (By its Attorney, W. PATTON).

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

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

4331. PETER JONES. - Allotments 48, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 78, 79, 80, 81, 103, 104, 105, 106, 114, 115, 116, north-east part 74, north-east part 77, and south-west part 113, Parish of Okahu, containing together 1,779 acres 2 roods 36 perches. Occupied by Applicant.

4391. EDWARD ANDERSON. - Lot 1 of Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, of Allotment 16, Section 16, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 1 rood 22 perches. Unoccupied.

4393. MANSON EDWARD GARDNER. - Sections 92 and part of 91, Town of Cambridge East, containing 1 acre 2 roods 20 perches. Occupied by Applicant.

4394. FREDERICK JOHN COOPER. - Part of Allotment 1, Section 20, City of Auckland, containing 11 $\frac{7}{10}$ perches. Occupied by tenants.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 6th day of October, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

EDWIN BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

882

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.

1088. JOHN SIMPSON, Applicant - 9 acres 1 rood 0 $\frac{5}{8}$ perches, being Subsection 15 of a subdivision of Section 25, Grey District, and 26, Fitzroy District (Block IV, Paritutu Survey District), known as Westown.

Diagram may be inspected at this office (Plan 2356).

Dated this 28th day of September, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

T. HUTCHISON,
District Land Registrar.

880

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.

Application 1090. ALEXANDER SHUTTLEWORTH, Applicant. - Section 766, Town of New Plymouth, area 1 rood 3 $\frac{56}{100}$ perches. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office (Plan 2374).

Dated this 8th day of October, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

T. HUTCHISON,
District Land Registrar.

892

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 12th day of November, 1906.

3922. HANS MICHAEL JOHAN HOFFEINS. - 201 acres 3 roods 34 perches, Section 4 and part Sections 3 and 13, Taratahi Plain Block. Occupied by Applicant.

3924. ALFRED ERNEST BAYLISS. - 24 $\frac{7}{10}$ perches, part Section 209, Taratahi Plain Block. Occupied by Applicant.

3926. DAN MOUTON. - 1 acre 2 roods $\frac{8}{10}$ perch, part Sections 31 and 32, Karori District. Occupied by Applicant.

3927. WALTER WOODS JOHNSTON, CHARLES JOHN JOHNSTON, and SYDNEY JOHNSTON. - 14 acres and 36 $\frac{1}{10}$ perches, Sections 161, 163, and 164, Town of Foxton. Occupied part by William Ross and Son (Limited) and part by Gaius Brewer.

3928. JOHN WALTERS. - 27 $\frac{6}{10}$ perches, part Section 536, City of Wellington. Occupied by Applicant.

3930. WALTER ERNEST HALL. - 14 $\frac{4}{10}$ perches, part Section 745, City of Wellington. Occupied by W. G. Parker and F. W. Gough as tenants.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 9th day of October, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

881

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

10266. HENRY LAYTON BOWKER. - 29 acres 2 roods 38 perches, Rural Sections 4075 and 10308, Block XII, Christchurch Survey District. Unoccupied.

10284. FRANCIS SIMMONS. - 301 acres 2 roods 30 perches, parts of Rural Section 3753, Block II, Patiti Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

10292. SARAH EMMA SUCKLING. - 3 roods 9 $\frac{5}{10}$ perches, parts of Lots 43 and 44 of the Christchurch Town Reserves. Occupied by Applicant's tenants.

10353. ELIZABETH FREE. - 1 rood and $\frac{1}{2}$ a perch, part of Lot 90, Christchurch Town Reserves. Occupied by Mrs. Moody.

10370. ELIZA BELL. - 23 acres 1 rood 20 perches, part of Rural Section 795, Block VI, Rangiora Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

10373. MACALINA MCKELLOW. - 12 $\frac{4}{10}$ perches, part of Lot 163 of the Christchurch Town Reserves. Unoccupied.

10374. CHARLES EDWARD CALCUTT, 1 rood 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches, Lot 43, Plan 1269, part of Rural Section 163, Block XI, Christchurch Survey District. Unoccupied.

