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Land taken for a Road through Section 436a, Block VIII, Rangiriri Survey District, Huntly Road District, Waikato 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 owners and lessee of the land hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Huntly Road Board, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, do by this notice hereby proclaim as taken for a road the land in Rangiriri Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

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. 7 2 0	436a, Whangamarino Parish	VIII	Rangiriri	R. 6351	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 thirty-first day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seven.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for a Road in Section 37, Block XII, Mikimiki Survey District, Masterton 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 and of the mortgagees of the land hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Masterton 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 Mikimiki Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

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. 1 1 11.1	37	XII	Mikimiki	R. 8930	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.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.
GOD SAVE THE KING!

ERRATUM.—In Schedule to Order in Council dated 27th May, 1907, declaring the approach road to Rangiora Railway-station, in the Borough of Rangiora, to be a road, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 49, page 1740, of 6th June, 1907, for "71° 21' 37" read "78° 22' 21".

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VI, Waihao Survey District, Waimate County.

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

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.
LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of Land hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Sections	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 11 3 30.5	29440, 29439, 28564	VI	Waihao ..	R. 9094	Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.
ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Passing through Sections	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 14 2 11.8	29441, 29440, 29439, 28564	VI	Waihao ..	R. 9094	Green.

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

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block IV, Paritutu Survey District, Barrett Road District, Taranaki County.

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

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of Lands hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Section or Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 15.2	Sub. A, Moturoa Nat. Res. No. 1, Grey District	IV	Paritutu	R. 3787	Pink.
0 0 1.09	Part 8, Grey District	"	"	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.
ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Passing through Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 33.8	8, Grey District	IV	Paritutu	R. 3787	Green.

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

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Sections 7 and 8, Block XIII, Puniu, and 19, Block XVI, Pirongia Survey Districts, Waitomo County.

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

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of Lands hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 3 26	7	XIII	Puniu ..	R. 5985	Pink.
3 0 25	8	"	" ..	"	"
0 1 9	19	XVI	Pirongia ..	"	"
0 0 0.16	19	"	" ..	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 3 7	19	XVI	Pirongia ..	R. 5985	Green
5 0 28-48	19	"	" ..	"	"
0 1 28-48	19	"	" ..	"	"

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of September, 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 XII, Hawera 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 nineteenth day of September, 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 Section No.	Coloured on Plan	Sheet No. of Plan.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in Survey District of
A. R. P. 35 3 20	9	Purple	1	XII	Hawera.
14 2 20	10	Yellow	1	XII	Hawera.

All in the Land District of Taranaki; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 22643,

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 thirtieth day of August, 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 X, Paritutu 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 nineteenth day of October, 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	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 4 0 20	Section J ..	X	Paritutu.
13 3 0	Native Reserve L ..	X	Paritutu.
3 0 30	Native Reserve L ..	X	Paritutu.

All in the Land District of Taranaki; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 22658, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red and yellow.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Reformatory Prison for the Detention of Habitual Criminals and Habitual Offenders proclaimed.

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

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled "The Habitual Criminals and Offenders Act, 1906," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Proclamation published in the *Gazette*, set apart any prison or other suitable place to be a reformatory prison for the detention of habitual criminals and habitual offenders:

And whereas it is desirable to proclaim the west wing of the prison at New Plymouth, in the Provincial District of Taranaki, to be a reformatory prison for the aforesaid purpose:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance of the above-recited power and authority, do hereby declare that the said building shall be a reformatory prison for the detention of habitual criminals and habitual offenders from and after the appearance of this Proclamation in the *Gazette*.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Minister of Justice.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Declaring Road, Flaxbourne Settlement, in Awatere Road District, to be a District Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 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 in Awatere Road District described in the Schedule below shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be a district road.

SCHEDULE.

FLAXBOURNE SETTLEMENT ROAD.

THAT road in the Marlborough Land District known as the Main Road, commencing at a point marked A, near the south-eastern boundary of Section 9, Block XIV, Clifford Bay Survey District, and extending for a distance of 26½ chains to a point marked B, to join main road to Seddon; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 5673, 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.

Native Lands taken for the Purposes of a Road in Mangatu No. 1 Block, Blocks V, VI, X, and XI, Mangatu Survey District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of August, 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 purposes of a road in the Mangatu Block No. 1, Blocks V, VI, X, and XI, Mangatu 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 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 lands shown upon the map, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be deemed to be taken for the purposes of the said road; and the said lands shall vest in His Majesty the King as from the nineteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

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.					
21 1 37	Section 3 of Subdivision 4	XI	Mangatu	R. 8938	Red.
12 1 12	Section 0 of Subdivision 4	"	"	"	Raw sienna.
18 3 22	Lot 4 of Subdivision 1	X and XI	"	R. 8938a	Red.
24 3 27	Lot 6 of Subdivision 1	X	"	"	Raw sienna.
14 1 24	Lot 1 of Subdivision 1	V, VI, X	"	"	Red.
3 0 0	Lot 7 of Subdivision 1	V	"	"	Raw sienna.

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

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Native Land in Paeroa Survey District taken for Scenery-preservation Purposes.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and 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 proclaim and declare that the land shown upon such map, and described in the Schedule hereto, is hereby taken for scenery-preservation purposes as aforesaid; and the said land shall vest in His Majesty the King as from the tenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcels of land mentioned hereunder:—

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. 97 3 34	Rotomahana - Pa-rekarangi No. 3A No. 1B	Red ..	II	Paeroa.
45 2 0	Rotomahana - Pa-rekarangi No. 3A No. 1B	Purple	II	Paeroa.
20 1 0	Rotomahana - Pa-rekarangi No. 3A No. 1B	Green	III	Paeroa.
42 0 29	Rotomahana - Pa-rekarangi No. 3A No. 1B	Yellow	III	Paeroa.
112 1 13	Rotomahana - Pa-rekarangi No. 3A No. 1A	Red ..	II and III	Paeroa.
3 0 35	Rotomahana - Pa-rekarangi No. 3A No. 1A	Green	III	Paeroa.
14 1 21	Rotomahana - Pa-rekarangi No. 3A No. 1A	Red ..	III	Paeroa.

All in the Land District of Auckland; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 22949, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Nomination of Payee by Post-Office Savings-Bank Depositor.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the twenty-eighth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and three, regulations were made under "The Post Office Act, 1900," *inter alia*, prescribing the mode of depositing moneys in and withdrawing moneys from the accounts of depositors in the Post-Office Savings-Bank: And whereas by "The Post Office Act Amendment Act, 1906," the Governor in Council

is empowered to make further regulations (a) for the nomination by a Savings-Bank depositor, not being under twenty-one years of age, of any person or persons to whom any sum or sums payable to such depositor at his decease (including any accrued interest payable to the representatives of such depositor) is or are to be paid at such decease; and (b) for the revocation of such nomination, and for the payment of the specified amount to any nominee so nominated:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on him by the above-recited Acts, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the additional regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto, and doth order that they shall form part of the regulations first hereinbefore mentioned, but so that those regulations shall be read subject hereto; and doth declare that the regulations hereby made shall have effect on and after the date of the publication of this Order in Council in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

A Depositor may Nominate.

43A. Subject to the provisions of these regulations, a depositor of the age of twenty-one years or upwards may nominate any person to receive any sum due to such depositor at his decease.

Requirements of a Nomination.

43B. Every such nomination shall be in writing, and shall be signed by the depositor in the presence of a witness, and shall be sent by post or otherwise to the Controller of the Post-Office Savings-Bank during the lifetime of the depositor.

43C. Every such nomination shall be in the authorised form, which may be obtained from the Controller, Post-Office Savings-Bank, or in some other form to be approved by the Postmaster-General.

Registration.

43D. Every such nomination shall be registered by the Postmaster-General and returned to the depositor.

Revocation.

43E. (1.) Any such nomination may be revoked by the depositor by writing under his hand, signed in the presence of a witness.

(2.) Any such revocation shall be sent by post or otherwise to the Controller of the Post-Office Savings-Bank during the lifetime of the depositor, and shall be registered by the Postmaster-General in like manner as in the case of a nomination.

Scope of Nomination.

43F. A nomination may relate to the whole of the deposits standing in the name of a depositor, or to part only of such deposits.

Division of Sum nominated.

43G. A nomination may be in favour of one person or of several persons, and in the latter case may direct that specific sums shall be paid to one or more of the persons named in the nomination, or that the persons named in such nomination may take the deposits in specified shares, or may give directions to both effects.

Witness to Nomination disqualified from taking Benefit under it.

43H. No person who witnesses the signature of a depositor to a nomination shall take any benefit under such nomination.

Operation of Nomination.

43I. Where the Postmaster-General, after the expiration of one month from the date of decease of a depositor, has no notice of the claim of any creditor of the depositor, the Postmaster-General shall pay the persons named in any nomination made by such depositor, and in force at the time of his death, according to the directions of such nomination, and the receipt of any person so named shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the sum so paid.

Payment of Debt out of Nominated Deposit.

43K. Where, on the death of a depositor who has made a nomination, the Postmaster-General has notice of a claim of any creditor against the estate of such depositor, and such estate, apart from the amount nominated, is not sufficient to satisfy such claim, the Postmaster-General may, in his discretion, apply the amount nominated in or towards the

satisfaction of such claim; but subject as aforesaid any payment made by the Postmaster-General to the nominee shall be a valid payment, and the receipt of the nominee shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the sum so paid.

Payment for the Benefit of a Nominee under Twenty-one.

43L. Where any person nominated to receive any sum on the death of a depositor is an infant under the age of twenty-one years, and it is proved to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General that funds are urgently needed for the maintenance, education, or benefit of such infant, the Postmaster-General may pay the sum mentioned in the nomination, or any part thereof, to any person who may satisfy the Postmaster-General that he will apply such money for the benefit of such infant, and the receipt of such person shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the amount so paid.

Nomination revoked by Death of Nominee.

43M. The death of the person nominated in the lifetime of the depositor making the nomination shall operate as a revocation of the nomination in favour of such person.

Nomination revoked by Marriage.

43N. (1.) Subject to the provisions of these regulations the marriage of a depositor shall operate as a revocation of any nomination made by such depositor before such marriage.

(2.) Where the Postmaster-General has paid money to a nominee in ignorance of the fact that the person making the nomination has married subsequently to the nomination, the receipt of the nominee shall be a valid discharge to the Postmaster-General.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Directing Sale of Land under "The Public Works Act, 1905."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas a memorial has been laid before the Governor by the Ohinemuri County Council, accompanied by a map, setting forth that the land described in the Schedule hereto (and hereinafter referred to as "the said land") was acquired by the Ohinemuri County Council for the purpose of a gravel-pit:

And whereas the said land is not now required for the purposes for which it was acquired or otherwise, and the Ohinemuri County Council desires to sell the same:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authority conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby direct the sale of the said land.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land proposed to be sold.	Being Portion of Block	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 6 0 36	Orangipirau No. 1	XIII	Ohinemuri	R. 2842	Purple.

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.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations as to Conduct of Crews of Fishing-boats.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted by the fifth section of "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1894," that the Governor in Council may make regulations for, amongst other things, generally regulating the sea-fishing of the colony, and preserving good order among the persons engaged in fishing, and for prescribing the laws and conditions to which any licenses issued to persons on boats engaged in fishing shall be subject:

And whereas it is desirable to make the regulations hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby make the following regulations for the purposes of the said Act, and doth order that such regulations shall have force and effect throughout the colony:—

REGULATIONS.

1. Every license hereafter granted under "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1894," or regulations made thereunder, to any person or for any boat engaged in sea-fishing shall be subject, *inter alia*, to the following terms and conditions, viz.:—

(a.) The owner of any licensed fishing-boat shall be responsible for the good conduct of the crew of the boat, and shall not employ, or allow to be employed, or to go on board of his boat, any person known to the police to be a thief or a person of dissolute habits or bad character.

(b.) The owner or crew of any licensed fishing-boat shall not carry on board any firearms, unless authorised to do so in writing by the Collector of Customs, who may, if satisfied that firearms are required for a legitimate purpose, grant such permission.

(c.) It shall be illegal to carry a dog on board any licensed fishing-boat when out of the port to which the boat belongs.

2. Any person committing a breach of the above regulations shall be liable to a penalty of not less than £1 and not exceeding £20, and the Minister may cancel the license of the boat.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Revoking Condition of Foreshore License to Akaroa Borough Council, and substituting another Condition.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and six, published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 30, of the nineteenth day of the same month, the Akaroa Borough Council was licensed and permitted to use and occupy a part of the foreshore and of the land below low-water mark in Akaroa Harbour as a site for a wharf, subject to the conditions contained in the First Schedule of the Order in Council:

And whereas it is desirable to revoke clause six of such condition and to substitute another condition therefor:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883," and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby revoke clause six of the before-mentioned conditions, and doth declare that the following condition shall be substituted therefor:—

CONDITION.

6. THE revenue derived from the receipts on account of such wharf shall be applied for the purpose of maintaining, repairing, or otherwise keeping in good order and condition the said wharf, or any other wharves which are under the control of the Council, or for providing further wharf accommodation.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Licensing William Alexander Hoey and Henry Hoey to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Whangarei Harbour as a Site for a Foot-bridge over the Waiarohia River.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, William Alexander Hoey and Henry Hoey, of Whangarei (hereinafter called "the licensees"), have 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 in order to erect and maintain thereon a foot-bridge over the Waiarohia River, in Whangarei Harbour; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fifty-sixth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," have deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 3081) showing the place where it is intended to erect such foot-bridge, 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 plan has, 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 licensees 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 licensees 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 licensees to use and occupy that part of the foreshore which is particularly shown and delineated on the plan marked M.D. 3081 so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of constructing or erecting thereon a foot-bridge; such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensees 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 shown on the said plan marked M.D. 3081.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council, the licensees shall, on being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council, pay to the Minister the sum of one pound, and thereafter the annual sum of five shillings in advance, such annual payments to date from the date hereof, the first of such annual payments to be made on the licensees 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 licensees 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 licensees may be required to remove the foot-bridge at their own cost, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensees three calendar 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 licensees in New Zealand.

6. The licensees shall be liable for any injury which may be sustained by any vessel or boat in passing the foot-bridge, or by contact with it, and which may be occasioned by any default or neglect on their part.

7. In case the licensees 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 foot-bridge 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 licensees 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 licensees, 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 foot-bridge and all other erections or buildings thereto belonging to be removed, and may recover the cost incurred by any such removal from the licensees.

