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Lands taken for a Road in Block V, Momahaki Survey District, Patea 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 Dominion of New Zealand, with the consent of the owners of the lands hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Patea County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, do by this notice hereby proclaim as taken for a road the lands in Momahaki Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Lands taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 3 2.5	5	V	Momahaki	R. 781	Red.
0 1 1.6	4	"	"	R. 781A	"
0 1 18	3	"	"	R. 781B	"

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

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 Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth 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 taken for a Road in Blocks LIV and LV, Hokonui District, Southland 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 Dominion of New Zealand, with the consents of the lessees and mortgagee of the lands hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Southland County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, do by this notice hereby proclaim as taken for a road the lands in Hokonui District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 3 0	799	LIV	Hokonui ..	R. 9196	Pink.
5 0 4	840	LV	" ..	"	"

All in the Southland 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 Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth 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 Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 7g and Paiaka Block, Block X, Mount Robinson Survey District, Horowhenua 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 Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the owner and mortgagee of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Horowhenua County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Mount Robinson 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 Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 30	Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 7g	X	Mount Robinson	R. 9190	Red.
0 3 14	Ditto ..	"	Ditto ..	"	Brown.
1 1 8	" ..	"	" ..	"	Red.
0 1 23	" ..	"	" ..	"	Brown.
0 2 17	Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 7g and Paiaka Block	"	" ..	"	Red.
1 0 5	Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 7g	"	" ..	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Abutting on or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 29	Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 7g	X	Mount Robinson	R. 9190	Green.
1 1 20	Ditto ..	"	Ditto ..	"	"
0 2 33	" ..	"	" ..	"	"
1 1 31	" ..	"	" ..	"	"

All in the Land District of Wellington; 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 Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-sixth 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 Block II, Lillburn Survey District, Wallace 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 Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the owners and mortgagee of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Wallace County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Lillburn 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 Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 5 2 0	14	II	Lillburn	R. 7035	Red.
1 0 33	14	"	"	"	"
1 0 24	5	"	"	"	"
0 0 38.9	5	"	"	"	"
0 0 0.012	5	"	"	"	"
2 3 23.5	5	"	"	"	"
2 3 28	5	"	"	"	"
4 0 30	10	"	"	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Passing through Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 3 2 16	14	II	Lillburn	R. 7035	Green
1 0 12	14	"	"	"	"
1 0 33	5	"	"	"	"
0 0 37.4	5	"	"	"	"
1 3 9	5	"	"	"	"
6 3 38	5	"	"	"	"
3 1 15	8	"	"	"	"

All in the Southland 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 Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth 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 Block X, Pomahaka Survey District, Clutha 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 Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the owner of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Clutha County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Pomahaka 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 Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 0 5	29, 30, 31	X	Pomahaka ..	R. 9202	Red.
0 1 3	24	"	" ..	"	"
0 1 13	24	"	" ..	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining Sections Nos.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 1 21	22, 1 of 23, 2 of 23, 24	X	Pomahaka ..	R. 9202	Green
0 3 39	29	"	" ..	"	"

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth 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 Section 148, Parish of Mangonui, Block V, Mangonui Survey District, Mangonui 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 Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the owner of the land mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Mangonui County Council,

being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the land in Block V, Mangonui 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 Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 1.3	Reserve ..	V	Mangonui	R. 9109	Pink.
0 0 8.4	Section 148..	"	"	"	"
0 0 30.6	" 148..	"	"	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 0 11.4	Section 148..	V	Mangonui	R. 9109	Green.
0 0 5.1	Reserve ..	"	"	"	"
0 0 2.7	Section 148..	"	"	"	"
0 1 1.2	" 148..	"	"	"	"

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 Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth 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 taken for a Public Recreation-ground, Waipukurau Town District, Waipawa County.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1905," for a certain work, to wit, for the purpose of a public recreation-ground in the Waipukurau Town District: And whereas the Waipukurau Town Board has laid before the Governor a memorial, accompanied by a map, and also the statutory declaration, as required by the said Act: Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purposes of a public recreation-ground, and shall vest in the Waipukurau Town Board.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land taken.	Situated in	Situated in	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 13 1 22	Native Reserve 30N	Waipukurau Town District	R. 8771	Green border.
4 1 30	Ditto ..	Ditto ..	"	Ditto.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington this twenty-fifth 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 withdrawn from the Waikawa Improved-farm Special Settlement, Southland Land District.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by the one-hundred-and-sixty-second section of "The Land Act, 1892," and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke a Proclamation dated the third day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 58, dated the eighth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, setting apart lands for Waikawa Improved-farm Special Settlement, in so far as it relates to the lands described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTIONS Nos. 7 and 8, Block XVII, Waikawa Survey District, containing 205 acres 1 rood 8 perches.

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 Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seven.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may appoint a Commission who may inspect any lands possessing scenic or

historic interest, or on which there may be thermal springs, and report thereon to the Governor, with recommendations as to what lands should be reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves: And whereas such Commission was duly appointed, and, after inspection, recommended that the parcel of land described in the Schedule hereunder should be permanently reserved for scenic purposes, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation:

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

SCHEDULE.

PUKEAMARU RANGE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 1,878 acres 3 roods, more or less, being portion of Small Grazing-run No. 71, Blocks XI and XII, Matakaoa Survey District. Bounded towards the south-west by part of Small Grazing-run No. 71 aforesaid, 13134.9 links; towards the south by the Parinui Stream, by other part of Small Grazing-run No. 71 aforesaid, 6751.9 links, and by a road-line, 166 links; towards the south-east by the Papatarata and Pipituangi Blocks, 16158.3 links; towards the north generally by Pukeamaru No. 6B Block, 9924.8 links, the Wairenga and Makirikiri Streams, and the Wharekahika Block, 7270 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 52804/29, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Native Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Puatae and Roto-o-tahi Blocks, Blocks III and VII, Whangara Survey District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a public work, to wit, for the purposes of a road in the Puatae and Roto-o-tahi Blocks, Blocks III and VII, Whangara Survey District:

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

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by the eighty-ninth section of the said Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, do hereby declare that the land shown upon such map, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be deemed to be taken for the purposes of the said road; and the said road shall vest in His Majesty the King as from the twenty-first day of October, 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. 19 2 16	Puatae Blk.	III & VII	Whangara	R. 8805	Red.
5 1 28	Roto-o-tahi Block	III	"	"	Yellow.

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 proposed to be taken for a Road in Kuhawaea No. 2 Block, No. 4836b, Block XIII, Galatea Survey District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a public work, to wit, for the purpose of a road in Kuhawaea No. 2 Block, No. 4836b, Block XIII, Galatea Survey District:

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 3 34	Kuhawaea No. 2 Block, No. 4836b	XIII	Galatea	R. 6406	Yellow.

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.

Native Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Kaihu No. 1a Block, Block II, Kaihu Survey District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of September, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required for a public work, to wit, for the purpose of a road in the Kaihu No. 1a, Block II, Kaihu Survey District

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 1 16	Kaihu No 1a, No. 5172	II	Kaihu	R. 9207	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.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Auckland Harbour Board subject to the Provisions of Sections 2 and 3 of "The Public Bodies' Powers Act 1887 Amendment Act, 1891."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Auckland Harbour Board, being a leasing authority within the meaning of "The Public Bodies' Powers Act, 1887," has requested that these presents should issue, and it appears expedient to make the order hereinafter contained:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the Auckland Harbour Board shall, as from the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, be subject to the provisions of sections two and three of "The Public Bodies' Powers Act 1887 Amendment Act, 1891."

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations for Trout-fishing in the Waimarino Acclimatisation District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and its amendments, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulation for that part of the Dominion known as the Waimarino Acclimatisation District, which district includes the County of Waimarino:—

REGULATION.

No person shall take or catch more than twenty trout or more than thirty pounds weight of trout in any one day.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Regulation for Trout-fishing in the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and its amendments, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulation for the Hawke's Bay Acclimatisation District (hereinafter called "the said district"), which district is defined by Warrant under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," dated the tenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 34, of the year 1907, pages 1187 and 1188, and which comprises the boroughs and town districts within the said district:—

REGULATION.

Any regulation regarding the number or weight of trout which a person may take or catch in any one day or other specified period which has been made by general regulations under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and its amendments, shall not apply to the said district.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Regulations for Trout-fishing in the Wanganui Acclimatisation District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and its amendments, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand doth hereby make the following regulations, in lieu of the regulations at present existing for the Wanganui Acclimatisation District, which district consists of the Counties of Wanganui and Waitotara, and the waters thereof, and all boroughs and town districts situated in the said district:—

REGULATIONS.

(1.) The general regulations under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and its amendments, made by Warrant of His Excellency the Governor dated the twenty-third day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-ninth day of the same month and year, and numbered 76, shall, with the exception of clause sixteen thereof, have full force and effect in the said Wanganui Acclimatisation District as from the date hereof.

(2.) No person shall take, catch, or kill more than twenty trout in any one day.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Regulation for Trout-fishing in the Nelson Acclimatisation District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and its amendments, His Excellency the Governor of the

Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulation for that part of the said Dominion called the Nelson Acclimatisation District, which comprises the Counties of Waimea, Collingwood, and Takaka, and the boroughs and town districts situated therein:—

REGULATION.

No person shall take or catch more than twenty trout in any one day.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Regulation for Trout-fishing in the South Canterbury Acclimatisation District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and its amendments, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulation for the South Canterbury Acclimatisation District, which district includes the Counties of Geraldine and Levels, and that portion of the County of Mackenzie lying to the east of a line commencing at Mount Cook and proceeding by a right line over the Ball Hut to the Tasman Glacier, and thence along the western boundary of the Tasman Glacier to the Tasman River, thence by a line along the middle of that river, and the middle of Lake Pukaki, and the middle of Pukaki River, to the Waitaki River, together with the boroughs and town districts within the same, and hereinafter called "the said district":—

REGULATION.

Any regulation regarding the number or weight of trout which a person may take or catch in any one day or other specified period which has been made or which may be made by general regulations under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and its amendments, shall not apply to the said district.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulation for Trout-fishing in the Ashburton Acclimatisation District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and its amendments, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulation for the Ashburton Acclimatisation District, which district includes that part of such Dominion which is comprised within the County of Ashburton, together with the boroughs and town districts within the same, and hereinafter called "the said district":—

REGULATION.

Any regulation regarding the number or weight of trout which a person may take or catch in any one day or other specified period which has been made or which may be made by general regulations under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and its amendments, shall not apply to the said district.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Regulation for Trout-fishing in the Otago Acclimatisation District.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and its amendments, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulation for the Otago Acclimatisation District, being all that area within the Otago Provincial District bounded on the east and south by the ocean from Shag Point to the mouth of the Mataura River; on the west, south-west, and south by the Mataura River and the Counties of Southland and Wallace; on the north-west by the ocean; and on the north, north-west, and north-east by the Counties of Westland and Waitaki, together with the boroughs and town districts within the same, and hereinafter called "the said district":—

REGULATION.

Any regulation regarding the number or weight of trout which a person may take or catch in any one day or other specified period which has been made or which may be made by general regulations under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," or its amendments, shall not apply to the said district.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Boundaries of Borough of Karori and City of Wellington altered.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to the Governor, under section one hundred and seventy-six of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," praying the Governor to alter the boundaries of the City of Wellington and of the Borough of Karori by excluding from the said Borough of Karori the area described in the Schedule hereto and including it in the said City of Wellington: And whereas a notice showing the proposed alteration in boundaries of the said city and the said borough has been gazetted and publicly notified, and an objection in writing against such alteration was lodged by the Karori Borough Council: And whereas such objection has been duly considered, and it is deemed expedient to make the alteration prayed for in the said petition:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that, as on and from the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seven, the area described in the Schedule hereto shall be excluded from the Borough of Karori and shall be included in the City of Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District situated in Blocks VI and X, Port Nicholson Survey District. Bounded by a line commencing at the intersection of the south-eastern side of the Karori Road by the eastern boundary-line of the Original Section No. 29 in Block VI aforesaid; thence south-westerly along the south-eastern side of the said Karori Road to a point where it is intersected by the eastern side of Baker's Hill Road; thence along the eastern and southern side of the said Baker's Hill Road over the top of the tunnel to the junction of the said Baker's Hill Road and Moana Road; thence westerly along the northern boundary-line of Knight's Farm to the Kaiwarra Stream; thence southerly along that stream to the northern boundary of the waterworks reserve; thence north-westerly along the

boundary of the said waterworks reserve to its northern-most corner; thence generally south-westerly along the western boundary of the said waterworks reserve to the southern boundary of the Borough of Karori, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 65, of the 10th September, 1891: thence south easterly along the southern boundary of the said Borough of Karori to its south-eastern corner; and thence generally northerly along the eastern boundary of the said Borough of Karori to the place of commencement.

