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*Change of Name of Locality, "Wainono" to "Norton."*

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented by settlers in the locality known as "Wainono," in the County of Waimate, praying that the name of such locality be changed to "Norton": And whereas the Council of the County of Waimate has, by resolution adopted at an ordinary meeting thereof, consented to the name of "Norton" being substituted for the existing name of "Wainono":

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by "The Designation of Districts Act, 1894," 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 proclaim and declare that the name of the locality now known as "Wainono," in the County of Waimate, shall be and the same is hereby altered to "Norton," and do assign the last-mentioned name to such locality accordingly; and also do hereby proclaim and declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and nine, not being earlier than six months after the first publication thereof in the *Gazette*.

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

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Allocating Land reserved and taken for a Railway to the Purposes of a Road in Borough of New Plymouth.*

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto forms part of land reserved and taken for the purposes of the Foxton - New Plymouth Railway and extension to the Breakwater, and it is considered desirable to allocate such land to the purposes of a road:

And whereas it has been certified by the Minister for Railways that such land is not required for railway purposes: And whereas such land is situated in the Borough of New Plymouth, the local authority of which has assented to the issue of this Proclamation:

And whereas His Excellency the Governor is of opinion that the said local authority can conveniently construct and maintain the said road:

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 section one hundred and ninety-seven of "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 the land described in the Schedule hereto shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a road, and that the said road shall be under the control of the Corporation of the Borough of New Plymouth, and shall be maintained by the said Corporation in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Corporation.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Land District of Taranaki, containing 10.47 perches, more or less, being a portion of railway land at New Plymouth, and being portions of Sections Nos. 17, 18, and 19, Town of New Plymouth, situated in Block V, Paritutu Survey District, and being portions of the land taken for the purposes of the Foxton-New Plymouth Railway and extension to the Breakwater by a Proclamation dated the 15th day of July, 1901, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 70, of the 25th day of July, 1901; as the said parcel of land is more particularly shown coloured purple on plan marked W.R. 16587, deposited in the office of the Minister for Railways, at Wellington.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister for Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Defining the Middle Line of a Further Portion of the Lawrence-Roxburgh Railway.

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

WHEREAS the Lawrence-Roxburgh Railway—namely, an extension of the Lawrence Branch Railway to Beaumont (hereinafter termed “the said railway”)—is a railway the construction of which is authorised by “The Public Works Act, 1908”: And whereas the said railway has been partly constructed, and it has been determined to construct and maintain the remaining portion of the same:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred by “The Public Works Act, 1908,” and in exercise of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the middle line of the said remaining portion of the said railway shall be that defined and set forth in the Schedule hereto.

#### SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point in the railway reserve distant about 32 chains in an easterly direction from the north-western corner of Section 53, Block III, Tuapeka West Survey District, which point is marked 29 miles, and is also the termination of a previous portion of the Lawrence-Roxburgh Railway, as described in a Proclamation dated the 18th day of September, 1906, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 80, of the 20th day of September, 1906; proceeding thence generally in a north-westerly direction for a distance of about 6 miles 16 chains, and passing in, into, through, or over the following lands—viz., railway reserve, Block III, Tuapeka West Survey District; railway reserve and Sections 2, 3, 4, and 5, Block III, Beaumont Survey District; Sections 2, 3, 4, 30, 31, and railway reserve, Block I, Beaumont Survey District; railway reserve, Block III, Beaumont Survey District; Block XXI, Town of Dunkeld; and again into railway reserve, Block I, Beaumont Survey District—and terminating at a point marked 35 miles 16 chains on the southern bank of the Beaumont River in the said Block I, Beaumont Survey District, distant about 14½ chains from the southern boundary of Section 28, Block I, Beaumont Survey District: including all adjoining and intervening places, lands, reserves, roads, tracks, rivers, streams, and watercourses: all in the Land District of Otago: as the same is delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 23668, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block X, Cape Survey District, Egmont and Taranaki Counties.

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of “The Land Act, 1908,” I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the owners, lessees, and mortgagees of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Okato, Werekino, and Parihaka Road Boards, being the local authorities in whose districts the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Cape 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 hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 3 39	Part Sub. 13 of Section 6	X	Cape ..	R. 721	Red.
7 0 3	Part Sub. 6 of Section 4	"	" ..	"	"
2 1 3	Part Section 16	"	" ..	"	"
6 1 23	Subdivision 13, Section 6	"	" ..	"	"

#### SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Passing through or abutting on	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 0 30	Section 16 ..	X	Cape ..	R. 721	Green.

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

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

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Native Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Maunu No. 1e No. 3 North No. 5a, Block XI, Purua Survey District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifteenth day of September, 1908.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a public work, to wit, for the purposes of a road in Maunu No. 1e No. 3 North No. 5a, Block XI, Purua Survey District:

And whereas the said land is held or occupied by Native owners under a title which is not derived from the Crown: And whereas a map in duplicate has been prepared of the said land, as required by the ninetieth section of “The Public Works Act, 1908”:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by the ninetieth section of the said Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the land shown upon such map, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be deemed to be taken for the purposes of the said road, as from the fifth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land to be taken.	Being Part of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 5 0 3	Maunu No. 1B No. 3 North No. 5A	XI	Purua	R. 10078A	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.

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

*Native Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Puhanga-te-uru No. 3b, No. 7161, Block VI, Waihou Survey District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of September, 1908.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a public work, to wit, for the purposes of a road in Puhanga-te-uru No. 3b, No. 7161, Block VI, Waihou Survey District :

And whereas the said land is held or occupied by Native owners under a title which is not derived from the Crown : And whereas a map in duplicate has been prepared of the said land, as required by the ninetieth section of "The Public Works Act, 1908" :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by the ninetieth section of the said Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the land shown upon such map, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall be deemed to be taken for the purposes of the said road as from the fifth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Land to be taken.	Being Part of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 2 27	Puhanga-te-uru No. 3b, No. 7161 (red)	VI	Waihou	R. 10165B	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.

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

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of September, 1908.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

And whereas the Aotea District Maori Land Board, by a recommendation made on the twenty-ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and received on the sixth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eight, has recommended the Governor to except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of mortgage to a lending department of the Government, the parcel of land particularised and set out in the Schedule hereto :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby except the said land from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," so far as to enable the same to be mortgaged as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

All that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Karioi Survey District, containing 111 acres 1 rood 12 perches, more or less, known as Rangiwaea-Tarere No. 2b1, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 28th day of June, 1906, in favour of Te Whango te Wiki and others.

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

*Validating the Special Order making the Special Rate as the Security for the Loan of £600 to be raised by the Opotiki Town Board for certain Public Works.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of September, 1908.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Opotiki County Council and the Opotiki Town Board lately proposed to raise a joint loan of six thousand pounds from the Minister of Finance, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for the purpose of constructing certain public works : And whereas a resolution was made by the Opotiki Town Board on the fourth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eight, resolving to make a special rate of one-ninth of a penny in the pound sterling as security for a special loan of six hundred pounds to be expended in two successive years as part of the joint special loan of six thousand pounds in conjunction with the Opotiki County Council : And whereas the particular works for which such joint special loan was to be raised were set out in the proposal for the said loan, but were not set out in the special order making the special rate as security for such loans, as required by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and its amendments : And whereas it appears that the ratepayers of the Opotiki Town District have not been misled, and it is expedient to validate such irregularity as aforesaid :

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 and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by section one hundred and twenty-one of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," doth hereby declare that the said resolution making the said special rate shall be deemed and taken to be as valid to all intents and purposes as though the same were regular and in form, and doth hereby declare that the proceedings relative to such resolution shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularities aforesaid.

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

*Validating the Special Order making the Special Rate as the Security for the Loan of £5,400 to be raised by the Opotiki County Council for certain Public Works.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of September, 1908.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Opotiki County Council and the Opotiki Town Board lately proposed to raise a joint loan of six thousand pounds from the Minister of Finance, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for the purpose of constructing certain public works in the Opotiki County: And whereas a resolution was made by the Opotiki County Council on the twenty-fifth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eight, resolving to make a special rate of one-fifth of a penny in the pound sterling as security for a special loan of five thousand four hundred pounds as part of the said joint special loan of six thousand pounds in conjunction with the Opotiki Town Board: And whereas the particular works for which such joint special loan was to be raised were set out in the proposal for the loan, but were not set out in the special order making the special rate as security for such loan, as required by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and its amendments: And whereas it appears that the ratepayers of the Opotiki County have not been misled, and it is expedient to validate such irregularity as aforesaid:

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 and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by section one hundred and twenty-one of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," doth hereby declare that the said resolution making the special rate shall be deemed and taken to be as valid to all intents and purposes as though the same were regular and in form, and doth hereby declare that the proceedings relative to such resolution shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularities aforesaid.

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

*Revoking Order in Council licensing Daniel Gilbert Lane to use and occupy a Part of Foreshore of Hokianga as a Site for a Wharf.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of September, 1908.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the seventeenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 80, of the twentieth day of the same month, His Excellency the Governor in Council did, in pursuance of the provisions of "The Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883," license Daniel Gilbert Lane to use and occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark at Rawene, Hokianga Harbour, for a wharf in accordance with plans marked M.D. 2996 (three sheets), and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, and upon and subject to the terms and conditions therein set forth:

And whereas the said Daniel Gilbert Lane desires that the said license shall be revoked, and it is advisable that this should be done:

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 all the powers enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby revoke and determine the said recited Order in Council of the seventeenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and six, and the rights and privileges thereby conferred.

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

*Vesting Control of a Reserve under "The Tourist and Health Resorts Control Act, 1908."*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of September, 1908.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on him by "The Tourist and Health Resorts Control Act, 1908" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), 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 vest the control of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto in the Minister of the Crown for the time being having the administration of the said Act, and doth hereby declare that the said reserve shall be administered under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 148 acres, more or less, being Sections Nos. 1 and 2, Block VII, Tarawera Survey District; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 57182/27, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

*Regulations for Trout-fishing, Rotorua Acclimatisation District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of September, 1908.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Fisheries Act, 1908," His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations for the Rotorua Acclimatisation District and the waters thereof; and doth hereby declare that these regulations shall, as from the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eight, supersede all regulations at variance therewith, and such regulations are hereby revoked:—

REGULATIONS.

1. Licenses to fish for trout in all waters within that district or part of the North Island known as the Rotorua Acclimatisation District, described in the First Schedule hereto, and comprising the Counties of Rotorua, Whakatane, and East Taupo, and parts of the Counties of Wairoa, West Taupo, and Piako, may be issued under the hand of the General Manager of the Tourist and Health Resorts Department, or any one authorised in writing by the said General Manager in that behalf: Provided that the General Manager, or his appointee, may refuse to issue a license to any person who within the previous two years has been convicted of any breach of the provisions of any Act relating to fishing for trout, or of any regulation made thereunder.

2. The fee to be charged for a license as aforesaid to each male person over the age of sixteen years shall be twenty shillings. Licenses may also be issued to boys attending school or under the age of sixteen, or to women, at a reduced fee of five shillings for each license so issued: Provided that it shall be lawful for the said General Manager, or his appointee, in any case where application is made for a license on or after the twentieth day of December in any year, to issue a license to any man for the sum of twelve shillings and sixpence, but so that such license shall extend only from the time of granting the same until the termination of the then trout-fishing season. No license shall confer any right of entry upon the land of any person without his consent. The General Manager, or his appointee, may issue

a day license to any one applying for the same on payment of a fee of two shillings and sixpence for each day's fishing. The several forms of license shall be those set forth in the Second Schedule hereto.

3. Any holder of a license may fish for trout in the above-named waters from the first day of November in any year to the thirty-first day of May in the following year, both inclusive; but every such license shall be for one season only, and shall expire on the thirty-first day of May following the date on which it was issued, subject, however, to the special limitations and restrictions hereinafter mentioned.

