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*Lands taken for a Road in Block V, Paikakariki Survey District, Hutt County.*

(L.S.)

PLUNKET, Governor.

**A PROCLAMATION.**

**W**HEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1908," for a certain work, to wit, for the purposes of a road in Paikakariki Survey District:

And whereas the Hutt County Council has laid before the Governor a memorial, accompanied by a map, and also the statutory declaration, as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1908," and of all other powers in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purposes of the said road.

**SCHEDULE.**

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Situated in Registration District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 0.54	Railway reserve ..	V	Paikakariki ..	Taupo No. 4 ..	R. 10153	Purple.
0 0 1.68	" ..	"	" ..	" ..	"	"
0 0 0.84	Lot 40 ..	"	" ..	" ..	"	Orange.
0 0 28.8	Lot 22 ..	"	" ..	Taupo No. 1 ..	"	"
4 0 0	Taupo No. 1 ..	"	" ..	" ..	"	Red.
2 2 10.4	Section 82 ..	"	" ..	Porirua Harbour ..	"	"
0 3 20	Section 83 ..	"	" ..	" ..	"	Orange.
2 3 18.48	Section 82 ..	"	" ..	" ..	"	Red.
2 0 0	Section 83 ..	"	" ..	" ..	"	Orange.

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

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

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands taken for a Road in Block V, Awhitu Survey District, Awhitu Road District.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1908," for a certain work, to wit, for the purposes of a road in Block V, Awhitu Survey District:

And whereas the Awhitu Road Board has laid before the Governor a memorial, accompanied by a map, and also the statutory declaration, as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1908," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are hereby taken for the purposes of a road.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land hereby taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan	
A. R. P. 0 1 1.4	95, Awhitu Ph. W. 96,	V	Awhitu..	R. 10779	Pink.	
0 1 29	80,			"	"	"
0 0 8.9	W. 96,			"	"	"
0 1 39.9	80,			"	"	"
				"	"	"

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

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

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for a Road in Block IX, Waiapu Survey District, Waiapu County.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section twenty-one of "The Public Works Act, 1908," it is enacted that whenever any Crown land is required to be set apart for any public work, the Governor may at any time, by Proclamation duly gazetted, set the same apart for such public work without complying with any of the provisions of that Act in respect to the taking or setting-apart of other lands for such purpose:

And whereas the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is Crown land, and is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1908," for a certain public work, to wit, for the purposes of a road in Block IX, Waiapu Survey District:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1908," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby set apart for the purposes of a road.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land set apart.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 9 3 3	Ahikouka No. 1B, Crown land	IX	Waiapu	R. 9874	Red.

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

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

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block XI, Mawhera-iti Survey District, Inangahua County.

(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 occupier and mortgagee of the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and of the Inangahua County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Mawhera-iti Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Land hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 24	8	XI	Mawhera-iti	R. 10757	Red.

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

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

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

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Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks III and VII, Opunake Survey District, Egmont County.

(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 owner, lessees, and mortgagee of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Egmont County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Opunake Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road first hereinbefore proclaimed.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portions of the following Subdivisions of Land Ngatitara Block.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 3 2	Sub. 19	III	Opunake ..	R. 4890	Pink.
1 2 22	" 20	"	" ..	"	"
0 0 2	" 19	"	" ..	"	"
0 0 0.7	" 19	"	" ..	"	"
0 2 17	" 20	"	" ..	"	"
0 0 4	" 32	VII	" ..	"	"
0 0 9	" 20	III	" ..	"	"
0 3 30	" 32	VII	" ..	"	"
0 1 32	" 20	III	" ..	"	"
0 2 3	" 20	"	" ..	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through the following Subdivisions of Ngatitara Block.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 3 24	Subs. 19 and 20	III	Opunake	R. 4890	Green.
1 3 27	Ditto ..	"	"	"	"
0 3 34	Subs. 19, 20, and 32	III & VII	"	"	"
0 0 10	Sub. 20 ..	III	"	"	"
0 0 8	" 32 ..	VII	"	"	"
1 0 2	" 20 ..	III	"	"	"
1 0 21	" 32 ..	VII	"	"	"
0 0 0.3	" 20 ..	III	"	"	"

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 tenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VIII Mawhera-iti Survey District, Inangahua County.

(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 of the land mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Inangahua County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Mawhera-iti Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road first hereinbefore proclaimed.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 3 0	10	VIII	Mawhera-iti	R. 7809	Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Road hereby closed.	Passing through Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 2 18	10	VIII	Mawhera-iti	R. 7809	Green.

All in the Nelson 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 tenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block X, Kaipara Survey District, Waitemata County.

(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 of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Waitemata County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Kaipara Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road first hereinbefore proclaimed.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 8	15A, Ararimu Parish	X	Kaipara ..	R. 10752	Purple
0 2 14	Ditto ..	"	" ..	"	"
0 1 5	17, Ararimu Parish	"	" ..	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Road hereby closed.	Passing through Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 13	17, Ararimu Parish	X	Kaipara ..	R. 10752	Green.

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

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

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks XIII, Makuri, and II, Puketoi Survey Districts, Pahiatua County.*

(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, lessee, and mortgagee of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Pahiatua County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Makuri 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 Sections	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 6 2 34	11, 12	XIII	Makuri	R. 4702	Blue.
9 0 11	13	"	"	"	Pink.
9 0 5	13	"	"	"	"
1 2 5	47	"	"	"	Purple.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of Road hereby closed.	Passing through or abutting on Sections	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 16 1 12	{ 11, 12, 13 31, 32, 33, 34	XIII II	Makuri Puketoi	R. 4702 "	Green. "

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

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

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Amending Part of a Proclamation taking Lands for a Road, and closing Road, in Blocks XVI, Wai-iti, and XIII, Waimea Survey Districts, Waimea County.*

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section five of "The Land Act, 1908," it is therein provided that every Proclamation, Order in Council, and other instrument (whether made under or by virtue of this Act, or of any former Land Act), and all regulations, by-laws, conditions, or rules made by the Governor, the Minister, or any Land Board, may be altered, amended, or revoked from time to time:

And whereas it is necessary to amend a Proclamation issued under the said Act taking lands for a road, and closing a road, in Wai-iti and Waimea Survey Districts, dated the twenty-fifth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and hereinafter referred to as "the said Proclamation":

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby alter and amend the said Proclamation by substituting the First and Second Schedules to this Proclamation for the First and Second Schedules respectively of the Proclamation of the twenty-fifth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 0 37	16 of Wai-iti Hills	XVI	Wai-iti	R. 10275	Red.
0 2 20	3	XIII	Waimea	"	"
0 0 33	3	"	"	"	Blue.
4 3 14	2	"	"	"	Red.
0 2 14	1 of 43 of Waimea S.	"	"	"	Purple.
0 1 32	2	"	"	"	"
0 1 34	3	"	"	"	"



## SECOND SCHEDULE.

## ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Pieces of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through Sections	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 3 30 10 0 32	16 of Wai-iti Hills 2 and 3 of Wai-iti Hills	XVI XIII	Wai-iti Waimea	R. 10275 "	Green. "
1 2 24	Parts 1, 2, and 3 of 43 of Waimea South	"	"	"	"

All in the Nelson 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 tenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Altering Boundaries of Otago Mining District.*

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Mining Act, 1908," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time, by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette*, to constitute throughout the Dominion, or in any part thereof, districts to be called mining districts, and such districts from time to time to abolish, and the boundaries to define and alter:

And whereas by Proclamation bearing date the twenty-fourth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and one, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities so vested in him, did define the boundaries of the Otago Mining District, as described in the said Proclamation:

And whereas it is expedient to alter the boundaries of the said district so defined as aforesaid:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities so vested in me as aforesaid, do hereby alter the boundaries of the said Mining District of Otago, and define them as described in the Schedule hereto, as and from the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO MINING DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District bounded towards the north by the Canterbury Land District from Big Bay, on the west coast, to a point due north of Mount St. Bathans; towards the east by a straight line from that mountain; thence again towards the north by a straight line due east to the summit of the Hawkdun Mountains; towards the north-east by the summit of the said Hawkdun Mountains to Mount Ida; thence towards the north-west by a straight line to Kurow Mountain; thence by a straight line to the source of the Little Awakino Stream, and by that stream to the Waitaki River; again towards the north-east by the Waitaki River to the western boundary of the area formerly known as Awamoko Hundred; thence again towards the east by the said area formerly known as Awamoko Hundred to the area formerly known as Kakanui Hundred; towards the south and again towards the east by the said area formerly known as Kakanui Hundred to its south-western corner; again towards the south by a line due west to a point due

north of Scout Hill; thence again towards the east by a straight line through Scout Hill to a point due west of Trig. Station D (Mount Difficulty), Kauroo Survey District; thence again towards the north by a straight line through the said Trig. Station D to a point due north of the north-eastern corner of Section No. 2, Block VI, Kauroo Survey District aforesaid; again towards the east by a straight line to the said corner; again towards the south and east by Section No. 2 aforesaid to Section No. 7 of the said Block VI; thence again towards the south and west, and again towards the south and east, by the said Section No. 7 to Section No. 5, Block XV, Otepopo Survey District; thence again towards the east, north-east, north-west, and south-west by the said Section No. 5 to Section No. 7 aforesaid; thence again towards the north by Section No. 7 aforesaid to Section No. 9, Block XV, Otepopo Survey District; thence again towards the east and north by the said Section No. 9 to Section No. 2 of the said Block XV; thence again towards the east and north by the said Section No. 2 to its south-eastern corner; thence again towards the east by Sections Nos. 1, 8, 7, 6, and 3 of Block XV aforesaid to Section No. 4; again towards the south and east by the said Section No. 4 to a point due east of Trig. Station P, Otepopo Survey District; thence again towards the south by a straight line through the said Trig. Station P to the summit of the Kakanui Mountains; thence again towards the north-east by the summit of the Kakanui Mountains to Run No. 109; thence again towards the north-west by Run No. 217B to Run No. 209; thence again towards the east generally by the said Run No. 209 and Run No. 11 to a stream forming the south-eastern boundary of Run No. 109 aforesaid; thence towards the south-east by that stream to the south branch of the Waianakarua River; thence again towards the south-west by the south branch of the Waianakarua River aforesaid to a point in line with the north-west boundary-line of the Moeraki Hundred; thence again towards the south-east by a straight line to and thence by the said Moeraki Hundred to the Waihemo or Shag River; thence again towards the north-east by the left bank of the said Waihemo or Shag River to a point in line with the north-western boundary-line of the area formerly known as Hawksbury Hundred; thence again towards the south-east by a straight line across the Waihemo or Shag River aforesaid, and by the said area formerly known as Hawksbury Hundred to the south-western corner of Section No. 11, Block I, Dunback Survey District; thence again towards the north by the said Section No. 11 and Section No. 6 of the said Block I; again towards the east by the Moeraki Survey District; again towards the south by Sections Nos. 3, 4, and 5 of Block I aforesaid to the north-western corner of the last-mentioned section; thence again towards the south-east by the area formerly known as Hawksbury Hundred aforesaid to the north branch of the Waikouaiti River; thence by the said north branch and the south branch of the Waikouaiti River to a point in line with the northern boundary-line of Section No. 4, Block IX, Waikouaiti Survey District; thence by a right line to the north-western corner of said Section No. 4; thence by that section, by Sections Nos. 2 and 3, said Block IX, and Sections Nos. 2, 4, and 5, Block XI, to the south-western corner of the last-mentioned section; thence again towards the south by a right line through Trig. Station U, Waikouaiti Survey District, to the right bank of the Silverstream; thence again towards the south-east by the said Silverstream to the area formerly known as the East Taieri Hundred; thence again towards the south by the said area formerly known as the East Taieri Hundred to Block II, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District; thence again towards the south-east by Sections Nos. 9, 8, 7, and 6, Block III, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District, and a road; thence again towards the south-west by Section No. 38, a road, 1 of 28, 2 of 28, 27, 26, a road, and Section No. 5, and a road, all of Block II aforesaid, and by Sections Nos. 21, 20, 2 of 18, and 17, Block I, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District, to the Taieri River; thence again towards the south-east by the left bank of that river to the road which forms the north-eastern boundaries of River Sections Nos. 49, 48, 47, and 46; thence again towards the north-east generally by that road and the road forming the north-eastern boundaries of River Sections Nos. 45, 44, 43, 42, 41, 40, 39, and 38; by the road forming the north-western boundaries of River Sections Nos. 37 and 36, the road forming the north-eastern boundaries of River Sections Nos. 36, 35, 34, and 33; by the road forming the north-western boundaries of Sections Nos. 16, 15, 14, and 13, Block XX, Taieri Survey District; by Sections Nos. 12 and 2 of said Block XX, across the railway-line, and by Section No. 11, Irregular Block; by a road forming the south-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 11 and 12, Irregular Block; by Section No. 41, Irregular Block, and by Block VIII, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District, to the sea: thence again towards the south-

east by the sea to a point in line with the north-eastern side of the road forming the south-western boundary of Section No. 9, Block XIV, Coast Survey District: thence again towards the south-west generally by a right line to the southernmost corner of Section No. 9 of the said Block XIV; thence by the said road to Block IV, Kaitangata Survey District; thence by Block IV, Kaitangata Survey District, to the road forming the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 1 of 20 and 2 of 20; thence by that road to a point in line with the north-eastern boundary-line of Section No. 2 of 20; thence by a right line to the easternmost corner of the said Section No. 2 of 20; thence by Sections Nos. 2 to 20, 1 of 20, 21, and 17, Block IV aforesaid; by the road forming the south-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 10 and 9, Block I; thence by that road to a point in line with the north-eastern boundary-line of the last-mentioned section; thence by a right line to the easternmost corner of Section No. 9 aforesaid; thence by Sections Nos. 9, 8, 5, and 18, Block I aforesaid, to the road forming the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 2 of 20, said Block I, Kaitangata Survey District; thence by that road and by part of the road forming the north-eastern boundary of the last-mentioned section, by Sections Nos. 7, 8, and 9, Block XXVIII, Tokomairiro Survey District; by a road, and Sections Nos. 1, 2, 3, 11, 10, 9, and 8, Block XXXI, Tokomairiro Survey District; by a road, and Sections Nos. 12 and 1, Block XXXIV; by a road, and Sections Nos. 2 of 12, a road, 1 of 12, and 1, Block XXXIII; by a closed road, and Sections Nos. 12 and 1, Block XL; and by Block XLIII, all of Tokomairiro Survey District: again towards the south-east by the said Block XLIII; again towards the south-west by Block XLV; again towards the south-east by the said Block XLV; again towards the south-west by the Hillend Survey District to the south-western corner of Section No. 6, Block LIII, Tokomairiro Survey District; thence again towards the south-west by Section No. 16, Block IX, to its northernmost corner; thence again towards the south-east by Block XIII, Hillend Survey District, to the northernmost corner of Section No. 5 of that block; thence again towards the west and north-west by the Waitahuna East Survey District; again towards the south-west by Block IX, Waitahuna East Survey District, Block VIII, Waitahuna West Survey District, Sections Nos. 20 and 19, Block VII, Waitahuna West Survey District, and by Block IX of the last-mentioned survey district to the northernmost corner of Section No. 15 of that block; thence again towards the south and south-east by Sections Nos. 15, a road, 17, 14, 13, a road, 18, and 11, Block IX, Waitahuna West Survey District, and Sections Nos. 16, 17, and 18, Block XI, Waitahuna West Survey District, to a point in line with the north-eastern boundary of Section No. 12 of the said Block XI; thence again towards the south-west by the said Section No. 12 to Crookburn; thence again towards the south-east by Crookburn to the Clutha River; thence again towards the west by the said Clutha River to a point in line with the northern boundary-line of Section No. 26, Block II, Pomahaka Survey District; thence again towards the south and west generally by the Pomahaka Survey District to the Pomahaka River; thence again towards the south-east by a line across the said Pomahaka River, and by that line continued parallel to that river, and 10 chains distant from the south bank thereof, until it intersects the left bank of the Waipahi River: thence again towards the east and south by the said Waipahi River to the railway-crossing on Block X, Waipahi Survey District; thence by the Southern Trunk line of railway to the Borough of Gore, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 63, of the 8th November, 1890; thence by that borough to the Mataura River: again towards the east by the left bank of the Mataura River; again towards the south by the ocean; again towards the west by the right bank of the said Mataura River to the northern boundary-line of the Hokonui Survey District; thence again towards the south by the Hokonui Survey District to the Oreti River; and thence again towards the south and west by the Oreti River to the north-western boundary-line of Eyre Survey District; thence towards the north-west by that boundary-line to Eyre Peak; thence again towards the south and west generally by the summit of the western watershed of the Wakatipu Lake to Round Peak; thence again towards the south by a straight line to Moffat Peak, thence again by a straight line to Mount Eglinton, and by the latter line produced to Te Anau Lake: thence again towards the east generally by the eastern shore of the said Te Anau Lake, by the left bank of the Waiau River, by the eastern shore of the Manapouri Lake, and again by the left bank of the said Waiau River to the Mararoa River; thence by the left bank of the Mararoa River to Section No. 21, Takitimo District; thence by that section, and the road forming the northern boundaries of Sections Nos. 49, 42A, 41, 43, 47, and 48; thence by Sections Nos. 48, 47, 43, 41, 42A, 49, 42, 53, 52, 44, 45, and 46, Takitimo District, to the south-eastern corner of the last-mentioned section;

thence by the eastern boundary of Run No. 396 to Whare Creek; thence by the left bank of that creek to the eastern boundary-line of Section No. 566, Education Reserve; thence by the eastern boundary of that section and the eastern boundaries of Runs Nos. 173A and 173C to the Waioce Creek; thence by the left bank of that creek to the south-western boundary-line of Run No. 415B; thence by the said Run No. 415B to the Wairaki River; thence by the right bank of that river to the Waiau River; thence again by the left bank of Waiau River to the mouth of the Orawia Stream, in the Waiau Survey District: thence again towards the north-west by the said Orawia Stream to a point in line with the south-western boundary of Section No. 105, Waiau Survey District; thence again towards the north-east and north-west generally by a straight line to the said Section No. 105, and thence by that section and Sections Nos. 82 and 7, Waiau Survey District, to the Aparima Hundred; thence again towards the east by the said Aparima Hundred to Ferdunlaw; thence again towards the north-east by a straight line to the source of the eastern branch of the Purapurakino Stream, thence by that branch and the Purapurakino Stream and Jacob's River to the ocean; thence again towards the south-west and north-west generally by the ocean (inclusive of adjacent islands) to Big Bay aforesaid, the place of commencement: exclusive of the Borough of Roxburgh: exclusive of all that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 11,500 acres, more or less, bounded towards the north by Lillburn Survey District from the north-eastern corner of Section No. 15, Block V, Alton Survey District, to the north-western corner of Section No. 1, Block II, Alton Survey District; thence towards the east by Sections Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4, Block II aforesaid, across a road, and by Section No. 6, said Block II, to the road forming the north-western boundary of Section No. 3A; thence by that road to the westernmost corner of the last-mentioned section; thence by that section and the road running along the right bank of the Waiau River to the southernmost corner of Section No. 9, Block I, Alton Survey District; thence towards the south-west by Section No. 6, Block I aforesaid, to its northernmost corner; thence towards the north-west by the road forming the north-western boundary of Section No. 9, Block I, and forming the north-western boundaries of Sections Nos. 1 and 2, Block III, Alton Survey District, to a point in line with the northern boundary of Section No. 21, Block III aforesaid; thence towards the south by a right line across the said road, and by the last-mentioned section to its north-western corner; thence towards the west by Sections Nos. 11 and 10, Block III aforesaid, to the north-eastern corner of the last-mentioned section; thence again towards the north and west by Section No. 24, said Block III, to its north-eastern corner, thence across a road; and again towards the south generally by the road forming the northern boundaries of Sections Nos. 24, 26, 17, and 27, Block III aforesaid, and the road forming the western boundary of the last-mentioned section; thence by part of Section No. 17 aforesaid, and by Sections Nos. 2 and 1, Block X, to the north-western corner of the last-mentioned section; and thence again towards the west by Blocks VIII and V, Alton Survey District, to the place of commencement.

Also all that area in the Land Districts of Otago and Southland bounded towards the north generally by a line parallel to and one mile distant from high-water mark, from Bluff Harbour to Catlin's River; towards the north-east by the said Catlin's River; towards the south generally by the ocean; and towards the west by Bluff Harbour aforesaid: exclusive of the Township of Fortrose.

Also all that area known as Campbelltown Goldfield, in the Southland Land District, comprised between low water and 1 chain above high-water mark of the ocean, from Section No. 1, Block V, Campbelltown Hundred, to Steep Head, and round to Pasturage Reserve; thence (said strip being lessened in width to distance between high- and low-water marks) to the southern boundary of the said reserve; starting again at the original width, and continuing along the coast to Pilot-station Reserve, at Stirling's Point, Bluff Harbour.

Also all that parcel of land in the Southland Land District bounded on the north by a line running due east from the south-east corner of Section No. 311, Hokonui District, until it strikes the south-west boundary of Section No. 423, Hokonui District; towards the north-east and north-west by said Section No. 423; again towards the north by a continuation of the line before described running due east from the south-east corner of said Section No. 311 until it strikes the south-west boundary of Section No. 819, Hokonui District; again towards the north-east by said Section No. 819 and a road-line; towards the south-east by Sections Nos. 773, 774, 779, 780, 786, and 787, Hokonui District; and towards the south-west generally by Sections Nos. 134 and 494, Hokonui District, and the Waimumu Stream to the south-west corner of Section No. 311 aforesaid.

Also all that parcel of land in the Southland Land District bounded towards the west by Sections Nos. 6 and 2, Block VII, Lindhurst District; towards the north generally by Sections Nos. 50, 49, and 48 of Block V, Lindhurst District; towards the south-east by a road-line; towards the south-west by a road-line; and again towards the south-east by Section No. 11 of Block V aforesaid.

Also all that parcel of land in the Southland Land District bounded towards the west by Section No. 10, Block V, Lindhurst District; towards the north by Section No. 12 of said Block V; towards the north-west by Sections Nos. 12, 18, 19, 21, 29, and 30 of said Block V; again towards the north by Section No. 32 of said Block V; and towards the south-east and north-east by a road-line; towards the east by Block XXVI, Lindhurst Hundred; towards the south by Section No. 6 of Block V aforesaid; and again towards the north-west and south-east by a road-line.

Also the additional areas comprised within the following Government reserves: That portion of the Stanley Township lying to the west of Mokomoko Inlet; the Pilot-station Reserve at Steep Head; and Section No. 1, Block IV, Campbelltown Hundred.

Also all that area in the Otago Land District bounded towards the north-west by a line parallel to and one mile distant from high-water-mark from Catlin's River to Block XV, Coast Survey District; thence towards the north generally by the said Block XV and Block XIV to the road forming the south-western boundary of Section No. 9, Block XIV, thence by the north-eastern side of that road and its production to the sea; towards the south-east by the sea; and towards the south by Catlin's River aforesaid.

All that area in the Southland Land District bounded towards the north by the northern boundary-line of the Hokonui Survey District from the Oreti River to the Mataura River, and thence by that boundary-line extended across the said Mataura River; thence towards the east generally by the left bank of the said Mataura River to the Borough of Gore; thence again towards the north generally by the northern and eastern boundary-lines of that borough to the Main Trunk Railway line, thence by the said railway-line to the Township of Pukerau; thence again towards the east generally by that township and the road forming the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 21, 22, 6, and 5, Block VI, Waikaka Survey District, to the road intersecting Section No. 3, Block IX; thence by that road and the road forming the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 4, 5, 16, and 15, Block IX, to Section No. 19; thence by that section and the road forming its southern boundary to the north-eastern corner of Section No. 13; thence by the road forming the eastern boundary of the said Section No. 13 to the northern boundary of Block X, Waikaka Survey District; thence by the said Block X to the northern boundary of Tuturau Survey District; thence by the Tuturau Survey District to the Waiariki Stream; thence by that stream to its confluence with the Mimihau Stream; and thence by the said Mimihau Stream to the western boundary of Block II, Wyndham Survey District; thence by Blocks II and IV of the said Wyndham Survey District to the Township of Wyndham; thence by the south-eastern boundary-line of that township and the road forming the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 23 and 49, Block IV, Wyndham Survey District, and by that road continued through Sections Nos. 1 and 7, and along the western boundary of Section No. 54, and along the south-western boundaries of Sections Nos. 30, 8, 40, and 41, Block IV, to the road forming the western boundary of Section No. 22, Block VI; thence by the last-mentioned road and its continuation along the western boundaries of Sections Nos. 18, 14, 6, 7, and 27, Block VI, and through the following sections—viz., Nos. 25 and 9, Block VI aforesaid, Section No. 13, Block V, and Section No. 10, Block IX; thence by the road forming the north-western boundaries of Sections Nos. 20, 19, 17, 16, and 9, and its continuation through Section No. 8, Block IX aforesaid, and Section No. 7, Block VIII, to the road forming the western boundaries of Sections Nos. 36, 35, and 34, Block VIII, Wyndham Survey District; thence by that road and its continuation through Sections Nos. 1 and 4, Block I, Toetoes Survey District, and along the western boundaries of Sections Nos. 18 and 28, Block I aforesaid; through Sections Nos. 24 and 6, Block IV, and Sections Nos. 1 and 7, Block V, and along the eastern boundary of Section No. 6, Block V aforesaid, and through Section No. 23, Block VIII, to the road forming the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 1; thence by that road and its continuation through Section No. 11, Block VIII, and along the eastern boundary of Section No. 4, Block VII, and through Section No. 3, Block VII, Toetoes Survey District aforesaid, to Toetoes Harbour; thence towards the south generally by the sea to the eastern boundary of Block XIII, Oteramika Hundred; thence towards the west generally by Blocks XIII, XII, and IV, Otera-

mika Hundred, to a road running due east to and along the northern boundary of Section No. 14, Block VII; thence by that road to Gorge Road; thence by the said Gorge Road to Morton Mains Railway-station; thence by a road through Original Blocks Nos. 42 and 39, and through Section No. 1, Block I, Lothian Hundred, to the western boundary of the said Lothian Hundred; thence by the said western boundary to the Titipua Stream; thence towards the south-west by the south bank of that stream to its confluence with the Hedgehope Stream; thence towards the north-west by the northern bank of the said Hedgehope Stream to the eastern boundary-line of Forest Hill Hundred; thence again towards the west by the said eastern boundary-line of Forest Hill Hundred to Hokonui Survey District; thence again towards the north by the southern boundary-line of Hokonui Survey District to the south-western corner of Section No. 227; and thence again towards the west and south-west by the western boundaries of Sections Nos. 227, 174, 105, 299, and 425 of the said Hokonui Survey District to Observation Stream; thence by that stream to its confluence with the Waimea Stream; thence by the said Waimea Stream to the road running through Section No. 185; thence by that road and the road along the south-western boundaries of Sections Nos. 186 and 54, and by the road along the north-western boundaries of Sections Nos. 54 and 462, Hokonui Survey District, to the Waimea Plain Main Road; thence by that road to the Town of Lumsden; thence by the north-eastern boundary of that town to the Oreti River; and thence by the said Oreti River to the place of commencement.

Also all that area in the Southland Land District known as the Town of Riverton.

Also all the area known as Stewart Island, in the Southland Land District.

Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District bounded towards the north-west generally by the Rakaia River, the Little Rakaia River, and the Taumutu and Rakaia Road, to the road forming the north-western boundary of Allotment No. 22 of Native Reserve No. 878, Block VII, Southbridge Survey District; thence by that road to the southern boundary-line of the said Allotment No. 22; thence by the said southern boundary-line or the outlet to Lake Ellesmere; and towards the south-east generally by low-water mark of the ocean.

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 ninth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

R. MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Mines.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for a Native School at Kakanui.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twentieth day of April, 1909.

Present:

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

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required for a certain public work, to wit, a Native school:

And whereas the Native owners have agreed to make a free gift of the said land to His Majesty the King, and it has been made to appear that such agreement is sufficient for the purposes intended to be effected thereby:

And whereas by a partition order made by the Native Land Court, bearing date the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and three, certain aboriginal Natives are declared to be the owners of the Tuhirangi A No. 2 Block, within which the said land is situated:

And whereas, as required by "The Public Works Act, 1908," a map has been prepared showing accurately the position and extent of the said land:

Now, therefore, His Excellency 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 acting by and with the advice and consent

of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the land shown upon the said map, and described in the Schedule hereto, is hereby taken for the purposes of the said Native school, and shall vest in His Majesty the King, as from the twenty-sixth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

**SCHEDULE.**

**KARANUI NATIVE SCHOOL.**

Approximate Area.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked
A. R. P. 4 2 24	Tuhirangi A No. 3030A	II	Kaipara	14865.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan as described above, deposited in the Education Department, at Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

**ALEX. WILLIS,**  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Land taken for a Native School at Pawarenga.*

**PLUNKET, Governor.**

**ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twentieth day of April, 1909.

Present:

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

**WHEREAS** the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a public work, to wit, for the purpose of a Native-school site:

And whereas the said land is held or occupied by Native owners, and the title thereto is not derived from the Crown:

And whereas a map of the said land has been prepared in duplicate, as required by "The Public Works Act, 1908":

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by 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, 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 public work hereinbefore mentioned; and the said land shall vest in His Majesty the King as from the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

**SCHEDULE.**

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked
A. R. P. 3 0 0	Paihia No. 17, 6650	XI	Whangape	14934.

In the Land District of Auckland; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan as above described, deposited in the Education Department, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

**ALEX. WILLIS,**  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Land taken for a Native School at Whangape.*

**PLUNKET, Governor.**

**ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twentieth day of April, 1909.

Present:

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

**WHEREAS** the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a public work, to wit, for the purpose of a Native-school site:

And whereas the said land is held or occupied by Native owners, and the title thereto is not derived from the Crown:

And whereas a map of the said land has been prepared in duplicate, as required by "The Public Works Act, 1908":

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by 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, 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 public work hereinbefore mentioned; and the said land shall vest in His Majesty the King as from the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

**SCHEDULE.**

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked
A. R. P. 3 1 8	Whakakoro "A," No. 2011	XI	Whangape	14933.

In the Land District of Auckland; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan as above described, deposited in the Education Department, at Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

**ALEX. WILLIS,**  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Native Cemetery, Pah Street, Borough of Motueka, closed, and vested in Trustees.*

**PLUNKET, Governor.**

**ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twentieth day of April, 1909.

Present:

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

**WHEREAS** it appears to the Governor that burials in the Native cemetery in the Borough of Motueka, which said cemetery is described in the Schedule hereto, should be wholly discontinued: And whereas a sufficient cemetery not within the limits of any borough or town district has been provided, and has been prepared for the interment of the dead, as required by "The Cemeteries Act, 1908":

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Dominion of New Zealand, and in pursuance of the authorities vested in him by the said "Cemeteries Act, 1908," doth hereby order and direct that, from and after the first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and nine, burials within the Native cemetery in the Borough of Motueka, described in the aforesaid Schedule, shall be wholly discontinued; and, further, that the said cemetery shall, from and after the said first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and nine, be vested in the following persons—namely, John Alexander, Thomas Boyes, James McGlashen, Lawrence Sinclair, Edward Smith, John Joseph Quayle, Clarence Roy York, all of Motueka, and Clement Sewell Cresswell, of Lower Moutere—under the provisions and for the purposes of the seventy-eighth section of the said "Cemeteries Act, 1908."

**SCHEDULE.**

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District being part of Section 184 (Motueka), marked "C," Block III, Motueka Survey District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 37 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north by other portion of the said Section 184, 100 links; towards the east by the Native Mission House site, marked "B" on the Crown grant, and by the Native church-site, marked "A" on the Crown grant, 482 links; towards the south by Pah Street, 100 links; and towards the west partly by a public road and partly by other portion of the said Section 184, 482 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

**ALEX. WILLIS,**  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twentieth day of April, 1909.

Present :

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

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

And whereas the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board, by a recommendation made on the eighth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and received on the thirty-first day of October, 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 sale, the block or 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," for the purpose of alienation by way of sale.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Mangahao Survey District, containing 201 acres 3 roods 38 perches, more or less, known as Pahiatua No. 3, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 25th day of August, 1904, in favour of Ereni te Aweawe and another.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Thames High School to be subject to the Provisions of "The Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908."*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twentieth day of April, 1909.

Present :

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

WHEREAS the Board of Governors of the Thames High School, being an incorporated body having the power to lease lands held in trust for educational purposes, has made application to be declared a leasing authority within the meaning of "The Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908," and it appears expedient to grant such application:

Now, therefore, His Excellency William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the said Act, doth hereby order and declare that, from and after the date hereof, the Board of Governors of the Thames High School shall be a leasing authority within the meaning of "The Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908."

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Regulations under the Education Acts.—Staffs and Salaries, &c.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twentieth day of April, 1909.

Present :

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

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Education Act, 1908," and "The Education Amendment Act, 1908," the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Dominion, doth hereby revoke clause eight of the regulations heretofore made under the authority of the said Acts, or any Act thereby repealed, regarding staffs and salaries in public schools, and in lieu thereof doth make the regulation hereto annexed; and, with the like advice and consent, doth prescribe that this Order shall come into force on the date hereof.

REGULATION.

8. Average daily attendance for the purposes of paragraph (b), (ii), of subsection (1) of section 6 of the principal Act, shall for any quarter be the total average attendance for the quarter immediately preceding.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Authorising Maori Land Board to dispose of Land by way of Lease without Public Competition.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section eight of "The Native and Maori Land Laws Amendment Act, 1902" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is provided that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation published in the *Gazette* and *Kahiti*, declare that any parcel or parcels of Maori land, whether or not such parcels form portions of several blocks, and whether or not such parcels are held by the owners under separate titles, shall be vested in the Board as a site for a Native township, and shall by the same Proclamation assign a name to such township:

And whereas by Proclamation bearing date the third day of December, one thousand nine hundred and three, the Governor declared the lands comprised therein to be vested in the Maniapoto-Tuwaharetoa District Maori Land Board as a site for a Native township, and assigned to the said township the name of the "Taumarunui Native Township": And whereas the said Proclamation has, in respect only of the boundaries of the land comprised therein, been amended from time to time:

And whereas by section ten of the said Act it is provided, *inter alia*, that the Board shall have full power and authority to deal with such lands by way of sale, lease, exchange, or otherwise, in such mode or under such terms or conditions as may be prescribed by the Governor:

And whereas by regulations under his hand bearing date the thirteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and three, the Governor prescribed the mode and terms and conditions upon which the said lands may be disposed of:

And whereas by Regulation 9 of such regulations it is provided that "all dealings with allotments other than reserves, unless otherwise authorised by the Governor in Council, shall be for a term not exceeding twenty-one years, at the best rent obtainable, and to that end every lease shall be offered either by public auction or public tender, as the Board thinks fit":

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto is situate in and forms part of the Taumarunui Native Township, and it is expedient that the Maniapoto-Tuwaharetoa District Maori Land Board should be enabled to dispose of the same by way of lease without offering it either by public auction or public tender:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the said Act, and of all other powers him thereunto enabling, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby authorise the Maniapoto-Tuwaharetoa District Maori Land Board to

alienate by way of lease to the Council of the said township established under "The Native Townships Local Government Act, 1905," the land described in the said Schedule as a site for a public pound.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land, situated at the north-west corner of Block XVIII, Taumarunui Township, being a portion of the said block, and containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less. Bounded towards the north by Hakiha Street, 321.1 links; towards the west by Paraone Street, 321.1 links; towards the south by a line parallel to the northern boundary, 321.1 links; and towards the east by a line parallel to the western boundary, 321.1 links.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Proclaiming Road in Block IX, Reefton Survey District, to be a Government Road.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by section one hundred and three of "The Public Works Act, 1908," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order that the road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a Government road.

#### SCHEDULE.

The road mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Road referred to.	Being Road through Sections Nos.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 2 0	248 and 249	IX	Reefton	Green.

In the Land District of Nelson; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 24310, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Consenting to Land being taken for the Purposes of an Electric-power Station in the City of Auckland.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Public Works Act, 1908" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is, in section fifteen thereof, *inter alia*, enacted that, except for the purpose of a railway or defence purposes, or for the purposes of any other work to be made under the authority of a special Act, nothing in this Act contained shall authorise the taking of any land occupied by any building, yard, garden, orchard, or vineyard, or in *bona fide* occupation as an ornamental park or pleasure-ground, without the previous consent of the Governor in Council:

And whereas an application has been made by the Auckland City Council for the issue of an Order in Council under the said Act consenting to the taking of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of an

electric-power station required for lighting the streets and public places in the City of Auckland by electricity, and to supply electricity to the inhabitants of the said city:

And whereas portions of the said land are occupied by buildings:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the land described in the Schedule hereto being taken for the purposes above mentioned.

#### SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Part of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 3 3 34.7	Auckland Harbour Endowment C.G. 6012, City of Auckland	VIII	Rangitoto	R.10755	Red.

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

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Withdrawing Land from the Operation of "The Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908."*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section thirty-three of "The Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may by Order in Council declare that land set apart under the said Act as a kauri-gum reserve, and which is no longer required for the purpose of gum-digging, shall be no longer subject to the said Act, and thereupon the land shall cease to be a kauri-gum reserve, and shall be dealt with by the Land Board as ordinary Crown land; provided that such Order in Council shall only be issued in pursuance of a resolution of the Land Board, supported by such independent evidence as the Governor in Council deems necessary:

And whereas the Land Board of the Auckland Land District has duly passed a resolution recommending that the portion of Mangawai No. 3 Kauri-gum Reserve described in the Schedule hereto be excepted from the operation of the said Act, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section thirty-three of the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the portion of Mangawai No. 3 Kauri-gum Reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall be no longer subject to the provisions of the said Act.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres and 21 perches, more or less, being Section No. 245 of the Parish of Mangawai, and forming portion of the Mangawai No. 3 Kauri-gum Reserve, set apart by Order in Council dated 6th May, 1901, and published in *New Zealand Gazette* of 9th May, 1901, page 1020. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road; and towards the south-east, south-west, and north-west by the Mangawai No. 3 Kauri-gum Reserve: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1525/8, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.



Declaring Land to be subject to Part I of "The Native Land Settlement Act, 1907."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section four of "The Native Land Settlement Act, 1907," it is enacted that, when and as often as the Commission referred to therein has reported to the Governor that any Native land is not required for occupation by the Maori owners, and is available for sale or leasing, it shall be lawful for the Governor by Order in Council to declare that such land shall be subject to Part I of the said Act as from the date of such Order, and the same shall thereupon become, and at all times thereafter remain, subject to the said Part I of the said Act accordingly: And whereas the said Commission has reported that the Native lands specified in the Schedule hereto are not required for occupation by the Maori owners, and are available for sale or leasing.

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers in this behalf vested in him by the aforesaid section four, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby declare that the Native lands specified in the Schedule hereto shall, as from the date of this Order, be subject to Part I of "The Native Land Settlement Act, 1907."

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 457 acres 3 roods 14 perches, more or less, situated in the Orahiri Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Hauturu East E No. 2, Section 7B. Bounded towards the north-east by Sections 5 and 5A, Block VIII, of the said survey district; towards the north-west by Sections 14 and 13, Block VII, of the said survey district; and towards the south generally by the Orahiri River and the Hauturu East C No. 2B Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 106 acres 1 rood 20 perches, more or less, situated in the Awakino East Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Karuotewhenua B No. 2B No. 2. Bounded towards the north-east by Karuotewhenua B No. 2B No. 5A Block, 4904.2 links; on the south-east and south-west by Karuotewhenua B No. 2B No. 5B, 2991.3 links and 21460 links respectively; and on the west by the Mangaotaki River.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 72 acres 1 rood, more or less, situated in the Otanake Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and being known as Kaingapipi No. 2. Bounded on the north by Kaingapipi Nos. 8 and 11 Blocks; on the east by Kaingapipi No. 11 Block aforesaid; and on the south-west by Kaingapipi No. 5B Nos. 3A and 3B Blocks.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 106 acres, more or less, situated in the Maungamangero Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku East No. 1B No. 2B. Bounded on the north by the Hauturu Block; on the east and south by Kinohaku East No. 1B, Section 4A; and on the west by Kinohaku East No. 1B, Section 2A.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 1,510 acres 2 roods 20 perches, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 6B No. 2. Bounded on the north-east by Kinohaku West No. 3B Block and Kinohaku East No. 2, Sections 14 and 13; on the south-east by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 6B No. 1; on the south-west by Sections 4 and 3, Block IV, Maungamangero Survey District; and on the north-west by Kinohaku West S No. 1 Block and Small Grazing-run No. 6.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 205 acres 3 roods 20 perches, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 13B No. 2. Bounded on the north by Section 5, Block XVI, Kawhia South Survey District; on the east by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 13B No. 1; on the south-west by Kinohaku East No. 2, Sections 18, 6A, and 6B No. 1; and on the west by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 14.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 162 acres 1 rood 11 perches, more or less, situated in the Otanake Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 25B No. 2B.

Bounded on the north-east by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 11; on the south-east by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28A; on the south-west by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 25B No. 2A; and on the north-west by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 21B No. 2.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 79 acres, more or less, situated in the Otanake Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28B No. 10. Bounded on the north by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28A; on the east and south by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28 No. 9; and on the west by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 5B.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 85 acres, more or less, situated in the Otanake Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28B No. 11B. Bounded towards the north by Section 7, Block II, Otanake Survey District; towards the east by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 24B; towards the south by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28 No. 12B and No. 11A; and towards the west by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28 No. 7.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 133 acres 3 roods, more or less, situated in the Otanake Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28B No. 12B. Bounded towards the north by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28 No. 11A and No. 11B; towards the east by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 24B; towards the south by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28B No. 13; and towards the west by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28 No. 16 and No. 7.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 107 acres and 16 perches, more or less, situated in the Otanake Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28B No. 13. Bounded on the north by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28B Nos. 12A and 12B, 4962.2 links; on the east by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 24B, 2158.3 links; on the south by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28B No. 15, 4962.2 links; and on the west by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28B No. 16, 2158.3 links.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 47 acres 3 roods 8 perches, more or less, situated in the Otanake Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku East No. 4B, Section 2B. Bounded towards the north-east and south-east by Te Ngarara; towards the south-west by Kinohaku East No. 4, Section 3, and No. 4B, Section 2A; and towards the west by Kinohaku East No. 4B, Section 2A, and No. 4, Section 3, aforesaid.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 90 acres 1 rood 23 perches, more or less, situated in the Maungamangero Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku East No. 4F, Section 3A. Bounded towards the north by Section 17, Block XII, of the said survey district; towards the east by Kinohaku East No. 4F, Section 3B; towards the south by Kinohaku East No. 4G, Section 3; and towards the west by Section 5, Block XII, of the said survey district.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 283 acres 3 roods, more or less, situated in the Maungamangero Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku East No. 10B No. 2. Bounded towards the north-east by Kinohaku East No. 10A; towards the south-east by Kinohaku East No. 3D No. 7 and No. 4F, Section 3; and towards the north-west by Section 16, Block VIII, of the said survey district, and Kinohaku West K, Section 1.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 366 acres, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku West No. 3B. Bounded on the north and east by Crown land; on the south generally by Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 6; and on the west generally by Crown land.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 343 acres, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku West O No. 1. Bounded on the north-east by Crown land, 6360 links; on the east generally by Crown land, 5180 links; on the south-west by the Tuahaua Stream; and on the north-west by Crown land, 4690 links.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 43 acres, more or less, situated in the Puniu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kakepuku No. 2A. Bounded towards the north-west and north-east by Kakepuku No. 2c, Section 5; towards the south-east by the Rapaura Block and Kakepuku No. 1B; and towards the south-west by Kakepuku No. 2B.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 51 acres 3 roods 35 perches, more or less, situated in the Otanake Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Maraetana No. 2B, Section 3. Bounded towards the north by Maraetana No. 2B, Section 4; towards the east

by Maraetāua No. 2b, Section 4; towards the south by Section 11, Block VI, Otaṅake Survey District; and towards the west by Section 12, Block VI, Otaṅake Survey District aforesaid.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 571 acres 2 roods 20 perches, more or less, situated in the Otaṅake Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Maraetāua No. 2b, Section 4. Bounded towards the north generally by Maraetāua No. 2b, Section 2, and Maraetāua No. 2b, Section 1; towards the east by Maraetāua No. 1; towards the south generally by Section 10, Block VI, Otaṅake Survey District, and Maraetāua No. 2b, Section 3; and towards the west generally by Sections 12, 13, 14, and 15, Block VI, Otaṅake Survey District aforesaid.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 156 acres and 22 perches, more or less, situated in the Totoro Survey District, in the Land District of Taranaki, and known as Maraetāua No. 5c. Bounded towards the north by Maraetāua No. 5d No. 2 and No. 5d No. 3b; towards the east by Maraetāua No. 5d Nos. 3b and 3a; towards the south by Maraetāua No. 6; and towards the west by Tiutiu Block and Karuotewhenua No. 1c No. 4.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 247 acres and 25 perches, more or less, situated in the Totoro Survey District, in the Land District of Taranaki, and known as Maraetāua No. 5d, Section 2. Bounded on the north by Maraetāua No. 5d No. 1; towards the east by Maraetāua No. 5d Nos. 3c and 3b; towards the south by Maraetāua No. 5c; and towards the west by Karuotewhenua No. 1c No. 4.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 14 acres 1 rood 26 perches, more or less, situated in the Otaṅake Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Maraetāua No. 9b. Bounded on the north-east by Pukenui No. 1; on the south-east by Maraetāua No. 9a; on the south-west by Maraetāua No. 9a; and on the west by Maraetāua No. 2b.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 398 acres 3 roods 17 perches, more or less, situated in the Otaṅake Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Maraetāua No. 9c. Bounded on the north by Maraetāua No. 9a; on the east by right-of-way, public road, crossing of road, and Maraetāua No. 10; on the south by the Mokau River; and on the west by Maraetāua No. 3, Crown land, and Maraetāua No. 2b.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 1,791 acres 2 roods 6 perches, more or less, exclusive of roads, situated in the Otaṅake and Totoro Survey Districts, in the Land Districts of Auckland and Taranaki, and known as Maraetāua No. 10. Bounded on the north-east by Pukenui No. 1, crossing of road, and Pukenui No. 1; on the east generally by Pukenui Nos. 2p and 2l No. 1 Blocks and Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 57; on the south by the Mangapehi River; and on the west generally by Maraetāua No. 3, the Mokau River, Maraetāua No. 9c, crossing of road, right-of-way, and Maraetāua No. 9a.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 388 acres 2 roods 28 perches, more or less, situated in the Tainui Survey District, in the Land District of Taranaki, and known as Mohakatino-Paraninihi No. 1c West No. 1. Bounded on the north by the Mohakatino River; and on the east, south, and west by Mohakatino-Paraninihi No. 1c West No. 2.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 5,927 acres 1 rood 12 perches, more or less, situated in the Tainui and Mimi Survey Districts, in the Land District of Taranaki, and known as Mohakatino-Paraninihi No. 1c West No. 2. Bounded on the north generally by the Mohakatino River, Mohakatino-Paraninihi No. 1c West No. 1, and again by the Mohakatino River; on the east by Mohakatino-Paraninihi No. 1c East (Crown land); on the south generally by Mohakatino-Paraninihi No. 1a (Crown land) and No. 1b; and towards the west by the Tasman Sea.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 4,425 acres, more or less, situated in the Waro Survey District, in the Land District of Taranaki, and known as Mohakatino-Paraninihi No. 1d East. Bounded towards the north generally by the Mohakatino River; towards the east by Section 1, Block III, Waro Survey District; towards the south by Section 5, Block VII, Waro Survey District, crossing of road, and Section 6, Block VI, Waro Survey District; and towards the west by Mohakatino-Paraninihi No. 1d West (Crown land).