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 thirtieth 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 Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the reserve for recreation in the Auckland Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of "The Public Domains Act, 1881"; and such reserve shall hereafter be known as Plumer Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with in manner directed by the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

PLUMER DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, being Section No. 11, Plumer Hamlet, situated in the Parish of Waipareira (Block II, Titirangi Survey District), and containing by admeasurement 3 acres and 11 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road 100 links wide, 516.2 links; towards the south-east by Section No. 12 of the said Plumer Hamlet, 870.6 links; towards the south-west by Lot No. 31 of Section No. 7, Parish of Waipareira, 143.3 links; and towards the west generally by a public road along the Opanuku Stream, 350.8, 199, 208, 233, and 32.3 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 19248/46, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Recreation Reserves in Southland Land District brought under "The Public Domains Act, 1881."

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth 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 Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the reserves for recreation in the Southland Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of "The Public Domains Act, 1881"; and such reserves shall hereafter form part of Hirstfield Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with in manner directed by the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 17 perches, more or less, being Section No. 4, Block XI, Town of Hirstfield. Bounded

towards the north by Falls Creek Sludge-channel, 155 links; towards the east by Grand View Terrace, 462.5 links; towards the south by Crown land, 110 links; and towards the west by the edge of the cliffs of Tewaewae Bay, 465 links.

Also all that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 6 acres 2 roods 26 perches, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block XVII, Town of Firstfield. Bounded towards the north-east by Denbigh Street, 155 links; towards the east generally by Grand View Terrace, 2050.8, 1004.9, and 680.9 links; towards the south by Falls Creek Sludge-channel, 170 links; and towards the west by the edge of the cliffs of Tewaewae Bay, 3730 links.

Be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same are delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57060/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto forms part of a reserve heretofore duly set apart for a recreation-ground: 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:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the third section of "The Public Reserves Act Amendment Act, 1889," doth hereby declare that the said reserve 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 Portion of Reserve authorised to be exchanged.	Description of Land to be obtained in Exchange therefor.
All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 1 rood 7 perches, more or less, situated in St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch, being a triangular block in the south-east corner of St. Albans Recreation-ground and forming part of Rural Section No. 218. Bounded towards the north-east by part of Rural Section No. 367c, 747.7 links; towards the south by Edward Avenue, 414.7 links; and towards the west by the said St. Albans Recreation-ground, 623 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57669/10, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered green.	All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 2 roods 32 perches, more or less, situated in St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch, being a triangular block and forming part of Rural Section No. 367c. Bounded towards the north by part of Rural Section No. 367c, 475.9 links; towards the east by the same section 714 links; towards the south-west by part of Rural Section No. 218, 858.1 links, the southernmost corner being 567.4 links along the said line to Edward Avenue: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57669/10, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered blue.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Gratuity on Ship Mail.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the second day of November, one thousand nine hundred and six, made under "The Post Office Act, 1900" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and six, a scale of gratuities to be paid to the masters or vessels for the conveyance of mails was fixed: And whereas it is expedient to abolish such scale and to fix another scale in lieu thereof:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of New Zealand, doth hereby abolish the scale of gratuities fixed by the aforesaid Order in Council, and in lieu thereof doth hereby declare that the gratuities to be paid for the purposes aforesaid shall be according to the scale set forth in the Schedule hereto, and shall, when divisible, be divided in manner prescribed by Order in Council dated the fifteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and four, and gazetted on the twenty-fourth of the same month; and doth hereby further declare that this present Order in Council shall have effect on and after publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

SCALE OF GRATUITIES TO BE PAID FOR CONVEYANCE OF MAILS BY SEA.

	£	s.	d.
On letters for delivery beyond New Zealand, per pound	0	2	0
On printed matter for delivery beyond New Zealand, per ton	1	10	0
On bags or packages containing mail-matter for delivery within New Zealand (except within harbour limits, as hereinafter mentioned), each bag or package, for each shipment	0	1	4
On bags or packages for delivery within New Zealand within limits of harbour in which post-offices of despatch and receipt are situated, each bag or package, for each shipment	0	0	4

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Time of Commission to inquire into the Coal-mining Disaster at Nightcaps.

PLUNKET, Governor.

To all to whom these presents shall come, and to William Reeve Haselden, Esquire, of Wellington, District Judge; Huntly John Harry Elliott, of Hutt, Esquire; Henry Andrew Gordon, Esquire, of Auckland, Mining Engineer; and Alexander Forbes, Esquire, of Kaitangata, Secretary to the Otago Coal-miners' Union of Workers: Greeting.

WHEREAS by a Commission bearing date the twenty-third day of August last you, the said

WILLIAM REEVE HASELDEN,
HUNTLY JOHN HARRY ELLIOTT,
HENRY ANDREW GORDON, and
ALEXANDER FORBES,

were appointed to be a Commission for the purposes and with the powers in the said Commission more particularly mentioned: And whereas by the said Commission you were directed and required to report to me, on or before the first day of October then next ensuing, your proceedings and your opinion touching the matters mentioned therein: And whereas it is expedient that the said period should be extended as hereinafter provided:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by "The Commissioners Act, 1903," and of every other power and authority enabling me in this behalf, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New

Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby declare and appoint that the time at or before which you shall present to me your report aforesaid is hereby extended to the first day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

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 Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this second day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seven.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Minister of Mines.

Issued in Executive Council.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Lands 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 Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands in the Auckland Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for municipal purposes.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section No.	Block.	Locality.	Area.		
			A.	R.	P.
3	II	Town of Kawhia ..	0	1	8
and 4	III	" ..	0	2	9
3	V	" ..	0	1	0
2, 3, 4, and 5	VII	" ..	0	3	35
3	IX	" ..	0	1	13

As the same are delineated on the plan marked S.G. 56470/13, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-eighth day of September, 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 Dominion 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.

B

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 24 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 25 and 48, Block VI, Town of Paeroa. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 47, Block VI, Town of Paeroa, 100 links; towards the south-east by Section No. 26 of the aforesaid block, 150 links; towards the south-west by Willoughby Street, 100 links; and towards the north-west by Arney Street, 150 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57454/11, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. As a site for offices and buildings for the Ohinemuri Agricultural and Horticultural Society.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 17 acres 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 86, Hangarua Village (Block VIII, Hangarua Survey District). Bounded towards the north generally by Bruce Street and Hangarua River, and towards the west and south by a public road and the said Hangarua River; excepting and excluding the public road which intersects the above-described area; as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57827/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For a resting-place for travelling stock.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Land temporarily reserved in the Nelson 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 Dominion 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 Nelson 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 Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 25 acres, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block XIV, Tadmor Survey District. Bounded as follows:

Towards the south-east by right lines bounding Section No. 1, Block V, Tainui Survey District, 182.4, 599.3, 558.5, 867.7, and 421.8 links, to the northernmost corner of the said Section No. 1; towards the east by a line due north, 660 links; towards the north by a line due west to the main Tadmor-Hope Road; and towards the west generally by that road: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated upon the plan marked S.G. 57722/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged with red. For a resting-place for travelling stock.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Lands temporarily reserved in the Otago Land District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands in the Otago Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for purposes of public recreation.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Locality.	Area.
12-14	III	Town of Hampden	A. R. P. 0 3 0
16-18	"	"	0 3 0
11 and 17-22	IV	"	1 3 0
3 and 18	IX	"	0 2 0
16	XII	"	1 3 0
21	XIV	"	0 1 0
18	XV	"	0 2 0
6, 7, 8, and 13	XVIII	"	1 0 0
16	XIX	"	0 2 20
17	"	"	0 3 20
2-5	XXII	"	1 0 0
12	XXIV	"	0 1 0
11	XXV	"	2 0 0
8-12	XXIX	"	1 1 0
9, 10, and 12	XXX	"	0 3 0
2	XXXVII	"	2 2 20
5-11	XXXVIII	"	3 0 26
2-8	XLIV	"	1 3 0
6-14	XLV	"	2 1 0
7-15	XLVI	"	2 1 0
17 and 18	"	"	0 2 0
15	XLVII	"	2 0 0
6 and 7	XLVIII	"	0 2 0
1-4 and 17-20	LIII	"	2 0 0
1-4 and 17 and 20	LIV	"	1 2 0
6-8	LVIII	"	0 3 0
8-15 and 19-21	LIX	"	2 3 0
12-15	LX	"	1 0 0
11-13	LXII	"	0 3 0

As the same are delineated on the plan marked S.G. 47347/20, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Eketahuna Public Cemeteries appointed.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the forty-fifth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1882," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the Warrant of the thirtieth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and six, appointing Trustees for the Eketahuna Public Cemeteries, and appoint the local authority specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to have the control and management of the public cemeteries specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Local Authority.	Names of Public Cemeteries, and Description of Lands.
Eketahuna Borough Council.	<p>EKETAHUNA.</p> <p>All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 acres 3 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 155, Block X, Mangaone Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by a public road, towards the south-east by the Masterton-Woodville Railway, and towards the south-west by the Eketahuna Native Reserve; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 26151A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.</p> <p>EKETAHUNA (ALFREDTON ROAD).</p> <p>All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 roods 15 perches, more or less, being Lot No. 2 of Section No. 40, Block VI, Mangaone Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Section No. 14, towards the east generally by Lot No. 1 of Section No. 40 aforesaid, and towards the south by the Alfredton Road; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 26151B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.</p> <p>EKETAHUNA (CENTRAL ROAD).</p> <p>All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres and 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 32, Block IX, Mangaone Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 31 of the said Block IX, towards the east by said Section No. 31, towards the south by Central Road, and towards the west by Section No. 30 of the said Block IX; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 26151C, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.</p>

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Trustee for the Masterton 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 Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

HUMPHREY JOHN O'LEARY

to be a Trustee, in the place of August Stempa, resigned,

to provide for the maintenance and care of the Masterton Public Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons previously appointed by His Excellency the Governor.

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands

Regulations for Conducting the Survey of Land in New Zealand.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by "The New Zealand Institute of Surveyors and Board of Examiners Act, 1900," the Surveyors' Board doth hereby amend the regulations for conducting the survey of land in New Zealand, made on the eighth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-ninth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seven, by the substitution of the following Schedule for Schedule E thereof:—

[Regulation 97.]
SCHEDULE E.

Statutory Declaration verifying Plan.

I, A. B., of [Place of abode], licensed surveyor, do solemnly and sincerely declare that this plan has been made from surveys executed by me or under my own personal supervision, inspection, and field check, and that both plan and survey are correct, and have been made in accordance with the regulations of the Surveyors' Board dated the 8th day of August, 1907.

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

A. B.,
Licensed Surveyor.

Declared at _____, this _____ day of _____, 19 _____, before me—

_____, Justice of the Peace
[or Solicitor, or Notary Public].

THOS. HUMPHRIES,
Chairman, Surveyors' Board.

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

Dated at Wellington, this 20th day of September, 1907.

In pursuance of the provisions of "The New Zealand Institute of Surveyors and Board of Examiners Act, 1900," His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, approves of the foregoing amendment of the regulations for conducting the survey of land in New Zealand.

Approved in Council, this thirtieth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ALEX. WILLIS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 20th 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	Waimate Plains.
GORDON LEIGH BROWN	Mount Cook.
WILLIAM KERR	Orepuki.
THOMAS JAMES BOLAND	Eketahuna.
IVAN INNES MCGREGOR	Takaka.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,
Colonial Secretary.

Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 21st September, 1907.

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

Name.	District.
WILLIAM STEPHENSON	Wyndham.
CHARLES HILL.. ..	Hawera.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,
Colonial Secretary.

Assistant Law Officer appointed.

Crown Law Department,
Wellington, 30th September, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ERNEST YEVILY REDWARD, Esq.,

a barrister of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, to be an Assistant Law Officer to the Government of New Zealand.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,
Attorney-General.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 30th September, 1907.

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

WILLIAM MOLONEY, Esq., of Wairoa, co. Wairoa,

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

JAMES MCGOWAN.

Clerks of Licensing Committees appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

DANIEL PAUL PHILLIPS

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wallace, from the 23rd day of September, 1907, *vice* J. M. Adam, transferred; and

GEORGE GALLOWAY CHISHOLM

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Chalmers, from the 26th day of September, 1907, *vice* J. Miller, transferred.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

Clerks of Courts, &c., appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES MILNE ADAM

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's and Warden's Courts, and Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar, at Cromwell, from the 25th day of September, 1907, *vice* O. E. Bowling, transferred;

DANIEL PAUL PHILLIPS

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's and Warden's Courts, and Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar, at Riverton and Orepuki, from the 23rd day of September, 1907, *vice* J. M. Adam, transferred;

GEORGE GALLOWAY CHISHOLM

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Port Chalmers, from the 26th day of September, 1907, *vice* J. Miller, transferred;

JAMES MILLER

to be a Clerk in the Magistrate's Court at Dunedin, from the 26th day of September, 1907, *vice* J. C. Malfroy, transferred; and

Constable HENRY HERBERT HANCOX

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's and Warden's Courts, and Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar, at Okarito, from the 18th day of September, 1907, *vice* Constable C. H. Warneford, transferred.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

Inspector of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 30th September, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable HENRY HERBERT HANCOX

to be an Inspector under "The Factories Act, 1901." The appointment is dated 28th day of September, 1907.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Labour.