4. Trout shall not be fished for, taken, or killed otherwise than with one rod and line; but a landing-net or gaff may be used to secure any trout caught with such rod and line. No lures or baits other than natural or artificial flies, insects, or fish shall be used with such rod and line, nor shall any of the said lures or baits be used except upon a running line attached to a rod and reel; nor shall any set rod or line be used for taking trout in any of the waters aforesaid.

5. No person shall use any bait or lure other than artificial fly in any of the streams following—namely, the Kaituna Stream from Lake Rotoiti to the electric-power station at the Okere Falls, the Waimakariri Stream, the Tahuna-atara or Whangapoa Stream, and the Ohau Channel.

6. No person shall use any bait or lure other than artificial fly within a radius of three hundred yards of the mouths (or outlets, as the case may be) of the following rivers, springs, or streams—namely, the Utuhina, the Fairy Spring, the Waiohiro, the Ngongotaha, the Awahou, the Hamurana, the Ohau Channel, and the Waingaehe, flowing into or from Lake Rotorua; the Ohau Channel, the Kaituna, the Wai-iti, and the Toroa, flowing into Lake Rotoiti; all streams flowing into Lakes Rotoehu and Rotoma; the Wairoa, flowing from Lake Rotokakahi; and the Tarawera River, flowing from Lake Tarawera.

7. No person shall use any bait or lure other than artificial fly within a radius of three hundred yards from Te Ngae sunken reef in Lake Rotorua, as indicated by posts in the water.

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

9. No person shall take, fish for, or catch any *Salmonidae* or trout, or in any way injure or disturb the same, between the first day of June and the thirty-first day of October in any year, which period is hereby appointed a close season for all such fish. No person shall have in his possession any *Salmonidae* or trout between the fifth day of June and the first day of November following, whether frozen, chilled, or not: Provided always that this regulation shall not apply to fish caught by the General Manager, or his appointee, or officers of the Marine Department, for purposes of acclimatisation.

10. No person shall cast or throw into any stream or waters in which trout or salmon exist or have been liberated, or shall allow to flow into or place near the bank or margin of any such stream or waters, any sawdust or sawmill refuse, lime, sheep-dip, flax-mill refuse, or any other matter or liquid that is noxious, poisonous, or injurious to fish: Provided that nothing herein contained shall extend to prohibit the depositing in such stream of debris from any mining claim.

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

12. No person shall fish for trout without a license; and every person fishing shall, on the demand of any Ranger, constable, officer of the Department of Tourist and Health Resorts, or of any person producing a license, give his true name and place of residence, and, on the like demand, produce and show to such Ranger, officer, constable, or person his license, and the contents of his creel or bag, and the bait used by him for taking, catching, or killing such trout.

13. Every trout not exceeding ten inches in length from nose to tip of tail taken or caught by any person shall immediately be returned alive into the water from which the same is taken.

14. No cross-line fishing, stroke-hauling, or any other un-sportsmanlike device shall be used for the purpose of taking, catching, or killing trout; nor shall any of the above-mentioned baits be used with any medicated or chemical preparation whatever.

15. Except as aforesaid, no person shall fish with or use any net, or any instrument, or device, or means for taking *Salmonidae* or trout in any lake, river, or stream within the district aforesaid, or at the mouth or entrance of any such river or stream.

16. No fishing of the form known as trolling or spinning a bait from a boat, launch, or canoe shall be practised in Lakes Rotorua, Rotoiti, Rotoehu, Rotoma, and Tarawera within a radius of three hundred yards of the mouths (or outlets, as the case may be) of any of the following rivers, springs, or streams flowing into or from the said lakes or either of them—namely, the Utuhina, the Fairy Spring, the Ngongotaha, the Waiteti, the Awahou, the Hamurana, the Kaituna, the Waimakariri, the Tahunaatara or Whangapoa Stream, the Wairoa, the Tarawera River (outlet), the Ohau Channel (both inlet and outlet), and all streams flowing into Lakes Rotoehu and Rotoma.

17. Nothing herein contained, or contained in any license issued under these regulations, shall be deemed to authorise any person to fish for or take *Salmonidae* or trout in any of the following streams or waters—namely, the Utuhina Stream, the Fairy Spring, the Ngongotaha Stream, the Waiteti Stream, the Awahou Stream, the Hamurana Spring and Stream—all being streams flowing into Lake Rotorua, except during the period extending from the 1st day of December in any one year to the thirty-first day of March in the year following, both days inclusive.

18. Nothing herein contained, or contained in any license issued under these regulations, shall be deemed to authorise any person to fish for or take *Salmonidae* or trout from the Wairoa Stream between the waterfalls and Lake Tarawera.

19. No person shall buy, sell, or expose or offer for sale, or shall fish for the purpose of obtaining for sale, any trout, or any part thereof.

20. No person shall take or catch more than twenty-five fish or fifty pounds weight of trout in any one day, except in the case of Lake Okataina, where not more than fifteen fish or thirty pounds weight of trout may be taken in any one day.

21. The penalty for the breach of any of these regulations shall not be less than forty shillings or more than fifty pounds.

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

ROTORUA ACCLIMATISATION DISTRICT.

ALL that area bounded towards the north generally by the Tauranga County from the north-eastern boundary of Piako County to the sea; thence by the sea to the north-western corner of Opotiki County; thence towards the east generally by Opotiki and Cook Counties and the sea to Moeangiangi; thence towards the south generally by the leading spur and the southern watershed of the Waikare River to Tarapouni Mountain; thence by the leading spur to the confluence of the Mohaka River with the Waipunga River; thence by a right line to Tatarakino Mountain; thence by the eastern watershed of the Mokomokonui Stream to Pohokuna Mountain; thence by a line running due east to the Pukahunui Stream; thence by the leading spur and the western watershed of the Te Hoe River to Maungataniwha Trig. Station; thence by the north-eastern boundary of Heruiwi No. 4 Block to the northern boundary of the Wairoa County; thence by the Wairoa County to the Napier-Taupo Road; thence by Hawke's Bay, Rangitikei, and Waimarino Counties to the Wanganui River; thence towards the west generally by the Wanganui River to its confluence with the Ongarue River; thence by the Ongarue River to its source; thence by a right line to the summit of Mount Rangitoto; thence by a right line to the summit of Puwhenua Mountain; thence by Piako County to the southern boundary of Tauranga County, the place of commencement.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

MAN'S [WOMAN'S] [BOY'S] [HALF-SEASON] [DAY] LICENSE TO FISH.

"The Fisheries Act, 1908."

THE holder of this license [Name in full], of [Address], [Calling or occupation], having this day paid the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ is hereby authorised to fish for trout within the Rotorua Acclimatisation District from the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_, to the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_, subject to the said Act and to the regulations made thereunder for the time being in force in the said district.

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_.

....., General Manager, Department of Tourist and Health Resorts.

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

*Amending Regulations for Trout, Perch, and Tench Fishing in the Canterbury Acclimatisation District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-eighth day of September, 1908.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by "The Fisheries Act, 1908," His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations for the Canterbury Acclimatisation District (hereinafter called "the said district"), which said district comprises the Counties of Cheviot, Ashley, Selwyn, Mount Herbert, and Akaroa, the City of Christchurch, and all the boroughs and town districts situated in the said district:—

1. No lures or baits other than artificial fly and artificial minnow shall be used in the following rivers during the months of October and November, namely: The Avon, from the watercourse near the bend on the Riccarton Road to the Carlton Bridge, and the Selwyn, from the Selwyn Railway (South Line) Bridge to the railway-bridge at Ellesmere.

2. Fishing is prohibited in the Avon from the watercourse near the bend on the Riccarton Road through the city to the bridge at Colombo Street.

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

4. Every license to fish issued by the said Canterbury Acclimatisation Society shall be in the form set forth in the Schedule hereto.

## SCHEDULE.

No.

No.

## SOUTHERN ACCLIMATISATION DISTRICT.

Available throughout New Zealand.

*General License to fish, Season 1908-9.*

(Not transferable.)

The holder of this license, M \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_ (age \_\_\_\_\_), having this day paid the sum of \_\_\_\_\_, is hereby authorised to fish for trout and other acclimatised fish in every acclimatisation district—trout from the 1st day of October, 1908, to the 30th day of April, 1909, and perch and tench from the 1st day of December, 1908, to the 30th day of April, 1909, following—subject to general regulations in force for the time being, and subject also to the local regulations.

Dated at Christchurch, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 190 \_\_\_\_\_.

Name:

Secretary, Canterbury Acclimatisation Society,  
Canterbury Hall, Christchurch.

Address:

1. This license must be produced on demand of any Ranger, officer, constable, or person producing a license, and the holder hereof must permit any such person to examine his creel or bag, and the bait he is using.

2. No trout under 9 in. may be taken or killed by any person. This license does not entitle the holder thereof to catch for sale any fish.

Age:

3. No fishing is allowed this season in any part of the Avon from the watercourse near the bend of the river at the Riccarton Road through the city to the Colombo Street Bridge, and no fishing other than with artificial fly or minnow from the same point—viz., watercourse near the bend on the Riccarton Road—to the Carlton Bridge during the months of October and November. No fishing except with artificial fly or minnow allowed in the Selwyn River from the Selwyn Railway (South Line) Bridge to the Ellesmere Railway-bridge during the months of October and November. Fishing in Victoria Lake and Horseshoe Lake is absolutely prohibited.

received by

4. The breach of these or any other regulations renders the offender liable to a fine of not less than forty shillings or more than fifty pounds.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_, 190 \_\_\_\_\_.

Any licensed angler catching any salmon must immediately return same to the water.

J. F. ANDREWS,  
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.*Appointment of Trustees, Wanganui (Putiki) Rifle Range Reserve.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN exercise and pursuance of the power and authority conferred by "The Defence Act, 1908" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, doth hereby constitute and appoint

Lieutenant-Colonel JOHN PATON WATT, V.D., 2nd Battalion, Wellington (West Coast) Rifle Volunteers;

Lieutenant-Colonel JAMES PATON WATT, 1st Regiment, Wellington (West Coast) Mounted Rifle Volunteers; and

Major ROBERT HUGHES, V.D., 2nd Battalion, Wellington (West Coast) Rifle Volunteers,

to be Trustees of all that parcel of land in the Wellington Land District being portions of Whakapaki No. 2, Onetere No. 3, Onetere No. 2, Onetere No. 4, and Onetere No. 1, Block V,

Ikitara Survey District, containing together 64 acres and 20 perches, more or less; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked P.W.D. 20886 and 23907, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red, yellow, red, yellow, and green respectively: together with all buildings erected thereon: to hold the said several premises for the purpose of maintaining a rifle range for Volunteer purposes, and generally for the purposes of and with the powers conferred by the said Act. And it is hereby declared that the said Trustees shall be incorporated under the name of "The Trustees of the Wanganui (Putiki) Rifle Range Reserve," and that they shall take office as such Trustees on the seventeenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Appointment of Trustees, Waikino Rifle Range Reserve.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN exercise and pursuance of the power and authority conferred by "The Defence Act, 1908" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, doth hereby constitute and appoint

- Lieutenant-Colonel EDMUND WILLIAM PORRITT, 2nd Battalion, Auckland (Hauraki) Infantry Volunteers;
- Major ARTHUR TOM KENRICK, 2nd Battalion, Auckland (Hauraki) Infantry Volunteers; and
- ALFRED SUTTON, Esq., President, Waikino Defence Rifle Club,

to be Trustees of all that parcel of land in the Auckland Land District being Section No. 28, Block XIV, Ohinemuri Survey District, containing 17 acres 3 roods 3 perches, more or less; together with all buildings erected thereon; to hold the said several premises for the purpose of maintaining a rifle range for Volunteer purposes, and generally for the purposes of and with the powers conferred by the said Act. And it is hereby declared that the said Trustees shall be incorporated under the name of "The Trustees of the Waikino Rifle Range Reserve," and that they shall take office as such Trustees on the seventeenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Appointment of Trustees, Petone Volunteer Drill-shed Reserve.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN exercise and pursuance of the power and authority conferred by "The Defence Act, 1908" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, doth hereby constitute and appoint

- Lieutenant OSCAR VINCENT ELLIS, No. 2 Company, Wellington Division of Garrison Artillery Volunteers;
- Lieutenant RICHARD PRICE, No. 2 Company, Wellington Division of Garrison Artillery Volunteers; and
- Acting-Lieutenant HARRY STUART NORTON ROBINSON, No. 2 Company, Wellington Division of Garrison Artillery Volunteers,

to be Trustees of all that piece or parcel of land, containing 1 rood 1 perch, more or less, being Allotments Nos. 82, 84, and part of 86 on a plan deposited in the Land Registry Office, Wellington, No. 101, which said land is part of Section No. 5 in the public map of the Hutt District, deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Wellington; together with all buildings erected thereon; to hold the said several premises for the purpose of maintaining a drill-shed for Volunteer purposes, and generally for the purposes of and with the powers conferred by the said Act. And it is hereby declared that the said Trustees shall be incorporated under the name of "The Trustees of the Petone Volunteer Drill-shed Reserve," and that they shall take office as such Trustees on the seventeenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Declaring Road-lines through Land in the Te Arai 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 the said roads intersect land acquired under "The Land for Settlements Act, 1908," 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 eighty 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 the said roads shall thereupon become subject to the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

TE ARAI SETTLEMENT.

