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*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.**

**MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.**  
*Rimu Gully Block (1,456 Acres).*

Area.	Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Edged on Plan
Acres.					
111	5	I	Wakamarina	S.G. 57274/1	Red.
171	7	"	Ditto		
307	8	"	"		
245	9	"	"		
202	2	II	"		
263	1	V	"		
157	2	"	"		

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

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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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.**

**HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.**  
*Koranga Block (17,422 Acres).*

Area.	Section or Small Grazing-run No.	Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Edged on Plan
Acres.					
4,130	S.G. Run No. 89	XV	Moanui	S.G. 52341/9	Green.
4,240	" No. 90	XII	"		
4,240	" No. 91	XVI	"		
1,970	Section No. 1 ..	XV	"		
1,412	" No. 1 ..	I	Ngatapa		
1,430	" No. 2 ..	"	"		

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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.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.  
*Tutamoe Block (3,073 Acres).*

Area.	Small Grazing-run No.	Situated in Block in No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
Acres. 3,073	S.G. Run No. 93	{ XIV II	Tutamoe .. Waingaromia	S.G. 57320/1	Green.

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

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

**ROBERT McNAB,**  
Minister of Lands

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land in the City of Wellington taken for the Purposes of an Electric Tramway.*

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

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1905," "The Tramways Act, 1894," and "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," for the purposes of the Wellington City electric tramways:

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers of "The Public Works Act, 1905," "The Tramways Act, 1894," "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," 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 purpose of the said electric tramways as aforesaid, and shall, as from the date hereinafter specified, vest in the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Wellington; and it is hereby declared that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

SCHEDULE.

The parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in the
A. R. P. 0 0 9.8	540	City of Wellington.

In the Land District of Wellington; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 22571, deposited in the office of Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

**JAMES McGOWAN,**  
For Minister for Public Works.  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Lands withdrawn from the Karu Improved-farm Special Settlement, Auckland Land District.*

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by the one-hundred-and-sixty-second section of "The Land Act, 1892," and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby revoke a Proclamation dated the eleventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and four, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 33, dated the twenty-first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and four, setting apart lands for Karu Improved-farm Special Settlement, in so far as it relates to the lands described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1,409 acres 1 rood 5 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 9, 10, and 12, Block III, Otakeke Survey District.

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

**ROBERT McNAB,**  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Lands reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903," and "The Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1906."*

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

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may appoint a Commission who may inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there may be thermal springs, and report thereon to the Governor, with recommendations as to what lands should be reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves: And whereas such Commission was duly appointed, and, after inspection, recommended that the parcel of land described in the Schedule hereunder should be permanently reserved for scenic purposes, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers contained in the said Act, and of "The Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1906," do hereby proclaim and declare that the parcel of land described in the Schedule hereunder shall be reserved under and subject to the provisions of the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

NORTHCOTE SCENIC RESERVE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 23 acres 3 roods 89 perches, more or less, being Section No. 8, Block XII, Waitemata Survey District (Parish of Takapuna). Bounded towards the north-west by Lots 4, 3, 2, and 1 of Original Allotment 9 of the Parish of Takapuna, 1452 links; towards the north-east by Allotment 12 and Lot 25 of Original Allotment 11 of the aforesaid parish, 844.7 and 852.5 links; towards the south-east by Lots 29 and 30 and other parts of Original Allotment 7 of the aforesaid parish, 1447.6 links; and towards the south-west by Lot 4 of Original Allotment 4, and Lot 3 of Original Allotment 6, of the aforesaid parish, 1618 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 52698/44, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged red.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands taken for a Road through Block XIII, Matakoho Survey District, Matakoho Road District.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1905," for a certain work, to wit, for the purpose of a road in Matakoho Survey District:

And whereas the Matakoho Road Board has laid before the Governor the memorial, accompanied by a map, and also the statutory declaration, as required by the said Act:

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 3 0 9.7	Sublot 6 of 1 and 260	XIII	Matakoho	R. 8872	Pink.
1 3 8.8	257	"	"	"	Blue.
3 2 34.8	58	"	"	"	Pink.
2 1 27.2	49	"	"	"	"

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

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Native Land proposed to be taken for a Gravel-pit in Owhatiura South Block, Block I, Tarawera Survey District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this seventh day of June, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a public work, to wit, for the purpose of a gravel-pit in Owhatiura South Block, Block I, Tarawera Survey District:

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 6 1 22.9	Owhatiura South Block	I	Tarawera	R. 465	Pink border.

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

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

Abolishing the Komakorau Drainage District, County of Waikato.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-fourth day of June, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council made under "The Land Drainage Act, 1904," dated the second day of February, one thousand nine hundred and six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and six, the area described in the Schedule to the said Order in Council was constituted a drainage district under the said Act, to be called the Komakorau Drainage District:

And whereas a petition, signed by a majority of the rate-payers in the said drainage district, has been presented to the Governor praying that the said district may be abolished:

And whereas it is expedient to give effect to the said petition:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority contained in the said "Land Drainage Act, 1904," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby abolish the said Komakorau Drainage District as from the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

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

Authorising Sale of Land in the City of Christchurch.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of July, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section thirty of "The Public Works Act, 1905" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that if it is found that any land held, taken, or acquired at any time under that Act or any other Act or Provincial Ordinance, or otherwise howsoever, for any public work is not required for such public work, the Governor may, by an Order in Council publicly notified and gazetted, cause the same to be sold under the conditions set forth in the said Act :

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto was acquired for the purposes of an industrial school : And whereas the said land is not now required for the purposes of the said industrial school, and the Minister for Public Works has recommended that this Order in Council should be issued authorising such land to be sold :

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby authorise the land described in the Schedule hereto to be dealt with and sold in the manner prescribed by and subject to the conditions of the thirtieth and following sections of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels to be sold.	Being	Situated in the
A. R. P. 0 0 34.9	Lot 4, part of R.S. 105	St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch.
0 0 34.9	Lot 31, part of R.S. 105	St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch.
0 1 0	Part of Lot 84	Christchurch Town Reserves.

All in the Land District of Canterbury; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan drawn on certificates of title, Volume 223, folio 39, Volume 222, folio 51, Volume 191, folio 149, Canterbury Land Registration District, and thereon bordered green.

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

Terms and Conditions of Lease of Village-homestead Allotments in Menzies' Ferry Village Settlement, Southland Land District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of July, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the one-hundred-and-sixty-ninth section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that the Governor in Council may fix the terms and conditions upon which the lands in any village settlement shall be disposed of, subject as in the said section is provided: And whereas by a Proclamation made under the said Act on the eleventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the thirteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, the lands described in the First Schedule hereto have been set apart under the said Act and declared open for lease as a village settlement, and it is expedient to fix the terms and conditions upon which the said lands shall be disposed of :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the

powers and authorities conferred by the said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby fix the terms and conditions on which the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto shall be disposed of by way of lease in perpetuity, and which said terms and conditions are set forth in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—TOWN OF MENZIES' FERRY.—MENZIES' FERRY VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

Village-homestead Allotments.

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.
49	IV	23 3 36	8 9.6	5 6 0
50	"	24 3 25	9 7.2	6 0 0
51	"	24 0 6	8 0	4 16 0
52	"	24 3 21	9 7.2	6 0 0
53	"	26 0 27	8 9.6	5 15 0

The above sections are situated about one mile from the Town of Wyndham and three miles and a half from Edendale Railway-station. All are open flat land; good soil, on gravel formation; well watered. Access by metalled roads.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

1. The lands enumerated above are first-class lands, and are village-homestead allotments open for selection on lease in perpetuity under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act").

2. The day on which the said lands shall be open for selection shall be Wednesday, the 16th day of October, 1907.

3. The rentals stated above shall be the prices at which the lands shall be open for selection.

4. Applications for leases 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, Invercargill; and leases will be issued in accordance with the provisions of Part I aforesaid.

5. 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.

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

7. All 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.

8. Improvements and residence on the land comprised in each 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 lessees 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 lessees under these regulations.

9. No lessee shall 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.

10. No lessee shall hold more than one allotment, 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.

11. All the provisions of the said Act, so far as applicable, shall extend and apply to the lands affected by these regulations, and to the applications and leases 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.

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

*Vesting a Reserve in the KIWITEA COUNTY COUNCIL.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of July, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been permanently reserved for metal purposes :  
And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the KIWITEA COUNTY 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 reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the KIWITEA COUNTY, in trust, for metal purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Section No. 2A, Block XI, Hautapu Survey District. Bounded by a line commencing at a point on the southern side of the Mangawharariki Road (the said point being distant 551.8 links in a north-westerly direction from the north-easternmost corner of Section No. 2, Block XI, Hautapu Survey District), and proceeding thence along a line in a south-westerly direction bearing S. 25° 29' W., a distance of 300 links; thence along a line in a north-westerly direction bearing N. 64° 31' W., a distance of 333.3 links; thence along a line in a north-easterly direction bearing N. 25° 29' E., a distance of 300 links, to the Mangawharariki Road aforesaid; and thence south-easterly along the said road to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53310, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered green.

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

*Vesting a Reserve in the KIWITEA COUNTY COUNCIL.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of July, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been permanently reserved for gravel purposes :  
And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the KIWITEA COUNTY 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 reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the KIWITEA COUNTY, in trust, for gravel purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Section No. 24, Mangawharariki Township. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 25, Mangawharariki Township; towards the south-east by Section No. 41, Block XV, Hautapu Survey District; towards the south-west by Sections Nos. 23 and 22 of the said township; and towards the north-west by a public road: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 54273/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

*Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Toko Domain.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of July, 1907.

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 twenty fourth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and five, appointing a Domain Board to have control of the Toko Domain Board, and doth hereby appoint

JAMES DAVIS,  
WILLIAM McLAUGHLIN KENNEDY,  
WILLIAM HENRY WERE,  
DAVID BAIN,  
JOHN BIRD HINE,  
EDGAR HINE, and  
EDWARD KELLEHER

to be the Toko Domain Board, having, subject to the said Acts, control of the land described in the Schedule hereto, which land is a public domain, and shall be called the Toko Domain; and also doth hereby appoint Monday, the fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seven, at seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Toko Hall, Toko, as the place where, the first meeting of the said Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

TOKO DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 acres and 32.7 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 36, Block III, Ngaire Survey District. Bounded towards the north by the other part of the said Section No. 36, 1083.4 links; towards the south-east by Railway Reserve, 1451.6 links; and towards the west by a public road and part of the said Section No. 36, 1077 links: as the same is delineated in the plan marked L. and S. 52756B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, and thereon bordered green.

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

*Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Plasbourne Domain.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of July, 1907.

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 thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seven, 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

ARTHUR RICHARD WOODING,  
FREDERICK HENRY CLOSE,  
WILLIAM HARRY BUTT,  
ALFRED FREDERICK LOE,  
JOHN JAMES HALL,  
ARNOLD VAN ASCH, and  
JOHN ERNEST BELL

to be the Flaxbourne 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 Monday, the twenty-sixth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seven, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Schoolroom, Ward, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### FLAXBOURNE DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Marlborough Land District, containing by admeasurement 14 acres and 32 perches, more or less, being Section No. 10, Block VI, Town of Ward. Bounded towards the north by the Needles Creek; towards the east by Crown land, 1620 links; towards the south by a public road, 1000 links; and towards the west by Ward Street, 1200 links, and by Section No. 12, 400 and 475 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 18886/488, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of July, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

#### SCHEDULE.

##### OTOROHANGA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 37 acres 3 roods 23 perches, more or less, being Section No. 8 of Block IV, Orahiri Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by the Otorohanga N No. 2 Block, 1058 links: towards the south-east by the Otorohanga C Block, 4050 links: towards the south-west by the Otorohanga D Block, 473 links; by the crossing of a road, 200 links; and again by the Otorohanga D Block aforesaid, 600 links: and towards the north-west by the Otorohanga E No. 5 Block, 460 links; by the crossing of a road, 138 links; and again by the last-mentioned block, 2742 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: except from the above-described area a road 100 links wide: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 49050b, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

*Exempting Wearne's Right-of-way from the Provisions of Section 117 of "The Public Works Act, 1905," subject to certain Conditions as to the Building-line.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of July, 1907.

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 by section three of "The Public Works Act Amendment Act, 1906," it is provided that such approval may be either absolute or subject to such conditions as the Governor by Order in Council thinks fit to impose:

And whereas on the sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, the Council of the City of Wellington, the local authority having control of the street known as Wearne's Right-of-way, being the street described in the Schedule hereto, did by resolution declare that the provisions of the said section one hundred and seventeen should not apply to the said street:

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved, subject to the condition hereinafter mentioned:

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, subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on either side of the said street within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said street.

#### SCHEDULE.

THAT street known as Wearne's Right-of-way, in the Wellington Land District and the City of Wellington, situated between Colombo Street and Rintoul Street in the said city; as the said street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R.8808, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

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

*Appointment of Trustees, Waimate Volunteer Drill-shed Reserve.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by "The Special Powers and Contracts Act, 1885," "The Volunteer Drill-sheds and Lands Act, 1888," and "The Volunteer Drill-sheds and Lands Trustees Validation Act, 1890" (hereinafter termed "the said Acts"), His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, doth hereby constitute and appoint

Lieutenant-Colonel JOHN EDWARD HAWKINS, V.D., New Zealand Militia, Officer Commanding Canterbury Military District;  
Captain WILLIAM COLTMAN, Active List;  
Captain ALFRED GARLAND, Active List;  
Captain HERBERT CLIFFORD BARCLAY, Waimate Rifle Volunteers; and  
Captain PETER JENKINS WAIN, Studholme Mounted Rifle Volunteers,

to be Trustees of all that parcel of land in the Canterbury Land District, being Reserve No. 1629, Town of Waimate, and containing 1 acre 1 rood 14 perches, more or less, together with all buildings erected thereon; to hold the said several premises for the purpose of maintaining a drill-shed for Volunteer purposes, and generally for the purposes of and with the powers conferred by the said Acts. And it is hereby declared that the said Trustees shall be incorporated

under the name of "The Trustees of the Waimate Volunteer Drill-shed Reserve," and that they shall take office as such Trustees on the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Declaring it Unlawful to take Oysters in Ponui Subdivision of Auckland Oyster-fishery.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS it is, amongst other things, enacted by the fifteenth section of "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1894," that the Governor may from time to time declare any bay, estuary, or tidal waters in the colony to be an oyster-fishery, and prescribe the subdivisions thereof wherein it shall be lawful and unlawful to take oysters:

And whereas by Warrant under the hand of the Governor, dated the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in a Supplement to the *New Zealand Gazette* of the same date, the Auckland Oyster-fishery was constituted and divided into subdivisions:

And whereas by a further Warrant, dated the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 49, of the sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, the Ponui Subdivision was constituted, and it was declared lawful to take oysters therein:

And whereas it is desirable that it should be declared unlawful to take oysters in the said Ponui Subdivision:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, and all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby declare and prescribe that from the date hereof it shall be unlawful to take oysters in the said Ponui Subdivision of the Auckland Oyster-fishery.

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

J. A. MILLAR.

*Land temporarily reserved in the Auckland Land District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres, more or less, being Section No. 7, Block XVI, Orahiri Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the Pukeroa-Hangatiki No. 3A Block, 800 links; towards the south-west and south-east by Section No. 8, Block XVI, Orahiri Survey District, 400 and 804 links respectively; and towards the east generally by the Mangarino Road, 230 and 225 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 56925/5, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red. For a site for a public cemetery.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Land temporarily reserved in the Auckland Land District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres and 25 perches, more or less, being Section No. 10, Block VI, Village of Rangaroa. Bounded towards the north-east by East Street, 400 links; towards the south-east by Sections Nos. 9, 8, and 7 of Block VI, Village of Rangaroa, 540 links; towards the south-west by Sections Nos. 2 and 11 of Block VI aforesaid, 400 links; and towards the north-west by North Street, 540 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57313/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured purple. For a site for a public school.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Lands temporarily reserved in the Wellington Land District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 11 perches, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block I, Raurimu Township. Bounded towards the north by Crown land; towards the east by Waiouru-Taumarunui Road; towards the south by Section No. 2 of said Block I; and towards the west by Crown land. For municipal purposes.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block II, Raurimu Township. Bounded towards the north by Crown land; towards the north-east by Waiouru-Taumarunui Road; towards the south-east by Section No. 2 of said Block II; and towards the west by Crown land. For municipal purposes.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 30 perches, more or less, being Section No. 13, Block II, Raurimu Township. Bounded towards the north-west by Section No. 12 of said Block II; towards the north-east by Waiouru-Taumarunui Road; towards the south-east by Section No. 14 of said Block II; and towards the south-west by Crown land. For a site for a post-office.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre and 16 perches, more or less, being Section No. 8, Block III, Raurimu Township. Bounded

towards the north-west by Section No. 6 of said Block III; towards the north-east by Section No. 7 of said Block III; towards the south-east by Waionuru-Taumarunui Road; and towards the south-west by Pito Street. For police purposes.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 3 roods 10 perches, more or less, being Section No. 5, Block IV, Raurimu Township. Bounded towards the north-east by Sections Nos. 3 and 4 of said Block IV and by the abutment of a public road; and towards the south-east, south-west, and north-west generally by the Piopotea Stream. For a public recreation-ground.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57228/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 3 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 2, Block IV, Raurimu Township. Bounded towards the north-west by Section No. 1 of said Block IV; towards the north-east by Pito Street; towards the south-east by Section No. 3 of said Block IV; and towards the south-west and north-west generally by the Piopotea Stream: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57228/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured purple. For a site for a public school.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Land temporarily reserved in the Wellington Land District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 715 acres, more or less, being Section No. 29, Block XI, Hautapu Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Titirangi Road; towards the east by Section No. 28, Block XI, Hautapu Survey District; towards the south by road reserve along the northern bank of the Mangawharariki Stream; and towards the west by Section No. 24 of the said Block XI: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 52029/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For forest conservation and as a sanctuary for native birds.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Land temporarily reserved in the Otago Land District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and

pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Otago Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purpose in the said Schedule specified at the end of the description of the land so intended to be temporarily reserved.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 27 perches, more or less, being Section No. 2a, Block LI, Town of Queenstown. Bounded towards the north-east by part of Marine Parade, 228 links; towards the south-east by other part of Marine Parade, 87 links; towards the south-west by part of Section No. 74, Block XX (being part of railway wharf reserve), Shotover Survey District, 229 links; and towards the north-west by other part of Marine Parade, 62 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57015/3, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For public utility.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Land temporarily reserved in the Otago Land District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 2 roods 16 perches, more or less, being Section No. 5, Block X, Town of Ettrick. Bounded towards the north-east by Hogg Street, 800 links; towards the south-east by Sections Nos. 1 and 2 of the aforesaid block, the crossing of a water-race reserve, and by Sections Nos. 3 and 4, 500 links; towards the south-west by Yarrow Street, 800 links; and towards the north-west by James Street, 500 links: excluding from the above-described boundaries a water-race reserve which intersects the same: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57264/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For a site for a public school.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Regulations for the Occupation of Pastoral Lands known as the Glenroy Block, in the Westland Mining District, Nelson Land District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section four of "The Land Act, 1892," and by section thirty-nine of "The Mining Act, 1905," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the following shall be the regulations under which pastoral licenses may be granted within the area known as "Glenroy Block," situated in the Westland Mining District, within the Nelson Land District, and more particularly described in the First Schedule hereto:—



## REGULATIONS.

Interpretation: In these regulations, unless inconsistent with the context, the word "licensee" includes "his heirs and assigns," and the word "Warden" means any Warden exercising jurisdiction within the district in which the Glenroy Block is situated.

1. Application may be made for any of the Crown lands within the area described in the First Schedule hereto.

2. Every application shall be in the form or to the effect set forth in the Second Schedule hereto, and every applicant shall make the declaration appended thereto or a declaration to that effect.

3. Each applicant shall at the time of his application pay to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Nelson, the first half-year's rent, together with the license and registration fee, or make such payment immediately the application has been approved or declared successful at the ballot. Deposits made by unsuccessful applicants shall be returned by the Receiver of Land Revenue after the ballot.

4. All rents must be paid half-yearly in advance to the Receiver of Land Revenue, Nelson, on the 1st days of January and July in each and every year.

5. The area which may be applied for under these regulations shall not be less than 25 acres nor exceed 650 acres, and each license shall entitle the holder thereof to the exclusive right of pasturage over the lands specified therein, but shall give no right to the soil, or minerals, or timber, except as hereinafter expressly specified.

6. The Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Land District of Nelson may, with the approval of the Land Board of such land district (hereinafter referred to as "the Land Board"), grant not more than one pastoral license under these regulations to any person of the age of seventeen years and upwards who may apply for the same; but the Land Board may refuse any application, and their decision shall be final and without appeal.