Inspector of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 30th September, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable FREDERICK WALLACE CHAPMAN

to be an Inspector under "The Factories Act, 1901." The appointment is dated 24th day of September, 1907.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Labour.

Appointments in the Department of Labour.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 2nd October, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Department of Labour:—

JOHN LOMAS

to be Chief Inspector of Factories and Deputy Registrar of Industrial Unions;

FORTESCUE W. T. ROWLEY

to be Deputy Chief Inspector of Factories; and

JOHN W. COLLINS

to be Accountant and Inspector of Factories.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Labour.

Member of Marlborough Land Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 28th September, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FREEBORN PARSONS

to be a member of the Land Board of the Land District of Marlborough.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Members of Pleasant Point Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 28th September, 1907.

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

**FRANCIS NELLIGAN and
BENJAMIN BUTCHER**

to be members of the Pleasant Point Domain Board, in the place of William Barker Howell and John Acton, resigned.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Assistant Surveyor in the Department of Lands appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 28th September, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to promote

HARRY EDWARD WALSH

to be an Assistant Surveyor in the Department of Lands, as from the 1st day of October, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Assistant Surveyor in the Department of Lands appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 28th September, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to promote

DAVID ALFRED CRAWFORD

to be an Assistant Surveyor in the Department of Lands, as from the 1st day of October, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Members of Waikaka Commonage Committee appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

**THOMAS FAVEL and
JAMES OKANE**

to be members of the Waikaka Commonage Committee, in the place of Frank Shirley and Thomas Maslin, removed from the district.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Volunteer Officer promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd September, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with latter part of paragraph 119, General Regulations of the Defence Forces of New Zealand, 1906, of the promotion of the undermentioned officer:—

New Zealand Medical Corps.

Surgeon-Captain Alfred George Talbot to be Surgeon-Major.
Date of commission, 13th September, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Appointment of Intelligence Officer, Auckland Military District.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd September, 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 JOHN THOMAS BOSWORTH, Active List (Unattached),

as Intelligence Officer for the Auckland Military District, and with effect from 1st June, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Appointment of Intelligence Officer, Canterbury Military District.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd September, 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

Lieutenant ALFRED EDGAR LUTTRELL, Active List (Unattached),

as Intelligence Officer for the Canterbury Military District, and with effect from 30th April, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Appointment of Intelligence Officer, Otago Military District.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd September, 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

Major JOHN STUART HISLOP,
Active List (Unattached), as Intelligence Officer for the Otago Military District, and with effect from 1st June, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officers resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd September, 1907.

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

4th Regiment, Wellington (East Coast) Mounted Rifle Volunteers.
Captain (Pay- and Quarter-master) John Tombleson. Date of resignation, 27th August, 1907.

Timaru City Rifle Volunteers.
Captain Arthur Reginald Blunden. Date of resignation, 20th August, 1907.

Palmerston North Guards Rifle Volunteers.
Lieutenant Ferdinand August Wood. Date of resignation, 4th September, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer resigned, and posted to Retired List.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd September, 1907.

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

Captain ROBERT ALEXANDER JOHNSTON, V.D., North Dunedin Rifle Volunteers,
and to approve that he be posted to the Retired List, with rank of Captain, and with effect from 28th August, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd September, 1907.

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

Lieutenant PERCY BAKER RICKETTS,
Active List (Unattached), he having a total rank and commissioned service to 10th September, 1907, entitling him thereto of twenty-two years and ninety-seven days.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd September, 1907.

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

Lieutenant JOHN EWAN, No. 2 Company, Auckland Division, Garrison Artillery Volunteers,
he having a total service to 5th September, 1907, entitling him thereto of twenty years and sixty-nine days.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 23rd September, 1907.

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

No. 117, Sergeant ROBERT WAUGH, Port Guards Rifle Volunteers (Timaru),
he having a total service to 28th February, 1907, entitling him thereto of twenty-four years and eleven days.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

New Zealand Militia Officer appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 28th September, 1907.

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

New Zealand Militia.
Mostyn Humphrey Innes Jones, 6th New Zealand Contingent, to be Adjutant, with rank of Captain. Date of commission, 18th October, 1901.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 28th September, 1907.

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

No. 571, Gunner WILLIAM ROSE BOCK, D Battery, New Zealand Field Artillery Volunteers,
he having a total service to 28th February, 1907, entitling him thereto of twenty-four years three hundred and four days.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Defence.

Special Order made by the Council of the City of Christchurch.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 28th September, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

CHRISTCHURCH CITY COUNCIL.

Special Order to raise a Loan and making a Special Rate.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," "The Public Health Act, 1900," and "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Christchurch City Council hereby resolves as follows:—

(a.) That whereas section 66 of "The Public Health Act, 1900," provides that in any case where a sanitary work to be constructed has been recommended by the District Health Officer and approved by the Minister of Public Health, a local authority may, for the purpose of constructing the said work, borrow money by special order without taking any poll of the ratepayers or obtaining their consent to the work or the loan: And whereas the District Health Officer has recommended "that the Christchurch City Council do establish lavatories, water-closets, urinals, and any similar sanitary conveniences that may be considered advisable for the use of both sexes of the general public," and the Hon. the Minister of Public Health has approved of the said Council going on with the said works: Now, therefore, the said Christchurch City Council doth hereby

by special order resolve to borrow by way of special loan the sum of £3,000 by the issue of thirty debentures of £100 each, bearing interest at the rate of £4 5s. per centum per annum, for constructing the following sanitary work—namely, an underground urinal at or near the intersection of Manchester Street and High Street; an underground urinal at or near the intersection of High Street and Cashel Street; and underground lavatories, water-closets, and urinals for both sexes of the general public in Cathedral Square.

(b.) That the security for the said loan and providing a sinking fund in respect thereof shall be a special rate of $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound to be made and levied upon the whole of the rateable property within the boundaries of the City of Christchurch, and that the said loan shall be repayable at the office of the Christchurch City Council, in the City of Christchurch, upon the 31st day of October, 1932. It is not proposed to pay out of the loan the cost of raising the loan or the interest for the first year.

(c.) That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on the said loan of £3,000 so authorised to be raised by the Christchurch City Council, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of constructing the following sanitary work—namely, an underground urinal at or near the intersection of Manchester Street and High Street; an underground urinal at or near the intersection of High Street and Cashel Street; and underground lavatories, water-closets, and urinals for both sexes of the general public in Cathedral Square—the said Christchurch City Council hereby makes a special rate of $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property comprised within the boundaries of the City of Christchurch; 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 November in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-five years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

And that it be publicly notified that the before-mentioned resolution will be submitted to a meeting of the said Christchurch City Council, to be held in the Christchurch City Council Chamber, situate in Oxford Terrace, Christchurch, at 7.30 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 23rd day of September, 1907, for confirmation as a special order.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly passed at a special meeting of the Christchurch City Council held on the 26th day of August, 1907, and was duly confirmed at an ordinary meeting of the Council held on the 23rd day of September, 1907.

Dated this 24th day of September, 1907.

GEORGE PAYLING,
Mayor of Christchurch.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 28th 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 £1,750, was duly passed at a special meeting of the Council on the 6th day of May, 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 interest and other charges on a loan of £1,750 (this is portion of a loan of £12,000 for two successive years' expenditure), authorised to be raised by the Kawhia County Council, under the above-named Act, for the purpose of providing for the widening and metalling of the Pirongia West Road, 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 $1\frac{1}{8}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the Pirongia West Special-rating District, comprising Sec-

tions 1, 2, and 3, Block I, Pirongia West; Sections 1 and 2, Block IV, Kawhia North; Section 1, Block VIII; Sections 1, 2, 3, and 4, Block VIII, Pirongia West; and on half Sections 2 and 3, Block VIII; 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 March in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until such time as the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Kawhia was affixed in the presence of—

GEO. JONATHAN,
Councillor.
J. K. NEWTON,
Clerk.

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order was adopted by the Kawhia County Council at a special meeting held on the 6th day of May, 1907, and confirmed on the 17th day of June, 1907.

J. K. NEWTON,
Clerk.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 28th 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 £1,500, was duly passed at a special meeting of the Council on the 6th day of May, 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 £1,500 (this is a portion of a loan of £12,000 for two successive years' expenditure), authorised to be raised by the Kawhia County Council, under the above-named Act, for the purpose of providing for the widening and metalling of the Okupata Road, 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 $1\frac{1}{8}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the Okupata Special-rating District, comprising Sections 5, 6, 6A, 7, 11, 12, and 13, Block V, Pirongia West; Sections 4, 6, 7, Block VIII, Kawhia North; Section 2c No. 3B; and on half Sections 2 and 3, Block VIII; 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 March in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until such time as the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Kawhia was affixed in the presence of—

GEO. JONATHAN,
Councillor.
J. K. NEWTON,
Clerk.

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order was adopted by the Kawhia County Council at a special meeting held on the 6th day of May, 1907, and confirmed on the 17th day of June, 1907.

J. K. NEWTON,
Clerk.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 30th September, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order made on 16th day of August, 1907; confirmed on 20th day of September, 1907.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Cook County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £400, authorised to be raised by the Cook County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for constructing Murphy's Road, Rotorua Stock-track, the said Cook 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 of the Ngatapa Loan District No. 1, comprising Grazing-runs 76, 77, 80, and Subdivision 2 of Run 29; Hangaroa-Matawai B2 and B3; part Okahuatui No. 2, 15,190 acres; Sections 11, 16, Tahora 2: and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of July in each and every year during a period equal to the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The rate of interest to be 4 per cent.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Cook was hereto affixed in the presence of—

W. H. TUCKER,
Chairman.
JOHN WARREN,
Clerk.

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

JOHN WARREN.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 30th September, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order made on 16th day of August, 1907; confirmed on 20th day of September, 1907.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Cook County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £400, authorised to be raised by the Cook County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for constructing a new road through Paremata No. 4 to connect Tologa Coast Road, the said Cook County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $1\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Paremata Loan District No. 2, comprising Sections 15, 16, 17, 18, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 50, 51, and 65 of Paremata Block, Tologa Riding; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of July in each and every year during a period equal to the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The rate of interest to be 4 per cent.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Cook was hereto affixed in the presence of—

W. H. TUCKER,
Chairman.
JOHN WARREN,
Clerk.

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

JOHN WARREN.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 30th September, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

GERALDINE COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following special order was duly made by the Council of the County of Geraldine by special resolution of the said Council passed on the 22nd day of August, 1907, and confirmed on the 26th day of September, 1907, that is to say:—

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Council of the County of Geraldine hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £8,000, authorised to be raised by the Council of the County of Geraldine, under the above-mentioned Act, for the following public works—that is to say, for reconstructing the Rangitata Bridge, £2,000; for reconstructing the Opihi Bridge on the main road between Temuka and Timaru, £5,000; and for the erection of a bridge over the Opihi at Hanging Rock, £1,000—the said Council of the County of Geraldine 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 County of Geraldine; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 31st day of March and the 30th day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Geraldine was hereto affixed at the meeting of the Council of the said County of Geraldine on the 26th day of September, 1907, by John Talbot, the Chairman of the said Council (in pursuance of a resolution of the said Council passed on the 22nd day of August, 1907, and confirmed on the 26th day of September, 1907), in the presence of—

JOHN TALBOT,
Chairman.

F. W. STUBBS,
County Clerk.

Dated this 26th day of September, 1907.

F. W. STUBBS,
County Clerk.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 2nd October, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

MASTERTON COUNTY.