8. The erection of the foot-bridge shall be deemed to be an acceptance by the licensees of the conditions of this Order in Council.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Incorporating a Portion of the Riccarton Road District with the Christchurch Tramway District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon him by "The Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1906," and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the consent and advice of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby direct that the portion of the Riccarton Road District described in the Schedule hereto shall, from and after the date of the gazetting hereof, be incorporated with and form part of the Christchurch Tramway District as constituted by the aforesaid Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area of land, being part of the Riccarton Road District, comprised within the following boundaries: Commencing at the junction of Graham's Road with the Wairarapa Road; thence by the south-west side of Wairarapa Road to its intersection with the eastern boundary of Rural Section 453; thence by the eastern boundaries of Rural Sections 453, 242, 143, and 80 to the Waimaire Stream; thence by the left bank of the Waimaire Stream to Graham's Road; thence by Graham's Road to the commencing point: as the same is delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 22821, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Validating a Special Order made by Wanganui Borough Council respecting a Loan.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Borough Council of the Borough of Wanganui lately proposed to raise a loan of ten thousand pounds for the purpose of extending and enlarging the municipal gasworks in the Borough of Wanganui: And whereas the security for the said loan is a special annually recurring rate of threepence in the pound upon the annual rateable value of all rateable property in the Borough of Wanganui: And whereas in the special order making such special rate the Borough of Wanganui was not described by its boundaries, as required by the Schedule to "The Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1903": And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularity, and it is expedient to validate such irregularity:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section ten of "The Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1902," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby declare that such special order and the public notifications thereof shall be deemed and taken to be as valid as though the said special order and the public notifications thereof had been regularly made and given, and that the proceedings relative to the said loan shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Revoking the Delegation of Powers under "The Cemeteries Act 1882 Amendment Act, 1885," to the Tuapeka County Council in respect of the Bastings Public Cemetery.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council issued on the ninth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, the powers conferred upon the Governor by section six of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," as to the appointment and removal of trustees, were delegated to the Council of the County of Tuapeka, in pursuance of section two of "The Cemeteries Act 1882 Amendment Act, 1885," in respect to the cemetery described in the Schedule hereto: And whereas it is expedient to revoke the said delegation:

Now, therefore, His Excellency William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby revoke the delegation to the Council of the County of Tuapeka of the powers conferred upon the Governor by section six of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," in respect of the Bastings Public Cemetery, described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

BASTINGS PUBLIC CEMETERY.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres 2 roods 19 perches, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block IV, Township of Bastings. Bounded towards the north-west by Horace Street, 895.9 and 541 links; towards the east by Section No. 17, Block XV, Crookston Survey District, 678 links; and towards the south-east by a street, 1025 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 56288, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Croydon Bush Domain.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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to be the Croydon Bush Domain Board, having, subject to the said Acts, control of the lands described in the Schedule hereto, which lands are a public domain, and shall be called

the Croydon Bush Domain; and also doth hereby appoint Monday, the sixteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Council Chambers, Mersey Street, Gore, as the place where, the first meeting of the said Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

CROYDON BUSH DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 430 acres and 30 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 819 and 885, Block LXIX, Hokonui Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Crown lands and a road-line, 2419, 652.5, 441, 320.5, 210.4, and 354.6 links respectively; towards the east generally by Sections Nos. 754, 757, 765, 764, 763, 768, 769, a road-line, and Sections Nos. 773 and 774, Hokonui Survey District, 2944.9, 5833.6, 102, 1252.1, and 2183.6 links respectively; towards the south-west by Crown lands, 8643.2 links; and towards the north-west by Section No. 423, Hokonui Survey District, 5417.5 links: be all the aforesaid linkages a little more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 21388, 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 second day of September, 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 form part of Paremoremo Domain, 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 1 acre and 24 perches, more or less, being Section No. 76A, Paremoremo Parish. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 76 of the said parish, 1084 links; towards the south-east by Section No. 106A, 1078 links; and towards the west by a public road, 213 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 29224/10, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 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 Taranaki 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 St. Helens Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with in manner directed by the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ST. HELENS DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 38 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Section No. 1, Suburban Section, Aria Village, Block X, Totoro Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Crown land, 497 links; towards the east generally by Sections Nos. 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10, Aria Suburban, 2683 links; towards the south by Section No. 3, Block X, Totoro Survey District, 1979.5 links; and again on the south-east by other part of said Section No. 10, Aria Suburban, 200 links, and Kiekie Road, 513.3 links; and towards the west generally by the Kumara Road, 3388.3 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 57590, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered 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 second day of September, 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 Bush 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 192 acres, more or less, being Section No. 7, Block X, Orabiri Survey District, and more particularly described in the Proclamation under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903," published on page 2947 of the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 112, dated the 21st December, 1905.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Authorising the Exchange of a Reserve in Wellington Land District for other Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto was purchased, on the eleventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, by the Governors of the Wellington College upon trust for the purposes of "The Wellington College Act, 1872," and a Crown grant for the said land was duly issued to the said Governors: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to exchange the said land for that described in the second column of the Schedule hereto; and the written consent of the Governors of the Wellington College has been given to such exchange.

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 third section of "The Educational Endowments and Reserves Exchange Act, 1891," doth hereby declare that the land described in the first column of the Schedule hereto may be exchanged for the land described in the second column of the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Description of Reserve authorised to be exchanged.	Description of Land to be obtained in Exchange therefor.
All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 551 acres, more or less, being Sections Nos. 42, 43, 44, 46, and 48, Harbour District, situated in Blocks I and IV, Pencarrow Survey District; as the same is delineated upon the plan marked L. and S. 50783/51, deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.	All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 781 acres, more or less, being Section No. 4, Block I, Kaitieke Survey District. Bounded towards the north generally by the Kokakonui Road, then towards the north-west by Section No. 1, Block VII, Hunua Survey District, and again towards the north generally by the Kokakonui Stream; towards the north-east by Section 5, Block I, Kaitieke Survey District; towards the south-east by Sections 6, 1, and 3 of the said Block I; and towards the south-west by Sections 1 and 3 of the said Block I, and by Section 6, Block IV, Retaruke Survey District: as the same is delineated upon the plan marked L. and S. 50783/51, deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of a reserve heretofore duly set apart for the growth and preservation of timber, being a reserve within Class I of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881":

And whereas it is expedient that such land shall be appropriated for quarry purposes, being a reserve within the said Class I:

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 the said land shall, from and after the date hereof, be appropriated for quarry purposes under Class I of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881."

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Marlborough Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 2 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 48, Block I, Wakamarina Survey District. Bounded towards the north by a reserve for the growth and preservation of timber, 251.4 and 621.9 links; towards the east by the said reserve, 406.2 links; and towards the south and west generally by a public road, 293.5, 373.4, 367.6, and 200.7 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57356/5, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Setting apart Reserve under "The Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1898."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1898" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor in Council is authorised under the said Act to set apart any specified area of Crown lands within a kauri-gum district to be a kauri-gum reserve under the said Act :

And whereas it is expedient to create and set apart the kauri-gum reserve hereinafter mentioned :

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby set apart the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto as a kauri-gum reserve, with the name set over the description of such reserve in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

SNELL'S BEACH (MAHURANGI) KAURI-GUM RESERVE (for Mahurangi East Settlement).

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, being part of the foreshore at Longbeach known as Snell's Beach, situated in Blocks VIII and XII, Mahurangi Survey District, and containing by admeasurement 343 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the south by a public road 100 links wide, forming the northern boundary of Section No. 192, Parish of Mahurangi, starting from peg No. 20 (of the survey of Section No. 192 aforesaid); towards the west generally by Section No. 18, the road (100 links wide) forming the eastern boundary of Section No. 197, by Sections Nos. 19, 20, 21, and 22, all of the Parish of Mahurangi; towards the north-east by a line being a production of the north-eastern boundary of Section No. 22 aforesaid, and bearing 108° approximately, 2000 links; towards the east generally by low-water mark to a point that will give a bearing of 225° to said peg No. 20; and towards the south-east by a line bearing 225° approximately to said peg No. 20, 1000 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57347, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Amending the Description of a Reserve in the Taranaki Land District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the two-hundred-and-thirty-ninth section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that where there has been any error of description made in any notification of any intended reserve, or where there appears a great discrepancy in the area of any intended reserve after the same shall have been surveyed, the Governor may cancel any notification that may have been made in respect of such reserve, and issue fresh notification in respect thereof, with amended particulars and description: And whereas an error was made in the description of part of Section No. 2340, Town of New Plymouth, Taranaki Land District, in the Order in Council of the fourteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 66, of the twenty-third day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, reserving the land as a site for a monument to be erected to the memory of certain officers and soldiers of Her late Majesty's Forces; and it is expedient to cancel the said Order in Council in so far as it relates to the said land :

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby revoke the Order in Council of the fourteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred

and sixty-three, in so far as it relates to the said land, and do declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be set apart as a site for a monument to be erected to the memory of certain officers and soldiers of Her late Majesty's Forces, being the land intended to be reserved by the said Order in Council.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 3.3 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 2340 (Marsland Hill Reserve), Town of New Plymouth, and bounded as follows: Starting from Block No. 59, New Plymouth Standard Survey, on bearing of 68° 43', distance 511.42 links; thence on bearing of 158° 43', distance 74.6 links, to a point being the centre of northern boundary of said part Section No. 2340; thence bounded towards the north by other part of said Section No. 2340, 22.73 links; towards the east by other part of said Section No. 2340, 45.46 links; towards the south by other part of said Section No. 2340, 45.46 links; and towards the west and again towards the north by other part of said Section No. 2340, 45.46 and 22.73 links respectively, to starting-point: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 46827/15, 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 Ohau Library and Mechanics' Institute (Incorporated).

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 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 mechanics' institute and atheneum :

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Ohau Library and Mechanics' Institute (Incorporated) :

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 Ohau Library and Mechanics' Institute (Incorporated), in trust, for a site for a mechanics' institute and atheneum.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Section No. 48, Township of Ohau. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 49; towards the east by Section No. 47; towards the south by a public road; and towards the west by Section No. 55: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 39607/12, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Order in Council, except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), for a limited period or otherwise, and either

generally or for such purposes and subject to such restrictions as shall be in such Order specified, any land, wheresoever situate, which is for the time being subject to the operation of the said section, or any interest therein or right over the same, or may in like manner make such exception in favour exclusively of any lessee or other person who has been *bond fide* in occupation of and has made improvements on such land, or has paid money to Native owners for lease or purchase thereof, prior to the passing of the said Act: Provided that no Order in Council under the provisions of this section shall take effect until after the expiration of two months from the date of the publication thereof in the *Gazette*: Provided also that every alienation under the provisions of this section shall be confirmed by the Court in terms of section fifty-three of the said Act:

And whereas the Aotea District Maori Land Board, by a recommendation made on the twentieth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and received on the twenty-second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seven, has recommended the Governor to except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of sale, the block or parcel of land known as Pukewhakaupū 4b:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of sale, the block or parcel of land particularised and set out in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Mangawhero Survey District, containing 140 acres, more or less, known as Pukewhakaupū 4b, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 25th day of May, 1900, in favour of Eruera Whakaahu.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board, by a recommendation made on the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and received on the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, has recommended the Governor to except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of sale, the block or parcel of land known as Papakorokoro No. 2b:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Cook County, containing 201 acres 2 roods 16 perches, more or less, known as Papakorokoro No. 2b, and being the whole of the land comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 11th day of September, 1900, in favour of Tiemi Morete.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of sale, the block or parcel of land particularised and set out in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land situated in the Chatham Islands, containing 2,000 acres, be the same a little more or less, and being part of Block IL, Kekerione, which said piece of land is bounded as follows: Commencing at a peg on the shore of the Whanga Lagoon at the mouth of the Waimahana Creek, on the eastern side thereof; thence by a line in a south-westerly direction bearing 46° 59' to the public road running through the said Block IL, 5230 links; thence crossing the said public road; thence by a continuation of the said line, 3970 links; thence by a line in a north-westerly direction bearing 116° 54' (14225 links) to the boundary of the block called Kekerione C; thence by a line in a northerly direction bearing 178° 08' 45" (13500 links) to the boundary of Kekerione AB; thence by a line in a north-easterly direction along that boundary bearing 56° 38' 45" to the public road before mentioned, 3833.3 links; thence crossing the said public road; thence by a continuation of the last-mentioned line (1500 links) to a peg at Kaingapakaha on the shore of the Whanga Lagoon, being the north-eastern corner of Kekerione IL; thence along the shore of the Whanga Lagoon, generally in a south-easterly direction, to the point of commencement; and being part of the land comprised in certificate of title of the Register-book at Wellington, Vol. 85, folio 3.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Aotea District Maori Land Board, by a recommendation made on the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and received on the same date, has recommended the Governor to except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of sale, the interest of Wi Parata Stubbs, deceased, and one hundred and sixty-five acres of the interest of Winara Parata Stubbs in the block or parcel of land known as Kukutaauaki No. 1:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of sale, the interest of the said Wi Parata Stubbs and 165 acres of the interest of the said Winara Parata Stubbs in the block or parcel of land particularised and set out in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Wellington Land District, containing 645 acres, more or less, known as Kukutaauaki No. 1, and comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 30, folio 89, of the Register-book of the Wellington District.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Order in Council, except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), for a limited period or otherwise, and either generally or for such purposes and subject to such restrictions as shall be in such Order specified, any land,

wheresoever situate, which is for the time being subject to the operation of the said section, or any interest therein or right over the same, or may in like manner make such exception in favour exclusively of any lessee or other person who has been *bonâ fide* in occupation of and has made improvements on such land, or has paid money to Native owners for lease or purchase thereof, prior to the passing of the said Act: Provided that no Order in Council under the provisions of this section shall take effect until after the expiration of two months from the date of the publication thereof in the *Gazette*: Provided also that every alienation under the provisions of this section shall be confirmed by the Court in terms of section fifty-three of the said Act:

And whereas the Aotea District Maori Land Board, by a recommendation made on the twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and received on the twenty-third day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seven, has recommended the Governor to except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of sale by public auction, the block or parcel of land known as Otamakapua No. 1k:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of sale by public auction, at an upset price of £4.200 for the owners' interests, the block or parcel of land particularised and set out in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Apiti Survey District, containing 909 acres, more or less, known as Otamakapua No. 1k, and being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 93, folio 6, of the Register-book of the Wellington District.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of September, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Maniapoto-Tuwaharetoa District Maori Land Board, by a recommendation made on the sixteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and received on the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seven, has recommended the Governor to except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of lease, the block or parcel of land known as Awarua No. 2c No. 11:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of lease for twenty-one years, the block or parcel of land particularised and set out in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Ohinewairua Survey District, containing 675 acres, more or less, known as Awarua No. 2c No. 11, and being the whole of the land comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 13th day of August, 1896, in favour of Kewa Pine and Henare Teehi.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Warrant authorising the Kiwitea County Council to construct a Bridge and Approaches over the Oroua River, on the Apati Main South Road, about Five Miles and a Half North of Apati Township, and apportioning the Cost.

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and eighteen of "The Public Works Act, 1905" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that in any case where the local authority of any district desires to construct a bridge in any position that will, in its opinion, be of advantage and benefit to the whole or any considerable portion of the inhabitants of an adjacent district, as well as to the inhabitants of its own district, and where it is, in the opinion of such local authority, reasonable that the local authority of such adjacent district should contribute to the cost of constructing or establishing the said bridge and approaches, the provisions of the said section mentioned shall have effect:

And whereas the Kiwitea County Council has taken steps required by the said section, and has made application to the Governor to authorise the construction of the bridge and approaches mentioned in the Schedule hereto (hereinafter referred to as "the said bridge"), and to apportion the cost of constructing the said bridge between the said Council and the Pohangina County Council, and no objection has been made by the Pohangina County Council to such application:

And whereas the Governor is of opinion that such work should be done, and it is expedient to make provision under the said Act for the purposes and in the manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby authorise the Kiwitea County Council to construct the said bridge; and I do declare that the cost of constructing the said bridge, less such amount by way of contribution as may be provided by the Government, shall be borne by the Council of the County of Kiwitea and by the Council of the County of Pohangina in equal proportions.