10376. CATHARINE WATEMBURG. 38 $\frac{2}{10}$ perches, part of Rural Section 125, Block XII, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 9th day of October, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

890

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 calendar month from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

2876. MICHAEL O'REGAN. - Allotments 13 and 14, Block III, Township of Charleston, Borough of North Invercargill. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 8th day of October, 1906, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

C. E. NALDER,
District Land Registrar.

891

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

COMPANIES ACTS, 1862 TO 1900.

In the matter of the Otago and Southland Investment Company (Limited).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company, duly convened, and held at the offices of the company, at No. 5 Adams Court, Old Broad Street, in the City of London, on Wednesday, the 4th day of July, 1906, the following special resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on Wednesday, the 1st day of August, 1906, the following special resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. That the company be wound up voluntarily.
2. That Mr. AFFLECK DUNCAN FRASER, F.C.I.S., of 5 Adams Court, Old Broad Street, London, E.C., be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up, and that his remuneration be the sum of 350 guineas.

Dated the 2nd day of August, 1906.

JAMES JACKSON,
Chairman.
GEORGE HUTTON MOODIE,
Lower Rattray Street, Dunedin,
Attorney for the above-named Liquidator.
SMITH, MACGREGOR, AND SINCLAIR,
Solicitors, Liverpool Street, Dunedin. 850

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903"; and of the Farmers' Co-operative Supply Association of Auckland, New Zealand (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company, duly convened, and held at Auckland on Tuesday,

the 25th day of September, 1906, the following extraordinary resolution was unanimously passed:—

“That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same.”

And the said meeting thereupon appointed ALFRED HENRY GRAINGER, of Queen Street, Auckland, Manager of the said company, Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the above-mentioned company and distributing its assets.

Dated the 25th day of September, 1906.

M. G. MCGREGOR, Solicitor for Liquidator, Shortland Street, Auckland. 876

J. R. WALTERS, Chairman.

In the matter of “The Companies Act, 1903”; and in the matter of the North Canterbury Saleyards Company (Limited), (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the members of the above-mentioned company will be held on Tuesday, the 23rd day of October, 1906, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, at the North Canterbury Co-operative Stores Company (Limited) Board-room, for the purpose of laying the accounts of the Liquidator before the members, in pursuance of section 230 of “The Companies Act, 1903.”

Dated this 4th day of October, 1906.

R. W. CHAPMAN, Liquidator. 877

In the matter of “The Companies Act, 1903”; and in the matter of the Waro Co-operative Coal Company (Limited), carrying on business in Auckland and at Hikurangi, in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Colony of New Zealand.

At an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above company, duly convened, and held on the 20th day of September, 1906, at the office of Messrs. Winstone Limited, in the City of Auckland, the following special resolution was duly passed: “(a.) That the above-named company be wound up voluntarily. (b.) That Mr. FREDERICK BROCK WINSTONE, of Queen Street, Auckland, Merchant, and Mr. ARTHUR THOMAS BROWN, of Durham Lane, Auckland, Accountant, be appointed Liquidators, for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the company.” And which said resolution was duly confirmed at an extraordinary general meeting held for that purpose on the 4th day of October, 1906, at the office of Messrs. Winstone Limited aforesaid.

F. B. WINSTONE, Chairman of the meeting.

S. C. BROWN, Secretary of the company. 883

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND, NORTHERN DISTRICT.

In the matter of “The Mercantile Law Act, 1880”; and of a Special Partnership between Jesse Stonham, Douglas Home Morrison, Ethelbert Wilfred Greg Rathbone, and Alfred Langley Plumbridge.

THIS is to certify, and it is hereby certified,—

1. That the said JESSE STONHAM, DOUGLAS HOME MORRISON, ETHELBERT WILFRED GREG RATHBONE, and ALFRED LANGLEY PLUMBRIDGE have this day entered into a Special Partnership, under the style or firm of “Stonham, Morrison, and Company.”

