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*Cancelling Part of Proclamation taking Land for a Further Portion of the Section of the Midland Railway between Otarama and Jackson—namely, Staircase-Cass Section—and for Road-diversions in connection therewith.*

(L.S.)

PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the twenty-third section of "The Public Works Act, 1905," it is enacted that in any case where a Proclamation has been issued taking land for any public work, and where before such Proclamation has been registered by the District Land Registrar it is found that such Proclamation incorrectly describes the land purporting to be taken, or that any other error in form or substance exists in or in relation to such Proclamation, the Governor may by a subsequent Proclamation cancel and annul such first-mentioned Proclamation, or any part thereof: And whereas an error in form or substance exists in or in relation to a Proclamation made under "The Public Works Act, 1905," dated the twelfth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seven, taking land for a further portion of the section of the Midland Railway between Otarama and Jackson—namely, Staircase-Cass Section—and for road-diversions in connection therewith, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and such Proclamation has not been registered by the District Land Registrar as provided 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 vested in me by "The Public Works Act, 1905," do by this Proclamation hereby cancel and annul that part of the said Proclamation dated the twelfth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seven, taking the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

The several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land comprised in Part of Proclamation cancelled.	Being Portion of	Coloured on Plan	Sheet No. of Plan P.W.D. 22544.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 57 3 33	Education Reserve 1577	Brown	7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14	XI, VII, and VI	Grasmere.
22 1 32	Education Reserve 1577	Brown	14, 15, 16, 17	VI, II, and I	Grasmere.

All in the Land District of Canterbury; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 22544, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Cancelling Part of a Proclamation taking Land for a Portion of the Lawrence-Roxburgh Railway, and for Road-diversions in connection therewith.*

(L.S.)

PLUNKET, Governor.

## A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the twenty-third section of "The Public Works Act, 1905," it is enacted that in any case where a Proclamation has been issued taking land for any public work, and where before such Proclamation has been registered by the District Land Registrar it is found that such Proclamation incorrectly describes the land purporting to be taken, or that any other error in form or substance exists in or in relation to such Proclamation, the Governor may by a subsequent Proclamation cancel and annul such first-mentioned Proclamation, or any part thereof: And whereas a Proclamation made under "The Public Works Act, 1905," dated the sixteenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seven, taking land for a further portion of the Lawrence-Roxburgh Railway, and for road-diversions in connection therewith, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-first day of the same month, incorrectly describes a part of the land mentioned in the Schedule thereto, and such Proclamation has not been registered by the District Land Registrar as provided 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 vested in me by "The Public Works Act, 1905," do by this Proclamation hereby cancel and annul that part of the said Proclamation dated the sixteenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-first day of the same month, taking the land described in the Schedule hereto.

## SCHEDULE.

The several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land comprised in Part of Proclamation cancelled.	Being Portion of	Coloured on Plan	Sheet No. of Plan P.W.D. 23013.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the
A. B. P. 12 0 17	Sections 49, 66, 57, 56, 68, 52, 53 ..	Yellow	6 and 7	III	Tuapeka West Survey District.
0 0 27	Section 38 .. .. .	Orange	7	III	Tuapeka West Survey District.

All in the Land District of Otago; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 23013, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for a Further Portion of the Midland Railway (Portion of Extension from Reefton to Inangahua).*

(L.S.)

PLUNKET, Governor.

## A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a further portion of the Midland Railway—namely, portion of the extension from Reefton to Inangahua:

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by section one hundred and eighty-eight of "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the further portion of the said railway hereinbefore specified.

## SCHEDULE.

The parcel of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Coloured on Plan	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. B. P. 2 2 29	Section No. 251 (Abattoir Reserve) ..	Red ..	XIII	Reefton.

In the Land District of Nelson; as the same is particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 23351, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Additional Lands taken at Abbotsford for the Purposes of the Waitaki-Bluff Railway, and for a Road in connection therewith.*

(L.S.)

PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Waitaki-Bluff Railway to take further lands at Abbotsford, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway, and to take lands for a road in connection therewith:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections twenty-nine and one hundred and eighty eight of "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

The parcels of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
<b>FOR RAILWAY.</b>			
A. R. P.			
0 1 16.5	Part Allotment 33, Block B, Township of Kingston .. .. .	V	Lower Kaikorai.
0 1 32.7	Part Neill Street .. .. .	V	Lower Kaikorai.
0 0 35.1	Part Allotment 13, Block C, Township of Kingston .. .. .	V	Lower Kaikorai.
0 0 18.9	Part Runciman Street .. .. .	V	Lower Kaikorai.
<b>FOR ROAD.</b>			
0 1 24.5	Part Allotment 5, Block C, Township of Kingston .. .. .	V	Lower Kaikorai.
0 0 0.8	Part Allotment 30, Block C, Township of Kingston .. .. .	V	Lower Kaikorai.
0 0 16.3	Part Allotment 29, Block C, Township of Kingston .. .. .	V	Lower Kaikorai.
0 0 16.3	Part Allotment 28, Block C, Township of Kingston .. .. .	V	Lower Kaikorai.
0 0 17.5	Part Allotment 27, Block C, Township of Kingston .. .. .	V	Lower Kaikorai.
0 0 35.8	Part Allotment 26, Block C, Township of Kingston .. .. .	V	Lower Kaikorai.

All in the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked 16282, deposited in the office of the Minister for Railways, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured blue, green, sepia, and yellow.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister for Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Additional Land in Block II, Reefton Survey District, taken for the Midland Railway (Extension from Reefton to Inangahua).*

(L.S.)

PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Midland Railway (extension from Reefton to Inangahua) to take further land in Block II, Reefton Survey District, in addition to land previously acquired for the said railway:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections twenty-nine and one hundred and eighty-eight of "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes hereinbefore specified.

SCHEDULE.

The parcel of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P.			
4 1 17	Section No. 174 (Square 131)	II	Reefton.

In the Land District of Nelson; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 23315,

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

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

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for a Further Portion of the Ngahere-Blackball Railway, and for a Road-diversion in connection therewith.*

(L.S.)

PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a further portion of the Ngahere-Blackball Railway, and for a road-diversion in connection therewith:

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

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

the powers and authorities conferred on me by section one hundred and eighty-eight of "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for a further portion of the aforesaid line of railway and for the said road-diversion.

#### SCHEDULE.

The parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Coloured on Plan	Sheet No. of Plan.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
<b>FOR RAILWAY.</b>					
A. R. P.					
17 1 37	Section No. 3	Purple	2	II	Mawheranui.
11 3 21	Section No. 3	Purple	3	II	Mawheranui.
2 0 36	Road	Green	3	II	Mawheranui.
<b>FOR ROAD-DIVERSION.</b>					
2 0 32	Section No. 3	Sepia	3	II	Mawheranui.

All in the Land District of Westland; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked P.W.D. 22508, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister for Public Works.  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in Block II, Te Mata Survey District, taken for the Purposes of a Public School.

(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 public work, to wit, the construction of a public school at Pakipaki:

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

And whereas the Education Board of Hawke's Bay has laid before the Governor the memorial, accompanied by a map, as required by "The Public Works Act, 1905":

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers of "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purpose of the said public school as aforesaid, and shall, as from the date hereinafter specified, vest in the Education Board of Hawke's Bay; and it is hereby declared that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

#### SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Part of	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the
A. R. P.			
3 0 0	Kakiraawa No. 2 Block	II	Te Mata Survey District.

In the Land District of Hawke's Bay; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 23450, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works,

at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister for Public Works.  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in the Borough of Sumner taken for the Purposes of a Rifle Range.

(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 rifle range:

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the 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 this behalf, do hereby proclaim that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a rifle range as aforesaid; and it is hereby declared that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the seventeenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

#### SCHEDULE.

The parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in the
A. R. P.		
0 0 20.75	Crown land (closed road in Rural Section 158)	Borough of Sumner.

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 23350, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister for Public Works.  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands taken for Roads in Blocks XI, XII, and XV, Gore Survey District, Sounds County.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

#### A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, with the consent of the owners, lessees, and mortgagees of the lands hereinafter mentioned, do by this notice hereby proclaim as taken for a road the lands in Gore Survey District hereinafter described, that is to say,—

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Lands taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. B. P. 3 2 0	32	XII	Gore ..	R. 1279	Red.
5 2 0	42	XI	" ..	"	Green.
1 0 16	41	"	" ..	"	Yellow.
1 3 28	41	"	" ..	"	"
15 2 39	40	"	" ..	"	Green.
3 0 11	38	"	" ..	"	Yellow.
15 3 8	37	"	" ..	"	Red.
6 3 33	2	XV	" ..	"	Green.

All in the Marlborough 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 fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eight.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands taken for a Road in Block X, Waitemata Survey District, Parish of Waipareira, Waitemata County.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, with the consent of the owners and lessees of the lands hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Waitemata 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 Waitemata Survey District hereinafter described, that is to say, —

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Lands taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. B. P. 0 1 18	Subdiv. Lot 13 of Original Sec. 41, Waipareira Ph.	X	Waitemata	R. 9750	Purple.
0 2 18.7	Subdiv. Lot 14 of Original Sec. 41, Waipareira Ph.	"	"	"	"
5 3 27.8	Sec. 2A, Waipareira Ph.	"	"	"	Pink.
3 1 33.6	Sec. 1A, Waipareira Ph.	"	"	"	"
2 1 23.7	Section 108, Waipareira Ph.	"	"	"	Purple.
2 1 24.1	Sec. 61, Waipareira Ph.	"	"	"	"
3 0 8.7	Lot 20 of subdiv. of Brigham's O. L. C. 1248, Waipareira Ph.	"	"	"	Yellow.

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 fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eight.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands taken for a Road in Blocks IX, XIII, and XIV, Aohanga Survey District, Akitio and Castlepoint Counties.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section thirteen of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, with the consent of the owners and mortgagees of the lands hereinafter mentioned, and with the consent of the Akitio and Castlepoint County Councils, being the local authorities in whose districts the said lands are situated, do by this notice hereby proclaim as taken for a road the lands in Aohanga Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 15 1 22	{ 817 218 217 480	{ IX " XIII XIII	Aohanga ..	R. 1054	Purple.
27 0 7	{ 485 484 489 490	{ " XIV "	" ..	"	Pink.

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

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands taken for Road-deviation (Stony Bay Road), Blocks IV and VI, Gough's Survey District.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1905," for a certain work, to wit, for the purpose of deviating the Stony Bay Road, Blocks IV and VI, Gough's Survey District:

And whereas the Akaroa and Wainui 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 lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are 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. 0 3 2	16708	IV	Gough's	R. 8049	Red.
0 0 11					
2 3 22	10713	"	"	"	"
1 1 27					
0 0 27	16708	"	"	"	"
1 0 17					
0 1 21	21680	"	"	"	"
0 2 6					
2 0 4	18873	"	"	"	"
1 3 3					
3 1 30	22819, 21680	"	"	"	"
3 2 15					
4 0 15	22821, 21680, 22822	"	"	"	"
9 0 17					
5 1 30	22822, 29195, 21682/1/4, 22824, 21684, 21678	IV & VI	"	"	"
1 0 21					
8 3 27	Lot 2, D.P. 2222, 21678	"	"	"	"

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

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for a Road through Part of Section 3, Block VII, Township of Taihape.

(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 purposes of a road in Block VII, Township of Taihape:

And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to issue a Proclamation taking the land, 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 to be taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 18.3	3	VII	Township of Taihape	R. 8728	Red.

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

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XV, Matakohe Survey District, Otamatea 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 the purposes of a road:

And whereas the Otamatea 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 and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that, 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 Part of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 2 35	89, Parish of Paparoa	XV	Matakohe	R. 9765	Pink.

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

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks II and VI, Pohangina Survey District, Pohangina County.

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

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land proclaimed as Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
6 1 11	5	VI	Pohangina	R. 9262	Red.
0 0 35	6	"	"	"	Blue.
3 2 23	9	"	"	"	"
0 3 5	13	II	"	"	Red.
2 2 1	13	"	"	"	"
0 0 0.7	13	"	"	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
0 0 0.5	5	VI	Pohangina	R. 9262	Green.
9 0 25	1, 2, 3	II	"	"	"
	5	VI	"	"	"
1 1 37	6 and 9	"	"	"	"
4 3 33	3	II	"	"	"
	9	VI	"	"	"
0 3 5	10, 13	II	"	"	"
7 0 11	10, 13	"	"	"	"
0 0 1	13	"	"	"	"
0 0 0.3	9	VI	"	"	"

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

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks IV, V, and XII, Hillend, and I, Waitahuna East Survey Districts, Bruce 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 Bruce County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Hillend and Waitahuna Survey Districts described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road first hereinbefore proclaimed.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of Lands hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Sections	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
7 0 37.1	29, 1 of 30, and 31	IV	Hillend	R. 6240A	Red.
1 1 35.3	32	"	"	"	"
1 1 5.7	31	"	"	"	"
4 3 19	13 and 12	V	"	R. 6240	"
8 3 33.6	18, 19, 20, 1 of 21, and 2	"	"	"	"
2 2 4.2	2	"	"	"	"
1 1 20.1	39, 40, 2, and 1	"	"	"	"
1 0 6	2, 1, and 41	"	"	"	"
0 1 32	41	"	"	"	"
2 1 9.4	42, 43, and 1	"	"	"	"
1 1 1.1	12	I	Waitahuna East Ditto	"	"
0 0 11	12	"	"	"	"
19 0 3	46 to 58, and 39, 38, 37, 36	V	Hillend	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Passing through or abutting on Sections	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
5 2 0.9	22, 23, 24, 25, 29, 1 of 30, and 31	IV	Hillend	R. 6240A	Green.
0 1 29.5	31 and 32	"	"	"	"
0 2 8	31 and 32	"	"	"	"
4 1 32.6	13 and 14	V	"	R. 6240	"
4 2 16	2 of 16, 1 of 16, 22, 23, and 17	"	"	"	"
4 1 25.5	23 to 35 and 54 to 63	"	"	"	"
0 2 1.6	58 and 59	"	"	"	"
2 1 8	40 to 46 and 47 to 52	"	"	"	"
0 2 11	41 and 42	"	"	"	"
0 0 18.4	41 and 42	"	"	"	"
1 0 15.1	2 and 36 to 39	"	"	"	"
0 2 32.8	2 and 3	"	"	"	"
0 2 27.6	10 and 20	"	"	"	"
4 3 25.9	12 to 15, and 2 of 16, 17, 18, 11, 12, 18, 19, 9 and 10	"	"	"	"
8 3 38	1	IV	"	"	"
10 2 32	2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8	V	"	"	"
	2	XII	"	"	"
1 0 20	2	V	"	"	"
0 1 24.8	2, 39, and 40	"	"	"	"
0 1 1.6	1 and 41	"	"	"	"
0 3 4	41 and 1	"	"	"	"
2 2 1.6	2 and 35 and 36	"	"	"	"
1 0 19.7	1, 45, 46	V	"	"	"
	12	I	Waitahuna East Ditto	"	"
0 2 7	12	"	"	"	"

All in the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and

coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block I, Pohangina Survey District, Kiwitea County.*

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

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 3 0 37	271	I	Pohangina	R. 9655	Pink.
1 1 17	271	"	"	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Being on Frontage of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 3 11.7	271	I	Pohangina	R. 9655	Green.
0 2 2.8	271	"	"	"	"

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

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Stopping Government Road in Kaitieke Survey District, Waimarino County.*

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

WHEREAS by section one hundred and thirty-three, subsection (c), of "The Public Works Act, 1905," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Proclamation publicly notified, stop or alter the course of any Government road or any part thereof:

And whereas the road described in the Schedule hereto is no longer required for the purpose of a road in Block XI, Kaitieke Survey District:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the above-in-part-recited Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim as stopped the road in Block XI, Kaitieke Survey District, described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Road stopped.	Being on Portage of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 1 24	5	XI	Kaitieke	R. 1922	Bordered green.
1 1 15	5	"	"	"	Ditto.

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

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Constituting the Town District of Huntly, in the County of Waikato.*

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

WHEREAS it is enacted by "The Town Districts Act, 1904," that, notwithstanding the repeal by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1886," of "The Town Districts Act, 1881," and "The Town Districts Act 1881 Amendment Act, 1883," the Governor may, in the manner prescribed by "The Town Districts Act, 1881," declare that any area wherein there are not less than fifty householders shall be a town district, and thereupon the last-mentioned Act, and also "The Town Districts Act 1881 Amendment Act, 1883," shall be in force in such town district: And whereas a petition has been presented to the Governor by the inhabitants within the area mentioned and described in the Schedule hereto, praying that such area may be constituted a town district under "The Town Districts Act, 1881": And whereas the number of householders within such area is not less than fifty:

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 Town Districts Act, 1904," and "The Town Districts Act, 1881," and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the said area shall be a town district, and the same is hereby constituted a town district under "The Town Districts Act, 1881," by the name of the Huntly Town District. And in



further pursuance and exercise of the said powers I do hereby proclaim, declare, and appoint that the Board of Commissioners for the said district shall consist of five members.

**SCHEDULE.**

**HUNTLY TOWN DISTRICT.**

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, situated in the Rangiriri Survey District, bounded towards the north-east by the road forming the north-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 14b, 14, and 13, Taupiri Parish, to the eastern-most corner of the last-mentioned section; thence towards the east by the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 13, 10, 8, and 2, Taupiri Parish, to a public road; thence across that road to the north-eastern corner of Section No. 50; thence by the eastern boundary of the said Section No. 50 to Lake Hakanoa; thence by that lake, the western boundaries of Sections Nos. 51, 52, across a road, the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 53, 54, 55, 56, across a road, and the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 57, 58, and 59, Taupiri Parish, to the south-eastern corner of the last-mentioned section; thence towards the south by the southern boundary of that section, crossing the railway-line and a public road to the Waikato River; and thence towards the west generally by the Waikato River to the place of commencement.

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 fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eight.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Number of Councillors to be elected to Waipawa Borough Council, Arrangements for First Election, and Meeting of that Council.*

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

**A PROCLAMATION.**

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the Borough of Waipawa, as constituted by the Waipawa Borough Act, 1907, shall be an undivided borough, and that the number of Councillors to be elected for the said borough shall be eight, exclusive of the Mayor.

And I do further proclaim and declare that James Crouch Taylor, of Waipawa, shall be the Returning Officer to conduct the first election of Mayor and Councillors of the said borough, and also the Town Clerk, and the person to prepare the district electors roll for the purposes of the said first election.

And, lastly, I do proclaim and declare that the first election of Mayor and Councillors of the said borough shall be held on Wednesday, the sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and that the first meeting of the Council of the said borough shall be held on Wednesday, the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eight, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the Waipawa Town Board Office, at Waipawa.

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 fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eight.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

B

*Resuming Land held under Pastoral License for the Purpose of a Site for a Township.*

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

**A PROCLAMATION.**

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

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land which is held under pastoral license from His Majesty the King under Part VI of the said Act:

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required for a public purpose—that is to say, for the purpose of a site for a township:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Land Act, 1892," and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby proclaim and declare that I hereby resume possession of the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto for the public purpose hereinbefore mentioned, the same being part of the land held under pastoral license as aforesaid; and do also hereby proclaim and declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on the ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

**SCHEDULE.**

Approximate Area of Land required to be resumed.	Being Portion of Run No.	Situated in Blocks Nos.	Survey District.	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 150 0 0	2	XI & XII	Karioi ..	S.G. 58316/1	Red.