7. The annual rent payable under the license shall be a sum to be fixed by the Land Board, but shall be not less than 3d. per acre.

8. The term of license shall be twenty-one years, and should the land for which the license has been issued not be required for mining purposes, on the licensee applying for the same at least twelve months before the expiration of his license, a new license for a further term of twenty-one years, to date from the expiration of his license, shall be offered to the licensee at a rental to be ascertained, as hereinafter specified, namely,—

(a.) A valuation shall be made by an appraiser to be appointed by the Land Board of the then value of the fee-simple of the land then included in the license, and also a valuation of all substantial improvements of a permanent character made and then in existence on the said land.

(b.) After the service of notice of the valuations made as aforesaid, which shall be effected by serving a copy of the same on the licensee and another copy on the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Nelson Land District, but not later than twelve months before the expiry of the term for which the licensee then holds the land, the licensee shall elect, by notice in writing delivered to the said Commissioner, whether he will accept a fresh license of the said land for a further term of twenty-one years from the expiration of the then term at a rental equal to 4 per centum of the value of the fee-simple as fixed, less the value of the improvements, by the said valuation; such fresh license to be subject to conditions similar to the previous license, excepting as to the amount of rent payable thereunder.

In the event of an existing licensee not agreeing to the valuations made as aforesaid, then the rent to be paid shall be determined by arbitration, in manner provided by section 79 of "The Land Act, 1892."

If the licensee shall elect not to accept a renewal as above mentioned, or shall refuse or neglect to execute a license within thirty days after the same is tendered to him for the purpose, then a license of the said land shall, not later than one month before the end of the term for which the existing license was granted, be offered for sale by public auction for a further term of twenty-one years, subject to the provisions of section 183 of "The Land Act, 1892."

If such license shall not be disposed of as above mentioned to some person other than the licensee, or if such person fail to execute the license in duplicate within thirty days after being notified that such license is ready for execution, or to pay the half-year's rent and the value of the improvements as aforesaid, then the licensee may again elect in manner aforesaid to accept a fresh license as aforesaid; and if he do not elect to accept the same, or refuse or neglect to execute such license for thirty days after re-tender of the license for execution, then

he may continue as tenant of the said land from year to year, and shall pay the rent reserved by his expired license, and observe and perform the covenants and conditions contained in the same, or until the Board shall succeed in finding an applicant for the new license, unless prior to the finding of such applicant by the Board he shall elect to accept a new license for the said further period of twenty-one years as aforesaid.

No outgoing tenant shall have any right or claim against the Crown or the Board in respect of the value of any improvements made by him on the land in his occupation in case any incoming tenant shall fail to pay such value to the Receiver of Land Revenue, nor shall the outgoing tenant have any claim against the Crown or the Board, or any body or person whatever, by reason of a reduction of the valuation for improvements made by the Board and approved by the Minister of Lands.

9. Residence on the land selected under these regulations shall be compulsory, and shall commence within four years, and residence shall be continuous to the end of the term; but the conditions of such residence may be relaxed on the same terms as provided in sections 141, 142, and 143 of "The Land Act, 1892."

10. Every licensee shall put on the land comprised in his license substantial improvements of a permanent character as under:—

(a.) Within one year from the date of his license, to an amount equal to 5 per centum of the value of the land.

(b.) Within two years from the date of his license, to an amount equal to another 7½ per centum of the value of the land.

(c.) And thereafter, but within five years from the date of his license, to an amount equal to another 10 per centum of the value of the land.

And in addition thereto shall within ten years from the date of his license put substantial improvements of a permanent character to an amount equal to another 25 per centum of the value of every acre of the land comprised in his license.

11. Applications to transfer a license under these regulations shall be made to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, and shall be subject to the approval of the Land Board.

No transfer will be allowed within one year from date of license, nor until permanent improvements have been effected to the value of 12½ per centum of the value of the land held under the license.

12. Substantial improvements of a permanent character shall include reclamation from swamps, clearing of bush not being milling-timber (as in Regulation No. 15), scrub, gorse, broom, sweetbriar, grassing, cultivation, planting with trees and live hedges, the laying-out and cultivating of gardens, fencing, draining, making roads, sinking wells, water-tanks, or constructing sheep-dips, making embankments or protective works of any kind, in any way improving the character or fertility of the soil, or the erection of any building at licensee's option upon the protected area of 50 acres, as described in Regulation No. 19.

13. The licensee shall have the right to the use of the surface soil only of the demised land for the purpose set forth in his license.

14. The licensee shall have no right, either himself or through any other person, to fell, cut, sell, remove, or otherwise dispose of any milling-timber on the land included in his license, except for his domestic use, or for fencing or clearing for cultivation.

15. The Commissioner of Crown Lands, or any person appointed by him, shall decide what is milling-timber, and his decision shall be final.

16. The licensee shall, by virtue of his pastoral license, acquire no rights to mine for gold, silver, or any other metals or minerals whatever, without first obtaining the sanction of the Warden in the manner provided for by the mining laws.

17. The holders of miners' rights shall have the right to prospect over the whole area held under pastoral license, and for that purpose to enter and camp thereon, and to use mining-timber and firewood growing thereon, so long as they are legitimately engaged in prospecting; but any prospecting carried on upon the cultivated area surrounding the dwelling of the licensee, as limited by Regulation No. 19 hereof, shall be subject to the provisions of sections 74 and 75 of "The Mining Act, 1905."

18. The Warden shall have the right to grant any mining privilege or easement in and over the land comprised in a pastoral license, subject to the compensation for improvements as provided for in "The Mining Act, 1905."

19. No previous consent shall be required from the licensee to enable the Warden to grant any application which may be lawfully made to him under any Mining Act or regulations for the time being in force in and over the lands comprised in a pastoral license unless the applicant

encroaches upon the area containing the dwellinghouse or immediately surrounding the same, provided the dwelling is of a substantial nature, the land in cultivation, and surrounded by a substantial fence. For the purpose of this proviso, and for the purpose of Regulation No. 17 hereof, the area to be protected to the licensee around his dwelling shall be 50 acres: Provided, however, in all cases where the area which otherwise would be protected is not cultivated or substantially fenced, then so much only of the area as is substantially fenced or cultivated shall be protected.

20. The Crown and the local bodies shall have the right to survey and take all lands necessary for the construction of roads on the demised pastoral lands, and compensation only for the value of substantial improvements made by the licensee will be paid in case of land resumed for public purposes.

21. For all land resumed for public or mining purposes a reduction, proportionate to the acreage resumed, shall be made on future annual rentals.

22. Any license may be forfeited if payment of rental is not made within three months of the date it is due, or if the licensee fail to effect substantial improvements as mentioned in Regulation 10.

23. All existing pack-tracks, whether surveyed or not, are to remain available for public use, and where the licensee's fences run across the same a swing-gate must be provided to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

24. Every holder of a miner's right shall have the right of ingress and egress over the whole area of a pastoral license, excepting so much thereof as may be under cultivation and substantially fenced, as provided in Regulation No. 19 of these regulations.

25. All water-rights are reserved to the Crown, but not so as to deprive the licensee's stock of access to the water on his holding.

#### FIRST SCHEDULE.

##### GLENROY BLOCK.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District situated in Blocks I, II, V, VI, IX, X, XIII, and XIV of the Matakaitaki Survey District, and Blocks II and VI of the Una Survey District, and containing by admeasurement 16,900 acres, more or less. Bounded by lines commencing at a point on the left bank of the Matakaitaki River, the said point being due north of peg xxiii near the Glenroy Bridge, and bounded towards the north by the said river to a point on the left bank thereof where it is intersected by the prolongation in a northerly direction of the western boundary-line of Section 2 of Square 176 in Block VI of the Matakaitaki Survey District; thence towards the east generally by Crown lands and the aforesaid Section 2 to a point about 55 chains due east of peg cxxix, which peg is situated on the right bank of the Glenroy River about seventeen miles southward from the Glenroy Bridge; thence towards the south by Crown lands for a distance of about 126 chains; thence towards the west by a line running in a northerly direction for a distance of about 54 chains; thence towards the north by a line running due east to the eastern side of the road along the right bank of the Glenroy River; thence towards the west by the said road until it strikes the south-eastern boundary of H. B. and P. E. B. Walker's pastoral licenses of 2,000 acres in Block XIV of the Matakaitaki Survey District; thence by a right line in a south-westerly direction to peg cvi at the southernmost point of the said license; thence towards the south and west by Crown lands to the Rappahannock Saddle; thence again towards the west and north-west generally by the summit of the range running in a northerly direction through Sub-trig. Stations "D" and "A" to the point of commencement near the Glenroy Bridge; excepting from the area above described all timber and other public or mining reserves: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 55542, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged in red.

#### SECOND SCHEDULE.

##### APPLICATION FOR PASTORAL LICENSE.

Under the Regulations for the Occupation of Pastoral Lands known as the Glenroy Block, in the Westland Mining District and within the Nelson Land District.

To the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Nelson.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby apply for a pastoral license, under the above-mentioned regulations, over \_\_\_\_\_ acres roads \_\_\_\_\_ perches of Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto (as per plan attached hereto).

Signature (in full): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_, 190 \_\_\_\_\_.

Schedule.

#### Declaration.

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

1. That I am of the age of seventeen years and upwards.  
2. That I am the person who, subject to the regulations for the occupation of pastoral lands within the Glenroy Block, in the Nelson Land District, is applying for a lease of the land above described.

3. That I am not already the holder of a license under the regulations mentioned in the last preceding paragraph.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Received on \_\_\_\_\_, 190 \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Appointment of Chairman of the Special Board of Conciliators for the Hearing of an Industrial Dispute between the Auckland Slaughtermen's Union and the Employers.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS the Registrar is satisfied that the persons elected to be members of the Special Board of Conciliators for the hearing of an industrial dispute between the Auckland Slaughtermen's Union and the employers (being the electing authorities) have failed to elect a Chairman of the Board:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1905," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

ARTHUR M. MYERS,

Mayor of Auckland, to be Chairman of the said Board.

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

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Labour.

*Trustee for the Huntly 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

JOSEPH ALLEN PARKES

to be a Trustee, in the place of Robert R. Ralph, deceased, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Huntly 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 twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Trustee for the Otorohanga 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

CHARLES JAMES JOHNSON

to be a Trustee, in the place of Alfred Francis Puckey, removed from the district, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Otorohanga 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 twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Trustees for the Waikāia 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 CHRISTIE,  
GEORGE DENIS, and  
PATRICK DE LAURIE

to be Trustees, in the place of William Nation, James Brighton Hutchinson, and John Miller Hazelden, and

KENNETH MCKENZIE and  
COLIN ROBERTSON

to be additional Trustees, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Waikāia 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 twenty-ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Members of the Legislative Council appointed.*

Prime Minister's Office,  
Wellington, 1st July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in His Majesty's name, summoned

JOHN EDWARD JENKINSON, Esq., of Wellington, and  
JOHN RIGG, Esq., of Wellington,

to the Legislative Council of New Zealand, by writs of summons under the Seal of the said Colony dated 1st July, 1907.

J. G. WARD,  
Prime Minister.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 25th June, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE HENRY SHERWOOD

to be the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Kumara, *vice* John Nelson Nalder.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Colonial Secretary.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 25th June, 1907.

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

Name.	District.
JOHN CHRISTOPHER CAPPER .. ..	Birmingham.
WILLIAM HENRY HART .. ..	Ashhurst.
ALBERT EDWARD COOMBER .. ..	Cust.
WILLIAM FREDERICK BENNETTS .. ..	Waimate.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Colonial Secretary.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 25th June, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM GEORGE WALKER

to be Returning Officer for the purpose of conducting the first election of five members of the Board of Trustees of the Hopelands Drainage District, as constituted under "The Land Drainage Act, 1904"; also to appoint Monday, the 24th day of June, 1907, to be the date, and the School-

house, at Hopelands, to be the place, for holding such first election; and also to appoint Saturday, the 29th day of June, 1907, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to be the time, and the Schoolhouse, at Hopelands, to be the place, at which the first meeting of Trustees shall be held.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Colonial Secretary.

*Appointment of Honorary Consul of Chili, at Wellington, recognised provisionally.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 28th June, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that he has been instructed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies to recognise provisionally the appointment of

ALBERT MARTIN, Esq., M.D.,  
as Honorary Consul of Chili, at Wellington.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Colonial Secretary.

*Accountant, Dunedin Savings-bank, appointed.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 2nd July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the appointment by the Trustees of the Dunedin Savings-bank of

JAMES QUAIL

to be Accountant of the bank from the 18th ultimo.

J. G. WARD.

*Coroner appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 2nd July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

PETER ALEXANDER CRAWFORD, Esq., J.P.,  
of Opatiki, to be a Coroner within the Colony of New Zealand.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

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

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 3rd July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable JAMES ARTHUR CRUICKSHANK

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's and Warden's Courts, and Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar, at Ross, from the 22nd day of June, 1907, *vice* Constable C. W. Tonkinson, transferred.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

*Members of Harbour Boards appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 2nd July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance and exercise of all the powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, appointed

Robert Albert Anderson and  
Thomas Gilroy

to be members of the Bluff Harbour Board;

John Harker,  
James Stanistreet Large, and  
Henry Williams

to be members of the Napier Harbour Board;

Daniel John Hughes, jun.,  
Richard Price, and  
Joe Ward

to be members of the New Plymouth Harbour Board;

William Gardiner,  
Adam McKay,  
William Horace Rose, and  
Joseph Williams

to be members of the Oamaru Harbour Board;

Horace Elliott Deane

to be a member of the Patea Harbour Board;

Louis Edmonds and  
Thomas E. Kestley

to be members of the Waimakariri Harbour Board;

George Britnell and  
William Moloney

to be members of the Wairoa Harbour Board;

Henry Chappell,  
William Thomas Jennings, M.H.R., and  
George Herbert Stubbs

to be members of the Waitara Harbour Board.

J. A. MILLAR.

*Inspectors of Factories appointed.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 1st July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EDWIN JAMES GILBERT STRINGER,  
HUGH GRESHAM,  
RICHARD ALFRED BOLLAND, and  
FREDERICK BARTON

to be Inspectors under "The Factories Act, 1901." The appointments are dated 29th June, 1907.

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Labour.

*Trustee of Waikata Public Cemetery resigned.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 27th June, 1907.

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

JAMES BRIGHTON HUTCHINSON

as a Trustee of the Waikata Public Cemetery.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Clerk to the Law Drafting Office appointed.*

Crown Law Department,  
Wellington, 1st July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES CHRISTIE

to be the Clerk to the Law Drafting Office. Appointment to date from 6th July, 1907.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Attorney-General.

*Clerk in Crown Law Office appointed.*

Crown Law Department,  
Wellington, 3rd July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES McCURDY TUDHOPE

to be a Clerk in the Crown Law Office, in the place of James Christie, transferred.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Attorney-General.

*Cadets appointed.*

Government Insurance Department,  
Wellington, 1st July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS CASSERLEY,  
GEORGE TALBOT O'HARA SMITH,  
JAMES LAWRENCE MENZIES,  
HORACE LAURENCE RYAN, and  
ERIC RUPERT MATTHEWS

to be cadets in the Government Insurance Department. The appointments to date from 18th April, 1907, 24th April, 1907, 21st May, 1907, 1st June, 1907, 10th June, 1907, respectively.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Minister in Charge of Government  
Insurance Department.

*Royal New Zealand Engineers: Honorary Officer resigned.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 25th June, 1907.

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

*Royal New Zealand Engineers.*

Honorary Lieutenant JOHN MACPHERSON. Date of resignation, 30th June, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer transferred from Rifle Volunteers to Field Artillery Volunteers.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 26th June, 1907.

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

Captain (Adjutant) DONALD BRUCE MCKENZIE, 2nd Battalion, Otago Rifle Volunteers,

and to approve, in accordance with paragraph 84A, General Regulations of the Defence Forces of New Zealand, 1906, of his appointment as Lieutenant to the B Battery, New Zealand Field Artillery Volunteers, with effect from 5th June, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Appointment of Intelligence Officer, Wellington Military District, who is posted to Active List, New Zealand Volunteers.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 28th June, 1907.

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

WILLIAM HOBBOARD MORTON, formerly Lieutenant in the Garrison Artillery, Victoria, Australia, and late Acting-Captain, No. 6 Company, New Zealand Engineer Volunteers,

as Intelligence Officer on the Staff of the Wellington Military District, and that his name be placed on the Active List (Unattached), with the rank of Captain, and with effect from 19th June, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer transferred from Active List to Battalion Staff, Rifle Volunteers.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 26th June, 1907.

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

Captain JAMES ERSKINE WATSON

from the Active List (Unattached), New Zealand Volunteers, to the 2nd Battalion, Otago Rifle Volunteers, as Adjutant, with rank of Captain, and with effect from 23rd May, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Rifle Volunteer Corps formed into Reserve Corps.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 26th June, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, under the conditions of Regulation 540, (a), of the 7th May, 1907, of the formation of the Tapanui Rifle Volunteers into a Reserve corps, under the designation of the Tapanui Rifle Volunteers Reserve, with effect from the 22nd June, 1907, with headquarters at Tapanui, and to be attached to the 2nd Battalion, Otago Rifle Volunteers.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Services of Defence Rifle Club accepted.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 26th June, 1907.

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

*Seddon Defence Rifle Club,*

with headquarters at Seddon. Acceptance to date from 24th June, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Corps disbanded.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 26th June, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, under section 39, (3), of "The Defence Act, 1886," of the disbandment of the

*Ashhurst Rifle Volunteers,*

with headquarters at Ashhurst. Disbandment to date from 13th June, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 26th June, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration to

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel BERNARD CHARLES BEALE,  
New Zealand Volunteer Medical Corps,

he having a total commissioned service to 7th May, 1905, entitling him thereto of forty-one years and forty-one days.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Cancellation of Appointments of Trustees, Waimate Volunteer Drill-shed Reserve.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 25th June, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to cancel, under "The Volunteer Drill-sheds and Lands Act, 1888," and "The Volunteer Drill-sheds and Lands Trustees Validation Act, 1890," the appointments of Trustees to the Waimate Volunteer Drill-shed Reserve, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of 29th September, 1898, 28th April, 1904, and 8th December, 1904, as from 24th June, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Appointment of Additional Trustee, Marton Volunteer Drill-shed Reserve.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 26th June, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, under "The Volunteer Drill-sheds and Lands Act, 1888," "The Volunteer Drill-sheds and Lands Trustees Validation Act, 1890," and "The Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1906," of the appointment of

Surgeon-General SYDNEY SKERMAN, V.D., New Zealand Volunteer Medical Corps,  
as an additional Trustee of the Marton Volunteer Drill-shed Reserve. Appointment to date from 18th June, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 29th June, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Colonial Treasurer.

NAPIER BOROUGH COUNCIL.

*Special Order.*

MOVED by Councillor Paul, seconded by Councillor Constable, and carried,—

That the following resolution making a special rate of 6d. in the pound for the widening of Dickens Street be passed by special order of this Council:—

In the matter of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and the amendments thereof, and of paragraph (4) of section 14 of the said Act; and in the matter of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," and the amendments thereof; and in the matter of the Dickens Street (Napier) special loan.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and the amendments thereof, "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," and the amendments thereof, and of all other powers it in anywise thereunto enabling, the Napier Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £2,000, authorised to be raised by the Napier Borough Council, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and the amendments thereof, for the purpose of widening Dickens Street, in the Borough of Napier, and for such purpose acquiring and paying compensation for the land required to enable the said street to be widened by 16½ ft. along the southern side thereof from Hastings Street to Munro Street; moving back buildings and fences; forming, channelling, kerbing, and making the street so widened; and doing all matters and things necessary or incidental to the matters aforesaid, the said Napier Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 6d. in the pound upon the rateable valuation of all rateable property in that part of the Borough of Napier being a defined area in and forming part of the said borough contained within continuous boundaries and comprising the Town Sections Nos. 236 to 270 both inclusive, and 272 to 275 both inclusive, on the plan of the Town of Napier (to be hereafter known as the Dickens Street Special-loan District); and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty years, or until the loan is paid off.

Passed at a special meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, the 3rd day of April, 1907, by special order.

J. VIGOR BROWN,  
Mayor.

*Confirmation of above.*

Moved by Councillor Eagleton, seconded by Councillor McGrath, and carried,—

That the special order of the Council making a special rate of 6d. in the pound for the widening of Dickens Street, passed by the Council at a special meeting on Wednesday, the 3rd day of April last, be now confirmed.

J. VIGOR BROWN,  
Mayor.

Confirmed at a special meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, the 15th day of May, 1907.

M. N. BOWER,  
Town Clerk.

I, Maurice Norman Bower, Town Clerk of the Borough of Napier, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a special order passed by the Napier Borough Council.

As witness my hand and the seal of the Borough of Napier, this 13th day of June, 1907.

