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*Lands taken for a Road in Block V, Te Aroha Survey District, Ohinemuri 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 owners of the lands hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Ohinemuri 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 Te Aroha Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

**SCHEDULE.**

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 1 34.4	2	V	Te Aroha..	R. 8375	Pink.
0 2 1.4	3	"	" ..	"	Blue.
2 1 31.4	4	"	" ..	"	Pink.

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 fifteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seven.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Acting Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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*Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Portobello Road District.*

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

**A PROCLAMATION.**

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

And whereas the Portobello Road 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 Dominion 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 land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road.

**SCHEDULE.**

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 6 0 17	9 71	.. II	Upper Harbour East Otago Peninsula	R. 6728 "	Red. "

In the Otago Land District; as the same is 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 Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this nineteenth day of October, 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 VII, Pouterere Survey District, Patangata 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 of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Patangata County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Pouterere 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 herein-before 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. 1 1 28	Block 10, Pouterere C.G. District	VII	Pouterere	R. 9244	Pink.
0 0 0½	Ditto ..	"	"	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Being Part of Road intersecting	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 0 22	Block 10, Pouterere C.G. District	VII	Pouterere	R. 9244	Green

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.

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 fifteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seven.

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

*Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block IV, Tuturau Survey 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, do hereby, with the consent of the owners of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Southland County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Tuturau 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 herein-before 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. 2 0 14	3	IV	Tuturau	R. 4112	Red.
1 2 0	4	"	"	"	"
0 2 17	4	"	"	"	"
1 1 24	57	"	"	"	"
0 2 7	5	"	"	"	"
2 2 3	6	"	"	"	"
1 3 39	7	"	"	"	"
2 0 26.9	8	"	"	"	"
1 0 0	9	"	"	"	"
0 1 36	9	"	"	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through Sections	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 0 16	3	IV	Tuturau	R. 4112	Green.
1 2 17	4	"	"	"	"
0 2 27	4	"	"	"	"
1 0 8	57	"	"	"	"
1 0 8	5	"	"	"	"
2 2 3	6	"	"	"	"
2 0 0	7	"	"	"	"
2 0 32	8	"	"	"	"
1 0 0	9	"	"	"	"

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 fifteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seven.

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

*Land taken for the Purposes of a Gravel-pit in 2b Ngawaka-a-Kupe No. 2, Huangarua Survey District, Featherston County.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1905," for a certain work, to wit, for the purpose of a gravel-pit in Huangarua Survey District:

And whereas the Featherston County Council 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 Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise 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 land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purpose of a gravel-pit.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel 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. 1 3 24	2B Ngawaka-a-Kupe No. 2	XV	Huanga-rua	R. 7990	Pink.

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

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Acting Minister for Public Works.  
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 thermal 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.

KATIKATI (WAIOA) HOT SPRINGS.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 100 acres, more or less, being Section 67, Block VIII, Katikati Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Sections 49, 48, and 47 of the said block, 2308 links; towards the east by Section 46 of the said block, 5201 links; towards the south by a public road, 649, 698, and 586 links respectively; and towards the west by Section 68 of the said block, 4445 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 39704/15, 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 eighteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seven.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Making Regulations for the Netting and Sale of Sea-trout.

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him 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 regulations for the purposes of the said Acts, and doth hereby declare that such regulations shall have effect in the waters of the Dominion specified in the First Schedule to such regulations, and doth hereby further declare that these regulations shall come into force on the first day of November, 1907:—

REGULATIONS.

1. Licenses to net for trout within the waters and places in the Southern District Trout-netting Area, as specified in the First Schedule hereto, may be issued under the hand of the Collector of Customs at Invercargill, Dunedin, or Oamaru, respectively, on payment of a fee of one pound for each net, subject to the provisions of these regulations. Every such license shall be in the form or to the effect of form No. 1 in the Second Schedule hereto.
2. The season for netting trout in the waters aforesaid shall begin on the first day of November in each year and close on the last day of February following. Any other period of the year shall be deemed and is hereby declared to be the close season for the purposes of these regulations.
3. No nets of a smaller mesh than 4 in. diameter when wetted and stretched ready for use shall be used in any of the said waters or places, and any trout under 15 in. in length caught in any net shall be forthwith returned to the water. The size of the mesh, in every case, shall be ascertained by measuring the length between knot and knot of opposite corners with the mesh closed, the net being first wetted and stretched, and being tanned, barked, or otherwise prepared for use. In case of dispute or doubt, a  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. weight shall be slung or attached to one knot of the mesh, in order to produce a fair strain or extension, and the space between the top and bottom knot shall be measured forthwith while the mesh remains extended. If the net to be measured is dry, the part to be measured shall be soaked either in fresh or salt water for not less than ten minutes, and the mesh so soaked shall then be measured. No set-net shall be used at any time, and all nets, boats, gear, and tackle used shall be subject to inspection by any Collector of Customs, fisheries officer, constable, or officer of the local acclimatisation society at all reasonable times.
4. No netting for any purposes whatever shall be allowed within a radius of half a mile seawards from the mouth of any river or stream, whether such river or stream be flowing into an estuary or directly into the sea.
- For the purposes of these regulations the mouth of every such river or stream shall be deemed to be the point or line where the waters of such river or stream meet those of the sea or of any harbour at low water, spring tides, and shall include every outlet of such waters and the sea-shore between such outlets.
- The minimum penalty for breach of this regulation shall be the sum of five pounds, exclusive of any forfeiture declared.
5. Any holder of a license to net trout may net for and take trout in the waters and places aforesaid from the 1st day of November in one year to the last day of February in the following year, according to the tenor of such license; but every such license shall be for one season only, and shall expire on the last day of the month of February following the grant thereof, or then instant, as the case may be.
6. Except as aforesaid, no person shall fish with or use any instrument, device, or means for taking trout in any of the said waters or places, or at or near the mouth or entrance of any river or stream.
7. Any holder of a license to net trout under these regulations may sell and dispose of trout so netted to any *bona fide* fishmonger who is the holder of a license to retail such trout to the public.
8. Licenses to sell trout taken under these regulations to the public may be issued to any *bona fide* fishmonger resident within the Dominion by a Collector of Customs authorised to issue a license to net trout under these regulations on payment of a fee of one pound. Such license shall be in the form or to the effect of form No. 2 set forth in the Second Schedule hereto.
9. Every holder of a license to sell trout to the public shall keep a register, which shall contain a complete and

accurate record of all trout purchased for sale as aforesaid. Such register shall also show the correct names and addresses of the persons from whom such trout has been purchased, and the exact weight of trout purchased in each case, together with the true date of such purchase. Every register shall be open to inspection at all reasonable times by any Collector of Customs, fisheries officer, constable, or officer of a duly registered acclimatisation society.

10. No person shall sell trout unless he is the holder of a license to net or sell trout issued under these regulations.

11. No license issued hereunder shall be capable of being transferred or assigned.

12. No person shall net for trout without a license under these regulations; and every person netting shall, on demand of any Collector of Customs, fisheries officer, constable, or officer of any registered acclimatisation society, produce and show his license and, if so requested, the contents of his net.

13. In addition to the license fee payable under these regulations for netting trout, every holder of a license to net shall pay to the Postmaster at the place where such trout are taken a royalty of one penny per pound on all trout so netted. The amount of such royalties when received shall be paid over to the local acclimatisation society, to be expended by such society in restocking the waters of the district with trout. Where there is more than one local acclimatisation society in the district, then such royalty shall be allocated in such manner as the Minister of Customs (herein termed "the Minister") shall direct. For the purpose of computing such royalty every such license-holder shall, once in each week during the continuance of such license, lodge with the said Postmaster a true statement of the weight of trout taken by such license-holder during such week. Any license-holder failing to make such return for more than three days after the close of any such week shall be guilty of an offence against these regulations.

14. No person shall net, fish for, catch, or kill, in any manner, or have in his possession, any salmon, salmon-parr, or smolts, or the young or fry of any salmon in any stage whatever, and any of the above named taken by accident or otherwise shall be immediately returned alive to the water from which the same was taken.

15. A Collector of Customs authorised to issue a license under the provisions of these regulations may refuse to issue a license to any person who within the previous two years has been convicted of a breach of any Act relating to fishing or netting for trout, or of any regulation made thereunder, including these regulations.

16. No trout shall be exported from the Dominion (unless with the express sanction in writing of the Minister) under a penalty of not less than ten pounds.

17. It shall be the duty of the chairman of each acclimatisation society receiving any fees, moneys, or payments under the provisions of these regulations to forward to the Secretary of the Marine Department, on or before the 10th day of April in each year, a statement certified by the said chairman showing all moneys received and expended by such society under the provisions of these regulations as up to the 31st day of March previous, and in particular the details of all expenditure of such moneys in restocking the streams and waters in the district with trout.

18. All trout unlawfully taken, or exposed, consigned, or bought for sale, and also all vessels, boats, fixed engines, nets, gear, tackle, or other apparatus used in any unlawful fishing or taking of trout, whether found on shore or in the possession of the persons taking the same, or any other person whomsoever, or in any vessel or boat, shall be forfeited, and shall be disposed of as the Minister thinks fit.

19. Except as otherwise specially provided, the penalty for breach of any of these regulations shall be not less than forty shillings nor more than fifty pounds.

20. If any person be convicted of an offence against these regulations, the license (if any) held by the offender shall thereupon become void.

#### FIRST SCHEDULE.

##### SOUTHERN DISTRICT TROUT-NETTING AREA.

ALL that area covered by the waters of the sea and bounded as follows: Towards the west by a line extending due south for a distance of three nautical miles from Trig. Z at the western point of Te Waewae Bay, known as Sandhill Point (Te Hakapireirei), Block XIII, Rowallan Survey District, in the Land District of Southland; towards the south and east generally by a line, distant throughout its entire length three nautical miles from high-water mark; towards the north by a line three nautical miles in length and bearing due east from the right bank at the mouth of the Waitaki River, in the Papakaio Survey District, in the Land District of Otago; and generally towards the west and north by high-water mark from the mouth of the Waitaki River to Sandhill Point: which said area is designated the Southern District Trout-netting Area: excluding from the above-

described area the tidal waters of all rivers, creeks, or estuaries: as the same is delineated on the plan marked M.D. 3116, deposited in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

#### SECOND SCHEDULE.

(No. 1.) LICENSE TO NET TROUT (NOT TRANSFERABLE).  
"Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and Amendments.

THE holder of this license, [Name in full], of [Address], [Calling or occupation], having this day paid the sum of one pound, is hereby authorised to use one net for taking trout of not less than 15 in. in length within the area known as the Southern District Trout-netting Area, as defined by regulations made under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of , 1907, from the day of , 190 , subject to the provisions of the said Acts and to the regulations made thereunder in respect of the said area.

Dated this day of , 190 .  
Collector of Customs at

(No. 2.) LICENSE TO SELL TROUT (NOT TRANSFERABLE).  
"Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884," and Amendments.

A. B. [Full name], a bona fide fishmonger residing at , having this day paid the sum of one pound, is hereby authorised to sell trout to the public within the Dominion of New Zealand, subject to the provisions of the said Acts and the regulations made thereunder relating to sale of trout.

Dated this day of , 190 .  
Collector of Customs at

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Delivering Inland or Intercolonial Telegram to Unregistered Code Address.

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the fourth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seven, regulations were made under the authority of "The Electric Lines Act, 1884" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), *inter alia*, fixing and determining the fees and rates to be demanded and received for the registration of a code address, and it is expedient to amend the regulations and fees for the registration of such code address in the manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion 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 the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke section three under the heading "Code Addresses" in the above-recited Order in Council, and in lieu thereof doth make the regulations and fix the fees and rates set forth in the Schedule hereto for the same purposes; and doth hereby order that such regulations and such fees and rates shall have effect on and from the date of the publication of this Order in Council in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

#### SCHEDULE.

3. A CODE address must be registered in the Post and Telegraph Department before being used, and may be registered for any term not exceeding one year (except in case of first registration) and not less than one month. Code-registration years end on the 31st December only. In case of first registration, if the period to the 31st December is three months or less than three months, the fee for the next full year must be added to the fee for the period then remaining of the current year. The minimum registration fee in any case will be 5s. Where a telegram is received bearing an unregistered code address, it will be delivered to the addressee, if ascertained, on payment, in respect of each telegram, of a sum of 6d. for an inland telegram, 2s. 6d. for an intercolonial telegram, and 5s. for an international telegram respectively.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Apportionment of Representation of the Contributory Local Authorities under "The Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act 1885 Amendment Act, 1886."*

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers vested in him by "The Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act 1885 Amendment Act, 1886," 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 apportion the representation of the contributory local authorities mentioned in the second column of the Schedule hereto on the Boards of the districts set opposite to such contributory local authorities in the first column of the said Schedule, in the proportion set forth in the third column of such Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

District.	Contributory Local Authority.	Representation.	
North of Auckland..	Mangonui County Council .. .. .	2 members for the combined district.	
	Whangaroa County Council .. .. .		
	Bay of Islands County Council .. .. .		2 members.
	Hokianga County Council .. .. .		1 member.
	Whangarei County Council .. .. .		4 members.
	Whangarei Borough Council .. .. .		1 member.
	Otamatea County Council .. .. .		2 members.
Auckland .. .. .	Hobson County Council .. .. .	3 members.	
	Rodney County Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.	
	Waitemata County Council .. .. .		
	Devonport Borough Council .. .. .	2 members.	
	Boards of the road districts in Eden County .. .. .		
	Boards of the road and town districts in Manukau County .. .. .	2 members for the combined district.	
	Onehunga Borough Council .. .. .	4 members.	
	Borough Council of the City of Auckland .. .. .		
	Parnell Borough Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.	
	Grey Lynn Borough Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.	
	Birkenhead Borough Council .. .. .		
	Newmarket Borough Council .. .. .		
	Waikato .. .. .	Mount Eden Borough Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.
Waikato County Council .. .. .		3 members.	
Waipa County Council .. .. .		3 members.	
Piako County Council .. .. .		3 members.	
Te Aroha Borough Council .. .. .		1 member.	
Raglan County Council .. .. .		2 members.	
Hamilton Borough Council .. .. .		1 member.	
Thames .. .. .	Cambridge Borough Council .. .. .	1 member.	
	Thames County Council .. .. .	3 members.	
	Ohinemuri County Council .. .. .	4 members.	
	Thames Borough Council .. .. .	2 members.	
Bay of Plenty .. .. .	Tauranga County Council .. .. .	3 members.	
	Opotiki County Council .. .. .	3 members.	
	Whakatane County Council .. .. .	2 members.	
	Tauranga Borough Council .. .. .	1 member.	
Waiapu .. .. .	Waiapu County Council .. .. .	4 members.	
	Hawera County Council .. .. .	2 members.	
	Egmont County Council .. .. .	1 member.	
	Hawera .. .. .	Eltham County Council .. .. .	2 members.
Hawera Borough Council .. .. .		1 member.	
Eltham Borough Council .. .. .		1 member.	
Stratford .. .. .		Stratford County Council .. .. .	4 members.
	Stratford Borough Council .. .. .	1 member.	
	Clifton County Council .. .. .	1 member.	
Taranaki .. .. .	Taranaki County Council .. .. .	3 members.	
	Egmont County Council .. .. .	1 member.	
	New Plymouth Borough Council .. .. .	2 members.	
	Waitara Borough Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.	
	Inglewood Borough Council .. .. .	2 members.	
	Wanganui County Council .. .. .		
Wanganui .. .. .	Waimarino County Council .. .. .	1 member.	
	Waitotara County Council .. .. .	2 members.	
	Rangitikei County Council .. .. .	4 members.	
	Wanganui Borough Council .. .. .	3 members.	
	Marton Borough Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.	
	Taihape Borough Council .. .. .		
	Palmerston North .. .. .	Oroua County Council .. .. .	2 members.
		Manawatu County Council .. .. .	2 members.
Kiwitea County Council .. .. .		2 members for the combined district.	
Pohangina County Council .. .. .		2 members.	
Kairanga County Council .. .. .		3 members.	
Palmerston North Borough Council .. .. .		3 members.	
Wellington .. .. .	Foxton Borough Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.	
	Feilding Borough Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.	
	Horowhenua County Council .. .. .		
	Levin Borough Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.	
	Hutt County Council .. .. .	1 member.	
	Borough Council of the City of Wellington .. .. .	4 members.	
	Onslow Borough Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.	
	Karori Borough Council .. .. .		
	Eastbourne Borough Council .. .. .		
	Wellington .. .. .	Miramar Borough Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.
Petone Borough Council .. .. .			
Lower Hutt Borough Council .. .. .			

## SCHEDULE—continued.

District.	Contributory Local Authority.	Representation.
Wairarapa .. ..	Wairarapa South County Council .. ..	2 members.
	Featherston County Council .. ..	3 members.
	Pahiatua County Council .. ..	3 members for the combined district.
	Pahiatua Borough Council .. ..	
	Eketahuna County Council .. ..	2 members for the combined district.
	Eketahuna Borough Council .. ..	
	Mauriceville County Council .. ..	1 member for the combined district.
	Akitio County Council .. ..	
	Castlepoint County Council .. ..	3 members.
	Masterton County Council .. ..	2 members.
	Masterton Borough Council .. ..	1 member for the combined district.
Carterton Borough Council .. ..		
Hawke's Bay .. ..	Graytown Borough Council .. ..	1 member.
	Wairoa County Council .. ..	4 members.
	Hawke's Bay County Council .. ..	3 members.
	Napier Borough Council .. ..	1 member.
Wairau .. ..	Hastings Borough Council .. ..	4 members.
	Blenheim Borough Council .. ..	4 members.
	Awatere Road Board .. ..	1 member.
	Spring Creek Road Board .. ..	2 members.
	Wairau Road Board .. ..	3 members.
	Omaka Road Board .. ..	3 members.
Picton .. ..	Picton Borough Council .. ..	3 members.
	Picton Road Board .. ..	4 members.
	Pelorus Road Board .. ..	1 member.
	Havelock Town Board .. ..	2 members.
	Wairau Road Board .. ..	4 members for the combined district.
Nelson .. ..	Borough Council of the City of Nelson .. ..	
	Richmond Borough Council .. ..	
	Motueka Borough Council .. ..	
Westland .. ..	Waimea County Council .. ..	4 members.
	Collingwood County Council .. ..	1 member for the combined district.
	Takaka County Council .. ..	
	Westland County Council .. ..	4 members.
	Ross Borough Council .. ..	1 member.
North Canterbury .. ..	Hokitika Borough Council .. ..	3 members.
	Kumara Borough Council .. ..	1 member.
	Kaikoura County Council .. ..	1 member for the combined district.
	Amuri County Council .. ..	
	Cheviot County Council .. ..	2 members.
	Boards of the road and town districts in Ashley County .. ..	1 member for the combined district.
	Akaroa Borough Council .. ..	
	Akaroa County Council .. ..	
	Mount Herbert County Council .. ..	4 members.
	Selwyn County Council .. ..	4 members.
South Canterbury .. ..	Borough Council of the City of Christchurch .. ..	1 member for the combined district.
	Kaiapoi Borough Council .. ..	
	Lyttelton Borough Council .. ..	3 members for the combined district.
	Rangiora Borough Council .. ..	
	Woolston Borough Council .. ..	
	Sumner Borough Council .. ..	2 members.
	New Brighton Borough Council .. ..	
	Geraldine County Council .. ..	1 member.
	Geraldine Borough Council .. ..	
	Temuka Borough Council .. ..	3 members for the combined district.
Levels County Council .. ..		
Tuapeka .. ..	Mackenzie County Council .. ..	2 members.
	Waimate County Council .. ..	4 members.
	Waimate Borough Council .. ..	1 member for the combined district.
	Timaru Borough Council .. ..	
Maniototo .. ..	Tuapeka County Council .. ..	4 members.
	Lawrence Borough Council .. ..	
	Roxburgh Borough Council .. ..	1 member for the combined district.
Vincent .. ..	Tapanui Borough Council .. ..	4 members.
	Maniototo County Council .. ..	1 member.
Otago .. ..	Naseby Borough Council .. ..	4 members.
	Vincent County Council .. ..	1 member.
	Alexandra Borough Council .. ..	1 member.
	Cromwell Borough Council .. ..	1 member for the combined district.
Clutha County Council .. ..		
Otago .. ..	Balclutha Borough Council .. ..	1 member for the combined district.
	Bruce County Council .. ..	
	Milton Borough Council .. ..	1 member for the combined district.
	Kaitangata Borough Council .. ..	
	Borough Council of the City of Dunedin .. ..	4 members.
	Taieri County Council .. ..	2 members for the combined district.
	Mosgiel Borough Council .. ..	
	Green Island Borough Council .. ..	2 members for the combined district.
	Maori Hill Borough Council .. ..	
	North-east Valley Borough Council .. ..	
	Roslyn Borough Council .. ..	
	Mornington Borough Council .. ..	1 member for the combined district.
	Waihemo County Council .. ..	
	Waikouaiti County Council .. ..	1 member for the combined district.
	Boards of the road and town districts in Peninsula County .. ..	
	St. Kilda Borough Council .. ..	1 member for the combined district.
	West Harbour Borough Council .. ..	
	Port Chalmers Borough Council .. ..	
	Palmerston Borough Council .. ..	
Hawksbury Borough Council .. ..	1 member for the combined district.	

SCHEDULE—continued.

District.	Contributory Local Authority.	Representation.
Southland .. ..	Southland County Council .. .. .	4 members.
	Lake County Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
	Arrowtown Borough Council .. .. .	
	Queenstown Borough Council .. .. .	
	Winton Borough Council .. .. .	
	Mataura Borough Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
	Campbelltown Borough Council .. .. .	
	Gore Borough Council .. .. .	
	Stewart Island County Council .. .. .	
	Avenal Borough Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
	East Invercargill Borough Council .. .. .	
	North Invercargill Borough Council .. .. .	
South Invercargill Borough Council .. .. .		
Gladstone Borough Council .. .. .	} 1 member.	
Invercargill Borough Council .. .. .		
Wallace .. .. .	Wallace County Council .. .. .	4 members.
	Riverton Borough Council .. .. .	1 member.
UNITED CHARITABLE-AID DISTRICTS.		
Coromandel and Thames .. .. .	Coromandel County Council .. .. .	2 members.
	Thames County Council .. .. .	3 members.
	Ohinemuri County Council .. .. .	4 members.
	Thames Borough Council .. .. .	2 members.
Patea and Wanganui .. .. .	Patea County Council .. .. .	} 2 members for the combined district.
	Patea Borough Council .. .. .	
	Wanganui County Council .. .. .	2 members.
	Waimarino County Council .. .. .	1 member.
	Waitotara County Council .. .. .	2 members.
	Rangitikei County Council .. .. .	4 members.
	Wanganui Borough Council .. .. .	3 members.
	Marton Borough Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
Taihape Borough Council .. .. .		
Wairarapa and Wellington .. .. .	Horowhenua County Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
	Levin Borough Council .. .. .	
	Hutt County Council .. .. .	} 4 members.
	Borough Council of the City of Wellington .. .. .	
	Onslow Borough Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
	Karori Borough Council .. .. .	
	Eastbourne Borough Council .. .. .	
	Miramar Borough Council .. .. .	
	Petone Borough Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
	Lower Hutt Borough Council .. .. .	
	Wairarapa South County Council .. .. .	
	Featherston County Council .. .. .	
	Masterton County Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
	Masterton Borough Council .. .. .	
	Carterton Borough Council .. .. .	
	Greytown Borough Council .. .. .	
	Eketahuna County Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
	Eketahuna Borough Council .. .. .	
Akitio County Council .. .. .		
Castlepoint County Council .. .. .		
Waipawa and Hawke's Bay .. .. .	Mauriceville County Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
	Pahiatua County Council .. .. .	
	Pahiatua Borough Council .. .. .	} 1 member.
	Wairoa County Council .. .. .	
	Hawke's Bay County Council .. .. .	4 members.
	Napier Borough Council .. .. .	3 members.
	Hastings Borough Council .. .. .	1 member.
	Waipawa County Council .. .. .	3 members.
	Woodville County Council .. .. .	1 member.
	Woodville Borough Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
	Dannevirke Borough Council .. .. .	
	Patangata County Council .. .. .	} 2 members for the combined district.
Weber County Council .. .. .		
Ashburton and North Canterbury .. .. .	Kaikoura County Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
	Amuri County Council .. .. .	
	Cheviot County Council .. .. .	} 2 members.
	Boards of the road and town districts in Ashley County .. .. .	
	Akaroa County Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
	Mount Herbert County Council .. .. .	
	Akaroa Borough Council .. .. .	} 4 members.
	Selwyn County Council .. .. .	
	Rangiora Borough Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
	Kaipoi Borough Council .. .. .	
	Lyttelton Borough Council .. .. .	
	Woolston Borough Council .. .. .	
	Sumner Borough Council .. .. .	} 4 members.
	New Brighton Borough Council .. .. .	
Borough Council of the City of Christchurch .. .. .	} 2 members for the combined district.	
Ashburton County Council .. .. .		
Ashburton Borough Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.	
Vincent County Council .. .. .		
Alexandra Borough Council .. .. .		
Cromwell Borough Council .. .. .		
Vincent, Maniototo, Tuapeka, and Otago .. .. .	Maniototo County Council .. .. .	} 1 member for the combined district.
	Naseby Borough Council .. .. .	

## SCHEDULE—continued.

District.	Contributory Local Authority.	Representation.
UNITED CHARITABLE-AID DISTRICTS—continued.		
Vincent, Maniototo, Tuapeka, and Otago—continued.	Tuapeka County Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.
	Lawrence Borough Council .. .. .	
	Tapanui Borough Council .. .. .	
	Roxburgh Borough Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.
	Bruce County Council .. .. .	
	Milton Borough Council .. .. .	
	Kaitangata Borough Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.
	Clutha County Council .. .. .	
	Balclutha Borough Council .. .. .	
	Taieri County Council .. .. .	2 members for the combined district.
	Green Island Borough Council .. .. .	
	Mosgiel Borough Council .. .. .	
	Waihemo County Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.
	Waikouaiti County Council .. .. .	
	Borough Council of the City of Dunedin .. .. .	
	Mornington Borough Council .. .. .	4 members.
	Maori Hill Borough Council .. .. .	
	North-east Valley Borough Council .. .. .	
Roslyn Borough Council .. .. .	2 members for the combined district.	
Boards of the road and town districts in Peninsula County		
St. Kilda Borough Council .. .. .		
Palmerston Borough Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.	
Port Chalmers Borough Council .. .. .		
West Harbour Borough Council .. .. .		
Hawksbury Borough Council .. .. .	1 member for the combined district.	

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Licensing the Northern Wairoa Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited) to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Mangawhare, Northern Wairoa River.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned under "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), the Northern Wairoa Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited), of Mangawhare, Northern Wairoa (hereinafter called "the company"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the said Act to occupy a part of the foreshore and of the land below low-water mark at Mangawhare, Northern Wairoa, in order to erect and maintain a wharf thereon; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fifty-sixth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 3104) showing the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied and the manner in which it is proposed to erect the wharf: And whereas the Governor in Council has approved of the purpose for which the said foreshore and land below low-water mark is to be occupied: And whereas it is expedient that a license should be granted and issued to the company under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed: And whereas it is desirable to prescribe dues and rates which shall be taken by the company for the use of the said wharf:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the object for which the said license is required by the company as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the company to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark on which the wharf is to be erected, as shown on the plan so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining the said wharf, such license to be held and enjoyed by the company upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the First Schedule hereto. And, in pursuance of the power conferred

upon him by "The Harbours Act, 1878," and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and with the like advice and consent, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand doth hereby make the regulations for the said wharf, and prescribe that the dues and rates set forth in the Second Schedule hereto shall be taken by the company for the use of the said wharf.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark occupied by the wharf, as shown on plans marked M.D. 3104 (sheet 1).

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

4. All persons shall at all reasonable times, upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the said wharf, and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

5. His Majesty, or the Governor, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, and out of the said wharf without payment.

6. The company shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf in good order and repair; and shall at all times exhibit therefrom, and maintain at its own cost, suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels: Provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

7. Any person authorised by the Minister may, at all reasonable times, enter upon the said wharf and view the state of repair thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known registered office of the company in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such wharf, requiring it, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, it shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

8. The company shall appoint all wharfingers and other officers and servants required for the management and working of the said wharf.

9. Nothing herein contained shall authorise the company to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or incon-



sistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Commissioner of Trade and Customs, or with any provisions of "The Harbours Act, 1878," or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

10. The ballast of all vessels loading at the said wharf shall be taken away by the company and deposited above high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister, or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

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

12. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the company six calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known registered office of the company in New Zealand.

13. The company shall be liable for any injury which the said wharf may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on its part.

14. In case the company shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Be in any manner wound up or dissolved; or
- (4.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions.

then and in any of the said cases this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege, may be revoked and determined by the Governor in Council without any notice to the company or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the company, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the license, rights, and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined.

15. The erection of the wharf shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the company of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

REGULATIONS, WHARFAGE FEES AND DUES.

1. In these regulations, if not inconsistent with the context,—

"Company" means the Northern Wairoa Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited).

"Boat" means and includes any open, decked, or half-decked boat used for the purpose of business or pleasure, and in which the means of propulsion are either wholly or partly manual, or steam, or oil power.

"Vessel" means and includes every ship of whatsoever size and rig, although the same may not be included in the term "boat."

"Cream-boat" means the steamer carrying the cream for delivery to the dairy company.

"Master" means and includes the person actually in charge of any vessel, whether or not he is certificated.

"Wharf" has the same meaning as in "The Harbours Act, 1878."

"Wharfinger" includes every person actually in charge of the wharf for the time being.

2. (1.) In the absence of any special regulations to the contrary, the time any vessel shall be permitted to occupy a berth at the wharf for the purpose of either loading or discharging cargo shall be not more than one day for vessels under 100 tons register, and one day additional for every further 100 tons register of the vessel or part thereof.

(2.) Upon the completion of the loading or discharging of the vessel, or upon the termination of the time allowed hereunder, whichever sooner occurs, the master shall forthwith remove his vessel from and vacate the berth occupied by it.

3. (1.) The master of any vessel loading or discharging at the wharf shall be deemed accountable for the proper slinging and landing of all goods, and responsible for any damage that may occur either from the breakage of slings or from the goods being improperly slung or improperly handled.

(2.) It shall be the duty of the master to cause proper tarpaulins to be stretched from the wharf to the vessel loading or discharging as aforesaid, and to be there maintained while cargo or ballast is being handled or shipped.

4. (1.) In case any vessel does any damage to the wharf or any part thereof, or to any building or machinery thereon or appertaining thereto, then and in any such case the master of such vessel shall forthwith report the occurrence to the wharfinger.

(2.) Any damage done or caused as aforesaid may be repaired by the company, and the cost thereof shall be recoverable by the company from the master and owner of such vessel, or either of them, in any Court of competent jurisdiction.

5. All goods landed on the wharf or brought thereon for shipment shall be placed as the Harbourmaster, wharfinger or other authorised person directs, and so as to keep all mooring posts or rings and all tramways clear.

6. Before any vessel or boat is removed from the wharf the master or other person in charge of the said vessel or boat shall cause all dirt or rubbish to be thoroughly cleared from the wharf, and to be deposited at such place as may be appointed by the wharfinger or other person in charge.

7. No boat shall be made fast to any steps or landing-place, or so near thereto as to obstruct the approach of the cream-boat or other vessels; nor shall any boat lie longer alongside than is required for landing passengers.

8. Any person taking a cart or other vehicle on the wharf shall walk at the head of and lead his horse or horses and remain by the same while the vehicle is on the wharf, and no person shall ride on the wharf, but shall dismount and lead his horse.

9. All watermen, stevedores, carters, and other persons employed on the wharf shall be under the control of the Harbourmaster, wharfinger, or other person in charge, and shall obey all orders given by such person in charge.

10. (1.) No person shall otherwise than as specifically permitted by these regulations obstruct or impede ingress to, or egress from, the wharf by any vessel, boat, or cable, or in any other way.

(2.) If in breach of this clause any person obstructs or impedes ingress or egress as aforesaid, and does not, upon being ordered so to do by the wharfinger or other person in charge, remove such obstructions, then, irrespective of the penalty to which such person is liable, the officer in charge may remove, cast off, or cut any such obstruction, and may recover the cost of so doing from such person.

11. The wharfinger shall have the power to close the wharf, or any portion thereof, whenever in his opinion it is advisable to do so, and no person shall enter upon the wharf or portion of the wharf so closed without the consent of the wharfinger.