Approximate Area of the Roads hereby closed.	Intersecting Original Native Block	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 3 1 4	Te Arai No. 2	V	Turanganui	S.G. 19369/16	Green.
0 0 12	Ditto ..	"	Ditto		
6 3 6	" ..	"	"		
2 1 28	" ..	IX	"		
0 0 6	" ..	"	"		
0 0 20	" ..	"	"		

In the Hawke's Bay 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 twenty-sixth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-twenty-sixth section of "The Land Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eight, as the time at which the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF PAEROA.

Town Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
N.W. 1	I	0 0 6.2	30 0 0
S.E. 1, 2, 14, 15, 16, & 17*	"	0 1 26.2	430 0 0
* Weighted with £500, valuation for large building (old hotel).			
3, 13*	I	0 0 35.9	200 0 0
* Weighted with £400, valuation for shops, dwelling, and cottage.			
4, 12*	I	0 0 31.2	200 0 0
* Weighted with £375, valuation for shops and dwellings.			
5, 11*	I	0 0 27.1	200 0 0
* Weighted with £360, valuation for office and shop, cottages, and sheds.			
18	I	0 1 29	150 0 0
25	"	0 0 18	115 0 0
26	"	0 0 18	115 0 0
33	"	0 0 19	20 0 0
11	II	0 0 12	37 0 0
12	"	0 0 12	45 0 0
13	"	0 0 18	50 0 0
14	"	0 0 18	50 0 0
17	"	0 0 18	50 0 0
18	"	0 0 18	50 0 0
19	"	0 0 18	50 0 0
S.E. 20	"	0 0 6	16 10 0
N.W. 20, 21, 22*	"	0 0 36	110 0 0
* Weighted with £400, valuation for house and shed.			



Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
23	II	0 0 12	25 0 0
24	"	0 0 12	30 0 0
25	"	0 0 18	37 0 0
26	"	0 0 18	37 0 0
27	"	0 0 18	32 0 0
28	"	0 0 18	32 0 0
33	"	0 0 9	10 0 0
34	"	0 0 11	10 0 0
35	"	0 0 8·8	8 0 0
36	"	0 0 11·5	10 0 0
37	"	0 0 14	10 0 0
38	"	0 0 17·8	12 0 0
39	"	0 0 10·6	8 0 0
44	"	0 0 17·8	25 0 0
45	"	0 0 14	20 0 0
46	"	0 0 11·5	18 0 0
47	"	0 0 8·8	15 0 0
49	"	0 0 12	50 0 0
50	"	0 0 12	40 0 0
51	"	0 0 12	40 0 0
52	"	0 0 12	70 0 0
54	"	0 0 18	70 0 0
55	"	0 0 18	70 0 0
56, 57, 59, 60*	"	0 1 13·1	200 0 0
* Weighted with £13, valuation for four huts.			
1 and 2*	III	0 1 3	80 0 0
* Weighted with £185, valuation for cottage and shed.			
1	IV	0 0 12	60 0 0
2*	"	0 0 18	50 0 0
* Weighted with £100, valuation for cottage.			
3	IV	0 0 18	50 0 0
4	"	0 0 18	42 0 0
5	"	0 0 18	35 0 0
6	"	0 0 18	35 0 0
7	"	0 0 18	35 0 0
8	"	0 0 18	35 0 0
9	"	0 0 18	35 0 0
10	"	0 0 12	35 0 0
11	"	0 0 12	25 0 0
12	"	0 0 12	25 0 0
13	"	0 0 12	30 0 0
14	"	0 0 18	30 0 0
15	"	0 0 18	30 0 0
16	"	0 0 18	25 0 0
17	"	0 0 18	12 0 0
18	"	0 0 18	15 0 0
19	"	0 0 18	20 0 0
20	"	0 0 18	20 0 0
21	"	0 0 18	20 0 0
22	"	0 0 12	20 0 0
23	"	0 0 12	25 0 0
24	"	0 0 12	35 0 0
25	"	0 0 12	20 0 0
26	"	0 0 18	20 0 0
27	"	0 0 18	20 0 0
28	"	0 0 18	15 0 0
32	"	0 0 18	10 0 0
33	"	0 0 18	12 0 0
34	"	0 0 12	15 0 0
35	"	0 0 12	8 0 0
36	"	0 0 12	10 0 0
37	"	0 0 12	15 0 0
38	"	0 0 18	15 0 0
39	"	0 0 18	15 0 0
43	"	0 0 18	10 0 0
44	"	0 0 18	10 0 0
45	"	0 0 18	10 0 0
46	"	0 0 12	12 0 0
47	"	0 0 12	8 0 0
48	"	0 0 12	12 0 0
1, 2, 21, 24, S.W. 23*	V	0 1 21·3	495 0 0
* Weighted with £1,010, valuation for shop, dwelling, stables, &c.			
4, 18, 19*	V	0 1 14	200 0 0
* Weighted with £10, valuation for fencing.			
7, 16*	V	0 0 36	150 0 0
* Weighted with £300, valuation for dwelling, office, and workshop.			
5*	V	0 0 18	100 0 0
* Weighted with £80, valuation for dwelling.			
8, 15*	V	0 0 36	130 0 0
* Weighted with £150, valuation for cottage and workshop.			

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
9	V	0 0 18	65 0 0
10	"	0 0 12	70 0 0
11	"	0 0 12	40 0 0
12	"	0 0 12	35 0 0
13	"	0 0 12	20 0 0
14	"	0 0 18	25 0 0
20	"	0 0 18	35 0 0
25	"	0 0 12	60 0 0
26	"	0 0 18	35 0 0
27	"	0 0 18	35 0 0
28	"	0 0 18	40 0 0
29	"	0 0 18	40 0 0
30	"	0 0 18	40 0 0
31	"	0 0 18	40 0 0
32	"	0 0 18	40 0 0
33	"	0 0 18	40 0 0
34	"	0 0 12	15 0 0
35	"	0 0 12	20 0 0
36	"	0 0 12	25 0 0
37	"	0 0 12	35 0 0
38	"	0 0 18	45 0 0
39	"	0 0 18	45 0 0
42*	"	0 0 18	50 0 0
* Weighted with £275, valuation for dwelling.			
44	V	0 0 18	50 0 0
45	"	0 0 18	50 0 0
46	"	0 0 12	50 0 0
48	"	0 0 12	50 0 0
3, 20*	VI	0 0 36	300 0 0
* Weighted with £375, valuation for shop, dwelling, and cottage.			
W. 5 & W. 18*	VI	0 0 22·2	180 0 0
* Weighted with £400, valuation for shop and store.			
E. 5 & E. 18*	VI	0 0 13·8	115 0 0
* Weighted with £114, valuation for shop and offices.			
27	VI	0 0 18	50 0 0
44	"	0 0 18	37 10 0
45	"	0 0 18	37 10 0
46	"	0 0 12	50 0 0
47	"	0 0 12	45 0 0
1 and 24*	VII	0 0 24	320 0 0
* Weighted with £620, valuation for shops, dwelling, office, &c.			
S.E. 2 and S.E. 21*	VII	0 0 18	137 0 0
* Weighted with £325, valuation for shop, bakehouse, &c.			
E4*	VII	0 0 7·8	95 0 0
* Weighted with £175, valuation for shop.			
5*	VII	0 0 18	225 0 0
* Weighted with £300, valuation for two shops.			
6, 17, 18, 19, 20*	VII	0 2 10	425 0 0
* Weighted with £1,460, valuation for shop, store, cottage, and stables.			
7, 16*	VII	0 0 36	275 0 0
* Weighted with £400, valuation for boardinghouse.			
14, 15*	VII	0 0 36	100 0 0
* Weighted with £185, valuation for cottage, sheds, and stable.			
12, 13*	VII	0 0 24	148 0 0
* Weighted with £175, valuation for cottage, shop, and dwelling.			
10, 11*	VIII	0 1 7	75 0 0
* Weighted with £150, valuation for workshop and furnace.			
12	VIII	0 0 23	35 0 0
13	"	0 0 23	35 0 0
14	"	0 0 23	35 0 0
15	"	0 0 22	35 0 0
16	"	0 0 27	35 0 0
17	"	0 0 25	40 0 0
1	X	0 0 24	40 0 0
12	"	0 0 31	20 0 0
13	"	0 0 32	20 0 0
3	XII	0 0 28	20 0 0
4	"	0 0 28	20 0 0
5	"	0 0 26	20 0 0
6	"	0 0 33	20 0 0
9	"	0 0 28	20 0 0
10	"	0 0 28	20 0 0
11	"	0 0 28	20 0 0
12	"	0 1 0	25 0 0



Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
4	XIII	0 0 28	25 0 0
5	"	0 0 28	25 0 0
6	"	0 0 28	25 0 0
7	"	0 0 28	25 0 0
8	"	0 0 27	25 0 0
9	"	0 0 18	15 0 0
12	"	0 0 28	20 0 0
13	"	0 0 28	20 0 0
14	"	0 0 28	20 0 0
15	"	0 1 12	25 0 0
4	XV	0 0 19.5	30 0 0
5	"	0 0 18	40 0 0
6	"	0 1 1.3	50 0 0
7	"	0 0 39.5	25 0 0
4	XVII	0 0 32	20 0 0
5	"	0 0 32	20 0 0
6	"	0 0 32	20 0 0
7	"	0 0 32	20 0 0
8	"	0 0 32	20 0 0
9	"	0 0 32	15 0 0
10	"	0 0 32	15 0 0
11	"	0 0 32	15 0 0
12	"	0 0 32	15 0 0
13	"	0 0 32	15 0 0
1	XIX	0 1 20	20 0 0
2	"	0 1 20	18 0 0
3	"	0 1 20	15 0 0
4	"	0 1 20	15 0 0
5	"	0 1 20	15 0 0
6	"	0 2 3	12 0 0
7	"	0 1 13	10 0 0
8	"	0 1 16	10 0 0
9	"	0 1 20	12 0 0
10	"	0 1 20	12 0 0
11	"	0 1 20	15 0 0
12	"	0 1 20	15 0 0
13	"	0 1 20	12 0 0
14	"	0 1 20	10 0 0
15	"	0 1 20	15 0 0
1	XX	0 1 15	25 0 0
2	"	0 1 13	25 0 0
3	"	0 1 21	25 0 0
4	XXI	0 1 16	15 0 0
5	"	0 1 16	15 0 0
6	"	0 1 26	15 0 0
7	"	0 1 6	20 0 0
8	"	0 1 16	25 0 0
9	"	0 1 16	23 0 0
10	"	0 1 16	20 0 0
11	"	0 1 1	15 0 0
12	"	0 1 7	15 0 0
1	XXIV	0 1 32	10 0 0
2	"	0 1 32	10 0 0
3	"	0 1 32	12 0 0
4	"	0 1 33	20 0 0
5	"	0 1 32	12 0 0
6	"	0 1 32	10 0 0
7	"	0 1 32	10 0 0
8	"	0 1 28	12 0 0
9	"	0 1 14	15 0 0
1	XXV	0 3 32	25 0 0
2	"	0 3 34	28 0 0
3	"	0 3 38	28 0 0
4	"	0 3 21	20 0 0
5	"	1 0 0	18 0 0
6	"	1 1 32	25 0 0
2	XXVI	1 1 13	20 0 0
4	"	1 0 0	15 0 0
5	"	0 3 34	15 0 0
6	"	0 2 25	12 0 0
8	"	0 3 33	15 0 0
9	"	1 0 22	20 0 0
9	"	0 3 35	20 0 0
1	XXVII	1 0 34	20 0 0
2	"	1 0 23	20 0 0
1	XXVIII	0 0 24	25 0 0
2	"	0 0 24	20 0 0
3	"	0 0 24	20 0 0
4	"	0 0 24	20 0 0
5	"	0 0 24	20 0 0
6	"	0 0 24	20 0 0
7	"	0 0 24	20 0 0
8	"	0 0 24	12 0 0
9	"	0 0 24	12 0 0
10	"	0 0 24	12 0 0
11	"	0 0 24	12 0 0
12	"	0 0 24	12 0 0
13	"	0 3 19	40 0 0