Special Order making Special Rate.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Masterton County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing interest at the rate of £4 per centum per annum and other charges on a loan of £275, being 10 per cent. upon the loan of £2,750, authorised to be raised by the Masterton County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for constructing a bridge and about three miles and a half of formation on the Masterton—East Coast Road, the said Masterton 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 Masterton to East Coast Road Special-rating District, comprised within the following boundaries—that is to say, commencing at the northernmost corner of Section 93, Block VII, Otahoua Survey District, and proceeding in a south-easterly direction, bounded by Sections 575, 576, 577, 578, 588, 516, 590, Block VII, Otahoua Survey District, to the Wainuioru River; thence by the said river to its intersection with the western boundary of Section 603, Block IX, Rewa Survey District; thence bounded by Section 602 in the last-mentioned block; by Sections 573, 564, 664, and 665, Block V; by Sections 666, 667, Block VI, to the Boundary Trigonometrical Station: thence proceeding in a south-easterly direction by the forest reserve in Block X, by Section 1, Block XI, Section 887, and by part of the north-east boundary of Section 893, Block XIV; thence by lines so as to exclude from the area a triangular piece of land containing 17 acres 3 roods 31 perches, parts of Sections 886 and 885, to the Rewa Trigonometrical Station; thence by Sections 892, 896, and 3, Block XIV, Section 1, Block XIII, all in the Rewa Survey District; by Subdivisions 6 and 7, Te Maipi Native Reserve; by Section 1, Block I, Kaiwhata Survey District; by Small Grazing-runs 49 and 48, in

Blocks I, Kaiwhata, and IV and VIII, Wainuioru; and by Section 7 in the last-mentioned block to the Kuamahanga Stream: thence proceeding in a north-westerly direction by the said stream, and by the Wairarapa South County to the Taueru River; thence by the said river to the point of commencement: and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of February and the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Passed at a special meeting of the Council, this 13th day of August, 1907; confirmed this 10th day of September, 1907.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Masterton was affixed hereto in the presence of—

C. E. COCKBURN-HOOD,
County Chairman.

F. G. MOORE,
County Clerk.

I certify that the foregoing special order has been duly made.

F. G. MOORE,
County Clerk.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 30th September, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,
Colonial Treasurer.

MASTERTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

NOTICE is hereby given that a poll was taken on the 26th day of September, 1907, on the following proposal: The Masterton Borough Council hereby gives public notice that such Council proposes to raise a special loan of £12,000 for new buildings, manufacturing plant, extension of mains and services, meters, stoves and fittings, and contingencies for the Masterton Corporation gasworks; and to make an annually recurring special rate of $\frac{2}{3}$ d. in the pound on the unimproved value of all rateable property in the Borough of Masterton as security for the interest and sinking fund in connection with such loan. The whole of the loan is to be repayable on the 31st day of December, 1926. It is not proposed to pay out of the loan-moneys the cost of raising the loan, or the first year's interest of the loan during the construction of the said works.

And that the number of votes recorded respectively for and against the proposal was as follows: For, 110; against, 51.

And I declare the said proposal to be carried.

Dated at Masterton, this 27th day of September, 1907.

JAS. M. CORADINE,
Mayor.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 30th 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 6th day of July, 1907, on the proposal to raise a special loan of £500 for extending the shed and wharf accommodation at Kawhia, and erecting launch wharves and sheds at Oparau, Anarua, and Kinohaku, the following numbers of votes were polled: For the proposal, 55; against the proposal, 2.

I hereby declare the proposal carried.

WILLIAM J. SHAW,
Chairman, Kawhia County Council.

Forbidding the Issue of Money-orders and Forwarding of Postal Correspondence for Snr. R. Gennert, Porto, Portugal.

THE Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand having reasonable ground for supposing that the firm person whose name and address are shown in the Schedule hereunder is engaged in an immoral business, it is hereby ordered, under section 9 of "The Post Office Act Amendment Act, 1906," that no money-order in favour of the said person shall be issued, and that no postal packet addressed to the said person (either by his own or any fictitious or assumed name), or to such address without a name, shall be either registered, forwarded, or delivered by the Post Office of New Zealand.

SCHEDULE.

Snr. R. GENNERT, 20 Rua do Corpo da Guarda, Porto, Portugal.

Dated this 30th day of September, 1907.

J. G. WARD.

Forbidding the Issue of Money-orders and Forwarding of Postal Correspondence for Cunliffe, Russell, and Co., 10 and 12 Place de la Bourse, Paris.

THE Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand having reasonable ground for supposing that the firm whose name and address are shown in the Schedule hereunder are engaged in promoting or carrying on a lottery or a scheme of chance, it is hereby ordered, under section 9 of "The Post Office Act Amendment Act, 1906," that no money-order in favour of the said firm shall be issued, and that no postal packet addressed to the said firm (either by their own or any fictitious or assumed name), or to such address without a name, shall be either registered, forwarded, or delivered by the Post Office of New Zealand.

SCHEDULE.

CUNLIFFE, Russell, and Co., 10 and 12 Place de la Bourse, Paris.

Dated this 28th day of September, 1907.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,
For Postmaster-General.

Alterations to the Scale of Fares, Rates, and Charges in Force upon the New Zealand Government Railways.

IN pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling me under "The Government Railways Act, 1900," I, Joseph George Ward, Minister for Railways, do hereby make the following alterations in the scale of fares, rates, and charges in force on the New Zealand Government railways open for traffic, such alterations to come into force on and after the 1st day of October, 1907:—

PART I.—PASSENGERS.

LOCAL FARES AND REGULATIONS.

HURUNUI-BLUFF SECTION.

Cancel—

Hanmer Plains Hot Springs.

Return excursion tickets for the through journey by rail and coach to Hanmer Plains will be issued from Invercargill, Dunedin, Christchurch, Papanui, and Kaiapoi daily throughout the year, available for return for three months from date of issue.

Return through fare by rail and coach, first class:—

	£	s.	d.
From Christchurch and Papanui ..	1	8	0
" Kaiapoi	1	6	0
" Dunedin	3	5	0
" Invercargill	4	5	0

The journey may be broken at any station at which the train is timed to stop after travelling ten miles from the original starting-station, provided the specified time for which the tickets are available is not exceeded.

Insert—

Hanmer Plains Hot Springs.

Return excursion tickets for the through journey by rail, motor, and coach to Hanmer Plains will be issued from Invercargill, Dunedin, Christchurch, Papanui, and Kaiapoi daily throughout the year, available for return for three months from date of issue.

Return through fare by rail, motor, and coach, first class:—

	£	s.	d.
From Christchurch and Papanui ..	1	8	0
" Kaiapoi	1	6	0
" Dunedin	3	5	0
" Invercargill	4	5	0

The journey may be broken at any station at which the train is timed to stop after travelling ten miles from the original starting-station, provided the specified time for which the tickets are available is not exceeded.

The following fares will be charged for conveyance of passengers by motor between the places named:—

From and to	To and from	Single.	Return.
		s. d.	s. d.
Culverden	Waiau Ferry	4	8
"	Leslie Hills or Montrose	2	4

PART II.—LUGGAGE, PARCELS, HORSES, ETC.

LOCAL RATES AND REGULATIONS.

Insert—

Hurunui-Bluff Section.

Holders of through rail, motor, and coach tickets from stations beyond Culverden to Hanmer will be

allowed to carry 112lb. luggage free of charge for the rail portion of the journey. Luggage in excess of this weight will be charged as provided in Regulation 26.

For the motor portion of the journey, Culverden to Waiau Ferry, or *vice versa*, each passenger will be allowed to carry 56lb. luggage free of charge. Luggage in excess of 56 lb. will be charged at the rate of $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per lb. These rates will be in addition to the rates charged by coach-proprietor for conveyance of luggage between Waiau Ferry and Hanmer.

Commercial travellers' samples will not be accepted for conveyance beyond Culverden.

Parcels conveyed between Culverden and Hanmer will be charged as follows:—

	s.	d.
Not exceeding 14lb.	0	6
Over 14 lb. and not exceeding 28 lb. ..	1	0
Over 28 lb.	1	9
Over 56 lb.	2	0
Over 84 lb.	2	3

These rates will be in addition to the charges by rail to Culverden and coach Waiau Ferry to Hanmer, or *vice versa*.

As witness my hand, this twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

J. G. WARD,
Minister for Railways.

Despatch.—Supplementary Extradition Agreement with Norway.

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

THE following despatch and enclosure, received from His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, are published for general information.

JAMES MCGOWAN,
Minister of Justice.

Downing Street, 26th July, 1907.

(Circular.)
SIR,—With reference to the Earl of Kimberley's Circular despatch of the 10th of October, 1873, of which a copy is enclosed, I have the honour to transmit to you, for publication in the Colony under your Government, a copy of an Order of His Majesty the King in Council, dated the 6th of July, 1907, giving effect to a Supplementary Extradition Agreement between the United Kingdom and Norway, which was signed at Christiania on the 18th of February last.

I have, &c.,
ELGIN.

The Officer Administering the Government of New Zealand.

Enclosure 2 in Circular, 26 July, 1907.

NORWAY EXTRADITION ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1907.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 6th day of July, 1907.

Present:

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

LORD PRESIDENT, LORD CHAMBERLAIN, LORD SHUTTLEWORTH, MR. MCKENNA, SIR W. BRAMPTON GURDON, MR. EUGENE WASON, MR. R. SPENCE WATSON.

WHEREAS by the Extradition Acts, 1870 to 1906, it was amongst other things enacted that, where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, His Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Acts shall apply in the case of such foreign State; and that His Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent Order, limit the operation of the Order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of His Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient:

And whereas a Treaty was concluded on the twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, between Her late Majesty Queen Victoria and His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway, for the mutual extradition of fugitive criminals, in the case of which Treaty the Extradition Acts of 1870 and 1873 were applied by Order in Council of the thirtieth September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three:

And whereas an Agreement was concluded on the eighteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and seven, between the British and Norwegian Governments, providing that the said Treaty shall remain in force between the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and the Kingdom of Norway, in so far as its provisions apply to the Kingdom of Norway alone; and also declaring that certain additions shall be made to the offences set out in Article II of the said Treaty, which Agreement is in the terms following:—

The British and Norwegian Governments, who agree that the Treaty signed at Stockholm on the 26th June, 1873, between the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and the Kingdoms of Sweden and Norway for the mutual surrender of fugitive criminals shall remain in force between the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and the Kingdom of Norway in so far as its provisions apply to the Kingdom of Norway alone, and who deem it desirable to make certain additions to the said Treaty, have authorised the undersigned to declare that the following additions should be made to the offences set out in Article II of the said Treaty for which, under the circumstances and conditions stated in the said Treaty, extradition is to be granted:—

- 19. Perjury and subornation of perjury.
- 20. Receiving any money, valuable security, or other property, knowing the same to have been stolen or embezzled.
- 21. Malicious wounding or inflicting grievous bodily harm.
- 22. Unlawful carnal knowledge, or any attempt to have unlawful carnal knowledge, of a girl under the age of sixteen years.

Any offence which, by the laws of both countries, is for the time being an extradition offence.

In witness whereof the Undersigned have signed the present Agreement and have affixed thereto the seals of their arms. Done at Kristiania, this 18th day of February, 1907.

(L.S.) ARTHUR HERBERT.
(L.S.) J. LÓVLAND.

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to him by the said Extradition Acts, 1870 to 1906, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the nineteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seven, the said Acts shall apply in the case of Norway under and in accordance with the said Treaty as supplemented by the said Agreement above set forth:

Provided always that the operation of the said Acts shall be and remain suspended within the Dominion of Canada so long as an Act of the Parliament of Canada, being Part I of Chapter 155 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, and entitled "An Act respecting the Extradition of Fugitive Criminals," shall continue in force there, and no longer.

A. W. FITZROY.

Notice to Mariners No. 64 of 1907.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 23rd September, 1907.

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

J. A. MILLAR.

POINT DE GALLE HARBOUR.

A SHOAL, carrying 22 ft., exists in approx. $6^{\circ} 1' N.$, $80^{\circ} 13' E.$, in the approach to the harb., with Pt. de Galle Lt.-h. N. $34^{\circ} W.$, $5\frac{1}{10}$ cables, and the ern. extr. of Gibbet Isl. N. $35^{\circ} E.$ Also, about the middle of Nov., 1907, the following buoys are to be est.: a. A red spher. buoy near Bloomfield Rk., $6\frac{1}{10}$ cables S. $50^{\circ} E.$ from Pt. de Galle Lt.-h. b. A black spher. buoy near Sealark Rks., $5\frac{7}{10}$ cables S. $33^{\circ} E.$ from Pt. de Galle Lt.-h. c. A green buoy srd. of the midships section of the wrk. of the "Secundra," in place of the two red buoys now marking the position. Aug.

JAVA.

PAYUNG ISL. LTS.—According to the most recent Netherlands Government chart, Payung Isl. lt., fl. white, is in approx. $5^{\circ} 49\frac{1}{2}' S.$, $106^{\circ} 33\frac{1}{2}' E.$; and the beacon lt., F. white, $1\frac{1}{2}$ cables about S. $\frac{1}{2}$ E. from it. Aug.

BATAVIA ROADS.—A coral shoal, about 100 yds. in diam., carrying 3 fms., exists in approx. $5^{\circ} 55\frac{1}{2}' S.$, $106^{\circ} 41' E.$, in the roads, about 175 yds. wrd. from the white buoy marking Sau Shoal. Also, a least depth of 2 fms. has been obtained on Karang Besar, in approx. $5^{\circ} 53\frac{1}{2}' S.$, $106^{\circ} 28\frac{1}{2}' E.$ Aug.

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.