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 113 acres 3 roods 29 perches, more or less, situated in the Orahiri Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Orahiri No. 1, Section 34. Bounded towards the north by Orahiri No. 1d Block; towards the south-east by Orahiri Nos. 7b and 7a Blocks; and towards the south-west by the Orahiri No. 2a Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 80 acres and 29 perches, more or less, situated in the Orahiri Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Orahiri No. 6b No. 1. Bounded towards the north by the Otorohanga A Block; towards the east by the Waipa River and the Orahiri Z Block; towards the south by the Orahiri No. 6a Block; and towards the west by the Orahiri No. 6b Nos. 2 and 3 Blocks.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 630 acres, more or less, situated in the Mangaorongo Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26a No. 2. Bounded towards the north by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26a No. 1 Block; towards the east by the Mangawhero Stream; towards the south by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26a No. 3 Block; and towards the west by the Te Kuiti Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 808 acres and 26 $\frac{2}{3}$  perches, more or less, situated in the Mangaorongo Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26a No. 3. Bounded towards the north by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26a No. 2 Block; towards the east by the Mangawhero Stream; towards the south by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26d No. 2 Block; and towards the west by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 71 and Te Kuiti Blocks.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 336 acres, more or less, situated in the Mangaorongo Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26b. Bounded towards the east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35 Block; and towards the south, west, and north by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26d No. 2 Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 619 acres 2 roods, more or less, situated in the Mapara Survey District, in the Land District of Taranaki, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26c. Bounded towards the north by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26e No. 2 Block; towards the east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 49 Block; and towards the south-west by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68 Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 1,437 acres 3 roods 26 perches, more or less, situated in the Mangaorongo Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26d No. 2. Bounded towards the north by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26a No. 3 Block; towards the east by the Mangawhero Stream, the Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 35, 26b, and 35 aforesaid blocks; towards the south by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26d No. 1 Block; and towards the west by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 71 Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 1,308 acres 2 roods 14 perches, more or less, situated in the Pakaumanu and Mapara Survey Districts, in the Land Districts of Auckland and Taranaki, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26e No. 2. Bounded on the east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35 Block; towards the south by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26c Block; and towards the west generally by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68 Block, the Mokau River, and the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26e No. 1 Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 108 acres 2 roods 10 perches, more or less, situated in the Mangaorongo Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 31d. Bounded on the north by Section 4, Block II, Mangaorongo Survey District; towards the east by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 31g No. 2 Block; towards the south-east and south-west generally by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 29c No. 2h, No. 31e No. 1, and No. 31e No. 2 Blocks.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 234 acres 1 rood 25 perches, more or less, situated in the Mangaorongo Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 31f No. 2. Bounded towards the north-east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 31c and 31f No. 1 Blocks; towards the south-east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua 31f No. 1, 31g No. 2a, and 31g No. 2b Blocks; towards the south-west by the Otorohanga No. 3 Section 2 Block; and towards the north-west by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 31b Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 228 acres 1 rood 2 perches, more or less, situated in the Mangaorongo Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 31g No. 2b. Bounded on the north generally by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 31f No. 2, 31g No. 2a, 31g No. 1, and 31c Blocks, and the Mangawhero Stream; towards the south by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 29c No. 2h Block; and towards the west generally by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 31d and the Otorohanga Nos. 3h No. 2 and 3j Blocks.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 479 acres 2 roods 10 perches, more or less, situated in the Mangaorongo Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland,



land, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35B No. 2. Bounded on the north by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35B No. 1 Block; towards the east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 34 Block; towards the south by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35C Block; and towards the west by the Mangawhero Stream.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 53 acres, more or less, situated in the Mangaorongo Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35D. Bounded towards the north and east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35C Block; towards the south by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35E Block; and towards the west by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26 Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 3,184 acres 1 rood 33 perches, more or less, situated in the Pahi and Ongarue Survey Districts, in the Land Districts of Auckland and Taranaki, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 37B. Bounded towards the north-east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 47 and No. 36A No. 1 Blocks; towards the south-east generally by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 38 Block, the Mangatu Stream, and the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 38 Block aforesaid; and towards the west by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 37A Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 557 acres, more or less, situated in the Ongarue Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 41. Bounded on the north by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 38; on the east by a branch of the Maramataha Stream; and on the south generally by Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 9 and 66.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 531 acres 2 roods 36 perches, more or less, situated in the Hurakia Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 54B. Bounded towards the north by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 36 Block; towards the east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 54A Block; towards the south by the Ongarue River; and towards the west by the Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 54D and 54C Blocks.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 1,629 acres, more or less, situated in the Tangitu Survey District, in the Land District of Taranaki, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60B. Bounded towards the north by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 65 Block; towards the east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77 Block; and towards the south and west by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60C No. 2 Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 1,629 acres 3 roods 6 perches, more or less, situated in the Tangitu Survey District, in the Land District of Taranaki, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60C No. 2. Bounded towards the north by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 65 Block; towards the east generally by the Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 60B and 77E Blocks, and the Te Roto Stream; towards the south by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60H Block; and towards the west by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60G and 60C No. 1 Blocks.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 551 acres 3 roods 2 perches, more or less, situated in the Tangitu Survey District, in the Land District of Taranaki, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60F No. 2. Bounded towards the north-east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60C Block; towards the south-east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60A No. 3 Block; towards the south-west generally by the Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 58 and 60F No. 1 Blocks; and towards the north-west by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60E Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 951 acres, more or less, situated in the Tangitu Survey District, in the Land District of Taranaki, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60A. Bounded towards the north-east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 60C No. 2 and 60H Blocks; towards the south-east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60A No. 3 Block; towards the south-west by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60F No. 2 Block; and towards the north-west by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60E, 60D Nos. 2 and 1 Blocks.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 2,475 acres, more or less, situated in the Totoro Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 61E. Bounded towards the north by the Mapara Stream; towards the east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 57A Block, and the Mapiu Stream; towards the south by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 61O Block; and towards the west by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 61F Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 783 acres, more or less, situated in the Pakaumanu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68O. Bounded towards the north by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68A Block; towards the east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26 Block; towards the south by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68F Block; and towards the west by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68B Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 6,212 acres 2 roods 31 perches, more or less, situated in the

Mapara and Tangitu Survey Districts, in the Land District of Taranaki, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77A No. 2B. Bounded towards the north by the Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 77A No. 2A and 77A No. 1 Blocks; towards the south-east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 77B, 77C, 77D, and 77E Blocks; and towards the west generally by the Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 60B, 65, and 72 Blocks.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 318 acres, more or less, situated in the Tuhua Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77F No. 3B. Bounded towards the north by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77F No. 3A Block; towards the east by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 74 Block; towards the south by the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77F No. 2 Block; and towards the west by the Main Trunk Railway and the Ongarue River.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 460 acres, more or less, situated in the Aria Survey District, in the Land District of Taranaki, and known as Umukaimata No. 3B, Section 1. Bounded towards the north by the Mokau River; towards the north-east by Section 14, Block IX, Totoro Survey District, and Sections 1 and 2, Block I, Aria Survey District; towards the south by Umukaimata No. 3B, Section 2; and towards the west by Mokau-Mohakaitino No. 1E Block, the Mokau River, and the Mahoenui No. 2 Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 7 acres, more or less, situated in the Puniu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kakepuku No. 4D, Section 2. Bounded towards the north and east by Kakepuku No. 4D, Section 1; towards the south by Kakepuku No. 2, Section 3; and towards the west by the Waipa River.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 105 acres and 33 perches, more or less, situated in the Puniu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kakepuku No. 4D, Section 3. Bounded towards the north by the Puniu River; towards the east by Kakepuku No. 4B; towards the south by Kakepuku No. 4D, Sections 4 and 5; and on the west by Kakepuku Nos. 4D, Section 1, and 4C Blocks.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 35 acres and 11 perches, more or less, situated in the Puniu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kakepuku No. 4D, Section 4. Bounded towards the north by Kakepuku No. 4D, Section 3; towards the east by Kakepuku No. 4B; towards the south by Kakepuku No. 2, Section 3; and towards the west by Kakepuku No. 4D, Section 5.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 75 acres and 22 perches, more or less, situated in the Puniu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kakepuku No. 4D, Section 5. Bounded towards the north by Kakepuku No. 4D, Section 3; towards the east by Kakepuku No. 4D, Section 4; towards the south by Kakepuku No. 2, Section 3; and towards the west by Kakepuku No. 4D, Section 1.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 485 acres 1 rood 20 perches, more or less, situated in the Pakaumanu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 25, Section 1A No. 2. Bounded towards the north by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 25, Section 2A; towards the west by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 36; towards the south by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 46; and towards the east by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 25, Section 1A No. 1.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 431 acres 1 rood 31 perches, more or less, situated in the Pakaumanu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 25, Section 3B. Bounded towards the north by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 25, Section 4A; towards the east by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 36; towards the south by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 25, Sections 2A and 2B; and towards the west by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 25, Section 3A.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 161 acres 3 roods 7 perches, more or less, situated in the Pakaumanu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 25, Section 4B. Bounded towards the north by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 25, Section 5A; towards the east by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 25, Section 4A; towards the south by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 25, Section 3A; and towards the west by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35K, Section 1.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 908 acres 2 roods 7 perches, more or less, situated in the Mangaorongo Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 32B No. 2. Bounded towards the north by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 33C; towards the east generally by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 33B and Rangitoto A No. 37B; and towards the south-west and west generally by Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 34B, 34A, 35, 32B Section 1, and 32A Blocks.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 42 acres 3 roods 7 perches, more or less, situated in the Pi-

rongia Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Turoto B No. 2b. Bounded towards the north by Turoto B No. 1; towards the east by Section 6, Block XVI, of the said survey district; towards the south by Turoto B No. 2a; and towards the west by the Turitea Stream.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 778 acres, more or less, situated in the Whareorino Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku West E, Section 1f No. 2. Bounded towards the north by Kinohaku West E No. 1d No. 2b; towards the east by Kinohaku West E No. 1g No. 2; towards the south by Section 1, Block I, Awakino North Survey District; and towards the west by Kinohaku West E, Section 1b Nos. 1 and 2.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 527 acres 3 roods 26 perches, more or less, situated in the Whareorino Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku West F No. 1b, Section 2b East. Bounded towards the north and north-east generally by Kinohaku West G, Section 1c No. 2; towards the south by Kinohaku West F, Section 1a; and towards the west by Kinohaku West F, Section 1b No. 2b West, Section 1.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 605 acres 1 rood 26 perches, more or less, situated in the Marakopa Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku West K No. 2c No. 2. Bounded towards the north-east by Kinohaku West S, Section 2; towards the south-east by Kinohaku West K, Section 2a; and towards the south-west and north-west by Kinohaku West K, Section 2c No. 1.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement, 1,884 acres 1 rood 28 perches, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Taumatotara No. 1d No. 2b. Bounded towards the north-east by Hauturu West G No. 2, Section 2b; towards the south and west generally by Taumatotara Nos. 1h Section 2, 1d Section 1, 1d Section 2c, 1d Section 2a, and 2d Section 2; and towards the north-west by Taumatotara No. 1c, Section 2.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 318 acres 1 rood 15 perches, more or less, situated in the Whareorino Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku West H No. 2b, Section 2d. Bounded towards the north by Kinohaku West H, Section 2b No. 1; towards the east by Kinohaku West No. 2b No. 2e, Section 1; towards the south by Kinohaku West 2b No. 2e, Section 2, and 2b, Section 2b; and towards the west by Kinohaku West 2b No. 2c.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 127 acres 3 roods 21 perches, more or less, situated in the Whareorino Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku West H, Section 2b No. 2e No. 2. Bounded towards the north by Kinohaku West H, Section 2b No. 2d; towards the east and south by Kinohaku West H, Section 2b No. 2e, Section 1; and towards the west by Kinohaku West H, Section 2b No. 2b.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 93 acres 2 roods 6 perches, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku West N No. 2b. Bounded towards the north by Kinohaku West L No. 2b; towards the east by the public road along the Mangapohue River; and towards the south and west by Kinohaku West N No. 2a.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 629 acres and 10 perches, more or less, situated in the Awakino East Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Mangaawakino No. 2b. Bounded towards the north-east by the Mokau River; towards the south-east by Mangapapa A Block, B No. 1 and B No. 2 Blocks; towards the south-west by Mangaawakino No. 2a Block; and towards the north-west by Mangaawakino No. 3 Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 1,126 acres, more or less, situated in the Awakino East Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as part of Mangaawakino No. 3 Block. Bounded towards the north-east by that part of Mangaawakino No. 3 comprised in Land Transfer certificate, Vol. 142, folio 299, of the Register-book of the Auckland District; towards the south-east by Mangaawakino No. 2 and Mangapapa B No. 2 Blocks; on the south-west by Mangaawakino No. 4; and on the north-west by Mangaawakino Nos. 4, 6, and 7.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 4,479 acres 2 roods 39 perches, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Hauturu West G2, Section 2b No. 2. Bounded on the north generally by Hauturu West B No. 2, Section 1, Block II, of the said survey district, Hauturu West A No. 1, Section 3, Block XIV, Kawhia North Survey District, Hauturu West C No. 1, and Hauturu West G No. 2, Section 1, Blocks; towards the east generally by Hauturu

West G No. 2, Section 2b, Sections 2 and 1 of Block III, Kawhia South Survey District, and Section 4a and 3 of Block VII, Kawhia South Survey District; and towards the south-west by Taumatotara Nos. 1d, 1c, and No. 4 Blocks, and the Te Mahoe Stream.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 437 acres 1 rood, more or less, situated in the Marakopa Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku West 1a No. 2. Bounded towards the north by Section 1, Block IV, of the said survey district; towards the east by Kinohaku West No. 1a, Section 3b; towards the south by Kinohaku West No. 1a, Section 1; and towards the west by the Tasman Sea.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 197 acres 1 rood 25 perches, more or less, situated in the Marakopa Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku West No. 1a, Section 3b. Bounded towards the north by Section 1, Block IV, of the said survey district; towards the east by Kinohaku West No. 1a, Section 3a; towards the south by Kinohaku West No. 1a, Section 1; and towards the west by Kinohaku West No. 1a, Section 2.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 882 acres 2 roods 23 perches, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku West No. 11c. Bounded on the north and east generally by Taumatotara Nos. 1e, 2a, 2b, and 2c Blocks; towards the south by Section 3, Block VI, Kawhia South Survey District; and towards the west by Section 4, Block VI, and Section 7, Block II, Kawhia South Survey District.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 288 acres 2 roods 5 perches, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku West No. 12, Section 1b No. 2. Bounded towards the north-east by Kinohaku West No. 11b; towards the south by Kinohaku West M, Section 2; and towards the west by Kinohaku West No. 12, Section 1b No. 1.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 150 acres, more or less, situated in the Maungamangero Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku West A No. 1. Bounded towards the east and south by the Awakino River; and towards the west and north by Sections 1 and 3, Block XIII, Maungamangero Survey District.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 209 acres, more or less, situated in the Maungamangero Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kinohaku West C No. 2. Bounded towards the north-east by a line and Section 2, Block XI, Maungamangero Survey District; towards the south-east by Puketiti No. 1; and towards the south-west and north-west by Section 2, Block X, Maungamangero Survey District.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 2,231 acres 3 roods 34 perches, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Taumatotara No. 1c No. 2. Bounded towards the north-east by Hauturu West G No. 2, Section 2b; towards the south-east by Taumatotara 1d, Section 2b; towards the south-west by Taumatotara 2d, Sections 1, 2, and 2c; and towards the north-west by Taumatotara Nos. 1d and 1c No. 1.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 152 acres 2 roods, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Taumatotara No. 1e. Bounded towards the north by Section 7, Block II, Kawhia South Survey District, and Taumatotara No. 3c; towards the north-east and south-east generally by Taumatotara Nos. 1d, 5, and 1d aforesaid; towards the south by Kinohaku West No. 11c; and towards the west by Section 7, Block II, Kawhia South Survey District aforesaid.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 77 acres 2 roods, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Taumatotara No. 2a, Section 1. Bounded towards the north-east by Taumatotara No. 1d; towards the south-east by Taumatotara No. 2b; towards the south-west by Kinohaku West No. 11c; and towards the north-west by Taumatotara No. 2a, Section 2.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 116 acres 1 rood, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Taumatotara No. 2a, Section 2. Bounded towards the north-west by Kinohaku West No. 11c; towards the north-east by Taumatotara No. 1d; and towards the south-east by Taumatotara No. 2a, Section 1.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 271 acres 1 rood, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known

as Taumatotara No. 2c. Bounded towards the north-east by Taumatotara 1c, Section 2; towards the south-east by Taumatotara 2d No. 2; towards the south-west by Kinohaku West No. 11c; and towards the north-west by Taumatotara No. 2b.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 891 acres 1 rood, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Taumatotara No. 2d No. 2. Bounded towards the north-east by Taumatotara No. 1c, Section 2; towards the south-east by Taumatotara No. 2d, Section 1 (Crown land); towards the south-west by Kinohaku West No. 11c; and towards the north-west by Taumatotara No. 2c.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 80 acres, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Taumatotara No. 3. Bounded towards the north-east by Taumatotara No. 1f; towards the south-east by Taumatotara Nos. 1d and 1e; and towards the north-west by Kinohaku West G No. 2, Section 2b.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 186 acres 3 roods, more or less, situated in the Kawhia South Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Taumatotara No. 1h No. 2. Bounded towards the east generally by the Harbour Board Endowment; towards the south by Taumatotara No. 1h, Section 1 (Crown land); and towards the west and north-west by Taumatotara 6b and 1d, Section 2.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 164 acres and 23 perches, more or less, situated in the Puniu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Kakepuku No. 1f No. 2. Bounded towards the north by Kakepuku No. 3b; towards the east by Kakepuku No. 1e; towards the south by Kakepuku No. 11a; and towards the west by Kakepuku No. 1f No. 1 (Crown land).

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 229 acres 2 roods 12 perches, more or less, situated in the Puniu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Pokuru No. 2d. Bounded towards the north-west by the Main Trunk Railway, and Section 4, Block VI, Puniu Survey District; towards the north-east by Section 2, Block X, Puniu Survey District, Pokuru No. 3c, the crossing of a public road, and Pokuru No. 3b; towards the south by Tokanui C No. 1b; and towards the west by Kakepuku No. 12.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 12,340 acres, more or less, situated in the Ongarue, Hurakia, Tuhua, and Puketapu Survey Districts, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 9. Bounded towards the north by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 41, No. 6, and No. 48; towards the east by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 10; towards the south generally by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 51, No. 21, and No. 80; and towards the west generally by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 80 and No. 66.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 6,230 acres, more or less, situated in the Ongarue and Hurakia Survey Districts, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 50. Bounded towards the north by the Ongarue River; towards the east by Run No. 87; and towards the south generally by Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 53 and 38, and the Okauaka River.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 972 acres and 38 perches, more or less, situated in the Mangorongo Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto A No. 21b, Section 2. Bounded towards the north by Rangitoto A No. 21b, Section 1 (Crown land); towards the east by northern part of Rangitoto A No. 24b; towards the south by Rangitoto A No. 18b No. 2; and towards the west by Rangitoto A No. 18a No. 1, and Rangitoto A No. 16 (both Crown land).

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 709 acres, more or less, situated in the Tuhua Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 67d. Bounded towards the north by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 66; towards the east by Run No. 89; towards the south by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 67b; and towards the west by Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 67a.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 3,731 acres 2 roods, more or less, situated in the Ranginui Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Rangitoto A No. 29b. Bounded towards the north by southern portion of Rangitoto A No. 24b, Rangitoto A Nos. 25b and 26b; towards the east by Wharepuhunga No. 17; towards the south by Rangitoto A No. 29a (Crown land); and towards the west by Rangitoto A No. 28.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Licensing Mrs. Eliza Wallen to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Taipa River, Mangonui Harbour.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Mrs. Eliza Wallen (hereinafter called "the licensee") has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under "The Harbours Act, 1908" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore at Taipa River, Mangonui Harbour, as shown on plans marked M.D. 1938 and 1939, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, as a site for a storehouse, erected in accordance with the said plans: And whereas it is expedient that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensee on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee to use and occupy those parts of the foreshore which are particularly shown on the plans marked M.D. 1938, so deposited as aforesaid, as a site for a storehouse, which has been erected in accordance with said plans marked M.D. 1939, and which said license shall be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the following terms and conditions, that is to say:—

1. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister of Marine, as defined by "The Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908," and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore necessary for a site for such storehouse shown on the plans marked M.D. 1938 and 1939, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department as aforesaid.

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

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

5. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned storehouse in good order and repair.

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

7. Nothing herein contained shall authorise the licensee to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulations of the Commissioner of Trade and Customs, or with any provisions of "The Harbours Act, 1908," or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

8. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue in force for fourteen years from the twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eight, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensee shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

9. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensee three calendar

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

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

11. In case the licensee shall—

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

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

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Validating the Public Notices in connection with a Loan of £1,000 proposed to be raised by the Hobson County Council for the Purpose of draining the Aratapu District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Hobson County Council lately took steps to borrow, under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," and its amendments, the sum of one thousand pounds for the purpose of draining a portion of the Hobson County: And whereas public notification of the proposed special order making a special rate as security for the said loan was advertised during four successive weeks, but not during the four successive weeks immediately preceding the confirmation of such special order, as required by section ninety-seven of "The Counties Act, 1908": And whereas it appears that the ratepayers of the said district have not been misled by the irregularity aforesaid, and it is expedient to validate the said special order:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908" (section one hundred and twenty-one), and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby validate the public notices relative to the said special order so published as aforesaid with respect to the loan of one thousand pounds, and doth hereby declare that the said notifications and special order shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularities above referred to.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Extending the Close Season for Seals.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Sea-fisheries Act, 1908" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, among other things, enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time make regulations (which shall have general force and effect throughout the Dominion, or particular force and effect only in any waters and places specified therein) for prescribing, among other things, a close season for seals, and for extending any close season so prescribed:

And whereas it is further provided by the said Act that every person who, during any close season for seals, takes any seals is liable for every such offence to a penalty not

exceeding five hundred pounds, and in addition thereto is liable to a further penalty not exceeding twenty pounds in respect of every seal so taken:

And whereas by Order in Council dated the twenty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, the months of January, February, March, April, May, and June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, were prescribed a close season for seals:

And whereas by Order in Council dated the third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eight, the said close season for seals was extended to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nine:

And whereas it is desirable to further extend such close season:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the regulation set forth in the Schedule hereto; and, with the like advice and consent, doth order that such regulation shall have force and effect throughout the Dominion of New Zealand, and in all salt, fresh, and brackish waters of the Dominion, and on all shores of such waters or any part thereof.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### REGULATION.

The close season for seals prescribed by regulations made by Order in Council dated the 21st day of December, 1894, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 1, of the 4th day of January, 1895, and which was extended as hereinbefore recited, is hereby further extended up to the 30th day of June, 1910.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council

*Time for Preparation of Borough of Ross Roll under Section 46 of "The Rating Act, 1908," extended.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, the Borough Council of the Borough of Ross having failed, through misadventure, to prepare the valuation roll of mining property in the Borough of Ross in the month of January, one thousand nine hundred and nine, as required by section forty-six of "The Rating Act, 1908," it is expedient to extend the time for preparing the said roll as hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in order that the purpose and intent of the said "Rating Act, 1908," may have effect, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby extend the time for the preparation of the valuation roll for the Borough of Ross, under "The Rating Act, 1908," until the thirtieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nine; and doth also hereby extend the time within which the valuers shall give notice of the rateable value determined by them to each occupier, so that such notices may be given on or before the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and that objections to such valuations may be made on or before the twenty-ninth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Extension of Time for Preparation of County Rolls, &c., County of Waitotara.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that the preparation of the rolls for the County of Waitotara, and the taking of certain steps consequent on such

preparation, cannot be made and taken within the times mentioned in "The Counties Act, 1908," and it is expedient to extend the said times respectively:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by the said "Counties Act, 1908," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the several dates mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be the respective dates for taking the several steps set out in the said Schedule.

#### SCHEDULE.

1. For preparing the defaulters' list and the rolls for ridings within the County of Waitotara: Until the 22nd day of June, 1909.
2. Time for which such list and rolls shall be open for inspection: From the 28th day of June, 1909, to the 15th day of July, 1909.
3. Time for appeals against the said rolls: Until the 2nd day of August, 1909.
4. Revision Courts may sit for hearing applications with reference to the said rolls, and adjourn: Until the 21st day of August, 1909.
5. Time when the said rolls, having been duly corrected and signed, shall come into force: On the 1st day of September, 1909.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Approving a Company under Section 22 of "The Administration Act, 1908."*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by section twenty-two of "The Administration Act, 1908," that the security of any incorporated company or guarantee society approved by the Governor in Council may be accepted by the Court as the security required to be given by any administrator or other person appointed to administer an estate under the above-mentioned Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the before-recited power and authority, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Dominion, doth hereby approve for the purpose above mentioned of the following incorporated company, namely:—

DALGETY AND COMPANY (LIMITED).

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Classification Regulations.—Exemption from Senior Examination.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fourteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eight, regulations were made, under the authority of "The Electric Lines Act, 1884," "The Post and Telegraph Classification and Regulation Act, 1890," "The Post and Telegraph Classification and Regulation Act Amendment Act, 1891," "The Post and Telegraph Department Act, 1894," "The Post Office Act, 1900," "The Post and Telegraph Department Act, 1902," "The Post Office Act Amendment Act, 1906," and "The Post and Telegraph Classification Act, 1907," providing, *inter alia*, for exemption from the senior examination in special cases: And whereas it is expedient to amend such regulations in the manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the authority conferred upon him by "The Post and Telegraph Act, 1908," and acting by and with the advice and consent

of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke Regulation 37 in the Schedule to the hereinbefore-mentioned Order in Council, and in lieu thereof doth make the regulation set forth in the Schedule hereto, and doth order that such regulation shall be read as part of the regulations hereinbefore mentioned, and shall have effect on and after the date of publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

#### SCHEDULE.

37. No person who has held office in the Department or in any other branch of the Civil Service of New Zealand before the passing of "The Post and Telegraph Classification and Regulation Act, 1890," and no officer employed in the Department who is skilled in electricity or telegraphy, or in literature, science, or art, to a degree to satisfy the Minister of his fitness to be exempted from the senior examination prescribed by clause 15 hereof, shall be required to pass any further examination (other than those required by clauses 50 and 51 or that required by clause 52 hereof) for promotion to any class higher than the Sixth Class. The passing with 75 per cent. of marks of an examination to be called the Senior Technical Examination, being an examination in magnetism and electricity (the whole subjects) as applied to telegraphy, shall be deemed to satisfy the Minister of fitness to be exempted from further examination under this regulation.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Civil Service Junior Examination.—Amendment of Regulations.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Civil Service Act, 1908," and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Dominion, doth hereby, in respect of the competitive examination referred to in the said Act, amend the regulations relating thereto as set forth in the Schedule attached.

#### SCHEDULE.

The regulations made by Orders in Council of the 27th day of February, 1906, and the 29th day of June, 1908, respecting the competitive examination referred to in "The Civil Service Act, 1908," are hereby amended—(i) in clause 2, by striking out the words "30th day of September" wherever they occur, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "15th day of September," and by striking out the words "15th day of October," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "22nd day of September"; and (ii) in clause 13, subject No. 14, Elementary Mathematics, among the theorems relating to Areas (Section B, Theoretical Geometry), after the words "Equal triangles on the same or equal bases are of the same altitude," by inserting the words "The Proposition of Pythagoras—viz., the square on the hypotenuse of a right-angled triangle is equal to the sum of the squares on the other two sides; and conversely."

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to the said Act, control of such domain:

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

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

THEODORE HENRY WALKER,  
SEPTIMUS DE SEPTIMO HAWKINS,  
CLAUDE CLINTON DYSART,  
WILLIAM NANKIVILLE, and  
THOMAS HENRY ROXBURGH

to be the Whananaki Domain Board, having the control of the land described in the said Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the twenty-ninth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine, at three o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Schoolhouse, Whananaki, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### WHANANAKI DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 28 acres 2 roods 32 perches, more or less, being Section 26, Block IX, Opuawhanga Survey District, Whangarei County. Bounded towards the north-east by Section 25 of Block IX aforesaid, 1116.7 links; towards the south-east by a road reserve of varying width, 1686.6 and 1199.2 links; towards the south-west by Spithill's Block, 1126.1 links; and towards the north-west by a road reserve of varying width, 179.1 and 2440.7 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1162, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Domain Board appointed to have Control of Te Arai Domain.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to the said Act, control of such domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and nine, the land described in the Schedule hereto was brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act:

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

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

THOMAS ROWLEY LEES,  
FREDERICK FARAM,  
THOMAS PRESTON,  
ARTHUR CLEMENTS, and  
WILLIAM PERYER

to be a Domain Board, having the control of Te Arai Domain described in the said Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Monday, the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nine, at half past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Schoolroom, Te Arai, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### TE ARAI DOMAIN.

ALL that area in Cook County, Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 12 acres and 26 perches,

more or less, being Section No. 21, Block V, Turanganui Survey District (Te Arai Settlement). Bounded towards the north by Sections Nos. 12 to 19, Block V, Turanganui Survey District (Te Arai Settlement); towards the east by the Manutuke Block; towards the south by Section No. 28 of the said Block V; and towards the west by the Pakowhai Road: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 19869/46B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Recreation Reserve in Wellington Land District brought under Part II of "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908."*

PLUNKET, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of May, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-sixth section of "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the reserve for recreation in the Wellington Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserve shall hereafter be known as Manunui Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### MANUNUI DOMAIN, WEST TAUPU COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 54 acres, more or less, being Section No. 15, Manunui Village. Bounded towards the north-west and the north generally by the Wanganui River Bank Reserve, towards the south-east by Section No. 14 of said village, and towards the south generally by public roads; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. & S. 58907/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Notice of Intention to exchange a Reserve in Rangataua Township, Wellington Land District, for other Land.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS by "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908," it is, amongst other things, enacted that the Governor may declare his intention to make, change, exchange, or alter the dedication of any public reserve now or hereafter vested in His Majesty or the Governor for any of the purposes named in Class II of the Second Schedule of the said Act, whether the same be granted or not; and in the case of any reserve made under the authority of section three hundred and twenty-one of "The Land Act, 1908," if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to change the purpose of such reserve or any part thereof from the purpose or presumed purpose for which it was set apart to any other purpose, or if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to exchange any of the land comprised in such reserve for other land of equal value, to be dedicated to one or more purposes named in the said Class II, the Governor may, by notice gazetted, make such change, exchange, or dedication, as the case may be, and in such notice declare the manner and terms in which the same is intended to be so made:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908," aforesaid, declare my intention to exchange the reserve described in the first column of the Schedule hereto for the lands described in the second column of the said Schedule.



SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Reserve intended to be exchanged.	Description of Lands to be obtained in Exchange therefor.
<p>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. 5909/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered blue.</p> <p>Reserved for a site for a post-office in <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 93, of the 26th November, 1908, page 3002.</p>	<p>All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 23, Block III, Rangataua Township. Bounded towards the north-west by Sections Nos. 26, 25, and 24, Block III, Rangataua Township; towards the north-east by Nei Street; towards the south-east by Section No. 21 of said Block III; and towards the south-west by Section No. 22: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5909/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.</p> <p>Also all that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 6, Block IV, Rangataua Township. Bounded towards the north-west by Section No. 14, Block V, Karioi Survey District; towards the north-east by Nei Street; towards the south-east and south-west by Crown land: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5909/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.</p>

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Trustees for the Whananaki Public Cemetery appointed.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Cemeteries Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the Warrant of the eleventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, appointing Trustees for the Whananaki Public Cemetery, and appoint the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to have the control and management of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
<p>Theodore Henry Walker, Septimus de Septimo Hawkins, Claude Clinton Dysart, William Nankiville, and Thomas Henry Roxburgh.</p>	<p>WHANANAKI.</p> <p>All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, being Section No. 25, Block IX, Opuawhanga Survey District, Whangarei County. Bounded generally towards the west, north, and east by a road reserve of varying width, 225·6, 872·3, 582·4, 264, 568·8, and 350·6 links respectively; and towards the south-west by Section No. 26 of Block XI aforesaid, 1116·7 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1595, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.</p>

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Trustees for the Taihape Public Cemetery appointed.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Cemeteries Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the Warrant of the ninth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, appointing Trustees for the Taihape Public Cemetery, and appoint the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to have the control and management of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
<p>John Petty Aldridge, Thomas Joseph Shute, William Francis Stephens, George Bray, George Wrightson, Fredrick William Somerville, and Thomas Bason.</p>	<p>TAIHAPE.</p> <p>All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres 1 rood 7 perches, more or less, being Section No. 66, Block XIV, Ohinewairua Survey District. Bounded towards the north and east generally by the Hunterville-Tokaanu Main Road; towards the south and west by Section No. 67, Block XIV, Ohinewairua Survey District: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1577, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.</p>

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Mangahao Survey District, containing 201 acres 3 roods 38 perches, more or less, known as Pahiatua No. 3, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 25th day of August, 1904, subject to the restrictions that the said land shall be "inalienable by sale, or by lease for a longer period than twenty-one years, or by mortgage, except with the consent of the Governor being previously obtained to every such sale, lease, or mortgage."

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

J. CARROLL,  
Native Minister.

*Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL those pieces or parcels of land in the Waitara Survey District, together containing 50 acres, more or less, and known as Section 13, Block XI, and Section 62, Block VII, of the said survey district, and comprised in a Crown grant dated the 2nd day of February, 1885, containing the restrictions that the said land shall be "inalienable by sale, or by lease for a longer period than twenty-one years, or by mortgage, except with the consent of the Governor being previously obtained to every such sale, lease, or mortgage."

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

GEO. FOWLDS,  
For Native Minister.

*Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land*

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Harataunga Survey District, containing 147 acres, more or less, known as Waikanāe No. 3, and comprised in a Crown grant dated the 1st day of December, 1885, containing the following restrictions: "Inalienable by sale or by mortgage, or by lease for a longer period than twenty-one years, except with the consent of the Governor previously obtained to any such sale, lease, or mortgage."

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

GEO. FOWLDS,  
For Native Minister.

*Native Lands in Thermal-springs District.—Delegating to Maori Land Board Powers as to leasing.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section fifteen of "The Maori Land Laws Amendment Act, 1903," and otherwise howsoever, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby delegate to the Waiariki District Maori Land Board, in respect of the lands named in the Schedule hereto, the several powers as to leasing of lands conferred upon me by "The Thermal Springs Districts Act, 1908."

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Approximate Area.	Survey District.
	A. P. R.	
Kawaha No. 1 .. ..	10 0 0	Rotorua and Rotoiti.
Kawaha No. 2 .. ..	10 0 0	
Kawaha No. 3 .. ..	338 1 18	
Kawaha No. 4 .. ..	35 1 11	
Kawaha No. 5 .. ..	169 2 9	
Kawaha No. 6 .. ..	0 3 24	
Kawaha No. 7 .. ..	1 2 16	
Kawaha No. 8 .. ..	0 3 0	
Te Koutu No. 1A .. ..	90 2 17	Rotorua, Rotoiti, and Horohoro.
Te Koutu No. 1B .. ..	28 0 2	
Te Koutu No. 2 .. ..	10 0 0	
Te Koutu No. 2A .. ..	0 0 20	
Te Koutu A and B .. ..	110 3 31	Tarawera.
Ngapuna No. 1 .. ..	166 3 8	
Ngapuna No. 2A .. ..	3 1 24	
Ngapuna No. 2B .. ..	13 2 16	
Ngapuna No. 3 .. ..	20 0 32	
Owhatiura No. 1A .. ..	55 3 0	
Owhatiura No. 1B1 .. ..	10 0 0	
Owhatiura No. 1B2A .. ..	19 2 0	
Owhatiura No. 1B2B .. ..	39 2 0	
Owhatiura No. 1B2C .. ..	28 2 0	
Owhatiura No. 1B2D .. ..	28 0 0	
Owhatiura No. 1B2E .. ..	1 0 0	
Owhatiura No. 2 .. ..	167 2 0	Rotorua.
Ohinemutu Pa .. ..	40 0 0	
Parawai No. 1 .. ..	140 0 0	
Parawai No. 2 .. ..	48 0 0	
Parawai No. 3 .. ..	49 0 0	Horohoro.
Parawai No. 4 .. ..	23 0 0	
Te Tuporo No. 1B .. ..	19 1 17	
Te Tuporo No. 2 .. ..	1 1 0	
Waiteti No. 2, Section No. 1A .. ..	432 1 14	Rotorua.
Waiteti No. 2, Section No. 1B1 .. ..	119 2 32	
Waiteti No. 2, Section No. 1B2 .. ..	121 2 16	
Waiteti No. 2, Section No. 1B3 .. ..	29 1 32	
Waiteti No. 2, Section No. 1B4 .. ..	721 3 26	
Waiteti No. 2, Section No. 2A1 .. ..	184 1 0	
Waiteti No. 2, Section No. 2A2 .. ..	1,752 1 0	
Waiteti No. 2, Section No. 2B .. ..	1,198 2 0	
Waiteti No. 2A No. 1A1 .. ..	48 0 0	
Waiteti No. 2A No. 1A2 .. ..	70 0 0	
Waiteti No. 2A No. 1B1 .. ..	75 0 0	
Waiteti No. 2A No. 1B2 .. ..	90 0 0	
Waiteti No. 2A No. 2 .. ..	11 0 0	
Waiteti No. 2A No. 3 .. ..	12 0 0	
Waiteti No. 2A No. 4 .. ..	11 0 0	
Waiteti No. 2A No. 5 .. ..	1 0 0	
Waiteti No. 2A No. 6 .. ..	1 0 0	
Waiteti No. 2A No. 7 .. ..	0 1 0	
Whakarewarewa No. 1, Section 2B .. ..	27 3 22	Tarawera.
Waiwherowhero .. ..	54 2 4	Horohoro and Tarawera.
Okataina No. 5 .. ..	1,500 0 0	Rotoiti and Tarawera.
Okataina No. 6B .. ..	2,520 0 0	Tarawera.
Okataina No. 7 .. ..	1,020 0 0	
Okataina No. 8 .. ..	1,020 0 0	Rotoiti, Tarawera, and Ruawahia.



Block.	Approximate Area.			Survey District.
	A.	R.	P.	
Kaitao No. 2A .. ..	4,095	0	0	Horohoro.
Kaitao No. 2B .. ..	6,270	0	0	
Kaitao No. 2c .. ..	100	0	0	
Kaitao No. 2d .. ..	200	0	0	
Mangorewa-Kaharoa A ..	100	0	0	Rotorua.
Owhatiura South No. 1, Section 1	3	0	0	Tarawera.
Owhatiura South No. 1, Section 2	38	2	0	
Owhatiura South No. 2, Section 1	25	0	0	
Owhatiura South No. 2, Section 2	16	0	0	
Owhatiura South No. 3 ..	166	2	0	
Owhatiura South No. 4, Section 1	10	0	0	
Owhatiura South No. 4, Section 2	91	0	0	
Owhatiura South No. 4, Section 3	11	0	0	
Owhatiura South No. 4, Section 4	49	2	0	
Owhatiura South No. 5 ..	215	2	0	
Owhatiura South No. 6 ..	97	2	0	Rotorua.
Owhatiura South No. 7 ..	101	2	0	
Owhatiura South No. 8 ..	2	0	0	
Okoheriki No. 1d6b ..	338	0	0	
Okoheriki No. 1h North ..	467	1	31	
Okoheriki No. 1k North ..	162	1	38	
Puketawhero A No. 1 ..	400	0	17	
Puketawhero A No. 2 ..	429	3	23	
Rotohokahoka C ..	2,372	0	0	
Rotohokahoka C No. 1 ..	50	0	0	
Rotohokahoka C No. 2 ..	50	0	0	Horohoro.
Rotohokahoka D ..	3,300	0	0	
Rotohokahoka E ..	50	0	0	Rotorua and Horohoro.
Rotohokahoka F ..	1,620	0	0	
Rotohokahoka F No. 1 ..	50	0	0	Rotorua.
Rotohokahoka F No. 2 ..	50	0	0	
Omarukatuku (Rotomahana-Parekarangi No. 4)	487	0	0	Tarawera.
Wharenui A ..	2,130	0	0	
Wharenui B ..	340	1	4	Rotorua.
Whakapoungakau-Puketo No. 8	555	0	0	
Whakapoungakau-Puketo No. 14	250	0	0	Rotoiti.
Puketawhero B ..	344	1	21	Rotoiti and Tarawera.
Okoheriki No. 1i East No. 2	139	3	17	Rotorua.
Okoheriki No. 2d2 ..	120	0	0	
Okoheriki No. 2d3 ..	487	0	0	
Te Kotuku-o-Tamawhakaara	767	0	0	
Peka ..	2,660	0	0	Tarawera.
Rotomahana - Parekarangi 6j2B	344	0	0	
Rotomahana - Parekarangi 6k2B	80	0	0	Rotoiti.
Whakapoungakau-Puketo No. 9b	100	0	0	
Whakapoungakau-Puketo No. 12b	164	0	0	
Whakapoungakau-Puketo No. 15b	317	2	0	
Whakapoungakau-Puketo No. 16, Section 2B	536	0	0	
Whakapoungakau-Puketo No. 16, Section 2	49	0	0	

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

J. CARROLL,  
Native Minister.

*Postmasters appointed to take and receive Statutory Declarations.*

PURSUANT to the authority conferred upon me by the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that

JAMES MEREDITH and  
ERIC U'REN RICHARDSON,

being persons holding the office of Postmaster under "The Post and Telegraph Act, 1908," at Cabbage Bay and Wharekopae respectively, are authorised to take and receive statutory declarations under the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1908."

As witness my hand, this tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

PLUNKET, Governor.

*Abolishing District Court Districts.*

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The District Courts Act, 1908" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor from time to time as he thinks fit, by Proclamation, to constitute throughout New Zealand, or in any part thereof, districts within which Courts of record, to be called "District Courts," shall be held, and to abolish such districts:

And whereas His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand did, by Proclamations made and issued from time to time under and in pursuance of the Acts consolidated by the said Act, constitute and define the districts named in the Schedule hereto to be District Court Districts, and those districts are now subsisting:

And whereas it is expedient to abolish the said districts: Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by the said Act, and of every other power and authority enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the District Court Districts named in the Schedule hereto (being all the District Court Districts now subsisting) shall be and remain abolished on and after the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

SCHEDULE.

DISTRICT COURT DISTRICTS.

Waikato and Thames.	Westland.
Wairarapa.	Timaru and Oamaru.
Taranaki.	Ashburton.
Wanganui.	Otago Goldfields.
Nelson.	Western Otago.