And I do hereby also further direct that any contribution hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the Pohangina County Council shall be paid from time to time respectively in the proportion hereinbefore prescribed out of the funds of the said local authority, within a period of thirty days after demand in writing made by or on behalf of the Kiwitea County Council, and all such payments shall be paid from time to time to the Clerk of the said County Council for and on behalf of such County Council.

SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge and approaches over the Oroua River, on the Apati Main South Road, about five miles and a half north of Apati Township; as the site of the said bridge is delineated on the plan marked R. 893, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon marked in red colour.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

Land temporarily reserved in the Auckland Land District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 roods, more or less, being Sections Nos. 13, 14, and 15 of the Village of Te Rau-a-moa, situated in Block IX, Pirongia Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road 100 links wide, 230.9 links; towards the south-east by Section No. 16 of the Village of Te Rau-a-moa, 250 links; towards the south-west by Section No. 12 of the aforesaid village, 369.1 links; and towards the north-west by a public road 100 links wide, 235.6 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53088/12, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For a site for sheep-dip.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands

Land temporarily reserved in the Auckland Land District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres and 13 perches, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block IX, Kawhia North Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Short Street, 433.3 links; towards the south-east by Lots Nos. 66 and 67 of Karewa Township and part of Waiwera Street, 664.1 links; towards the south-west by Maketu Block, 465.2 links; and towards the north-west by Pahi Street, 713.3 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 56626/11, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For a site for a public hospital.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Lands permanently reserved.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

And whereas by the two-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of the said Act it is provided that land temporarily reserved under the said two-hundred-and-thirty-fifth section may, at the expiration of one month but not later than six months after the publication in the *Gazette* of notice of such temporary reservation, be permanently reserved, and that notice of such permanent reservation shall be published in the *Gazette*:

And whereas the lands specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto were, by the Warrants the dates of which are specified in the third column of the said Schedule, and the notifications of which were published in the *Gazettes* specified in the fourth column, temporarily reserved under the authority of the said Act for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby permanently reserve the lands so temporarily reserved as aforesaid, and enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto, for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule, being the same purposes for which the said lands were so temporarily reserved as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	Gazette.
				A. R. P.		1907.	1907.
Auckland ..	Maramarua Parish	70	..	10 0 0	Quarry	14 May	No. 45, 23 May.
" ..	Orahiri S.D.* ..	5	XIV	2 3 37	Site for a public school	25 May	No. 50, 13 June.
" ..	Township of Tokatoka	57	..	0 2 11	Public recreation-ground	6 June	" "
" ..	Ditto	71 and 72	..	1 0 0	Ditto	"	" "
" ..	"	90 to 97 (inclusive)	..	6 0 8	"	"	" "
" ..	"	98, 99, and 100	..	1 3 5	"	"	" "
" ..	"	109, 110, and 111	..	3 1 0	"	"	" "
" ..	"	112, 113, 114, and 116	..	5 0 9	"	"	" "
" ..	Village of Rangaroa	2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7	II	8 1 27	Site for a public hospital	"	" "
" ..	Village of Taneatua	24	..	1 0 0	Ditto	"	" "
" ..	Orahiri S.D.* ..	7	XVI	3 0 0	Public cemetery ..	24 June	No. 58, 4 July.
" ..	Village of Rangaroa	10	VI	2 0 25	Site for a public school	1 July	" "
" ..	Cambridge S.D.* (Karapiro Settlement)	11	IX	4 0 0	Gravel	4 July	No. 61, 11 July.
Hawke's Bay	Woodville S.D.* ..	106	XIII	28 1 0	Public utility ..	29 April	No. 40, 2 May.
" ..	Town of West Clive	50	..	0 2 9	Site for a public school	13 May	No. 43, 16 May.
" ..	Takapau S.D.* ..	11	VIII	5 0 0	"	6 June	No. 50, 13 June.
" ..	Motuotaria S.D.* ..	20	I	10 0 1	"	"	" "
" ..	Woodville S.D.* ..	21A	II	4 0 0	Gravel	"	" "
Wellington	Mataroa Township (Suburban)	27	..	1 2 0	Public cemetery ..	25 May	No. 53, 20 June.
" ..	Ruahine S.D.* ..	1A	V	59 1 0	Forest and scenery ..	"	" "
" ..	"	2A	"	23 0 0	"	"	" "
" ..	"	2B	"	8 0 0	"	"	" "
" ..	Kaitieke S.D.* ..	8	VI	1,501 0 0	Growth and preservation of timber	"	" "
" ..	Waddington Settlement (Belmont S.D.*)	1	IX	3 0 0	Public recreation-ground	6 June	No. 50, 13 June.
" ..	Ditto	1	X	2 3 16	Site for a public school	"	" "
" ..	Waiouru Township (Suburban)	16	..	6 0 0	"	"	" "
" ..	Ditto	10	III	1 0 28	Public pound ..	"	" "
" ..	"	15	..	9 0 1	Public recreation-ground	"	" "
" ..	Waiouru Township	19	II	0 1 0	Municipal	"	" "
" ..	"	16	"	0 1 0	Site for a Courthouse	"	" "
" ..	"	7	"	0 2 0	Municipal	"	" "
" ..	"	3	I	0 1 0	Public buildings of the General Government	"	" "
" ..	"	5	II	0 2 0	Police	"	" "
" ..	"	4	"	0 1 0	Municipal	"	" "
" ..	Hautapu S.D.* ..	29	XI	715 0 0	Forest conservation and sanctuary for native birds	26 June	No. 58, 4 July.
" ..	Raurimu Township	1	I	0 1 11	Municipal	"	" "
" ..	"	1	II	0 1 20	"	"	" "
" ..	"	13	"	0 0 30	Post-office site ..	"	" "
" ..	"	8	III	1 0 16	Police	"	" "
" ..	"	5	IV	2 3 10	Public recreation-ground	"	" "
" ..	"	2	"	3 3 20	Site for a public school	"	" "

* Survey District.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	Gazette.
Wellington	Mangaone S.D.* ..	11A	I	A. R. P. 5 0 0	Gravel	1907. 4 July	1907. No. 61, 11 July.
	Tararua S.D.* ..	63	VII	20 1 23	Preservation of scenery		
Nelson ..	Reefton S.D.* ..	Res. 14 (in red)	I	182 0 0	Addition to a timber reserve	14 May	No. 45, 23 May.
Marlborough	Town of Millerton	44 and 45	..	0 1 24	Metal	6 June	No. 50, 13 June.
Canterbury	Onamalutu S.D.* ..	1	XVI	540 0 0	River-protection ..	29 April	No. 40, 2 May.
Otago ..	Oxford S.D.* ..	Res. 3739	I, II, III	3,850 0 0	Forest and climatic ..		
Southland	Town of Queenstown	2A	LI	0 0 27	Public utility ..	26 June	No. 58, 4 July.
	Town of Ettrick ..	5	X	3 2 16	Site for a public school	28 June	
	Village of Holmesdale	11	VI	1 1 7	Gravel	13 May	No. 43, 16 May.
	Town of Hirstfield	4	XI	0 2 17	Public recreation-ground		
		1	XVII	6 2 26	Ditto		
	Town of Menzies' Ferry	48A	IV	0 2 0	Gravel-pit	6 June	No. 50, 13 June.
	Wairaki S.D.* (Beaumont Settlement)	5	XXIX	5 0 9	Site for a public school		

* Survey District.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Rural Lands in Nelson Land District open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and thirty-six of "The Land Act, 1892," and section two of "The Bush and Swamp Crown Lands Settlement Act, 1903," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby declare and provide as follows, that is to say:—

1. The rural lands described in the Schedule hereto are hereby set apart for disposal by way of selection on and after the fifth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seven, at the rentals specified in the said Schedule.

2. The said lands may be selected on lease in perpetuity only, as provided by section one hundred and twenty-one of "The Land Act, 1892," as they contain, or are supposed to contain, metal, mineral, or valuable stone, and shall not be purchased for cash.

3. For the purposes of "The Bush and Swamp Crown Lands Settlement Act, 1903," the lands enumerated in the said Schedule hereto shall be deemed to be "heavy-bush land."

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

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

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—BULLER COUNTY.—KONGAHU BLOCK.
Second-class Unsurveyed Heavy-bush Land.

District.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.: Rent per Acre per Annum.
Kongahu ..	III	Acres. 430	4-68d.
" ..	VI	30	4-68d.

Hilly pastoral country, with patches of excellent soil on western side of Glass-eye Creek, remainder good soil of sedimentary marine formation; covered with bush, comprising birch, rimu, and kamahi. Access by about two miles of unformed track from the Little Wanganui River, which is distant about thirty-five miles from Westport by steamer.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

And whereas the Aotea District Maori Land Board, by a recommendation made and passed by the said Board on the tenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and six, and received on the sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, recommended the Governor to remove and revoke the restrictions against alienation contained in the instrument of title of the block of land particularised and set out in the Schedule hereto:

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Wellington Land District, containing 7 acres and 28-8 perches, more or less, being the land known as Subdivision 15 of Section 8 of Block XI, Belmont, and comprised in an order of the Native Land Court on investigation of title dated the 21st day of March, 1888, which said order contains the restriction that the land comprised therein shall be "inalienable."

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

J. CARROLL,
Native Minister.

Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

And whereas the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board, by a recommendation made and passed by the said Board on the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and received on the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, recommended the Governor to remove and revoke the restrictions against alienation contained in the instrument of title of the block of land known as Papakorokoro No. 2B, so far as to permit the said land to be sold:

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Cook County, containing 201 acres 2 roods 16 perches, more or less, being the land known as Papakorokoro No. 2B, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 11th day of September, 1900, subject to the restriction that the said land shall be "inalienable, except by lease for a period not exceeding twenty-one years."

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

J. CARROLL,
Native Minister.

Trustee for the Pareora 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 Hon. JOHN ANSTEX, M.L.C.,

to be a Trustee, in the place of James John Rapsey, deceased, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Pareora 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 thirty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Trustee for the Hukerenui 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

JOHN PATRICK KEOGH

to be a Trustee, in the place of Michael O'Donoghue, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Hukerenui 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 thirty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands

Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM JOHN SMITH

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

JOHN G. FINDLAY,
Colonial Secretary.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1907.

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

Name.	..	District.
RICHARD WILLIAM PERCY	..	Patea.
JOHN ALEXANDER ALGIE	..	Waipu.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,
Colonial Secretary.

Members of State Fire Insurance Board appointed.

Wellington, 22nd July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM CHARLES CHATFIELD, Esq., of Wellington, and
EDWIN ARNOLD, Esq., J.P., of Wellington,

to be members of the State Fire Insurance Board, under "The State Fire Insurance Act, 1903," as from the date hereof.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,
For Colonial Treasurer.

Appointment in the Department of Roads.

Department of Roads,
Wellington, N.Z., 26th July, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

TOM LESTER COOPER

to be a clerical cadet in the Department of Roads, as from 12th August, 1905.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

Cadet appointed.

Head Office, Stamp Department,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN HENRY MCKAY

to be a cadet in the Stamp Office, at Wellington, as from the 29th day of August, 1907.

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Stamp Duties.

Typiste appointed.

Head Office, Stamp Department,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the appointment, under transfer from the Lands and Survey Department, of

MARNIE SPICER

as Typiste in the Deeds Registry Office, at Auckland, as from the 11th day of August, 1907.

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Stamp Duties.

Sittings of Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 31st August, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

The RAGLAN HALL, Raglan,

to be a place wherein sittings of the Magistrate's Court shall be held, in lieu of the Courthouse previously appointed.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

Police Gaoler appointed.

Department of Justice (Prisons Branch),
Wellington, 29th August, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable JOSIAH GILBERT MACKAY

to be Police Gaoler at Nelson, *vice* Constable James Weatherly, resigned.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Minister of Justice.

Appointment of Officers to the New Plymouth Reformatory Prison.

Department of Justice (Prisons Branch),
Wellington, 31st August, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments to the New Plymouth Reformatory Prison for the detention of habitual criminals and habitual offenders:—

To be Manager:

Gaoler SYDNEY MILLINGTON.

To be Surgeon:

Gaol Surgeon HUGH A. MCCLELAND, M.R.C.S.

To be Matron:

Matron MARGARET O'GRADY.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Minister of Justice.

Resident Commissioner, &c., at Niue appointed.

Cook and other Islands Administration,
Wellington, 2nd September, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY GREYSHOTT CORNWALL, Esq.,

to be Resident Commissioner, Postmaster, and Collector of Customs in the Island of Niue, *vice* C. F. Maxwell, Esq., resigned.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

Officer appointed to sell or supply Liquor in the Island of Niue.

Cook and other Islands Administration,
Wellington, 2nd September, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY GREYSHOTT CORNWALL, Esq.,

to be the officer who may sell or supply liquor in the Island of Niue under the provisions of section 22 of "The Licensing Acts Amendment Act, 1904," *vice* C. F. Maxwell, Esq.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

Inspector of Mines appointed.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 30th August, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FRANK REED, Esq., M.Inst.M.E.,

as an Inspector of Mines under section 22 of "The Coal-mines Act, 1905."

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Minister of Mines.

Trustee of the Tolago Bay Public Cemetery resigned.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 30th August, 1907.

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

GEORGE SPENCE

as a Trustee of the Tolago Bay Public Cemetery.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Hurunui Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 30th August, 1907.

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

WILLIAM ALEXANDER BANKS

to be a member of the Hurunui Domain Board, in the place of Thomas White, resigned.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Port Robinson Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 30th August, 1907.

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

CORNELIUS DALY

to be a member of the Port Robinson Domain Board, in the place of John Sinclair, resigned.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Public Vaccinator appointed.

Department of Public Health,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ARTHUR LEONARD ANDERSON, Esq., M.B. Mast. Surg
1898, M.D. Univ. Edin. 1903,

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

GEO. FOWLDS,
Minister of Public Health.

Volunteer Officer transferred to Active List (Unattached).

Defence Office,
Wellington, 29th August, 1907.

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

Captain FREDERIC JOHN COURTNEY

from D Battery, New Zealand Field Artillery Volunteers, to the Active List (Unattached), with his present rank, and with effect from 7th August, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer transferred to Active List (Unattached).

Defence Office,
Wellington, 29th August, 1907.