12. The master of every vessel shall give way to the cream-boat, and shall either vacate his berth or assist the master of the cream-boat to moor alongside his vessel, and shall immediately ship or unship the cream or cargo over and across the deck of his vessel, as the case may require, under such conditions as the wharfinger may impose.

13. The master of every vessel, whether carrying passengers or not, when lying alongside the wharf, shall fix, and at all times keep fixed, a safe and proper gangway from such vessel to the wharf, and he shall also keep a gangway-net properly secured beneath the gangway, and shall at all times throughout the night (that is to say, from sunset to sunrise) show and exhibit a proper light fixed at the gangway, and shall conform to and obey all orders the wharfinger may give regarding the position, size, and kind of such gangway and lights.

14. No person shall in any way obstruct or impede traffic on the wharf, nor make use of any provoking, abusive, obscene, or other improper language thereon.

15. (1.) The master, owner, or agent of every vessel shall give the wharfinger information as to the tonnage of his vessel, and shall give to the wharfinger or other person in charge a copy of the bill of lading, freight-list, or manifest of the cargo, or other proper account of the goods intended to be unshipped from the vessel on to the wharf, and also of all goods shipped from the wharf on to his vessel.

(2.) Such bill of lading, freight-list, manifest, or other account shall contain full particulars of the weights and measurements of such goods according as freight is payable, and the master shall pay to the wharfinger or other person in charge all wharfage charges on such goods according to the scale hereinafter contained.

Goods Wharfage.

16. Every person who uses the wharf for landing or shipping any goods shall pay to the company wharf dues as follows, that is to say:—

- (1.) For all timber, 2s. per 1,000 superficial feet.
- (2.) For all ship's ballast carted over or on the wharf, 1s. per ton.
- (3.) For all goods landed or shipped from the wharf, a rate of 2s. per ton weight, or measurement, at the option of the company.
- (4.) Boxes, jars, packages, or parcels not exceeding 6 cubic feet shall be charged 6d. each.

(5) Boxes, jars, packages, or parcels exceeding 6 cubic feet shall be charged each 1s.

All goods not being boxes, jars, packages, or parcels as above, or of which 40 cubic feet shall weigh less than 20 cwt., shall be charged wharfage at per ton measurement. Measurement shall be outside measurement of all packages. Weight shall be gross weight—i.e., including covering.

17. No person shall remove goods from the wharf without having previously paid the dues payable thereon.

18. If any goods remain for more than twelve hours on the wharf, or in or upon the approaches thereto, the wharfinger may remove the same to any of the premises of the company or other convenient place, and keep the same until payment to the company of the expenses of such removal, and of the keeping of the goods, and of any other charges due to the company thereupon, and in default of payment may, in the manner and in the time provided by section 73 of "The Harbours Act, 1878," sell the same, and may exercise on behalf of the company all the powers contained in the said section 73.

19. No ballast, timber, coal, produce, or cargo of any description shall be shipped or unshipped except at such time and places, and in such manner and order, as may be directed and deemed expedient by the wharfinger for the proper working of the wharf.

20. No person shall deposit any ballast, coal, coke, or other fuel on the wharf without special permission from the wharfinger.

21. (1.) No ashes, rubbish, or refuse shall be landed on the wharf until vehicles are brought alongside to receive them.

(2.) Three hours' notice to the wharfinger must be given of the intention to land any rubbish, ashes, or refuse.

22. No goods or articles of any description which, in the opinion of the wharfinger, are likely to occasion damage to the wharf shall be discharged or landed on the wharf.

23. No person shall place or leave upon the wharf any vegetables, or animal matter, or goods which are in a state of decay or putrefaction; and any goods which are, in the opinion of the wharfinger, unfit to remain on the wharf, or harmful to other goods stored on the wharf, may be removed from the wharf by the company, and the consignee or owner of such goods shall upon demand repay to the company the cost of such removal.

24. It shall not be lawful for any person to remove any goods from the wharf until all wharfage entries are passed on the form prescribed by the company, and all dues paid in respect of such goods, and a receipt from the wharfinger for all dues payable, or an authority to deliver such goods from some officer of the company, shall have been obtained.

25. All explosives, kerosene, and all goods of a dangerous or inflammable character shall be removed by the owner, agent, or consignee immediately on being landed, and such owner, agent, or consignee failing to do so will be held responsible for any damage or loss that may occur from any accident arising therefrom, and, in addition, to the penalty provided for breach of these regulations, and the company shall not be responsible for any damage or loss which may accrue to such goods.

*Ships' Wharf Dues.*

26. The following dues, tolls, and charges shall be paid for the use of the company's wharf and any other wharf that may hereafter come under the jurisdiction of the company in the Harbour of Kaipara:—

On every vessel under 20 tons register lying alongside the wharf, or lying alongside a vessel lying at the wharf, or lying off the wharf with a line attached to the wharf or mooring-piles, per day or part of a day ..	s. d.
..	5 0
On every vessel of 20 tons register and upwards lying at the wharf, or lying alongside a vessel lying at the wharf, or lying off the wharf with a line attached to the wharf or mooring-piles, per ton per day or part of a day (minimum charge, 5s.) ..	0 2
On every raft of logs, or steamer with raft attached, lying at the wharf, or lying alongside a vessel lying at the wharf, or lying off the wharf with a line attached to the wharf or mooring-piles, per day or part of a day ..	20 0

*Penalties.*

27. If any person fails or refuses or neglects to do anything by these regulations to be done, observed, or performed, or in any manner obstructs, impedes, or interferes with the doing of anything enjoined, required, or authorised to be done, or does anything prohibited by these regulations, he shall in each and every case so offending be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Validating certain Proceedings in connection with a Special Order in respect of a Loan of £2,700 applied for by the Carrington Road Board.*

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Carrington Road Board passed a resolution to the effect that, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of two thousand seven hundred pounds, authorised to be raised by the Board, the Board make and levy a special rate of three-elevenths of a penny in the pound on the rateable value of all rateable property of the Carrington Road District: And whereas the resolution was confirmed as a special order on the fifteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seven: And whereas the public notification of the resolution appeared in the *Taranaki Herald* on the sixteenth July, twenty-third July, thirtieth July, and sixth August, all in the year one thousand nine hundred and seven, but did not appear once in each of the four weeks immediately preceding the day on which the said resolution was confirmed as a special order, as provided by section two of "The Road Boards Acts Amendment Act, 1905": And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled, and it is expedient to validate such irregularity:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section ten of "The Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1902," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby validate the public notification of the said special order so made as aforesaid, and doth hereby order and declare that the said special rate shall not be questioned on the ground of the irregularity or defect aforesaid.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Consenting to closing Road in Block VI, Glenomaru Survey District, Clutha County.*

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and thirty-three, subsection (a), of "The Public Works Act, 1905," it is enacted that a local authority shall not declare any county or district road to be stopped, and such road shall not be deemed to be stopped, until the consent thereto of the Governor by Order in Council gazetted is obtained:

And whereas the Clutha County Council has applied for such consent in respect to the road described in the Schedule hereto:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the above-in-part-recited Act, and of all other powers in any-wise enabling him in this behalf, 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 consent to the Clutha County Council closing the road mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Road to be closed.	Abutting on Sections Nos.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. B. P. 0 3 24	31, 54, 55, and 58	VI	Glenomaru	R. 6543	Green.

In the Otago 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.

Consenting to closing Road in Wakarara Crown-grant District, Wakarara Survey District, Waipawa County.

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and thirty-three, subsection (a), of "The Public Works Act, 1905," it is enacted that a local authority shall not declare any county or district road to be stopped, and such road shall not be deemed to be stopped, until the consent thereto of the Governor by Order in Council gazetted is obtained:

And whereas the Waipawa County Council has applied for such consent in respect to the road described in the Schedule hereto:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the above-in-part-recited Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, 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 consent to the Waipawa County Council closing the road mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Road to be closed.	Intersecting or abutting on	Situated in	Situated in Block and Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 5 1 22	Block 42	Wakarara C.G. Dist.	XIV, Wakarara	R. 8867	Green.
0 3 8	Block 43	Ditto ..	Ditto ..	" "	" "
0 0 2	"	" ..	" ..	" "	" "
0 0 3	"	" ..	" ..	" "	" "
1 2 13-6	Blocks 22, 43, 29, and 30	" ..	" ..	" "	" "

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.

Exempting Ingestre Street, in the City of Wellington, from the Provisions of Section 117 of "The Public Works Act, 1905."

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

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

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

the powers conferred by the above-in-part-recited Acts, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the said resolution.

SCHEDULE.

THAT street known as Ingestre Street, in the City of Wellington, situated between Woolcombe Street and Cuba Street, in the said city, a distance of about 22 chains; as the said street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 9238, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Exempting Duncan Terrace, Kilbirnie, in the City of Wellington, from the Provisions of Section 117 of "The Public Works Act, 1905," subject to certain Conditions as to the Building-line.

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

And whereas on the sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, the local authority having control of the street known as Duncan Terrace, Kilbirnie, being the street described in the Schedule hereto, did by resolution declare that the provisions of the said section one hundred and seventeen should not apply to the said street:

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by the above-in-part-recited Acts, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the said resolution, subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on either side of the said street within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said street.

SCHEDULE.

THAT street known as Duncan Terrace, South Kilbirnie, in the City of Wellington, situated between Rodrigo Road and Seatoun Road, in the said city, a distance of 42 chains, more or less; as the said street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 9250, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Hawea Domain.

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by "The Public Domains Act, 1881," and the amendments thereof (including "The Domain Boards Act, 1904"), His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of

the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke a certain Order in Council, dated the fourth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and four, delegating powers to the Hawea Domain Board, and doth hereby appoint

MUNGO ALLISON,  
JOHN KERIN,  
WILLIAM KINGAN,  
JOHN KANE,  
DONALD URQUHART,  
JAMES ARTHUR DRAKE, and  
PATRICK JAMES MCCARTHY

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

#### SCHEDULE.

##### HAWEA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 107 acres 1 rood 8 perches, more or less, being Section No. 19, Block IV, Lower Hawea Survey District. Bounded towards the north by a road-line, 2918 links; towards the east by Sections Nos. 16, 17, and 18, Block IV, 3750 links; towards the south by Sections Nos. 2 and part of 3, Block V, 2918 links; towards the west by Section No. 18, Block IV, 3750 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: and excluding from the above-described boundaries an intersecting railway reserve: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 25612, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

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

JOHN McTAVISH, Jun.,  
JOHN ELLMERS,  
CHARLES BONE,  
MATTHEW HENRY CRAWFORD, and  
WILLIAM HULL, Jun.,

to be the Kohinui Domain Board, having the control of the land described in the said Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Monday, the second day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seven, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Schoolhouse, Kohinui, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### KOHINUI DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, being Section No. 23c, Block I, Makuri Survey District. Bounded towards the north generally by the Woodville-Aohanga Road, 100 links wide; towards the east by Section No. 23b; towards the south by Section No. 1; and towards the west by Section No. 96: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 47791, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured blue.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by "The Public Domains Act, 1881," and the amendments thereof (including "The Domain Boards Act, 1904"), His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke a certain Order in Council, dated the twenty-second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and five, appointing a Domain Board to have control of the Tokatoka Domain, and doth hereby appoint

Charles Percy Berridge,  
Edward Albert Walton,  
Thomas Frederick Downs,  
William Simpkin,  
Charles Dreadon,  
Thomas Rogers, and  
William Thomas

to be the Tokatoka Domain Board, having, subject to the said Acts, control of the lands described in the Schedule hereto, which lands are a public domain, and shall be called the Tokatoka Domain; and also doth hereby appoint Wednesday, the twentieth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seven, at half past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and No. 1 Schoolhouse, Tokatoka, as the place where, the first meeting of the said Board shall be held.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### TOKATOKA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, being Allotment No. 73 of the Township of Tokatoka, and containing by admeasurement 20 acres 3 roods 26 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by Allotments Nos. 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, and 95 of the Township of Tokatoka, 1398 links; towards the south-east and again towards the north-east by Allotment No. 119 of the same township, 218 and 222 links respectively; towards the south by a public road, 429, 637, and 384 links; towards the south-west by Allotments Nos. 101, 100, and 98 of the Township of Tokatoka aforesaid, 920 links; towards the north-west by a public road, 262 links; again towards the south-west by a public road, 365 links; and again towards the north-west by a public road, 1190 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 51847, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 11 perches, more or less, being Section No. 57 of the Township of Tokatoka. Bounded towards the north-east by a road, 265 links; towards the south-east by Section No. 56, 250 links; towards the south-west by Section No. 55, 266 links; and towards the north-west by Section No. 58, 184 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Sections Nos. 71 and 72 of the Township of Tokatoka. Bounded towards the north-east and south-east by a road, 365 and 274 links respectively; towards the south-west by Sections Nos. 70 and 69, 365 links; and towards the north-west by

Section No. 2 of the Parish of Tokatoka, 274 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 6 acres and 8 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 90 to 97 (inclusive) of the Township of Tokatoka. Bounded towards the north-east generally by a road, 254.2, 163, and 1373 links; towards the south-east by a road, 401 links; towards the south-west by Sections Nos. 119 and 73, 1634 links; and towards the north-west by a road, 114 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 3 roods 5 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 98 to 100 (inclusive) of the Township of Tokatoka. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 73, 525 links; towards the south-east by Section No. 101, 264 links; towards the south-west by a road, 221 and 379 links; and towards the north-west by a road, 357 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 1 rood, more or less, being Sections Nos. 109 to 111 (inclusive) of the Township of Tokatoka. Bounded towards the north and north-east generally by a road, 120, 743, and 240 links; towards the south-east generally by Section No. 108, 272 links, and by Sections Nos. 107, 106, and 105, 530 links; and towards the south-west by Sections Nos. 103 and 102, 483 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres and 9 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 112 to 114 (inclusive) and 116 of the Township of Tokatoka. Bounded towards the north-east by a road, 401 links; towards the south-east by Section No. 115, 479 links; and again towards the north-east by Section No. 115, 335 links; again towards the south-east by the eastern portion of Section No. 3 of the Parish of Tokatoka, 375 links; towards the south-west by a road, 773 links; and towards the north-west by a road, 900 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked S.G. 51847/26, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Conferring Jurisdiction on Native Land Court.*

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is vested in the Public Trustee under and by virtue of "The West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), and its amendments:

And whereas the beneficial ownership of the said land, and the interests of the owners as against each other, have never been definitely settled: And whereas it is expedient to settle all doubts as to the jurisdiction of the Native Land Court to exercise the powers given to it by sections fourteen to seventeen of the said Act: And whereas the Public Trustee has requested that such jurisdiction should be exercised:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act and "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby direct the said Native Land Court to exercise in respect of the said land all powers and authorities conferred on the said Court by any statutes in this behalf and necessary for determining who are the Native owners of the land set forth in the Schedule hereunder appearing, and their relative shares or interests therein as against each other, and to cause a list showing the names of such Native owners, and their shares or interests as determined, to be filed in the office of the Public Trustee, and to do, order, and determine all other acts, matters, and things coming within the scope of the directions in the said Acts and of this Order in Council respectively.

SCHEDULE.

All that piece of land, containing 595 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Sections 2, 25, and 26, Block XI, Mimi Survey District, in the Provincial District of Taranaki.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

All that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Orahiri Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, containing 57 acres 2 roods, more or less, known as Pukeroa-Hangatiki No. 2B No. 2, and being the whole of the land comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 11th day of December, 1906, in favour of Roihite Piki.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

Order in Council under the provisions of this section shall take effect until after the expiration of two months from the date of the publication thereof in the *Gazette*: Provided also that every alienation under the provisions of this section shall be confirmed by the Court in terms of section fifty-three of the said Act:

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

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

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Retaruke Survey District, in the Land District of Wellington, containing 304 acres, more or less, known as Kirikau A, and being the whole of the land comprised in a certificate of title under "The Native Land Court Act, 1880," bearing date the 13th day of September, 1881, in favour of Matenga.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of October, 1907.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board, by a recommendation made on the twenty-seventh day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and received on the tenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seven, has recommended the Governor to except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of sale, the block or parcel of land known as Pukehamoamo E:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of sale by public auction, at an upset price of £11 per acre, the block or parcel of land particularised and set out in the Schedule hereto.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in Block V, Heretaunga Survey District, in the Land District of Hawke's Bay, containing 175 acres 2 roods 38 perches, more or less, known as Pukehamoamo E, and being the whole of the land comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court bearing date the 17th day of December, 1897, in favour of Hemi Nuku and another.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

#### Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon and vested in me by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities me thereunto enabling, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board aforesaid, do hereby remove and revoke the restrictions now existing against the alienation of the said land, so far as to permit the same to be sold by public auction, at an upset price of £11 per acre.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in Block V, Heretaunga Survey District, containing 175 acres 2 roods 38 perches, more or less, being the land known as Pukehamoamo E, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 17th day of December, 1897, subject to the restriction that the said land shall be "inalienable by sale or mortgage, or by lease for a longer period than twenty-one years."

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

J. CARROLL,  
Native Minister.

#### Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon and vested in me by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities me thereunto enabling, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Maniapoto-Tuwharetoa District Maori



Land Board aforesaid, do hereby remove and revoke the restrictions now existing against the alienation of the said land so far as to permit the same to be sold.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Orahiri Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, containing 57 acres 2 roods, more or less, being the land known as Pukeroa-Hangatiki No. 2a No. 2, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 11th day of December, 1906, subject to the restriction that the said land shall be "inalienable, except by lease for a period not exceeding twenty-one years."

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

J. CARROLL,  
Native Minister.

*Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land*

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS application has been made to the Governor by the owners of the land described in the Schedule hereto, praying that the restrictions on the alienation of the said land may be removed: And whereas inquiry has been duly made by the Native Land Court, and the said Court has recommended that such restrictions be removed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the fifty-second section of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," and in accordance with the recommendation of the Native Land Court, do hereby order and declare that all restrictions now existing against the alienation of the said land are hereby removed.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the City of Wellington, containing 2 acres and 33 perches, more or less, being called or known as Orangikaupapa No. 4 and numbered 3335, and comprised in a Crown grant registered in Vol. 21, folio 228, of the Register-book of the Wellington District, and containing the following restrictions: "Inalienable by sale, or by lease for a longer period than twenty-one years, or by mortgage, except with the consent of the Governor being previously obtained to every such sale, lease, or mortgage."

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

J. CARROLL,  
Native Minister.

*Matapouri River and its Tributaries, Auckland Land District, notified under "The Timber-floating Act, 1884."*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the second section of "The Timber-floating Act, 1884," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify that the undermentioned river and its tributary streams and branches may be used under license for the purposes of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

The Matapouri River and its branches or tributary streams, situated in Whangarei County.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Exempting Land from the Operation of Part II of "The Coal-mines Act, 1905."*

PLUNKET, Governor.

PURSUANT to the provisions of Part II of "The Coal-mines Act, 1905," and in exercise of the powers thereby conferred, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that the land described in the Schedule is hereby exempted from the operation of Part II of the said Act, and I do hereby direct that the said land shall be disposed of in the manner provided in Part I of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land situated in Block I, Mawheranui Survey District, containing 197 acres, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the south-west corner of Coal Lease No. 2247, running in a north-easterly direction at a bearing of 58° 41' for a distance of 2897 links, thence south-east at a bearing of 148° 37' for a distance of 296.1 links, thence south-east at a bearing of 150° 19' for a distance of 302.7 links, thence south-east at a bearing of 149° 23' for a distance of 422.2 links, thence south-east at a bearing of 149° 25' for a distance of 1373.8 links, thence south-west at a bearing of 238° 30' for a distance of 262 links, thence south-west at a bearing of 239° 32' for a distance of 397.8 links, thence south-west at a bearing of 239° 4' for a distance of 216.4 links, thence south-west at a bearing of 239° 48' for a distance of 7262.7 links, thence north-west at a bearing of 329° 48' for a distance of 2768 links, thence north-east at a bearing of 68° 30' for a distance of 2909.4 links, thence north-east at a bearing of 70° 6' for a distance of 165.4 links, thence north-east at a bearing of 58° 5' for a distance of 957.5 links, thence north-east at a bearing of 58° 37' for a distance of 1229 links, to the commencing-point.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister of Mines.

*Land temporarily reserved in the Taranaki 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 Taranaki 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 Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres 1 rood 25 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 9 and 15, Block XV, Opaku Survey District. Bounded towards the east generally by the Okahutiria Road, 1983 links; towards the south generally by the Okahutiria Road, 1324.6 links; and towards the north-west generally by Section No. 2, Block XV, Opaku Survey District, 2109.2 links: be all the afore-said linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 44078/52, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For an endowment for university education.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

## Lands permanently reserved.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

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

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

## SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	<i>Gazette</i> .
Auckland ..	Township of Mata-mata	1	I	A. R. P. 0 1 0	Site for a public pound	1907. 27 July	1907. No. 67, 1 Aug.
" ..	Patetere North S.D.* (Selwyn Settlement)	26	XV	10 3 8	Public recreation-ground	"	" "
" ..	Parish of Pakiri ..	10A	..	15 0 0	Ditto .. ..	"	" "
" ..	Town of Waterford	(Portions of closed streets in)	..	1 2 4	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	Teasdale Settlement	95 and 96	..	1 2 30	Site for a public school	3 Aug.	No. 71, 8 Aug.
" ..	Patetere North S.D.* (Selwyn Settlement)	98	VI	2 0 0	Site for a public cemetery	12 Aug.	No. 73, 15 Aug.
" ..	Orahiri S.D.* ..	9	X	2 0 0	Accommodation-house	"	"
" ..	Kawhia North S.D.*	1	IX	3 0 13	Site for a public hospital	30 Aug.	No. 78, 5 Sept.
" ..	Village of Te Rau-a-moa (Pirongia S.D.,* Block IX)	13, 14, 15	..	0 3 0	Site for a sheep-dip..	"	" "
Wellington	Torere Village ..	43	..	3 0 12	Public recreation-ground	3 Aug.	No. 71, 8 Aug.
"	Kaitieke S.D.* ..	9	II	8 0 32	Site for a public school	"	" "
"	" ..	7	V	10 0 0	"	"	" "
"	Hunua S.D.* ..	7	VII	10 0 0	"	"	" "
"	" ..	9	VII	6 1 36	Site for a public cemetery	"	" "
"	" ..	9	IX	10 1 10	Site for a public school	"	" "
"	Aohanga S.D.* ..	31	I	1 3 33	"	12 Aug.	No. 73, 15 Aug.
"	Paraparaumu Suburban	5A	VIII	5 0 0	Public recreation-ground	6 Sept.	No. 80, 12 Sept.
Nelson ..	Wangapeka S.D.* ..	24	XI	2 0 31	Site for a public cemetery	27 July	No. 67, 1 Aug.
" ..	" ..	31	XV	13 1 33	Public recreation-ground	"	" "
" ..	" ..	26	XI	0 3 12	Gravel .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	25	XI	2 0 36	Site for a public school	"	" "
Westland ..	Mawheranui S.D.*	Res. 673	XII	5 0 0	Gravel .. ..	3 Aug.	No. 71, 8 Aug.
" ..	" ..	674	"	0 2 0	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	675	"	5 0 0	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	676	"	0 2 0	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	677	"	5 0 0	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	Ahaura S.D.* ..	678	IX	0 2 0	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	679	"	5 0 0	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	680	"	0 2 0	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	681	"	2 2 34	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	682	XIII	4 0 0	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	683	"	5 0 0	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	684	"	5 0 0	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	685	"	5 0 0	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	686	"	0 2 0	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	688	"	5 0 0	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	689	"	5 0 0	" .. ..	"	" "
" ..	" ..	1048	"	86 2 16	Resting-place for travelling stock	"	" "
Canterbury	Waimate S.D.* ..	Portion of bed of Waimate Str'm	IX	0 1 9	Water-supply ..	12 Aug.	No. 73, 15 Aug.
"	Cave Village (Rosewill Settlement)	26	..	2 2 26	Site for a stock sale-yard	6 Sept.	No. 80, 12 Sept.
Otago ..	Kurow Settlement	13A	..	5 0 0	Site for a public school	3 Aug.	No. 71, 8 Aug.
" ..	Totara Settlement	27A	..	2 3 33	Addition to a public-school site	"	" "

\* Survey District.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands,



Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of a Portion of a Reserve in the Canterbury Land District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," it is, amongst other things, enacted that the Governor may declare his intention to change or alter the dedication of any public reserve now or hereafter vested in His Majesty or the Governor for any of the purposes named in Class II of the Schedule to the said Act, whether the same be granted or not; and if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to change the purpose of such reserve or any part thereof from the purpose or presumed purpose for which it was set apart to any other purpose, the Governor may, by notice gazetted, declare his intention to make such change, and in such notice declare the manner and terms in which the same is intended to be so made:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," aforesaid, declare my intention to change the specific purpose of the portion of the reserve described in the second column of the Schedule hereto from that named in the first column of the said Schedule to that named in the third column of the said Schedule respectively.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Original Reserve.	Portion which it is intended to change.	Intended Purpose.
All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing 2,560 acres, more or less, around and including the hot springs on the Hammer Plain, near Jolie's Pass, forming a parallelogram at the base of the hills bounding the plain on the north. Reserved for public purposes in <i>Nelson Provincial Gazette</i> No. 2, of the 11th February, 1860, page 6.	All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing 3 roods 28 perches, more or less, being Reserve No. 3745, and forming part of the Hammer Plains Reserve, situated in Block II, Lyndon Survey District, bounded as follows: Commencing at the southern junction of Leamington Street and Scarborough Terrace, Town of Hanmer; thence towards the north-west by said Scarborough Terrace, a distance of 152 links; thence towards the north-east by a continuation easterly of the southern boundary of Block III of said Town of Hanmer, a distance of 300 links; thence towards the south-east by a line at right angles to the last-mentioned boundary, a distance of 250 links; thence towards the south-west by a line parallel to the north-east boundary, a distance of 455 links; thence again towards the north-west by a line parallel to the south-east boundary, a distance of 100 links; thence along the south boundary of said Leamington Street, a distance of 125 links, to the commencing-point: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57252/2, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.	For a site for the deposit of rubbish.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

Notifying Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirteenth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Friday, the sixth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seven, as the time at which the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto opposite the description of such lands respectively.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price
SUBURBAN LANDS.			
<i>Town of Raupo.</i>			
14	..	A. R. P. 8 0 0	£ s. d. 160 0 0
Weighted with £70, valuation for house, fencing, and grassing. Level, reclaimed swamp; alluvial soil of first-class quality. Situated close to Raupo Township and wharf.			
<i>Town of Greerton.</i>			
147	..	1 0 0	4 0 0
Half flat and half undulating land, covered with gorse; soil of good quality, on volcanic formation. Four miles from Tauranga Post-office by good formed road.			
RURAL LANDS.			
<i>Waikomiti Parish.</i>			
342	..	2 2 28	26 0 0
Undulating land; inferior clay soil, on sandstone formation; covered with tea-tree and grass. Situated about one mile and a half from Avondale or New Lynn Railway-stations.			
<i>Waiotahi Parish.</i>			
206	..	6 0 0	8 0 0
Undulating land; 2 acres swamp, balance fern; soil of fair quality, on sandstone formation; well watered. Situated half a mile from Kutarere Post-office and school, and about 10 chains off the main Opotiki-Whakatane Road.			
As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor this twenty-third day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seven.			
ROBERT McNAB, Minister of Lands.			

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS by the two-hundred-and-thirty-ninth section of "The Land Act, 1892," it is enacted that where there has been any error of description made in any notification of any intended reserve, or where there appears a great discrepancy in the area of any intended reserve after the same shall have been surveyed, the Governor may cancel any notification that may have been made in respect of such reserve, and issue fresh notification in respect thereof, with amended particulars and description: And whereas an error was made in the description of an area of fourteen acres three roods of land described as Sections 92 and 93, Four-River Plain, Matakitaki, in the Nelson Land District, in the notice dated the twenty-ninth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and published in the *Nelson Provincial Gazette* No. 24, of the eleventh day of August, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, reserving the land for purposes of public utility, and it is expedient to cancel the said notice in so far as it relates to the fourteen acres three roods aforesaid:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby cancel the notice of the twenty-ninth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, in so far as it relates to the said fourteen acres three roods, and do declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be set apart as reserves for the purposes of public utility, being the lands intended to be reserved by the said notice

**SCHEDULE.**

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 acres, more or less, being Section 92 of Square 138 in Block I, Tutaki Survey District. Bounded towards the north by a public road, towards the east by the Matakitaki River, and towards the south and west by a public road; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 56908/5, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 39 acres, more or less, being Section 93, Block XIII, Matiri Survey District, and comprising Old Section 93 of Square 138, and also some river marginal land. Bounded towards the north and east generally by a 1-chain reserve skirting the left bank of the Buller River; towards the south by Section 78 of Square 138, Block I, Tutaki Survey District, and by the production of the northern boundary of the said Section 78 easterly to the 1-chain reserve aforesaid, about 2000 links; and towards the west by a public road, about 4050 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 56908/3c, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Trustees for the Romahapa 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 the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be Trustees to provide for the maintenance and care of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

**SCHEDULE.**

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
William Hay, Alexander Anderson, Archibald Gilchrist Morton, William Peterson, George Calder Begg, John McLaren, and Marcus Thomas Jackman.	ROMAHAPA (FORMERLY KNOWN AS PUEBUA). All that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres 1 rood 16 perches, more or less, being Section No. 12, Block II, Glenomaru Survey District. Bounded towards the north by a public road, 550 links; towards the south-east by Section No. 11, Block II, of the said district, 1066 links; towards the south-west by part of Section No. 1 of 2, Block II, of the said district, and the crossing of a road, 500 links; and towards the north-west by part of Section No. 2 of 2, Block II, of the said district, and the crossing of a road, 820 links: excluding from the area described an intersecting road: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 53216, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Revoking Appointment of Trustees of Wairio Public Cemetery.*

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 revoke the appointment of

JOHN LLOYD,  
HUGH CUTHBERTSON,  
ROBERT RONALD,  
JAMES QUESTED, and  
JOHN OSBORNE CLAPP

as Trustees of the Wairio Public Cemetery.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 15th October, 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.
JAMES MILNE ADAM .. ..	Cromwell.
THOMAS ALEXANDER STEPHENS .. ..	Granity.
ROBERT DAVIDSON .. ..	Kurow.
HENRY HERBERT HANCOX .. ..	Okarito.
HENRY DEWEY LOWRY .. ..	Pleasant Point.
GEORGE GALLOWAY CRISHOLM .. ..	Port Chalmers.
DANIEL PAUL PHILLIPS .. ..	Riverton.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Colonial Secretary.

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

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 15th October, 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.
WILLIAM DEAR BAUCKHAM .. ..	Ashhurst.
HENRY BENNETT .. ..	Featherston.
HUGH HENRY FLEMING .. ..	Malvern.
GEORGE GREIG .. ..	Middlemarch.
LEONARD CHARLES JOLLY .. ..	Mount Cook.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Colonial Secretary.

*Cadet appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 15th October, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

LEONARD WALPOLE ORR

to be a cadet in the office of the Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages at Christchurch, under "The Civil Service Reform Act, 1886"; appointment to date from the 10th September, 1907.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Colonial Secretary.

*Rangers under the Animals Protection Acts, Otago District, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 23rd October, 1907.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT CASSELS GLENDINING,  
WILLIAM MACKAY,  
LOUIS HUBERT MYERS, and  
WILLIAM WILSON

to be Rangers under "The Animals Protection Act, 1880," and the Acts amending the same, for the District of Otago.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Colonial Secretary.

*Cadets appointed.*

Government Insurance Department,  
Wellington, 16th October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM AUGUSTUS RING,  
STANLEY BOURDÔT HARRISON, and  
MARTIN O'MALEY

to be cadets in the Government Insurance Department. The appointments to date from 26th August, 1907; 9th September, 1907; and 18th September, 1907, respectively.

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

*Shorthand Reporter appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 18th October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Miss VIOLET ANNIE MILLS

to be a Shorthand Reporter under "The Shorthand Reporters Act, 1900."

JAMES MCGOWAN.