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 ninth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Members of the Legislative Council appointed.*

Prime Minister's Office,  
Wellington, 7th May, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in His Majesty's name, summoned

JAMES HOLMES, Esq., of Hokitika, and  
JAMES MARSHALL, Esq., of Totara Flat,

to the Legislative Council of the Dominion of New Zealand, by writs of summons under the Seal of the said Dominion, dated 17th April, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Prime Minister.

*Acting-Consul of Denmark, at Wellington, recognised.*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 28th April, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that he has been instructed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies to recognise the appointment of

WILLIAM HENRY DILLON BELL, Esq.,

as Acting-Consul of Denmark, at Wellington, during absence of the Consul F. H. D. Bell, Esq.

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned persons 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.
ELIZABETH YORSTON .. .. .	Black's.
WILLIAM JOHN MAHONEY .. .. .	Hawera.
ADOLPH RUDOLPH FRANK HILLMER .. .. .	Hunterville.
FREDERICK JAMES ANDREWS .. .. .	Pelorus.
HENRY EDSEER .. .. .	Tapanui.
ARTHUR ERNEST SNAITH .. .. .	Tauranga.
JOHN CHARLES MCCREA .. .. .	Te Aroha.

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Vaccination Inspector appointed.*

Department of Public Health,  
Wellington, 11th May, 1909.

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

ALBERT JOHN WILKINS JOHNSTON

to be a Vaccination Inspector, under "The Public Health Act, 1908," for the District of Naseby, *vice* J. James. The appointment dates from the 25th day of March, 1909.

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Public Health.

*Vaccination Inspector appointed.*

Department of Public Health,  
Wellington, 11th May, 1909.

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

JAMES COMESKEY

to be a Vaccination Inspector, under "The Public Health Act, 1908," for the District of Upper Hutt, *vice* James Kemp. The appointment dates from the 5th day of April, 1909.

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Public Health.

*Vaccination Inspector appointed.*

Department of Public Health,  
Wellington, 12th May, 1909.

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

HERBERT HARRIS FORD

to be a Vaccination Inspector, under "The Public Health Act, 1908," for the District of Waipara, *vice* C. I. Denby. The appointment dates from the 31st March, 1909.

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Public Health.

*Vaccination Inspector appointed.*

Department of Public Health,  
Wellington, 12th May, 1909.

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

ALFRED JAMES BERRY

to be a Vaccination Inspector, under "The Public Health Act, 1908," for the District of Hunterville, *vice* J. F. Perry. The appointment dates from the 1st May, 1909.

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Public Health.

*Members of Ahaura Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

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

WILLIAM CLAYTON,  
HUGH GILMER, and  
JAMES FREDERICK WHITE

to be members of the Ahaura Domain Board, in the place of John Kennedy, deceased, and John William Jones and Arthur Dunn, resigned.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Member of Taihape Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

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

DAVID NEAGLE

to be a member of the Taihape Domain Board, in the place of William Agate Ellis, who has removed from the district.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Member of Kaitawa Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

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

GEORGE ROSS

to be a member of the Kaitawa Domain Board, in the place of George John Oldridge, who has left the district.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Member of Marlborough Land Board reappointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 2nd May, 1909.

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

ARCHIBALD MCCALLUM

to be a member of the Land Board of the Land District of Marlborough, as from the 25th day of May, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Trustee of Public-hall Site, Pohangina, appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 9th May, 1909.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 32 of "The Reserves Disposal and Exchange Act, 1895," been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK KLING, Sen.,

of Pohangina, settler, to be a Trustee of the public-hall site at Pohangina, in the place of Henry William Oliver, who has resigned.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Member of Woodend Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

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

ROBERT BORLAND

to be a member of the Woodend Domain Board, in the place of Daniel Colin Shilton, who has resigned.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Member of Richmond Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

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

DAVID JOHNSTON

to be a member of the Richmond Domain Board, in the place of Joseph Free, deceased.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Assistant Meat Inspector appointed.—Notice No. 1295.*

Department of Agriculture,  
Wellington, 11th May, 1909.

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

GEORGE BROOKE CARTER

to be an Assistant Meat Inspector in the Civil Service of the Government of New Zealand (Department of Agriculture); the appointment to date from 1st May, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Agriculture.

*Official Member of Maniapoto Maori Council appointed.*

Office of Minister of Native Affairs,  
Wellington, 9th May, 1909.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint, under the provisions of "The Maori Councils Act, 1900,"

CHARLES JAMES JOHNSON, Esq., J.P.,

of Otorohanga, to be the official member of the Maniapoto Maori Council, *vice* George M. Cardno, removed.

J. CARROLL,  
Native Minister.

*Inspector of Sea-fishing appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 2nd May, 1909.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in him by subsection (1) of section 4 of "The Fisheries Act, 1908," appointed

ROBERT PATTERSON BOAG,

of Whangarei, Police Constable, to be an Inspector of Sea-fishing under the above-mentioned Act.

J. A. MILLAR.

*Inspector of Sea-fishing appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 9th May, 1909.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in him by subsection (1) of section 4 of "The Fisheries Act, 1908," appointed

WILLIAM McLENNAN,

of Kaikoura, Police Constable, to be an Inspector of Sea-fishing under the above-mentioned Act.

J. A. MILLAR.

*Inspector of Sea-fishing appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 9th May, 1909.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of the power and authority in him vested by subsection (1) of section 4 of "The Fisheries Act, 1908," appointed

JOHN FRIEND,

of Avenal, to be an Inspector of Sea-fishing under the provisions of Part I of the above-mentioned Act.

J. A. MILLAR

*Auditor under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1908," appointed.*

Friendly Societies Department,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

**I**N pursuance of the 5th section of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1908," His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY IVORY,

of Wellington, to be a Public Auditor for the purposes of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1908."

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister in Charge.

*Matron of His Majesty's Prison resigned.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 2nd May, 1909.

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

ANNIE SCANLON

as Matron of His Majesty's Prison at Wanganui.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Minister of Justice.

*Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 7th May, 1909.

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

ARTHUR FREDERICK BENT

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Bay of Plenty, *vice* Constable J. S. Willcocks.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

*Clerk of Warden's Court, &c., appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 7th May, 1909.

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

THOMAS RICHARD WINSBURY PHILPOTTS

to be Clerk of the Warden's Court and Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar at Tauranga, from the 1st day of April, 1909, *vice* W. A. Thom.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

*Members of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 7th May, 1909.

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

CHARLES CATHIE,  
FRANK HOLDSWORTH,  
RICHARD KEENE,  
PHILIP HARRY PUTNAM, and  
GEORGE JOHN RAINE

to be members of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wellington Suburbs.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

*Police Gaoler appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

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

Constable WILLIAM McLENNAN

to be Police Gaoler at Kaikoura, *vice* Constable J. P. Clarkson, transferred.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

*Visiting Justice resigned.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

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

ARTHUR PENROSE SEYMOUR, Esq., J.P.,

of his appointment as a Visiting Justice of His Majesty's Police Gaol at Picton.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

*Cadet appointed.*

Public Works Department,  
Wellington, 12th May, 1909.

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

GEORGE GRIGG LOWE

to be an engineering cadet in the Public Works Department, as from the 1st day of January, 1909.

R. MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Public Works.

*Inspecting Engineer for Roads appointed.*

Department of Roads,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

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

ARTHUR BLUNDELL WRIGHT

to be Inspecting Engineer of Roads, as from 1st May, 1909.

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

*Officers appointed under "The Immigration Restriction Act, 1908."*

Department of Trade and Customs,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned persons to be officers to carry out the provisions of Part II of "The Immigration Restriction Act, 1908":—

*Port of Lyttelton:—*

ARTHUR PARKER BROWNE, *vice* Thomas Aloysius Murphy, retired.

*Port of Wellington:—*

CHARLES STAFFORD NIXON, *vice* Richard Carter, transferred.

*Port of Napier:—*

ERNEST RUDOLPH BRABAZON, *vice* Charles Stafford Nixon, transferred.

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister of Customs.

*Volunteer Officer resigned.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1909.

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

*Queenstown Rifle Volunteers Reserve.*

Lieutenant James Alexander Reid. Date of resignation, 2nd February, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer promoted.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1909.

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

*Napier Guards Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant John Blight Andrew to be Captain. Date of commission, 15th March, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1909.

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

*New Zealand Medical Corps.*

James Robert Loughnan, M.B., to be Captain. Date of commission, 20th March, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer resigned, and appointed to Battalion Staff.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1909.

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

Captain THOMAS HASLETT RINGLAND, Napier Guards Rifle Volunteers,

and to approve of his appointment as Adjutant to the 3rd Battalion, Wellington (East Coast) Rifle Volunteers, with rank of Captain, and with effect from 1st March, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

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

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1909.

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

Captain and Adjutant WILLIAM HENRY NELSON, 5th Battalion, Wellington (Centre or Ruahine) Rifle Volunteers,

and to approve that his name be placed on the Active List (Unattached), with rank of Captain, and with effect from 2nd April, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

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

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1909.

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

Captain WALTER HARRY MEDDINGS, Active List (Unattached),

he having a total service to 28th February, 1909, entitling him thereto of twenty years and eleven days.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

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

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1909.

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

No. 123, Colour-Sergeant DUNCAN FRASER, Dunedin Highland Rifle Volunteers,

he having a total service to 26th March, 1909, entitling him thereto of twenty years two hundred and thirty-eight days.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

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

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1909.

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

No. 154, Colour-Sergeant CHARLES BRAY AITKEN, Manchester Rifle Volunteers,

he having a total service to 28th February, 1909, entitling him thereto of twenty years and fifty-eight days.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer's Commission cancelled.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1909.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 65, General

Regulations of the Defence Forces of New Zealand, 1906, of the cancellation of the commission granted the under-mentioned officer:—

*Timaru City Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Ernest Porter. Date of cancellation of commission, 16th April, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Acceptance of Services, Volunteer Band.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept, under paragraph 370, Amended General Regulations of the Defence Forces of New Zealand, as published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 16th April, 1908, the services of

*The Milton Volunteer Band,*

and to approve that they be attached to the 4th Battalion, Otago Rifle Volunteers, with effect from 8th April, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Letters of Naturalisation issued.*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 28th April, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue Letters of Naturalisation, under "The Aliens Act, 1908," in favour of the undermentioned persons:—

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Jakov Belich .. ..	Gum-digger ..	Mangawhare.
Mate Erceg .. ..	Labourer ..	Muka.
Emil Eric Christian Ericksen	Engine-fitter ..	Westport.
Johan Ansell Johansson	Labourer ..	Pigeon Bay.
George Jovanovich ..	Labourer ..	Dargaville.
Carl Kuhlmann .. ..	Bushman ..	Gisborne.
Marko Laus .. ..	Gum-digger ..	Babylon.
Charles Martin .. ..	Bushman ..	Kaeo.
John Matkovich .. ..	Gum-digger ..	Te Kopuru.
Johan Oscar Michelsen..	Missionary ..	Dunedin.
	(Presbyterian)	
Mijo Ivan Unkov ch Nikole	Gum-digger ..	Dargaville.
Charles Welson .. ..	Miner ..	Nevesville.

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Retention of Title of "Honourable."*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 11th May, 1909.

THE following despatch, received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, is published for general information.

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

(New Zealand.—Miscellaneous.)

Downing Street, 17th March, 1909.

MY LORD,—In reply to your despatch (No. 9) of the 26th of January, I have the honour to request you to inform your Ministers that the King has been pleased to approve of the Honourable James McGowan retaining the title of "Honourable" for life.

2. A notification to this effect will be published in the *London Gazette*.

I have, &c.,  
CREWE.

Governor the Right Honourable Lord Plunket,  
K.C.M.G., K.C.V.O., &c.

*Holiday to be observed on 24th May, Empire Day.*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

MONDAY, the 24th May instant, being Empire Day, will be observed as a public holiday in the Government offices throughout the Dominion.

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Holiday to be observed on Prince of Wales's Birthday.*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

THURSDAY, the 3rd June next, being the anniversary of the birthday of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, will be observed as a public holiday in the Government offices throughout the Dominion.

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Fixing Date on which certain Returns under "The Fire Brigades Act, 1908," are to be furnished.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

PURSUANT to section 22 of "The Fire Brigades Act, 1908," it is hereby notified that the returns showing the total gross amount of the premiums received by or due to fire-insurance companies during the year ended 31st December, 1908, shall be transmitted to the Fire Boards concerned, in the manner prescribed by the said section, on or before the 31st day of May, 1909.

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Special Order made by the Whangamarino Road Board, County of Waikato.*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 11th May, 1909.

THE following special order, made by the Whangamarino Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1908."

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

WHANGAMARINO ROAD BOARD.

*Special Order making Special Rate.*

THAT, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges for a loan (additional) of £400, authorised to be raised by above Board, under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," for the purpose of clearing off an overdraft incurred in the further metalling of roads in the Waerenga Special-rating District, the Whangamarino Road Board makes and levies a special rate of 3d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the Waerenga Special-rating District, with the exception of Sections Nos. 481, 499, 480, 391, 477A, 476, 398, 429, 428, 390; 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 August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The rate of interest to be 3½ per cent. per annum.

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly passed in accordance with "The Road Boards Act, 1908."

THOMAS LOFTUS,  
Clerk.

Taniwha, Waerenga, 3rd April, 1909.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 13th May, 1909.

THE following special order, made by the Whangamomona County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," in substitution for that already gazetted on page 1183 of the *New Zealand Gazette*, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

WHANGAMOMONA COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Special Order making Special Rate.*

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," the Whangamomona 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 Whangamomona County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for felling, forming to dray-road width, bridging (exclusive of the Mangaehu Bridge), and culverting the Mangaehu Road from the end of the present dray-road formation in a continuously easterly direction towards the

Kohl Road junction for as far as the money will allow of, the said Whangamomona County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 2½d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property of the Upper Mangashu No. 1 Special-rating Area, comprising Section 9, Block X, Mahoe Survey District; Sections 9, 8, and 1, Block XIV, Mahoe Survey District; part Subs. 15 (300 acres) and 16 (500 acres), Block XII, Ngatimaru Survey District; part Subs. 1A (500 acres) and 2 (3,000 acres), Block XIII, Mahoe Survey District; part Sub. 13 (500 acres) and Sub. 1c, Block XVI, Ngatimaru Survey District; Sub. 17, Block IX, Mahoe Survey District; and Section 10, Block X, Mahoe 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 January and the 1st day of July 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.

W. A. McCUTCHAN,  
Chairman.

The above special order was instituted at a special meeting of the Council held on the 25th day of November, 1908, and was confirmed at a meeting of the Council held on the 18th day of January, 1909, in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," and "The Counties Act, 1908."

ALFRED COLEMAN,  
County Clerk.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 11th May, 1909.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF BIRKENHEAD.

*Special Order making Special Rate.*

WE, Alexander Keyes, Mayor, Ernest Gilbert Skeates and John Green Kay, Councillors, of the Borough of Birkenhead, hereby certify that the following special order, making a special rate of ½d. in the pound to meet interest and sinking fund on a loan of £850, was duly passed at a special meeting of the Council called for that purpose and held on the 25th day of February, 1909, and confirmed at a special meeting of the Council held on the 25th day of March, 1909, viz. :-

That, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," the Birkenhead Borough hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £850, authorised to be raised by the Borough of Birkenhead, under the above-named Act, for the purpose of providing for the necessary cuttings, fillings, general construction, kerbing, channelling, acquiring land, compensation (if any), and incidental works rendered necessary in the carrying-out of the scheme for providing a suitable grade from the proposed wharf along the main road to a point at the upper side of Bath Road, according to the plans and specifications prepared by the Engineer, H. Monro Wilson, now lying at the office of the Town Clerk, the Birkenhead Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of ½d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Borough of Birkenhead, comprising Blocks 1, 2, 3, 57 to 67, Sections 1, 2, 5, 7 to 13, of Block 121, 128 to 164, and 227 to 230, all inclusive, of Blocks VII, XI, and XII, Waitemata Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the continuance of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The interest to be paid on the loan herein referred to is to be at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum.

In witness thereof the common seal of the Borough of Birkenhead was duly affixed in the presence of—

A. KEYES,  
Mayor.  
ERNEST G. SKEATES,  
JOHN GREEN KAY,  
Councillors.  
A. L. WHITE,  
Town Clerk.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 8th May, 1909.

THE following notice, received from the Mayor of the Borough of Onslow, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908."

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

ONSLow BOROUGH COUNCIL.

*Notice of Result of Polls on Special Loans.—Water-supply, £19,700; Drainage, £11,300; and Khandallah Public Hall, £1,000.*

In the matter of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1908," "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," and "The Onslow Borough Drainage Empowering Act, 1906."

I HEREBY give notice that on the 19th day of April, 1909, the above-mentioned proposals were submitted by the Onslow Borough Council to the ratepayers of areas duly defined by the Council in connection with each proposal, and that the numbers of votes recorded respectively for and against the proposals were as follows:—

	For.	Against.
Water-supply proposal .. .. .	104	149
Drainage proposal .. .. .	81	151
Informal, 1.		
Khandallah Public Hall proposal ..	61	66

I therefore declare the said proposals to be rejected.

JOSEPH G. HARKNESS,  
Mayor of the Borough of Onslow.

Dated this 30th April, 1909.

*Forbidding Money-order and Postal Correspondence for the Marston Remedy Company, London.*

THE Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand having reasonable ground for supposing that the company whose name and address are shown in the Schedule hereunder is engaged in advertising the treatment of diseases of the sexual organs, it is hereby ordered, under section 28 of "The Post and Telegraph Act, 1908," that no money-order in favour of the said company shall be issued, and that no postal packet addressed to the said company (either by its own or any fictitious or assumed name), or to such address without a name, shall be either registered, forwarded, or delivered by the Post Office of New Zealand.

SCHEDULE.

MARSTON Remedy Company, 59 and 60 Chancery Lane, London W.C.

Dated this 11th day of May, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Postmaster-General.

*Forbidding Money-order and Postal Correspondence for R. C. Culver, Sydney, and others.*

THE Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand having reasonable ground for supposing that the person, agency, and companies whose names and addresses are shown in the Schedule hereunder are engaged in advertising the treatment of diseases of the sexual organs, it is hereby ordered, under section 28 of "The Post and Telegraph Act, 1908," that no money-order in favour of the said person, agency, or any one of the said companies shall be issued, and that no postal packet addressed to the said person, agency, or any one of the said companies (either by their own or any fictitious or assumed name), or to any of such addresses without a name, shall be either registered, forwarded, or delivered by the Post Office of New Zealand.

SCHEDULE.

R. C. Culver, Post-office Box 991, Sydney.  
Wenford Company, Post-office Box 375, Sydney.  
Wenford International Collection Agency, Post-office Box 991, Sydney.

H. Sinclair and Company, Post-office Box 887, Sydney.  
"Kookaburra" Newspaper Company, Post-office Box 1530, Sydney.

Dated this 11th day of May, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Postmaster-General.

*Authorising the Laying-off of Short, Gear, Middle, and River Streets and Bank Road, in the Township of Gear Island, of a Width of not less than 66 ft. each.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 5th May, 1909.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of "The Land Act, 1908," I, Joseph George Ward, Minister of Lands, do hereby authorise the laying-off of Gear, Short, Middle, and River Streets and Bank Road, in the Township of Gear Island, Wellington Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. each, instead of 99 ft.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Authorising the Laying-off of Gladys Street, in the Township of Gore Extension No. 6, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 5th May, 1909.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of "The Land Act, 1908," I, Joseph George Ward, Minister of Lands, do hereby authorise the laying-off of Gladys Street, in the Township of Gore Extension No. 6, Southland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft., instead of 99 ft.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Authorising the Laying-off of Bignell and Abbott Streets, in the Township of Balgownie Extension No. 3, of a Width of not less than 66 ft. each.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of "The Land Act, 1908," I, Joseph George Ward, Minister of Lands, do hereby authorise the laying-off of Bignell and Abbott Streets, in the Township of Balgownie Extension No. 3, Wellington Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. each, instead of 99 ft.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Notice to Mariners No. 36 of 1909.*

ROCK OFF MOTUROA, OUTSIDE NEW PLYMOUTH HARBOUR.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 10th May, 1909.

THE New Plymouth Harbour Board report the existence of a rock off Moturoa, the position of which has been confirmed by Captain Post, of the Government steamer "Tutanekai."

The following magnetic bearings mark the position of the rock:—

Summit of Moturoa, S. 44° E., distant 594 ft. from the N.W. extreme of Moturoa.

N.E. point of Moturoa and flagstaff on end of wharf, S. 52° E.

The rock is about 60 ft. in extent, in a N.E. and S.W. direction; the least water on the shoal is 13 ft. at low water, springs, with 10 fathoms close alongside, and various depths on the rock—viz., 15 ft., 16 ft., and 17 ft.

Charts, &c. affected: Admiralty Chart No. 2535; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chap. v, page 163.

J. A. MILLAR.

*Fees to be taken in the Protectorates of the Solomon and other Islands under "The Imperial Merchant Shipping Act, 1894."*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 8th May, 1909.

THE following regulation, in regard to the fees to be taken for the performance of certain duties under "The Imperial Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," in the Protectorates of the Solomon Islands, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, and in Ocean Island, is published for general information.

J. A. MILLAR.

KING'S REGULATION TO PROVIDE FOR THE FEES TO BE TAKEN IN THE PROTECTORATES OF THE SOLOMON ISLANDS AND GILBERT AND ELLICE ISLANDS AND IN OCEAN ISLAND FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF CERTAIN DUTIES UNDER "THE MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT, 1894."

Made by His Britannic Majesty's Acting High Commissioner for the Western Pacific under the authority of His Majesty's Commission.

In the name of His Majesty EDWARD VII, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Short Title.

1. THIS regulation may be cited as the (Merchant Shipping) Fees Regulation, 1909.

Fees to be taken by Port Officers in Protectorates and Deputy Commissioner in Ocean Island. Schedule.

2. Whenever any Act mentioned in the Schedule hereto which shall, under the provisions of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," of the Imperial Parliament, or any Act amending the same, be done by, to, or before a British consular officer is, in the Protectorates of the Solomon Islands and of the Gilbert and Ellice Islands, done by, to, or before an officer for the time being performing the duties of Port Officer, or which shall, under the provisions of the Acts aforesaid, be done by, to, or before a Superintendent is, in Ocean Island, done by, to, or before a Deputy Commissioner, there shall be paid in respect of that act the fee specified therefor in the said Schedule.

How fees to be accounted for.

3. All fees levied under this regulation shall be accounted for by the officer levying the same to the Resident Commissioner for the Solomon Islands, or Gilbert and Ellice Islands, Protectorates, as the case may be, and, when so accounted for, shall be transmitted to the High Commissioner.

SCHEDULE.

	£	s.	d.
For every declaration taken or recorded under the Merchant Shipping Act, with a view to the registry, transfer, and transmission of ships, interests in ships, or mortgages on ships	0	5	0
For indorsing a memorandum of change of master upon the certificate of registry, and intialling his signature on agreement with crew, if required	0	4	0
For granting a provisional certificate of registry (this fee to be exclusive of fees on declarations)	1	0	0
For recording a mortgage of a ship, or shares in a ship	1	0	0
For recording the transfer of a mortgage of a ship, or shares in a ship	1	0	0
For recording the discharge of a mortgage of a ship, or shares in a ship	1	0	0
For every sale of a ship, or shares in a ship	1	0	0
For inspection of the register-book of transactions in ships, kept in pursuance of the Merchant Shipping Act	0	1	0
For certified copy of extract from register-book of transactions in ships	0	2	6
For every seaman engaged	0	2	0
For every alteration in agreements with seamen	0	2	0
For every seaman discharged or left behind	0	2	0
For every desertion certified	0	2	0
For indorsing a ship's agreement with respect to the death of any person on board	0	2	0
For attesting the execution of a seaman's will	0	2	0
For certificate of form of claim for wages, &c., of a deceased seaman	0	1	0
For examination of provisions or water, to be paid by the party who proves to be in default, in addition to costs of survey	0	10	0
For every salvage bond made in pursuance of section 560 (1) of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," to be paid by the master or owner of the property salvaged	2	0	0
For making indorsement on ship's papers as required by section 257 of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894"	0	2	6

Published and exhibited in the Public Office of the High Commissioner for the Western Pacific, this twenty-second day of February, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

By Command.

A. MONTGOMERIE,  
Secretary to His Britannic Majesty's High Commissioner for the Western Pacific.

*Notice of the Taking and Laying-off of a Road through Raetihi Native Blocks 3b and 4b, Block IV, Makotuku 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 11th day of February, 1909, duly taken and laid off through the land specified in the said Schedule, under the authority of the Governor of the said Dominion, by Warrant dated the 16th day of January, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 2 29.5	Raetihi 3B ..	IV	Makotuku	R. 5849	Pink.
11 2 17	" 4B ..	"	"	"	Grey.

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

Dated this 24th day of April, 1909.

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister in Charge of Roads Department.

*Notice of Half-holiday (for Boys under Eighteen Years of Age and Women) in the Borough of New Plymouth under "The Factories Act, 1908," Section 36.*

WHEREAS a poll of the electors of the Borough of New Plymouth has been taken on a proposal that the weekly half-holiday provided for by section 35 of "The Factories Act, 1908," should be allowed in that borough on the same day as the day appointed as the statutory closing-day for shops in that borough: And whereas a majority of the votes given at such poll were in favour of the said proposal:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the provisions of subsection (2) of section 36 of "The Factories Act, 1908," I, Alexander Wilson Hogg, Minister of Labour, hereby give notice that on and after the 17th day of May, 1909, the half-holiday (for boys under eighteen years of age and women) under "The Factories Act, 1908," shall be allowed in the Borough of New Plymouth on the same day as that appointed from time to time as the statutory closing-day for shops in the said borough, instead of on Saturday.

Dated at Wellington, this 11th day of May, 1909.

NOTE.—The statutory half-holiday appointed for shops in the Borough of New Plymouth is at present Thursday.

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister of Labour.

*Notice fixing Closing-hours of Grocers' Shops in the Borough of Napier under the Shops and Offices Act.*

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the grocers' shops in the Borough of Napier, has been forwarded to me, desiring that the closing-hours for all such shops in the borough shall be fixed as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays, at 7 p.m.; Wednesdays, 1 p.m.; and Saturdays 10 p.m.; excepting the days named in section 5 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1908," when the hour shall be 11 p.m.: And whereas the Napier Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition constitute a majority of the grocers doing business within the Borough of Napier:

Now, therefore, I, Alexander Wilson Hogg, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1908," do hereby direct that on and after the 17th day of May, 1909, all grocers' shops in the Borough of Napier shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

The days named in section 5 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1908," are Christmas Eve, New Year's Eve, and the Saturday preceding Christmas Day or New Year's Day, when these days fall on Monday.

Dated at Wellington, this 11th day of May, 1909.

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister of Labour.

*Approving and appointing a Bonding Warehouse.*

CUSTOMS.—In exercise of the powers in me for this purpose vested by "The Customs Law Act, 1908," I, the Minister of Customs, do hereby approve and appoint the undermentioned warehouse to be a warehouse for the reception of goods under bond, namely,—

*Port of Invercargill.*

A brick building, roofed with iron, situated on Section 7, Block I, Leven Street, Invercargill, to be known as

THOMSON'S BOND.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister of Customs.

Minister's Order No. 905.]

*Officiating Ministers for 1909.—Notice No. 21.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 12th May, 1909.

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:

*Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.*

Elder George Bowles.

W. W. COOK,  
Deputy Registrar-General.

*Notice of Date of Examinations.*

Education Department,  
Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Civil Service Junior Examination will be held in November, 1909, beginning on or about the 20th day of the month. That a Junior National Scholarship and Free Place Examination will be held on or about the 1st and 2nd days of December, 1909, and that a Civil Service Senior Examination and an examination for teachers' certificates of Class C and Class D will be held in January, 1910, beginning on or about the 5th day of the month.

With the Civil Service Junior Examination will be taken the Special Examination for senior free places in secondary schools and district high schools; and the First Examination of pupil-teachers.

With the Junior National Scholarship Examination will be taken the Junior Free Place Examination (including the examination for junior free places in technical schools).

Entries for Junior National Scholarships, Junior Free Places, and the First Examination of pupil-teachers must be made through the principals or head teachers of the schools attended, and will be received by Secretaries of Education Boards not later than the 15th September, 1909.

Entries for the Civil Service Junior Examination and Special Examination for Senior Free Places will be received by the Inspector-General of Schools, at Wellington, until the 15th September, 1909, or, with a late fee of £1, until the 22nd September, 1909.

Entries for the January examinations will be received by the Inspector-General of Schools, at Wellington, until the 30th September, 1909, or, with a late fee of £1 in addition to the ordinary fee, until the 15th October, 1909.

All entries must be made on the proper forms, which may be obtained later from the office of any Education Board or of the Education Department.

Special attention is drawn to alterations in date for the receipt of applications.

GEORGE HOGBEN,  
Inspector-General of Schools.

*Appointment of District Agent for the Public Trustee at Nelson.*

Public Trust Office,  
Wellington, 8th May, 1909.

IT is hereby notified for general information that

JAMES EDWIN ALLEN, Esq.,

has been appointed District Agent for the Public Trustee, at Nelson, from the 1st instant, vice Edward Parker Watkis, Esq., retired.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.



RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD ENTERED for DUTY\* for EXPORTATION from NEW ZEALAND from 1st APRIL, 1857, to 31st MARCH, 1909.

PRODUCE OF THE GOLDFIELDS IN		DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1909.		ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION TO THE 31st DECEMBER, 1908.		TOTAL ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION FROM NEW ZEALAND TO THE 31st MARCH, 1909.	
County or Borough.	District.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Oz.	£	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
County of Thames ..	Auckland	2,058	7,631				
" Ohinemuri ..		12,525	44,082				
" Coromandel ..		420	1,772				
Borough of Thames ..		1,008	4,171				
" Waihi ..		38,856	159,101				
		54,862	216,757	4,587,410	17,348,303	4,642,272	17,565,060
	Wellington ..	..	..	188	706	188	706
County of Marlborough	Marlborough ..	..	..	90,191	351,368	90,191	351,368
County of Collingwood	Nelson ..	602	2,408	..	..	..	..
		602	2,408	1,721,668	6,825,524	1,722,270	6,827,932
County of Buller ..	West Coast	1,970	7,630				
" Inangahua ..		10,874	42,065				
" Grey ..		6,978	28,082				
" Westland ..		3,244	13,021				
Borough of Ross ..		405	1,618				
		23,471	92,416	5,410,793	21,525,239	5,434,264	21,617,655
	Canterbury ..	..	..	99	387	99	387
County of Taieri ..	Otago	1,038	4,149				
" Tuapeka ..		6,908	27,945				
" Vincent ..		12,376	49,835				
" Maniototo ..		1,847	7,339				
" Waihemo ..		320	1,249				
" Waitaki ..		943	3,771				
" Lake ..		1,032	4,154				
" Wallace ..		1,540	6,216				
" Bruce ..		59	234				
" Clutha ..		3	13				
" Fiord ..	27	108					
" Southland ..	12,108	49,202					
		38,201	154,215	6,914,547	27,481,552	6,952,748	27,635,767
Unknown ..	..	..	..	207	824	207	824
Totals ..	..	117,136	465,796	18,725,103	73,533,903	18,842,239	73,999,699

\* Gold duty abolished in the South Island on 31st March, 1891, by "The Gold Duty Abolition Act, 1890."

COMPARATIVE RETURN for the QUARTERS ended 31st MARCH, 1909, and 31st MARCH, 1908.

District of	Quarter ended 31st March, 1909.		Quarter ended 31st March, 1908.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
Auckland .. .. .	54,862	216,757	74,634	290,506
Marlborough .. .. .	..	..	35	131
Nelson .. .. .	602	2,408	457	1,828
West Coast .. .. .	23,471	92,416	23,267	91,300
Otago .. .. .	38,201	154,215	35,710	144,304
Totals .. .. .	117,136	465,796	134,103	528,069

RICHD. CARTER,  
Secretary and Inspector.

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 13th April, 1909.



RETURN of the VALUE of IMPORTS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1909—continued.

Countries.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Picton.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton and Christchurch.	Tinaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Bluff.	Parcels Post.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter, 1908.	Countries.					
America—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	America—				
Alaska ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Alaska ...				
U.S., East Coast ...	60,350	...	...	1,214	1,368	204	2,418	72,442	3,669	256	...	3,061	5,081	673	589	46,207	1,044	273	44,005	4,532	1,900	249,286	491,519	U.S., East Coast ...					
West Coast ...	10,789	...	...	230	241	...	48	6,055	495	...	...	113	73	62	26	2,512	1,403	101	3,517	327	526	26,497	37,626	West Coast ...					
West Indies ...	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	212	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	233	409	West Indies ...			
Africa—																									Africa—				
Canary Islands ...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	Canary Islands ...		
Egypt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	205	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	...	6	253	...	179	Egypt ...			
Morocco ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	Morocco ...		
Asia—																										Asia—			
Arabia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	489	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	489	...	Arabia ...		
China ...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	363	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	206	...	China ...		
Japan ...	3,600	...	...	206	126	...	117	4,910	253	107	...	113	...	19	...	3,283	...	20	1,928	312	54	15,048	13,081	13,081	...	Japan ...			
Java ...	502	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,138	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	180	...	...	450	...	...	...	...	...	2,270	...	Java ...		
Philippine Islands ...	1,573	...	...	...	...	...	...	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	273	...	...	751	...	...	4	2,714	2,299	2,299	...	Philippine Islands ...		
Asia Minor ...	1,734	...	...	28	...	...	16	1,131	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	452	...	...	441	64	...	...	...	...	3,866	2,803	Asia Minor ...		
Persia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	266	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	266	60	Persia ...	
Cochin China ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	...	Cochin China ...	
Borneo ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	...	Borneo ...
Pacific Islands—																										Pacific Islands—			
Friendly ...	4,372	...	...	...	...	...	...	125	58	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,568	3,464	Friendly ...		
Navigators ...	734	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	127	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	902	1,539	Navigators ...		
Society ...	1,512	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,512	2,147	Society ...		
Sandwich ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	14	Sandwich ...	
Totals ...	1,082,049	2,520	340	34,007	25,852	8158	49,613	1,257,705	87,612	7,631	920	28,784	22,204	26,566	8,323	661,756	86,874	27,495	643,422	124,778	60,128	4,226,737*	...	...	4,894,395†	Totals			
Corresp. Quarter, 1908...	1,223,769	3,417	467	37,618	29,888	10250	65,606	1,429,278	118,059	8,687	1,047	35,547	26,472	32,599	3,965	785,498	87,715	18,307	728,292	143,971	108945	...	...	4,894,395†	Corresp. Quarter, 1908				

\* Includes specie imported at Auckland, £46,595; Wellington, £227,830; Nelson, £600; Christchurch, £2,900; Dunedin, £25,420. † Includes specie imported at Auckland, £20,600.

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 27th April, 1909.

RICHD. CARTER, Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN of the VALUE of EXPORTS from the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1909.

COUNTRIES.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Waitara.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairarapa and Picton.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton and Christchurch.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Bluff.	Parcels Post.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter, 1908.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
<i>British Possessions.</i>																							
United Kingdom ..	688,752	..	..	493,619	284,584	160,612	241,110	207,167	157,997	812,073	92,315	33,540	1,129	3,258	705	558,276	246,700	72,861	318,314	291,512	4,590	6,086,114	5,602,696
<i>Australia—</i>																							
Victoria ..	16,038	12,359	..	1,291	23	5,227	..	..	21,382	3,149	2,392	2,953	3,157	45,252	969	5,218	653	..	33,175	29,951	292	183,481	177,770
New South Wales ..	42,169	9,954	..	1,055	1,325	..	..	1,550	21,767	2,598	3,737	626	7,146	39,799	7,950	6,163	58	..	123,387	3,017	901	273,202	331,242
Queensland ..	80	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	165	..	..	..	..	..	..	574	..	..	599	428	65	1,911	1,152
South Australia ..	341	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	822	..	..	..	..	4,253	..	602	..	..	449	15	69	7,051	5,392
Western Australia ..	105	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	36	42	..	..	..	..	..	1,246	..	..	184	77	47	1,737	2,250
Tasmania ..	785	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	492	5	..	..	2,406	922	..	850	..	..	1,501	806	107	7,874	11,548
<i>Pacific Islands—</i>																							
Norfolk ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	10	281
Fiji ..	11,576	..	..	..	127	..	..	..	535	6	..	8	..	..	..	1,162	299	..	1,674	11	81	15,479	16,698
Fanning Banks ..	35	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	..
Christmas ..	137	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	137	..
Malden ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	99
<i>Africa—</i>																							
Cape Colony ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10,427	..	..	..	..	..	..	209	..	..	201	..	3	10,840	12,327
Natal ..	1,011	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,552	..	..	..	..	..	..	478	..	..	2,056	300	14	9,411	13,480
Transvaal ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	19	25
Orange River Col'y	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	10	4
<i>Europe—</i>																							
Gibraltar ..	..	..	..	..	..	2,659	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,659	2,546
Malta ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	20	..
<i>Asia—</i>																							
Hong Kong ..	671	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	673	1,698
Bengal ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	106	..	20	126	307
Bombay ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	749	7	756	19
Madras ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	120	..	1	121	3
Burmah ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..
Ceylon ..	31,100	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	164	20	31,284	23,472
Singapore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	97	..	9	106	8
Penang ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	8	..
<i>America—</i>																							
Canada ..	2,022	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	3,627	..	..	145	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,546	30	7,379	2,174
British Columbia	2,968	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,735	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,030	..	8,623	..	46	14,402	2,387
<i>Foreign Countries and Possessions.</i>																							
<i>Europe—</i>																							
France ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25,428	5,395	..	15,109	97	6	46,035	3,646
Italy ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	13
Austria-Hungary ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	16	16
Russia ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	545	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	548	..
Germany ..	6,311	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,908	26	..	..	..	..	..	25,266	1,662	..	2,703	857	134	38,867	17,625

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COUNTRIES.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Waikato.	Fatea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau and Pictou.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton and Christchurch.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Bluff.	Parcels Post.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter, 1908.	
<i>Foreign Countries, &amp;c.</i>	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
<i>Europe—contd.</i>																								
Norway .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	11	
Sweden .. ..	172	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	175	2	
Denmark .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	10	
Belgium .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,316	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,551	1,445	
Switzerland ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	
<i>America—</i>																								
U.S., East Coast..	93,684	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27,772	19,727	..	..	..	..	..	60,628	1,846	..	27,663	6,245	238	237,803	68,381	
" West Coast..	1,044	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	732	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	37	1,813	2,661	
Uruguay .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	633	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	794	1,978	
Brazil .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,068	..	..	..	..	..	1,068	232	
Argentine Republic	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	205	..	7	212	4	
Chili .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4	1,286	
Mexico .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1
<i>Asia—</i>																								
China .. ..	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	20	31	
Japan .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4	20	
Philippine Islands	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	863	..	5	863	700	
Syria .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	..	
<i>Pacific Islands—</i>																								
New Guinea ..	55	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	55	..	
New Caledonia ..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	60	
New Hebrides ..	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	17	37	
Friendly .. ..	14,802	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	29	14,831	
Navigator's ..	11,674	..	..	11	..	..	..	..	32	..	..	..	795	..	..	198	..	..	..	..	39	12,749	8,591	
Society .. ..	9,220	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	113	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	128	..	..	9,461	5,236	
Solomon .. ..	24	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	121	
Sandwich .. ..	1,141	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	..	..	1,205	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2,361	55	
New Britain ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	802	
Surprise .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	
Low or Paumotu Archipelago	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	
<b>Totals ..</b>	<b>936,445</b>	<b>22,313</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>495,985</b>	<b>286,059</b>	<b>168,498</b>	<b>241,110</b>	<b>208,717</b>	<b>167,460</b>	<b>837,626</b>	<b>98,444</b>	<b>37,272</b>	<b>15,838</b>	<b>93,484</b>	<b>9,624</b>	<b>630,654</b>	<b>258,042</b>	<b>75,656</b>	<b>538,079</b>	<b>335,775</b>	<b>6,912</b>	<b>*7,031,134</b>	<b>..</b>	
Corresponding Q'rter, 1908	845,488	40,707	..	479,794	197,266	91,995	212,998	191,559	121,307	867,600	149,796	44,037	17,295	92,498	6,896	758,512	208,695	119,175	478,375	309,192	6,970	..	+6,331,927	

\* Includes specie exported, Auckland, £3,360. † Includes specie exported, £1,666.

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 21st April, 1909.

RICHD. CARTER,  
Secretary and Inspector.



RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of EXPORTS from NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1909—continued.

ARTICLES	AUCKLAND		KAIHARA		TAURANGA		POVERTY BAY		NEW PLYMOUTH		WAITARA		PATNA		WANGANUI		WELLINGTON		NAPIER		WAIRAU AND PICTON		NELSON		ARTICLES	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value		
Manufactures,—		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£	Manufactures,—	
Apparel ... ..	...	104	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Apparel ... ..	
Leather ... ..	592	3154	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	78	320	...	...	...	...	309	1756	61	320	...	...	...	49	250	Leather ... ..	
Phormium ... ..	597	12100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2175	47425	127	2655	...	131	2761	...	...	Phormium ... ..	
Woollens ... ..	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Woollens ... ..	
Other kinds ... ..	...	10837	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	80	...	6046	...	216	...	...	319	...	...	Other kinds ... ..	
	...	26207	...	...	...	...	...	26	...	...	320	...	...	...	130	...	55250	...	3191	...	3080	...	...	253		
Miscellaneous ... ..	...	1729	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1561	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Miscellaneous ... ..	
Total New Zealand Produce and Manufactures ... ..	...	916835	...	22313	...	...	495719	...	285992	...	168498	...	241110	...	208624	...	1666493	...	837500	...	98444	...	...	37121		
Specie ... ..	...	3360	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Other Colonial, British, and Foreign Produce and Manufactures ... ..	...	16250	...	...	...	...	266	...	67	...	...	...	...	...	93	...	8108	...	126	...	...	...	...	151		
TOTALS ... ..	...	936445	...	22313	...	...	495985	...	286059	...	168498	...	241110	...	208717	...	1674601	...	837626	...	98444	...	...	37272		

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ARTICLES	WESTPORT		GREYMOUTH		HOKITIKA		LYTTELTON		TIMARU		OAMARU		DUNEDIN		INVERCARGILL		PAROHIA POST	TOTALS		CORRESPONDING QUARTER, 1908.	ARTICLES	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value		Quantity	Value			Value
<b>The Mine,—</b>																					<b>The Mine,—</b>	
Coal ... tons	9851	8173	...	...	...	...	4750	4750	...	...	...	...	674	771	8	11	...	...	27419	26919	33864	Coal
Gold ... ounces	1538	5950	19927	78441	1918	7673	...	...	...	...	...	...	32484	131340	5730	22923	...	...	117270	468238	528089	Gold
Silver ... ounces	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	402692	40150	34161	Silver
Minerals ... tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	206	...	...	...	...	296	1062	7467	Minerals
		14123		78441		7673		4750						132317		22924				533369	603561	
<b>The Fisheries,—</b>																						<b>The Fisheries,—</b>
Fish ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	11	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	472	1902	1906	2505	...	...	2940	5622	3395	Fish
Oysters ... dozens	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41675	311	...	...	41675	311	251	Oysters
Other kinds ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	Other kinds
						50								1802		3116				5979	3724	
<b>The Forest,—</b>																						<b>The Forest,—</b>
Fungus ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	449	1133	1978	Fungus
Gum (Kauri) ... tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2108	137223	66712	Gum (Kauri)
Timber (Sawn and Hewn) ... sup. feet	...	...	2672599	10397	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15242886	73627	82358	Timber (Sawn & Hewn)
Other kinds ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1429	Other kinds
				10397												302				213412	150617	
<b>Animals and Produce,—</b>																						<b>Animals and Produce,—</b>
Bacon and Hams ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	51	198	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	384	1061	853	Bacon and Hams
Beef (Salted) ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2169	2782	2268	Beef (Salted)
Butter ... cwt.	242	1129	...	...	60	205	4259	21803	...	...	...	...	4136	20510	...	3	...	...	146557	751120	501161	Butter
Cheese ... cwt.	...	...	43	100	...	...	4788	13288	...	...	...	...	12131	33886	35836	100746	...	...	171497	478317	396280	Cheese
Hides ... number	489	518	1100	1019	373	536	1092	1079	589	805	...	...	4653	4557	1279	1100	...	...	40257	41831	39922	Hides
Live Stock ... number	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	433	...	...	...	...	80	1895	57	1647	...	...	1518	9904	7132	Live Stock
Meats (Preserved and Extract of) ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	521	2296	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	139	629	Meats (Preserved and Extract of)
Meats (Frozen),—																						Meats (Frozen),—
Beef ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	849	966	...	...	...	...	118326	145983	110296	Beef
Mutton ... carcasses	...	...	...	...	...	...	60719	...	11892	...	3346	...	880	...	3374	...	...	...	599492	...	...	Mutton
Mutton Joints ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	29454	41236	8219	8882	1407	1971	1657	1017	1443	1804	...	...	310693	380449	328288	Mutton Joints
Lamb ... carcasses	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	7	...	...	...	...	9694	...	9093	...	...	...	17641	23804	14687	Lamb
Rabbits and Hares ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	144935	53703	...	...	28588	...	9694	...	9093	...	...	...	761784	...	...	Rabbits and Hares
Other kinds ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	46437	86684	17448	34301	9221	17314	3102	4674	2974	4766	...	...	291697	539411	449005	Other kinds
Sausage-skins ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	192	149	...	...	...	...	192	149	4086	Sausage-skins
Skins (Rabbit) ... number	...	...	...	...	...	...	386	713	140	348	65	251	19	17	...	...	...	...	2282	3551	6946	Skins (Rabbit)
(Sheep) ... number	...	...	...	...	...	...	379	1987	76	390	33	70	109	654	31	180	...	...	4958	21787	13351	(Sheep)
Tallow ... tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	3570	30	...	...	...	...	350616	4170	98082	902	...	...	459734	5092	12771	Tallow
Wool ... lbs.	...	...	13344	584	92	12	620879	31213	39792	5665	3155	891	109338	17118	52323	5649	...	...	1857312	152608	144468	Wool
Other kinds ...	...	...	11	269	...	...	695	1980	158	4553	42	1011	90	2087	171	4315	...	...	6531	179555	139978	Other kinds
		3	100814	2690	41023	1136	12791466	449087	6171500	201747	1663602	54246	9573207	285867	5128224	165540	...	...	107808985	3301056	3090530	
		1650	4612	...	1901	...	664963	...	266691	...	76656	...	380076	...	287841	...	...	...	6075535	...	5283072	
<b>Agricultural Products,—</b>																						<b>Agricultural Products,—</b>
Bran and Sharps ... tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	144	547	93	299	...	...	10	38	...	...	...	...	301	1179	1945	Bran and Sharps
Chaff and Hay ... tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	155	100	Chaff and Hay
Flour ... tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	124	279	Flour
Grain (Barley) ... bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	4661	1083	463	94	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	2838	525	962	Grain (Barley)
(Beans and Peas) ... bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	81	43	...	...	...	...	5850	1365	501	(Beans and Peas)
(Maize) ... bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	14	(Maize)
(Malt) ... bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(Malt)
(Oats) ... bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	44469	3745	8315	723	...	...	37999	3439	141743	12993	...	...	233132	20971	2338	(Oats)
(Wheat) ... bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	1518	267	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1772	329	90	(Wheat)
Hops ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	227	904	1880	Hops
Meal (Oat) ... cents	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	51	26	64	41	...	...	134	79	70	Meal (Oat)
Potatoes ... tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	7	...	...	...	...	3	10	...	2	...	...	112	722	460	Potatoes
Seeds (Grass and Clover) ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	2562	3295	195	164	...	...	4394	5451	3135	1540	...	...	10936	18057	16057	Seeds (Grass and Clover)
Other kinds ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	432	...	...	...	...	...	73	...	14	...	...	...	4640	2886	Other kinds
							8992		1280				9085		14580				42339		27582	



RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of EXPORTS from NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1909—continued.