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

Lieutenant SIDNEY ARTHUR EDINGER

from No. 1 Company, New Zealand Engineer Volunteers (Canterbury Engineer Volunteers), to the Active List (Unattached), with his present rank, and with effect from 1st August, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Appointment of Intelligence Officer, Nelson Military District.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 29th August, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 27, General Regulations of the Defence Forces of New Zealand, 1906, of the appointment of

Captain (Adjutant) GEORGE FREDERICK COULTER GLOVER
No. 1 Battalion, Nelson Defence Rifle Cadet Volunteers,

as Intelligence Officer for the Nelson Military District, and with effect from 13th August, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 29th August, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the following appointment:—

No. 1 Company, New Zealand Garrison Artillery Volunteers
(Auckland Naval Artillery Volunteers).

Percival Beaumont Greenhough to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 5th June, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 29th August, 1907.

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

North Otago Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant William Hedley. Date of resignation, 3rd August, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer transferred.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 29th August, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 84, General Regulations of the Defence Forces of New Zealand, 1906, of the transfer of

Lieutenant PERCY RICHMOND FORDHAM

from the Oamaru Rifle Volunteers to the Dunedin Rifle Volunteers, with his present rank, and with effect from 20th May, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 2nd September, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

KAWHIA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order making Special Rate.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that the following special order, making a special rate to meet the interest and other charges on a loan of £234, was duly passed at a special meeting of the Council on the 21st January, 1907, viz. :—

That, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Kawhia County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £234 (this is a portion of a loan of £12,000 for two consecutive years' expenditure), authorised to be raised by the Kawhia County Council, under the above-named Act, for the purpose of providing for the forming and metalling of

the roads in the Kawhia, Te Puru, and Karewa Townships, and in the Kawhia Riding, the said loan to be for a period of forty-one years, and that the interest to be paid is at the rate of 4 per centum per annum, the said Kawhia 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 in the Kawhia Special-rating District, comprising Section W, No. 2B; Titoki, Kereatua; Reserve H; 6008L, No. 1, Block V, Pourewa; 6096LC, Blocks V and VI; 6096 11/LC, 2, Block IX; 6096A, Pakerikeri, Block V; 6096/19, Sections 2, P. 8; P. 6096, Block VI; 6096/9, Block V; 6096/16 and 18; P. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 7, Block IX; P. 9, Motungoio; Recreation Reserve; part of PL 11, Block IX; Kawhia M, Block IX; P. 2, Block X; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8; P. 3, Block X—all Kawhia North; Sections 1 to 11, Block I; 1 to 12, Block II; 1 to IV, Block III; 1 to 10, Block IV; 1 to 8, Block V; 1 to 12, Block VI; 1 to 6, Block VII; 1 to 11, Block VIII; 1 to 5, Block IX; and 1, Block X, Kawhia Town; Sections 1 to 19, Block I; 1 to 28, Block II; and 1 to 8, Block III, Te Puru Township; Sections 1 to 67, Block I; and 1 to 89, Karewa Township; and on all Native lands in Kawhia Riding: and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and shall be payable on the 1st day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until such loan is fully paid off.

WILLIAM J. SHAW,
Chairman.

J. K. NEWTON,
County Clerk.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

MANAWATU COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Manawatu County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £50 sterling (10 per cent. on loan of £500), authorised to be raised by the Manawatu County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the construction of two bridges on the Feilding-Awahuri Road, the said Manawatu County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Mount Stewart Special District No. 2, comprising all the rateable property within the Riding of Mount Stewart, County of Manawatu; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly adopted by the Manawatu County Council at a special meeting held on the 15th day of July, 1907, and was duly confirmed at a subsequent meeting of the Council held on the 14th day of August, 1907.

Dated this 30th August, 1907.

A. K. DREW,
County Clerk.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 29th August, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

TAIHAPE BOROUGH COUNCIL.

I HEREBY give notice, under section 13 of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," that at a poll of the ratepayers and other

persons entitled to vote within the Taihape Drainage Special-rating District No. 2, held on the 26th day of August, 1907, on the Taihape Borough Council's proposal to borrow by way of special loan the sum of £1,100 for the purpose of extending the drainage system within the said special-rating district, the following votes were recorded: For the proposal, 25; against the proposal, 0.

I therefore declare the proposal duly carried.

ANTHONY NATHAN,
Mayor of Taihape.

Taihape, 27th August, 1907.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 29th August, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

KAWHIA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

I HEREBY give notice that at the poll held under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," on Saturday, the 21st day of July, 1906, on the proposal to raise a special loan of £1,000 to widen and metal the Waitetuna-Aotea Road, the following numbers of votes were polled: For the proposal, 11; against, 0.

I hereby declare the proposal carried.

WILLIAM J. SHAW,
Chairman, Kawhia County Council.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 31st August, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

BOROUGH OF CAMBRIDGE.

Result of Poll on Loan Proposals.

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

I HEREBY give notice that on the 27th day of August, 1907, a proposal was submitted by the Cambridge Borough Council to the ratepayers of the Borough of Cambridge for the raising of a special loan of £5,650 for (1) improvements of gasworks, addition to gas plant and services, £750; (2) dining-room and shelter-sheds and addition to borough saleyards, £250; (3) repairing Karapiro Bridge, £300; (4) tarring footpaths, others than those where concrete kerbing has been laid, £500; (5) erection of swimming-baths, £350; (6) erecting and furnishing a Town Hall and municipal buildings, £3,500; and that the number of votes recorded for and against the proposal was as follows:—

- No. 1. For the gasworks loan: For, 146; against, 103; informal, 30.
- No. 2. Saleyards: For, 132; against, 116; informal, 31.
- No. 3. Karapiro Bridge: For, 135; against, 109; informal, 35.
- No. 4. Footpaths: For, 101; against, 143; informal, 34.
- No. 5. Swimming-baths: For, 96; against, 150; informal, 34.
- No. 6. Town Hall: For, 119, against, 129; informal, 31.

As the total number of votes recorded in favour of the proposals Nos. 1, 2, and 3 exceeded those against them, I declare such proposals to be duly carried.

As the total number of votes recorded against the proposals Nos. 4, 5, and 6 exceed those in favour of these proposals, I declare such proposals to be lost.

Dated the 28th day of August, 1907.

W. F. BUCKLAND,
Mayor of the Borough of Cambridge.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 2nd September, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

KAWHIA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

I HEREBY give notice that at the poll held, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," on Saturday, the 21st day of July, 1906, on the proposal to raise a special loan of £1,000 to widen and metal the Awaroa-Mahoe Road, the following numbers of votes were polled: For the proposal, 15; against, 0.

I hereby declare the proposal carried.

WILLIAM J. SHAW,
Chairman, Kawhia County Council.

Tenders.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1907.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Acting Minister for Public Works.

ERECTION OF TE TUA STATION BUILDINGS, OREPUKI-WAIAU RAILWAY.

	£	s.	d.
<i>Accepted.</i>			
Morris, Henry, Invercargill	889	0	0
<i>Declined.</i>			
Sinclair, Donald, Nightcaps	966	5	8
Shields and Andrews, Invercargill	1,035	17	7
Bone, Edward W., Invercargill	1,091	1	0
Levings Bros., Invercargill	1,301	5	6
Birss, William, Invercargill	1,371	12	0
Simms, C. R., Invercargill	1,417	12	2
McLean, Robert, Owaka	1,595	0	0

ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO NORTH DUNEDIN POST-OFFICE.

	£	s.	d.
<i>Accepted.</i>			
Lyders, P. A., Dunedin	932	11	0
<i>Declined.</i>			
Callander and McLeod, Dunedin	981	9	0
Lyders, Henry, Dunedin	991	15	0
Bain, Alexander, Dunedin	1,104	15	5

ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO METHVEN POLICE-STATION.

	£	s.	d.
<i>Accepted.</i>			
Petersen, J. P., Domett	627	0	0
<i>Declined.</i>			
Rands, Clarence, Methven	650	0	0
Talbot, A. F., Christchurch	682	0	0
Taylor Bros., Christchurch	790	9	6
Hyndman, Peter, Christchurch	813	0	0

ERECTION OF ROSS STATION BUILDINGS, HOKITIKA-ROSS RAILWAY.

	£	s.	d.
<i>Accepted.</i>			
Sweetman, E. and W., Greymouth	3,949	10	0
<i>Declined.</i>			
Stevenson and McMillan, Greymouth	4,005	0	0
Franklin and Hosking, Greymouth	4,200	0	0
Drake and Muir, Greymouth	4,222	10	0
Goodfellow, W. W., Greymouth	4,446	10	0
Mouat, W. G., Greymouth	4,452	5	0
Fitzgerald and Bignell, Greymouth	4,457	9	1
Matthews, E., Greymouth	4,900	0	0

O'SULLIVAN'S ROAD BRIDGE CONTRACT, BULLER RIVER.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Sigley, Joseph, Greymouth	4,643	12	0
<i>Declined.</i>				
McWilliams and Andrews, Wellington	5,278	10	0
Fitzgerald and Bignell, Greymouth	5,540	10	0
O'Connor, Maurice, Wellington	5,655	13	4
McLean, D., Wellington	6,500	0	0
Atkinson, S. and R., Westport	6,689	7	0

ERECTION OF POST-OFFICE, DEVONPORT.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Morris, E., Auckland	2,159	0	0
<i>Declined.</i>				
Kay, R., Auckland	2,188	0	0
Guthrie and Colebourne, Auckland	2,190	0	0
Mathieson, J. G., Auckland	2,277	6	0
McAdam, C., Auckland	2,284	17	8
Morris, James, Mount Eden	2,416	4	1

In the matter of the land known as Ngamoe Block, situate in the Waipu District, in the Land District of Poverty Bay.

WHEREAS by section 11 of "The Maori Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1904," as amended by section 11 of "The Maori Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1906," it is enacted that it is lawful for the Governor by Order in Council to appoint one or more Royal Commissions to investigate, *inter alia*, the claims and allegations of certain Natives claiming to be interested in the said land, and that the said enactment should operate as a caveat against the registration of any further dealings with the said land, or the issue of any orders still remaining in the custody of the Court, until Parliament has dealt with the recommendation of such Royal Commission or Commissions, or until the Minister by notice in the *Gazette* and *Kahiti* declares that the necessity for such caveat or non-issue of orders no longer exists either as to the whole or any portion of the said land:

Now, therefore, I, James Carroll, the Native Minister, in pursuance of the premises and in exercise of all powers and authorities enabling me in that behalf, hereby declare that in the case of the said land known as Ngamoe the necessity for such caveat no longer exists, and that the said caveat against the registration of dealings and the issue of orders shall be and the same is hereby withdrawn.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this 4th day of September, 1907.

J. CARROLL,
Native Minister.

Postponement of Meeting of the Board appointed under "The Agricultural Implement Manufacture, Importation, and Sale Act, 1905."

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1907.

THE meeting of the Board constituted under the above Act summoned to be held at Christchurch, in the Provincial Hall, at 10 a.m. on Monday, 26th August, 1907, to inquire into a complaint made under section 4 of the Act, is hereby postponed until Tuesday, 17th September, 1907, when the Board will meet at the same time and place.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Customs.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

CULVERDEN ESTATE.

ACREAGE and Description.—All that area, containing 25,155 acres, more or less, known as the Culverden Estate, consisting of Sections 1 to 12, 13 to 17, 18 to 21, 22 to 29, 49, 61 to 63, 75, 76, 76A, 77 to 83, 85 to 101, 105 to 116, 125 to 129, 189 to 232, 234, 237, and 238, Culverden and Mandamus Survey Districts, Canterbury Land District, as shown in certificate of title, Vol. 194, folios 240 and 241.

The Minister's classification of the land: First-class, 8,910 acres; second-class, 9,883 acres; third-class, 6,362 acres.

The land intended to be taken is the whole of the owners' interest.

The registered owners are the trustees of Sir J. Cracroft Wilson's estate, Messrs. E. C. J. Stevens and R. M. Macdonald.

Dated at Wellington, this 29th day of August, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Officiating Ministers for 1907.—Notice No. 37.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 2nd September, 1907.

AT the request of the President of the Conference of the Methodist Church of Australasia in New Zealand, the name of Mr. Charles John Bush has been withdrawn from the List of Officiating Ministers in connection with that religious body, under "The Marriage Act, 1904," for the year 1907.

E. J. von DADELSZEN,
Registrar-General.

Wellington Education Board.—Extraordinary Election, Wellington City Ward.

THE following is the result of the voting for the election of a member to the Wellington City Ward of the Wellington Education Board, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of the Rev. W. A. Evans:—

Aitken, John Guthrie Wood 51 votes.
Ferguson, John 32 "

Valid votes, 83; invalid votes, 4.

I therefore declare JOHN GUTHRIE WOOD AITKEN to be duly elected a member of the Wellington Education Board, representing Wellington City Ward.

J. VARNHAM,
Acting Returning Officer.

Education Board,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1907.

Notice of Vesting of Land in the Public Trustee under "The Unclaimed Lands Act, 1894."

WHEREAS I, the undersigned, the Public Trustee, have, for the purposes of "The Unclaimed Lands Act, 1894," made due inquiries with respect to the land described in the Schedule hereunder written, and the owner thereof, and have, in respect of the said land, given the notices prescribed by section 4 of the said Act, and have in all respects complied with the provisions of the said section: And whereas I have not thereby ascertained who the owner is, and believe that such owner is not in the colony, nor has such owner established his title to the said land, as required by the said Act: I hereby give notice that the said land is, under and by virtue of the said Act, vested in me, as the Public Trustee as aforesaid, as from the date of the publication hereof, and will be administered under the said Act; the value of the land for the purposes of section 5 of the said Act being less than £100.

Dated at Wellington, this 2nd day of September, 1907.

J. W. POYNTON,
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing 60 acres, more or less, being the south-western portion of Section No. 108 and the north-eastern portion of Section No. 109, Ruatangata, in the Provincial District of Auckland.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in Nelson Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 30th August, 1907.

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

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Lease No.	Tenure.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
190	M.D.L.O.	15	XI	Mokihinui	W. F. Warren	Non-fulfilment of conditions.
130	"	5	II	Ngakawau	Denis O'Brien	Ditto.

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.

Rural Lands in Nelson Land District open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands Office,
Nelson, 2nd September, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned lands will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Thursday, the 5th day of December, 1907, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," and "The Bush and Swamp Crown Lands Settlement Act, 1903."

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

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—BULLER COUNTY.—KONGAHU BLOCK.

Second-class Unsurveyed Heavy-bush Land.

District.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 4 per Cent.: Rent per Acre per Annum.
Kongahu	III	Acres. 430	4-68d.
"	VI	30	4-68d.

Hilly pastoral country, with patches of excellent soil on western side of Glass-eye Creek, remainder good soil of

sedimentary marine formation; covered with bush, comprising birch, rimu, and kamahi. Access by about two miles of unformed track from the Little Wanganui River, which is distant about thirty-five miles from Westport by steamer.

F. W. FLANAGAN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

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

F. W. FLANAGAN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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.

Reserves in Canterbury Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Christchurch, 26th August, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserves will be offered for lease by public auction, for a term of seven years, at this office, at 3 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 30th day of September, 1907, under the provisions of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881."