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

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

**A PROCLAMATION.**

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—PUNIŪ SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
2	V	191	0	0
8	"	165	0	18
1A	VI	100	0	0
3	"	166	0	20

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 fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Consenting to Lands being taken for a Road through Native Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Public Works Act, 1905," it is, in section ninety-four thereof, enacted that there shall not be taken any land occupied by any pa, village, or cultivation, or any buildings, gardens, orchards, plantations, or any burial or ornamental grounds, without the previous consent of the Governor in Council:

And whereas the consent of the Governor in Council is required to the taking of land for the purpose of a road through the lands described in the Schedule hereto, which is occupied by a Native cultivation:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the lands described in the Schedule hereto being taken for the purpose of a road.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of Lands required to be taken.	Being Portions of	Situated in Block	Coloured on Plan.
A. R. P. 0 3 36 0 0 35	Ohura South Block, Section 2N	II, Piopiotea S.D.	Eged red.

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same are delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57198/4, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above stated.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Native Land in Waipakura Survey District taken for the Purposes of Public Buildings.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is Native land and is required to be taken for the purposes of public buildings:

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

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby proclaim and declare that the land shown upon such map and described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for public buildings as aforesaid; and the said land shall vest in His Majesty the King, as from the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

SCHEDULE.

The parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 15 1 32	Section No. 3, part of Te Tuhi No. 3B Block	II	Waipakura.

In the Land District of Wellington; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 23497, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to Land in the City of Christchurch being taken for Public Buildings.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Public Works Act, 1905," it is, in section fifteen thereof, *inter alia*, enacted that, except for the purpose of a railway or for defence purposes, or for the purposes of any other public work to be made under the authority of a special Act, there shall not be taken any land occupied by any building, yard, garden, orchard, or vineyard, or in *bona fide* occupation as an ornamental park or pleasure-ground, without the previous consent of the Governor in Council:

And whereas the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken under the said Act for public buildings: And whereas the said land is occupied by buildings and yards, and it is expedient to give such consent as aforesaid:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby consent to the land described in the Schedule hereto being taken for public buildings purposes as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

The parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land permitted to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in the
A. R. P. 0 1 35.6	Town Sections 739, 741, 743, and 745	City of Christchurch.

In the Land District of Canterbury; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 23364, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Regulations for the Classification and Regulation of the Post and Telegraph Department.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the twentieth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the thirtieth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seven, regulations were made under the authority of "The Post and Telegraph Classification and Regulation Act, 1890," and "The Post and Telegraph Classification and Regulation Act Amendment Act, 1891" (hereinafter termed "the said Acts"), and of the other Acts therein mentioned, for the purposes of the classification and regulation of the Post and Telegraph Department of the Civil Service, and it is expedient to alter and amend such regulations in the manner hereinafter mentioned :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the authority vested in him by the said Acts, and all other authorities in that behalf enabling him, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke Regulation No. 43 of the said Order in Council, and doth order that such revocation shall have effect on and after the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Revoking Order in Council fixing Dues for Wharves, Opotiki Harbour, and fixing other Dues in lieu thereof.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by "The Harbours Act, 1878" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), that in harbours where there is no Harbour Board the Governor in Council shall have all the powers, functions, duties, and authorities by the said Act conferred upon Harbour Boards, and may, in cases where such powers would be exercised under by-laws to be made by a Board, exercise the same under regulations to be made in manner provided in section two hundred and twelve of the said Act: And whereas there is no Harbour Board having jurisdiction in the Harbour of Opotiki :

And whereas by Order in Council dated the twenty-first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and four, the dues and rates specified in the Schedule thereto were prescribed for the use of the wharves in Opotiki Harbour :

And whereas it is desirable that the said Order in Council of the twenty-first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and four, should be revoked, and that other dues and rates should be prescribed for the use of the said wharves :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by "The Harbours Act, 1878," "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1879," and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby revoke the said Order in Council of the twenty-first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and four, and doth hereby prescribe that the dues and rates set forth in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of the publication of this Order in Council in the *New Zealand Gazette*, be charged and taken by the Opotiki Town Board for the use of the said wharves.

SCHEDULE.

BERTHAGE.

s. d.

For vessels hauling alongside any wharf or landing-place or any part of the foreshore, per day or part of a day, per ton of registered tonnage .. 0 0½  
Vessels when bar-bound at Opotiki to be charged for three days only.  
(Sailing-vessels in all cases to make way for steamers.)

STORAGE.

For Goods, &c., stored in the Wharf-shed.

Incoming Cargo.

Free storage for forty-eight hours.  
After forty-eight hours, per ton, per day or part of a day .. 0 6  
Parcels, after forty-eight hours, each, per day or part of a day .. 0 3

Outgoing Cargo.

Free storage in all cases for seven days.  
Grain—  
Over seven days and up to twenty-one days, per sack, per week or part of a week .. 0 0½  
Over twenty-one days, per sack, per week or part of a week .. 0 2  
Potatoes, same rate as grain.  
Wool—  
Over seven days to twenty-one days, per bale, per week or part of a week .. 0 3  
Over twenty-one days, per bale, per week or part of a week .. 0 6  
Chaff, one-half grain rate.  
All other outgoing cargo, over seven days, per ton, per day or part of a day .. 0 6

Any cargo, incoming or outgoing, may be ordered to be removed from the shed at any time.

WHARFAGE.

For Goods, &c., landed on or shipped from any Wharf or Landing-place or any part of the Foreshore: To be charged by Weight or Measurement.

	s.	d.
General cargo, incoming or outgoing (with the exceptions hereinafter mentioned), per ton ..	1	0
Grain (all), per sack ..	0	1
Chaff, per sack ..	0	0½
Potatoes, per sack ..	0	1
Butter (up to three boxes), per box ..	0	1
Butter (over three boxes), per box ..	0	0½
Sheep and lambs, per head ..	0	1
Cattle, per head ..	1	0
Calves (under ten months old), per head ..	0	3
Horses, per head ..	1	0
Pigs (dead or alive), per head ..	0	1
Poultry (dead or alive), per dozen ..	0	3
Hides, each ..	0	1
Skins, per dozen ..	0	3
Wool, per bale ..	0	6
Vehicles (two-wheeled), each ..	1	0
Vehicles (four-wheeled), each ..	1	6
Ploughs (double-furrow), each ..	1	0
Ploughs (single-furrow), each ..	0	6
Harrows (tine), each ..	0	6
Harrows (disc), each ..	1	0
Rollers (Cambridge) ..	1	0
Other machinery (all), per ton ..	1	0
Timber, per 100 ft. superficial ..	0	2
Bricks, per 100 ..	0	3
Manure ..	Free.	
Coal, per ton ..	0	6
Lime and cement, per ton ..	1	0
Flax, per bale ..	0	3
Tow, per bale ..	0	1
Tanks (empty), each ..	1	0
Spirits and wine (all), per ton measurement ..	2	0
Return empties (in or out) ..	Free.	
Furniture (outgoing) ..	Free.	
Personal luggage up to ½ ton ..	Free.	
Personal luggage over ½ ton ..	1	0
Parcels (not exceeding 2 cubic feet), each ..	0	3
Parcels (over 2 and under 10 cubic feet), each ..	0	6
Parcels (over 10 cubic feet), per ton ..	1	0
Minimum charge in all cases ..	0	3

All charges to be paid before goods are delivered.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Declaring that the Waiapu County Council shall exercise the Powers of a Harbour Board, and defining the Limits of the Port or Harbour of Tokomaru Bay.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is, among other things, provided by section two hundred and forty-two of "The Counties Act, 1886," that, in any place where there is no Harbour Board, the Governor, on the request of the Council of any county bordering on any estuary or arm of the sea, may, by Order in Council duly gazetted, declare that such Council shall, from a date to be fixed in such Order, exercise all the powers of a Harbour Board within such limits of such estuary or arm aforesaid as the Governor may define for that purpose:

And whereas the Council of the County of Waiapu, which borders on the Port or Harbour of Tokomaru Bay, in the Waiapu County, has requested that it may be declared that it shall exercise all the powers of a Harbour Board within such port or harbour:

And whereas it is desirable that such request should be acceded to, and that the limits of such port or harbour should be defined as hereinafter appears:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore recited power and authority, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that, from and after the first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eight, the said Council shall exercise the powers of a Harbour Board within the limits of the port or harbour hereinafter set forth, and which said port or harbour is called Tokomaru Bay Harbour.

And in further pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, His Excellency, with the advice and consent aforesaid, doth hereby define the limits of the said port or harbour within which the Council of the County of Waiapu is to exercise the powers aforesaid as follows, that is to say,—

All that area of the sea known as Tokomaru Bay, and covered by the sea at high water, lying between Kotunui Point on the north and Te Mawhai Point on the south, each of the said points being marked by a post having painted thereon the words "Tokomaru Harbour Boundary."

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Licensing E. T. Field, of Dargaville, to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark on Northern Wairoa River as a Site for a Wharf.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Edward Thurlow Field, of Dargaville (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark on Northern Wairoa River, in order to construct and maintain thereon a wharf; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fifty-sixth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," has deposited plans, in duplicate, in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, marked M.D. 3169 (two sheets), showing the place where it is intended to construct such wharf, the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied for such purpose, and the manner in which it is proposed to carry out the work: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plans have, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council: And whereas it is expedient that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensee on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

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

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark necessary for the construction of the wharf, as shown on plans M.D. 3169.

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

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

5. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom, and maintain at his 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.

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

7. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf in good order and repair.

8. 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 address of the licensee a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such wharf, requiring him, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, he shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

9. The licensee shall be liable for any injury which may be sustained by any vessel or boat in passing the wharf or by contact therewith, and which may be occasioned by any default or neglect on the licensee's part.

10. In case the licensee 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.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause three of these conditions; or
- (4.) Become bankrupt, or be in any manner brought under the operation of any law in force for the time being relating to bankruptcy,

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

11. The construction of the wharf shall be deemed to be an acceptance by the licensee of the conditions of this Order in Council.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Licensing Cornelius Gothard to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Whangaroa Harbour as a Site for a Stable.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Cornelius Gothard, of Whangaroa (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore of Whangaroa Harbour, in order to erect and maintain thereon a stable; 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. 3175) showing the place where it is intended to erect the same, and the area of foreshore intended to be occupied for such purpose: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council: And whereas it is expedient that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensee on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

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 purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee to use and occupy that part of the foreshore which is particularly shown and delineated on the plan so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of constructing or erecting thereon a stable; such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the following terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. THE concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore necessary for the erection of such stable, which is shown on the plan marked M.D. 3175, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department as aforesaid.

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

3. 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 stable without payment.

4. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned stable in good order and repair.

5. Any person authorised by the Minister may, at all reasonable times, enter upon the said stable and view the state of repair thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensee a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such stable, requiring him, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, he shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made: Provided that the licensee shall not allow any manure from the said stable to be deposited in, or permitted to find its way into, the waters of the Whangaroa Harbour.

6. Nothing herein contained shall authorise the licensee to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent 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.

7. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue in force for fourteen years from the date of this Order in Council, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered,

modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensee shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the written consent of the Minister first obtained.

8. 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 licensee three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the licensee.

9. In case the licensee shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 2 of these conditions;
- (3.) Cease to use the said stable for a period of thirty days;
- (4.) Become bankrupt or be in any manner brought under the operation of any law in force for the time being relating to bankruptcy,

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

10. 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.

11. The construction of the stable shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensee of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Licensing the Hobson County Council to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Northern Wairoa River, Kaipara Harbour.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, the Hobson County Council (hereinafter called "the Council") has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark of Tangiteroria, Northern Wairoa River, Kaipara Harbour, in order to erect and maintain thereon a wharf; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fifty-sixth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," has deposited a plan, in duplicate, in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 3163) showing the place where it is intended to erect such wharf, the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark to be occupied for such purpose, and the manner in which it is proposed to carry out such works: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed works will not be or tend to the injury of navigation; and the said plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council without modification or addition: And whereas it is expedient that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the Council on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

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 purpose or object for which the said license is required by the Council 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 Council to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark which are particularly shown and delineated on the plan marked M.D. 3163 so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of constructing or erecting thereon a wharf; such license to be held and enjoyed by the Council

upon and subject to the following terms and conditions, that is to say:—

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark necessary for the erection of such wharf, which is shown on the plan marked M.D. 3163, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department as aforesaid.

3. 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, over, and out of the said wharf without payment.

4. The Council shall complete the erection of the said wharf in accordance with the approved plan marked M.D. 3163, within eighteen calendar months from the date of this Order in Council.

5. The Council shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf in good order and repair.

6. 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 address of the Council 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 make good the same, the Council shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made, as the case may be.

7. Nothing herein contained shall authorise the Council to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent 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.

8. 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 Council shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the written consent of the Minister first obtained.

9. 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 Council three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the Council.

10. The Council shall be liable for any injury which the said wharf may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on the Council's part.

11. In case the Council shall—

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

(2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf for the purposes aforesaid,

then and in either of the said cases this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege thereby conferred, may be revoked and determined by the Governor in Council, without any notice to the Council 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 Council, 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.

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

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Licensing Walter Fowler to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Otago Harbour as a Site for a Shelter-shed.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Walter Fowler, of Vauxhall, magazine-keeper (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883"

(hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore in order to erect and maintain thereon a shelter-shed at the approach to the Powder-hulk Jetty, at Vauxhall, Otago Harbour; 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. 3166) showing the place in the said harbour where it is intended to erect such shelter-shed, and the area of foreshore intended to be occupied for such purpose: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council: And whereas it is expedient that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensee on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

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 with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee to use and occupy that part of the foreshore which is particularly shown and delineated on the plan marked M.D. 3166 so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of constructing or erecting thereon a shelter-shed; such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the following terms and conditions, that is to say,—

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore shown on the said plan marked M.D. 3166.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council, the licensee shall, on being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council, pay to the Minister the sum of two pounds ten shillings, and thereafter the annual sum of ten shillings, such annual payments to date from the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight; the first of such annual payments to be made on the licensee being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

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

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

6. The licensee shall be liable for any injury which may be sustained by any vessel or boat in passing the shed, or by contact with it, and which may be occasioned by any default or neglect on his part.

7. In case the licensee 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 shed for a period of thirty days;

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

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

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

8. The erection of the shed shall be deemed to be an acceptance by the licensee of the conditions of this Order in Council.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Licensing F. Iredale to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Awakino River as a Site for a Wharf and Shed, and prescribing Dues and Rates for the Use of such Wharf.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Frederick Iredale, of Awakino (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the said Act to occupy a part of the foreshore and the land below low-water mark immediately contiguous to such foreshore on the Awakino River, in order to erect and maintain thereon a wharf and the necessary shed in connection therewith; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fifty-sixth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," has deposited plans (two sheets) in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 3168) showing the manner in which it is proposed to construct such wharf and shed, the place where it is intended to erect the same, and the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied for such purpose: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plans have been approved by the Governor in Council without modification or addition: And whereas it is desirable to grant the said license:

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 purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and of the land below low-water mark immediately contiguous thereto which is particularly shown and delineated on the plans so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of erecting the aforesaid wharf and shed in connection therewith; such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the First Schedule hereto; and doth hereby prescribe the dues and rates set forth in the Second Schedule hereto to be taken by the licensee for the use of the said wharf.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

1. THE concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the parts of the foreshore and of the land below low-water mark necessary for the erection of such wharf and shed, as shown on the plan marked M.D. 3168 (sheet 1), and deposited in the office of the Marine Department as aforesaid.

2. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council, the licensee shall, on being supplied with a copy thereof, pay to the Minister the sum of two pounds ten shillings, and thereafter an annual sum of one pound, payable on the 1st day of April; the first of such annual payments to be made on the licensee being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

3. All His Majesty's subjects shall at all reasonable times, upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the wharf and shed, and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

4. 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 wharf and shed without payment.

5. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf and shed in good order and repair; and shall at all times exhibit therefrom, and maintain at his 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.

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

7. Nothing herein contained shall authorise the licensee to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent 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.

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

9. 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 licensee three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister, and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the licensee in New Zealand.

10. The licensee shall be liable for any injury which the said wharf or shed may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on his part.

11. In case the licensee—

- (1.) Commits or suffers a breach of the conditions hereinafter set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Ceases to use or occupy the said wharf or shed;
- (3.) Becomes bankrupt, or is in any manner brought under the operations of any Act in force for the time being relating to bankruptcy; or
- (4.) Fails to pay the sums specified in clause 2 of these conditions,

then and in any such case this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege thereby conferred, may be revoked and determined by the Governor in Council without any notice to the licensee or other proceedings whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice of the fact to the licensee, and to all persons concerned or interested.

12. 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.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

GOODS WHARFAGE.

*Exported.*

	s.	d.
Butter, cheese, and other dairy-produce, in lots not less than 4 tons, per ton	1	0
Barley, per ton of 12 sacks, in lots not less than 3 tons, per ton	1	0
Bran, per ton of 20 sacks, in lots not less than 3 tons, per ton	1	0
Flour, per ton of 10 sacks, in lots not less than 3 tons, per ton	1	0
Grain, not otherwise specified, per ton of 10 sacks, in lots not less than 3 tons, per ton	1	0
Linseed, per ton weight, in lots not less than 3 tons, per ton	1	0
Malt, per ton of 10 sacks, in lots not less than 3 tons, per ton	1	0
Oats, per ton of 14 sacks, in lots not less than 3 tons, per ton	1	0
Pollard, per ton of 15 sacks, in lots not less than 3 tons, per ton	1	0
Potatoes, per ton of 12 sacks, in lots not less than 3 tons, per ton	1	0

*Imported or exported.*

Cattle, each, not to include labour	1	0
Cattle, under two years, each, not to include labour	0	9
Calves, each, not to include labour	0	6
Horses, each, not to include labour	2	0
Sheep (stores), each, not to include labour	0	1
Lambs, each, not to include labour	0	0½
Flour (imported only), per ton of 10 sacks, without labour, per ton	1	6
Fungus, 8 bags to be charged as one bale	0	6
Hides, per sack	0	3
Lime, per ton, in quantities of 5 tons, no labour	0	6
Lime, per ton of 10 sacks	1	6
Timber, per 100 ft., in quantities of 5,000 ft. and upwards	0	2
Wool, per bale, undumped	0	6
Wool, per bale, dumped	0	4½
Parcels, each	0	3
Single packages, 2 tons in weight and over, as specially arranged.		