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

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 23rd October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE HUTCHISON LANG

to be Clerk of the District, Magistrate's, and Warden's Courts, and Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar, at Gore, from the 7th October instant, *vice* J. M. Rodgers, transferred.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

*Deputy Sheriff and Deputy Registrar, Supreme Court, appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 23rd October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOSEPH MARTIN RODGERS

to be Deputy Sheriff for the District of Southland, and Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court at Invercargill, from the 8th October instant, *vice* G. H. Lang.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

*Police Gaoler appointed.*

Department of Justice (Prisons Branch),  
Wellington, 19th October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable HENRY MAURICE KIRBY

to be Police Gaoler at Tolago Bay, *vice* Constable Donald McLeod, transferred.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister of Justice.

*Officer appointed under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884."*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 19th October, 1907.

**I**T is hereby notified that

THOMAS BALFOUR, of Waipukurau,

has been appointed an Officer under "The Fisheries Conservation Act, 1884."

J. A. MILLAR

*Inspector of Factories appointed.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 22nd October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable FRANK DICK

to be an Inspector under "The Factories Act, 1901." Appointment is dated 22nd day of October, 1907.

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Labour.

*Inspector of Factories appointed.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 22nd October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM HOOD

to be an Inspector under "The Factories Act, 1901." Appointment is dated 19th day of October, 1907.

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Labour.

*Inspector of Factories appointed.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 22nd October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable HENRY MAURICE KIRBY

to be an Inspector under "The Factories Act, 1901." Appointment is dated 22nd day of October, 1907.

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Labour.

*Architect appointed in the Department of Labour.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 23rd October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WOBURN TEMPLE

to be an Architect for the purposes of the Workers' Dwellings Act, under section 4 of the Civil Service Reform Act, as from the 23rd day of October, 1907.

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Labour.

*Members of Patea Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 18th October, 1907.

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

GEORGE WILLIAMS and  
JAMES AUGUSTINE McKENNA

to be members of the Patea Domain Board, in the place of William Rossiter and William James Derrett.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Inspector under "The Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1900," appointed.—Notice No. 1150.*

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

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ARTHUR MONTAGUE RICHARD MILLS

to be an Inspector for the purposes of "The Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1900"; the appointment to date from 10th October, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister for Agriculture.

*Registrar of Brands appointed.—Notice No. 1151.*

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

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM WILLS

to be Registrar of Brands in terms of "The Stock Act, 1893," for the Tapanui Branding District, *vice* G. McLeod; the appointment to date from 10th October, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister for Agriculture.

*Chief Chemist appointed.—Notice No. 1152.*

Department of Agriculture,  
Wellington, 23rd October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

BERNARD CRACROFT ASTON

to be Chief Chemist in the Department of Agriculture, in terms of "The Civil Service Reform Act, 1886"; the appointment to date from 1st November, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister for Agriculture

*Public Vaccinator appointed.*

Department of Public Health,  
Wellington, 22nd October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES LANCELOT HANDCOCK, Esq., M.B., Mast. Surg.,  
1894, Univ. Sydney,

to be a Public Vaccinator, under "The Public Health Act, 1900," for the District of Ashburton, *vice* Dr. Clark, resigned.

GEO. FOWLDS,  
Minister of Public Health.

*Volunteer Officers appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 15th October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the following appointments:—

*No. 2 Company, New Zealand Engineer Volunteers (Dunedin Engineer Volunteers).*

Joseph Frederick Williams to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*2nd Battalion, Otago Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain (Acting-Major) John Sarsfield Murphy to be Major. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*Wairoa Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*

Samuel Dunn Johnston to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*Piako Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Robert Candlish Allen to be Captain. Date of commission, 5th June, 1907.

*Waitaki Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*

David Mickle Jack to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 5th June, 1907.

William Whyte to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*Dunedin City Guards Rifle Volunteers.*

Ernest Edward Willoughby to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*Oreti Rifle Volunteers.*

Thomas Daniel Lennie to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*Queen's Rifle Volunteers.*

Frank Gifford Williams to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*Gore Rifle Volunteers.*

Owen Kelly to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*Caversham Rifle Volunteers.*

John Samuel Searle to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*Winton Rifle Volunteers.*

Thomas William Hammond to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

John Thomas Hill to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*Eltham Rifle Volunteers.*

Arthur George Whiting to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*Cromwell Rifle Volunteers.*

William Toms to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*Dunroon Rifle Volunteers.*

Malcolm Francis to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

Joseph Johnston to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*New Zealand Medical Corps.*

William James Cran to be Surgeon-Captain. Date of commission, 3rd August, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Defence.

*Honorary Volunteer Officer promoted.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 16th October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 137, (a), General Regulations of the Defence Forces of New Zealand, 1906, of the promotion of the

Reverend ANDREW GRAY (Honorary Chaplain, Captain, Fourth Class),

to the rank of Major (Honorary Chaplain, Third Class), and with effect from 18th June, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer resigned.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 16th October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of the commission held by the under-mentioned officer:—

*Ashburton Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain John Studholme. Date of resignation, 17th September, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Defence.

*Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 16th October, 1907.

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

Captain CHARLES HERBERT MATHIAS, Imperial Rifle Volunteers,

he having a total service to 25th September, 1907, entitling him thereto of twenty years and ninety-four days.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officers promoted.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 19th October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the promotion of the undermentioned officers:—

*Eketahuna Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Edward Page to be Captain. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*Gore Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Robert Fraser to be Captain. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officers appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 19th October, 1907.

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

*Pahiataua Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*

Joseph Ward Sturton to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 5th June, 1907.

*Royal Rifle Volunteers.*

Charles Leonard Harris to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 5th June, 1907.

*Wanganui Rifle Volunteers.*

James Scott to be Captain. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

*St. John's College Rifle Cadet Volunteers.*

Felix Hector Levin to be Captain. Date of commission, 4th September, 1907.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Defence.

*His Majesty's Birthday to be observed on Monday, 11th November.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 17th October, 1907.

THE Government offices throughout the Dominion will be closed on Monday, the 11th November next, in celebration of the birthday of His Majesty the King (9th November).

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Colonial Secretary.

*Approval of Fees for Licensing of Vehicles fixed by By-laws, Wallace County Council.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 23rd October, 1907.

IT is hereby notified, in accordance with section 311 of "The Counties Act, 1886," that so much of the by-laws made by the Wallace County Council, and sealed on the 20th day of September, 1907, as appoint the several sums to be paid to the Wallace County funds for the licensing of vehicles has this day been approved by His Excellency the Governor.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Colonial Secretary.

*Letters of Naturalisation issued.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 23rd October, 1907.

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Isaac Bitansky ..	General dealer	Wellington.
Anders Hareldsen ..	Mariner ..	Napier.
Otto Krieger ..	Labourer ..	Mokau.
Frank Lök ..	Yardman ..	Addington.
John Moron ..	Hawker ..	Wellington.
Jacob Spolsky ..	Cigarette-maker	Wellington.
Charles Albert Thiede ..	Engine-driver	Mamaku.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Colonial Secretary.

*Special Order made by the Paparata Road Board, County of Manukau, making By-laws.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd October, 1907.

THE following special order, made by the Paparata Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Colonial Secretary.

PAPARATA ROAD DISTRICT.

*By-laws.*

By-laws of the Body Corporate the Inhabitants of the Paparata Road District, made and enacted by and under Special Order of the Paparata Road Board passed on the 31st day of August, 1907, and sealed with the Common Seal of the said Board on the 5th day of October, 1907. To come into force on being gazetted.

THE undermentioned by-laws shall be in force within and shall apply to and affect the whole of the Paparata Road District.

In pursuance of the powers vested in the said Paparata Road Board by "The Road Boards Act, 1882," and its amendments, and "The Public Works Acts Compilation Act, 1905," and any other statutory provisions the said Board thereunto enabling, the Paparata Road Board doth hereby ordain as follows:—

1. In these by-laws, except where inconsistent with or repugnant to the context,—

"District" means the Paparata Road District:

"District road" means any road, street, or other highway under the care, control, or management of the Board:

"District bridge" means any bridge under the care, control, or management of the Board:

"Cattle" means and includes any horse, mare, gelding, colt, filly, and foal; any bull, cow, ox, steer, heifer, and calf; any ram, ewe, wether, and lamb; any mule, ass, goat, boar, or sow.

2. No person shall ride, drive, or lead any horse or other animal on, upon, or along any footway or footpath constructed for foot-passengers only within the district.

3. No person shall wheel any barrow or truck, or use, drive, or conduct any velocipede, bicycle, triycle, or other vehicle of any description, on, upon, or along any footway or footpath constructed for foot-passengers only within the district.

4. No person shall leave or allow to remain upon any district road or any district bridge, or upon or over any channel or surface drain in any district road, any logs, timber, bricks, stone, building or other material so that such logs, timber, bricks, stone, building or other materials shall be a source of danger, or shall delay, impede, or obstruct the passage of any person, horse, or vehicle over such district road.

5. No person shall, upon any district road, except at places which shall have been appointed by the Board for the purpose, load any vehicle with or place upon or attach to any vehicle any timber or logs.

6. No person shall use or allow to be used any sledge for the carriage or transport of logs, timber, or other materials along or on any district road or district bridge; and no person shall permit, suffer, or allow any logs, timber, or other materials to be dragged on or along any district road.

7. No person shall take any engine, agricultural or other machine, or any load or materials of any kind weighing more than 2½ tons avoirdupois on one pair of wheels across any district bridge without the written sanction of the Board first had and obtained.

8. No person shall drive or ride at other than a walking-pace across or upon any district bridge which has a span of 20 ft. or upwards.

9. No person shall, at other than a walking-pace, drive, lead, or take any horses, cattle, engine, agricultural or other machine, or vehicle across or upon any district bridge which has a span of 20 ft. or upwards.

10. Each vehicle mentioned in the first column of the First Schedule of these by-laws which shall be driven, taken, or used upon or over any district road or district bridge from the 21st day of May to the 21st day of October in each and every year, and having the number of wheels mentioned on the same line in the second column of the said Schedule, shall have the minimum width of tire mentioned on the same line in the fourth column of the said Schedule; and if the width of the tires of the wheels, or any of them, of such vehicle be less than is required by the said First Schedule, the owner and driver of such vehicle shall be deemed to have committed a breach of this by-law.

11. For the purposes of these by-laws the number or quantity mentioned in the second column of the Second Schedule to these by-laws of the articles mentioned on the

same line in the first column of the Second Schedule will be deemed a weight of 1 ton.

12. Any person acting under the authority of the Board may at all times examine and measure the tires of the wheels of any vehicle, and may examine, weigh, and measure any vehicle, or the load thereon, which in his opinion infringes these by-laws; and no person shall obstruct or interfere with the person acting under such authority, or refuse to permit such examination and measurement.

13. Every person who shall commit a breach of or fail to comply with any of the provisions of these by-laws shall be guilty of an offence, and for such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding the sum of five pounds.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Vehicle.	Number of Wheels.	Maximum Weight carried.	Minimum Width of Tire.
Dray .. .. .	2	Cwt. 15	Inches. 2½
	2	20	3
	2	25	3½
	2	30	4
	2	35	4½
	2	40	5
Wagon .. .. .	2	50 and over	6
	4	20	3
	4	30	3½
	4	40	4
Gig or sulky .. .. .	4	Over 40 and not exceeding 120	6
	4	For carrying logs	8
Trap or cart on springs .. .. .	2	3	1
	2	6	1½
Carriage or buggy on springs .. .. .	2	10	1¾
	2	20	2½
	2	30	3
Wagon, express, or brake on springs .. .. .	2	40 and over	4
	4	5	1
Ditto .. .. .	4	10	1½
	4	10	1¾
Engine or machinery .. .. .	4	20	2
	4	30	2½
	4	40	3
	4	50	3½
Junkers .. .. .	4	Over 50	4
	4	60	6
	4	80	8
Traction-engines .. .. .	4	Over 80	10
	2	" 80	12
	4	" 80	10

SECOND SCHEDULE.

The following schedule of quantities shall represent 20 cwt. in each of their several kinds:—

Sawn timber or logs .. .. .	500 superficial feet.
Firewood .. .. .	Three-fifths of one cord.
Boulders, gravel, or broken stone .. .. .	Four-fifths of 1 cubic yard.
Bricks .. .. .	350.
Barley (4-bushel sacks) .. .. .	11 sacks.
Oats .. .. .	14 "
Wheat .. .. .	10 "
Maize .. .. .	10 "
Potatoes .. .. .	12 "
Wool .. .. .	5 bales.
Bonedust or other artificial manure .. .. .	10 sacks.

Passed by the Paparata Road Board at a special meeting held on the 31st August, 1907.

H. SAWYER,  
Chairman.  
W. CAIE,  
Clerk.

Confirmed by the Paparata Road Board at a meeting held on the 5th day of October, 1907, and the seal of the said Board affixed in the presence of—

H. SAWYER,  
Chairman.  
F. W. MANNING,  
Jos. A. LOWRY,  
Members.

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly made and confirmed in accordance with the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1882," and its amendments.

W. CAIE,  
Clerk, Paparata Road Board.

5th October, 1907.

Special Order made by the Oero Road Board, County of Patangata, making By-laws.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd October, 1907.

THE following special order, made by the Oero Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Colonial Secretary.

THE attached by-laws were made by special order passed at a special meeting of the Oero Road Board held on the 10th September, 1907, and confirmed at an ordinary meeting held on the 8th October, 1907.

I hereby certify that the special order making the attached by-laws was duly passed in accordance with "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

MICHAEL RYAN,  
Clerk, Oero Road Board.

Elsthope, 14th October, 1907.

OERO ROAD BOARD.

THE Board ordain and make the following by-laws:—

OERO ROAD DISTRICT.

Heavy Traffic By-laws.

In pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by "The Road Boards Act, 1882," and "The Road Boards Act Amendment Act, 1905," and "The Public Works Act, 1905," and the respective amendments of the said Acts, and of all other powers, if any, the Oero Road Board (by way of special order) hereby ordains and makes the following by-laws for the Oero Road District, that is to say:—

1. In these by-laws—

"Heavy traffic" shall mean the transportation of any vehicle, engine, or machine which shall itself or together with any thing or things being transported thereon weigh more than 25 cwt. avoirdupois to each pair of wheels:

"Road" shall mean any public highway under the control or management of the Oero Road Board:

"Vehicle, engine, or machine" shall mean vehicle, engine, or machine engaged in heavy traffic on any road in the Oero Road District.

2. The width of the tires of all vehicles, engines, or machines engaged in or used in connection with heavy traffic and passing over or along any road, and whether plying for hire or not, shall, according to the class of vehicle used, be regulated with regard to the number of wheels and to the weight of the load being carried on such vehicle in the proportions specified and as provided in the First Schedule to these by-laws.

3. The owner and also the driver or the person in charge of any vehicle, engine, or machine engaged in or used in connection with heavy traffic which shall be driven, or taken, or used upon, along, or over any road shall be guilty of an offence under these by-laws if the width of the tires of the wheels, or any of them, of such vehicle, engine, or machine be less than is specified or required by these by-laws.

4. For the purpose of ascertaining the weight of any load upon or of the contents of any vehicle under these by-laws, the quantities of timber, agricultural produce, mineral, or other material of any description specified in the Second Schedule to these by-laws shall be taken and computed to represent 1 ton avoirdupois in each of their several kinds.

5. Any person authorised by the Oero Road Board in respect of the roads under its control may at any time stop and detain any vehicle, engine, or machine which in his opinion infringes these by-laws, or any of them, until the width of the tires and the weight of the load thereon, or the weight or measurement of the contents thereof, can be ascertained.

6. Any person authorised as aforesaid may at any time examine and measure the tires of the wheels of any vehicle, engine, or machine which in his opinion is affected by these by-laws, or any of them, when on any road, and may examine and measure the load on or the contents of any such vehicle, engine, or machine.

7. The driver of any such vehicle, engine, or machine used or engaged in heavy traffic on any road shall, upon the request of any person authorised as aforesaid, give to such person such information as to the load or contents of such vehicle, engine, or machine, and the quantity, weight, size, or measurement of such load or contents, and do all such acts for the purpose of enabling the same to be ascertained as such authorised person shall reasonably request, and any such driver who shall refuse to give such information as aforesaid or to do any such act as aforesaid shall be guilty of an offence under these by-laws.

8. Every person guilty of an offence under or committing a breach of or failing to perform any duty imposed upon him by any provisions of these by-laws shall be liable upon conviction for each such offence, breach, or failure to such penalty, not exceeding the sum of five pounds, as the Court inflicting the same shall in its discretion think fit, which penalty shall be recoverable in a summary way.

9. These by-laws shall come into force upon the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Width of Tires in Proportion to Loads.

Vehicles on Two Wheels—i.e., Vehicle, Engine, or Machine.

- (1.) For a load exceeding 25 cwt. but not exceeding 30 cwt., tires not to be less than 2½ in. wide.
- (2.) For a load exceeding 30 cwt. but not exceeding 35 cwt., tires not to be less than 3 in. wide.
- (3.) For a load exceeding 35 cwt. but not exceeding 45 cwt., tires not to be less than 4 in. wide.
- (4.) For a load exceeding 45 cwt. but not exceeding 60 cwt., tires not to be less than 5 in. wide.

On Four Wheels.

- (5.) For a load exceeding 35 cwt. but not exceeding 40 cwt., tires not to be less than 2½ in. wide.
- (6.) For a load exceeding 40 cwt. but not exceeding 70 cwt., tires not to be less than 3½ in. wide.
- (7.) For a load exceeding 70 cwt. but not exceeding 5 tons, tires not to be less than 5 in. wide.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Computation and Regulation of Weights of Loads according to the Size of Tires.

Nature of Load on Dray, Engine, Machine, or Wagon, &c.	20 Cwt. equal to Quantity as under.
Sawn timber or logs, superficial feet .. .. .	480
Firewood, cords .. .. .	Two-fifths
Gravel or broken stone, cubic yards .. .. .	Three-fifths
Bricks, number .. .. .	350
Wheat, bags .. .. .	8
Oats, bags .. .. .	13
Barley, bags .. .. .	10
Potatoes, bags .. .. .	12
Wool, bales .. .. .	6

C. N. B. WILLIAMS,  
Chairman, Oero Road Board.  
THOMAS HAYCOCK,  
Member of the Oero Road Board.  
MICHAEL RYAN,  
Clerk, Oero Road Board.

Special Order made by the Oakura Road Board, County of Taranaki.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd October, 1907.

THE following special order, made by the Oakura Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Colonial Secretary.

SPECIAL ORDER made by the Oakura Road Board on the 19th day of March, 1905.

THAT the following plants be declared noxious weeds within the Oakura Road District: Ragwort, furze, blackberry, ox-eye daisy, Californian thistle, and sheep's burr.

I hereby certify that the above special order has been duly passed in accordance with "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

ARTHUR HENRY GOOD,  
Clerk, Oakura Road Board.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 21st October, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Colonial Treasurer.

WELLINGTON CITY COUNCIL.

Special Order striking Special Rate.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Wellington City Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £15,000, authorised to be raised by the Wellington City Council, under the provisions of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," "The Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1900," and their respective amendments, for the purpose of establishing an abattoir for the City of Wellington, the said Wellington City Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 5d. in the pound upon the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property of the City of Wellington, being the areas the boundaries whereof are set out in the Schedule hereto; 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 April and the 1st day of October 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.

Schedule.

PART I.

The boundaries commence at a point where the north-eastern boundary of the land forming part of the Harbour of Port Nicholson, and granted by deed of grant dated the eighteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, to the Superintendent of the Province of Wellington, joins the Hutt Road, and extending from thence along the said road to a point due east of the eastern extremity of the southern boundary of the said Section No. 1, Block XI, Belmont Survey District; thence across the Hutt Road to the eastern extremity of the southern boundary of the said Section No. 1; thence the city is bounded by the said Section No. 1, by Sections Nos. 3 and 2, Block VI, Port Nicholson Survey District, and by the Tinakori North and Tinakori South Native Reserves and the Orangi Kaupapa Native Reserve to where its eastern boundary meets the Tinakori Road; thence across the Tinakori Road to the eastern side thereof; thence by the Tinakori Road to where it meets the eastern boundary of Section No. 29, Block VI, Port Nicholson Survey District; thence towards the west and north by Sections Nos. 29 and 32, Block VI; and toward the west by the western boundary-line of the Waterworks Reserve, running through Sections Nos. 1 and 2, Block VI, and by Sections Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 70, and 88, Block X, and by Section 37, Block XIII, Port Nicholson Survey District, to Cook Strait; thence towards the south generally by Cook Strait and Lyell Bay to the western boundary-line Section No. 13, Block XI, Port Nicholson Survey District; and by Section No. 13, Block XI, Port Nicholson Survey District; and by the northern boundary of Section No. 8, Block XI, to its intersection with the production of the western boundary-line of Allotment No. 19, as shown on a plan marked L. and S. 55530, deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington; thence by the said production and by the said western boundary-line of the said Allotment No. 19, and by Allotments Nos. 18, 17, 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4A, 4, 3, 2, 1, and 45 on the said plan L. and S. 55530 to the northern end of the western boundary of the said Allotment No. 45; thence across a road running along the shore of Evans Bay to high-water mark; thence by the waters of Port Nicholson to a point on high-water mark due east of the starting-point; thence by a line due west to the starting-point.

PART II.

All that area in the Wellington Land District bounded towards the north-east generally by the north-eastern boundary-line of Original Section No. 8 in Block III, Port Nicholson Survey District; from the northernmost corner of that section to the branch of the Kaiwara Stream forming the eastern boundary of the said Section No. 8; thence by the said branch and the Kaiwara Stream to the south-western boundary-line of Original Section No. 3 in Block XI, Belmont Survey District; thence by that section and its south-western boundary-line produced to Port Nicholson; thence towards the south-east by Port Nicholson to the northern boundary of the City of Wellington; thence towards the south generally by the City of Wellington to the Borough of Karori; thence by the Borough of Karori to the Kaiwara Stream; and thence towards the north-west generally by the Kaiwara Stream and the Otari Native Reserve to the southernmost corner of Section No. 7, Block III, Port Nicholson Survey District; and thence by the last-mentioned section to the northernmost corner of Section No. 8 aforesaid, the place of commencement.



I hereby certify that the above special order was duly adopted at a special meeting of the Wellington City Council held on the 12th September, 1907, and was duly confirmed at an ordinary meeting of the Council held on the 10th October, 1907.

Dated this 12th day of October, 1907.

T. W. HISLOP,  
Mayor of Wellington.

*Special Order made by the Pukekohe East Road Board.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 21st October, 1907.

THE following special order, made by the Pukekohe East Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

J. G. WARD,  
Colonial Treasurer.

PUKEKOHE EAST ROAD BOARD.

*Special Order making Special Rate on 10th August, 1907.*

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Pukekohe East Road Board hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £3,000, authorised to be raised by the Pukekohe East Road Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for formation and metalling of roads, the said Pukekohe East Road Board 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 Pukekohe East Road District, comprising all that area in the Auckland Land District bounded on the north-west generally by the Karaka Road District from the southern boundary of the Parish of Karaka to the middle of the Great South Road, and thence towards the east generally by a line along the middle of the Great South Road to a point in line with the northern boundary-line of Section No. 1, Parish of Maungatawhiri, thence by a right line to the northernmost corner of that section, thence by the said Maungatawhiri Parish and its western boundary produced to the middle of the Waikato River, thence towards the south generally by a line along the middle of that river to the south-eastern corner of the Pukekohe West Road District, and thence towards the west generally by the Buckland Subdivision of the Pukekohe West Road District and Pukeke Town Board District: and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 14th day of September and the 14th day of March 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.

The above special order and notice of intention to raise loan was confirmed on the 14th day of September, 1907.

I hereby certify that this is a correct copy of the special order passed by the Pukekohe East Road Board.

JOHN A. COMRIE,  
Chairman.

Buckland, 12th October, 1907.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 21st October, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Colonial Treasurer.

HOKITIKA BOROUGH COUNCIL.

*Special Order making Special Rate.*

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," and "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," with the amendments thereto, the Hokitika Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £5,000, authorised to be raised by the said Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of improving the drainage system of the Borough of Hokitika, the said Hokitika Borough 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 Borough of Hokitika, comprising all that area of land described in Proclamation dated the 27th November, 1878,

published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 28th November, 1878, Vol. ii, page 1669, as follows: "All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Westland, containing by admeasurement two thousand one hundred and eighty-two acres (2,182), more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by section numbered 8237, the road-line, sections numbered 8453 and 65 (in red), and a road-line; towards the south-east by a road-line, section numbered 452 (in red), a road-line, sections numbered 8236 and 8235, part of Section 1718, Section 8328, and Crown land; towards the south-west by Crown land, sections numbered 2044, 2045, and 1038, a road-line, and section numbered 2026; towards the north-west by low-water mark of ocean: as the same is delineated on the plans deposited in the Provincial District Survey Office, Hokitika": 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 April and the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above special order was made at a special meeting of the Hokitika Borough Council held on the 12th day of September, 1907, and confirmed at an ordinary meeting of the said Council held on the 11th day of October, 1907.

A. A. ANDREWES,  
Town Clerk.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 21st October, 1907.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Pukekohe East Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

J. G. WARD,  
Colonial Treasurer.

PUKEKOHE EAST ROAD BOARD.

It is hereby notified that a poll of the ratepayers of the Pukekohe East Road District was taken on the 5th October, 1907, in accordance with "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and "The Local Government Reform Act, 1899," and the following votes were recorded on the proposal to borrow the sum of £3,000 for formation and metalling roads:—  
Votes in favour of proposal, 58; votes against the proposal, 37.

As the number of valid votes recorded in favour of the proposal consists of more than three-fifths of the total valid votes recorded, I hereby declare the loan proposal to be carried.

JOHN A. COMRIE,  
Chairman.  
Buckland, 12th October, 1907.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 21st October, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Colonial Treasurer.

WELLINGTON CITY COUNCIL.

*Result of Poll.*

I HEREBY give notice that the number of votes recorded upon the taking of the poll on the 16th instant for and against the proposal of the Council of the City of Wellington to borrow (by way of special loan within the meaning of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and its amendments) the sum of £100,000 for providing a system of drainage for the Melrose District (exclusive of the portion thereof described in the First Schedule to "The Wellington (City) Suburbs Sanitation Act, 1893"), and for constructing private drains and house connections in such district on the deferred-payment system, was as follows: For the proposal, 175; against the proposal, 14.

I therefore declare the proposal to be carried.

Dated this 17th day of October, 1907.

T. W. HISLOP,  
Mayor of Wellington.



*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 21st October, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Colonial Treasurer.

ASHBURTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

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

I HEREBY give notice that on the 11th day of October, 1907, a proposal was submitted by the Ashburton Borough Council to the ratepayers of the Borough of Ashburton for raising a special loan of £20,000 for the purpose of constructing water-works for the supply of pure water for the use of the inhabitants of the borough, and that the number of votes recorded respectively for and against the proposal was as follows: For, 99; against, 280.

And I declare the said proposal to be rejected.  
Dated the 12th day of October, 1907.

HENRY DAVIS,  
Mayor of the Borough of Ashburton.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 21st October, 1907.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Colonial Treasurer.

MOA ROAD BOARD.

RESULT of poll of ratepayers of the Lincoln, Richmond, York, Wortley, and Davis Roads Special-rating District taken on Saturday, the 12th October, 1907, upon the following proposals:—

- (1.) To deviate and metal the Lincoln Road from the Borough of Inglewood eastwards; also to form and metal the Richmond, York, Wortley, and Davis Roads.
- (2.) To borrow for such purposes the sum of £3,000, under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and its amendments, at 5 per centum per annum for twenty-six years.
- (3.) To strike as security for such loan a special rate of 1½d. in the pound.
- (4.) To constitute the Lincoln, Richmond, York, Wortley, and Davis Roads Special-rating District, to comprise the following lands, viz.: Sections, Subsections 2 and 4 (in two subdivisions) and 5 and 6 of 179, 242, 244, 247, 249, Block IV, Egmont Survey District; 231 (in two subdivisions), 234 (in two subdivisions), 235, 236, 237, part 232, part 233, 248, Block I, Huiroa Survey District; 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 20, 214, 215, 216, 219, 220 (in two subdivisions), 221 (in two subdivisions), 224, 226, 228, 227, 229, 230, 233, Block XIII, Waitara Survey District; part 212 (in two subdivisions), part 213, 218, 223, 225, 205, Block XI, Paritutu Survey District.
- (5.) All expenses in connection with raising this loan to be paid out of loan-money.

Total number of ratepayers on special roll, 36.  
Total number of votes exercisable, 49.  
Total number of valid votes recorded for proposal, 27.  
Total number of valid votes recorded against proposal, 12.  
I hereby declare proposal carried.

H. TRIMBLE,  
Chairman.

*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 November, 1907:—

PART I.—PASSENGERS.  
LOCAL FARES AND REGULATIONS.

*Auckland Section.*

The following fares will be charged between the stations and motor-car stopping-places named:—

From or to	To or from	Single.		Return.	
		1st.	2nd.	1st.	2nd.
		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Auckland	Avondale Road	0 10	0 7	1 5	0 11
"	Woodward Road	1 0	0 8	1 6	1 1
"	St. George's Street	1 2	0 10	2 2	1 5
Newmarket	Avondale Road	0 7	0 5	1 2	0 9
"	Woodward Road	0 9	0 6	1 5	0 11
"	St. George's Street	1 0	0 7	1 10	1 2
Mount Eden	Avondale Road	0 5	0 3	0 10	0 6
"	Woodward Road	0 6	0 4	0 11	0 8
"	St. George's Street	0 9	0 6	1 5	0 11

PART IV.—GOODS: LOCAL RATES.

AUCKLAND SECTION.

Timber other than white-pine from Bell's Siding and Bartholomew Co.'s Siding to Mount Eden, Auckland, Onehunga Wharf, and intermediate stations will be charged 3s. per 100 sup. feet, and to Tirohia, Thames, and intermediate stations 2s. 6d. per 100 sup. feet.

Tawa timber from Bell's Siding and Bartholomew Co.'s Siding to Te Aroha, Paeroa, Waihi, Thames, and intermediate stations will be charged at the rates for white-pine; minimum charge, 1s. 9d. per 100 sup. feet.

PART V.—CLASSIFICATION OF GOODS, LIVE-STOCK, PARCELS, AND LUGGAGE.

*Cancel—*

Bees, live, secured in hives. Owners' risk. As parcels, see Part II.

*Insert—*

	Owners' risk	Class.
Bees, live, secured in hives.	..	A
Margarine, packed	..	C
Metal (expanded for ferro-concrete)	..	C
Pigeons, living, in crates or cases	..	C

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister for Railways.

*Forbidding the Issue of Money-orders and Forwarding of Postal Correspondence for S. Straus, Hamburg 36, Bartelsstrasse 100, Germany.*

THE Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand having reasonable ground for supposing that the person whose name and address are shown in the Schedule hereunder is 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 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.

S. STRAUS, Hamburg 36, Bartelsstrasse 100, Germany.  
Dated this 17th day of October, 1907.

J. G. WARD,  
Postmaster-General.

## Officers appointed.

Post and Telegraph Department,  
General Post Office, Wellington, 15th October, 1907.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Post and Telegraph Department.