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
3 <sup>rd</sup> 312	XXIX	0 0 18	50 0 0
4 <sup>th</sup> 312	"	0 0 18	50 0 0
5 <sup>th</sup> 312	"	0 0 18	50 0 0
6 <sup>th</sup> 312	"	0 0 18	50 0 0
7 <sup>th</sup> 312	"	0 0 12	50 0 0
8 <sup>th</sup> 312	"	0 0 12	35 0 0
9 <sup>th</sup> 312	"	0 0 12	30 0 0
10 <sup>th</sup> 312	"	0 0 12	35 0 0
11 <sup>th</sup> 312	"	0 0 18	30 0 0
12 <sup>th</sup> 312	"	0 0 18	30 0 0
13 <sup>th</sup> 312	"	0 0 18	30 0 0
14 <sup>th</sup> 312	"	0 0 18	30 0 0

Paeroa is situated on the Thames - Te Aroha Railway, and is distant seventy miles from Auckland, *via* Thames, and 130 miles by direct rail from Auckland. The owner of the house on Section 33, Block I, will be allowed two months to remove it back from boundary.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Land temporarily reserved for a Landing-place and Depot for Storage of Boats in Mowhanau Village, Wellington Land District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS by the three-hundred-and-twenty-first section of "The Land Act, 1908," 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 Wellington Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for a landing-place and a depot for storage of boats.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 2 roods 25 perches, more or less, being Section No. 71, Mowhanau Village; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 48784/37, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Land temporarily reserved for a Site for a Post-office in Rangataua Township, Wellington Land District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS by the three-hundred-and-twenty-first section of "The Land Act, 1908," 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 Wellington Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for a site for a post-office.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods, more or less, being Sections Nos. 12 and 13, Block III, Rangataua Township. Bounded

towards the north-west by Sections Nos. 14 and 15, Block III, Rangataua Township; towards the north-east by Nei Street; towards the south-east by Sections Nos. 10 and 11, Block III aforesaid; and towards the south-west by Miharo Street; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 58774/5, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

**ROBERT McNAB,**  
Minister of Lands.

*Land temporarily reserved for a School-site in the Otekaika Settlement, Otago Land District.*

**PLUNKET, Governor.**

WHEREAS by the three-hundred-and-twenty-first section of "The Land Act, 1908," 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 Otago Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for a site for a public school.

**SCHEDULE.**

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, being Section No. 16A, Block XII, Maruenua Survey District (Otekaika Settlement). Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 15A, Block XII, Maruenua Survey District (Otekaika Settlement), 577'8 links; towards the south-east by a road-line, 1300 links; towards the south-west by Section No. 17A of said Block XII, 1077'3 links; and towards the north-west by a road-line, 1180 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 193681/83, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

**ROBERT McNAB,**  
Minister of Lands.

*Land temporarily reserved for Bridge and Ford Purposes in the Town of Arrowtown, Otago Land District.*

**PLUNKET, Governor.**

WHEREAS by the three-hundred-and-twenty-first section of "The Land Act, 1908," 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 Otago Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for bridge and ford purposes.

**SCHEDULE.**

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 33 perches, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block XXXVI, Town of Arrowtown; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 57693/15, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow.

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

**ROBERT McNAB,**  
Minister of Lands.

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

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 22nd September, 1908.

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

Name.	District.
HENRY VALENTINE ..	Hyde.
WALTER HUGH SIMONS ..	Whangarei.

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

*Cadets appointed.*

Head Office, Stamp Department,  
Wellington, 29th September, 1908.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

**GEORGE FELGATE PENLINGTON**

to be a cadet in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Stamps at Christchurch, as from the 16th day of September, 1908;

**PATRICK BALLANCE DESMOND**

to be a cadet in the office of the District Land Registrar at Blenheim, as from the 17th day of September, 1908;

**CAMPBELL VINCENT MEAD**

to be a cadet in the office of the District Land Registrar at Auckland, as from the 25th day of September, 1908;

**GORDAN JAMES RUST**

to be a cadet in the office of the District Land Registrar at Auckland, as from the 1st day of October, 1908.

**J. CARROLL,**  
Minister of Stamp Duties.

*President of District Maori Land Board under "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," and "The Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905," appointed.*

Native Department,  
Wellington, 30th September, 1908.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment under the provisions of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," and "The Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905" :—

**THOMAS WILLIAM FISHER, Esq.,** Under-Secretary for Native Affairs, of Wellington,

to be President of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board, vice Robert Campbell Sim, Esq., resigned.

**J. CARROLL,**  
Native Minister.

*Appointment in Department of Roads.*

Department of Roads,  
Wellington, 21st September, 1908.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

**KENNETH ROBERT WATSON**

to be a clerical cadet in the Department of Roads, as from 5th May, 1908.

**JAMES MCGOWAN,**  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

*Cadet appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 30th September, 1908.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

**LESLIE WILLIAM LOUISSON**

to be a cadet in the District and Magistrate's Courts at Stratford, from the 28th day of September, 1908.

**JAMES MCGOWAN.**

*Visiting Justice appointed.*

Department of Justice (Prisons Branch),  
Wellington, 26th September, 1908.

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

WILLIAM BENJAMIN SCANDRETT, Esq., J.P.,  
to be a Visiting Justice of H.M. Prison at Invercargill.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister of Justice.

*Officers under "The Fisheries Act, 1908," appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 22nd September, 1908.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section 79 of "The Fisheries Act, 1908," appointed

THOMAS BASTIN,  
ALEXANDER STRONG,  
PETER SHAW BLACK,  
PATRICK DINNAN, and  
MICHAEL JOHN SHAFFREY

to be Officers for the purposes of Part II of that Act.

J. A. MILLAR.

*Members of Loburn Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 26th September, 1908.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 41 of "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908," been pleased to appoint

ROBERT HENRY BAILEY and  
ISAAC FURBY CROFT

to be members of the Loburn Domain Board, in the place of Harry Somerville Carmichael and Alfred John Carmichael, who have left the district.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Vaccination Inspector appointed.*

Department of Public Health,  
Wellington, 29th September, 1908.

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

JOHN SPENCER SELWYN MEDLEY

to be a Vaccination Inspector, under "The Public Health Act, 1900," for the District of New Plymouth, *vice* J. C. Smith. The appointment dates from the 7th September, 1908.

GEO. FOWLDS,  
Minister of Public Health.

*Honorary Volunteer Officer appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 18th September, 1908.

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

*No. 1 Battalion, Otago Defence Rifle Cadet Volunteers.*

The Reverend James Watson Shaw to be Honorary Chaplain. Date of commission, 27th August, 1908.

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer resigned.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 18th September, 1908.

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

*Wallace Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Alfred Edward Blatch. Date of resignation, 24th August, 1908.

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Award of Imperial Long-service and Good-conduct Medal.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 18th September, 1908.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 470, General Regulations of the Defence Forces of New Zealand, 1906, of the award of the Imperial Long-service and Good-conduct Medal to

No. 441, Quartermaster - Sergeant - Artificer HENRY ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, Royal New Zealand Artillery.

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

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

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 18th September, 1908.

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

No. 160, Sergeant-major CHARLES WILLIAM MARTIN, No. 1 Company, Wellington Division, New Zealand Garrison Artillery Volunteers,

he having on 31st August, 1908, a total service entitling him thereto of twenty years one hundred and fifty-nine days.

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Cancellation of Appointments of Trustees, Waikino Rifle Range Reserve.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 18th September, 1908.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to cancel, under "The Defence Act, 1908," the appointments of Trustees to the Waikino Rifle Range Reserve, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 92, of 26th October, 1905, as from 16th September, 1908.

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Cancellation of Appointments of Trustees, Petone Volunteer Drill-shed Reserve.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 18th September, 1908.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to cancel, under "The Defence Act, 1908," the appointments of Trustees to the Petone Volunteer Drill-shed Reserve, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 17, of 1st March, 1906, as from 16th September, 1908.

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Cancellation of Appointments of Trustees, Wanganui (Putiki) Rifle Range Reserve.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 18th September, 1908.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to cancel under "The Defence Act, 1908," the appointments of Trustees to the Wanganui (Putiki) Rifle Range Reserve, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 58, of 7th July, 1904, as from 16th September, 1908.

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Honorary Volunteer Officer appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 26th September, 1908.

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

*Dunedin City Guards Rifle Volunteers.*

Hagbarth Ernest Moller to be Honorary Captain. Date of commission, 8th September, 1908.

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer resigned.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 26th September, 1908.

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

*Hastings Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Herbert Mountford Bishop. Date of resignation, 4th July, 1908.

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer resigned, and posted to Active List (Unattached).*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 26th September, 1908.

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

Lieutenant WILLIAM GILMOUR, Canterbury Mounted Rifle Volunteers,

and to approve that his name be placed on the Active List (Unattached), with rank of Lieutenant, and with effect from 26th August, 1908.

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer resigned, and posted to Active List (Unattached).*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 26th September, 1908.

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

Captain ROBERT JAMES BREMNER, Caversham Rifle Volunteers,

and to approve that his name be placed on the Active List (Unattached), with rank of Captain, and with effect from 24th April, 1908.

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 26th September, 1908.

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

Captain JOHN JOSEPH DOUGALL, Active List (Unattached),

he having a total rank and commissioned service to 17th September, 1908, entitling him thereto of twenty years three hundred and six days.

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Services of Defence Rifle Club accepted.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 26th September, 1908.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept, under section 104, (1), of "The Defence Act, 1908," the services of the

*Okato Defence Rifle Club,*

with headquarters at Okato (Wellington Military District). Acceptance to date from 21st September, 1908.

ROBERT McNAB,  
For Minister of Defence.

*Government Offices to be closed on 14th October (Labour Day).*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 29th September, 1908.

THE Government offices throughout New Zealand will be closed on Wednesday, 14th October, 1908, being Labour Day.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Letters of Naturalisation issued.*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 22nd September, 1908.

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Guiseppe Barnao ..	Fisherman ..	Wellington.
John Kacich Bartulovich	Gum-broker ..	Auckland.
Jacob Elwood Behm ..	Miner ..	Huntly.
Eric Carlson ..	Carpenter ..	Dunedin.
Anders Hansen ..	Farm labourer ..	Ashburton.
Alfred Jensen ..	Cabinetmaker	Lower Hutt.
Berthold Charles Richard	Sailor ..	Grey Lynn.
Matzke		
Christian Petersen ..	Carpenter ..	Palmerston N.
Johan Gottfrid Schmidt	Labourer ..	Westport.
Johann Christian Carl	Cooper ..	Upper Moutere.
Sixtus		
Ernest George Smith ..	Miner ..	Rimu.
Frank Henry Richard	Engineer ..	Waikino.
Syring		
Mate Wukusich ..	Gum-digger ..	Oruru.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 24th September, 1908.