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Thermal-springs Reserve in Hawke's Bay Land District brought under "The Tourist and Health Resorts Control Act, 1906."*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the sixth section of "The Tourist and Health Resorts Control Act, 1906," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the reserve for thermal springs in the Hawke's Bay Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of "The Tourist and Health Resorts Control Act, 1906"; and such reserve shall hereafter be administered in manner directed by the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 16 acres 2 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block VI, Tarawera Survey District. Bounded towards the north by the Totara-o-kina Block, 300 links; towards the east by the Waipunga River; towards the south partly by Section No. 2, Block VI aforesaid, and partly by the abutment of a public road, 2250.3 links; and towards the west by Pastoral Run No. 16, 1952.5 links, to the starting-point: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57986/3, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Changing the Purpose of a Portion of a Reserve in the Hawke's Bay Land District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of a reserve heretofore duly set apart for a site for Provincial Government offices, being a reserve within Class I of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881":

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the fourth section of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," doth hereby declare that the said land shall, from and after the date hereof, be appropriated for purposes of internal communication under Class I of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881."

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, being part of Suburban Section No. 93, Town of Napier, containing 1 rood 6 perches, more or less, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point being the north-west corner of the said Suburban Section No. 93, and bounded towards the north by Shakespeare Road, 667.9 links; towards the east by Hastings Street, 100 links; towards the south-east by Browning Street, 19.77 links; towards the west and south-west by other part of the said Suburban Section No. 93, 56.15, 23.8, 92.2, and 528.2 links; and towards the west by Napier Suburban Section No. 64, 55.6 links, to the commencing-point: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 58048/5, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red and blue.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Boundaries of Borough of Hastings altered.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to the Governor, under section one hundred and seventy-six of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," praying the Governor to alter the boundaries of the Borough of Hastings by excluding therefrom the area described in the Schedule hereto, and to include the said area in the Heretaunga Riding of the County of Hawke's Bay: And whereas a notice showing the proposed alteration in boundaries of the said borough has been gazetted and publicly notified, and objections in writing against such alteration were lodged by the Borough Council of the Borough of Hastings: And whereas such objections have been duly considered, and it is deemed expedient to make the alterations prayed for in the said petition:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that, as on and from the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight, the area described in the Schedule hereto shall be excluded from the Borough of Hastings, and shall be included in the Heretaunga Riding of the County of Hawke's Bay.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, being the south-eastern portion of the Borough of Hastings, lying to the south-east of a line running along the south-eastern side of Norton Road from the south-western boundary of the borough to the Hastings-Havelock Road; thence across that road to the southernmost corner of Allotment No. 17; thence along the south-eastern boundaries of Allotments Nos. 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, and 39, and the abutment of Park Terrace to Louie Street; thence across Louie Street to the southernmost corner of Allotment No. 63; thence along the south-eastern boundary of Allotment No. 63 and across a drain to the south-western boundary of Allotment No. 80; thence along the south-western boundary of the said Allotment No. 80 to its southernmost corner; thence along the south-eastern boundaries of Allotments Nos. 80, 81, and 82 to Ada Street; thence across Ada Street to the westernmost corner of Allotment No. 83; thence along the north-western boundary of the last-mentioned allotment, the south-eastern boundary of Allotment No. 158, the abutment of a road, and along the south-eastern boundaries of Allotments Nos. 159 and 7 to the north-eastern boundary of the borough.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Boundaries of Borough of Karori and City of Wellington altered.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this second day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to the Governor, under section one hundred and seventy-six of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1900," praying the Governor to alter the boundaries of the City of Wellington and of the Borough of Karori by excluding from the said Borough of Karori the area mentioned in the said petition and including it in the said City of Wellington: And whereas a notice showing the proposed alteration in boundaries of the said city and the said borough has been gazetted and publicly notified, and objections in writing against such alteration were lodged by the Karori Borough Council: And whereas such objections have been duly considered, and it is deemed expedient to include in the said City of Wellington a part only of the area mentioned in the said petition and notice:



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

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District bounded by a line commencing on the Kaiwarra Stream at the south-western corner of Section No. 1, Block VI, Port Nicholson Survey District; thence easterly along the southern boundary of that section to its south-eastern corner; thence north-easterly along the south-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 1 and 2, Block VI aforesaid, to the western boundary of the City of Wellington; thence generally southerly along the western boundary of the City of Wellington to the Kaiwarra Stream; and thence northerly along the eastern bank of the Kaiwarra Stream to the place of commencement.

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

*Validating Election of a Member of Board of Parihaka Road District, County of Egmont.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the ratepayers of the Parihaka Road District failed to elect a member of the Board within the time prescribed by "The Road Boards Act, 1882," and such member was not elected for the said district until the twelfth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and it is expedient to validate such election:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of the powers vested in him by the said "Road Boards Act, 1882," doth hereby validate the above-mentioned election, and doth declare that the person elected on the twelfth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, as a member of the Board of the Parihaka Road District shall be a member of the Board of the said district in the same manner as if such election had been regularly held.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Validating the Special Order making the Special Rate in connection with the Loan of £1,400 to metal the Wangaeahu Road, applied for by the Masterton County Council.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this second day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Masterton County Council lately proposed to raise a loan of one thousand four hundred pounds, under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for the purpose of metalling the Wangaeahu Road in the said county: And whereas the ratepayers interested in the said loan, by consent in writing, authorised the Council of the said county, for the purposes of the said loan, to make and levy

a special rate of twenty-three hundredths of a penny in the pound on the rateable values of the properties included in the special-rating area for the said loan: And whereas, in place of making and levying the rate mentioned in the said consent, the said Council made and levied a special rate of nine-fortieths of a penny in the pound on the said rateable values, which last-mentioned rate yielded less than the special rate authorised, but still sufficient to meet the interest and other charges on the said loan: And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by the irregularity, and it is expedient to validate the said special order:

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 said special order making the said special rate of nine-fortieths of a penny in the pound, and doth hereby order and declare that the said special order shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

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

*Exempting Portion of Jefferson Street, Brooklyn, 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 Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING 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 eleventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, the Council of the City of Wellington, being the local authority having control of the portion of Jefferson Street, Brooklyn, described in the Schedule hereto, did by resolution declare that the provisions of the said section one hundred and seventeen should not apply to such portion:

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 portion of the said street hereinafter mentioned within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of such portion.

#### SCHEDULE.

THAT portion of Jefferson Street, Brooklyn, in the City of Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, to which Sections 56, 57, 58, 59, 123, and 124 have frontages; as the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 9377, 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 Portions of Washington Avenue and Garfield Street, 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 Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING 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 eleventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, the Council of the City of Wellington, the local authority having control of the streets known as Washington Avenue and Garfield Street, being the streets 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 streets:

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 streets within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said streets.

SCHEDULE.

THAT portion of street known as Washington Avenue, in the City of Wellington, fronting Sections 176 and 175 on the one side and Sections 145 and 144 on the opposite side.

Also that portion of street known as Garfield Street, in the City of Wellington, fronting Section 144 on the one side and Section 143 on the other side.

As the said portions of streets are more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 5647/XI, 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 Part of Dawson and Hine Streets, Borough of New Plymouth, from the Provisions of Section 117 of "The Public Works Act, 1905."*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING 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 twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eight, the Council of the Borough of New Plymouth, the local authority having control of the portions of the streets known as Dawson and Hine Streets 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 streets:

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 in so far as it affects the portions of the said streets as are described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

THAT part of the street known as Dawson Street, in the Borough of New Plymouth, commencing at the intersection of Dawson and St. Aubyn Street in the said borough, and extending in a northerly direction, a distance of 4 chains or thereabouts, to its junction with Hine Street.

Also that part of the street known as Hine Street from its junction with Dawson Street, and extending westerly 2½ chains or thereabouts.

As the said streets are more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 9722, 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.

*Declaring Kinloch Settlement Roads, in the Little River Road District, Akaroa County, to be District Roads.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Kinloch Settlement, in the Canterbury Land District, Little River Road District, Akaroa County, known as the Summit Road, commencing on the sea-beach at the outlet of Lake Forsyth, Block V, Akaroa Survey District, and extending in a north-easterly direction through Section 14, and along the northern boundary of Sections 15 and 16, through Section 17, along the northern boundary of Sections 18 and 19, and terminating at its junction with the Teoka Road and Bossu Road in Block VI, Akaroa Survey District, being a distance of 5 miles 32 chains or thereabouts; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 6568, and deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

Also all that portion of road in the Kinloch Settlement, in the Canterbury Land District, Little River Road District, Akaroa County, known as the Bossu Road, commencing at the junction of the Teoka Road with the Summit Road, about 700 links to the westward of the north-west corner of Section 20, Block VI, Akaroa Survey District, and extending in a north-easterly direction along the northern boundary of Section 20, and terminating at the junction of the Gap Road with it, about 500 links to the eastward of the north-west corner of Section 21, Block VI, Akaroa Survey District, being a distance of 1 mile 16 chains or thereabouts; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 6568, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

Also all that portion of road in the Kinloch Settlement, in the Canterbury Land District, Little River Road District, Akaroa County, known as the Long Bay Road, commencing at the north-east corner of Section 18, Block V, Akaroa Survey District, where it branches off from the Summit Road, and extending in a south-westerly direction along the eastern boundary of Section 18 and through Section 25 to the sea-beach, thence still in Section 25 first in an easterly and then north-easterly and then southerly

direction to the south-east corner of Section 25, thence through Section 26 in a southerly and after that in a north-easterly direction to the head of Long Bay, thence in a north-easterly direction on the eastern side of Section 26 and through Section 23, and terminating at the north-west corner of Section 23, Block VI, Akaroa Survey District, being a distance of 6 miles 10 chains or thereabouts; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 6568, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

Also all that portion of road in the Kinloch Settlement, in the Canterbury Land District, Little River Road District, Akaroa County, being part of the Hikuraki Road, commencing at the south-east corner of Section 18, Block V, Akaroa Survey District, where it branches off from the Long Bay Road, and extending generally in a north-westerly direction along the southern boundary of Section 18, and terminating at a point about 300 links to the westward of the water-race reserve between Section 18 and 24, Block V, Akaroa Survey District, being a distance of 65 chains or thereabouts; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 6568, and deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

Also all that portion of road in the Kinloch Settlement, in the Canterbury Land District, Little River Road District, Akaroa County, being part of the Gap Road, commencing at its junction with the Bossu Road, about 500 links to the eastward of the north-west corner of Section 21, Block VI, Akaroa Survey District, and extending first in an easterly direction and then in a southerly direction and south-westerly direction along the northern and eastern boundaries of Section 21, and terminating at the junction of the Peraki Road with it, being a distance of 1 mile 77 chains or thereabouts; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 6568, and deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

Also all that portion of road in the Kinloch Settlement, in the Canterbury Land District, Little River Road District, Akaroa County, known as White's Road, commencing at its junction with the Bossu Road, at the north-east corner of Section 11, Block VI, Akaroa Survey District, and extending in a southerly direction along the eastern boundary of Section 11, and terminating at a point about 55 chains from the starting-point or thereabouts; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 6568, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

Also all that portion of road in the Kinloch Settlement, in the Canterbury Land District, Little River Road District, Akaroa County, being part of the Okute Road, commencing at a point at the south-western corner of Section 6, Block II, Akaroa Survey District, and extending generally in an easterly direction along the northern boundaries of Sections 9 and 10, and terminating at the north-east corner of Section 10, Block II, Akaroa Survey District, being a distance of 50 chains or thereabouts; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 6568, 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.

*Declaring Part of the Taihape-Waiouru Road, Upper Wanganui Road District, partly on the Boundary of Wanganui and Waimarino Counties, to be a District Road.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare

that the part of the road described in the Schedule hereto, known as the Taihape-Waiouru Road, shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be a district road.

#### SCHEDULE.

THAT portion of road in the Wellington Land District, Counties of Wanganui and Waimarino, known as the Taihape-Waiouru Road, commencing at the bridge crossing the Hautapu River in Block VIII, Maungakaretu Survey District, and proceeding generally in a northerly direction through Blocks VIII and IV, Maungakaretu Survey District, and Blocks XIII and IX, Moawhango Survey District, and terminating at the junction with the Pipiriki-Waiouru and Waiouru-Tokaanu Roads in Waiouru Township, being a distance of 8 miles 40 chains or thereabouts; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 831xx, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Declaring Portion of Quarry Road, in the Rangitikei County, to be a County Road.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

#### SCHEDULE.

##### QUARRY ROAD.

ALL that portion of road in the Wellington Land District, Rangitikei County, known as Quarry Road, commencing at its junction with the Mangaone-Mataroa Road, and proceeding generally in an easterly direction, fronting Sections 21, 17, and part of Section 18, Block VIII, Tiriraukawa Survey District, and terminating at traverse peg lxv, being a distance of 1 mile 41 chains or thereabouts; as the said road is delineated on the plan marked R. 6033, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Declaring Mataroa to Mangaweka Road, in the Rangitikei County, to be a County Road.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of the road in the Wellington Land District, Rangitikei County, known as the Mataroa-Mangaweka Road, commencing at its junction with the Makohine Valley Road, and proceeding generally in a north-westerly direction, fronting Sections 8, 7, 6, 5, and 4, Block I, Hautapu Survey District, and terminating at the south-eastern boundary of Metal Reserve 9; Block I aforesaid, being a distance of 5 miles 2 chains or thereabouts; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 859, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured carmine.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Declaring Part of Mataiponga Road, in the Rangitikei County, to be a County Road.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## MATAIPONGA ROAD.

ALL that portion of the road in the Wellington Land District, Rangitikei County, known as the Mataiponga Road, commencing at its junction with the Mangapapa Stream, and proceeding generally in a westerly direction intersecting Section 19, Block VII, Tiriraukawa Survey District, thence along part of the frontage of Section 20, Block VII aforesaid, and terminating at a point 32 chains west of the boundary between Sections 19 and 20 aforesaid, being a distance of 1 mile 25 chains or thereabouts; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 5263, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon shown in red colour.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Declaring Kawhatau (Upper) Road, in the KIWITEA County, to be a County Road.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## KAWATAU (UPPER) ROAD.

ALL that road in the Wellington Land District, KIWITEA County, situated in Block XII, Hautapu Survey District, and Block IX, Ruahine Survey District, commencing at the junction of Kawhatau Valley Road with Aupata Road, and

extending in a north-easterly direction to Hikurangi Stream, a distance of about four miles and a half; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 898, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red, and lettered D.E.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Declaring Sawmill Road, in the Eketahuna County, to be a County Road.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that road in the Wellington Land District, Eketahuna County, known as the Sawmill Road, commencing at Quarry Road, opposite Section 61, Block VII, Tararua Survey District, and extending in a north-easterly direction, a distance of 36 chains, more or less, to Sections 37 and 38, Block I, Mangaone Survey District; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked R. 7662, and deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured black.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Declaring Poroporo Valley and Waipiro-Mata Roads, in the Waiapu County, to be County Roads.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that road in the Hawke's Bay Land District known as the Poroporo Valley Road, commencing at its junction with the Awanui-Kawakawa Road, and proceeding thence in a north-easterly direction for a distance of 3 miles 30 chains, ending at a point 13 chains north-east of Rangitukia School Reserve, all in Blocks VI and VII, Waiapu Survey District.

Also all that road in the Hawke's Bay Land District known as the Waipiro-Mata Road, commencing at its junction with the Waimatai Stream, and proceeding thence in a north-westerly direction for a distance of about 1 mile 5 chains, and ending at a point about 40 chains distant from the most northern point of section-line dividing Sections 3 and 4, Block XVI, Hikurangi Survey District.

As the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked R. 9641(b), R. 9641(c), deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red, and lettered A.A. and X.X.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Declaring Takapau, Whakauranga, and Mangapoike Valley (East End) Roads, in the Cook County, to be County Roads.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

TAKAPAU ROAD.

ALL that road in the Hawke's Bay Land District known as the Takapau Road, commencing at its junction with the Tauwhareparae Road, and proceeding thence in a north-westerly direction for a distance of about 1 mile 60 chains to its junction with the eastern boundary of Small Grazing-run 88.

WHAKAURANGA ROAD.

Also all that road in the Hawke's Bay Land District known as the Whakauranga Road, from its junction with the Tologa-Arakihi Road, and proceeding thence in a northerly direction a distance of about one mile to its junction with the south-western corner of Section 4, Block V, Uawa Survey District.

MANGAPOIKE VALLEY ROAD.

Also all that road in the Hawke's Bay Land District known as the Mangapoike Valley (East End) Road, commencing at the north-western corner of Section 2, Block III, Nuhaka North, and ending at a point 72 chains along the north-western boundary of Section 4, Block II, Nuhaka North Survey District.

As the said roads are more particularly delineated on plans marked R. 9641 and R. 9641A, deposited in the office of the Chief Engineer of Roads, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red, and lettered A.B., C.D., and E.F.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section nine of "The Domain Boards Act, 1904" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, appoint any local authority to be the Domain Board having, subject to "The Public Domains Act, 1881," control of any public domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made under the provisions of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," on the third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twelfth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, 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 pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with

the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint

THE PAHIATUA COUNTY COUNCIL

to be the Marima Domain Board, having the control of the domain described in the said Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the ninth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eight, at two o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the County Council Office, Pahiatua, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

MARIMA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 22 acres, more or less, being Section No. 58, Block X, Mangahao Survey District, Pahiatua County. Bounded towards the north generally by a public road, towards the east by Section No. 57 of the said Block X, towards the south by a public road, and towards the south-west by a public road; as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 55527/19, 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 Okain's Bay Domain.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this first day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING 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 Orders in Council made under the provisions of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," on the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and the third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and the twelfth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, the lands described in the Schedule hereto were 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 pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion of New Zealand, doth hereby appoint

ARTHUR THOMAS MASON,  
CHARLES SAMUEL FREDRICK MOORE,  
HENRY HERBERT HARRIS,  
REGINALD CLEMENT MASON,  
ROBERT JOHN EDWARD HARTLY,  
GEORGE MASON, and  
WALTER THOMAS

to be the Okain's Bay Domain Board, having control of the domain described in the said Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Wednesday, the sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eight, at seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Library, Okain's Bay, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

OKAIN'S BAY DOMAIN, AKAROA COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 13 acres, more or less, being Reserve No. 3734, situated in Block IV, Okain's Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west and north-east by the road reserve along high-water mark of Okain's Bay; towards the

south-east by the road forming the northern boundary of Section No. 16024; and towards the south-west by the road forming the north-eastern boundary of Sections Nos. 4976, 10817, and 2911: save and except therefrom the area necessary to give access to the wharf and for other purposes connected therewith: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 55281, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres, more or less, being Reserve No. 3753 (in red), formerly part of Rural Section No. 829, situated in Block IV, Okain's District, and known as Sefton Park. Commencing at a point at the south-west corner of Rural Section No. 829, and bounded as follows: Towards the west by a road-line, 570 links; towards the north by Rural Section No. 1717, 527 links; towards the east by a line parallel to road-line on the west boundary of section, 570 links; towards the south by a road-line, 527 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. 55281/17, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Te Aroha Bridge Domain.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this second day of April, 1908.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,  
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section nine of "The Domain Boards Act, 1904" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, appoint any local authority to be the Domain Board having, subject to "The Public Domains Act, 1881," control of any public domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made under the provisions of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881," on the fourteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the nineteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, the lands described in the Schedule hereto were 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 pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint

THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF TE AROHA

to be the Te Aroha Bridge Domain Board, having the control of the domain described in the said Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Wednesday, the twenty-second day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight, at half past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Borough Council Office, Te Aroha, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

TE AROHA BRIDGE DOMAIN, PIAKO COUNTY.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 3 roods, more or less, being Section No. 3, Block XVII, Town of Te Aroha. Bounded towards the north-east by Lipsey Street; towards the south-east by Boundary Street; towards the south-west by Honi Street; and towards the north-west by Sections Nos. 2 and 1 of Block XVII, Town of Te Aroha: also

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre and 25 perches, more or less, being Section No. 2, Block XXI, Town of Te Aroha. Bounded towards the north-east and towards the north-west by Section No. 1 of Block XXI, Town of Te Aroha; again towards

the north-east by Honi Street; towards the south-east by Kenrick Street; towards the south-west by a public road; and again towards the north-west by Bridge Street: also

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres, more or less, being Block XXII of the Town of Te Aroha. Bounded towards the north-east by Honi Street; towards the south-east by Boundary Street; towards the south-west by a public road; and towards the north-west by Kenrick Street: also

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres, more or less, being Block XXIII of the Town of Te Aroha. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road; towards the south-east by Boundary Street; towards the south-west by a public road; and towards the north-west by Kenrick Street: also

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 21 perches, more or less, being Section No. 2, Block XXIV, Town of Te Aroha. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road; towards the south-east by Kenrick Street; towards the south-west by a public road; and towards the north-west by Section No. 1 of Block XXIV, Town of Te Aroha.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. & S. 44311/89, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

*Regulations for Deer-shooting, North Canterbury.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection Act, 1907 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby make the following regulations prescribing the deer-shooting season in the Canterbury Acclimatisation District, comprising the Counties of Cheviot, Ashley, Akaroa, Selwyn, and Mount Herbert, and the conditions affecting the same, and also the form of license and the fee payable therefor.