J. G. WARD,  
Postmaster-General and Minister of Telegraphs.

## PERMANENT.

Name.	Position.	Office.	Date.
Affleck, Charles William .. ..	Cadet .. ..	Alexandra South .. ..	27 May, 1907.
Bigwood, Rupert Oliver .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	Bluff .. ..	1 June, "
Fitzgerald, John .. ..	Distributor .. ..	Blenheim .. ..	27 May, "
Gardiner, Bertram James .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	Napier .. ..	20 " "
Inman, Ruby Darnley .. ..	Cadette, Telephone Exchange .. ..	Wellington .. ..	2 " "
Maackay, James McIndoe .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	Dunedin .. ..	1 June, "
Sissons, Robert Edward .. ..	Cadet .. ..	Gisborne .. ..	7 May, "
Spelman, William Thomas .. ..	Junior Exchange Clerk .. ..	Foxton .. ..	1 April, "
Spiers, John Christopher .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	Oamaru .. ..	29 May, "
Sullivan, James .. ..	Assistant P.O. Messenger .. ..	General Post Office .. ..	13 April, "
Sutherland, Boyd Stewart .. ..	Cadet .. ..	Reefton .. ..	29 " "
Tait, Francis James .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	Featherston .. ..	1 June, "
Terrace, David .. ..	" .. ..	Whangarei .. ..	22 April, "
Thomson, William Arthur Joseph Burnett .. ..	P.O. Messenger .. ..	Wellington .. ..	8 " "
Toms, Edward Reginald .. ..	Cadet, C.P.O. .. ..	" .. ..	4 June, "
Townes, John William .. ..	Assistant and Messenger .. ..	Aratapu .. ..	1 April, "
Tyler, Edwin Hamilton .. ..	Junior Exchange Clerk .. ..	Martinborough .. ..	1 " "
Wenham, William Richard .. ..	Assistant P.O. Messenger .. ..	Feilding .. ..	15 " "
Woolley, Frederick .. ..	Letter-carrier .. ..	Auckland .. ..	1 Jan., "

## NON-PERMANENT.

Name.	Office.	District.	Date.
POSTMASTERS AND TELEGRAPHISTS.			
<i>Railway Officers.</i>			
Bennett, William Franklin .. ..	Fairfax .. ..	Invercargill .. ..	6 Aug., 1907.
Coomber, Albert Edward .. ..	Waipara .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	16 " "
Robertson, Walter .. ..	Wyndham .. ..	Invercargill .. ..	7 " "
Smith, William John .. ..	Fairlie .. ..	Timaru .. ..	19 " "
Taylor, James Ramage .. ..	Rakaia .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	24 " "
POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS.			
<i>Railway Officers.</i>			
Beauchamp, Edgar Percy .. ..	Kai Iwi .. ..	Wanganui .. ..	8 Aug., 1907.
Carnachan, John .. ..	Taupiri .. ..	Auckland .. ..	19 " "
Dick, John William .. ..	Otira .. ..	Greymouth .. ..	25 July, "
Downes, Leonard Sylvester .. ..	Hikurangi .. ..	Auckland .. ..	22 " "
Marsh, George .. ..	Runanga .. ..	Greymouth .. ..	27 " "
Moon, Charles James .. ..	Avondale .. ..	Auckland .. ..	3 Aug., "
Neale, Henry Ernest .. ..	Runanga .. ..	Greymouth .. ..	20 " "
Spindiler, William Frederick .. ..	Marton Junction .. ..	Wanganui .. ..	27 July, "
<i>Postmasters.</i>			
Ash, Emily .. ..	Myross Bush .. ..	Invercargill .. ..	20 Aug., 1907.
Blackburn, John .. ..	Dromore .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	17 " "
Bremner, Philip .. ..	Flag Swamp .. ..	Dunedin .. ..	1 " "
Burn, Andrew Haitly .. ..	Arthurton .. ..	Invercargill .. ..	1 " "
Crawford, Oswald .. ..	Wanakamara .. ..	Wanganui .. ..	1 " "
Cole, Howard Secundus .. ..	Pouawa .. ..	Gisborne .. ..	1 Sept., "
Dykes, James .. ..	Hikuai .. ..	Auckland .. ..	20 July, "
Galloway, Winnie .. ..	Judgeford .. ..	Wellington .. ..	1 Sept., "
Gillespie, Margaret .. ..	Mount Cargill .. ..	Dunedin .. ..	1 July, "
Goddard, Annie .. ..	Mangateretere .. ..	Napier .. ..	1 Aug., "
Gough, Bartholomew .. ..	Poerua .. ..	Greymouth .. ..	8 " "
Harman, Emily .. ..	Haunui .. ..	Wellington .. ..	12 " "
Lineham, Thomas .. ..	Ahikiwi .. ..	Auckland .. ..	19 " "
McIntosh, Alexander Fraser .. ..	Moa Creek .. ..	Dunedin .. ..	1 July, "
McIntyre, Jane .. ..	Hunt's Road .. ..	" .. ..	1 Sept., "
McIvor, Margaret .. ..	Kia Ora .. ..	Oamaru .. ..	19 Aug., "
Marcus, Christian Paul .. ..	Marokopa .. ..	Auckland .. ..	1 " "
Morris, Robert .. ..	Haunui .. ..	Wellington .. ..	1 June, "
Officer, May Spark .. ..	Groper's Bush .. ..	Invercargill .. ..	13 Aug., "
Fairman, Agnes .. ..	Rapanui .. ..	Wanganui .. ..	14 " "
Palmer, Thomas John .. ..	Caroline .. ..	Invercargill .. ..	1 " "
Patz, John Henry .. ..	Fairdown Junction .. ..	Westport .. ..	1 Sept., "
Penberthy, Henry* .. ..	Fitzherbert West .. ..	Wellington .. ..	29 July, "
Pound, Frederick .. ..	Rowan .. ..	New Plymouth .. ..	1 Sept., "
Robertson, Jessie Margaret .. ..	Deep Creek .. ..	Blenheim .. ..	16 July, "
Scott, Amy Eliza .. ..	Uruwhenua .. ..	Nelson .. ..	10 Aug., "
Shadbolt, Mary Ann .. ..	French Farm .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	28 " "
Shepherd, Jane .. ..	Eyreton .. ..	" .. ..	1 Sept., "
Wilkinson, Mary .. ..	Hekeia .. ..	Invercargill .. ..	5 Aug., "

\* Correcting entry in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 89, of 10th October, 1907.

NON-PERMANENT—continued.

Name.	Office.	District.	Date.
POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS.			
Anyon, Eleanor Mary .. .. .	Paekakariki .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	24 Aug., 1907.
Blaythwayt, Murray Wodehouse Puiaki .. .. .	Macetown .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	12 " " "
Bowden, William Henry .. .. .	Kaiwarawara .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	1 July, " "
Bullock, Arthur .. .. .	Eastown .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	2 Sept., " "
Burrow, Elizabeth .. .. .	Wainuiomata .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	1 July, " "
Campbell, Norman .. .. .	Reikorangi .. .. .	" .. .. .	1 Aug., " "
Edwards, John .. .. .	Pipiriki .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	1 July, " "
Espie, Archibald .. .. .	Wakatahuri .. .. .	Blenheim .. .. .	1 Jan., " "
Frost, Ella Mildred .. .. .	Wakapuaka Suburban .. .. .	Nelson .. .. .	10 Aug., " "
Irwin, Mary .. .. .	Kakaramea .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	22 July, " "
Jones, Evan Henry .. .. .	Oaonui .. .. .	New Plymouth .. .. .	1 Sept., " "
Kennedy, Flora Douglass .. .. .	Wharerata .. .. .	Gisborne .. .. .	26 July, " "
Luxford, William Mace .. .. .	Sedgebrook .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	2 Sept., " "
McGregor, Neil .. .. .	Hapuku .. .. .	Blenheim .. .. .	1 July, " "
McQuirk, John .. .. .	Pyramid .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	15 " " "
Mackey, Clara .. .. .	Matangi .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	15 " " "
Smith, Margaret Rebecca .. .. .	Evan's Flat .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	1 Sept., " "
Murrell, Margaret .. .. .	Kauana .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	26 Aug., " "
Stuart, William James .. .. .	Otarawao .. .. .	Nelson .. .. .	15 July, " "
Turner, Agnes Gertrude .. .. .	Flat Creek .. .. .	Blenheim .. .. .	1 Aug., " "
TELEPHONISTS.			
Asplin, Charles James .. .. .	Rototuna .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	19 Aug., 1907.
Beal, Dupair Edward .. .. .	Okere Falls .. .. .	" .. .. .	14 " " "
Beveridge, William Milroy .. .. .	Maori Hill .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	14 " " "
Edwards, Mary .. .. .	Moutoa .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	27 " " "
Garrett, William Joseph .. .. .	Kaikoura Wharf .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	1 " " "
Harvey, Ada Maud .. .. .	Evansdale .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	10 " " "
Kennerley, Tom .. .. .	Matemateonga .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	1 Sept., " "
McKay, John .. .. .	Kaiaka .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	26 July, " "
Oliver, Annie .. .. .	Brookside .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	22 Aug., " "
Parfitt, Alex George .. .. .	Gordonton .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	19 " " "
Rasmussen, Soren Hansen .. .. .	Ihuraua .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	1 " " "
Shannon, Adolphus Anderson .. .. .	State Collieries .. .. .	Greymouth .. .. .	13 " " "
Sheehy, John .. .. .	Okau .. .. .	New Plymouth .. .. .	15 July, " "
South, Arthur .. .. .	Caversham Bureau .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	19 Aug., " "
Thornton, Joseph Brimicombe .. .. .	Lower Riccarton .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	29 July, " "

Offices opened and closed.

Post and Telegraph Department,  
General Post Office, Wellington, 15th October, 1907.

THE following particulars of offices opened and closed are published for general information.

J. G. WARD,  
Postmaster-General and Minister of Telegraphs.

OFFICES.

Name.	District.	Date.
POST-OFFICES OPENED.		
Ahikiwi .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	19 Aug., 1907.
Eastown* .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	2 Sept., " "
French Farm .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	28 Aug., " "
Hekeia .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	5 " " "
Kia Ora .. .. .	Oamaru .. .. .	19 " " "
Marokopa .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	1 " " "
Otarawao .. .. .	Nelson .. .. .	26 July, " "
Pouawa* .. .. .	Gisborne .. .. .	1 Sept., " "
Sedgebrook* .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	2 " " "
Uruwhenua .. .. .	Nelson .. .. .	10 Aug., " "
POST-OFFICES CLOSED.		
Awawaro .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	18 June, 1907.
Rotokari .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	27 July, " "
MONEY-ORDER AND POSTAL-NOTE OFFICES AND POST-OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS OPENED.		
Kakahi .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	1 Sept., 1907.
Waiharara .. .. .	" .. .. .	1 Oct., " "

\* Reopened.

OFFICES—continued.

Name.	District.	Date.
TELEPHONE-OFFICES OPENED.		
Arthur's Point .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	24 Aug., 1907.
Brookside .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	22 " "
Eastown .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	2 Sept., "
Gordonton .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	19 Aug., "
Hekela .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	28 " "
Jordan .. .. .	Elenheim .. .. .	4 Sept., "
Kiwi .. .. .	Nelson .. .. .	17 " "
Mautoroa .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	3 " "
Moutoa .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	27 Aug., "
Newstead .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	31 " "
Ngarara .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	30 " "
Rototuna .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	19 " "
Sedgebrook .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	2 Sept., "
South Hillend .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	16 " "
Taringaturi .. .. .	" .. .. .	16 " "
Te Taho .. .. .	Hokitika .. .. .	12 " "
Waikawa Bay .. .. .	Nelson .. .. .	6 " "
TELEPHONE BUREAUX OPENED.		
Arthur's Point .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	24 Aug., 1907.
Brookside .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	22 " "
Eastown .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	2 Sept., "
Gordonton .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	19 Aug., "
Hekela .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	28 " "
Mautoroa .. .. .	" .. .. .	3 Sept., "
Moutoa .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	27 Aug., "
Ngarara .. .. .	" .. .. .	30 " "
Rototuna .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	19 " "
Sedgebrook .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	2 Sept., "
South Hillend .. .. .	Invercargill .. .. .	16 " "
Taringaturi .. .. .	" .. .. .	16 " "
Waikawa Bay .. .. .	Nelson .. .. .	6 " "
Waitati Bureau† .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	11 " "

† Separate from Waitati Post and Telegraph Office.

Notice of the Taking and Laying-off of a Road through Nuhaka No. 2d2, Block VIII, Nuhaka Survey District.

NOTICE is hereby given, by direction of His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, under the authority of section 93 of "The Public Works Act, 1905," that the road described in the Schedule hereto was, on the 16th day of August, 1907, duly taken and laid off through the land specified in the said Schedule, under the authority of the Governor of the said colony, by Warrant dated the 26th day of June, 1907.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 0 37	Nuhaka No. 2d2 Native Block	VIII	Nuhaka	R. 4187	Pink.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same area is delineated upon the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.  
Dated this 19th day of September, 1907.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Acting Minister for Public Works.

Despatch.—Extradition Treaty with the Republic of Panama.

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 22nd 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.

(Circular.)

Downing Street, 5th September, 1907.

SIR,—I have the honour to transmit to you, for publication in the Colony under your Government, a copy of an Order of the King in Council giving effect to a Treaty of Extradition between the United Kingdom and the Republic of Panama, which was signed at Panama on the 25th of August, 1906, and the ratifications of which were exchanged on the 25th of April, 1907.

I have, &c.,  
ELGIN.

The Officer Administering the Government  
of New Zealand.

PANAMA EXTRADITION ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1907.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 12th day of August, 1907.

Present:

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

LORD PRESIDENT, LORD STEWARD, LORD CHAMBERLAIN  
LORD DENMAN, LORD TWEEDMOUTH.

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-fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and six, between His Majesty and the President of the Republic of Panama, for the extradition of criminals, which Treaty is in the terms following:—

Extradition Treaty between the United Kingdom and Panama.

His Majesty the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, Emperor of India, and the President of the Republic of Panama, having determined, by common con-

sent, to conclude a Treaty for the extradition of criminals, have accordingly named as their Plenipotentiaries:

His Majesty the King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, Emperor of India,

Claude Coventry Mallet, Esquire, Companion of His Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, and His Consul for the Republic of Panamá, and

The President of the Republic of Panamá,  
His Excellency Ricardo Arias, Secretary of State for the Department of Government and Foreign Affairs;

Who, after having exhibited to each other their respective full powers and found them in good and due form, have agreed upon the following Articles:—

#### Article I.

The High Contracting Parties engage to deliver up to each other, under certain circumstances and conditions stated in the present Treaty, those persons who, being accused or convicted of any of the crimes or offences enumerated in Article II, committed in the territory of the one Party, shall be found within the territory of the other Party.

#### Article II.

Extradition shall be reciprocally granted for the following crimes or offences:—

1. Murder, or attempt or conspiracy to murder.
  2. Manslaughter.
  3. Administering drugs or using instruments with intent to procure the miscarriage of women.
  4. Rape.
  5. Carnal knowledge, or any attempt to have unlawful carnal knowledge of a girl under the age of sixteen years, so far as such acts are punishable by the law of the State upon which the demand is made.
  6. Indecent assault.
  7. Kidnapping and false imprisonment, child-stealing.
  8. Abandoning, exposing, or detaining children.
  9. Abduction.
  10. Bigamy.
  11. Maliciously wounding or inflicting grievous bodily harm.
  12. Assault occasioning actual bodily harm.
  13. Threats by letter or otherwise, with intent to extort money or other things of value.
  14. Perjury, or subornation of perjury.
  15. Arson, or attempt to commit arson.
  16. Burglary or housebreaking, robbery with violence, larceny, or embezzlement.
  17. Fraud by a bailee, banker, agent, factor, trustee, director, member, or public officer of any Company.
  18. Obtaining money, valuable security, or goods by false pretences; receiving any money, valuable security, or other property, knowing the same to have been stolen or unlawfully obtained.
  19. (a.) Counterfeiting or altering money, or bringing into circulation counterfeited or altered money.  
(b.) Knowingly making without lawful authority any instrument, tool, or engine adapted and intended for the counterfeiting of the coin of the realm.
  20. Forgery, or knowingly uttering what is forged.
  21. Crimes against bankruptcy law.
  22. Any malicious act done with intent to endanger the safety of any persons travelling or being upon a railway.
  23. Malicious injury to property, if such offence be indictable.
  24. Piracy and other crimes or offences committed at sea against persons or things which, according to the laws of the High Contracting Parties, are extradition offences.
  25. Dealing in slaves in such manner as to constitute a criminal offence against the laws of both States.
- Extradition shall also be granted for participation in any of the aforesaid crimes, provided such participation be punishable by the laws of both Contracting Parties.
- Extradition may also be granted at the discretion of the State applied to in respect of any other crime for which, according to the law of both the Contracting Parties for the time being in force, the grant can be made.

#### Article III.

Neither Party is obliged to surrender its own subjects or citizens to the other Party.

#### Article IV.

Extradition shall not take place if the person claimed on the part of His Britannic Majesty's Government, or of the Government of Panamá, has already been tried and discharged or punished, or is waiting trial in the territory of the United Kingdom or in the Republic of Panamá, respectively, for the crime for which his extradition is demanded.

If the person claimed on the part of His Britannic Majesty's Government, or of the Government of Panamá, should be awaiting trial or undergoing sentence for any other

crime in the territory of the United Kingdom, or in the Republic of Panamá, respectively, his extradition shall be deferred until after he has been discharged, whether by acquittal or on expiration of sentence or otherwise.

#### Article V.

Extradition shall not be granted if exemption from prosecution or punishment has been acquired by lapse of time, according to the laws of the State applying or applied to.

Neither shall it be granted if, according to the law of either country, the maximum punishment for the offence charged is imprisonment for less than one year.

#### Article VI.

A fugitive criminal shall not be surrendered if the offence in respect of which his surrender is demanded is one of a political character, or if he proves that the requisition for his surrender has, in fact, been made with a view to try or punish him for an offence of a political character.

#### Article VII.

A person surrendered shall in no case be kept in prison or be brought to trial in the State to which the surrender has been made for any other crime, or on account of any other matters, than those for which the extradition shall have taken place, until he has been restored, or has had an opportunity of returning to the State by which he has been surrendered.

This stipulation does not apply to crimes committed after the extradition.

#### Article VIII.

The requisition for extradition shall be made through the Diplomatic Agents or Consuls-General of the High Contracting Parties respectively.

The requisition for the extradition of an accused person must be accompanied by a warrant of arrest issued by the competent authority of the State requiring the extradition, and by such evidence as, according to the laws of the place where the accused is found, would justify his arrest if the crime had been committed there.

If the requisition relates to a person already convicted, it must be accompanied by a copy of the judgment passed on the convicted person by the competent Court of the State that makes the requisition for extradition.

A sentence passed *in contumaciam* is not to be deemed a conviction, but a person so sentenced may be dealt with as an accused person.

#### Article IX.

If the requisition for extradition be in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the competent authorities of the State applied to shall proceed to the arrest of the fugitive.

#### Article X.

A criminal fugitive may be apprehended under a warrant issued by any competent authority in either country, on such information or complaint, and such evidence, or after such proceedings, as would, in the opinion of the authority issuing the warrant, justify the issue of a warrant if the crime had been committed or the person convicted in that part of the dominions of the two Contracting Parties in which the said authority exercises jurisdiction: provided, however, that in the United Kingdom the accused shall, in such case, be sent as speedily as possible before a competent Magistrate.

He shall, in accordance with this Article, be discharged, as well in the Republic of Panamá as in the United Kingdom, if within the term of sixty days a requisition for extradition shall not have been made by the Diplomatic Agent or Consul-General of his country in accordance with the stipulations of this Treaty. The same rule shall apply to the cases of persons accused or convicted of any of the crimes or offences specified in this Treaty, and committed in the high seas on board any vessel of either country which may come into a port of the other.

#### Article XI.

The extradition shall take place only if the evidence be found sufficient according to the laws of the State applied to, either to justify the committal of the prisoner for trial, in case the crime had been committed in the territory of the same State, or if extradition is claimed in respect of an offence of which the fugitive has been already convicted, to prove that the prisoner is the person convicted, and that the crime of which he has been convicted is one in respect of which extradition could, at the time of such conviction, have been granted by the State applied to.

#### Article XII.

The extradition of fugitives under the provisions of this Treaty shall be carried out in His Britannic Majesty's Dominions and in the Republic of Panamá, respectively, in conformity with the laws regulating extradition for the time being in force in the surrendering State.

## Article XIII.

In the examinations which they have to make in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the Authorities of the State applied to shall admit as valid evidence the sworn depositions or the affirmations of witnesses taken in the other State, or copies thereof, and likewise the warrants and sentences issued therein, and certificates of, or judicial documents stating the fact of a conviction, provided the same are authenticated as follows:—

1. A warrant must purport to be signed by a Judge, Magistrate, or Officer of the other State.

2. Depositions or affirmations, or the copies thereof, must purport to be certified, under the hand of a Judge, Magistrate, or Officer of the other State, to be the original depositions or affirmations, or to be true copies thereof, as the case may require.

3. A certificate of or judicial document stating the fact of a conviction must purport to be certified by a Judge, Magistrate, or Officer of the other State.

4. In every case such warrant, deposition, affirmation, copy, certificate, or judicial document must be authenticated either by the oath of some witness, or by being sealed with the official seal of the Minister of Justice or some other Minister of the other State; but any other mode of authentication for the time being permitted by the law of the country where the examination is taken may be substituted for the foregoing.

## Article XIV.

If the individual claimed by one of the High Contracting Parties in pursuance of the present Treaty should be also claimed by one or several other Powers on account of other crimes or offences committed upon their respective territories, his extradition shall be granted to the State whose demand is earliest in date.

## Article XV.

If sufficient evidence for the extradition be not produced within ninety days from the date of the apprehension of the fugitive, or within such further time as the State applied to, or the proper Tribunal thereof, shall direct, the fugitive shall be set at liberty.

## Article XVI.

All articles seized which were in the possession of the person to be surrendered at the time of his apprehension shall, if the competent authority of the State applied to for the extradition has ordered the delivery of such articles, be given up when the extradition takes place; and the said delivery shall extend not merely to the stolen articles, but to everything that may serve as a proof of the crime.

## Article XVII.

All expenses connected with extradition shall be borne by the demanding State.

## Article XVIII.

The stipulations of the present Treaty shall be applicable to the colonies and foreign possessions of His Britannic Majesty, so far as the laws in such colonies and foreign possessions respectively will allow.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal who has taken refuge in any of such colonies or foreign possessions shall be made to the Governor or chief authority of such colony or possession by the chief Consular officer of the Republic of Panama in such colony or possession.

Such requisition may be disposed of, subject always, as nearly as may be, and so far as the law of such colony or foreign possession will allow, to the provisions of this Treaty, by the said Governor or chief authority, who, however, shall be at liberty either to grant the surrender or to refer the matter to his Government.

His Britannic Majesty shall, however, be at liberty to make special arrangements in the British Colonies and foreign possessions for the surrender of criminals from the Republic of Panamá who may take refuge within such Colonies and foreign possessions, on the basis, so far as the law of such Colony or foreign possession will allow, of the provisions of the present Treaty.

Requisitions for the surrender of a fugitive criminal emanating from any Colony or foreign possession of His Britannic Majesty shall be governed by rules laid down in the preceding Articles of the present Treaty.

## Article XIX.

The present Treaty shall come into force ten days after its publication, in conformity with the forms prescribed by the laws of the High Contracting Parties. It may be terminated by either of the High Contracting Parties by a notice not exceeding one year, and not less than six months.

It shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at Panamá as soon as possible.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and affixed thereto their respective seals.

Done in duplicate in the Spanish and English languages at Panamá, the twenty-fifth day of August, nineteen hundred and six.

(L.S.)  
(L.S.)

C. MALLET.  
RICARDO ARIAS.

And whereas the ratifications of the said Treaty were exchanged at Panamá on the fifteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seven:

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 recited Acts, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the twenty-sixth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seven, the said Acts shall apply in the case of Panamá, and of the said Treaty with the President of the Republic of Panamá:

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 one hundred and fifty-five 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.

[Extract from the London Gazette of Friday, 16th August, 1907.]

*Despatch.—Extradition Treaty with Sweden.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 22nd 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.

(Circular.)

Downing Street, 6th September, 1907.

SIR,—With reference to my Circular despatch of the 26th July last, 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 giving effect to an Agreement between the United Kingdom and Sweden, signed at London on the 2nd of July, 1907, confirming as regards Sweden the Treaty of Extradition between the United Kingdom and Sweden and Norway of June 26th, 1873, and enlarging the list of offences contained in Article II of that Treaty.

I have, &c.,  
ELGIN.

The Officer Administering the Government  
of New Zealand.

## SWEDEN EXTRADITION ORDER IN COUNCIL, 1907.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 12th day of August, 1907.

Present:

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

LORD PRESIDENT, LORD STEWARD, LORD CHAMBERLAIN,  
LORD DENMAN, LORD TWEEDMOUTH.

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 second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seven, between the British and Swedish Governments, providing that the said Treaty shall remain in force between the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and the Kingdom of Sweden, in so far as its provisions apply to the Kingdom of Sweden 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 Swedish Governments, who agree that the Treaty signed at Stockholm on the 26th of 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 Sweden, in so far as its provisions apply to the Kingdom of Sweden 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 of a girl under the age of fifteen years.
23. Bigamy.
24. Indecent assault.
25. Administering drugs or using instruments apt to procure the miscarriage of women, with intent to procure such miscarriage.
26. Any malicious act done with intent to endanger the safety of any person travelling or being upon a railway.
27. Knowingly making, without lawful authority, any instrument, tool, or engine adapted and intended for the counterfeiting of the coin of the realm.
28. Malicious injury to property, if such offence be indictable.

In witness whereof the Undersigned have signed the present Agreement, and have affixed thereto the seals of their arms.

Done at London, the 2nd July, 1907.

(L.S.) E. GREY.  
(L.S.) HERMANN WRANGEL.

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 twenty-sixth day of August, 1907, the said Acts shall apply in the case of Sweden 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.

[Extract from the London Gazette of Friday, 16th August, 1907.]

Notice to Mariners No. 72 of 1907.

KARAMEA RIVER, WEST COAST OF SOUTH ISLAND.—LIGHT TO BE ESTABLISHED.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 17th October, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after the 4th November, 1907, a fixed white light of the sixth-order port-light will be exhibited from the flagstaff on north side of Karamea River close to the entrance, in latitude 41° 15' S., longitude 172° 7' E. (approximate), from Admiralty chart, showing a clear unbroken light all round from seaward between the bearings N. 7° E. round by east to S. 19° E. The light is at an elevation of 40 ft. above high water, and should be visible in clear weather at a distance of eight miles.

Signal-lights to be used on the Flagstaff.

For inward-bound vessels only—

	Day Signals.
Take the bar ..	Flag B of the International Code.
Wait for tide ..	" P "
Bar dangerous ..	" S "
Bar unsafe for towing ..	" Y "
Bar safe for towing ..	" T "
Keep handy ..	" I "

	Night Signals.
Take the bar ..	A green light 20 ft. vertically below the port-light.
Wait ..	A green light on yardarm to southward of port-light, on horizontal line with it.
Bar dangerous ..	A green light on yardarm to northward of port-light, on horizontal line with it.
Bar safe for 7 ft. ..	A white light to south of port-light, 20 ft. lower, together with a green light 20 ft. vertically below port-light.
Bar safe for 5 ft. ..	A white light to the north of port-light, 20 ft. lower, together with a green light 20 ft. vertically below port-light.

No vessel to enter until the signal "Take the bar" is shown, though all the leading-lights may be visible.

For outward-bound vessels only—

Vessels may proceed out: A green light 15 ft. vertically above the port-light. No vessel to proceed out before this signal is shown, notwithstanding that all the leading-lights may be visible.

J. A. MILLAR.

Notice to Mariners No. 73 of 1907.

NEW ENTRANCE AND LIGHT FOR NELSON HARBOUR.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 17th October, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that a new entrance has been cut through the Boulder Bank which encloses the harbour at Nelson. The channel outside and the cut through the bank have been completed, and the channel now has a minimum depth of 15 ft. at L.W.O.S.T., but dredging is still being continued inside the harbour to make a uniform channel of 15 ft. depth to the wharves. At present the channel inside the harbour has a minimum depth of 12 ft. at L.W.O.S.T.

Ships enter the port through the new entrance at the discretion of the pilot, and under his charge only, until dredging-work inside the harbour has been finally completed.

On and after the 4th November, 1907, a temporary green light will be exhibited from the end of the breakwater which is on the south side of the new entrance to Nelson Harbour, 6.2 cables S. 27° W. of the Nelson Lighthouse. The light will be 12 ft. above high water, and will be exhibited from sunset to sunrise, and be visible all round the horizon, except when obscured by the land, for a distance of five miles.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2616 and 2185; "New Zealand Pilot," seventh edition, 1901, Chap. vi, page 221.

J. A. MILLAR.

Notice to Mariners No. 74 of 1907.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 21st October, 1907.

THE following six Notices to Mariners, received from the President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, South Australia, are published for general information.

J. A. MILLAR.

SPENCER GULF.—ENTRANCE TO PORT PIRIE RIVER.

REFERRING to former Notices to Mariners of 1907,\* masters of vessels and others are hereby informed that No. 1 light-beacon at the entrance to Port Pirie Creek has been repaired, and the light is now being exhibited as hitherto.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 2389B and 403.

ARTHUR SEARCY,  
President of the Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,  
Port Adelaide, 26th August, 1907.

GULF ST. VINCENT.—PORT ADELAIDE RIVER.

Ketch sunk in the River.

Masters of vessels, pilots, and others are hereby informed that the ketch "Oscar Robinson" lies sunk in the channel at the west side of the cutting between Nos. 9 and 10 beacons, nearly opposite the square-headed black beacon on the Torrens Island side of the river.

\* New Zealand, No. 66 of 1907.

The vessel is 72 ft. long, and her stern lies on the edge of the cutting, with her bow heading towards mid-channel. A red flag by day and two red lights shown vertically by night will be shown from the mast of one of the ketches moored alongside. Care should be exercised when navigating vessels in the vicinity.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 2389B, 1750, and 1752.

ARTHUR SEARCY,  
President of the Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,  
Port Adelaide, 29th August, 1907.

#### NORTH COAST OF AUSTRALIA.

Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 10 of 1907,\* masters of vessels and others are hereby informed that a further reef, with three fathoms of water on it, has been reported by the commander of H.M.S. "Fantomé" as existing in lat. 10° 30', long. 141° 12'.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 1042.

ARTHUR SEARCY,  
President of the Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,  
Port Adelaide, 9th September, 1907.

#### GULF ST. VINCENT.—ENTRANCE TO PORT ADELAIDE RIVER.

Notice is hereby given that the black buoy at the entrance to the river has disappeared, and will not be replaced, being no longer required.

Also that No. 1 green light, which during deepening operations was temporarily placed on the reflecting beacon, is now placed on a new beacon erected on the eastern corner of the north bank, and abreast of the junction of Nos. 1 and 2 leads.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 2389B, 1750, and 1752.

ARTHUR SEARCY,  
President of the Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,  
Port Adelaide, 13th September, 1907.

#### TIMOR SEA.

Notice is hereby given that the commander of H.M.S. "Fantomé" reports a coral patch south Timor Island. The patch is about half a mile long, in a N.W. and S.E. direction, with four fathoms water on it. Position: Lat. 11° 37' 54" S., long. 123° 57' 15" E.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 2759A, 475, and 942A.

ARTHUR SEARCY,  
President of the Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,  
Port Adelaide, 19th September, 1907.

#### APPROACH TO PORT DARWIN.

Notice is hereby given that the commander of H.M.S. "Fantomé" has ascertained the correct position of Charles Point Lighthouse to be lat. 12° 23' 37" S., long. 130° 30' 10" E.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 18, 925, 613, and 1044.

ARTHUR SEARCY,  
President of the Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,  
Port Adelaide, 19th September, 1907.

\* New Zealand, No. 66 of 1907.

#### Officiating Ministers for 1907.—Notice No. 42.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 23rd 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 names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

Church of Christ.

Mr. Alexander Anderson.

Auckland Central Mission.

Mr. Harold Gladstone Hercus.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,  
Registrar-General.

#### "The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Acts Compilation Act, 1905."—Notice of Cancellation of Registry.

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 22nd October, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registration of the Auckland Plumbers, Gasfitters, and Metal-workers Industrial Union of Workers, No. 90, situated at Auckland, is hereby cancelled as from the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

EDWARD TREGGAR,  
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

#### Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,  
Wellington, 18th October, 1907.

THE Ashburton Tent, No. 66, situated at Ashburton, is registered as a branch of the New Zealand Central District of the Independent Order of Rechabites Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 18th day of October, 1907.

ROBT. E. HAYES,  
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

#### Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies' Registry Office,  
Wellington, 22nd October, 1907.

THE Kia Ora Tent, No. 65, situated at Hastings, Hawke's Bay, is registered as a branch of the New Zealand Central District of the Independent Order of Rechabites Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1882," this 19th day of October, 1907.

ROBT. E. HAYES,  
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

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

	LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation .. .. .	.. .. .	867,858	7	1
Bills in circulation .. .. .	.. .. .	46,510	7	9
Balances due to other Banks .. .. .	.. .. .	27,027	8	7
Government deposits .. .. .	.. .. .	1,952,290	17	6
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest .. .. .	.. .. .	5,387,150	11	4
Bearing interest .. .. .	.. .. .	4,660,024	4	3
Total average liabilities .. .. .		£12,940,861	16	6

	ASSETS.	£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metal .. .. .	.. .. .	2,110,545	7	6
Gold and silver in bullion or bars .. .. .	.. .. .	96,701	18	6
Notes and bills of other Banks .. .. .	.. .. .	99,444	2	1
Balances due from other Banks .. .. .	.. .. .	875	19	1
Landed property .. .. .	.. .. .	106,569	1	4
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted .. .. .	.. .. .	870,920	11	11
2. Colonial Government securities .. .. .	.. .. .	1,064,821	0	0
3. Other funded securities .. .. .	.. .. .			
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) .. .. .	.. .. .	5,999,876	6	2
5. Securities not included under the above heads .. .. .	.. .. .	915,287	17	6
Total average assets .. .. .		£11,265,042	4	1

4-per-cent. guaranteed stock, £1,000,000. (Interest, £20,000 for six months, paid 1st May, 1907.)