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—AKAROA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Reserve.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
77	IV	35 3 11	25 0 0
77A	"	60 0 0	36 0 0
169	"	10 0 0	5 0 0

Locality and Description.

Reserves Nos. 77 and 77A are situated on the slopes of German Bay Hill, about a mile and a half north-westerly from the Town of Akaroa, and comprise good hilly grazing land.

Reserve No. 169 is situated at Petite Carenage Bay, on the west side of Akaroa Harbour, and consists of rough hilly grazing land. This reserve is let subject to the right of the public to use the same for landing purposes.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The purchaser of the lease shall, immediately upon the fall of the hammer, deposit an amount equal to six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 ls. lease fee.
2. Possession will be given on the 1st October, 1907.
3. The lease will be for a term of seven years.
4. The Commissioner of Crown Lands may at any time resume possession of the land comprised in the lease, or any portion thereof, by giving to the lessee twelve months' notice in writing of his intention so to do.
5. The lessee shall have no claim against the Crown for compensation either for any improvements that may be placed upon the land, or on account of the aforesaid resumption, or for any other cause.
6. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the whole or any portion of the land comprised in the lease, except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
7. The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and shall prevent their increase or spread, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
8. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbriar on the land comprised in the lease; and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, sweetbriar, broom, or other noxious weeds or plants as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

9. The lessee shall once a year during the said term, and at the proper season of the year, properly cut and trim all live fences now on the demised land, or which may be planted thereon during the said term.

10. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance, free from all deductions whatsoever.

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

Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

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

Village-homestead Allotments.

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

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

JOHN HAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
43	1 0 0	25 0 0	53	1 0 0	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.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Aotea District Maori Land Board.

Whanganui, 31st August, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Aotea District Maori Land Board to be held at Whanganui on Tuesday, the 17th day of September, 1907, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow. All applications relating to land situated south of Palmerston North will be adjourned to be dealt with at Wellington on Friday, the 27th day of September, 1907.

THOS. W. FISHER, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT TO LEASE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.
A. 1907/154	Malcolm Mackan (by his solicitors, Stafford and Treadwell)	Ngarara West B, part Subdivision 5..	Irihapeti Rihimoana Pitiroi and others.
A. 1907/158	John Bartosh (by his solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Awarua 3A2E2	Eruiti Heani.
A. 1907/159	Henry Dargaville Burnett (by his solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Awarua 4A3C, Section 4G ..	Te Rangitowhare and another.
A. 1907/160	Richard Baddely (by his solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Maraetaua 3B	Mereana Ngatau and others.
A. 1907/162	Frank Stubbing (by his solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Rangiwaea 4E2C	Henare Tihema.
A. 1907/163	Gregor McGregor (by his solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Waimarino 3B	Tarihira Makarini.
A. 1907/164	Kate McFadyen (by her solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Te Tuhi 2B	Kamene Papanui and others.
A. 1907/165	Herbert Rawson and another (by their solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Maungakaretu 4B3	Tairui Timoti and others.
A. 1907/166	Gregor McGregor (by his solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Waimarino No. 3Q	Successors of Tikura te Huaki, deceased.
A. 1907/167	Alex. S. Cameron (by his solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Wairoro 3C	Patu Ranginui and others.
A. 1907/168	John Selby Morton (by his solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Otiranui 4D	Ngaraihi Mete Kingi and others.
A. 1907/169	William Craig (by his solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Puketotara 2D2	Te Hore Wikimoa and others.
A. 1907/172	Irvine and Tansley (by their solicitors, Barnicoat and Treadwell)	Raketapauma 1H	Rapera Waiata.
A. 1907/173	Frederick Train (by his solicitors, Barnicoat and Treadwell)	Kaipo 1B	Haata Rio and others.
A. 1907/174	Bennett and Punch (by their solicitors, Barnicoat and Treadwell)	Urewera 1c No. 5	Tarewa Heremaia.
A. 1907/175	Bennett and Punch (by their solicitors, Barnicoat and Treadwell)	Urewera 1c No. 4	Mata te Kaihoe and others.
A. 1907/176	H. G. Glasgow (by his solicitors, Watt and Cohen)	Tiniwaitere .. ..	..
A. 1907/177	John Collins (by his solicitors, Fullerton-Smith and Miles)	Awarua 3A2I	Whakatihia Rora.
A. 1907/178	J. A. Morton (by his solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Otiranui 4c	Rihiona te Tua and others.
A. 1907/179	Richard Bernard Coffy (by his solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Te Tuhi 4C1D	Tuka Matairangi and others.
A. 1907/180	Bennett and Punch (by their solicitors, Barnicoat and Treadwell)	Otiranui No. 4K	Pita Whatitiri and others.
A. 1907/182	Perham and Larsen (by their solicitors, Bullock and Currie)	Awarua 4C9F	Utiku Potaka.
A. 1907/183	David E. Dustin (by his solicitors, Bullock and Currie)	Paranuiamata 10A	Nepia te Tauri and others.
A. 1907/184	E. W. Spooner (by his solicitors, Bullock and Currie)	Raketapauma 3C No. 2 ..	Ripeka Tatiana and others.
A. 1907/185	George Watson (by his solicitors, Bullock and Currie)	Urewera 1C2	Aterea Whakarake and others.
A. 1907/186	J. R. McDonald (by his agent, J. M. Fraser)	Horowhenua 11B36, Section 3G1 ..	Riria Peene and others.
A. 1907/187	George Tyler Lynch and another (by their solicitor, Cecil J. Wray)	Manganui-a-te-Ao No. 30	Te Whango Wi Kohika and another.
A. 1907/188	James Bruce Beale (by his solicitors, Gifford-Moore and Beale)	Lower Aorangi 3G No. 1, Subdivisions 1 and 2A	Taitoka Pikihiua.
A. 1907/189	James Bruce Beale (by his solicitors, Gifford-Moore and Beale)	Lower Aorangi 3G No. 1, Subdivision 2B	Rawinia te Rangi.
A. 1907/193	Charles Gray (by his solicitors, Field, Luckie, and Toogood)	Pukerua 3c1	Erenora Tungia.
A. 1907/194	James Dealey (by his solicitors, Field, Luckie, and Toogood)	Hutt, Section 19, Subdivision 21D ..	Raimapapa, <i>alias</i> Raimapapa te Paki.
..	H. H. Harris (by his solicitor, C. E. Mackay)	Raetihi No. 2B1D .. ..	..
..	W. A. Oldham (by his solicitor, C. E. Mackay)	Maraekowhai Native Reserve (part) ..	..

APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT TO LEASE—*continued.*

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.
A. 1907/198	H. R. Waldegrave and another (by their solicitors, Kirk and Stevens)	Awarua 1A No. 3 North ..	Utiku Potaka and others.
A. 1907/199	H. R. Waldegrave and another (by their solicitors, Kirk and Stevens)	Awarua 1A No. 3 South ..	Rapana Tangaru and others.
A. 1907/200	Elinor M. Barns (by her solicitors, Burnett and Gordon)	Ngatarua No. 7 ..	Te Rane Puna and others.
A. 1907/201	J. R. A. Ross (by her solicitor, C. E. Mackay)	Ngongohau Putiki Reserve ..	Paramatau Ngamoko.
A. 1907/202	Tangaroa Nopera (by his solicitors, Burnett and Gordon)	Para Para 2B2I ..	Mere te Whatarangi and others.
A. 1907/203	William Bayne (by his solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Parikawau B... ..	Huirua Rangitauria and others.
A. 1907/204	William H. Cains (by his solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Whakahuraawaka ..	Hone Tumango and others.
A. 1907/205	John Porter (by his solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Maraetaua No. 1D ..	Mihipeka Ngahu and others.
A. 1907/206	John Porter (by his solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Maraetaua No. 1E ..	Tangaroa Nopera and others.
A. 1907/207	J. W. Wakefin (by his solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Raetihi 4B No. 5 ..	Te Herewini te Tawhero and others.
A. 1907/208	H. Abbot and another (by their solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Raetihi 2B2B ..	Turehu Koromatusa and others.
A. 1907/209	E. W. Spooner (by his solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Raketapauma 3D2 ..	Hohi Matene and others.
A. 1907/210	E. W. Spooner (by his solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Raketapauma 5B No. 2 ..	Wiremu Tatiana and others.
A. 1907/211	E. W. Spooner (by his solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Raketapauma 3B2 ..	Porokoro Waiere and others.
A. 1907/212	Pihopa Turehu (by his solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Waimarino No. 3H ..	Turehu Koromatusa and others.
A. 1907/213	James Dobbs (by his solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Waimarino Reserve A No. 13 ..	Te Ataiwaho and others.

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.
A. 1907/151	Matai Kahawai and W. H. Field (by their solicitors, Field, Luckie, and Toogood)	Ngarara West A, Section 53A ..	Sale.
A. 1907/152	Ngaronga Tamati and others and W. H. Field (by their solicitors, Field, Luckie, and Toogood)	Ngarara West A, Section 53B ..	Sale.
A. 1907/153	Karaitiana Rawiri Renata and others ..	Wairere No. 2 ..	Sale.
A. 1907/161	Ruawhata Ihiterangi and others and D. Mason (by their solicitors, Marshall and Hutton) ..	Owhangaroa No. 1 ..	Sale.
A. 1907/170	Te Rou Ariki Rangimanawanui and Gifford Marshall (by their solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Waipu 1D4C ..	Mortgage.
A. 1907/171	Maaka te Tui and James Craig (by their solicitors, Marshall and Hutton)	Rakautaua 4c No. 6 ..	Sale.
A. 1907/181	Ray Tansey (by his solicitors, Barnicoat and Treadwell)	Otiranui No. 5B ..	Sale.
A. 1907/190	Winara Parata Stubbs and W. H. Field (by their solicitors, Field, Luckie, and Toogood)	Kukutaunaki No. 1 ..	Sale.
A. 1907/191	Tamehana Te Karu and W. H. Field (by their solicitors, Field, Luckie, and Toogood)	Ngarara West A, part Section 24B ..	Sale.
A. 1907/192	Erenora Tungia and Charles Gray (by their solicitors, Field, Luckie, and Toogood)	Pukerna 3c1 ..	Sale.
A. 1907/195	Tau Kirangi Pine te Puki and others and David Paul (by their solicitors, Weston and Weston)	Part Section 49, Waitara East ..	Sale.
A. 1907/196	Mere Makirangi and Kate Wilson (by their solicitors, Kirk and Stevens)	Belmont, Subdivision 26B, Section 8, Block XI	Sale.
A. 1907/197	Henare Pumipi and Kate Wilson (by their solicitors, Kirk and Stevens)	Belmont, Subdivision 26C, Section 8, Block XI	Sale.
A. 1907/214	Winiata Puhaki and Eliza H. Studholme (by their solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Ruanui No. 1, Subdivision 4 ..	Lease.
A. 1907/215	Whango te Kooro and Eliza H. Studholme (by their solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Ruanui No. 1, Subdivision 5 ..	Lease.
A. 1907/216	Hohi Matene and Eliza H. Studholme (by their solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Ruanui No. 1, Subdivision 6 ..	Lease.
A. 1907/217	Nika Waiata and Eliza H. Studholme (by their solicitors, Borlase and Saunders)	Ruanui No. 1, Subdivision 8 ..	Lease.
..	Perenara Heremia and another and H. J. Jillett (by their solicitors, Menteath and Beere)	Ohau No. 3, Subdivision 26, Section 2D	Sale.

Meeting of Te Ikaroo District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 2nd September, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of Te Ikaroo District Maori Land Board to be held at the Council Chambers, Hastings, on Wednesday, the 25th day of September, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Applications relating to lands in the Wairarapa district will be adjourned for hearing at Masterton or at Wellington as may be arranged, if the parties so desire.

R. C. SIM, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT TO LEASE.

No. of Papers.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.	Term of Lease.	Area proposed to be leased.
HAWKE'S BAY DISTRICT.					
				Years.	A. R. P.
I. 1907/30	Daniel Selbie (by his solicitors, Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers)	Manawaangi No. 2..	Ripeka Nohoturuturu and others	21	5,270 0 0
I. 1907/42	W. M. Broughton (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	Omahu No. 2A ..	Meihana Taorangi and others	10	382 0 0
I. 1907/43	W. M. Broughton (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	Omahu No. 2B ..	Hera Tipene and others ..	10	353 3 35
I. 1907/87	E. J. McLean (by her solicitor, D. Scannell)	Ngatarawa 2E No. 1 ..	Atareta Hokahoka ..	21	165 1 17
I. 1907/93	Tihema Keepa Winiata (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	Ngatarawa No. 2A ..	Hana Hinemanu and others	21	164 2 9
I. 1907/96	William Orr (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	Matahiwi ..	Hinetauaraia Pake ..	21	13 2 0
I. 1907/98	William Orr (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	Matahiwi No. 1 ..	Morehu te Hira ..	21	9 0 0
I. 1907/102	H. J. H. Glazebrook (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	Karamu D and E No. 2	Tuahine Renata ..	21	119 1 36
I. 1907/124	Richard Thorp and John Baker (by their solicitors, Cresswell and Gleeson)	Tatara-o-te-Rauhina ..	..	21	5,760 0 0
I. 1907/130	A. Logan, jun. (by his solicitors, Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams)	Kaimotumotu North ..	Harata te Kuru and others	21	458 0 0
I. 1907/139	Mary McKinnon (by her solicitors, Cotterill and Humphries)	Tatara - o - te - Rauhina Lot 1	Rewi Tutu and others ..	21	5,000 0 0
I. 1907/140	F. McConnell (by his solicitors, Cotterill and Humphries)	Tatara - o - te - Rauhina Lot 2	Rewi Tutu and others ..	21	760 0 0
I. 1907/146	Taranaki Kanara te Uamairangi (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	Ohiti-Waitio No 1D ..	Huriwai Raurimu and others	21	197 0 6
I. 1907/158	W. M. Castles ..	Wharawhara No. 3 ..	Eperata Whaitiri ..	21	505 3 5
I. 1907/164	Andrew Logan, jun. (by his solicitors, Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams)	Kaimotumotu North ..	Hoani te Kuru and others	21	458 0 0
I. 1907/168	M. T. Lowry (by her agent, J. M. Fraser)	Pukehamoamo B ..	Hoeroa Tiopira and others	21	742 2 0
I. 1907/169	M. T. Lowry (by her agent, J. M. Fraser)	Pukehamoamo C ..	Atareta Hetariki and others	21	600 1 20
I. 1907/174	Myra F. White (by her solicitor, D. Scannell)	Porangahau 1B No. 1 ..	Tipene Matua ..	10	845 0 0
I. 1907/175	Myra F. White (by her solicitor, D. Scannell)	Mangamaire A No. 4 ..	Tipene Matua ..	10	545 0 0
WAIRARAPA DISTRICT.					
I. 1907/131	A. A. Cameron (by his solicitor, W. G. Beard)	Matapihi ..	Akihi Watene and others	21	916 1 2
I. 1907/132	Paea Apatari (by her solicitor, W. G. Beard)	Paehuia (part) ..	Tawhio te Tau and others	21	156 2 0
I. 1907/133	Euphemia McKay (by her solicitor, W. G. Beard)	Okurupatu A No. 3 ..	Rangitauira Hamuera and others	14	326 3 13

APPLICATIONS FOR ISSUE OF RECOMMENDATIONS TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No. of Papers.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
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HAWKE'S BAY DISTRICT.

