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Land taken for a Road through Section 41, Block IV, Mangakahia Survey District, Whangarei County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 0 16	41	IV	Mangakahia	R. 8913	Pink.

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.

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 nineteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seven.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in Block VI, Port Nicholson Survey District, taken for Scenery-preservation Purposes.

(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 Scenery Preservation Act, 1903," and "The Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1906," for scenery-preservation purposes:

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1905," "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903," and "The Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1906," 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 scenery-preservation purposes as aforesaid. And it is hereby declared that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-sixth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

SCHEDULE.

The parcels of land taken:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Coloured on Plan	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 6 3 12	Lots VI, VII, and VIII Section 2 ..	Red ..	VI	Port Nicholson.
0 1 39		Red ..	VI	Port Nicholson.
0 0 28		Neutral tint	VI	Port Nicholson.
	Kaiwara Dist.			

All in the Land District of Wellington; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 22638,

ERRATUM.—In *New Zealand Gazette* of the 18th July instant, page 2148, Justices of the Peace appointed, for "Henry Muscutt, Esq., of Weber, co. Weber," read "Henry William John Muscutt, Esq., of Weber, co. Weber."

deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in Block IX, Kaitawa Survey District, taken for the Purposes of a Post-office.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1905," for the purposes of a post-office:

And whereas an agreement for the taking of the estate in fee-simple of the said land has been entered into, and it has been made to appear that such agreement is sufficient for the purposes intended to be effected thereby:

And whereas a plan has been prepared in duplicate showing accurately the position and extent of the said land, and the Minister for Public Works has recommended that this Proclamation should be issued:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a post-office as aforesaid; and it is hereby declared that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-sixth 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	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. B. P. 0 1 1	Section No. 4 (Parata Township)	IX	Kaitawa.

In the Land District of Wellington; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 22773, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Cancelling Proclamation taking Land in Block IX, Kaitawa Survey District, for the Purposes of a Post-office.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the twenty-third section of "The Public Works Act, 1905," it is enacted that in any case where a Proclamation has been issued taking land for any public work, and where before such Proclamation has been registered by the District Land Registrar it is found that such Proclamation incorrectly describes the land purporting to be taken, or that any other error in form or substance exists in or in relation to such Proclamation, the Governor may by a subsequent Proclamation cancel and annul such first-mentioned Proclamation, or any part thereof: And whereas an error in substance exists in a Proclamation made under "The Public Works Act, 1905," dated the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, taking land in Block IX, Kaitawa Survey District, for the purposes of a post-office, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and such Proclamation has not been registered by the District Land Registrar as provided by the first-mentioned Act:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Works Act, 1905," do by this Proclamation hereby cancel and annul the said Proclamation dated the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, taking land as specified therein.

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 twentieth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seven.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Resuming Land held under Lease in Perpetuity for the Purpose of a Road.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land which is held on lease in perpetuity from His Majesty the King under the said Act, "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and "The Land for Settlements Amendment Act, 1901," such lease being dated the eleventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and two: And whereas in the opinion of the Governor the land described in the Schedule hereto is required for a public purpose—that is to say, for a road:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and twenty-five of "The Land Act, 1892," and section sixty-one of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in that behalf, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby proclaim and declare that I hereby resume possession of the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto for the public purpose hereinbefore mentioned, the same being part of the land as held under lease as aforesaid; and do also hereby proclaim and declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seven,

SCHEDULE.

Area of the Portion of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Bordered on Plan
A. R. P. 5 1 16.8	30A, Windsor Park Settlement (being portion of Original Sections Nos. 19 and 20)	IX	Awamoko	S.G. 19263/194	Red.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is delineated upon the plan marked S.G. 19263/194, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above stated.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Native Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Wharekopaë No. 1b3, Section 1, Block VI, Ngatapa Survey District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fourth day of July, 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 purposes of a road in Wharekopaë No. 1b3, Section 1, Block VI, Ngatapa 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 road; and the said land shall vest in His Majesty the King as from the twentieth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 5 3 22	Wharekopaë No. 1b3, Section 1	VI	Ngatapa	R. 2439	Pink.

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

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

Native Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block VII, Patutahi Survey District, Cook County.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifteenth day of July, 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 purposes of a road in Block VII, Patutahi Survey District:

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 road; and the said land shall vest in the Cook County Council as from the twenty-second day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 1 28	91	VII	Patutahi	R.7859	Red.

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

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

Native Land proposed to be taken for a Road through Te Whanake No. 3 Block, Block VI, Waitoa Survey District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of July, 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 road in Te Whanake Block No. 3, Block VI, Waitoa 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 road; and the said land vests in His Majesty the King as from the first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 3 25	Te Whanake No. 3, No. 6264, D3	VI	Waitoa..	R. 8870	Pink.

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

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Native Lands proposed to be taken for a Road in Rangaunu Block, Blocks I and V, Kawakawa Survey District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of July, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken for a public work, to wit, for the purpose of a road in Rangaunu Block, Blocks I and V, Kawakawa Survey District:

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Blocks	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 2 2	2, Rangaunu Block	I & V	Kawakawa	R. 8869	Sienna
0 0 80	3, ditto ..	"	"	"	"
0 0 25	4, " ..	"	"	"	"
0 2 14	16, " ..	"	"	"	"

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.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Road in Block XII, Kaitieke Survey District, to be a Government Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of July, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Road.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 12.1	Crown land	XII	Kaitieke	R. 1922	Green.
0 0 20	"	"	"	"	"
0 2 9.1	"	"	"	"	"
0 0 9	"	"	"	"	"
0 0 1.6	"	"	"	"	"
0 0 2.1	"	"	"	"	"

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

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Exempting Hamilton Road, Kilbirnie, in the City of Wellington, 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 twenty-second 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 Hamilton Road, Kilbirnie, 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 Acts, 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 of the said street.

SCHEDULE.

THAT street known as Hamilton Road, in the Wellington Land District and in the City of Wellington, commencing at the northern boundary of Section 43, Kilbirnie, $5\frac{1}{2}$ chains from Busaco Road, and proceeding in a north-east direction for a distance of about 32 chains to its junction with Victoria Road, Kilbirnie; as the said street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 8893, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Revoking Regulations for Trout-fishing in Auckland Acclimatisation District, and making others in lieu thereof.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of July, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section five of "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, among other things, enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time make, alter, and revoke regulations, which shall have force and effect only in any waters or places specified in such Order in Council:

And whereas by Order in Council dated the twenty-eighth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and four, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 88, of the third day of November, in the same year, certain regulations were made under the said Act providing for trout-fishing in the Auckland Acclimatisation District (hereinafter called "the said district"):

And whereas by Order in Council dated the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 18, of the eighth day of March, in the same year, certain regulations amending the regulations then existing for trout-fishing in the said district were made under the provisions of the said Act:

And whereas it is expedient to revoke the said regulations of the twenty-eighth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and four, and the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and six, in so far as the same relate to the said district as hereinafter described, and to make other regulations in lieu thereof:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers of the said Act, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby revoke the said regulations of the twenty-eighth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and four, and the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and six, and doth make the following regulations for the said district, which said district includes the Counties of Rodney, Waitemata, Eden, Manukau, Coromandel, Thames, Ohinemuri, Raglan, Waikato, Waipa, Kawhia, Awakino, Waitomo, and in that part of each of the Counties of Piako and West Taupo lying north of a right line extending south-westerly from the summit of Puwhenua Mountain, at the easternmost corner of Piako County, to the summit of Rangitoto Mountain:—

REGULATIONS.

1. Licenses to fish for *Salmonidæ* or trout in all waters within the said district shall be issued under the hand of the secretary of the Auckland Acclimatisation Society (hereinafter termed "the said society"), or any one duly authorised by such secretary in that behalf. Such licenses shall be whole-season, half-season, or day licenses.

2. Every such whole-season license shall entitle the holder thereof to fish as aforesaid in all the waters of the said district for a period extending from the 1st day of November in any one year to the 30th day of April in the year following, both days included, subject, however, to the special limitations and restrictions hereinafter provided.

3. Every half-season license shall entitle the holder thereof to fish as aforesaid in the waters of the said district for a period extending from the 20th day of December in any one year to the 30th day of April in the following year.

4. Every day-license shall entitle the holder thereof to fish as aforesaid in the waters of the said district during

and throughout any one day of twenty-four hours therein specified within the period aforesaid.

5. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred upon holders of such aforesaid licenses shall be exercised subject to the provisions of the said Act, and to the regulations made or hereafter to be made thereunder during the currency of such licenses, and to regulations made or hereafter to be made as aforesaid in force in or affecting any particular acclimatisation district, or having special reference to any particular water, stream, river, or lake: Provided always that the secretary of the said society, or any person authorised by him as aforesaid, shall not be compelled to issue a license to any person who within two years previously to the date of his application therefor has been convicted, or shall have been convicted, of any breach of the provisions of the said Act or the regulations thereunder, or of any act relating to *Salmonidæ* or trout fishing, or any regulations thereunder.

6. Licenses shall be issued by the said society at the following rates: For men—whole-season licenses, 20s.; half-season licenses, 12s. 6d.; day licenses, 2s. 6d. For women—whole-season licenses, 5s.; half-season licenses, 3s. 6d.; day licenses, 1s. 6d. For boys attending school or under the age of sixteen years—whole-season licenses, 5s.; half-season licenses, 3s. 6d.; day licenses, 1s. 6d. Such licenses shall be in the form or to the effect set forth in the Schedule hereto.

7. The holder of any such license as aforesaid may fish as aforesaid with one rod and line only, and may use a landing-net or gaff to secure any *Salmonidæ* or trout caught with such rod and line.

8. No person shall use any bait or lure other than the natural or artificial fly, or natural or artificial minnow, and any small indigenous fish, insect, grasshopper, beetle, spider, caterpillar, or creeper. The use of shellfish, koura, or other crustacean, or of worms, shall be a breach of this regulation.

9. No license shall be transferable, or be deemed to authorise any person other than the person named therein to fish.

10. The period from the 1st day of May in one year to the 31st day of October in the year following, both days inclusive, is hereby appointed a close season, during which it shall be unlawful for any person to fish for or to take *Salmonidæ* or trout, or to in any way injure or disturb the same. No person shall have in his possession, whether frozen, chilled, or otherwise, any *Salmonidæ* or trout between the 5th day of May in one year and the 1st day of November in the year following: Provided that this regulation shall not apply to any fish taken by officers of the Government or by officers of the said society for purposes of acclimatisation.

11. No person shall cast or throw into any stream or waters in the said district in which *Salmonidæ* or trout exist or have been liberated, nor shall allow to flow into or place in or near the bank or margin of any such stream or waters, any sawdust or sawmill refuse, lime, sheep-dip, flax-mill refuse, or any other matter or liquid that is noxious, poisonous, or injurious to fish: Provided that nothing herein contained shall extend to or prohibit the depositing in any such stream or waters of *débris* from any mining claim.

12. No person shall fish for *Salmonidæ* or trout without a license; and every person fishing in any such waters shall, on demand of any Ranger, constable, officer of the said society, or person producing a license to fish issued in New Zealand, give his true name and place of residence, either permanent or for the time being, and on the like demand produce and show to such Ranger, constable, officer of the said society, or person producing a license as aforesaid, his license to fish, and the contents of his creel, bag, or other receptacle for carrying fish, and also the bait or lure used or intended to be used by him for taking, catching, or killing such *Salmonidæ* or trout.

13. Every trout not exceeding ten inches in length from tip of nose to tip of tail taken or caught by any person shall immediately be returned alive, with as little damage or hurt as possible, into the water from which the same has been taken.

14. No hand-line, night-line, or cross-line fishing, stroke-hauling, trimmer, or any other unsportsmanlike device, shall be used for the purpose of taking or attempting to take, catch, kill, or capture *Salmonidæ* or trout; nor shall any of the hereinbefore-mentioned permitted baits or lures be prepared or used with any medicated or chemical preparation whatever.

15. Except as provided in Regulation 7, no person shall fish with or use any net or engine, instrument, or device of any kind whatever for taking or attempting to take fish in any lake, river, or stream within the said district, or at the mouth or entrance of any such lake, river, or stream.

16. For the purposes of these regulations a lake and the mouth of a river or stream shall respectively be deemed to include every outlet of such lake, river, or stream respec-

tively, and the sea-shore between the outlets of any such river or stream, and shall extend over a radius of one quarter of a mile from the point or line where the waters of such river, lake, or stream meet those of the sea or of any harbour at low water.

17. No person shall buy, sell, or expose or offer for sale, or shall fish for the purpose of obtaining for sale, any *Salmonidæ* or trout, or any portion thereof.

18. Any person convicted of any offence against these regulations shall have his license to fish (if any) confiscated, and such license (if any) shall thereupon become null and void.

19. The penalty for every breach of any of these regulations shall be not less than 40s., and not more than £50.

SCHEDULE.

LICENSE TO FISH.

"The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and its Amendments.

The holder of this license [Name in full], of [Address], [Calling or occupation], having this day paid the sum of _____, is hereby authorised to fish for *Salmonidæ* or trout within the Auckland Acclimatisation District, from the day of _____, 19____, to the day of _____, 19____, subject to the said Acts and to the regulations made thereunder for the time being in force in the said district.

Dated at _____, this _____ day, 19____.

Secretary, Auckland Acclimatisation Society.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Licensing Mr. W. J. Bray to use and occupy Part of the Foreshore of Mangonui Harbour as a Site for a Flax-mill.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of July, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, William John Bray, of Mangonui (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore of Mangonui Harbour, in order to erect and maintain a flax-mill thereon; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fifty-sixth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," has deposited plans in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 3073), in duplicate (two sheets), showing the place in the said harbour where it is intended to construct such flax-mill, and the area of foreshore intended to be occupied for such purpose: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plans have, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council: And whereas it is expedient that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensee on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee to use and occupy that part of the foreshore which is particularly shown and delineated on the plans so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of constructing or erecting thereon a flax-mill, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the following terms and conditions, that is to say:—

1. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister of Marine, as defined by "The Shipping and Seamen Act, 1903," and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore in the hereinbefore-mentioned harbour, shown on the said plans marked M.D. 3073 (sheet 1).

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council, the licensee shall, on being supplied with a copy thereof, pay to the Minister the sum of two pounds ten shillings, and thereafter an annual sum of one pound in advance, such annual payments to date from the date hereof, the first of such annual payments to be made on the licensee being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall continue in force for fourteen years, computed from the date of this Order in Council, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensee shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

5. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor, and the licensee may be required to remove the flax-mill at his own cost, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensee three months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the licensee in New Zealand.

6. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned flax-mill in good order and repair.

7. Any person authorised by the Minister may, at all reasonable times, enter upon the said flax-mill and view the state of repair thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensee a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such flax-mill, requiring him, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, he shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

8. In case the licensee shall—

(1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinafter set forth, or any of them;

(2.) Cease to use or occupy the said flax-mill for a period of thirty days;

(3.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause three of these conditions; or

(4.) Become bankrupt, or be in any manner brought under the operation of any law in force for the time being relating to bankruptcy,

then and in any of the said cases this Order in Council, and every right, power, or privilege, may be revoked and determined by the Governor in Council without any notice to the licensee or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensee, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the rights and privileges thereby conferred, have been revoked and determined; and upon such revocation the Minister may cause the said flax-mill to be removed, and may recover the cost incurred by any such removal from the licensee.

9. The construction of the flax-mill shall be deemed to be an acceptance by the licensee of the conditions of this Order in Council.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Places of landing and shipping Explosives, Kaipara Harbour.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of July, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS there is no Harbour Board for Kaipara Harbour, and it is expedient to regulate the landing and shipping of gunpowder and other explosives in that harbour:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections twelve, two hundred and twelve, and two hundred and fifteen of "The Harbours Act, 1878," and section sixteen of "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883," doth hereby make the following regulations for Kaipara Harbour:—

REGULATIONS.

1. Every vessel proceeding up the Wairoa River and having gunpowder or other explosives on board or shipping

gunpowder or other explosives, shall anchor as near as possible in the centre of the stream, not higher up the river than abreast of the county wharf at Te Kopuru, until such gunpowder or other explosives have been discharged. In any of the other rivers in the harbour such a vessel shall anchor in such place as may be directed by the Harbourmaster, and remain there until the gunpowder or other explosives have been landed or shipped.

2. The gunpowder or other explosives shall be landed at or shipped from such places and in such manner as directed by the Harbourmaster.

3. Any person committing a breach of these regulations, or either of them, is liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Appointment of Otau Domain Board revoked.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of July, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council made on the twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and three, and published in the *Gazette* of the twelfth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and three, certain powers were delegated to the Wairoa Road Board as the Otau Domain Board in respect of the Otau Domain therein described :

And whereas it appears expedient to revoke the said Order in Council :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by "The Domain Boards Act, 1904," and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby revoke the aforesaid Order in Council of the twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and three.

ALEX. WILLIS,
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 twenty-second 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 Matamata Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with in manner directed by the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

MATAMATA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 9 acres 3 roods 4 perches, more or less, being Block XII, Matamata Township. Bounded towards the north-east by Miro Street, 1150 links; towards the south-east by Hohaia Street, 850 links; towards the south-west by Huia Street, 1150 links; and towards the north-west by Meura Street, 850 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 19293/333, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
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 twenty-second 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 Rawene Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with in manner directed by the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

RAWENE DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres and 29 perches, more or less, being Allotments Nos. 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, and 166 of the Town of Rawene. Bounded towards the north by McDonnell Street, 625.7 links; towards the east by Clendon Esplanade, 211.2, 160.9, and 140.6 links; towards the south by Nimmo Street, 673.6 links; and towards the west by Parnell Street, 505 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 56691/4, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Scenic Reserve in Auckland Land District brought under "The Tourist and Health Resorts Control Act, 1906."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of July, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Tourist and Health Resorts Control Act, 1906," 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 scenic reserve 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 Tourist and Health Resorts Control Act, 1906"; and such reserve shall hereafter be known as Ruakuri Caves Scenic Reserve, and be managed, administered, and dealt with in manner directed by the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 90 acres 2 roods, more or less, being part of Section No. 6, Block X, Orakiri Survey District. Bounded towards the north and towards the north-west by the right bank of the Waitomo River; towards the north-east by the Hauturu East No. 1A Block; towards the south-east and towards the south generally by the Waitomo Valley Road; and towards the south-west by Section No. 2, Block X, Orakiri Survey District: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 51624/36A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Reserve brought under "The Tourist and Health Resorts Control Act, 1906."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of July, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Tourist and Health Resorts Control Act, 1906," 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, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby order and declare that the reserve vested in the Crown for public purposes by virtue of "The Queenstown Reserves Act, 1905," and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be and the same is hereby brought under the first-mentioned Act, and also that the control of the said reserve is hereby vested in the Minister of the Crown for the time being having the administration of the said first-mentioned Act, and also that the said reserve shall be administered under that Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, situate in the Town of Queenstown, being Block No. 52 on the map of the said town, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 2 roods, more or less. Bounded towards the north-west by Horne Creek, 1220 links; towards the north-east by Camp Street, 310 links; towards the east by Frankton Road, 315 links; towards the south-east by Park Street, 780 links; and towards the south-west by Park Reserve, 239 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vesting a Reserve in the Parnell Borough Council.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of July, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been permanently reserved for a site for a public library and reading-room:

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Parnell Borough Council:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Parnell Borough, in trust, for a site for a public library and reading-room.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 16·8 perches, more or less, being part of Lot No. 71 of Section No. 1, Suburbs of Auckland; as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 42421/2, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vesting a Reserve in the Kawhia County Council.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of July, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been permanently reserved for road-metal purposes:

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Kawhia 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 Kawhia County, in trust, for road-metal purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block VI, Pirongia Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east, south-east, and south-west by lines 516, 700, and 420 links respectively; and towards the north-west by a public road, 304, 251, and 177 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 56470/5, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and edged red thereon.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vesting a Reserve in the Picton Borough Council.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of July, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been permanently reserved for reservoir purposes:

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Picton Borough Council:

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Marlborough Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Sections Nos. 903, 904, 921, and 922, Town of Picton. Bounded towards the north by Sections Nos. 905 and 920, 500 links; towards the east by Dorset Street, 200 links; towards the south by Canterbury Street, 500 links; and towards the west by Cornwall Street, 200 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 56970/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Conferring Jurisdiction to ascertain and determine the Beneficial Native Owners of the Pakowhai Block.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of July, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section fourteen of "The Maori Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1906," it is provided that the Governor may, by Order in Council, confer upon the Court, or upon any person or persons named in such order, all powers and jurisdiction necessary or expedient to enable the Court or such person or persons to carry out and give effect to any agreement or arrangement made by and among the plaintiffs in the action or suit No. 818 in the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Wellington District, holden at Napier, for ascertaining and

determining the names of the owners of, or persons entitled to, and the relative share or interest of each of them in, that parcel of land situate in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, known as Pakowhai, or such part of the said parcel of land as is now vested in the Venerable Samuel Williams, of Te Aute, on behalf of such plaintiffs and other aboriginal Natives of New Zealand:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and under the authority of the above-recited section fourteen, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby confer upon Jackson Palmer, Esquire, Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, and James Nelson Williams, Esquire, of Frimley, Hastings, all powers and jurisdiction necessary or expedient to enable them to ascertain and determine the several matters referred to in the above-recited section fourteen, and to make an order accordingly.