(SEAL.)

M. N. BOWER,  
Town Clerk.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 3rd July, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Colonial Treasurer.

HOROWHENUA COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Shannon Special District Loan, £750.—Special Order.—Adoption.—Special Meeting, 11th May, 1907.*

THAT, in pursuance of and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf, and "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and the several amendments thereof, the Horowhenua

County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing interest at 4 per cent. and other charges on a loan of £750, authorised to be raised by the Horowhenua County Council, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," clause 14, paragraph (4), for the purpose of straightening creek and forming road and drain in the Shannon Special-rating District, comprised by Sections 73, 76, 79/83, 123, 122, 1 and 2 of 685, 81 of 520/32, 75/6 of 520/32, 306/12, 3 of 685, 77/80 of 520/32, 318, 5/8 of 685, 369, 121 of 520/32, 304/5, 117/8 of 520/32, 119 of 520/32, 4 of 685, 820, 293/4, 316, 370, 319, 371/2, 317, 376, 429/47, 449, 451, 366/8, 321, 373/9, 385/91, 384/93, 322, part 323, 313/4, 397/412, 495/6, 315, 120 of 520/32, 681/4, 515/8, and 519, Township of Shannon, the said Horowhenua County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound upon the capital value of all rateable properties in the Shannon Special-rating District, or as more particularly set forth in the ratepayers' consent and the plan; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable on the 1st day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off. This special order to be confirmed at a subsequent meeting to be held on the 8th day of June, 1907.

I certify the above to be a copy of the special order made and adopted in reference to the loan of £750 for the Shannon Special-rating District on the 11th day of May, 1907.

JOHN McCULLOCH,  
County Clerk.

#### HOROWHENUA COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Shannon Special District Loan, £750.—Ordinary Meeting, 8th June, 1907.—Confirmation.*

That the special order made at a special meeting held on the 11th day of May, 1907, for raising a loan of £750, under clause 14, paragraph (4), of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for the purpose of straightening creek and forming road and drain in the Shannon Special-rating District, and making and levying a special rate of 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound upon the capital value of all rateable properties in the said district for forty-one years, at 4 per cent., be now confirmed.

I certify the above to be a copy of the resolution passed at a meeting on the 8th day of June, 1907, confirming a special order in reference to a loan of £750 in the Shannon Special-rating District.

JOHN McCULLOCH,  
County Clerk.

#### Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 1st July, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Colonial Treasurer.

#### WAITEMATA COUNTY.

##### Declaration of Poll.

PROPOSAL to borrow £2,000 for the purposes of water-supply extension for the inhabitants of the Northcote Water-supply District, on which a poll was taken on the 19th day of June, 1907.

The result of the aforesaid poll having been ascertained, I hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for and against the proposal was as follows: For the proposal, 93; against the proposal, 12.

And I hereby declare that, in view of the total number of valid votes recorded in favour of the proposal being more than three-fifths of the total number of valid votes recorded at the poll, the resolution in favour of such proposal was carried.

JOHN H. O'NEILL,  
Chairman, Waitemata County Council.

Dated at Auckland, this 19th day of June, 1907.

*Removal of Order forbidding the Registering, Forwarding, or Delivery of Postal Correspondence addressed to the United Electric Medical Supply Company, 145 Princes Street, Dunedin.*

THE Postmaster-General of the Colony of New Zealand, being satisfied that the company whose name and address are shown hereunder is no longer engaged in advertising the treatment of diseases of the sexual organs, hereby

rescinds the order, made under section nine of "The Post Office Act Amendment Act, 1906," dated the 11th day of May, 1907, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 16th day of May, 1907, forbidding that any postal packet addressed to such company shall be either registered, forwarded, or delivered by the Post Office of New Zealand, and orders that such postal packets addressed to such company shall be registered, forwarded, and delivered in the usual course.

#### SCHEDULE.

THE United Electric Medical Supply Company, 145 Princes Street, Dunedin.

Dated this 2nd day of July, 1907.

J. G. WARD,  
Postmaster-General.

*Notice of Intention to take Lands for Road through Blocks III and IV, Pirongia Survey District.*

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

#### SCHEDULE.

THE parcels of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 0 26.5	10	III	Pirongia	R. 8889	Purple.
3 1 7.8	11, 12, 13, and 14	IV	"	"	Pink.
4 3 4	Crown land	"	"	"	"
0 0 0.0048	305	"	"	"	Ver- million.

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Acting Minister for Public Works.

*Notice of Intention to take Land for a Road through Section 353, Block I, Opoitiki Survey District.*

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1905," to execute a certain public work, to wit, the construction of a road through Section 353, in Block I, Opoitiki Survey District, and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is further given that the plan of the said road and of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the Post-office at Waitohi, and is there open for inspection. And notice is also hereby given that all persons affected by the execution of such public work or the taking of such land shall, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice to the Minister for Public Works, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned hereunder :—

Approximate Area of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
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In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Minister for Public Works.

Form of Certificate for New Zealand Produce entering South Africa.

Department of Trade and Customs,  
Wellington, 1st July, 1907.

THE following extract from South African regulations affecting New Zealand produce and manufactures, specified in Order in Council dated 7th January, 1907, under "The New Zealand and South African Reciprocity Act, 1906," is published for the information of exporters.

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Customs.

REBATE OF CUSTOMS DUTIES ON GOODS AND ARTICLES THE GROWTH, PRODUCE, OR MANUFACTURE OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, ETC.

(Under Sections 8, 9, and 10 of Act No. 1 of 1906.)

20. THE rebate of Customs duties referred to in Article III of the Convention shall not be granted unless the person claiming the same shall, on importation and due entry into the colony, produce to the proper officer of Customs, at the election of the latter,—

- (1.) A certificate by the suppliers or manufacturers, as the case may be, on the form prescribed hereunder; or
- (2.) Such other or further evidence as such officer of Customs may require, proving that the goods are the *bona fide* manufacture of the United Kingdom or reciprocating British colonies, protectorates, or possessions.
- (3.) The certificate therein referred to shall be written, printed, or stamped on the invoice, or attached thereto.
- (4.) If the certificate is not written, printed, or stamped on the invoice, such particulars of the goods must be shown on such certificate as will satisfy the officer of Customs of the identity of the documents.
- (5.) The certificate will be waived in the case of postal packages not exceeding £10 in value, if the contents of such packages are not merchandise for sale: Provided, however, that such packages shall have indorsed on them a certificate in the form attached hereto, which certificate shall be signed in the presence of the postal officer of the country whence the package was shipped direct to the
- (6.) These requirements will be strictly enforced.

FORM OF CERTIFICATE PRESCRIBED TO OBTAIN A REBATE OF CUSTOMS DUTIES ON GOODS AND ARTICLES THE GROWTH, PRODUCE, OR MANUFACTURE OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OR RECIPROCATING BRITISH COLONIES, PROTECTORATES, OR POSSESSIONS.

I, \* , the manufacturer [supplier] of the articles included in this invoice, have the means of knowing, and do hereby certify, that the said invoice from myself, and amounting to , is true and correct; and that all the articles included in the said invoice are *bona fide* the growth, produce, or manufacture of , and that a

\* When this certificate is signed by some person on behalf of a manufacturer or supplier, such person must state that he is duly authorised so to do.

substantial portion of the labour of that country has entered into the production of every manufactured article included in the said invoice to the extent in each article of not less than one-fourth of the value of every such article in its present condition ready for export to the Cape Colony.

(Signature)

Dated , this day of , 190 .

CERTIFICATE TO BE INDORSED ON POSTAL PACKAGES NOT EXCEEDING £10 IN VALUE, THE CONTENTS OF WHICH ARE NOT MERCHANDISE FOR SALE.

EVERY article herein to the extent of at least one-fourth of its present value is *bona fide* the produce or manufacture of the

Dated at , 190 .

In the presence of , Postal Officer. , Sender.

Notice to Mariners No. 44 of 1907.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 24th June, 1907.

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

J. A. MILLAR.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VANCOUVER ISLAND.—TRIAL ISLAND.—INTENDED CHANGE IN FOG-ALARM.—Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 41 (1784) of 1906, the Canadian Government has given further notice that on 1st June, 1907, the fog-alarm on Trial Island, Juan de Fuca Strait, will be changed so as to sound 2 blasts, each of 2 seconds' duration, separated by a silent interval of 2 seconds every 90 seconds—thus, blast 2 seconds, silent interval 2 seconds, blast 2 seconds, silent interval 84 seconds.

Approx. position: Lat. 48° 23' 39" N., long. 123° 18' 9" W. *Hydrographic Office Charts*.—Nos. 527, 903, 1769, and 1440. *Coast Survey Charts*.—Nos. S, 7000, 6400, and 6300. H.O. Light List, Vol. i, 1907, No. 1285. United States Light-house Board List of Lights on the Pacific Coast, 1906, page 66. H.O. Publication No. 96, Coast of British Columbia, 1891, page 69.

BAY OF BENGAL.

GULF OF MARTABAN.—KRISHNA SHOAL LIGHT-VESSEL.—WRECK NORTH-EASTWARD.—Telegraphic information dated 13th March, 1907, has been received from the principal port officer, Burma, that the wreck of a vessel, with a mast showing 20 ft. above water, lies sunk in 8 fathoms north-eastward of Krishna Shoal light-vessel, in (approximately) latitude 15° 46' N., longitude 95° 45' 30" E.

*Hydrographic Office Charts*.—Nos. 854B and 1594. Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 345.

RANGOON RIVER.—CENTRE SPIT BUOY REPLACED BY GAS BUOY.—Information dated 11th February, 1907, has been received from the principal port officer at Rangoon, Burma, that the Centre Spit buoy, Rangoon River, has been replaced by a gas buoy exhibiting a fixed white light.

Approx. position: Lat. 16° 27' N., long. 96° 21' 45" E. *Hydrographic Office Chart*.—No. 1594. *British Admiralty Charts issued to U.S. Vessels*.—No. 833. H.O. Light List, Vol. ii, 1907, No. 1503A. Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1901, page 354.

CHINA.

YANGTZE RIVER.—KIUKIANG DISTRICT.—BEACONS CHANGED IN POSITION.—The Chinese Government has given notice that owing to the washing-away of the river-bank in the Yangtze River the following beacons have been changed in position:—

Chuan Kiang Kow beacon light has been moved to the cliffs on the right bank of the river and bears east true (east s'y mag.) from its former position.

Eagle Island beacon light has been moved 300 ft. S. 36° E. true (S.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  S. mag.) from its former position.

Shansi Point beacon light has been moved 300 ft. N. 70° E. true (E.N.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  E. e'y mag.) from its former position.

Otter Point beacon light has been moved 366 ft. S. 27° W. true (S.S.W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  W. mag.) from its former position.

Tungliu beacon light has been moved 585 ft. S. 14° W. true (S. by W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  W. w'y mag.) from its former position.

*British Admiralty Charts issued to U.S. Vessels*.—Nos. 3350, 2695, and 2678. H.O. Light List, Vol. ii, 1907, Nos. 425, 426, 416, 432, and 428. China Sea Directory, Vol. iii, 1904, pages 451, 447, 454, and 452.

## CALIFORNIA.

**CRESCENT CITY HARBOUR.**—LIGHT TEMPORARILY DISCONTINUED.—On 25th April, 1907, the fourth-order fixed white light, varied by a white flash every 90 seconds, located on the western side of Crescent City Harbour, California, will be temporarily discontinued until further notice, pending the establishment of a new lens apparatus.

Approx. position: Lat.  $41^{\circ} 44' 36''$  N., long.  $124^{\circ} 12' 10''$  W.

*Hydrographic Office Chart.*—No. 527.

*Coast Survey Charts.*—Nos. S, 5800, and 5895. U.S. Lighthouse Board List of Lights on the Pacific Coast, 1906, No. 68, page 22. United States Coast Pilot, Pacific Coast, 1903, pages 20 and 99.

## WASHINGTON.

**JUAN DE FUCA STRAIT.**—HEIN BANK BUOY REPLACED BY BELL BUOY.—Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 14 (633) of 1907, further notice is given that on 20th April, 1907, Hein Bank buoy, a horizontally striped first-class nun, moored on Hein Bank, eastern end of Juan de Fuca Strait, was replaced by a bell buoy.

Approx. position: Lat.  $48^{\circ} 21' 30''$  N., long.  $123^{\circ} 2' W.$

*Hydrographic Office Charts.*—Nos. 527, 903, and 1769.

*Coast Survey Charts.*—Nos. 7000, 5052, 6400, and 6300. H.O. Publication No. 96, the Coast of British Columbia, 1891, page 74. United States Coast Pilot, Pacific Coast, 1903, page 153. United States Coast Pilot, Pacific Coast, Alaska, Part I, 1901, page 25.

**BELLINGHAM BAY.**—POST POINT.—BELL BUOY ESTABLISHED.—On 17th April, 1907, Post Point bell buoy No. 0, painted red, was established in 34 ft. of water to mark the western extremity of the shoal off Post Point, Bellingham Bay, Washington, on the following bearings:—

Post Point, right tangent, S.  $38^{\circ} E.$  true (S.E. by E.  $\frac{1}{2}$  E. mag.).

Eliza Island, right tangent, S.  $37^{\circ} W.$  true (S. by W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  W. w'y mag.).

Point Frances, left tangent, S.  $70^{\circ} W.$  true (S.W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  W. mag.).

*Hydrographic Office Charts.*—Nos. 527 and 903.

*Coast Survey Charts.*—Nos. 7000, 5052, 6400, 6300, and 6378. H.O. Publication No. 96, the Coast of British Columbia, 1891, page 135. United States Coast Pilot, Pacific Coast, 1903, page 162.

## EAST INDIA ISLANDS.

**GASPAR STRAIT.**—PULO LEPAR.—LABU POINT.—CHANGE IN LIGHT.—The Netherlands Government has given notice that the fixed white light exhibited on Point Labu, Lepar Island, Gaspar Strait, has been replaced by a fourth-order flashing white light, showing 1 flash of 1 second duration every 3 seconds.

The light is exhibited at a height of 66 ft. above the ground from a white openwork iron truss tower, and is visible 13 miles.

Approx. position: Lat.  $2^{\circ} 56' 50'' S.$ , long.  $106^{\circ} 54' 15'' E.$

(See Notice to Mariners No. 37 (1616) of 1906.)

*Hydrographic Office Charts.*—Nos. 826A, 854B, 1170, and 1266.

*British Admiralty Charts issued to U.S. Vessels.*—No. 2149. H.O. Light List, Vol. ii, 1907, No. 720. China Sea Directory, Vol. i, 1906, page 502.

## CALIFORNIA.

**CAPE MENDOCINO.**—BLUNT'S REEF LIGHT-VESSEL No. 83 REPLACED ON STATION.—RELIEF LIGHT-VESSEL WITHDRAWN.—Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 8 (358) of 1907, further notice is given that on the 25th April, 1907, Blunt's Reef light-vessel No. 83 was replaced on her station,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles S.  $61^{\circ} 20' W.$  true (S.W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  S. mag.) from Blunt's Reef, off the sea-coast of California, and  $4\frac{1}{2}$  miles S.  $85^{\circ} W.$  true (S.W. by W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  W. w'y mag.) from Cape Mendocino Lighthouse, and relief light-vessel No. 76 (temporarily marking the station) was then withdrawn.

No change has been made in light-vessel No. 83 as to the characteristics of her lights, fog-signal, or general appearance.

U.S. Lighthouse Board List of Lights on the Pacific Coast, 1906, No. 58, page 20. United States Coast Pilot, Pacific Coast, 1903, pages 18 and 95.

**CRESCENT CITY HARBOUR.**—LIGHT TEMPORARILY DISCONTINUED.—FURTHER INFORMATION.—Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 18 (836) of 1907, further notice is given that the fourth-order fixed white light, varied by a white flash every 90 sec., located on the western side of Crescent City Harbour, California, which was discontinued on the 25th April, 1907, was re-exhibited on the 26th April.

On the 16th May, 1907, this light will be again discontinued, and on the 18th May, 1907, it will be replaced by a

fourth-order flashing white light, showing 1 flash every 15 seconds, illuminating the whole horizon.

No other change will be made.

Approx. position: Lat.  $41^{\circ} 44' 36''$  N., long.  $124^{\circ} 12' 10''$  W.

*Hydrographic Office Chart.*—No. 527.

*Coast Survey Charts.*—Nos. S, 5800, and 5895. U.S. Lighthouse Board List of Lights on the Pacific Coast, 1906, No. 68, page 22. United States Coast Pilot, Pacific Coast, 1903, pages 20 and 99.

## CHINA.

**EAST COAST.**—CHUSAN ARCHIPELAGO.—RUGGED ISLAND.—S.W. HORN.—PROVISIONAL LIGHT EXHIBITED.—The Chinese Government has given notice that a lighthouse is under construction on S.W. Horn, Chusan Archipelago, east coast of China, from which a sixth-order dioptric intermittent white and red light every 20 seconds—thus, light 10 seconds, eclipsed 10 seconds—will be exhibited. The light will show red over an arc of  $109^{\circ} 30'$  between the bearings N.  $64^{\circ} 30' W.$  true (N.W. by W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  W. mag.) and S.  $6^{\circ} W.$  true (S.  $\frac{1}{2}$  W. mag.), and white over the rest of the horizon.

A fog-signal gun will also be established. About the 4th April, 1907, a provisional sixth-order group intermittent white light, showing groups of 4 eclipses every 30 seconds—thus, light 16 seconds, eclipsed 2 seconds, light 2 seconds, eclipsed 2 seconds, light 2 seconds, eclipsed 2 seconds, light 2 seconds, eclipsed 2 seconds—will be exhibited. It will be elevated 85 ft. above the sea-level, and should be visible 10 miles in clear weather.

Further notice will be given when the provisional light is withdrawn and the permanent light is exhibited.

Approx. position: Lat.  $30^{\circ} 35' 38''$  N., long.  $121^{\circ} 57' 53''$  E.

*Hydrographic Office Charts.*—Nos. 529, 2156, and 1305.

*British Admiralty Charts issued to U.S. Vessels.*—Nos. 1199 and 1124. H.O. Light List, Vol. ii, 1907, No. 476A. China Sea Directory, Vol. iii, 1904, page 370.

## Notice to Mariners No. 45 of 1907.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 24th June, 1907.

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

J. A. MILLAR.

## AFRICA.

**SIMON'S BAY.**—A F. red lt. is est. in  $34^{\circ} 11\frac{1}{2}' S.$ ,  $18^{\circ} 26\frac{1}{2}' E.$ , on the elbow of the breakwater extending from Block-house Pt.,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  cables N.  $13^{\circ} E.$  from the block-house on the pt. The lt.-buoy near this position has been withdrawn. Mar.

The oil F. lt., showing red seaward, green on either side of the red sector, and white over the town, in  $34^{\circ} 11\frac{1}{2}' S.$ ,  $18^{\circ} 25\frac{1}{2}' E.$ , on the extr. of the town pier at Simonstown, has been replaced by an elec. lt. of the same char. May.

## MADAGASCAR.

**FORT DAUPHIN APPROACH.**—A quick-fl. white lt. every 5 secs., elev. 328 ft., is exh. from a white cyl. masonry lt.-h. 23 ft. high, in  $24^{\circ} 59' S.$ ,  $47^{\circ} 7' E.$ , on the srn. extr. of Itaperina (Ytapere) Pt., about  $6\frac{1}{2}$  miles N.-erd. of Fort Dauphin. May.

## EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO.

**THE BROTHERS ISLS.**—The following shoals exist in the vicinity of Pulo Hiju Kechil, the ern.-most of the Brothers Isls.: (a) A rk., carrying 4 ft.,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  cables N.  $64^{\circ} E.$  from the nrn. pt. of Pulo Hiju Kechil ( $1^{\circ} 11\frac{1}{2}' N.$ ,  $103^{\circ} 21\frac{1}{2}' E.$ ), in line with nrn. pt. of Pulo Hiju Besar. (b) A rk., carrying 9 ft.,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  cables N.  $16^{\circ} W.$  from the S.-ern. pt. of Pulo Hiju Kechil, in line with the wrn. point of Pulo Nangoi. (c) A rk., 165 yds. long, and 20 yds. broad, carrying  $3\frac{1}{2}$  fms., with the S.-ern. pt. of Pulo Hiju Kechil N.  $2^{\circ} W.$ , 4 cables, and the nrn. pt. of Pulo Hiju Besar N.  $73^{\circ} W.$  May.

**SINGAPORE STRAIT.**—On 1st May, 1907, the arc of obsc. of Raffles lt., group fl. white ( $1^{\circ} 10' N.$ ,  $103^{\circ} 44\frac{1}{2}' E.$ ), is to be abolished, and it will in future be vis. from all directions when not obsc. by the land. May.