ARTICLES	WESTPORT		GREYMOUTH		HOKITIKA		LYTTELTON		TIMARU		DUNEDIN		INVERCARGILL		PARADES POST	TOTALS		CORRESPONDING QUARTER, 1908.	ARTICLES
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value		Quantity	Value		
Manufactures,—		£		£		£		£		£		£		£	£		£	£	Manufactures.—
Apparel ... ..	...	...	3	15	...	...	426	2733	...	...	...	...	52	15	...	1458	8548	591	Apparel
Leather ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	275	...	...	...	57	1152	371	5460	3370	71848	8899	Leather
Phormium ... ..	1	20	...	...	...	...	...	725	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	759	157772	Phormium
Woolens ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1925	...	31	...	...	4209	...	1161	...	24663	1395	Woolens
Other kinds ... ..	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33837	Other kinds
	...	39	...	15	...	...	6024	...	31	...	...	...	5213	...	6636	...	106409	202625	
Miscellaneous ... value	...	...	...	...	...	...	974	...	...	...	...	...	326	...	76	6912	11578	9427	Miscellaneous
Total New Zealand Produce and Manufactures	...	15806	...	93465	...	9624	686103	...	258002	...	75656	...	528919	...	335485	6912	6998921	6280808	
Specie ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3360	1666	
Other Colonial, British, and Foreign Produce and Manufactures	...	32	...	19	...	...	4551	...	40	...	...	...	9160	...	290	...	39153	49653	
TOTALS	...	15838	...	93484	...	9624	690654	...	258042	...	75656	...	538079	...	335775	6912	7031134	6331927	

The values of wool, meat (frozen), grain (oats and wheat), tallow, hemp, butter, and cheese have been approved by the various Chambers of Commerce.

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 21st April, 1909.

RICHD. CARTER, Secretary and Inspector.

RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS ENTERED INWARDS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1909.

PORTS OF ARRIVAL.	Sailing or Steam Vessels.	WHENCE.						BRITISH.									FOREIGN.									TOTALS.									Corresponding Quarter, 1908.		
		United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.					
		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Auckland	Sailing Steam	..	..	18	1	1	..	15	7253	192	..	..	..	15	7253	192	4	4278	60	1	457	10	5	4735	70	19	11531	252	1	457	10	20	11988	262	17	6580	173
Totals ..	..	12	1	43	1	12	..	59	133159	3079	1	2	13	60	133161	3092	8	9952	173	1	457	10	9	10409	183	67	148111	3252	2	459	23	69	143570	3275	70	140014	3215
Kaipara	Sailing Steam	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	1170	32	..	..	..	3	1170	32	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1170	32	..	..	..	3	1170	32	3	1006	31
Totals ..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	1170	32	..	..	..	3	1170	32	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1170	32	..	..	..	3	1170	32	3	1006	31
Poverty Bay	Sailing Steam	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	251	10	..	..	..	1	251	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	251	10	..	..	..	1	251	10	2	785	24
Totals ..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	2863	69	..	..	..	3	2863	69	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2863	69	..	..	..	3	2863	69	2	785	24
N. Plymouth	Steam	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	7654	141	
Wanganui	Sailing	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	398	21	..	..	..	3	398	21	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	398	21	..	..	..	3	398	21	2	385	16
Wellington	Sailing Steam	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	1504	32	..	..	..	2	1504	32	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1504	32	..	..	..	2	1504	32	9	8086	143
Totals ..	..	9	..	26	..	..	1	35	105156	2793	1	2401	31	36	107557	2824	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	105156	2793	1	2401	31	36	107557	2824	42	113376	2740
Napier	Sailing Steam	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	299	10	..	..	..	1	299	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	299	10	..	..	..	1	299	10	..	..	..
Totals ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	299	10	..	..	..	1	299	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	299	10	..	..	..	1	299	10	..	..	..
Picton	Sailing Steam	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	324	11	..	..	..	1	324	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	324	11	..	..	..	1	324	11	..	..	..
Totals ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	324	11	..	..	..	1	324	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	324	11	..	..	..	1	324	11	..	..	..
Nelson	Sailing	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westport	Sailing Steam	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	711	12	1	711	12	..	..	..	..	1	711	12	1	711	12	2	1486	24
Totals ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	711	12	1	711	12	..	..	..	..	1	711	12	1	711	12	2	1486	24
Greymouth	Sailing	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	486	17	..	..	..	2	486	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	486	17	..	..	..	2	486	17	4	831	33

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		United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.					
		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.			
Lyttelton	Sailing Steam	..	..	5	..	..	..	4	1144	41	..	..	..	4	1144	41	1	1097	14	..	..	..	1	1097	14	5	2241	55	..	..	..	5	2241	55	4	3188	73
		..	1	3	..	..	..	3	2687	69	1	292	19	4	2979	88	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2687	69	1	292	19	4	2979	88	4	5209	109
Totals	..	..	1	8	..	..	7	3831	110	1	292	19	8	4123	129	1	1097	14	..	..	..	1	1097	14	8	4928	124	1	292	19	9	5220	143	8	8397	182	
Dunedin	Sailing Steam	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	762	12	..	..	..	1	762	12	1	762	12	..	..	..	1	762	12	..	..	..	
		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Totals	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	762	12	..	..	..	1	762	12	1	762	12	..	..	..	1	762	12	..	..	..	
Auckland	Sailing Steam	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	287	10	..	..	..	1	287	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	287	10	..	..	..	1	287	10	..	..	..	
		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Totals	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	287	10	..	..	..	1	287	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	287	10	..	..	..	1	287	10	..	..	..		
Wellington	Sailing Steam	..	2	..	1	..	..	2	7693	176	..	..	..	2	7693	176	1	1127	15	..	..	..	1	1127	15	1	1127	15	..	..	..	1	1127	15	2	1153	23
		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2304	26	..	..	..	1	2304	26	3	9997	202	..	..	..	3	9997	202	5	15108
Totals	..	2	..	1	..	1	2	7693	176	..	..	..	2	7693	176	2	3431	41	..	..	..	2	3431	41	4	11124	217	..	..	..	4	11124	217	7	16261	250	
Hull Harbour	Sailing Steam	..	..	1	..	..	1	93	6	..	..	..	1	93	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	93	6	..	..	..	1	93	6	2	592	26		
		..	..	17	..	..	..	17	43150	1493	..	..	..	17	43150	1493	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	43150	1493	..	..	..	17	43150	1493	14	36954	1299	
Totals	..	..	..	18	..	..	18	43243	1499	..	..	..	18	43243	1499	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	43243	1499	..	..	..	18	43243	1499	16	37546	1325			
Total ship'ng inwards	Sailing Steam	1	..	37	2	3	..	34	13209	382	..	..	..	34	13209	382	7	7264	101	2	1168	22	9	8432	123	41	20473	483	2	1168	22	43	21641	505	..	..	..
		22	2	73	..	11	1	101	285700	7445	3	2695	63	104	288395	7508	5	7978	139	..	..	..	5	7978	139	106	293678	7584	3	2695	63	109	296373	7647	..	..	..
Totals	..	23	2	110	2	14	1	135	298909	7827	3	2695	63	138	301604	7890	12	15242	240	2	1168	22	14	16410	262	147	314151	8067	5	3863	85	152	318014	8152	..	..	..
Corresponding quarter, 1908	Sailing Steam	1	..	36	5	1	4	35	14200	388	5	5871	104	40	20071	492	3	1257	28	4	2764	46	7	4021	74	38	15457	416	9	8635	150	..	..	..	47	24092	566
		20	..	70	9	12	..	98	273189	6914	6	18370	308	104	291559	7222	4	4568	98	3	7522	95	7	12090	193	102	277757	7012	9	25892	403	..	..	..	111	303649	7415
Totals	..	21	..	106	14	13	4	133	287389	7302	11	24241	412	144	311630	7714	7	5825	126	7	10286	141	14	16111	267	140	293214	7428	18	34527	553	..	..	..	158	327741	7981

Customs Department, Wellington, 14th April, 1909.

RICHD. CARTER, Secretary and Inspector.

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		United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.						
Auckland	Sailing Steam	..	..	14	2	1	1	15	5210	153	..	..	..	15	5210	153	..	..	..	3	4828	60	3	4828	60	15	5210	153	3	4828	60	18	10088	213	16	6547	167
Totals	..	4	..	38	8	5	1	46	76393	2182	6	16109	295	52	92502	2477	1	579	18	3	4828	60	4	5407	78	47	76972	2200	9	20937	355	56	97909	2555	48	77407	2146
Kaipara	Sailing Steam	..	..	8	..	..	..	8	5556	119	..	..	..	8	5556	119	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	5556	119	..	..	..	8	5556	119	15	7205	185
Totals	..	..	..	9	..	..	..	9	6272	141	..	..	..	9	6272	141	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	6272	141	..	..	..	9	6272	141	21	11495	316
Wanganui	Sailing Steam	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	532	26	..	..	..	3	532	26	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	532	26	..	..	..	3	532	26	3	704	28	
Totals	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	532	26	..	..	..	3	532	26	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	532	26	..	..	..	3	532	26	4	4705	90	
Wellington	Sailing Steam	..	..	2	..	..	1	2	422	17	..	..	..	2	422	17	..	..	..	1	762	12	1	762	12	2	422	17	1	762	12	3	1184	29	6	6084	105
Totals	..	22	..	14	2	..	1	36	133804	2983	2	3472	54	38	137276	3037	..	..	..	1	762	12	1	762	12	36	133804	2983	3	4234	66	39	138038	3049	44	144418	3013
Napier	Sailing Steam	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	299	10	..	..	..	1	299	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	299	10	..	..	..	1	299	10	1	299	10	
Totals	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	4001	61	..	..	..	2	4001	61	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4001	61	..	..	..	2	4001	61	1	299	10	
Nelson	Sailing	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1070	17	1	1070	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1070	17	..	..	..	1	1070	17	..	..	..
Westport	Sailing Steam	..	..	3	..	1	..	4	5179	113	..	..	..	4	5179	113	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	5179	113	..	..	..	4	5179	113	5	5798	126	
Totals	..	..	..	3	..	2	..	4	5179	113	..	..	..	4	5179	113	1	711	12	..	..	..	1	711	12	5	5890	125	..	..	..	5	5890	125	7	7284	151
Greymouth	Sailing Steam	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	200	7	..	..	..	1	200	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	200	7	..	..	..	1	200	7	5	1887	46	
Totals	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	3737	82	..	..	..	4	3737	82	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	3737	82	..	..	..	4	3737	82	6	2958	71	
Lyttelton	Sailing Steam	..	7	..	2	..	..	7	25238	505	2	982	25	2	982	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	25238	505	4	5032	100	11	30270	605	5	21283	344	
Totals	..	7	..	6	..	..	..	7	25238	505	6	6014	125	13	31252	630	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	25238	505	6	6014	125	13	31252	630	6	22650	375	

RETURN of the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED OUTWARDS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1909—continued.

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THE NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

PORTS OF DEPARTURE.	Sailing or Steam Vessels.	CLEARED FOR						BRITISH.						FOREIGN.						TOTALS.						Corresponding Quarter, 1908.										
		United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.		With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.													
		With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	With Cargoes.	In Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.					
Oamaru	Sailing Steam	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
Totals ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..				
Dunedin	Sailing Steam	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	1963	33	2	1963	33	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1963	33	2	1963	33	..	..			
Totals ..	..	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	9396	166	3	9396	166	1	2097	38	..	..	..	..	..	1	2097	38	3	9396	166	4	11493	204	7	19017	405
Bluff Harbour	Sailing Steam	..	..	1	..	..	1	93	7	..	..	..	1	93	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	93	7	..	1	93	7	3	1818	32		
Totals ..	..	..	..	13	..	..	13	36064	1232	..	..	..	13	36064	1232	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	36064	1232	..	13	36064	1232	15	46458	1410		
Total Ship'ng outwards	Sailing Steam	..	..	30	7	2	2	31	12312	339	5	4015	75	36	16327	414	1	711	12	4	5590	72	5	6301	84	32	19023	351	9	9605	147	41	22628	498	..	..
Totals ..	..	33	..	58	15	5	..	94	279001	6993	15	34009	615	109	313010	7608	2	2676	56	..	..	..	2	2676	56	96	281677	7049	15	34009	615	111	315686	7664	..	..
Correspndng. Quar., 1908	Sailing Steam	7	..	37	4	3	1	41	20965	508	3	1242	34	44	22207	542	6	3415	61	2	1725	26	8	5140	87	47	24380	569	5	2967	60	..	..	..	..	
Totals ..	..	25	..	63	15	3	4	87	253420	6418	16	45652	778	103	299072	7196	4	4568	99	3	7522	95	7	12090	194	91	257988	6517	19	53174	873	..	..	..	..	
Totals ..	..	32	..	100	19	6	5	128	274385	6926	19	46894	812	147	321279	7738	10	7983	160	5	9247	121	15	17230	281	138	282368	7086	24	56141	933	..	..	..	..	

Customs Department, Wellington, 14th April, 1909.

RICHD. CARTER, Secretary and Inspector.

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED REVENUE

1907-1908.		RECEIPTS.	1908-1909.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
1,215,517	2 2	Balance at beginning of Year,—		
		Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	1,080,094	0 1
		Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government,—		
16,993	8 3	In the Dominion .. .. .	13,080	16 6
29,993	13 0	In London .. .. .	69,609	18 0
563	15 7	On account of Imperial Pensions .. .. .	619	5 7
4,757	10 9	On account of other Governments .. .. .	4,445	6 3
1,267,825	9 9		1,187,849	6 5
550,000	0 0	Less Treasury Bills outstanding .. .. .	400,000	0 0
717,825	9 9			767,849 6 5
		Ordinary Revenue,—		
3,103,564	15 7	Customs .. .. .	2,801,248	7 3
1,550,933	10 10	Stamps, including Postal and Telegraph Cash Receipts .. .. .	1,591,327	9 11
537,846	5 9	Land-tax .. .. .	604,900	13 1
304,904	14 5	Income-tax .. .. .	321,044	0 11
113,972	19 9	Beer Duty .. .. .	116,214	1 3
2,765,395	4 4	Railways .. .. .	2,918,507	6 0
129,165	9 3	Registration and other Fees .. .. .	117,061	6 7
42,217	2 8	Marine .. .. .	43,815	3 10
218,342	7 0	Miscellaneous .. .. .	264,209	16 7
8,766,342	9 7		8,778,328	5 5
		Territorial Revenue,—		
45,233	3 0	Cash Land Sales .. .. .	55,379	15 11
2,255	1 0	Deferred-payment Land Sales .. .. .	1,782	4 2
242,115	2 5	Pastoral Runs, Rents, and Miscellaneous .. .. .	165,694	19 7
289,603	6 5		222,856	19 8
9,055,945	16 0			9,001,185 5 1
		Debentures issued,—		
		“New Zealand Loans Act, 1908” (“The Consolidated Stock Act, 1884”),—		
385,500	0 0	In renewal of debentures matured 4th January, 1909 .. .. .	165,000	0 0
		In renewal of debentures matured 31st December, 1907 .. .. .	..	..
				165,000 0 0
		Recoveries in respect of Expenditure of previous Years,—		
801	11 3	In respect of payments made on account of Cook Islands .. .. .	443	1 6
3,000	0 0	In respect of payments made on account of Niue Island .. .. .	356	15 5
4,241	9 2	Refund of purchase-money of schooner “Countess of Ranfurly” .. .. .	..	..
8,043	0 5	Recoupment by Land for Settlements Account of interest paid on borrowed money .. .. .	..	..
				799 16 11
		Debentures renewed,—		
		“The Dairy Industry Act, 1908,”—		
		Debentures matured 1st August, 1908 .. .. .	..	..
				438 0 0
		Sinking Funds set free,—		
800,000	0 0	Applicable to the redemption of debentures issued under—		
124,000	0 0	“The Immigration and Public Works Loan Act, 1870” .. .. .	..	..
924,000	0 0	“The Consolidated Stock Act, 1884” .. .. .	..	..
£11,091,314	6 2	Totals .. .. .	£9,935,272	8 5

FUND for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

## ACCOUNT.

1907-1908.		EXPENDITURE.	1908-1909.			
£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
		<b>Permanent Appropriations,—</b>				
		Civil List .. .. .	33,953	6 11		
2,187,419	0 0	Interest and Sinking Fund .. .. .	2,258,364	15 9		
357,221	8 10	Under Special Acts of the Legislature .. .. .	369,837	14 8		
90,135	17 2	Subsidies paid to Local Bodies .. .. .	95,060	17 4		
		<b>Amounts paid over to Local Bodies and to Deposit Accounts—</b>				
32,512	14 9	Payments under the Land Acts .. .. .	29,315	14 5		
22,706	18 7	Payments under the Timber and Flax Royalties Act .. .. .	9,307	10 11		
		<b>Endowments—</b>				
3,718	5 10	New Plymouth Harbour Board .. .. .	3,262	19 4		
19,788	19 10	Greymouth Harbour Board .. .. .	18,204	9 1		
54,391	3 5	Westport Harbour Board .. .. .	56,190	13 11		
325,036	2 6	Old-age Pensions .. .. .	336,532	1 7		
3,128,621	8 7				3,210,030	3 11
		<b>Annual Appropriations,—</b>				
		Class I.—Legislative Departments .. .. .	29,280	19 8		
29,788	13 11	Class II.—Department of Minister of Finance .. .. .	49,672	6 8		
56,892	5 3	Class III.—Post and Telegraph Department .. .. .	805,537	13 5		
707,136	1 10	Class IV.—Industries and Commerce and Tourist and Health Resorts Departments .. .. .	64,292	2 4		
54,536	8 10	Class V.—Old-age Pensions Department .. .. .	9,098	2 2		
5,765	15 3	Class VI.—Working Railways Department .. .. .	2,120,308	4 10		
1,963,227	15 2	Class VII.—Public Buildings and Domains .. .. .	65,229	12 8		
47,475	19 6	Class VIII.—Maintenance of Roads .. .. .	20,366	1 4		
19,207	14 4	Class IX.—Printing and Stationery Department .. .. .	46,963	11 9		
46,261	4 7	Class X.—Stamp and Deeds Department .. .. .	37,396	8 0		
37,963	6 0	Class XI.—Native Department .. .. .	30,839	19 11		
24,656	5 11	Class XII.—Justice Department .. .. .	150,081	2 3		
149,241	9 5	Class XIII.—Police Department .. .. .	170,323	13 1		
157,856	19 1	Class XIV.—Mines Department .. .. .	33,679	12 9		
84,470	0 5	Class XV.—Department of Internal Affairs .. .. .	150,704	12 10		
114,799	16 5	Class XVI.—Crown Law Department .. .. .	4,372	11 7		
4,340	3 7	Class XVII.—Defence Department .. .. .	195,685	3 0		
176,426	2 4	Class XVIII.—Customs Department .. .. .	52,308	14 2		
49,511	19 5	Class XIX.—Marine and Harbours and Inspection of Machinery Departments .. .. .	79,012	10 11		
76,629	19 5	Class XX.—Department of Labour .. .. .	30,277	1 6		
29,047	10 7	Class XXI.—Department of Lands and Survey .. .. .	232,167	4 11		
172,825	16 11	Class XXII.—Department of Agriculture .. .. .	156,649	12 4		
136,041	8 3	Class XXIII.—Valuation Department .. .. .	35,450	17 1		
33,096	5 11	Class XXIV.—Education Department .. .. .	848,234	4 2		
821,423	2 0	Class XXV.—Public Health Department .. .. .	37,975	15 4		
33,252	18 11	Class XXVI.—Mental Hospitals and Hospitals and Charitable Departments .. .. .	105,447	18 4		
99,395	4 8	Services not provided for .. .. .	14,127	8 1		
4,133	3 3				5,575,483	5 1
5,085,343	11 2					
800,000	0 0	Revenue transferred to the Public Works Fund .. .. .			800,000	0 0
		<b>Debentures renewed,—</b>				
		“New Zealand Loans Act, 1908” (“The Consolidated Stock Act, 1884”),—				
		Debentures due 4th January, 1909, renewed as per contra .. .. .	165,000	0 0		
385,500	0 0	Debentures due 31st December, 1907, renewed as per contra .. .. .			165,000	0 0
		“The Dairy Industry Act, 1908,”—				
		Debentures matured 1st August, 1908, renewed as per contra .. .. .			438	0 0
		<b>Debentures redeemed,—</b>				
800,000	0 0	“The Immigration and Public Works Loan Act, 1870” matured 1st June, 1907 .. .. .				
124,000	0 0	“The Consolidated Stock Act, 1884” due 31st December, 1907 .. .. .				
924,000	0 0					
		<b>Balance at end of Year,—</b>				
1,080,094	0 1	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	387,163	1 6		
		<b>Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—</b>				
13,080	16 6	In the Dominion .. .. .	42,287	4 0		
69,609	18 0	In London .. .. .				
619	5 7	On account of Imperial Pensions .. .. .	17	11 9		
4,445	6 3	On account of other Governments .. .. .	4,853	2 2		
1,167,849	6 5		434,320	19 5		
400,000	0 0	Less Treasury Bills outstanding .. .. .	250,000	0 0		
767,849	6 5				184,320	19 5
£11,091,314	6 2	<b>Totals .. .. .</b>			£9,935,272	8 5



STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the **CONSOLIDATED**  
TREASURY BILLS

1907-1908.		RECEIPTS.				1908-1909.			
£	s. d.					£	s. d.	£	s. d.
550,000	0 0	Treasury Bills outstanding at beginning of Year	..	..	..	..	..	400,000	0 0
550,000	0 0	Treasury Bills issued during Year	..	..	..	..	200,000	0 0	
		Treasury Bills renewed	..	..	..	..	400,000	0 0	
								600,000	0 0
<b>£1,100,000</b>	<b>0 0</b>	<b>Totals</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>£1,000,000</b>	<b>0 0</b>

## STATE FORESTS

£	s. d.					£	s. d.	£	s. d.
16,379	6 5	Balance at beginning of Year,—	..	..	..	..	..		
		Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	8,487	9 4	
73	7 6	Advances in hands of Officers of the Government—	..	..	..	..	391	18 6	
		In the Dominion	..	..	..	..			8,879
<b>16,452</b>	<b>13 11</b>								<b>7 10</b>
		Rents from Lands set apart	..	..	..	..	3,891	0 6	
3,083	1 5	Miscellaneous	..	..	..	..	28,728	5 3	
15,174	18 10								32,619
									<b>5 9</b>
18,258	0 3								
<b>£34,710</b>	<b>14 2</b>	<b>Totals</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>£41,498</b>	<b>13 7</b>

## STATE COAL-

£	s. d.					£	s. d.	£	s. d.
91,213	16 9	Balance at beginning of Year,—	..	..	..	..	..		
		Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	44,060	14 6	
4,613	7 5	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	..	..	..	..	7	1 4	
		In the Dominion	..	..	..	..			44,067
<b>95,827</b>	<b>4 2</b>								<b>15 10</b>
		Proceeds of sale of coal	..	..	..	..	..	253,528	5 2
222,583	0 4								
		"The State Coal Mines Act, 1901,"—	..	..	..	..	..	..	
100,000	0 0	Debentures matured 1st April, 1907, renewed under "The New Zealand Loans Act, 1904"	..	..	..	..	..	..	
<b>£418,410</b>	<b>4 6</b>	<b>Totals</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>£297,596</b>	<b>1 0</b>

## SCENERY PRESERVATION

£	s. d.					£	s. d.	£	s. d.
3,678	2 0	Balance at beginning of Year,—	..	..	..	..	..		
		Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	8,182	18 11	
		Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	..	..	..	..	10	16 0	
		In the Dominion	..	..	..	..			8,193
<b>3,678</b>	<b>2 0</b>								<b>14 11</b>
		"The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903,"—	..	..	..	..	..	..	
10,000	0 0	Proceeds of Debentures issued	..	..	..	..	..	..	
<b>£13,678</b>	<b>2 0</b>	<b>Totals</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>£8,193</b>	<b>14 11</b>

FUND for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

## ACCOUNT.

1907-1908.		EXPENDITURE.						1908-1909.			
£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.
550,000	0 0	Treasury Bills renewed during Year	..	..	..	..	..	400,000	0 0	750,000	0 0
150,000	0 0	Treasury Bills paid off during Year	..	..	..	..	..	350,000	0 0		
700,000	0 0										
400,000	0 0	Treasury Bills outstanding at end of Year	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	250,000	0 0
£1,100,000	0 0	Totals	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	£1,000,000	0 0

## ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.
25,831	6 4	Annual Appropriation,— Vote 123—State Forests Branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26,962	0 0
8,487	9 4	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	..	14,346	16 7	14,536	13 7
391	18 6	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	..	..	..	..	..	189	17 0		
8,879	7 10										
£34,710	14 2	Totals	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	£41,498	13 7

## MINES ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.
190,425	0 0	Annual Appropriation,— Vote 124—State Coal-mines	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	267,074	13 0
4,200	0 0	Interest on Debentures	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,500	0 0
39,717	8 8	Expenditure under section 120 of "The Coal-mines Act, 1908"	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
40,000	0 0	"The State Coal Mines Act, 1901,"— Debentures matured, 1st April, 1907, paid off	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
100,000	0 0	Debentures matured, 1st April, 1907, renewed as per contra	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
140,000	0 0										
44,060	14 6	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	..	17,950	8 11	27,021	8 0
7	1 4	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	..	..	..	..	..	9,070	19 1		
44,067	15 10										
£418,410	4 6	Totals	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	£297,596	1 0

## ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.
5,484	7 1	Annual Appropriation,— Vote 125—Scenery Preservation	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,765	5 2
8,182	18 11	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	..	2,370	13 10	2,428	9 9
10	16 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	..	..	..	..	..	57	15 11		
8,193	14 11										
£13,678	2 0	Totals	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	£8,193	14 11

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED ACCOUNTS OF

1907-1908.		RECEIPTS.	1908-1909.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
15,814	11 0	Balance at beginning of Year,—	15,194	2 3
		Cash in the Public Account .. .. .		
		Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
		In the Dominion .. .. .		
88	5 9			
15,902	16 9			15,194 2 3
		Revenue received for Local Bodies,—		
		Fees, Fines, &c. .. .. .	9,473	0 8
8,940	12 10	Endowments of Land, &c. .. .. .	20,777	7 7
22,070	19 2	Goldfields Revenue .. .. .	17,399	14 0
18,247	13 6	Gold Duty .. .. .	27,722	1 5
30,684	17 10			75,372 3 8
79,944	3 4			
		Counties Separate Accounts,—		
		Revenue of Counties in which "The Counties Act, 1908," is not in full operation .. .. .		
146	13 5			164 3 6
		Advance Account,—		
		Amount repaid by Local Bodies .. .. .	48,804	4 5
46,665	15 5	Ditto on account of Unauthorised Expenditure of previous years .. .. .	51	18 1
62	12 8			48,856 2 6
46,728	8 1			
		Totals .. .. .		£199,586 11 11
£142,722	1 7			

## DEPOSIT

1907-1908.		DEPOSIT.	1908-1909.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
138,680	0 10	Balance at beginning of Year,—	244,909	13 2
		Cash in the Public Account .. .. .		
		Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
		In the Dominion .. .. .	40	11 11
131	3 2	In London .. .. .	2,898	6 4
61,129	16 0			247,848 11 5
199,941	0 0			
		Lodgments,—		
		Emigrants' Deposits .. .. .	48,235	17 8
35,220	3 9	Fisheries Act, 1908 .. .. .	14	19 10
7	15 3	General Assembly Library Fund .. .. .	50	0 0
75	0 0	Greymouth Harbour Board Act, 1884, Special Coal Rate Account .. .. .		
895	6 1	Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Acts, 1908 .. .. .	3	18 7
7	17 6	Imperial Government (South Africa Contingents) .. .. .	2,192	3 0
1,359	12 0	Land Act, 1908—		
		Mining Districts Land Occupation Account .. .. .	1,487	6 0
990	13 7	National Endowments .. .. .	76,222	11 9
		Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905 .. .. .		
		Miscellaneous .. .. .	177,979	13 4
7,019	13 5	Money-order Settlement .. .. .	42,081	19 9
149,500	10 4	Moiety of Rotorua Bath Fees .. .. .	1,348	12 3
146,174	2 6	Native Township of Hokio .. .. .	4	4 0
1,311	18 10	Karewa .. .. .	5	10 0
12	11 0	Parata .. .. .	54	5 0
7	0 0	Parawai .. .. .	12	5 6
86	0 8	Pipiriki .. .. .	98	12 6
48	7 0	Potaka .. .. .	133	12 3
176	15 8	Rotoiti .. .. .	15	3 9
163	17 6	Te Araroa .. .. .	41	16 3
27	8 9	Te Puia .. .. .	142	1 0
70	0 6	Te Puru .. .. .	9	6 11
55	15 0	Tokaanu .. .. .	88	8 6
17	10 6	Tuatine .. .. .	63	7 3
174	18 3	Waipiro .. .. .	126	1 9
89	18 6	Nelson Rifle Prize Fund .. .. .	43	19 0
128	14 0	New Zealand International Exhibition .. .. .		
26	15 0	New Zealand University Endowment, Canterbury .. .. .		
458	18 0	New Zealand University Endowment, Taranaki .. .. .	0	15 6
195	0 0	North Island Experimental Dairy School .. .. .	197	0 0
47	0 0	North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Application Act 1886 Amendment Act, 1889 .. .. .	17,934	0 5
		Public Trust Office Remittance Account .. .. .	11,616	4 0
24,249	8 4	Railways .. .. .	3,695	12 6
22,377	5 11	Tauranga Educational Endowment Reserves Act, 1896 .. .. .	70	3 9
10,880	0 0	Thermal-springs Districts Act, 1908 .. .. .	249	4 9
33	4 5	Trustees Act, 1908 .. .. .	333	13 10
258	7 6	Unclaimed New Zealand Bonds .. .. .		
521	12 2	Westport Harbour Board Act, 1884, Special Coal Rate Account .. .. .	1,732	1 10
200	0 0			386,334 7 5
1,712	15 1			
404,581	17 0	Totals .. .. .		£634,182 18 10
£604,522	17 0			

FUND for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

LOCAL BODIES.

1907-1908.		EXPENDITURE.	1908-1909.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
9,232	3 0	Revenue paid over to Local Bodies,—		
21,550	19 8	Fees, Fines, &c. . . . .	9,357	3 1
17,966	19 0	Endowments of Land, &c. . . . .	22,095	17 6
31,902	7 0	Goldfields Revenue . . . . .	16,710	5 11
		Gold Duty . . . . .	28,554	6 5
80,652	8 8			76,717 12 11
		Counties Separate Account,—		
131	12 1	Amount distributed amongst Local Bodies where "The Counties Act, 1908," is not in full operation . . . . .	..	171 14 1
		Advance Accounts,—		
46,743	18 7	Payments on behalf of Local Bodies . . . . .	53,674	16 10
		Payments on behalf of Local Bodies, unauthorised . . . . .	10,000	0 0
				63,674 16 10
		Balance at end of Year,—		
15,194	2 3	Cash in the Public Account . . . . .	Dr. 979	0 1
..		Less Advances in hands of Officers of the Government—		
..		In the Dominion . . . . .	1	8 2
				Dr. 977 11 11
£142,722	1 7	Totals . . . . .	..	£139,586 11 11

ACCOUNTS.

1907-1908.		EXPENDITURE.	1908-1909.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
35,840	17 7	Withdrawals,—		
..		Emigrants' Deposits . . . . .	45,546	7 8
75	0 0	Fisheries Act, 1908 . . . . .	7	15 3
279	8 8	General Assembly Library Fund . . . . .	..	..
230	6 3	Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Acts, 1908 . . . . .	..	..
206	16 9	Imperial Government (South Africa Contingents) . . . . .	431	5 6
		Land Transfer Act, 1908 . . . . .	45	0 0
		Land Act, 1908—		
535	12 10	Mining Districts Land Occupation Account . . . . .	504	10 7
..		National Endowments . . . . .	9,080	9 10
760	7 3	Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905 . . . . .	3,355	4 1
174,048	14 2	Miscellaneous . . . . .	170,529	17 5
..		Moiety, Rotorua Bath Fees . . . . .	9,443	10 1
99,424	2 6	Money-order Settlement . . . . .	117,462	1 3
..		Native Township, Hokio . . . . .	47	9 0
..		" Karewa . . . . .	66	18 3
..		" Parata . . . . .	291	6 8
..		" Parawai . . . . .	196	3 0
126	4 10	" Pipiriki . . . . .	423	15 10
200	4 3	" Potaka . . . . .	224	17 0
..		" Rototiti . . . . .	188	13 3
..		" Te Araroa . . . . .	559	8 9
..		" Te Puia . . . . .	469	0 9
11	6 7	" Te Puru . . . . .	87	6 3
84	9 0	" Tokaanu . . . . .	358	3 0
..		" Tuatine . . . . .	585	17 5
312	14 8	" Waipiro . . . . .	376	15 1
63	6 6	Nelson Rifle Prize Fund . . . . .	..	..
458	18 0	New Zealand International Exhibition . . . . .	..	..
3,142	13 10	New Zealand University Endowment, Canterbury . . . . .	..	..
1	5 9	Ngatirahiri Compensation . . . . .	..	..
6,247	0 7	North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Application Act 1886 Amendment Act, 1889 . . . . .	37,617	5 8
26	5 7	North Island Experimental Dairy School . . . . .	8	10 0
..		Permanent-way Material Account . . . . .	24,286	12 4
20,696	9 8	Public Trust Office Remittance Account . . . . .	13,556	6 7
13,859	2 10	Railways . . . . .	5,483	19 10
42	17 6	Thermal-springs Districts Act, 1908.. . . .	134	4 11
356,674	5 7			441,368 15 3
		Balance at end of Year,—		
244,909	13 2	Cash in the Public Account . . . . .	191,601	12 5
40	11 11	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
2,898	6 4	In the Dominion . . . . .	1,212	11 2
		In London . . . . .	..	..
247,848	11 5			192,814 3 7
£604,522	17 0	Totals . . . . .	..	£634,182 18 10

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC WORKS

1907-1908.		RECEIPTS.	1908-1909.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
323,071	0 0	Balance at beginning of Year,—		
		Cash in Public Account .. .. .	124,769	0 0
		Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
15,265	0 9	In the Dominion .. .. .	18,654	4 8
21,063	18 2	In London .. .. .	14,139	14 2
359,399	18 11			152,562 18 10
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1900,—		
		Provision for debentures matured—		
500	0 0	Debentures sold .. .. .	380,000	0 0
3,000	0 0	Debentures renewed under "The New Zealand Loans Act, 1904" .. .. .		
3,500	0 0			380,000 0 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1901,—		
		Provision for debentures falling due 1st December, 1908—		
		Debentures sold .. .. .	142,700	0 0
		Debentures renewed .. .. .	10,000	0 0
		Provision for Debentures falling due 1st January, 1909—		
		Debentures renewed .. .. .	32,900	0 0
		Premiums received .. .. .	272	12 6
				185,872 12 6
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1902,—		
200	0 0	Debentures issued for redemption of debentures matured 1st December, 1906 .. .. .		
		Debentures matured 1st December, 1906, renewed under "New Zealand Loans Act, 1904" .. .. .	3,000	0 0
				3,000 0 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1903,—		
		Provision for Debentures matured 1st January, 1909—		
		Debentures renewed under "The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908" .. .. .	222,475	0 0
		Debentures sold .. .. .	119,665	0 0
		Premium received on sale and renewal of debentures .. .. .	95	15 0
		Provision for Debentures matured 1st February, 1909—		
		Debentures renewed under "The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908" .. .. .	200,000	0 0
				542,235 15 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1907,—		
808,200	0 0	Debentures issued in respect of £1,000,000 loan authorised .. .. .	191,800	0 0
11,594	0 0	Premiums received .. .. .	3,836	0 0
819,794	0 0			195,636 0 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1908,—		
		Debentures issued in respect of £1,250,000 loan authorised .. .. .	1,200,000	0 0
		Premiums .. .. .	500	0 0
				1,200,500 0 0
		The Lands Improvement and Native Lands Acquisition Act, 1894,—		
		Debentures matured 30th September, 1908, renewed .. .. .		
				400,000 0 0
		The Post and Telegraph Act, 1908,—		
		Debentures issued .. .. .		
				200,000 0 0
800,000	0 0	Revenue transferred from the Consolidated Fund in aid of Public Works .. .. .		
		Special Receipts in connection with the Ellesmere and Forsyth Reclamation and Akaroa Railway Trust .. .. .		
1,640	6 1			1,610 4 9
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1906,—		
56,400	0 0	Proceeds of scrip and debentures issued (balance £1,000,000 loan) .. .. .		
1,920	0 0	Premium received .. .. .		
58,320	0 0			
£2,042,854	5 0	Totals .. .. .		£4,061,417 11 1

FUND for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

1907-1908.		EXPENDITURE.	1908-1909.		
£	s. d.		£	s. d.	
		<b>Annual Appropriations,—</b>			
		Class XXVII.—Public Works, Departmental	24,511	19 10	
1,056,925	17 4	XXVIII.—Railways .. .. .	1,102,792	18 8	
219,148	1 11	XXIX.—Public Buildings .. .. .	285,385	7 11	
6,862	19 10	XXX.—Lighthouses, Harbour-works, and Harbour Defences .. .. .	19,217	6 1	
45,026	11 1	XXXI.—Tourist and Health Resorts.. .. .	23,910	10 2	
9,130	17 7	XXXII.—Immigration .. .. .	15,076	10 5	
323,716	19 4	XXXIII.—Roads .. .. .	469,547	16 5	
8,631	12 2	XXXIV.—Development of Goldfields .. .. .	32,859	3 7	
2,190	9 2	XXXV.—Purchase of Native Lands .. .. .	2,098	14 5	
155,491	8 6	XXXVI.—Telegraph Extension .. .. .	163,032	14 2	
836	17 6	XXXVII.—Rates on Native Lands .. .. .	27	1 0	
18,574	9 0	XXXVIII.—Contingent Defence .. .. .	10,765	11 4	
9,560	13 1	XXXIX.—Lands Improvement .. .. .	19,541	18 7	
314	13 6	Utilisation of Water-power.. .. .	..	..	
<b>1,874,438</b>	<b>11 3</b>			<b>2,168,767</b>	<b>12 7</b>
		<b>Unauthorised,—</b>			
7,125	7 5	Services not provided for .. .. .	..	510	14 5
		<b>The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—</b>			
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1900—			
500	0 0	Debentures matured 1st April, 1908, redeemed .. .. .	372,400	0 0	
3,000	0 0	Debentures matured 1st May, 1907, renewed as per contra .. .. .	..	..	
<b>3,500</b>	<b>0 0</b>			<b>372,400</b>	<b>0 0</b>
		<b>The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1901—</b>			
..		Debentures matured 1st December, 1908, renewed as per contra .. .. .	10,000	0 0	
..		Debentures matured 1st December, 1908, redeemed .. .. .	142,400	0 0	
..		Debentures matured 1st January, 1909, renewed as per contra .. .. .	32,900	0 0	
<b>..</b>				<b>185,300</b>	<b>0 0</b>
		<b>The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1902—</b>			
200	0 0	Debentures matured 1st December, 1906, redeemed .. .. .	..	..	
..		Debentures matured 1st December, 1906, renewed as per contra .. .. .	3,000	0 0	
<b>200</b>	<b>0 0</b>			<b>3,000</b>	<b>0 0</b>
		<b>The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1903—</b>			
..		Debentures matured 1st January, 1909, redeemed .. .. .	119,975	0 0	
..		Debentures matured 1st January, 1909, renewed as per contra .. .. .	222,475	0 0	
..		Debentures matured 1st February, 1909, renewed as per contra .. .. .	200,000	0 0	
<b>..</b>				<b>542,450</b>	<b>0 0</b>
		<b>Lands Improvement and Native Lands Acquisition Act, 1894,—</b>			
..		Debentures matured 30th September, 1908, renewed as per contra .. .. .	..	400,000	0 0
		<b>Charges and Expenses, authorised by "The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908," in respect of loans raised under—</b>			
..		Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1900 .. .. .	801	0 0	
..		Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1901 .. .. .	255	17 0	
..		Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1903 .. .. .	315	0 3	
641	18 10	Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1906 .. .. .	..	..	
4,385	8 8	Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1907 .. .. .	1,389	10 8	
<b>5,027</b>	<b>7 6</b>			<b>2,761</b>	<b>7 11</b>
		<b>The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1908</b> .. .. .	..	2,518	6 6
		<b>Balance at end of Year,—</b>			
124,769	0 0	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	223,211	13 8	
13,654	4 8	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—			
14,139	14 2	In the Dominion .. .. .	30,497	16 0	
..		In London .. .. .	..	..	
..		Investment Account .. .. .	130,000	0 0	
<b>152,562</b>	<b>18 10</b>			<b>383,709</b>	<b>9 8</b>
<b>£2,042,854</b>	<b>5 0</b>	<b>Totals</b> .. .. .	..	<b>£4,061,417</b>	<b>11 1</b>

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the **PUBLIC WORKS**  
**HUTT RAILWAY AND ROAD IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT** for the

1907-1908.	RECEIPTS.	1908-1909.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
12,074 8 2	Balance at beginning of Year,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	15,853 8 6	15,853 8 6
12,074 8 2			
50,000 0 0	The Hutt Railway and Road Improvement Act, 1907,— Proceeds of Debentures issued .. .. .	69,300 0 0	
..	Premium .. .. .	266 0 0	69,566 0 0
<u>£62,074 8 2</u>	Totals .. .. .	..	<u>£85,419 8 6</u>

**THE RAILWAYS IMPROVEMENTS AUTHORISATION ACT ACCOUNT**

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
93,526 10 10	Balance at beginning of Year,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	19,365 4 0	19,365 4 0
65,000 0 0	The Government Railways Act, 1908,— Proceeds of Scrip and Debentures issued .. .. .	145,100 0 0	
1,300 0 0	Premiums received .. .. .	30 0 0	145,130 0 0
66,300 0 0			
<u>£159,826 10 10</u>	Totals .. .. .	..	<u>£164,495 4 0</u>

**THE WAIKAKA BRANCH RAILWAY**

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
..	Balance at beginning of Year,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	11,415 18 6	
..	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In London .. .. .	1,975 8 8	13,391 7 2
50,000 0 0	The Waikaka Branch Railway Act, 1905,— Proceeds of £53,476 3-per-cent. Debentures issued .. .. .	..	..
<u>£50,000 0 0</u>	Totals .. .. .	..	<u>£13,391 7 2</u>

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the **WELLINGTON-MANA-**

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
..	The Wellington and Manawatu Railway Purchase Act, 1908,— Debentures issued for Acquisition of the Wellington and Manawatu Railway .. .. .	1,000,000 0 0	
..	Premium received thereon .. .. .	2,500 0 0	1,002,500 0 0
..	Interest recovered from Company under section 6 of "The Wellington-Manawatu Railway Purchase Act, 1908" .. .. .	..	5,369 17 3
..	Total .. .. .	..	<u>£1,007,869 17 3</u>

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the **CHEVIOT ESTATE ACCOUNT**

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
42,895 10 3	Balance at beginning of Year,— Cash in Public Account .. .. .	48,314 5 7	48,314 5 7
14,291 5 10	Receipts under "The Land Act, 1908,"— Rents from Lands .. .. .	..	13,492 17 7
..	Other Receipts,— Interest on Securities held by Investment Account .. .. .	..	487 2 5
<u>£57,186 16 1</u>	Totals .. .. .	..	<u>£62,294 5 7</u>



FUND for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

1907-1908.		EXPENDITURE.	1908-1909.	
£	s. d.	Annual Appropriation,—	£	s. d.
46,220	19 8	Vote 129—Hutt Railway and Road Improvement .. .. .	..	66,407 16 11
..	..	The Hutt Railway and Road Improvement Act, 1907,—	..	109 10 0
..	..	Charges and expenses authorised by "The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908" ..	..	..
15,853	8 6	Balance at end of Year,—	..	18,902 1 7
..	..	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..
£62,074	8 2	Totals .. .. .	..	£85,419 8 6

for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

£	s. d.	Vote 130—Railways Improvements .. .. .	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
140,052	16 4	.. .. .	..	..	141,534	1 6
408	10 6	The Government Railways Act, 1908,—	..	..	14	19 4
..	..	Charges and Expenses authorised by "The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908" ..	..	..	..	..
19,365	4 0	Balance at end of Year,—	..	..	22,946	3 2
..	..	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	..	..
£159,826	10 10	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£164,495	4 0

ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st March, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

£	s. d.	Expenditure under the Act .. .. .	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
36,608	12 10	.. .. .	..	..	13,391	7 2
11,415	18 6	Balance at end of Year,—	..	..	..	..
1,975	8 8	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	..	..
..	..	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	..	..	..	..
..	..	In London .. .. .	..	..	..	..
13,391	7 2	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£13,391	7 2
£50,000	0 0	.. .. .	..	..	..	..