2. That the names and addresses of the general partners are Jesse Stonham, of Crescent Road, Parnell, Auckland; Douglas Home Morrison, of Epsom, Auckland; and Ethelbert Wilfred Greg Rathbone, of Gladstone Road, Parnell, Auckland, Journalist; and the name and address of the special partner is Alfred Langley Plumbridge, of Tauranga.

3. That the said Alfred Langley Plumbridge, as a special partner, has contributed the sum of £200 to the capital of the said partnership; and that the said Jesse Stonham, Douglas Home Morrison, and Ethelbert Wilfred Greg Rathbone, as general partners, have contributed respectively the sums of £100, £300, and £150 to the capital of the said partnership; and the said Jesse Stonham and Ethelbert Wilfred Greg Rathbone respectively agree to contribute further sums of £200 and £150 out of their respective shares of the first profits of the said partnership to the said partnership funds.

4. That the general nature of the business of the said partnership is that of exhibitors of cinematographic and phonochrom pictures, musical and vocal entertainers, and

all kindred forms of entertainment and the business of general entertainers.

5. That the principal place of business of the said partnership shall be at Auckland, but the business will be conducted in all or any parts of the Colony of New Zealand that the general partners shall decide upon.

6. That the said partnership shall commence on the 1st day of July, 1906, and terminate on the 30th day of June, 1909.

Dated this 16th day of August, 1906.

JESSE STONHAM.

Signed and acknowledged by the said Jesse Stonham in the presence of—James P. Thompson, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Colony of New Zealand.

DOUGLAS H. MORRISON.

Signed and acknowledged by the said Douglas Home Morrison in the presence of—James P. Thompson, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Colony of New Zealand.

E. WILFRED G. RATHBONE.

Signed and acknowledged by the said Ethelbert Wilfred Greg Rathbone in the presence of—D. B. McDonald, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Colony of New Zealand.

A. L. PLUMBRIDGE.

Signed and acknowledged by the said Alfred Langley Plumbridge in the presence of—J. H. Clayton, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Colony of New Zealand. 879

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the County of Kiwitea has appointed and established a Public Pound on Section 45, Block IV, Apiti Survey District, Township of Rangiwahia, Mangawharariki Street, County of Kiwitea, and that the same is hereby appointed a Public Pound accordingly.

Dated at Kimbolton, this 15th day of September, 1906.

By order of the Council of the County of Kiwitea.

CHAS. H. HAYNES, County Clerk. 878

TURANGA ROAD DISTRICT.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LANDS FOR ROAD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken under the provisions of “The Public Works Act, 1905,” for a certain public work, to wit, the construction of a public road through Allotments 224, 230, and 234 of the Parish of Pakuranga, in the Provincial District of Auckland. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the said lands is deposited in the office of the Turanga Road District, being the residence of the Clerk of the said district, at Whitford, and is there open for public inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work and by the taking of the said lands should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the said Turanga Road District, at Whitford, in the Provincial District of Auckland.

SCHEDULE.

| Approximate Area of Land to be taken. | Being Portion of | Situated in Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Coloured |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|----------|
| A. R. P. 0 1 1 | Allotment 224, Parish of Pakuranga | VIII | Otahuhu | A | Red. |
| 0 2 8 | Allotment 230, Parish of Pakuranga | " | " | " | " |
| 0 0 14.75 | Allotment 234, Parish of Pakuranga | " | " | " | " |

By order of the Turanga Road District.

L. H. WHITE,

Clerk to Turanga Road District.

District Office, 6th October, 1906. 885

HOROWHENUA COUNTY COUNCIL.

"PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1905."—LAND REQUIRED FOR ROAD.

PURSUANT to the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1905," it is hereby notified that the Horowhenua County Council requires the land described hereunder for the purpose of a public road. A plan, marked A, showing the position of same will be open for inspection at the County Office, Levin, during office hours for a period of forty days from date hereof. All persons affected by the taking of the land are hereby called upon to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections thereto, and to serve the same upon the County Clerk at Levin before expiration of forty days from date hereof.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND.