And it is hereby ordered and declared that this Order shall annul and cancel an Order in Council made the seventeenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and six, whereby the Native Land Court was empowered to exercise the powers and jurisdiction aforesaid.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Appointing New Plymouth to be a Port for the Importation of Playing-cards.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers in me for this purpose vested by "The Customs Laws Consolidation Act, 1882," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby approve of the Port of New Plymouth as a port for the importation of playing-cards.

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

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Customs.

Governor's Order No. 181.]

Notice of a Public Reserve being available for Mining at a Depth of 50 ft. from the Surface.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section 27 of "The Mining Act, 1905," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *Gazette*, the public reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall be available for mining at a depth below fifty feet from the surface.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, being Reserve No. 10 (in red), situated in Block II, Waitahu Survey District, and Block XIV, Reefton Survey District, and containing by admeasurement 605 acres, more or less. Commencing at Trig. Station L, in Block II, Waitahu Survey District, and bounded towards the south-west and north-west generally by the summit of the western watershed of Auld's Creek, through Trig. Station Q, in Block XIV, Reefton Survey District, to the Inangahua River; thence across that river and the road along the right bank thereof to a point on the latter, being about 19 chains distant from the southernmost corner of Section No. 214A of Square 131; again towards the south-west by that road; towards the west by a road-line, by the last-mentioned section, by a line across the Water-race Reserve, and again by the last-mentioned section; towards the north-east by Section No. 210, Block XIV, Reefton Survey District, and by the watershed of the Inangahua River to a point distant about 19 chains from the southernmost corner of that section; thence towards the south-east generally by the summit of the spur leading down to the Inangahua River in the direction of the easternmost corner of Section No. 4, Block XIV, Reefton Survey District, by a right line across that river to the north-west corner of that section, by that section, by a road along the left bank of the said river, by Fitzmaurice's residence-area, and by Section No. 195 of Square 131 to its westernmost corner; and again towards the north-east and east generally by the summit of the eastern watershed of Auld's Creek to Trig. Station L, the point of commence-

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ment: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 56453, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged in red.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Minister of Mines.

Trustee for the Blackball 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

BENJAMIN RHODES

to be a Trustee, in the place of John Leitch, deceased, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Blackball 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 seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands

Trustee for the Taita 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

The Reverend JOSHUA JONES

to be a Trustee, in the place of Henry Jackson, deceased, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Taita 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 seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Appointment of Assistant Secretary and Inspector, Post and Telegraph Department.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 5th July, 1907:

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM RUSSELL MORRIS, Esq.,

to be Assistant Secretary and Inspector of the Post and Telegraph Department. The appointment is to date from the 1st day of July, 1907.

J. G. WARD,
Postmaster-General.

Appointment in the Department of Roads.

Department of Roads,
Wellington, 22nd July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to transfer from the Department of Lands and Survey to the Department of Roads

WILLIAM WILSON, District Surveyor, Westland.

to the position of District Road Engineer, Westland, as from 1st August, 1907.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

Cadet appointed.—Notice No. 1130.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 22nd July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT HERBERT BROWNLIE

to be a cadet in the Civil Service of the Government of New Zealand (Department of Agriculture), in terms of "The Civil Service Reform Act, 1886"; the appointment to date from 1st July, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister for Agriculture.

Inspector of Stock, &c., appointed.—Notice No. 1131.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 22nd July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM ROSS

to be an Inspector of Stock in the Civil Service of New Zealand in terms of "The Civil Service Reform Act, 1886," an Inspector under "The Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1882," an Inspector of Stock and Agent to sue for rates in terms of "The Stock Act, 1893," an Inspector under "The Noxious Weeds Act, 1900," and an Inspector under "The Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1900"; the appointments to date from 22nd July, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister for Agriculture.

Public Vaccinator appointed.

Department of Public Health,
Wellington, 18th July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN OGILVIE VEITCH, Esq., M.B., Mast. Surg., 1895;
M.D., 1906, Edin.,

to be a Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1900," for the Districts of Norsewood and Ormondville.

GEO. FOWLDS,
Minister of Public Health.

Vaccination Inspector appointed.

Department of Public Health,
Wellington, 18th July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES ARTHUR CRUICKSHANK

to be a Vaccination Inspector, under "The Public Health Act, 1900," for the District of Ross, *vice* Charles Walter Tonkinson. The appointment dates from the 22nd day of June, 1907.

GEO. FOWLDS,
Minister of Public Health.

Volunteer Officer promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 17th July, 1907.

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

Franklin Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Alexander George McKenzie to be Captain.
Date of commission, 5th June, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer resigned, and posted to Active List, New Zealand Volunteers.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 17th July, 1907.

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

Captain JOHN ARCHISON, Green Island Rifle Volunteers,

and to approve that his name be placed on the Active List (Unattached), New Zealand Volunteers, with rank of Captain, and with effect from 31st May, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer resigned, and posted to Active List, New Zealand Volunteers.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 17th July, 1907.

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

Captain ALEXANDER BURNET CHARTERS, Masterton Rifle Volunteers,

and to approve that his name be placed on the Active List (Unattached), New Zealand Volunteers, with rank of Captain, and with effect from 10th May, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officers resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 17th July, 1907.

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

Alexandra Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Alexander Rice. Date of resignation, 15th June, 1907.

Piako Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant John McKee. Date of resignation, 22nd June, 1907.

Tuapeka Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Richard John Cotton. Date of resignation, 12th June, 1907.

Lieutenant Robert George Henry. Date of resignation, 12th June, 1907.

Millerton Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant George Walker. Date of resignation, 1st April, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

New Zealand Militia.—Commission of Honorary Officer antedated.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 19th July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve that the date of the commission granted the Reverend Daniel Cross Bates (late Chaplain, 9th New Zealand Contingent), as Honorary Chaplain, New Zealand Militia—viz., 1st March, 1907—as published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 30, of 28th March, 1907, be revoked, and antedated as from 12th March, 1902.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

New Zealand Militia.—Commission of Honorary Officer antedated.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 19th July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve that the date of the commission granted the Reverend Daniel Dutton (late Chaplain, 9th New Zealand Contingent), as Honorary Chaplain, New Zealand Militia—viz., 1st March, 1907—as published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 30, of 28th March, 1907, be revoked, and antedated as from 1st March, 1902.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Services of Defence Rifle Club accepted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 16th July, 1907.

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

Glenavy Defence Rifle Club,

with headquarters at Glenavy. Acceptance to date from 13th July, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 23rd July, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

KAIKOURA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order making Special Rate.—Loan of £5,000, Kaikoura Wharf.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Kaikoura County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £5,000, authorised to be raised by the Kaikoura County Council, under the above mentioned Act, for the purpose of erecting a new wharf at Kaikoura, the said Kaikoura County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property within the County of Kaikoura; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of April and on the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid off, the interest on such loan being at the rate of 5 per centum per annum.

I, James Boyd, Chairman of the Kaikoura County Council, do hereby certify that the above special order was duly made and passed at a special meeting of the Kaikoura County Council held on the 18th day of May, 1907, and was duly confirmed at a special meeting of the said Kaikoura County Council held on the 15th day of June, 1907.

In testimony whereof the common seal of the Kaikoura County Council has been hereunto affixed.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1907.

JAMES BOYD,
County Chairman.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Kaikoura was hereunto affixed on the 17th day of July, 1907, in the presence of—

J. C. McLAUCHLAN,
County Clerk.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 18th July, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

BOROUGH OF MARTON.

Result of Poll of Proposed Loan.—"The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."—Proposed Special Loan of £2,500.

I, SIDNEY SKERMAN, Mayor of the Borough of Marton, in the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance of the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and of all other powers thereunto enabling me, do hereby give notice that on the 10th day of July, 1907, a poll of the said borough was duly taken, under the provisions of the said Act, on a proposal of the Council of the said borough to borrow the sum of £2,500 by way of special loan, a copy of the notice in respect of which is next hereinafter set out, and that on the taking of the said poll 90 electors voted for the said proposal and

12 voted against it, and accordingly the said proposal and the resolution in favour thereof have been duly carried.
Dated at Marton, this 11th day of July, 1907.

S. SKERMAN,
Mayor of Marton.

Declaration of Mayor.

I, Sidney Skerman, of the Town of Marton, Mayor of the Borough of Marton, do solemnly and sincerely declare as follows:—

(1.) That all proceedings required by law to be taken in or towards obtaining the sanction of the electors to the proposal described in the copy-notice above set forth have been duly taken.

(2.) That a resolution in favour of the said proposal has been duly carried at a poll of the electors of the Borough of Marton duly taken on the 10th day of July, 1907, pursuant to "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

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

S. SKERMAN,
Mayor of Marton.

Declared at Marton, this 11th day of July, 1907, before me—J. H. Miles, a solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 23rd July, 1907.

THE following notices, received from the Mayor of the City of Christchurch, are published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," in substitution for those already gazetted on pages 2087-88 of the *New Zealand Gazette*, 1907.

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

In the matter of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," and of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and the Acts amending the same respectively.

We hereby give notice that on the 26th day of June, 1907, a proposal was submitted by the Christchurch City Council to the ratepayers of Central Ward of the City of Christchurch for raising a special loan of £66,400 for the purpose of constructing waterworks for the supply of pure water for the use and benefit of the inhabitants of the said ward; and that the number of votes recorded respectively for and against the proposal was as follows: For, 548; against, 379.

And we declare the said proposal to be carried.
Dated at Christchurch, this 27th day of June, 1907.

GEORGE PAYLING,
Mayor.
GEORGE W. HULME,
Substitute Returning Officer.

We hereby give notice that on the 26th day of June, 1907, a proposal was submitted by the Christchurch City Council to the ratepayers of Linwood Ward of the City of Christchurch for raising a special loan of £19,200 for the purpose of constructing waterworks for the supply of pure water for the use and benefit of the inhabitants of the said ward; and that the number of votes recorded respectively for and against the proposal was as follows: For, 264; against, 208.

And we declare the said proposal to be carried.
Dated at Christchurch, this 27th day of June, 1907.

GEORGE PAYLING,
Mayor.
GEORGE W. HULME,
Substitute Returning Officer.

We hereby give notice that on the 26th day of June, 1907, a proposal was submitted by the Christchurch City Council to the ratepayers of St. Albans Ward of the City of Christchurch for raising a special loan of £29,300 for the purpose of constructing waterworks for the supply of pure water for the use and benefit of the inhabitants of the said ward; and that the number of votes recorded respectively for and against the proposal was as follows: For, 301; against, 265.

And we declare the said proposal to be carried.
Dated at Christchurch, this 27th day of June, 1907.

GEORGE PAYLING,
Mayor.
GEORGE W. HULME,
Substitute Returning Officer.

Notice of the Taking and Laying-off of Road through Ohineiti Block, Block V, Mangawhero Survey District.

NOTICE is hereby given, by direction of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, under the authority of section 92 of "The Public Works Act, 1894," that the road described in the Schedule hereto was, on the 29th September, 1904, duly taken and laid off through the land specified in the said Schedule, under the authority of the Governor of the said colony, by Warrant dated the 13th November, 1903.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 0 0	Ohineiti Block ..	V	Mangawhero	R. 8900	Brown

In the Land District of Wellington; 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.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1907.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

Notice of the Taking and Laying-off of Road through Rangaunu Block, Blocks I and V, Kawakawa Survey District, Bay of Islands County.

NOTICE is hereby given, by direction of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, under the authority of section 93 of "The Public Works Act, 1905," that the road described in the Schedule hereto was, in January, 1906, duly taken and laid off through the land specified in the said Schedule, under the authority of the Governor of the said colony, by Warrants dated the 13th July, 1905, and the 29th January, 1906.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Blocks and Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 0 27	1, Rangaunu Block	I & V, Kawakawa	R. 8869	Red.
1 1 23	2, "	"	"	"
1 1 9	3, "	"	"	"
1 1 25	4, "	"	"	"
1 0 6	5, "	"	"	"
5 1 24	6, "	"	"	"
2 0 23	13, "	"	"	"
1 1 30	14, "	"	"	"
0 2 8	15, "	"	"	"
6 1 15	16, "	"	"	"
0 3 36	17, "	"	"	"

In the Land District of Auckland; as the said road is delineated on a 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.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1907.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

Notice of the Taking and Laying-off of a Road through Toanui No. 2b, Block XV, Ngamatea Survey District, Waimarino County.

NOTICE is hereby given, by direction of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, under the authority of section 92 of "The Public Works Act, 1894," that the road described in the Schedule hereto was, on the 14th September, 1904, duly taken and laid off through the land specified in the said Schedule, under the authority of the Governor of the said colony, by Warrant dated the 25th April, 1904.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 0 0	Toanui No. 2B	XV	Ngamatea	R. 8969	Red.

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

Dated this 17th day of July, 1907.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

Notice of the Taking and Laying-off of Roads through Native Blocks, Blocks VI, X, and XI, Waitoa Survey District.

NOTICE is hereby given, by direction of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, under the authority of section 92 of "The Public Works Act, 1894," that the roads described in the Schedule hereto were, on the 1st and 2nd March, and the 23rd and 26th February, 1906, duly taken and laid off through the lands specified in the said Schedule, under the authority of the Governor of the said colony, by Warrant dated the 13th July, 1905.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 2 0	Te Whanake No. 3, No. 6264, D3	VI	Waitoa	R. 8870	Sienna.
0 2 38	Takapau No. 2, No. 6264C	X	"	R. 8870A	Pink.
1 3 32	Te Rangaeta-hae No. 2, No. 6264, B2	"	"	"	"
1 3 38	Ohinearei, No. 6272	XI	"	R. 8870B	"

All in the Land District of Auckland; as the same areas are delineated upon the plans marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1907.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

Notice of the Taking and Laying-off of Roads through Pukewhaka Blocks, Mangawhero Survey District, Wanganui County.

NOTICE is hereby given, by direction of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, under the authority of section 92 of "The Public Works Act, 1894," that the roads described in the Schedule hereto were, on the 20th June, 1907, duly taken and laid off through the lands specified in the said Schedule, under the authority of the Governor of the said colony, by Warrant dated the 6th August, 1902.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Roads.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 25 2 0	Pukewhaka Block No. 3b	II	Mangawhero	R. 8970	Red.
25 2 0	Pukewhaka Block No. 4	"	"	"	Yellow.

All in the Land District of Wellington; as the said roads are 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.

Dated this 19th day of July, 1907.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block II, Mawheranui Survey District, for a Mining Work.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1905," and "The Coal-mines Act, 1905," to take for the purpose of working the Paparoa Coal-mine the land described in the Schedule hereto. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the Post-office at Blackball, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the taking thereof, 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 required to be taken:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Coloured on Plan	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 0 0 27.4	Section No. 3	Red ..	II	Mawheranui.
0 2 14	Section No. 2	Purple	II	Mawheranui.
5 0 15.2	Section No. 2	Purple	II	Mawheranui.
29 0 12.6	Section No. 1	Red ..	II	Mawheranui.

All in the Land District of Westland; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 22648, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

Tenders.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 23rd July, 1907.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

ERECTOR OF POST-OFFICE AT WAIKANAE.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Smith, Ernest, Waikanae	659	10	0
<i>Declined.</i>				
Pringle, William, Weraoa	714	0	0
Sykes and Harwood, Lower Hutt	750	0	0
Freeman, H., Waikanae	750	0	0
Emeny, W. G., Wellington	828	0	0
Card, H. E., Wellington	877	0	0

Bonus for the Production of Copper.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 25th June, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that a bonus will be paid on the production of good marketable copper from ores mined and smelted in New Zealand, on the following conditions, viz:—

1. That if 1,000 tons be produced on or before 30th June, 1909, the bonus payable will be £1,000.
2. That if a second 1,000 tons be produced between 1st July, 1909, and 30th June, 1910, the bonus payable will be £500.
3. That if a third 1,000 tons be produced between 1st July, 1910, and 30th June, 1911, the bonus payable will be £500.
4. No bonus will be payable until the whole of the production stipulated has been made to the satisfaction of an officer to be appointed by the Minister of Mines, on whose certificate alone the bonus will be paid.

5. In the event of more than one person or company producing the required quantities of copper before the dates named, inquiry will be made by the officer above referred to, when, if it is found that each applicant is equally entitled to a bonus, the amount will be divided in proportion to the quantities produced by each applicant, but in no case shall any bonus be paid until at least 1,000 tons of copper has been produced in the aggregate.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Minister of Mines.

Bonus for the Production of Quicksilver.

Mines Office,
Wellington, 5th July, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that a bonus of fourpence (4d.) per pound will be paid on the production of the first one hundred thousand pounds weight (100,000 lb.) of good marketable retorted quicksilver, free from all impurities, from any mine in New Zealand, on the following conditions, that is to say:—

1. That at least one-third of the quantity is produced on or before the 31st March, 1910, and the remaining two-thirds on or before the 31st March, 1911.
2. No bonus will be payable until the whole of the one hundred thousand pounds (100,000 lb.) of quicksilver has been produced as stipulated to the satisfaction of an officer to be appointed by the Minister of Mines, and on whose certificate alone the bonus will be paid.
3. In the event of more than one person producing the required quantities of quicksilver before the dates named, inquiry will be made by the officer above referred to, when, if it is found that each applicant is equally entitled to a bonus, the amount will be divided in proportion to the quantities produced by each applicant, but in no case shall any bonus be paid until at least one hundred thousand pounds (100,000 lb.) of quicksilver has been produced in the aggregate.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Minister of Mines.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New Zealand, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 24th June, 1907.

	LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	908,540	7	3
Bills in circulation	51,697	2	2
Balances due to other Banks	25,199	18	1
Government deposits	2,419,147	9	3
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	5,423,479	2	7
Bearing interest	4,548,536	1	1
Total average liabilities	£13,376,600	0	5
	ASSETS.	£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metal	1,903,455	2	0
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	108,658	0	2
Notes and bills of other Banks	108,759	8	3
Balances due from other Banks	439	16	7
Landed property	105,729	1	1
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted	857,603	3	0
2. Colonial Government securities	1,034,608	10	9
3. Other funded securities
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	5,722,275	6	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads	985,206	12	8
Total average assets	£10,826,730	0	6

4-per-cent. guaranteed stock, £1,000,000. (Interest, £20,000 for six months, paid 1st May, 1907.)
 Preference shares fully paid up issued to the Crown under "Bank of New Zealand Act, 1907," £500,000.
 Ordinary share capital, £500,000.
 Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders on preference shares, 7½ per cent. per annum.
 Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders on ordinary shares, 10 per cent. per annum.
 Amount of the last dividend declared to the shareholders on preference shares, £37,500.
 Amount of the last dividend declared on ordinary shares, £50,000.
 Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £281,675.
 Dated at Wellington, this 13th day of July, 1907.
 W. CALLENDER, General Manager.
 F. E. CORKILL, Accountant.