WATU RAILWAY PURCHASE ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909.

£	s. d.	The Wellington and Manawatu Railway Purchase Act, 1908,—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
..	..	Payment to Company for Purchase of Railway .. .. .	915,000	0 0	..	..
..	..	Interest, 7th December, 1908, to 27th February, 1909 ..	3,594	10 5	935,009	0 5
..	..	Railway stores taken over from Company .. .. .	15,164	10 0	32,869	15 6
..	..	Charges and Expenses of raising £1,000,000 loan .. .. .	1,250	0 0	39,991	1 4
..	..	Improvements, additions, and alterations after acquisition .. .. .	..	..	..	..
..	..	Balance at end of Year,—	..	..	..	..
..	..	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	..	..
..	..	Total .. .. .	..	..	£1,007,869	17 3

for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

£	s. d.	Interest .. .. .	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
8,866	2 6	.. .. .	8,866	2 6	..	..
6	8 0	Surveys, Roading, &c. .. .. .	15	0 2	8,881	2 8
8,872	10 6	.. .. .	..	..	..	..
48,314	5 7	Balance at end of Year,—	6,413	2 11	53,413	2 11
..	..	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	47,000	0 0	..	..
..	..	Investment Account .. .. .	..	..	..	..
£57,186	16 1	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£62,294	5 7

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS

1907-1908.	RECEIPTS.	1908-1909.
£ s. d.		£ s. d.
	Balance at beginning of Year,—	
249,320 4 4	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	89,645 17 11
	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	
80,000 0 0	In London .. .. .	1,415 8 1
	In the Dominion .. .. .	1,001 6 4
400,000 0 0	Investment Account .. .. .	400,000 0 0
729,320 4 4		492,062 12 4
	The Land for Settlements Act, 1908,—	
390,690 0 0	Proceeds of scrip and debentures issued .. .. .	566,020 0 0
2,924 0 0	Premiums received .. .. .	226 0 0
415,600 0 0	Debentures matured 1st February, 1908, renewed .. .. .	200 0 0
..	Debentures matured 1st August, 1908, renewed .. .. .	172,600 0 0
..	Debentures matured 1st January, 1909, renewed .. .. .	75,075 0 0
809,214 0 0		814,121 0 0
	Receipts on account of capital value of land under "The Land Act, 1908,"—	
131 0 0	Section 191 .. .. .	2,467 18 0
1,032 0 0	Section 177 .. .. .	12,162 6 6
1,163 0 0		14,630 4 6
	Receipts on account of capital value of land under section 69 of "The Land for Settlements Act, 1908" .. .. .	2,417 2 2
	Receipts derived from Estates,—	
230,357 4 11	Rents, &c. .. .. .	237,831 8 3
	Other Receipts,—	
13,814 0 5	Interest on Securities held by the Land for Settlements Investment Account .. .. .	12,792 0 1
	Recoveries,—	
..	Kauroo Hill .. .. .	8 8 6
2 4 2	Kurow Estate .. .. .	..
..	Otekaike .. .. .	8,247 19 6
214 16 0	Plunket Estate .. .. .	1 7 2
150 0 0	Selwyn Estate .. .. .	..
..	Tautari .. .. .	278 8 9
15 1 6	Wangapeka Estate .. .. .	..
382 1 8		8,536 3 11
	Credits in reduction.—	
..	Aorangi .. .. .	0 5 0
606 19 9	Bickerstaffe .. .. .	..
6 0 0	Fencourt .. .. .	..
..	Heretaunga .. .. .	40 13 0
20 0 0	Lyndon No. 2 .. .. .	..
..	Windle .. .. .	6 8 6
632 19 9		47 6 6
£1,784,883 11 1	Carried forward .. .. .	£1,582,437 17 9

ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

1907-1908.		EXPENDITURE.			1908-1909.		
£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
3,879	15 6	Annual Appropriations,—					
2,487	1 8	Vote 126—Land for Settlements Expenses .. .. .			2,399	9 2	
		Vote 127—Workers' Dwellings Expenses .. .. .			6,851	18 4	
6,366	17 2						9,251 7 6
Acquirement of Estates,—					Total.		
Total.	Name of Estate.	Purchase-money.	Incidental Expenses.	Total.			
27,815 7 7	Airedale .. .. .		0 18 0	0 18 0			
2 11 0	Albury .. .. .		12 4 0	12 4 0			
271 10 9	Annan .. .. .		55 9 3	55 9 3			
0 10 6	Ardgowan .. .. .		3 18 0	3 18 0			
51 12 0	Argyll .. .. .		58 5 6	58 5 6			
.. .. .	Ashley Gorge .. .. .		2 19 6	2 19 6			
2 13 0	Barnego .. .. .		6 16 5	6 16 5			
0 10 6	Beaumont .. .. .		6 18 4	6 18 4			
160 7 7	Bickerstaffe .. .. .		21 2 8	21 2 8			
5 18 0	Blind River .. .. .		32 12 2	32 12 2			
.. .. .	Braco .. .. .		0 2 0	0 2 0			
37 9 2	Braeburn (Wilkie and Page) .. .. .	13,727 11 10	949 4 0	14,676 15 10			
13 12 0	Cadman .. .. .		6 15 0	6 15 0			
503 5 8	Carrington (Booth, W. H., Public Trustee) .. .. .	39,155 0 0	1,053 11 1	40,208 11 1			
7 16 8	Carroll .. .. .		6 15 0	6 15 0			
0 15 0	Chamberlain .. .. .		2 19 6	2 19 6			
1 11 3	Cradock .. .. .		4 3 1	4 3 1			
95 11 4	Culverden (Trustee late J. Cracroft-Wilson) .. .. .	121,251 16 2	1,763 14 3	123,015 10 5			
11 9 0	Duncan .. .. .		8 10 0	8 10 0			
2,595 15 0	Dyer .. .. .		2,940 16 4	2,940 16 4			
.. .. .	Earnsclough .. .. .		1 4 0	1 4 0			
.. .. .	Eccleston .. .. .		0 11 8	0 11 8			
96 13 3	Eccleston No. 2 .. .. .		4 8 0	4 8 0			
866 3 11	Edendale .. .. .		601 3 9	601 3 9			
.. .. .	Elderslie .. .. .		1 11 0	1 11 0			
2 15 0	Elsthorpe .. .. .		0 0 3	0 0 3			
0 8 8	Epuni .. .. .		2 4 10	2 4 10			
.. .. .	Fencourt .. .. .		21 4 11	21 4 11			
1,382 15 7	Flaxbourne .. .. .		239 19 1	239 19 1			
.. .. .	Forestgate .. .. .		3 5 4	3 5 4			
149 11 0	Glenham .. .. .		8 15 3	8 15 3			
36 18 6	Greenfield .. .. .		705 2 0	705 2 0			
.. .. .	Hall-Jones .. .. .		44 17 8	44 17 8			
19 14 11	Hatuma .. .. .		37 1 6	37 1 6			
1,497 12 10	Hawtrey .. .. .		837 12 11	837 12 11			
.. .. .	Hekeao .. .. .		4 2 6	4 2 6			
43 2 3	Heretaunga.. .. .		.. .. .	.. .. .			
137 12 4	Hetana .. .. .		114 3 8	114 3 8			
2 14 6	Highbank .. .. .		17 2 11	17 2 11			
2 18 0	Hikawera .. .. .		1 14 0	1 14 0			
2 17 0	Horsley Downs .. .. .		5 1 6	5 1 6			
1,391 19 3	Huinga .. .. .		3 12 9	3 12 9			
2 8 4	Kaimahi .. .. .		0 2 0	0 2 0			
44,999 15 3	Kanakanaia .. .. .		82 14 9	82 14 9			
.. .. .	Kapua .. .. .		1 10 6	1 10 6			
85 1 5	Kapuaotohe .. .. .		41 12 9	41 12 9			
.. .. .	Karapiro .. .. .		64 1 1	64 1 1			
.. .. .	Kauroo Hill (Teschmaker, E. J., T., C. de S., H. J., and C. M.) .. .. .	133,804 16 6	630 16 10	134,435 13 4			
.. .. .	Kereta .. .. .		0 5 0	0 5 0			
2,620 13 5	Kinloch .. .. .		6 17 10	6 17 10			
30 0 0	Kitchener .. .. .		2 0 8	2 0 8			
.. .. .	Kohika .. .. .		1 19 6	1 19 6			
2 18 6	Kumeroa .. .. .		82 0 0	82 0 0			
89 10 5	Kurow .. .. .		123 3 8	123 3 8			
41 12 10	Langdale .. .. .		2 18 10	2 18 10			
2,518 14 11	Lawry .. .. .		230 4 0	230 4 0			
841 10 5	Lindsay .. .. .		238 6 6	238 6 6			
0 4 6	Longbush .. .. .		2 18 10	2 18 10			
13 4 3	Loughnan .. .. .		.. .. .	.. .. .			
3 13 10	Lynch's .. .. .		.. .. .	.. .. .			
1 10 0	Lyndon No. 1 .. .. .		4 4 0	4 4 0			
2 13 6	Lyndon No. 2 .. .. .		1 3 0	1 3 0			
1 0 0	Maerewhenua .. .. .		5 5 8	5 5 8			
1 7 0	Mahora .. .. .		0 11 0	0 11 0			
1,139 6 3	Mahupuku .. .. .		411 12 9	411 12 9			
126 2 8	Makareao .. .. .		108 5 7	108 5 7			
3 18 0	Manga-a-toro .. .. .		247 0 0	247 0 0			
9,687 2 8	Mangapouri .. .. .		2 5 3	2 5 3			
82,581 7 10	Mangatahi .. .. .		30 19 6	30 19 6			
507 0 0	Mangawhata .. .. .		213 15 6	213 15 6			
18,457 15 1	Mangawhero .. .. .		7 8 1	7 8 1			
.. .. .	Marawiti .. .. .		2 6 6	2 6 6			
105 7 10	Matamata .. .. .		78 13 10	78 13 10			
14 12 5	Maytown .. .. .		0 12 6	0 12 6			
5 17 0	Mead .. .. .		5 9 6	5 9 6			
£201,096 11 4	Carried forward .. .. .	307,939 4 6	12,223 19 0	320,163 3 6			9,251 7 6

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS

1907-1908.	RECEIPTS.	1908-1909.
£ s. d. 1,784,888 11 1	Brought forward .. .. .	£ s. d. .. .. . 1,582,437 17 9
£1,784,888 11 1	Totals .. .. .	.. .. . £1,582,437 17 9

ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908—continued.

1907-1908.		EXPENDITURE.			1908-1909.			
£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
201,096	11 4	Brought forward .. .. .	307,939	4 6	12,223	19 0	320,163	3 6
		Acquirement of Estates—continued.						
		Name of Estate.	Purchase-money.	Incidental Expenses.	Total.			
		Meadowbank (J. Wither) .. .. .	15,544	18 3	170	15 4	15,715	13 7
		Melling .. .. .	..	..	58	9 10	58	9 10
		Merrivale .. .. .	..	..	11	9 8	11	9 8
		Methuen .. .. .	..	..	188	5 8	188	5 8
		Mills .. .. .	..	..	15	8 1	15	8 1
		Morice (H. White) .. .. .	196	9 10	6	3 6	202	13 4
		Normandale .. .. .	..	..	12	14 6	12	14 6
		Northbank .. .. .	..	..	19	10 0	19	10 0
		Ohakea .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
		Okauia .. .. .	..	..	8	18 2	8	18 2
		Omaka .. .. .	..	..	27	12 3	27	12 3
		Opouriao .. .. .	..	..	8	6 11	8	6 11
		Orakipaoa .. .. .	..	..	5	8 6	5	8 6
		Otaio .. .. .	..	..	0	10 9	0	10 9
		Otarakaro .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
		Otekaieke (Receiver of Land Revenue, Dunedin, purchase of Crown land) .. .. .	15,940	0 0	1,557	15 11	17,497	15 11
		Papakā .. .. .	..	..	0	13 6	0	13 6
		Pareora .. .. .	..	..	1	11 0	1	11 0
		Pareora No. 2 .. .. .	..	..	4	0 9	4	0 9
		Patoa .. .. .	..	..	2	16 6	2	16 6
		Pawaho .. .. .	..	..	50	16 6	50	16 6
		Pitt .. .. .	..	..	8	10 0	8	10 0
		Poerua .. .. .	..	..	105	14 4	105	14 4
		Plumer .. .. .	..	..	34	11 5	34	11 5
		Plunket .. .. .	..	..	672	4 10	672	4 10
		Prescot .. .. .	..	..	0	7 7	0	7 7
		Pomahaka .. .. .	..	..	2	13 11	2	13 11
		Pouparae .. .. .	..	..	4	8 2	4	8 2
		Pourerere .. .. .	..	..	11	13 0	11	13 0
		Punaroa .. .. .	..	..	4	7 0	4	7 0
		Puhipuhi .. .. .	..	..	4	1 3	4	1 3
		Puhuka .. .. .	..	..	0	7 0	0	7 0
		Puketapu .. .. .	..	..	0	15 0	0	15 0
		Rainford .. .. .	..	..	17	15 7	17	15 7
		Rakatairi .. .. .	..	..	4	10 6	4	10 6
		Rangiatea .. .. .	..	..	5	18 4	5	18 4
		Raumati .. .. .	..	..	5,397	1 5	5,397	1 5
		Rapuwai .. .. .	..	..	2	1 6	2	1 6
		Raureka .. .. .	..	..	0	5 6	0	5 6
		Rautawiri .. .. .	..	..	0	15 0	0	15 0
		Rawiri .. .. .	..	..	61	10 11	61	10 11
		Rewi .. .. .	..	..	48	18 1	48	18 1
		Richmond Brook .. .. .	..	..	22	3 1	22	3 1
		Ringway .. .. .	..	..	8	5 7	8	5 7
		Roimata .. .. .	..	..	0	2 6	0	2 6
		Rosebrook .. .. .	..	..	1	3 0	1	3 0
		Rosewill .. .. .	..	..	692	11 11	692	11 11
		Selwyn .. .. .	..	..	361	18 2	361	18 2
		Spotswood .. .. .	..	..	84	4 6	84	4 6
		Starborough .. .. .	..	..	321	17 10	321	17 10
		Steward .. .. .	..	..	845	7 10	845	7 10
		Tablelands .. .. .	..	..	1	14 0	1	14 0
		Takitū .. .. .	..	..	1	5 0	1	5 0
		Tamai .. .. .	..	..	20	5 3	20	5 3
		Tarawahi .. .. .	..	..	5	13 0	5	13 0
		Taumata .. .. .	..	..	74	4 9	74	4 9
		Tautari .. .. .	..	..	2,940	8 5	2,940	8 5
		Tawaha .. .. .	..	..	9	13 11	9	13 11
		Teanaraki .. .. .	..	..	6	0 0	6	0 0
		Te Arai .. .. .	..	..	3,769	16 0	3,769	16 0
		Teasdale .. .. .	..	..	678	17 8	678	17 8
		Te Mata (B. Chambers) .. .. .	9	6 8	31	9 0	40	15 8
		Tokarahi .. .. .	..	..	2	17 0	2	17 0
		Tomoana .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
		Totara .. .. .	..	..	282	3 6	282	3 6
		Waari .. .. .	..	..	34	12 2	34	12 2
		Waddington .. .. .	..	..	21	1 10	21	1 10
		Waiapi .. .. .	..	..	2	0 0	2	0 0
		Waikakahi .. .. .	..	..	41	19 7	41	19 7
		Waimana .. .. .	..	..	1,251	10 4	1,251	10 4
		Waimarie .. .. .	..	..	4	13 2	4	13 2
		Waipapa .. .. .	..	..	13	14 9	13	14 9
		Walker .. .. .	..	..	6	15 7	6	15 7
		Wangapeka .. .. .	..	..	281	16 9	281	16 9
		Wharenui .. .. .	..	..	10	1 0	10	1 0
		Whitehall .. .. .	..	..	7	7 6	7	7 6
		Wigan .. .. .	..	..	5	4 0	5	4 0
		Willford .. .. .	..	..	0	6 0	0	6 0
		Willows .. .. .	..	..	4	8 5	4	8 5
		Windsor Park .. .. .	..	..	3	11 6	3	11 6
		Windsor Park No. 2 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
		Windle .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
605,490	7 2		339,629	19 3	32,615	1 2	372,245	0 5
£611,857	4 4	Carried forward .. .. .	..	..	..	..	£381,496	7 11

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS

1907-1908.	RECEIPTS.	1908-1909.
<p>£ s. d. 1,784,883 11 1</p>	<p>Brought forward .. .. .</p>	<p>£ s. d. 1,582,437 17 9</p>
<p>£1,784,883 11 1</p>	<p>Totals .. .. .</p>	<p>£1,582,437 17 9</p>

## ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

1907-1908.	EXPENDITURE.	1908-1909.
£ s. d. 611,857 4 4	Brought forward .. .. .	£ s. d. 381,496 7 11
	The Land for Settlements Act, 1908,—	
	Debentures redeemed—	
	Matured 1st August, 1908 .. .. .	58,050 0 0
266,800 0 0	Matured 1st February, 1908 .. .. .	5,500 0 0
	Matured 1st April, 1908 .. .. .	250,000 0 0
	Matured 1st January, 1909 .. .. .	40,975 0 0
	Debentures renewed—	
	Matured 1st January, 1909, as per contra .. .. .	75,075 0 0
148,800 0 0	Matured 1st February, 1908, as per contra .. .. .	200 0 0
	Matured 1st August, 1908, as per contra .. .. .	172,600 0 0
415,600 0 0		602,400 0 0
	The Land for Settlements Act, 1908,—	
	Charges and Expenses,—	
956 6 11	On issue of Debentures .. .. .	208 4 8
15 18 4	On renewal of Debentures .. .. .	488 16 10
865 14 6	On redemption of Debentures .. .. .	232 6 1
1,837 19 9		929 7 7
	The Land for Settlements Act, 1908,—	
	Interest on advances .. .. .	292 16 6
209,060 14 8	Interest recouped to Consolidated Fund in respect of Debentures issued .. .. .	215,535 4 3
	Sinking Fund £1 per cent. on amount issued .. .. .	57,963 1 7
	Balance at end of Year,—	
89,645 17 11	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	20,504 2 0
	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	
1,001 6 4	In the Dominion .. .. .	1,816 2 4
1,415 8 1	In London .. .. .	
400,000 0 0	Investment Account .. .. .	301,500 15 7
492,062 12 4		323,820 19 11
£1,784,883 11 1	Totals .. .. .	£1,582,437 17 9



## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the MAORI LAND SETTLEMENT

1907-1908.		RECEIPTS.	1908-1909.	
£	s. d.	Balance at beginning of Year,—	£	s. d.
95,687	7 0	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	4,299	5 3
		Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
886	17 7	In the Dominion .. .. .	28	17 2
96,574	4 7			4,328 2 5
		Amount received in respect of Survey Liens .. .. .		67 7 9
		Amount received on account of Shares of Purchase-money of Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 58 Block .. .. .		1,789 14 5
50,000	0 0	The Maori Land Settlement Act Amendment Act, 1907,—		
		Proceeds of Debentures issued .. .. .		
£146,574	4 7	Totals .. .. .		£6,185 4 7

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONVERSION

£		s. d.		£		s. d.		£		s. d.	
266		8 8		188		9 11					
102,000		0 0		50,000		0 0		50,188		9 11	
102,266		8 8						30,074		4 8	
97,179		13 7								20,114 5 3	
5,086		15 1									
288,000		0 0						1,226,828		0 0	
340,676		10 0						12,900		0 0	
5,000		0 0								1,239,728 0 0	
633,676		10 0									
106		5 0									
£638,869		10 1								£1,259,842 5 3	

## ACT ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

1907-1908.		EXPENDITURE.						1908-1909.			
£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.
2,574	9 0	Vote 128—Maori Land Settlement Expenses .. .. .						..	..	832	6 2
139,671	13 2	Acquirement of Land .. .. .						..	..	615	7 1
4,299	5 3	Balance at end of Year,—						4,645	0 3		
28	17 2	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .						..	..		
4,328	2 5	Advances in the hands of officers of the Government—						92	11 1	4,737	11 4
		In the Dominion .. .. .						..	..		
£146,574	4 7	Totals .. .. .						..	..	£6,185	4 7

## ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

£	s. d.				£	s. d.	£	s. d.
		Amount converted.	Rate.	Premium.				
		£	£	£				
201,412	10 0	Debentures converted into 3½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock,—						
32,415	0 0	Immigration and Public Works Loan Act, 1870			..	..	..	..
..	..	300,000	102	6,000				
18,889	0 0	25,000	102	500				
7,210	0 0	2,800	101	28				
80,750	0 0	420,000	102	8,400				
..	..	250,000	102	5,000				
340,676	10 0	205,000	102	4,100	1,202,800	..	24,028	1,226,828 0 0
266,100	0 0	Debentures redeemed .. .. .			..	..	..	..
2,062	10 0	Expenses Account,—						
3,512	10 0	Brokerage and Commission .. .. .			..	..	12,500	0 0
3,945	10 11	Discount .. .. .			..	..	70	15 0
376	12 10	Stamp Duty .. .. .			..	..	8,454	15 0
2,073	3 1	Rent and Office Expenses .. .. .			..	..	394	14 10
8	8 0	Interest .. .. .			..	..	1,206	5 11
11,978	14 10	Law Costs .. .. .			..	..	..	..
Dr. 30,074	4 8	Balance at end of Year,—						
188	9 11	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .			..	..	9,943	12 11
50,000	0 0	Advances in the hands of Stock Agents—			..	..	444	1 7
20,114	5 3	Cash .. .. .			..	..	..	..
£638,869	10 1	In the hands of High Commissioner—			..	..	..	..
		3½-per-cent. Stock for sale .. .. .			..	..	..	10,387 14 6
		Totals .. .. .			..	..	..	£1,259,842 5 3

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES

1907-1908.		RECEIPTS.				1908-1909.					
£	s.	d.				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
			Balance at beginning of Year,—								
397	0	8	Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	..	11,271	0	5
397	0	8									
185,000	0	0	The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908,—								
..			Proceeds of Debentures issued	..	..	..	..	..	250,000	0	0
185,000	0	0	Debentures matured 1st January, 1909, renewed	..	..	..	..	..	790,000	0	0
									1,040,000	0	0
250,300	0	0	The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886,—								
			Debentures due 1st September, 1907, renewed under "The New Zealand Loans Act, 1904"	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
178	11	7	Repayments under sections 64 and 72 of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908,"—								
71	12	3	Counties—								
..			Clifton	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..			Clutha	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..			Kairanga	..	..	..	..	..	14	8	11
..			Levels	..	..	..	..	..	23	6	11
..			Masterton	..	..	..	..	..	100	0	0
..			Pahiatua	..	..	..	..	..	109	7	2
..			Stratford	..	..	..	..	..	63	16	1
91	7	7	Wairarapa South	..	..	..	..	..	..		
324	5	1	Road Boards—								
..			Manganui	..	..	..	..	..	..		
152	5	9	Boroughs—						35	12	4
..			Carterton	..	..	..	..	..	182	9	1
..			Whangarei	..	..	..	..	..	..		
818	2	3									
486,515	2	11	Carried forward	..	..	..	..	..	£1,051,800	0	11

ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

1907-1908.		EXPENDITURE.					1908-1909.		1908-1909.	
£	s. d.	Grants under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908,"--					£	s. d.	£	s. d.
		Counties--								
2,400	0 0	Akitio	..	..	..	..	3,100	0 0		
..	..	Amuri	..	..	..	..	5,000	0 0		
1,600	0 0	Bruce	..	..	..	..	850	0 0		
..	..	Castlepoint	..	..	..	..	800	0 0		
..	..	Clifton	..	..	..	..	1,330	0 0		
1,950	0 0	Collingwood	..	..	..	..	1,959	0 0		
6,000	0 0	Cook	..	..	..	..	6,000	0 0		
..	..	Dannevirke	..	..	..	..	2,910	0 0		
3,500	0 0	Egmont	..	..	..	..	400	0 0		
..	..	Eketahuna	..	..	..	..	585	0 0		
..	..	Eltham	..	..	..	..	4,500	0 0		
1,000	0 0	Featherston	..	..	..	..	200	0 0		
2,000	0 0	Geraldine	..	..	..	..	4,000	0 0		
399	0 0	Grey	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..	..	Hawke's Bay	..	..	..	..	1,850	0 0		
2,750	0 0	Hobson	..	..	..	..	2,500	0 0		
4,500	0 0	Horowhenua	..	..	..	..	4,950	0 0		
1,650	0 0	Hutt	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..	..	Inangahua	..	..	..	..	1,500	0 0		
..	..	Kaikoura	..	..	..	..	5,000	0 0		
..	..	Kairanga	..	..	..	..	225	0 0		
1,000	0 0	Kawhia	..	..	..	..	300	0 0		
800	0 0	Kiwitea	..	..	..	..	2,319	0 0		
2,000	0 0	Mackenzie	..	..	..	..	..	..		
1,150	0 0	Manawatu	..	..	..	..	1,400	0 0		
6,000	0 0	Masterton	..	..	..	..	2,225	0 0		
350	0 0	Ohinemuri	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..	..	Opotiki	..	..	..	..	2,000	0 0		
2,000	0 0	Oroua	..	..	..	..	3,624	0 0		
211	0 0	Pahiatua	..	..	..	..	1,570	0 0		
..	..	Patangata	..	..	..	..	5,500	0 0		
400	0 0	Patea	..	..	..	..	..	..		
1,600	0 0	Piako	..	..	..	..	3,000	0 0		
1,650	0 0	Pohangina	..	..	..	..	1,115	0 0		
6,000	0 0	Raglan	..	..	..	..	3,650	0 0		
6,000	0 0	Rangitikei	..	..	..	..	4,670	0 0		
..	..	Southland	..	..	..	..	400	0 0		
3,100	0 0	Stratford	..	..	..	..	4,100	0 0		
3,250	0 0	Taranaki	..	..	..	..	2,500	0 0		
1,000	0 0	Tauranga	..	..	..	..	3,000	0 0		
500	0 0	Waikato	..	..	..	..	500	0 0		
..	..	Waikato	..	..	..	..	837	0 0		
400	0 0	Wairarapa	..	..	..	..	..	..		
3,100	0 0	Waipara	..	..	..	..	2,000	0 0		
2,500	0 0	Waipawa	..	..	..	..	..	..		
100	0 0	Wairarapa South	..	..	..	..	..	..		
2,425	0 0	Wairoa	..	..	..	..	3,375	0 0		
..	..	Waitomo	..	..	..	..	2,000	0 0		
..	..	Weber	..	..	..	..	553	0 0		
512	0 0	Westland	..	..	..	..	..	..		
2,500	0 0	Whangarei	..	..	..	..	1,500	0 0		
250	0 0	Woodville	..	..	..	..	1,900	0 0		
76,547	0 0								101,697	0 0
3,000	0 0	City Council— Christchurch	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,500	0 0
380	0 0	Boroughs— Akaroa	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	Alexandra	..	..	..	..	1,200	0 0		
2,800	0 0	Birkenhead	..	..	..	..	700	0 0		
..	..	Campbelltown	..	..	..	..	3,000	0 0		
700	0 0	Carterton	..	..	..	..	..	..		
1,000	0 0	Cromwell	..	..	..	..	2,000	0 0		
1,000	0 0	Dannevirke	..	..	..	..	1,000	0 0		
600	0 0	Eketahuna	..	..	..	..	1,500	0 0		
..	..	Eltham	..	..	..	..	2,500	0 0		
2,800	0 0	Feilding	..	..	..	..	6,800	0 0		
600	0 0	Foxton	..	..	..	..	..	..		
2,449	0 0	Greymouth	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..	..	Hamilton	..	..	..	..	2,000	0 0		
5,000	0 0	Hokitika	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..	..	Kaipoi	..	..	..	..	1,000	0 0		
1,300	0 0	Kumara	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..	..	Levin	..	..	..	..	4,400	0 0		
..	..	Lyttelton	..	..	..	..	10,000	0 0		
500	0 0	Maori Hill	..	..	..	..	360	0 0		
1,750	0 0	New Plymouth	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..	..	Onslow	..	..	..	..	700	0 0		
350	0 0	Petone	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..	..	Picton	..	..	..	..	4,000	0 0		
..	..	Stratford	..	..	..	..	2,000	0 0		
..	..	Taihape	..	..	..	..	1,025	0 0		
..	..	Te Aroha	..	..	..	..	3,000	0 0		
2,000	0 0	Waihi	..	..	..	..	..	..		
1,500	0 0	Westport	..	..	..	..	..	..		
2,000	0 0	Woodville	..	..	..	..	1,500	0 0		
26,729	0 0								48,685	0 0
106,276	0 0	Carried forward	..	..	..	..			£155,882	0 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES

1907-1908.	RECEIPTS.	1908-1909.	
£ s. d. 436,515 2 11	Brought forward .. .. .	£ s. d. .. .. .	£ s. d. 1,051,800 0 11
£436,515 2 11		..	£1,051,800 0 11

ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908—continued.

1907-1908.		EXPENDITURE.				1908-1909.		
£	s. d.					£	s. d.	
106,276	0 0	Brought forward .. .. .				155,882	0 0	
		Grants under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908"—continued.						
		Road Boards—						
1,000	0 0	Awatere	..	..	..	1,000	0 0	
150	0 0	Barrett	..	..	..	500	0 0	
2,000	0 0	Carrington	..	..	..	825	0 0	
..	..	Heathcote	..	..	..	500	0 0	
825	0 0	Hunua	..	..	..	..	..	
264	0 0	Howick Township	..	..	..	1,000	0 0	
..	..	Huntly	..	..	..	3,000	0 0	
..	..	Kirikiri	..	..	..	300	0 0	
920	0 0	Manganui	..	..	..	..	..	
80	0 0	Mataongaonga	..	..	..	1,960	0 0	
2,980	0 0	Moa	..	..	..	3,000	0 0	
..	..	Omaka	..	..	..	100	0 0	
..	..	Papakura	..	..	..	1,350	0 0	
..	..	Parihaka	..	..	..	2,000	0 0	
800	0 0	Pukekohe East	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	Pukekohe West	..	..	..	770	0 0	
..	..	Port Chevalier	..	..	..	251	0 0	
..	..	Riccarton	..	..	..	250	0 0	
..	..	Turanga	..	..	..	..	..	
2,000	0 0	Upper Wangaehu	..	..	..	1,100	0 0	
2,000	0 0	Waikohu	..	..	..	..	..	
175	0 0	Waimate	..	..	..	2,426	0 0	
1,500	0 0	Waipipi	..	..	..	500	0 0	
..	..	Waitotara Momahaki	..	..	..	100	0 0	
50	0 0	Waitara West	..	..	..	97	0 0	
..	..	Waiwakaiho	..	..	..	..	..	
14,744	0 0					21,029	0 0	
		Town Boards—						
300	0 0	Bull's	..	..	..	300	0 0	
1,300	0 0	Featherston	..	..	..	800	0 0	
200	0 0	Martinborough	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	Ohakune	..	..	..	300	0 0	
..	..	Opotiki	..	..	..	300	0 0	
200	0 0	Otautau	..	..	..	..	..	
2,000	0 0					1,700	0 0	
		River Board—						
5,000	0 0	Hutt	..	..	..	..	5,000	0 0
		Drainage Boards—						
400	0 0	Eltham	..	..	..	800	0 0	
..	..	Hautapu	..	..	..	2,500	0 0	
..	..	Hopelands	..	..	..	250	0 0	
3,000	0 0	Hunga Hunga	..	..	..	..	..	
3,000	0 0	Makerua	..	..	..	3,000	0 0	
..	..	Moutoa	..	..	..	1,100	0 0	
..	..	Pukekohe	..	..	..	225	0 0	
2,000	0 0	Sefton-Ashley	..	..	..	..	..	
..	..	South Hautapu	..	..	..	350	0 0	
..	..	Sluggish River	..	..	..	300	0 0	
8,400	0 0					8,525	0 0	
		Total Grants .. .. .				192,136	0 0	
		Annual Appropriation,—						
38,524	2 6	Vote 131—Roads to open up Crown lands .. .. .				54,712	13 8	
		The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908,—						
..	..	Debentures matured 1st January, 1909, renewed as per contra .. .. .				790,000	0 0	
		The Government Loans to Local Bodies Act, 1886,—						
250,300	0 0	Debentures matured 1st September, 1907, renewed .. .. .				..	..	
		Amount transferred to Hauraki Plains Settlement Account under section 4 of "The Hauraki Plains Act, 1908" .. .. .				12,000	0 0	
		Balance at end of Year,—						
11,271	0 5	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .				2,406	9 10	
..	..	Advances in hands of officers of the Government—				544	17 5	
		In the Dominion .. .. .				2,951	7 3	
£436,515	2 11	Totals .. .. .				£1,051,800	0 11	

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the HAURAKI PLAINS

1907-1908.			RECEIPTS.				1908-1909.					
£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
..	..	..	Amount transferred from Loans to Local Bodies Account under clause 4 of "The Hauraki Plains Act, 1908" .. .. .				..	..	..	12,000	0	0
..	..	..	Total .. .. .				..	..	..	£12,000	0	0

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the GOVERNMENT ADVANCES TO SETTLERS

1907-1908.			RECEIPTS.				1908-1909.					
£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
240,000	0	0	The Government Advances to Settlers Act, 1908,—				1,094,700	0	0	1,097,713	15	0
..	..	..	Debentures issued .. .. .				3,013	15	0	..	..	..
..	..	..	Premium on same .. .. .				..	..	..	80,000	0	0
..	..	..	Debentures matured 5th June, 1908, renewed under "New Zealand Loans Act, 1904" .. .. .				..	..	..	954,100	0	0
..	..	..	Temporary advances obtained pending issue of Debentures .. .. .				..	..	..	..	..	..
£240,000	0	0	Totals .. .. .				..	..	..	£2,131,813	15	0

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the GOVERNMENT ADVANCES TO WORKERS

1907-1908.			RECEIPTS.				1908-1909.					
£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
95,000	0	0	The Government Advances to Settlers Act, 1908,—				..	..	..	73,500	0	0
..	..	..	Debentures issued .. .. .				..	..	..	150,000	0	0
..	..	..	Temporary advances obtained pending issue of Debentures .. .. .				..	..	..	..	..	..
£95,000	0	0	Totals .. .. .				..	..	..	£223,500	0	0

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the BANK OF NEW ZEALAND ACT,

1907-1908.			RECEIPTS.				1908-1909.					
£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
500,000	0	0	Balance at beginning of Year,—				..	..	..	500,000	0	0
..	..	..	Investment Account .. .. .				..	..	..	..	..	..
£500,000	0	0	Totals .. .. .				..	..	..	£500,000	0	0

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the RESERVE

1907-1908.			RECEIPTS.				1908-1909.					
£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
..	..	..	Balance at beginning of Year,—				..	..	..	800,000	0	0
..	..	..	Investment Account .. .. .				..	..	..	..	..	..
800,000	0	0	The Public Revenues Act, 1908,—				..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	Proceeds of Debentures created .. .. .				..	..	..	..	..	..
800,000	0	0	Securities purchased under authority of "The Public Revenues Act, 1908," as per contra .. .. .				..	..	..	..	..	..
£1,600,000	0	0	Totals .. .. .				..	..	..	£800,000	0	0



**SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT** for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909.

1907-1908.		EXPENDITURE.				1908-1909.			
£	s. d.					£	s. d.	£	s. d.
..	..	Expenditure under the Act	..	..	..	..	..	11,672	5 6
..	..	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	..	327	14 6
..	..	Total	..	..	..	..	..	£12,000	0 0

**OFFICE LOAN ACCOUNT** for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

£	s. d.					£	s. d.	£	s. d.
240,000	0 0	Amount paid over to Government Advances to Settlers Office Account	..	..	..	..	..	1,051,813	15 0
..	..	The Government Advances to Settlers Act, 1908,— Debentures matured 5th June, 1908, renewed as per contra	..	..	..	..	..	80,000	0 0
..	..	Temporary advances repaid	..	..	..	..	..	1,000,000	0 0
£240,000	0 0	Totals	..	..	..	..	..	£2,131,813	15 0

**LOAN ACCOUNT** for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

£	s. d.					£	s. d.	£	s. d.
95,000	0 0	Amount paid over to Government Advances to Workers Office Account	..	..	..	..	..	123,500	0 0
..	..	Temporary advances repaid	..	..	..	..	..	100,000	0 0
£95,000	0 0	Totals	..	..	..	..	..	£223,500	0 0

**1903, ACCOUNT** for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

£	s. d.					£	s. d.	£	s. d.
500,000	0 0	Balance at end of Year,— Investment Account— 75,000 preference shares issued by the Bank of New Zealand	..	..	..	..	..	500,000	0 0
£500,000	0 0	Totals	..	..	..	..	..	£500,000	0 0

**FUND ACCOUNT** for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1908.

£	s. d.					£	s. d.	£	s. d.
800,000	0 0	The Public Revenues Act, 1908,— Purchase of Securities (face value, £863,876 17s. 11d.)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
800,000	0 0	Balance at end of Year,— Investment Account	..	..	..	..	..	800,000	0 0
£1,600,000	0 0	Totals	..	..	..	..	..	£800,000	0 0

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the NEW ZEALAND CONSOLS

1907-1908.		RECEIPTS.								1908-1909.			
£	s. d.									£	s. d.	£	s. d.
		Balance at beginning of Year,—											
10	1 1	Cash in Deposit Account .. .. .								74	1 1		
478,225	0 0	Investment Account .. .. .								478,875	0 0		
478,235	1 1											478,449	1 1
214	0 0	Deposits inscribed .. .. .											124 0 0
£478,449	1 1	Totals .. .. .										£478,573	1 1

The Treasury, Wellington, 24th April, 1909.

ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1909, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1908.

1907-1908.			EXPENDITURE.								1908-1909.		
£	s.	d.									£	s.	d.
			Balance at end of Year,—										
	74	1 1	Cash in Deposit Account .. .. .									8	1 1
478,375	0	0	Investment Account .. .. .								478,565	0	0
478,449	1	1											
			Totals .. .. .										
£478,449	1	1											£478,573 1 1

ROBERT J. COLLINS,  
Secretary to the Treasury.

R. B. VINCENT,  
Accountant to the Treasury.

Examined and found correct.

JAS. B. HEYWOOD,  
Assistant Controller and Auditor.

## SUMMARY of BALANCES on 31st MARCH, 1909.

	BALANCES.			CASH.	ADVANCES.	INVESTMENTS.	TOTAL.			
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.		
<b>CONSOLIDATED FUND:—</b>										
Ordinary Revenue Account* ..	434,320	19 5		387,163	1 6	47,157	17 11	434,320	19 5	
State Forests Account ..	14,536	13 7		14,346	16 7	189	17 0	14,536	13 7	
State Coal-mines Account ..	27,021	8 0		17,950	8 11	9,070	19 1	27,021	8 0	
Scenery Preservation Account ..	2,428	9 9		2,376	18 10	57	15 11	2,428	9 9	
Accounts of Local Bodies ..	Dr. 977	11 11		Cr. 979	0 1	1	8 2	Cr. 977	11 11	
Deposit Accounts ..	192,814	3 7		191,601	12 5	1,212	11 2	192,814	3 7	
			670,144	2 5						
					612,453	13 2	57,690	9 3	670,144	2 5
<b>PUBLIC WORKS FUND</b> .. ..			383,709	9 8	223,211	13 8	30,497	16 0	383,709	9 8
<b>WELLINGTON-MANAWATU RAILWAY PURCHASE ACCOUNT</b> .. ..			39,991	1 4	39,991	1 4	..	..	39,991	1 4
<b>HUTT RAILWAY AND ROAD IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT</b> .. ..			18,902	1 7	18,902	1 7	..	..	18,902	1 7
<b>THE RAILWAYS IMPROVEMENTS AUTHORITY ACT ACCOUNT</b> .. ..			22,946	3 2	22,946	3 2	..	..	22,946	3 2
<b>LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT..</b>			323,820	19 11	20,504	2 0	1,816	2 4	301,500	15 7
<b>MAORI LAND SETTLEMENT ACT ACCOUNT</b> .. ..			4,737	11 4	4,645	0 3	92	11 1	4,737	11 4
<b>CHEVIOT ESTATE ACCOUNT</b> .. ..			53,413	2 11	6,413	2 11	..	47,000	0 0	
<b>LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACCOUNT</b>			2,951	7 3	2,406	9 10	544	17 5	2,951	7 3
<b>HAURAKI PLAINS SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT</b> .. ..			327	14 6	327	14 6	..	..	327	14 6
<b>CONVERSION ACCOUNT</b> .. ..			10,387	14 6	9,943	12 11	441	1 7	10,387	14 6
<b>NEW ZEALAND CONSOLS ACCOUNT..</b>			478,573	1 1	8	1 1	..	478,565	0 0	
<b>RESERVE FUND ACCOUNT..</b>			800,000	0 0	..	..	..	800,000	0 0	
<b>BANK OF NEW ZEALAND ACT, 1903, ACCOUNT</b> .. ..			500,000	0 0	..	..	..	500,000	0 0	
<b>GENERAL SERVICES ACCOUNT</b> .. ..			..	..	Cr. 84,981	10 5	84,981	10 5	500,000	0 0
<b>Totals</b> .. ..			3,309,904	9 8	876,771	6 0	176,067	8 1	2,257,065	15 7
									3,309,904	9 8

\* Against this Treasury Bills amounting to £250,000 are outstanding.

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 31st March, 1909, and for the corresponding period, 1908:—

KAWAKAWA SECTION.

	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	66	14	80	90	20	110
2nd Class	386	432	818	491	402	893
Total	452	446	898	581	422	1,003
Season Tickets			2			2
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			22			17
Horses			5			2
Carriages			1			2
Dogs			5			9
Total			33			30
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays			..			..
Cattle			..			6
Calves			..			..
Sheep			559			1,143
Pigs			..			..
Total			559			1,149
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.			..			6
Wool			..			..
Firewood			12			6
Timber			15			26
Grain			123			79
Merchandise			169			167
Minerals			..			120
Total			319			404
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			52 15 0			85 17 7
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			10 14 11			10 12 0
Goods			106 1 4			115 3 5
Miscellaneous			0 0 4			0 12 8
Rents and Commission			1 18 3			0 16 0
Total			£171 9 10			£213 1 8

WHANGAREI SECTION.