REGULATIONS.

1. RED-deer stags may be taken or killed within the Canterbury Acclimatisation District from the 1st day of April, 1908, to the 30th day of May, 1908 (both days inclusive).

2. Licenses to take or kill such deer may be issued by the Chief Postmaster at Christchurch, upon the recommendation of the secretary of the Canterbury Acclimatisation Society, on payment of a license fee of £5, in the form prescribed in the Schedule hereto, and subject to the said Act and these regulations. The number of such licenses to be issued by the said Chief Postmaster shall not exceed three: Provided that not more than one such license shall be issued to the same person.

3. No licensee shall take or kill more than two stags, and no stag shall be killed carrying antlers with less than eight points. Ball cartridge only to be used.

4. No hind or fawn shall be taken or killed on any pretext whatever; and no licensee shall allow any dog to accompany either himself or any attendant he may have with him.

5. Nothing herein contained shall extend to authorising any person to sell any deer or portion thereof.

6. Any person committing a breach of any of these regulations shall be liable, on conviction, to a fine not exceeding £20.

SCHEDULE.

No.

*License to take or kill Game (Deer).*

, of , having this day paid the sum of £ , is hereby authorised to take or kill deer (stags) within the Canterbury District, from the day of , 1908, to the day of , 1908 (both days inclusive), subject to the provisions of the Animals Protection Act, 1907, and the regulations made thereunder.

Dated at , this day of , 1908.

Chief Postmaster.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Declaring Road-lines through Land in the Otekaike Settlement to be closed.

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS a report has been received from the Surveyor-General from which it appears that the roads described in the Schedule hereto are unformed and unused, and that they intersect land acquired under "The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900," and are not suitable for the subdivision of such land:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of section sixty-nine of the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do by this notice hereby close the roads hereinafter described, and I do hereby declare that they shall thereupon become subject to the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

OTEKAIKE SETTLEMENT.

Approximate Area of the Roads hereby closed.	Adjoining or intersecting Original Section.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
2 1 8	Adjoining Original Sections Nos. 13, 14, 15..	V	Maruenua ..	S.G. 19368/58	Green.
1 1 8	" " Section No. 16 ..	"	" ..		
0 3 28	Intersecting Original Section No. 10 ..	"	" ..		
0 0 19	" " No. 10 ..	"	" ..		
2 2 19	Intersecting Original Sections Nos. 12, 13, 14, 15	"	" ..		
0 3 2	Intersecting Original Sections Nos. 15, 16 ..	"	" ..		
1 2 20	(Adjoining Original Section No. 9 .. Adjoining and intersecting Original Section No. 23	"	" ..		
1 1 32	Intersecting Original Section No. 23 ..	"	" ..		
5 3 20	Adjoining Original Section No. 13, and intersecting Original Sections Nos. 21, 22, 23	VI	" ..		
0 0 34	Intersecting Original Section No. 24 ..	"	" ..		
2 1 1	" " No. 25 ..	"	" ..		
1 3 5	Adjoining Original Sections Nos. 21, 22 ..	"	" ..		
0 1 28	" " Section No. 22 ..	"	" ..		
1 0 3	" " No. 23 ..	"	" ..		
0 1 4	" " No. 23 ..	"	" ..		
0 3 14	" " No. 3 ..	"	" ..		
12 0 0	Adjoining Original Section No. 1 and intersecting Original Section No. 2	XI	" ..		
0 1 36	Intersecting Original Section No. 2 ..	"	" ..		
2 2 16	Adjoining Original Section No. 1 ..	XII	" ..		
11 3 8	Adjoining Original Section No. 1 and intersecting Original Sections Nos. 3 and 4	"	" ..		
1 2 20	Intersecting Original Section No. 4 ..	"	" ..		

All in the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked as above mentioned, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above noted.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

Appointing Commissioners to classify Rural Lands in Hawke's Bay Land District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the one-hundred-and-eighty-ninth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

HENRY TRENT,  
THOMAS HYDE, and  
EUSTACE LANE

Commissioners to classify and report to me on the rural lands in the Hawke's Bay Land District known as Runs Nos. 15, Mohaka, and 16, Tarawera, as provided by section one hundred and eighty-nine of "The Land Act, 1892," aforesaid.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

Notifying the Proposed Exchange of Crown Land in the Canterbury Land District for other Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS by section seventy-three of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1907, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, whenever he deems it expedient in the public interest, to grant in fee-simple any area of Crown land which is subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," in exchange for the fee-simple of any other land which in his opinion is of approximately equal value, and that all land acquired by the Crown by any such exchange shall become Crown land, and be subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892":

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to exchange the Crown land described in the first column of the Schedule hereto for the land described in the second column of the said Schedule, and the owners of the land described in the second column of the said Schedule have agreed to such exchange:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the said section seventy-three, doth hereby declare that it is his intention to grant in fee-simple those areas of Crown land described in the first

column of the Schedule hereto in exchange for the fee-simple of those areas of land described in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Description of Crown Land authorised to be exchanged.	Description of Land to be obtained in Exchange therefor.
<p>All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing 343 acres, more or less, situated in Blocks III and IV, Acland Survey District, and bounded as follows: Towards the north by Section 23957; towards the east generally by Sections 33972, 7953, and 8757; towards the south by Section 4278 and the Lynn Creek; and towards the west generally by Pastoral Run No. 1, Sections 33969, 29942, and a road.</p> <p>Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing 117 acres 3 roods, more or less, being portion of Pastoral Run No. 210, situated in Blocks III and IV, Acland Survey District, and bounded as follows: Towards the east by the Rangitata River; towards the south by Sections 29288, 25676, and the road forming eastern boundary of same, also by 22880; towards the west by Pastoral Run No. 1; and towards the north by an east and west line to give the required area: subject to all roads found necessary on survey.</p> <p>As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 53859/54, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow.</p> <p>All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing 1,500 acres, more or less, being the whole of Pastoral Run No. 211, situated in Blocks XII and XVI, Four Peaks Survey District, bounded as follows: Towards the north by Sections 34446, 24965, 24967, and 9836; towards the east by Sections 9837, 9335, 6460, and 9834; towards the south by Sections 15747, 16717, 24820, and 27542; and towards the west by Pastoral Run No. 6.</p> <p>Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing 132 acres, more or less, situated in Block III, Orari Survey District, bounded as follows: Towards the north by Section 34470, towards the east by the Orari River, towards the south by Section 24819, and towards the west by Section 12320; subject to all roads found necessary on survey.</p> <p>As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 53859/54, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow.</p>	<p>All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 153 acres 2 roods 32 perches, more or less, being Rural Section 18281 and Sections 2680, 2713, and 4035, less the road intersecting same; also that portion of 3683 lying to the west of the road intersecting said section, and that part of 3208 lying to the east of the road intersecting said section, situated in Block II, Orari Survey District: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 53859/54, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.</p> <p>All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 326 acres 3 roods 8 perches, more or less, being Rural Sections 23477, 23421, 22900, 22814, 22903, 22899, 23066, 23009, 23008, 23420, 23478, 22469, and the portions of 1972 and 3208 on the western side of road intersecting same, and situated in Blocks I and II, Orari Survey District; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 53859/54, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.</p>

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in Nelson Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on Wednesday, the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eight; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may be selected on renewable lease only, in accordance with the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-one of the said Act, as they contain, or are supposed to contain, metals, minerals, or valuable stone; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—WAIMEA COUNTY.

District.	Block.	Area.	Rent per Acre per Annum.
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Second-class Unsurveyed Land.

		Acres.	d.	d.
Maruia	..   XV	1,110	4	8
Burnett	..   IV			

Third-class Unsurveyed Lands.

Maruia	..   XII, XV, XVI	4,515	3	84
Burnett	..   IV			

This area is known as the Mid-Maruia Block, and is situated in the Maruia Valley, adjoining the Maruia North Block (recently disposed of). The northern boundary is about ten miles from the main Nelson-Westport Road. The nearest town is Murchison, with which the block is connected by bridle-tracks, which are being greatly improved, and in some cases made into dray-roads. From the northern boundary of the block to Murchison via Doughboy Creek is a distance of about fifteen miles. From the same boundary to Murchison via the mouth of the Maruia River and the south bank of the Buller River the distance is about eighteen miles. The track via Doughboy Creek is on good grades, and will be most used for general horse traffic. The land comprises forest-clad hilly country, with flats and sloping ground. The soil is good on the flats and along the banks, and may be classed as ranging from fair to poor on the spurs. The formation, generally speaking, is limestone, sandstone, and granite. The whole of the area is well watered.

The block is separated from the Buller Valley coach-road by the Maruia North Block, which has all been taken up. Each section has been arranged so as to include a convenient homestead-site, together with some adjacent flat land.

The altitude of the block ranges from 650 ft. above sea-level on the banks of the Maruia to 2,300 ft. on the back spurs.

The forest consists of red-birch and brown-birch, with a few white-pine, black-pine, and red-pine, and occasional totara and black-birch, the underscrub consisting of broad-leaf, five-finger, pepper-tree, fuchsia, &c. There is thus good feed for stock in the forest.

This block is capable of being utilised successfully as healthy sheep and cattle grazing country. The climate is good.

Matakitaki	..   IX, XIII	2,252	3	84	4	08
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This area is known as the Rappabannock Block, and is provisionally subdivided, each section being apportioned a proportionate area of river-flat suitable for a homestead-site. The altitude ranges from 1,100 ft. to 2,600 ft. above sea-level, and the quality of the land is above the average; it consists of rich alluvial soil from 18 in. to 4 ft. deep on the river-flats and fair clay soil from 6 in. to 3½ ft. on the terraces. The higher portion of the block is hilly, of conglomerate-rock formation, with soil good in the gullies and on the slopes, but inferior on the tops of the spurs. The main valley lies to the sun, and is exceedingly well sheltered from cold winds. The whole of the land is forest-clad with light, brown, and red birch, and there is a dense undergrowth of black scrub, horopito (pepper-wood), konini (fuchsia), and puka (broadleaf) on the flats, and a lighter undergrowth of konini, horopito, and puka growing in



the gullies and on the slopes; good feed for stock is therefore supplied by the forest.

This land can be converted into excellent sheep-raising country; it adjoins the Maruia Plains, where settlement has commenced, and has a good climate and good road access.

Situated on the main road leading from the Town of Murchison to Maruia Plains via Matakitaki, the distance from Murchison being twenty-six miles, twenty-two miles of which is excellent dray-road; the remaining distance (a gap of four miles, extending from the Maruia Saddle to the mouth of the Rappahannock Stream) is now in course of construction.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Opening Lands in Westland Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on Wednesday, the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eight; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may be selected on renewable lease only, in accordance with the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-one of the said Act, as they contain, or are supposed to contain, metals, minerals, or valuable stone; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rent.
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SECOND-CLASS LAND.

*Westland County.—Bruce Bay Survey District.*

2444 | XIV | 276 0 0 | 140 0 0 | 2 16 0  
Altitude, 50 ft. above sea-level. Comprises 250 acres bush, the remainder being open pakihi swamp; heavily timbered with white-pine and red-pine, and undergrowth of punga and black scrub; deep sandy soil, slightly swampy in places; sufficiently watered. Access by old track along banks of Makatata Creek, about three miles from Bruce Bay Landing, and two miles and a half from Mahitahi Post and Telephone Office.

2445 | XIV | 200 0 0 | 100 0 0 | 2 0 0  
Altitude, 200 ft. above sea-level. Comprises about 18 acres scrubby swamp land, the remainder being heavy red-pine and white-pine bush, with punga, black scrub, and undergrowth; deep sandy soil; about 30 acres stony. The section has a uniform gentle slope to the north-west. Access by Main South Road, about six miles from Bruce Bay Landing by Mahitahi River bed, and one mile and a half from Mahitahi Post and Telephone Office.

THIRD-CLASS LAND.

*Westland County.—Bruce Bay Survey District.*

2445 | XIV | 297 0 0 | 80 0 0 | 1 12 0  
Altitude, 40 ft. above sea-level. About 40 acres bush, mostly white-pine, with some small silver-pine; 100 acres swamp, covered with mikimiki, black scrub, manuka, flax, and cabbage-tree; remainder open pakihi swamp. Access by old track along east bank of Makatata Creek, about three miles and a half from Bruce Bay Landing, and three miles from Mahitahi Post and Telephone Office.

2446 | XIV | 269 0 0 | 70 0 0 | 1 8 0  
Altitude, 40 ft. above sea-level. About 40 acres high scrub and light bush; remainder swamp, half of which is covered with mikimiki, black scrub, manuka, flax, and cabbage-trees, balance of swamp being open pakihi. Access by Mahitahi River bed and Main South Road, about seven miles from Bruce Bay Landing, and two miles and a half from Mahitahi Post and Telephone Office.

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Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rent.
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A. R. P. £ s. d. £ s. d.  
2447 | XIV | 259 0 0 | 100 0 0 | 2 0 0  
Altitude, from 35 ft. to 700 ft. above sea-level. About 20 acres of very wet scrubby swamp; remainder swampy bush. About 80 acres on eastern side is hilly ground, some of which is steep and broken, the balance being level. Access by Bruce Bay Landing, seven miles up Mahitahi River and Flagstaff Creek and Main Road, and two miles and a half from Mahitahi Post and Telephone Office.

2449 | XIV | 212 0 0 | 80 0 0 | 1 12 0  
Altitude, from 150 ft. to 800 ft. above sea-level. All heavy bush of red-pine, white-pine, miro, red-birch, and white-birch. Soil of medium quality; all stony and rough at eastern side. Hillside occupies about 70 acres; remainder gently sloping to the west. Access by Mahitahi River bed and Main South Road, about six miles and a half from Bruce Bay Landing, and two miles from Mahitahi Post and Telephone Office.

2450 | XIV | 151 0 0 | 60 0 0 | 1 4 0  
Altitude at north-west corner, 230 ft. above sea-level. All heavy bush, consisting of red-pine, white-pine, birch, and miro, with undergrowth of punga; gentle slope to north-west; about 50 acres rough hillsides; stony soil of fair quality. Access by Main South Road, about six miles from Bruce Bay Landing by Mahitahi River bed, and one mile and a half from Mahitahi Post and Telephone Office.

2451 | XIV | 158 0 0 | 60 0 0 | 1 4 0  
Altitude at western corner, 145 ft. above sea-level. All heavy bush, consisting of red-pine, white-pine, birch, and miro, with undergrowth of punga; gentle slope to north and west; 50 acres rough hillside, 600 ft. to 800 ft. high; good deep sandy soil, stony in places. Distant five miles and a half from Bruce Bay Landing by Mahitahi River bed, and one mile from Mahitahi Post and Telephone Office.

2457 | XIV | 213 0 0 | 80 0 0 | 1 12 0  
Altitude, 40 ft. above sea-level. About half heavy bush, consisting of birch and some red-pine and silver-pine; remainder open pakihi. All level land; soil sandy, but wet. Distant about one mile from Bruce Bay Landing by formed road, which is practicable for dray traffic, and three miles from Mahitahi Post and Telephone Office.

2458 | XIV | 185 0 0 | 50 0 0 | 1 0 0  
Altitude, 40 ft. above sea-level. About half heavy bush, consisting of birch and some red-pine and silver-pine; remainder open pakihi; soil sandy, but wet. Distant one mile and a half from Bruce Bay Landing by formed road and track along Makatata Stream, and three miles and a half from Mahitahi Post and Telephone Office.

*Westland County.—Mount Douglas Survey District.*

2452 | II | 250 0 0 | 100 0 0 | 2 0 0  
Altitude, about 100 ft. above sea-level. All heavy bush, consisting of red-pine, miro, birch, and an occasional totara, with undergrowth of punga. All level, but rising in terraces towards eastern side. Land on lower level very good, with deep sandy soil, but more gravelly in nature on higher levels. Distant from Bruce Bay Landing five miles and a half by Mahitahi River bed, which is practicable for dray traffic, and one mile from Mahitahi Post and Telephone Office.

2459 | II | 336 0 0 | 120 0 0 | 2 8 0  
Altitude, about 120 ft. above sea-level. All heavy bush, consisting of red-pine, birch, and miro, with undergrowth of punga and karewa. Intersected by terrace, flat on top, of an altitude of about 250 ft.; hilly on southern boundary. Lower levels consist of good sandy soil, being fluvial deposit; but soil on terrace is more gravelly. Distant six miles from Bruce Bay Landing by Mahitahi River bed, which is practicable for dray traffic, and one mile and a half from Mahitahi Post and Telephone Office.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Opening Lands in Westland Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand,

having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on Wednesday, the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eight; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may be selected on renewable lease only, in accordance with the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-one of the said Act, as they contain, or are supposed to contain, metals, minerals, or valuable stone; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WESTLAND COUNTY.  
Third-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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TOTARA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
2936	IV	213 0 0	£ 60 0 0	£ 1 4 0

Altitude, 250 ft. to 400 ft. above sea-level. 130 acres wet swamp, with white-pine; balance kamahi and rimu; well watered; accessible by good road and by river-bed. Distant twenty miles from Hokitika and three miles and a half from a creamery.