**KEPPEL HARB.**—The shoal, sand and mud, about 30 ft. in extent, carrying 9 ft. at L.W. springs, and 12 ft. around its edges, in approx.  $1^{\circ} 15\frac{1}{2}' N.$ ,  $103^{\circ} 49\frac{1}{2}' E.$ , in Salat Sinki, Keppel Harb., 1 cable S.  $52^{\circ} W.$  from the Government workshop sheers, on the srn. side of Pulo Bruni, has extended to the srd. A buoy has been placed on its nrn. edge. The chan. to the srd. of the buoy is closed to all vessels exceeding 8 ft. draught. May.

**RHO STRAIT.**—A white lt.-buoy, exh. an occ. white lt., vis. 10 secs., ecl. 10 secs., is to be est. in approx.  $1^{\circ} 9\frac{1}{2}' N.$ ,  $104^{\circ} 11\frac{1}{2}' E.$ , about 2 cables erd. from the beacon on Pan Reef, nrn. approach to the strait. May.



**DURIAN STRAIT.**—A black lt.-buoy, exh. an occ. white lt., vis. 10 secs., ecl. 10 secs., is to be est. in approx.  $0^{\circ} 32\frac{1}{2}' N.$ ,  $103^{\circ} 46\frac{1}{2}' E.$ , near the S.-wrn. pt. of S. Brother Isl. May.

**LINGA ISL.**—A shoal, carrying 2½ fms., and steep to, exists in approx.  $0^{\circ} 2\frac{3}{4}' S.$ ,  $104^{\circ} 40' E.$ , off the N.-ern. side of the isl., 2 miles S.  $37^{\circ} W.$  from Anak Ileu (in line with the srn. extr. of Ileu Isl.). Mar.

**BERHALA STRAIT.**—A black lt.-buoy, exh. an occ. white lt., vis. 10 secs., ecl. 10 secs., is to be est. in approx.  $0^{\circ} 52\frac{1}{2}' S.$ ,  $104^{\circ} 24\frac{1}{2}' E.$ , near the srn. pt. of Berhala Isl. May.

**Pulo Dawun lt.** ( $2^{\circ} 54' S.$ ,  $106^{\circ} 13' E.$ ) is to be altered from F. white to a fl. white lt. every 3 secs.—fl. 1 sec., ecl. 2 secs. May.

**GASPAR STRAIT.**—**PULO LEPAR.**—Labu or Rocky Pt. lt. ( $2^{\circ} 57' S.$ ,  $106^{\circ} 55' E.$ ) has been altered from F. white to fl. white every 3 secs.—fl. 1 sec., ecl. 2 secs.—R. 13 miles, exh. from a white iron frame lt.-h. 65 ft. high. May.

JAVA.

**BAEI LT.**—This lt. ( $5^{\circ} 49' S.$ ,  $106^{\circ} 16\frac{1}{2}' E.$ ) has been altered from F. white to occ. white, vis. 10 secs., ecl. 5 secs. Dec.

**BATAVIA ROADS.**—The tel. buoy in the roads, spher., black and white hor., surm. by a cross, in approx.  $6^{\circ} 4\frac{1}{2}' S.$ ,  $106^{\circ} 52' E.$ , has been altered in colour to red and black hor. May.

**JUANA LT.**—This lt. ( $6^{\circ} 42\frac{1}{2}' S.$ ,  $111^{\circ} 9\frac{1}{2}' E.$ ) is to be altered from F. white to a fl. white lt. every 3 secs.—fl. 1 sec., ecl. 2 secs. May.

**SURABAYA STRAIT.**—The F. white lt. ( $7^{\circ} 9\frac{1}{2}' S.$ ,  $112^{\circ} 39\frac{1}{2}' E.$ ) on Grisee or Geresik Pier is to be altered to a quick-fl. white lt. May.

A iron screw-pile beacon, black and red hor., surm. by a truncated cone, is est. in 2 ft., in  $7^{\circ} 19\frac{1}{2}' S.$ ,  $112^{\circ} 52' E.$ , on Kleta Reef, in the ern. entr. to the strait,  $6\frac{2}{3}$  miles S.  $42^{\circ} E.$  from Larangan Mosque. Dec.

The buoyage of the ern. entr. to Surabaya has been altered as follows: (a.) The white conical buoy No. 3, surm. by a ball, replaced, in the same position, by a white lt.-buoy, exh. an occ. white lt. (b.) Lt.-buoy No. 4, black, exh. a fl. white lt., replaced by a black-can buoy without a lt. (c.) The white conical buoy No. 6 has been withdrawn. The lt.-buoy No. 5, exh. a F. white lt., has been moved about 5 cables N.-wrtd., and now lies in approx.  $7^{\circ} 14\frac{1}{2}' S.$ ,  $112^{\circ} 51\frac{1}{2}' E.$ ,  $5\frac{3}{10}$  miles N.  $4^{\circ} W.$  from Kleta Rk. beacon. (d.) The black-can buoys Nos. 5 and 7 are now each surm. by a truncated cone. (e.) The topmarks have been removed from black-can buoys Nos. 6 and 8. (f.) The white conical buoys Nos. 7 and 8 have been re-marked Nos. 6 and 7 respectively. May.

CHINA SEA.

**CHUSAN ARCHIP.**—**TONGTING ISL. LT.**—A group-fl. white lt., showing a group of 4 fls. in quick succ. every 20 secs., elev. 180 ft. above H.W., R. 19 miles, is exh. from a white lt.-h. 28 ft. high, in  $29^{\circ} 51\frac{1}{2}' N.$ ,  $122^{\circ} 35\frac{1}{2}' E.$ , on the summit of the isl. Also a reed fog-horn, sounding 1 blast of about 2 secs. dura. every 20 secs., is est. at the lt.-h. May.

NEW GUINEA.

**DOBBO HARBOUR APPROACH.**—A shoal, carrying 3½ fms., exists in approx.  $5^{\circ} 45' S.$ ,  $134^{\circ} 13' E.$ , in the harb., with the outer coal-shed on Dobbo Pt. S.  $62^{\circ} E.$ , 8 cables, and Malakafani Pt. N.  $30^{\circ} W.$  May.

HAWAIIAN (SANDWICH) ISLANDS.

**HAWAII.**—**HILO BAY.**—Paukaa Pt. lt., F. green, is now exh. at an elev. of 155 ft. above H.W., from a white mast 33 ft. high, with a small white house with red roof at its base, in  $19^{\circ} 46' N.$ ,  $155^{\circ} 6' W.$ , nrn. side of Hilo Bay. Also Pepeekeo Pt. lt., F. white, is now exh. at an elev. of 124 ft. above H.W., from a white mast 61 ft. high, with a small white house with red roof at its base, in  $19^{\circ} 51' N.$ ,  $155^{\circ} 6' W.$ , nrd. of Hilo Bay. May.

**MOLOKAI.**—**KAMALO HEAD.**—A red bell buoy, marked "Kamalo," is moored in  $6\frac{2}{3}$  fms. in approx.  $21^{\circ} 2' N.$ ,  $156^{\circ} 52' W.$ , on the edge of the reef extending from Kamalo Head,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles S.  $68^{\circ} E.$  from Puu Kole Isl. May.

SOUTH AMERICA.

The following red conical lt.-buoys, exh. fl. red lts., are ext. on the nrn. side of the entr. to the Rio de la Plata: 1. A lt.-buoy is moored in approx.  $34^{\circ} 29' S.$ ,  $57^{\circ} 43\frac{1}{2}' W.$ , to mark the 7 ft. patch. 2. A lt.-buoy is moored in 15 ft. in approx.  $34^{\circ} 43\frac{1}{2}' S.$ ,  $56^{\circ} 53\frac{1}{2}' W.$ , on the srn. edge of San Gregorio Bank. 3. A lt.-buoy is moored in 15 ft. in approx.  $34^{\circ} 53\frac{1}{2}' S.$ ,  $56^{\circ} 32\frac{1}{2}' W.$ , on the srn. extr. of St. Lucia Bank,  $7\frac{1}{2}$  miles from the shore. The least depth in the chan. nrd. of Ortiz Bank is 15½ ft. L.W. 4. A lt.-buoy is est. to mark Cumberland Shoal, S.-wrtd. from Flores Isl. It has been charted in approx.  $34^{\circ} 57' S.$ ,  $55^{\circ} 56' W.$ ,  $5\frac{1}{10}$  cables S.  $67^{\circ} W.$  from Flores Isl. Lt.-h. May.

**PTA. DEL PALMAR.**—A shoal, carrying 5½ fms., exists in approx.  $33^{\circ} 58' S.$ ,  $53^{\circ} 23\frac{1}{2}' W.$  N.-erd. of Pta. del Palmar, in the nrn. approach to Rio de la Plata. 8 miles N.  $78^{\circ} E.$  from Santa Tereza Fort. P.D. has been charted against the shoal. May.

**RIO DE JANEIRO HARB.**—Vessels entering or leaving the harb. are not now required to pass within hail of the forts or to obtain a police permit, but are free to enter or leave at any hour of the night. A permit, however, for the departure of outward-bound vessels at night must be obtained from the port office. May.

The lts. exh. from the tel. buoys in the entr. to the harb., 7 cables N.  $12^{\circ} E.$  and 10 cables N.  $60^{\circ} E.$  respectively from Fort Villegagnon ( $22^{\circ} 54\frac{1}{2}' S.$ ,  $43^{\circ} 9\frac{1}{2}' W.$ ), are fl. white (not occ.) every 30 secs.—fl. 7 secs., ecl. 23 secs. May.

**ABROLHOS RKS.**—The s.s. "Oceano," drawing 21 ft., is reported to have taken the ground, in approx.  $18^{\circ} 8' S.$ ,  $38^{\circ} 36' W.$ , S.-erd. of Abrolhos Rks., with Abrolhos Rk. lt. N.  $17^{\circ} W.$ ,  $11\frac{1}{2}$  miles. The btm. appeared to be red sand. The ship "California" struck in 1891, about 2 miles to the erd. of this position. It is evident, therefore, that one if not two shoals exist in this locality. May.

Notice to Mariners No. 46 of 1907.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 24th June, 1907.

REFERRING to previous Notice to Mariners No. 35 of 1907, the following further notice, received from the Port Officer, Melbourne, Victoria, is published for general information.

J. A. MILLAR.

VICTORIA.

[No. 180.]

Lighted Beacon, Altona Reef.

REFERRING to Notice to Mariners No. 173, dated 8th April, 1907, informing mariners that the black-can buoy marking the anchorage for vessels discharging or shipping explosives would be shifted and replaced by a lighted beacon off Altona Reef on or about the 15th August, 1907, it is hereby notified that such notice is rescinded, and that in place of a lighted beacon a gas buoy, showing an all-round fixed white light, will be established on or about the 22nd August next, in the position at present occupied by the black-can buoy.

C. W. McLEAN,  
Melbourne, 15th May, 1907. Port Officer.

Plants declared to be Noxious Weeds in the Waitomo, Featherston, and Hutt Counties.—Notice No. 1127.

Department of Agriculture.

Wellington, 2nd July, 1907.

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

Local Authorities.	Plants.
Waitomo County Council	.. Ragwort.
Featherston County Council	.. Gorse and broom.
Hutt County Council	.. Tauhinu and foxglove.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister for Agriculture.

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

Office of Board of Land Purchase Commissioners,  
Wellington, 2nd July, 1907.

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

SCHEDULE.

MANGAWHERO SETTLEMENT.

ALL that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in Blocks III, VI, VII, X, and XI, Tapapa Survey District, and being called or known as Mangawhero Block,

containing by admeasurement 4,982 acres 3 roods 27 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the east generally by the Waihou River; towards the south generally by the Mangawhero No. 2B Block, the crossing of a road, again by the Mangawhero No. 2B Block aforesaid and the Mangawhero No. 2A Block, 2374 and 7824 links respectively; and towards the west generally by the Mangawhero Stream: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 19319, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, and thereon edged red.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

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

Office of Board of Land Purchase Commissioners,  
Wellington, 2nd July, 1907.

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

SCHEDULE.

WANGAPEKA SETTLEMENT.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 6,235 acres 3 roods 10 perches, more or less, situated in Blocks VII, XI, and XV of Wangapeka Survey District, and being sections and parts of sections as follows: Sections 15, 16, 17, 18, 110, and part of 136 of Square No. 5 of the plan of the Province of Nelson; also Sections 1, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 31, 32, 140, and 142 of Square No. 6 of plan before mentioned; also Section 1 of Block VII, Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Block XI, and Sections 1 and 2 of Block XV, and certain Crown lands in Block VII and XI, all of Wangapeka Survey District:

Bounded towards the north by Sections 4 and 17, Block VII, and the road-line forming the southern boundary of said Section 17 and of Section 12 of Block VIII, all of Wangapeka Survey District; towards the east generally by Section 16 of Block VIII, Sections 29, 30, and 13 of Block XII, across and by a road-line forming the south boundary of said Section 13, by a road-line forming part of the north-west boundary of Section 8, by said Section 8, and by Section 14, across and by a road-line forming the western boundary-line of Section 14, all of Block XII, Wangapeka Survey District; towards the south by Section 13, and by a road-line forming the northern boundary of Section 11 of Block XI; again towards the east by a road forming the western boundaries of Sections 11, 10, 9, 8; again towards the north by a road-line forming the southern boundary of the said Section 8, and towards the east by Section 14; again towards the south by Section 22; again towards the east by the road forming the western boundary of Sections 22 and 23, and by Sections 9 and 25; towards the south-west, south-east, and north-east by Section 63; again towards the south by Sections 111 and 136; towards the west and south by Sections 3, 4, 7, and 8; towards the north-west by the Wangapeka River.

As the same is delineated upon the plan marked L. and S. 19374, deposited in the Head Office of the Lands and Survey Department, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged with green.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Notifying Land in Otago Land District subject to "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900."*

Office of Board of Land Purchase Commissioners,  
Wellington, 2nd July, 1907.

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

SCHEDULE.

AIREDALE SETTLEMENT.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing 2,793 acres 3 roods 14 perches, being parts of Sections 15 and 16, Sections 17, 18, 19, 21, 43 to 46, parts Sections 47 to 51, Sections 52, 73, 74, closed road (Vol. 67, folios 161 and 162, part Vol. 88, folio 7), Sections 769R to 773R, Block VIII, Awamoko District; parts Sections 1 to 7, Section 41, parts Sections 42, 43, Sections 44, 45, and 46, parts Sections 47,

48, 72, 73, Sections 74 to 81, parts Sections 82, 83, closed roads (Vol. 132, folio 134), Sections 774R to 785R and 789R, and closed roads north of Sections 74 to 77, and through Section 81, Block I, Papakaio District. Bounded commencing at the north-west corner of Section 21, Block VIII, Awamoko District: thence east 90° by Section 20, 4500.5 links: thence north 360° by said Section 20, 3497.7 links: thence east 90° by closed road, 2803.3 links: thence north 360° by closed road and Sections 14 and 13, 2809.7 links: thence easterly by Coalpit Road, 120° 5', 658.6 links; 105° 17', 761.6 links; 106° 3', 196.8 links; 135° 50', 429.5 links; 116° 27', 311.8 links; 93° 39', 530.8 links; 114° 9', 333.8 links; 78° 17', 810.8 links; 70° 35', 733.6 links; 28° 52', 210.6 links; 34°, 395 links; 36° 52', 139.4 links; 109° 14', 780 links; 132° 24', 159.6 links; 106° 17', 190.5 links; 68° 31', 298.8 links; 149° 24', 322.9 links; 56° 11', 300.7 links; 42° 21', 391.9 links; 155° 8', 285.4 links; 96° 21', 298.1 links; 116°, 356.3 links; 119° 52', 572.3 links; 114° 59', 458.9 links; 141° 23', 278.6 links; and 153° 43', 106.3 links: thence across main road, 139° 49', 191.5 links: thence easterly by main road, 122° 58', 542.5 links; 145° 43', 1197.5 links; 104° 24', 863.6 links; 149° 24', 427.9 links; 128° 11', 252.1 links; 98° 15', 206.4 links; 50° 48', 650 links; 88° 18', 379.6 links; 86° 13', 490.8 links; and 98° 10', 1963.2 links: thence south-west by Sections 38 and 101, 230° 24', 3094.8 links: thence south 180° by Sections 101, 40, and 49 and closed road, 6985 links: thence west by closed road and Section 73, 270°, 259.1 links, to Oamaru Creek Road, and west across said road, 94 links: thence southerly along said road, 142° 54', 18.9 links; 142° 48', 1985.7 links; 168° 44', 754.9 links; 180° 31', 537 links; 201° 58', 731.7 links; 213° 22', 955.6 links; 183° 22', 816.2 links; 184° 7', 704.7 links; and 194° 36', 831.1 links: thence west by closed road, 270°, 10884.8 links: thence north-east by main road, 10°, 2881.6 links; and across main road, 7° 27', 108.9 links: thence westerly by road, 291° 57', 4237.1 links, and 237° 3', 3829.7 links: thence north 360° by Section 42, 6553.9 links: thence west 270° by said Section 42, 2096 links: thence north 360° by Sections 38 and 22, 3499.4 links, to starting-point: and intersected by main road, 100 links wide, and by Oamaru Creek Road, 75 links wide: as the same is more particularly shown on boundary plan, deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, at Dunedin: be all the aforesaid area, bearings, and linkages a little more or less: as the same is delineated on plan marked L. and S. 19373, deposited in the Head Office, Lands and Survey Department, at Wellington, and thereon edged with green.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Minister's Decisions under Tariff Acts.*

Department of Trade and Customs,  
Wellington, 1st July, 1907.

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

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

Articles, and how classed.	Rate of Duty.
07/1033. Beans, Tonquin; as a. & m.s. . .	Free.
07/798. Fishing-lines, linen, for trout-fishing; as twine n.o.e.	20 per cent.
07/924. Indiarubber material, adhesive, for repairing textile fabrics, gloves, &c.; as n.o.e.	Free.
07/1037. Lathe, alternating current, laboratory; as electrical appliances	10 per cent.
07/1037. Lathe-chucks, for alternating current, laboratory lathe; as artificers' tools	Free.
07/996. Molasses fodder; as food for animals n.o.e.	2 per cent.
*07/1063. Saddlers' collar-twine, price not less than 14s. the dozen pounds; as a. & m.s. (see page 102 of the Decision-book)	Free.
07/1107. Umbrella material, embroidered calico cut into shapes for making umbrellas or sunshades; as umbrella-makers' materials (item 346)	Free.

W. T. GLASGOW,  
Secretary and Inspector.

Minister's Order No. 843.]

Tenders for Supply of Coal, 1907-8.

Railway Department (Head Office), Wellington, 7th June, 1907.

THE undermentioned successful and unsuccessful tender rates for the supply and delivery of New Zealand lignite or brown coal for the New Zealand railways for 1907-8 are published for general information.

By order. T. RONAYNE,  
General Manager, New Zealand Railways.

Section of Railway.	Tenderer.	Place of Delivery.	Kind of Coal.	Rate per Ton.	Remarks.
Whangarei ..	Hikurangi Coal Company ..	Company's siding	Hikurangi ..	7/4	Accepted.
Auckland ..	Taupiri Coal-mines ..	Huntly ..	Ralph's or Extended	8/6	"
Dunedin-Gore	New Zealand Coal and Oil Company	Stirling ..	Kaitangata ..	8/6	"
"	Bruce Railway and Coal Company	Milton ..	Fortification ..	7/9	Declined.
"	Taratu Coal and Railway Company	Lovell's Flat ..	Taratu ..	7/6	"
South of Gore	Nightcaps Coal Company ..	Nightcaps ..	Nightcaps ..	7/9	Accepted.
"	" ..	" ..	" nuts ..	5/	"

Result of Election of Trustees of a Drainage District.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 2nd July, 1907.

THE following result of the election of Trustees of the Hopelands Drainage District has been received from the Returning Officer, and is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Land Drainage Act, 1904."

HUGH POLLEN,  
Under-Secretary.

Hopelands Drainage District, County of Woodville :

J. Reichenbach.  
J. F. Gleeson.  
C. Gregory.  
B. Sinclair.  
W. J. H. Thomass.

Notice of Election of Members and Chairman of the Special Board of Conciliators for the Hearing of an Industrial Dispute between the Auckland Slaughtermen's Union and Employers.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Acts Compilation Act, 1905," I, Edward Tregear, Registrar of Industrial Unions under the Act, do hereby notify that

JABEZ WILLIAM JAMES MARKS and  
HARRY MOODY, butchers, of Auckland,

representing the employers, and

ALFRED WHITE and  
ERNEST FLANAGAN, slaughtermen, of Auckland,

representing the workers, have been elected members; and that

ARTHUR M. MYERS, Mayor of Auckland,

has been elected Chairman, of the Special Board of Conciliators for the hearing of an industrial dispute between the Auckland Slaughtermen's Union and the employers.