	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	1,001	606	1,607	1,087	750	1,837
2nd Class	2,588	2,536	5,124	2,757	2,852	5,609
Total	3,589	3,142	6,731	3,844	3,602	7,446
Season Tickets			41			16
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			209			209
Horses			..			..
Carriages			..			..
Dogs			4			10
Total			213			219
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays			5			16
Cattle			16			..
Calves			..			..
Sheep			561			13
Pigs			12			8
Total			594			37
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.			30			54
Wool			..			..
Firewood			156			126
Timber			3,079			2,454
Grain			374			346
Merchandise			372			260
Minerals			9,659			9,108
Total			13,670			12,348
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			342 12 8			414 12 7
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			34 11 7			35 17 2
Goods			2,225 10 0			1,864 16 5
Miscellaneous			23 12 2			25 13 5
Rents and Commission			15 7 4			30 5 7
Total			£2,641 13 9			£2,371 5 2

KAIHU SECTION.

	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	33	78	111	51	114	165
2nd Class	1,370	1,072	2,442	1,465	1,014	2,479
Total	1,403	1,150	2,553	1,516	1,128	2,644
Season Tickets			0			1
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			225			185
Horses			21			6
Carriages			..			..
Dogs			25			14
Total			271			205
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays			..			..
Cattle			..			4
Calves			..			..
Sheep			17			..
Pigs			..			..
Total			17			4
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.			..			..
Wool			..			..
Firewood			48			72
Timber			482			498
Grain			56			55
Merchandise			215			172
Minerals			40			..
Total			841			797
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			129 16 9			172 13 9
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			31 16 1			24 13 7
Goods			191 14 1			159 10 6
Miscellaneous			2 16 4			0 7 3
Rents and Commission			6 3 8			1 14 0
Total			£362 6 11			£358 19 1

GISBORNE SECTION.

	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	416	324	740	364	278	642
2nd Class	3,047	3,140	6,187	2,651	1,836	4,487
Total	3,463	3,464	6,927	3,015	2,114	5,129
Season Tickets			39			25
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			271			185
Horses			..			..
Carriages			..			..
Dogs			45			30
Total			316			215
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays			5			1
Cattle			..			..
Calves			..			..
Sheep			13,018			294
Pigs			..			1
Total			13,023			296
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.			72			30
Wool			28			13
Firewood			300			48
Timber			249			190
Grain			275			166
Merchandise			226			123
Minerals			699			296
Total			1,849			866
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			457 5 11			353 0 2
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			35 18 11			36 4 7
Goods			564 1 10			224 2 8
Miscellaneous			129 10 7			0 1 1
Rents and Commission			14 8 6			12 15 7
Total			£1,201 5 9			£626 4 1

## NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

		1909.		1908.	
PASSENGERS,—	S. R.	Total.	S. R.	Total.	
1st Class	23,344	47,116	23,146	39,840	62,986
2nd Class	123,552	275,334	118,244	224,620	342,864
Total	146,896	322,450	141,390	264,460	405,850
Season Tickets	..	10,206	..	..	9,613
PARCELS, ETC.,—		No.		No.	
Parcels	..	40,654	..	32,553	
Horses	..	943	..	882	
Carriages	..	118	..	111	
Dogs	..	2,225	..	2,297	
Total	..	43,940	..	35,843	
GOODS,—		No.		No.	
Drays	..	120	..	75	
Cattle	..	6,484	..	6,861	
Calves	..	517	..	957	
Sheep	..	518,022	..	326,679	
Pigs	..	12,734	..	12,528	
Total	..	537,877	..	347,100	
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	Tons. 7,122	..	Tons. 6,094	
Wool	..	1,313	..	927	
Firewood	..	4,838	..	5,132	
Timber	..	18,682	..	19,400	
Grain	..	22,933	..	20,912	
Merchandise	..	29,501	..	29,249	
Minerals	..	41,988	..	39,822	
Total	..	126,327	..	121,536	
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Passengers	..	58,252 1 10	..	42,724 7 4	
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	10,173 1 1	..	7,428 0 6	
Goods	..	73,521 1 11	..	59,660 3 5	
Miscellaneous	..	1,333 12 4	..	2,211 16 1	
Rents and Commission	..	1,546 17 0	..	1,095 16 2	
Total	..	£144,826 14 2	..	£118,120 3 6	

## SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

		1909.		1908.	
PASSENGERS,—	S. R.	Total.	S. R.	Total.	
1st Class	15,580	48,392	15,774	40,628	56,402
2nd Class	77,414	232,058	75,409	195,500	270,909
Total	92,994	280,450	91,183	236,128	327,311
Season Tickets	..	7,202	..	..	6,758
PARCELS, ETC.,—		No.		No.	
Parcels	..	50,728	..	48,384	
Horses	..	577	..	692	
Carriages	..	99	..	154	
Dogs	..	2,153	..	2,190	
Total	..	53,557	..	51,420	
GOODS,—		No.		No.	
Drays	..	133	..	89	
Cattle	..	4,097	..	2,502	
Calves	..	1,908	..	575	
Sheep	..	418,856	..	325,361	
Pigs	..	3,691	..	4,212	
Total	..	428,685	..	332,739	
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	Tons. 6,762	..	Tons. 8,336	
Wool	..	7,652	..	7,233	
Firewood	..	2,460	..	2,730	
Timber	..	16,386	..	14,124	
Grain	..	72,063	..	72,284	
Merchandise	..	36,927	..	39,725	
Minerals	..	51,774	..	45,434	
Total	..	194,024	..	189,926	
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Passengers	..	36,126 8 5	..	33,450 9 10	
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	8,062 8 11	..	7,805 8 0	
Goods	..	69,880 15 11	..	66,450 0 2	
Miscellaneous	..	1,900 18 3	..	1,710 17 8	
Rents and Commission	..	1,110 9 10	..	1,006 1 4	
Total	..	£117,081 1 4	..	£110,422 17 0	

## WESTLAND SECTION.

		1909.		1908.	
PASSENGERS,—	S. R.	Total.	S. R.	Total.	
1st Class	1,157	1,834	981	1,716	2,697
2nd Class	10,609	18,034	8,724	19,484	28,208
Total	11,766	19,868	9,705	21,200	30,905
Season Tickets	..	442	..	..	388
PARCELS, ETC.,—		No.		No.	
Parcels	..	2,096	..	1,717	
Horses	..	18	..	53	
Carriages	..	6	..	5	
Dogs	..	80	..	71	
Total	..	2,200	..	1,846	
GOODS,—		No.		No.	
Drays	..	14	..	10	
Cattle	..	328	..	168	
Calves	..	5	..	4	
Sheep	..	2,238	..	2,392	
Pigs	..	6	..	40	
Total	..	2,591	..	2,614	
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	Tons. 318	..	Tons. 114	
Wool	..	20	..	6	
Firewood	..	234	..	114	
Timber	..	7,731	..	9,903	
Grain	..	789	..	675	
Merchandise	..	2,010	..	1,500	
Minerals	..	37,368	..	30,751	
Total	..	48,470	..	43,063	
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Passengers	..	2,145 2 6	..	1,956 19 0	
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	335 12 8	..	355 5 2	
Goods	..	8,361 2 8	..	7,329 15 1	
Miscellaneous	..	349 17 6	..	275 11 9	
Rents and Commission	..	60 1 5	..	40 4 0	
Total	..	£11,274 16 9	..	£9,957 15 0	

## WESTPORT SECTION.

		1909.		1908.	
PASSENGERS,—	S. R.	Total.	S. R.	Total.	
1st Class	97	170	61	146	207
2nd Class	2,727	8,526	2,359	8,784	11,143
Total	2,824	8,696	2,420	8,930	11,350
Season Tickets	..	41	..	..	42
PARCELS, ETC.,—		No.		No.	
Parcels	..	558	..	539	
Horses	..	4	..	5	
Carriages	..	..	..	..	
Dogs	..	21	..	18	
Total	..	583	..	562	
GOODS,—		No.		No.	
Drays	..	1	..	..	
Cattle	..	1	..	..	
Calves	..	..	..	..	
Sheep	..	115	..	229	
Pigs	..	..	..	..	
Total	..	117	..	229	
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	Tons. 36	..	Tons. 42	
Wool	..	..	..	..	
Firewood	..	324	..	504	
Timber	..	265	..	402	
Grain	..	156	..	188	
Merchandise	..	553	..	513	
Minerals	..	47,120	..	52,889	
Total	..	48,454	..	54,538	
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Passengers	..	600 18 3	..	573 6 10	
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	73 16 7	..	67 5 0	
Goods	..	6,321 16 11	..	7,267 14 0	
Miscellaneous	..	321 1 5	..	499 6 2	
Rents and Commission	..	38 6 11	..	24 3 10	
Total	..	£7,356 0 1	..	£8,431 15 10	

## NELSON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	226	390	616	167	248	415
2nd Class	2,970	6,008	8,978	2,940	4,612	7,552
Total	3,196	6,398	9,594	3,107	4,860	7,967
Season Tickets	..	..	51	..	..	129
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	459	..	..	459
Horses	..	..	3	..	..	5
Carriages	..	..	3	..	..	7
Dogs	..	..	52	..	..	49
Total	..	..	517	..	..	520
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	1	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	2	..	..	2
Calves	..	..	70	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	4,290	..	..	1,336
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	4,363	..	..	1,338
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	306	..	..	342
Wool	..	..	29	..	..	10
Firewood	..	..	372	..	..	450
Timber	..	..	474	..	..	329
Grain	..	..	1,033	..	..	1,148
Merchandise	..	..	379	..	..	404
Minerals	..	..	758	..	..	748
Total	..	..	3,351	..	..	3,431
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	647 19 4	..	..	602 6 0
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	..	106 10 6	..	..	117 11 9
Goods	..	..	1,217 4 9	..	..	1,079 6 10
Miscellaneous	..	..	57 3 6	..	..	81 2 3
Rents and Commission	..	..	30 1 1	..	..	36 9 7
Total	..	..	£2,058 19 2	..	..	£1,916 16 5

## PICTON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	691	1,768	2,459	689	1,852	2,541
2nd Class	2,481	6,892	9,373	2,102	6,072	8,174
Total	3,172	8,660	11,832	2,791	7,924	10,715
Season Tickets	..	..	63	..	..	47
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	245	..	..	204
Horses	..	..	22	..	..	16
Carriages	..	..	3	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	74	..	..	43
Total	..	..	344	..	..	263
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	3	..	..	3
Cattle	..	..	13	..	..	15
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	24,585	..	..	8,946
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	68
Total	..	..	24,601	..	..	9,032

## PICTON SECTION—continued.

GOODS—continued.	1909.		1908.	
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	1,482	1,326
Wool	..	..	269	299
Firewood	..	..	258	288
Timber	..	..	26	268
Grain	..	..	2,713	2,051
Merchandise	..	..	545	425
Minerals	..	..	927	542
Total	..	..	6,220	5,199
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	778 16 1	710 4 9
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	..	77 7 1	75 4 8
Goods	..	..	1,788 2 7	1,344 14 9
Miscellaneous	..	..	760 12 8	130 3 7
Rents and Commission	..	..	17 6 9	18 2 9
Total	..	..	£3,422 5 2	£2,278 10 6

## LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.

PASSENGERS,—	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	222	1,354	1,576	232	2,034	2,266
2nd Class	342	592	934	..	604	604
Total	564	1,946	2,510	232	2,638	2,870
Season Tickets	..	..	0	..	..	1
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	719	..	..	757
Horses	..	..	12	..	..	15
Carriages	..	..	3	..	..	2
Dogs	..	..	21	..	..	8
Total	..	..	755	..	..	782
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	2
Cattle	..	..	15	..	..	21
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	786	..	..	970
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	801	..	..	993
			Tons.			Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	162	..	..	..
Wool	..	..	62	..	..	57
Firewood	..	..	..	..	..	..
Timber	..	..	84	..	..	74
Grain	..	..	56	..	..	80
Merchandise	..	..	168	..	..	135
Minerals	..	..	63	..	..	84
Total	..	..	595	..	..	430
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	431 8 4	..	..	426 18 10
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	..	74 19 7	..	..	82 14 4
Goods	..	..	259 0 7	..	..	191 7 10
Miscellaneous	..	..	0 6 0	..	..	Cr. 0 16 2
Rents and Commission	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	£765 14 6	..	..	£700 4 10

Railway Department, 28th April, 1909.

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## N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1908-9.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 31st March, 1909.

Section	Miles open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
<b>NORTH ISLAND,—</b>		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Kawakawa ..	8	171 9 10	1,989 17 2	222 4 9	3,398 4 10	170.78	248 14 8	424 15 7
Whangarei ..	23	2,641 13 9	30,485 15 6	1,132 13 8	12,657 13 1	41.52	1,325 9 4	550 6 8
Kaihu ..	17	362 6 11	4,303 8 4	478 0 11	4,613 8 1	107.20	253 2 10	271 7 6
Gisborne ..	23	1,201 5 9	11,091 12 6	756 16 9	7,382 13 4	66.56	493 7 8	328 8 0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,061	144,826 14	21,361,018 18 5	96,752 1 8	960,806 15 7	70.59	1,434 5 6	1,012 10 5
Total ..	1,132	149,203 10	51,408,889 11 11	99,341 17 9	988,858 14 11	70.19		
<b>SOUTH ISLAND,—</b>								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,299	117,081 1 4	1,241,021 3 5	84,681 12 2	957,096 5 3	77.12	961 16 11	741 15 10
Westland ..	130	11,274 16 9	123,588 18 1	5,489 10 6	80,616 8 2	65.23	966 8 2	630 7 8
Westport ..	31	7,356 0 1	102,463 0 5	2,934 2 6	43,097 6 2	42.06	3,305 5 2	1,390 4 8
Nelson ..	48	2,058 19 2	21,110 15 3	2,905 0 1	17,702 10 4	83.86	476 0 11	399 3 9
Picton ..	34	3,422 5 2	26,014 10 0	2,064 1 6	22,386 3 7	86.05	765 2 8	658 8 4
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	765 14 6	6,437 11 10	371 5 2	5,057 13 3	78.56		
Total ..	1,542	141,958 17	01,520,635 19 0	98,445 11 11	1,125,956 6 9	74.05		
Grand total ..	2,674	291,162 7	52,929,525 10 11	197,787 9 8	2,114,815 1 8	72.19		

## CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Section	Miles open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
<b>NORTH ISLAND,—</b>		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Kawakawa ..	8	213 1 8	1,984 6 2	261 5 8	2,896 14 3	145.98	248 0 9	362 1 9
Whangarei ..	23	2,371 5 2	30,566 6 1	1,107 15 2	12,242 1 0	40.05	1,328 19 5	532 5 3
Kaihu ..	17	358 19 1	4,426 10 8	430 9 1	4,889 11 3	110.46	260 7 8	287 12 5
Gisborne ..	20	626 4 1	8,396 19 8	428 12 4	5,798 13 4	69.06	427 4 10	295 0 9
North Island Main Lines and Branches	885	113,120 3	1,225,939 16 3	71,558 10 9	829,486 11 4	67.66	1,387 9 5	938 15 8
Total ..	953	116,689 13	1,271,313 18 10	73,786 13 0	855,313 11 2	67.28		
<b>SOUTH ISLAND,—</b>								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,288	110,422 17 0	1,218,903 3 9	80,168 19 6	931,708 6 4	76.44	946 7 1	723 7 5
Westland ..	125	9,957 15 0	121,205 19 7	7,026 7 1	77,618 8 5	64.04	970 10 10	621 10 5
Westport ..	31	8,431 15 10	97,979 19 6	4,146 2 1	44,782 4 2	45.71	3,160 12 10	1,444 11 9
Nelson ..	43	1,916 16 5	20,756 8 10	1,503 0 5	17,237 11 7	83.05	482 14 2	400 17 5
Picton ..	34	2,278 10 6	25,141 17 5	1,584 11 3	17,721 6 10	70.49	739 9 4	521 4 4
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	700 4 10	6,636 10 5	410 0 3	5,377 1 10	81.02		
Total ..	1,521	133,707 19 7	1,490,623 19 6	94,839 0 7	1,094,444 19 2	73.42		
Grand total ..	2,474	250,397 13	12,761,937 18 4	168,625 13 7	1,949,758 10 4	70.59		

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Railway Department, 28th April, 1909.



COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of TRAFFIC on ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1908, to 31st March, 1909.

All Sections.	Passengers.					Season Tickets.	Number.					Number.						
	First Class.		Second Class.		Total.		Total.	Parcels.	Horses.	Carriages.	Dogs.	Total.	Drays, &c.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.
	S.	R.	S.	R.	Total.													
1909	456,521	1,237,316	2,397,743	6,365,564	10,457,144	192,547	961,293	19,124	2,550	50,798	1,033,765	2427	145,275	14,609	5,211,489	117,626	5,491,426	
1908	444,424	1,134,494	2,327,416	5,850,382	9,756,716	185,174	937,565	18,423	2,829	47,766	1,006,583	2530	134,884	16,367	4,593,100	125,987	4,872,368	
Inc.	12,097	102,822	70,327	515,182	700,428	7,373	23,728	701	..	3,032	27,182	..	10,891	..	618,389	..	619,058	
Dec.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	279	..	..	103	..	1,758	..	8,361	..	

All Sections.	Tons.															
	Chaff, Lime, &c.		Wool.		Firewood.		Timber.		Grain.		Merchandise.		Minerals.		Total.	
	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.
1909 ..	182,666	0 0	137,916	8 0	102,620	0 0	582,859	12 0	793,793	6 0	729,970	13 0	2,342,048	8 0	4,871,874	7 0
1908 ..	169,767	0 0	120,593	4 0	110,154	0 0	616,891	18 0	739,568	10 0	757,646	18 0	2,319,912	14 0	4,834,534	4 0
Increase ..	12,899	0 0	17,323	4 0	..	..	..	..	54,224	16 0	..	..	22,135	14 0	37,340	3 0
Decrease ..	..	..	..	..	7,534	0 0	34,032	6 0	..	..	27,676	5 0	..	..	..	..

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION, ALL LINES, to 31st March, 1908, as furnished by Public Works Department and by Greymouth and Westport Harbour Boards respectively.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.		Cost of Unopened Lines.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Kawakawa .. .. .	92,765	0 0	57,802	0 0
Whangarei .. .. .	177,996	0 0	38,388	0 0
Kaihu .. .. .	67,891	0 0	..	..
Auckland .. .. .	3,645,173	0 0	645,321	0 0
Gisborne-Karaka .. .. .	149,059	0 0	25,516	0 0
Wellington-Napier-New Plymouth	5,580,650	0 0	823,581	0 0
Wellington-Foxton (private line)	..	..	42,116	0 0
Surveys, North Island .. .. .	..	..	27,022	0 0
Miscellaneous .. .. .	..	..	5,169	0 0
Hurunui-Bluff .. .. .	11,997,562	0 0	264,174	0 0
Westland .. .. .	1,391,167	0 0	222,820	0 0
Westport .. .. .	490,044	0 0	24,359	0 0
Nelson .. .. .	334,399	0 0	44,823	0 0
Pictou .. .. .	358,387	0 0	43,823	0 0
Lake Wakatipu steamer service ..	16,436	0 0	..	..
Stock, Permanent-way .. .. .	..	..	90,966	0 0
Stock, A.O.L. Stores .. .. .	39,118	0 0	..	..
Surveys, Middle Island .. .. .	..	..	8,445	0 0
Miscellaneous .. .. .	..	..	5,168	0 0
Stock in suspense .. .. .	25,000	0 0	..	..
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>24,365,647</b>	<b>0 0</b>	<b>2,869,493</b>	<b>0 0</b>

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Railway Department, 28th April, 1909.

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED

## ORDINARY REVENUE

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MAR., 1908.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1909.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
618,954 19 3	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	299,614 15 11	
	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .		
	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
590,407 19 1	In the Dominion .. .. .	633,689 1 1	
154,709 1 9	In London .. .. .	700 0 0	
4,104 15 4	On account of other Governments .. .. .	3,737 2 0	
189 3 4	On account of Imperial pensions .. .. .	..	
1,308,365 18 9		937,740 19 0	
550,000 0 0	Less Treasury Bills outstanding .. .. .	400,000 0 0	537,740 19 0
758,365 18 9			
	Ordinary Revenue,—		
829,484 0 1	Customs .. .. .	689,203 17 0	
417,618 10 8	Stamps .. .. .	371,122 4 2	
23,993 18 7	Postal and Telegraph Cash Receipts .. .. .	57,284 2 8	
39,279 14 3	Land-tax .. .. .	36,133 16 9	
290,275 12 2	Income-tax .. .. .	307,542 18 3	
32,804 19 0	Beer Duty .. .. .	29,703 10 7	
855,923 5 1	Railways .. .. .	850,913 19 2	
49,864 14 6	Registration and other Fees .. .. .	41,230 6 7	
12,719 3 2	Marine .. .. .	12,142 10 1	
84,324 17 11	Miscellaneous .. .. .	106,071 19 5	
2,635,788 15 5		2,501,399 4 8	
	Territorial Revenue,—		
9,065 9 10	Cash Land Sales .. .. .	£8,527 0 2	
522 7 0	Deferred-payment Land Sales .. .. .	489 17 10	
109,467 9 11	Pastoral Runs, Rents, and Miscellaneous .. .. .	69,740 12 8	
118,055 6 9		78,757 10 8	2,580,156 15 4
2,748,844 2 2			
	Debentures issued,—		
..	New Zealand Loans Act, 1908 ("The Consolidated Stock Act, 1884")—		
	In renewal of Debentures matured 4th January, 1909 .. .. .	..	165,000 0 0
	Recoveries in respect of Expenditure of previous Quarters,—		
4,241 9 2	Recoupment by Land for Settlements Account of interest paid on borrowed money .. .. .	..	..
£3,511,451 10 1	Totals .. .. .	..	£3,282,897 14 4

## TREASURY BILLS

£ s. d.	TREASURY BILLS	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
550,000 0 0	Treasury Bills outstanding at beginning of Quarter .. .. .	..	400,000 0 0
£500,000 0 0	Totals .. .. .	..	£400,000 0 0

FUND for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

ACCOUNT.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MAR., 1908.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 1st MARCH, 1909.			
£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
		<b>Permanent Appropriations,—</b>				
7,915	16 0	Civil List .. .. .	10,491	1 4		
256,514	11 1	Interest and Sinking Fund .. .. .	288,029	8 7		
127,271	12 3	Under Special Acts of the Legislature .. .. .	192,518	1 11		
21,037	14 5	Subsidies paid to Local Bodies .. .. .	20,656	14 11		
		<b>Amounts paid over to Local Bodies and to Deposit Accounts—</b>				
12,780	19 4	Payments under the Land Acts .. .. .	12,608	12 11		
10,414	6 4	Payments under the Timber and Flax Royalties Act .. .. .	1,541	6 10		
		<b>Endowments—</b>				
280	3 7	New Plymouth Harbour Board .. .. .	390	12 0		
5,042	18 2	Greymouth Harbour Board .. .. .	3,500	6 3		
11,146	2 8	Westport Harbour Board .. .. .	9,760	15 0		
129,350	8 4	Old-age Pensions .. .. .	114,966	18 0		
581,754	12 2				594,463	17 9
		<b>Annual Appropriations,—</b>				
5,184	13 8	Class I.—Legislative Departments .. .. .	4,212	17 5		
23,815	17 10	“ II.—Department of Minister of Finance .. .. .	18,430	4 5		
295,209	0 6	“ III.—Post and Telegraph Department .. .. .	343,625	1 10		
16,616	2 6	“ IV.—Industries and Commerce and Tourist and Health Resorts Departments .. .. .	24,068	0 7		
1,281	14 7	“ V.—Old-age Pensions Department .. .. .	1,422	1 9		
792,395	17 0	“ VI.—Working Railways Department .. .. .	654,108	11 4		
21,348	6 6	“ VII.—Public Buildings and Domains .. .. .	19,309	9 8		
7,351	1 7	“ VIII.—Maintenance of Roads .. .. .	7,516	10 0		
5,662	10 10	“ IX.—Printing and Stationery Department .. .. .	5,072	17 7		
10,290	4 2	“ X.—Stamp and Deeds Department .. .. .	9,583	19 5		
5,934	14 7	“ XI.—Native Department .. .. .	8,654	13 5		
40,725	5 7	“ XII.—Justice Department .. .. .	39,168	0 8		
52,916	17 0	“ XIII.—Police Department .. .. .	46,550	7 8		
13,458	12 8	“ XIV.—Mines Department .. .. .	10,376	17 8		
41,463	19 2	“ XV.—Department of Internal Affairs .. .. .	73,291	9 4		
1,440	7 8	“ XVI.—Crown Law Department .. .. .	1,145	12 3		
52,735	15 7	“ XVII.—Defence Department .. .. .	39,893	4 8		
13,574	19 11	“ XVIII.—Customs Department .. .. .	13,482	18 10		
22,285	16 10	“ XIX.—Marine and Harbours and Inspection of Machinery Departments .. .. .	21,509	8 4		
8,501	17 3	“ XX.—Department of Labour .. .. .	5,792	18 6		
55,458	2 5	“ XXI.—Department of Lands and Survey .. .. .	63,669	4 3		
42,899	1 3	“ XXII.—Department of Agriculture .. .. .	43,350	7 1		
8,839	11 10	“ XXIII.—Valuation Department .. .. .	9,415	14 10		
238,567	4 10	“ XXIV.—Education Department .. .. .	234,082	2 2		
10,475	5 9	“ XXV.—Public Health Department .. .. .	6,797	15 7		
24,447	16 11	“ XXVI.—Mental Hospitals and Hospitals and Charitable Aid Departments .. .. .	23,846	1 2		
2,716	13 1	Services not provided for .. .. .	10,736	6 9		
1,755,597	11 6				1,739,112	17 2
406,250	0 0	Revenue transferred to Public Works Fund .. .. .			600,000	0 0
		<b>Debentures renewed,—</b>				
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908 (“The Consolidated Stock Act, 1884”)—				
		Debentures matured 4th January, 1909, renewed as per contra .. .. .			165,000	0 0
		<b>Balance at end of Quarter,—</b>				
1,080,094	0 1	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	387,163	1 6		
		<b>Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—</b>				
13,080	16 6	In the Dominion .. .. .	42,287	4 0		
69,609	18 0	In London .. .. .				
4,445	6 3	On account of other Governments .. .. .	4,853	2 2		
619	5 7	On account of Imperial Pensions .. .. .	17	11 9		
1,167,849	6 5		434,320	19 5		
400,000	0 0	Less Treasury Bills outstanding .. .. .	250,000	0 0	184,320	19 5
767,849	6 5					
£3,511,451	10 1	<b>Totals</b> .. .. .			£3,282,897	14 4

ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
150,000	0 0	Treasury Bills redeemed during Quarter .. .. .			150,000	0 0
400,000	0 0	Treasury Bills outstanding at end of Quarter .. .. .			250,000	0 0
£550,000	0 0	<b>Totals</b> .. .. .			£400,000	0 0

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED

## STATE FORESTS

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MAR., 1908.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1909.
£ s. d. 8,431 10 5	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	£ s. d. 358 11 0
2,338 9 1	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion .. .. .	511 0 3
10,769 19 6		869 11 3
622 6 11	Rents from Lands set apart .. .. .	1,132 4 6
4,450 13 4	Miscellaneous .. .. .	18,596 13 11
5,073 0 3		19,728 13 5
£15,842 19 9	Totals .. .. .	£20,598 9 8

## STATE COAL-

£ s. d. 27,149 16 6	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	£ s. d. 27,009 16 2
14,831 19 8	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion .. .. .	18,168 10 8
1,768 11 2	In London .. .. .	..
43,750 7 4		45,178 6 10
74,310 0 7	Proceeds of sale of coal .. .. .	69,913 11 6
£118,060 7 11	Totals .. .. .	£115,091 18 4

## SCENERY PRESERVATION

£ s. d. 8,966 11 9	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	£ s. d. 3,402 5 6
425 0 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion .. .. .	167 13 0
9,391 11 9		3,569 18 6
£9,391 11 9	Totals .. .. .	£3,569 18 6

## ACCOUNTS OF

£ s. d. 7,035 5 8	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	£ s. d. 21,609 15 5
2,223 18 4	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion .. .. .	2,109 11 1
9,259 4 0		23,719 6 6
2,545 6 1	Revenue received for Local Bodies,— Fees, Fines, &c. .. .. .	2,297 2 2
18,673 13 5	Endowments of Land, &c. .. .. .	3,537 0 3
6,424 12 8	Goldfields Revenue .. .. .	5,727 6 2
8,311 4 1	Gold Duty .. .. .	5,486 3 10
35,954 16 3		17,047 12 5
47 17 10	Counties Separate Account,— Revenues of Counties in which "The Counties Act, 1908," is not in full operation .. .. .	..
23,318 17 2	Advance Accounts,— Amount repaid by Local Bodies .. .. .	10,124 7 6
58 18 8	Ditto on account of Unauthorised Expenditure of previous Quarters .. .. .	49 16 1
23,377 15 10		10,174 3 7
£68,639 13 11	Totals .. .. .	£50,967 19 11

FUND for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively—continued.

ACCOUNT.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MAR., 1908.	EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1909.	
£ s. d. 6,963 11 11	Annual Appropriations,— Vote 123—State Forests Branch .. .. .	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 6,061 16 1
8,487 9 4	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	14,346 16 7	
891 18 6	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion .. .. .	189 17 0	14,536 13 7
8,879 7 10			
£15,842 19 9	Totals .. .. .		£20,598 9 8

MINES ACCOUNT.

£ s. d.	Annual Appropriations,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
43,171 0 5	Vote 124—State Coal-mines Expenses .. .. .	..	84,570 10 4
1,750 0 0	Interest on Debentures .. .. .	..	3,500 0 0
29,071 11 8	Expenditure under section 120 of "The Coal-mines Act, 1908" .. .. .	..	..
44,060 14 6	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	17,950 9 11	
7 1 4	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion .. .. .	9,070 19 1	27,021 8 0
44,067 15 10			
£118,060 7 11	Totals .. .. .		£115,091 18 4

ACCOUNT.

£ s. d.	Annual Appropriations,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1,197 16 10	Vote 125—Scenery Preservation .. .. .	..	1,141 8 9
8,182 18 11	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	2,370 13 10	
10 16 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion .. .. .	57 15 11	2,428 9 9
8,193 14 11			
£9,391 11 9	Totals .. .. .		£3,569 18 6

LOCAL BODIES.

£ s. d.	Revenue paid over to Local Bodies,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
2,723 18 10	Fees, Fines, &c. .. .. .	2,333 17 9	
17,541 9 6	Endowments of Land, &c. .. .. .	16,574 14 1	
5,217 1 9	Goldfields Revenue .. .. .	4,908 0 1	
9,596 3 11	Gold Duty .. .. .	7,954 11 10	31,771 3 9
35,078 14 0			
45 9 9	Counties Separate Account,— Amount distributed amongst Local Bodies where "The Counties Act, 1908," is not in full operation .. .. .	..	39 13 6
18,321 7 11	Advance Accounts,— Payments on behalf of Local Bodies .. .. .	10,134 14 7	
	Payments on behalf of Local Bodies unauthorised .. .. .	10,000 0 0	20,134 14 7
15,194 2 3	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	Dr. 979 0 1	
	Less Advances in hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion .. .. .	1 8 2	Dr. 977 11 11
£68,639 13 11	Totals .. .. .	..	£50,967 19 11

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED DEPOSIT

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1908.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1909.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
209,029	11 1	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	269,660	16 0
		Cash in the Public Account .. .. .		
		Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
706	16 8	In the Dominion .. .. .	3,634	10 4
14,739	11 0	In London .. .. .		
224,475	18 9			273,295 6 4
		Lodgments,—		
12,261	2 11	Emigrants' Deposits .. .. .	13,023	19 0
5	18 1	Fisheries Act, 1908 .. .. .	11	9 9
2	17 6	Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1908 .. .. .	1	18 7
62	17 5	Imperial Government—South Africa Contingents .. .. .		
		Land Act, 1908—		
403	17 3	Mining Districts Land Occupation Account .. .. .	515	4 8
		National Endowments .. .. .	34,641	9 8
23	9 9	Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905 .. .. .		
37,060	12 4	Miscellaneous .. .. .	43,844	4 9
75,750	0 0	Money-order Settlement .. .. .	1,169	18 6
610	13 6	Moiety of Rotorua Bath Fees .. .. .	565	3 7
2	18 6	Native Township of Hokio .. .. .		
3	10 0	" Karewa .. .. .		
25	11 6	" Parata .. .. .	7	1 0
11	0 0	" Parawai .. .. .		
60	2 10	" Pipiriki .. .. .		
77	4 0	" Potaka .. .. .		
28	16 3	" Te Araroa .. .. .		
19	5 0	" Te Puia .. .. .		
67	1 9	" Tokaanu .. .. .		
25	13 6	" Tuatine .. .. .		
11	15 9	" Waipiro .. .. .	8	15 0
0	3 0	Nelson Rifle Prize Fund .. .. .		
354	7 1	New Zealand International Exhibition .. .. .		
23	10 0	North Island Experimental Dairy School .. .. .	61	0 0
4,775	8 4	North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Application Act 1886 Amendment Act, 1889 .. .. .	8,056	10 10
4,487	15 8	Public Trust Office Remittance .. .. .	891	0 9
4,370	0 0	Railways .. .. .	1,259	10 0
33	4 5	Tauranga Educational Endowment Reserves Act, 1896 .. .. .	70	3 9
102	5 0	Thermal-springs Districts Act, 1908 .. .. .	106	11 3
16	7 8	Trustee Act, 1908 .. .. .	46	12 5
		Westport Harbour Board Act, 1884—Special Coal Rate Account .. .. .	672	17 7
140,677	3 0			104,953 11 1
£365,153	1 9	Totals .. .. .		£378,248 17 5

FUND for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively—continued.

ACCOUNT.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MAR., 1908.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1909.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
17,981	6 9	Withdrawals,—	18,873	10 9
13	7 4	Emigrants' Deposits .. .. .	123	9 6
206	16 9	Imperial Government—South Africa Contingents .. .. .	..	..
		Land Transfer Act, 1885 .. .. .		
		Land Act, 1908—		
31	19 10	Mining Districts Land Occupation Account .. .. .	2	11 0
..	..	National Endowments .. .. .	4,086	5 10
760	7 3	Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905 .. .. .	480	8 2
78,180	1 6	Miscellaneous .. .. .	45,435	7 4
..	..	Moiety Rotorua Bath Fees .. .. .	9,443	10 1
2,000	0 0	Money-order Settlement Account .. .. .	53,700	0 0
..	..	Native Township of Hokio .. .. .	47	9 0
..	..	" Karewa .. .. .	66	18 3
..	..	" Parata .. .. .	47	4 0
1	10 3	" Parawai .. .. .	196	3 0
..	..	" Pipiriki .. .. .	311	4 7
..	..	" Potaka .. .. .	138	6 3
..	..	" Rotoiti .. .. .	188	13 3
..	..	" Te Araroa .. .. .	559	8 9
11	6 7	" Te Puia .. .. .	469	0 9
2	2 11	" Te Puru .. .. .	87	6 3
..	..	" Tokaanu .. .. .	302	19 8
40	18 10	" Tuatua .. .. .	585	17 5
354	7 1	" Waipiro .. .. .	352	19 3
3,142	13 10	New Zealand International Exhibition .. .. .	..	..
..	..	New Zealand University Endowment, Canterbury .. .. .	..	..
5	16 9	North Island Experimental Dairy School .. .. .	5	0 0
..	..	North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Application Act 1886 Amendment Act, 1889 .. .. .	20,000	0 0
10,459	4 8	Permanent Way Material Account .. .. .	24,286	12 4
4,112	10 0	Public Trust Office Remittance Account .. .. .	1,635	8 6
..	..	Railways .. .. .	3,992	19 10
..	..	Thermal-springs Districts Act, 1908 .. .. .	11	0 1
117,304	10 4			185,434 13 10
244,909	13 2	Balance at end of Quarter,—		
40	11 11	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	191,601	12 5
3,898	6 4	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
247,848	11 5	In the Dominion .. .. .	1,212	11 2
..	..	In London .. .. .	..	..
£365,153	1 9	Totals .. .. .	..	192,814 3 7
				£378,248 17 5

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MAR., 1908.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1909.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
59,134	1 1	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—		
		Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	222,459	9 10
128,371	4 9	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
88,797	7 10	In the Dominion .. .. .	243,430	13 2
		In London .. .. .		
		Investment Account .. .. .	160,000	0 0
271,302	13 8			625,890 3 0
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1901—		
		Debentures sold for redemption .. .. .	72,700	0 0
		Premiums received .. .. .	272	12 6
		Debentures matured 1st December, 1908, renewed .. .. .	10,000	0 0
		Debentures matured 1st January, 1909, renewed .. .. .	32,900	0 0
				115,872 12 6
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1908—		
		Provision for Debentures matured 1st January, 1909—		
		Debentures renewed under "The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908" .. .. .	222,475	0 0
		Debentures sold .. .. .	118,165	0 0
		Premium received on sale and renewal of Debentures .. .. .	95	15 0
		Provision for Debentures matured 1st February, 1909—		
		Debentures renewed under "The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908" .. .. .	200,000	0 0
				540,735 15 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1908,—		
		Debentures issued. Balance of £1,250,000 loan. .. .. .		1,875 0 0
406,250	0 0	Revenue transferred from the Consolidated Fund in aid of Public Works.. .. .		600,000 0 0
794	16 10	Special Receipts in connection with the Ellesmere and Forsyth Reclamation and Akaroa Railway Trust Account .. .. .		738 3 8
500	0 0	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1900,—		
		Provision for debentures matured, 1st May, 1907—		
		Debentures sold .. .. .		
200	0 0	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1902,—		
		Provision for debentures matured, 1st December, 1906—		
		Debentures sold .. .. .		
197,000	0 0	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1907,—		
3,947	10 0	Proceeds of Scrip and Debentures issued (on account £1,000,000 Loan).. .. .		
		Premium received .. .. .		
200,947	10 0			
£879,995	0 6	Totals .. .. .		£1,885,111 14 2

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the WELLINGTON-MANAWATU

£	s. d.		£	s. d.
		Wellington-Manawatu Railway Purchase Act, 1908,—		
		Debentures issued for acquisition of the Wellington-Manawatu Railway .. .. .	500,000	0 0
		Premiums received thereon .. .. .	2,500	0 0
				502,500 0 0
		Interest recovered from Company under section 6 of "The Wellington-Manawatu Railway Purchase Act, 1908" .. .. .		5,369 17 3
		Totals .. .. .		£507,869 17 3



WORKS FUND for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MAR., 1908.	EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1909.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
6,371 3 6	Annual Appropriations,—		
400,113 12 7	Class XXVII.—Public Works, Departmental .. .. .	6,539 1 1	
68,530 0 4	" XXVIII.—Railways .. .. .	435,836 11 5	
1,758 18 10	" XXIX.—Public Buildings .. .. .	70,073 17 4	
12,337 3 8	" XXX.—Lighthouses, Harbour Works, and Harbour Defences .. .. .	12,074 7 4	
7,272 8 2	" XXXI.—Tourist and Health Resorts .. .. .	4,641 7 10	
129,234 6 1	" XXXII.—Immigration .. .. .	14,763 16 1	
2,209 4 0	" XXXIII.—Roads .. .. .	223,924 16 10	
466 8 6	" XXXIV.—Development of Goldfields .. .. .	5,327 4 11	
86,959 4 5	" XXXV.—Purchase of Native Lands .. .. .	Cr. 903 7 4	
11 11 11	" XXXVI.—Telegraph Extension .. .. .	64,995 12 4	
3,476 12 5	" XXXVII.—Rates on Native Lands .. .. .	1 15 7	
5,575 1 5	" XXXVIII.—Contingent Defence .. .. .	1,082 18 2	
89 13 3	" XXXIX.—Lands Improvement .. .. .	1,853 13 6	
	Utilisation of Water-power .. .. .	..	
724,405 9 1			840,211 15 1
	Unauthorised,—		
1,325 7 5	Services not provided for .. .. .	..	510 14 5
	New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
..	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1901—		
..	Debentures matured 1st December, 1908, redeemed .. .. .	72,400 0 0	
..	Debentures matured 1st December, 1908, renewed as per contra .. .. .	10,000 0 0	
..	Debentures matured 1st January, 1909, renewed as per contra .. .. .	32,900 0 0	115,300 0 0
	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1903—		
..	Debentures matured 1st January, 1909, redeemed .. .. .	119,975 0 0	
..	Debentures matured 1st January, 1909, renewed as per contra .. .. .	222,475 0 0	
..	Debentures matured 1st February, 1909, renewed as per contra .. .. .	200,000 0 0	542,450 0 0
	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Acts (authorised by "The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908"),—		
..	Charges and Expenses under Act of 1901 .. .. .	108 7 0	
..	" " " 1903 .. .. .	315 0 3	
1,701 5 2	" " " 1907 .. .. .	..	423 7 3
1,701 5 2			
	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1908,—		
..	Charges and Expenses .. .. .	..	2,506 7 9
	Balance at end of Quarter,—		
124,769 0 0	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	223,211 13 8	
13,654 4 8	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
14,139 14 2	In the Dominion .. .. .	30,497 16 0	
..	In London .. .. .	..	
..	Investment Account .. .. .	130,000 0 0	383,709 9 8
152,562 18 10			
£879,995 0 6	Totals .. .. .	..	£1,885,111 14 2

RAILWAY PURCHASE ACCOUNT, for the Quarter ended 31st MARCH, 1909.

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
..	The Wellington and Manawatu Railway Purchase Act, 1908,—		
..	Payment to Company on account of acquisition of railway .. .. .	415,000 0 0	
..	Charges and Expenses of raising £1,000,000 loan .. .. .	1,250 0 0	
..	Interest 7th December, 1908, to 27th February, 1909.. .. .	3,594 10 5	
..	Railway Stores taken over from Company .. .. .	15,164 10 0	435,009 0 5
..	Improvements, additions and alterations after acquisition .. .. .	..	32,869 15 6
..	Balance at end of Quarter—		
..	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	39,991 1 4
..	Total .. .. .	..	£507,869 17 3

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC

## HUTT RAILWAY AND ROAD IMPROVEMENT

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MAR., 1908.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1909.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
9,566 0 1	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	870 8 8
9,566 0 1			
25,000 0 0	The Hutt Railway and Road Improvement Act, 1907,— Proceeds of Debentures issued .. .. .	..	40,000 0 0
£34,566 0 1	Totals .. .. .	..	£40,870 8 8

## THE RAILWAYS IMPROVEMENTS AUTHORISATION

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
39,185 2 10	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	283 7 11
39,185 2 10			
30,200 0 0 601 10 0	The Government Railways Act, 1908,— Proceeds of Scrip and Debentures issued .. .. . Premium received .. .. .	60,000 0 0 ..	60,000 0 0
30,801 10 0			
£69,986 12 10	Totals .. .. .	..	£60,283 7 11

## THE WAIKAKA BRANCH RAILWAY

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
27,641 12 9	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..
6,735 11 11	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In London .. .. .	..	..
34,377 4 8			
£34,377 4 8	Total .. .. .	..	..

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CHEVIOT

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
47,040 8 6	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	5,022 15 11	52,022 15 11
..	Investment Account .. .. .	47,000 0 0	
5,706 18 4	Receipts under "The Land Act, 1908,"— Rents from Lands .. .. .	..	5,825 17 5
£52,747 6 10	Totals .. .. .	..	£57,848 13 4

**WORKS FUND**, for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively—*continued*.**ACCOUNT** for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MAR., 1908.	EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1909.	
£ s. d. 18,712 11 7	Annual Appropriations,— Vote 129—Hutt Railway and Road Improvement .. .. .	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 21,968 4 5
..	The Hutt Railway and Road Improvement Act, 1907,— Charges and Expenses authorised by "The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908" ..	..	0 2 8
15,853 8 6	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	18,902 1 7
<u>£34,566 0 1</u>	Totals .. .. .	..	<u>£40,870 8 8</u>

**ACT ACCOUNT** for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

£ s. d. 50,309 8 4	Annual Appropriations,— Vote 130—Railway Improvements .. .. .	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 37,337 4 9
312 0 6	The Government Railways Act, 1908,— Charges and Expenses authorised by "The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908" ..	..	..
19,365 4 0	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	22,946 3 2
<u>£69,986 12 10</u>	Totals .. .. .	..	<u>£60,283 7 11</u>

**ACCOUNT** for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

£ s. d. 20,985 17 6	Expenditure under the Act .. .. .	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. ..
11,415 18 6	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..
1,975 8 8	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In London .. .. .	..	..
13,391 7 2			
<u>£34,377 4 8</u>	Total .. .. .	..	..