Preference shares fully paid up issued to the Crown under "Bank of New Zealand Act, 1903," £500,000.

Ordinary share capital, £500,000.

Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders on preference shares, 7½ per cent. per annum.

Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders on ordinary shares, 10 per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last dividend declared to the shareholders on preference shares, £37,500.

Amount of the last dividend declared on ordinary shares, £50,000.

Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £281,675.

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of October, 1907.

W. CALLENDER, General Manager,  
F. E. CORKILL, Accountant.



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

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. ..	137,283	8	6
Bills in circulation	.. ..	16,576	8	3
Balances due to other Banks	.. ..	..	..	..
Government deposits	.. ..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. ..	1,382,432	1	9
Bearing interest	.. ..	565,018	6	3
<b>Total average liabilities</b>		<b>£2,101,310</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals	.. ..	502,933	16	2
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. ..	1,413	2	10
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. ..	27,434	9	1
Balances due from other Banks	.. ..	..	..	..
Landed property	.. ..	56,487	19	7
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. ..	321,461	7	8
2. Colonial Government securities	.. ..	..	..	..
3. Other funded securities	.. ..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. ..	2,580,427	16	1
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. ..	3,545	16	7
<b>Total average assets</b>		<b>£3,493,704</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>

Amount of the capital stock paid up at this date, £1,600,000.  
 Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 12 per cent. per annum, and bonus 2 per cent.  
 Amount of the last dividend declared, £112,000.  
 Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £1,427,320.

Dated at Wellington, this 8th day of October, 1907.

A. P. WEBSTER, For the Inspector.  
 JNO. A. MACLEOD, Accountant.

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

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. ..	263,394	0	0
Bills in circulation	.. ..	11,614	0	0
Balances due to other Banks	.. ..	40,149	0	0
Government deposits	.. ..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. ..	1,808,414	0	0
Bearing interest	.. ..	1,440,518	0	0
<b>Total average liabilities</b>		<b>£3,564,089</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metal	.. ..	927,019	0	0
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. ..	40,650	0	0
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. ..	48,587	0	0
Balances due from other Banks	.. ..	25,977	0	0
Landed property	.. ..	85,163	0	0
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. ..	316,925	0	0
2. Colonial Government securities	.. ..	50,000	0	0
3. Other funded securities	.. ..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. ..	2,372,840	0	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. ..	7,825	0	0
<b>Total average assets</b>		<b>£3,874,986</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th September, 1907, £375,000.  
 Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 10 per cent. per annum for half-year, and 2 per cent. bonus.  
 Amount of the last dividend declared, £26,250.  
 Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £365,068.

Dated at Wellington, this 10th day of October, 1907.

JAMES COATES,  
 General Manager.

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

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. ..	153,329	0	0
Bills in circulation	.. ..	10,591	0	0
Balances due to other Banks	.. ..	2,465	0	0
Government deposits	.. ..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. ..	1,804,091	0	0
Bearing interest	.. ..	1,386,282	0	0
<b>Total average liabilities</b>		<b>£3,356,758</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals	.. ..	630,160	0	0
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. ..	4,201	0	0
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. ..	35,510	0	0
Balances due from other Banks	.. ..	393	0	0
Landed property	.. ..	60,605	0	0
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. ..	213,233	0	0
2. Colonial Government securities	.. ..	..	..	..
3. Other funded securities	.. ..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. ..	2,961,735	0	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. ..	96,527	0	0
<b>Total average assets</b>		<b>£4,002,364</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th September, 1907, £1,500,000.  
 Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 10 per cent. per annum, and bonus 4 per cent.  
 Amount of the last dividend declared, with bonus, £105,000.  
 Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £1,309,310.

Dated at Wellington, this 16th day of October, 1907.

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

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

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. ..	172,796	7	2
Bills in circulation	.. ..	9,073	10	1
Balances due to other Banks	.. ..	20,008	4	0
Government deposits	.. ..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. ..	1,575,111	18	9
Bearing interest	.. ..	1,645,960	16	11
<b>Total average liabilities</b>		<b>£3,422,950</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>11</b>

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metal	.. ..	671,724	16	9
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. ..	18,489	14	1
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. ..	3,280	2	10
Balances due from other Banks	.. ..	29,915	1	11
Landed property	.. ..	112,492	9	6
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. ..	277,612	3	2
2. Colonial Government securities	.. ..	167,905	19	0
3. Other funded securities	.. ..	59,014	2	11
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. ..	2,583,153	3	4
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. ..	111,187	15	9
<b>Total average assets</b>		<b>£4,034,775</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th September, 1907, £2,425,400.  
 Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 10 per cent.  
 Amount of last dividend declared, £100,000.  
 Amount of the reserved profits after declaring such dividend, £1,500,000.

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

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

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

## LIABILITIES.

BANKS.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits.			Total Liabilities.
				Government.	Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Bank of New Zealand .. .. .	867,858 7 1	46,510 7 9	27,027 8 7	1,952,290 17 6	5,387,150 11 4	4,660,024 4 3	12,940,861 16 6
Union Bank of Australia, Limited .. .. .	153,329 0 0	10,591 0 0	2,465 0 0	..	1,804,091 0 0	1,386,282 0 0	3,356,758 0 0
Bank of New South Wales.. .. .	172,796 7 2	9,073 10 1	20,008 4 0	..	1,575,111 18 9	1,645,060 16 11	3,422,950 16 11
Bank of Australasia .. .. .	137,283 8 6	16,576 8 3	..	..	1,382,432 1 9	565,018 6 3	2,101,310 4 9
National Bank of New Zealand, Limited .. .. .	263,394 0 0	11,614 0 0	40,149 0 0	..	1,808,414 0 0	1,440,618 0 0	3,564,089 0 0
Totals .. .. .	1,594,661 2 9	94,365 6 1	89,649 12 7	1,952,290 17 6	11,957,199 11 10	9,697,803 7 5	25,885,969 18 2

## ASSETS.

BANKS.	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals.	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills discounted.	Colonial Government Securities.	Other Funded Securities.	Debts due to Bank, exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad.	Securities not included under other Heads.	Total Assets.
Bank of New Zealand .. .. .	2,110,545 7 6	96,701 18 6	99,444 2 1	875 19 1	106,569 1 4	370,920 11 11	1,064,821 0 0	..	5,999,876 6 2	915,237 17 6	11,265,042 4 1
Union Bank of Australia, Limited .. .. .	630,160 0 0	4,201 0 0	35,510 0 0	393 0 0	60,605 0 0	213,233 0 0	..	..	2,961,735 0 0	96,527 0 0	4,002,364 0 0
Bank of New South Wales .. .. .	671,724 16 9	18,489 14 1	3,280 2 10	29,915 1 11	112,492 9 6	277,612 3 2	167,905 19 0	59,014 2 11	2,583,153 3 4	111,187 15 9	4,034,775 9 3
Bank of Australasia .. .. .	502,933 16 2	1,413 2 10	27,434 9 1	..	56,487 19 7	321,461 7 8	..	..	2,580,427 16 1	3,545 16 7	3,493,704 8 0
National Bank of New Zealand, Limited .. .. .	927,019 0 0	40,650 0 0	43,587 0 0	25,277 0 0	85,168 0 0	316,925 0 0	50,000 0 0	..	2,372,840 0 0	7,825 0 0	3,874,986 0 0
Totals .. .. .	4,842,383 0 5	161,455 15 5	214,255 14 0	57,161 1 0	421,317 10 5	2,000,152 2 9	1,282,726 19 0	59,014 2 11	16,498,032 5 7	1,134,373 9 10	26,670,872 1 4

## CAPITAL AND PROFITS.

BANKS.	Capital paid up.	Rate per Annum of Last Dividend.	Amount of Last Dividend declared.		Amount of Reserved Profits at Time of declaring such Dividend.	
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Bank of New Zealand—	£ 1,000,000					
4-per-cent. stock guaranteed by the Government of N.Z. ...	500,000	Seven and a half per cent. per annum .. .. .	37,500 0 0		281,675 0 0	
Preferred shares subscribed for by the Government of N.Z.	500,000	Ten per cent. per annum .. .. .	50,000 0 0			
Capital payable by shareholders .. .. .	1,500,000	Ten per cent. per annum, and bonus 4 per cent. .. .. .	105,000 0 0		1,809,310 0 0	
Union Bank of Australia, Limited .. .. .			(inclusive of bonus)			
Bank of New South Wales .. .. .	2,425,400	Ten per cent. .. .. .	100,000 0 0		1,500,000 0 0	
Bank of Australasia .. .. .	1,600,000	Twelve per cent., and bonus 2 per cent. per annum .. .. .	112,000 0 0		1,427,320 0 0	
National Bank of New Zealand, Limited .. .. .	375,000	Ten per cent. for half-year, and bonus 2 per cent. .. .. .	26,250 0 0		365,068 0 0	

The Treasury, Wellington, 23rd October, 1907.

ROBERT J. COLLINS, Secretary to the Treasury.

NEW ZEALAND METEOROLOGICAL RETURNS, SEPTEMBER, 1907.

Government Meteorological Observatory.

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE.

MEANS AND TOTALS FROM THE CHIEF STATIONS.

September, 1907.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the month of September, 1907. Observations taken at 9 a.m.

Altitude of new observatory, 110 ft.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected, in inches.	From Self-registering Instruments, for Twenty-four Hours previously.						Rainfall, in points (100 to 1 inch).	Veloc. Wind, in Miles.	Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.	Direction of Wind.
		Max. Temp. in Shade.	Min. Temp. in Shade.	Mean Temp. in Shade.	Solar Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation.				
1	29.750	56.0	45.0	50.5	90	34	10	344	2	S.E.	
2	29.791	59.0	46.0	52.5	106	36	9	208	10	S.	
3	29.609	53.2	46.2	49.7	101	39	2	210	8	N.	
4	29.363	55.0	47.0	51.0	101	42	47	433	8	N.	
5	29.321	55.0	45.0	50.0	100	39	Trace	347	9	N.	
6	29.664	51.0	44.0	47.5	87	35	Trace	290	4	S.	
7	29.824	53.0	42.0	47.5	97	31	3	262	7	N.	
8	29.480	55.8	49.0	52.4	97	46	17	552	10	N.W.	
9	29.647	56.0	43.5	49.7	83	38	..	497	4	S.E.	
10	29.757	50.0	37.5	43.7	97	27	34	209	2	N.	
11	29.505	55.5	43.0	49.2	97	39	20	323	9	S.	
12	29.625	50.0	42.0	46.0	99	37	82	288	10	S.	
13	29.674	47.5	42.5	45.0	87	38	6	426	9	S.	
14	29.662	48.0	40.0	44.0	100	32	10	423	8	S.	
15	29.750	47.2	40.0	43.6	99	32	49	391	10	S.E.	
16	30.104	47.0	41.0	44.0	88	35	3	670	9	S.E.	
17	30.141	48.0	41.2	44.6	98	34	Trace	496	10	S.E.	
18	30.057	50.0	41.2	45.6	103	32	Trace	233	6	N.	
19	30.016	54.0	49.0	51.5	100	42	..	454	7	N.	
20	29.851	57.0	49.0	53.0	102	45	..	834	6	N.W.	
21	29.957	63.0	50.2	56.6	106	40	..	404	1	S.	
22	30.050	63.0	50.2	56.6	103	40	..	218	5	N.	
23	29.952	58.8	40.8	49.8	110	31	Trace	280	9	N.W.	
24	29.741	56.0	50.0	53.0	102	44	1	480	10	N.W.	
25	29.412	57.0	51.2	54.1	60	47	..	740	10	N.W.	
26	29.238	57.5	51.0	54.2	85	45	..	792	6	N.W.	
27	29.502	56.5	45.0	50.7	108	37	..	516	1	W.	
28	29.591	57.0	49.0	53.0	102	41	Trace	466	9	N.W.	
29	29.450	55.5	47.5	51.5	95	38	..	684	4	W.	
30	29.291	57.8	48.0	52.9	105	41	8	404	7	N.W.	
*	29.692	54.3	45.2	49.7	97	38	301	429	7	..	
†	29.958	..	..	51.5	105	..	450	..	..	..	

\* Means. &c. † Monthly means previous years.

NOTE.—The weather was very changeable in the early part of the month. Strong north-west winds prevailed towards the close. Mean relative humidity, 73; mean dew point, 41.6° F.; mean elastic force of aqueous vapour, 0.263 in. The mean temperatures of the earth at 1 ft. was 49.9°, and at 2 ft. 50.7°. At 1 ft. the maximum was 51°, and the minimum 47°; at 2 ft., 51° and 50° respectively.

Altitude above Sea-level in Feet.	Name of Station and Observer.	Absolute Mean Temp. Air in Shade.	Extremes.		Total Rainfall (100 Points to the Inch).	Days with Rain (½ Point or more).
			Mean Max. Temp.	Mean Min. Temp.		
<b>NORTH ISLAND.</b>						
125	AUCKLAND .. T. F. Cheeseman	Deg. 53.4	Deg. 58.8	Deg. 47.9	542	24
925	ROTORUA .. W. Hill	49.1	57.1	41.1	514	21
390	WAIHI .. H. B. Devereux	50.6	59.0	42.2	675	23
130	RUAKURA .. C. Cussen	52.9	61.9	43.9	588	25
200	NEW PLYMOUTH .. G. W. Palmer	52.8	60.8	44.9	759	25
250	MOUMAHAKI .. F. Gillanders	49.3	55.4	43.2	568	22
103	PALMERSTON NORTH .. Mrs. A. A. Martin	50.7	58.1	43.3	542	20
119	LEVIN .. D. M. Cole	49.1	56.1	42.2	433	21
377	MASTERTON .. A. G. Wise	..	..	..	..	..
..	GISBORNE .. Archd'n Williams	53.3	62.2	44.5	341	14
10	MEEANEE, NAPIER .. Very Rev. Dr. Kennedy	51.1	60.2	42.1	247	11
110	WELLINGTON .. F. W. Simms	51.5	54.3	45.2	301	14
..	Averages ..	51.2	58.5	43.7	500	20
<b>SOUTH ISLAND.</b>						
..	NELSON .. J. Sharp and M. Kempthorne	49.1	56.8	41.5	335	22
490	MURCHISON .. Dr. E. H. Howard	46.1	54.7	37.5	890	21
1218	HANMER SPA .. J. B. Gould	44.1	51.2	37.4	1255	18
25	CHRISTCHURCH .. H. F. Skey	48.0	56.4	39.6	412	14
42	LINCOLN .. G. Gray	48.4	56.2	40.6	240	12
96	TIMARU .. R. Fergusson	46.5	54.7	38.4	208	14
300	LEITH VALLEY, DUNEDIN .. H. Skey	45.4	51.8	38.9	278	18
350	GORE .. Captain A. A. Scott	44.8	55.0	34.6	330	19
12	HOKITIKA .. A. D. Macfarlane	49.7	58.1	41.1	1020	16
..	Averages ..	46.9	55.0	38.8	552	17

SUMMARY FOR SEPTEMBER, 1907.

THE weather during September continued unusually wet and stormy in the Provinces of Auckland and Taranaki. Thunderstorms and hail occurred at times in those parts, and the weather was generally unpleasant. Westerly gales were prevalent, and in many places exposed to their influences the rainfall was generally 2 in. above the average, and the rainy days about eight above previous averages. In Hawke's Bay and South Wellington the rainfall was in most places about and below the average, but west of the Tararua, where rough westerly conditions obtained at times, the rainfall was heavier than usual. At all high-level stations in both Islands the rainfall was excessive. Except on the West Coast, in the South Island there was less rainfall than in the North; but, though showery, light and variable winds were experienced until after the 18th. Conditions were everywhere very stormy on the 19th and 20th, and generally so from the 24th to the 29th. Barometric pressure was considerably below the average in both Islands, and an extensive area of low pressure prevailed during the last week of the month. The mean temperature was below the average in all parts.

AVERAGES FROM THE MONTHLY CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLES FOR THE YEARS 1905 AND 1906.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Averages & Totals.
<b>NORTH ISLAND—</b>													
Mean temperature ..	61.4	62.4	60.3	56.3	53.3	49.2	48.8	49.4	51.7	55.2	57.3	61.3	Annual. 55.6° F.
Rainfall, in points (100=1 inch)	256	269	294	321	518	524	568	293	427	409	419	284	45.85 in.
Days with rain ..	11.1	9.0	9.7	13.7	14.8	16.0	17.6	12.9	17.2	14.5	14.6	10.7	162 days
<b>SOUTH ISLAND—</b>													
Mean temperature ..	57.8	58.8	57.2	51.6	48.2	44.4	43.3	44.9	48.1	52.0	54.9	58.4	51.7° F.
Rainfall, in points (100=1 inch)	417	375	310	323	405	490	450	257	474	384	379	271	45.39 in.
Days with rain ..	14.3	10.4	11.3	14.7	12.2	13.5	15.3	11.0	15.0	12.3	13.0	10.7	154 days

NEW ZEALAND RAINFALL FOR SEPTEMBER, 1907.

Station.	Observer.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.	Maximum Fall, and Date.
<b>NORTH ISLAND.</b>				
<b>(A.) NORTH-EAST ASPECT—NORTH CAPE TO EAST CAPE.</b>				
Mangonui(*) .. .. .	A. C. Ballance .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Pakaraka, Ohaeawai .. .. .	Hon. H. Williams .. .. .	361	23	49 on 5th
Mount Eden, Auckland .. .. .	G. Cooper .. .. .	583	25	75 on 4th
Remuera .. .. .	Rev. H. Young .. .. .	556	19	65 on 4th
Cuvier Island .. .. .	Lightkeeper .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Mamaku .. .. .	G. E. Skellem .. .. .	1225	27	200 on 26th
Matamata .. .. .	K. F. Abbot .. .. .	530	17	73 on 5th
Turus, Thames .. .. .	L. J. Bagnall .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Rotorua Nursery, Rotorua .. .. .	H. A. Goudie .. .. .	477	17	65 on 12th
Waimangu .. .. .	R. H. Ingle .. .. .	540	23	95 on 12th
Waiotapu .. .. .	A. W. Roberts .. .. .	469	18	80 on 12th
Tangihanga, Te Araroa .. .. .	G. H. Heald .. .. .	952	24	144 on 25th
Te Kaha .. .. .	Rev. C. W. Robinson .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
<b>(B.) NORTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE MARIA VAN DIEMEN TO CAPE EGDMONT.</b>				
Kaitiaki .. .. .	W. G. Puckey .. .. .	513	20	100 on 4th
Rangiahua, Hokianga Harbour .. .. .	W. R. Coxhead .. .. .	514	22	75 on 12th
Kohukohu, .. .. .	A. C. Yarborough .. .. .	709	21	93 on 12th
Tutamoe Settlement .. .. .	R. Leonard .. .. .	1255	24	142 on 5th
Puhipuhi Plantation, Whakapara, Whangarei .. .. .	C. Hooper .. .. .	301	15	48 on 4th
Ruatangata Nursery .. .. .	L. J. Adams .. .. .	459	20	69 on 5th
Dargaville .. .. .	H. E. Stehr .. .. .	721	18	115 on 25th
Bickerstaffe, Whakapirau .. .. .	W. C. Woodman .. .. .	569	21	70 on 13th
Helensville .. .. .	A. J. Hill .. .. .	588	25	118 on 4th
Onehunga .. .. .	C. A. Senior .. .. .	604	25	96 on 4th
Waiuku, Auckland .. .. .	T. Middleton .. .. .	572	25	80 on 8th
Te Mata, Raglan .. .. .	H. T. Gibson .. .. .	1487	29	235 on 1st
Kawhia .. .. .	H. H. Pettit .. .. .	987	24	134 on 4th
Taupo .. .. .	Rev. H. J. Fletcher .. .. .	390	14	78 on 12th
Paterangi, Waikato .. .. .	Cyril Jephson .. .. .	771	22	87 on 25th
Hamilton, Waikato .. .. .	Dr. J. T. Wilkin .. .. .	590	25	60 on 12th
State Farm, Waerenga .. .. .	J. E. Barrett .. .. .	654	26	104 on 2nd
Wairama Downs, Tuakau .. .. .	A. R. Rutherford .. .. .	827	23	103 on 1st
Paekaha, Paemako .. .. .	N. A. Robison .. .. .	1038	24	222 on 25th
Paparahia, Awakino(*) .. .. .	M. C. Robison .. .. .	937	19	123 on 4th
Ngatimaru, Tarata .. .. .	R. Drummond .. .. .	1256	22	215 on 26th
Riversdale, Inglewood (817 ft.) .. .. .	Miss N. Trimble .. .. .	1354	25	284 on 25th
Lepperton .. .. .	Miss C. M. Lepper .. .. .	993	20	140 on 13th
Upper Mangorei (1,000 ft.) .. .. .	Mrs. Brown .. .. .	1826	27	244 on 25th
<b>(C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGDMONT TO CAPE PALLISER.</b>				
Mountain House, Mount Egmont (3,140 ft.) .. .. .	F. G. Morris .. .. .	3187	26	405 on 26th
Opunake .. .. .	A. H. Moore .. .. .	693	26	112 on 25th
Eltham .. .. .	L. N. Fairhall .. .. .	658	25	85 on 12th
Stratford (1,020 ft.) .. .. .	T. H. Penn .. .. .	933	24	122 on 1st
Ohawe, Hawera .. .. .	J. T. Livingston .. .. .	514	23	85 on 1st
Patea .. .. .	H. E. Adams .. .. .	572	23	99 on 25th
Oraumatua, Moawhango .. .. .	R. M. Williamson .. .. .	403	12	100 on 26th
Taumatatahi, Upper Waitotara .. .. .	E. F. Liffiton .. .. .	1017	26	212 on 26th
Whangamomona .. .. .	J. W. Taunt .. .. .	1185	25	276 on 25th
Piriaka .. .. .	H. Mason .. .. .	992	24	170 on 12th
Makatote Viaduct .. .. .	R. Turnbull .. .. .	1505	28	297 on 25th
Raurimu .. .. .	E. G. Beale .. .. .	1451	26	258 on 25th
Ohakune .. .. .	F. W. Furkert .. .. .	971	28	236 on 25th
Marybank, Wanganui .. .. .	R. Hughes .. .. .	500	20	139 on 25th
Aramoho, Wanganui .. .. .	John T. Stewart, C.E. .. .. .	577	24	135 on 25th
Wanganui .. .. .	M. C. Corliss .. .. .	493	20	127 on 25th
Okirae, Fordell (295 ft.) .. .. .	J. K. Manning .. .. .	801	22	313 on 25th
Ruanui .. .. .	E. Norris Borlase .. .. .	778	21	145 on 26th
Erehwon Station, Moawhango .. .. .	Mrs. M. Caccia-Biroh .. .. .	622	28	98 on 25th
Papakai Road, Taihape .. .. .	A. R. Fannin .. .. .	570	20	107 on 25th
Taihape .. .. .	H. C. D. Wade .. .. .	726	16	140 on 26th
Hunterville .. .. .	S. A. R. Mair .. .. .	797	23	168 on 25th
Waituna West, Feilding .. .. .	E. S. Guylee .. .. .	745	23	173 on 25th
Thoresby, Marton .. .. .	R. Klitscher, for W. J. Birch .. .. .	593	21	159 on 25th
Halcombe(*) .. .. .	L. A. MacDonald .. .. .	683	16	210 on 26th
Raumai, Bull's .. .. .	E. J. Keiller .. .. .	581	22	167 on 25th
Waitatapia, Bull's .. .. .	K. W. Dairymple .. .. .	542	18	127 on 25th
Rongotea .. .. .	H. Sanson .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Glen Oroua .. .. .	J. Sanson .. .. .	693	18	204 on 25th
Feilding .. .. .	Miss E. Goodbehere .. .. .	681	20	207 on 25th
Fitzherbert West, Palmerston N. .. .. .	C. J. Monro .. .. .	645	24	197 on 26th
Otaki .. .. .	W. Burns-Smith .. .. .	439	21	82 on 10th
Walkanee .. .. .	S. Duncan .. .. .	370	22	74 on 12th
Pukerua .. .. .	W. Bell .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Pahautanui .. .. .	J. Pearce .. .. .	442	15	94 on 12th
Opau, North Makara .. .. .	W. H. Wallace .. .. .	362	16	113 on 12th
Late returns—				
(a) August .. .. .	.. .. .	480	15	103 on 8th
(b) .. .. .	.. .. .	707	19	125 on 9th
(c) .. .. .	.. .. .	284	10	42 on 10th

New Zealand Rainfall for September, 1907—continued.

Station.	Observer.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.	Maximum Fall, and Date.
<b>NORTH ISLAND—continued.</b>				
<b>(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER.</b>				
Hauturu, Tokomaru Bay	L. E. Cotterill	671	21	185 on 15th
Tolaga Bay	Miss E. M. Reeves	316	7	157 on 15th
Waihau, Gisborne	F. H. Loisel	357	14	146 on 15th
Mangataikapua, Whatatutu	L. Saxby	535	17	182 on 16th
Patutahi, Gisborne	J. C. Woodward	285	11	90 on 15th
Strathblane, Hangaroa	I. B. Graham	..	..	..
Lake House, Waikaremoana	H. Grout	904	21	183 on 16th
Wairoa, Hawke's Bay	T. E. Foy	306	15	130 on 15th
Tutira Lake	H. Guthrie-Smith	..	..	..
Eskdale, Petane, Napier	Thomas Clark	344	14	139 on 15th
Rakamoana, Napier	Messrs. Tait and Mills	448	17	214 on 15th
Riverbank, Rissington	J. Moore	332	14	124 on 15th
Napier	L. Azzopardi	229	14	68 on 15th
Whanawhana, Hastings	G. R. Beamish	336	22	72 on 23rd
Maraekakaho, Hastings	A. Lockie	279	14	61 on 22nd
Hastings	J. N. Williams	..	..	..
Poukawa	A. M. Smith	247	12	77 on 15th
Pukehou, Te Aute	S. B. Ludbrook	278	13	57 on 15th
Gwavas, Tikokino	H. Irwin	366	21	73 on 22nd
Aramoana, Waipawa	J. G. Speedy	396	12	95 on 13th
Mount Vernon, Waipawa	J. W. Harding	266	19	70 on 15th
Fairfield, Ongaonga	H. N. Watson	379	17	113 on 16th
Wairamarama, Hawke's Bay	Miss Meinertzhagen	250	13	66 on 15th
Mangakuri	G. C. Williams	376	19	104 on 15th
Takapau	J. W. Leithead	413	17	120 on 15th
Ormondville	F. B. Curd	632	21	127 on 26th
Dannevirke	G. Harvey	604	20	93 on 12th
Porangahau	Rev. F. E. Telling-Simcox	411	7	132 on 13th
Woodbank, Wimbledon	W. H. Speedy	646	17	223 on 12th
Pine Grove, Dannevirke	Dr. J. E. Riddell	568	13	157 on 13th
Oporae, Waipatiki	T. Handyside	760	22	172 on 25th
Mokoia, Woodville	W. Stainton	852	22	235 on 25th
Pahiatua	W. Tosswill	745	21	235 on 26th
Eastry, Tane	F. White	829	19	120 on 12th
Tawataia, Eketahuna	Mrs. T. H. Groves	772	22	200 on 12th
Eketahuna	J. T. Quinn	1374	22	341 on 25th
Hamua	J. Kay	1187	23	297 on 25th
Dreyer's Rock, Mauriceville	J. V. Power	..	..	..
Castlepoint	A. B. Nicolls	428	14	221 on 12th
Annedale, Te Nui	H. A. Nevins	606	23	241 on 12th
Ditton, Masterton	S. Mawley	534	17	234 on 12th
Bush Grove, Masterton	H. G. Groves	501	20	214 on 12th
Waihakeke, Carterton	H. Peters	442	15	141 on 13th
Featherston	E. Peach	1156	12	400 on 12th
Summit (1,144 ft.)	J. Denison	..	..	..
Waiwetu	G. M. Mason	375	19	86 on 4th
Wainuiomata Reservoir	J. Quaintance	771	16	182 on 13th
Upper Hutt	A. J. McCurdy	465	23	87 on 4th
Newstead, Central Hutt	Sir James Hector, K.C.M.G.	460	20	74 on 12th
Lower Hutt	Miss H. A. M. Heaton	407	19	75 on 12th
Karori Reservoir	W. Edmonds	361	17	90 on 12th
Kilbirnie	J. W. Kinniburgh	299	18	96 on 12th
Miramar	Dr. Makgill	262	15	88 on 12th
<b>SOUTH ISLAND.</b>				
<b>(E.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO KAIKOURA.</b>				
Parapara	J. Bassett	1013	22	191 on 25th
Takaka	Dr. R. N. Adams	..	..	..
Motueka	G. S. Huffam	411	21	80 on 12th
Tapawera, Nelson	Dr. Hudson	686	19	164 on 11th
Waterworks, Nelson	J. E. Stone	299	20	41 on 10th
Stephen Island <sup>(a)</sup>	Lightkeeper	303	11	84 on 12th
The Brothers <sup>(b)</sup>	Lightkeeper	343	11	110 on 12th
Cape Campbell	Lightkeeper	357	10	77 on 16th
Manaroa, Pelorus Sounds	M. C. Masfield	804	14	275 on 13th
Timara Station, Renwicktown	R. F. Goulter	234	11	49 on 2nd
Meadowbank, Blenheim	G. T. Seymour	279	9	85 on 13th
Spring Creek, Marlborough	T. C. Prichard	303	12	76 on 13th
Avondale Station, Blenheim <sup>(c)</sup>	C. G. Teschemaker-Shute	385	14	54 on 12th
Starborough Nursery, Seddon	W. Cromb	240	13	77 on 12th
Langridge Station, Upper Awarere	E. J. Thompson	339	13	73 on 1st
<b>(F.) WEST ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO PUYSEGUR POINT.</b>				
Farewell Spit	Lightkeeper	515	15	100 on 10th
Pakawau	T. C. V. Field	1176	21	153 on 12th
Denniston	J. W. Dixon	1200	15	250 on 10th
Westport	M. Furneaux	987	25	176 on 12th
Reefton (643 ft.)	J. Henderson	831	22	121 on 24th and 26th
Greymouth	J. Connor	724	19	163 on 25th
Arthur's Pass (3,020 ft.)	C. B. Gollop	1903	18	528 on 24th
Otira (1,255 ft.)		2120	21	512 on 24th
Okuru <sup>(d)</sup>	J. Cuttance	977	11	160 on 15th
Resolution Is., Dusky Sound	R. Henry	..	..	..
Puysegur Point <sup>(e)</sup>	Lightkeeper	..	..	..
<b>Late returns—</b>				
(a) August	..	327	14	79 on 30th
(b) "	..	310	16	100 on 30th
(c) { July	..	175	9	44 on 22nd
August	..	255	8	135 on 31st
(d) August	..	1350	12	280 on 8th
(e) "	..	419	17	72 on 26th

New Zealand Rainfall for September, 1907—continued.

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SOUTH ISLAND—continued.

(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS.