GENERAL ABSTRACT showing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Australasia, within the Colony of New Zealand, taken from the several weekly statements, during the Quarter, from the 1st April to 30th June, 1907.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. ..	144,397	12	1
Bills in circulation	.. ..	16,467	8	0
Balances due to other Banks	.. ..	..	..	..
Government deposits	.. ..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. ..	1,425,759	2	10
Bearing interest	.. ..	552,449	9	9
Total average liabilities		£2,139,073	12	8

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals	.. ..	496,129	16	2
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. ..	1,760	6	3
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. ..	27,161	2	3
Balances due from other Banks	.. ..	..	..	..
Landed property	.. ..	53,644	13	4
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. ..	334,256	0	8
2. Colonial Government securities	.. ..	..	..	..
3. Other funded securities	.. ..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. ..	2,530,587	16	2
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. ..	3,264	8	11
Total average assets		£3,446,804	3	9

Amount of the capital stock paid up at this date, £1,600,000.
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 12 per cent. per annum, and bonus 2 per cent. per annum.
Amount of the last dividend declared, £112,000.
Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £1,326,860.

Dated at Wellington, this 5th day of July, 1907.

H. K. BETHUNE, Inspector.
JNO. A. MACLEOD, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the National Bank of New Zealand, Limited, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. ..	281,447	0	0
Bills in circulation	.. ..	15,159	0	0
Balances due to other Banks	.. ..	32,691	0	0
Government deposits	.. ..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. ..	1,870,769	0	0
Bearing interest	.. ..	1,468,161	0	0
Total average liabilities		£3,668,227	0	0

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metal	.. ..	821,311	0	0
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. ..	51,888	0	0
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. ..	55,517	0	0
Balances due from other Banks	.. ..	17,597	0	0
Landed property	.. ..	84,563	0	0
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. ..	334,497	0	0
2. Colonial Government securities	.. ..	50,000	0	0
3. Other funded securities	.. ..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. ..	2,398,832	0	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. ..	6,543	0	0
Total average assets		£3,820,748	0	0

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th June, 1907, £375,000.
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 10 per cent. per annum for half-year.
Amount of the last dividend declared, £12,500.
Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £280,167.

Dated at Wellington, this 4th day of July, 1907.

JAMES COATES,
General Manager.

STATEMENT of the amount of the average Liabilities and Assets of the Union Bank of Australia, Limited, at Branches in the Colony of New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. ..	176,789	0	0
Bills in circulation	.. ..	14,503	0	0
Balances due to other Banks	.. ..	2,455	0	0
Government deposits	.. ..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. ..	1,879,213	0	0
Bearing interest	.. ..	1,433,695	0	0
Total average liabilities		£3,506,655	0	0

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals	.. ..	648,072	0	0
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. ..	7,148	0	0
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. ..	39,242	0	0
Balances due from other Banks	.. ..	..	..	..
Landed property	.. ..	64,605	0	0
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. ..	215,602	0	0
2. Colonial Government securities	.. ..	..	..	..
3. Other funded securities	.. ..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. ..	2,771,160	0	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. ..	106,014	0	0
Total average assets		£3,846,843	0	0

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th June, 1907, £1,500,000.
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 10 per cent. per annum, and bonus 2 per cent.
Amount of the last dividend declared, with bonus, £105,000.
Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £1,256,406.

Dated at Wellington, this 17th day of July, 1907.

J. B. PERCY, Inspector.
A. W. McNICOL, Chief Clerk.

STATEMENT of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New South Wales, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. ..	183,153	17	8
Bills in circulation	.. ..	8,172	0	3
Balances due to other Banks	.. ..	11,943	12	3
Government deposits	.. ..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. ..	1,614,719	3	9
Bearing interest	.. ..	1,626,183	16	11
Total average liabilities		£3,444,172	10	10

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metal	.. ..	706,635	6	9
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. ..	15,755	2	9
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. ..	4,249	1	6
Balances due from other Banks	.. ..	33,129	11	5
Landed property	.. ..	105,184	17	7
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. ..	245,203	10	8
2. Colonial Government securities	.. ..	167,905	19	0
3. Other funded securities	.. ..	59,014	2	11
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. ..	2,610,497	1	8
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. ..	126,786	9	7
Total average assets		£4,074,361	3	10

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th June, 1907, £2,000,000.
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 10 per cent.
Amount of last dividend declared, £100,000.
Amount of the reserved profits after declaring such dividend, £1,500,000.

Dated at Wellington this 11th day of July, 1907.

E. J. FINCH, Inspector.
R. G. GUY, Inspector's Accountant.

STATEMENT of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the undermentioned BANKS in the COLONY of NEW ZEALAND for the QUARTER ended 30th JUNE, 1907.

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LIABILITIES.

BANKS.	Notes in Circulation.		Bills in Circulation.		Balances due to other Banks.		Deposits.			Total Liabilities.				
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	Government.	Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	£	s. d.			
Bank of New Zealand	908,540	7 3	51,697	2 2	25,199	18 1	2,419,147	9 3	5,423,479	2 7	4,548,536	1 1	13,376,600	0 5
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	176,789	0 0	14,503	0 0	2,455	0 0	..	..	1,879,213	0 0	1,433,695	0 0	3,506,655	0 0
Bank of New South Wales.. .. .	183,153	17 8	8,172	0 3	11,943	12 3	..	..	1,614,719	3 9	1,626,183	16 11	3,444,172	10 10
Bank of Australasia	144,397	12 1	16,467	8 0	..	..	..	..	1,425,759	2 10	552,449	9 9	2,139,073	12 8
National Bank of New Zealand, Limited	281,447	0 0	15,159	0 0	32,691	0 0	..	..	1,870,769	0 0	1,468,161	0 0	3,668,227	0 0
Totals	1,694,327	17 0	105,998	10 5	72,289	10 4	2,419,147	9 3	12,213,939	9 2	9,629,025	7 9	26,134,728	3 11

ASSETS.

BANKS.	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals.		Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars.		Notes and Bills of other Banks.		Balances due from other Banks.		Landed Property.		Notes and Bills discounted.		Colonial Government Securities.		Other Funded Securities.		Debts due to Bank, exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad.		Securities not included under other Heads.		Total Assets.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Bank of New Zealand	1,903,455	2 0	108,653	0 2	108,759	8 3	439	16 7	105,729	1 1	857,603	3 0	1,034,608	10 9	..	..	5,722,275	6 0	985,206	12 8	10,826,730	0 6
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	643,072	0 0	7,148	0 0	39,242	0 0	..	..	64,605	0 0	215,602	0 0	..	..	..	..	2,771,160	0 0	106,014	0 0	3,846,843	0 0
Bank of New South Wales	706,635	6 9	15,755	2 9	4,249	1 6	33,129	11 5	105,184	17 7	245,203	10 8	167,905	19 0	59,014	2 11	2,610,497	1 8	126,786	9 7	4,074,361	3 10
Bank of Australasia	496,129	16 2	1,760	6 3	27,161	2 3	..	..	53,644	13 4	334,256	0 8	..	..	..	..	2,530,587	16 2	3,264	8 11	3,446,804	3 9
National Bank of New Zealand, Limited	821,311	0 0	51,888	0 0	55,517	0 0	17,597	0 0	84,563	0 0	334,497	0 0	50,000	0 0	..	..	2,398,832	0 0	6,543	0 0	3,820,748	0 0
Totals	4,570,603	4 11	185,204	9 2	234,928	12 0	51,166	8 0	413,726	12 0	1,987,161	14 4	4,252,514	9 9	59,014	2 11	16,033,352	3 10	1,227,814	11 2	26,015,486	8 1

CAPITAL AND PROFITS.

BANKS.	Capital paid up.	Rate per Annum of Last Dividend.	Amount of Last Dividend declared.		Amount of Reserved Profits at Time of declaring such Dividend.	
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Bank of New Zealand—	£					
4-per-cent. stock guaranteed by the Government of N.Z. . .	1,000,000					
Preferred shares subscribed for by the Government of N.Z.	500,000	Seven and a half per cent. per annum	37,500	0 0	281,675	0 0
Capital payable by shareholders	500,000	Ten per cent. per annum	50,000	0 0		
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	1,500,000	Ten per cent. per annum, and bonus 2 per cent.	105,000	0 0	1,256,406	0 0
			(inclusive of bonus)			
Bank of New South Wales	2,000,000	Ten per cent.	100,000	0 0	1,500,000	0 0
Bank of Australasia	1,600,000	Twelve per cent., and bonus 2 per cent. per annum	112,000	0 0	1,326,860	0 0
National Bank of New Zealand, Limited	375,000	Ten per cent. for half year	12,500	0 0	280,167	0 0

The Treasury, Wellington, 22nd July, 1907.

ROBERT J. COLLINS, Secretary to the Treasury.

THE NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

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Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 22nd June, 1907, and for the corresponding period, 1906.

KAWAKAWA SECTION.

	1907.			1906.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	46	20	66	57	30	87
2nd Class	241	754	995	218	270	488
Total	287	774	1,061	275	300	575

	No.	No.
Season Tickets	3	3
PARCELS, ETC.,—		
Parcels	10	32
Horses	2	5
Carriages	..	1
Dogs	2	4
Total	14	42

	No.	No.
GOODS,—		
Drays	..	..
Cattle	6	..
Calves	..	..
Sheep	..	35
Pigs	..	..
Total	6	35

	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	48	..
Wool	..	..
Firewood	12	..
Timber	83	50
Grain	79	110
Merchandise	136	128
Minerals	98	32
Total	456	320

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
REVENUE,—						
Passengers	42	18	0	31	5	3
Parcels, Luggage & Mails	6	6	0	7	14	1
Goods	108	9	11	90	16	1
Miscellaneous	2	5	9	0	17	6
Rents and Commission	2	14	0	1	14	0
Total	£162	13	8	£132	6	11

WHANGAREI SECTION.

	1907.			1906.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	914	492	1,406	819	534	1,353
2nd Class	2,049	2,690	4,739	2,086	2,674	4,760
Total	2,963	3,182	6,145	2,905	3,208	6,113

	No.	No.
Season Tickets	..	12
PARCELS, ETC.,—		
Parcels	..	180
Horses
Carriages
Dogs	..	8
Total	..	188

	No.	No.
GOODS,—		
Drays	..	2
Cattle	..	16
Calves
Sheep	..	543
Pigs	..	14
Total	..	559

	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	108	96
Wool	..	..
Firewood	90	42
Timber	2,529	503
Grain	158	113
Merchandise	187	202
Minerals	9,020	7,322
Total	12,092	8,278

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
REVENUE,—						
Passengers	291	3	1	283	15	8
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	21	12	8	24	15	9
Goods	1,858	4	8	1,205	11	0
Miscellaneous	31	0	0	8	5	10
Rents and Commission	15	17	3	11	18	7
Total	£2,217	17	8	£1,534	6	10

KAIHU SECTION.

	1907.			1906.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	37	90	127	45	82	127
2nd Class	989	742	1,731	1,041	692	1,733
Total	1,026	832	1,858	1,086	774	1,860

	No.	No.
Season Tickets	..	0
PARCELS, ETC.,—		
Parcels	..	130
Horses	..	1
Carriages
Dogs	..	14
Total	..	145

	No.	No.
GOODS,—		
Drays	..	3
Cattle
Calves
Sheep	..	99
Pigs
Total	..	102

	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.
Wool
Firewood	..	54
Timber	..	517
Grain	..	57
Merchandise	..	155
Minerals	..	20
Total	..	803

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
REVENUE,—						
Passengers	84	5	4	86	5	4
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	15	0	2	14	13	5
Goods	179	16	6	154	14	0
Miscellaneous	1	14	5	0	19	11
Rents and Commission	1	4	7	1	6	0
Total	£282	1	0	£257	18	8

AUCKLAND SECTION.

	1907.			1906.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	4,367	5,010	9,377	4,091	4,448	8,539
2nd Class	35,002	60,564	95,566	31,691	58,642	90,333
Total	39,369	65,574	104,943	35,782	63,090	98,872

	No.	No.
Season Tickets	..	2,783
PARCELS, ETC.,—		
Parcels	..	8,915
Horses	..	98
Carriages	..	8
Dogs	..	423
Total	..	9,444

	No.	No.
GOODS,—		
Drays	..	36
Cattle	..	3,155
Calves	..	848
Sheep	..	12,732
Pigs	..	127
Total	..	16,898

	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	2,342
Wool	..	23
Firewood	..	936
Timber	..	5,544
Grain	..	5,530
Merchandise	..	5,933
Minerals	..	23,618
Total	..	43,976

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
REVENUE,—						
Passengers	9,824	12	7	9,024	19	7
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	1,526	11	8	1,435	19	5
Goods	18,856	11	8	16,540	16	11
Miscellaneous	295	10	4	271	1	7
Rents and Commission	264	5	2	247	11	1
Total	£30,767	11	5	£27,520	8	7

WESTPORT SECTION.

	1907.			1906.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	98	128	166	34	94	128
2nd Class	1,682	5,182	6,814	1,575	4,856	5,981
Total	1,720	5,260	6,980	1,609	4,450	6,059
Season Tickets			19			18
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			349			404
Horses			1			1
Carriages						
Dogs			18			14
Total			368			419
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays			1			
Cattle			7			1
Calves						
Sheep			196			65
Pigs						
Total			204			66
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.			90			108
Wool						
Firewood			420			564
Timber			158			276
Grain			233			207
Merchandise			303			290
Minerals			55,268			49,977
Total			56,462			51,422
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			409 18 6			338 5 11
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			46 17 9			37 15 9
Goods			7,173 1 9			6,626 6 11
Miscellaneous			390 14 9			365 10 4
Rents and Commission			37 18 0			8 5 0
Total			£8,058 10 9			£7,371 8 11

NELSON SECTION.

	1907.			1906.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	159	492	591	181	284	415
2nd Class	2,576	4,388	6,964	2,359	3,842	6,201
Total	2,785	4,820	7,555	2,490	4,126	6,616
Season Tickets			95			73
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			448			407
Horses			3			2
Carriages			4			5
Dogs			59			26
Total			514			440
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays			2			
Cattle			2			1
Calves						
Sheep						298
Pigs						
Total			4			294
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.			188			174
Wool			2			8
Firewood			854			390
Timber			202			272
Grain			621			765
Merchandise			195			239
Minerals			973			838
Total			2,485			2,681
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			526 14 5			411 12 2
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			57 6 9			55 17 4
Goods			785 17 1			739 10 8
Miscellaneous			92 18 5			68 10 2
Rents and Commission			37 19 10			29 12 4
Total			£1,500 16 6			£1,305 2 8

PICTON SECTION.

	1907.			1906.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	552	1,840	1,892	467	1,222	1,689
2nd Class	1,900	3,944	5,844	2,251	4,308	6,559
Total	2,452	5,284	7,736	2,718	5,530	8,248
Season Tickets			26			89
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			280			82
Horses			14			20
Carriages						
Dogs			59			53
Total			303			155
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays			8			6
Cattle			11			7
Calves						
Sheep			6,816			3,220
Pigs						15
Total			6,830			3,248
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.			1,278			2,100
Wool			50			37
Firewood			270			432
Timber			300			251
Grain			2,267			1,518
Merchandise			989			1,267
Minerals			613			989
Total			5,767			6,594
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			490 14 6			551 10 5
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			50 5 2			46 12 5
Goods			1,381 6 8			1,338 16 5
Miscellaneous			99 19 3			88 2 2
Rents and Commission			17 6 10			29 5 0
Total			£2,039 12 5			£2,104 6 5

LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.

	1907.			1906.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	94	170	264	81	68	149
2nd Class	164	164	328	181	186	367
Total	258	334	592	262	254	516
Season Tickets			2			2
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			366			370
Horses			13			6
Carriages			3			
Dogs			24			12
Total			406			388
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays						1
Cattle			8			1
Calves						
Sheep			549			62
Pigs						
Total			557			63
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.			102			
Wool			1			1
Firewood						
Timber			37			38
Grain			303			523
Merchandise			122			95
Minerals			137			154
Total			702			812
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			135 17 9			78 13 10
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			49 4 11			42 17 10
Goods			246 7 8			267 4 10
Miscellaneous			0 2 5			0 14 8
Rents and Commission			15 0 0			14 2 0
Total			£446 12 9			£403 17 9

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1907-8.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 22nd June, 1907.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Kawakawa ..	8	£ 162 13 8	£ 474 2 8	£ 246 4 8	£ 748 15 9	157.93	£ 256 16 5	£ 405 11 10
Whangarei ..	23	2,217 17 8	7,058 19 9	868 7 10	2,847 9 3	40.34	1,329 19 1	536 9 7
Kaihu ..	17	282 1 0	1,024 12 9	371 11 0	983 12 0	95.99	261 8 8	250 14 5
Auckland ..	395	30,767 11 5	96,795 17 10	18,810 10 1	58,118 3 1	60.04	1,066 7 10	640 5 8
Gisborne-Karaka ..	20	442 13 9	1,384 19 9	503 5 6	1,726 3 2	124.63	324 8 3	404 6 6
Wellington-Napier-New Plymouth ..	490	53,267 1 0	167,201 3 8	36,795 7 4	115,886 14 5	69.31	1,492 7 11	1,034 6 11
Total ..	953	87,139 18 6	273,989 16 5	57,595 6 5	180,310 17 8	65.82		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ..	1,288	90,102 12 4	290,986 2 3	69,770 6 5	202,676 4 7	69.65	978 19 10	651 17 8
Westland ..	125	9,008 0 10	25,477 11 0	5,519 8 4	17,218 1 6	67.58	886 15 5	599 5 10
Westport ..	31	8,058 10 9	23,207 2 4	3,183 7 11	9,628 3 8	41.49	3,244 0 11	1,345 17 6
Nelson ..	43	1,500 16 6	4,675 18 11	1,179 14 7	3,337 3 5	71.37	471 4 5	336 6 1
Picton ..	34	2,039 12 5	6,294 7 2	1,455 18 1	4,225 0 10	67.43	802 4 5	538 9 8
Lake Wakatipu Steamers ..	..	446 12 9	1,429 19 11	325 18 10	1,120 4 10	78.34		
Total ..	1,521	111,156 5 7	352,071 1 7	81,434 14 2	238,204 18 10	67.66		
Grand total ..	2,474	198,296 4 1	626,010 18 0	139,030 0 7	418,515 16 6	66.85		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

NORTH ISLAND—								
Kawakawa ..	8	£ 132 6 11	£ 433 4 11	£ 155 13 7	£ 519 2 1	119.82	£ 234 13 6	£ 281 3 3
Whangarei ..	23	1,534 6 10	5,654 19 5	784 10 4	2,375 5 9	42.00	1,065 8 7	447 10 4
Kaihu ..	17	257 18 8	1,199 9 8	300 1 7	1,023 6 4	85.31	305 15 0	260 16 11
Auckland ..	393	27,520 8 7	85,871 19 2	16,732 8 8	51,166 12 0	59.58	946 17 0	564 3 7
Gisborne-Karaka ..	18	500 1 0	1,468 2 4	405 17 11	1,077 1 1	73.36	353 8 8	259 5 10
Wellington-Napier-New Plymouth ..	484	48,812 5 7	160,021 14 7	33,336 1 0	107,899 5 1	67.43	1,432 14 0	966 0 10
Total ..	943	78,757 7 7	254,649 10 1	51,714 13 1	164,060 12 4	64.43		
MIDDLE ISLAND,—								
Hurunui-Bluff ..	1,249	91,503 16 2	290,784 16 2	62,893 16 9	193,655 4 7	66.60	1,008 17 3	671 17 6
Westland ..	117	7,626 0 2	22,568 7 8	5,112 4 3	14,360 5 11	63.63	835 17 4	531 17 3
Westport ..	31	7,371 3 11	21,631 17 1	3,053 4 9	8,671 11 10	40.09	3,023 16 2	1,212 3 3
Nelson ..	33	1,305 2 8	4,528 5 9	1,157 4 1	3,343 15 7	73.84	594 12 5	439 1 8
Picton ..	34	2,104 6 5	6,848 16 9	1,502 10 1	4,097 11 8	59.83	872 17 10	522 4 10
Lake Wakatipu Steamers ..	..	403 17 9	1,217 9 6	378 14 11	1,284 15 3	105.53		
Total ..	1,464	110,314 7 1	347,579 12 11	74,097 14 10	225,413 4 10	64.85		
Grand total ..	2,407	189,071 14 8	602,229 3 0	125,812 7 11	389,473 17 2	64.67		

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Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department, 22nd July, 1907.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of TRAFFIC ON ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1907, to 22nd June, 1907.