A shoal, named Williams Rks., boulders on a muddy btm., with three heads, carrying 4, $4\frac{1}{2}$, and 5 fms. at L.W., exists with the 4-fm. head in approx. $23^{\circ} 14\frac{1}{2}' N.$, $116^{\circ} 48\frac{1}{2}' E.$, with Good Hope Cape Lt.-h. W., $4\frac{1}{2}$ cables, and Green Isl. summit N. $43^{\circ} W.$ The $4\frac{1}{2}$ -fm. and 5-fm. heads lie about $\frac{1}{2}$ cable N. $9^{\circ} E.$ and $1\frac{1}{2}$ cables N. $22^{\circ} E.$ from the above, in the approach to Port Swatau. Sugarloaf Lt.-h. in line with the E. side of Bill Isl., N. $33^{\circ} W.$, leads about $1\frac{1}{2}$ cables erd. of the shoals. Aug.

PORT SWATAU APPROACH.—A shoal, named Frawin Rk., carrying 8 ft. at L.W., with 6 to 7 fms. around, exists in approx. $23^{\circ} 20' N.$, $116^{\circ} 44\frac{1}{2}' E.$, in Sugarloaf Chan., with the srn. extr. of Fisherman Isl. S. $86^{\circ} W.$, 4 cables, and N.-wrn. extr. of Double Isl. (ruins) N. $2^{\circ} W.$ Aug.

CHINA SEA, ETC.

WUSUNG RIVER.—The following regulations are in force, and must be strictly adhered to by mariners in order to prevent accidents to vessels crossing the inner and outer bars of the Wusung River: 1. A careful look-out is to be kept on approaching the Wusung bars, by inward-bound vessels when about a mile below the outer bar, and by outward-bound vessels when abreast of the srn. end of Gough Isl.: (a) vessels having the tide against them must wait for vessels having a fair tide; (b) overtaking vessels must regulate their speed to allow overtaken vessels to clear the bars first. 2. Captains and pilots are not to attempt to cross either bar when the sigs. at Wusung ($31^{\circ} 23' N.$, $121^{\circ} 29' E.$) indic. less water than their vessels are drawing. Sometimes, however, a greater depth can be obtained by not following the bar leading-marks. Captains and pilots desiring to avail themselves of this information should apply to the Harb.-master's Office at Shanghai, or to the Berthing Officer at Wusung shortly before they wish to cross the bar. 3. Vessels anchoring outside Wusung must take up a berth well clear of leading-marks over the outer bar in order to avoid all risk of collision with vessels crossing the bar. Aug.

SHANTUNG.—SANGKAU BAY.—The s.s. "Hino Maru," drawing 18 ft., is reported to have struck on a shoal in approx. $37^{\circ} 6\frac{1}{2}' N.$, $122^{\circ} 29\frac{1}{2}' E.$, in the bay, about $3\frac{3}{4}$ miles N. $85^{\circ} E.$ from Lao Shan Peak (545 ft.). This shoal has been charted as a rk. carrying less than 6 ft., and marked P.D. Aug.

HAIKAU WAN.—1. A shoal, named Tsuikinosa, about 4 cables long nly. and sly., and 1 cable broad, carrying 3 ft. and 5 fms. around, exists in approx. $22^{\circ} 6\frac{1}{2}' N.$, $120^{\circ} 42\frac{1}{2}' E.$, in Haikau Wan. 2. The following dangers have been searched for unsucc., and have been expunged from the charts: a. The shoal of $2\frac{1}{2}$ fms. in approx. $22^{\circ} 7' N.$, $120^{\circ} 41' E.$; 19 fms. has been obtained over this position. b. The bank of 9 fms., marked P.D., in approx. $22^{\circ} 8' N.$, $120^{\circ} 39' E.$; 67 fms. was obtained over this position. Aug.

NAN WAN.—a. A shoal, carrying $3\frac{1}{2}$ fms., exists in Taihanroku anchorage, $1\frac{1}{2}$ cables S. $25^{\circ} E.$ from East Rk. This shoal is connected to the nrd. with East Rk., but to the srd. it is steep-to, the depth increasing suddenly to 12 fms. b. A rk., $\frac{1}{2}$ cable long N.-ely. and S.-wly. and $\frac{1}{4}$ cable broad, carrying 3 fms., steep-to, exists in approx. $21^{\circ} 57\frac{1}{2}' N.$, $120^{\circ} 45\frac{1}{2}' E.$, in Taihanroku anchorage, with

West Rk. S. $55^{\circ} W.$, $3\frac{1}{2}$ cables, and Baan Rk. N. $1^{\circ} E.$ c. An exam. of the danger named Taamusaachotau shows that it is a pinnacle rk., now named "Daifuseki," carrying about 5 ft., in approx. $21^{\circ} 56\frac{1}{2}' N.$, $120^{\circ} 47' E.$, $3\frac{1}{10}$ miles N. $65^{\circ} W.$ from Nan Sha lt. The depths around it are irregular. Aug.

NEW ZEALAND.

GOLDEN BAY.—The remarkable white stripe on Separation Pt. ($40^{\circ} 48\frac{1}{2}' S.$, $173^{\circ} 2' E.$), the bearing of which had been used to clear the extr. of Farewell Spit, has disappeared, it being obliterated by bushes; this mark and the line of bearing have therefore been erased from the charts. Aug.

PACIFIC OCEAN.

HAWAII.—HILO BAY.—On 1st July, 1907, Paukaa lt. ($19^{\circ} 46' N.$, $155^{\circ} 6' W.$), Hilo Bay, was to be altered from F. green to F. white; Pepeekeo lt. ($19^{\circ} 51' N.$, $155^{\circ} 7' W.$) altered from F. white to F. red; and Laupahuhu lt. ($20^{\circ} N.$, $155^{\circ} 16' W.$) altered from F. red to F. white. Aug.

ADMIRALTY CHARTS that have received large corrections:—No. 2766. Pacific Ocean, New Guinea, N.E., with Bougainville, New Britain, New Ireland, Admiralty Isls., and off-lying reefs. April.

No. 55. S.W. Pacific, anchorages in New Britain, New Ireland, and New Guinea. May.

No. 764. S.W. Pacific, New Hanover, New Ireland, New Britain, plans of anchorages. April.

No. 214. S. Pacific, Solomon Isls. July.

No. 2873. S. Pacific, anchorages in the Solomon Isls. Feb.

No. 179. S. Pacific Ocean, New Hebrides Isls., Espiritu Santo Isl. (Santo Isl.). March.

No. 1579. S. Pacific Ocean, New Hebrides Isls., Malekula (Mallicolo) Isl., srn. part; plan Pangkuma Bay added. March.

No. 845. Pacific Ocean, Fiji Isls., Viti Levu, Kandavu Passage to Kowata Isl., including the Nandi Waters; plan Likuri Isl. anchorage added. Dec.

No. 3664. New chart, S. Pacific, passes and anchorages in Tuamoto or Low Archip.; Rarola Pass and anchorage, Makemo Isl. N.E. pass and anchorages, Tahanea Isl. passes. July.

No. 1175. New chart, sketches of anchorages in the Tuamoto (Paumotu) or Low Archip.; Ahii or Peacock Isl. Lagoon entr., Manihi or Waterland Lagoon entr., Tiokea or Takarua Lagoon entr., Amyot Bay, Avatoru entr., Tiputa entr., Mururoa or Osnaburg Isl., N. passage of Rotoava, Pakaka to Seignelay Pt., Fakahina Isl., passes into Amanu Atoll, Pakaka Pass. July.

No. 1386. S. Pacific, Isls., Easter Isl.; new plan Cook Bay or Hanga Roa. Dec.

NORTH AMERICA.

CHATHAM SOUND.—NRN. ENTR.—An occ. white lt. (U), R. 10 miles, is exh. from an iron frame 30 ft. high, in $54^{\circ} 36\frac{1}{2}' N.$, $130^{\circ} 32\frac{1}{2}' W.$, on the summit of Pointers Rks., in the approach to Port Simpson. The following buoys in Dodd Passage are to be moved: a. The black spar buoy marking the srn. end of Harbour Reefs, about 100 yds. srd., and placed on the wrn. edge of the 2-fm. shoal, $2\frac{1}{2}$ cables S. $70^{\circ} W.$ from the wrn. extr. of One Tree Isl. b. The red platform buoy marking the nrn. edge of Hankin Rks., about $2\frac{1}{2}$ cables srd., and moored on the wrn. side of the 2-fm. shoals, wrd. of Hankin Rks., $4\frac{1}{2}$ cables S. $21^{\circ} W.$ from the wrn. extr. of One Tree Isl. A red spar buoy is to temp. mark this position until the platform buoy has been moved. Aug.

A rk., which dries 4 ft. at L.W., exists in approx. $54^{\circ} 15\frac{1}{2}' N.$, $130^{\circ} 55\frac{1}{2}' W.$, in the approach to Brown Passage, $2\frac{3}{10}$ miles N. $37^{\circ} E.$ from the highest (10 ft.) Butterworth Rk. Vessels are warned against passing to the erd. of the Butterworth Rks. until this passage has been exam., as it is probable that other dangers exist in this locality. Aug.

NORTH AMERICA.—WEST COAST.

PRINCE RUPERT HARBOUR.—The red spar buoy marking Ellinor Rk. near the entr. to the harb., has been replaced by a red lt.-buoy, exh. a quick-occ. red lt., moored in 7 fms., in approx. $54^{\circ} 12\frac{1}{2}' N.$, $130^{\circ} 22\frac{1}{2}' W.$, close srd. of the rk. The lt. of Barrett (Bird) Rk. lt.-buoy, in approx. $54^{\circ} 14\frac{1}{2}' N.$, $130^{\circ} 20\frac{1}{2}' W.$, ern. side of entr. to the harb., has been altered from occ. white to occ. red. The colour of the Coast Isl. leading-light beacons, on Coast Isl. and Ridley Isl. respectively, at the entr. to the harb., has been altered from red to white. Aug.

A quick-occ. white light (U), elev. 38 ft. above H.W., R. 11 miles, is exh. from a red beacon, a cyl. tank on a steel frame, surm. by a pyra. frame, in $54^{\circ} 10\frac{1}{2}' N.$, $130^{\circ} 24\frac{1}{2}' W.$, on the summit of Greentop Isl. Aug.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE SOUND.—A F. white lt., vis. from S. $80^{\circ} W.$, through W. and N., to S. $48^{\circ} E.$, elev. 80 ft. above

H.W., R. 14 miles, is exh. from a square turret on a square dwelling, white, with roof and lantern red, 43 ft. high, in 50° 58½' N., 127° 43½' W., on the S.-wrn. pt. of Pine Isl. July.

A fog-horn, sounding 1 blast of 7 secs. dura. every 2 mins., is est. in a white building with red roof about 70 yds. N.-wrd. of Pine Isl. Lt.-h. (50° 58½' N., 127° 43½' W.). Aug.

The following shoals and islet exist in Tofino Inlet: a. Two rks., which dry about 6 ft. at L.W., 4½ cables S. 18° W. and 3 cables S. 42° W. respectively from Plover Isl. (49° 8' N., 125° 47½' W.). b. A rk., which dries 4 ft., 1 cable S. 31° E. from the islet (49° 9½' N., 125° 45½' W.) in the middle of Gunner Harb. The above islet is joined to the pt. 2½ cables to the nrd. of it by a rocky ledge about 1 cable broad. c. An islet exists in the ern. approach to Gunner Harb. 2 cables from the S.-wrn. extr. of Granite Isl. There is also a rk., which dries 6 ft., 150 yds. S. 27° W. from the islet, or 2½ cables S. 6° W. from the S.-wrn. extr. of Granite Isl. Aug.

STUART CHAN.—A quick-occ. white lt. (U), elev. 25 ft. above H.W., R. 9 miles, is exh. from a cyl. tank on a steel frame, surm. by a pyra. frame, red, in 49° 3' N., 123° 49' W., on Danger Reef, in place of the old F. white lt. est. in a wooden tower. Aug.

DODD NARROWS.—A quick-occ. red lt. (U), elev. 26 ft. above H.W., R. 6 miles, is exh. from a cyl. tank on a steel frame, surm. by a pyra. frame, red, in 49° 7½' N., 123° 49' W., on Joan Pt., S. side of Dodd Narrows, 1½ cable S. 25° W. from the extr. of Zachariah Pt. Aug.

HORSEWELL CHAN.—A quick-occ. white lt. (U), elev. 30 ft. above H.W., R. 10 miles, is exh. from a cyl. tank on a steel frame, surm. by a pyra. frame, red, in 49° 13½' N., 123° 55½' W., on the summit of the S.-wrn.-most rk. of the West Rks. Group. Aug.

SAN LUIS OBISPO BAY.—A rk., marked by kelp, carrying 16 ft. at L.W. and 4 fms. around, lies 3½ cables S. 25° E. from the extr. of the wharf at Port Harford. Mariners are warned to give it a good berth in passing. Aug.