THE following special order, made by the Kiwitea County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908."

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

## KIWITEA COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Special Order.*

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 £120, being 10 per cent. of original loan of £1,200, 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 Amendment Act, 1907," for the continuation of forming, bridging, widening, and metalling the Lagoon Road from its junction with the Kelpie Road to its junction with the Titirangi Road as far as money will go, 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 Papanui Special-rating District, comprising Sections 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, Block XII, 11, Block XV, and 2, Block XVI, 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 £120.

I, Hilton Fowler, Chairman of the Kiwitea County Council, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the special order adopted at a special meeting of the Council held the 18th day of July, 1908, and confirmed at a special meeting held the 15th day of August, 1908.

H. FOWLER,  
Chairman.

15th August, 1908.

*Special Order made by the Turanga Road Board.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 25th September, 1908.

THE following special order, made by the Turanga Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908."

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

TURANGA ROAD BOARD.

Special Order.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and its amendments, the Turanga Road Board resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £3,000, authorised to be raised by the Turanga Road Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the following works—viz., grading, forming, and metalling all the unmetalled portions of Main Road from part Evans's New Road Deviation to Whitford Post-office, £980; from Whitford Post-office to Waikopu Bridge, £700; from Homestead, Whitford Park, to Cemetery Bridge, Brookby Road, £480; from Hog Hill Quarry towards Trice's Wharf, £420; from Pender's Farm towards Campbell Farm, £200; from Main Road towards Cooper's Farm, £120; from Main Road towards Bryan Farm, New Road Deviation, Whitford Park, £100—the said Turanga Road Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of 3d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Turanga 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 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 said loan is fully paid off.

I, Murray Pender, Chairman of the Turanga Road Board, do hereby certify that the above special order was duly proposed on the 22nd day of August, 1908, and passed on the 19th day of September, 1908, in accordance with the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1882," and its amendments.

MURRAY PENDER,  
Chairman.

The common seal of the Inhabitants of the Turanga Road District was hereunto affixed.

MURRAY PENDER,  
Chairman.  
L. H. WHITE,  
Clerk.

Dated this 19th day of September, 1908.

Special Order made by the Waitomo County Council.

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 28th September, 1908.

THE following special order, made by the Waitomo County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908."

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

WAITOMO COUNTY COUNCIL.

Te Kuiti Township Special-rating District.—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 Waitomo County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £2,000, authorised to be raised by the Waitomo County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of draining, constructing culverts, and forming and metalling streets and footpaths, the said Waitomo County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 13d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Te Kuiti Township Special-rating District, the boundaries of which are as follows—commencing at the western bank of the Mangaokewa Stream, at its intersection with the western boundary of the railway (at railway-bridge); thence southerly along the western boundary of railway to its intersection with the north-west boundary of Te Kuiti Native Township; thence westward, southward, and eastward along the boundaries of the said Te Kuiti Native Township to the western bank of the Mangaokewa Stream (opposite the railway-crossing at the south end of the Te Kuiti Railway-station); thence by the western bank of the Mangaokewa Stream to the point of commencement at railway-bridge: and that such rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable in one sum on the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-two years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The interest to be paid at the rate of 4 per cent. The cost of raising the loan and the first year's interest thereon shall be paid out of the aforesaid sum of £2,000.

The above special order was duly passed and adopted at a special meeting held on the 16th day of June, 1908, and confirmed at a meeting of the Council held on the 23rd day of July, 1908.

JOHN ORMSBY,  
Clerk to the Waitomo County Council.

Special Order made by the Raglan County Council.

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 29th September, 1908.

THE following special order, made by the Raglan County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908."

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

RAGLAN COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order making Special Rate (Puroa Special-rating District).

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and amendments thereto, the Raglan County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,500, authorised to be raised by the Raglan County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of forming and metalling the Puroa Road, in the Waingaro Riding, the said Raglan County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 13d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Puroa Special-rating District. The boundaries of the special-rating district are as follows: Commencing at the northern corner of Section 6 of Block VI, Newcastle Survey District, and thence running along the north-eastern sides of Sections 6 and 5 to the Waipa River, thence following the western bank of the Waipa River to the southern boundary of Section 26, thence along the western sides of Sections 26 and 26A to the southern boundary of Section 2 of Block X, thence along the eastern boundaries of Sections 2A and 58 to the southern boundary of Section 58, thence west along the southern boundaries of Sections 8, 5, 4, and 1 of Block X to the south-western corner of Section 1, thence along the western and northern boundaries of Section 1 to the southern corner of Section 2, thence along the western boundary of Section 2 to the block-line, thence following the block-line to its intersection with Section 10, thence around the southern boundaries of Section 10 to the southern boundary of Section 93, thence along the southern boundaries of Sections 93, 94, and 9, and then north along the eastern boundary of Section 9, thence west to the south-western corner of Section 8 of Block VI, thence north along the western boundary of Section 8 to the road-line, and thence following the road-line to point of commencement, 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 January in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, and the interest to be paid at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum, or until the loan is fully paid off, and it is the intention to pay out of loan cost of raising same and first year's interest.

The above resolution was duly passed at a special meeting of the Raglan County Council held on the 30th day of July, 1908, and confirmed at a special meeting of the said Council held on the 23rd day of September, 1908.

BASIL HEWETT,  
Chairman.  
H. MARSLAND,  
Clerk.

Special Order made by the Council of the County of Hawke's Bay.

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 29th September, 1908.

THE following special order, made by the Hawke's Bay County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908."

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

SPECIAL ORDER MADE BY THE COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF HAWKE'S BAY.

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 Hawke's Bay County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £5,000, authorised to be raised by the Hawke's Bay County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for expenditure within that part of the Whare-o-Marānui Block known as Napier South, and intended to be applied in manner following—that is to say, £4,000 for metalling roads, £250 for making footpaths, £250 for making water-channels, £150 for extending culverts, and £350 for completing drainage—the said Council hereby makes and levies

a special rate of 2½d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property within Napier South aforesaid, containing some 300 acres, more or less, and more particularly described in the Schedule to "The Napier Harbour Board Amendment and Endowment Improvement Act, 1899." And the said Council further resolves that the said special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of the said loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 31st day of January and the 31st day of July in every year during the currency thereof, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off. And, further, that the preliminary expenses incurred or to be incurred in connection with the works above mentioned, and the first year's interest at the statutory rate of £3½ per cent. per annum, shall be paid out of the said loan-moneys.

Passed at a special meeting of the Hawke's Bay County Council held on the 8th day of June, 1908, and confirmed at a special meeting held on the 13th day of July, 1908.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Hawke's Bay was hereunto affixed by order of the said Council, this 13th day of July, 1908, in the presence of—

MASON CHAMBERS,  
Chairman.  
ARTHUR H. FERGUSON,  
Clerk.

We hereby certify that the foregoing special order has been duly made.

MASON CHAMBERS,  
Chairman.  
A. H. FERGUSON,  
Clerk.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 30th September, 1908.

THE following special order, made by the Inangahua County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908."

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

INANGAHUA COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Special Order making Special Rate.*

In pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and "The Public Health Act, 1900," the Inangahua County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £1,500, authorised to be raised by the Inangahua County Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of renewing the water-race in connection with the water-supply of the Town of Reefton and excavating an additional reservoir, the said Inangahua County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of ½d. in the pound upon the capital value of all the rateable property in the Reefton Irrigation and Drainage District, comprising the whole of the Town of Reefton, as defined by special order of the Inangahua County Council made on the 31st day of October, 1900; and that such rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 15th day of March and the 15th day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution making special order was passed by the Inangahua County Council at a special meeting held on the 27th day of August, 1908, and confirmed at a special meeting of the said Council held on the 24th day of September, 1908.

E. J. MCINROE,  
Chairman, Inangahua County Council.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 23rd September, 1908.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Akaroa County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908."

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

AKAROA COUNTY COUNCIL.

At a special meeting held at the County Council Offices, Duvauchelle, on the 25th day of July, 1908, the following special order, making a special rate, was made by the Akaroa County Council:—

Proposed by Mr. Pettigrew, seconded by Mr. Murray,—

That, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Counties Act, 1886," and its amendments, the Akaroa County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £2,000, authorised to be raised by the Akaroa County Council, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for the purpose of erecting a suitable wharf on the foreshore of the Akaroa Harbour on the Duvauchelle's side of the "Gap" on the Onawe Peninsula, erecting a goods-shed and conveniences adjacent to such wharf, and constructing a suitable road to give proper access to the said wharf and shed both on the Duvauchelle's and Barry's Bay sides of the Onawe Peninsula, the said Akaroa County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of ½d. in the pound upon the rateable valuation of all rateable property of the Onawe Wharf Rating District, comprising all the lands contained within the following boundaries—commencing on the 1-chain reserve above high-water mark at the south-east corner of Rural Section 2114; thence north-easterly by the south-east boundary of said section to the old Okain's Road; thence north-easterly by that road to its junction with the new Okain's Road at the north-east corner of Rural Section 9481; thence following the new Okain's Road to its junction with the Summit Road; thence in a generally westerly direction, following the boundary-lines dividing the Akaroa and Wainui Road District on the one side, and the Okain's Bay and Pigeon Bay Road Districts on the other side, to the Purau Track on the old Pigeon Bay Saddle; thence in a westerly direction, following the Summit Road to its junction with the main Little River coach-road at the north-west corner of Rural Section 14417; thence southward by the boundary-line dividing the Akaroa and Wainui Road District and the Little River Road District to the north-west corner of Rural Section 21799; thence southerly by the western boundary of that section to the road known as Wilson's Road; thence southerly by that road to the south-west corner of Rural Section 21421; thence north-easterly by the south boundary of that section to Rural Section 20212; thence southerly by the western boundary of that section to its south-west corner; thence easterly by the southern boundary of Rural Sections 20212, 12138, and 9990 to the south-east corner of the last-named section; thence northerly by the eastern boundary of Rural Section 9990 to Rural Section 10088; thence easterly by the southern boundary of Rural Section 10088 to the north-west corner of Rural Section 7418; thence southerly by the western boundary of that section to its south-west corner; thence easterly along the southern boundary of Rural Section 7418 to its south-east corner; thence northerly by its eastern boundary to the southern boundary of Rural Section 5216; thence easterly by that boundary to the south-east corner of Rural Section 5216; thence northerly to the south-west corner of Rural Section 5215; thence easterly by the southern boundary of that section to the old French Farm Road; thence northerly by that road to the south-west corner of Rural Section 4561; thence easterly by the southern boundary of that section to the 1-chain reserve above high-water mark; and thence by that reserve and including Rural Sections 728 and 26442, on the Onawe Peninsula, to the starting-point: and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 30th day of September and the 31st day of March in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid off.—Carried unanimously.

I certify that this is the special order making rate in Onawe Special-rating District for loan of £2,000.

JOHN DONNELL BRUCE,  
Chairman, Akaroa County.

*Tenders.*

Public Works Department,  
Wellington, 28th September, 1908.

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

WM. HALL-JONES,  
Minister of Public Works.

ERECTION OF POST-OFFICE AT UPPER HUTT.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Wakelin, R., and Son, Wellington ..	..	1,992	15	9
<i>Declined.</i>				
Davis, H. M., Wellington ..	..	2,019	0	0
Southgate, Sykes, and Co., Petone ..	..	2,050	0	0
Adams and Smart, Wellington ..	..	2,144	0	0
Meyer, F. H., Wellington ..	..	2,150	0	0
Harrison, J., Upper Hutt ..	..	2,322	5	4
Emeny, W. G., Wellington ..	..	2,333	0	0
Clark, I., and Son, Wellington ..	..	2,425	0	0
Muir and Rose, Wellington ..	..	2,438	8	0
Knight, H. H., Wellington ..	..	2,675	0	0
Meyer and Illingworth, Wellington ..	..	2,998	0	0

Notice of the Taking and Laying-off of a Road through Puhanga-te-uru No. 1b, No. 2b, and No. 3b Blocks, Block VI, Waihou Survey District.