I. 1907/63 ..	J. M. Birch (by his solicitors, Findlay, Dalziel, and Co.)	Oruamatua-Kaimanawa No. 2M ..	Sale.
I. 1907/156	Ani Kanara (by her solicitor, T. W. Lewis) ..	Lot 4, Section 16 of Lot 2, Subdivision E, Heretaunga	Sale.
I. 1907/159	Ahere Kohepa (by his solicitor, T. W. Lewis)	Pukehamoamo E ..	Sale.

APPLICATIONS FOR ISSUE OF RECOMMENDATIONS FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS—*continued*.

No. of Papers.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
WAIRARAPA DISTRICT.			
I. 1905/8 ..	Pirika Ruka (by his solicitor, R. Ward Tate) ..	Pukengaki No. 1B ..	Sale.
I. 1905/40 ..	Hokotoki Paora ..	Ununu Block (part) ..	Sale.
I. 1905/41 ..	Aporo Hare and others ..	Pirinoa No. 4 ..	Sale.
I. 1905/44 ..	Kuku Teana ..	Pukengaki No. 20 ..	Sale.
I. 1905/45 ..	Paranihia Ngatuere ..	Pukengaki No. 25 ..	Sale.
I. 1905/48 ..	Eruha Piripi te Maari and others ..	Pukengaki No. 16 ..	Sale.
I. 1906/51 ..	Whaitiri Waimarama ..	Akura No. 14B ..	Sale.
I. 1906/220	Whaitiri Waimarama and others ..	Akura 8c No. 1 ..	Sale.
I. 1906/221	Gawith and Logan ..	Whareama, Section 884 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/45	W. M. Jury (by his agents, Parata and Co.) ..	Pukengaki No. 23 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/47	Emily Jury (by her agents, Parata and Co.) ..	Pukengaki No. 2 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/59	Pahira Anaru ..	Okoura No. 5E ..	Sale.
I. 1907/62	Ereni te Aweawe (by his agent, W. Moffatt) ..	Mangatainoka J No. 4B ..	Mortgage.
I. 1907/97	Ereni te Aweawe (by his agent, W. Moffatt) ..	Pahiatua Native Reserve ..	Sale.
I. 1907/122	Eruha Piripi te Maari and others (by their solicitors, Menteach and Beere) ..	Tauanui No. 1 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/134	Niniwa Heremaia ..	Wainuioru No. 1D ..	Sale.
I. 1907/135	Niniwa Heremaia ..	Pahaoa No. 1B ..	Sale.
I. 1907/136	Arapata te Maari and others (by their agents, Parata and Co.) ..	Ununu No. 1 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/137	Arapata Piripi and others (by their agents, Parata and Co.) ..	Waikekeno No. 3 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/138	Atria Punua (by his agents, Parata and Co.) ..	Hautotara No. 3 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/150	Taare Turi (by his agent, H. Parata) ..	Pukengaki No. 10 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/151	Taare Turi (by his agent, H. Parata) ..	Pukengaki No. 17 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/152	Taare Turi (by his agent, H. Parata) ..	Pukengaki No. 4 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/153	Taare Turi (by his agent, H. Parata) ..	Pukengaki No. 18 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/154	Taare Turi (by his agent, H. Parata) ..	Pukengaki No. 15 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/155	Basil Burch (by his agent, H. Parata) ..	Uruokakite North No. 4 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/165	Himiona Haratiera ..	Makirikiri No. 3 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/166	Huhana Tamati ..	Makirikiri No. 2 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/167	Rutu Wetere and others ..	Makirikiri No. 1 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/170	Ngahui Hemara (by her agent, H. Parata) ..	Pukengaki No. 5 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/171	Hemi Taepa and another ..	Makirikiri No. 1 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/172	Amiria Hanita ..	Makirikiri No. 2 ..	Sale.
I. 1907/173	Maata Apirana (by her solicitors, Bunny, Petherick, and Ayson) ..	Mangatainoka J 4A No. 1 ..	Mortgage.

APPLICATIONS THAT THE BOARD RECOMMEND HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR TO CONSENT, UNDER SECTION 4 OF "THE MAORI LANDS ADMINISTRATION AMENDMENT ACT, 1901," TO SALE OF LAND.

No. of Papers.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Natives alienating.
L. 1905/29	J. Cummins (by his solicitor, W. G. Beard)	Akura 8c No. 1 ..	Whaitiri Waimarama and others.
L. 1907/60	J. Tatham (by his solicitor, W. G. Beard)	Ngapuketuru No. 3 ..	Heta Harawira.

The matters mentioned hereunder will also be dealt with as indicated:—

By Order in Council dated the 16th February, 1907, the block of land known as Tangoio South was vested in Te Ikaroa District Maori Land Board, under the provisions of "The Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905," for an estate in fee-simple in possession (subject to all valid encumbrances, liens, and interests affecting the same), to be held and administered by the said Board for the benefit of the Maori owners.

The Board will consider the best method of dealing with the above-mentioned land.

By letter dated the 6th April, 1907, Messrs. Cotterill and Humphries, solicitors, of Napier, have suggested that the Board proceed, under the provisions of section 17 of "The Maori Lands Settlement Act, 1905," to execute a lease on behalf of the Maori owners of Rakautatahi No. 2B to Te Karini Ruki Ruki (*alias* Ruki Ruki Eraihia).

The Board will consider this request.

NOTE.—All Wairarapa cases will be adjourned to a latter date, the time and place to be notified at the completion of the Hastings business.

Meeting of the Maniapoto-Tuwaharetoa District Maori Land Board.

Auckland, 26th August, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Maniapoto-Tuwaharetoa District Maori Land Board to be held at Te Kuiti on Friday, the 6th day of September, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

JAS. W. BROWNE, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT TO LEASE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.
M.T. 07/49	Loftus Hastings Otway (by his solicitors, Wynyard and Purchas)	Kinohaku West E, Section 1c ..	Tirawahine Tanabira.
M.T. 07/144	L. J. Reynolds (by his agent, John Ormsby)	Te Kuiti 2B No. 20 ..	Pouaka Wharetini and others.
M.T. 07/145	L. J. Reynolds (by his agent, John Ormsby)	Te Kuiti 2B No. 21 ..	Maeroa Matena and others.
M.T. 07/146	C. J. Atkinson (by his agent, John Ormsby)	Kinohaku West G, Section 1c, No. 2	Whare Hotu and others.
M.T. 07/147	Edwin Henry Hardy	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 64q ..	..
M.T. 07/148	Edwin Henry Hardy	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 64r ..	..
M.T. 07/149	Edwin Henry Hardy	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 79 ..	..
M.T. 07/150	Jeremiah Ormsby (as agent for William Lorigan)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68g ..	..
M.T. 07/151	Edwin Henry Hardy	Te Kuiti 2B No. 21 ..	..
M.T. 07/152	Edwin Henry Hardy	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 64p ..	..
M.T. 07/153	Edwin Henry Hardy	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 64o ..	..
M.T. 07/154	Robert B. Lusk (solicitor for Newell William Butler Lusk)	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 1 ..	..
M.T. 07/155	Robert B. Lusk (solicitor for Newell William Butler Lusk)	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 2 ..	..
M.T. 07/156	Robert B. Lusk (solicitor for Newell William Butler Lusk)	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 2B, Nos. 2, 6, and 26 ..	..
M.T. 07/157	Robert B. Lusk (solicitor for Newell William Butler Lusk)	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 2B, No. 1 ..	..
M.T. 07/158	Jeremiah Ormsby (agent for Joseph Smith)	Pukenui 2D No. 3 ..	..
M.T. 07/159	Jeremiah Ormsby (agent for Robert Edgar)	Pukenui 2D No. 3 ..	..
M.T. 07/160	Jeremiah Ormsby (agent for Agnes Leckie Pine)	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 16A ..	..
M.T. 07/161	R. Mainwaring (agent for W. H. Short)	Pokuru No. 2c ..	Rini Huangā.
M.T. 07/87	R. B. Lusk (solicitor for E. W. G. Rathbone)	Pukenui 2D No. 6 ..	Ngarongomate and others.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Application for Confirmation Certificate under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 27th August, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been made to a Judge of the Court for a certificate under section 55 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," confirming the alienation hereunder specified. All objections to the granting of such certificate must be lodged with me within fourteen days from the publication of this notice.

[Auckland, Sec. 55, 1907-6.]

A. G. HOLLAND, Registrar.

THE ALIENATION ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
6	Lease	5th August, 1907 ..	Lot 71, Parish of Pepepe	Ani te Whiu Himiona to Cyril Probyn Berridge.

Adjournment of Sitting of Native Land Court at Puketeraki (Waikouaiti).

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 3rd September, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sitting of the Native Land Court which was advertised to be held at Puketeraki (Waikouaiti) on the 10th day of September, 1907, has been adjourned *sine die*, owing to the prevalence of sickness amongst the Maoris in that district.

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Hastings.

Registrar's Office, Wellington.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Hastings on the 1st day of October, 1907, to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Wellington, 1907-45.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Conveyance	16th October, 1903 ..	East Hastings, Sections 122 and 123	Wikitoria te Umairangi to Thomas Kelly.
2	Transfer of lease	12th February, 1907 ..	Ohiti-Waitio No. 3B ..	Taranaki Kanara te Umairangi to William Thomas Harper.
3	Lease	17th January, 1907 ..	Mangamaire A No. 2B	Tipene Matua to John Ernest White.
4	Lease	2nd July, 1906 ..	Hastings, Lot 2 ..	Ema Kaimokomoko to Sarah Elliott.
5	Lease	16th June, 1906 ..	Mangateretere East ..	Pene te Ua to Taranaki Kanara te Umairangi.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.		
25	Raniera Erihana	Matatuowhiro.
26	Rapoama Huarere	Otarata.
27	Te Whatuiapiti and others	Kakewahine No. 1.
28	Te Whatuiapiti and others	Te Ake.
29	Te Whatuiapiti and others	Waoku No. 2.
30	Te Whatuiapiti and others	Matatuowhiro.
31	Te Whatuiapiti and others	Te Ipuotaraia No. 2.
32	Te Whatuiapiti and others	Papaaruhe.
33	Te Whatuiapiti and others	Roboakiwa No. 2.
34	Wii te Ota Hakiwai and another	Omahu No. 2.
35	Merata Maaka, Hiromina te Orenga, and another	Waipuka No. 3.
36	Merata Maaka, Hiromina te Orenga, and another	Okaihau.
37	David Scannell (solicitor for Kathleen Hiraani Blake and Ralph Holden Wellwood)	Awarua 2c No. 14.
38	Arihi te Nahu and others	Whenuakura.
39	Te Oraora Hokokakahu	Whenuakura.
40	Tame Orihau and others	Waimarama No. 2.
41	Wi Rangirangi and Matiu Whitiki	Waimarama No. 1.
42	Kihikihi Nahika	Tahoraiti No. 2.
43	P. P. Hurunuiorangi	Tiratu.
44	Nepe te Apatu and Renata Pewa	Te Tapairu.
45	Arapata Meha, Eriata Nopera and others	Te Tapairu.
46	Arapata Meha and others	Te Rohitu.
47	Airini te Hei Tawhiri and others	Tarere.
48	P. P. Hurunuiorangi	Rakakautatahi No. 1E.
49	Retia Pareihe and Rititia Maremare	Rakakautatahi No. 2B.
50	Paramene Oneone, Karanema te Nahu, Rangiora Pukepuke, and others (David Scannell)	Raukawa No. 2.
51	Heraani Hutana and others	Rakautatahi.
52	Arihi te Nahu (Henry Ansell)	Paeroa.
53	Tangatake Hapuku	Pukerowhitu.
54	Waikari Karaitiana	Omahu No. 2B.
55	Wi Rangirangi and Matiu Whitiki	Okaihau No. 3.
56	Hoani te Kuru and others	Mangamaire.
57	Kataraina Rapaera	Kairakau.
58	Urupeni Puhara	Karamu B No. 1.
59	Karetu Nikera	Karamu D.
60	Henare te Atua	Mangamaire.
61	Ripeka Nohoturu	Mangamaire.
62	Henare te Atua	Porangahau No. 1A.
63	Ripeka Nohaturuturu	Porangahau 1B No. 4.
64	Nireaha Tamaki, Atenata Wharekiri, and Karaitiana Wirihana	Ahuaturanga, Section 200, Block VII, Woodville.
65	Horomona Rongoparae (Pikihuia Tamati)	Tarewa.
66	Tungane Maihi	Waipawa Tapairu.
67	Renata te Pewa, Pahemata Hori, and others	Rakautatahi No. 1F.
68	Hoani te Kuru (Travers, Russell, and Campbell)	Porangahau 1B No. 4.
69	Pera Wheraro	Papaaruhe.
70	Paramena Oneone	Pekapeka No. 2.
71	Pera Wheraro	Pukerowhitu No. 1.
72	Hanara Ibakara and others	Omahu No. 2D.
73	Tuihata Arona and Huriwai Arona	Omahu No. 2E.
74	Wikitoria Hinekatorangi and others (A. L. D. Fraser)	Omahu No. 2A.
75	Pani Karauria	Ohiti-Waitio No. 5.
76	Roka Tukotahi (J. M. Fraser)	Ngatarawa No. 1.
77	Huriwai Arona, Tuihata Arona, and another	Ngatarawa No. 1.
78	Pera Wheraro	Matatuowhiro.
79	Turanga Marere and Arihe Areti (Logan, Williams, and White)	Kairakau No. 2.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION—*continued.*