WATAROA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
2465	I	686 0 0	£ 260 0 0	£ 5 4 0

Forest land, of which about 200 acres is good river-flat; the remainder hilly, ranging from 300 ft. to 500 ft. above sea-level, with small flats, mostly swampy, along the coast. Timber consists of rimu, kahikatea, tawhero, and miro; well watered. Accessible by Wataroa River bed and by bridle-road via Saltwater Lagoon.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in Southland Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-thirty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as in the said section is provided, do hereby declare that the rural lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on Wednesday, the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eight; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may be selected on renewable lease only, in accordance with the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-one of the said Act, as they contain, or are supposed to contain, metals, minerals, or valuable stone; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Southland County.—Waikawa Survey District.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
28	II	15 2 1	£ 25 0 0	£ 0 10 0
*29	"	17 2 32	27 10 0	0 11 0

Weighted with £3 8s., valuation for fencing and clearing.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
30	II	A. R. P. 17 2 32	£ s. d. 22 10 0	£ s. d. 0 9 0
31	"	26 1 24	35 0 0	0 14 0
33	"	10 2 3	15 0 0	0 6 0
35	"	17 2 26	22 10 0	0 9 0
36	"	13 0 15	20 0 0	0 8 0
38	"	10 0 8	12 10 0	0 5 0
*42	"	9 3 2	12 10 0	0 5 0

\* Weighted with £1 5s., valuation for improvements.  
\*45 | II | 4 2 38 | 10 0 0 | 0 4 0  
\* Weighted with £5, valuation for fencing, grassing, and clearing.

46 | II | 7 1 26 | 12 10 0 | 0 5 0  
47 | " | 7 1 32 | 12 10 0 | 0 5 0  
\*48 | " | 1 0 0 | 15 0 0 | 0 6 0

\* Weighted with £3, valuation for clearing.  
\*49 | II | 1 0 0 | 15 0 0 | 0 6 0  
\* Weighted with £2, valuation for fencing.

Above sections are situated at distances varying from 5 chains to one mile from Waikawa Township. Sparsely covered with mixed bush of no commercial value; well watered. The soil generally is clay, and ranks from fair to good. Access by formed and partly formed roads. Sections 46 and 47 are mossy and rough. The height above sea-level varies from 8 ft. to 300 ft.

Wallace County.—Longwood Survey District.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
11	V	250 0 0	£ 250 0 0	£ 5 0 0

Weighted with £120, valuation for improvements, consisting of cottage, clearing, fencing, and draining.  
Land undulating, partly bush; good soil; well watered. Distant two miles from Pahia Railway-station by good road.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Southland County.—Waikawa Survey District.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
11	VIII	280 3 24	£ 180 0 0	£ 3 12 0

Forest-clad, principally miro, rimu, and kamai, with an undergrowth of thick scrub; portions have been worked out by sawmillers. The formation is undulating and broken; well watered; soil, clay and peat. Access is obtained by a fair road, by sea-beach and sandhills. Situated about one mile and a half from Waikawa. The Crown reserves all riparian rights, and also full and free leave, liberty, and license to discharge water, tailings, and mining debris into all streams running through the land.

Wallace County.—Longwood Survey District.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
61	V	34 1 21	£ 17 10 0	£ 0 7 0

Situated about one mile and a half from Wakapatu Railway-station. Soil peaty, on clay bottom; well watered. Timber has been cut out by sawmillers, remainder comprises chiefly kamahi. Access to section by formed road.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
11	VII	43 3 8	£ 22 10 0	£ 0 9 0

Weighted with £16 6s., valuation for fencing and clearing.  
Situated about one mile from Wakapatu Railway-station. Undulating land; fair soil. Sawmilling timber cut out, remainder suitable only for fencing and firewood. Well watered. Access by foot-track.

Wallace County.—Waiau Survey District.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
7	XIV	428 3 0	£ 225 0 0	£ 4 10 0

Altitude ranges from 350 ft. to 800 ft. above sea-level. Hilly land, with flat tops on spurs; covered with heavy mixed bush, principally birch, with some rimu, matai, miro, and totara of no commercial value; sandstone formation; well watered; soil good. Distant about seven miles from Orawia Store, post-office, and school, four to five miles from formed and metalled road.

THIRD-CLASS LAND.

Stewart Island County.—Paterson Survey District.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
101	I	12 3 31	£ 5 0 0	£ 0 2 0
102	"	17 0 13	6 5 0	0 2 6
103	"	12 2 0	5 0 0	0 2 0
104	"	18 3 16	6 5 0	0 2 6
105	"	31 1 3	10 0 0	0 4 0
157	"	101 2 0	32 10 0	0 13 0
158	"	183 0 0	57 10 0	1 3 0
159	"	28 0 0	8 15 0	0 3 6

Situated from one to three miles and a half from Half-moon Bay. Land mostly covered with bush of no commercial value, part old sawmill workings; land hilly and undulating; soil fair; well watered. Altitude, 10 ft. to 100 ft. above sea-level. Offered subject to the reservation of all streams and watercourses for mining purposes.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
2	II	10 1 30	3 15 0	0 1 6
3	"	10 0 28	3 15 0	0 1 6
4	"	9 3 38	3 15 0	0 1 6
5	"	9 3 19	3 15 0	0 1 6
6	"	10 2 19	3 15 0	0 1 6
7	"	10 2 29	3 15 0	0 1 6
8	"	10 3 17	3 15 0	0 1 6
9	"	11 0 11	3 15 0	0 1 6

Situated about four miles from Half-moon Bay. Land mostly covered with bush of no commercial value; soil, peat; well watered. Altitude, 10 ft. to 60 ft. above sea-level. Offered subject to the reservation of all streams and water-courses for mining purposes.

*Southland County.—Oteramika Hundred.*

13 | XIV | 1,781 0 25 | 450 0 0 | 9 0 0  
 Situated three miles and a half from the Gorge Road Railway-station. Land level, mostly open, and of a wet and peaty nature. Access by partly formed road.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ROBERT McNAB,  
 Minister of Lands.

*Opening Lands in Southland Land District for Sale or Selection.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided in section one hundred and thirty-six of the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Wednesday, the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eight; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on renewable lease; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
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FIRST-CLASS LAND.

*Southland County.—Campbelltown Hundred.*

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
36	VI	12 0 0	15 0 0	0 7 6	0 6 0
37	"	11 3 36	15 0 0	0 7 6	0 6 0
38	"	10 0 0	12 10 0	0 6 3	0 5 0

Situated about three-quarters of a mile from Woodend Railway-station. Level land, covered with bush, from which the sawmilling timber has been cut out. Soil rather poor and swampy. Access by good road to Section 38 and to within a few chains of Sections 36 and 37.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

*Southland County.—Forest Hill Hundred.*

357 | XVI | 234 0 0 | 150 0 0 | 3 15 0 | 3 0 0  
 Weighted with £43, valuation for hut and fencing. Land hilly; good soil, on sandstone formation. About 15 acres open, balance covered with mixed bush of no commercial value. Height above sea-level, from 250 ft. to 700 ft. Situated about fourteen miles from Winton. Access by good summer road.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ROBERT McNAB,  
 Minister of Lands.

*Opening Lands in Southland Land District for Sale or Selection.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Land Act, 1892," and its amendments, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided in section one hundred and thirty-six of the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Wednesday, the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eight; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on renewable lease; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—  
 WAIKAWA SURVEY DISTRICT.

*Second-class Land.*

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
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		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
5	I	20 0 0	10 0 0	0 5 0	0 4 0
8	"	125 3 27	65 0 0	1 12 6	1 6 0
19	"	95 2 16	50 0 0	1 5 0	1 0 0

Situated on the eastern side of Waikawa Harbour, from two to three miles from Waikawa Township; covered with mixed bush; well watered; soil medium.

13 | III | 159 0 7 | 80 0 0 | 2 0 0 | 1 12 0  
 Land inferior, only about 10 acres being fit for cultivation, the balance being a peat-moss or bog. Distant six miles and a half from Tokonui Post-office.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	XII	431 2 0	220 0 0	5 10 0	4 8 0
2	"	1,610 0 0	805 0 0	20 2 6	16 2 0
4	"	439 3 11	220 0 0	5 10 0	4 8 0
5	"	315 0 32	160 0 0	4 0 0	3 4 0
6	"	286 0 0	145 0 0	3 12 6	2 18 0
7	"	263 3 39	135 0 0	3 7 6	2 14 0
8	"	302 2 0	155 0 0	3 17 6	3 2 0
10	"	486 3 14	245 0 0	6 2 6	4 18 0

Situated seven to ten miles from Waikawa. Steep, rough, broken country; all covered with forest, principally miro, kamai, and rimu, not suitable for sawmilling; clay soil; peaty in places. Height above sea-level, from 350 ft. to 1,300 ft. Part of this block is bounded by the main road.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	XIII	780 0 0	390 0 0	9 15 0	7 16 0
4	"	869 0 0	435 0 0	10 17 6	8 14 0
7	"	492 1 0	250 0 0	6 5 0	5 0 0
9	"	261 1 9	135 0 0	3 7 6	2 14 0

Situated four to six miles from Waikawa Township. All covered with timber of an inferior and mixed class, unsuitable for sawmilling. The land is hilly and broken; soil fairly good; well watered.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
2	VII	142 1 0	75 0 0	1 17 6	1 10 0
46	"	127 1 0	65 0 0	1 12 6	1 6 0
47	"	109 0 27	60 0 0	1 10 0	1 4 0
47	"	107 0 24	55 0 0	1 7 6	1 2 0
50	"	63 3 13	40 0 0	1 0 0	0 16 0

Section 50 is weighted with £21, valuation for fencing and grassing.

Section 2 is situated about five miles from the head of the Waikawa Harbour, and is partly open and partly bush-clad. Section 7 is also about five miles from the Waikawa Harbour, and with Sections 46 and 47 is all bush-clad, the timber on the last-mentioned sections being rimu, miro, kamai, &c. Sections 46 and 47 are situated about three miles from Waikawa Harbour on the main road. The sections mentioned are generally hilly and broken, and of inferior quality. Section 50 is situated about three miles from Waikawa Township; access to within 5 chains of the section by good formed road; soil inferior and peaty; about 15 acres cleared, balance covered with light bush, chiefly kamai and manuka, fit only for fencing and firewood.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
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3 | VI | 508 0 28 | 255 0 0 | 6 7 6 | 5 2 0

Weighted with £2 5s., valuation for fencing.

All mixed bush of no commercial value. Land rough and hilly; soil mostly clay; well watered. Situated about fourteen miles from Waikawa.

1 | XIV | 508 1 0 | 255 0 0 | 6 7 6 | 5 2 0  
 2 | " | 648 1 0 | 325 0 0 | 8 2 6 | 6 10 0  
 3 | " | 398 0 0 | 200 0 0 | 5 0 0 | 4 0 0  
 4 | " | 368 0 0 | 185 0 0 | 4 12 6 | 3 14 0

Situated about fourteen miles from Waikawa Township. All covered with mixed bush of no value for sawmilling purposes. The land is rough and hilly. Height above sea-level, 400 ft. to 1,150 ft. Soil mostly clay; well watered. Formed road fronting sections.

3 | XVII | 99 1 24 | 50 0 0 | 1 5 0 | 1 0 0  
 6 | " | 110 0 3 | 60 0 0 | 1 10 0 | 1 4 0  
 7 & 8 | " | 205 1 8 | 105 0 0 | 2 12 6 | 2 2 0  
 17 | " | 101 3 24 | 55 0 0 | 1 7 6 | 1 2 0  
 27 | " | 397 3 0 | 255 0 0 | 6 7 6 | 5 2 0  
 28 | " | 358 1 0 | 270 0 0 | 6 15 0 | 5 8 0  
 29 | " | 319 0 0 | 240 0 0 | 6 0 0 | 4 16 0  
 30 | " | 326 2 0 | 250 0 0 | 6 5 0 | 5 0 0  
 31 | " | 287 1 0 | 220 0 0 | 5 10 0 | 4 8 0  
 32 | " | 198 2 0 | 175 0 0 | 4 7 6 | 3 10 0  
 33 | " | 240 2 0 | 125 0 0 | 3 2 6 | 2 10 0  
 34 | " | 249 0 0 | 125 0 0 | 3 2 6 | 2 10 0  
 35 | " | 58 2 0 | 30 0 0 | 0 15 0 | 0 12 0

Section 6 is weighted with £7 for hut and £7 10s. for sawmilling timber, Section 17 with £5 for sawmilling timber, and Sections 7 and 8 (grouped) with £25 for a house and £20 for fencing. Sections 3, 6, 7, 8, and 17 covered with light bush, consisting chiefly of kamai, with a few patches of rimu fit for sawmilling, the remainder being suitable for fencing and firewood only. Soil inferior and rough; undergrowth very heavy; well watered. Access by formed road, and distant from Niagara from one to two miles, and from Waikawa from three to five miles. The remaining sections are all bush, consisting of red-pine, kamai, &c.; soil fair to good; well watered. Height above sea-level, from 100 ft. to 1,300 ft. Access by formed road. Distant from six to ten miles from Waikawa.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Land temporarily reserved for a Public Recreation-ground 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 a public recreation-ground.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres, more or less, being Sections Nos. 38, 39, and 40, Township of Kaponga; as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 56327/21, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and hereon bordered red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Land temporarily reserved for Police Purposes in the Westland 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 Westland Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for a site for a police-station.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Westland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Reserve No. 1105, Block X, Oira Survey District. Bounded towards the north, by a line bearing 90° 15' for a distance of 316.3 links to the Main Christchurch Road, towards the east by the Main Christchurch Road for a distance of 316.3 links, towards the south by a line bearing 270° 15' for a distance of 316.6 links, towards the west by a line bearing 0° 15' for a distance of 316.3 links; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 58371/2, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Trustee for the Rotherham 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

JOHN GILLHAM

to be a Trustee, in the place of James Allan, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Rotherham Public Cemetery, in conjunction with the other persons previously appointed by His Excellency the Governor.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Registrars of Electors, Auckland Central, Ellesmere, and Marsden Electoral Districts, appointed.*

Prime Minister's Office,  
Wellington, 6th April, 1908.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALBERT GEORGE HOLLAND

to be Registrar of Electors under "The Electoral Act, 1905," for the Electoral District of Auckland Central, *vice* W. R. Blow, resigned; also to appoint

GEORGE WILLIAM THOMAS

to be Registrar of Electors under the said Act for the Electoral District of Ellesmere, *vice* H. W. Dawson, resigned; also to appoint

WILLIAM JESSE REEVE

to be Registrar of Electors under the said Act for the Electoral District of Marsden, *vice* T. H. Steadman, resigned.

J. G. WARD,  
Prime Minister.

*Arrangements for First Election, &c., Pleasant Point Town District, County of Levels.*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 27th March, 1908.

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

CHARLES SMITH, of Pleasant Point,

to be the Returning Officer to conduct the first election of the Commissioners of the Town District of Pleasant Point, County of Levels, as constituted under "The Town Districts Act, 1881," and to be the person to prepare a roll of electors for the purposes of the said first election; also to appoint Thursday, the 23rd day of April, 1908, to be the date, and the Odd Fellows' Hall, at Pleasant Point, to be the place, at which such first election shall be held; and also to appoint Tuesday, the 28th day of April, 1908, at 7 o'clock in the afternoon, to be the time, and the said Odd Fellows' Hall, at Pleasant Point, to be the place, at which the first meeting of the said Commissioners shall be held.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 4th April, 1908.

**H**IS 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.
ALBERT JOHN CLEGG .. .. .	Bull's.
HUGH ANDREW WILSON .. .. .	Lyell.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Arrangements for First Election, &c., Whangamomona County.*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 4th April, 1908.

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

CHARLES PENN, of Stratford,

to be the person to make up electors' rolls for the Ridings of Tahora, Central, Pohokura, and Strathmore, in the County of Whangamomona, as constituted by "The Counties Act, 1886," and the Whangamomona County Act, 1907; also to appoint

JAMES SEXTON, of Stratford,

to be Returning Officer to conduct the first election of members of the Council of the said county; also to appoint

ALBERT FREDERICK HESS, of Whangamomona,

to be Clerk of the Council of the said county for the purpose of presiding at the first meeting thereof.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Arrangements for First Election, &c., Upper Hutt Town District, County of Hutt.*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 4th April, 1908.

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

ANGUS JOHN McCURDY, of Upper Hutt,

to be the Returning Officer to conduct the first election of the Commissioners of the Town District of Upper Hutt, County of Hutt, as constituted under "The Town Districts Act, 1881," and to be the person to prepare a roll of electors for the purposes of the said first election; also to appoint Thursday, the 23rd day of April, 1908, to be the date, and the Courthouse, Upper Hutt, to be the place, at which such first election shall be held; and also to appoint Friday, the 24th day of April, 1908, at 7.30 o'clock in the afternoon, to be the time, and the Town Hall, Upper Hutt, to be the place, at which the first meeting of the said Commissioners shall be held.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Inspector of Weights and Measures, Borough of Gisborne and Counties of Cook and Waipatu, appointed.*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 4th April, 1908.

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

Constable GEORGE ALFRED DANDY

to be an Inspector of Weights and Measures under "The Weights and Measures Act, 1903," for the Borough of Gisborne and Counties of Cook and Waipatu, *vice* Constable John Thomas Irwin.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Cadets appointed.*

Head Office, Stamp Department,  
Wellington, 7th April, 1908.

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

ALBERT GEORGE LESLIE

to be a cadet in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Stamps, Dunedin;

GEORGE BALL

to be a cadet in the office of the District Land Registrar, New Plymouth;

FREDERICK OSBORNE LE PINE

to be a cadet in the office of the District Land Registrar, Invercargill.

Each of the above appointments to take effect as from the 1st April, 1908.

J. CARROLL,  
Minister of Stamp Duties.

*Clerks, &c., appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 8th April, 1908.

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

GEORGE SMEATON CLARK

to be a Clerk in the District, Magistrate's, and Warden's Courts at Thames, from the 1st day of April, 1908;

FRANK GRAHAM HUTTON

to be a Clerk in the Magistrate's Court at Auckland, from the 1st day of April, 1908; and

DAVID JUSTIN LUNDON

to be a cadet in the Supreme Court at Auckland, from the 1st day of April, 1908.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

*Justice of the Peace resigned.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 7th April, 1908.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

WILLIAM HENRY WORTH, Esq.,

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

JAMES MCGOWAN.

*Member of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 7th April, 1908.

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

GEORGE FREDERICK ROACH

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Hawke's Bay, *vice* W. C. Maddison, deceased.

JAMES MCGOWAN.

*Assayers appointed.*

Department of Trade and Customs,  
Wellington, 4th April, 1908.

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

Lindley Murray Bell,  
Albert Ebenezer Bidlake,  
Allan Newman Baker,  
Leonard John Kitching,  
Leonard Adams,  
Richard Waiorongomai Adams,  
Leonard James Shaw,  
James Spearing,  
Edward Johnson,  
James Stanley Langford,  
Peter Melrose,  
Robert James Morgan, and  
Herbert James Cramer Roberts

to be Assayers of Gold under "The Customs Laws Consolidation Act, 1882."

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Customs.

*Members of Wairau Harbour Board appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 4th April, 1908.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of the provisions of paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section 4 of the Wairau Harbour Board Act, 1907, appointed

ARCHIBALD McCALLUM,  
WILLIAM HENRY MACEY, and  
GEORGE HOULDSWORTH

to be members of the Wairau Harbour Board.

J. A. MILLAR.

*Inspector of Factories appointed.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 7th April, 1908.

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

MR. HUGH L. B. BOWER

to be an Inspector under "The Factories Act, 1901." The appointment is dated the 4th day of April, 1908.