NOTICE is hereby given, by direction of His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, under the authority of section 93 of "The Public Works Act, 1908," that the road described in the Schedule hereto was on the 30th June, 1907, duly taken and laid off through the lands specified in the said Schedule, under the authority of the Governor of the said Dominion, by Warrant dated the 30th March, 1906.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of	in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. B. P. 1 3 1	Puhanga-te-uru No. 1b, No. 7159	VI	Waihou	R. 10165	Purple.
6 0 4	Puhanga-te-uru No. 2b, No. 7160	"	"	"	Pink.
6 3 13	Puhanga-te-uru No. 3b, No. 7161	"	"	R. 10165A	"

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same areas 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.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 1908.

JAMES MCGOWAN,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

Notice to Mariners No. 70 of 1908.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 21st September, 1908.

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

J. A. MILLAR.

CALIFORNIA.

FORT ROSS COVE. — WHISTLING BUOY TO BE ESTABLISHED. — About 25th August, 1908, a whistling buoy, painted red and marked F.R.C., will be established in about 20 fathoms of water, to mark the outermost danger off Fort Ross Cove, California.

Approximate position of station, Fort Ross: Latitude 38° 30' 39" N., longitude 123° 15' 16" W.

ALBION RIVER ENTRANCE. — WHISTLING BUOY TO BE ESTABLISHED. — About 26th August, 1908, a whistling buoy, painted black and white in perpendicular stripes and marked "Albion" in black, will be established to mark the entrance to Albion River, California.

Approximate position of Albion River entrance: Latitude 39° 13' 30" N., longitude 123° 47' 00" W.

Notice to Mariners No. 71 of 1908.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 21st September, 1908.

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

J. A. MILLAR.

WEST COAST.—VENUS BAY.

The main channel across Venus Bay to Port Kenny has been marked by twelve beacons—viz., six red, with circular heads, to be kept on the starboard hand entering, and six black, with diamond-shaped heads, on the port hand. The channel marked has a minimum depth of 7 ft. at L.W.S. tides, except close up to Port Kenny, where there is a sandy bar with not more than 5 ft. on it.

The channel marked does not correspond with any shown on the Admiralty plan (No. 1066), the sand-banks having greatly altered since date of survey, 1875, and may therefore be subject to alteration in the future. Approximate position of No. 1 black beacon: Lat. 33° 13' 30" S., long. 134° 40' E.

STREAKY BAY.

The red buoy marking the 1-fathom patch on the south side of south channel, Streaky Bay, has been removed, and the patch is now marked by a pile beacon surmounted by a circular red head. The beacon is on the edge of the bank in 6 ft. L.W.S., and about 100 ft. south of the position previously buoyed: Lat. 32° 42' 10" S., long. 134° 11' E.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 1061 and 1066.

ARTHUR SEARCY,

President of the Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,  
Port Adelaide, 26th August, 1908.

Notice to Mariners No. 73 of 1908.

ISSUE OF NEW NAUTICAL TABLES AND CHARTS.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 23rd September, 1908.

THE following publications have recently been issued by the Marine Department of the New Zealand Government:—

Tables for Azimuths and Great-circle Sailing, with a New and Improved "Sumner" Method.

Latitudes .. .. . 85° N. to 85° S.  
Declinations .. .. . 85° N. to 85° S.

Azimuths through Tables A, B, and C (or separately through Table D) for all the Heavenly Bodies at any Time the Body is above the Horizon; and Great-circle Sailing Courses for all Navigable Latitudes.

Also other Useful Navigational Tables, with Numerous Examples of Double Altitudes, Equal Altitudes, Azimuths, &c.

By H. S. Blackburne, Principal Examiner of Masters and Mates in New Zealand, and Nautical Adviser to the Government. [Price, 5s.

Tables for Azimuths, Great-circle Sailing, and Reduction to the Meridian, with a New and Improved "Sumner" Method; Calculated Azimuths supplementary to Davis's for High Declination Stars, 0 Hours to 3 Hours from Meridian below the Pole; Reduction to the Meridian up to 2 Hours, and occasionally 3 Hours, from Meridian.

Latitudes .. .. . 85° N. to 85° S.  
Declinations .. .. . 85° N. to 85° S.

By H. S. Blackburne and Charles Westland.

[Price, 7s. 6d.

"Sumner" Charts.

A book containing examples of positions found by the improved "Sumner" method from ex-meridians, and twenty-four plane blank "Sumner" charts on a convenient scale for facilitating the "Sumner" problem in connection with Captain Blackburne's A, B, and C azimuth tables mentioned above.

Every single chart is available for any latitude through the aid of the above-mentioned tables, by which greater accuracy of position is found, as well as a wider range for observation, than is given by the usually taught "Sumner's" method.

The above-named publications are sold in New Zealand at the shipping offices and Customhouses, and by all booksellers.

Booksellers in United Kingdom may obtain copies from the New Zealand High Commissioner, Victoria Street, London, S.W.

NOTE.—With reference to the above, Lieutenant G. W. Logan, U.S. Navy, editor of latest revised edition of Bowditch's "American Practical Navigator," states that "the plane chart for plotting the intersection of 'Sumner' lines is excellent, and I freely concede that your method by means of Table C<sup>2</sup> is an improvement on my own for those who work 'Sumner's' with one position and an azimuth.—U.S.S. 'Castine,' Santo Domingo City, S.D., 17th January, 1905."

J. A. MILLAR.



*Notice to Mariners No. 75 of 1908.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 28th September, 1908.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Portmaster, Brisbane, Queensland, is published for general information.

J. A. MILLAR.

*INNER ROUTE.—TORRES STRAIT.*

COMMANDER Pasco, R.N., H.M.S., "Fantome," reports that the shoal marked 5 fathoms, S.W. side of Sudbury Reef, in lat. 17° 0' 48" S., long. 146° 8' 8" E., carries a coral head in 1½ fathoms, with shoal water ¾ fathoms extending S. 24° E. 6 cables.

"Australia Directory," Vol. ii.  
Charts affected: Nos. 2350 and 2924.

JOHN MACKAY,  
Portmaster.

Marine Department,  
Brisbane, 10th September, 1908.

*Additions to Rules for the Examination of Home-trade Masters.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 29th September, 1908.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by section 23 of "The Shipping and Seamen Act, 1903," I do hereby make the following additions to clause 60 of the rules for the examination of masters and mates, which were made on the 30th day of May, 1906, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 43, of the 7th day of the following month, viz.:—

- (e.) Or, one year must have been as master of a cargo-vessel plying in the home trade or extended river limits whilst holding a certificate of competency as master of a fishing-boat or cargo-vessel under 25 tons register;
- (f.) Or, one year must have been as master of a vessel of 50 tons register or upwards plying in the home trade or extended river limits whilst holding a certificate of service as master of a vessel of 50 tons register or upwards;
- (g.) Or, one year and a half must have been as master of a vessel plying in the home trade or extended river limits whilst holding a certificate of service as master of a vessel under 50 tons register.

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Marine.

*Defining Wellington Extended River Limits for Tugs.*

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 Wellington restricted limits within which extended river tugs propelled by steam, gas, oil, fluid, electricity, or any mechanical power other than steam may ply to be inside a right line drawn from the outermost point of Taurakirae Head to the outermost point of Sinclair Head.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

J. A. MILLAR

*Authorising the Laying-off of McCaughan Street, in the Township of Gap Extension No. 1, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 23rd September, 1908.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of "The Land Act, 1908," I, Robert McNab, Minister of Lands, do hereby authorise the laying-off of McCaughan Street, in the Township of Gap Extension No. 1, Southland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft., instead of 99 ft.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Authorising the Laying-off of Smith and Rose Streets, in the Township of Waipukurau Extension No. 10, of a Width of not less than 66 ft. each.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 24th September, 1908.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of "The Land Act, 1908," I, Robert McNab, Minister of Lands, do hereby authorise the laying-off of Smith and Rose Streets, in the Township of Waipukurau Extension No. 10, Hawke's Bay Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. each, instead of 99 ft.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Authorising the Laying-off of Willow Grove, Poplar Grove, Hazel Street, Elm Street, Oak Street, Park Street, and McParland Street, in the Township of Upper Hutt Extension No. 3, of a Width of not less than 66 ft. each.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 28th September, 1908.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of "The Land Act, 1908," I, Robert McNab, Minister of Lands, do hereby authorise the laying-off of Willow Grove, Poplar Grove, Hazel Street, Elm Street, Oak Street, Park Street, and McParland Street, in the Township of Upper Hutt Extension No. 3, Wellington Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. each, instead of 99 ft.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

*Officiating Ministers for 1908.—Notice No. 36.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 30th September, 1908.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand passed in the eighth year of the reign of His Majesty King Edward VII. and intitled "The Marriage Act, 1908," the following name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

*Auckland Central Mission.*

Mr. John Thomas Leafa.

E. J. von DADELSZEN,  
Registrar-General.

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

THREE scholarships of the yearly value of £35, tenable for two years, are offered for competition. One of these scholarships, to be called the senior scholarship, is open to all Maori boys not over sixteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination: the other two scholarships are junior scholarships, one of which is open to all Maori boys under fifteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination who have attended a Native school or schools under the control of the Education Department, and whose attendance at school during the previous year is considered by the Inspector of Native Schools to have been satisfactory; the other is open on similar conditions to Maori boys whose attendance at any school other than Te Aute and St. Stephen's during the previous year has been satisfactory. The scholarships are open to Maori boys on the conditions laid down in the regulations of the Trustees of the Te Makarini Scholarships Fund, as printed in the Appendix to the Native Schools Code, 1908. The examination will be held at convenient centres on the 7th and 8th of December, 1908.

Candidates must, either directly or through their teachers, send notice to the Inspector of Native Schools, Education Department, Wellington, of their intention to present themselves for examination. Such notice must be posted so as to reach the Department not later than the 26th of October, 1908.

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

W. W. BIRD,  
Inspector of Native Schools,  
Education Department,  
Wellington, 1st September, 1908.

Notice published pursuant to the Provisions of Section 15 of "The Public Trust Office Consolidation Act, 1894."

Public Trust Office,  
Wellington, 24th September, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that, no person having taken out administration, the Public Trustee has filed in the office of the Supreme Court at Wellington an election to administer the several intestate estates of the persons deceased whose names, residences, and occupations, so far as known, are hereunder respectively set forth, their gross properties being estimated not to exceed £250 in each case.

Christensen, Christian, late of Gisborne, in the Provincial District of Auckland, sailor. Filed on the 25th day of August, 1908.

Glennie, Edward, late of Seacliff, in the Provincial District of Otago, mental patient. Filed on the 27th day of August, 1908.

Lewis, Charles, late of Karangahake, in the Provincial District of Auckland, miner. Filed on the 29th day of August, 1908.

Clarke, George, late of Seaward Bush, in the Provincial District of Otago, shepherd. Filed on the 29th day of August, 1908.

Reade, Margaret Hannah, late of Nelson, in the Provincial District of Nelson, mental patient. Filed on the 2nd day of September, 1908.

Kidd, Grace, late of Ashburton, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, married woman. Filed on the 3rd day of September, 1908.

Bach, Emil, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, jeweller. Filed on the 4th day of September, 1908.

Allen, William, late of Ohura, in the Provincial District of Taranaki, settler. Filed on the 7th day of September, 1908.

Hong, John, late of Taihape, in the Provincial District of Wellington, carpenter. Filed on the 7th day of September, 1908.

Matson, George, late of Lake Ohau, in the Provincial District of Otago, station hand and rabbitier. Filed on the 8th day of September, 1908.

Hayter, Nelson, late of Mangonui, in the Provincial District of Auckland, farmer. Filed on the 10th day of September, 1908.

Fonda, Andrew, late of Moeraki, in the Provincial District of Otago, fisherman. Filed on the 11th day of September, 1908.

Camyer, Annie, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, married woman. Filed on the 12th day of September, 1908.

Hill, John, late of Moonee Ponds, in the State of Victoria, engineer. Filed on the 15th day of September, 1908.