**ESTATE ACCOUNT** for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

£ s. d. 4,433 1 3	Interest .. .. .	£ s. d. 4,433 1 3	£ s. d. ..
..	Surveys, Roading, &c. .. .. .	2 9 2	4,435 10 5
4,433 1 3	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	6,413 2 11	..
48,314 5 7	Investment Account .. .. .	47,000 0 0	53,413 2 11
<u>£52,747 6 10</u>	Totals .. .. .	..	<u>£57,848 13 4</u>

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR

QUARTER ENDED 31st MAR., 1908.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1909.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
442,750	10 2	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	86,218	0 7
		Cash in the Public Account .. .. .		
		Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
1,419	13 8	In the Dominion .. .. .	8,486	18 7
45,000	0 0	In London .. .. .		
400,000	0 0	Investment Account .. .. .	336,668	5 0
889,170	3 10			431,373 4 2
		The Land for Settlements Act, 1908,—		
217,990	0 0	Proceeds of Scrip and Debentures issued .. .. .	162,270	0 0
148,800	0 0	Debentures due 1st January, 1909, renewed .. .. .	75,075	0 0
1,214	0 0	Debentures due 1st February, 1908, renewed .. .. .		
		Premium on Debentures .. .. .		
				237,345 0 0
		Receipts derived from Estates,—		
117,967	8 4	Rents, &c. .. .. .		
				118,841 15 7
		Receipts on account of capital value of Land under "The Land Act, 1908,"—		
131	0 0	Section 191 .. .. .		
1,032	0 0	Section 177 .. .. .	6,266	8 10
1,163	0 0			6,266 8 10
		Receipts on account of capital value of land under section 69 of "The Land for Settlements Act, 1908" .. .. .		
				2,417 2 2
		Other Receipts,—		
6,350	4 8	Interest on securities held by the Land for Settlements Investment Account .. .. .		
				2,270 7 3
		Credits in Reduction,—		
43	15 3	Bickerstaffe .. .. .	11	17 1
		Heretaunga .. .. .	8	2 5
		Windle .. .. .	1	3 4
				21 2 10
		Recoveries on account of Estates,—		
		Kauroo Hill .. .. .		
				8 8 6
1,382,698	12 1	Carried forward .. .. .		
				£798,543 9 4

SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MAR., 1908.		EXPENDITURE.				QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1909.	
Total.		Estate.	Purchase-money.	Incidental Expenses.	Total.		
£	s. d.	Acquirement of Estates, and expenses incidental thereto:—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
2	17 0	Airedale .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
0	9 0	Albury .. .. .	..	6 5 6	6	5 6	
44	5 7	Annan .. .. .	..	31 0 0	31	0 0	
..	..	Ardgowan .. .. .	..	0 13 0	0	13 0	
0	18 0	Argyll .. .. .	..	49 6 8	49	6 8	
5	18 0	Barnego .. .. .	..	1 2 0	1	2 0	
..	..	Blind River .. .. .	..	19 9 8	19	9 8	
37	9 2	Braco .. .. .	..	0 2 0	0	2 0	
1	11 4	Braeburn .. .. .	..	523 16 2	523	16 2	
5	10 0	Bickerstaffe .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
503	5 8	Cadman .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
5	10 0	Carrington (Booth, W. H., Public Trustee) ..	39,155 0 0	318 10 5	39,473	10 5	
0	15 0	Carroll .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
1	11 3	Chamberlain .. .. .	..	2 19 6	2	19 6	
95	11 4	Craddock .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
1	9 0	Culverden .. .. .	..	85 6 5	85	6 5	
768	9 8	Duncan .. .. .	..	1 7 6	1	7 6	
10	0 0	Dyer .. .. .	..	1,424 18 0	1,424	18 0	
214	2 11	Eccleston No. 2 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
..	..	Edendale .. .. .	..	242 10 2	242	10 2	
0	8 8	Elderslie .. .. .	..	1 4 0	1	4 0	
..	..	Epuni .. .. .	..	2 13 6	2	13 6	
7	8 6	Fencourt .. .. .	..	6 1 6	6	1 6	
51	1 6	Flaxbourne .. .. .	..	150 16 2	150	16 2	
4	12 2	Glenham (T. Hunter) .. .. .	..	0 15 0	0	15 0	
..	..	Greenfield .. .. .	..	4 0 2	4	0 2	
19	14 11	Hall-Jones .. .. .	..	1 15 6	1	15 6	
1,063	9 5	Hatuma .. .. .	..	19 8 11	19	8 11	
..	..	Hawtrey .. .. .	..	176 19 6	176	19 6	
63	17 3	Hekeao .. .. .	..	0 13 6	0	13 6	
5	0 0	Heretaunga .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
2	14 6	Hetana .. .. .	..	76 10 0	76	10 0	
..	..	Highbank .. .. .	..	4 0 11	4	0 11	
2	17 0	Hikawera .. .. .	..	1 4 0	1	4 0	
360	15 5	Horsley Downs .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
0	4 4	Huinga .. .. .	..	1 12 8	1	12 8	
44,949	8 9	Kaimahi .. .. .	..	0 2 0	0	2 0	
50	1 5	Kanakanaia (City of Glasgow Bank Assets Co'y) ..	..	3 0 0	3	0 0	
..	..	Kapuatohe .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
..	..	Karapiro .. .. .	..	58 16 0	58	16 0	
10	14 11	Kauroo Hill (Teschemaker, E. J. and T., C. de S., H. J., and C. M.) ..	133,804 16 6	597 6 8	134,402	3 2	
2	18 6	Kinloch .. .. .	..	6 8 0	6	8 0	
1	18 0	Kumeroa .. .. .	..	82 0 0	82	0 0	
..	..	Kurow .. .. .	..	114 11 3	114	11 3	
224	0 1	Langdale .. .. .	..	2 18 10	2	18 10	
86	9 9	Lawry .. .. .	..	1 15 11	1	15 11	
..	..	Lindsay .. .. .	..	195 15 5	195	15 5	
3	13 10	Longbush .. .. .	..	2 18 10	2	18 10	
1	10 0	Lynch's .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
2	13 6	Lyndon No. 1 .. .. .	..	4 4 0	4	4 0	
1	0 0	Lyndon No. 2 .. .. .	..	1 3 0	1	3 0	
1	7 0	Maerewhenua .. .. .	..	1 5 0	1	5 0	
442	8 5	Mahora .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
66	0 6	Mahupuku .. .. .	..	85 1 2	85	1 2	
3	18 0	Makareao .. .. .	..	124 13 10	124	13 10	
1	16 9	Manga-a-toro .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
467	17 4	Mangapouri .. .. .	..	3 0 0	3	0 0	
507	0 0	Mangatahi .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
37	6 0	Mangawhata .. .. .	..	43 1 9	43	1 9	
24	4 9	Mangawhero .. .. .	..	1 15 0	1	15 0	
0	5 0	Matamata .. .. .	..	26 9 0	26	9 0	
4	1 6	Matamata .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
72	14 7	Maytown .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
..	..	Mead .. .. .	..	18 7 1	18	7 1	
..	..	Meadowbank .. .. .	..	0 12 0	0	12 0	
..	..	Melling .. .. .	..	9 18 10	9	18 10	
60	19 1	Merrivale .. .. .	..	3 10 8	3	10 8	
3	9 5	Methuen .. .. .	..	4 10 5	4	10 5	
31	2 8	Mills .. .. .	..	5 0 6	5	0 6	
4	17 6	Morice .. .. .	..	1 5 0	1	5 0	
..	..	Normandale .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
..	..	Northbank .. .. .	..	13 4 8	13	4 8	
2	18 3	Omaka .. .. .	..	16 12 7	16	12 7	
7	15 0	Okauia .. .. .	..	7 14 0	7	14 0	
0	7 6	Opouriao .. .. .	..	8 4 1	8	4 1	
97,685	18 3	Orakipaoa .. .. .	..	0 16 0	0	16 0	
0	1 0	Otekaieke (Robert Campbell and Sons, Limited) ..	..	660 6 10	660	6 10	
..	..	Otarakaro .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
..	..	Pareora .. .. .	..	0 18 0	0	18 0	
2	12 6	Pareora No. 2 .. .. .	..	3 0 3	3	0 3	
0	5 0	Patoa .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
..	..	Pawaho .. .. .	..	0 7 4	0	7 4	
306	6 5	Plumer .. .. .	..	0 11 0	0	11 0	
1	10 0	Plunket (R. Oliver) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
..	..	Pouparae .. .. .	..	16 12 6	16	12 6	
17	6 0	Pourerere .. .. .	..	0 12 0	0	12 0	
85	11 7	Prescot .. .. .	..	11 13 0	11	13 0	
0	10 0	Punaroa .. .. .	..	..	..	..	
..	..	Puhipuhi .. .. .	..	3 1 0	3	1 0	
..	..	..	..	2 18 8	2	18 8	
£148,456	15 4	Carried forward .. .. .	172,959 16 6	5,301 4 5	178,261	0 11	

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1908.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1909.	
£      s.      d. 1,382,698 12 1	Brought forward .. .. .	£      s.      d. ..      ..      ..	£      s.      d. 798,543 9 4
£1,382 698 12 1	Totals .. .. .	..	£798,543 9 4

SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively—continued.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1908.		EXPENDITURE.				QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1909.		
Total.		Estate.	Purchase-money.	Incidental Expenses.	Total.			
£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.		
148,456	15 4	Brought forward .. .. .	172,959	16 6	5,301	4 5	178,261	0 11
		Acquirement of Estates, and expenses incidental thereto—continued.						
		Puhuka .. .. .			0	7 0	0	7 0
		Puketapu .. .. .			0	7 6	0	7 6
		Rainford .. .. .			11	16 4	11	16 4
		Rakitairi .. .. .			2	0 0	2	0 0
6	18 0	Rangiatea .. .. .			3	10 0	3	10 0
		Rapuwai .. .. .			2	1 6	2	1 6
380	10 0	Raumati .. .. .			2,023	7 8	2,023	7 8
		Rautawiri .. .. .			0	9 0	0	9 0
79	18 2	Rewi .. .. .			13	7 4	13	7 4
		Richmond Brook .. .. .			16	3 10	16	3 10
22	0 0	Ringway .. .. .						
342	9 6	Rosewill .. .. .			219	6 3	219	6 3
382	6 4	Selwyn .. .. .			24	19 8	24	19 8
0	13 0	Spotswood .. .. .			72	9 0	72	9 0
3	3 6	Starborough .. .. .			202	1 4	202	1 4
204	9 5	Steward .. .. .			133	2 8	133	2 8
		Tablelands .. .. .			1	4 0	1	4 0
0	8 0	Takitū .. .. .						
0	1 6	Tamai .. .. .						
		Tarawahi .. .. .			3	10 11	3	10 11
16,674	14 3	Taumata (J. Gibson) .. .. .			0	10 0	0	10 0
68	14 3	Tautari .. .. .			1,567	11 10	1,567	11 10
145	9 8	Tawaha .. .. .			1	4 0	1	4 0
		Te Anaraki .. .. .			0	14 0	0	14 0
114,082	0 1	Te Arai (G. R. Johnston and J. Clark) .. .. .			2,077	11 11	2,077	11 11
5	14 2	Teasdale .. .. .			507	13 1	507	13 1
2	1 3	Te Mata .. .. .			10	18 11	10	18 11
2	6 6	Tokarahi .. .. .			1	2 0	1	2 0
0	13 6	Tomoana .. .. .						
58	3 1	Totara .. .. .			63	18 6	63	18 6
		Waari .. .. .			17	10 0	17	10 0
0	17 4	Waddington .. .. .			20	11 10	20	11 10
		Waiapi .. .. .			0	10 0	0	10 0
3	10 0	Waikakahi .. .. .			2	3 0	2	3 0
526	8 9	Waimana .. .. .			76	3 2	76	3 2
		Waimarie .. .. .			0	12 0	0	12 0
		Waipapa .. .. .			10	2 11	10	2 11
291	13 8	Wangapeka .. .. .			5	15 0	5	15 0
3	9 3	Wharenui .. .. .						
		Whitehall .. .. .			2	14 6	2	14 6
		Wigan .. .. .			5	4 0	5	4 0
		Willows .. .. .			0	9 0	0	9 0
75	0 0	Windle .. .. .						
		Windsor Park .. .. .			1	5 6	1	5 6
281,770	8 6		172,959	16 6	12,405	13 7	185,365	10 1
1,898	8 9	Annual Appropriations,—						
502	15 8	Vote 126—Land for Settlements Expenses .. .. .					589	17 5
		Vote 127—Workers' Dwellings Expenses .. .. .					3,403	13 9
2,401	4 5							3,993 11 2
266,800	0 0	The Land for Settlements Act, 1908,—						
		Debentures redeemed—						
		Matured 1st January, 1909 .. .. .					40,975	0 0
		Matured 1st February, 1908 .. .. .						
148,800	0 0	Debentures renewed—						
		Matured 1st February, 1908, as per contra .. .. .					75,075	0 0
		Matured 1st January, 1909, as per contra .. .. .						
415,600	0 0							116,050 0 0
246	10 10	The Land for Settlements Act, 1908,—						
15	18 4	Charges and expenses—						
865	14 6	On issue of debentures .. .. .					11	19 4
		On renewal of debentures .. .. .					175	8 0
		On redemption of debentures .. .. .						
1,128	3 8							187 7 4
135,271	3 2	The Land for Settlements Act, 1908,—						
		Interest recouped to Consolidated Fund in respect of Debentures issued .. .. .						109,761 18 0
54,465	0 0	Sinking Fund, £1 per cent. on amount issued .. .. .						57,963 1 7
		Refunds under section 191 of "The Land Act, 1908" .. .. .						1,401 1 3
89,645	17 11	Balance at end of Quarter,—						
		Cash in the Public Account .. .. .					20,504	2 0
		Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—						
1,001	6 4	In the Dominion .. .. .					1,816	2 4
1,415	8 1	In London .. .. .						
400,000	0 0	Investment Account .. .. .					301,500	15 7
492,062	12 4							323,820 19 11
£1,382,698	12 1	Totals .. .. .						£798,543 9 4

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the MAORI LAND

QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1908.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1909.	
£ s. d. 5,806 6 6	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	£ s. d. 4,946 8 11	£ s. d.
17,518 1 6	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	92 11 1	5,039 0 0
23,324 8 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion .. .. .		
£23,324 8 0	Totals .. .. .		£5,039 0 0

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the GOVERNMENT ADVANCES

£ s. d. 190,000 0 0	The Government Advances to Settlers Act, 1908,—	£ s. d. 607,700 0 0	£ s. d.
..	Proceeds of Debentures issued .. .. .	2,513 15 0	610,213 15 0
..	Premiums on same .. .. .	..	104,100 0 0
£190,000 0 0	Temporary Advances obtained pending issue of Debentures .. .. .	..	£714,313 15 0
	Totals .. .. .	..	

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the GOVERNMENT ADVANCES

£ s. d. 65,000 0 0	The Government Advances to Settlers Act, 1908,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
..	Proceeds of Debentures issued .. .. .	..	50,000 0 0
£65,000 0 0	Temporary Advances pending issue of Debentures .. .. .	..	£50,000 0 0
	Totals .. .. .	..	

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the NEW ZEALAND

£ s. d. 162 1 1	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	£ s. d. 56 1 1	£ s. d.
478,225 0 0	Cash in Deposit Account .. .. .	478,475 0 0	478,531 1 1
478,387 1 1	Investment Account .. .. .	..	42 0 0
62 0 0	Deposits inscribed .. .. .	..	£478,573 1 1
£478,449 1 1	Totals .. .. .	..	



**SETTLEMENT ACT ACCOUNT** for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1908.	EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1909.	
£ s. d. 641 10 10	Vote 123—Maori Land Settlement Expenses .. .. .	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
18,354 14 9	Acquirement of Land .. .. .	..	277 1 2
4,299 5 3	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	4,645 0 3	24 7 6
28 17 2	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion .. .. .	92 11 1	4,737 11 4
4,328 2 5			
£23,324 8 0	Totals .. .. .	..	£5,039 0 0

**TO SETTLERS LOAN ACCOUNT** for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

£ s. d. 190,000 0 0	Amount paid over to the Government Advances to Settlers Office Account ..	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
..	Temporary Advances repaid .. .. .	..	164,313 15 0
£190,000 0 0	Totals .. .. .	..	550,000 0 0
			£714,313 15 0

**TO WORKERS LOAN ACCOUNT** for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

£ s. d. 65,000 0 0	Amount paid over to Advances to Workers Office Account .. .. .	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
..	Temporary Advances repaid .. .. .	..	..
£65,000 0 0	Total .. .. .	..	50,000 0 0
			50,000 0 0

**CONSOLS ACCOUNT** for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

£ s. d. 74 1 1	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in Deposit Account .. .. .	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
478,375 0 0	Investment Account .. .. .	478,565 0 0	..
478,449 1 1			478,573 1 1
£478,449 1 1	Totals .. .. .	..	£478,573 1 1

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONVERSION

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1908.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1909.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
24,688	6 4	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	12,053	7 11
		Cash in the Public Account .. .. .		
		Advances—		
233	1 6	In the hands of the Stock Agents—		
		Cash .. .. .	1,656	12 7
42,000	0 0	In the hands of the High Commissioner—		
		3½-per-cent. Stock .. .. .		
66,921	7 10			13,710 0 6
113,000	0 0	3½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock,—		
71,623	0 0	Issued for redemption of Debentures .. .. .	689,005	0 0
		Issued for conversion of Debentures .. .. .	7,600	0 0
		Issued for expenses of Conversion .. .. .		
184,623	0 0			645,605 0 0
£251,544	7 10	Totals .. .. .		659,315 0 6

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LOANS TO LOCAL

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
11,280	8 10	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	13	2 11		
		Cash in the Public Account .. .. .				
10,327	14 4	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—				
		In the Dominion .. .. .	11,250	19 3		
21,608	3 2					11,264 2 2
60,000	0 0	The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908,—				
		Proceeds of Debentures issued .. .. .	70,000	0 0		
		Debentures matured 1st January, 1909, renewed .. .. .	790,000	0 0		
						860,000 0 0
		Repayments under Section 64 of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908,"—				
		Pahiatua County .. .. .	109	7 2		
		Stratford County .. .. .	63	16 1		
						173 3 3
28	11 7	Refunds under sections 61 and 70 of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901,"—				
18	2 9	Clifton County .. .. .				
		Wairarapa South County .. .. .				
46	14 4					
81,654	17 6	Carried forward .. .. .				£871,437 5 5

ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1908.		EXPENDITURE.				QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1909.		QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1909.		
£	s. d.			Amount converted.	Rate	Premium.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
				£	£	£				
		Debentures converted into 3½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock,—								
63,240	0 0	“The Land for Settlements Consolidation Act, 1900”		..	..	..				
8,383	0 0	“The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1904”		500	101	5				
..		“The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1908”		420,000	102	8,400				
..		“Wellington and Manawatu Railway Purchase Act, 1908”		205,000	102	4,100				
		Totals		£625,500	..	£12,505			638,005	0 0
71,623	0 0									
158,300	0 0	Debentures redeemed		..	..	..	..	..	..	..
		Expenses Account,—								
962	10 0	Brokerage and Commission		..	..	..	6,250	0 0		
..		Discount		..	..	..	59	15 0		
451	6 5	Stamp Duty		..	..	..	4,513	5 0		
93	6 2	Rent and Office Expenses		..	..	..	99	6 0		
1,507	2 7								10,922	6 0
..		Balance at end of Quarter,—								
..		Cash in the Public Account		..	..	..	9,943	12 11		
188	9 11	Advances in the hands of Stock Agents—								
..		Cash		..	..	..	444	1 7		
50,000	0 0	In the hands of High Commissioner—								
..		3½-per-cent. Stock for sale		..	..	..	..	..		
50,188	9 11								10,387	14 6
30,074	4 8	Less cash overdrawn		..	..	..	..	..		
20,114	5 3									
£251,544	7 10	Totals		..	..	..	..	..	£659,315	0 6

BODIES ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

£	s. d.	Grants under “The Local Bodies’ Loans Act, 1908.”—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
		Counties—				
2,400	0 0	Akitio	2,000	0 0		
..		Amuri	2,500	0 0		
..		Clifton	1,000	0 0		
1,550	0 0	Collingwood	..	..		
500	0 0	Egmont	..	..		
..		Eltham	3,000	0 0		
..		Geraldine	3,000	0 0		
399	0 0	Grey	..	..		
..		Hawke’s Bay	350	0 0		
2,250	0 0	Horowhenua	..	..		
150	0 0	Hutt	..	..		
..		Kaikoura	2,000	0 0		
..		Kairanga	..	..		
1,000	0 0	Kawhia	50	0 0		
500	0 0	Kiwitea	1,044	0 0		
900	0 0	Manawatu	..	..		
5,200	0 0	Masterton	450	0 0		
350	0 0	Ohinemuri	..	..		
..		Opotiki	2,000	0 0		
136	0 0	Pahiatua	..	..		
..		Patangata	1,500	0 0		
400	0 0	Pohangina	..	..		
..		Piako	3,000	0 0		
3,250	0 0	Raglan	1,250	0 0		
6,000	0 0	Rangitikei	1,570	0 0		
..		Southland	400	0 0		
700	0 0	Stratford	..	..		
..		Taranaki	800	0 0		
25,685	0 0	Carried forward	25,914	0 0		

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LOANS TO LOCAL

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1908.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1909.	
£    s.    d. 81,654 17   6	Carried forward    ..    ..    ..    ..    ..	£    s.    d. ..    ..    ..	£    s.    d. 871,437 5   5
£81,654 17   6	Totals    ..    ..    ..    ..    ..	..    ..    ..	£871,437 5   5

BODIES ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively—continued.

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1908.		EXPENDITURE.						QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1909.			
£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.
25,685	0 0	Brought forward .. .. .						25,914	0 0		
		Grants under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908"—continued.									
		Counties—continued.									
..	..	Waiapu .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	500	0 0		
400	0 0	Waimarino .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
300	0 0	Waipa .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
50	0 0	Wairarapa South .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
400	0 0	Wairoa .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	2,175	0 0		
..	..	Waitomo .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	2,000	0 0		
2,000	0 0	Whangarei .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
73	0 0	Woodville .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1,150	0 0		
28,908	0 0									31,739 0 0	
3,000	0 0	City Council—									
		Christchurch .. .. .									
		Boroughs—									
1,000	0 0	Birkenhead .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
1,000	0 0	Cromwell .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
200	0 0	Eketahuna .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..	..	Eltham .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	2,500	0 0		
2,800	0 0	Feilding .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
5,000	0 0	Hokitika .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..	..	Kaipoi .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	500	0 0		
1,300	0 0	Kumara .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..	..	Levin .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1,900	0 0		
..	..	Lyttelton .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	4,000	0 0		
1,750	0 0	New Plymouth .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..	..	Te Aroha .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1,000	0 0		
2,000	0 0	Woodville .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1,500	0 0		
15,050	0 0									11,400 0 0	
		Town Boards—									
300	0 0	Bull's .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
200	0 0	Martinborough .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..	..	Ohakune .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	300	0 0		
..	..	Opotiki .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	300	0 0		
500	0 0									600 0 0	
		Road Boards—									
1,000	0 0	Carrington .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
64	0 0	Howick Township .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
825	0 0	Hunua .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	500	0 0		
920	0 0	Manganui .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
1,400	0 0	Moa .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	250	0 0		
..	..	Omaka .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	850	0 0		
..	..	Parihaka .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	900	0 0		
..	..	Pukekohe East .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1,000	0 0		
..	..	Point Chevalier .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	770	0 0		
..	..	Riccarton .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	140	0 0		
..	..	Turanga .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	250	0 0		
1,000	0 0	Waikohu .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
600	0 0	Waipipi .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	500	0 0		
..	..	Waitotara-Momohaki .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	500	0 0		
50	0 0	Waitara West .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	100	0 0		
..	..	Waiwakaiho .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	97	0 0		
5,859	0 0									5,857 0 0	
		Drainage Boards—									
..	..	Eltham .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	200	0 0		
..	..	Hopelands .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	250	0 0		
1,000	0 0	Hunga Hunga .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
..	..	Moutoa .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	500	0 0		
1,000	0 0									950 0 0	
54,317	0 0	Total Grants .. .. .								50,546 0 0	
		Annual Appropriations,—									
16,066	17 1	Vote 131—Roads to open up Crown Lands .. .. .								20,939 18 2	
		Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908,—									
..	..	Debentures matured 1st January, 1909, renewed as per contra .. .. .								790,000 0 0	
		Amount transferred to Hauraki Plains Settlement Account under section 4 of "The Hauraki Plains Act, 1908" .. .. .								7,000 0 0	
11,271	0 5	Balance at end of Quarter,—									
..	..	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .						2,406		9 10	
..	..	Advances in hands of Officers of the Government—									
		In the Dominion .. .. .						544		17 5	
										2,951 7 3	
£81,654	17 6	Totals .. .. .								£871,437 5 5	

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the HAURAKI PLAINS

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1908.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1909.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
		Balance at beginning of Quarter,—		
		Cash in Public Account .. .. .	707	19 8
		Advances in hands of Officers of the Government—		
		In the Dominion .. .. .	2,174	17 8
				2,882 17 4
		Amount transferred from Loans to Local Bodies Account under clause 4 of "The Hauraki Plains Settlement Act, 1908" .. .. .		7,000 0 0
		Total .. .. .		£9,882 17 4

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the RESERVE FUND

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
		Balance at beginning of Quarter,—				
58,197	7 0	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	800,000	0 0		
741,802	13 0	Investment Account .. .. .			800,000	0 0
800,000	0 0					
		Securities purchased under the authority of "The Public Revenues Act, 1908," as per contra .. .. .				
58,197	7 0					
		Totals .. .. .			£800,000	0 0
£858,197	7 0					

## STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the BANK OF NEW ZEALAND

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
		Balance at beginning of Quarter,—				
500,000	0 0	Investment Account .. .. .			500,000	0 0
£500,000	0 0	Totals .. .. .			£500,000	0 0

The Treasury Wellington, 30th April, 1909.

## SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT or the Quarter ended 31st MARCH, 1909.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1908.		EXPENDITURE.					QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1909.		
£	s. d.						£	s. d.	
..		Expenditure under the Act..	..	..	..	..	..	9,555	2 10
..		Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	..	327	14 6
..		Total	..	..	..	..	..	£9,882	17 4

## ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
58,197	7 0	The Public Revenues Act, 1908,— Purchase of Securities (face value, £60,876 17s. 11d.)	..	..	..	..
800,000	0 0	Balance at end of Quarter,— Investment Account	..	..	800,000	0 0
£858,197	7 0	Totals	..	..	£800,000	0 0

## ACT 1903 ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1909 and 1908, respectively.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
500,000	0 0	Balance at end of Quarter,— Investment Account	..	..	500,000	0 0
£500,000	0 0	75,000 preference shares issued by the Bank of New Zealand	..	..	..	..
£500,000	0 0	Totals	..	..	£500,000	0 0

ROBERT J. COLLINS,  
Secretary to the Treasury.

R. B. VINCENT,  
Accountant to the Treasury.

Examined and found correct,  
JAS. B. HEYWOOD,  
Assistant Controller and Auditor.

## SUMMARY of BALANCES on 31st MARCH, 1909.

		BALANCES.			CASH.		ADVANCES.		INVESTMENTS.		TOTAL.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
<b>CONSOLIDATED FUND:—</b>				<b>CONSOLIDATED FUND:—</b>								
Ordinary Revenue Account* ..	484,820 19 5			Ordinary Revenue Account* ..	387,163 1 6	47,157 17 11				484,820 19 5		
State Forests Account ..	14,536 13 7			State Forests Account ..	14,346 16 7	189 17 0				14,536 13 7		
State Coal-mines Account ..	27,021 8 0			State Coal-mines Account ..	17,950 8 11	9,070 19 1				27,021 8 0		
Scenery Preservation Account ..	2,428 9 9			Scenery Preservation Account ..	2,370 13 10	57 15 11				2,428 9 9		
Accounts of Local Bodies ..	Dr. 977 11 11			Accounts of Local Bodies ..	Cr. 979 0 1	1 8 2				Cr. 977 11 11		
Deposit Accounts ..	192,814 3 7			Deposit Accounts ..	191,601 12 5	1,212 11 2				192,814 3 7		
		670,144	2 5			612,453 13 2	57,690 9 3			670,144	2 5	
<b>PUBLIC WORKS FUND .. ..</b>		<b>388,709</b>	<b>9 8</b>	<b>PUBLIC WORKS FUND .. ..</b>	<b>228,211</b>	<b>13 8</b>	<b>30,497</b>	<b>16 0</b>	<b>130,000</b>	<b>0 0</b>	<b>388,709</b>	<b>9 8</b>
<b>WELLINGTON-MANAWATU RAILWAY PURCHASE ACCOUNT .. ..</b>		<b>39,991</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>WELLINGTON-MANAWATU RAILWAY PURCHASE ACCOUNT .. ..</b>	<b>39,991</b>	<b>1 4</b>					<b>39,991</b>	<b>1 4</b>
<b>HUTT RAILWAY AND ROAD IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT .. ..</b>		<b>18,902</b>	<b>1 7</b>	<b>HUTT RAILWAY AND ROAD IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT .. ..</b>	<b>18,902</b>	<b>1 7</b>					<b>18,902</b>	<b>1 7</b>
<b>THE RAILWAYS IMPROVEMENTS AUTHORITY ACT ACCOUNT ..</b>		<b>22,946</b>	<b>3 2</b>	<b>THE RAILWAYS IMPROVEMENTS AUTHORITY ACT ACCOUNT ..</b>	<b>22,946</b>	<b>3 2</b>					<b>22,946</b>	<b>3 2</b>
<b>LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT</b>		<b>323,820</b>	<b>19 11</b>	<b>LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT</b>	<b>20,504</b>	<b>2 0</b>	<b>1,816</b>	<b>2 4</b>	<b>301,500</b>	<b>15 7</b>	<b>323,820</b>	<b>19 11</b>
<b>MAORI LAND SETTLEMENT ACT ACCOUNT .. ..</b>		<b>4,737</b>	<b>11 4</b>	<b>MAORI LAND SETTLEMENT ACT ACCOUNT .. ..</b>	<b>4,645</b>	<b>0 3</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>11 1</b>			<b>4,737</b>	<b>11 4</b>
<b>CHEVIOT ESTATE ACCOUNT ..</b>		<b>53,413</b>	<b>2 11</b>	<b>CHEVIOT ESTATE ACCOUNT ..</b>	<b>6,413</b>	<b>2 11</b>			<b>47,000</b>	<b>0 0</b>	<b>53,413</b>	<b>2 11</b>
<b>LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACCOUNT</b>		<b>2,951</b>	<b>7 3</b>	<b>LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACCOUNT</b>	<b>2,406</b>	<b>9 10</b>	<b>544</b>	<b>17 5</b>			<b>2,951</b>	<b>7 3</b>
<b>HAURAKI PLAINS SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT .. ..</b>		<b>327</b>	<b>14 6</b>	<b>HAURAKI PLAINS SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT .. ..</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>14 6</b>					<b>327</b>	<b>14 6</b>
<b>CONVERSION ACCOUNT .. ..</b>		<b>10,387</b>	<b>14 6</b>	<b>CONVERSION ACCOUNT .. ..</b>	<b>9,943</b>	<b>12 11</b>	<b>444</b>	<b>1 7</b>			<b>10,387</b>	<b>14 6</b>
<b>NEW ZEALAND CONSOLS ACCOUNT</b>		<b>478,573</b>	<b>1 1</b>	<b>NEW ZEALAND CONSOLS ACCOUNT</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1 1</b>			<b>478,565</b>	<b>0 0</b>	<b>478,573</b>	<b>1 1</b>
<b>RESERVE FUND ACCOUNT ..</b>		<b>800,000</b>	<b>0 0</b>	<b>RESERVE FUND ACCOUNT ..</b>					<b>800,000</b>	<b>0 0</b>	<b>800,000</b>	<b>0 0</b>
<b>BANK OF NEW ZEALAND ACT, 1903, ACCOUNT .. ..</b>		<b>500,000</b>	<b>0 0</b>	<b>BANK OF NEW ZEALAND ACT, 1903, ACCOUNT .. ..</b>					<b>500,000</b>	<b>0 0</b>	<b>500,000</b>	<b>0 0</b>
<b>GENERAL SERVICE ACCOUNT ..</b>				<b>GENERAL SERVICES ACCOUNT ..</b>	<b>Cr. 84,981</b>	<b>10 5</b>	<b>84,981</b>	<b>10 5</b>				
<b>Totals .. ..</b>		<b>3,309,904</b>	<b>9 8</b>	<b>Totals .. ..</b>	<b>876,771</b>	<b>6 0</b>	<b>176,067</b>	<b>8 1</b>	<b>2,257,065</b>	<b>15 7</b>	<b>3,309,904</b>	<b>9 8</b>

\* Against this Treasury Bills amounting to £250,000 are outstanding.



RETURN showing the CUSTOMS and EXCISE DUTIES collected at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1909.

CUSTOMS DUTIES.

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HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Picton.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton and Christchurch.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	Parcels Post.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1908.			
																							Quantities.	Revenue.				
Spirits, per gal. .. .. .	16s.	23250	£	89	3617	1607	347	5025	29579	5698	1041	12	2009	1073	1672	889	22961	2006	25	17356	5264	£	£	154,400 gal.	£	123,520	129,971	
" perfumed, .. .. .	30s.	98	..	..	..	..	..	1	120	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	99	..	..	65	16	..	..	268	402	498		
Cigars and Snuff, per lb. .. .. .	7s.	1500	..	..	78	59	..	99	1181	192	..	..	8	17	35	18	487	64	..	783	12	..	..	12,951 lb.	4,533	5,643		
Cigarettes, per 1,000 of 2½ lb. and under .. .. .	17s. 6d.	8518	..	..	1028	1435	..	1170	10536	1667	105	..	746	248	534	177	4386	230	..	4715	572	..	..	36,067	36,008	..		
" per lb. .. .. .	7s.	272	..	..	..	..	..	..	119	30	..	..	22	..	..	..	114	..	..	112	..	..	..	1,911 lb.	669	..		
Tobacco, manufactured, per lb. .. .. .	3s. 6d.	24676	..	4	1760	2760	25	3411	21103	4382	377	..	2438	573	1777	419	13326	1262	84	14885	3917	..	..	555,311	97,179	94,059		
" South African, per lb. .. .. .	2s. 6d.	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	63	..	..	..	..	..	..	752	94	..		
" unmanufactured, per lb. .. .. .	2s.	68	..	..	..	..	..	..	383	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,510	451	435		
Wine, sparkling, per gal. .. .. .	9s.	265	..	..	58	5	..	26	538	18	..	..	2	..	..	5	340	5	..	84	6	..	..	3,005 gal.	1,352	1,446		
" Australian, .. .. .	5s.	678	..	..	152	33	49	115	737	145	86	13	82	118	73	29	463	18	..	483	139	..	..	13,628	3,407	4,634		
" other kinds, .. .. .	6s.	669	..	..	125	13	..	82	1187	151	..	..	32	8	32	..	1196	39	..	553	80	..	..	13,890	4,167	4,940		
" South African, per gal. .. .. .	2s.	69	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	..	..	3	6	..	..	1,060	106	..		
Ale, beer, &c., per gal. .. .. .	2s.	883	..	..	204	4	..	316	2263	277	23	..	128	..	20	..	1039	76	..	502	25	..	..	57,600	5,760	6,286		
Chicory, Cocoa, and Chocolate—																												
General Tariff, per lb. .. .. .	3d.	144	..	..	..	7	1	27	236	24	..	..	30	..	..	..	156	14	..	202	18	..	..	68,720 lb.	859	2,998		
Preferential Tariff, per lb. .. .. .	3d. Extra	21	..	..	..	1	..	6	20	5	..	..	6	..	..	..	22	1	..	20	1	..	..	41,200	103	..		
Opium, .. .. .	40s.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	4		
Goods by Weight—																												
General Tariff .. .. .	..	11391	..	..	398	338	58	782	13481	1565	8	..	351	102	187	47	6652	355	88	7251	1662	..	..	..	44,716	48,953		
Preferential Tariff .. .. .	..	399	..	..	21	35	..	49	410	43	..	..	20	2	10	21	169	28	..	497	36	..	..	..	1,740	1,754		
South African Tariff .. .. .	..	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	..		
Goods ad valorem—																												
General Tariff .. .. .	..	70178	..	58	3248	2407	990	4761	90535	6558	710	86	2550	2045	1827	719	49355	5112	1635	51018	6924	..	..	..	300,716	385,491		
Preferential Tariff .. .. .	..	4710	..	..	259	63	25	162	4397	385	39	..	215	413	43	37	2806	65	22	2800	258	..	..	..	16,699	15,096		
South African Tariff .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..		
Other Duties—																												
General Tariff .. .. .	..	7403	..	1	176	209	27	360	10778	797	58	..	167	35	115	27	5233	844	255	4954	604	..	..	..	32,043	39,149		
Preferential Tariff .. .. .	..	418	..	..	1	..	1	6	305	60	..	..	9	2	2	..	146	14	3	122	21	..	..	..	1,110	534		
South African Tariff .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Parcels Post .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12057	..	..	12,057	16,594		
Totals (General Tariff .. .. .	..	149993	..	152	10844	8877	1497	16175	182781	21504	2408	111	8563	4221	6275	2324	105807	10025	2087	102963	19239	12057	..	..	667,903	777,109		
Preferential Tariff .. .. .	..	5548	..	..	281	99	26	223	5132	493	39	..	250	417	55	58	3143	108	25	3439	316	..	..	..	19,652	17,384		
South African Tariff .. .. .	..	110	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	87	..	..	3	6	..	..	..	..	216	..		
Grand Totals .. .. .	..	155651	..	152	11125	8976	1523	16398	187923	21997	2447	111	8813	4638	6330	2382	109037	10133	2112	106405	19561	12057	..	..	687,771	..		
Corresponding Quarter, 1908 .. .. .	..	185026	231	111	11684	8603	2104	18568	226430	26597	2568	86	9303	3817	6756	1720	120495	10279	1832	120264	21425	16594	..	..	794,493	..		
Financial Year, 1908-9 .. .. .	..	651834	692	487	44013	38928	4878	71438	768761	98495	10469	330	38221	14620	27834	9858	424204	38715	6877	407102	80954	57658	..	..	2,796,368	..		

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RETURN showing the CUSTOMS and EXCISE DUTIES collected at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1909—continued.

EXCISE DUTIES.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Other Ports.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1908.
							Quantities.	Revenue.	
Beer .. .. .	3d. per gallon	£ 6,804	£ 3,406	£ 4,446	£ 8,775	£ 6,265	2,375,680 gal. ..	£ 29,696	£ 30,324
Tobacco .. .. .	1s. per lb.	5	255	..	..	..	5,200 lb. ..	260	300
Cigars and Snuff .. .. .	1s. 6d. "	43	..	..	..	..	573 " ..	43	3
Cigarettes, made by hand .. .. .	1s. "	1	10	..	..	..	220 " ..	11	138
Cigarettes, manufactured by machinery .. .. .	2s. 6d. "	3	..	..	..	..	24 " ..	3	1
Medicinal Preparations containing more than 50 per cent. of proof spirit .. .. .	9d. "	95	27	49	152	..	8,560 " ..	321*	303
Ditto .. .. .	12s. per gallon	..	..	..	21	..	35 gal. ..	21	..
Culinary and Flavouring Essences .. .. .	12s. "	58	21	7	120	10	360 " ..	216	103
Perfumed Spirits .. .. .	20s. "	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Toilet Preparations .. .. .	12s. "	2	..	11	..	..	22 gal. ..	13	35
	6s. "	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals .. .. .	..	7,011	3,719	4,513	9,068	6,273*	..	30,584	..
Corresponding Quarter, 1908 .. .. .	..	7,042	4,494	4,445	8,994	6,230	..	..	31,205
Financial Year, 1908-9 .. .. .	..	28,700	15,206	17,491	35,410	23,481	..	120,288	..

\* Discrepancy due to refund being greater than collections at "Other Ports."

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 19th April,

RICHD. CARTER, Secretary and Inspector.

## Vital Statistics.

REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of April, 1909:—

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the undermentioned Boroughs, during the Month of April, 1909.

BOROUGH.	ESTIMATED POPULATION FEBRUARY, 1909.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGH.	DEATHS IN BOROUGHS REGISTERED IN APRIL, 1909.									Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, April, 1909.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1908.
			Males.			Females.			Total Deaths.				
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.					
Auckland .. .. .	42,748	105	7	2	12	3	..	18	42	0.98	12.43		
Birkenhead .. .. .	1,523	2	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	1.31	8.80		
Devonport .. .. .	6,300	11	1	..	3	..	..	2	6	0.95	7.72		
Newmarket .. .. .	2,666	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.37	6.59		
Grey Lynn .. .. .	7,020	20	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	0.28	7.75		
Parnell .. .. .	5,552	10	1	..	3	..	..	2	6	1.08	9.30		
Mount Eden .. .. .	8,246	15	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.12	7.02		
Northcote .. .. .	1,290	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.78	4.99		
<b>Totals Auckland and sub-urban boroughs</b>	<b>75,345</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>0.81</b>	<b>10.41</b>		
Population of other suburbs (estimated)*	18,199												
<b>Total population of Greater Auckland</b>	<b>93,544</b>												
Wellington .. .. .	69,357	167	5	5	12	5	2	19	48	0.69	9.18		
Karori .. .. .	1,287	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8.00		
Onslow .. .. .	1,400	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8.38		
Miramar .. .. .	1,623	5	2	..	2	..	..	..	4	2.46	6.99		
<b>Total population of Greater Wellington</b>	<b>73,667</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>0.71</b>	<b>9.10</b>		
Christchurch .. .. .	55,651	197	4	1	17	5	..	18	45	0.81	9.70		
Woolston .. .. .	3,340	6	1	..	1	..	..	1	3	0.90	9.10		
New Brighton .. .. .	1,542	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5.08		
Sumner .. .. .	1,563	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7.82		
<b>Totals Christchurch and sub-urban boroughs</b>	<b>62,096</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>0.77</b>	<b>9.52</b>		
Population of other suburbs (estimated)*	14,613												
<b>Total population of Greater Christchurch</b>	<b>76,709</b>												
Dunedin .. .. .	38,548	108	3	..	14	3	..	9	29	0.75	11.98		
Maori Hill .. .. .	2,256	7	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.44	5.80		
Mornington .. .. .	4,641	6	1	..	1	1	..	..	3	0.65	7.34		
North-east Valley .. .. .	4,993	13	1	..	4	..	..	1	6	1.20	10.35		
Roslyn .. .. .	6,100	6	..	..	1	..	1	1	3	0.49	8.94		
St. Kilda .. .. .	3,100	5	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	0.65	7.41		
West Harbour .. .. .	1,641	2	2	..	..	..	..	1	3	1.83	3.71		
<b>Total population of Greater Dunedin</b>	<b>61,279</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>0.77</b>	<b>10.50</b>		

\* These remaining suburbs do not lie within borough boundaries, and particulars respecting them have not been obtained for the Vital Statistics. Closely correct annual statements of population outside boroughs are not obtainable.

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

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

The inclusion of the suburban boroughs tends to lower the rate at Auckland and Christchurch, but raises it at Wellington and Dunedin.

		Death-rates per 1,000 of Population.	
Auckland City .. .. .	0.98		
and seven suburban boroughs .. .. .			0.81
Wellington City .. .. .	0.69		
and three suburban boroughs .. .. .			0.71
Christchurch City .. .. .	0.81		
and three suburban boroughs .. .. .			0.77
Dunedin City .. .. .	0.75		
and six suburban boroughs .. .. .			0.77

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

Compared with April, 1908, the results are,—

		1908.	1909.
Auckland and suburbs .. .. .		1.08	0.81
Wellington and suburbs .. .. .		0.44	0.71
Christchurch and suburbs .. .. .		0.72	0.77
Dunedin and suburbs .. .. .		0.92	0.77

The total births in the above boroughs amounted to 639, against 637 in March—an increase of 2. The deaths in April were 208, a decrease of 37 on the number in March. Of the total deaths, males contributed 110, females 98. Fifty-eight of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 27.88 per cent. of the whole number; 47 of these were under one year of age.

There were sixty-five deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards: Ten men, 65, 68, 70, 71, 74, 77, 80, 81, 82, 86, and twelve women, 67 (two), 71, 72, 73, 76, 78, 82, 83, 86, 88, 95, died at Auckland; three men, 73 (two), 75, and eight women, 65 (two), 69, 71, 72, 83 (two), 86, at Wellington; eight men, 66, 68, 69, 79, 82, 83, 87, 91, and nine women, 65, 66, 67, 72 (two), 78, 81, 82, 85, at Christchurch; and ten men, 65, 66, 67, 69, 73, 77, 79 (two), 82, 83, and five women, 65, 66, 79, 89, 92, at Dunedin.