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Labour.

*Member of Lyttelton and Heathcote Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 4th April, 1908.

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

WILLIAM McDOWELL

to be a member of the Lyttelton and Heathcote Domain Board, in the place of William Henry Reynolds Dale, resigned.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Members of Purangi Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 4th April, 1908.

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

JOHN CAMPBELL and  
ARTHUR HAROLD BARNETT

to be members of the Purangi Domain Board, in the place of Austin Bell Leech and William Hyde Hart, resigned.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Member of Southland Land Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 4th April, 1908.

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

JOHN McLEAN, of Caroline, Farmer,  
to be a member of the Land Board of the Land District of Southland.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Member of Stratford Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 6th April, 1908.

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

WILLIAM PATRICK KIRKWOOD

to be a member of the Stratford Domain Board, in the place of William Monkhouse, resigned.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Member of Mackenzie Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 6th April, 1908.

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

JOHN RENTOUL

to be a member of the Mackenzie Domain Board, in the place of Jonathan Gilbert.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Member of Horowhenua Lake Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 6th April, 1908.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 2 of "The Horowhenua Lake Act, 1905," been pleased to appoint

PETER BARTHOLOMEW

to be a member of the Horowhenua Lake Domain Board, in the place of Edward Joseph Prendergast, resigned.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Members of Blueskin Recreation Reserve Trust appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 6th April, 1908.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 5 of "The Blueskin Recreation Reserve Act, 1876," been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK TRUBY KING, of Seacliff, Surgeon;  
CHARLES RITCHIE HOWDEN, of Warrington, Gentleman;  
and

ALEX. KILPATRICK, of Waitati, Storekeeper,

to be members of the Blueskin Recreation Reserve Trust, in the place of James Green, Maurice Joel, and James Marshall, deceased.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Vaccination Inspectors appointed.*

Department of Public Health,  
Wellington, 7th April, 1908.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned persons to be Vaccination Inspectors, under "The Public Health Act, 1900," namely:—

WILLIAM ARTHUR MATTHEWS,

for the District of Chatham Islands, *vice* Richard William Rayner, as from the 24th February, 1908;

HENRY WILLIS KIERNAN,

for the District of Mount Benger, *vice* Henry Edser, as from the 29th February, 1908.

GEO. FOWLDS,  
Minister of Public Health.

*Date of Election of Members of the Greymouth Fire Board.*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 3rd April, 1908.

**P**URSUANT to section 18 of the Fire Brigades Act, 1907, I, John George Findlay, Minister of Internal Affairs, and the Minister charged with the administration of the said Act, do hereby appoint Thursday, the 9th day of April, 1908, to be the day for the holding of an election of three members of the Greymouth Fire Board by the contributing local authority.

And I do further appoint Monday, the 27th day of April, 1908, to be the day for the holding of an election of three members of the said Greymouth Fire Board by the insurance companies which for the time being are carrying on business within the said Greymouth Fire District.

**JOHN G. FINDLAY,**  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Easter Holidays.*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 8th April, 1908.

**I**T is hereby notified for general information that Friday, the 17th, Saturday, the 18th, and Monday, the 20th day of April, will be observed as holidays in the public offices of the Government of New Zealand.

By order.

**HUGH POLLEN,**  
Under-Secretary.

*Celebration of St. George's Day.*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 8th April, 1908.

**T**HE Government offices throughout the Dominion will be closed on Thursday, the 23rd instant, being St. George's Day.

**JOHN G. FINDLAY,**  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 2nd April, 1908.

**T**HE following special order, made by the Kiwitea County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

**J. G. WARD,**  
Minister of Finance.

**KIWITEA COUNTY COUNCIL.**

*Special Order.*

**PROPOSED** by Councillor Guthrie, seconded by Councillor Hockly,—

That, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in them in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Kiwitea County Council do hereby resolve as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £130, being 10 per cent. of original loan of £1,300, authorised to be raised by the Kiwitea County Council, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and subsection (c) of section 2 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act Amendment Act, 1907, for the purpose of completing the formation, bridging, and metalling on Kawhatau Road, the said Kiwitea County Council do hereby make and levy a special rate of  $\frac{1}{8}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable valuation of all rateable property of the Valley Special-rating District, comprising Sections 1, 2, Block X, Ruahine Survey District; 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 13, 14, Block IX, Ruahine Survey District; 8, Block IX, 4, 5, Block XIII, Ruahine Survey District; 1, Blocks VI, VII, Hautapu Survey District; 2, Block VII, Hautapu Survey District; 5, 6, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, Block XI, Hautapu Survey District; 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 9, 10, 20, 21, Otamakapua Native Reserve No. 2E, Block XII, Hautapu Survey District: and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of April and the 1st day of October in each and every year during a period equal to the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The cost of raising the loan and the interest for the first year shall be paid out of the aforesaid sum of £130.

I, Samuel John Carman, Chairman of the Kiwitea County Council, hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the special order adopted at a special meeting of the said Council held on the 15th day of February, 1908, and confirmed at a special meeting held the 21st day of March, 1908.

**SAML. J. CARMAN,**  
Chairman.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 2nd April, 1908.

**T**HE following special order, made by the Eketahuna County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

**J. G. WARD,**  
Minister of Finance.

**EKETAHUNA COUNTY COUNCIL.**

*Special Order.*

**PROPOSED** by Councillor Moss, seconded by Councillor Tomlinson,—

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Eketahuna County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £165 sterling, authorised to be raised by the Eketahuna County Council, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for the purpose of erecting a footbridge across the Mangatainoka River near Hukanui, the said Eketahuna County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{1}{8}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Mangatainoka River Footbridge Special-rating District, comprising Sections 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, all of Block I, Mangaone Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of February and the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The interest to be paid on such loan to be at the rate of  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per cent per annum. The cost of raising the loan and the interest for the first year to be paid out of the loan.

I hereby certify that the above special order was made at a special meeting of the Eketahuna County Council held on the 15th day of February, 1908, and was confirmed at a special meeting held on the 14th day of March, 1908.

**R. J. MCLEAN,**  
County Clerk.

The seal of the Council was affixed to the above special order in the presence of—

**THOS. MOSS,**  
Chairman.  
**R. J. MCLEAN,**  
County Clerk.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 2nd April, 1908.

**T**HE following special order, made by the Westport Borough Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

**J. G. WARD,**  
Minister of Finance.

**WESTPORT BOROUGH COUNCIL.**

*Special Order making Special Rate.*

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Westport 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 Westport Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the extension and enlargement of the Corporation gasworks, the said Westport Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{1}{8}$ d. in the pound upon the unimproved rateable value of all rateable property within the said Borough of Westport, as set out in the Proclamation creating the said borough in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 17th day of April, 1873; and that such rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 3rd day of January and the 3rd day of July in each

and every year during the currency of such loan, being for a period of twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly adopted at a special meeting of the Westport Borough Council held on the 27th day of January, 1908, and was duly confirmed at a special meeting of the Council held on the 4th day of March, 1908.

J. H. GREENWOOD,  
Mayor of Westport.

*Special Order made by the Heathcote Road Board.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 7th April, 1908.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

HEATHCOTE ROAD BOARD.

*Special Order.*

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Heathcote Road Board hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £5,200, authorised to be raised by the Heathcote Road Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the construction and execution of the works in that part of the Avon Ward known as "Avonside," being all that area comprised within the following boundaries—commencing at the junction of Canal Reserve Road, Woodham's Road, River Road, and River Avon, thence in an easterly direction along Woodham's Road to its junction with the New Brighton Road at the south-eastern boundary of Rural Section 161, thence by the said New Brighton Road to its junction with the River Road and River Avon at the north-east corner of Rural Section 1656, thence by the River Road and the River Avon to the place of commencement in the Heathcote Road District—at the approximate cost set opposite such works respectively,—

THE WORKS ABOVE MENTIONED, AND THE APPROXIMATE COST.

	£	s.	d.
(1.) Kerb and channel River Road from Cowlshaw's Corner to Berryman's ..	800	0	0
(2.) Kerb and channel Cowlshaw Street, wide portion ..	105	0	0
(3.) Kerb and channel Cowlshaw Street, narrow portion ..	155	0	0
(4.) Kerb and channel Retreat Road, both sides the whole length ..	440	0	0
(5.) Kerb and channel Patten Street east side, widen on west side and regrade same ..	460	0	0
(6.) Kerb and channel Shelley Street, Leighton Street, and Carlyle Street, both sides ..	417	10	0
(7.) Kerb and channel Withers Street or Dallington Road, both sides ..	190	0	0
(8.) Kerb and channel Delamain Street, both sides, and widen same on east side ..	350	0	0
(9.) Kerb and channel Mile Road, north side, and fence portion ..	620	0	0
(10.) Form and metal River Road from Delamain Street to Bickerton's ..	330	0	0
(11.) Form and metal road fronting Rural Section 161 from Mile Road along New Brighton Road (20 chains) ..	300	0	0
(12.) Form, metal, and widen New Brighton Road from road fronting Rural Section 161 to Bickerton's ..	300	0	0
(13.) Fencing portions of roadway round River Avon ..	100	0	0
(14.) First year's interest, surveys, advertising, and contingencies ..	632	10	0
	£5,200	0	0

the said Heathcote Road Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound sterling upon the rateable value of all rateable properties in that part of the Avon Ward known as "Avonside," being all that area within the following boundaries—commencing at the junction of Canal Reserve Road, Woodham's Road, River Road, and River Avon, thence in an easterly direction along Woodham's Road to its junction with the New Brighton Road at the south-eastern boundary of Rural Section 161, thence by the said New Brighton Road to its junction with the River Road

and River Avon at the north-east corner of Rural Section 1656, thence by the River Road and the River Avon to the place of commencement in the Heathcote Road District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of April and the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I, George Scott, Chairman of the Heathcote Road Board, do hereby certify that the above special order was duly proposed on the 25th day of February, 1908, and passed on the 3rd day of April, 1908, in accordance with the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1882," and its amendments.

GEO. SCOTT,  
Chairman.

In testimony whereof the common seal of the Inhabitants of the Heathcote Road District has been hereunto affixed.

The common seal of the Inhabitants of the Heathcote Road District was hereunto affixed, this 3rd day of April, 1908, in the presence of—

GEO. SCOTT,  
Chairman.  
S. R. WRIGHT,  
Clerk.

*Special Order made by the Hopelands Drainage Board.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 8th April, 1908.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

HOPELANDS DRAINAGE BOARD.

*Special Order making Special Rate.*

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," the Hopelands Drainage Board hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £250, authorised to be raised by the Hopelands Drainage Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for draining certain sections of L.I.P. Crown lands, the said Hopelands Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Hopelands Drainage Special-rating District, comprising Sections 46, 47, 49, 50, 51, Block IX, Woodville Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of 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. That the rate of interest shall be  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per centum per annum. That the cost of raising such loan and the first year's interest thereon shall be paid out of the loan. That this special order shall take effect on and from the 31st day of March, 1908, and a meeting of the Board will be held in the Schoolroom, Hopelands, on the 31st day of March, 1908, to confirm this resolution.

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly adopted at a special meeting of the Hopelands Drainage Board held on the 10th day of February, 1908, and was duly confirmed at the ordinary meeting of the said Board on the 31st day of March, 1908.

W. J. H. THOMAS,  
Clerk.

*Result of Polls for Proposed Loans.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 3rd April, 1908.

THE following notices, received from the Mayor of the Borough of Petone, are published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901."

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF PETONE.

*Result of Poll.*

NOTICE is hereby given that a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Petone, including all persons entitled to vote on proposals to raise loans, was duly taken at the Odd Fellows' Hall, Petone, on Wednesday, the 25th day of March, 1908, upon the following proposal:—

A proposal to borrow by way of special loan within the meaning of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and its



amendments, the sum of £600, to be expended on the purchase and erection of a clock to be placed in the tower of the Municipal Buildings, Petone.

The Council proposed to pledge an annually recurring special rate of  $\frac{1}{8}$ d. in the pound sterling on the unimproved rateable value of all the rateable property within the borough as security for the said loan of £600 and other charges thereon. It was proposed that the whole amount of the loan should be repayable at the expiration of a term not exceeding twenty-one years, to be computed from the date of raising the loan.

And at such poll the number of votes recorded was 99 for the proposal, and 120 against the proposal; informal votes, 9.

I do hereby declare the said proposal to be rejected.

J. W. McEWAN,  
Mayor of Petone.

Dated this 27th day of March, 1908.

Declared before me, at Petone—R. Mothes, Justice of the Peace in and for the Dominion of New Zealand.

BOROUGH OF PETONE.

*Result of Poll.*

Notice is hereby given that a poll of ratepayers of the Borough of Petone, including all persons entitled to vote on proposals to raise loans, was duly taken at the Odd Fellows' Hall, Petone, on Wednesday, the 25th day of March, 1908, upon the following proposal:—

A proposal to borrow by way of special loan within the meaning of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and its amendments, the sum of £2,500, to be expended in the purchase of or erections of buildings, and for the further improvement of the recreation-grounds, the same being part of Section 6, Hutt District.

The Council proposes to pledge an annually recurring special rate of  $\frac{1}{8}$ d. in the pound sterling on the unimproved rateable value of all the rateable property within the borough as security for the said loan of £2,500 and other charges thereon. It is proposed that the whole amount of the loan shall be repayable at the expiration of a term not exceeding twenty-one years, to be computed from the date of raising the loan.

And at such poll the number of votes recorded was 124 for the said proposal, and 94 against the proposal; informal votes, 9.

I do hereby declare the said proposal to be carried.

J. W. McEWAN,  
Mayor of Petone.

Dated this 27th day of March, 1908.

Declared before me, at Petone—R. Mothes, Justice of the Peace in and for the Dominion of New Zealand.

BOROUGH OF PETONE.

*Result of Poll.*

Notice is hereby given that a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Petone, including all persons entitled to vote on proposals to raise loans, was duly taken at the Odd Fellows' Hall, Petone, on Wednesday, the 25th day of March, 1908, upon the following proposal:—

A proposal to borrow by way of special loan within the meaning of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and its amendments, the sum of £800, to be expended in the formation and extension of Nelson Street northwards, for the extension of Nelson Street culvert northwards from Udy Street, also for diverting Percy's Creek into Nelson Street culvert.

The Council proposes to pledge an annually recurring special rate of  $\frac{1}{8}$ d. in the pound sterling on the unimproved rateable value of all the rateable property within the borough as security for the said loan of £800 and other charges thereon. It is proposed that the whole amount of the loan shall be repayable at the expiration of a term not exceeding twenty-one years, to be computed from the date of raising the loan.

And at such poll the number of votes recorded was 145 for the said proposal, and 75 against the proposal; informal votes, 7.

I do hereby declare the said proposal to be carried.

J. W. McEWAN,  
Mayor of Petone.

Dated this 27th day of March, 1908.

Declared before me, at Petone—R. Mothes, Justice of the Peace in and for the Dominion of New Zealand.

BOROUGH OF PETONE.

*Result of Poll.*

Notice is hereby given that a poll of ratepayers of the Borough of Petone, including all persons entitled to vote on proposals to raise loans, was duly taken at the Odd Fellows'

Hall, Petone, on Wednesday, the 25th day of March, 1908, upon the following proposal:—

A proposal to borrow by way of special loan within the meaning of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and its amendments, the sum of £6,550, to be expended in providing a system of drainage for the lands within the boundaries of the borough situated north of the stop-bank, and such other lands within the borough as can conveniently be connected with the proposed drainage system.

The Council proposes to pledge an annually recurring special rate of  $\frac{1}{8}$ d. in the pound sterling on the unimproved rateable value of all the rateable property within the borough as security for the said loan of £6,550 and other charges thereon. It is proposed that the whole amount of the loan shall be repayable at the expiration of a term not exceeding twenty-one years, to be computed from the date of raising the loan.

And at such poll the number of votes recorded was 156 for the said proposal, and 67 against the proposal; informal votes, 6.

I do hereby declare the said proposal to be carried.

J. W. McEWAN,  
Mayor of Petone.

Dated this 27th day of March, 1908.

Declared before me, at Petone—R. Mothes, Justice of the Peace in and for the Dominion of New Zealand.

BOROUGH OF PETONE.

*Result of Poll.*

Notice is hereby given that a poll of ratepayers of the Borough of Petone, including all persons entitled to vote on proposals to raise loans, was duly taken at the Odd Fellows' Hall, Petone, on Wednesday, the 25th day of March, 1908, upon the following proposal:—

A proposal to borrow by way of special loan within the meaning of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and its amendments, the sum of £4,100, to be expended in the purchase and acquisition of Lots Nos. 1, 4, and 8 on a plan deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar, Wellington, and numbered 1968, for the purposes of recreation-grounds for the Borough of Petone, at the price of £2,952; Lot 2 on the said plan for the purposes of a site for municipal gasworks, at the price of £215; Lot 3 on the said plan for the purposes of a public road, at the price of £45; Lot 5 on the said plan for the purposes of a site for municipal buildings, at the price of £340; Lot 6 on the said plan for the purposes of providing an entrance to Lots 7 and 8, and for a Council yard, at the price of £250; Lot 7 on the said plan for a site for a technical school, at the price of £250.

The Council proposes to pledge an annually recurring special rate of  $\frac{1}{8}$ d. in the pound sterling on the unimproved rateable value of all the rateable property within the borough, also on the security of Lots 1, 2, 4, 5, and 8 on the aforesaid deposited plan numbered 1968, as security for the said loan of £4,100 and other charges thereon. It is proposed that the whole amount of the loan shall be repayable at the expiration of a term not exceeding twenty-one years, to be computed from the date of raising the loan.

And at such poll the number of votes recorded was 167 for the said proposal, and 47 against the proposal; informal votes, 8.

I do hereby declare the said proposal to be carried.

J. W. McEWAN,  
Mayor of Petone.

Dated this 27th day of March, 1908.

Declared before me, at Petone—R. Mothes, Justice of the Peace in and for the Dominion of New Zealand.

BOROUGH OF PETONE.

*Result of Poll.*

Notice is hereby given that a poll of ratepayers of the Borough of Petone, including all persons entitled to vote on proposals to raise loans, was duly taken at the Odd Fellows' Hall, Petone, on Wednesday, the 25th day of March, 1908, upon the following proposal:—

A proposal to borrow by way of special loan within the meaning of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and its amendments, the sum of £1,000, to be expended in the payment of lands acquired under the authority conferred by the provisions contained in "The Petone and Hutt Corporations Empowering Act, 1905," the said lands being part of the Petone foreshore and purchased for the purpose of giving an approach to the Petone Wharf; also for the removal and re-erection of the boatshed of the Petone Naval Artillery Volunteers, such work being in lieu of a cash payment for land acquired from the aforesaid Naval Artillery Company, such land being part of the Petone foreshore; also for the payment of survey fees, legal costs, and other charges in con-

nection with the vesting of the aforesaid Petone foreshore in the Petone Borough Council.

The Council proposes to pledge an annually recurring special rate of  $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound sterling on the unimproved rateable value of all the rateable property within the borough as security for the said loan of £1,000 and other charges thereon. It is proposed that the whole amount of the loan shall be repayable at the expiration of a term not exceeding twenty-one years, to be computed from the date of raising the loan.