Stuart, William, late of Benmore, in the Provincial District of Otago, carpenter. Filed on the 16th day of September, 1908.

Kingston, Frank, late of Matawai, in the Provincial District of Auckland, bushman. Filed on the 16th day of September, 1908.

Banks, William, late of Gore, in the Provincial District of Otago, labourer. Filed on the 18th day of September, 1908.

Dickinson, Ellen, late of Kaikorai, in the Provincial District of Otago, nurse. Filed on the 18th day of September, 1908.

Clements, Eliza Jane, late of Dunedin, in the Provincial District of Otago, widow. Filed on the 18th day of September, 1908.

Webster, George A., late of Ellerslie, in the Provincial District of Auckland, jockey. Filed on the 21st day of September, 1908.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

"The Unclassified Societies Registration Act, 1908."—Cancelling of Registry.

Friendly Societies Department, Wellington.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Certificate of Incorporation No. 476, granted to the Johnsonville Bowling Club (Registered) on the 18th day of March, 1908, is hereby cancelled, on the grounds that the club has discharged all its liabilities and has been dissolved.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1908.

ROBT. E. HAYES,  
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

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

District Lands Office,  
Nelson, 6th July, 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 114 of "The Land Act, 1892," to the holders of adjoining lands on or after Wednesday, the 21st day of October, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Block.	Survey District.	Area.
III, IV, VII, VIII	Matiri .. ..	183 acres.

F. W. FLANAGAN,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,  
Wellington, 20th July, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned lands will be disposed of to the holders of adjoining lands, under section 114 of "The Land Act, 1892," on or after Wednesday, the 28th day of October, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
53	XVI	Makuri	A. R. P. 86 2 0
54	"	"	249 2 0

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Canterbury Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,  
Christchurch, 15th July, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 240 of "The Land Act, 1892," that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction, at this office, on Wednesday, the 21st day of October, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—MOUNT THOMAS SURVEY DISTRICT.

Rural Land.

Reserve.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
1855	XII	A. R. P. 140 1 26	£ s. d. 360 0 0

Situated on the east bank of the Karetu River, about four miles from Loburn, and twelve miles by good road from the Ashley Railway-station. About 20 acres consists of alluvial river-flats, the balance open undulating land, of which about 80 acres is ploughable. The soil is a sour clay, and carries vegetation of bracken, manuka, tussock, &c.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Marlborough Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands, Wellington, 22nd September, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that, the leases of the undermentioned lands having been forfeited by resolution of the Marlborough Land Board, the said lands have thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1908."

## SCHEDULE.

## MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—FLAKBOURNE SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Tenure.	Lease No.	Formerly held by
18	IX	Cape Campbell	A. R. P. 5 0 0	L.I.P.	449	R. Berryman.
13	"	"	5 0 0	"	446	I. Blackburn
5	"	"	6 3 4	"	441	C. W. E. Hegglun.
15	"	"	5 0 0	"	448	F. F. O'Dwyer.
19	VI	"	15 0 0	"	438	T. W. Berry.
16	IX	"	5 0 0	"	444	A. G. W. Berry.
17	"	"	5 0 0	"	445	A. T. W. Berry.
30	VI	"	5 0 0	"	472	R. T. Pope.
8	II	Town of Ward	0 1 0	"	1	L. M. Pope.
9	III	"	0 1 0	"	9	G. P. Watkins.
1	V	"	0 1 22	"	3	A. G. Jacobs.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Lands.

## NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Paeroa.*

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 23rd September, 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 Paeroa on the 5th day of October, 1908, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Auckland, 1908-89.]

A. G. HOLLAND, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATIONS FOR DETERMINATION OF INTERESTS ACQUIRED BY THE CROWN.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
409	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Ngaromaki.
410	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Hoeotainui South 4B No. 2.
411	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Pubungateuru No. 1B.
412	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Pubungateuru No. 3B.
413	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Waitakaruru No. 5C.
414	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Makumaku No. 3.
415	The Hon. Robert McNab, Minister of Lands	Kopuarahi No. 1.

*Applications for Confirmation Certificates under Section 55.*

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 25th September, 1908.

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

[Gisborne, 1908-88.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

## THE ALIENATIONS ABOVE REFERRED TO.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties
1	Conveyance .. ..	24th September, 1908	Rural Section 17, Clyde	Areta Kerei (trustee for Tatana Naiha) to Evelyn Hague.
2	Sale .. ..	22nd August, 1908 ..	Lot 1, D.P. 534, Whataupoko	Hobepa Kota and Raiha Kota to Henry Austin King.
3	Lease .. ..	17th September, 1908	Part Rural Section 17, Clyde	Waka Hoehoe Puna (trustee for Kingi Herekiekie), Areta Kerei (trustee for Tataira Raiha), Rewi Tamihana (trustee for Mereaira Raiha), Waka H. Puna (in his own right).
4	Surrender lease .. ..	17th September, 1908	Part Rural Section 17, Clyde	Waka Hoehoe Puna (trustee for Kingi Herekiekie), Areta Kerei (trustee for Tataira Raiha), Rewi Tamihana (trustee for Mereaira Raiha), Waka H. Puna (in his own right).

*Sitting of the Native Appellate Court at Kaiapoi.*

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 28th September, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Appellate Court will be held at Kaiapoi on the 27th day of October, 1908, to hear and determine the several appeals against the decisions of the Native Land Court set forth in the Schedule hereto. All persons interested in the said appeals are hereby notified to attend at the time and place aforesaid.

[Wellington, 1908-44.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPEALS.

No.	Name of Appellant.	Name of Land.	Decision in respect of which Appeal is made.
1	Hera Ngahina .. ..	Kaiapoi, Sections 35 and 55, and Tawera 18776	Decisions, dated the 8th day of September, 1902, and 19th day of April, 1904, appointing successors to Hemi Pukahu, deceased.
2	Maaka Mokomoko and others ..	.. ..	Decision, dated the 14th day of September, 1905, granting probate of will of Merhana Retara, deceased.
3	Makarini Kaapo (by his agent, T. M. Erihana)	Maitahi, Sections 781, 782, and other lands	Decision, dated the 26th day of February, 1908, appointing successors to Ruera te Naihi, deceased.
4	Henry Saunders (by his agent, C. R. Parata)	Waihao, Section 4 ..	Decision, dated the 24th day of February, 1908, appointing successors to Teo Hapa, deceased.
5	Teoti Wira Tamaherangi .. ..	Kaiapoi No. 81 .. ..	Decision, dated the 5th day of June, 1899, appointing successors to Irai Tihau, deceased.
6	Hoani Maaka Hape .. ..	Kaiapoi No. 85 and other lands	Decision, dated the 14th day of September, 1905, appointing successors to Poihipi te Hua, otherwise Poihipi te Orahui, deceased.
7	Mana Himiona te Ataotu .. ..	Kaiapoi, Section 27 .. ..	Decision, dated the 22nd day of February, 1908, appointing successors to Matenga Taiaroa and Rititia Papako, deceased.
8	Meretini Irikapua and Matiria te Hua	Kaiapoi, Section 11, and other lands	Decision, dated the 18th day of October, 1904, appointing successors to Ruera Rota Irikapua, deceased.
9	Reita Weka .. ..	Kaiapoi, Section 2B, and Moeraki No. 1	Decisions, dated the 24th day of April, 1894, and the 24th day of September, 1895, appointing successors to Miria Papako, deceased.
10	Mere te Aika and Tini Arapata (by their solicitors, Stringer and Cresswell)	Kaiapoi, Section 75 .. ..	Decision, dated the 20th day of October, 1904, appointing successors to Aperahama te Aika, deceased.
11	Pirihira Ngamiro .. ..	Kaiapoi, Section 110 .. ..	Decision, dated the 14th day of September, 1905, appointing successors to Hohai te Kotuku, deceased.
12	Hoani Maaka Hape .. ..	Kaiapoi, Section 97 .. ..	Decision, dated the 12th day of September, 1905, appointing successors to Heremaia Taunoa, deceased.
13	John Connor .. ..	Kaiapoi, Section 64, and other lands	Decision, dated the 13th day of September, 1905, appointing successors to Wikitoria Ngaroimata Nohomutu, deceased.
14	Bessie Huntly .. ..	.. ..	Decision, dated the 25th day of April, 1904, granting probate of will of Ruera Irikapua Rota, deceased.
15	Amelia Hokianga Puhirere .. ..	.. ..	Decision, dated the 10th day of March, 1908, granting probate of will of Kaperiera Taupoki, deceased.
16	Henare Whakatau Uru .. ..	Tawera and other lands ..	Decision, dated the 9th day of June, 1899, appointing successors to Mikaera Turangatahi, deceased.
17	Hoani Maaka Hape .. ..	Kaiapoi, Sections 54 and 97	Decisions, dated the 13th day of September, 1883, appointing successors to Riwai Kairakau and Ereata, deceased.

## MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

*Meeting of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board.*

Gisborne, 24th September, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board to be held at Gisborne on Monday, the 5th day of October, 1908, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

[T. 1908-15.]

ALEX. KEEFER, President.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATION TO THE BOARD FOR RIGHT TO CUT AND REMOVE FLAX.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.	Term of Lease.	Area proposed to be leased.
92	T. 1908-164	Michael Francis Bourke (by his solicitors, Nolan and Skeet)	Ohuia Nos. 3 and 4 ..	The Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board.	Yrs.	21 1,823 acres.

## Meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 28th September, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board to be held at the Government Buildings, Wellington, on Tuesday, the 6th day of October, 1908, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon. Any matter which has been adjourned from a previous sitting of the Board will, on the application of the parties interested, also be considered.

THOS. W. FISHER, President.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO LEASE.

No.	No. of Papers.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.	Term of Lease.	Area proposed to be leased.
1	I. 1908/137	F. D. Luckie (by his solicitors, Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams)	Owhaoko D No. 7 (part)	Conrad B. Heatley	Yrs. 30	5,724 acres.

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

No.	No. of Papers.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
2	I. 1907/97	Warren Brothers (by their agent, William Moffatt)	Pahiatua No. 3	Sale.
3	I. 1908/136	Whereiti Tare (by his solicitors, Field, Luckie, and Toogood)	Awaawaroa No. 1, Subdivision 3c.	Sale.

## BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that PATRICK MOLOUGHNEY, of Tikinui, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt on the petition of L. D. Nathan and Co. (Limited); and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 6th day of October, 1908, at 2.30 o'clock.

E. GÉRARD,  
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 22nd September, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FRED GRANGER LANGTON, of Queen Street, off Richmond Road, Grey Lynn, Bricklayer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 29th day of September, 1908, at 11 o'clock a.m.

E. GÉRARD,  
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 22nd September, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS KING, of Auckland, Restaurant-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 2nd day of October, 1908, at 2.30 o'clock.

E. GÉRARD,  
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 24th September, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HUGH SWANN, of Hastings, Bicycle Agent, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 1st day of October, 1908, at 11 o'clock a.m.

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

Napier, 18th September, 1908.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court, holden at Wanganui.*

NOTICE is hereby given that SYDNEY SMALLWOOD, of Wanganui, Plumber, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 5th day of October, 1908, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

WILLIAM RODWELL,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

23rd September, 1908.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court of Wairarapa, holden at Dannevirke.*

In the matter of "The Bankruptcy Act, 1892"; and in the matter of J. J. PATTERSON, Solicitor, of Dannevirke, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay.

I HEREBY give notice that an application will be made to the above Court, at Wellington, on Friday, the 2nd day of October, 1908, at 10 a.m., to approve of the composition accepted by the creditors herein. Hearing will take place in the Registrar's room, Supreme Court, Wellington.

Dated at Dannevirke, this 24th day of September, 1908.

NORMAN L. GURR,  
Official Assignee of the property of the above-named Bankrupt.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY CHANNINGS, of Levin, Settler, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Levin, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of September, 1908, at 2.30 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Palmerston North, 16th September, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that REGINALD WALTER BEADNALL, of Palmerston North, Picture-framer, was this day adjudged bankrupt on creditors' petition; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 25th day of September, 1908, at 2.30 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Palmerston North, 18th September, 1908.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM TUNNICLIFFE, of Kaiparoro, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, at Masterton, on Monday, the 28th day of September, 1908, at 2 o'clock p.m.