Hanmer Springs Nursery ..	T. B. Curle ..	1211	17	250 on 1st
Highfield, Amuri ..	F. S. Northcote ..	579	15	126 on 1st
Maokenzie, Chevtot ..	A. C. Bellwood ..	540	15	104 on 1st
Waikari ..	Dr. G. Pearce Baldwin ..	390	18	75 on 2nd
Oxford East ..	R. H. Gainsford ..	390	15	64 on 4th
Bealey ..	A. E. King ..	738	11	230 on 24th
Linwood, Christchurch ..	J. A. Biltcliff ..	223	14	105 on 8th
Port Hills, Rhodes Convalescent Home ..	Miss M. L. Higgins ..	277	13	110 on 9th
Otahuna, Tai Tapu ..	R. H. Rhodes, M.H.R. ..	322	15	55 on 8th
Hororata ..	D. Fraser ..	232	14	70 on 8th
Akaroa ..	Miss Mabel Jacobson ..	415	13	188 on 1st
Southbridge ..	J. McMillan ..	241	13	57 on 8th
Rakaia ..	Rev. H. H. Mathias ..	369	13	57 on 8th
Kyle ..	J. Lambie ..	485	14	243 on 1st
Winchmore, Ashburton ..	A. E. Hart ..	236	12	50 on 11th
Mayfield ..	Mrs. W. G. Gallagher ..	329	15	61 on 8th
Windermere ..	Miss Eva E. Wright ..	389	16	208 on 1st
Mount Peel, Rangitata ..	Mrs. Livingstone ..	398	14	80 on 11th
Peel Forest ..	W. E. Barker ..	353	14	91 on 15th
Huntsham, Peel Forest ..	Dugald Macfarlane ..	299	13	65 on 11th
Kapunatiki, Rangitata ..	J. O. Rolleston ..	173	13	37 on 11th
Hilton (350 ft.) ..	E. F. Temple ..	275	15	87 on 14th
The Heights, Geraldine ..	W. M. Moore ..	279	21	73 on 14th
Orari Gorge ..	Mrs. B. H. Tripp ..	548	13	180 on 1st
Orari Estate, Orari ..	G. A. M. Macdonald ..	258	17	63 on 14th
Lambrook, Fairlie ..	R. E. Gillingham ..	297	14	114 on 15th
Albury ..	F. H. Smith ..	..	..	..
Pleasant Point ..	J. Bishop ..	223	12	63 on 14th
Timaru Reservoir ..	J. Courtney ..	175	11	51 on 15th
Waimate ..	W. M. Hamilton ..	191	13	58 on 8th
Hermitage, Mount Cook (2,510 ft.) ..	D. McDonald ..	1642	20	580 on 25th
Benmore Station, Oamaru ..	James Sutherland ..	151	10	49 on 25th
Kurow ..	N. Craig ..	..	..	..
Otekaieke ..	T. Stephens ..	276	11	85 on 15th
Borton's Siding ..	H. A. Dovey ..	386	8	109 on 14th
Windsor Park, Oamaru ..	W. Menlove ..	..	..	..
Livingstone ..	F. W. Pochin ..	287	10	120 on 15th
Arnmere, Windsor ..	P. S. Shand ..	222	12	53 on 15th
Oamaru ..	J. Patterson ..	340	10	131 on 1st
Totara Station, near Oamaru ..	J. Macpherson ..	237	13	50 on 1st
Kauroo Hill, Maheno ..	A. French ..	293	9	83 on 14th
Orokonui Home, Waitati ..	Dr. R. Donald ..	219	18	62 on 1st
Opoho, Dunedin (383 ft.) ..	J. W. Paulin ..	236	17	52 on 1st
Fish-hatchery, Portobello ..	F. Anderton ..	250	11	99 on 1st

(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO POYSEGM POINT.

Paerau ..	Miss Marion Kennedy ..	177	13	83 on 15th
Eweburn Nursery, Ranfurly ..	A. W. Roberts ..	96	10	40 on 14th
Kokonga ..	R. W. Glendinning ..	198	19	73 on 14th
Gladbrook St'n, Middlemarch ..	A. McKinnon ..	145	17	63 on 15th
Tarras ..	R. K. Smith ..	115	10	85 on 25th
Queenstown ..	A. H. Hiddleston ..	320	7	96 on 27th
Galloway, Alexandra South ..	A. Gunn ..	38	5	15 on 1st
Clyde ..	J. S. Dickie ..	46	7	12 on 20th and 24th
Roxburgh ..	Dr. J. R. Gilmour ..	113	8	41 on 8th
Baloultha ..	J. W. Brame ..	256	14	88 on 23rd
Tapuanui Nursery ..	R. G. Robinson ..	254	13	70 on 14th
Waipahi ..	R. J. Hendrie ..	477	15	96 on 30th
Waikawa Valley ..	J. H. Buckingham ..	536	20	59 on 26th
Mataura ..	B. Wining ..	361	19	46 on 23rd
Toi Toi Estate, Waimataka ..	W. R. Baird ..	492	16	67 on 23th
Centre Hill Station, Mossburn ..	W. J. Anderson ..	437	15	75 on 26th
Dipton ..	R. D. MacLachlan ..	154	13	82 on 23rd
Winton ..	Miss V. M. Wilson ..	..	..	..
Nightcaps ..	James Ritchie ..	256	15	44 on 13th
Otautau ..	N. A. McLaren ..	357	18	42 on 19th
Riverton ..	J. M. Geary ..	587	17	65 on 26th
Te Tua ..	C. T. Small ..	..	..	..

(I.) ISLANDS.

Stewart Island ..	W. Traill ..	671	19	82 on 25th
Niue Island <sup>(*)</sup> ..	A. House ..	..	..	..
Rarotonga, Cook Islands <sup>(†)</sup> ..	H. M. Connal ..	..	..	..
Chatham Islands <sup>(‡)</sup> ..	A. Shand ..	489	21	230 on 10th

Late return—

(*) August ..	..	305	4	215 on 7th
(†) " ..	..	348	18	112 on 2nd
(‡) " ..	..	245	16	65 on 16th

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Vital Statistics.

REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of September, 1907:—

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the undermentioned Boroughs, during the Month of September, 1907.

BOROUGH.	ESTIMATED POPULATION JANUARY, 1907.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGH.	DEATHS IN BOROUGH REGISTERED IN SEPTEMBER, 1907.									Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, September, 1907.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1906.
			Males.			Females.			Total Deaths.				
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.					
Auckland .. .. .	41,498	87	3	5	23	1	1	22	55	1.33	12.51		
Birkenhead .. .. .	1,300	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.76	11.84		
Devonport .. .. .	5,100	8	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	0.59	6.51		
Newmarket .. .. .	2,375	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	0.42	6.83		
Grey Lynn .. .. .	6,216	12	..	..	4	..	..	2	6	0.96	6.97		
Parnell .. .. .	5,260	9	..	..	1	1	1	2	5	0.95	7.23		
Mount Eden .. .. .	7,400	15	..	..	2	..	..	4	6	0.81	2.90		
Other suburbs* .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Totals Auckland and sub-urban boroughs*	69,149	136	3	5	32	3	2	32	77	1.11	9.90		
Total population of Greater Auckland, Census, 1906	82,101, including suburbs not in boroughs.												

Wellington .. .. .	†62,367	155	15	7	26	5	7	14	74	1.19	9.45
Karori .. .. .	2,432	3	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	0.82	5.01
Onslow .. .. .	†1,351	6	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.74	8.58
Miramar .. .. .	1,385	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	2	1.44	4.20
Totals Wellington and suburbs	67,535	166	15	7	30	5	8	14	79	1.17	9.19
Total population of Wellington and suburbs, Census, 1906	63,807.										

Christchurch .. .. .	†52,313	149	6	1	20	6	..	24	57	1.09	11.12
Woolston .. .. .	2,950	6	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	0.68	13.45
Other suburbs* .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals Christchurch and sub-urban borough*	55,263	155	6	1	20	6	1	25	59	1.07	11.25
Total population of Greater Christchurch, Census, 1906	67,878, including suburbs not in boroughs, and New Brighton.										

Dunedin .. .. .	37,621	74	3	1	17	5	..	20	46	1.22	12.70
Maori Hill .. .. .	2,063	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8.11
Morningside .. .. .	4,200	10	..	1	2	..	..	2	5	1.19	7.95
North-east Valley .. .. .	4,467	10	..	..	..	2	..	1	3	0.67	8.32
Roslyn .. .. .	5,550	12	..	1	1	1	..	..	3	0.54	11.77
St. Kilda .. .. .	2,600	3	1	..	5	..	..	..	6	2.31	8.53
West Harbour .. .. .	1,530	4	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	1.31	4.62
Totals Dunedin and suburbs	58,036	118	4	3	25	8	1	24	65	1.12	11.35
Total population of Dunedin and suburbs, Census, 1906	56,020.										

\* The remaining suburbs do not lie within borough boundaries, and particulars respecting them have not been obtained for the Vital Statistics.

† Populations of Wellington, Onslow, and Christchurch given according to alterations of boundaries since January.

Deaths occurring at hospitals, of persons not residents of the borough wherein the hospital is situated, have been allotted in each case to the borough where the disease was contracted, and not to that in which the death actually took place.

The total births in the above boroughs amounted to 575, against 600 in August—a decrease of 25. The deaths in September were 280, a decrease of 24 on the number in August. Of the total deaths, males contributed 151, females 129. Seventy-eight of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 27.86 per cent. of the whole number; 50 of these were under one year of age.

There were ninety deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards: Thirteen men, 65, 66, 67 (two), 70, 71 (two), 72, 73, 79, 80, 81, 83, and fourteen women, 70 (two), 71, 72, 73, 78, 79 (three), 82, 84, 85, 86, 87, died at Auckland; thirteen men, 67 (two), 68 (two), 69, 70 (three), 71, 77 (two), 84, 89, and seven women, 71 (two), 74, 81, 83, 84, 86, at Wellington; six men, 68, 73, 75, 77, 78, 82, and twelve women, 65 (two), 68, 69, 71, 72, 73, 74 (two), 77, 80, 87, at Christchurch; and twelve men 65 (two), 66 (two), 67, 76, 77, 78, 79 (two), 81, 85, and thirteen women, 65, 67, 69, 70, 72, 74, 75, 76, 77, 82, 85 (two), 86, at Dunedin.

The following Table shows the Causes of the Deaths of Persons of both Sexes under 5 Years of Age and 5 Years and upwards, and the Proportion per Cent. of Deaths from each Cause, in the Boroughs above given, registered during the Month of September, 1907.

CLASSES.	CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		TOTAL.	PROPORTIONS PER CENT.
		Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years & over.		
I	Specific Febrile or Zymotic Diseases	8	3	12	6	3	1	1	3	37	13.21
II	Parasitic Diseases	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
III	Dietetic Diseases	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
IV	Constitutional Diseases	..	12	..	12	2	10	2	10	48	17.14
V	Developmental Diseases	..	4	3	7	4	4	4	4	29	10.36
VI	Local Diseases	4	44	18	18	4	30	7	30	155	55.36
VII	Violence	..	1	..	1	2	..	..	2	6	2.14
VIII	Ill-defined and Not-specified Causes	1	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	5	1.79
	Totals	13	64	35	44	14	45	16	49	280	100.00

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Centres registered during September, 1907.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
<b>CLASS I.—SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.</b>									
<b>ORDER 1:—</b>									
<i>Miasmatic,—</i>									
Measles	..	..	8	1	..	..	..	..	9
Scarlet Fever	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Influenza	..	..	1	3	..	..	3	..	7
Whooping-cough	..	7	1	3	..	1	..	..	12
Diphtheria	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	3
Typhoid Fever	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	2
<b>ORDER 2:—</b>									
<i>Diarrhoeal,—</i>									
Diarrhoea	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	3
<b>CLASS IV.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.</b>									
Osteo-arthritis	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Cancer	..	4	..	3	..	6	5	..	18
Tubercular Peritonitis	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Tubercular Meningitis	..	2	..	1	..	..	2	..	5
Phthisis	..	5	..	4	..	2	3	..	14
Tuberculosis	..	1	..	2	1	1	1	..	6
Hæmophilia	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Anæmia	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Diabetes	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
<b>CLASS V.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.</b>									
Premature Birth	..	..	2	..	3	..	4	..	9
Atelectasis	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Old Age	..	4	..	7	..	4	..	4	19
<b>CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES.</b>									
<b>ORDER 1:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Nervous System,—</i>									
Meningitis	..	..	1	..	..	4	..	..	5
Apoplexy	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	1	5
Hemiplegia	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
Paralysis Agitans	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Epilepsy	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Convulsions	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	4
Myelitis	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2
Hydrocephalus	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Cerebral Disease	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
<b>ORDER 3:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Circulatory System,—</i>									
Heart-disease	..	9	..	4	..	4	..	9	26
Pericarditis	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Fatty Degeneration of Heart	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	3
Angina Pectoris	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Syncope	..	1	..	2	..	3	..	2	8
Senile Gangrene	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Thrombosis	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2



CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
<b>CLASS VI.—LOCAL DISEASES—continued.</b>									
<b>ORDER 4:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Respiratory System,—</i>									
Asthma .. .. .	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Bronchitis .. .. .	..	5	8	8	..	1	1	4	22
Pneumonia .. .. .	1	5	4	2	2	3	2	5	24
Pleurisy .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
<b>ORDER 5:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Digestive System,—</i>									
Dentition .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Pharyngitis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Gastritis .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
Gastric Ulcer .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Enteritis .. .. .	..	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	5
Obstruction of Intestine ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Rupture of Intestine .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Intussusception of Intestine	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Hernia .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Gallstones .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2
Cirrhosis of Liver .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Liver-disease, Jaundice .. ..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Appendicitis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	1	5
Sacro-iliac Disease .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
<b>ORDER 6:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Lymphatic System,—</i>									
Exophthalmic Goitre .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
<b>ORDER 7:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Urinary System,—</i>									
Nephritis .. .. .	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Bright's Disease .. .. .	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	4
Uræmia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Chronic Pyelo-nephritis .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Renal Disease .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Kidney-disease .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
<b>ORDER 8:—</b>									
<i>Diseases of Reproductive System,—</i>									
Ovarian Tumour .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Placenta Prævia .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
<b>CLASS VII.—VIOLENCE.</b>									
<b>ORDER 1:—</b>									
<i>Accident or Negligence,—</i>									
Fall from Tram .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Fall from Staircase .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Fall from Bicycle .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Burns .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Suffocation .. .. .	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2
<b>CLASS VIII.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT-SPECIFIED CAUSES.</b>									
Marasmus .. .. .	1	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	5
Totals .. .. .	13	64	35	44	14	45	16	49	280

In the first table are given the deaths and death-rates for each of the four cities, for the suburban boroughs severally and for each city with its suburban towns. As regards Auckland and Christchurch, the whole of the area usually recognised as suburban has not yet been brought under municipal government, and the vital statistics do not deal with such portions as still remain in road districts. But the omission is not very important, for there are in either case quite enough suburbs included within borough boundaries to give a fair idea of the death-rate of Greater Auckland and Greater Christchurch. As further boroughs are formed the vital statistics will be made to include them.

The inclusion of the suburban boroughs tends to lower the rate at each of the four centres.

	Death-rates per 1,000 of Population.	
Auckland City .. .. .	1.33	
and six suburban boroughs ..		1.11
Wellington City .. .. .	1.19	
and three suburban boroughs ..		1.17
Christchurch City .. .. .	1.09	
and one suburban borough .. ..		1.07
Dunedin City .. .. .	1.22	
and six suburban boroughs .. ..		1.12

Including the suburbs, the rate at Wellington is the highest, and at Christchurch the lowest.

Compared with September, 1906, the results are,—

	1906.	1907.
Auckland and suburbs .. .. .	0.78	1.11
Wellington and suburbs .. .. .	0.94	1.17
Christchurch and suburb .. .. .	1.23	1.07
Dunedin and suburbs .. .. .	1.16	1.12

*Specific Febrile or Zymotic Diseases.*—The deaths for September at the four centres and suburbs numbered 37 in this class, being 13·21 per cent. of the total mortality. Whooping-cough was fatal at Auckland, 8 deaths; at Wellington, 3 deaths; and at Christchurch, 1 death. Measles caused 9 deaths, all at Wellington; scarlet fever 1 death at the same city. Influenza is observed at Auckland, 1 death; Wellington, 3; and Dunedin, 3. Diphtheria was fatal at Auckland, 1 death, and Wellington, 2. Typhoid fever shows 1 death at Auckland, and 1 at Christchurch. Diarrhœa contributed 3 deaths—2 at Christchurch, and 1 at Dunedin. Thus Wellington suffered the most mortality, amounting to 18 deaths in the class, Auckland came next with 11 deaths, while Christchurch and Dunedin had only 4 each.

*Constitutional Diseases.*—48 deaths occurred at the four centres, or 17·14 per cent. of the total from all causes. Mortality from tubercular diseases was very high, including 14 deaths from phthisis, 5 from tubercular meningitis, and 7 from tuberculosis, &c. Cancer caused 18 deaths. These with 4 others complete the total.

*Local Diseases.*—Of 155 deaths, 22 were from diseases of the nervous system, 42 of the circulatory (heart-disease, &c.), and 50 of the respiratory system. These last include a large number of deaths from bronchitis, 22, and pneumonia, 24. From diseases of the digestive system there were 26 deaths; of the lymphatic, 2; of the urinary, 11; and reproductive system, 2.

*Violent Deaths.*—Of 6 deaths, 3 were the result of falls, 1 of burns, and 2 of suffocation. All were accidental.

The subjoined table shows the mortality for the last two months at each of the four centres from six principal specific febrile or zymotic diseases, and also the deaths from certain inflammatory diseases of the lungs. These causes of death have been distinguished from the others of the classes to which they belong as being the most important special diseases which give rise to sudden increases in the death-rates of towns, and the prevalence of which is closely connected with sanitary condition and climatic influence of the season on health.

Towns.	SIX PRINCIPAL SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.												PRINCIPAL LUNG-DISEASES.							
	Influenza.		Scarlet Fever.		Typhoid and other Fever.		Diphtheria.		Whooping-cough.		Diarrhœal Diseases.		Bronchitis.		Pleurisy.		Pneumonia.		Congestion of Lungs.	
	Sep.	Aug.	Sep.	Aug.	Sep.	Aug.	Sep.	Aug.	Sep.	Aug.	Sep.	Aug.	Sep.	Aug.	Sep.	Aug.	Sep.	Aug.	Sep.	Aug.
Auckland and suburban boroughs	1	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	8	4	..	..	5	2	..	..	6	11	..	..
Wellington and suburban boroughs	3	1	1	1	..	..	2	1	3	10	..	2	11	1	..	..	6	7	..	..
Christchurch and suburban borough	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	1	1	2	..	1	2	..	..	5	6	..	..
Dunedin and suburban boroughs	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	5	3	1	..	7	5	..	1
Totals .. .. .	7	1	1	1	2	1	3	4	12	18	3	2	22	8	1	..	24	29	..	1

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the undermentioned Boroughs, during the Month of September, 1907.

BOROUGH.	POPULATION, CENSUS, 1906.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGH.	DEATHS IN BOROUGH REGISTERED IN SEPTEMBER, 1907.									Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, September, 1907.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1906.
			Males.			Females.								
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.						
Thames .. .. .	3,750	7	..	1	4	..	1	1	7	1·87	12·80			
New Plymouth .. .. .	5,141	22	2	..	..	1	1	3	7	1·36	8·75			
Napier .. .. .	9,454	23	..	..	4	2	1	6	13	1·38	10·37			
Wanganui .. .. .	8,175	22	..	..	1	..	2	3	8	0·37	7·09			
Palmerston North .. .. .	10,239	23	1	..	5	3	..	5	14	1·36	7·32			
Masterton .. .. .	5,026	8	..	..	3	..	..	1	4	0·79	7·36			
Blenheim .. .. .	3,351	21	..	1	3	..	..	4	8	2·39	19·99			
Nelson .. .. .	8,164	16	1	1	12	..	..	5	19	2·31	12·74			
Greymouth .. .. .	4,569	10	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	0·44	12·69			
Hokitika .. .. .	2,224	9	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0·45	10·79			
Lyttelton .. .. .	3,941	7	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	1·02	10·40			
Timaru .. .. .	7,615	17	..	..	6	1	..	6	13	1·71	8·67			
Oamaru .. .. .	5,071	14	1	..	2	..	..	3	6	1·18	9·07			
Invercargill (Greater) .. .. .	12,507*	47	3	..	11	..	..	6	20	1·60	10·71			

\* Includes suburban boroughs—Invercargill East, North, and South, with Avenal and Gladstone.

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

	POSTAL REVENUE.							TELEGRAPH REVENUE.				Total Post and Telegraph Revenue.
	Private Box and Bag Rents.	Money-order Commission.	Stamps sold, and credited to Stamp Revenue.	Postal Guides.	Postal-note Commission.	Miscellaneous Receipts (Postal).	Total Postal.	Telegrams.	Telephone Exchanges.	Miscellaneous Telegraph.	Total Telegraph.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
General Post Office ..	30 8 4	..	..	..	..	30 0 4	60 8 8	..	282 3 8	284 15 1	566 18 9	627 7 5
Auckland .. ..	65 9 6	1,058 4 6	15,321 9 2½	2 19 6	378 15 8	11 3 1½	16,838 1 6	9,260 12 11½	515 18 6	108 1 7	9,884 13 0½	26,722 14 6½
Blenheim .. ..	22 8 7	63 13 6	1,210 10 1	0 2 4	29 4 10½	0 8 2½	1,326 7 7	988 15 3	45 9 3	17 18 0	1,052 2 6	2,378 10 1
Christchurch .. ..	67 12 9	462 14 0	11,465 6 2½	2 0 6	183 11 2	6 0 4½	12,187 5 0	5,238 16 5	383 1 11	112 5 3	5,734 3 7	17,921 8 7
Dunedin .. ..	29 11 9	408 2 6	7,073 13 5½	0 13 2	191 0 7½	3 16 8½	7,706 18 2½	4,490 4 9	196 2 3	17 19 4	4,704 6 4	12,411 4 6½
Gisborne .. ..	23 11 0	89 7 6	485 14 3½	0 3 0	29 12 10½	1 3 11	629 12 7	1,479 14 4½	31 15 7	2 2 6	1,513 12 5½	2,143 5 0½
Greymouth .. ..	0 10 0	102 14 6	1,631 11 4½	0 2 0	30 0 10½	0 9 11½	1,765 8 8½	1,107 6 3½	152 11 8	0 14 8	1,260 12 7½	3,026 1 4
Hokitika .. ..	7 9 1	31 15 6	467 5 0	0 2 0	12 18 6	0 6 2	519 16 3	459 16 5	36 5 6	..	496 1 11	1,015 18 2
Invercargill .. ..	27 1 11	200 18 6	4,429 16 9½	0 8 8	114 2 5½	1 6 0½	4,773 14 4½	2,567 8 9	99 9 9	46 15 3	2,713 13 9	7,487 8 1½
Napier .. ..	50 3 6	247 14 0	4,760 15 3	0 13 6	127 0 0	2 16 8	5,189 2 11	3,381 18 8½	243 11 9	16 6 7	3,641 17 0½	8,830 19 11½
Nelson .. ..	15 0 0	106 0 6	925 10 8½	0 7 0	39 18 7	1 0 7	1,087 17 4½	1,204 1 11	12 16 8	1 8 4	1,218 6 11	2,306 4 3½
New Plymouth .. ..	20 5 4	101 6 6	2,613 18 2½	0 5 8	63 8 3½	1 10 6	2,800 14 6	1,600 3 0	41 3 9	9 2 10	1,650 9 7	4,451 4 1
Oamaru .. ..	10 2 10	54 16 0	1,781 19 10½	0 1 8	37 2 3	0 7 7½	1,884 10 3	709 17 0	22 18 3	..	732 15 3	2,617 5 6
Thames .. ..	49 5 5	176 12 0	2,591 7 7½	0 7 0	75 3 10	1 7 6	2,894 3 4½	1,642 14 0½	39 19 1	..	1,682 13 1½	4,576 16 6
Timaru .. ..	18 13 7	106 15 0	5,415 10 2	0 4 6	53 5 7½	0 18 5	5,595 7 3½	1,320 1 8	124 0 11	2 13 8	1,446 16 3	7,042 3 6½
Wanganui .. ..	89 3 4	284 17 6	10,832 2 7½	0 11 2	158 6 11½	2 5 2½	11,367 6 9½	3,577 13 1½	66 18 7	61 6 5	3,705 18 1½	15,073 4 11
Wellington .. ..	143 10 8	1,323 0 0	24,294 3 0½	1 17 10	352 15 7½	14 13 9½	26,130 0 11½	11,088 10 6½	591 14 7	45 17 3	11,726 2 4½	37,856 3 4
Westport .. ..	1 5 11	105 9 0	898 8 4	0 0 6	30 16 9½	0 3 11½	1,036 4 6	803 13 6½	2 3 3	0 10 0	806 6 9½	1,842 11 3½
Totals third quarter in 1907	671 13 6	4,924 1 0	96,199 2 3	11 0 0	1,907 5 0	79 19 1	103,793 0 10	50,921 8 9	2,888 4 11	727 16 9	54,537 10 5	158,330 11 3
Totals third quarter in 1906	579 7 4	4,812 10 6	85,101 4 6	9 10 10	1,745 18 11½	281 18 6½	92,530 10 8	44,976 12 1½	3,071 19 5	701 18 7	48,750 10 1½	141,281 0 9½

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

D. ROBERTSON,  
Secretary.

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

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THE NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

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POSTAL DISTRICTS.	Number of Offices open at End of Quarter.	Ordinary Telegrams, including Paid Government Telegrams.			Urgent Telegrams.		Press Telegrams.*		Bureau Communications.		Total.					
		Number.	Amount.		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.				
Auckland .. .. .	815	233,359	£	s. d.	15,345	£	s. d.	12,715	£	s. d.	25,147	£	s. d.	286,566	£	s. d.
Blenheim .. .. .	49	21,067	636	16 1	818	50	10 0	721	190	2 5	6,330	111	6 9	28,936	988	15 3
Christchurch .. .. .	177	116,939	3,577	18 4	6,418	371	17 9	6,767	746	19 4	24,539	542	1 0	154,663	5,238	16 5
Dunedin .. .. .	178	106,580	3,274	1 2½	3,718	244	1 10	6,798	457	17 8½	19,754	514	4 0	136,850	4,490	4 9
Gisborne .. .. .	27	23,474	841	6 7½	1,323	84	19 6	1,185	264	8 9	14,613	288	19 6	40,595	1,479	14 4½
Greymouth .. .. .	30	24,242	784	16 2½	846	58	14 2	842	170	11 8	4,797	98	4 3	30,727	1,107	6 3½
Hokitika .. .. .	39	9,005	283	7 5	202	13	13 6	544	87	9 9	3,852	75	5 9	13,603	459	16 5
Invercargill .. .. .	124	43,632	1,341	2 6	899	59	18 2	1,858	293	0 7	32,987	873	7 6	79,376	2,567	8 9
Napier .. .. .	75	66,952	2,082	5 10	3,306	213	17 7	2,880	350	19 9½	37,473	734	15 6	110,611	3,381	18 8½
Nelson .. .. .	58	29,732	918	9 11½	1,431	70	6 5	31,020	187	10 6½	1,238	27	15 0	63,421	1,204	1 11
New Plymouth .. .. .	50	32,028	981	15 8	2,132	127	10 1	1,072	200	4 9	13,944	290	12 6	49,176	1,600	3 0
Oamaru .. .. .	34	13,300	400	5 0	505	31	0 3	855	173	9 0	4,519	105	2 9	19,179	709	17 0
Thames .. .. .	44	40,356	1,243	16 1½	2,753	156	6 6	783	180	5 11	3,699	62	5 6	47,591	1,642	14 0½
Timaru .. .. .	46	26,233	808	4 6½	1,036	59	4 11	903	199	10 8½	12,047	253	1 6	40,219	1,320	1 8
Wanganui .. .. .	88	83,391	2,492	19 4	5,771	277	11 6	2,876	303	18 6½	23,592	508	3 9	115,630	3,577	13 1½
Wellington .. .. .	173	247,718	8,479	12 7½	12,928	783	3 5	40,991	623	6 3	53,518	1,202	8 3	355,155	11,088	10 6½
Westport .. .. .	32	18,925	597	16 3½	794	60	16 11	417	86	2 7	2,293	58	17 9	22,429	803	13 6½
Totals third quarter in 1907 .. .. .	1,539	1,136,933	35,922	8 9	60,225	3,626	13 5	113,227	5,100	7 7	284,342	6,271	19 0	1,594,727	50,921	8 9
Totals third quarter in 1906 .. .. .	1,362	968,195	32,877	11 6½	44,790	2,945	2 11	93,398	4,219	0 5	231,689	4,934	17 3	1,338,072	44,976	13 1½

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

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

D. ROBERTSON,  
Secretary.

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

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	Money-order Offices open at End of Quarter.	MONEY-ORDERS.						SAVINGS-BANKS.							
		Issued.		Paid.		Savings-Bank Offices open at End of Quarter.	Accounts.		Number of Deposits.	Number of Withdrawals.	Amount of Deposits.	Amount of Withdrawals.	Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals.	Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits.	
		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.		Opened.	Closed.							
			£ s. d.		£ s. d.					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Auckland .. ..	145	22,713	91,752 12 4	20,705	95,848 5 2	140	3,146	1,721	25,328	16,340	404,342 12 3	319,491 17 7	84,850 14 8	..	
Blenheim .. ..	8	1,672	5,974 1 6	792	4,742 12 1	8	258	190	2,040	1,505	35,554 16 3	35,882 16 0	..	327 19 9	
Christchurch .. ..	66	10,980	42,890 7 4	10,726	58,410 4 8	66	2,589	2,101	27,969	19,584	595,527 11 0	380,499 4 1	15,028 6 11	..	
Dunedin .. ..	56	11,079	40,624 14 4	12,037	55,296 9 9	52	1,904	1,421	21,920	13,303	279,036 8 10	249,767 1 2	29,269 7 8	..	
Gisborne .. ..	10	2,128	8,974 10 8	930	5,003 16 6	10	512	309	3,328	2,561	52,754 8 7	48,428 1 6	4,326 7 1	..	
Greymouth .. ..	13	2,648	10,247 15 10	1,181	4,801 1 8	13	426	228	3,204	1,271	40,469 4 10	29,659 10 3	10,809 14 7	..	
Hokitika .. ..	7	850	2,937 3 9	551	1,898 16 1	7	78	73	556	344	10,128 4 3	8,270 1 11	1,858 2 4	..	
Invercargill .. ..	30	5,509	19,804 10 2	2,975	12,194 16 4	28	692	450	5,629	3,223	90,644 13 11	74,037 3 1	16,607 10 10	..	
Napier .. ..	33	6,416	28,388 17 6	3,601	20,470 13 5	28	1,048	629	8,659	4,795	109,829 2 3	94,043 0 9	15,786 1 6	..	
Nelson .. ..	17	2,722	10,150 7 10	1,929	8,566 4 6	17	381	277	2,938	2,054	60,376 2 8	60,162 8 8	213 14 0	..	
New Plymouth .. ..	12	2,877	10,248 5 5	1,940	10,395 19 0	12	459	380	3,632	2,314	61,100 9 8	60,442 19 2	657 10 6	..	
Oamaru .. ..	10	1,874	15,361 17 5	803	4,718 9 11	10	184	194	1,746	1,297	29,218 0 8	31,508 12 0	..	2,290 11 4	
Thames .. ..	18	5,023	18,922 15 10	1,975	8,913 10 11	18	602	423	4,950	2,447	64,049 13 1	49,969 4 5	14,080 8 8	..	
Timaru .. ..	15	3,356	27,785 11 8	1,506	6,664 1 0	15	505	434	4,636	3,272	80,139 2 5	77,710 6 8	2,428 15 9	..	
Wanganui .. ..	39	7,807	35,884 14 11	3,844	18,641 7 3	37	1,202	836	8,973	5,491	140,042 6 5	124,397 3 9	15,645 2 8	..	
Wellington .. ..	76	21,019	82,283 12 0	19,679	86,477 5 2	77	4,242	2,925	42,491	25,816	471,913 16 5	408,399 14 3	63,514 2 2	..	
Westport .. ..	17	2,749	10,243 18 9	832	3,800 10 7	17	316	221	2,534	1,006	32,550 11 4	24,126 12 3	8,423 19 1	..	
Totals 3rd quarter in 1907	572	111,422	462,475 17 3	86,006	406,844 4 0	555	18,544	12,812	170,533	106,623	2,357,677 4 10	2,076,795 17 6	280,881 7 4	..	
Totals 3rd quarter in 1906	552	110,883	434,678 9 8	83,674	368,787 18 0	536	17,557	11,637	152,512	96,073	1,976,089 4 11	1,743,680 12 8	232,408 12 3	..	