Dated at Wellington, this 3rd day of July, 1907.

EDWARD TREGEAR,  
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,  
Wellington, 3rd July, 1907.

THE Pride of Hamilton Lodge, No. 49, situated at Hamilton, is registered as a branch of the District Grand Lodge of the North Island of New Zealand of the United Ancient Order of Druids Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 3rd day of July, 1907.

ROBT. E. HAYES,  
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,  
Wellington, 26th June, 1907.

THE Court Taumarunui, situated at Taumarunui, is registered as a branch of the Auckland District Ancient Order of Foresters Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 26th day of June, 1907.

ROBT. E. HAYES,  
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Officiating Ministers for 1907.—Notice No. 29.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 3rd July, 1907.

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

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

The Reverend Ralph Bray.  
The Reverend Percy Takapuna Jones.  
The Reverend Henry Pepper.

ERRATUM.—In *New Zealand Gazette* of 23rd May, 1907, page 1621, list of Officiating Ministers for 1907, Notice No. 22, Methodist Church of Australasia in New Zealand, for "Mr. George Wheaton" read "Mr. Gilbert Nathaniel Wheaton."

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,  
Registrar-General.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

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

District Lands Office,  
Nelson, 1st July, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of to the holder of the adjoining land, under section 114 of the said Act, on or after Wednesday, the 2nd day of October, 1907.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area, containing by admeasurement 20 acres, more or less, situated in Block VIII, Matiri Survey District. Bounded towards the north, east, and south by an area of 658 acres, held by T. Newman on lease-in-perpetuity tenure; and towards the west by a road-line along the Owen River, and a road frontage to an education reserve of 63 acres.

F. W. FLANAGAN,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Glenroy Block, Nelson Land District, open for Selection.*

District Lands Office,  
Nelson, 1st July, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be open for selection, in terms of the regulations for the occupation of pastoral lands in the area known as the "Glenroy Block," published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 4th day of July, 1907, at the District Lands Office, Nelson, and Lynch's Hall, Murchison, on Wednesday, the 21st day of August, 1907.

If more than one application is received for the same land or part of the same land on the same day, the order of selection shall be decided by ballot on Thursday, the 22nd day of August, 1907, at 11 a.m., at Lynch's Hall, Murchison.

**SCHEDULE.**

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—INANGAHUA COUNTY.—GLENROY BLOCK.

District.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre per Annum.
Matakitaki	I, II, V, VI, IX, X, XIII, and XIV	Acres. } 13,127	s. d. s. d. From 0 3 to 0 7-2
Una	II, VI		

*Locality and Description of Glenroy Block.*

Situated on the main road (metalled) leading from Murchison to the Horse Terrace, Upper Matakitaki, the north boundary of the block being a distance of seventeen miles from Murchison and one mile and three-quarters from Upper Matakitaki Post-office. The area offered for selection extends from the confluence of the Glenroy River with the Matakitaki River southerly along both banks of the Glenroy River for a distance of seventeen miles. It comprises chiefly forest-clad hills broken in places, conglomerate-rock formation; also excellent river-flats (alluvium), soil varying in depth from 18 in. to 4 ft., suitable for agriculture. The soil is fair in the gullies and on the slopes in the rougher portions of the block; on the tops of the spurs the soil is poor. There is about 380 acres of open land, covered with native grass and tussock. The altitude ranges from 1,037 ft. (at Upper Matakitaki Road) to 3,200 ft. above sea-level. The forest consists of brown-birch and red-birch and underscrub of horopito (pepper-tree), konini (fuchsia), puka (broadleaf), hoho (fivefingers), and black scrub on the alluvial flats, with lighter undergrowth of konini, puka, and horopito on the terraces and slopes, and in the gullies. There is thus good winter feed for stock in the forest. The climate generally is good, but the months of July and August are rather severe. Considered as a whole, the block is capable of being utilised successfully as healthy sheep-grazing country, and it has the advantage of access to market by excellent roads. The area offered for selection has been schemed out so as to allow each farm a portion of river-flat. A sum of money will be spent in forming access roads through the block.

An area of 216 acres is weighted with £15, valuation for improvements.

F. W. FLANAGAN,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,  
Nelson, 1st July, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land, under section 114 of the said Act, on or after Wednesday, the 2nd day of October, 1907.

**SCHEDULE.**

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being Section No. 3, Block IV, Steeples Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Section No. 345; towards the north-east and south-east by Section No. 23, Block IV, Steeples Survey District; and towards the south-west by a road-line.

F. W. FLANAGAN,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,  
Napier, 1st July, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Monday, the 16th day of September, 1907, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

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

**SCHEDULE.**

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—TARANAKI COUNTY.—PARITUTU SURVEY DISTRICT.—SPOTSWOOD SETTLEMENT.

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

*Group I.—Subdivision D.*

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
61	IV	4	0	12	3	17	3	8	0
Weighted with £12, valuation for about 26 chains fencing. Situated on Ngamotu Road, about two miles and three-quarters from New Plymouth. Flat land of good quality; has been cropped; soil is a deep sandy loam, on a free clay subsoil.									
77	IV	5	0	0	3	16	0	9	10
Weighted with £7 16s., valuation for about 24½ chains fencing. Situated on Ngamotu Road, about two miles and a half from New Plymouth. Comprises gently rising and undulating land in good grass; soil a sandy loam of good quality on a free clay subsoil.									

*Group II.—Dairy Farm.*

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
62	IV	10	0	20	2	5	0	11	10
Weighted with £209, valuation for improvements, comprising a five-roomed dwelling with lean-to, £199, over which there is a mortgage to the Government Advances to Settlers Department of about £175; shed, £5; fencing, £5 (about 19 chains). Situated on Ngamotu Road, about three miles from New Plymouth and about one mile from Port Moturoa. Half flat land in good grass, the western side being somewhat broken towards the Herekawe Stream. Soil of fair quality—a sandy loam on free clay subsoil.									

FRANCIS SIMPSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,  
Invercargill, 1st July, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned village-homestead allotments will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Wednesday, the 16th day of October, 1907.

**SCHEDULE.**

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—TOWN OF MENZIES' FERRY.—MENZIES' FERRY VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

*Village-homestead Allotments.*

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
49	IV	23 3 36	8 9-6	5 6 0
50	"	24 3 25	9 7-2	6 0 0
51	"	24 0 6	8 0	4 16 0
52	"	24 3 21	9 7-2	6 0 0
53	"	26 0 27	8 9-6	5 15 0

The above sections are situated about one mile from the Town of Wyndham and three miles and a half from Eden-dale Railway-station. All are open flat land; good soil, on gravel formation; well watered. Access by metalled roads.

JOHN HAY,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Timber in Auckland Land District for Sale.*

District Lands Office,  
Auckland, 28th June, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that written applications for the purchase of the undermentioned lots of milling-timber will be received and considered at any time within a period of six months from the above date (unless formally withdrawn), provided, however, that the amount offered is not less than the schedule rates of royalty herein mentioned—viz., kauri and totara, 1s. 6d. per 100 sup. ft.; matai, 1s. per 100 sup. ft.; rimu and kahikatea, 6d. per 100 sup. ft.; kauri logs, 2s. per 100 sup. ft.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

*Mangonui County.*

Section W 12, Parish of Ahipara :—  
68 green kauri-trees, 73,997 sup. ft.  
Section 64 and south portion Section 66, Mangonui Parish :—  
147 green and dry kauri-trees, 252,503 sup. ft.  
8 totara-trees, 5,914 sup. ft.

*Whangaroa County.*

Section 118, Parish Kohumarū (Education Reserve) :—  
28 green and dry kauri-trees, 48,285 sup. ft.  
8 totara-trees, 6,484 sup. ft.  
4 kahikatea-trees, 5,502 sup. ft.  
2 rimu-trees, 3,317 sup. ft.  
2 matai-trees, 1,888 sup. ft.

*Hokianga County.*

Sublot 1, Section 73, Block VII, Whangape :—  
29 kauri-trees, 95,407 sup. ft.  
40 matai-trees, 41,241 sup. ft.  
1,289 rimu-trees, 1,410,553 sup. ft.  
198 totara-trees, 224,840 sup. ft.  
528 kahikatea-trees, 1,089,602 sup. ft.  
Sublot 2, Section 2, Block X, Whangape Survey District :—  
110 green and dry kauri-trees, 296,390 sup. ft.  
38 totara-trees, 29,250 sup. ft.  
100 kahikatea-trees, 212,987 sup. ft.  
250 rimu-trees, 253,463 sup. ft.  
28 matai-trees, 21,710 sup. ft.  
Sublot 3, Section 3, Block X, Whangape Survey District :—  
213 green and dry kauri-trees, 533,952 sup. ft.  
156 totara-trees, 155,803 sup. ft.  
626 kahikatea-trees, 1,339,724 sup. ft.  
1,559 rimu-trees, 1,404,262 sup. ft.  
66 matai-trees, 62,055 sup. ft.  
Sublot 4, Section 2, Block VIII, Whangape Survey District :—  
222 green kauri-trees, 456,928 sup. ft.  
693 rimu trees, 537,308 sup. ft.  
134 matai-trees, 98,089 sup. ft.  
45 totara-trees, 28,204 sup. ft.  
285 kahikatea-trees, 431,602 sup. ft.  
Part Block XVI, Maungataniwha Survey District (Lot 6, Omahuta State Forest) :—  
52 green kauri-trees, 139,060 sup. ft.  
47 kahikatea-trees, 67,619 sup. ft.  
59 rimu-trees, 61,245 sup. ft.  
Part Block V, Waoku Survey District :—  
77 kauri-trees, 256,964 sup. ft.

*Whangarei County.*

Part of State Forest Reserve adjoining Section 3, Block I, Whangarei Survey District :—  
40 totara-trees, 29,122 sup. ft.

*Hobson County.*

Part of Blocks III and VII, Tangihua Survey District, and part of Blocks VIII and XII, Maungaru Survey District (Tangihua State Forest) :—  
Lot 5—313 green kauri-trees, 904,385 sup. ft.  
14 dry kauri-trees, 18,670 sup. ft.  
Lot 6—354 green kauri-trees, 1,064,723 sup. ft.  
Lot 8—91 green kauri-trees, 242,375 sup. ft.  
Section 5, Block I, Kaihu Survey District :—  
96 green and dry kauri-trees, 188,820 sup. ft.  
10 totara-trees, 7,656 sup. ft.

*Ohinemuri County.*

Part of Blocks VII and VIII, Ohinemuri Survey District (Waiharakeke Creek) :—  
166 green kauri-trees, 340,488 sup. ft.  
72 dry kauri-trees, 128,462 sup. ft.  
109 kauri logs, 107,446 sup. ft.

All measurements, with the exception of the logs, are standing measurements.

Particulars of terms, conditions, and time for removal may be obtained at this office, or will be forwarded on application.

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Wellington Land District to be disposed of under Section 13 of "The Land Act Amendment Act, 1895."*

District Lands Office,  
Wellington, 6th May, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land, under section 13 of "The Land Act Amendment Act, 1895," on or after Friday, the 9th day of August, 1907.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
53	X	Hautapu	A. R. P. 8 2 24

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Reserve in Nelson Land District for Lease by Public Tender.*

District Lands Office,  
Nelson, 17th June, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, the 21st day of August, 1907, for a lease of the undermentioned reserve for a term of seven years under the provisions of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881."

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Minimum Upset Annual Rental.	Term of Years.
2	II	Waimea	A. R. P. 13 0 0	£ s. d. 1 0 0	7

Situate on the banks of the Waimea River, at the west end of the Appleby Bridge.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

- Tenders must be accompanied by marked cheque or post-office order for six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 1s. lease fee.
- Possession will be given on the day of acceptance of tender.
- The lease shall be for the term of years as specified above, but shall be subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.
- The lessee shall have no right to compensation, either for any improvements that may be placed upon the land, nor on account of the aforesaid resumption, nor 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 rent shall be payable half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st January and 1st July in each year.
- The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of blackberries, gorse, broom, and sweetbriar on the land comprised in the lease; and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, sweetbriar, broom, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

8. The lessee shall allow the public free access to the land for picnicing or recreation purposes, but any person damaging trees growing thereon, or leaving gates open, will be liable to prosecution.

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

Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.

F. W. FLANAGAN,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Land Office,  
Nelson, 24th June, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land, under section 114 of the said Act, on or after Wednesday, the 25th day of September, 1907.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area, containing by admeasurement 4 acres 1 rood 4 perches, being Section 32, Block VII, Kawatiri Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section 118 of the said Block VII, towards the east by a public road, towards the south-west by the Westport-Inangahua Railway line, and towards the west by the said Section 118.

F. W. FLANAGAN,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,  
Wellington, 13th May, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land, under section 114 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 16th day of August, 1907.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
51	I	Mangaone .. ..	A. R. P. 15 0 0

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,  
Nelson, 23rd May, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of to the holders of adjoining lands, under section 114 of the said Act, on or after Wednesday, the 4th day of September, 1907.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area known as Section 10, Block XIV, Matiri Survey District, containing by admeasurement 6 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east and south-east by Section No. 17, Matiri Survey District; towards the south-west by Section No. 9 of the said Block XIV; and towards the north-west by a road fronting Hudson's Creek.

F. W. FLANAGAN,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,  
Wellington, 25th June, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned village allotments will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Public Hall, Eketahuna, on Friday, the 4th day of October, 1907.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—EKETAHUNA COUNTY.—  
NIREAHA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
43	A. R. P. 1 0 0	£ s. d. 25 0 0	53	A. R. P. 1 0 0	£ s. d. 25 0 0
44	1 0 0	25 0 0	54	1 0 0	25 0 0
45	1 0 0	25 0 0	55	1 0 0	25 0 0
46	1 0 0	25 0 0	56	1 0 0	25 0 0
47	1 0 0	25 0 0	57	1 0 0	25 0 0
51	1 0 0	50 0 0	58	1 0 0	25 0 0
52	1 0 0	25 0 0	59	1 0 6	25 0 0

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,  
Wellington, 25th June, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned village-homestead allotments will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, and at the Public Hall, Eketahuna, on Monday, the 30th day of September, 1907.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—EKETAHUNA COUNTY.—  
Hukanui Village Settlement.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
49	..	A. R. P. 37 0 26	s. d. 12 5	£ s. d. 11 10 0
50	..	37 0 26	12 5	11 10 0
52	..	26 1 39	11 4	7 10 0
53	..	26 1 39	12 1	8 0 0
54	..	26 1 39	12 10	8 10 0

*Nireaha Village Settlement.*

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
37	I	A. R. P. 49 1 24	s. d. 8 11	£ s. d. 11 0 0
38	"	49 2 6	7 8	9 10 0
39	"	50 0 34	8 9	11 0 0
40	"	50 3 10	8 3	10 10 0
41	"	48 3 6	7 9	9 10 0
42	"	44 1 29	7 3	8 0 0
60	VII	52 3 17	9 1	12 0 0
61	"	54 0 9	7 9	10 10 0
62	"	54 1 3	7 9	10 10 0
65	"	49 2 12	8 10	11 0 0

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES

Maori Lands in Wellington Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

Office of the Aotea Maori Land Board,  
Whanganui, 27th May, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 p.m. on Monday, 15th July, 1907, for leases of the undermentioned lands for a term of twenty-one years, with right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years, under the provisions of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," and its amendments, and the regulations made thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WAIMARINO COUNTY.—MORIKAU No. 2 BLOCK.

Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.			Rent per Acre per Annum.		Half-yearly Rent.		
			A.	R.	P.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Rarete ..	1	IX	580	0	0	1	9	25	7	6
	2		420	0	0	1	9	18	7	6
	10	XI	432	0	0	1	6	16	4	0
	11		440	0	0	1	6	16	10	0
	5	XII	362	0	0	1	9	15	16	9
	6		340	0	0	1	9	14	17	6
	7		360	0	0	1	9	15	15	0
	12		412	0	0	1	6	15	9	0
	13		403	0	0	1	6	15	2	3
	14		425	0	0	1	6	15	18	9
	15		736	0	0	1	6	27	12	0
	20		400	0	0	1	3	12	10	0
	24		600	0	0	1	6	22	10	0
	16		XV	380	0	0	1	6	14	5
	17	470		0	0	1	6	17	12	6
	18		690	0	0	1	6	25	17	6
	19		535	0	0	1	6	20	1	3
	21		712	0	0	1	6	26	14	0
	22		725	0	0	1	6	27	3	9
	23		495	0	0	1	6	18	11	3
	3		V	570	0	0	1	9	24	18
	4	442		0	0	1	9	19	6	9
	8	IX	348	0	0	1	9	15	4	6
9	390		0	0	1	9	17	1	3	
27		755	0	0	1	6	28	6	3	
28		495	0	0	1	6	18	11	3	
25	XIII	602	0	0	1	6	22	11	6	
26		547	0	0	1	6	20	10	3	

General Description.

Morikau No. 2 Block is situated between Jerusalem, about forty-five miles up the Wanganui River, and Raetihi (the county town of the Waimarino County), the distance being about five miles from Jerusalem to its western boundary, and also about five miles from Raetihi to its eastern boundary. Raetihi is about sixty miles from Wanganui by the Raetihi-Parapara Road, a great portion of which is still only a bridle-track. Access to the northern portion of the block is by the Pipiriki main coach-road. The distance from Pipiriki to the western boundary is about seven miles and a half, and the distance from Raetihi to the eastern boundary is a little more than six miles. The south-eastern portion of the block is accessible by a continuation of the Jerusalem-Atuahae Road through the block past Trig-station Raekohua. This road is formed as a dray-road to within half a mile of the boundary of the block; and an old Maori track to Jerusalem goes right through the block in a southerly direction, practically along the surveyed road-line. The right to use this track is reserved until the road is formed. Access to one section is by the Mangaetoroa Road, on the eastern side of the Mangaetoroa Stream, about five miles from Raetihi. Access to the south-western portion of the block is by the Mangoihe Road, which branches off the Pipiriki-Raetihi Road near the Mangoihe Stream, about nine miles from Raetihi; this road follows the Mangoihe Stream down for about three miles, and then strikes off in a south-westerly direction through the block to the Horomia Stream, which is the western boundary of the block. The land generally throughout the block is undulating to hilly, with small flats along the larger streams and on some of the ridges. Some of the streams are deep gorges, the land falling very steeply into them. Where practicable, these gorges have been made boundaries of sections. The quality of the soil varies from fair to good, and lies on papa, sandstone, and shell-rock formation. The country is well watered. The block is entirely forest-clad with bush, comprising principally tawa, rimu, rata, matai, maire, &c., with tawhero on the ridges and higher elevation,

and here and there birch, and a dense undergrowth of rangiora, mahoe, houhou, karamu, kotukutuku, supplejacks, &c. The elevation above sea-level ranges from 300 ft. in the bed of the Mangoihe Stream at the south-western corner to 2,450 ft. at the Waipuna Trig.-station.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

1. Every tender shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope addressed to the President, and marked on the outside as follows: "Tender for lease of Lot No. , as advertised in the newspaper of the day of , 19 , " and shall be accompanied by a statutory declaration in the form or to the effect set forth in Form K in the Schedule hereto.

2. If any person desires to tender for more than one lot, a separate tender for each such lot must be made, and separate declarations as required by the last preceding rule. And each such tender must be accompanied by six months' rent and £3 3s., also stamp duty and registration fee and the value of improvements (if any).

3. All tenders shall be opened simultaneously by the Board on a day appointed for the purpose.

Every tender shall be deemed to be informal and incapable of being accepted where the rental tendered is less than the upset rental fixed as aforesaid.

4. The highest tenderer, if his tender shall equal or exceed the upset rental, shall be declared the lessee, and be entitled to possession of the lands so soon as he has been notified of acceptance of tender, and has complied with all other conditions lawfully prescribed in that behalf.

5. If the rent offered by two or more persons is the same amount, and is higher than that offered by any other tenderers, then the Board shall, after opening all the tenders, decide by lot, in such manner as it shall think fit, which of such two or more persons shall be declared the lessee.

6. The deposits and fees paid by the unsuccessful tenderers for any lease shall be returned to them by the Board immediately after any tender for such lease has been accepted.

7. When the Board shall declare any person to be the lessee of any lot it shall forthwith notify the same to such person by registered letter, addressed to such person at the address given in the tender, and shall in such notice require such person, within thirty days after such notice, to execute the lease in triplicate. If two or more persons jointly tender, the notice shall be posted to each of such persons. Such notice shall be in the Form L in the Regulations under "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," or to the effect thereof.

8. If any person who has been declared a lessee shall fail to execute his lease within thirty days after being required by notice so to do, then his deposit and the above-mentioned sum of £3 3s. shall be absolutely forfeited to the Board, and the right of such person to obtain such lease shall absolutely cease and determine.