All that piece of land, situated in Block IV, Mount Robinson Survey District, being part of 1b, Tuawhakatupua, 1 acre 3 roods 5 perches, coloured blue; part of 1c No. 1, Tuawhakatupua, 2 roods 4 4 perches, coloured purple; and part of Tahitiki Block, 2 acres 1 rood 6 1 perches, coloured pink, and bounded as follows:—

Starting at a point 50 links in a westerly direction from the northernmost boundary of 1b, Tuawhakatupua; thence in a southerly direction to the northern boundary of 2a, Tuawhakatupua; thence 100 links in an easterly direction; and thence in a northerly direction to the Manawatu River through Tahitiki Block: as the same is delineated on plan marked A, now on view for a period of forty days from this date at the County Office, Levin.

Names of owners: We Hare Rakena te Aweawe, Te Manawaroa te Aweawe, Rakiwhata te Aweawe, Te Rewanui Henare, Te Rangimaira te Aweawe, Te Wai Tokorau Teieti, Te Rangi Putangatahi Rahira Mohi, Urapani Mutuahi, Tamati Kawana, Atareta Kawana, Taitoko Wi Matai, Pikihina Wi Matai, Tiweta Whatahoro, Heremaia Maika, Rangi te Rangi, Wikitoria Ratima, and Ratima Ngungu.

Name of occupier: W. Akers.

JOHN McCULLOCH,

Clerk to Council.

Dated this 3rd day of October, 1906. 888

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, RICHARD BRIDGMAN WILLIAMS, Lic. Soc. Lond. 1892, M.R.C.S. Eng. 1895, L.R.C.P. Lond. 1895, now residing in Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 5th November next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Colony of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar-General.

R. B. WILLIAMS.

Dated at Wellington, 4th October, 1906. 874

NOTICE is hereby given—

1. That the Partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, GEORGE METHVEN, the elder, GEORGE METHVEN, the younger, and WALTER SIDNEY GARDNER, carrying on business as Mechanical Engineers, Iron and Brass Founders, and Blacksmiths, at Crawford Street, Dunedin, under the style or firm of "George Methven and Co.," has been dissolved by mutual consent from the eighth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and six.

2. That the said business will be carried on at the said address by the said George Methven, the elder, and Walter Sidney Gardner, under the said style or firm of "George Methven and Co.," and that the said George Methven, the elder, and Walter Sidney Gardner will pay and discharge all debts and liabilities of the said late firm and receive all moneys due thereto.

Dated this 8th day of October, 1906.

GEORGE METHVEN.
GEORGE METHVEN, JUN.
WALTER S. GARDNER.

Witnessed by J. McRae Gallaway, Solicitor, Dunedin. 893

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by GEORGE COLE HILL and DUDLEY HILTON PRIOR, under the style or firm of "George C. Hill and Co.," at Feilding, in the business of Land Agents, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All accounts due to and owing by the late firm will be paid and received by the said George Cole Hill. The business will in future be carried on by the said George Cole Hill alone. As witness our hands.

Dated this 5th day of October, 1906.

GEO. C. HILL.
D. H. PRIOR.

Witness—R. W. Prior, Law Clerk, Feilding. 884

SCHOOL FOR DEAF-MUTES, SUMNER, NEAR CHRISTCHURCH.

Under the control and supervision of the Education Department.

Director: MR. G. VAN ASCH.

FOR Deaf Children of sound intellect. The pupils are taught to use and understand ordinary speech. The best age for entrance is between six and seven. The full charge for board and education is £40 a year, but less is accepted from parents who cannot afford to pay this amount. In case of necessity admission is free. Parents having dumb children between the ages of four and seven, and other persons desiring information with regard to the school, are invited to apply to

THE SECRETARY FOR EDUCATION,
Wellington.

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