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

D. ROBERTSON,  
Secretary.

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

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	No. of Postal-note Offices open at the End of the Quarter.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES SOLD.											Total Amount of Postal Notes sold, including Commission.	Commission on Postal Notes sold.				
		At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/0	At 2/6	At 3/0	At 5/0	At 10/0	At 15/0	At £1.	At £5.	Total.						
Auckland ..	165	4,826	3,434	7,035	7,019	8,053	10,768	8,733	2,847	4,535	29	57,279	£ 17,540	s. 4	d. 2	£ 878	s. 15	d. 8
Blenheim ..	17	386	211	507	506	596	822	636	195	466	2	4,277	1,410	19	4½	29	4	10½
Christchurch ..	75	2,141	1,488	2,872	3,314	3,013	4,985	4,308	1,474	2,711	14	26,320	8,842	7	2	183	11	2
Dunedin ..	68	2,541	1,487	2,960	3,443	3,817	5,399	4,544	1,460	2,415	43	28,109	9,075	5	7½	191	0	7½
Gisborne ..	12	385	249	340	529	569	767	651	193	551	4	4,238	1,486	0	10½	29	12	10½
Greymouth ..	14	329	188	370	500	529	810	771	258	417	..	4,172	1,437	18	10½	30	0	10½
Hokitika ..	10	130	102	200	247	283	360	270	99	197	3	1,891	631	13	0	12	18	6
Invercargill ..	42	1,277	846	1,611	2,012	2,206	3,308	2,735	944	1,496	2	16,437	5,393	8	5½	114	2	5½
Napier ..	42	1,550	1,113	2,270	2,250	2,535	3,551	2,781	987	1,785	18	18,840	6,069	19	6	127	0	0
Nelson ..	22	428	302	782	735	795	1,032	911	294	579	1	5,859	1,891	6	1	39	18	7
New Plymouth	23	769	521	1,224	1,097	1,314	1,709	1,375	470	925	11	9,415	3,044	16	3½	63	8	3½
Oamaru ..	13	572	242	409	657	753	922	916	296	548	3	5,318	1,793	6	9	37	2	3
Thames ..	24	1,167	648	1,271	1,514	1,572	2,191	1,677	635	833	10	11,518	3,479	15	10	75	3	10
Timaru ..	15	562	334	858	984	896	1,503	1,302	392	747	4	7,582	2,537	7	7½	53	5	7½
Wanganui ..	51	2,280	1,454	2,466	2,884	3,191	4,297	3,490	1,257	2,299	2	23,620	7,538	2	11½	158	6	11½
Wellington ..	85	3,833	2,152	5,365	6,377	6,752	9,950	7,939	2,536	5,462	70	50,486	17,225	15	1½	352	15	7½
Westport ..	20	386	222	535	550	659	829	673	264	431	1	4,550	1,465	12	9½	30	16	9½
Totals 3rd qr. in 1907	698	23,562	14,993	31,075	34,618	37,533	53,203	43,712	14,601	26,397	217	279,911	90,864	0	6	1,907	5	0
Totals 3rd qr. in 1906	668	21,956	15,363	27,804	31,601	33,337	48,844	41,320	13,430	22,992	242	256,889	82,873	17	5½	1,745	18	11½

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES PAID.												Total Amount of Postal Notes paid.		
	At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/0	At 2/6	At 3/0	At 5/0	At 7/6	At 10/0	At 15/0	At £1.	At £5.	Total.			
Auckland ..	5,373	3,669	7,808	7,851	8,687	11,575	..	9,667	3,224	4,781	21	62,656	£ 18,640	s. 6	d. 0
Blenheim ..	162	88	242	223	264	330	..	302	96	232	1	1,940	648	17	6
Christchurch ..	2,490	1,660	3,411	3,895	3,898	6,037	..	5,106	1,806	3,275	22	31,600	10,463	8	6
Dunedin ..	3,256	2,201	4,233	4,822	5,311	7,699	..	6,574	2,128	3,544	25	39,793	12,627	6	6
Gisborne ..	140	95	184	155	208	264	..	242	90	159	1	1,578	506	12	0
Greymouth ..	171	98	228	313	307	445	..	435	156	232	1	2,436	856	12	6
Hokitika ..	72	39	79	112	112	200	..	190	50	98	1	953	330	14	6
Invercargill ..	830	572	1,131	1,242	1,266	2,036	..	1,848	664	987	2	10,578	3,470	13	0
Napier ..	947	687	1,321	1,336	1,564	2,143	..	1,721	624	1,053	11	11,407	3,604	16	6
Nelson ..	340	235	554	587	549	882	..	728	275	521	4	4,675	1,577	10	0
New Plymouth	647	360	925	755	1,038	1,298	..	1,105	374	666	5	7,173	2,250	8	6
Oamaru ..	187	108	263	269	284	401	..	467	179	306	4	2,468	913	19	6
Thames ..	367	239	498	566	573	863	..	823	267	503	2	4,701	1,583	5	6
Timaru ..	365	194	427	589	590	852	..	877	248	504	..	4,646	1,579	2	6
Wanganui ..	1,043	706	1,415	1,575	1,710	2,378	..	2,032	685	1,133	9	12,686	4,002	4	6
Wellington ..	6,330	3,882	8,122	10,077	11,257	15,269	..	11,184	3,592	7,719	81	77,513	24,595	5	6
Westport ..	181	53	178	165	202	234	..	271	95	163	..	1,492	507	10	6
Totals 3rd qr. in 1907	22,851	14,886	31,019	34,572	37,820	52,906	..	43,572	14,533	25,926	190	278,295	88,158	13	6
Totals 3rd qr. in 1906	21,527	15,025	27,800	31,962	33,113	48,883	1	41,164	13,213	22,583	201	255,472	80,246	6	6

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

Postal District.	Discount-stamps sold.	Discount-stamps redeemed.	Unsold Discount-stamps on Hand on 30th September, 1907.		
			£	s.	d.
Auckland .. .. .	9 0 0	9 14 0	23	15	0
Blenheim .. .. .	..	..	10	15	0
Christchurch .. .. .	..	0 6 0	5	0	0
Dunedin .. .. .	..	..	30	0	0
Gisborne .. .. .	..	..	11	10	0
Greymouth .. .. .	..	..	25	0	0
Hokitika .. .. .	..	..	12	10	0
Invercargill .. .. .	..	..	23	14	0
Napier .. .. .	2 10 0	2 17 0	5	10	0
Nelson .. .. .	..	..	12	0	0
New Plymouth .. .. .	..	..	12	15	0
Oamaru .. .. .	..	..	24	15	0
Thames .. .. .	4 0 0	5 16 0	11	0	0
Timaru .. .. .	..	..	25	15	0
Wanganui .. .. .	..	0 12 0	15	5	0
Wellington .. .. .	735 5 0	688 4 0	176	5	0
Westport .. .. .	..	..	11	0	0
Totals .. .. .	750 15 0	707 9 0	436	9	0
Totals, September quarter, 1906 .. .. .	815 10 0	782 18 0	521	15	0

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

D. ROBERTSON,  
Secretary.

Immigration and Emigration Returns.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of SEPTEMBER, 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 .. .. .	331	212	89	68	700	57	29	4	5	95
Queensland .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Victoria .. .. .	216	94	22	23	355	151	98	11	21	281
New South Wales .. .. .	649	293	38	50	1,030	708	379	63	62	1,212
Western Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Tasmania .. .. .	73	32	5	5	115	46	26	3	2	77
Fiji .. .. .	65	41	9	8	123	15	10	4	..	29
Other British possessions .. .. .	2	3	..	..	5*	36	21	6	7	70†
Pacific islands .. .. .	11	1	1	2	15‡	12	11	1	2	26§
Other foreign ports .. .. .	..	1	..	1	2	32	5	..	3	40¶
Totals, September, 1907 .. .. .	1,347	677	164	157	2,345	1,057	580	92	102	1,831
Totals, September, 1906 .. .. .	1,532	714	132	107	2,485	1,068	499	105	92	1,764

\* From British Columbia, 1; Cape Town, 4. † For British Columbia, 52; Norfolk Islands, 18. ‡ From New Caledonia, 2; Society Islands, 13. § For Friendly Islands, 9; Savage Islands, 5; Navigators, 7; Society Islands, 5. ¶ From Teneriffe. || For Uruguay, 20; Monte Video, 20.

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 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
Auckland .. .. .	671	105	488	288	776	670	99	493	276	769
Wellington .. .. .	919	160	705	374	1,079	643	57	443	257	700
Dunedin .. .. .	20	1	3	18	21	..	..	..	..	..
Invercargill .. .. .	414	55	315	154	469	323	38	213	148	361
Totals, September, 1907 .. .. .	2,024	321	1,511	834	2,345	1,637	194	1,149	682	1,831
Totals, September, 1906 .. .. .	2,246	239	1,664	821	2,485	1,567	197	1,173	591	1,764

CHINESE.—Arrivals—At Wellington, 1. Departures—From Wellington, 5.

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

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,  
Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 21st October, 1907.



*Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.*

**NOTICE.**—GUSTAV HUGO LEIBRUS, Esq., of Sydney, New South Wales, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New South Wales, has this day been appointed by His Honour the Chief Justice a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in New South Wales, under the 2nd section of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875," for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington, this 13th day of July, 1907.

W. A. HAWKINS,  
Deputy Registrar, Supreme Court.

*Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.*

**NOTICE.**—DONALD ROBERT MORRISON, Esq., of 237 Collins Street, Melbourne, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Victoria, has this day been appointed by His Honour the Chief Justice a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in the State of Victoria, under the 2nd section of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875," for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

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

W. A. HAWKINS,  
Deputy Registrar, Supreme Court.

*Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.*

**NOTICE.**—ALFRED BASIL CRISP, Esq., of Hobart, Tasmania, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Tasmania, has this day been appointed by His Honour the Chief Justice a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in Tasmania, under the 2nd section of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875," for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of July, 1907.

W. A. HAWKINS,  
Deputy Registrar, Supreme Court.

*Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.*

**NOTICE.**—RAYNES STANLEY WAITE DICKSON, Esq., of Melbourne, Victoria, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Victoria, has this day been appointed by His Honour the Chief Justice a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in Victoria, under the 2nd section of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875," for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington, this 21st day of September, 1907.

W. A. HAWKINS,  
Deputy Registrar, Supreme Court.

*Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.*

**NOTICE.**—RUPERT DE CLERE WILKS, Esq., of Melbourne, Victoria, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Victoria, has this day been appointed by His Honour the Chief Justice a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in Victoria, under the 2nd section of "The Commissioners of the Supreme Court Act, 1875," for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington, this 23rd day of August, 1907.

W. A. HAWKINS,  
Deputy Registrar, Supreme Court.

*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.***Timber in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Tender.*

District Lands Office,  
Auckland, 21st October, 1907.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, in terms of "The Land Act, 1892," that written tenders will be received at the District Lands Office, Auckland, from the proprietors of existing sawmills, and logging contractors, up till 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, 13th November, 1907, for the purchase of the kauri and totara timber standing on the under-mentioned section.

**SCHEDULE.****AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.**

*Section 92, Parish of Kohumaru (Education Reserve).*

39 KAURI-TREES, containing (approximately) 74,111 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

5 totara-trees, containing (approximately) 3,506 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

Distinguishing-brand thus:  $\blacktriangle$

Time for removal of timber: One year.

**CONDITIONS.**

1. Intending tenderers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relating to their tenders.

2. The aforementioned quantities, qualities, and kind as to the said timber shall be taken as sufficiently accurate for the purposes of this sale; and no contract for purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the successful tenderer be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, and kind than as stated hereon or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber, nor shall any extra sum be claimed by the Crown if for any reason the quantity of timber is found to be in excess of that stated hereon.

3. No tender will be considered wherein a less royalty is offered than 1s. 6d. per 100 sup. ft. for both the kauri and totara.

4. The position of the timber is only approximately shown on the lithograph, and should any dispute arise as to the boundaries, the decision of the Commissioner of Crown Lands shall be final.

5. In the event of the above lots not being disposed of, consideration will be given to applications made at any time within six months from the above date of closing of tenders (unless previously formally withdrawn), provided, however, that the amount offered is not less than the upset price stated hereon.

6. Tenders to be addressed to "The Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland," and envelopes to be marked "Timber tender."

7. Forms of tender may be obtained on application to the Postmaster, Whangaroa, or at the above office.

8. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

**TERMS.**

Tenders for the timber must be accompanied with a deposit of 5 per cent. on the amount of tender in cash, marked cheque, or post-office order; the balance to be paid within fourteen days from date of acceptance of tender.

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in the Canterbury Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands, Wellington, 18th October, 1907.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that, the license of the undermentioned land having been forfeited by resolution of the Canterbury Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	License No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
O.R.P.	49	777, Arowhenua V.S.	II	Arowhenua	Archibald John McDowall	Non-residence, non-improvement, and non-payment of rent.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Lands in Otago Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands, Wellington, 22nd October, 1907.

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Lease No.	Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Formerly held by	Tenure.
810L	26	I	Maniototo	Donald Semple	L.I.P.
1257	11	XII	Tautuku	John Smillie	"
1258	12	"	"	John Smillie, jun.	"
161	1 to 3	I	Upper Wakatipu	Henry Birley	O.R.P.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

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

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

**N**OTICE 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.

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

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

**N**OTICE 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.

*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.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	I	1 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	
2	"	1 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	
3	"	1 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	
4	"	1 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	
5	"	1 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	
6	"	1 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
7	"	1 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	
8	"	1 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	
9	"	1 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	
10	"	1 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	
2	II	1 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	
3	"	1 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	
4	"	1 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	
5	"	1 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	
6	"	1 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	
7	"	1 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	
8	"	1 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	
9	"	1 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
10	"	1 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
11	"	1 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	
12	"	1 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	
13	"	1 0 37	4 0 0	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 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 84 perches.

JOHN HAY,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.*

District Lands Office,  
Auckland, 15th October, 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 District Lands Office, Auckland, on Friday, the 17th day of January, 1908, at 11 o'clock a.m.

**SCHEDULE.**

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

*Rural Lands.*

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
HUKERENUI SURVEY DISTRICT.			
85	V	A. R. P. 10 0 0	£ s. d. 10 0 0
RUAKAKA PARISH.			
85	..	10 0 5	8 0 0
MARAETAI PARISH.			
1	..	9 0 18	10 0 0

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Southland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.*

District Lands Office,  
Invercargill, 7th October, 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 District Lands Office, Invercargill, on Wednesday, the 15th day of January, 1908, at 11 o'clock a.m.

**SCHEDULE.**

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF WALLACETOWN.

*Suburban Lands.*

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
1	XLVII	A. R. P. 0 3 29	£ s. d. 5 0 0
2	"	0 1 28	2 0 0

Section 2, Block XLVII, is weighted with £4 survey fee.

E. H. WILMOT,  
Commissioner of Crown 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.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Otorohanga.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 15th October, 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Otorohanga on the 12th day of November, 1907, to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Auckland, 1907-39.]

A. G. HOLLAND, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS		
3	Hukarere Paterangi, Te Whau Paterangi, and others	Marasetaua No. 9
4	Papanui Tamahiki, Hohepa Petera, and Kuia to Rore	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 21(?)
5	Hone Kaora	Pirongia West No. 1, Section 2B (Pukekohe).
6	Hone Kaora (agent for Ahurei Mateao)	Pirongia West No. 1, Section 2A (Tiritirimatangi).
7	Te One Haeiti and others	Hauturu East No. 1B (Ruapuha).
8	Makere te Uruweherua	Ohura South M No. 3A.
9	Tamaki Tamehana	Motungaio No. 2P (Kawhia P).
10	Taui Wetere, Tamaki Tamehana, and Roia te Ake	Kawhia S (Paretao).
11	Whareitu Katarina, Pepi Katarina, Takerei te Awhitu, Toa te Awhitu, and others	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 58 (Whatitokarau).
12	Te Hinureina Enoke, Katipa te Pato, and others	Te Awaroa A No. 10.
13	W. H. Grace, agent for Wiari Taiki	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 3 (Taraunui).
14	Pikiahu Rangatira and Tupu	Maungarangi.
15	Peti Taiki	Puketarata No. 4G, Section 2D No. 2B.
16	Te Aohau Weretatikapa, Te Iwikino Weretatikapa, and Te Warahi te Whiutahi	Ohura South K No. 4, Section 2B No. 3.
17	Taruke Tangihaere (for self and family)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 61, Section ? (Puhanga).
18	Roia te Ake, Atakohu Wetere, and another	Kawhia P3 (Motungaio).
19	Maeke Waiora, Turaki Maikuku, Rangiahua te Rake, Te Waiata te Iwikino, Tuarua Waiora, and others	Pukuweka No. 1 (Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 1).
20	Te Warahi te Whiutahi and others	Pukuweka No. 2, Section 2D (Rangitoto Tuhua No. 2, Section 2D).
21	Te Ruai Otimi and Wiki Tohengaroa	Mangaroa A No. 2.
22	Miriama Kahukarawao, Hori Kingi te Mawae, Turaki Maikuku, Te Manuauate Piripi Tuhuaia, and Te Marae Rongomataane	Taumarunui Township.
23	Rangianini Ngahiraka, Te Hoko Tapeka, and Wairoa Oneroa	Rangitoto A No. 57.
24	Taui Wetere	Kawhia P1 (Motungaio).
25	Pepene Eketone (for Rangihua Kingi and others)	Te Pukenui No. 2A, Section 11 (Te Kuiti Township, Block VII, Sections 8, 9, and 12; and Block VIII, Sections 8, 9, 12, and 13).
26	Rawiri te Hauparaoa (agent for Rangihakarewa Paraone)	Kinohaku West No. 12A.
27	Ngahiwi te Whakatoroa and others	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68r.
28	Ngaparaki te Aruhe, Hohepa Petera, and others	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77 (Tangitu).
29	Roka H. Hopere and others	Aotea South No. 1.
30	Hori te Ihorangi, Hapimana Mokau, and Waiuku te Huia	Tokenui No. 1B (Pukekawawa).
31	Ngatai te Mamaku and Makere te Uruweherua	Ohura South D No. 5D (Komakoriki).
32	Turaki Maikuku	Ohura South M9c.
33	Hori Kingi te Mawae and Rangipare Poihipi	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 3A (Taraunui).
34	Tukuteihu te Ngarupiki	Ohura South K No. 4, Section 2B.
35	Ngunu te Awhitu and Te Manuauate Piripi Tuhuaia	Ohura South C No. 2, Section 3 (Poukaka).
36	Korau (for Pourewa and others)	Hauturu West No. 2, Section 3F.
37	Tutahanga te Wano, Ngaparau te Whakuki, and Kahutopuni Waata	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 67 (Huhutirau).
38	Te Pouwharetapu and others	Manuaitu No. 2B.
39	Pohe Rainuha	Kakepuku No. 9.
40	Kahu te Kuru and Huriwaka Manunui	Ohura South B No. 2 (Otairua).
41	Hana Rangiamohia, alias Hana Amohia, alias Rangiauraki Amohia	Kakepuku No. 1 (Ngawaero).
42	Hare Poihipi	Ohura South G No. 4K, Section 1.
43	Makere te Uruweherua	Ohura South A, Section 2.
44	Makere te Uruweherua	Ohura South G No. 4M.
45	Tai Hauauru and others	Pirongia West No. 3B, Section 2c.
46	Rihi te Rauparaha	Mangaora.
47	Ngahaka te Hakiri	Ohura South A No. 3.
48	E. Mainwaring (for Ngawiki Rauroha)	Puketarata No. 4E No. 2.
49	Hinaki Ropiha, Tiraha Poihipi (as trustee for Parehuitao and Katabi Tiraha), and Rangipare Poihipi	Ohura South G No. 4K, Section 1.
50	Te Whakaririka Hauauru	Kohitane.
51	Tawhaki Takiabo and Kiore Ropiha Hautapu	Kaingapipi No. 2.
52	Te Huia Kotuku and Wahapa Kotuku	Ohura South M No. 3D.
53	Ngamotu Pateriki	Tokenui C No. 18.
54	Pairama Keepa (as agent)	Mangaawakino No. 3.
55	Henare Tikitini	Pokuru No. 2F, Section 2.
56	Pepene Eketone (for Rawiri te Hauparaoa)	Otorohanga No. 4.
57	Manaia te Huia	Rangitoto A No. 15.
58	Makereti Hibewai	Tokenui No. 1A.
59	Puea Herangi and others	Hikurangi.
60	Te Manuauate Piripi Tuhuaia (as trustee for Ria Heni Ngapera)	Ohura South K4, Section 2B.
61	Tahuata te Poihi	Marokopa No. 4.
62	Te Rewahi Hiriako	Te Pukenui No. 2P.
63	Tama Kawe	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N.
64	Te Hinureina Enoke	Te Awaroa A No. 11.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION—*continued.*

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS— <i>continued.</i>		
65	Marama Hiriako and Taitoko Hiriako	Aorangi-Punihangaru No. 3.
66	Tai Hauauru and others	Kawhia D No. 2.
67	Huia Tawake	Karuotewhenua B No. 2B No. 7.
68	Wehi te Ringitanga, Mihi te Ringitanga, and Tutaki te Ringitanga	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 37.
69	Wehi Ringitanga, Tutaki Ringitanga, and Mihi Ringitanga	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 33.
70	Wehi Ringitanga, Tutaki Ringitanga, and Mihi Ringitanga	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 28.
NEW APPLICATIONS.		
71	J. Ormsby (for the owners of the land)	Kaingapipi No. 7.
72	J. Ormsby (for the owners of the land)	Kaingapipi No. 10.
73	Te Rangihaeata Pirihira (T. R. Hughes for the applicant)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26A (Tarapounamu).
74	Tamihao Raiti (T. R. Hughes for the applicant)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26F (Tarapounamu).
75	Teri Poroaata (for Tuauru Karewa and Paeroa Karewa)	Mangauika B No. 1A.
76	Tira Hinekura and others	Puketarata No. 6B.
77	Rawiri Heneri, Pareaute Komanga, and Watikena Herewini (T. R. Hughes for the applicants)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 24 (Ongarahu).
78	Rawiri Heneri, Pareaute Komanga, and Watikena Herewini (T. R. Hughes for the applicants)	Mangawhero No. 1.
79	Ruruhira Ponui (T. R. Hughes for the applicant)	Otorohanga Q No. 2.
80	Te Tata Wahanui (successor to Wahanui Huatare)	Marataua No. 2B.
81	Hinerangi te Huaki and Te Atate Whiwhi	Rangitoto-Tuhua (Tangitu) No. 77B.
82	Watikena Herewini, Te Ngoi Maika, Pareaute Komanga, Haiminia te Raku, and others (T. R. Hughes for the applicants)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 38 (Rangiahua).
83	Eru te Akau and others	Rangitoto-Tuhua (Waimiha Block) No. 78.
84	Miriama Kahukarewao and Turi Peoi Kahukarewao	Ohura South C No. 2, Section 3A.
85	Kiingi te Omeke, Te Aritahi te Omeke, Koroheke te Omeke, and Haiminia te Raku	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35 (Otuaroa).
86	George Augustus Thomas Thom	Te Awaroa No. 2.
87	Anaru Eketone (for Rauputu Tumokemoke, Kaahu Huatare, and others)	Karuotewhenua B No. 5C No. 4.
88	Hone Omipi (agent for Mahuri Tumauru)	Taumataotara No. 2A.
89	Hone Omipi (agent for Mahuri Tumauru)	Kinohaku East No. 1F, Section 9 (Ototoika).
90	J. Ormsby (agent for the owners)	Kaingapipi No. 10.
91	J. Ormsby (agent for the owners)	Kaingapipi No. 7.
92	Te Muraahi Niketi (for Eruana Tanahira)	Marokopa No. 5.
93	Riri Huaanga	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 30.
94	Hone Omipi (agent for Matere Omipi)	Otorohanga B, Section 3.
95	Ngatokoroha te Rangituatea, Te Kuruki Matena, Kopere Rangawhenua, Te Anini Matena, and Te Hiki Rangawhenua	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60A (Pukepoto).
96	Tutai Wakatomo, Hua Terohe, Puke Hua, and Rangiamohia Piripi	Te Awaroa A No. 3.
97	Rana Rauangi and others	Otorohanga T No. 2.
98	Whitinui Hohepa (for Tirawahine Tanatura and Puhiwahine Ihaia)	Kinohaku West E.
99	Whitinui Hohepa (for Tirawahine Tanatura and Puhiwahine Ihaia)	Kinohaku West L.
100	Waeroa Matena, Rangiahwhitia te Rangituatea, and Te Mahuri Tawhana	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77F No. 1 (Tangitu).
101	Te Mahuri Tawhana, Waeroa Matena, Parehina Tawhana, and Te Raita Tawhana	Te Kuiti No. 2B No. 1A.
102	Raukura Tekehu and Paretahi Ngamihi	Ohura South M No. 3A.
103	Te Aue	Hauturu East No. 1F, Section C.
104	Hemi Hiria and Te Aue	Hauturu East B No. 2, Section 2B.
105	Tumohu Titi	Tapuwahine No. 1B.
106	Kauki Taurira, Te Aua Taurira, Te Apiti te Ranga, and Te Rawhiti Maaka	Te Pahi (Aotea South No. 3).
107	Kauki Taurira, Te Aua Taurira, Te Apiti te Ranga, and Te Rawhiti Maaka	Raoraokauere (Aotea South No. 2).
108	Wirihana te Aooterangi, Para Haimona, Mita Karaka Ngatipare, Te Rau Kaimakariri, Pereui Kawharu, Toiharuru Tongariro, and Pineahi Maihi	Manuaitu B.
109	Hinaki Ropiba	Ohura South G No. 4.
110	Pouaka and others	Te Taharoa A.
111	Tamihana te Huirau, Matutu te Toko, and Te Rangi Katukua te Hiariki	Kinohaku West F, Section 1B No. 2 West.
112	Whareate Katerina, Toa te Awhitu, Mahuri te Rauroha, Te Awhitu Katarina, Takerei te Awhitu, and Te Mibi Taiamai	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 58.
113	Pairama Keepa, Riria Pairama, Arepata Rangihuatoka, Matekino Pairama, and others	Karuotewhenua B4 No. 2.
114	Pepene Eketone (for Hone Taonui Ruihi, Hare Kingi, and others)	Te Awaroa B4, Section 5.
115	Haora Taubaki	Hauturu East No. 2F.
116	Tohe Riritawhana	Umukaimata No. 1A2 (Pukewhau No. 1A2).
117	Tohe Riritawhana	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 61.
118	Hori te Maewa	Pirongia West No. 1, Section 2F.
119	Moke Pumpi	Pirongia West No. 3A.
120	Ngapaki te Waharoa, Manopoaka te Waharoa, and others	Rangitoto A.
121	Tuwahakaririka Poutamis	Rangitoto A No. 2.
122	Hone Kaora	Kawhia A No. 2.
123	Te Huia Kingi, Tupu te Huetu, and Ngarongo te Huia (John Ormsby, agent)	Mangawhero No. 3D.
124	Patupatu Keepa, Te Waitarere Hoani, and Ngarongo te Huia (John Ormsby, agent)	Whareraureka.
125	Jeremiah Ormsby (as agent for Ngapaki Tana, Arepata Omipi, alias Are Rapata, and Rangihuribia Omipi, alias Rangihuribia Rapata)	Pukenui No. 2A, Section 15.
126	Hare Teimana and Tumai Tawhiti	Wharepungua No. 16.
127	Kiore Pakoro and others	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 4.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
NEW APPLICATIONS—continued.		
128	Kiore Tuariri and others	Taumatatotara No. 1D.
129	Kiore Tuariri and others	Taumatatotara No. 1B.
130	Te Kena te Huia, Manaia te Huia, Whakararu Pouaka (by their agent, David Ormsby)	Rangitoto A No. 46. Kinohaku East No. 1A.
131	Whitinui Hohepa and others	.. .. .
132	Whitinui Hohepa and others	.. .. .
133	Te Moerua and others	.. .. .
134	Toheriri Tawhana	.. .. .
135	Waeroa Matena (trustee for Hinehou Waeroa, Tamahiki Waeroa, Rangawhenua Waeroa, and Te Rerenga Waeroa)	.. .. .
136	Hamuhamu te Putu, Whakararu Tauhe, Te Huia te Raro, and Rutu Hopa)	Tauranga.
137	Noke Tuara and others	.. .. .
138	Hone Kaora	.. .. .
139	Tongariro Kee	.. .. .
140	Kahotea Tamaki	.. .. .
141	Te Ngunguru te Kauae	.. .. .
142	Rangianini Ngahiraka and Ngahiraka Rangianini	.. .. .
143	Taumoaana te Rangituataea and Ngatokowai te Rangituataea	.. .. .
144	Te Watikena Herewini and others	.. .. .
145	Te Koro Wetere and others	.. .. .
146	Rauputu Tumokemoke	.. .. .
147	Tumauru te Rarauhe (by her agent, John Ormsby)	.. .. .
148	Tohengaroa te Rauroha, Wiari te Rauroha, and Rauputu Taitu, alias Rauputu Tumokemoke	.. .. .
149	Mehana Tuhoro and others	.. .. .

APPLICATIONS FOR DETERMINATION OF INTERESTS ACQUIRED BY THE CROWN.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
NEW APPLICATIONS.		
734	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
735	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
736	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
737	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
738	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
739	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
740	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
741	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
742	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
743	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
744	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
745	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
746	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
747	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
748	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
749	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
750	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
751	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
752	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
753	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
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770	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
771	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
772	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
773	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
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780	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
781	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
782	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .
783	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	.. .. .

APPLICATIONS FOR DETERMINATION OF INTERESTS ACQUIRED BY THE CROWN—*continued.*

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
NEW APPLICATIONS— <i>continued.</i>		
784	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77C.
785	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77F2.
786	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77F3.
787	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Taharoa A.
788	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Taharoa B No. 1B.
789	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Taumatatotara No. 1B.
790	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Taumatatotara No. 2.
791	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Tokanui No. 1A.
792	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Tokanui C No. 2.
793	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Tokanui C No. 12.
794	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Tokanui C No. 14.
795	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Tokanui C No. 15.
796	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Tokanui C No. 16.
797	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Tokanui C No. 17.
798	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Tokanui C No. 19.
799	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Tokanui C No. 20.
800	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Tokanui C No. 21.
801	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Waiwhakaata No. 8c.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
802	Te Weri Ngawai	Kararaina Pareraumoa.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
803	George Stockman (291-36, 2/33)	Rangitoto-Tuhua	Application for the inclusion of the name of Korota Tamihana in the order for the said land.
804	Te Ata Whakarake, Hori Paamu, Meteria Mokara, Whakarake, Turi Kahukarewao, and Tangatokino Miriama (582-12, 2/104)	Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 1 and 2 (Pukuweka)	Application for the inclusion of their names in the orders for the said lands.
805	Hoeta Mihikorama (289-286, 2/152)	Wharepuhunga No. 18	Application to include the name of Henare Mihikorama in the succession orders to the interests of Ngaroawa te Kereopa and Pakiteuru Kereopa.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
806	Heke Manukura	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 24	Application to correct succession order to the interest of Manukura Mahuki, made on the 23rd January, 1904, in the said land.
807	Te Whakauruhanga	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 66 (Ngapuketurua)	Application for inclusion of certain persons who were omitted from the original list for the said land.
808	Te Hinureina Enoka	Awaroa A No. 4 and Awaroa A No. 10	Application to ascertain the reason of the shortage of area in Awaroa A No. 10.
809	Mihi te Ringitanga	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 28	Application for inclusion of the names of Te Ma Rawiri, Te Houtupu Rawiri, and Aporo Rawiri to the list of owners in the said land.
810	Parete Rama Aranui and others	Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 6, 9, and 10	Application to amend the boundaries of Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 6, 9, and 10 as originally set out by the Native Land Court.

## APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 40 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," FOR AMENDMENT OF BOUNDARIES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
811	Wilson and Jackson (110-17, 2/2)	Kaingapipi No. 9	Application for variation of the southern boundary of the block.
812	Wilson and Jackson (501-55, 2/5)	Maraetaua No. 9	Application to have the boundaries of the block clearly defined.
813	M. R. Creagh (111-97, 2/10)	Te Kuiti No. 2B, Sections 3 and 23	Application to have the boundary defined between Sections 3 and 23 of Te Kuiti No. 2B Block.
NEW APPLICATION.			
814	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland District	Kakepuku Nos. 1H and 1c	Application for amendment of boundaries and adjustment of area.