Where any lessee shall forfeit his right to a lease as aforesaid, and as often as such a case shall occur from time to time until the land be leased, or until there be a failure of tenderers whose tenders are formal, the Board may, at any time within seven days of such forfeiture, declare the next highest tenderer for the same lease whose tender is not informal to be the lessee, or, if the rent offered by two or more persons is the same amount, and is higher than the rent offered by any other tenderer save the one who has so forfeited his right to a lease as aforesaid, may decide by lot which of such other persons shall be the lessee. Every person declared a lessee under this section shall, upon his paying the deposit and fees as aforesaid, be declared to have become the lessee on the day of the opening of the tenders as if he had been so declared on such day.

9. If no tender shall be received prior to the time fixed for opening the tenders for any of the leases advertised for sale, any person may at any time thereafter apply for any one of such leases, unless the same shall have been withdrawn from lease by the Board, and be declared the lessee thereof at the upset rental fixed, upon complying with the other conditions prescribed as to tenders. If, in any such case, two or more applicants shall lodge their tenders on the same day, the right to the lease shall be decided by lot.

10. The Board may at any time reduce the upset value of land which it has failed to lease for three months, and may again call for tenders for the same at such reduced value.

11. The lease to be granted in pursuance of any tender may be in the Form M in the Regulations under "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," or in such other form as the circumstances may require.

12. No tender shall be accepted or lease granted except the same be in accordance with the provisions of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," herein referred to as "the said Act") and its amendments, and the regulations made thereunder.

13. No lease shall comprise more than 2,000 acres, inclusive of not more than 640 acres of first-class land, except

in the case of small grazing-runs and pastoral leases, nor shall any lessee have any right to acquire the freehold of the demised land.

No lessee or person, by himself or by or jointly with any other person on his behalf, shall hold at one time, whether as occupier, lessee, assignee, sub-lessee, or otherwise, more than 2,000 acres, inclusive of not more than 640 acres of first-class land, except in the case of small grazing-runs and pastoral leases. Any occupation license, lease, assignment, sub-lease, or other instrument in contravention of this section shall be illegal and void from the commencement:

Provided always that this section shall not apply to any person who acquires an interest in any lease by bankruptcy or under an intestacy, or by virtue of a will.

14. The Board shall have power to offer for lease any lands as small grazing-runs which are suitable only for occupation in larger areas than 2,000 acres, and may classify the land into first- or second-class pastoral country. The area of a first-class small grazing-run shall not exceed 5,000 acres, and the area of a second-class small grazing-run shall not exceed 20,000 acres; and the whole of these regulations and the forms of tender, declaration, &c., with necessary alterations and amendments, shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply.

15. Any person of the age of seventeen years and upwards may become a lessee hereunder, and if under full age shall be as capable of executing a lease, and shall be bound by the terms thereof, and of the said Act, as if such person was of full age.

16. The term fixed by the lease shall be twenty-one years with right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years, to take effect in possession and not in reversion; but such lease may be renewable as provided hereafter.

17. Every lease shall be prepared by the Board, and shall be in such form, and shall contain such covenants, conditions, and agreements, not being inconsistent with the provisions of the said Act or these regulations, as the Board may prescribe by regulations which it is hereby authorised and empowered from time to time to make, and from time to time to alter, amend, or revoke, and which may either be general, or applicable to any particular case or class of cases, and, when not otherwise provided, shall be subject to the stipulations following:—

- (1.) The demise shall reserve unto the lessor all mines, metals, minerals, coal, lignite, slate, or freestone in or upon or under the land, with power to work, win, use, possess, sell, and dispose of the same, or any part thereof respectively, except such as may be required by the lessee for the lessee's own use but not for sale or disposal; with power also to the lessor to make roads through the demised lands, and for such purposes or any of them to erect or build houses and other convenient buildings thereon, on paying compensation for damage done to the surface only, the amount of such compensation in case of disagreement to be ascertained and determined by arbitration.
- (2.) The lessee shall and will during the term of the lease pay the rent reserved thereby free and clear from all deductions or abatements whatsoever, and shall and will pay all rates, taxes, charges, or assessments now made or hereafter during the said term assessed, charged, or imposed upon the demised premises, or tenant in respect thereof, or upon any buildings or improvements thereon; and in case any of the said rents shall at any time be and continue in arrear and unpaid for fourteen days next after any of the days appointed for payment thereof, the lessee will (if demanded) pay to the lessor interest upon such arrears at the rate of £8 per centum per annum, calculated from the time appointed for the actual payment of such rent to the time of actual payment thereof; and such interest shall for all purposes, whether of distress or otherwise, be deemed to be rent payable under the demise, and be payable and recoverable by distress or otherwise in the same manner as the rent reserved under the demise may or can be.
- (3.) The lessee "will insure in the name of the lessor."
- (4.) The lessee "will fence."
- (5.) The lessee "will paint outside every fourth year."
- (6.) The lessee "will cultivate," and will preserve and keep the demised premises in a clean and husbandlike manner, free from all noxious weeds growing or to grow on the said demised premises, and will not plant on the demised premises, or permit to spread thereon, gorse or furze, and will keep properly cut and trimmed all live hedges and fences on the demised premises.
- (7.) No lessee shall transfer the possession or occupation of the land leased to or occupied by him, or any part thereof, by sale, underlease, or other dis-

position, [except the Board shall sanction the proposed transfer, and until such lessee has been twelve months in possession or occupation of the demised land.

- (8.) When a statutory declaration is required from any lessee, no transferee and no purchaser of any lease under any power of sale vested in any mortgagee, assignee, or trustee in bankruptcy, shall be admitted into possession or occupation of the land comprised in such lease until he has deposited with the Board a statutory declaration in the same form or to the same effect.
- (9.) Every lawful transferee of any lease, or purchaser as aforesaid of any lease, shall have all the rights and privileges, and be subject to the same obligations, as the original lessee: Provided that the transferor shall be liable for the instalment of rent which shall become due next after such transfer.
- (10.) No transfer of any lease shall be valid unless all the conditions upon which the lease was granted have been complied with as to payment of rent or otherwise up to the date of such transfer.
- (11.) If any lessee or licensee shall fail to fulfil any of the conditions of his lease within sixty days after the day on which the same ought to be fulfilled, his lease shall be liable to be forfeited, and he shall be deemed, upon such forfeiture, to be in illegal occupation of the land comprised in the lease, and the Board may proceed for recovery of possession thereof without prejudice to the right of the lessor to recover any rent then due or payable, or any right of distress, action, or suit that may have arisen prior to such re-entry.

The foregoing conditions as regards leases shall operate and shall be deemed to bind the Board and the lessee as fully and effectually as if they were set forth in every lease.

18. The lessee shall be liable for all rates, taxes, or assessments of every nature or kind whatsoever imposed upon the occupier of the lands included in his lease during the term for which he is lessee.

19. The Board, upon being satisfied that any lease has been lost or accidentally destroyed, may grant a new lease in lieu thereof, upon such terms and conditions and upon payment of such fee in each case as it shall think fit. When any indorsement is required to be made on any lease, and the same is lost or destroyed as aforesaid, the Board may grant a new lease in lieu thereof, and make the required indorsements thereon, or, if it shall so think fit, may incorporate the substance of the indorsements with the terms of the original lease, and insert them together in the new lease.

20. The Board and the lessee shall each execute the lease in triplicate.

21. Every lease, after execution thereof as aforesaid, shall be registered by the Board under "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," or any Act hereafter passed in lieu thereof, in like manner, as nearly as may be, *mutatis mutandis*, as a Crown grant is registered; and the lease which is retained in the office of the District Land Registrar shall form a folium of the register-book in such office, and on it all dealings therewith shall be registered; but no fee shall be payable by way of contribution to the assurance fund on the registration any such lease.

All dealings with or transmissions of land comprised in such lease shall be made in accordance with the provisions of the last-mentioned Acts, and be in all respects subject thereto.

22. All dealings with or under leases in contravention of the provisions of the said Act as to transfers of leases shall be absolutely void, and the District Land Registrar shall refuse to register any dealing with or under a lease until he is satisfied that the said provisions have been complied with.

23. Every lessee shall, within twelve months of the commencement of his term, and thereafter for a period of six consecutive years, reside on some portion of the lands leased by him.

This condition shall not apply to any person who has acquired an interest in any lease under an intestacy or by virtue of a will.

The Board may dispense with the necessity of such residence, in the case of bush or swamp lands, during the first four years of the term, and altogether as to all lands if the lessee resides on lands contiguous to the lands leased, or with the concurrence of the Minister for any other sufficient reason. Lands shall be deemed to be contiguous to each other if only separated by a road or stream, or by such interval of space\* as the Board may in each case determine.

\*The Council will be prepared to allow the term "interval of space" to apply to residence anywhere outside the Ohotu, Taupā, or Morikau Blocks.



In cases of youths who may become lessees, and who are living within the Maori land district and are residing with their parents or near relatives, the Board may dispense with residence until four years after the commencement of the term.

When any two lessees shall lawfully intermarry, the Board may dispense with residence by either of such lessees on the lands comprised in one of the leases.

24. Every lessee shall bring into cultivation—

- (a.) Within one year from the date of his lease, not less than one-twentieth of the land leased by him;
- (b.) Within two years from the date of his lease, not less than one-tenth of the land leased by him;
- (c.) Within four years from the date of his lease, not less than one-fifth of the land leased by him;

and shall, within six years from the date of his lease, in addition to the cultivation of one-fifth of the land, have put substantial improvements of a permanent character on first-class land to the value of £1 for every acre of such land, and on second-class land to an amount equal to the net price of every acre of such land: Provided that in no case shall the additional improvements required on second-class land be more than 10s. per acre.

The terms "improvements," "substantial improvements," and "substantial improvements of a permanent character," mean and include reclamation from swamps, clearing of bush, gorse, broom, sweetbriar, or scrub, cultivation, planting with trees or live hedges, the laying-out and cultivating of gardens, fencing, draining, making roads, sinking wells or water-tanks, constructing water-races, sheep-dips, making embankments or protective works of any kind, in any way improving the character and fertility of the soil, or the erection of any building.

25. Whenever a lease is to be sold or otherwise disposed of, the valuation of the improvements shall, in all cases where it is not otherwise provided by the said Act, be made as by section thirty-three hereinafter provided; and payment of such valuation shall be made to the Board on or before the day of the commencement of the term of the new lease by the purchaser of such lease.

Whenever a lease is forfeited for breach of conditions, the Board shall cause such valuation to be made on recovering possession of the land.

26. The amount of the valuation of the improvements, when paid by the purchaser of a new lease, shall be paid by the Board to the original lessee, less any arrears of rent or other moneys due in respect of such land by the outgoing tenant; and, in case of forfeiture, less also the amount of expenses incurred in recovering possession of the land and the lease or other disposal thereof.

27. In every case of the forfeiture of a lease for breach of conditions, the payment of the amount of the valuation of improvements, or of any part thereof, shall be absolutely at the discretion of the Board.

28. If payment of any such valuation is not made as aforesaid, the Board may sue for and recover the same in any Court of competent jurisdiction from the person who should make such payment.

29. In any case where a lease is granted with a right of renewal for one further term only, not exceeding twenty-one years, the Board shall, on the expiration of such further term, or on the expiration of the original term, or, in the case of a lease where the right of renewal is perpetual, on the expiration of any term, if the right of renewal has in any case been surrendered or otherwise determined, weight the land with the value of the improvements of the outgoing tenant on again offering it for lease; or the Board may in its discretion retransfer the land to the Native owners on payment of the value of the improvements and all other charges to which the land may be lawfully subject. The value of such improvements, or the balance thereof, after deducting any amounts which may be due to the Board by the outgoing lessee, shall, when recovered by the Board, be paid over to him.

30. No outgoing tenant shall have any right or claim against the Maori owners or the Board in respect of the value of any improvements made by him on the lands in his occupation, in case any person shall fail to pay such value to the Board:

Provided that in any such case of failure the Board may retransfer the land to the Native owners on payment of such value and all other charges to which the land may be lawfully subject.

31. All claims for compensation in respect of any matters arising under the said Act, or for value of improvements or other matters, shall, unless otherwise specially provided, be settled in the manner provided in Part III of "The Public Works Act, 1905," for which purpose the said Part III shall be deemed to be incorporated with the said Act.

In every such claim the Board shall be the respondent.

32. Where it is provided or agreed that any matter shall be referred to arbitration, then such reference, unless herein otherwise provided, shall be to one or more arbitrators

appointed by the parties on each side respectively, and an umpire to be appointed by such arbitrators.

- (a.) If either party shall fail to appoint an arbitrator within twenty-one days after being requested in writing to do so by the other party, then the arbitrator appointed by the other party shall alone conduct the arbitration, and his decision shall be final and binding on both parties.
- (b.) If the said arbitrators shall fail to agree upon the matter referred to them within twenty-eight days of the same having been so referred, then the matter so referred shall be decided by an umpire to be appointed by the said arbitrators, whose decision shall be final and binding on both parties.
- (c.) Every such arbitration shall be carried on in the manner prescribed by "The Arbitration Act, 1890," and be subject to such last-mentioned Act in the same manner as if the reference to such arbitration had been made by consent of parties under a deed.
- (d.) Each party shall pay his or its costs of such reference, and any costs incidental to the appointment of an umpire shall be paid equally by the parties to the arbitration.
- (e.) Such arbitrators or umpire shall have all the powers vested in Commissioners by "The Commissioners' Powers Act, 1903," as well as all the powers given to them by "The Arbitration Act, 1890."

33. Not sooner than one year and not later than three months before the end of the original or renewed term for which the lease is granted, a valuation shall be made by arbitration, or in some other manner that may be agreed upon between the Board and the lessee, of the then value of the fee-simple of the lands then included in the lease, and also a valuation of all substantial improvements of a permanent character made by the lessee during the term and then in existence on the land then comprised in the lease.

The publishing of the valuations made as aforesaid may be effected by serving a copy of the same on the lessee and another copy on the Board; and thereafter, but not later than two months before the expiry of the term for which the lessee then holds the lands, the lessee shall elect, by notice in writing delivered to the Board, whether he will accept a fresh lease of the said lands for a further term of twenty-one years from the expiration of the then term, at a rental equal to not less than five pounds per centum on the gross value of the lands after deducting therefrom the value of the substantial improvements of a permanent character as fixed respectively by the valuation.

34. If the lessee shall not elect to accept a renewal as above mentioned, or shall refuse or neglect to execute a lease within seven days after the same is tendered to him for the purpose, a lease of the said lands shall, not later than one month before the end of the term for which the terminating lease was granted, be put up to public competition by public tender for such term of twenty-one years, on the following terms and conditions:—

- (a.) The upset rent shall be such rent as shall be fixed by the Board, not being a greater sum than that at which the lease was offered to the outgoing lessee under the last preceding clause.
- (b.) The amount of such upset rent shall be stated in the advertisements calling for tenders; and it shall be a condition of tender that the tenderer shall, together with his tender, deposit the amount of one half-year's rent, which shall be returned to him if he fails to obtain the lease.
- (c.) If any person other than the outgoing lessee be declared the purchaser, he shall, within seven days after the day fixed for opening the tenders, pay over to the Board the amount of the value of the substantial improvements of a permanent character as fixed in manner provided by the last preceding clause.
- (d.) When the day has arrived on which the terminating lease expires, or thereafter, if the Board shall have satisfied itself that the outgoing lessee has let the new lessee into quiet possession of the lands to be leased, and that none of the improvements on the lands which were thereon when the valuations mentioned in the last preceding clause were made have been destroyed or appreciably damaged, the Board shall pay over to the outgoing lessee the amount received by it from the incoming lessee as aforesaid.
- (e.) If any of the improvements as mentioned in the preceding subclause have been destroyed or appreciably damaged, as in the said subclause referred to, then the value of the improvements so destroyed, or the cost of repairing such damage, shall be decided by the Board or some person appointed by it; and the amount so fixed, with the costs attending such decision, shall be deducted from the amount payable

as aforesaid to the outgoing lessee, and, save the amount deducted for costs, shall be returned to the incoming lessee.

35. If such lease shall not be disposed of as above mentioned to some person other than the lessee, or if such person fails to execute the lease in triplicate within thirty days, or to pay the sum offered by him as aforesaid within thirty days, from the day on which the tenders were opened, then the lessee may again, within sixty days after the day fixed for the opening of the tenders, elect in manner aforesaid whether he will accept a fresh lease as aforesaid; and if he does not elect to accept the same, or refuses or neglects to execute such lease within seven days after the same is tendered to him for the purpose, then he may continue as lessee of the said land from year to year, so long as he shall pay the rent reserved by his lease and observe and perform the covenants and conditions contained in the same or in the said Act, or until the Board shall succeed in finding a purchaser of the new lease, unless, prior to the finding of such purchaser by the Board, he shall elect to accept a new lease for the said further period of twenty-one years as aforesaid.

36. The Board, in selling a renewed lease to a purchaser, may make provision that the right to take possession under such new lease shall always commence on the 1st day of January or of July in any year.

37. All the provisions of the foregoing rules and regulations (except the provisions as to cultivation) as regards the tenders for sale, form, and conditions of first leases made under the said Act, and otherwise howsoever as regards such leases, shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to the sale, form, and conditions of the new or renewed leases above mentioned, and to the lessees thereunder, and otherwise howsoever, except as herein is otherwise expressly provided.

**Rent.**—The rent shall commence on the first day of January or July following the date of acceptance of tender by the Board.

**Roads.**—The right to deviate existing surveyed roads where found necessary, or to take roads to give access to sections where roads are not shown on sale-plan, is reserved for five years through each section. It shall be a condition of each lease that a right of way shall be temporarily reserved over the existing pack and main walking tracks through the land comprised in each lease until such time as the surveyed roads have been formed. The lessee shall not be allowed to block any of these tracks by felling trees or scrub across them, and he shall at once remove any obstruction or any timber that may unavoidably have to be felled across such tracks, and shall leave the track clear for traffic. If fences are erected he shall provide gateways on said tracks.

**Timber.**—It shall be a condition of the lease that the lessee shall pay to the Board from time to time one-half of the royalty rates then current in the district for all marketable timber (not required by himself for building or other improvements on the land comprised in his lease or for firewood for his own use) that may be cut and removed from the land: Provided that such royalty rates shall in no case be less than the minimum scheduled rates fixed by the Timber Regulations for Crown Lands in force at the time of cutting. In the event of the land reverting to the Board through any cause, or of the lessee's interest being determined or forfeited, all rights to the timber that he may have given, or agreements that he may have entered into for the disposal thereof, shall absolutely cease and be determined.

Form K.

STATUTORY DECLARATION TO ACCOMPANY APPLICATION FROM PERSON DESIROUS TO BECOME PURCHASER, TRANSFERREE, OR SUB-LESSEE OF A LEASE.

In the matter of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," and its amendments; and in the matter of a proposed \*sale or lease to , of , of † , of , do solemnly and sincerely declare—

1. That I am of the age of seventeen years and upwards.
2. That I am the person or one of the persons jointly applying for the purchase or lease of the above-mentioned land solely for my own use and benefit, or for the exclusive use and benefit of myself and co-purchaser or co-lessee—namely, , and for the purposes of cultivation, and not directly or indirectly for the use or benefit of any other person or persons whomsoever.
3. That, including the land now applied for, but exclusive of leases of Maori land held by me at the date of the passing of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900" (20th October, 1900), I am not the holder or owner, directly or indirectly, either by myself or jointly with any other person, of any land anywhere in the colony exceeding in the whole 2,000 acres of freehold land, inclusive of not more than 640 acres of first-class land.

\* Erase any words in italics which are inapplicable.  
 † Specify name and area of the land, and the conditions of the proposed alienation.  
 ‡ Each proposed purchaser or lessee must make this declaration.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

(Signature.)

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

THOS. W. FISHER,  
 President, Aotea Maori Land Board.

Maori Lands in Wellington Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

Office of the Aotea Maori Land Board,  
 Whanganui, 27th May, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 p.m. on Monday, 15th July, 1907, for leases of the undermentioned lands for a term of twenty-one years, with right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years, under the provisions of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," and its amendments, and the regulations made thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WAIMARINO AND WHANGANUI COUNTIES.  
*Ohotu Block.*

Section.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
KARIOI SURVEY DISTRICT.				
		A. R. P.	s. d.	£ s. d.
7	XIII	565 0 0	2 0	28 5 0
8	"	624 0 0	2 0	31 4 0
MAKOTUKU SURVEY DISTRICT.				
10	XVI	419 0 0	2 0	20 19 0
11	"	419 2 0	2 0	20 19 6
NGAMATEA SURVEY DISTRICT.				
*3	V	1,595 0 0	1 6	59 16 3
TAUAKIRA SURVEY DISTRICT.				
3	XI	1,410 0 0	0 9	26 8 9

\* Weighted with £8 11s., valuation for improvements.