LOWER CALIFORNIA.—SAN JOSÉ DEL CABO.—A group-occ. white lt., with groups of 3 ecls., elev. 56 ft. above H.W., R. 13 miles, is exh. from a white lt.-h. 34 ft. high, with a white house at its base, in 23° 3½' N., 109° 40½' W., on the summit of Miramar Hill. Aug.

SOUTH ATLANTIC OCEAN.

FALKLAND ISLS.—CAPE PEMBROKE LT.—This lt. (51° 41½' S., 57° 42½' W.) has been altered from F. white to a fl. white lt. every 10 secs.—fl. 7/10 sec., ecl. 9/10 secs.—vis. from about S. 17° E., through S. and W., to about N. 44° E., and obsc. by the land in other directions; also vis. beyond these limits as far as the land permits in Berkeley Sound and Port William and Harriett Sound, elev. 99 ft. above H.W., R. 16 miles, exh. from a lt.-h. 70 ft. high, black, with 1 white band, on the cape, in Port Stanley approach. Aug.

Notice to Mariners No. 65 of 1907.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 24th September, 1907.

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

J. A. MILLAR.

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN.

SOLOMON ISLANDS.—STEWART ISLANDS.—CORRECTED POSITION.—The German Government has given notice that the commander of the German man-of-war "Condor" reports that by astronomical observations the eastern extremity of the Island of Sikaiana, Stewart Islands, was found to be 4½ miles southward and 13¼ miles eastward of its charted position in (approximately) latitude 8° 27' S., longitude 162° 58' 24" E.

CHILE.

MAGELLAN STRAIT.—DESOLATION ISLAND.—FELIX POINT LIGHT TO BE EXHIBITED.—Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 12 (437) of 1906, the Chilean Government has given further notice that on 1st June, 1907, a flashing white light, showing 1 flash every 10 seconds, elevated 95 ft. above the sea and visible 17 miles, will be exhibited from a red iron tower with green cupola, erected on Felix Point, Desolation Island, Magellan Strait. The keeper's dwelling is white with a red roof.
Approx. position: Lat. 52° 57' N., long. 74° 8' 30" W.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

CHATHAM SOUND.—GREENTOP ISLAND.—BEACON LIGHT ESTABLISHED.—The Canadian Government has given notice

that a gas-lighted beacon, exhibiting an unwatched intermittent white light, elevated 38 ft. above high water and visible 11 miles from all points of approach, has been erected on the western end of Greentop Island, Chatham Sound, British Columbia.

The beacon consists of a steel cylindrical tank standing on a steel framework, surmounted by a pyramidal steel frame supporting the lantern, the whole painted red.

Approx. position: Lat. 54° 10' 52" N., long. 130° 24' W.

AFRICA.

SOUTH-EAST COAST.—RIET (REID) POINT.—OBSTRUCTION REPORTED.—WRECK.—Information dated 11th June, 1907, has been received that on 28th March, 1907, the steamship "Kilbrennan" struck an obstruction off Riet Point, in the eastern approach to Port Alfred, south-east coast of Africa, and foundered in 10½ fathoms about 2½ miles off the point. The distance off when she struck was estimated at from 3 to 3½ miles. It is to be observed that no bearings are recorded, although there were both lighthouses and beacons in sight, and that the position of the obstruction is very doubtful. Moreover, as other vessels have foundered near Riet Point, the "Kilbrennan" may have struck wreckage. Under any circumstances, the "Kilbrennan" herself is now a danger, and mariners are warned to give the land a berth of nearly 4 miles in passing Riet Point.

Approx. position of Riet (Reid) Point: Lat. 33° 34' S., long. 27° 0' 30" E.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

CHATHAM SOUND.—DODD AND CUNNINGHAM PASSAGES.—BUOYS TO BE MOVED.—The Canadian Government has given notice that the black spar buoy on the northern side of Dodd Passage, Port Simpson approach, British Columbia, will shortly be moved 100 yards southward of its present position. It will then mark the outer edge of the 2-fathom shoal mentioned in Notice to Mariners No. 40 (1738) of 1906. Also that the red platform buoy marking Hankin Reefs will shortly be moved to the western edge of the 2-fathom shoal which lies 500 yards southward of the drying Hankin Reefs. The buoy in its new position will lie with the western extreme of One Tree Island bearing N. 50° E. true (N. by E. ½ E. mag.), distant 900 yards. In the meantime the position is marked temporarily by a red spar buoy.

(See Notice to Mariners No. 40 (1738) of 1906.)

CHINA.

SOUTH-EAST COAST.—SWATOW (PORT SWATAU).—SUGARLOAF CHANNEL ROCK LOCATED.—The Chinese Government has given notice that information has been received from the commander of H.B.M. surveying vessel "Waterwitch" that a pinnacle rock with 8 ft. of water over it at low water springs and 6 to 7 fathoms around exists in Sugarloaf Channel, Han River entrance, south-east coast of China, on the following bearings:—

Double Island, north-west extreme, N. 2° W. true (N. ½ W. w'ly mag.).

Fisherman Island, south extreme, S. 86° W. true (W. ¾ S. mag.), distant 800 yards.

Sugarloaf Island, north extreme, S. 80° E. true (E. ¾ S. mag.).

HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

HAWAII.—NORTH-WEST COAST.—MAHUKONA LIGHT-STATION.—CHANGE IN STRUCTURE.—On 20th June, 1907, the fixed white light at Mahukona Light-station, located on the southern side of Mahukona anchorage, north-west coast of the Island of Hawaii, was exhibited 64 ft. above the water and 33 ft. above the ground on a white mast, having at its base a small white house with red roof and lead-coloured trimmings.

The new structure is 51 ft. eastward and 11 ft. southward of the old structure.

Approx. position: Lat. 20° 11' N., long. 155° 55' W.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO BAY ENTRANCE.—MILE ROCKS LIGHT-STATION.—COLOUR OF PIER CHANGED.—The colour of the oval steel pier supporting the lighthouse at the Mile Rocks Light-station, San Francisco Bay entrance, California, has been changed from white to black.

Approx. position: Lat. 37° 47' 28" N., long. 122° 30' 38" W.

OREGON.

COLUMBIA RIVER ENTRANCE.—BUOYS ESTABLISHED.—On 6th July, 1907, the following buoys were established to mark the southern channel over the bar at the entrance to the Columbia River, Oregon:—

South Channel buoy, a black-and-white perpendicularly striped first-class can, marked S.C. in black, in 36 ft. of

water, about $\frac{1}{16}$ mile outside the crest of the bar on the following bearings:—

Cape Disappointment Lighthouse, N. 31° E. true (N. $\frac{1}{2}$ E. e'y mag.).

Point Adams unused lighthouse, S. 74° 20' E. true (E. $\frac{1}{2}$ N. n'y mag.).

North Head Lighthouse, N. 12° E. true (N. $\frac{1}{4}$ W. mag.).

Clatsop Spit buoy No. 2, a red first-class nun, in 23 ft. of water, on the following bearings:—

Cape Disappointment Lighthouse, N. 30° 30' E. true (N. $\frac{1}{2}$ E. mag.).

Point Adams unused lighthouse, S. 65° E. true (E. $\frac{1}{4}$ S. mag.).

North Head Lighthouse, N. 7° 15' E. true (N. by W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W. w'y mag.).

These buoys are placed near the centre of a channel about 1 mile wide, which has a least depth of 22 ft. The buoys mark the point at which the crest of the bar is the narrowest.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO BAY ENTRANCE.—BONITA POINT LIGHT-STATION.—OLD TOWER REMOVED.—About 31st July, 1907, the old white tower located about $\frac{1}{4}$ mile northward of Bonita Point Lighthouse, San Francisco Bay entrance, California, will be removed.

Approx. position: Lat. 37° 48' 51" N., long. 122° 31' 47" E.

WASHINGTON.

UMATILLA REEF LIGHT-VESSEL No. 67 WITHDRAWN FROM STATION.—RELIEF LIGHT-VESSEL.—30th July, 1907, Umatilla Reef light-vessel No. 67, moored in 150 ft. of water about 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles S. 61° 30' W. true (S.W. $\frac{1}{2}$ S. mag.) from Umatilla Reef, Flattery Rocks, making off from Cape Alava, sea-coast of Washington, and about 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles west-south-westward from the cape, was temporarily withdrawn from her station for repairs, and the station was marked by relief light-vessel No. 76.

Relief light-vessel No. 76 shows, the same as light-vessel No. 67, 2 fixed white lens-lantern lights, each from three lanterns encircling a masthead, but these are 46 ft. above the water and visible 12 miles in clear weather.

During thick or foggy weather light-vessel No. 76 will sound a 12 in. steam-whistle with the same characteristic as that sounded from light-vessel No. 67—viz., blasts of 3 seconds' duration, separated by silent intervals of 27 seconds.

Relief light-vessel No. 76 is a flush-deck steam-vessel, has two masts, schooner-rigged, no bowsprit, a black smoke-stack, and a steam-whistle between the masts, but differs from light-vessel No. 67 in having all visible parts from the bow to the middle of the foremast and from the middle of the mainmast aft painted red; all visible parts between the fore and main masts, including the middle third of each lantern mast, white. The day-marks at the mastheads have five vertical stripes, three red and two white, and on the spring-stay, midway between the two masts, there is an oval day-mark with one white and two red vertical stripes. The number 76 is in white on each bow and each quarter, and in black on each side of the spring-stay day-mark. The word "Relief" is painted in large black letters on the middle of each side.

Light-vessel No. 67 will be returned to her station as soon as repairs have been completed, of which due notice will be given, and relief light-vessel No. 76 will then be withdrawn.

Approx. position: Lat. 48° 9' 43" N., long. 124° 50' 43" W.

WASHINGTON.

PUGET SOUND.—MAURY ISLAND.—ROBINSON POINT LIGHT-STATION.—FOG-SIGNAL AGAIN IN OPERATION.—Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 25 (1140) of 1907, further notice is given that on 19th July, 1907, the 12 in. steam fog-whistle at Robinson Point Light-station, eastern extremity of Maury Island, western side of Puget Sound, which was temporarily discontinued for repairs, was again put in operation.

Approx. position: Lat. 47° 23' 20" N., long. 122° 22' 20" W.

U.S. NAVAL WIRELESS TELEGRAPH SERVICE.

REPORTS OF OBSTRUCTIONS TO NAVIGATION.—By direction of the Bureau of Equipment the U.S. naval wireless telegraph-stations on the Atlantic and Pacific seaboard are now furnished daily, or as often as there is occasion to do so, by the Hydrographic Office with the latest information relating to the presence of dangerous obstructions to navigation to be transmitted to vessels at sea.

Wireless messages will be sent broadcast three times at intervals of eight hours by those stations furnished with them. The hours chosen are 6 a.m., 2 p.m., and 10 p.m., local standard time. The messages will open with the word "Obstruction," after which will follow words giving the latitude and longitude (or the bearing, as the case may be),

the nature of the obstruction (whether wreck on bottom, floating derelict, or iceberg), and finally the date when the obstruction was last sighted.

These messages, together with such other hydrographic information as may be furnished for the purpose, will be kept on file, and when request by wireless is made by vessels at sea for such information the same will be furnished them. Such messages will take precedence over ordinary business.

The U.S. naval wireless telegraph-stations most likely to have information of the kind above described are those located as follows:—

Atlantic.	Call-letter.	Pacific.	Call-letter.
Cape Cod	PH	Tatoosh, Wash. ..	SV
Nantucket Shoals lightship	PI	North Head, Wash.	SX
Cape Henlopen ..	PX	Table Bluff, Cal. ..	TD
Cape Henry	QN	Farallon Islands ..	TH
Diamond Shoal lightship	QP	Point Arguello, Cal.	TK
Jupiter Inlet ..	RA	Point Loma, Cal. ..	TM
Key West Naval station	RD	Sitka (when established).	
New Orleans Naval station	RO		

Notice to Mariners No. 66 of 1907.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 30th September, 1907.

THE following Notices to Mariners—received from the Colonial Secretary's Office, Perth, Western Australia; the Portmaster, Brisbane, Queensland; and the President of the Board of Trade, Port Adelaide, South Australia, respectively—are published for general information.

J. A. MILLAR.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA (WEST COAST).

Alterations and Additions to Beacons and Buoys in Shark Bay.

BLIND STRAITS.—Buoys in this channel now removed.

INNER BAR.—Two beacons, each an iron telegraph-pole with drum on head, painted white, and 492 ft. apart, are erected on Red Cliffs just south of middle of conspicuous sandpatch.

BROWN'S ANCHORAGE.—A black perch buoy with staff and cage is moored in 3 fathoms, low water. This buoy kept in line with gable of woolshed Bg. S. 22° W. leads into and marks anchorage.

HEIRISSON FLATS.—At the north extreme of this shoal a red nun buoy with cage is moored in 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms, low water.