And at such poll the number of votes recorded was 181 for the said proposal, and 44 against the proposal; informal votes, 8.

I do hereby declare the said proposal to be carried.

J. W. MCEWAN,  
Mayor of Petone.

Dated this 27th day of March, 1908.

Declared before me, at Petone—R. Mothes, Justice of the Peace in and for the Dominion of New Zealand.

#### Erratum.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 6th April, 1908.

IN the sixth line of Notice to Mariners No. 21 of the 30th March, 1908, on page 1064 of the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 24, of the 2nd April, 1908, please read: "This places the shoal 2 miles N. 20° W. of its charted position on Admiralty Chart No. 2529, Small Corrections," &c.

#### Defining River and Extended River Limits for Timaru.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 189 of "The Shipping and Seamen Act, 1903," I, John Andrew Millar, Minister of Marine, do hereby define the Timaru limits within which restricted-limit steamships and ships propelled by gas, oil, fluid, electricity, or any mechanical power other than steam, and to which restricted-limit certificates are issued, may ply to be those set forth herein, and I do divide such limits into river and extended river limits.

River limits: Inside the Timaru Breakwater.

Extended river limits: Within a radius of three miles from the outer end of the Southern Breakwater.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

J. A. MILLAR

#### Notice fixing Closing-hours of Tobacconists' Shops in the City of Auckland under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the tobacconists' shops in the City of Auckland, has been forwarded to me, desiring that the sale of tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes shall cease within the City of Auckland at the time specified below—viz., at 1 p.m. on the statutory closing-day; 11 p.m. on one day, which shall be Wednesday in the case of those observing Saturday as the half-holiday, and Saturday in the case of those observing Wednesday as the half-holiday; and 9 p.m. on the other four working-days of the week, except on the day previous to a public holiday, and the said four working-days during the months of December and January, when the sale shall cease at 10 p.m.: And whereas the Auckland City Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the tobacconists' shops within the city:

Now, therefore, I, James McGowan, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 21 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904," and section 5 of "The Shops and Offices Act Amendment Act, 1905," and section 4 of the Shops and Offices Act Amendment Act, 1907, do hereby direct that from and after the 13th day of April, 1908, all the tobacconists' shops in the City of Auckland shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

Dated at Wellington, this 8th day of April, 1908.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Minister of Labour.

#### Notice fixing Closing-hours of Hairdressers' and Tobacconists' Shops in the Borough of Dannevirke under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the hairdressers' and tobacconists' shops in the Borough of Dannevirke, has been forwarded to me, desiring that the hours of closing all such shops within the borough shall be as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays at 6.30 p.m.; Saturdays, 10.30 p.m.; and on Wednesdays, the statutory half-holiday, from 1 o'clock; and in respect to a day preceding a special holiday the hour of closing shall be at 9 p.m.: And whereas the Dannevirke Borough Council has certified that the signatures affixed to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all hairdressing and tobacconists' shops in the borough:

Now, therefore, I, James McGowan, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 21 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904," and section 5 of "The Shops and Offices Act Amendment Act, 1905," and section 4 of the Shops and Offices Act Amendment Act, 1907, do hereby direct that from and after the 13th day of April, 1908, all hairdressers' and tobacconists' shops shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

Dated at Wellington, this 8th day of April, 1908.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Minister of Labour.

#### Varied Notice fixing Closing-hours of Hairdressers' and Tobacconists' Shops in the Borough of Inglewood under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS by notice dated the 1st day of February, 1907, and gazetted on the 7th day of February, 1907, the Minister of Labour, in exercise of the powers in that behalf conferred upon him by section 21 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904," and section 5 of "The Shops and Offices Act Amendment Act, 1905," and acting in accordance with a requisition duly made and certified as required by those sections, did direct that from and after the 1st day of April, 1907, all shops in the Borough of Inglewood should be closed at 5.30 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, and at 9.30 p.m. on Saturdays, during the months of April, May, June, July, and August: And whereas by a like requisition, duly made and certified as aforesaid, he has been requested to vary the said notice by exempting hairdressers and tobacconists from its provisions:

Now, therefore, in compliance with the last-mentioned requisition, and in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 21 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1904," section 5 of "The Shops and Offices Act Amendment Act, 1905," and section 4 of the Shops and Offices Act Amendment Act, 1907, I, James McGowan, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, do hereby vary the said notice by directing that on and after the 13th day of April, 1908, its action shall be limited to all shops in the said borough except hairdressers' and tobacconists' shops.

Dated at Wellington, this 8th day of April, 1908.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Minister of Labour.

#### Notice of Half-holiday (for Boys under Eighteen Years of Age and Women) in the Borough of Invercargill under the Factories Act Amendment Act, 1907, Section 15.

WHEREAS a poll of the electors of the Invercargill Borough has been taken on a proposal that the weekly half-holiday provided for by section 33 of "The Factories Act, 1901," should be allowed in that borough on the same day as the day appointed as the statutory closing-day for shops in that borough: And whereas a majority of the votes given at such poll were in favour of the said proposal:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the provisions of subsection (2) of section 15 of the Factories Act Amendment Act, 1907, I, James McGowan, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, hereby give notice that on and after the 13th day of April, 1908, the half-holiday (for boys under eighteen years of age and women) under "The Factories Act, 1901," shall be allowed in the Borough of Invercargill on the same day as that appointed from time to time as the statutory closing-day for shops in the said borough, instead of on Saturday.

Dated at Wellington, this 8th day of April, 1908.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
For Minister of Labour.

NOTE.—The statutory half-holiday appointed for shops in the Borough of Invercargill is at present Wednesday.

Notice to the Public Trustee.

Education Department,  
Wellington, 31st March, 1908.

WHEREAS ALBERT E. WHITELEY is at present detained as an inmate of the Boys' Training Farm, Weraroa, a school established under "The Industrial Schools Act, 1882," and such inmate is entitled to certain moneys under the will of the late Mrs. Ann Whiteley: And whereas it appears expedient to issue the directions hereinafter set forth:

Now, I, George Fowlds, Minister of Education, do hereby, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of "The Industrial Schools Act Amendment Act, 1895," direct the Public Trustee to take possession of all such moneys and apply the same for the benefit of such inmate, in accordance with the provisions of such last-mentioned Act.

GEO. FOWLDS,  
Minister of Education.

Public-school Cadet Companies, &c., recognised.

Education Department,  
Wellington, 8th April, 1908.

THE undermentioned public-school cadet companies and detachments are recognised under the regulations published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 16th August, 1906:—

Wanganui Education District.

The No. 2 Company, Queen's Park Public School Cadets.

North Canterbury Education District.

The No. 2 Company, Sydenham Public School Cadets.

Otago Education District.

The Ngapara Public School Cadet Detachment.  
The Mosgiel District High School Cadet Detachment.

GEO. FOWLDS,  
Minister of Education.

Deceased Persons' Estates.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE for Management during the month of March, 1908.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Aiton, Sarah .. ..	Auckland .. ..	Scotland .. ..	30 Jan., 1908	Relatives known.
2	Allsworth, William Henry .. ..	Masterton .. ..	England .. ..	14 Jan., 1908	Relatives known.
3	Ballantine, Alexander .. ..	Herekino, Auckland .. ..	England .. ..	14 Jan., 1908	Relatives known.
4	Boon, John Samuel .. ..	Palmerston North .. ..	England .. ..	3 Dec., 1907	Relatives known.
5	Boyd, Miriam Emily .. ..	Auckland .. ..	England .. ..	18 Mar., 1908	Relatives known.
6	Bruce, William .. ..	Oamaru .. ..	Scotland .. ..	13 Feb., 1908	Relatives known.
7	Crawford, John .. ..	Clyde .. ..	Scotland .. ..	14 Feb., 1908	Relatives known.
8	Crawford, James .. ..	Rangitumu .. ..	Scotland .. ..	22 Feb., 1908	Relatives known.
9	Crockett, Joseph Doctor .. ..	Hinds, Canterbury .. ..	Australia .. ..	2 Feb., 1908	Relatives known.
10	Davidson, George .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	Wellington .. ..	Nov., 1907	Probate.
11	Douglas, John .. ..	Wellington .. ..	Rotorua .. ..	20 Jan., 1908	.. ..
12	Drummond, Henry .. ..	Purangi, New Plymouth .. ..	England .. ..	13 Mar., 1908	.. ..
13	Graham, Rodney .. ..	Cardrona, Otago .. ..	England .. ..	13 Nov., 1907	Probate.
14	Hall, Percy .. ..	Auckland .. ..	England .. ..	9 Mar., 1908	Relatives known.
15	Halliday, John .. ..	Auckland .. ..	Victoria .. ..	20 Mar., 1908	Relatives known.
16	Harris, Edward Fladgate .. ..	Auckland .. ..	Auckland .. ..	3 Mar., 1908	Relatives known.
17	Harvey, Neil .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	Ireland .. ..	23 Nov., 1907	Relatives known.
18	Haalam, Charles James .. ..	Konini .. ..	England .. ..	5 Mar., 1908	Probate.
19	Henry, James .. ..	Rangiwahia .. ..	England .. ..	26 Feb., 1908	Relatives known.
20	Hirst, George Henry .. ..	Tairua .. ..	England .. ..	28 Nov., 1907	.. ..
21	Hood, John .. ..	Leith Valley .. ..	Wales .. ..	From 12 to 14 Mar., 1908	Relatives known.
22	Innes, Thomas .. ..	Three-channel Flat, Westport .. ..	.. ..	20 Mar., 1908	Relatives known.
23	Jones, William .. ..	Foxton .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	Relatives known.
24	Killen, William James .. ..	Southbridge .. ..	Ireland .. ..	12 Feb., 1908	Relatives known.
25	Lee, — .. ..	Clyde .. ..	Scotland .. ..	13 Feb., 1908	Relatives known.
26	Lennox, Aaron or Alexander .. ..	Havelock .. ..	.. ..	22 Oct., 1905	Relatives known.
27	Machin, John .. ..	Mosgiel .. ..	.. ..	7 Mar., 1908	Probate.
28	Millar, Dorothy May A. .. ..	Auckland .. ..	Ireland .. ..	1 Feb., 1908	.. ..
29	Millar, David .. ..	Huiroa .. ..	.. ..	18 Jan., 1908	Relatives known.
30	McCaffery, Thomas .. ..	S.s. "Warrimoo" .. ..	Scotland .. ..	21 Jan., 1908	Relatives known.
31	McCormick, Aaron .. ..	Masterton .. ..	Scotland .. ..	14 Mar., 1908	Relatives known.
32	Mackinnon, Angus .. ..	Papakura .. ..	Scotland .. ..	3 Oct., 1883	Relatives known.
33	McLennan, Alexander .. ..	Omimi .. ..	Scotland .. ..	7 Nov., 1907	Probate.
34	McLeod, Hugh .. ..	Greymouth .. ..	.. ..	23 Mar., 1908	Probate.
35	Read, Jessie Dunbar .. ..	Kingsland .. ..	.. ..	4 Jan., 1908	Relatives known.
36	Revington, William David .. ..	Stratford .. ..	England .. ..	14 Jan., 1908	.. ..
37	Rooke, John .. ..	Masterton .. ..	England .. ..	24 Oct., 1907	Relatives known.
38	Rushton, Arthur John .. ..	Pihama .. ..	Germany .. ..	21 Mar., 1908	Relatives known.
39	Ryalls, Ernest .. ..	Mangamahu .. ..	England .. ..	25 Dec., 1907	Probate.
40	Schinkel, Albert Ferdinand .. ..	Tokomaru Bay .. ..	.. ..	30 Jan., 1908	Relatives known.
41	Shaw, James Tidswell .. ..	Wellington .. ..	.. ..	19 Feb., 1908	Probate.
42	Sigley, Henry Charles .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	England .. ..	18 Dec., 1904	Relatives known.
43	Smith, Charlotte Elizabeth Ellen .. ..	Invercargill .. ..	Scotland .. ..	10 Mar., 1908	Probate.
44	Stevens, William Henry .. ..	Te Awamutu .. ..	.. ..	20 Mar., 1908	Probate.
45	Strang, William .. ..	Upper Taieri .. ..	Scotland .. ..	26 Dec., 1907	Relatives known.
46	Voice, Albert William .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	.. ..	21 Jan., 1908	Relatives known.
47	Wells, William .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..
48	Woodford, Frederick Stanmore .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..

Dated the 8th day of April, 1908.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

Officiating Ministers for 1908.—Notice No. 19.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 8th April, 1908.

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

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

The Reverend Clement Houchen.  
The Reverend Mtu Paratene Kapa.  
The Reverend Peni Topi.

*Primitive Methodist Connexion.*  
The Reverend Joseph Carlisle.

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,  
Registrar-General.

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

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 8th April, 1908.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to an application in that behalf made to me by the Nelson Carpenters, Joiners, and Trade Machinists Industrial Union of Workers, registered No. 451, situated at Nelson, the registration of that industrial union will be cancelled at the expiration of six weeks from the date hereof unless within the six weeks specified proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having some claim on the funds of the industrial union to set aside such cancellation, and the same is set aside accordingly.

EDWARD TREGEAR,  
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

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

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 8th April, 1908.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the registrations of the Industrial Unions mentioned in the Schedule below are hereby cancelled as from the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

EDWARD TREGEAR,  
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

**SCHEDULE.**

The Southland Brick and Tile Makers Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 557, situated at Invercargill.

The Petone Milk-vendors Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 136, situated at Petone.

The South Canterbury Agricultural and Pastoral Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 465, situated at Timaru.

*Sale of Unclaimed Property.*

Police Department (Commissioner's Office),  
Wellington, 25th March, 1908.

**T**HE unclaimed property described hereunder, and now in possession of the police at the stations named, will, unless previously claimed, be sold by public auction, at the respective police-offices, on Saturday, the 25th April proximo, at noon, in accordance with police regulations:—

**AUCKLAND.**—Revolvers, various articles of jewellery and clothing.

**THAMES.**—Ladies' muff.

**NAPIER.**—Revolver, dressing-case, &c.

**WANGANUI.**—Bicycles, umbrellas, &c.

**WELLINGTON.**—Bicycles, various articles of jewellery and clothing, &c.

**GREYMOUTH.**—Sundries.

**CHRISTCHURCH.**—Ladies' fur boas, umbrellas, bicycles, and various articles of jewellery and clothing.

**DUNEDIN.**—Bicycle, jewellery and clothing, &c.

**INVERCARGILL.**—Revolver, &c.

W. DINNIE,  
Commissioner of Police.

(P. 08/728.)

*Suspension of Surveyor's License.*—*"The New Zealand Institute of Surveyors and Board of Examiners Act, 1900."*

The Surveyors' Board,  
Government Buildings,  
Wellington, N.Z., 30th March, 1908.

**I**T is hereby notified for general information that the Surveyors' Board, acting under the authority conferred by the above Act, has suspended the license of Mr. George Samuel Whiteside, licensed surveyor, Opotiki, for a period of three years, from the 30th March, 1908, to the 29th March, 1911, inclusive; the said Mr. Whiteside having committed offences as specified in subsections (1), (a), and (1), (b), of section 16 of the above Act.

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

*Land Surveyors' Examination, Australia and New Zealand, March, 1908.*

The Surveyors' Board,  
Government Buildings,  
Wellington, N.Z., 3rd April, 1908.

**NEW ZEALAND CANDIDATES.**

**A**T the examination of candidates held in March, 1908, fifteen candidates presented themselves. Of these, the undermentioned eight passed the examination (Mr. Saxby passed the complete examination, while the other candidates completed their examinations), and received certificates of competency from the Surveyors' Board.

Candidate.	Address.
Allan Gordan Saxby .. .. .	Napier.
Tom Learmont .. .. .	Greymouth.
Oliver R. Farrer .. .. .	Hamilton.
Courtenay Kenny .. .. .	Hamilton.
Louis Wellington Ward .. .. .	Wellington.
James Stevenson .. .. .	Wellington.
Shirley E. W. Baker .. .. .	Oamaru.
Thomas Cagney .. .. .	Napier.

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

**CROWN LANDS NOTICES.**

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

District Lands Office,  
Wellington, 7th April, 1908.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that written tenders for a lease of the undermentioned reserve, together with the buildings thereon, for a term of seven years, will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 24th day of June, 1908, under the provisions of "The Public Reserves Act, 1881."

**SCHEDULE.**

**WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.**

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.	Minimum Annual Rental.
852	X	Castlepoint ..	A. B. P. 68 0 0	£ s. d. 25 0 0

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.**

1. Tenders should be indorsed "Tender Castlepoint Land-Reserve," and addressed to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Wellington, and must be accompanied by a marked cheque or post-office order for an amount equivalent to six months' rent at the rate tendered, together with £1 ls. lease fee. The deposit in the case of the accepted tender will be retained as the first six months' rent, but will be forfeited if the person whose tender is accepted does not take up the lease.

2. The lessee shall have the right to the use of the tram-line from the landing-shed to high-water mark.

3. The lessee shall keep the land and premises leased, together with the buildings and tram-line thereon, in good order, repair, and condition, and at the expiration or sooner determination of the lease shall deliver up the same in the like good order and condition, fair wear-and-tear of the buildings only excepted.

4. The lessee shall paint the buildings twice during the currency of the lease with two coats of proper oil-colours, and in a workmanlike manner; the first of such paintings to be completed within three years from the commencement of the lease, and the second in the year prior to the expiration of the lease.

5. Within twelve months from the date of the lease, the lessee shall extend the tram-line into the sea for an additional length of 30 ft.; he shall also make such alterations to the woolshed as will enable 150 more bales of wool to be stored, and he shall instal such engines as may be necessary for the working of the hydraulic dumping-presses, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

6. Should the land, premises, and buildings be required by the lessor, his successors or assigns, before the expiration of the lease, the Governor may determine the lease on giving to the lessee six calendar months' notice in writing of his intention to do so; and, in the event of the lease being so determined, the lessee shall not be entitled to any compensation on account of its being so determined.

7. Should any part of the land be required at any time during the currency of the lease for a site for a lighthouse or other buildings in connection therewith, and for a road thereto, the Governor may give notice to the lessee of the area and portion of the land required for such purpose; and, on such notice being given, the lessor, his successors or assigns, may enter upon and resume possession of the land, and the lessee shall not be entitled to any compensation on account of such entry and resumption.

8. The lessee shall during the currency of the lease insure and keep insured the buildings erected on the said land, at their full insurable value, in the name of the lessor, his successors or assigns, in an insurance company approved of by the Commissioner of Crown Lands; and the insurance policy, and all receipts for premiums paid in respect thereof, shall be forwarded by the lessee to the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

9. No improvements or repairs to the land or buildings will be made by the lessor, his successors or assigns, during the currency of the lease, and the lessee shall have no right to compensation for improvements effected by him.

10. The lessee will have the right to charge storage for goods placed in the shed, provided that such charges do not exceed the sum of 1s. per bale of wool, and 5s. per ton of general merchandise.

11. Should the lessee commit a breach of any of the conditions of the lease, it may be determined at any time without notice, in which case the lessee will not have any claim for compensation.

12. The rent shall be payable to the Receiver of Land Revenue, at Wellington, half-yearly in advance, and shall date from the day of the acceptance of the tender.