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS— <i>continued.</i>		
80	Hiraani te Hei	Awarua 2G No. 14.
81	Roko Tukotahi	Tikokino No. 13A.
82	Ratima Ropiha (H. F. Norris)	Porangahau 3 No. 1A.
83	Pani Karauria	Omahu No. 3B.
84	Hotene te Ruri and Rapihana Hawaikirangi	Otawhao A No. 9.
85	Materita te Ruri	Kahumoko No. 3.
86	Karetu Nikera, <i>alias</i> Te Wetini Karetu	Karamu H No. 1B.
87	Arihi te Nahu	Otawhao A No. 3.
88	Otene Meihana	Omahu No. 3.
89	Otene Meihana, Taha Otene, and Paekakariki Otene	Karamu Nos. 1 and 2.
90	Mutu Karaitiana (F. O'B. Loughnan)	Tahoraite No. 2.
91	Hikatoha Matiaha, W. Whatakorari, and others	Okaihau No. 1A.
92	Araperu Waipari	Ngapaeruru No. 3B.
93	Araperu Waipari	Ngapaeruru 1B No. 2.
94	Araperu Waipari	Pukokomuka.
95	Reita Heketa	Kakahukura (part of Oringiwaiaaruhe).
96	Patoroma Piripi, Hepora Piripi, Ngararihi te Angiangi, and others	Mohaka No. 9.
97	Pikihua Tamati, Taitoko Matai, and others	Otawhao No. 6A.
98	Pikihua Tamati, Taitoko Matai, and others	Otawhao No. 3A.
99	Horomona Rongoparae	Mataweka.
100	Kanara Ihaka, Heni Mokokino, Haana Pakapaka, Ihaia te Ngira, Pane Uruorangi, and others	Ohiti-Waitio No. 4.
101	Hiromina te Orenga and others	Waimarama.
102	Urupeni Puhara, Wiremu Ngaeroa, Makarena te Pehi, and Horomona Waimarama	Karamu.
103	Reha Mohi	Kawera No. 4.
104	Hiromina te Orenga	Okaihau.
105	Ihaka te Raka	Tarata No. 2.
106	Kerei Pohiaha	Ohiti-Waitio No. 4.
107	Hiromina te Orenga	Waipuka.
108	Nepe te Apatu, Hori Tawhai, and others	Rakautatahi No. 1C.
109	Wari Aria Ihukino and Te Paea Tiaho	Pakuratahi.
110	Morehu Turoa and Tuahine Renata	Kairakau No. 2.
111	Hinerapa te Kuru	Porangahau 1B No. 4.
112	Ratima Ropiha and Amiria Nepe	Wangaehu, Porangahau 1A No. 3.
113	Thomas Groome (by D. Ellison)	Te Aute No. 6.
114	Kaninamu Hona and others	Eparaima West.
115	Horiana Tiakitai and Morehu Turoa	Waipuka No. 1.
116	Horiana Tiakitai and Morehu Turoa	Waipuka No. 2.
117	Horiana Tiakitai and Morehu Turoa	Okaihau No. 3.
118	Horiana Tiakitai and Morehu Turoa	Waimarama No. 3.
119	Araperu Waipari (by J. M. Fraser)	Waikopiro 2B No. 2.
120	Walter Shrimpton, Moeroa Tiopira, Hemi Nuku, and Hohepa te Umurangi	Awahuri.
121	Pine Hurunuiorangi	Waikopiro No. 3B.
122	Pine Hurunuiorangi	Rakatuatahi No. 1E.
123	Haora Rangiwakaewa (by C. R. Parata)	Tahoraiti No. 2.
124	Haora Rangiwakaewa (by C. R. Parata)	Tiratu.
125	Haora Rangiwakaewa (by C. R. Parata)	Pukokomuka.
126	Hiromina te Orenga, Te Mereata Maaka, and another	Waimarama.
127	Wi Rangirangi and others	Waimarama No. 1.
128	Wi Rangirangi and others	Waimarama No. 2.
129	Wi Rangirangi and others	Okaihau No. 1.
130	Wi Rangirangi and others	Okaihau No. 2.
131	Te Kaninamu Hona and others	Ngapaeruru 1A No. 2.
132	Hami Hatere	Awaototara.
133	Haora Tatere and others	Waimarama No. 3A.
134	Patoromu Piripi	Kakarangu.
135	Ritihia Raukura	Rakatautahi No. 2B.
136	Rewi Tutu, Mereheke, and another	Te Kuta.
137	Puteruha Paki	Ngatarawa No. 1A.
138	Mutu Karaitiana	Waoko No. 2.
139	Wi Rangirangi and others	Waipuka No. 3.
140	Eperata Whaitiri	Mangapuaka.
141	Rehu Matini	Otawhao No. 3.
142	Rehu Matini	Otawhao No. 4.
NEW APPLICATIONS.		
143	Kahu Inia	Kaimotumotu East.
144	Urupeni Puhara	Karamu B.
145	Urupeni Puhara and others	Karamu B.
146	Maata Heipora and Rupuha te Hianga (by their solicitor, David Scannell)	Mangamaire B.
147	Rupuha te Hianga (by his solicitor, David Scannell)	Mangangarara.
148	Hori Kerei	Mangaorapa.
149	Ripeka Nohoturuturu	Mangaorapa No. 2.
150	Rupuha te Hianga (by his solicitor, David Scannell)	Mangaorapa.
151	Arapata Pahau and others	Mohaka No. 9.
152	Rawinia Rutene and others	Mohaka No. 9.
153	Hori Wimaihi	Motukawa 2B15 No. 2.
154	Ripeka Nohoturuturu	Ngapaeruru No. 7.
155	Huriwai Arona	Ngatarawa No. 1.
156	Huriwai Arona	Ngatarawa No. 2C.
157	Ereni Kingi	Otarata.
158	Araperu Panapa	Otawhao No. 3.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION—*continued.*

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
NEW APPLICATIONS— <i>continued.</i>		
159	Mereata Maaka	Otawhao No. 5.
160	Arapera Panapa	Otawhao No. 6.
161	Hami Wehi	Otuarumia.
162	Hiraani Ahitaua	Paerahi.
163	Makere Pareihe	Patangata No. 1.
164	Makere Pareihe	Patangata No. 2.
165	Rititia Maremare	Patangata No. 4.
166	Rupuha te Hianga (by his solicitor, David Scannell) ..	Porangahau 1B No. 2.
167	Maata te Heipora (by her solicitor, David Scannell) ..	Porangahau 1B No. 4c.
168	Ripeka Nohoturuturu	Porangahau No. 2B.
169	Pani Karauria	Pukehamaoamao.
170	Wiremu Ponatahuri	Pukekura No. 1.
171	Mepera Maku	Pukekura West.
172	The successors of Arapata Karaitiana	Puninga.
173	Paora Pahi	Pukehou No. 2.
174	Maraea Apatu	Rakautatahi No. 1B.
175	Hami Wehi	Rakautatahi No. 1K.
176	Renata te Nii	Rakautatahi No. 1J.
177	Hikihiki Naihiha	Tahoraiti No. 1A.
178	Irihapeti Kaitoretore	Tamumu.
179	Hami Wehi	Tapairu.
180	Hami Wehi	Tikokino No. 14.
181	Morehu Turoa	Waimarama 3A No. 6.
182	Otimi Taita	Tarewa No. 6.
183	Morehu Turoa	Waimarama No. 3.
184	Pani Karauria	Waiohiki No. 1C.
185	Matiu Heitiki	Waipuka No. 2B.
186	Paora Kurupo (by his agent, A. L. D. Fraser)	Wharerangi.
187	Rupuha te Hianga and another	Whawhakanga.
188	Rupuha te Hianga (by his solicitor, David Scannell) ..	Whawhakanga.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Children.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
853	Pita Mohi	Waipuka	Te Rauhina Pita.
854	Alfred L. D. Fraser	Rangipo-Waiu and other lands ..	Kathleen Hiraani Blake and Ralph Holden Wellwood.
855	Raupi Tanguru	Awarua and other land	Hamueri Tanguru, Tenui Tanguru, Te Aue Tanguru, and Pani Tanguru.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
856	J. K. Rapaea	Ngapaeruru 7F No. 2B	Te Moko Kingi.
857	J. K. Rapaea	Ngapaeruru 7F No. 2B	Materoa Wereta.
858	Pamoa Ponatahuri	Ngapaeruru No. 10	Amaru Tutere.
859	Wereta Ponatahuri	Ngapaeruru No. 10	Rehuka Tutere.
860	Ratima Wairoa	Ngapaeruru No. 10	Tukeke Ratima.
861	Keita Ruta	Ohiti-Waitio No. 3F.. .. .	Rawiri te Paturoa and Te Watara Wi Poneke.
862	Pineaha Mokihi	Ohiti-Waitio No. 3F.. .. .	Rawiri te Paturoa and Te Watara Wi Poneke.
863	Meri Kingi	Pukemapou	Te Owai Kirita, Tutua Kirita, and Horomona Kirita.
864	Meri Kingi	Whakawiringa	Te Owai Kirita, Tutua Kirita, and Horomona Kirita.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Minors.
865	Rewanui Apatari	Tamaki No. 5A and other lands..	Hemi Kirihitini, Pepe Kirihitini, Ani Ratima, and Horomona Ratima.
866	Te Tuati Meha	Tahoraiti No. 2 and other lands ..	Hariata Meha, Mere Huitau Meha, Raina Meha, and Apiata Meha.
867	Areta Kerei	Putere No. 1 and other lands ..	Tataira Raiha.
868	Te Tuati Meha	Purimu and other lands	The successors to Hori Ropiha.
869	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Rotokaiwa No. 2A	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
870	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Ipuotareia No. 2	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
871	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Owhaeko D No. 8	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
872	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Matatuowhiro	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
873	Te Kikiri o-te-Rangi and others..	Poupoutahi D	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW TRUSTEES—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Minors.
874	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Waoku No. 2 ..	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
875	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Papaaruhe ..	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
876	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Te Ake ..	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
877	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Kakewahine No. 1 ..	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
878	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Kaimotumotu North ..	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
879	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Otawhao A No. 3 ..	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
880	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Otawhao A No. 4 ..	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
881	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Te Whiti ..	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
882	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Otawhao A No. 5 ..	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
883	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Otawhao A No. 1 ..	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
884	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Otawhao A No. 5 ..	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
885	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Mataweka ..	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.
886	Te Kikiri-o-te-Rangi and others..	Kaimotumotu North ..	Paora Kopakau and Te Whare Ariki Aroatua.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Adopted Child.	Particulars of Adoption.
887	Para Paku ..	Robert Blair Sim ..	Application by Para Paku, of Mohaka, to adopt Robert Blair Sim, the child of John Sim, deceased, and Marion Sim.
888	Nirai Runga ..	Nirai Runga ..	Application by Nirai Runga, of Moteo, to adopt Nirai Runga, the child of Aporo te Huiki and Para Marewa.
889	Moanaroa Kokohu ..	Warihia Wheura ..	Application by Moanaroa Kokohu, of Waipatu, to adopt Warihia Wheura, the child of Whakarite.
890	Tungane Hori ..	Ripeka Matene ..	Application by Tungane Hori, of Kaitoki, to adopt Ripeka Matene, the child of Matene and Arapera.
891	Te Raheke Parake ..	Tuahine Hata ..	Application by Te Raheke Parake, of Arapawanui, to adopt Tuahine Hata, the child of Rihī te Aua, and Hata.
892	Werahiko te Hauwaho ..	Te Hauwaho ..	Application by Werahiko te Hauwaho, of Tongoio, to adopt Te Hauwaho, the child of Hami Tutu and Materita.

APPLICATIONS FOR DETERMINATION OF INTERESTS ACQUIRED BY THE CROWN.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
893	Minister of Lands ..	Pukekura East.
894	Minister of Lands ..	Pukekura West.
895	Minister of Lands ..	Waimarama No. 1.
896	Minister of Lands ..	Waipuka No. 3.
897	Minister of Lands ..	Waipuka No. 1.
898	Minister of Lands ..	Waimarama No. 3B.
899	Minister of Lands ..	Waimarama No. 3A.
900	Minister of Lands ..	Aorangi.
901	Minister of Lands ..	Okaihau No. 1.
902	Minister of Lands ..	Okaihau No. 3.
903	Minister of Lands ..	Waimarama No. 2.
904	Minister of Lands ..	Okaihau No. 2.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount due.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
914	Kennedy Bros. and Morgan ..	Waimarama No. 3 ..	£ s. d. 35 12 9
915	Kennedy Bros. and Morgan ..	Kaiwaka, Subdivisions 1 and 2 ..	186 15 0
NEW APPLICATION.			
916	Charles William Reardon ..	Motukawa No. 2A, Sections 2, 3, 4, and 6 ..	198 1 6

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 34 OF "THE MAORI LANDS ADMINISTRATION ACT, 1903," TO CUT OFF PORTIONS OF LAND TO SATISFY UNPAID SURVEY LIENS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount due.
917	Commissioner of Crown Lands	{Awarua 1A No. 2 East No. 3	£ s. d. 14 4 3
918	Commissioner of Crown Lands	{Awarua 1A No. 2 East No. 2	14 4 2
919	Commissioner of Crown Lands	{Waipapa	37 17 5
		{Awarua 4A No. 3c No. 8a	4 11 5
		{Awarua 4A No. 3c No. 8d	9 2 10

APPLICATION FOR PRIVATE RIGHT OF WAY.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
920	Daniel Ellison	Papaaruhe and Matatuwhiro	Applying for a private right of road from the Matatuwhiro Block through the Papaaruhe Block to the Te Aute-Onepu Road.

APPLICATIONS FOR RIGHT OF ROAD.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Land.
921	Te Tuati Meha .. .. .	.. .. .	Rakautatahi D No. 2.
922	Airini Tonore (by her solicitor, T. W. Lewis)	.. .. .	Kohurau.

APPLICATION TO CANCEL SUCCESSION ORDER IN REALTY.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Deceased.
923	P. Sheridan	Okaihau No. 3 .. .. .	.. .. . Maraea Aorangi.

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.
924	{Mutu Marereira {Rapihana Hawaikirangi	Kakewahine No. 1. Kakewahine No. 2.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
925	Maraea Puri (formerly Heketa) ..	Lots 21, 22, 31, and 32, Tikokino Agricultural Reserve, Township of Hampden, Hawke's Bay	Claim by claimant that whole of the purchase-money was paid by her, and that title should therefore issue in her name.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
926	Under-Secretary for Public Works	Purahotangihia	To ascertain the amount of compensation to be paid to the Native owners or other persons interested in the said land taken for the purposes of a scenic reserve, and to determine who are the proper persons to whom such compensation should be paid.
927	Under-Secretary for Public Works	Otawhao A No. 3	To ascertain the amount of compensation to be paid to the Native owners or other persons interested in the said land taken for the purposes of a railway, and to determine who are the proper persons to whom such compensation should be paid.
928	W. S. Short (Roads Department)	Tahoraiti No. 1	To ascertain the amount of compensation to be paid to the Native owners or other persons interested in the said land taken for the purposes of a road, and to determine who are the proper persons to whom such compensation should be paid.
929	W. S. Short (Roads Department)	Mangatoro 1A No. 2 and No. 2	To ascertain the amount of compensation to be paid to the Native owners or other persons interested in the said land taken for the purposes of a road, and to determine who are the proper persons to whom such compensation should be paid.

LAND REFERRED TO THE NATIVE LAND COURT FOR INQUIRY UNDER SUBSECTION (10) OF SECTION 14 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

In pursuance of an Order in Council dated the 11th day of April, 1907, authorising the Native Land Court to exercise its jurisdiction under subsection (10) of section 14 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," in respect of the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and to determine whether or not the said land or any part thereof was, on the investigation of the title thereto, intended by the Native Land Court, or by the nominal owner or owners of such land, to be held by such nominal owner or owners in trust for Natives not named in the title, and to determine who are the Natives (if any) entitled beneficially to such lands, and to order the inclusion of such Natives in the title, either together with or in lieu of the nominal owners or any of them, and for the purpose aforesaid to order the cancellation or amendment of any existing instrument of title and the issue of such new Crown grant or other instrument of title as may be necessary, and generally to exercise in respect of the said land all the jurisdiction and powers conferred on the Native Land Court by subsection (10) of section 14 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

SCHEDULE.