BAR FLATS.—On the S.W. and south edge of this shoal two black perch buoys are moored. They are moored in 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms of water and mark the north side of Denham Channel.

ANCHORAGE.—At Denham anchorage a black cask buoy is moored in 4 fathoms, low water.

LIGHTS.—There are two lights at Denham; the upper (fixed white) is visible 5 miles, and the lower (red, fixed) is visible for about 3 miles. They are used by local small craft, and, kept in line, keep clear off shoal water south of Denham.

WELLS.—Four more wells are placed on Dirk Hartog Island.

BUOYS.—The anchorage-buoy at Gascoyne Roads has now been removed.

Charts affected: No. 618, Shark Bay; No. 1056, C. Cuvier to Champion Bay.

C. J. IRVINE,
Chief Harbourmaster.

16th July, 1907.

COBURG PENINSULA, NORTH COAST OF AUSTRALIA, THREE-FATHOM SHOAL.

Notice is hereby given that Captain Hardy, R.N., of H.M.S. "Fantomé," reports the existence of a shoal with least water three (3) fathoms L.W.O.S. in the following position: Lat. 10° 59' 40" S., long. 132° 14' 10" E., Danger Point bearing S. 36° E., Edwards Point S. 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ° E., Smith Point S. 26° W.

Charts affected: Nos. 613, 942B, 1042, 1044, and 2759A; "Australia Directory," Vol. iii, fourth edition, 1905, page 94.

JOHN MACKAY,
Portmaster.

Marine Department,
Brisbane, 5th September, 1907.

SPENCER'S GULF.

ENTRANCE TO PORT PIBIE RIVER.—RE-ERECTION OF No. 1 BEACON.—Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 7 of 1907, masters of vessels and others are hereby informed that, pending completion of the work, the signal mentioned will be shown from a black-painted pontoon having a pile frame.

The signals will be as before—viz., by day, a red ball; by night, a red light.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 2389B and 403.

ARTHUR SEARCY,
President of the Marine Board.
Marine Board Offices,
Port Adelaide, 26th August, 1907.

INDIAN OCEAN.

OBSTRUCTION TO NAVIGATION, s.s. "FORTUNATUS."—Masters of vessels and others are hereby informed that it has been reported that the burnt-out hull of the s.s. "Fortunatus" has been passed in lat. 5° 28' S. and long. 90° 35' E. This being in the track of shipping between Australia and India, masters of ships are hereby warned to keep a sharp look-out in that vicinity.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 748A.

ARTHUR SEARCY,
President of the Marine Board.
Marine Board Offices,
Port Adelaide, 20th August, 1907.

NORTH COAST OF AUSTRALIA.

Notice is hereby given that the commander of H.M.S. "Fantome" reports a reef, with three (3) fathoms water on it, situated in lat. 10° 59' S. and long. 132° 14' E.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 1042.

ARTHUR SEARCY,
President of the Marine Board.
Marine Board Offices,
Port Adelaide, 20th August, 1907.

Authorising the Laying-off of certain Streets in the Township of Fleetwood of a Width of not less than 66 ft. each.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 17th September, 1907.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 2 of "The Towns Main Streets Act, 1902," I, Robert McNab, Minister of Lands, do hereby authorise the laying-off of Manor Road, Euston Street, and Stanford Street, in the Township of Fleetwood, Canterbury Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft., instead of 99 ft. as prescribed by section 17 of "The Land Act, 1892."

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Appointment of Agent for Public Trustee at Rotorua.

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 27th September, 1907.

IT is hereby notified for general information that LEO CYRIL RYAN, Esq., has been appointed Agent for the Public Trustee at Rotorua, from the 1st October, 1907.

J. W. POYNTON,
Public Trustee.

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 ascer-

tained 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 30th day of September, 1907.

J. W. POYNTON,
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing 55 acres, be the same a little more or less, being Allotment No. 52, in the Parish of Mangapai, in the Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded on the north by Allotment No. 58, 1440 links; on the east by a road, 342, 1040, and 1550 links; on the south by a road, 2797 links; and on the west by a creek.

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Dated at Wellington, this 30th day of September, 1907.

J. W. POYNTON,
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 39, Block II, Township of Hawksbury, Subdivision of Application No. 246, District of Hawksbury, in the Provincial District of Otago.

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 30th day of September, 1907.

J. W. POYNTON,
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing 1 rood 7 perches, being Section No. 421 on deposited plan No. 52, Liardet Street, Township of Vogeltown, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

Immigration and Emigration Returns.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the COLONY of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of AUGUST, 1907, showing the Places from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES FROM AND TO DIFFERENT PLACES.

Countries.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	
United Kingdom	391	239	84	77	791	65	33	3	8	109
Queensland .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Victoria	164	72	10	11	257	190	88	4	2	284
New South Wales	745	354	44	35	1,178	726	364	45	57	1,192
Western Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tasmania	81	30	2	3	116	27	23	2	2	54
Fiji	18	18	2	..	38	17	16	3	3	39
Other British possessions	52	20	8	4	84*	30	10	3	..	43†
Pacific islands	47	21	1	1	70‡	10	5	..	..	15§
Other foreign ports	2	1	2	1	6||	9	5	..	1	15¶
Totals, August, 1907	1,500	755	153	132	2,540	1,074	544	60	73	1,751
Totals, August, 1906	1,686	806	182	166	2,840	1,041	388	75	61	1,565

* From Norfolk Island, 20; Cape Town, 64. † For British Columbia. ‡ From Friendly Islands, 46; Society Islands, 24.
§ For Friendly Islands, 1; Navigators, 4; Society Islands, 10. || From Teneriffe. ¶ For Monte Video.

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.*

Ports.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
Kaipara	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Auckland	628	93	459	262	721	518	44	363	199	562
Wellington	1,290	164	947	507	1,454	772	79	548	303	851
Greymouth	1	2	1	2	3	..	..	..	..	..
Invercargill	334	26	246	114	360	328	10	223	115	338
Totals, August, 1907	2,255	285	1,653	887	2,540	1,618	133	1,134	617	1,751
Totals, August, 1906	2,492	348	1,868	972	2,840	1,429	136	1,116	449	1,565

CHINESE.—Arrivals—At Auckland, 5; Wellington, 12. Departures—From Wellington, 4.

* It is important to mention that, in the returns from which this table is made up, immigrants to the colony are all counted at the first port of arrival, and emigrants at the final port of departure.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 28th September, 1907.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,
Registrar-General.

Officiating Ministers for 1907.—Notice No. 40.

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

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

Methodist Church of Australasia in New Zealand.
Mr. John Alexander Stewart.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,
Registrar-General

Te Makarini Scholarships, held at Te Aute College, Hawke's Bay.

THREE scholarships of the yearly value of £35, tenable for two years, are offered for competition. One of these scholarships, to be called the senior scholarship, is open to all Maori boys under sixteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination: the other two scholarships are junior scholarships, one of which is open to all Maori boys under fifteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination who have attended a Native school or schools other than

Te Aute or St. Stephen's, and whose attendance at school during the previous year is considered by the Inspector of Native Schools to have been satisfactory; the other is open to Maori boys whose attendance at any school other than Te Aute and St. Stephen's during the previous year has been similarly satisfactory. The senior scholarship is open to Maori boys on the conditions laid down in the regulations of the Trustees of the Te Makarini Scholarships Fund, as printed in the Native Schools Code, 1897. Candidates for the junior scholarships will be examined in the subjects specified for Standard IV in the Native Schools Code, 1897. The questions will, however, be somewhat more difficult than those set for the standard examinations. The examination will be held at convenient centres on the 9th and 10th of December, 1907.

Candidates must, either directly or through their teachers, send notice to the Inspector of Native Schools, Education Department, Wellington, of their intention to present themselves for examination. Such notice must be posted so as to reach the Department not later than the 4th of November, 1907.

Copies of the regulations and forms of notice may be obtained from teachers of Native schools and boarding institutions, the Secretaries to Education Boards, or the Secretary for Education, Wellington.

W. W. BIRD,
Inspector of Native Schools.

Education Department,
Wellington, 28th September, 1907.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in the Wellington Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 17th September, 1907.

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
O.R.P.	685	25	III	Puketoi	M. Egan	Non-residence, non-improvement, and non-payment of rent.
V.H.L.P.	724	22	XV	Manganui	Thomas Harris	Ditto.
V.H.L.P.	907	29	..	Mataroa Village Settlement	James Mooney..	"
L.S.L.P.	263	84	VIII	Belmont (Normandale Settlement)	L. Mullins	Non-residence, non-improvement, and non-payment of rent. At selector's request.
V.H.L.P.	971	45	..	Manunui Village Settlement	H. C. McAlister	At selector's request.
O.R.P.	376	17	IV	Tararua	P. A. W. Waterson	Non-residence, non-improvement, and non-payment of rent.
S.G.R.	125	37	X	Kaitieke	S. Hughes	Ditto.
"	136	4	VII	"	W. Bremner	Improvements in arrear.
"	138	40	X	"	G. H. White	"
"	135	3	VII	"	A. Bremner	"
L.P.	513	28	III	Puketoi	J. Doreen	Rent in arrear. At trustee's request.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Lands in the Wellington Land District surrendered.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 17th September, 1907.

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by
S.G.R.	130	42	X	Kaitieke ..	I. McI. Pickup.
O.R.P.	811	9	VI	" ..	H. Palmer.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Lands.

Land in Otago Land District for Disposal under Section 115 of "The Land Act, 1892."

District Lands Office,
Dunedin, 13th September, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under section 115 of "The Land Act, 1892," on or after Thursday, the 19th day of December, 1907.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Parts of Sections 1 and 2, Block I, Pomahaka Survey District.

AN area of about 2 acres to P. Miller for cash.
An area of about 10 acres to S. Dunlop for cash.
An area of about 8 acres to E. Hooker under lease in perpetuity.
An area of about 75 acres to D. P. Copland under lease in perpetuity.

D. BARRON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Tekapo Village, Canterbury Land District, for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Christchurch, 24th September, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, at the Local Lands Office, Timaru, at noon, on Wednesday, the 15th day of January, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—TEKAPO VILLAGE.
Village Lands.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	I	1 0 0	10 0 0
2	"	1 0 0	9 0 0
3	"	1 0 0	10 0 0
4	"	1 0 0	8 0 0
5	"	1 0 0	6 0 0
6	"	1 0 0	5 0 0
7	"	1 0 0	4 0 0
8	"	1 0 0	4 0 0
9	"	1 0 0	3 0 0
10	"	1 0 0	3 0 0
2	II	1 0 0	6 0 0
3	"	1 0 0	6 0 0
4	"	1 0 0	6 0 0
5	"	1 0 0	6 0 0
6	"	1 0 0	10 0 0
7	"	1 0 0	6 0 0
8	"	1 0 0	10 0 0
9	"	1 0 0	5 0 0
10	"	1 0 0	5 0 0
11	"	1 0 0	5 0 0
12	"	1 0 0	3 0 0
13	"	1 0 37	4 0 0

Locality and Description.

Tekapo Village is situated at the southern end of Lake Tekapo, on the eastern side of the Tekapo River. It is distant twenty-six miles from Fairlie Township and Railway.

station, and fronts upon the main road from Fairlie to Mount Cook Hermitage, being connected with both places by motor-car service. The position of the village on the shore of Lake Tekapo, which extends for eighteen miles into the midst of the mountains, the high altitude (2,360 ft. above sea-level), the dry and bracing climate, the magnificent view, and the proximity to mountain and glacier scenery, all combine to render the village admirably adapted for a week-end or holiday resort for town residents and others.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Steward Settlement, Otago Land District, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands Office,
Dunedin, 23rd September, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at the District Lands Office, Dunedin, on Wednesday, the 30th day of October, 1907, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

If more than one application is received for the section on the same day, the order of selection shall be decided by ballot on the following day, at 11 o'clock a.m., at the District Lands Office, Dunedin.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—WAITAKI COUNTY.—PAPAKAIO SURVEY DISTRICT.—STEWARD SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.		
			Rent per Acre per Annum.	Half-yearly Rent.	
56A	VIII	A. R. P. 60 0 0	s. d. 5 6	£ s. d. 8 5 0	

Open, flat, agricultural land, about 30 ft. above sea-level, fronting on Waitaki River. The soil is fairly good, but stony in parts. The main frontage is to Kaika Road, but there is a road leading from the western boundary to the Waitaki Railway-station, distant three-quarters of a mile. This section is fenced on the southern boundary. The value of the fencing (£17 5s.) is included in the price of the land.

D. BARRON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

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

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

JOHN STRAUCHON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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.

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

District Lands Office,
Nelson, 9th September, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, on Thursday, the 12th 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 land on the same day, the order of selection shall be decided by ballot.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—INANGAHUA COUNTY.
Second-class Unsurveyed Heavy-bush Land.