All Sections.	Passengers.						Season Tickets.	Number.					Number.					
	First Class.		Second Class.		Total.	Total.		Parcels.	Horses.	Carriages.	Dogs.	Total.	Drays, &c.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Hogs.	Total.
	S.	R.	S.	R.														
1907	99,458	246,700	525,888	1,240,624	2,112,665	41,964	212,520	3,916	670	12,427	229,533	611	30,701	5,521	1,407,315	36,985	1,481,188	
1906	89,921	241,602	511,163	1,245,776	2,088,462	37,294	210,575	3,753	580	11,655	226,513	537	25,785	4,250	1,396,073	34,213	1,460,858	
Inc.	9,537	5,098	14,720	..	24,203	4,670	1,945	163	140	772	3,020	74	4,916	1,271	11,242	2,772	20,275	
Dec.	..	..	..	5,152	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

All Sections.	Tons.															
	Chaff, Lime, &c.		Wool.		Firewood.		Timber.		Grain.		Merchandise.		Minerals.		Total.	
	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.
1907	48,860	0 0	12,919	8 0	25,974	0 0	140,151	19 0	179,399	0 0	181,393	12 0	554,486	4 0	1,148,184	3 0
1906	45,162	0 0	14,255	0 0	27,948	0 0	127,181	8 0	222,127	15 0	177,722	12 0	511,621	15 0	1,126,018	10 0
Increase	3,698	0 0	..	..	..	..	12,970	11 0	..	..	3,671	0 0	42,864	9 0	17,165	13 0
Decrease	..	..	1,335	12 0	1,974	0 0	..	..	42,728	15 0	..	..	..	..	..	..

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION, ALL LINES, to 31st March, 1907, as furnished by Public Works Department and by Greymouth and Westport Harbour Boards respectively.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.			Cost of Unopened Lines.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Kawakawa	92,765	0	0	52,903	0	0
Whangarei	177,996	0	0	31,969	0	0
Kaihu	69,644	0	0	..	..	..
Auckland	3,445,889	0	0	518,774	0	0
Gisborne-Karaka	129,059	0	0	29,301	0	0
Wellington-Napier-New Plymouth	5,372,827	0	0	607,350	0	0
Wellington-Foxton (private line)	..	..	..	42,116	0	0
Surveys, North Island .. .. .	..	..	..	25,257	0	0
Miscellaneous .. .. .	..	..	..	5,169	0	0
Hurunui-Bluff	11,680,170	0	0	299,278	0	0
Westland	1,863,377	0	0	159,973	0	0
Westport	483,457	0	0	15,854	0	0
Nelson	332,020	0	0	26,909	0	0
Picton	357,196	0	0	21,806	0	0
Lake Wakatipu steamer service	16,436	0	0	..	..	..
Stock, Permanent-way .. .. .	..	..	..	85,513	0	0
Stock, A.O.L. Stores	8,436	0	0	..	..	..
Surveys, Middle Island .. .. .	..	..	..	6,956	0	0
Miscellaneous	5,168	0	0
Stock in suspense	25,000	0	0
Total	28,504,272	0	0	1,934,296	0	0

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Railway Department, 23rd July, 1907.

RETURN of REVENUE collected at the GENERAL POST OFFICE and in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of NEW ZEALAND for the Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.

	POSTAL REVENUE.							TELEGRAPH REVENUE.				Total Post and Telegraph Revenue.
	Private Box and Bag Rents.	Money-order Commission.	Stamps sold, and credited to Stamp Revenue.	Postal Guides.	Postal-note Commission.	Miscellaneous Receipts (Postal).	Total Postal.	Telegrams.	Telephone Exchanges.	Miscellaneous Telegraph.	Total Telegraph.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
General Post Office ..	1 2 8	47 17 0	..	..	..	11 2 4	60 2 0	..	280 4 4	111 16 0	392 0 4	452 2 4
Auckland	38 1 0	1,085 5 6	15,287 15 0½	1 7 6	352 9 0½	11 1 2½	16,775 19 3½	9,155 1 11	9,099 8 4	80 13 6	18,335 3 9	35,111 3 0½
Blenheim	12 16 6	67 19 6	1,333 4 3½	0 4 4	26 15 3	0 6 5	1,441 6 3½	1,034 9 5½	529 18 0	2 3 5	1,566 10 10½	3,007 17 2
Christchurch	40 4 2	486 17 6	12,342 11 3½	0 19 4	183 3 7	6 18 6½	13,060 14 5	5,887 16 2	7,932 0 1	44 4 4	13,914 0 7	26,974 15 0
Dunedin	19 14 11	421 2 0	7,954 4 5	0 18 8	181 15 11½	4 11 8	8,582 7 7½	4,676 16 6½	6,795 19 4	54 3 1	11,526 18 11½	20,109 6 7
Gisborne	24 17 1	88 10 0	951 11 0	0 2 0	25 12 8½	1 5 7	1,091 18 4½	1,394 14 3½	1,210 11 5	10 3 5	2,615 9 1½	3,707 7 6
Greymouth .. ..	..	103 1 6	1,835 18 7½	0 2 4	25 13 3	0 9 10½	1,965 5 7	1,095 18 7	641 9 1	0 1 0	1,737 8 8	3,702 14 3
Hokitika	1 0 0	30 19 0	539 17 6½	0 2 0	11 18 9	0 4 2	584 1 5½	457 12 3	258 7 6	..	715 19 9	1,300 1 2½
Invercargill	14 17 3	191 5 6	5,209 4 7	0 7 6	106 16 4	1 11 5½	5,524 2 7½	2,665 2 9½	1,889 11 0	15 8 5	4,570 2 2½	10,094 4 10
Napier	36 16 4	242 11 6	5,439 18 8½	0 4 10	118 6 7	2 8 11½	5,840 6 11	3,387 15 8	3,609 11 7	5 10 8	7,002 17 11	12,843 4 10
Nelson	2 8 2	113 2 0	956 7 4½	0 0 2	41 11 8½	1 4 2	1,114 13 7	1,195 3 11½	701 3 0	22 14 8	1,919 1 7½	3,033 15 2½
New Plymouth	6 16 7	110 12 6	2,975 12 2½	0 2 0	59 19 9	1 13 10½	3,154 16 11	1,579 3 8½	1,187 14 4	11 2 11	2,778 0 11½	5,932 17 10½
Oamaru	5 1 2	57 14 6	1,781 7 5½	..	34 3 8½	0 7 6½	1,878 14 4½	722 5 8½	547 11 8	0 19 10	1,270 17 2½	3,149 11 7
Thames	14 11 2	176 5 0	2,575 6 1½	0 4 0	70 12 3½	1 7 7	2,838 6 2	1,553 8 8	522 16 4	2 3 0	2,078 8 0	4,916 14 2
Timaru	4 16 1	121 15 6	5,038 16 5	0 2 0	54 11 5	1 6 4	5,221 7 9	1,423 12 5½	1,273 9 9	2 6 10	2,699 9 0½	7,920 16 9½
Wanganui	17 7 1	291 19 0	10,419 1 8	0 4 0	151 16 11½	2 12 1	10,883 0 9½	3,507 8 1	2,230 15 0	8 17 3	5,747 0 4	16,630 1 1½
Wellington	66 2 3	1,058 8 0	26,336 9 8	1 14 2	331 15 1	11 16 9½	27,806 5 11½	11,382 3 7½	11,882 4 0	126 12 1	23,390 19 8½	51,197 5 8
Westport	0 12 11	103 0 0	1,054 19 4	..	27 17 6	0 5 1½	1,186 14 10½	818 10 7	271 16 11	0 6 0	1,090 13 6	2,277 8 4½
Totals 2nd quarter in 1907	307 5 4	4,798 5 6	102,032 5 9	6 14 10	1,804 19 10½	60 13 8½	109,010 5 0	51,937 4 5½	50,914 11 8	499 6 5	103,351 2 6½	212,361 7 6½
Totals 2nd quarter in 1906	254 11 2	4,441 6 0	86,442 19 8½	8 16 4	1,588 13 1½	46 18 5½	92,783 4 9½	47,073 0 2½	43,784 15 9	954 12 1	91,817 8 0½	184,600 12 10

General Post Office,
Wellington, 22nd July, 1907.

D. ROBERTSON,
Secretary.

STATEMENT of TELEGRAPH BUSINESS within the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the COLONY of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	Number of Offices open at End of Quarter.	Ordinary Telegrams, including Paid Government Telegrams.		Urgent Ordinary Telegrams.		Press Telegrams.*		Bureau Communications.		Total.	
		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
			£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Anokland	308	238,595	7,269 2 4½	15,470	898 17 0	14,317	576 12 6½	21,183	410 10 0	289,565	9,155 1 11
Blenheim	46	22,784	669 7 5	1,209	65 11 1	1,000	189 4 11½	6,270	110 6 0	31,263	1,034 9 5½
Christchurch	174	134,803	4,181 18 2	6,833	436 5 5	6,872	725 13 7	23,902	543 19 0	172,410	5,887 16 2
Dunedin	174	115,890	3,549 18 6	4,260	275 3 6	7,965	359 18 9½	19,476	491 15 9	147,591	4,676 16 6½
Gisborne	26	23,583	801 8 1½	1,446	102 0 1	1,216	173 1 10	16,591	318 4 3	42,836	1,394 14 3½
Greymouth	29	24,552	809 6 9	1,030	56 5 6	907	132 14 1	4,898	97 12 3	31,387	1,095 18 7
Hokitika	38	9,281	296 8 8	243	18 8 8	655	78 10 8	3,486	64 4 3	13,665	457 12 3
Invercargill	119	46,532	1,426 17 10	972	65 14 5	2,434	287 10 9½	32,976	884 19 9	82,914	2,665 2 9½
Napier	74	68,988	2,116 2 2½	4,971	232 10 10	3,628	315 0 7½	35,526	724 2 0	113,113	3,387 15 8
Nelson	53	30,589	921 12 10½	1,139	76 10 1	28,948	175 15 9	994	21 5 3	61,670	1,195 3 11½
New Plymouth	49	31,636	1,004 12 5	2,015	124 9 4	1,766	178 7 5½	13,056	271 14 6	48,473	1,579 3 8½
Oamaru	34	14,539	435 9 1½	648	27 7 11	786	162 3 5	4,348	97 5 3	20,321	722 5 8½
Thames	44	38,200	1,181 13 6½	1,978	122 11 0	915	196 1 7½	3,083	53 2 6	44,176	1,553 8 8
Timaru	43	29,657	911 19 5	1,215	75 7 0	834	176 15 9½	12,355	259 10 3	44,061	1,423 12 5½
Wanganui	85	81,817	2,453 1 9	5,858	311 8 2	2,273	300 5 8	21,674	442 12 6	111,622	3,507 8 1
Wellington	169	249,146	8,777 7 5	13,869	827 13 1	30,343	649 19 4½	50,056	1,127 3 9	343,414	11,382 3 7½
Westport	32	19,039	603 11 5½	811	64 2 2	355	85 11 11½	2,518	65 5 0	22,723	818 10 7
Totals second quarter in 1907	1,497	1,179,631	37,409 18 0½	63,967	3,780 5 3	105,214	4,763 8 11	272,392	5,983 12 3	1,621,204	51,937 4 5½
Totals second quarter in 1906	1,339	1,026,098	34,903 9 7½	53,589	3,451 2 9	91,130	4,099 19 1	217,729	4,623 8 9	1,388,546	47,078 0 2½

* The bulk of Press telegrams are forwarded as "Collect" on delivery.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 22nd July, 1907.

D. ROBERTSON,
Secretary.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER, AMOUNT, &c., of MONEY-ORDER and SAVINGS-BANK TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the COLONY of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	Money-order Offices open at End of Quarter.	MONEY-ORDERS.				Savings-Bank Offices open at End of Quarter.	SAVINGS-BANKS.							
		Issued.		Paid.			Accounts.		Number of Deposits.	Number of Withdrawals.	Amount of Deposits.	Amount of Withdrawals.	Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals.	Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits.
		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.		Opened.	Closed.						
			£ s. d.		£ s. d.					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Auckland	142	21,724	89,311 16 8	20,879	89,928 0 4	137	3,265	1,991	24,426	15,663	391,142 8 9	329,534 14 6	61,607 14 3	..
Blenheim	8	1,722	6,358 15 8	765	3,633 16 7	8	272	175	2,155	1,390	38,966 2 1	29,365 11 6	9,600 10 7	..
Christchurch	66	11,096	43,813 8 4	10,165	44,570 15 5	66	2,888	2,509	30,553	19,545	455,324 12 10	403,558 7 0	49,766 5 10	..
Dunedin	56	11,062	41,008 18 8	11,016	46,131 0 0	52	2,035	1,459	22,520	12,621	287,950 6 10	250,231 1 7	37,719 5 3	..
Gisborne	10	2,149	8,574 2 11	758	3,630 9 2	9	531	332	3,377	2,250	52,557 11 5	39,234 19 1	13,322 12 4	..
Greymouth	13	2,534	9,879 15 4	1,070	4,025 7 11	13	402	250	2,880	1,222	39,836 6 6	31,501 2 7	8,335 3 11	..
Hokitika	7	849	3,178 14 11	453	1,782 9 1	7	89	74	560	332	11,133 5 5	7,682 8 11	3,450 16 6	..
Invercargill	30	5,306	17,843 4 0	3,015	11,243 9 2	28	789	448	5,953	2,982	99,811 2 4	80,230 6 9	19,580 15 7	..
Napier	33	6,085	24,532 8 7	4,074	16,149 19 9	28	1,077	705	8,111	4,728	117,463 4 10	91,579 6 0	25,883 18 10	..
Nelson	17	2,857	10,807 17 6	1,809	7,991 5 4	17	396	314	3,235	1,934	56,409 2 2	52,902 2 5	3,506 19 9	..
New Plymouth	12	3,041	11,496 5 7	1,933	8,658 18 1	12	512	318	3,876	1,854	59,233 4 10	41,397 16 5	17,835 8 5	..
Oamaru	10	1,789	11,569 16 0	1,025	8,605 18 10	10	200	199	1,863	1,285	35,696 5 11	32,276 4 6	3,420 1 5	..
Thames	18	4,971	16,867 12 6	1,996	8,577 1 3	18	610	400	4,728	2,229	55,869 15 2	44,232 12 11	11,637 2 3	..
Timaru	15	3,163	14,256 5 8	1,585	7,192 16 3	15	651	433	5,067	2,925	91,349 4 8	71,671 10 7	19,677 14 1	..
Wanganui	39	7,853	32,696 18 1	3,784	17,245 8 11	37	1,289	875	8,953	4,765	126,957 6 10	96,323 17 6	30,633 9 4	..
Wellington	73	21,061	76,175 0 0	18,672	78,296 8 4	74	4,464	3,143	40,976	24,479	475,088 6 10	412,348 15 3	62,739 11 7	..
Westport	17	2,527	9,855 18 0	832	3,892 15 8	17	337	220	2,368	934	29,652 8 0	22,469 13 2	7,182 14 10	..
Totals 2nd quarter in 1907	566	109,789	428,226 18 5	93,831	361,556 0 1	548	19,807	13,845	171,601	101,138	2,422,440 15 5	2,036,540 10 8	385,900 4 9	..
Totals 2nd quarter in 1906	545	106,091	400,741 0 8	79,590	332,615 16 0	528	18,048	12,246	151,206	91,570	2,007,751 0 0	1,755,212 2 6	252,538 17 6	..

General Post Office,
Wellington, 22nd July, 1907.

D. ROBERTSON,
Secretary.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER, AMOUNT, &c., of POSTAL-NOTE TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	No. of Postal-note Offices open at the End of the Quarter.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES SOLD.											Total Amount of Postal Notes sold, including Commission.	Commission on Postal Notes sold.				
		At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/0	At 2/6	At 3/0	At 5/0	At 10/0	At 15/0	At £1.	At £5.	Total.						
Auckland ..	162	4,422	3,192	6,181	6,863	7,766	9,801	8,190	2,759	4,161	20	58,295	£ 16,299	s. 6	d. 6½	£ 352	s. 9	d. 0½
Blenheim ..	17	311	243	523	445	540	674	617	189	403	..	3,945	1,271	4	3	26	15	3
Christchurch ..	75	2,136	1,412	2,578	3,193	3,151	5,068	4,330	1,493	2,700	16	26,077	8,857	4	1	183	3	7
Dunedin ..	68	2,219	1,674	2,996	3,248	3,635	5,146	4,213	1,480	2,306	15	26,932	8,553	2	11½	181	15	11½
Gisborne ..	12	344	235	311	481	514	778	569	178	379	2	3,791	1,230	5	8½	25	12	8½
Greymouth ..	14	252	171	377	386	413	685	678	186	380	2	3,530	1,238	14	9	25	13	3
Hokitika ..	10	126	71	186	188	228	297	290	105	178	..	1,669	575	17	3	11	18	9
Invercargill ..	42	1,089	824	1,449	1,823	1,987	2,953	2,706	919	1,364	4	15,118	5,058	7	10	106	16	4
Napier ..	42	1,358	1,108	2,097	2,242	2,428	3,351	2,693	899	1,499	17	17,687	5,565	12	1	118	6	7
Nelson ..	22	473	246	360	309	345	980	926	293	660	..	6,092	1,985	6	2½	41	11	8½
New Plymouth	23	789	515	1,112	1,060	1,229	1,614	1,378	498	755	5	8,955	2,812	2	3	59	19	9
Oamaru ..	13	527	258	362	710	647	896	860	256	465	1	4,982	1,617	17	8½	34	3	8½
Thames ..	24	953	664	1,305	1,346	1,557	2,038	1,660	499	787	6	10,815	3,231	2	3½	70	12	3½
Timaru ..	15	533	334	914	905	1,006	1,501	1,295	443	783	4	7,718	2,619	13	11	54	11	5
Wanganui ..	51	2,040	1,382	2,308	2,729	3,045	4,101	3,470	1,137	2,218	4	22,434	7,237	3	5½	151	16	11½
Wellington ..	81	3,756	2,231	4,786	6,010	6,478	9,255	7,516	2,484	5,021	68	47,605	16,184	3	7	331	15	1
Westport ..	20	290	202	532	514	565	712	665	222	368	..	4,070	1,304	14	6	27	17	6
Totals 2nd qr. in 1907	691	21,618	14,757	28,377	32,952	36,034	49,850	41,996	14,040	24,427	164	264,715	85,641	19	4½	1,804	19	10½
Totals 2nd qr. in 1906	661	19,448	12,164	25,613	29,110	30,643	44,803	37,841	12,182	20,594	175	232,573	74,996	12	1½	1,588	13	1½

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES PAID.											Total Amount of Postal Notes paid.		
	At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/0	At 2/6	At 3/0	At 5/0	At 10/0	At 15/0	At £1.	At £5.	Total.			
Auckland ..	4,986	3,453	6,904	7,412	7,861	10,492	9,146	3,042	4,707	20	58,023	£ 17,588	s. 16	d. 6
Blenheim ..	127	76	176	162	207	288	301	82	208	1	1,628	577	19	0
Christchurch ..	2,417	1,658	3,200	3,880	3,937	6,028	5,127	1,962	3,256	15	31,430	10,513	15	0
Dunedin ..	2,836	2,170	3,538	4,083	4,485	6,740	5,782	1,865	3,076	18	34,593	10,982	4	6
Gisborne ..	123	78	133	174	166	236	241	78	175	1	1,454	502	8	0
Greymouth ..	158	126	205	239	226	334	409	138	239	..	2,128	745	0	6
Hokitika ..	57	26	82	79	64	205	142	50	107	..	812	299	4	6
Invercargill ..	667	531	892	1,061	1,174	1,758	1,774	610	886	2	9,355	3,151	2	0
Napier ..	928	607	1,267	1,419	1,442	2,142	1,659	614	962	12	11,052	3,459	16	0
Nelson ..	380	178	550	526	527	764	663	244	534	3	4,369	1,436	13	0
New Plymouth	625	358	907	870	1,017	1,427	1,113	407	761	8	7,493	2,429	12	0
Oamaru ..	195	117	232	278	303	455	437	156	281	1	2,455	857	3	6
Thames ..	376	244	429	496	558	851	850	292	341	8	4,445	1,463	9	0
Timaru ..	367	179	438	618	603	765	790	237	431	2	4,530	1,535	15	6
Wanganui ..	878	581	1,209	1,397	1,444	2,164	1,858	651	1,158	6	11,346	3,745	17	0
Wellington ..	6,053	3,932	7,436	9,145	10,804	13,942	10,638	3,304	6,596	75	71,925	22,353	7	6
Westport ..	114	68	151	158	163	252	232	87	179	1	1,455	523	7	0
Totals 2nd qr. in 1907	21,286	14,382	27,753	31,997	34,981	48,943	41,212	13,869	23,947	173	258,543	82,220	10	6
Totals 2nd qr. in 1906	18,999	11,835	25,474	28,222	30,328	43,935	37,349	12,136	20,215	175	223,718	72,324	13	6

STATEMENT showing DISCOUNT-STAMP TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th June, 1907.