Locality and Description of Ohotu Block.

This block, which comprises an area of over 55,000 acres, subdivided into sixth-eight lots, most of which have been leased, is situated on the left bank of the Whanganui River, about forty-five miles from Whanganui, the centre of the northern boundary being about six miles south of Raetihi Township, and the centre of the eastern boundary about seven miles south-west of Karioi. Of the six sections now offered four are in the north-eastern portion and two in the south-western portion of the block. Sections 7 and 8 (Block XIII, Karioi District), and 10 and 11 (Block XVI, Makotuku District), comprise hilly and undulating country; Sections 3 (Block V, Ngamatea District) and 3 (Block XI, Tauakira District) are rough and broken. The soil generally is good, on a papa formation. The forest is mixed, comprising rimu, rata, miro, tawa, with undergrowth of rangiora, karamu, kotukutuku, &c. All the sections are well watered. The access to the western portion of the block is by river-steamers up the Whanganui River for a distance of about forty-five miles, thence along the Matahiwi-Ohotu Road. The access to the eastern portion of the block is by Field's Track, which has been constructed for some years as a pack-track.

Tauakira No. 2 Block.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre.	Half-yearly Rent.
TAUAKIRA SURVEY DISTRICT.				
		A. R. P.	s. d.	£ s. d.
2F	XVI	169 0 0	0 6	2 2 3
Small Grazing-runs.				
4	XI & XII	3,192 0 0	0 6	29 18 0
4	XV	2,075 1 22	0 6	25 18 10
4	XVI	2,494 3 18	0 6	31 3 9
NGAMATEA SURVEY DISTRICT.				
2	IX	2,757 2 8	1 3	86 3 6

*Descriptions of Small Grazing-runs.*

Section 4, Blocks XI and XII, Tauakira District, is situated on the left bank of the Whanganui River, and takes in a strip of country from the river up on to the main watershed between the Whanganui and Mangawhero Rivers. The access is from Whanganui, which is about thirty-six miles and a half distant, of which thirty-six miles is by river-steamers to Koriniti Landing-place, and half a mile by surveyed unformed road. The section comprises about 80 acres of easy open land, with manuka scrub along the Whanganui, and remainder rough birch-bush country intersected by gorgy creeks. The soil is of fair to good quality, resting on papa formation. The bush is fairly heavy, consisting of birch, tawhero, and tawa towards front, and mixed rimu, matai, kahikatea, birch, and tawa at back, with a thick undergrowth of rangiora, fern, and supplejack. Well watered by Ruapirau and small creeks. Elevation ranges from about 100 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level.

Section 4, Block XV, Tauakira District, is situated on the left bank of the Whanganui River, the access being from Whanganui, which is about thirty-four miles distant. There are good landing-places for river-steamers all along the river frontage. The section comprises about 80 acres of easy, open, and manuka-scrub land along the river; remainder steep bush slopes, with gorgy creeks. The soil is of fair to good quality, on papa formation. The forest is fairly heavy, comprising tawa, birch, and tawhero towards front, with mixed rata, matai, maire, and rimu at back, and a thick undergrowth of rangiora, fern, and supplejack. Well watered by small streams. Elevation ranges from about 100 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level.

Section 4, Block XVI, Tauakira District, is situated on the main watershed between the Whanganui and Mangawhero Rivers, abreast of Koriniti Pa, which is about thirty-six

miles from Whanganui. The access is from Whanganui, which is about thirty-four miles distant by river-steamers to mouth of the Pitangi Creek, and from there by about eight miles of surveyed road, of which about a mile and a half is formed horse-track. The section consists of steep slopes of mixed-bush country, intersected by gorgy creeks. The soil is fair to good, on papa formation. The forest is fairly heavy mixed bush, comprising tawa, rata, maire, tawhero, birch, rimu, and kahikatea, and a thick undergrowth of rangiora, fern, and supplejack. Well watered by small creeks. Elevation ranges from about 1,000 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level.

Section 2, Block IX, Ngamatea District, is situated on the eastern slopes of the main watershed between the Whanganui and the Mangawhero Rivers. The access is from Whanganui, which is about thirty-five miles distant by Field's Track and Parapara-Raetihi Roads, of which twenty-five miles is dray-road, remainder horse-track. Another route is up the Whanganui River by steamer to Matahiwi (thirty-nine miles), and then twenty-one miles of horse-track via Matahiwi-Ohotu Road and Raetihi-Parapara Road. The section comprises fair to rough slopes of mixed-bush land, intersected by gorgy creeks towards back boundary. The soil is of good quality, on papa formation. The forest is fairly heavy mixed bush, comprising tawa, rata, matai, maire, kahikatea, rimu, birch, with an occasional totara, and a thick undergrowth of rangiora, mahoe, and supplejack. Well watered by the Mangawhero River and small creeks. Elevation ranges from about 600 ft. to 2,200 ft. above sea-level.

[NOTE.—These lands are offered subject to the same terms and conditions as Morikau Block. See preceding notice.]

THOS. W. FISHER,  
President, Aotea Maori Land Board.

*Meeting of the Tokerau District Maori Land Board.*

Auckland, 26th June, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Tokerau District Maori Land Board to be held at Auckland on Friday, the 5th day of July, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

JAS. W. BROWNE, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT TO LEASE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.
T. 1907/41..	Charles Newman (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Poutu No. 2E, Sections 6A, 6B, 7A, 7B, 8, and 9	Tapihana Paikea and others.
T. 1907/42..	Charles Newman (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Poutu 2E No. 5B .. ..	Paraone Pairama.
T. 1907/44..	William McQuilliam .. ..	Kaingapiwai Nos. 1E and 1F .. ..	Hemi Tupe and others.

APPLICATION FOR ISSUE OF RECOMMENDATION TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
T. 1907/43..	J. E. D. Kemp (by his solicitors, Parr and Blomfield)	Maungakawakawa No. 2 .. ..	Sale.

*Meeting of the Waikato District Maori Land Board.*

Auckland, 29th June, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Waikato District Maori Land Board to be held at Auckland on Tuesday, the 16th day of July, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

JAS. W. BROWNE, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT TO LEASE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.
W. 1903/76	Ratima te Mata and others	.. Lot 58, Parish of Onewhero	.. Ratima te Mata and others.
W. 1904/5	Mahuta and others .. ..	.. Lot 238 of Section 16, Suburbs of Auckland (Pukapuka)	.. Mahuta and others.
W. 1905/12	George Rutherford .. ..	.. Te Akau No. 2 (part of) .. ..	.. Remana Nutana and others.
W. 1906/31	Ruihana Tupaea .. ..	.. Opuatia No. 7D .. ..	.. Ruihana Tupaea.

ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.

W. 1903/76	Ratima te Mata and others	.. Lot 58, Parish of Onewhero	.. Ratima te Mata and others.
W. 1904/5	Mahuta and others .. ..	.. Lot 238 of Section 16, Suburbs of Auckland (Pukapuka)	.. Mahuta and others.
W. 1905/12	George Rutherford .. ..	.. Te Akau No. 2 (part of) .. ..	.. Remana Nutana and others.
W. 1906/31	Ruihana Tupaea .. ..	.. Opuatia No. 7D .. ..	.. Ruihana Tupaea.

## APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT TO LEASE—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.
<b>NEW APPLICATIONS.</b>			
W. 1907/5	Maru te Moihana and others (by their solicitor, P. H. Basley) ..	Kawhia P No. 7A ..	Te Maru te Moihana and others.
W. 1907/6	C. C. Jenkins (by his solicitor, P. H. Basley)	.. whia P No. 7b ..	Ahirau Waitai.
W. 1907/10	Tete Tawhiao and another ..	Kawhia P No. 10 ..	Tete Tawhiao and others.
W. 1907/11	Hilda Sutton (by her solicitor, P. H. Basley)	Kawhia P No. 7d ..	Maru te Moihana.
W. 1907/12	Hilda Sutton (by her solicitor, P. H. Basley)	Kawhia P No. 7e ..	Hinekehu Matehaere.
W. 1907/14	Janet Catherine McCardle (by her solicitors, Walker and Peak)	Kawhia P No. 2 ..	Atakohu Wetere and others.
W. 1907/20	Miller and Son, solicitors, Thames ..	Makumaku No. 1 ..	Mare Teretiu and others.
W. 1907/21	Miller and Son, solicitors, Thames ..	Makumaku No. 2 ..	Hori Anihana and others.
W. 1907/23	Moke Pumipi and others ..	Kawhia P No. 5 ..	Moke Pumipi and others.
W. 1907/26	Henare Kaihau (by his solicitors, Parr and Blomfield)	Lot 366A, Parish of Waipipi	Wiremu Tauroa.

## APPLICATIONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
<b>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.</b>			
W. 1903/94	Ngamerini Ngapera ..	Lot 167, Parish of Pepepe ..	Sale of mineral rights.
W. 1903/126	Merea Wikiriwhi ..	Ngatikoi Reserve ..	..
W. 1903/134			
W. 1904/37	Hura te Remi te Aho and another ..	Opuatia 11c No. 1 ..	Mortgage.
W. 1904/39	Mere Warena Kukutai ..	Opuatia 11c No. 3 ..	Mortgage.
W. 1905/3 ..	J. N. Gage ..	Lot 14A, Parish of Puniu ..	Sale.
W. 1905/4 ..	Haora Tareranui ..	Mangamutu No. 4514 ..	..
W. 1905/5 ..	Haora Tareranui ..	Te Aroha No. 13 ..	Sale.
W. 1906/9 ..	K. K. Tarawhiti and others ..	Lot 71, Parish of Waipa ..	Sale.
W. 1906/29	Rauna Rawhiti and another ..	Lot 18, Parish of Pepepe ..	Sale.
W. 1906/30	Rauna Rawhiti and others ..	Lot 17, Parish of Pepepe ..	Sale.
W. 1906/32	Henare N. Kaihau and others ..	Lot 367, Parish of Waipipi ..	Gift.
W. 1906/33	Kerei Tamarere and others ..	Lot 376, Parish of Waipipi ..	Gift.
N. 1906/620	Tetekura Paraku ..	Puhoi No. 3 ..	Sale.
N. 1906/655	Paora Tiunga ..	Kaikahu No. 3 ..	Sale.
N. 1906/962	Haora Tareranui ..	Wairuaterangi ..	Sale.
N. 1906/992	Nganeko Mahuta and Haunui Tawhiao	Interests in Pepepe, Lots 73 and 78	Sale or mortgage.
N. 1906/458, 1017	Arepata Tinea ..	Tapuiurukehu No. 2 ..	Sale.
N. 1906/208	Kerei Kaihau ..	Lot 125, Parish of Waiuku West ..	Sale.
W. 1906/62	W. J. Ralph (by his solicitors, Napier and Smith)	Lot 24, Parish of Pepepe ..	Sale.
<b>NEW APPLICATIONS.</b>			
W. 1907/2 ..	Maria Mere Peka (by her solicitors, Porritt and Mueller)	Te Aroha, Block IX, Section 29B No. 2 ..	Sale.
W. 1907/3 ..	Gideon Hunter (by his solicitors, Wynyard and Purchas)	Opuatia 6d No. 2 ..	Sale.
W. 1907-4 ..	Hane Matetawhiti and another (by their solicitor, Thomas Cotter)	Lot 23A, Parish of Pepepe ..	Sale of mineral rights.
W. 1907/7 ..	Wiremu te Aramoana (by his solicitors, Parr and Blomfield)	Wharekawa No. 4c ..	Sale.
W. 1907/8 ..	Wiremu te Aramoana (by his solicitors, Parr and Blomfield)	Wharekawa No. 4b ..	Sale.
W. 1907/9 ..	Parepumai te Whetuiti and another ..	Hoetainui South No. 4A ..	Sale.
W. 1907/13	Hori Herewini ..	Lot 62B, Parish of Koheroa ..	Sale.
W. 1907/15	James Long (by his solicitor, P. H. Haddon)	Lot 26 of Opuatia No. 4 ..	Sale.
W. 1907/16	Heni Hura Kukutai ..	Opuatia 6c No. 2 North ..	Sale.
W. 1907/17	Whiu Haimona and others ..	Lot 163, Parish of Pepepe ..	Sale.
W. 1907/18	Hira te Aho (as trustee for Paretohi Hira te Aho and others)	Te Akaaka No. 2B ..	Sale.
W. 1907/19	Hariata Poihi Ngapaka (by her solicitor, John St. Clair)	Lot 40 of Opuatia No. 5A ..	Sale.
W. 1907/22	Rauna Rawhiti ..	Lot 167, Parish of Pepepe ..	Sale of mineral rights.
W. 1907/24	Hariata Poihi ..	Lot 40 of Opuatia No. 5 ..	Sale.
W. 1907/26	Devonport Ferry Company (by its solicitors, Parr and Blomfield)	Te Huruhi No. 12 (interest in) ..	Sale.
W. 1907/28	Cyril Docker Lincoln (by his solicitors, Parr and Blomfield)	Lot 9, Parish of Maramarua ..	Sale.
W. 1907/29	James Russell Hetherington and William S. Meldrum (by their solicitor, W. Coleman)	Lot 19, Parish of Pepepe ..	Sale of mineral rights.
W. 1907/30	James Russell Hetherington and William S. Meldrum (by their solicitor, W. Coleman)	Lot 20, Parish of Pepepe ..	Sale of mineral rights.
W. 1907/31	James Russell Hetherington and William S. Meldrum (by their solicitor, W. Coleman)	Lot 22, Parish of Pepepe ..	Sale of mineral rights.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Whakatane, Bay of Plenty.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 22nd June, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Whakatane, Bay of Plenty, on the 7th day of August, 1907, to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Auckland, 1907-21.]

A. G. HOLLAND, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
<b>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.</b>		
4	Tawhe Tuati, Randolph Oliphant Stewart, and others (364-7, 3/101)	Lot 39, Parish of Rangitaiki.
5	Tawhe Tuati, Randolph Oliphant Stewart, and others (265-68, 3/102)	Lot 30, Parish of Rangitaiki.
6	Maata Rangitukehu, Matutaera Hatua, Ngaheu Paora, Hori Pawa, Hirini Waiari, Penetito Hawea, and others (266-18, 3/109)	Lot 72B, Parish of Matata, Kokohinau.
7	Tarei Tauhe, Erueti Matutaera, Hoera te Tiu, Ema Paraki, and others (266-22, 3/112)	Lot 72, Parish of Matata.
8	Rumai te Rangī, Pihopa Taumutu, Te Tuhi Pihopa, and Te Whatanui (544-2, 3/121)	Matahina B (1,500 acres).
9	Akuhata Tarariwha, Himone Kapuarangi, and others (266-24, 3/141)	Lot 72, Parish of Matata (Kokohinau).
10	Te Parehuia Paihau, Te Wharehiraka Rangitukehu, Mere Rangī-whakawaitau, and others (266-26, 3/147)	Kokohinau, Lot 72 (Lot 72, Parish of Matata).
11	Mere Hohepa and others (265-81, 3/160) .. .. .	Lot 30, Parish of Rangitaiki.
12	Hoori Pawa, Ruiha Rahupake, Wi Hunia, and others (266-28, 3/163)	Kokohinau, Lot 72 (Lot 72, Parish of Matata).
13	Ngaehu Paora, Tepora Paora, and others (266-29, 3/178) .. .. .	Kokohinau, Lot 72 (Lot 72, Parish of Matata).
14	Tamaku Maria, Te Kakara Aratema, and others (266-30, 3/180) .. .. .	Kokohinau, Lot 72 (Lot 72, Parish of Matata).
15	Maata Rangitukehu, Te Parehuia Paihau, Te Moko Tukehu, and others (394-31, 2/181)	Omataroa, Lot 60A, Parish of Rangitaiki.
16	Riina Manuera, Titihioia Manuera, Taimona Pakaha, Hipirini Rini, and others (394-32, 3/182)	Omataroa, Lot 60A, Parish of Rangitaiki.
17	Maata Rangitukehu and Poihaere te Wharehiraka (266-31, 3/183)	Kokohinau, Lot 72, Parish of Matata.
18	Tiaki Rewiri and others (264-14, 3/212) .. .. .	Lot 29, Parish of Rangitaiki.
19	Te Pare (266-34, 3/231)	Lot 72, Kokohinau (Lot 72, Parish of Matata).
20	Raureti P. Mokonuiarangi, Naira Kingi, Te Ohia te Mostu, Taingarue Hataraka, Ripeka Ngamotu, Witeri Hakopa, and others (547-56, 3/244)	Te Pokohu No. 1 (A).
21	Te Hurinui Apanui, Merito Hetaraka, Hohepa te Tawhero, Akima te Keepa, Hira Hotene, Rapata Nepia, and others (358-91, 3/257)	Lot 28, Parish of Rangitaiki.
22	Te Hurinui Apanui, Merito Hetaraka, Hohepa te Tawhero, Akima te Keepa, Hira Hotene, Rapata Nepia, and others (360-215, 3/258)	Lot 31, Parish of Rangitaiki.
23	H. K. Tunui, A. Paora, Puroku Tunui, Te Riwi Ako, Menehira Pauro, Te Wharewera, and others (363-51, 3/267)	Lot 38, Parish of Rangitaiki (Rauporoa).
24	H. K. Tunui, A. Paora, Puroku Tunui, Te Riwi Ako, Menehira Pauro, Te Wharewera, and others (366-60, 3/268) .. .. .	Lot 41, Parish of Rangitaiki (Opouriao).
25	H. K. Tunui, Arona Paora, Puroku Tunui, Te Kiwini Ako, Menehira Pauro, Te Wharewera, and others (426-42, 3/269) .. .. .	Lot 30, Parish of Rangitaiki (Rewarau).
26	Ngawai Himiona, Ritibia Himiona, Hohaia Hautu, and others (265-96, 3/290)	Lot 30, Parish of Rangitaiki (Pahou).
<b>CLAIMS FOR THE DISTRICT OF WHAKATANE.</b>		
27	Raumati Eru, Mohi Eru, and Rakapa Ihaka (265-101, 3/297) .. .. .	Rangitaiki, Lot 30c.
28	Te Raita Whakatangi and Mika te Tawhao (324-74, 3/298) .. .. .	Matahina A No. 1D.
29	Pea Wi Keepa (358-94, 4/1) .. .. .	Rangitaiki, Lot 28.
30	H. K. Tunui, Tahawera Wiapa, Hiri te Wera, Menehira Pauro, Hune Matepo, and Raimona Utauta (75-30, 4/2)	Waimana, Lot 70.
31	Tio Watarawi, Ngawharewhakawa, and others (265-102, 4/7) .. .. .	Rangitaiki, Lot 30c.
32	Toma Pohutu, Tepora te Ramanui, Reupena Toma, and Mohi Toma (265-108, 4/10)	Rangitaiki, Lot 30.
33	Hoani Nuku, Wiremu Kingi, and others (265-109, 4/11) .. .. .	Rangitaiki, Lot 30.
34	Hiraina Wi Apa, Kopae Inakara, Piripi Haimona, and others (363-58, 4/15)	Rangitaiki, Lot 38B.
<b>NEW APPLICATIONS.</b>		
35	Tipua Werahiko, Tamati Waaka, Tominiko Werahiko, Te Wharewera Kaperiere and others (265-114, 4/18)	Lot 30A, Parish of Rangitaiki.
36	Te Werapaura, Tahawera Wiapa, Tiari Rihara, Pakipaki Wiapa, and others (363-59, 4/20)	Lot 30B, Parish of Rangitaiki.
37	Heni Witeri (by his agent, Hori Pawa), (1010-10, 4/21) .. .. .	Lot 60, Parish of Rangitaiki.
38	Waata Rangitukehu, Te Haroto Manuera, Matutaera Hatua, Hunia Raiba, Erueti Matutaera, Moko Maata (1010-11, 4/23)	Lot 60A, Parish of Rangitaiki.
39	Rakapa Ihaka, Karokaro Ihaka, and others (265-115, 4/77) .. .. .	Lot 30c, Parish of Rangitaiki.
40	Pahunui Ngahau (276-79, 4/78) .. .. .	Section D of Lot 32, Parish of Rangitaiki.
41	Mirara Hunia, Ngahouerua Hunia, and others (276-80, 4/79) .. .. .	Lot 32H, Parish of Rangitaiki.
42	Hirini Waiari (agent for the applicants) .. .. .	Omataroa No. 2.
43	Hori Pawa and others .. .. .	Omataroa No. 5.
44	Te Haroto Manuera, Akutina Hipirini, Turoa Hamana, Titihioia Manuera, and others .. .. .	Omataroa No. 6A.
45	Timoti Manuera, Amiria Paraki, and others .. .. .	Omataroa No. 9.