District.	Block.	Area.			Lease in Perpetuity Rent 4 per Cent: Rent per Acre per Annum.	
		A.	R.	P.	s.	d.
Matiri ..	XIV	338	0	0	0	3-8

Weighted with £42, valuation for felling and grassing. Situated about three-quarters of a mile from Longford Post-office and telegraph-station, and about 10 chains off the main coach-road, Nelson to Westport. Portion of the block known as the Matiri Valley Block. Open, forest-clad land, the timber being brown-birch and silver-birch not suitable for milling. Formation, sandstone and conglomerate. Soil is very fair, and well watered. Northern and western portions of the area lie well to the sun, and when cleared will carry good grass.

F. W. FLANAGAN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Te Mata and Elsthorpe Settlements, Hawke's Bay Land District, open for Selection on Lease in Perpetuity.

District Lands Office,
Napier, 17th September, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be open for selection on lease in perpetuity, at this office, and at the Princess Theatre, Hastings, on Monday, the 4th day of November, 1907, under the provisions of "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and amendments.

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

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Lease in Perpetuity: Rent, 5 per Cent.: Half-yearly Rent.
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HAWKE'S BAY COUNTY.—TE MATA SURVEY DISTRICT.—TE MATA SETTLEMENT.

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
1	IV	5	2	13	5	10	0
2	"	6	0	0	6	0	0
3	"	5	0	0	5	0	0
4	"	5	3	32	6	0	0
5	"	7	3	39	8	0	0
6	"	8	0	0	8	0	0
7	"	7	0	0	7	0	0
8	"	6	3	36	7	0	0
9	"	11	1	22	11	10	0
10	"	10	2	39	11	0	0

Description of Te Mata Settlement.—First-class agricultural land; all flat; specially adapted for fruit-growing; good soil, on shingle formation; excellent climate. Situated from one mile and a half to two miles from Havelock by good level road, from four miles to four miles and a half from Hastings, and about fourteen miles from Napier. There is a plantation of blue-gums along the north-eastern boundaries of Sections 4, 5, 8, and 9. The fencing on Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 9, and 10 goes with the land, and is not to be paid for separately by the tenants.

PATANGATA COUNTY.—ELSTHORPE SETTLEMENT.—ELSTHORPE VILLAGE.

14	..	0	1	0	0	10	0
15	..	0	1	0	0	10	0

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Description of Sections 14 and 15, Elsthorpe Village.—Flat and gradually rising ground, in good sward. Situated on the main road from Kaikora to the coast, about fourteen miles from the former place. A very pretty spot, approached from both sides through clumps of carefully preserved native bush. Section 14 is weighted with 15s., and Section 15 with £1 10s., for value of fencing. These amounts must be paid in cash by the tenants.

HENRY TRENT,
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.	
			Acres.	
Kongahu ..	III	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.

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 Edendale Railway-station. All are open flat land; good soil, on gravel formation; well watered. Access by metalled roads.

JOHN HAY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

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

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

In the matter of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894"; and in the matter of the land known as Ngarua No. 1B; and in the matter of an application by Te Hurinui Tame and others to the Chief Judge of the said Court, under section 39 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," to amend the succession order made on the 31st July, 1902, in respect of the interest of Tiahuia Pakeke, deceased, herein.

WHEREAS the above application has been referred by me to the Native Land Court for inquiry and report, and the same has been duly reported on: And whereas it appears that the order appointing successors to Tiahuia Pakeke, deceased, in Ngarua No. 1B Block was made in error:

Now, therefore, for the purpose of rectifying the said error or mistake, and in exercise of the powers in that behalf vested in me by the said section 39 aforesaid, I hereby order that the said succession order made on the 31st July, 1902, appointing successors to Tiahuia Pakeke, deceased, in Ngarua No. 1B Block, be and is hereby cancelled; and I hereby further order that a fresh succession order be made in respect of the said interest in favour of Te Hurinui Tame (m.), Hetaraka Tame (m.), Te Moengaroa Tame (f.), and Makirangi Tame (f., 15 years), in equal shares, and that the father (Tame Matehaere) be and is hereby appointed trustee for Makirangi Tame (f., 15 years).

As witness my hand, this 27th day of September, 1907.

JACKSON PALMER, Chief Judge.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Auckland.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 24th September, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at the Native Land Court Office, Auckland, on the 8th day of October, 1907, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Auckland, 1907-37.]

A. G. HOLLAND, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
54	Lease	26th June, 1907 ..	Part of Pakinga C No. 3	Ratana Tamaho and Wharamata Tamaho to Harold Knox Wallace.
55	Sale	7th September, 1907 ..	Section A2 of Lot 14, Parish of Puniu	Hone Noema Keeti to George Robert McGhie.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Gisborne.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 28th September, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Gisborne on the 28th day of October, 1907, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Gisborne, 1907-33.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATION.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
799	Transfer	5th June, 1907 ..	Mangatokerau No. 1c	Karaitiana Tamararo and Hautonga Rangi to George Henry Williams.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area.	District.
800	Te Reweti Whakaware and others	Puninga No. 8	171 acres ..	Gisborne.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
801	Heta Haraki and others	Pipiwhakao No. 1c.
802	Kate Gannon	Turangaotewhetuiapiti.
803	Rawinia Ahuroa	Whatatutu No. 1A.

APPLICATIONS FOR ASSESSMENT OF COMPENSATION FOR LAND TAKEN.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Purposes for which Land is taken.
804	Chief Engineer, Roads Department	Wharekopae No. 1B3, Section 1	A public road.
805	The Under - Secretary, Public Works Department	Puhatikotiko Nos. 8c, 8d, and 8e	Railway purposes.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Whanganui.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 1st October, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Whanganui on the 10th day of October, 1907, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
[Wellington, 1907-51.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR RIGHT OF ROAD.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
2496	Akapita te Ahitoro (by his solicitors, Barnicoat and Treadwell) ..	Okehu Nos. 3 and 4.
2497	Arama Tinirau (by his solicitors, Barnicoat and Treadwell) ..	Okehu Nos. 2 and 1.

APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATION.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
2498	Lease	19th September, 1907	Toreamoua, Section 4, Block I, Arapawa	Wiremu Keepa and others to John William Perano.

Applications for Confirmation Certificates under Section 55.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that applications have been made to a Judge of the Court for certificates under section 55 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," confirming the alienations hereunder specified. All objections to the granting of such certificates must be lodged with me within fourteen days from the publication of this notice.
[Wellington, Sec. 55.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

THE ALIENATIONS ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Lease	10th September, 1907	Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 4B, Section 1	Mihipeka Ihakara to Edward Bevan.
2	Transfer	19th August, 1907 ..	Otaki, Town Section 168	Te Naera Punia to Hori te Waru.
3	Transfer	23rd September, 1907	Haruatai No. 12D ..	Mancel Knocks to Charles Kilsby.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

In Bankruptcy.

Assigned estate of JOHN HANSEN, of Ohinewai, Storekeeper.
CREDITORS in the above-mentioned estate are hereby requested to lodge at my office, Customs Street, Auckland, their claims, covered by a proper proof of debt, on or before the 16th day of October, 1907.
Proof-of-debt forms can be obtained on application.
Proofs of debt not received on or before the above-mentioned date will not be recognised.

E. GÉRARD,
Trustee.

Official Assignee's Office,
Auckland, 16th September, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that AMY ROSE MILLER, of Ponsonby Road, Auckland, Grocer, was this day adjudged bankrupt on the petition of Messrs. A. J. Entrican and Co. (Limited); and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of October, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock.

E. GÉRARD,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 25th September, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM JAMES ALEXANDER, of Napier, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 1st day of October, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock.

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

Napier, 23rd September, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN DUNN, of Normanby, Bootmaker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 7th day of October, 1907, at 2 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,
Official Assignee.

24th September, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM JAMES RYDER, of Kelso, Blacksmith, was this day adjudged bankrupt;

and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Saturday, the 5th day of October, 1907, at 10 o'clock a.m.

JOHN LATHAM,
Deputy Official Assignee.

25th September, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDERICK HESSELL, of Timaru, Carpenter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Arcade, Timaru, on Friday, the 4th day of October, 1907, at 11 o'clock.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Timaru, 24th September, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN PATRICK HOGAN, of Wairio, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 4th day of October, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
Official Assignee.

Invercargill, 27th September, 1907.

MINING NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company held at Dunedin on Thursday, 19th day of September, 1907, the following resolutions were passed:—

1. That the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that the company be wound up accordingly under "The Companies Act, 1903."

2. That Mr. CHARLES STEPHEN REEVES be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.

HENRY STOKES,
Chairman.

Dunedin, 19th September, 1907.

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

Re the Waipuna Creek Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

TAKE notice that the name of the above-mentioned company will, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Given under my hand, at Christchurch, this thirtieth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

P. G. WITHERS,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

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

4541. MALCOLM GODFREY MCGREGOR.—Part of Allotment 13, Section 30, City of Auckland, containing 5½ perches. Occupied by tenants.

4557. RACHEL HART.—Lot 10, Section 4, of Allotment 9, Section 7, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 12½ perches. Occupied by tenant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 28th day of September, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

EDWIN BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

949

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 4th day of November, 1907.

4077. EDWARD WADE PETHERICK.—104 acres 3 roods 39·3 perches, part Section 1, Horokiwi Road District; also part Section 14, Porirua District. Occupied as to part said Section 1 by John Pyle, and as to part said Section 14 by Francis Edward Petherick and Robert Percival Cook, and by their sub-tenants.

4078. CAROLINE EMMA BURGESS.—76 acres and 10·2 perches, part Section 1, Horokiwi Road District; also part Section 12, Porirua District. Occupied by John Pyle.

4080. HINEKORAKO.—7·8 perches, Lot 22, Te Aro Pa Reserve, City of Wellington. Occupied by Constantine George Nicholl, as Lessee.

4082. HENRY SARJEANT.—1 rood ¼ perch, Section 368, Town of Wanganui. Occupied by Applicant.

4087. JOSEPH WILKS.—1 rood, part Suburban Section 20, Town of Wanganui. Occupied by tenants.

4089. WILHELM FARQUHAR EGGERS and JOSHUA HARRY EGGERS.—1 acre and 27·3 perches, parts Section 725, City of Wellington. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 2nd day of October, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

951

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title and a discharge of Mortgage No. 51531, in favour of GEORGE THOMPSON, of Porirua, Farmer, for Lot 106 on Deposited Plan No. 666, part Section 5, Hokowhitu, being the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 103, folio 230, and evidence having been lodged of the destruction of the said certificate of title and mortgage, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate of title and dispense with the production of the said mortgage and register the discharge as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 17th day of October, 1907.

Dated this 2nd day of October, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

950

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a transfer of Lease No. 3572 from GEORGINA JANSSON to CHARLES PATRICK McCLOSKEY, of Makuri, Labourer, affecting Section 3, Rakaunui Village Settlement, being the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 91, folio 237, and evidence having been lodged of the destruction of the said lease, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with the production of the said lease and register the transfer as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 17th day of October, 1907.

Dated this 2nd day of October, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

J. M. BATHAM,
District Land Registrar.

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

10573. SARAH ALLEY.—24 acres 1 rood 10 perches, Rural Section 3663, Blocks VI and VII, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by George Thompson.

10577. DANIEL O'BRIEN.—76 acres 3 roods 33 perches, Rural Sections 1938 and 2032, Block IX, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by George Gatony Stead.

10585. SAMUEL TREVURZA.—15½ perches, part of Rural Section 1757, Borough of Timaru. Occupied by Applicant.

10605. FREDERICK JOSEPH FANNING.—1 rood 8½ perches, part of Lot 28 of the Christchurch Town Reserves. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 1st day of October, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

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

JOHN GRAY.—Sections 23 and 24, Block LXXIX, Town of Oamaru. Occupied by Applicant. No. 4788.

ARTHUR HAY MAUDE, GEORGE FENWICK, and JOHN FREDERICK MILES.—Section 12, Block XXIV, Town of Oamaru. Part occupied by tenant and part unoccupied. No. 4789.

PETER WILSON.—Part Section 3, Block IV, Upper Kaikorai District. Occupied by Agnes Cameron. No. 4790. Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 30th day of September, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

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PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, HERBERT BERTRAM, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery of Glasgow University, now residing in Devonport, Auckland, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 24th October 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 qualifications in the office of the Registrar at Auckland.

H. BERTRAM.

Dated at Auckland, 23rd September, 1907. 944

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903," and of Stuart and Fenn (Limited).

At an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company, duly convened, and held at Auckland on the 5th day of September, 1907, the following special resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent general meeting of the above-named company, duly convened, and held at Auckland on the 21st day of September, the following special resolution was duly confirmed, viz:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily under "The Companies Act, 1903," and that Mr. W. STANLEY COOPER, of Auckland, Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

ERNEST J. FENN,
Chairman.

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

Re the Ranger Motor and Cycle Company (Limited).

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