W. B. CHENNELLS,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Masterton, 23rd September, 1908.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Wellington.*

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDERICK NORMAN EADE and HAROLD VENN EADE, both of Bourke Street, Kilbirnie, in the City of Wellington, Builders, trading in co-partnership as "Eade Bros.," were this day adjudged bankrupts; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, Customhouse Building, on Monday, the 5th day of October, 1908, at 11 o'clock a.m.

ALEXR. SIMPSON,  
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 23rd September, 1908.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court, holden at Reefton.*

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 Thursday, the 15th day of October, 1908, I intend to apply for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 25th day of September, 1908.

Samuel Harvey, of Reefton, Baker.  
Charles Harvey Rhodes, of Reefton, Storekeeper.  
George Libeau, of Soldier's Road, Reefton, Contractor.  
William Owen Bierwirth, of Progress Junction, Bushman.  
Edward Henry Griffen, of Reefton, Carter.  
Thomas Downey, of Reefton, Miner.  
John Corbett, of Reefton, Baker.

HENRY COOPER,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM JOSEPH BAKER, of Coalgate, Blacksmith, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 1st day of October, 1908, at 11 o'clock.

J. EVANS,  
Official Assignee.

Christchurch, 24th September, 1908.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the District Court, holden at Ashburton.*

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES WEBB, of Ashburton, Tobacconist, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Saturday, the 3rd day of October, 1908, at 11 o'clock a.m.

JOHN DAVISON,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

28th September, 1908.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN CHAPMAN FLEMING, of Geraldine, Traction-engine Owner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Arcade, Timaru, on Tuesday, the 29th day of September, 1908, at 2 o'clock.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Timaru, 21st September, 1908.

**MINING NOTICES.**

UNDER "THE MINING ACT, 1905."

**APPLICATION FOR LICENSE FOR A WATER-RACE.**

To the Warden of the Otago Mining District, at Roxburgh.

PURSUANT to "The Mining Act, 1905," the undersigned, Robert Telford, of Roxburgh East, Farmer, hereby applies for a license for a water-race as specified in the Schedule hereto, the course whereof has been duly marked out for the purpose.

Date and number of miner's right: 16th September, 1908; No. 68576.

Address for service: Care of Robert Cockburn, Mining Agent, Roxburgh.

Dated at Roxburgh, this 16th day of September, 1908.

*Schedule.*

Locality of the race and of its starting and terminal points: Block III, Teviot Survey District. Starting at a point in McDonald's Creek in occupation license owned by John McDonald; thence south-west through said occupation license, 2 chains; thence through Run 199d, 3 chains; thence through Section 17, 20 chains, terminating at my house. Pegs marked X.

Length and intended course of race: 25 chains; south-west.

Points of intake: One.

Estimated time and cost of construction: Already constructed.

Mean depth and breadth: 8 in. by 16 in.

Number of heads to be diverted: Half a head.

Purpose for which water is to be used: Domestic.

Proposed term of license: Forty-two years.

Precise time of marking out privilege applied for: 11 a.m., 16th September, 1908.

R. T. KINASTON  
(By his Agent, R. COCKBURN),  
Applicant.

Precise time of filing of the foregoing application: 2 p.m., 16th September, 1908.

Time and place appointed for the hearing of the application and all objections thereto: Thursday, 15th October, 1908, at 10 a.m., in the Warden's Court, Roxburgh.

Objections thereto must be filed in the Registrar's office and notified to applicant at least three days before the day so appointed.

F. JEFFERY,  
Mining Registrar.

**NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF COMPANY.**

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1903"; and in the matter of the affidavit and application of William Watson and Sidney Kirkcaldie, two directors of the Takaka Sluicing Company (Limited).

I HEREBY notify that no objection to such application having been made and lodged with me, as by the said Act required, I do now declare such company to be dissolved. Dated at Wellington, this 30th day of September, 1908.

C. H. WALTER DIXON,  
Assistant Registrar.

**LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.**

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

4321. CHARLES O'BRIEN.—Allotments 233 and 234, Town of Hamilton East, containing together 2 acres. Occupied by Applicant.

4721. JOHN QUINN.—Allotment 19, Parish of Karaka, containing 158 acres 2 roods 33 perches. Unoccupied.

4723. JOHN WILSON.—Lot 17 of Allotments 5 and 18, Section 12, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 5 acres 2 roods 35 perches. Unoccupied.

4726. FREDERICK EARL.—Part of Mataitai No. 6 Block, containing 98 acres 1 rood 33 perches. Occupied by W. S. Box.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 25th day of September, 1908, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

893 EDWIN BAMFORD,  
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 on or before the 2nd day of November, 1908.

4181. HOPEFUL GIBBONS.—24 1 perches, part Section 93, Town of Wanganui. Occupied by Applicant.

4194. THOMAS PAUL ALLEN.—42 acres 1 rood 27 perches, parts Section 14, Hutt District. Occupied by Applicant.

4206. JOHN ALBERT BARKER HOWE.—1 rood and  $\frac{2}{3}$  of a perch, part Section 175, City of Wellington. Occupied by Weber Brown.

4211. CHARLES HAYWARD IZARD.—3 roods 39 9 perches, part Section 21, City of Wellington. Occupied by William Charles Watson.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 30th day of September, 1908, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

899 J. M. BATHAM,  
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 on or before the 29th day of October, 1908.

No. 615. MARY ANN SMITH.—10  $\frac{1}{2}$  perches, part of Section 27, Town of Blenheim. Occupied by Winnifred McKenna.

No. 616. THOMAS ALLPORT.—16  $\frac{7}{10}$  perches, part of Section 210, Town of Pictou. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 29th day of September, 1908, at the Lands Registry Office, Blenheim.

895 T. SCOTT-SMITH,  
District Land Registrar.

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

10582. JAMES STOREY BLAND.—390 acres, Rural Section 10361, Blocks III and VII, Westerfield Survey District. Occupied by James Bland.

10826. WILLIAM PARSONS.—5 acres 3 roods 13  $\frac{3}{4}$  perches, part of Rural Section 1062, Borough of Rangiora. Occupied by Applicant.

10827. JOHN DUNNETT HENDERSON.—60 acres, Rural Sections 2463, 4138, and 10744, Block VIII, Alford Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

10828. RICHARD JACKSON HUGHES.—3 roods, Town Sections 8, 9, and 13, Ashburton. Occupied by Applicant.

10829. MARTHA DOUDS.—32 perches, Lot 5, Plan 38, part of Rural Section 69, Linwood Ward, City of Christchurch. Occupied by weekly tenants.

10832. WILLIAM DAVIS.—20 acres, Rural Section 7840, Block X, Grey Survey District. Occupied by Walter Freeman Blackwell and Alfred Thomas Blackwell.

10834. ALFRED BUTCHER.—2 roods 37 perches, Lots 42, 43, 44, Plan 2349, part of Rural Section 2432, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Unoccupied.

10837. WILLIAM COWAN MECHEM.—2 roods, Lot 82, Plan 816, part of Rural Section 1834, Block I, Patiti Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 29th day of September, 1908, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

894 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, 1908," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month of the publication hereof.

MATHEW STUART HOLMES.—Part of Allotment 1, Township of Bishopscourt, subdivision of part of Section 3, Block III, Upper Kaikorai District. Occupied by Applicant. No. 4850.

JOHN BARCLAY.—Allotment 1, subdivision of Application No. 1370, Town of Oamaru. Occupied by Applicant. No. 4851.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 28th day of September, 1908, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

896 W. WYINKS,  
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificates of title, Vol. 59, folio 136, and Vol. 97, folio 238, for Allotments 14, 15, and part 16, Block V, Township of South Dunedin, whereof HONORA SHANNON, wife of JOHN SHANNON, of Dunedin, retired Cordial-manufacturer, is the registered proprietress, and application having been made to me to issue provisional certificates of title for the said land, I hereby give notice of my intention to issue such provisional certificates at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the publication hereof.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin, this 28th day of September, 1908.

897 W. WYINKS,  
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional lease of title in favour of ALEXANDER DIACK, THE YOUNGER, of Centre Bush, Farmer, for Section 742, Survey District of Hokonui, being the land contained in village-homestead special settlement lease, Vol. 41, folio 69, and evidence having been lodged of the destruction of the said lease, I hereby give notice that I shall issue a provisional lease as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, the 24th day of September, 1908.

886 C. E. NALDER,  
District Land Registrar.

## PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

In the matter of "The Public Works Act, 1908"; and in the matter of the taking under the said Act by the Greymouth Borough Council of certain lands for the purpose of a recreation-ground.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of "The Public Works Act, 1908," that a copy of the plan and book of reference showing portions of blocks numbered 17, 18, 27, 28, 29, and 29A of the Greymouth Native Reserve Number 31 proposed to be taken by the Greymouth Borough Council for the purpose of a recreation-ground have, by the direction of the said the Greymouth Borough Council, been deposited at the office of the Town Clerk, at the Town Hall, Mackay Street, Greymouth, and that the same are open for public inspection free of charge during the usual office hours of the said Town Clerk; and it is hereby further notified that all persons affected by such proposed taking and the making of such recreation-ground are hereby requested to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections to the taking of such lands and the making of such recreation-ground, and to send such writing to the said the Greymouth Borough Council within forty days from the first publication of this notice.

Dated this 19th day of September, 1908.

887 EDWARD IVEAGH LORD,  
Town Clerk, Greymouth.

## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND, NORTHERN DISTRICT.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908"; and in the matter of the Rotorna Motor Coaching Company (Limited) (and Reduced).

NOTICE is hereby given that the order of the Supreme Court, Northern District at Auckland, dated the 11th day of September, 1908, confirming the reduction of the capital of the above-named company from £30,000 to £15,000, and the minute approved by the Court showing with respect to the capital of the company as altered the several particulars required by the above statute, was registered by the Registrar of Companies on the 19th day of September, 1908.



The said minute is in the words and figures following: The capital of the Rotorua Motor Coaching Company (Limited), and reduced henceforth, is £15,000, divided into 30,000 shares of 10s. each, instead of the capital of £30,000, divided into 30,000 shares of £1 each. At the time of registration of this minute 20,845 of the said shares are issued, of which 20,140 are fully paid up, and 705 are paid up to 2s. per share, and the residue of the said shares—viz., 9,155—are unissued.

Dated the 19th day of September, 1908.

F. E. BAUME,

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Solicitor for the Company.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership hitherto existing between us and known as "The Manufacturers' Direct Importing Company," under which name we carried on business as drapers and retailers at Pahiataua and Pongarua, has been dissolved by mutual consent, this 18th day of August, 1908.

W. H. HAWKINS.

W. W. AWDRY.

WALTER UNRELL.

JAMES G. BRECHIN.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto carried on by ALFRED SMITH and EBENEZER HISLOP JAMIESON, under the style of "Smith and Jamieson," as Building Contractors, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 8th June, 1908. All accounts owing to the late firm must be paid to the said Ebenezer Hislop Jamieson, and all persons having claims against the late firm are requested to render same to him.

Dated this 18th day of September, 1908.

ALFRED SMITH.

E. H. JAMIESON.

Witness to both signatures—Albert J. Grave, Solicitor,  
Oamaru. 891

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership existing between LOFTUS HASTINGS OTWAY and ISOBEL DALZIELL OTWAY, as Flax-millers at Waikawau, as "Otway and Co.," has been dissolved as from the 20th February, 1908, by mutual consent, and the business and property of the partnership has been acquired by the said Isobel Dalziell Otway, who will pay all the liabilities of the partnership.

Dated the 14th day of July, 1908.

WYNYARD AND PURCHAS,

Solicitors for the Parties.

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*Under the control and supervision of the Education Department.*

Director: MR. J. E. STEVENS.

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