APPLICATION FOR APPORTIONMENT OF SURVEY LIEN UNDER SECTION 55 OF "THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATION.		
815	Whare Hotu (Wharemahihi Hotu), (126-127, 5/61)	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28B, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16, and 17.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 22 OF "THE NATIVE TOWNSHIPS ACT, 1895," TO ASCERTAIN WHO ARE THE BENEFICIAL OWNERS OF THE UNDERMENTIONED TOWNSHIP, AND WHAT ARE THE RESPECTIVE RELATIVE INTERESTS OF SUCH OWNERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.		
816	The Surveyor-General (715-6, 5/158)	Parawai Native Township (part of Taharoa A Block).
817	T. Y. Duncan, Minister of Lands (715-7, 5/174)	Parawai or Te Maika Native Township (part of Te Taharoa A Block).

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Names of Land proposed to be exchanged.
ADJOURNED APPLICATION.		
818	{ Te Whau Paterangi Te Rewatu Hiriako	{ Pukenui No. 2A, Section 10, No. 3. Otorohanga No. 4, Waiwhatawhata.
NEW APPLICATION.		
819	{ Te Naunau Hikaka Ngapawa Ngaamo	{ Puketarata No. 3B, Section 2. Kakepuku No. 1H.

APPLICATIONS TO ASSESS THE AMOUNT OF COMPENSATION PAYABLE TO OWNERS OF NATIVE LAND TAKEN BY PROCLAMATION UNDER THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area.	Purpose for which taken.
NEW APPLICATIONS.				
820	The Minister for Public Works ..	Part of Hauturu East B No. 2A Part of Section No. 3B1, Hauturu East Part of Section No. 3B2, Hauturu East Part of Section No. 3B3, Hauturu East	A. B. P. 7 1 8 20 0 36 54 1 3 15 1 35	Scenic purposes.
821	The Minister for Public Works ..	Hauturu East 1A No. 5C	67 1 33	Waitomo Caves Accommodation-house.
822	The Under-Secretary for Public Works	Section 1, Block III, Awakino East Survey District (Mangaotaki Gorge Scenic Reserve), Karuote-whenua B No. 2B No. 5A	155 0 32	Scenic purposes.

APPLICATION TO ASSESS THE AMOUNT OF COMPENSATION PAYABLE FOR LAND TAKEN FOR A SCHOOL-SITE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area taken.
823	Vincent E. Rice (Secretary to the Education Board of the District of Auckland)	Pukeroa-Hangatiki 4B No. 1	2 acres.

APPLICATIONS TO ASSESS THE AMOUNT OF COMPENSATION WHICH OUGHT TO BE PAID TO THE OWNERS OF THE UNDER-MENTIONED LAND, TAKEN UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (2) OF SECTION 5 OF "THE SCENERY PRESERVATION ACT, 1903."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
824	The Minister of Tourist and Health Resorts (103-13, 5/159)	Hauturu East No. 1A No. 6 (Waitomo Caves).
825	The Under-Secretary, Public Works Department (103-15, 5/312)	Hauturu East No. 1A No. 6 (Waitomo Caves), (3 acres).

APPLICATIONS 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.
			A. R. P.	
826	Patupatu Keepa, Te Huiia Kingi, and Pepene Eketone (647-18, 5/344)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 66 (Ngapuketuru)	34,963 0 0	Otorohanga.
827	Waitare Hoani, Porutu Patupatu, Mokena Patupatu, Tiki Hari, and Pepene Eketone (647-18, 5/344)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 66 (Ngapuketuru)	34,963 0 0	Otorohanga.
828	Maaka Patene, Maata Patene, Haara Patene, Kahimo Houngariri, Hera Tohora, and Hera Houngariri (265-48, 5/348)	Lot 66B2, Parish of Waipa	1,386 0 0	Waikato.
829	Maaka Patene, Maata Patene, and Haara Patene (265-49, 5/349)	Lot 66A No. 1, Parish of Waipa	186 0 0	Waikato.
830	Te Riri Patene (Arekahanara Rira Patene) (265-50, 5/350)	Lot 66A No. 4, Parish of Waipa	929 0 0	Waikato.
831	Anaru Eketone, Hana Eketone, Mere Eketone, Pepene Eketone, Kahimo Houngariri, Arekahanara Rira Patene, Maaka Patene, and Anatipa Pukatea (264-46, 5/351)	Lots 65 and 69, Parish of Waipa	1,061 0 0	Waikato.
832	Tewi Eketone, Tahiri Aranui, Hotukopa te Kanawa, Tawhihi te Kanawa, Waimapuna Moeroa, Te Huiatahi Parearohi, and Parearohi te Kanawa (647-20, 5/352)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 66 (Ngapuketuru)	34,963 0 0	Otorohanga.
833	Pepene Eketone, Mere Eketone, Hana Eketone, and Anaru Eketone (265-51, 5/356)	Lot 66A No. 2, Parish of Waipa	1,103 0 0	Waikato.
834	Maaka Patene, Kahimo Houngariri, Hera Tohora, Haara Patene, Maata Patene, and Hera Houngariri (261-31, 5/357)	Lot 62A No. 2, Parish of Waipa	339 0 27	Waikato.
835	Maaka Patene, Kahimo Houngariri, Maata Patene, Haara Patene, Hera Houngariri, and Hera Tohora (265/52, 5/358)	Lot 66B1, Parish of Waipa	979 0 0	Waikato.
836	Hone te Anga, Wiri Karihi, Takere Hone, Piripi Herangi, Nepe Tipa, Ngawaero te Koko, Meri Kahu Kawhena, Te Waiata Wiri, Te Whakarawe te Uruhoru, and Pouaka te Amotahi (139-27, 5/361)	Kakepuku No. 9B, Section 5	200 0 0	Kawhia.
837	Anaru Eketone, Hana Eketone, Mere Eketone, and Pepene Eketone (261-32, 6/50)	Lot 62A No. 3, Parish of Waipa	187 1 10	Waikato.
838	Wetere Eketone, Pepene Eketone, Anatipa Pukatea, Arekahanara R. Patene, Raiha Hikaurua, Matekino Haimona, Tewi Takotoroa, Waana Hikaurua, and Pita Haimona (265-53, 6/51)	Lot 66B3, Parish of Waipa	8,525 0 0	Waikato.
839	Arekahanara Rira Patene, Hori Takerei, Nepia Amuketi, Takerei Hepata, Pita Haimona, Wairakau Matenga, Keti Amuketi, Toreihekura Amuketi, Pare Takerei, Hemi Takerei, Paihana Amuketi, Turingenge Hepata, Te Raku Hepata, Hemotahora Hepata, and Heemi Hepata (264-50, 6/52)	Lots 59 and 60, Parish of Waipa	1,061 0 0	Waikato.
840	Arekahanara Rira Patene, Takerei Hepata, Hori Takerei, Keti Amuketi, Pita Haimona, Nepia Amuketi, Wairakau Matenga, Toreihekura Amuketi, Pare Takerei, Hemi Takerei, Paihana Amuketi, Turingenge Hepata, Te Raku Hepata, Hemotahora Hepata, and Heemi Hepata (262-24, 6/53)	Lot 63A, Parish of Waipa	2,886 1 19	Waikato.
841	Te Tahiri Aranui, Parearohi te Kanawa, Tutunui te Kanawa, Moe Omipi, Paretekawa Aranui, Tewi Eketone, Te Tahiri Omipi, Moe Aranui, and Mangamanga te Kanawa (587-7, 6/54)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 6	227 0 0	Rohe-Potae.
842	Anatipa Pukatea, Arekahanara Rira Patene, Aihe Huirama, Kiwakiwa Tauhina, Raiha Haimona, Pita Haimona, and Heemi Haimona (261-33, 6/55)	Lot 62B No. 13, Parish of Waipa	25 3 20	Waikato.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 18 OF "THE MAORI LAND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENT AND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1906."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
843	The Hon. the Native Minister	Tauamarunui Native Township (Ohura South G No. 4)	Application to the Court to determine all questions affecting the beneficial ownership of the said Tauamarunui Native Township, and the location of the interests of the beneficial owners of the same.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount due.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
844	Peter Edward Cheal .. .. .	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 75 (Haupeehi) ..	£ s. d. 100 5 0
845	Peter Edward Cheal .. .. .	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 76 (Rongoroa) ..	120 9 10
846	Percy Ward .. .. .	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 54 .. .. .	8 5 7
847	Michael Raymond Creagh .. .. .	Pukenui No. 2m .. .. .	7 19 7
848	Frederick Mace .. .. .	Hauturu East B No. 2, Section 2b ..	22 3 9
849	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Kakepuku No. 3a .. .. .	3 11 1
850	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Karotewhenua B No. 1 .. .. .	0 11 2
851	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Karotewhenua No. 4 .. .. .	3 3 0
852	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Mangaawakino .. .. .	235 19 8
853	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Mangawhero .. .. .	1 1 11
854	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Mangawhero No. 3c .. .. .	6 18 6
855	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Mangawhero No. 3d .. .. .	7 14 0
856	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Ohura South A No. 1 .. .. .	26 15 9
857	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Ohura South C No. 3 .. .. .	14 2 10
858	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Orahiri No. 2d .. .. .	13 11 5
859	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Otorohanga No. 1c .. .. .	1 7 10
860	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Pukenui No. 2L .. .. .	22 8 9
861	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Puketotara .. .. .	7 1 0
862	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 6 .. .. .	27 18 1
863	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 7 .. .. .	11 8 0
864	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 38 .. .. .	177 10 3
865	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 72 .. .. .	153 14 1
866	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Ratatomokia No. 2b .. .. .	25 6 3
867	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Pirongia West No. 1b .. .. .	8 19 0
868	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Pirongia West 1c No. 2, Section 2b ..	13 3 8
869	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Pirongia West No. 1, Section 2c No. 2 ..	9 17 5
870	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Pirongia West No. 1, Section 2d .. .. .	8 19 8
871	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Pirongia West No. 1, Section 2g .. .. .	34 18 3
872	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Pirongia West No. 1, Section 2h .. .. .	16 14 0
873	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Pirongia West No. 3b, Section 2f .. .. .	23 13 0
874	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68 .. .. .	160 10 9
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
875	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Kawhia P1 .. .. .	4 19 8
876	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Kawhia P2 .. .. .	4 0 10
877	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Kawhia P4 .. .. .	3 0 4
878	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Kawhia P5 .. .. .	4 16 1
879	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Kawhia P6 .. .. .	2 19 9
880	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Kawhia P7 .. .. .	6 5 1
881	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Kawhia P8 .. .. .	8 18 1
882	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Kawhia P10 .. .. .	3 17 8
883	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Kawhia P11 .. .. .	4 13 3
884	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Manga-Awakino No. 2 .. .. .	51 8 10
885	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Hauturu East B No. 2, Section 2b ..	22 3 9
886	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 21 .. .. .	72 3 1
887	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 51 .. .. .	37 13 3
888	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 78 .. .. .	81 4 4
889	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Te Kuiti 2b No. 1b .. .. .	3 16 1
890	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Te Kuiti 2b No. 1d .. .. .	1 0 9
891	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Te Kuiti 2b No. 1h .. .. .	1 0 9
892	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Te Kuiti 2b No. 1i .. .. .	3 2 3
893	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Te Kuiti 2b No. 1k .. .. .	5 10 8
894	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Te Kuiti 2b Nos. 3 and 23 .. .. .	24 10 6
895	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Te Kuiti 2b No. 1o .. .. .	0 13 10
896	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Mangawhero No. 2a .. .. .	28 10 1

APPLICATION FOR A CHARGING ORDER UNDER SECTION 65 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," IN SUBSTITUTION FOR AN ORDER UNDER SECTION 81 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1886."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area.	Amount.
ADJOURNED APPLICATION.				
897	Rewatu Hariako and Ngatoa Pekamu .. .. .	Aorangi .. .. .	13,350 acres	£97 13s. 9d.

APPLICATION FOR APPORTIONMENT OF SURVEY LIEN.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount to be apportioned.
ADJOURNED APPLICATION.			
898	W. Charles C. Spencer .. .. .	Aotea South No. 1, Aotea South No. 2, and Aotea South No. 3 .. .. .	£12 7s. 5d.

## APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area.	Amount.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.				
899	Anne Cussen (by her solicitors, Hesketh and Richmond)	Waihohonu..	A. B. P. 1,066 0 0	£ s. d. 34 1 6
900	Henare Tikitini	Pokuru No. 2F	..	20 8 9
NEW APPLICATIONS.				
901	Percy Ward	Rangitoto Tupua No. 36B	6,284 0 0	91 4 8
902	Percy Ward	Otorohanga E No. 2	3 3 0	6 18 7
903	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland Land District	Mangoira A..	..	1 0 0

*Application for Confirmation Certificate under Section 55.*

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 16th October, 1907.  
 NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been made to a Judge of the Court for a certificate under section 55 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," confirming the alienation hereunder specified. All objections to the granting of such certificate must be lodged with me within fourteen days from the publication of this notice.  
 [Auckland, Sec. 55, 1907-12.] A. G. HOLLAND, Registrar.

## THE ALIENATION ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
12	Lease	20th September, 1907	Allotments 217, 219, and 220, Parish of Taupiri	George Swanson to Frank Storey.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Te Wairoa.*

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 12th 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 Te Wairoa on the 30th day of October, 1907, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.  
 [Gisborne, 1907-86.] HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
454	Fukukino Hamana	Ngaruetepe No. 3.
455	Wiremu Kaimoana	Ngamotu.

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.
456	Te Rina Kereru and others	Kahaatereia No. 2E	433 acres	Wairoa.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SUBSECTION (9) OF SECTION 14 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," FOR RESTRAINING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
457	Karena Rawhi and another	Hereheretau B	For issue of order restraining J. Hunter Brown from paying rent to trustees.
458	Pita Hape and others	Hereheretau B	For order directing payment of rent to Public Trustees during litigation.
459	Hewi Parareka	Hereheretau B	For an order prohibiting removal of buildings during currency of lease.

## APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION WITH WILL ANNEXED.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
460	Ithria Kopu	Maaka Moti.
461	Pita Morera	Te Wheto Mitipara.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Adopted Child.	Particulars of Adoption.
462	John Down and Ereti Down ..	John Down, jun. ..	The child of Paora Rupapera and Ripeka Paora.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount due.
463	The Chief Surveyor .. .. .	Mangapoike No. 1F, Section 2 .. .. .	£ s. d. 7 10 6
464	The Chief Surveyor .. .. .	Mangapoike No. 1E, Section 2 .. .. .	8 15 0
465	The Chief Surveyor .. .. .	Mangapoike No. 1D, Section 2 .. .. .	3 5 2
466	The Chief Surveyor .. .. .	Mangapoike No. 1B, Section 2 .. .. .	0 12 2
467	The Chief Surveyor .. .. .	Orangitirohia .. .. .	25 18 0

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Te Wairoa.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 14th 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 Te Wairoa on the 30th day of October, 1907, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.  
 [Gisborne, 1907-37.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS 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.
493	Heni Kemara and others .. .. .	Kahaatureia No. 2B .. .. .	A. R. P. 198 0 0	Te Wairoa.
494	Niwa Waerea and others.. .. .	Kahaatureia No. 2C .. .. .	70 0 0	Te Wairoa.
495	Karepa Mataira and others .. .. .	Nuhaka 2B No. 3B .. .. .	694 0 0	Te Wairoa.

APPLICATION FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
496	Te Waaka Toroiwhiti .. .. .	Kahaatureia No. 2F.

Application for Confirmation Certificate under Section 55.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 22nd October, 1907.  
 NOTICE is hereby given that an application has been made to a Judge of the Court for a certificate under section 55 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," confirming the alienation hereunder specified. All objections to the granting of such certificate must be lodged with me within fourteen days from the publication of this notice.  
 [Wellington, Sec. 55.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

THE ALIENATION ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Transfer .. .. .	18th October, 1907 .. .. .	Petane No. 3, Lots 2 and 3	Eriata Pokai to George Ebbett.
2	Mortgage .. .. .	16th October, 1907 .. .. .	Belmont, Block XI, Subdivisions 6 and 24	Akenihi Himiona to Charles Hayward Izard and Thomas Shailer Weston.

Native Land Court Agent licensed.

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, NEW ZEALAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that a license has been issued to the undermentioned person authorising him to appear as an agent in the Native Land Court for the year ending the 31st day of December, 1907, subject to the provisions of section 20 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," viz.:-

INIA MARU.

Dated at Wellington, this 16th day of October, 1907.

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

*Notice of Nomination for Committees for Incorporated Blocks.*

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

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

Dated at Auckland, this 14th day of October, 1907.

A. G. HOLLAND, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

Name of Block.	Names of Persons nominated.
Takaputahi .. .. .	Wiremu Kingi. Wetini Taku. Hoera Katipo. Otene Rangai. Te Kani Pere. Himiona Katipa. Akuhata Takatua.
Tunapahore .. .. .	Wiremu Kingi. Wetini Taku. Hoera Katipo. Otene Rangai. Matenga Taua. Honatana Tarahaere. Akuhata Takatua.

## BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD ROGERS ATKIN, of Auckland, Coachbuilder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 24th day of October, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock.

E. GÉRARD,  
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 17th October, 1907.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of J. W. THOMSON, of Wanganui, Tobaccoist.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend, of 6s. 4d. in the pound, on all proved and accepted claims, is now payable at my office.

W. RODWELL,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 15th October, 1907.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of DAVID FINDLAY, of Dannevirke, Tailor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first dividend, of 5s. in the pound, is now payable at my office, Dannevirke, on all proved and accepted claims.

NORMAN L. GURR,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Dannevirke, 18th October, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ERNEST FELL, of Paparua, near Blackball, Miner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of October, 1907, at 11.30 o'clock a.m.

JAMES E. ALLEN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

13th October, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHRISTIAN THEODOR JULIUS ANDERSEN, of Lyttelton, Mariner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 28th day of October, 1907, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,  
Official Assignee.

15th October, 1907.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of RICHARD CAMERON TORRANCE, of Waimate, Contractor.

A FIRST and final dividend, of 2s. 9d. per pound, on all accepted proved claims is now payable at my office, Arcade, Timaru.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Timaru, 14th October, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOSEPH BERNARD HOLT, of Dunedin, Tailor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of October, 1907, at 2.30 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,  
Official Assignee.

Dunedin, 15th October, 1907.

## MINING NOTICES.

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Kuranui Caledonian (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration of office of company in colony: 10th January, 1905; 11th January, 1905.  
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Local Secretary: Victoria Arcade, Auckland; H. Gilfillan, Jun.  
Where mine is situated: Thames.  
Nominal capital: £30,000.  
Amount of capital subscribed: £23,260 18s.  
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in colony: £10,733 7s.  
Price paid to vendors of mine: In partly paid-up shares, credited as 1s. paid: 143,285.  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 300,000.  
Number of shares on Colonial Register: 185,733.  
Amount paid per share (Colonial Register): 1s. on 122,966; 2s. on 62,767.  
Amount called up per share (Colonial Register): 2s.  
Number and amount of calls in arrear (Colonial Register): Nil.  
Number of shares forfeited (Colonial Register): Nil.  
Number of shareholders on Colonial Register: 474.  
Number of men employed by company in colony: 10.  
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during the preceding year: 257 oz. 18 dwt.; £744 15s. 7d.  
Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration of company in colony: 671 oz. 12 dwt.; £1,862 1s. 8d.  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations in colony during preceding year: £2,708 12s. 3d.  
Total expenditure since registration of company in colony: £6,494 13s. 6d.  
Total amount of dividends paid in colony: Nil.  
Amount of cash at banker's in colony: £1,008 11s.  
Amount of cash in hand in colony: Nil.  
Amount of debts directly due to company in colony: Nil.  
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
Amount of debts owing by company in colony: Nil.

I, Henry Gilfillan, jun., of Auckland, the Local Secretary of the Kuranui Caledonian (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement

of the affairs of the said company on 31st December, 1906; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

H. GILFILLAN, Jun.

Declared at Auckland, this 15th day of October, 1907,  
before me—D. B. McDonald, J.P. 994

#### THE MATAU DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that an extraordinary general meeting of the above company was held at the registered office of the company, Water Street, Dunedin, on Friday, 18th October, 1907, at 4.30 p.m., when the following resolutions, which were passed at an extraordinary general meeting of the company held on 30th September, 1907, were submitted for confirmation as special resolutions and carried unanimously:—

- (a.) That the company be wound up voluntarily.  
(b.) That Mr. E. R. SMITH be appointed Liquidator, at a remuneration of £30.

E. R. SMITH,  
Dunedin, 19th October, 1907. Liquidator. 996

#### THE CLYDE DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED).

THE following resolutions were passed at an extraordinary meeting of shareholders of the above company, held in the registered office of the company, Dunedin, on Monday, 14th October, 1907, at 4.30 p.m.:—

- (a.) That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that the same be wound up voluntarily.  
(b.) That Mr. E. R. SMITH be appointed Liquidator, at a fee of £30.

E. R. SMITH,  
Dunedin, 16th October, 1907. Liquidator. 1001

#### THE WAIKAKA GOLD-DREDGING COMPANY (LTD.).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 230 of "The Companies Act, 1903," that a General Meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at the office of George William Montgomery Brett, Mersey Street, Gore, on Monday, the 11th day of November, 1907, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before the company showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and for the purpose of passing an extraordinary resolution disposing of the books, accounts, and documents of the company, and the Liquidator.  
Dated the 11th day of October, 1907.

1002 GEORGE BRETT, Liquidator.

#### UNDER "THE MINING ACT, 1905."

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

To the Warden of the Westland Mining District, at Reefton.

PURSUANT to "The Mining Act, 1905," the undersigned, George Lublin Tacon, of Greymouth, Commission Agent, hereby applies for a license for a water-race as specified in the Schedule hereto, the course whereof has been duly marked out for the purpose.

Date and number of miner's right: 17th December, 1906; No. 62275.

Address for service: Care of Free, Cottrell, and Lawry, Solicitors, Reefton.

Dated at Reefton, this 17th day of October, 1907.

#### Schedule.

Locality of the race and of its starting and terminal points: Situate in Block IV, Mawh-raitu Survey District. Commencing at a point in Mossy Stream about 8 chains south from the public road intersecting same; thence in a westerly direction through J. F. Johnson's freehold, and crossing the public road, and terminating at the south-eastern corner of Applicant's special dredging claim. (App. 31/07.)

Time and date of pegging: 2.30 p.m., 4th October, 1907. (Pegs marked W.)

Length and intended course of race: 16 chains; westerly.

Point of intake: West bank of Mossy Stream, a tributary of Antonio's Creek.

Estimated time and cost of construction: Two months; £40.

Mean depth and breadth: 2 ft. by 3 ft.

Number of heads to be diverted: Six.

Purpose for which water is to be used: Supply for dredge-paddock.

Proposed term of license: Forty-two years.

G. L. TACON,  
(By his Solicitor, H. P. LAWRY),  
Applicant.

Precise time of filing of the foregoing application: 3.20 p.m., 17th October, 1907.

Time and place appointed for the hearing of the application and all objections thereto: Friday, 15th November, 1907, at 10 a.m., at Warden's Court, Reefton.

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

HENRY SMITH,  
1013 Mining Registrar.

#### 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.

4572. EDWARD DUDLEY MURRAY.—Part of Section 1, Parish of Waitoa, containing 521 acres 2 roods. Occupied by Applicant.

4573. FRANK WASHBOURNE and RICHARD WASHBOURNE.—Part of Kiwitahi No. 3 Block, situated in the Maungakawa Survey District, containing 1,738 acres and 22 perches. Occupied by Applicants.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 19th day of October, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

EDWIN BAMFORD,  
1003 District Land Registrar.

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Application 1139. THE NEW PLYMOUTH HARBOUR BOARD, Applicant.—303 acres, being Section 157, Hua District. Unoccupied.

Diagram may be inspected at this office (Plan 2486).

Dated this 17th day of October, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

R. BAYLEY,  
1009 Assistant District Land Registrar.

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Application 1141. CHARLES EDWARD STREET, Applicant.—44 acres and 37 perches, being Section 85, Waitara West Rural District. Occupied by Frederick William Cornwall, of Bell Block, Farmer.

Diagram may be inspected at this office (Plan 2485).

Dated this 21st day of October, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

R. BAYLEY,  
1008 Assistant District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," and its amendments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 25th day of November, 1907.

1335. Applicant, CHARLES ROBERTS.—16 acres and 7 perches, portion of Orere Block No. 1429, Clyde Survey District. In occupation of Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 21st day of October, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

THOS. HALL,  
1010 District Land Registrar.



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4025. MARY ANN JONES.—32·3 perches, part Sections 184 and 186, City of Wellington. Occupied by Mrs. Hathaway.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

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

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J. M. BATHAM,  
District Land Registrar.

**A**PPPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the name of JOHN BRADY, of Wanganui, Labourer, for Lot 42 on Deposited Plan No. 771, part Section 20, Right Bank Wanganui River, being the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 143, folio 81, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate of title as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 7th day of November, 1907.

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

1005

J. M. BATHAM,  
District Land Registrar.

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10578. JOSEPH LEE.—1 rood, Town Section 27, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Mrs. Piper and Mrs. Brown.

10612. JAMES O'BRIEN.—8 acres 2 roods 15 perches, part of Rural Section 1920, Block IX, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

10616. SAMUEL SHUTTLEWORTH and LAWRENCE ROBERT SHUTTLEWORTH.—42 acres 2 roods 10 perches, Rural Sections 4573 and 7054, Block VIII, Kowai Survey District. Occupied by Frederick Benham.

10627. SAMUEL HARPER.—2 acres 2 roods 34 perches, Lots 6, 13, 14, Plan 2304, part of Rural Section 468, Block XV, Rangiora Survey District. Unoccupied.

10630. HANNAH WESTON DONALDSON.—1 rood, part of Rural Section 163, Block XI, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

10632. ARTHUR EDMUND MORLEY.—1 rood 3/4 perches, Lot 135, Plan 2374, part of Rural Section 243, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Unoccupied.

10635. MARY ANN SHAW.—1 rood 38 perches, Lots 10 and 11, Plan 2349, part of Rural Section 243r, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Helena May Kiver.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

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

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G. G. BRIDGES,  
District Land Registrar.

**E**VIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 64, folio 5, for Sections 19 and 20, Block XI, Clarendon District, whereof EDGAR MERCER WINCHESTER, of Christchurch, Manufacturer, is the registered proprietor, and of the loss of the outstanding duplicate of Memorandum of Mortgage No. 13925, affecting the same land, and application having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title for the said land and to register a dealing affecting the said mortgage, I hereby give notice of my intention to issue such provisional certificate and to register the dealing as requested, dispensing with the production of the said duplicate mortgage, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the publication hereof.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin, this 21st day of October, 1907.

1011

W. WYINKS,  
District Land Registrar.

**N**OTICE 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 of the publication hereof.

MARY OVER.—Parts of Sections 1, 2, 3, and 4, Block XXX, Clutha District. Occupied by William E. D. Downie. No. 4792.

JAMES COATE BISHOP.—Allotments 1, 2, and 3, Block VIII, subdivision of Sections 4 and 5, Block XXXV, Clutha District. Occupied by Applicant. No. 4793.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 21st day of October, 1907, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

1007

W. WYINKS,  
District Land Registrar.

**A**PPPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in favour of MAUD MATILDA SMALL, of Te Tua, Spinster, for Section 2, Block XVI, District of Longwood, being the land contained in certificate of title, Vol. 72, folio 29, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I shall issue a provisional certificate of title as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, the 21st day of October, 1907.

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C. E. NALDER,  
District Land Registrar.

### PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Youla Wools (New Zealand), (LIMITED), a company duly incorporated in England, proposes to carry on business in New Zealand, and that the Office or place of business of the company where it is proposed to commence to carry on business is situated at No. 6, Customhouse Quay, in the City of Wellington.

Dated this fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

JAMES MACINTOSH,  
Attorney for the Company.

### THE COLONIAL MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY (LIMITED).

**I**N accordance with "The Foreign Companies Act, 1884," section 7, notice is hereby given that the Office of the above Society in Auckland has been removed from the corner of Queen and Fort Streets to Hobson's Buildings, Fort Street.

P. D. LESLIE,  
Resident Secretary for New Zealand.

### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

**W**E, the undersigned, NORMAN McLEOD KEIR and THOMAS POYNTER, lately carrying on business in copartnership as General Carrying and Forwarding Agents, at Auckland, hereby give notice that the Partnership hitherto existing between us has been dissolved by mutual consent as from this date. All debts owing to the late firm are to be paid to, and all liabilities owing by the late firm will be discharged by, Norman McLeod Keir, who will continue to carry on the business of the late firm, at the premises of the late firm in Vulcan Lane, under the style of "N. Keir and Co."

Dated this 13th day of October, 1907.

N. KEIR,  
T. POYNTER.

Witness—George Kent, Solicitor, Auckland. 993

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between JAMES BREMNER and JAMES STEWART MOIR, trading as Opticians, Watchmakers, and Jewellers, at Dunedin and Invercargill, as "Bremner and Moir," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the date hereof, and that the business will in future be carried on by the said James Bremner above mentioned.

Dated this 15th day of October, 1907.

JAMES S. MOIR,  
JAMES BREMNER  
(By his Attorney, John Wilkinson).

Referring to the above, will debtors kindly note that all accounts owing to the late firm of Bremner and Moir are payable to Mr. James Bremner, of 14 Princess Street, whose receipt alone will be binding. 995

**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, NATHANIEL HOOPER and VINCENT HOOPER, carrying on business as Drapers at Gisborne, under the style or firm of "Hooper and Hooper," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Vincent Hooper, who will continue the business under the present style or firm of "Hooper and Hooper."

As witness our hands, this 26th day of September, 1907.

VINCENT HOOPER.  
NATHANIEL HOOPER.

Witness to both signatures—Harold Bright, Solicitor, Gisborne. 997

**NEW ZEALAND LAW LIST.**

THE Third Edition of the "New Zealand Law List and Legal Directory" being in preparation and nearly ready for the printer, all solicitors in actual practice in the Dominion who have not already replied to inquiries are asked to send in their names, addresses, and particulars to the compiler forthwith, to insure their names appearing in the list.

Address— F. HARRISON,  
Secretary, New Zealand Law Society,  
Supreme Court, Wellington. 998

18th October, 1907.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the WESTINGHOUSE BRAKE COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA (LIMITED), a company incorporated in the Commonwealth of Australia, proposes to commence and intends to carry on business in the Colony of New Zealand, and that the situation and locality of the office or place where such business will be carried on is Messrs. Philips and Pike, National Mutual Building, in Customhouse Quay, in the City of Wellington.

Dated this 11th day of October, 1907.

(Per pro PHILIPS AND PIKE),  
WM. CLAYTON,  
Attorney for the said Company. 999

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

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

Dated this 14th day of August, 1907.

THE WESTINGHOUSE BRAKE COMPANY (LIMITED),  
By its Attorney,  
WM. H. NISBET.

Witness—W.R.C. Forster, Manager, Martin Place, Sydney. 1000

**THE McLEOD PATENT FIRE BRAND COMPANY (LIMITED).**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registered Office of the above company has been removed to Sussex Chambers, Panama Street, Wellington.

GEORGE ROSS,  
Secretary. 1014

**ONSLOW BOROUGH COUNCIL.**

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.**

In the matter of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," and of "The Public Works Act, 1905."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the Borough of Onslow proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, to execute a certain public work—namely, the construction of waterworks at Khandallah for the supply of pure water for the use of the inhabitants of the borough—and for the purpose of such public work the lands described in the Schedule below are required to be taken. And notice is hereby given that a plan of the lands so required to be taken is deposited in the public office of the Town Clerk to the said Council, in the Borough offices, Ballance Street, Wellington, and is open for

inspection without fee by all persons during ordinary office hours; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of such lands should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of the said lands, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Town Clerk, Borough of Onslow Office, Wellington.

*Schedule.*

Approximate Area of Parcel of Land to be taken.	Being Part of Sections No.	Coloured on Plan	Situated in District of
A. R. P.			
66 3 25	95, 94	Crimson ..	Ohariu.
13 3 36	95	Blue ..	"
26 0 15	107	Purple ..	"
17 3 0	3	Neutral tint ..	Porirua.
16 3 18	2	Red ..	"
7 3 23	2	Yellow ..	"
4 0 0	128	Brown ..	Ohariu.
1 0 29	2	Green ..	Porirua.

In the Land District of Wellington; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan above mentioned.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 24th day of October, 1907.

HENRY ABRAHAM,  
Town Clerk.

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**SCHOOL FOR DEAF-MUTES, SUMNER, NEAR CHRISTCHURCH.**

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