## APPLICATIONS TO DETERMINE RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land
<b>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.</b>		
553	Hokimoana Karanema (266-12, 3/99) .. .. .	Hakorukoru (Old Pa), included in Lot 72b Parish of Matata.
554	Penetito Hawea, Hariata te Hiako, Mere te Kahu, Wakata te Ata, Muka Tauniho, and others (367-33, 3/105)	Waiohau No. 1A.
555	Penetito Hawea, Raerino Patupo, Apahai Tamihana, Hariata Hiako, Hinehou Mahurea, Wiripine Ninia, Ngairo Aniheta, Mahurea, and others (273-9, 3/106)	Putauaki, Lot 59.
556	Harata Raimona and others (256-5, 3/110) .. .. .	Kawerau, Lot 39A, Parish of Matata.
557	Te Whaiti Paora and others (544-4, 3/165) .. .. .	Matahina B.
558	Wi Patene Tarahanga, Te Wharepapa Peita, Ngahooro Wahawaha, Riripeti te Aira, and Hahona Teokoro (545-4, 3/167)	Matahina C.
559	Te Tauhu Kingi (for Te Orunui Paora and others), (256-8, 3/191)	Lot 39A, Parish of Matata.
560	Tiaki Rewiri (264-15, 3/213) .. .. .	Lot 29, Parish of Rangitaki.
561	Te Korowhiti te Ratahi, Te Atarau Mumuhu, Tipao Miriama, Hoani te Mumuhu, and others (367-42, 3/227)	Waiohau No. 1.
562	Penetito Hawea, Himiona Tikitu, Raerino Patupo, Hamiora Tumutara, and others (548-14, 3/107)	Pokohu Nos. 2, 3, and 4.
563	Raureti P. Mokonuiarangi, Mikaere Heretaunga, Reha Paerau, Hakopa Takapou, Mehaka te Huriwaka, Pene Matuku, Pateriki te Tai, Te Ohia Taihapa, Ema Waihi, Ripeka Ngamotu, Hehira Menehira, Nia Ngakarauna, Peti Hineikoia, Hone Ngakuku, Hemana te Hurinui, and others (547-17, 3/138)	Te Pokohu No. 1A.
564	Raureti P. Mokonuiarangi, Mikaere Heretaunga, Reha Paerau, Hakopa Takapou, Mehaka te Huriwaka, Pene Matuku, Te Ohia Taihapa, Ema Waihi, Hehira Menehira, Nia Ngakarauna, Peti Hineikoia, Hemana te Hurinui, Hone Ngakuku, and others (548-15, 3/139)	Pokohu No. 2B.
<b>NEW APPLICATIONS.</b>		
565	Hone Atutahi, W. M. Ereatare, Hehe Hakopa, and others (175-49, 4/19)	Lot 5, Parish of Matata.
566	Hone Atutahi, Rangitearere te Kiri, Maria Hamiora, Ngamako te Rangikawhiria, Arama Karaka Hutuha, Hehe Hakopa, Wiremu Ereatare, and others (175-68, 4/22)	Lot 5, Parish of Matata.

## APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 13 OF "THE MAORI LAND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENT AND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1904."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
567	Hunia Marupo and Taupe Poururu (424-8, 6/218)	Lot 22, Parish of Rangitaki	Application to the Court to ascertain and determine who are the persons (if any) to whom Crown grants or other instruments of title should issue, and their relative interests in the said piece of land, and subject to what (if any) restrictions, conditions, or limitations the same should be held.

## APPLICATION UNDER SUBSECTION (11) OF SECTION 14 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," FOR APPORTIONMENT OF RENT.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
568	Tipua Werahiko (361-60, 1/124) .. .. .	Lot 33, Parish of Rangitaki.

## APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF ADOPTION OF CHILD UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 50 OF "THE NATIVE LAND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENT AND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1901."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Child.
569	Akuhata te Kaha (Mis. 39-7, 1/9) .. .. .	Whakararo te Heuheu, the child of Te Heuheu Rangataua and Miraka Riki, of Taupo.

## APPLICATION FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
570	Rimahou te Riakau (1075-1, 2/56) .. .. .	Waiotahi, Lot 281.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 38 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
571	Te Whaiti (544-3, 2/59)	Matahina B ..	Application to have the boundaries of the said land amended.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 65 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," THAT A DEFINED PORTION OF LAND MAY BE VESTED IN APPLICANT, IN LIEU OF SURVEY COSTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount due.
572	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland (544-5, 4/36)	Matahina B .. ..	£ s. d. 82 13 9
573	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland (545-8, 4/37)	Matahina C .. ..	67 18 3
574	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland (545-9, 4/38)	Matahina C No. 1 .. ..	67 18 3
575	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland (546-5, 4/39)	Matahina D .. ..	76 8 3
576	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland (563-27, 4/62)	Tuararangaia No. 1 .. ..	146 3 8
577	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland (564-22, 4/63)	Tuararangaia No. 2 .. ..	27 15 4
578	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland (565-7, 4/64)	Tuararangaia No. 3B .. ..	88 1 7

APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATION.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
579	Conveyance .. ..	1st March, 1907 ..	Allotment 160, Town of Richmond	Mita Tahoka to William Cleveland Savage.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Dargaville, Kaipara.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 25th June, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Dargaville, Kaipara, on the 31st day of July, 1907, to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.  
[Auckland, 1907-22.]

A. G. HOLLAND, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATION.		
1	H. Patuawa, W. Patuawa, and others .. ..	Opanake No. 1D.
NEW APPLICATIONS.		
2	Pera Netana, Wi Netana, Taia Netana, Maria Pepene, Hipiriana Patuawa, Haki Patuawa, Ruihi Patuawa, Waingaehe Patuawa, Riripeti Patuawa, Rihari Patuawa, Te Teira Pepene, Riripeti Watene, Eruera Netana, Meri Reweti, and Ratema Netana	Opanake No. 1c.
3	Ihimaera Poutai .. ..	Te Ruataewao.
4	Wiremu Kairau and others .. ..	Te Ruataewao.
5	Ihaia Hita, Neta Tiki, and others .. ..	Kaihu No. 1A.
6	Hana Waaka and Waaka te Huia .. ..	Ounuwhao No. 1A.
7	Henare Wharara Toka .. ..	Opanake No. 2.
8	Raniera T. Taoho, Enoka T. Taoho, and Ketu Hohaia .. ..	Kaihu No. 1A.
9	Piipi te Kamana .. ..	Opanake No. 1E.
10	Maru Papita, Wiremu Rikihana, Mate Anania, and others .. ..	Opanake No. 2K.
11	Raniera T. Taoho and Enoka T. Taoho .. ..	Opanake No. 1C.
11A	Raniera T. Taoho and Enoka T. Taoho .. ..	Opanake No. 1D.
12	Mere Hira and others .. ..	Piritaha.
13	Mahima Hone Papita .. ..	Ngakiriparauri, Section 1, Block I, Kaihu Survey District.
14	Hare Pomare (by his solicitor, E. Thurlow Field) .. ..	Aoroa No. 3.
15	Hemaima Kingi (by her solicitor, E. Thurlow Field) .. ..	Section 18D, Parish of Tatarariki.
16	Wiremu Patuawa and others .. ..	Opanake No. 1D.
17	Koroniria Kaipuke, Hohapata te Aunui, Paora Ho, Rora Paengarau, and Wiki te Paa	Sections 2 and 3, Block X, Tokatoka.
18	Hipiriana Patuawa .. ..	Opanake No. 1c South.
19	Ihaka te Kaituhi, Riwhia Eru, Pouaka Paraone (trustee for Mertiana Pute), Mere Hira, and Pirihira Ihaka	Piritaha (Wahi-tapu).
20	Hipiriana Patuawa and others .. ..	Opanake No. 1c.
21	Hana Waaka .. ..	Ounuwhao No. 1A.

APPLICATIONS TO DETERMINE RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
134	Koniria Kaipuke and Wiki te Paa .. ..	Lot 2, Block X, Tokatoka Survey District.
135	Koniria Kaipuke and Wiki te Paa .. ..	Lot 3, Block X, Tokatoka Survey District.

## APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 46 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
136	Eruini te Puru .. .. .	Tamati Waaka.
137	Raniera Taoho and Enoka Taoho .. .. .	Te Rore Taoho.
138	Pouaka Parore and Wati Tito .. .. .	Mere Hira Tauke.

## APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 46 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION WITH WILL ANNEXED.

No.	Name of Applicant	Name of Deceased.
139	Rakuera Topia .. .. .	Mihaera Urututu.

## APPLICATION FOR SURVEY LIENS.

No.	Name of Surveyor.	Name of Land.	Area.	Amount.
140	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland District .. .. .	Oturei No. 2 .. .. .	60 acres .. .. .	£1.

## APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 65 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," THAT A DEFINED PORTION OF LAND MAY BE VESTED IN APPLICANT, IN LIEU OF SURVEY COSTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount due.
141	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland.. .. .	Abukaroro South .. .. .	£ s. d. 2 2 0
142	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland.. .. .	Hukatero B .. .. .	15 3 6
143	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland.. .. .	Kaiaua .. .. .	24 2 10
144	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland.. .. .	Karamuramu .. .. .	1 0 0
145	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland.. .. .	Te Ngaere A .. .. .	7 3 6
146	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland.. .. .	Te Ngaere D .. .. .	4 13 0
147	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland.. .. .	Oturei No. 2 .. .. .	1 0 0
148	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland.. .. .	Toukauri No. 3. .. .. .	2 2 0
149	Chief Surveyor, Land District of Auckland.. .. .	Te Tuatetua No. 2 South .. .. .	3 6 0

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
150	Himiona te Kaputahi .. .. .	Opanake Nos. 1c and 1d .. .. .	Application for the inclusion of his name and the names of his children in the said lands.

## APPLICATION TO CONSTITUTE OWNERS A BODY CORPORATE AND APPOINT A COMMITTEE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTIONS 122, 123, AND 124 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area.
151	Reihana Kena, Posta Uruamo, Hemi Parata Pomare, Hare Pomare, Hauraki Paora, Hikiera Taierua, Haimona Pirika, and many others	Opanake No. 1A .. .. .	1,100 acres

## APPLICATION TO THE NATIVE LAND COURT TO MAKE ORDER FOR THE PAYMENT OF RENTS BY THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE TO THE NATIVE OWNERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
152	Otene Paora, for the Orakei Maoris .. .. .	Opanake.

## APPLICATION TO ASSESS THE AMOUNT OF COMPENSATION PAYABLE TO OWNERS OF NATIVE LAND TAKEN BY PROCLAMATION UNDER "THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1894," FOR THE PURPOSE OF A SCHOOL-SITE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area taken.
153	V. E. Rice, Secretary to the Education Board for the District of Auckland	Opanake No. 1c South .. .. .	3 acres.



*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Whanganui.*

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 2nd July, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Whanganui on the 18th day of July, 1907, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.  
[Wellington, 1907-34.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
1793	Te Huia te Whetu and others ..	Maraekowhai No. 2B ..	For cancellation of the partition orders herein.

*Applications for Confirmation Certificates under Section 55.*

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 2nd July, 1907.

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, Registrar.

THE ALIENATIONS ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Transfer (1907-90) ..	27th June, 1907 ..	Wiremutaone, Section 8. Subdivisions 6 and 24	Paora Rangikauwhata to Akenihi Himiona.
2	Mortgage (1907-91) ..	27th June, 1907 ..	Akura Nos. 1A and 1B	Pukeake Tamihana to Charles Wagland.

**BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.**

(ROYAL ARMS.)

In the matter of "The Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1877," and of the Waihi Workers Co-operative Society (Limited).

BY an order dated Wednesday, the 26th day of June, 1907, made at Waihi by R. Bush, Esq., S.M., I, the undersigned, have been directed to wind up the above-named society under the provisions of "The Companies Act, 1903," and to pay the costs of both the petitioning creditors and the defending society of and incidental to the Petition for winding-up out of the assets of the said society.

E. GÉRARD,  
Official Liquidator.

Auckland, 28th June, 1907.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court, holden at New Plymouth.*

NOTICE is hereby given that HUGH YOUNG, of Inglewood, Boardinghouse-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 28th day of June, 1907, at 11.30 o'clock a.m.

J. S. S. MEDLEY,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of GEORGE DAVID JONES, of Wanganui, Tailor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend, of 4s. 4d. in the pound, is now payable at my office on all proved and accepted claims.

W. RODWELL,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 28th June, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES (or JOHN) ROWEN of Wellington, Boat-builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of July, 1907, at 11 o'clock a.m.

JAMES ASHCROFT,  
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 22nd June, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that QUINTON PALMER, of Bainham, near Collingwood, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Collingwood, on Tuesday, the 9th day of July, 1907, at 3 o'clock p.m.

W. ROUT, JUN.,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

27th June, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALFRED REED, of Christchurch, formerly Boardinghouse-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of July, 1907, at 2 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,  
Official Assignee.

25th June, 1907.

## MINING NOTICES.

## THE KELLS SLUICING COMPANY (LIMITED), (IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of shareholders will be held at the office of Messrs. Gilmore and Co., Customs Street, Auckland, on Thursday, the 25th day of July next, at 2.30 p.m., for the purpose of laying the accounts before them and giving any explanation that may be required. J. W. HENDERSON,  
Auckland, 21st June, 1907. Liquidator.  
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UNDER "THE MINING ACT, 1905."

## APPLICATION FOR LICENSE FOR A BRANCH WATER-RACE.

To the Warden of the Otago Mining District, at Pembroke.

PURSUANT to "The Mining Act, 1905," the undersigned, Daniel Urquhart and John Kerin, of Hawea Flat, Farmers, hereby apply for a license for a branch water-race as specified in the Schedule hereto, the course whereof has been duly marked out for the purpose.

Dates and numbers of miners' rights: 15th October, 1906, No. 55774; and 15th October, 1906, No. 55784.

Address for service: Care of A. M. Brodrick, Solicitor, Cromwell.

Dated at Cromwell, this 10th day of June, 1907.

## Schedule.

Locality of the race and of its starting and terminal points: Commencing at a point in dry race held under Certificate of Registration No. 6667, 24th June, 1895, in Crown lands outside Section 31, Block I, Lower Hawea District; thence westerly entering and running through said Section 31 into Section 30 of same block; thence southerly into Section 29, same block; thence westerly near to the road; thence southerly into Section 28, same block; thence across the road and running down western boundary of road to end of Section 15, same block; thence westerly along a side road past said Section 15; thence southerly through Section 19, Block IV, same district; thence southerly through Section 2, Block V, same district; then crossing a road into Section 6, same block, and terminating there at boundary of Section 7, same block.

Length and intended course of race: Length, four miles; north-east to south-west.

Points of intake: Branch Race 6667.

Estimated time and cost of construction: Three months; \$50.

Mean depth and breadth: 2 ft. deep, 2 ft. wide.

Number of heads to be carried: Five heads.

Purpose for which water is to be used: Irrigation, domestic purposes, and watering stock.

Proposed term of license: Forty-two years.

Precise time of marking out privilege applied for: 5th June, 1907, at 12 noon.

DANIEL URQUHART,  
JOHN KERIN  
(By their Solicitor, A. M. Brodrick),  
Applicants.

Precise time of filing of the foregoing application: 12th June, 1907, at 10 a.m.

Time and place appointed for the hearing of the application and all objections thereto: Monday, 19th August, 1907, at 11 a.m., at Warden's Court, Pembroke.

Objections thereto must be filed in the Registrar's office and notified to applicant at least three days before the day so appointed.

NICHOLAS MARSH,  
Mining Registrar.

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## 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.

4457. HANNAH GRIER TORRANCE.—Part of Lots 4 and 5 of Allotment 22, Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 1½ perches. Occupied by George N. Douglas.

4496. ALEXANDER OWEN JONES.—Allotments 327, 328, 329, Parish of Ngaroto, containing 151 acres 1 rood. Occupied by Applicant.

4497. ROBERT SNELL LAND.—Lots 332 and 335 of Allotments 17 and 27, Section 12, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 22 acres 3 roods 28 perches. Occupied by the Applicant and Edmond Tudor Atkinson.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 29th day of June, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

EDWIN BAMFORD,  
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," and its amendments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 5th August, 1907.

4035. JOHN EDWARD LOVELOCK.—151 acres 1 rood 27 perches, being Section 315 and part Section 316, Taratahi Plain Block. Occupied by Michael Hurley.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 3rd day of July, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

J. M. BATHAM,  
District Land Registrar.

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APPLICATION having been made to me to register a discharge of Mortgage No. 5362, in favour of HENRY PUSSELL, affecting part of Section No. 166, Township of Sandon, being the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 33, folio 296, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said mortgage, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with the production of the said mortgage and register the discharge as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 18th July, 1907.

Dated this 3rd day of July, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

J. M. BATHAM,  
District Land Registrar.

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APPLICATION having been made to me to register a discharge of Mortgage No. 38487, in favour of JOHN BOURKE, affecting Section 1, Block XIV, Mangahao Survey District, and Section 1A, Block III, Manganui Survey District, and Section 2, Block XV, Mangahao Survey District, being the land comprised in certificates of title, Vol. 85, folios 183 and 184, and evidence having been lodged of the destruction of the said mortgage, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with the production of the said mortgage and register the discharge as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 18th day of July, 1907.

Dated this 3rd July, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

J. M. BATHAM,  
District Land Registrar.

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

1413. BRANSTON HAMILTON MILES.—12 acres and 30 perches, part of Section 140, Waimea South. Unoccupied.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 1st day of July, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

H. EYRE-KENNY,  
District Land Registrar.

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APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of provisional certificates of title in favour of DONALD CAMPBELL, of Mabel, Farmer, for Section 14, Block II, and part of Section 26, Block IV, Hundred of Mabel, being the land contained in certificates of title, Vol. 12, folio 266, and Vol. 46, folio 203; and of a provisional certificate of title in favour of JOHN CAMPBELL, of the same place, Farmer, for Section 21, Block IV, Hundred of Mabel, being the land contained in Crown grant, Vol. 11, folio 223; and evidence having been lodged of the destruction of the said certificates of title and Crown grant, I hereby give notice that I shall issue provisional certificates of title as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, this 26th day of June, 1907.

C. E. NALDER,  
District Land Registrar.

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PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

**I**, SAMUEL ZOBEL, Doctor of Medicine, University of London; Bachelor of Surgery and Bachelor of Medicine, University of London, now residing in Auckland, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 26th July 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 at Auckland.

SAMUEL ZOBEL.

Dated at Auckland, 25th June, 1907. 711

**T**HE Partnership subsisting between HENRY VINCENT DYKE and JOHN WALKER, under the style of "Dyke and Walker," as Poultry-farmers, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven. All moneys owing to the late firm will be due and payable to the said Henry Vincent Dyke, who will satisfy and discharge all the late firm's liabilities.

Auckland, 24th day of June, 1907.

H. V. DYKE.  
JOHN WALKER.

Witness—A. Goldwater, Solicitor, Auckland. 713

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,  
WELLINGTON DISTRICT.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903"; and in the matter of Bacon and Company (Limited), a company incorporated as a private company under "The Companies Act, 1903," carrying on the business of aerated-water and cordial manufacturers, and makers and vendors of all kinds of non-alcoholic drinks, in the City of Wellington, and having its registered office in Little Taranaki Street, in the City of Wellington.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the Supreme Court was on the 27th day of June, 1907, presented to His Honour Sir Robert Stout, K.C.M.G., Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, by Sharland and Co. (Limited), a creditor of the said company, and the said Petition is directed to be heard at the Supreme Court House, Wellington, before a Judge of the said Court, on Monday, the 15th day of July, 1907, or as soon thereafter as the said petition may be heard; and any creditor or contributory of the said company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing, by himself or his counsel, for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

FINDLAY, DALZIELL, AND CO.,  
Lambton Quay, Wellington,  
Solicitors for the Petitioner.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903," and of Stewart and McDonald (Export), (Limited).

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Office or place of business in Auckland of STEWART AND McDONALD (EXPORT), (LIMITED), of 146 Argyle Street, Glasgow, is at 54 Queen Street, Auckland; and that the said company's Office or place of business in Wellington is at Exchange Buildings, Lambton Quay, Wellington.

Dated the 26th June, 1907.

BUDDLE, BUTTON, AND CO.,  
Solicitors for the Company.

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In the matter of "The Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1877," and of the Waihi Workers' Co-operative Society (Limited).

**B**y an order made by the Magistrate's Court, holden at Waihi, in the above matter, dated the 26th day of June, 1907, on the petition of JOHN WILLIAM HALL and ROLAND WILLIAM ST. CLAIR, of Auckland, Merchants, creditors of the above-named society, it was ordered that the said society be wound up by the said Court under the provisions of "The Companies Act, 1903."

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