Postal District.	Discount-stamps sold.	Discount-stamps redeemed.	Unsold Discount-stamps on Hand on 30th June, 1907.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland	12 5 0	10 3 0	32 15 0
Blenheim	.. ..	0 2 0	10 15 0
Christchurch	3 15 0	1 7 0	5 0 0
Dunedin	.. ..	0 6 0	30 0 0
Gisborne	.. ..	.. ..	11 10 0
Greymouth	.. ..	.. ..	25 0 0
Hokitika	.. ..	.. ..	12 10 0
Invercargill	.. ..	.. ..	23 14 0
Napier	2 15 0	2 3 0	8 0 0
Nelson	.. ..	.. ..	12 0 0
New Plymouth	.. ..	.. ..	12 15 0
Oamaru	.. ..	.. ..	24 15 0
Thames	6 0 0	8 16 0	15 0 0
Timaru	.. ..	.. ..	25 15 0
Wanganui	.. ..	0 1 0	15 5 0
Wellington	684 10 0	650 8 0	111 10 0
Westport	.. ..	.. ..	11 0 0
Totals	709 5 0	673 6 0	387 4 0
Totals, June quarter, 1906	900 0 0	813 5 0	624 15 0

General Post Office,
Wellington, 22nd July, 1907.

D. ROBERTSON,
Secretary.

Tenders for Castor-oil, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department (Head Office),
Wellington, 18th July, 1907.

THE undermentioned successful tender-rate for the supply of castor-oil for New Zealand railways is published for general information.

T. RONAYNE,
General Manager, New Zealand Railways.

Tenderer.	Place of Delivery.	Rate.
Ashby, Bergh, and Co.	Auckland, Wellington, Lyttelton, and Port Chalmers	s. d. 2 10½

Officiating Ministers for 1907.—Notice No. 32.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 23rd 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 Percy Bolton Haggitt, M.A.

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.

Mr. James Rattray.

People's City Mission, Auckland.

Alexander James Black.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,
Registrar-General.

Government Insurance Department.—Agency opened at Seddon.

Government Insurance Department,
Wellington, 18th July, 1907.

AN agency of the above Department (Life and Accident Branches) will be opened at

THE POST-OFFICE, SEDDON,

as from the 24th July, 1907.

J. H. RICHARDSON,
Commissioner.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

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

District Lands Office,
Invercargill, 17th 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 owners of the adjoining land, under section 114 of "The Land Act, 1892," on or after Friday, the 25th day of October, 1907.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 1A, Block XLI, Taringatura Survey District, 12 acres and 34 perches.

JOHN HAY,
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 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.

Land in Westland Land District surrendered.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 16th July, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that, a surrender of the lease of the undermentioned land having been accepted by resolution of the Westland Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.
WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease No.	Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Formerly held by
L.I.P.	448	2336	IV	Totara	James Wood.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Lands in Westland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 16th July, 1907.

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

SCHEDULE.
WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease No.	Section.	Block.	Locality.	Formerly held by
L.I.P.	135	2	II	Runanga Township ..	George Musson.
"	136	5	III	" ..	Phillip Phelan.
"	142	4	IX	" ..	Robert W. Parkinson.
"	146	9	"	" ..	Sarah A. E. Gamble.
"	147	10	"	" ..	Alexander Gamble.
"	148	6	XI	" ..	Edward F. Guinness.
"	156	1	XVI	" ..	James R. Kirkness.
"	157	6	"	" ..	Robert Henry Muir.
"	158	7	"	" ..	Robert Cherrie.
"	185	9	XVIII	" ..	James McKay.
"	192	5	XXIII	" ..	John Cane.
"	193	6	"	" ..	William Webb.
"	194	7	"	" ..	George Worthington.
"	209	12	XXIV	" ..	Robert Moore.
"	217	5	XXIX	" ..	Charles Moore.
"	219	1	XXX	" ..	Denis James Ryall.
"	223	7	"	" ..	Dora Matthews.
"	263	4	"	" ..	"
"	247	6	XXXVI	" ..	Richard Ryan.
"	248	7	"	" ..	John Musson.
"	261	11	XXVII	" ..	Arthur Woodhouse.
"	276	5	V	" ..	William Gilder.
"	277	10	XVIII	" ..	Joseph Smith.
"	285	11	XV	" ..	Denis Ryall.
"	289	3	XVI	" ..	Sarah Venus Hill.
"	425	2	XXIX	" ..	Andrew Yuill Bell.
"	321	2	V	" ..	Evan James Jones.
"	138	1	VI	" ..	Walter Grey Scott.
"	139	6	"	" ..	Daniel Sheedy.
"	149	3	XIV	" ..	Mary Ellen Johnson.
"	258	9	"	" ..	William H. Cunningham.
"	152	4	XV	" ..	Arthur G. Debenham.
"	260	15	"	" ..	Robert Evans.
"	288	4	XVI	" ..	Owen Glendower Jones.
"	162	14	"	" ..	Robert Johnson.
"	165	18	"	" ..	Michael O'Hara.
"	177	19	XVII	" ..	Edmund M. Sheedy.
"	186	12	XVIII	" ..	Walter R. Flintoff.
"	334	10	XIX	" ..	Eliza Jones.
"	188	8	XXI	" ..	Matthew Johnson.
"	189	14	"	" ..	Archibald Black.
"	191	4	XXIII	" ..	Selina Annie Doms.
"	281	13	"	" ..	Alice Maud Howard.
"	198	14	"	" ..	Johannes T. Kofod.
"	286	1	XXVII	" ..	Andrew J. Nuttall.
"	346	14	"	" ..	Jeremiah O'Donnell.
"	363	7	"	" ..	Henry Gainford.
"	215	1	XXIX	" ..	John Hogarth.
"	224	8	XXX	" ..	Monica Gillen.
"	225	9	"	" ..	Matthew Ryan.
"	226	10	"	" ..	"
"	227	14	"	" ..	"
"	234	1	XXXIV	" ..	Annie T. Hansby.
"	241	13	XXXV	" ..	William J. Watters.
"	163	16	XVI	" ..	Thomas Evans.
"	155	16	XV	" ..	John Walker.
"				" ..	Charles Humphries.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Land in Marlborough Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 22nd July, 1907.
NOTICE is hereby given that, the undermentioned land having been forfeited by resolution of the Marlborough Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	District.	Tenure.	Lease No.	Formerly held by
5	V	Town of Ward ..	L.I.P.	5	Jane Walden.

ROBERT McNAB,
 Minister of Lands.

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

District Lands Office, Auckland, 17th July, 1907.
NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be open for sale or selection, at this office, either for cash, for occupation with right of purchase, or for lease in perpetuity, at the option of the selector, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of October, 1907, under the provisions of Part III of "The Land Act, 1892."
 If more than one application is received for the section on the same day, the order of selection shall be decided by ballot.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.
Second-class Land.

County.	District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Price.		Occupation with Right of Purchase: Rent, 5 per Cent.		Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.	
					Per Acre.	Total Price.	Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.	Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.
Waitomo..	Puniu ..	7	XIII	A. R. P. 328 0 0	£ s. d. 1 5 0	£ s. d. 410 0 0	s. d. 1 3	£ s. d. 10 5 0	s. d. 1 0	£ s. d. 8 4 0

Altitude, from 400 ft. to 500 ft. above sea-level. Level to broken country, covered with fern and tea-tree scrub; soil of a light nature, on sandstone formation; well watered by small swamps; general quality of section is fair. Situated seven miles from Kawa Railway-station and five miles from Otorohanga by good road.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
 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, 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,
New Plymouth, 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 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.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
77	IV 5 0 0	3 16 0	9 10 0

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 0

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.

Lands 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.

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.

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD ENTERED for DUTY* for EXPORTATION from NEW ZEALAND from 1st APRIL, 1857, to 30th JUNE, 1907.

PRODUCE OF THE GOLDFIELDS IN		DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.		ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION TO THE 31ST MARCH, 1907.		TOTAL ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION FROM NEW ZEALAND TO THE 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
County or Borough.	District.	Qu'ntity	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Oz.	£	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
County of Thames ..	Auckland	624	2,628				
" Ohinemuri ..		13,659	48,310				
" Coromandel ..		776	3,268				
" Piako ..		18	75				
Borough of Thames ..		9,460	39,826				
" Waihi ..		35,868	146,075				
Great Barrier Island ..		..	..	
		60,405	240,182	4,057,604	15,251,842	4,118,009	15,492,024
	Wellington ..	..	..	188	706	188	706
County of Marlborough	Marlborough ..	604	2,270	89,209	347,652	89,813	349,922
County of Collingwood ..	Nelson	320	1,282				
" Waimea ..		..	..	
" Takaka ..		..	..	
		320	1,282	1,715,704	6,801,968	1,716,024	6,803,250
County of Buller ..	West Coast	295	1,185				
" Inangahua ..		10,528	39,984				
" Grey ..		1,887	7,679				
" Westland ..		1,336	5,451				
Borough of Kumara ..		..	..	
" Hokitika ..		..	..	
" Ross ..	..	..			
		14,046	54,299	5,262,805	20,945,881	5,276,851	21,000,180
	Canterbury ..	..	..	99	387	99	387
County of Taieri ..	Otago	386	1,559				
" Tuapeka ..		4,784	19,369				
" Vincent ..		9,740	39,345				
" Maniototo ..		1,463	5,867				
" Waihemo ..		289	1,154				
" Waitaki ..		615	2,490				
" Lake ..		1,187	4,793				
" Wallace ..		1,205	4,848				
" Waikouaiti ..		..	..	
" Bruce ..		..	..	
" Clutha ..		..	..	
" Fiord ..		..	..	
" Southland ..		13,708	55,489				
Stewart Island ..	..	..			
		33,377	134,914	6,702,772	26,625,700	6,736,149	26,760,614
	Unknown ..	..	..	207	824	207	824
Totals ..		108,752	432,947	17,828,588	69,974,960	17,937,340	70,407,907

* Gold duty abolished in the South Island on 31st March, 1891, by " The Gold Duty Abolition Act, 1890."

COMPARATIVE RETURN for the HALF-YEARS ended 30th JUNE, 1907, and 30th JUNE, 1906.

District.	Half-year ended 30th June, 1907.		Half-year ended 30th June, 1906.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
Auckland ..	125,671	502,175	129,669	527,041
Marlborough ..	714	2,708		
Nelson ..	1,445	5,783	2,288	9,128
West Coast ..	39,179	153,809	50,644	201,506
Otago ..	59,861	241,944	82,520	332,759
Totals ..	226,870	906,419	265,121	1,070,434

W. T. GLASGOW,
Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN showing the CUSTOMS and EXCISE DUTIES collected at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th JUNE, 1907.
CUSTOMS DUTIES.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Picton.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton and Christchurch.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	Parcels Post.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1906.		
																							Quantities.	Revenue.			
Spirits, ¼ gal. ..	16s.	31620	..	77	4320	2296	24	7657	38012	8113	1794	4	2433	1433	2049	1102	29636	2861	..	24294	7052	..	..	205,971 gal.	164777	153383
perfumed, ..	30s.	58	..	..	..	1	..	..	204	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	34	..	..	96	3	..	..	265	397	320
Cigars and Snuff, ¼ lb. ..	7s.	1511	..	..	9	116	..	168	1953	365	..	..	81	49	54	21	806	16	..	1045	16	..	..	17,743 lb.	6210	5151
Cigarettes ..	..	8086	..	..	755	1431	..	1063	9587	1754	120	..	569	230	481	88	4411	186	..	4528	477	..	..	..	33766	26904
Tobacco, manufactured, ¼ lb.	3s. 6d.	23305	..	24	1191	2648	43	3894	20437	4557	364	..	2267	809	1588	380	11858	1042	..	15086	3727	..	..	532,686 lb.	93220	83498
manufactured, ¼ lb., South African Reciprocal Tariff ..	2s. 6d.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	119	..	..	†	..	..	..	1,096	†137	..
unmanufactured, ¼ lb. ..	2s.	47	..	..	..	..	..	..	736	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7,830	783	465
Wine, sparkling, ¼ gal. ..	9s.	351	..	..	41	9	..	49	583	39	..	..	4	91	..	..	238	..	..	109	9	..	..	3,339 gal.	1525	1132
Australian, ..	5s.	591	..	..	180	109	64	274	765	135	62	1	41	20	67	45	679	89	..	516	112	..	..	15,000	3750	2594
¼ gal., South African Reciprocal Tariff ..	2s.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	1	..
other kinds, ¼ gal. ..	6s.	1164	..	4	109	27	..	158	1286	207	15	..	51	6	27	7	1079	37	..	608	75	..	..	16,200	4860	4622
Ale, Beer, &c., ¼ gal. ..	2s.	1303	..	..	391	16	..	393	2536	305	36	..	171	..	33	..	845	88	..	739	216	..	..	70,720	7072	6116
Tea, ¼ lb. ..	2d.	18	..	..	..	..	1	10	34	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	9	..	..	29	1	..	..	12,720 lb.	106	103
Coffee, roasted, ¼ lb. ..	3d.	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	720	9	4
Chicory, Cocoa, and Chocolate, ¼ lb. ..	3d.	605	..	..	6	19	..	22	515	83	..	..	65	6	6	..	306	19	..	369	78	..	..	167,920	2099	1465
Sugar, Molasses, and Treacle, ..	¼ d.	33272	..	..	630	343	62	1030	2652	1860	250	..	1250	372	451	267	1227	475	..	3772	2327	..	..	24139200	50290	47135
Glucose, ¼ lb. ..	1d.	87	..	..	..	..	..	35	203	..	..	..	58	..	..	..	..	..	..	100	5	..	..	177,120	488	560
Opium, ..	40s.	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	34	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	49	40
Goods by Weight—																											
General Tariff ..	..	14215	513	..	540	500	65	809	16211	2243	3	..	1536	50	100	25	7379	610	39	7129	1927	..	..	..	53894	43628
Preferential Tariff..	..	637	..	..	2	20	2	34	642	53	..	..	14	1	11	1	285	43	..	255	105	..	..	..	2105	1672
South African Reciprocal Tariff ..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
Goods ad valorem—																											
General Tariff ..	..	63110	213	13	1751	2012	518	3499	74659	5436	662	24	2701	627	1104	270	41205	2442	897	34455	4679	..	..	..	240327	183693
Preferential Tariff..	..	3678	..	5	33	57	20	146	4482	227	20	..	79	4	37	10	2665	187	26	2646	278	..	..	..	14600	11330
Other Duties—																											
General Tariff ..	..	4070	5	..	99	183	17	448	9796	634	10	1	407	137	178	13	4121	762	116	4286	956	..	..	..	26289	19490
Preferential Tariff..	..	129	..	..	5	8	..	21	151	22	..	..	..	..	3	..	21	3	5	86	11	..	..	..	465	388
Parcels Post ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10453	..	..	10453	9168
General Tariff ..	..	183417	731	118	10022	9710	794	19559	180203	25832	3316	32	11634	3830	6138	2220	103846	8629	1052	97168	21660	10453	..	..	700364	..
Preferential Tariff ..	..	4444	..	5	40	85	22	201	5275	302	20	..	93	5	51	11	2971	233	31	2987	394	..	..	..	17170	..
South African Reciprocal Tariff ..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	120	..	..	†	..	..	..	..	†141	..
Totals ..	..	187864	731	123	10062	9795	816	19760	185503	26134	3336	32	11727	3835	6189	2231	106937	8862	1083	†100148	22054	10453	..	..	717675	..
Corresponding Quarter, 1906 ..	..	145991	..	92	7749	7100	790	18117	156646	21564	2265	62	8370	3113	5904	2637	94227	6552	3972	87995	20597	9168	..	..	..	602911

* 17s. 6d. per 1,000 of 2½ lb. and under, and 6d. per ounce for weight over 2½ lb. per 1,000.

† The apparent discrepancies in these totals are caused by the refunds on South African tobacco at Dunedin exceeding the duty on importations by £7.

RETURN showing the CUSTOMS and EXCISE DUTIES collected at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th JUNE, 1907—*continued*.

EXCISE DUTIES.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Other Ports.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1906.
							Quantities.	Revenue.	
Beer	3d. per gallon	£ 5,867	£ 3,128	£ 3,668	£ 7,427	£ 4,794	1,990,720 gal. ..	£ 24,884	£ 23,532
Tobacco	1s. per lb.	35	151	..	..	..	3,720 lb. ..	186	224
Cigars and Snuff	1s. 6d. "	12	..	..	..	..	160 " ..	12	19
Cigarettes, made by hand	1s. " "	1	71	..	..	..	1,440 " ..	72	3
" manufactured by machinery	2s. 6d. "	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tinctures, &c., containing more than 50 per cent. of proof spirit	9d. "	189	64	..	572	12	22,320 lb. ..	837	532
" less	3d. "	..	1	..	..	..	80 " ..	1	10
Culinary and Flavouring Essences	12s. per gallon	37	32	..	99	..	280 gal. ..	168	60
Perfumed Spirits	20s. "	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Toilet Preparations	12s. "	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
"	6s. "	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals .. .. .	..	6,141	3,447	3,668	8,098	4,806	..	26,160	..
Corresponding Quarter, 1906 .. .. .	..	5,149	2,805	4,118	7,714	4,600	..	..	24,386

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 20th July, 1907.