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Pastoral Runs in Auckland Land District for License by Public Auction.*

District Lands Office,  
Auckland, 8th April, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral runs will be offered for license, by public auction, for a term of twenty-one years, at this office, on Friday, the 26th day of June, 1908, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Run No.	Survey District.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
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*Class I.*

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
56	Kaingaroa	17,118	0	0	35	0	0
58	Weao	29,312	0	0	45	0	0
60	Otukotara	54,744	0	0	55	0	0

Open land, covered with rough tussock.

*Class II.*

92	Tuhingamata East and Tatua	11,595	0	0	25	0	0
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Broken and undulating land; about 500 acres mixed forest at north end of run; balance fern and tea-tree and tussock; light soil. Fronts the old Taupo-Atiamuri Road, about five miles from Taupo.

93	Tuhingamata East, Tatua, and Tauhara	12,110	0	0	25	0	0
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The run contains two small clumps of mixed forest; balance fern, tea-tree, and tussock; broken and undulating land; light soil. Fronts Lake Taupo; access by track about four miles from Taupo.

All hot springs, fumaroles, ngawas, geysers, mud volcanoes, and other centres of thermal action, with right of way thereto, are specially excluded from these pastoral licenses.

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Otago Land District open for Selection on Renewable Lease.*

District Lands Office,  
Dunedin, 18th March, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned lands will be open for selection on renewable lease, at this office, on Wednesday, the 24th day of June, 1908.

If more than one application is received for the same section on the same day, the order of selection will be decided by ballot at 11 a.m. on Thursday, the 25th June, 1908, at the District Lands Office, Dunedin.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—VINCENT COUNTY.  
*Second-class Land.*

Section.	Block.	Area.	Total Price.	Renewable Lease: Rent, 4 per Cent. Half-yearly Rent.
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TIGER HILL SURVEY DISTRICT.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
37	V	9	0	34	7	10

Open land, with light shingly soil. Situated about ten miles from Omakau Railway-station and a short distance from a school.

LOWER WANAKA SURVEY DISTRICT.

	IV	105	0	30	70	0
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Open land, with fair soil. Situated about four miles from Pembroke.

D. BARRON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Otago Land District for Disposal under Section 117 of "The Land Act, 1892."*

District Lands Office,  
Dunedin, 18th February, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of, under section 117 of "The Land Act, 1892," on or after Wednesday, the 20th day of May, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 22, Block VI, Budle Survey District, to John Sheehy: Area, 12 acres 3 roods 34 perches.

D. BARRON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Nelson Land District for Disposal by way of Exchange.*

District Lands Office,  
Nelson, 18th February, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be exchanged for an equal area included in the area of 1,000 acres held under lease in perpetuity by Mrs. M. McDonald on or after Wednesday, the 20th day of May, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, situated in Block VI, Motupiko Survey District, containing by admeasurement 64 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by a road fronting the Motupiko River, towards the south by land granted to Mrs. Minnie McDonald on lease in perpetuity, and towards the west by Chinaman's Creek.

F. W. FLANAGAN,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Otago Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 4th March, 1908.  
 NOTICE 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.
50	68	VIII	Glenomaru .. ..	John Dudley .. ..	P.L.V.S.S.
247 v.H.	69	"	" .. ..	" .. ..	L.I.P.
179 v.H.	4	"	" .. ..	" .. ..	"
221 v.H.	10	"	Waikoikoi Town ..	William Sparks .. ..	"
227 v.H.	11	"	" .. ..	" .. ..	"
253 v.H.	5	"	" .. ..	" .. ..	"
68s.	19a	"	Teaneraki Settlement ..	Philip Murtha .. ..	"
1256	22	XII	Tautuku .. ..	H. G. List .. ..	"
340	51	X	Glenkenich .. ..	John Swan .. ..	O.R.P.
363	22	VI	Kuriwao .. ..	Frederick Cosgrove ..	"
189	33	V	Mount Hyde .. ..	James Thompson .. ..	O.L.
256L	Run 244j	"	Tiger Hill .. ..	W. C. Pitches .. ..	S.G.R.

ROBERT McNAB,  
 Minister of Lands.

Lands in Nelson Land District open for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands Office,  
 Nelson, 9th March, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned lands will be open for selection on renewable lease, at this office, on Wednesday, the 17th day of June, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

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

National Endowment.

District.	Block.	Area.	Renewable Lease: Rent per Acre per Annum.
Kongahu	III	750	5.28

SECOND-CLASS UNSURVEYED LAND.

Kongahu .. | III | 750 | 5.28  
 Situated near Little Wanganui. Access by Karamea Inland Road from Mokihinui, about twenty miles, and thence by Westport-Mokihinui Railway, twenty-nine miles. The land can also be reached by steamer trading between Westport and Little Wanganui River, a distance of about thirty-five miles.

Forest-clad country, the bush being principally birch. The soil is fair, and when cleared and sown produces excellent grass. Altitude, about 800 ft. above sea-level. Good climate; abundant rainfall.

Kongahu	..	III	430	4.68
	..	VI	30	4.68

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

F. W. FLANAGAN,  
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,  
 Wellington, 29th January, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned

land will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land, under section 114 of the said Act, on or after Thursday, the 30th day of April, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
1	XVI	Kaitieke .. ..	A. B. P. 6 3 38

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Grazing-run in Hawke's Bay Land District open for Lease.

District Lands Office,  
 Napier, 30th March, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned grazing-run will be open for lease, for a term of twenty-one years, with right of renewal, at this office, and at the Local Land Office, Gisborne, on Wednesday, the 17th day of June, 1908, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1892."

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—WAIAPU COUNTY.—HIKURANGI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Run No.	Blocks.	Area.	Half-yearly Rental.
96	IX and XIII	A. B. P. 5,320 0 0	£ s. d. 64 0 0

High, rough, bush-clad country, ranging from 2,000 ft. to 4,350 ft. above sea-level; chiefly covered with birch, with tawa and mixed bush on the lower slopes and in the gullies; formation, sandstone and slate; well watered. Distant about thirty-eight miles from Waipiro by formed pack-track and dray-road.

HENRY TRENT,  
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

*Petition for Incorporation by the Owners of the Kaiti No. 313 Section 1c Block.*

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

In the matter of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," and its amendments, and of the petition for incorporation by the owners of the Kaiti No. 313 Section 1c Block. At a sitting of the Court held at Gisborne, before Robert Noble Jones, Judge, and Hapi Kiriha, Assessor, on Saturday, the 28th day of March, 1908.

UPON reading the petition for incorporation lodged herein, and upon hearing Taranga Rawiri, one of the petitioners, and the evidence adduced on their behalf, and the Court being satisfied of the consent of the majority of the owners of the said Kaiti No. 313 Section 1c Block, and that such block can be dealt with to the advantage of the owners thereof by being incorporated as hereinafter appearing, it is ordered that the owners whose names are set out in the Schedule hereunder written shall be and the same are hereby constituted a body corporate within the meaning of section 122 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," by the name of "The Proprietors of the Kaiti No. 313 Section 1c Block," subject to the powers, liabilities, and incidents conferred or imposed by the said Act or any amendments thereof. The said land contains 36 acres 2 roods 18 perches, or thereabouts, and is bounded as follows: Towards the north by the Wainui Stream, towards the east by the Kaiti 313 No. 2B and 313 No. 2c Blocks, towards the south by the sea, and towards the west by Kaiti 313 No. 2d and 313 No. 2e1 Blocks.

And it is hereby ordered and directed that a general meeting of the proprietors of the said block shall be held at the Native Land Court House, Gisborne, on Saturday, the 2nd day of May, 1908, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating a committee to administer the said land, and fixing the number of its members.

And it is hereby further ordered that the committee shall have full power to defray the reasonable costs and expenses consequent upon this incorporation or incidental thereto, and that the title to the said land hereby vested in the corporate body above named shall be subject to all existing rights, alienations, encumbrances, and contracts affecting the same or any interest therein.

In witness whereof the seal of the said Court was hereto affixed, the day and year first above written.

R. N. JONES, Judge.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

KAITI No. 313 SECTION 1c BLOCK.

Eruera te Kura.	Hemi Kauta.	Ihaia Hokeke.	Rawiri Hinaki.
Heni Pomare.	Te Hapi Hinaki.	Rewi Hapu.	Turanga Rawiri.
Keepa Pomare.	Heni Hinaki.	Ruihi Heihi.	Atareta (Kaiwaka).
Matchaere Pomare.	Hoera Hinaki.		

In unequal shares, according to their respective interests.

*Notice of Appeal withdrawn. — Whangaparaoa No. 2 Block. — "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."*

IN THE NATIVE APPELLATE COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the Whangaparaoa No. 2 Block, and of appeals by Manihera Waititi and Takimoana against the decision of the Native Land Court dated the 9th day of October, 1907, on the partition of the said land.

NOTICE is hereby given that, by notice to the Registrar, and with the approval of the Chief Judge, the said appeals have been withdrawn.

Dated at Gisborne, this 2nd day of April, 1908.

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Waitotara.*

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 6th April, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Waitotara on the 22nd day of April, 1908, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wellington, 1908-15.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
112	Mortgage .. ..	28th October, 1907 ..	Kai-Iwi No. 6G ..	Moepuke Ngaone and Rahi Moepuke to the Government Advances to Settlers Office.
113	Lease .. ..	9th December, 1907 ..	Te Uaua No. 2B ..	Raimapaha te Ihirangi to Jeremiah Moran.

## BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court of Waikato and Thames, holden at Hamilton.*

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY JAMES MOORE, of Hamilton, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 14th day of April, 1908, at 2.30 o'clock.

E. GÉRARD,  
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 2nd April, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN ARCHIBALD COCHRANE, of Orongomairoa, Waitoa, Farmer and Flax-miller, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 14th day of April, 1908, at 2.30 o'clock.

E. GÉRARD,  
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 31st March, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that statements of accounts and balance-sheets in respect of the undermentioned estates, together with the report of the Audit Office thereon, have been duly filed in the above Court; and I hereby further give notice that at the sitting of the said Court, to be holden on Tuesday, the 14th day of April, 1908, at 10 a.m., I intend applying for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 30th day of March, 1908.

Humphreys and Son, of Gisborne, Engineers.  
Humphreys, George, of Gisborne, Engineer.  
Humphreys, Kenneth, of Gisborne, Engineer.  
Skeet, William Oswald, of Gisborne, Builder.  
Smith, John, of Gisborne, Builder.  
Scott, John, of Gisborne, Builder.

JOHN COLEMAN,  
Deputy Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES RESTON, of Te Aute, Butcher, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 7th day of April, 1908, at 11 o'clock a.m.

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

Napier, 26th March, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT JOHN MUNRO, of Wellington, Commission Agent, was this day adjudged bankrupt on creditors' petition; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 13th day of April, 1908, at 11 o'clock.

A. SIMPSON,  
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 3rd April, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALBERT BARRIDGE, of Levin, Wood-dealer and Carter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 14th day of April, 1908, at 11 o'clock a.m.

A. SIMPSON,  
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 3rd April, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that VICTOR ABRAHAM, of 85 Willis Street, Wellington, Restaurant-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 15th day of April, 1908, at 11 o'clock a.m.

A. SIMPSON,  
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 6th April, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM BARROW, of Ngahere, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 8th day of April, 1908, at 2.30 o'clock.

JAMES E. ALLEN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

25th March, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDERICK WILLIAM MALORNEY, of Hokitika, Butcher, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 13th day of April, 1908, at 2 o'clock.

J. BEVAN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

31st March, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM HENRY THOMPSON, of Sydenham, Journeyman Bricklayer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 10th day of April, 1908, at 11 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,  
Official Assignee.

3rd April, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE MACE SANFORD, of Christchurch, Tuner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 14th day of April, 1908, at 2 o'clock.

G. L. GREENWOOD,  
Official Assignee.

7th April, 1908.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that DANIEL ROBSON, of Waimate, Fruiterer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, at Oamaru, on Wednesday, the 8th day of April, 1908, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

C. W. COOKE,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Oamaru, 1st April, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES BREMNER, of Dunedin, Watchmaker and Jeweller, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 7th day of April, 1908, at 2.30 o'clock.

C. C. GRAHAM,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES PEMBERTON, of Riverton, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on the 6th day of April, 1908, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Invercargill, 28th March, 1908.



## MINING NOTICES.

THE GARDEN GULLY DREDGING COMPANY  
(LIMITED), (IN LIQUIDATION).

THE following extraordinary resolution was passed at an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders in the Garden Gully Dredging Company (Limited), held on the 18th day of February, 1908, viz.:-

"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 accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily; and that JOHN BARNET BRUGH, of Dunedin, Accountant, be hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

H. ADAM, Chairman.  
JOHN B. BRUGH, Secretary.

Dunedin, 31st March, 1908. 438

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Matakauui Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration: 22nd January, 1902.  
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Matakauui: W. Norman.  
Nominal capital: £7,000.  
Amount of capital subscribed: £7,000.  
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £7,000.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £7,000.  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 7,000.  
Number of shares allotted: 7,000.  
Amount paid per share: £1.  
Amount called up per share: £1.  
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.  
Present number of shareholders: 8.  
Number of men employed by company: 7.  
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 137 oz. 3 dwt. 21 gr.; £530 2s. 5d.  
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 2,595 oz. 8 dwt. 13 gr.; £9,924 17s. 3d.  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £749 8s. 1d.  
Total expenditure since registration: £10,106 6s. 7d.  
Total amount of dividends declared: £1,924 3s. 6d.  
Total amount of dividends paid: £1,924 3s. 6d.  
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.  
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
Amount of debts owing by company: £16 10s. 11d.  
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, W. Norman, of Matakauui, the Legal Manager of the Matakauui Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st January, 1908; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1882."

W. NORMAN,  
Manager.

Declared at Matakauui, this 2nd day of April, 1908, before me—T. Duggan, J.P. 446

## LAND-TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

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 11th day of May, 1908.

1344. Applicant, JAMES HERON.—5 perches, portion of Town Section 263, Town of Napier. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 6th day of April, 1908, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

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THOS. HALL,  
District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1885," and its amendments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 9th day of May, 1908.

4115. MUNRO MACKENZIE SCOTT.—460 acres, part Sections 6, 7, 8, 29, 30, and 31, Turakina District. Occupied by Applicant.

4158. MARY ANN BROWN.—38 acres 1 rood 23 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches, part Section 97, Porirua District. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 8th day of April, 1908, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

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J. M. BATHAM,  
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a transfer of Lease 3350, affecting Section 2, Block V, Tiriraukawa Survey District, and Section 6, Block VIII, Mangawhero Survey District, being the land comprised in certificates of title, Vol. 84, folio 139, and Vol. 82, folio 253, from WILLIAM LILBURN to ROBERT LILBURN, of Mangamahu, Sheep-farmer, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said lease, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with the production of the said lease and register the transfer as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 23rd day of April, 1908.

Dated this 8th day of April, 1908, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

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J. M. BATHAM,  
District Land Registrar.

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

10687. WILLIAM HENRY SUNCKELL and ALFRED JAMES SUNCKELL.—125 acres, Rural Sections 1523, 2433, 2797, 3168, 3180, 3181, 3207, 5694, 7515, 7517, Block IV, Akaroa Survey District. Occupied by Applicants.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 7th day of April, 1908, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

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G. G. BRIDGES,  
District Land Registrar.

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

2903. WILLIAM TEMPLETON and WILLIAM JAMES.—2 roods, Sections 9 and 10, Block LXXI, Town of Invercargill. Occupied by Applicants and Francis Elliot McChesney and Thomas Alexander Cushen.

2904.—LAURANCE FRASER.—4 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches, part of Section 31, Block I, Invercargill Hundred, adjoining Allotment 1, Block I, Township of Clinton. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 6th day of April, 1908, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

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C. E. NALDER,  
District Land Registrar.

## PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

## NOTICE OF SPECIAL RESOLUTION TO WIND UP.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903"; and in the matter of the Mangaweka Sash and Door Company (Limited).

At an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company, duly convened, and held at Mangaweka on the 27th day of February, 1908, the following special resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company held at Mangaweka on the 13th day of February, 1908, the following resolution was duly confirmed, viz.:-

"That the Mangaweka Sash and Door Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily."

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## THE BLUE FLAG MEDICINE COMPANY (LIMITED).

AT the annual general meeting of the shareholders in the above-named company held at the registered office of the company, 120 Ridgway Street, Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 11th day of March, 1908, and duly confirmed at a subsequent meeting held at the same place on Thursday, the 26th March, 1908, the following special resolution was duly carried:—

"That the company's business be wound up under voluntary liquidation, and that JOHN PARKER GORE-MARTIN, Accountant, Ridgway Street, Wanganui, be appointed Liquidator."—Read and confirmed.

G. S. GORDON, Chairman.  
Wanganui, 27th March, 1908. 437

## BOROUGH OF NORTH-EAST VALLEY.

## NOTICE OF RESULT OF A POLL ON A PROPOSAL.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that at a poll held this day, upon a proposal that the adoption of "The Rating on Unimproved Value Act, 1896," in the Borough of North-east Valley be rescinded, the following votes were recorded:—

For the proposal .. .. 354 votes.  
Against the proposal .. .. 185 votes.

I therefore declare the proposal carried.

ISAAC GREEN,  
Mayor of the Borough of North-east Valley.  
North-east Valley, 30th March, 1908. 439

## MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, ARTHUR CHARLES THOMSON, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery, University of New Zealand, now residing in Auckland, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 2nd May next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Dominion of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar at Auckland.

A. C. THOMSON.

Dated at Auckland,  
2nd April, 1908. 440

I, ELIZABETH HORNE BAIN MACDONALD, M.B., Bacc. Surg. 1905. M.D. 1907. Univ. St. And., now residing at 12 Ingestre Street, Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 2nd May next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Dominion of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar-General.

ELIZ. H. B. MACDONALD.

Dated at Wellington,  
2nd April, 1908. 441

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between us, under the style or firm of "Whishaw and Greenfield," has been dissolved as from the 31st day of March, 1908.

Dated 31st day of March, 1908.

W. M. WHISHAW.  
A. K. GREENFIELD.

Witness to signatures—John Power, Solicitor, Feilding. 442

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, GEORGE HOOD and WILLIAM ALFRED STRACHAN, carrying on business as Farmers at Hororata, under the style or firm of "Hood and Strachan," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said William Alfred Strachan, who will continue to carry on the business jointly with John Strachan, whom he has taken into partnership.

As witness our hands, this 3rd day of April, 1908.

GEORGE HOOD.  
W. A. STRACHAN.

Witness to both signatures—H. O. D. Meares, Solicitor, Christchurch. 443

## NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that the firm of CHEW AND PARKER, heretofore carrying on business as Motor and Cycle Merchants, Carterton, has been dissolved as from this date.

J. CHEW.  
T. PARKER.

Carterton, 31st March, 1908. 444

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903," and in the matter of the Wellington Woodware Company (Limited).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company, duly convened, and held at 3 p.m. on the 3rd day of April, 1908, the following resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved to its satisfaction that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same; and that PERCY GRANVILLE HARVEY, of Wellington, Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of April, 1908.

P. G. HARVEY,  
Liquidator. 445

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