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Name of Land.

All that parcel of land, containing approximately 1,575 acres, situate in the Hawke's Bay Provincial District, in the Colony of New Zealand, and known as part of the Ahuaturangi Block.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 20 OF "THE NATIVE RESERVES ACT, 1882."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
931	The Public Trustee	Waiohiki.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
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ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.

932	Taitoko Mahuri and Pikihiua Tamati	Horomona Rongaparae.
933	Hoana Pakapaka	Taimona te Arai.

NEW APPLICATIONS.

934	Wiremu Takana	Pane Ketunga.
935	John Holden, jun., and Ruth Wellwood	Kaita Ruta.
936	Mihi Kirika	Pera Pihuka.
937	George Ebbett	Erena Kingi.
938	Ihaia Hutana	Irimina Tutua Hapuku.

APPLICATION FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
939	Edward Bibby and W. T. Prentice	Tahoraiti No. 2.

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APPLICATION is hereby made to the Native Land Court to apportion, in accordance with the subsequent partition of the land, the rent (£250 per annum) payable under a lease to Thomas Waite Balfour, of the Wharetoto Block, containing 55,000 acres, more or less, for a period of twenty-one (21) years from the 21st November, 1893; and, further, for orders vesting in the Crown defined portions of Subdivisions 5 and 6 of the said Wharetoto Block, under the provisions of section 34 of "The Maori Land Laws Amendment Act, 1903," or, in the alternative, for orders vesting the said Subdivisions 5 and 6 of the Wharetoto Block in the Aotea District Maori Land Board for administration under the provisions of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900." (N.L.P. 1906/61.)

28th June, 1906.

P. SHERIDAN, Crown Agent.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 90 OF "THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area of Land taken.	Nature of Application.
942	Frank G. Magnusson ..	Tahoraite No. 2 ..	51a. Or. 30p.	To ascertain the amount of compensation to be paid to the Native owners of, and other persons interested in, the said land taken for sanitary sewerage purposes; to ascertain also who are the proper persons to whom such compensation should be paid.

APPLICATION UNDER SUBSECTION (9) OF SECTION 14 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
943	Teko te Ruru Pikikotuku, Tame Raihania, Ngamihi te Kehu, Moetai Ngarangi, Hore Ngarangi, Pare Ngamihi, Hekeawai Whakapaki, and others	Te Rangarangi Block ..	To restrain any person or persons from felling or milling timber on the said block until the subdivision by the Native Land Court.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 34 OF "THE MAORI LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1903," TO CUT OFF PORTIONS OF THE LAND TO SATISFY UNPAID SURVEY LIENS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount of Survey Lien.
944	The Chief Surveyor	Ngapaeruru 7F No. 2B	£17 10s. 0d.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 65 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," TO CUT OFF A SUFFICIENT PORTION OF THE LAND FOR THE APPLICANT TO DISCHARGE THE SURVEY LIEN MENTIONED IN PREVIOUS SURVEY CHARGING ORDER.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Date of Survey Charging Order.	Amount of Survey Lien.
945	Charles D. Kennedy	Mangamaire B	4th June, 1900	£101 18s.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
946	Horace Baker	Omahu No. 3D	That the applicant be allowed interest on his survey liens.
947	Horace Baker	Omahu No. 3B	
948	Horace Baker	Omahu No. 3D	

Notice of Nomination for Committee for Incorporated Block.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the persons whose names are set out in the second column of the Schedule hereunder have been proposed for nomination as candidates for the committee to administer the block set out in the first column.

Dated at Gisborne, this 26th day of August, 1907.

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Land.	Names of Persons nominated.
Panikau Nos. 4A1, 5A1, and Kiri-kiriroa No. 2B	{ Hariata Hinaki. Karepa Kautuku. Pirihira Kauta. Te Ruia Rangaheke. Witana Puanga.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANK TILLER DREWET, of 198 Hobson Street, Auckland, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of September, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock.

E. GÉRARD,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 27th August, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES HENRY CARRINGTON of Taumarunui, Carpenter, was this day adjudged bankrupt on the petition of T. and S. Morrin (Limited); and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 12th day of September, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock.

E. GÉRARD,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 30th August, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that by order of the Supreme Court, dated 26th August, 1907, and made under and pursuant to the provisions of "The Administration Act 1879 Amendment Act, 1888," the estate of PATRICK JOHN WHITE, late of Whangamomona, Coach-proprietor, deceased, has been ordered to be administered by me in bankruptcy; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Stratford, on Tuesday, the 10th day of September, 1907, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Dated at Stratford, this 28th day of August, 1907.

H. NORMAN LIARDET,
Deputy Official Assignee.

N.B.—All proofs of debt must be filed not later than two months from the date of adjudication, and, if possible, before the first meeting of creditors.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE WILLIAM LINCOLN MACKAY, of Napier, formerly of Waipukurau, Auctioneer and Land Agent, was this day adjudged bank-

rupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 4th day of September, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock.

K. N. H. BROWNE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Napier, 27th August, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE EDWIN GRIMWOOD, of Rangiora, Carpenter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 11th day of September, 1907, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.

3rd September, 1907.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES STEWART, of Hakataramea, Farmer and Carrier, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, at Oamaru, on Friday, the 6th day of September, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHAS. W. COOKE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Oamaru, 27th August, 1907.

MINING NOTICES.

THE ETRICK GOLD STEAM DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED), (IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the Etrick Gold Steam Dredging Company (Limited) held at the registered office of the company, at Roxburgh, on Friday, the 23rd day of August, 1907, at 2 p.m., the following extraordinary resolution was carried:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the shareholders that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily; and that JABEZ BURTON, of Roxburgh, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

JABEZ BURTON,
Roxburgh, 26th August, 1907. Liquidator.

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THE RILEY'S BEACH GOLD 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 51 Crawford Street, Dunedin, on Monday, the 30th day of September, 1907, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up of the said company 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 30th day of August, 1907.

J. F. HARPER,
887 Liquidator.

THE JUNCTION ELECTRIC GOLD DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED), (IN LIQUIDATION).

At a general meeting of shareholders in the above company held in the registered office of the company, Princes Street, Dunedin, on Thursday, the 22nd day of August, 1907, at 3.30 p.m., the following resolution was carried: "That the books and documents of the company be retained by the Liquidator for a period of three months, and be thereafter destroyed."

R. T. WHEELER,
897 Liquidator.

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 on or before the 5th day of October, 1907.

4036. WILLIAM HEIGHTON.—2 roods 6.9 perches, part Section 641, City of Wellington. Occupied by Applicant and tenants.

4060. EDMOND TUDOR ATKINSON.—34 acres and 10 perches, part Sections 113, 114, and 181, Hutt District. Occupied partly by Edward Benge and partly by David Benge.

4071. ROBERT THOMAS MABEY and GEORGE ISAAC BERGE.—88 acres 3 roods, parts Sections 120 and 121, Hutt District. Occupied by James Kearney.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 4th day of September, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

J. M. BATHAM,
896 District Land Registrar.

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

10593. DAVID NEAVE and JAMES DOYLE.—277 acres and 33 perches, Rural Section 1517 and part of Rural Section 1432, Blocks VI and X, Halswell Survey District. Occupied by Bernard Moraham.

10596. FRANCIS CULLEN.—14 perches, part of Lot 60, Christchurch Town Reserves. Occupied by Mrs. Lee.

10597. GEORGE BARKER HABGOOD.—24 perches, part of Rural Section 105, St. Albans Ward of the City of Christchurch. Occupied by Mrs. Madden.

10599. THOMAS BIRCH and ALFRED BIRCH.—2 acres 1 rood 38 perches, part of Rural Section 188, Block XI, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Thomas Birch.

10600. HUGH WYLIE.—35.1 perches, part of Lot 178, Christchurch Town Reserves. Unoccupied.

10601. ROBERT CAMPBELL AND SONS (LIMITED).—30 acres 1 rood 12 perches, Rural Section 5687, Block XII, Hakataramea Survey District. Occupied by Margaret Delargy.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 3rd day of September, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
893 District Land Registrar.

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

THOMAS HENRY EDWARDS.—Section 56 and part 55, Block XIII, Glenkenich District. Occupied by Applicant. No. 4784.

DAVID EDWARD THEOMIN and GRANT PRESTON FARQUHAR.—Part Section 17, Sawyer's Bay District. Occupied by Applicants. No. 4785.

JOHN REID.—Section 68, Block XXIV, City of Dunedin. Occupied by Ernest George Timms and Applicant. No. 4786.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 2nd day of September, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

W. WYINKS,
892 District Land Registrar.

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

2894. THE NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING COMPANY (LIMITED).—1 rood, Section 16, Block II, Town of Campbelltown. Occupied by James Halpin.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

C. E. NALDER,
894 District Land Registrar.

A PPLICATION having been made to me to register a discharge of Mortgage No. 15284 of Sections 17 and 18, Block II, Otama District, of which GEORGE LOW, of Gore, Saddler, is the Mortgagee, and a declaration having been lodged of the loss of the outstanding duplicate of the said mortgage, I hereby give notice that I intend to give effect to the said discharge by registration, and to dispense with the production of the said duplicate mortgage, as empowered by section 38 of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," unless caveat be lodged in this office forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of publication hereof in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, the 31st day of August, 1907.

895 C. E. NALDER,
District Land Registrar

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

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

Dated this fourteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

THE WESTINGHOUSE BRAKE COMPANY
(LIMITED),

(By its Attorney, W. H. NISBET).

Witness—W. R. C. Forster, Manager, Martin Place, Sydney. 880

In the matter of "The Public Works Act, 1905," and also the taking under the said Act by the Taruheru Road Board of certain land in their Taruheru Road Board District for the purposes of a road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the inhabitants of the Taruheru Road Board District, for and on behalf of the Taruheru Road Board, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1905," intend to take by Proclamation the following land, viz. :—

All that piece of land, situate in the District of Poverty Bay, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 25 perches, being part of the Tahoka No. 1 Block, comprised in order of the Native Land Court at Gisborne, dated the 25th day of September, 1900, delineated on the public map of Block II of the Taranganui Survey District.

A plan of the land is deposited at the office of the Kia-ora Dairy Factory, at Matawhero, a place within the Taruheru Road Board District, where the same may be inspected at all reasonable hours.

The land is to be taken as a public road to give access to other parts of the Tahoka Block.

All persons having any objections to the taking of such land for the purposes of a road are hereby required to send such objections in writing to the Secretary of the Taruheru Road Board (Mr. A. G. Beere), at the office of Mr. John Coleman, Accountant, Gladstone Road, Gisborne, on or before the 26th day of October, 1907.

Dated this 27th day of August, 1907.

881 CHRISP AND COLEMAN,
Solicitors to the Taruheru Road Board.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the NUGGET POLISH COMPANY (LIMITED), a company duly incorporated in England, proposes to carry on business in Canterbury, and that the Office or place of business of the company in Canterbury, where legal process of any kind may be served upon it and to which notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered, is situate at No. 29 Manchester Street, Christchurch.

Dated this twenty-sixth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

882 WM. ELSON,
Attorney for the Company.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the EKETAHUNA BRICK AND TILE COMPANY (LIMITED) held at the registered office of the company on Tuesday, the 27th day of August, 1907, the following extraordinary resolutions were carried :—

"That, in the opinion of the shareholders of the Eketahuna Brick and Tile Company (Limited), it is advisable to wind up the affairs of the company; and that the company accordingly be wound up voluntarily under subsection (c), section 220, of 'The Companies Act, 1903.'"

THOMAS BEDDING was appointed Liquidator.

883 THOS. BEDDING,
Liquidator.

HAWERA BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESULT OF POLL.

In the matter of a proposal that the adoption of "The Rating on Unimproved Value Act, 1896," in the Borough of Hawera be rescinded.

I HEREBY give notice that on the 28th day of August, 1907, the above proposal was submitted to the rate-payers of the Borough of Hawera, and that the number of votes recorded respectively for and against the proposal were as follows :—

For	108
Against	161
Informal	5

And I declare the said proposal to be rejected.
Dated this 29th day of August, 1907.

884 B. C. ROBBINS,
Mayor of the Borough of Hawera.

"THE COMPANIES ACT, 1903," SECTION 266, SUBSECTION (4).

TAKE notice that the undermentioned companies have been struck off the Register, and the companies have been dissolved :—

The Hukanui Co-operative Dairy Association (Limited).
The New Zealand Motor-car and General Agency Company (Limited).

Dated this 5th day of September, 1907, at the office of the Registrar of Companies, Wellington.

885 C. H. WALTER DIXON,
Assistant Registrar.

I ANNIE AGNES BAIRD, M.A., Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (University of Glasgow), now residing in Invercargill, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 31st September next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Colony of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Invercargill.

A. AGNES BAIRD.
Dated at Invercargill, 29th August, 1907. 886

NOTICE is hereby given—

1. That the Partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, AUGUST ERICKSON and ARTHUR REGINALD GORDON GEDDES, carrying on business as Marine Store-keepers at Dunedin, under the style or firm of "The Dunedin Marine Store," has been dissolved by mutual consent from the twenty-fourth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

2. The said business will be carried on at the said address by the said August Erickson, under the style or firm of "The Dunedin Marine Store."

Dated this twenty-fourth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

AUGUST ERICKSON.
Signed by the said August Erickson in the presence of—A. E. Lambe, Spinster, Dunedin.

A. R. G. GEDDES.
Signed by the said Arthur Reginald Gordon Geddes in the presence of—George W. Geddes, Newsagent, Dunedin. 888

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership business heretofore carried on by WALTER STORROW RIGBY and JOHN WILLING WARREN in and about Hamilton, in the Provincial District of Auckland and Colony of New Zealand, as Architects, under the style of "Rigby and Warren," has been terminated as from the date hereof.

Dated at Hamilton, this 24th day of August, 1907.
JNO. W. WARREN.
Witness—W. J. Broadfoot, Solicitor, Hamilton. 889

OTAMATEA COUNTY COUNCIL.

PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND FOR PUBLIC WORKS.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Otamatea County Council, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1905," to take land for a public road through Lot 89, Block XV, Matakohe Survey District, Parish of Paparoa. A copy of the plan of the said proposed road is open for inspection at the County Office, Maungaturoto. The work proposed to be executed is grading and forming. All persons affected are hereby called upon to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections to the execution of such works or to the taking of such land, and to send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the office of the County Council at Maungaturoto.

Dated at Maungaturoto, this 29th day of August, 1907.

JAMES HEMPHILL,
Clerk, Otamatea County Council.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us, under the style of "FRED PIRANI AND Co.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of July, 1907. All moneys payable to the said firm are payable to Mr. F. Pirani, who will also pay all sums due by the firm.

THOS. A. HASTINGS,
FRED PIRANI.

Witness—Arthur G. Carty, Solicitor, Feilding.
Feilding, 31st August, 1907.

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