W. T. GLASGOW, Secretary and Inspector.

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED

ORDINARY REVENUE

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
1,405,531	4 9	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	1,215,517	2 2
		Cash in the Public Account		
		Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
37,749	1 1	In the Colony	16,993	8 3
43,823	18 9	In London	29,993	13 0
718	8 7	On account of Imperial Pensions	563	15 7
966	16 11	On account of other Governments	4,757	10 9
1,488,794	10 1		1,267,825	9 9
700,000	0 0	Less Treasury Bills outstanding	550,000	0 0
788,794	10 1			717,825 9 9
		Ordinary Revenue,—		
561,910	0 1	Customs	683,544	12 1
250,855	16 8	Stamps	319,450	15 2
50,631	12 7	Postal and Telegraph Cash Receipts	57,577	13 6
1,903	13 7	Land-tax	2,638	19 11
5,652	9 0	Income-tax	6,858	17 1
22,091	15 6	Beer Duty	23,611	9 0
579,888	11 1	Railways	597,994	10 1
19,291	8 11	Registration and other Fees	23,897	7 9
8,400	6 4	Marine	9,618	8 1
37,425	11 2	Miscellaneous	23,222	14 3
1,538,051	4 11		1,747,915	6 11
		Territorial Revenue,—		
4,517	10 2	Cash Land Sales	£8,152	8 0
285	1 1	Deferred-payment Land Sales	595	0 4
17,017	14 7	Pastoral Runs, Rents, and Miscellaneous	28,363	5 0
21,820	5 10		37,110	13 4
1,559,871	10 9			1,785,026 0 3
		Receipts in Aid,—		
66,000	0 0	Debentures issued under "The Consolidated Stock Act, 1884," for increases of Sinking Fund		
£2,414,666	0 10	Totals		£2,502,851 10 0

TREASURY BILLS

700,000	0 0	Treasury Bills outstanding at beginning of Quarter	550,000	0 0
£700,000	0 0	Totals	£550,000	0 0

FUND for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively.

ACCOUNT.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
8,541	19 0	Permanent Appropriations,—		
854,886	1 7	Civil List	8,482	3 7
55,129	2 9	Interest and Sinking Fund	860,928	11 8
..	..	Under Special Acts of the Legislature	58,760	16 9
..	..	Subsidies paid to Local Bodies	763	18 7
2,286	19 2	Amounts paid over to Local Bodies and to Deposit Accounts—		
2,075	5 6	Payments under the Land Acts	2,849	14 11
1,348	6 8	Payments under the Timber and Flax Royalties Act	3,340	13 8
4,722	14 11	Endowments—		
10,833	16 6	New Plymouth Harbour Board	1,534	2 6
57,893	16 5	Greymouth Harbour Board	4,389	7 3
		Westport Harbour Board	12,263	6 10
		Old-age Pensions	50,993	18 4
997,268	2 6			1,004,306 4 1
		Annual Appropriations,—		
2,469	19 5	Class I.—Legislative Departments	3,034	1 4
7,756	10 3	II.—Colonial Treasurer's Department	9,848	11 4
78,129	13 4	III.—Post and Telegraph Department	68,997	18 9
25,337	4 11	IV.—Industries and Commerce and Tourist and Health Resorts Departments	11,138	3 6
929	7 11	V.—Old-age Pensions Department	1,115	10 4
165,831	6 10	VI.—Working Railways Department	313,465	17 8
3,754	15 11	VII.—Public Buildings, Domains, and Roads	10,179	7 0
11,216	16 6	VIII.—Printing and Stationery Department	12,498	6 9
6,824	0 11	IX.—Stamp and Deeds Department	9,233	19 7
2,333	12 1	X.—Native Department	4,539	16 0
29,376	3 7	XI.—Justice Department	33,721	15 3
20,681	7 0	XII.—Police Department	28,014	16 5
5,123	8 7	XIII.—Mines Department	7,544	18 1
24,566	8 3	XIV.—Colonial Secretary's Department	15,499	14 10
695	19 0	XV.—Crown Law Department	735	1 3
38,807	12 11	XVI.—Defence Department	52,853	1 1
10,323	5 2	XVII.—Customs Department	11,455	0 7
10,405	17 6	XVIII.—Marine and Harbours and Inspection of Machinery Departments	15,944	16 2
3,010	15 10	XIX.—Department of Labour	5,170	0 3
26,561	5 1	XX.—Department of Lands and Survey	29,249	15 8
18,027	0 3	XXI.—Department of Agriculture	28,417	13 6
6,915	17 8	XXII.—Valuation Department	8,023	3 11
174,310	13 6	XXIII.—Education Department	190,086	14 1
5,712	18 8	XXIV.—Public Health Department	7,069	18 0
22,977	19 11	XXV.—Mental Hospitals and Charitable Department	26,294	13 11
7,952	12 3	Services not provided for	5,606	6 8
711,032	13 3			909,739 1 11
250,000	0 0	Amount transferred to Public Works Fund		193,750 0 0
529,913	7 3	Balance at end of Quarter,—		
571,466	19 1	Cash in the Public Account	308,618	2 6
53,580	13 9	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
1,329	7 7	In the Colony	555,376	7 8
74	17 5	In London	76,569	12 2
		On account of other Governments	4,492	1 8
		On account of Imperial Pensions		
1,156,365	5 1		945,056	4 0
700,000	0 0	Less Treasury Bills outstanding	550,000	0 0
456,365	5 1			395,056 4 0
£2,414,666	0 10	Totals		£2,502,851 10 0

ACCOUNT.

700,000	0 0	Treasury Bills outstanding at end of Quarter	550,000	0 0
£700,000	0 0	Totals	£550,000	0 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED
STATE FORESTS

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.
£ s. d. 20,488 5 6	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 16,879 6 5
489 10 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Colony	73 7 6
20,977 15 6		16,452 13 11
285 0 7	Rents from Lands set apart	1,070 13 2
3,687 4 8	Miscellaneous	3,099 16 3
3,972 5 3		4,170 9 5
£24,950 0 9	Totals	£20,623 3 4

STATE COAL-

101,298 3 3	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	91,213 16 9
3,704 1 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Colony	4,613 7 5
1,876 15 2	In London	
106,878 19 5		95,827 4 2
8,449 6 4	Proceeds of sale of Coal	83,687 5 8
	"The State Coal-mines Act, 1901"— Debentures due 1st April, 1907, renewed under "The New Zealand Loans Act, 1904"	100,000 0 0
£115,328 5 9	Totals	£229,514 9 10

SCENERY PRESERVATION

2,777 18 10	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	3,678 2 0
46 19 11	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Colony	
2,824 18 9		3,678 2 0
10,000 0 0	Proceeds of Debentures created under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" ..	
£12,824 18 9	Totals	£3,678 2 0

ACCOUNTS OF

10,984 13 1	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	15,814 11 0
75 10 3	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Colony	88 5 9
11,010 3 4		15,902 16 9
2,642 13 8	Revenue received for Local Bodies,—	
791 10 5	Fees, Fines, &c.	3,002 10 2
2,866 2 3	Endowments of Land	951 2 10
6,875 10 9	Goldfields Revenue	2,076 9 7
12,175 17 1	Gold Duty	5,702 5 6
		11,782 8 1
13 13 0	Counties Separate Account,— Revenues of Counties in which "The Counties Act, 1886," is not in full operation	
2 14 11	Advance Accounts,— Amount recovered from Local Bodies	32 9 5
1 16 0	"Unauthorised"—on account of previous quarters	0 10 0
4 10 11		32 19 5
£23,204 4 4	Totals	£27,672 13 3

FUND for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively—continued.

ACCOUNT.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.	EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
4,525 2 6	Annual Appropriations,— Vote, State Forests Branch .. .. .	..	7,124 14 6
16,198 0 11	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	11,414 19 8	
4,226 17 4	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Colony	2,088 9 2	18,498 8 10
20,424 18 8			
£24,950 0 9	Totals .. .. .	..	£20,623 3 4

MINES ACCOUNT.

22,811 0 11	Annual Appropriations,— Vote, State Coal-mines Expenses .. .. .	..	30,567 17 4
..	Expenditure under section 110 of "The Coal-mines Act, 1905" .. .. .	..	10,645 17 0
..	"The State Coal-mines Act, 1901"— Debentures matured, 1st April, 1907, paid off	40,000 0 0	
..	Debentures matured 1st April, 1907, renewed as per contra	100,000 0 0	140,000 0 0
73,602 11 4	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	36,661 15 5	
16,037 18 4	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Colony	11,639 0 1	
2,876 15 2	In London .. .. .	..	48,300 15 6
92,517 4 10			
£115,328 5 9	Totals .. .. .	..	£229,514 9 10

ACCOUNT.

1,020 17 6	Annual Appropriations,— Vote, Scenery Preservation .. .. .	..	1,220 2 11
8,625 1 3	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	2,057 19 1	
3,179 0 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Colony	400 0 0	2,457 19 1
11,804 1 3			
£12,824 18 9	Totals .. .. .	..	£3,678 2 0

LOCAL BODIES.

1,983 9 1	Revenue paid over to Local Bodies,— Fees, Fines, &c.	1,925 7 1	
709 10 4	Endowments of Land	1,179 5 5	
2,949 13 2	Goldfields Revenue	3,785 13 3	
5,851 14 6	Gold Duty	4,652 10 1	11,542 15 10
11,494 7 1			
53 2 6	Counties Separate Account,— Amount distributed amongst Local Bodies where "The Counties Act, 1886," is not in full operation .. .. .	..	6 2 9
23 11 6	Advance Accounts,— Payments on behalf of Local Bodies .. .. .	..	5,177 17 8
9,707 5 3	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	8,743 4 2	
1,925 18 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Colony	2,202 12 10	10,945 17 0
11,633 3 3			
£23,204 4 4	Totals .. .. .	..	£27,672 13 3

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED DEPOSIT

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.
£ s. d. 147,058 8 11	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 188,680 0 10
2,272 9 7	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Colony	131 3 2
58,444 16 9	In London	61,129 16 0
207,770 15 3		199,941 0 0
	Lodgments,—	
12,227 18 0	Emigrants' Deposits	4,418 0 0
1 14 5	Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1885	1 4 11
400 0 0	Imperial Government—South Africa Contingents	587 8 0
20 0 0	Land Transfer Act, 1885 .. .. .	.. .. .
41 12 4	Maori Land Administration Suspense Account .. .. .	.. .. .
14,137 4 2	Mining Districts Land Occupation Act	80 3 10
318 0 2	Miscellaneous	30,939 0 0
35,635 8 0	Moiety of Rotorua Bath Fees	308 9 2
1 11 0	Money-order Settlement	35,212 1 3
4 10 0	Native Township of Hokio	3 15 0
.. .. .	Parata	10 15 8
4 2 6	Parawai	3 13 9
3 2 6	Pipiriki	22 8 6
.. .. .	Potaka	4 5 6
4 17 0	Rotoiti	16 3 9
12 13 0	Te Ararua	6 10 0
3 0 0	Te Puia	8 0 0
4 15 0	Te Puru	1 10 0
4 12 0	Tokaanu	3 15 0
21 8 6	Tuatine	10 10 6
2 17 0	Waipiro	17 13 6
392 18 9	Nelson Rifle Prize Fund	2 17 0
.. .. .	New Zealand International Exhibition	94 0 11
527 19 7	New Zealand University Endowment, Canterbury	97 10 0
8,862 6 5	North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Application Act 1886 Amendment Act, 1889	3,655 6 4
1,770 0 0	Public Trust Office Remittance	3,685 15 4
318 18 8	Railways	322 10 0
12 1 3	Te Aroha Domain Board .. .. .	.. .. .
.. .. .	Thermal-springs Districts Act, 1881	9 18 9
452 13 6	Trustee Act, 1883	505 4 6
.. .. .	Westport Harbour Board Act, 1884—Special Coal Rate Account	525 9 10
74,686 3 4		80,554 1 0
£282,456 18 7	Totals	£280,495 1 0

FUND for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively—continued.

ACCOUNT.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
4,628	18 0	Withdrawals,—		
	4 15 5	Emigrants' Deposits	3,955	0 0
	90 17 8	Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Acts, 1885, 1886	279	8 8
	479 1 5	Imperial Government—South Africa Contingents	19	9 1
59,250	13 5	Mining Districts Land Occupation Act, 1894	456	9 4
32,535	8 0	Miscellaneous	43,671	13 10
	23 18 1	Money-order Settlement Account	28,000	0 0
	31 2 6	Native Township of Pipiriki	63	11 2
	1,671 15 4	Potaka	124	7 6
		Tokaanu	31	2 6
		Waipiro	40	12 0
		New Zealand International Exhibition	84	0 0
		Nelson Rifle Prize Fund	63	6 6
		Ngatirahiri Compensation	1	5 9
7,748	12 6	North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Application Act 1886 Amendment Act, 1889	6,225	0 7
5,394	19 0	Public Trust Office Remittance	580	11 0
86	9 9	Railways		
111,946	11 1			83,595 17 11
Balance at end of Quarter,—				
129,288	8 5	Cash in the Public Account	134,419	15 7
9,187	9 7	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
32,034	9 6	In the Colony	936	13 6
		In London	61,542	14 0
170,510	7 6			196,899 3 1
£282,456	18 7	Totals		£280,495 1 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
428,019 6 2	Balance at beginning of Quarter.—	323,071 0 0	
	Cash in the Public Account		
	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
11,647 16 8	In the Colony	15,265 0 9	
44,631 11 3	In London	21,063 18 2	
8,000 0 0	Investment Account		
492,298 14 1			359,399 18 11
	“The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1900.”—		
	Debentures matured 1st May, 1907, renewed under “The New Zealand Loans Act, 1904”		3,000 0 0
	“The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1906.”—		
	Further proceeds of Scrip and Debentures issued (on account £1,000,000 loan)..	51,350 0 0	
	Premium received	1,420 0 0	52,770 0 0
2 13 6	Special Receipts in connection with the Ellesmere and Forsyth Reclamation and Akaroa Railway Trust Account		35 15 0
250,000 0 0	Amount transferred from the Consolidated Fund		193,750 0 0
181,109 6 7	“The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1905.”—		
	Proceeds of Debentures and Scrip issued		
£873,410 14 2	Totals		£608,955 13 11

WORKS FUND for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.	EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
3,267 8 11	Annual Appropriations.—	3,237 6 10	
112,852 5 3	Class XXVI.—Public Works, Departmental	173,925 15 0	3 7 350,312
436 5 7	" XXVII.—Railways	33 0 5	
52,333 12 7	" XXVIII.—Utilisation of Water-power.. .. .	42,523 18 9	
398 6 5	" XXIX.—Public Buildings	2,130 5 8	
6,421 15 1	" XXX.—Lighthouses, Harbour Works, and Harbour Defences	8,292 7 9	
1,320 7 5	" XXXI.—Tourist and Health Resorts	Cr. 388 10 0	
48,726 1 2	" XXXII.—Immigration	73,478 17 11	
807 16 5	" XXXIII.—Roads	3,282 9 11	
470 16 4	" XXXIV.—Development of Goldfields	408 7 3	
5,734 10 4	" XXXV.—Purchase of Native Lands	7,668 9 6	3 3 324,312
796 16 7	" XXXVI.—Telegraph Extension	54 8 3	
2,680 15 2	" XXXVII.—Rates on Native Lands	11,760 16 8	
880 17 3	" XXXVIII.—Contingent Defence	2,941 14 0	
4,109 8 1	" XXXIX.—Lands Improvement	283 18 9	
	Services not provided for		329,693 0 8
241,237 2 7			
..	" The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1900,"— Debentures matured 1st May, 1907, renewed as per contra .. .. .	..	3,000 0 0
..	" The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1906,"— Charges and Expenses as authorised by " The New Zealand Loans Act, 1904 " .. .. .	..	488 6 1
0 2 8	" The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1905,"— Charges and Expenses under authority of " The New Zealand Loans Act, 1904 " .. .. .	..	..
274,007 19 1	Balance at end of Quarter,—	62,157 7 3	
260,224 0 9	Cash in the Public Account	168,993 8 4	
97,941 9 1	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	44,828 11 7	27 337,82
	In the Colony		
	In London		
682,173 8 11			275,884 7 2
£873,410 14 2	Totals .. .. .	..	£608,955 13 11

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC

HUTT RAILWAY AND ROAD IMPROVEMENT

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
38,982	7 0	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	12,074	8 2
9,050	0 0	Cash in the Public Account		
48,032	7 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
		In London		
			12,074	8 2
£48,032	7 0	Totals	£12,074	8 2

THE RAILWAYS IMPROVEMENTS AUTHORISATION

175,488	5 10	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—		
		Cash in the Public Account		
				98,526 10 10
£175,488	5 10	Totals		£98,526 10 10

THE WAIKAKA

		Amount received for purchase of £53,476 3-per-cent. Debentures issued under "The Waikaka Branch Railway Act, 1905"		50,000 0 0
		Totals		£50,000 0 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CHEVIOT

88,122	19 5	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—		
		Cash in the Public Account		
				42,895 10 8
1,522	9 4	Receipts under "The Cheviot Estate Disposition Act, 1893,"—		
		Rents from Lands		
				2,316 8 7
£89,645	8 9	Totals		£45,211 18 10

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the MAORI LAND SETTLE-

185,988	7 4	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—		
		Cash in the Public Account	95,687	7 0
		Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
		In the Colony	886	17 7
185,988	7 4			96,574 4 7
65,975	0 0	"The Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905,"—		
1,000	0 0	Proceeds of Scrip and Debentures issued		
		Premium received		
66,975	0 0			
£202,963	7 4	Totals		£96,574 4 7

WORKS FUND for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively—*continued.*

ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.	EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
9,930 3 1	Vote—Hutt Railway and Road Improvement .. .. .	..	5,242 19 9
29,052 3 11	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	6,831 8 5	
9,050 0 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In London .. .. .	..	6,831 8 5
38,102 3 11			
£48,032 7 0	Totals .. .. .	..	£12,074 8 2

ACT ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively.

5,392 0 1	Vote—Railways Improvements .. .. .	..	28,064 17 8
170,091 5 9	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	65,461 13 2
£175,483 5 10	Totals .. .. .	..	£93,526 10 10

BRANCH RAILWAY ACCOUNT for the Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.

..	Expenditure under the Act .. .. .	..	416 6 2
..	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	49,583 13 10
..	Totals .. .. .	..	£50,000 0 0

ESTATE ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively.

7 13 0	Surveys, Roading, &c. .. .. .	..	3 12 0
39,637 15 9	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	45,208 6 10
£39,645 8 9	Totals .. .. .	..	£45,211 18 10

MENT ACT ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively.

..	Vote—Maori Land Settlement Expenses .. .. .	..	576 3 6
5,068 5 1	Acquirement of Land .. .. .	..	4,930 7 11
767 10 0	Charges and expenses .. .. .	..	..
182,127 12 3	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	30,589 6 3	
15,000 0 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Colony	61,078 6 11	91,667 13 2
197,127 12 3			
£202,963 7 4	Totals .. .. .	..	£96,574 4 7

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1908.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
3,508	7 7	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	249,320	4 4
		Cash in the Public Account		
566	3 7	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
		In the Colony		
400,000	0 0	In London	80,000	0 0
		Investment Account	400,000	0 0
404,074	11 2		729,320	4 4
		“The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900,”—		
195,950	0 0	Proceeds of Scrip and Debentures issued	216,150	0 0
3,349	0 0	Premium received	174	0 0
199,299	0 0		216,324	0 0
		Receipts derived from Estates—		
11,966	4 0	Rents, &c.		9,218 8 0
		Other Receipts—		
8,000	0 0	Interest on Securities held by the Investment Account		7,463 15 9
		Recoveries on account of Estates,—		
131	0 5	Kurow	2	4 2
		Lindsay		
		Plunket	214	16 0
		Wangapeka	15	1 6
131	0 5		232	1 8
		Credits in Reduction,—		
288	19 3	Bickerstaffe Estate	206	2 6
		Fencourt	6	0 0
		Lyndon No. 2	20	0 0
288	19 3		232	2 6
629,759	14 10	Carried forward		962,790 12 3

SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.		EXPENDITURE.		QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.				
£	s. d.			£	s. d.			
495	6 5	Annual Appropriations—		559	13 5			
..	..	Vote, Land for Settlement Expenses		117	17 11			
..	..	Vote, Workers' Dwellings Expenses .. .. .		..	..
495	6 5			..	..	
		Acquirement of Estates, and expenses incidental thereto:—						
		Estate.	Purchase-money.	Incidental Expenses.	Total.			
£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.		
..	..	Airedale (Hunter and Cameron, M. McIntyre, J. R. Gilchrist)	27,398	13 6	120	2 7	27,518	16 1
..	..	Annan .. .. .	..	..	16	16 9	16	16 9
..	..	Argyll .. .. .	..	..	1	13 0	1	13 0
..	..	Beaumont .. .. .	..	..	0	10 6	0	10 6
..	..	Bickerstaffe .. .. .	..	..	3	14 3	3	14 3
20	12 3	Cadman .. .. .	..	..	6	0 0	6	0 0
3,865	15 0	Carroll .. .. .	..	..	2	6 8	2	6 8
0	7 6	Chamberlain .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
50	0 0	Cradock .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
152	0 10	Dyer (A. Martin)	122	5 6	203	3 7	325	9 1
9	5 0	Eccleston .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
124	10 6	Eccleston No. 2 .. .. .	..	..	15	7 6	15	7 6
12	6 0	Edendale .. .. .	..	..	357	4 7	357	4 7
50	0 0	Epuni .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
507	1 11	Flaxbourne .. .. .	..	..	720	10 6	720	10 6
44	8 8	Glenham .. .. .	..	..	18	6 0	18	6 0
6	2 5	Greenfield .. .. .	..	..	29	5 0	29	5 0
11	3 6	Hall-Jones .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
16	12 0	Hawtrey .. .. .	..	..	45	19 10	45	19 10
538	5 5	Heretaunga .. .. .	..	..	5	0 0	5	0 0
26	10 0	Hetana .. .. .	..	..	70	0 0	70	0 0
11	13 1	Hikawera .. .. .	..	..	2	18 0	2	18 0
..	..	Huinga .. .. .	..	..	404	15 5	404	15 5
..	..	Kaputoto .. .. .	..	..	25	0 0	25	0 0
924	9 10	Kinloch .. .. .	..	..	608	17 11	608	17 11
..	..	Kitchener .. .. .	..	..	30	0 0	30	0 0
..	..	Kurow .. .. .	..	..	28	1 6	28	1 6
..	..	Langdale .. .. .	..	..	11	19 0	11	19 0
88	8 1	Lawry .. .. .	..	..	1,127	3 10	1,127	3 10
124	19 0	Lindsay .. .. .	..	..	145	19 11	145	19 11
2	15 1	Longbush .. .. .	..	..	0	4 6	0	4 6
5	15 2	Loughnan .. .. .	..	..	13	4 3	13	4 3
8	0 9	Mahupuku .. .. .	..	..	304	5 3	304	5 3
..	..	Makareao .. .. .	..	..	0	16 0	0	16 0
42	16 7	Mangapouri (Assets Realisation Board)	9,324	14 0	188	2 11	9,512	16 11
..	..	Mangatahi (J. H. Brookes-Smith, and F. G. S. Clerihew)	79,284	0 0	156	2 8	79,440	2 8
914	9 6	Mangawhero (Assets Realisation Board)	17,440	4 3	501	19 11	17,942	4 2
3	6 0	Matamata .. .. .	..	..	20	17 5	20	17 5
295	0 0	Maytown .. .. .	..	..	14	7 5	14	7 5
..	..	Melling .. .. .	..	..	2	10 0	2	10 0
15	0 0	Merrivale (J. C. Ellis)	225	0 0	48	2 3	273	2 3
149	16 2	Methuen .. .. .	..	..	0	5 0	0	5 0
82	12 1	Mills .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
0	19 0	Morice .. .. .	..	..	12	12 0	12	12 0
..	..	Normandale .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	Otanga .. .. .	..	..	57	16 7	57	16 7
10	0 0	Plumer .. .. .	..	..	3	9 0	3	9 0
80	15 9	Plunket (R. Olliver)	39,564	12 0	75	2 2	39,639	14 2
0	5 0	Pourerere .. .. .	..	..	25	8 6	25	8 6
2	4 0	Prescot .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	Rangiata .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	Richmond Brook .. .. .	..	..	38	13 8	38	13 8
17	2 0	Ringway .. .. .	..	..	0	10 6	0	10 6
2,867	14 10	Rosewill .. .. .	..	..	40	0 0	40	0 0
19	10 4	Selwyn .. .. .	..	..	468	3 1	468	3 1
321	6 10	Spotswood .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
0	6 0	Steward .. .. .	..	..	1,956	10 3	1,956	10 3
1	11 3	Tablelands .. .. .	..	..	0	4 6	0	4 6
50	0 0	Tamai .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
61	5 9	Tarawahi .. .. .	..	..	16	2 0	16	2 0
6,500	0 0	Tawaha .. .. .	..	..	84	15 1	84	15 1
..	..	Teasdale .. .. .	..	..	47	18 8	47	18 8
1	14 10	Te Mata (E. Chambers)	1,683	15 0	..	..	1,683	15 0
..	..	Tokarahi .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	Totara .. .. .	..	..	104	9 4	104	9 4
35	19 11	Waari .. .. .	..	..	52	11 8	52	11 8
9	18 11	Waddington .. .. .	..	..	0	7 10	0	7 10
..	..	Waikakahi .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	Waimana (Assets Realisation Board)	18,492	0 0	623	11 10	19,115	11 10
..	..	Walker (E. B. Wilkinson and M. O'Brien)	1,290	0 0	..	..	1,290	0 0
..	..	Wangapeka (Exors. of Jno. Tinline)	15,357	12 0	89	17 4	15,447	9 4
1	1 0	Wigan .. .. .	..	..	84	16 8	84	16 8
145	15 0	Wilford .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
1	4 0	Willows .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
471	4 7	Windle .. .. .	..	..	1,724	14 0	1,724	14 0
18,704	1 4		210,182	16 3	10,759	8 7	220,942	4 10
19,199	7 9	Carried forward .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
							220,942	4 10
							221,619	16 2

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
628,759 14 10	Brought forward .. .. .	..	962,790 12 8
£628,759 14 10	Totals .. .. .	..	£962,790 12 8

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONVERSION

8,377 14 5	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—			
	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	..
485 4 6	In the hands of the Stock Agents—			
	Cash .. .. .	..	266 8 8	
..	In the hands of the High Commissioner—			
	3½-per-cent. Stock for sale .. .. .	..	102,000 0 0	
..	Less Cash overdrawn .. .. .	..	102,266 8 8	
8,862 18 11		..	97,179 13 7	5,086 15 1
160,105 0 0	3½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock,—			
119,700 0 0	Issued in exchange for Debentures .. .. .	..	46,495 0 0	
..	Issued for redemption of Debentures .. .. .	..	33,000 0 0	
279,805 0 0	Issued for expenses of conversion .. .. .	..	5,000 0 0	84,495 0 0
75,555 11 1	3-per-cent. Inscribed Stock,—			
..	Issued for redemption of Debentures .. .. .	..	..	..
..	Premium received on sale of Stock .. .. .	..	..	106 5 0
£964,228 10 0	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£89,688 0 1

SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively—continued.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.		EXPENDITURE.				QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£	s. d.					£	s. d.
19,199	7 9	Brought forward .. .. .				..	..
802	0 10	"The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900,"— Charges and expenses .. .. .				..	67 7 4
..	..	Unauthorised .. .. .				..	381 12 9
195,880	5 10	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account				316,834	5 1
7,878	0 5	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Colony				3,221	10 11
400,000	0 0	In London				716	0 0
..	..	Investment Account				419,950	0 0
603,758	6 3						740,721 16 0
£623,759	14 10	Totals .. .. .				..	£962,790 12 3

ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively.

68,000	0 0	Debtures redeemed,— Consolidated Loan Act, 1867, 5 per cent. (annual drawing)			4,300	0 0	
69,700	0 0	"Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1900" .. .. .			..	..	4,300 0 0
137,700	0 0						
105,800	0 0	Debtures converted into 3½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock,— "The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1900"			30,000	103	900
..	..	"The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1904"			8,200	101	82
..	..	"The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1905"			100	103	3
44,805	0 0	"The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1903"			7,000	103	210
10,000	0 0	"The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900" .. .. .			..	..	..
160,105	0 0	Totals			45,300	..	1,195
							46,495 0 0
		Expenses Account,— Brokerage					100 0 0
7,555	11 1	Discount					12 10 0
2,061	0 0	Stamp Duty					1,062 7 0
..	..	Law Costs					8 8 0
90	6 10	Rent and Office Expenses					93 6 8
9,706	17 11						1,276 11 8
56,377	14 5	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account			34,414	8 9	
833	17 8	Advances in the hands of the Stock Agents— Cash			102	9 0	
..	..	In the hands of the High Commissioner			3,099	15 8	
56,711	12 1						37,616 8 5
£364,223	10 0	Totals .. .. .			..	..	£364,223 10 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the GOVERNMENT

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
		Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account		12,939 0 2
		Receipts, including Instalments, Interest, Sinking Fund, &c.		181,338 6 3
		“The Government Advances to Settlers Act, 1906,”— Proceeds of Debentures created		75,000 0 0
		Total		£219,277 6 5

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the GOVERNMENT

	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account		15,543 8 8
	Valuation Fees		88 0 6
	“The Government Advances to Workers Act, 1906,”— Proceeds of Debentures created		20,000 0 0
	Total		£35,631 9 2

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the NEW ZEALAND

1 1 1	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in Deposit Account	10 1 1	478,235 1 1
476,850 0 0	Investment Account	478,225 0 0	
476,851 1 1	Deposits inscribed		120 0 0
880 0 0	Totals		£478,355 1 1
£477,231 1 1			

ADVANCES TO SETTLERS ACCOUNT for the Quarter ended 30th JUNE, 1907.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1908.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
..	..	Vote—Office Management Expenses ..	..	1,514 19 9
..	..	Payments made on account of Advances on Mortgage ..	..	184,163 3 2
..	..	Balance at end of Quarter,—	..	..
..	..	Cash in the Public Account ..	18,599 3 6	..
..	..	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	..	..
..	..	In the Colony ..	15,000 0 0	..
..	33,599 3 6
..	..	Total ..	..	£219,277 6 5

ADVANCES TO WORKERS ACCOUNT for the Quarter ended 30th JUNE, 1907.

..	..	Office Management Expenses ..	..	83 8 8
..	..	Payments made on account of Advances on Mortgage ..	..	19,527 11 8
..	..	Balance at end of Quarter,—	..	..
..	..	Cash in the Public Account ..	3,433 5 5	..
..	..	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	..	..
..	..	In the Colony ..	12,587 3 5	..
..	..		..	16,020 8 10
..	..	Total ..	..	£35,631 9 2

CONSOLS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively.

6 1 1	Balance at end of Quarter,—	..	130 1 1	
477,225 0 0	Cash in Deposit Account ..	..	478,225 0 0	478,355 1 1
	Investment Account ..	..	..	..
£477,231 1 1	Totals ..	..	..	£478,355 1 1

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LOANS TO LOCAL

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1908.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
779 12 2	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	397 0 8	
4 0 0	Cash in the Public Account		
783 12 2	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
	In the Colony		397 0 8
50,000 0 0	"The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901,"—		
	Debentures created		75,000 0 0
66 16 7	Refunds under section 70 of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901,"—		
90 3 2	Clutha County	71 12 3	
..	Kiwitea County .. .. .	..
96 19 9	Stratford County	73 4 10	
	Wairarapa South County		144 17 1
50,880 11 11	Carr forward .. .. .	..	75,541 17 9

BODIES ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
		Grants under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901,"—		
		Counties—		
2,200	0 0	Bruce	400	0 0
..	..	Cook	4,550	0 0
..	..	Collingwood	400	0 0
1,500	0 0	Egmont	1,000	0 0
1,000	0 0	Featherston	500	0 0
500	0 0	Hawera .. .. .	..	..
830	0 0	Hobson	800	0 0
..	..	Horowhenua	1,500	0 0
..	..	Hutt	300	0 0
..	..	Kiwitea	1,000	0 0
2,900	0 0	Mackenzie .. .. .	..	..
1,000	0 0	Masterton .. .. .	..	..
50	0 0	Opotiki	75	0 0
1,050	0 0	Pahiatua	1,000	0 0
1,000	0 0	Pohangina	1,000	0 0
50	0 0	Raglan .. .. .	..	..
..	..	Rangitikei	300	0 0
..	..	Stratford	1,600	0 0
..	..	Taranaki	500	0 0
..	..	Waipapa	300	0 0
1,100	0 0	Waipawa .. .. .	..	..
500	0 0	Wairarapa South .. .. .	..	..
1,950	0 0	Wairoa	250	0 0
200	0 0	Waitotara .. .. .	..	..
15,280	0 0			15,475 0 0
		Boroughs—		
..	..	Akaroa	200	0 0
..	..	Birkenhead	800	0 0
..	..	Carterton	700	0 0
405	0 0	Dannevirke	1,000	0 0
..	..	Greymouth	1,000	0 0
1,200	0 0	Maori Hill	200	0 0
..	..	Pahiatua .. .. .	..	..
..	..	Waihi	2,000	0 0
..	..	Westport	1,500	0 0
1,605	0 0			7,400 0 0
		Road Boards—		
500	0 0	Barrett .. .. .	..	..
1,000	0 0	Egmont .. .. .	..	..
..	..	Howick Township	100	0 0
1,000	0 0	Manganui	80	0 0
..	..	Mataongaonga	380	0 0
1,500	0 0	Moa .. .. .	..	..
1,400	0 0	Parihaka	800	0 0
..	..	Pukekohe West .. .. .	..	..
400	0 0	Riccarton .. .. .	..	..
1,500	0 0	Tataramaka	1,000	0 0
200	0 0	Upper Wangaehu	175	0 0
..	..	Waimate .. .. .	..	..
7,500	0 0			2,585 0 0
		Town Boards—		
..	..	Featherston	1,800	0 0
..	..	Otautau	200	0 0
				1,500 0 0
		River Board—		
5,000	0 0	Hutt	5,000	0 0
				5,000 0 0
		Drainage Boards—		
..	..	Hunga Hunga	1,000	0 0
..	..	Makerua	1,500	0 0
..	..	Sefton-Ashley	2,000	0 0
400	0 0	Wainono .. .. .	..	..
400	0 0			4,500 0 0
29,735	0 0	Total Grants .. .. .	..	36,410 0 0
29,735	0 0	Carried forward .. .. .	..	36,410 0 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LOANS TO LOCAL

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.	RECEIPTS..	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
<p>£ s. d. 50,880 11 11</p>	<p>Brought forward...</p>	<p>£ s. d.</p>	<p>£ s. d. 75,541 17 9</p>
<p>£50,880 11 11</p>	<p>Totals</p>	<p>.. .. .</p>	<p>£75,541 17 9</p>

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the BANK OF NEW

<p>£500,000 0 0</p>	<p>Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Investment Account— 75,000 preference shares issued by the Bank of New Zealand</p>	<p>£500,000 0 0</p>
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The Treasury, Wellington,
8th July, 1907.

<p>£ 0 0 0</p>	<p>.. .. .</p>	<p>.. .. .</p>
<p>£ 0 0 0</p>	<p>.. .. .</p>	<p>.. .. .</p>
<p>£ 0 0 0</p>	<p>.. .. .</p>	<p>.. .. .</p>
<p>£ 0 0 0</p>	<p>.. .. .</p>	<p>.. .. .</p>
<p>£ 0 0 0</p>	<p>.. .. .</p>	<p>.. .. .</p>
<p>£ 0 0 0</p>	<p>.. .. .</p>	<p>.. .. .</p>

BODIES ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively—*continued.*

QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.	EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1907.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
29,735 0 0	Brought forward		36,410 0 0
3,825 8 1	Annual Appropriations,— Vote—Roads to open up Crown Lands		3,619 17 4
6,551 14 5	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	28,684 6 8	
10,768 9 5	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Colony	6,827 13 9	35,512 0 5
17,320 3 10			
£50,880 11 11	Totals		£75,541 17 9

ZEALAND ACT 1903 ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th JUNE, 1907 and 1906, respectively.

£500,000 0 0	Balance at end of Quarter,— Investment Account	£500,000 0 0
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ROBERT J. COLLINS,
Secretary to the Treasury.

R. B. VINCENT,
Accountant to the Treasury.

Examined and found correct,
J. K. WARBURTON,
Controller and Auditor-General.

SUMMARY of BALANCES on 30th JUNE, 1907.

			BALANCES.					CASH.		ADVANCES		INVESTMENTS.		TOTAL.	
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.				£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
CONSOLIDATED FUND:—					CONSOLIDATED FUND:—										
Ordinary Revenue Account* ..	945,056	4 0			Ordinary Revenue Account ..	308,618	2 6	636,438	1 6	..	..	945,056	4 0		
State Forests Account ..	13,498	8 10			State Forests Account ..	11,414	19 8	2,083	9 2	..	..	13,498	8 10		
State Coal-mines Account ..	48,300	15 6			State Coal-mines Account ..	36,661	15 5	11,639	0 1	..	..	48,300	15 6		
Scenery Preservation Account ..	2,457	19 1			Scenery Preservation Account ..	2,057	19 1	400	0 0	..	..	2,457	19 1		
Accounts of Local Bodies ..	10,945	17 0			Accounts of Local Bodies ..	8,743	4 2	2,202	12 10	..	..	10,945	17 0		
Deposit Accounts ..	196,899	3 1			Deposit Accounts ..	134,419	15 7	62,479	7 6	..	..	196,899	3 1		
			1,217,158	7 6				501,915	16 5	715,242	11 1			1,217,158	7 6
PUBLIC WORKS FUND			275,884	7 2	PUBLIC WORKS FUND			62,157	7 3	213,726	19 11			275,884	7 2
MAORI LAND SETTLEMENT ACT ACCOUNT			91,667	13 2	MAORI LAND SETTLEMENT ACT ACCOUNT			30,589	6 3	61,078	6 11			91,667	13 2
HUTT RAILWAY AND ROAD IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT			6,831	8 5	HUTT RAILWAY AND ROAD IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT			6,831	8 5	..	..			6,831	8 5
THE RAILWAYS IMPROVEMENTS AUTHORITY ACT ACCOUNT			65,461	13 2	THE RAILWAYS IMPROVEMENTS AUTHORITY ACT ACCOUNT			65,461	13 2	..	..			65,461	13 2
WAIKAKA BRANCH RAILWAY ACCOUNT			49,583	13 10	WAIKAKA BRANCH RAILWAY ACCOUNT			49,583	13 10	..	..			49,583	13 10
CHEVIOT ESTATE ACCOUNT			45,208	6 10	CHEVIOT ESTATE ACCOUNT			45,208	6 10	..	..			45,208	6 10
LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT			740,721	16 0	LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT			316,834	5 1	3,937	10 11	419,950	0 0	740,721	16 0
CONVERSION ACCOUNT			37,616	8 5	CONVERSION ACCOUNT			34,414	3 9	3,202	4 8	..	..	37,616	8 5
LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACCOUNT			35,512	0 5	LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACCOUNT			28,684	6 8	6,827	13 9	..	..	35,512	0 5
NEW ZEALAND CONSOLS ACCOUNT			478,355	1 1	NEW ZEALAND CONSOLS ACCOUNT			130	1 1	..	..	478,225	0 0	478,355	1 1
REMITTANCES TO LONDON ACCOUNT			Dr. 946,000	0 0	REMITTANCES TO LONDON ACCOUNT			Cr. 946,000	0 0	..	..	..	..	Cr. 946,000	0 0
GOVERNMENT ADVANCES TO SETTLERS ACCOUNT			33,599	3 6	GOVERNMENT ADVANCES TO SETTLERS ACCOUNT			18,599	3 6	15,000	0 0	..	..	33,599	3 6
GOVERNMENT ADVANCES TO WORKERS ACCOUNT			16,020	8 10	GOVERNMENT ADVANCES TO WORKERS ACCOUNT			3,433	5 5	12,587	3 5	..	..	16,020	8 10
BANK OF NEW ZEALAND ACT, 1903, ACCOUNT			500,000	0 0	BANK OF NEW ZEALAND ACT, 1903, ACCOUNT .. ..			..	..	..	..	500,000	0 0	500,000	0 0
SUSPENSE ACCOUNT			5,051	14 7	SUSPENSE ACCOUNT			5,051	14 7	..	..	..	..	5,051	14 7
Totals			2,652,672	2 11	Totals			222,894	12 3	1,031,602	10 8	1,398,175	0 0	2,652,672	2 11

* Against this Treasury Bills amounting to £530,000 are outstanding.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

Meeting of the Waikato District Maori Land Board.

Auckland, 19th July, 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 Thursday, the 1st day of August, 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 ISSUE OF RECOMMENDATIONS TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
1907/36	James McGee (by his solicitors, Porritt and Mueller)	Ngararahi No. 2	Sale.
1907/37	James R. Hetherington (by his solicitor, W. Coleman)	Lot 33, Parish of Pepepe	Sale.
1907/38	Te Wani Epiha	Te Awaiti 2c No. 2	Sale.
1907/39	J. R. Hetherington and W. S. Meldrum (by their solicitor, W. Coleman)	Lot 27, Parish of Pepepe	Sale.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

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

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

In the matter of an application under section 39 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," by Hurimoana Tamihana, to amend the orders of the Court of the 2nd day of May, 1904, appointing a successor to the interests of Paramena Haereiti, deceased, in the Wainui Sections 11, 13, and 14, Square 12, Totaranui Survey District, and in the New Zealand Company's "Tenth's," Nelson.

WHEREAS the above application has been referred to the Native Land Court for inquiry and report: And whereas it has been reported upon such application that, by error, the names of the undermentioned persons were omitted from the said succession orders:

Now, therefore, for the purpose of rectifying the said error, and in exercise of the power in that behalf vested in me by section 39 aforesaid, I hereby order that the orders of succession above mentioned are hereby amended by adding to each of the said orders, as successors to the said deceased person, the following names: Hurimoana Tamihana, $\frac{1}{4}$ share, and Rangitukua Putangitangi, $\frac{1}{4}$ share.

As witness my hand, this 23rd day of July, 1907.

JACKSON PALMER, Chief Judge.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Te Awamutu.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 16th 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 Te Awamutu on the 22nd day of July, 1907, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Auckland, 1907-27.]

A. G. HOLLAND, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

MATTER REFERRED BY THE CHIEF JUDGE FOR INQUIRY AND REPORT UNDER SECTION 49 OF "THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895."

No.	Name of Land.	Matter for Inquiry and Report.
2	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 45	To ascertain the location of Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 45 Block, or to determine whether the order for the said Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 45 Block should be cancelled, it being alleged that the area for such block is included, by Appellate Court order, within the boundaries of Rangitoto A Block.

Applications for Confirmation Certificates under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 20th 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.

[Gisborne, 1907-25.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

THE ALIENATIONS ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Mortgage	27th June and 6th July, 1907	Whareongaonga C12 4B	Mereana Tauira (or Bartlett) and Thomas Bartlett to the Superintendent, Advances to Settlers.
2	Mortgage	19th July, 1907	Lot 1 (on Plan No. 498 of the Pakowhai Block)	Pene Mataora and Tarita Mataora to William Currie.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Otaki.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 23rd July, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Otaki on the 9th day of August, 1907, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wellington, 1907-39.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
825	Transfer	9th July, 1906 ..	Aorangi, Section 2 ..	Tiripa te Rangiotu to Alfred Pearce.
826	Transfer	1st December, 1906 ..	Haukaretu B ..	Katarina Taiaha to Nicholas and Donald N. Reid.
827	Transfer	1st December, 1906 ..	Haukaretu B ..	Pirihira Nguru to Nicholas and Donald N. Reid.
828	Transfer	12th February, 1907 ..	Belmont, Block XI, Section 8, Subdivision 2, Section 4	Turia Warahi to Charles Rere Parata.
829	Transfer	18th February, 1907 ..	Foxton, Block VIII, part of Lot 11	Aputa Ihakara to James Nash Symons.
830	Transfer	17th June, 1907 ..	Belmont, Block XI, Sections 7 and 8, Subdivision 23, Section 4	Turia Warahi to Herbert John Jillett.
831	Lease	4th February, 1907 ..	Tiriraukawa ..	Raiha Puaha to Ernest and Harold Rowling.
832	Transfer	20th October, 1894 ..	Kurukohatu C ..	Anihaera Hone and another to Haka-raia te Whena.
833	Transfer	20th October, 1894 ..	Kurukohatu D ..	Nepia te Rau to Hakarasia te Whena.
834	Transfer	20th October, 1894 ..	Kurukohatu A ..	Poniwahio Pita and others to Haka-raia te Whena.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
841	Anihaera Rikihana	Haruatai No. 5.
842	Mukakai te Whena	Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 4c, Section 5a No. 1.
843	Kate Death	Maringiwai No. 1.
844	Eruera Nicholson	Kahukura No. 2 (part of Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 7d).
845	James Read Welch	Opaki, Section 34 (Pairau).
846	Koruarua Peniamini	Opaki, Section 34 (Pairau).

APPLICATION FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
804	Tinama Mōhi Nopera and others	Paekakariki No. 1d.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Children.
905	Mahima Hoani and Mohi te Tawharu (by their solicitors, Harper and Harper)	Hakuaui No. 1	Arapata Mita.
906	Hohaia Rangiauri (by his solicitors, Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers)	Whareroa No. 4	Hapakuku Tokotaua.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Minors.
907	Robert J. Staveley	Waitarere No. 6	Iwikatea Kiriminita, Oriwia Pango, Akuhata Pango, and Kapo Pango.
908	Eruera Nicholson	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 7d No. 1	Paora Hirama, Eterarewa Hiramā, Kararaina Hiramā, and Areta Hiramā.
909	Eruera Nicholson	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 7d No. 1	Roka Wirikake, Teoti Kerei te Hoia Hare, and Huiputea Hare.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
910	Marokopa Tahuata	Ngatitamaahuroa and other lands	For amendment of succession orders of Te Karoro, deceased, by striking out the clause giving Makuini an interest during her widowhood, she having married again.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Names of Land proposed to be exchanged.
911	{ Waeroa Hoeta and Marara Hoeta { Waeroa Hoeta	Taonui-Ahuaturanga No. 3B, Lot 9. Taonui-Ahuaturanga No. 3B, Lot 8.

APPLICATION FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
912	George Newman Wood (by his solicitors, Harper and Harper) ..	Wi Katene Paremata.

The application for probate mentioned below will be heard on or after the 25th day of August, 1907:—

Applications for Confirmation Certificates under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 23rd 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	Lease	27th June, 1907 ..	Akura No. 4D ..	Ruibi Peneamine to Jacob Siemonek.
2	Transfer	19th July, 1907 ..	Oruamatua - Kaimanawa No. 1K ..	Waikari Karaitiana to Lydia Ethelreda Birch.
3	Transfer	19th July, 1907 ..	Oruamatua - Kaimanawa No. 1K ..	Waikari Karaitiana to Carl Joseph Baker.
4	Transfer	19th July, 1907 ..	Oruamatua - Kaimanawa No. 2G ..	Waikari Karaitiana to Carl Joseph Baker.

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

Native Land Court Office,
Wellington, 22nd July, 1907.

NOTICE having been lodged with me by Karaitiana te Abu, of Kereru, that she has taken Pirihira Tahu-rangi, a child of Hokiopera Taburangi, to be her adopted child, and a certificate by a Judge of the Native Land Court, as required by Regulation No. 7, having been received, it is hereby notified that the said notice of adoption has been duly filed and registered.

E. A. WELCH,
Registrar.

be holden on Tuesday, the 13th day of August, 1907, or as soon thereafter as my application can be heard, I intend to apply for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1907.

Robert Alexander Law, Storekeeper, Kaueranga.
Phillip John Dudson, Flax-miller, Mangaiti.
John O'Hara, Carpenter, Paeroa.
Arthur St. George Forbes, Storekeeper, Paeroa.
John Frederick Cardon, Contractor, Waihi.
Mary Jane Gilmour, Nurse, Waihi.
Sydney John Robert Frith, Hairdresser, Waihi.
William James Rist, Settler, Totara.
Samuel Howard (deceased), late Hotelkeeper, Thames.

E. GÉRARD,
Official Assignee.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that statements of accounts and balance-sheets in respect of the undermentioned estates, together with the report of the Audit Office thereon, have been duly filed in the above Court; and I hereby further give notice that at the sitting of the said Court, to

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

NOTICE is hereby given that RICHARD WEDDERSPOON, of 17 Hamilton Road, Auckland, Commercial Traveller, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 26th day of July, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock.

E. GÉRARD,
Auckland, 19th July, 1907. Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM MUDDAFORD, of Richmond Street, Glenmore, Auckland, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 25th day of July, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock.

E. GÉRARD,
Official Assignee.
Auckland, 20th July, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM TOZER, of Green Lane, Horse-trainer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 29th day of July, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock.

E. GÉRARD,
Official Assignee.
Auckland, 20th July, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT McARTNEY, of Palmerston North, Plumber, was this day adjudged bankrupt on creditors' petition; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 26th day of July, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Palmerston North, 15th July, 1907.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of S. T. SMITH, of Dannevirke, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first dividend, of 7s. 6d. in the pound, is now payable at my office, Dannevirke, on all proved and accepted claims. Promissory notes must be produced.

NORMAN L. GURR,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Dannevirke, 17th July, 1907.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that JOE CHONG LEE, Fruiterer, of Martinborough, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, at Masterton, on Monday, the 29th day of July, 1907, at 12 o'clock noon.

W. B. CHENNELLS,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Masterton, 20th July, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM LEGERTWOOD DAVIDSON, of Cheviot, Cabinetmaker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 25th day of July, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.
17th July, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JANE SOUTER, wife of James Alex. Souter, of Lyttelton, Tailor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 30th day of July, 1907, at 2 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.
23rd July, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN ROBERTSON, formerly of Alexandra South, Hotelkeeper, now of Dunedin, no occupation, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 25th day of July, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,
Official Assignee.
Dunedin, 17th July, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that statements of accounts and balance-sheets in respect of the undermentioned estates, together with the report of the Audit Office thereon, have been duly filed in the above Court; and I hereby further give notice that at the sitting of the said Court, to be holden on Monday, the 5th day of August, 1907, I intend to apply for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 19th day of July, 1907.

- 339. John Reilly, of Poolburn, Hotel- and Store-keeper.
- 351. John Ellison McLean, of Dunedin, Tailor.
- 359. John Thomas Rodgers, of Tuapeka West, Flax-mill Owner.
- 365. John Thomas Treacy, of Dunedin, Restaurant-keeper.
- 367. Alfred Henry O'Keefe, of St. Kilda, Artist, formerly Hotelkeeper, Outram.
- 368. Henry Beveridge McIntosh, of Dunedin, Coal-merchant.
- 370. George Anderson, of Dunedin, Engine-driver.
- 372. Alexander Owen, of Dunedin, Hotelkeeper.
- 374. George Manning, of Dunedin, Builder.
- 375. Campbell McNaughton, of Dunedin, Labour Agent.
- 376. George Leonard Clarence Chapman, of Musselburgh, Gardener.
- 377. Frederick Thomas Williams, of Normanby, Labourer.

C. C. GRAHAM,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of EDGAR POPE, late of Wyndham and Kaitangata, Baker.

THE first and final dividend, of 3s. 4½d. in the pound, on all proved accepted claims in above estate is now payable at my office.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Invercargill, 20th July, 1907.

MINING NOTICES.

MAHARA ROYAL GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company held at the office of the company, Nos. 11 and 12 New Zealand Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland, on the 17th day of June, 1907, the following special resolutions were passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the said company held at the same place on the 8th day of July, 1907, the said resolutions were duly confirmed, viz.:

1. That it is desirable that the Mahara Royal Gold-mining Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily.
2. That JOSEPH BERNARD SHEATH, of Auckland, Legal Manager, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up.

Dated this 8th day of July, 1907.

E. MITCHELSON,
Chairman.
J. B. SHEATH,
Secretary.

HORSE TERRACE SLUICING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the Horse Terrace Sluicing Company (Limited), duly convened, and held at No. 108 Victoria Arcade, Queen Street, Auckland, on Thursday, 11th July, 1907, the following extraordinary resolutions were duly passed, viz. :—

1. That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is desirable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily.

2. That HENRY GILFILLAN, the Younger, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up.

H. GILFILLAN, JUN.,
Liquidator.

Auckland, 15th July, 1907.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903"; and in the matter of the Bendigo Dredging Company (Limited).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company, duly convened, and held at the registered office of the company, No. 1 Moray Place, Dunedin, on the 7th day of May, 1907, the following special resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the 14th day of June, 1907, the following resolution was duly confirmed: "That the company be wound up voluntarily, and that JOHN BARNER BRUGH, of Dunedin, Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up, at a fee of £15 15s."

Dated this 18th day of July, 1907.

C. F. SUNDSTRUM,
Chairman.

Witness—W. B. Overton, Solicitor, Dunedin.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903"; and in the matter of the Bendigo Dredging Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 230 of "The Companies Act, 1903," that a General Meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at Empire Buildings, No. 113 Princes Street, Dunedin, on Monday, the 2nd day of September, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.

Dated this 18th day of July, 1907.

JOHN B. BRUGH,
Liquidator.

Witness—W. B. Overton, Solicitor, Dunedin.

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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.

4449. CHARLES STRAKA.—Allotments 52, 53, 55, 56, 57, 59, and parts of Allotments 3, 5, 6, 15, Parish of Puhoi, containing together 584 acres 1 rood 8 perches. In occupation of Applicant.

4460. LYDIA SELINA SKEATES.—Part of Allotment 48 of Small Lots, near Otahuhu, containing 30 acres 3 roods 24 perches. Occupied by William Nicholls.

4473. R. H. ABBOTT AND CO. (LIMITED).—North part of Allotment 17, Section 15, City of Auckland, containing 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches. Unoccupied.

4494. ELLEN BARNES.—Part of Allotment 107, Section 10, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 7 acres 2 roods 21 perches. Occupied by Mrs. Denean.

4518. ENOCH BOND.—Lot 3 of Allotment 3, Section 11, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 38 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 20th day of July, 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 within one month from date of *Gazette* containing this notice.

Application 1133. JOHN WILLIAM HENWOOD, Applicant.—49 acres 2 roods 23 perches, Subdivision 1 of Section 99, Huirangi District, Block XI, Poritutu Survey District; and Subdivision 2 of Section 99, Huirangi District aforesaid. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office (Plan 2448).

Dated this 16th day of July, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

R. BAYLEY,
Assistant District Land Registrar.

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APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional receipt in the name of SAMUEL MANSON for Block 88, Whakarara, being all the land in Provisional Register-book, Vol. 16, folio 49, and evidence having been lodged with me of the loss of the original, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional receipt as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 8th August, 1907.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

F. ASPINALL,
Deputy District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," and its amendments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 26th day of August, 1907.

4020. THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE.—1 rood 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches, part Sections 566 and 567, City of Wellington. Occupied by Mrs. Tavendale.

4021. THE WAIRARAPA FARMERS' CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION (LIMITED).—3 roods 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches, part Section 2, Township of Carterton. Occupied by Applicant.

4042. WILLIAM JOHN BOWYER.—39 acres 3 roods 38 perches, part Section 238, Taratahi Plain Block. Occupied by Applicant.

4049. WILLIAM McINTOSH MUIR.—3 roods 39 perches, Section 1068, City of Wellington. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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

10402. HERRMAN LEWIS.—2 acres 1 rood 29 perches, part of Lot 59 of the Christchurch Town Reserves. Occupied by Alfred Wrigglesworth, — Parker, Mary Ann King, and Victoria Egan.

10555. SUSAN WELCH.—36 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches, part of Rural Section 320, Borough of Kaiapoi. Occupied by William Fergie.

10556. CHARLES HENRY WRIGHT.—1 acre 3 roods 20 perches, part of Rural Section 321, Borough of Kaiapoi. Occupied by Michael Lynskey and Applicant.

10565. HENRY WILLIAM JENNINGS.—1 rood 38 perches, Lots 57 and 58, Plan 2349, part of Rural Section 243f, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

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EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 109, folio 183, for Allotment 12, subdivision of Section 33, Block II, Teviot District, whereof JOHN ALEXANDER BOYD, of Roxburgh, Hotelkeeper, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title for the said land, I hereby give notice of my intention to issue such provisional certificate at the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin, this 22nd day of July, 1907.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

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THE NORTH OTAGO AGRICULTURAL AND PASTORAL SOCIETY.—Reserve G, Town of Oamaru. Occupied by Applicant. No. 4773.

JOHN MAINS, JAMES McKERRAS, and WILLIAM JAMES MAINS.—Sections 2 of IV and parts 1 of 4, 142, and 143, Block II, Sections 93, 1 of 94, 2 of 94, parts 92, 112, 113, Block V, Otepopo District. Occupied by William M. McMillan, Helen J. Paterson, and Janet Paterson. No. 4777.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

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

EDWARD LOUDON PETERSON.—Sections 9 and 18, Block VII, Otago Peninsula District; Section 5, Block III, and part Section 1, Block I, Anderson's Bay District. Occupied by Thomas Somerville and David Cooke. No. 4776.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

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PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

REMOVAL NOTICE.

JOHN HOLMES AND CO. (LIMITED) have removed their Offices from Hunter Street to second floor C. M. Banks's new building, No. 11 Grey Street. 755

NEW ZEALAND.—"FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT, 1882."

ADVERTISEMENT OF DISSOLUTION BY INSTRUMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Excelsior Tent, No. 11, of the New Zealand Central District of the Independent Order of Rechabites Society, Register No. 110(13), held at Waipukurau, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office the 15th day of July, 1907, unless, within three months from the date of the *Gazette* in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the society to set aside such dissolution, and the same is set aside accordingly.

ROBT. E. HAYES,
Registrar.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,
15th day of July, 1907.

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THE NORTH ISLAND MILD-CURE BACON COMPANY (LIMITED), (IN LIQUIDATION).

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that all claims against the North Island Mild-cure Bacon Company (Limited) must be made to me at the Bacon Company's office, McLean Street, Woodville, not later than 10 a.m. on Saturday, the 27th day of July, 1907.

WM. NICHOLSON,
Liquidator.

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I, HENRY JOHN TIZARD, Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, England, 1890, and Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians, London, 1890, and now residing in Dunedin, do hereby give notice that I intend to apply on the 16th day of August to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Colony of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualifications at the office of the Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages.

Dated at Dunedin, this 16th day of July, 1907.

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

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the Office or place of business in New Zealand where legal process of any kind may be served upon and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered to HEENAN AND FROUDE (LIMITED) is situate at No. 11 Harris Street, in the City of Wellington.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1907.

THOMAS CLEMENT ORMISTON-CHANT,
777 Attorney for Heenan and Froude (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that if any partnership existed between us, the undersigned, the same has been dissolved as from the 5th day of July, 1907, and that the undersigned P. ORCHARD undertakes all liabilities in connection with the Waihi Meat-supply Company from that date.

H. S. MEADS,
P. ORCHARD.

Witness to the signatures of Herbert Stanley Meads and Philip Orchard—J. Sykes, Butcher, Waihi. 781

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