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Centres registered during April, 1909.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
<b>I.—GENERAL DISEASES.</b>									
<b>A.—Epidemic Diseases.</b>									
6. Measles .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
9A. Diphtheria .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
10. Influenza .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
18. Erysipelas .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
<b>B.—Other General Diseases.</b>									
20. Pyæmia, Septicæmia .. .. .	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	1	4
27. Phthisis .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	5	..	3	10
28. Tubercular Meningitis .. .. .	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	5
39. Cancer of the Tongue .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
40. " Stomach .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
40. " Liver .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
41. " Intestines, Rectum .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	1	5
42. " Uterus .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	4
43. " Breast .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
45. Cancer of Other Organs .. .. .	..	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	4
47. Rheumatic Fever .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
50. Diabetes .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
54. Anæmia .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
56. Alcoholism .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
56. Delirium Tremens .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
<b>II.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF THE ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.</b>									
61. Meningitis .. .. .	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	3
63. Sclerosis of Spinal Cord .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
63. Myelitis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
64. Apoplexy .. .. .	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	1	5
66. Hemiplegia .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
66. Paralysis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
71. Convulsions (children under 5 years of age)	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
<b>III.—DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.</b>									
79. Heart-disease .. .. .	..	10	2	7	..	3	..	9	31
82. Embolism, Thrombosis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
IV.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.									
90. Bronchitis .. .. .	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
91. Chronic Bronchitis .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	3
93. Pneumonia .. .. .	1	..	3	..	1	3	..	1	9
97. Asthma .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
99. Pulmonary Hæmorrhage .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
V.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.									
103. Ulcer of the Stomach .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
104. Gastritis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
104. Hæmatemesis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
105. Diarrhœa (children under 2 years of age)	1	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	6
105. Enteritis (children under 2 years of age)	1	..	4	..	..	..	1	..	6
106. Diarrhœa (children over 2 years of age and adults)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
106. Duodenal Ulceration .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
108. Intestinal Obstruction .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
108. Intussusception of Intestine .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
112. Cirrhosis of Liver .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
116. Peritonitis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
VI.—DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ADNEXA.									
119. Nephritis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
120. Bright's Disease .. .. .	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	2	8
121. Hæmaturia .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
121. Pyelo-nephritis .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
123. Cystitis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2
125. Hypertrophy of Prostate .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
132. Salpingitis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
VII.—PUERPERAL CONDITION.									
134. Miscarriage .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
134. Uterine Gestation .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
VIII.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.									
142. Gangrene .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
144. Abscess .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
145. Eczema .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
X.—MALFORMATIONS.									
150. Anencephaly .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
150. Hydrocephalus .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
XI.—INFANCY.									
151. Marasmus .. .. .	3	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	8
151A. Premature Birth .. .. .	2	..	3	..	5	..	4	..	14
152. Umbilical Ulcer .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
153. Malnutrition .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	3
XII.—OLD AGE.									
154. Senile Decay .. .. .	..	5	..	3	..	3	..	2	13
XIII.—VIOLENCE.									
155. Suicide by Poison .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2
158. " Drowning .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Shooting .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
164. Accident—Fracture of Rib .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
166. " Thrown from Horse .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
166. " Fall from Bicycle .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
167. " Burns .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
172. " Drowning .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
174. " Poison by Gas .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
XIV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.									
179. Heart-failure .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
Totals .. .. .	16	45	19	33	11	37	12	35	208

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the undermentioned Boroughs, during the Month of April, 1909.

BOROUGHES.	ESTIMATED POPULATION, JANUARY, 1909.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGHES.	DEATHS IN BOROUGHES REGISTERED IN APRIL, 1909.									Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1908.
			Males.			Females.			Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, April, 1909.		
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.				
Thames .. .. .	3,750	12	..	..	5	..	..	3	8	2.18	12.27	
New Plymouth .. .. .	5,352	32	..	1	2	..	..	3	6	1.12	10.94	
Napier .. .. .	10,459	28	1	..	3	..	..	4	8	0.76	11.08	
Wanganui .. .. .	8,511	28	3	..	1	2	..	1	7	0.82	8.34	
Palmerston North .. .. .	11,650	36	1	1	3	..	..	2	7	0.60	9.06	
Masterton .. .. .	5,500	19	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.18	12.65	
Petone .. .. .	7,200	15	1	..	..	..	..	1	2	0.28	..	
Blenheim .. .. .	3,500	17	..	..	1	1	1	..	3	0.86	11.14	
Nelson .. .. .	8,650	16	1	..	2	..	..	1	4	0.46	15.10	
Greymouth .. .. .	5,079	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12.91	
Hokitika .. .. .	2,410	5	..	..	1	..	..	2	3	1.24	15.77	
Lyttelton .. .. .	4,000	11	1	..	..	..	..	1	2	0.50	9.82	
Timaru .. .. .	8,100	39	..	..	3	1	..	1	5	0.62	11.35	
Oamaru .. .. .	5,257	10	..	..	1	..	..	3	4	0.76	10.54	
Invercargill (Greater)* .. .. .	13,700	28	..	2	4	1	..	2	9	0.66	10.40	

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

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 11th May, 1909.

W. W. COOK,  
Deputy Registrar-General.

Notice of Vesting of Land in the Public Trustee under "The Public Trust Office Act, 1908" (Part II, Unclaimed Lands).

WHEREAS I, the undersigned, the Public Trustee, have for the purposes of "The Unclaimed Lands Act, 1894," and the above Act, made due inquiries with respect to the land described in the Schedule hereunder, and the owner thereof, and have, in respect of the said land, given the notice prescribed by section 4 of the first-named Act, and have in all respects complied with the provisions of the said Acts pertinent hereto: And whereas I have not thereby ascertained who the owner is, and believe that such owner is not in the Dominion, nor has such owner established his title to the said land, as required by the said Unclaimed Lands Act or the last-named Act: I hereby give notice that the said land is, under and by virtue of the said Acts, or one of them, vested in the Public Trustee as aforesaid, as from the date of the publication hereof, and will be administered under "The Public Trust Office Act, 1908"; the value of the land for the purposes of section 67 (d) of the said last-named Act being less than one hundred pounds.

Dated at Wellington, this 5th day of May, 1909.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing 29.9 perches, being Lot 11, Plan No. 28, part of Section 39, Block XVI, in the Town of Gore, in the Provincial District of Otago, and being all the land described in certificate of title, Volume 15, folio 198, Invercargill Registry.

Notice of Vesting of Land in the Public Trustee under "The Public Trust Office Act, 1908" (Part II, Unclaimed Lands).

WHEREAS I, the undersigned, the Public Trustee, have for the purposes of "The Unclaimed Lands Act, 1894," and the above Act, made due inquiries with respect to the land described in the Schedule hereunder, and the owner thereof, and have, in respect of the said land, given the notices prescribed by section 4 of the first-named Act, and have in all respects complied with the provisions of the said Acts pertinent hereto: And whereas I have not thereby ascertained who the owner is, and believe that such owner is not in the Dominion, nor has such owner established his title to the said land, as required by the said

Unclaimed Lands Act or the last-named Act: I hereby give notice that the said land is, under and by virtue of the said Acts, or one of them, vested in the Public Trustee as aforesaid, as from the date of the publication hereof, and will be administered under "The Public Trust Office Act, 1908"; the value of the land for the purposes of section 67 (d) of the said last-named Act being less than one hundred pounds.

Dated at Wellington, this 5th day of May, 1909.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing 1 acre and 12 perches, more or less, being part Section 1, Block I, in the Borough of Campbelltown, in the Provincial District of Otago.

"Incorporated Societies Act, 1908."—Declaration by the Registrar dissolving a Society.

I, ROBERT EDWARD HAYES, Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that the Palmerston North Operatic and Dramatic Society (Registered) is no longer carrying on its operations and has no assets, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved in pursuance of section 28 of "The Incorporated Societies Act, 1908."

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of May, 1909.

ROBT. E. HAYES,  
Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

"Incorporated Societies Act, 1908."—Declaration by the Registrar dissolving a Society.

I, ROBERT EDWARD HAYES, Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that the New Plymouth Volunteer Fire Brigade (Registered) is no longer carrying on its operations and has no assets, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved in pursuance of section 28 of "The Incorporated Societies Act, 1908."

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of May, 1909.

ROBT. E. HAYES,  
Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

*Half-yearly Statement of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Australasia in New Zealand.*

HALF-YEARLY return of the aggregate average amount of the weekly liabilities and assets of the Bank of Australasia within the Dominion of New Zealand from the 12th day of October, 1908, to the 12th day of April, 1909, inclusive. (Published pursuant to the Royal Charter of Incorporation.)

	£	s.	d.
Bills in circulation not bearing interest ..	15,372	11	0
Notes in circulation not bearing interest ..	136,957	4	8
Bills and notes in circulation bearing interest ..	..	..	..
Balances due to other banks ..	..	..	..
Cash deposited not bearing interest ..	1,059,753	12	9
Cash deposited bearing interest ..	648,153	1	2
<b>Total liabilities within the Dominion</b>	<b>£1,860,236</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>

	£	s.	d.
Coin and bullion ..	527,596	19	2
Landed property (bank premises) ..	46,098	9	8
Notes and bills of other banks ..	28,818	14	7
Balances due from other banks ..	..	..	..
Debts due to the corporation, including notes, bills, and other securities ..	3,126,409	14	6
<b>Total assets within the Dominion</b>	<b>£3,728,923</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>11</b>

ROBT. R. SMITH, for the Inspector.  
R. N. K. SWANSTON, Accountant.  
Wellington, 15th April, 1909.

**CROWN LANDS NOTICES.**

*Lands in Carrington Settlement, Wellington Land District, open for Selection on Renewable Lease.*

District Lands Office,  
Wellington, 12th May, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 14th day of June, 1909.

**SCHEDULE.**

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WAIRARAPA SOUTH COUNTY.  
—TIFFIN SURVEY DISTRICT.—CARRINGTON SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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*First-class Land.*

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
6	VI	98	0	38	1,710	0	0	38	9	6

Situated on the western side of the Haringa Road, about four miles and a quarter from Carterton, three miles and a quarter of which is good metalled road, the remainder being a surveyed line over flat country. All flat land, about 13 acres being swampy; the whole area is in grass. Soil of good quality, on a shingle formation. The section is indifferently watered, and the elevation is about 420 ft. above sea-level. The improvements, consisting of fencing, are included in the price of the land.

*Second-class Land.*

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
3, 4	VI	218	3	35	3,440	0	0	77	8	0

Section 3 is situated on the western side of the Haringa Road, about five miles from Carterton, three miles and a quarter of which is good metalled road, the remainder being a surveyed line over flat country. Seventy-three acres of hilly country, the remainder being flat. The whole area is in grass. Soil varies from inferior to fair, on a clay-and-shingle formation. Indifferently watered, and the elevation ranges from 450 ft. to 800 ft. above sea-level. The improvements, consisting of fencing, are included in the price of the land.

Section 4 is situated on the western side of the Haringa Road, about four miles and three-quarters from Carterton,

three miles and a quarter of which is good metalled road, the remainder being a surveyed line over flat country. Forty-four acres of hilly land, the remainder being flat. The whole area is in grass. The soil is fair, on clay-and-shingle formation. Indifferently watered, and the elevation ranges from 400 ft. to 700 ft. above sea-level. The improvements, consisting of fencing, are included in the price of the land.

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Auckland Land District for Disposal under Section 131 of "The Land Act, 1908."*

District Lands Office,  
Auckland, 10th February, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land, under section 131 of the said Act, at the Land Board meeting to be held on Thursday, the 27th day of May, 1909.

**SCHEDULE.**

SECTION 4B, Block VIII, Orahiri Survey District, containing 6 acres 1 rood 24 perches, more or less, County of Waitomo.

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Wellington Land District for Disposal under Section 128 of "The Land Act, 1908."*

District Lands Office,  
Wellington, 28th April, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land, under section 128 of "The Land Act, 1908," on or after Thursday, the 29th day of July, 1909.

**SCHEDULE.**

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—GORGE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
6	II	Acres. 100

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Nelson Land District for Disposal under Section 131 of "The Land Act, 1908."*

District Lands Office,  
Nelson, 22nd February, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land, under section 131 of the said Act, on or after Wednesday, the 16th day of June, 1909.

**SCHEDULE.**

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Block.	Survey District.	Area.
IX	Motupiko .. ..	Acres. 40

F. W. FLANAGAN,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Wellington Land District for Disposal under Section 131 of "The Land Act, 1908."

District Lands Office,  
Wellington, 22nd March, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land, under section 131 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 25th day of June, 1909.

## SCHEDULE.

## WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.
5	XIII	Tauakira.

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

## Lands in Southland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 8th May, 1909.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Lessee or Licensee.	Tenure.	Lease or License No.	Section.	Block.	District.
Clarence Weeber Markham..	O.R.P.	423 B. & S.	11 and 17	XII	Oteramika Hundred.
Thomas Everett .. ..	"	430 B. & S.	106 and 107	XXIII	Invercargill Hundred.
Christina McNaught and James Corson	"	438	10	VIII	Winton Hundred.
James Caird and James Henry Johnstone	"	442 B. & S.	50 to 55	III	Wyndham.
Alexander Cameron ..	"	471	28	XVII	Waikawa.
George Richard Wise ..	"	477	68 and 69	XXIII	Invercargill Hundred.
Evelyn Herbert Harding ..	"	484	6 to 10	XXIV	Invercargill Hundred.
William Somerville ..	L.I.P.	884	28A	IV	Mabel Hundred.
Anthony John Wither ..	"	957	4A	I	South Wakatipu.
Joseph Albert Nicholl ..	"	1090	28	VI	Otara.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

## Lands in Auckland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 10th May, 1909.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease or License No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
R.L.	15	3	XIV	Takahue .. ..	J. A. Jones ..	By request.
"	46	2	III	Omapere .. ..	A. H. Shepherd ..	"
"	5	11	VIII	Waipoua .. ..	M. Brown ..	"
O.R.P.	2947	S. 19, N. 20	..	Oruawharo Parish	G. F. Linnell ..	"
"	3435	262	..	Waiotahi Parish ..	G. Morton ..	"
"	3429	19	VII	Orahiri .. ..	W. H. Brook ..	"
"	2912	241	..	Waiotahi Parish ..	G. R. Campbell ..	"
"	2779	25	VIII	Waipoua .. ..	H. R. Neilsen ..	"
"	2404	90A	..	Rangitaiki Parish ..	J. F. Hayward ..	"
"	3205	49	IX	Waoku .. ..	C. A. Fitchett ..	Non-signature of license.
L.P.	1094	25	XI	Waipoua .. ..	J. O'Connor ..	Non-fulfilment of conditions.
O.R.P.	3319	274, 275	..	Taupiri Parish ..	F. H. Shultz ..	"
"	3116	39 to 43	..	Kaukapakapa Parish	J. Woods ..	"
"	2915	33	VI	Takahue .. ..	H. C. Sisley ..	"
"	2335	5, 6	IX	Mangamuka .. ..	M. M. Leigh ..	"
"	2693	15	V	Waitoa .. ..	K. Larsen ..	"
"	2850	14	"	" .. ..	" ..	"
"	2232	3	"	Whareorino .. ..	E. Doney ..	"
"	2725	11 (V)	1 (VI)	Punakitere .. ..	A. Fenwick ..	"
"	2676	9A	..	Whakapaku Parish	P. Strickland ..	"
"	2914	267	..	Waiotahi Parish ..	E. A. Grigg ..	"

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.



*Lands in Nelson Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands, Wellington, 8th May, 1909.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Formerly held by
L.I.P. .. ..	7 <sup>7</sup> 23	XIII I	Matiri .. .. Tutaki .. ..	342 acres .. 2 acres ..	Margaret McFarlane. Michael Dwan.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Lands in Nelson Land District classified.*

Department of Lands, Wellington, 2nd May, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners appointed, in pursuance of section 225 of "The Land Act, 1908," to classify and report upon portion of the rural lands in Nelson Land District, known as the Heaphy Block, have reported to His Excellency the Governor that the lands described in the Schedule hereto have been classified by them as therein noted.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

## SCHEDULE.

## NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

CLASS II.—PASTORAL-AGRICULTURAL LANDS, being Lands adapted in Part for Pasturage and in Part for Agricultural Purposes, but suitable for Subdivision in Areas not exceeding Five Thousand Acres.

Run No.	Area.	Description.
23	A. R. P. 10,000 0 0	Situated on left bank of Heaphy River, between the Heaphy River and the Kohaihai River, Collingwood County.

F. W. FLANAGAN,  
ANDREW SINCLAIR,  
ROBT. T. SADD, } Commissioners.

*Land in Nelson Land District surrendered.*

Department of Lands, Wellington, 8th May, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that, a surrender of the lease of the undermentioned land having been accepted by resolution of the Nelson Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1908."

## SCHEDULE.

## NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Formerly held by
L.I.P.	39	V	Inangahua .. ..	A. R. P. 292 0 15	P. Quayle, sen., P. J. Quayle, jun., and J. J. Quayle.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

## NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Auckland.*

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 4th May, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Auckland on the 10th day of May, 1909, to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Auckland, 1909-8.]

A. G. HOLLAND, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.		
2	Hoera Honetana, Tamati Wiremu, Piri Paraone, Waata Hangata, Tereha Tanoa, and others	Te Karaka.
3	Pirihira Tanga and others .. .. .	Oruawharo.
NEW APPLICATION.		
4	Harihari (for himself, Tangiaro Totaea, and Harini Totaea) ..	Opuatia No. 12B.

## APPLICATION TO DETERMINE RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
47	Te Aho Renata, Wiremu Tamihana, Renata te Koroa, and others	Te Karaka.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
This application will be heard on or after the 13th day of June, 1909.		
48	G. W. Ormsby .. .. .	Raihi Omipi (Eliza Ormsby).

## APPLICATIONS FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
49	Hori Herewini .. .. .	Koheroa, Lot 62B.
50	Kerei Kaihau .. .. .	Waiuku West, Lot 125.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
51	{ Roka Hariata Hopere .. .. . Harata Hopere .. .. .	{ Taupiri, Lot 450A. Taupiri, Lots 174, 175, 176, and 335.

## APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 38 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," FOR AMENDMENT OF PARTITION ORDER.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
52	Rangiamohia Rongopal .. .. .	Omatara No. 3A.

## APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTIONS 108 AND 109 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Minors.	Nature of Application.
53	Pomare Hetaraka .. .. .	Wiremu Taiporutu and Taipari Taiporutu	Applying for an order for payment by R. A. Patterson of the sum of £529 17s. to the applicant, trustee, on behalf of the said minors.
54	Pomare Hetaraka .. .. .	Wiremu Taiporutu and Taipari Taiporutu	Applying for an order for payment by R. A. Patterson of the sum of £529 17s. to the applicant, trustee, on behalf of the said minors.
55	Para Haimona .. .. .	Te Hibi te Rupapere and Taiharuru Pereka	Applying for an order for payment by R. A. Patterson of the sum of £529 17s. to the applicant, trustee, on behalf of the said minors.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount due.
56	Peter Edward Cheal .. ..	Hoeotainui South No. 4B .. ..	£ s. d. 13 2 8
57	Peter Edward Cheal .. ..	Hapuakohe A No. 1 (Parish of Taupiri, Section 474A No. 1) ..	11 19 7

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
58	Lease .. ..	23rd November, 1906	Kinohaku East No. 4D, Section 2	Ruita te Mihinga to Anne Lillian Hunt.
59	Lease .. ..	26th November, 1906	Pukenui No. 2D, Section 5	Te Naumau Hikaka to William H. Adams.
60	Mortgage .. ..	11th April, 1907 .. ..	Opuatia No. 6A .. ..	Ewe Hohua to John Muir.
61	Conveyance .. ..	1st November, 1907 ..	Allotment 19, Parish of Waimana	Ngaeu to Ihuwai to Patrick Comiskey.
62	Transfer .. ..	19th November, 1907	Section 18D, Parish of Tatarariki	Pari Winiata, Hemaima Kingi, Te Aarahi Hohepa, and Piri Waata, to Joseph Seymour.
63	Transfer .. ..	19th November, 1907	Lot 18c, Parish of Tatarariki	Hemaima Kingi to Joseph Seymour.
64	Transfer .. ..	19th November, 1907	Section 18B, Parish of Tatarariki	Piri Waata and Te Aarahi Hohepa to Joseph Seymour.
65	Lease .. ..	21st April, 1908 .. ..	Allotment 68, Parish of Waiuku West	Waata te Koi to William Claude Motion.
66	Lease .. ..	4th May, 1908 .. ..	Lot 261, Whangamarino	Te Kau to John A. Sampson.
67	Lease .. ..	4th May, 1908 .. ..	Lot 260, Whangamarino	Tamehana Ketetauro to John A. Sampson.
68	Sale .. ..	26th May, 1908 .. ..	Mangakahia 2A2 No. 4B	Nau Paraone and others to Ernest Joseph Penwarden.
69	Mortgage .. ..	8th May, 1908 .. ..	Lots 1 and 2 of Waitakaruru No. 5B	Mahuta Tawhiao to Elizabeth Muir.
70	Transfer .. ..	31st December, 1896 ..	Te Awakanai .. ..	Te Koki Tiroitini to Agnes Preece.
71	Transfer .. ..	14th June, 1894 .. ..	Te Horo .. ..	Mita Arama Whakatau and others to William Begg Nicholson.

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72	Lease .. ..	8th June, 1906 .. ..	Orakei No. 3c .. ..	Rere Arama and Hariata Whareiti to Elizabeth Coates.
73	Lease .. ..	7th June, 1906 .. ..	Orakei 1A No. 2 .. ..	Te Hira Pateoro to Thomas Coates.
74	Lease (agreement) to ..	21st September, 1901 ..	Allotment 47, Mangere	Tami Rangai to John Rae.
75	Lease .. ..	30th March, 1908 .. ..	Orakei No. 2B .. ..	Watene Tautari and Merea Kingi to Arthur Southey Baker.
76	Lease .. ..	7th April, 1908 .. ..	Orakei Nos. 3c and 1c	Hori Paerimu to Arthur Southey Baker.
77	Lease .. ..	30th March, 1908 .. ..	Orakei No. 2A2 .. ..	Maki Waata to Arthur Southey Baker.
78	Sale .. ..	28th July, 1908 .. ..	Lot 126, Parish of Waiuku West ..	Kerei Kaihau to William Bailey.
79	Conveyance .. ..	28th September, 1878	Lot 106, Waimana .. ..	Miria te Mautaranui and Maraea te Mautaranui to Conway Grey Murphy, John Logan Campbell, Patrick Comiskey, John Sangster Macfarlane, and Robert Hall.
80	Sale and purchase .. ..	24th March, 1897 .. ..	Hikutaia No. 1H .. ..	Mata Parata to Te Rare Pukeroa.
81	Transfer .. ..	12th December, 1888	Tuparekura No. 1 .. ..	Patoromu te Akariri to Francis Dart Fenton.
82	Sale .. ..	Year 1882 .. ..	Pukahakaha West, Block 12 .. ..	Kamira te Mahara and others to John Blake.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Gisborne.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 5th May, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Gisborne on the 26th day of May, 1909, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Gisborne, 1909-16.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR ASSESSMENT OF COMPENSATION FOR LAND TAKEN.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Land taken.	Area.	Purpose for which taken.
510	The Cook County Council ..	Mangatuna and Kopuatarakihi	2R. 13P.	A public road.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land proposed to be exchanged.
511	Tame Pahura .. .. . Katerina Pahura .. .. .	Mangarara C. Mangaheia No. 1B2A.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area.	District.
512	Harata Aratapu and others .. .. .	Tamohareparae No. 1B .. .. .	.. .. .	Tolago Bay.
513	Houpora Konohi and others .. .. .	Tamohareparae No. 1B .. .. .	.. .. .	Tolago Bay.
514	Parehuia Tipoki and others .. .. .	Makareao .. .. .	100A. 2R. 24P.	Tolago Bay.

## APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 61 OF "THE NATIVE LAND SETTLEMENT ACT, 1907," TO CONSTITUTE THE OWNER OF THE LAND HEREBUNDER MENTIONED A BODY CORPORATE AND TO APPOINT A COMMITTEE THEREIN.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	District.
515	The Hon. the Native Minister .. .. .	Paraeroa No. 2 .. .. .	Gisborne.

## APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
516	Mihi Mere Pere and others .. .. .	Whatatuna No. 2A.
517	Akura te Ota .. .. .	Mangaaruhe East No. 2.
518	Wakana Kiniha .. .. .	Piwhakao No. 2B4.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Adopted Child.	Particulars of Adoption.
519	Paerimu Wi Pahaka .. .. .	Tei Ruaawai and Raiha .. .. .	Adoption by the applicant of the children mentioned.
520	Ruka Tahua Teka .. .. .	Okeroa Kiwi .. .. .	Adoption by the applicant of this child.

## APPLICATION FOR AN ORDER DIRECTING THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE TO PAY RENT.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
521	Hapi Kiniha and others .. .. .	Arai-Matawai.

## APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount due.
522	George John Winter .. .. .	Mangaaoe No. 2C .. .. .	£ s. d. 32 11 0
523	George John Winter .. .. .	Mangaaoe No. 2D3 .. .. .	36 14 2
524	George John Winter .. .. .	Mangaaoe No. 2D1 .. .. .	11 7 6
525	George John Winter .. .. .	Mangaaoe No. 2D2 .. .. .	11 7 6
526	George John Winter .. .. .	Mangatuna No. 1A .. .. .	8 16 11
527	George John Winter .. .. .	Mangatuna No. 1B .. .. .	4 14 0
528	George John Winter .. .. .	Mangatuna No. 1C .. .. .	17 2 10
529	George John Winter .. .. .	Mangatuna No. 1D .. .. .	23 11 2
530	George John Winter .. .. .	Mangatuna No. 1E .. .. .	4 4 6
531	George John Winter .. .. .	Mangatuna No. 1F .. .. .	5 10 0
532	George John Winter .. .. .	Mangatuna No. 1G .. .. .	5 0 3
533	George John Winter .. .. .	Mangatuna No. 1H .. .. .	33 1 4
534	George John Winter .. .. .	Tauwhareparae No. 1A .. .. .	45 7 0
535	George John Winter .. .. .	Tauwhareparae No. 1B .. .. .	39 18 0
536	George John Winter .. .. .	Tauwhareparae No. 1E .. .. .	41 13 6

APPLICATION TO THE COURT TO DETERMINE THE OWNERS OF THE UNDERMENTIONED LAND.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
537	Matenga Waaka .. .. .	Maraetaha No. 1d (Kopua).

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 11 OF "THE MAORI LAND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENT AND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1907," TO ASCERTAIN THE BENEFICIAL OWNERS AND THEIR RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
538	The East Coast Commissioner .. .. .	Tangotete No. 2.
539	The East Coast Commissioner .. .. .	Tangotete No. 1.
540	The East Coast Commissioner .. .. .	Te Kuri.
541	The East Coast Commissioner .. .. .	Pakowhai.
542	The East Coast Commissioner .. .. .	Maraetaha No. 2A2.
543	The East Coast Commissioner .. .. .	Maraetaha No. 2A3.
544	The East Coast Commissioner .. .. .	Maraetaha No. 2, Section 3.
545	The East Coast Commissioner .. .. .	Maraetaha No. 2, Section 4.
546	The East Coast Commissioner .. .. .	Maraetaha No. 2, Section 6.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE OR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
547	Thomas John Goldsmith .. .. .	Noko Matutaera.
548	Haami Kaata te Ao .. .. .	Raniera te Ao.

Notice of Appointment for Committees for Incorporated Blocks.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court has appointed the following persons to be members of the committees for the purpose of administering the lands set opposite their names in the Schedule hereto.

Dated at Auckland, this 7th day of May, 1909.

A. G. HOLLAND, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Block.	Names of Members of Committees.
Waione No. 3 .. .. .	Horomona te Piki. Te Tahana Tukuru. Whata Karaka. Tu te Hira. Takuira Mita. Te Pūehu Ngamahanga. Te Mutu Poroa.
Rotoma No. 1 .. .. .	Taiatini Eruini. Hikanui. Te Wao. Te Warihi. Manihera. Hemi te Uara. Raimona Heretaunga.
Tautara .. .. .	Taiatini Eruini. Hikanui. Te Morehu Kirikau. Wiremu Ereata. Whata Karaka. Hemi te Uara. Raimona Heretaunga.
Rotoiti No. 4 .. .. .	Te Morehu Kirikau. Tiakiawa Tahuri. Hoani Pere Honiti. Ngataiawhio Ngamahana. Pita te Rangituakoha. Hemi te Uara. Whiti Ratima.
Rotoiti No. 5a .. .. .	Te Morehu Kirikau. Takuira Mita. Hone Ratima. Hema te Kirikau. Hera Nepia. Mere Ngahuia. Hohapata Hanarere.

Name of Block.	Names of Members of Committees.
Rotoiti No. 5b .. .. .	Te Taru Rapana. Hone Ratima. Wiremu Waaka, alias Tahu. Uetonga Keepa. Tukotahi te Harete. Wirihana Tamati. Hemana Pokiha.
Rotoiti No. 1 .. .. .	Te Morehu Kirikau. Wiremu Ereata. Wharerangi Ratima. Ropeta Ihakara. Hika Rahui te Puhau. Takuira Mita. Hemi te Uara.
Whakapoungakau No. 13b .. .. .	Te Wiremu Matene. Matuha Enoka. Hohepa te Rake. Taekata Teumu. Retimana Aramoana. Akapita Pango.
Whakapoungakau No. 10b .. .. .	Te Wiremu Matene. Te Wheoro Poni. Tamihana Tikitere. Rangitarahae Kokiri. Tengahoa Tekiri. Wiremu Kingi. Hapeta Teumu.
Whakapoungakau No. 11b .. .. .	Te Wiremu Matene. Hohepa Terake. Wiremu Hikairo. Te Potikai Teni. Matuha Enoka. Tamihana Tikitere. Tengahoa Tekiri.

Notice of Registration of Adoption under Section 50 of "The Native Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1901."

Native Land Court Office,  
Wellington, 7th May, 1909.

NOTICE having been lodged with me by Te Oro Aneti (since deceased), of Puniho, that she has taken Tautini, a child of Te Nuiā and Te Wairereata, to be her adopted child, and a certificate by a Judge of the Native Land Court, as required by Regulation No. 6, having been received, it is hereby notified that the said notice of adoption has been duly filed and registered.

E. A. WELCH,  
Registrar.

## MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

*Meeting of the Maniapoto-Tuwaharetoa District Maori Land Board.*

Auckland, 8th May, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Maniapoto-Tuwaharetoa District Maori Land Board to be held at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 2nd day of June, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

JAS. W. BROWNE, President.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT TO LEASE

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.				
1	M. 1907/111	Edwin Henry Hardy .. .. .	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 64L ..	Mahuri Tawhana and others.
2	M. 1907/147	Edwin Henry Hardy .. .. .	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 64Q ..	Hinurewa Ngahiwi and others.
3	M. 1907/148	Edwin Henry Hardy .. .. .	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 64R ..	Hineari Tawhana and others.
4	M. 1907/154	Robert B. Lusk (solicitor for Newell William Butler Lusk)	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 1 ..	..
5	M. 1907/155	Robert B. Lusk .. .. .	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 2 ..	Hariata Raurau.
6	M. 1907/220	John St. Clair (solicitor for W. Eddows, M. J. Connor, and D. McLeod)	Rangitoto A No. 28 ..	..
7	M. 1907/221	John St. Clair (solicitor for W. Eddows, M. J. Connor, and D. McLeod)	Rangitoto A No. 29 ..	..
8	M. 1907/222	John St. Clair (solicitor for W. Eddows, M. J. Connor, and D. McLeod)	Rangitoto A No. 40 ..	..
9	M. 1907/241	Thomas Charles Cornford and Samuel Vickery Burridge (by their solicitors, Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers)	Rangipo-Waiu B No. 6. ..	..
10	M. 1908/49	Edwin Henry Hardy .. .. .	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 64O ..	Pukeiti Pouaka.
11	M. 1908/66	Gabriel Elliott (for himself, John De Renzy, and John De Renzy Anthony)	Karuotewhenua B No. 5 ..	Kaahu Huatere.
12	M. 1908/103	Gabriel Elliott (agent for V. E. Elliott)	Kaingapipi No. 6 ..	Rahapa Tongaporutu and others.
13	M. 1908/115	Jeremiah Ormsby (agent for William Kilmartin)	Kinohaku East No. 4c, Section 2 ..	Hotutaua Pakukohatu and others.
14	M. 1908/131	A. J. Rawstron (by his agent, John Ormsby)	Kaingapipi No. 6 ..	Rahapa Tongaporutu and others.
15	M. 1908/166	Teni Tuhakaraina (agent for K. J. McCardle)	Ouruwhero No. 3x ..	Mamaeroa te Hoko and others
16	M. 1908/186	S. A. Board (by his agent, John Ormsby)	Pukeroa-Hangatiki No. 4D ..	..
17	M. 1908/191	V. S. Hattaway (by his agent, John Ormsby)	Kinohaku East, Section 5E ..	Tukotahi Hautapu and others.
18	M. 1908/207	A. A. Yates (agent for Jean Lilburn)	Ohura South K No. 1, Section 2c No. 5 ..	Tapuiora Hikaia and others.
19	M. 1908/237	Jeremiah Ormsby (agent for H. R. Cooke)	Te Kuiti 2B No. 10 ..	Pohe Tawhana and others.
20	M. 1908/240	Jeremiah Ormsby (agent for Thomas Gordon)	Mahoenui No. 3B, Section 4 ..	Rauputu Tumokemoke and others.
21	M. 1908/250	Rini Henare Akatarewa .. .. .	Awarua No. 3D3, Sec. 17c, No. 2 ..	..
22	M. 1908/281	Earl and Kent (solicitors for William Mooney)	Ohura South A No. 3c ..	Wairangi Kiria.
23	M. 1908/282	Earl and Kent (solicitors for Robert Mauriel Kelly and Louis Kelly)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77E, Sections 2 and 3 ..	Hurinui te Wano and others.
24	M. 1909/5	Gabriel Elliott (agent for George Petrie)	Mahoenui 3B No. 5 ..	Kaahu Huatere and others.
25	M. 1909/30	Edwin Henry Hardy .. .. .	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 79J ..	..
26	M. 1909/31	Earl and Kent (solicitors for Louis Kelly)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77E, Section 1 ..	Amohaere Rangitahi and others.
27	M. 1909/36	Earl and Kent (solicitors for J. L. Guilford)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 52B ..	Hinekino Hohepa and others.
28	M. 1909/50	Earl and Kent (solicitors for John Doolan)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 52B ..	Hinekino Hohepa and others.
29	M. 1909/61	Earl and Kent (solicitors for M. D. Dunning)	Piha No. 1 ..	Hakaraia to Toko and others.
30	M. 1909/65	Watts and Broadfoot (solicitors for A. M. McCardle)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 71B ..	..
31	M. 1909/66	Earl and Kent (solicitors for M. D. Dunning)	Pukeroa-Hangatiki 4c No. 3B ..	Rangimurua Pukeroa and another.
32	M. 1909/67	Arrowsmith and Black (solicitors for John Collins)	Motukawa 2B, Section 20 ..	Rangiapoa Waikari and another.
33	M. 1909/68	John A. Pearson (by his agent, J. M. Fraser)	Rangipo-Waiu B No. 7A ..	..
34	M. 1909/69	Mary Flora Macfarlane (by her agent, J. M. Fraser)	Rangipo-Waiu B No. 7B ..	..
35	M. 1909/70	J. A. Pearson (by his agent, J. M. Fraser)	Rangipo-Waiu B No. 7c ..	..
36	M. 1909/71	Earl and Kent (solicitors for M. D. Dunning)	Hauturu East 1E, Section 5c, No. 2B, Section 2 ..	Puangihau Hotu and others.
37	M. 1909/72	Earl and Kent (solicitors for M. D. Dunning)	Hauturu East 1E, Section 5c, No. 2B, Section 2 ..	Te Aweawe Koroheke and others.
38	M. 1909/73	Earl and Kent (solicitors for M. D. Dunning)	Hauturu East 1E, Section 5c, No. 2B, Section 3 ..	Noke te Moerua and others.
39	M. 1909/74	Watts and Broadfoot (solicitors for P. D. Hargreaves)	Orahiri No. 2, Section 6B ..	Hone Taonui Ruihi and others.
40	M. 1909/75	Watts and Broadfoot (solicitors for P. D. Hargreaves)	Otorohanga 4B No. 1 ..	Te Ata te Rerenga and others.
41	M. 1909/76	A. J. Archer (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Te Kuiti 2B1A No. 6 ..	Te Mahuri Tawhana and another.

## ● ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS—continued.

No.	Record No	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.
42	M. 1909/77	A. J. Archer (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Te Kuiti 2B1A No. 6 ..	Te Mahuri Tawhana and another.
43	M. 1909/78	A. J. Archer (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Te Kuiti 2B1A No. 6 ..	Te Mahuri Tawhana and another.
44	M. 1909/79	A. J. Archer (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Te Kuiti 2B1A No. 6 ..	Te Mahuri Tawhana and another.
45	M. 1909/80	A. J. Archer (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Te Kuiti 2B1A No. 6 ..	Te Mahuri Tawhana and another.
46	M. 1909/81	Florence Eva McCardle (by her solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68H ..	Ngahiwi Paiwaho and others.
47	M. 1909/82	A. J. Archer (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Te Kuiti 2B1A No. 6 ..	Te Mahuri Tawhana and another.
48	M. 1909/83	Pepene Eketone (agent for John Erikson)	Te Kuiti No. 2B, Section 1B ..	..
49	M. 1909/84	Pepene Eketone (agent for Phillip Tarrant)	Karuotewhenua <sup>1</sup> B No. (?) ..	..
50	M. 1909/85	Pepene Eketone (agent for Daniel Webster)	Piha No. 1 ..	Hakaraia te Toko and others.
51	M. 1909/86	Pepene Eketone (agent for A. V. Madson)	Rangitoto <sup>2</sup> A No. 35 ..	..
52	M. 1909/87	Pepene Eketone (agent for Clara Smith)	Pukenui No. 2D, Section 3 ..	..
53	M. 1909/88	Earl and Kent (solicitors for M. D. Dunning)	Pehitawa 2B No. 4 ..	..
54	M. 1909/89	Michael McNamara (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
55	M. 1909/90	J. N. O'Brien (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
56	M. 1909/91	James McIndoe (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
57	M. 1909/92	A. McK. Moir (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
58	M. 1909/93	A. B. Jordan (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
59	M. 1909/94	W. J. Broadfoot (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
60	M. 1909/95	W. McNamara (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
61	M. 1909/96	W. J. Broadfoot (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
62	M. 1909/97	A. B. Jordan (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
63	M. 1909/98	James McIndoe (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
64	M. 1909/99	J. N. O'Brien (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
65	M. 1909/100	Mabel Standish (by her solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
66	M. 1909/101	Mabel Standish (by her solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
67	M. 1909/102	W. Standish (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
68	M. 1909/103	Jeremiah Ormsby (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
69	M. 1909/104	A. D. McCardle (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
70	M. 1909/105	G. B. Beere (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
71	M. 1909/106	G. B. Beere (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
72	M. 1909/107	A. D. McCardle (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
73	M. 1909/108	Jeremiah Ormsby (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
74	M. 1909/109	W. Standish (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
75	M. 1909/110	Mabel Standish (by her solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
76	M. 1909/111	Mabel Standish (by her solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
77	M. 1909/112	Mabel Standish (by her solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	Kahukoka Waata and others.
78	M. 1909/113	Earl and Kent (solicitors for Millar Darroch Dunning)	Pehitawa 2B No. 3 ..	..
79	M. 1909/114	Edwin Henry Hardy .. ..	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 61C, Section 1 ..	Te Mahuri Tawhana and others.
79A	M. 1909/115	Stanley Wright (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 29 ..	..
79B	M. 1909/116	Willis and Reynolds (by their solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 29 ..	..
79C	M. 1909/117	Stanley Wright (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 29 ..	..
79D	M. 1909/118	A. W. Jensen (by his solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Mahoenui 3B No. 5 ..	..
79E	M. 1909/119	Jensen Bros. (by their solicitors, Watts and Broadfoot)	Mahoenui 3B No. 5 ..	..

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
<b>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.</b>				
80	M. 1908/3	R. Mainwaring (agent for W. M. Ross) ..	Puketarata 6B No. 2B ..	Sale.
81	M. 1908/138	Mariana Pine (by her solicitor, A. A. S. Menteach)	Oruamatua-Kaimanawa No. 1G ..	Sale.
82	M. 1908/160	Wiari te Rauroha (by his agent, Gabriel Elliott)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 3B, Section 1	Mortgage.
83	M. 1908/213	R. Mainwaring (agent for J. G. Elmsly) ..	Tokanui C No. 18 ..	Sale.
84	M. 1908/217	Earl and Kent (solicitors for A. S. Board)	Pukeroa-Hangatiki No. 1A ..	Sale.
85	M. 1908/287	Jeremiah Ormsby (agent for Frank Stanwell)	Kakepuku No. 1C, Section 1F ..	Sale.
86	M. 1908/288	Jeremiah Ormsby (agent for Frank Stanwell)	Kakepuku No. 3B ..	Sale.
87	M. 1908/291	Jeremiah Ormsby (agent for Charles Harrison)	Rangitoto-Tuhua 3A, Section 1 ..	Sale.
88	M. 1908/292	Jeremiah Ormsby (agent for Charles Harrison)	Rangitoto-Tuhua 3A, Section 2 ..	Sale.
89	M. 1909/37	Earl and Kent (solicitors for Jensen Bros.)	Pukenui A ..	Sale.
90	M. 1909/42	Pahata Keeti ..	Pokuru No. 3K ..	Sale.
91	M. 1909/48	John Anthony Ormsby ..	Waiwhakaata No. 3B ..	Mortgage.
92	M. 1909/54	Edwin Mossman ..	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 3B ..	Sale.
<b>NEW APPLICATION.</b>				
93	M. 1909/59	H. Hine (solicitor for William Simpson) ..	Puketarata No. 2D5B, Section 2 ..	Sale.

## APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 26 OF "THE MAORI LAND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENT AND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1907," FOR THE APPROVAL OF AGREEMENTS FOR THE ALIENATION OF TIMBER, FLAX, ETC., ON NATIVE LANDS.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Agreement.
<b>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.</b>				
94	M. 1908/23	Earl and Kent (solicitors for the Puketapu Sawmilling Company)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 2 ..	Timber-cutting rights.
95	M. 1908/33	Earl and Kent (solicitors for the Puketapu Sawmilling Company)	Ohura South M No. 3A, Section 1	Timber-cutting rights.
96	M. 1908/34	Earl and Kent (solicitors for the Puketapu Sawmilling Company)	Ohura South M No. 3A, Section 2	Timber-cutting rights.
97	M. 1908/36	Earl and Kent (solicitors for the Puketapu Sawmilling Company)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 2A ..	Timber-cutting rights.
98	M. 1908/37	Earl and Kent (solicitors for N. J. Hunt and others)	Te Kumi Nos. 3 to 14 ..	Timber-cutting rights.
99	M. 1908/38	Earl and Kent (solicitors for N. J. Hunt and others)	Pukeroa ..	Timber-cutting rights.
100	M. 1908/39	Earl and Kent (solicitors for N. J. Hunt and others)	Pehitawa No. 2 ..	Timber-cutting rights.
101	M. 1908/40	Earl and Kent (solicitors for N. J. Hunt and others)	Hauturu, East No. 1, Section 4	Timber-cutting rights.
102	M. 1908/41	Earl and Kent (solicitors for N. J. Hunt and others)	Hangatiki Nos. 4B, 4C, 4D, and No. 1	Timber-cutting rights.
103	M. 1908/43	Earl and Kent (solicitors for the Puketapu Sawmilling Company)	Ohura South C No. 2, Section 3A	Timber-cutting rights.
104	M. 1908/44	Earl and Kent (solicitors for the Puketapu Sawmilling Company)	Ohura South C No. 2, Section 3E	Timber-cutting rights.
105	M. 1908/45	Earl and Kent (solicitors for the Puketapu Sawmilling Company)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 1 ..	Timber-cutting rights.
106	M. 1908/209	Earl and Kent (solicitors for A. H. Hyde, M. J. Graham, and C. Harrison)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 79 ..	Timber-cutting rights.
107	M. 1909/43	Buddle, Button, and Company (solicitors for Edward Roper and G. L. Winger)	Ohura South G No. 4F ..	Timber-cutting rights.
<b>NEW APPLICATIONS.</b>				
108	M. 1909/60	R. D. Dansey ..	Pakuri ..	Timber-cutting rights.
109	M. 1909/62	W. R. Franklin (solicitor for C. J. Ryan and others)	Ohura South A No. 3 ..	Timber-cutting rights.
110	M. 1909/64	J. Black ..	Tauriwa ..	Transfer of interests.

## APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
<b>NEW APPLICATIONS.</b>				
111	Transfer ..	22nd February, 1909	Oruawhero No. 3R ..	Whiua Kiingi to John Burgess Teasdale.
112	Transfer ..	23rd February, 1909	Awarua 3D3, Section 12	Pango Pukutohe to Alice Chili Wall.



Meeting of the Aotea District Maori Land Board.

Whanganui, 8th May, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Aotea District Maori Land Board to be held at Whanganui on Tuesday, the 18th day of May, 1909, at 10.30 a.m.

THOS. W. FISHER, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATION.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	1909/66	Mortgage	7th May, 1909	Aorangi No. 1, Section 4, Block 2	Heni te Rangiotu to Charles Bull (bv their solicitor, J. Graham).

Maori Lands in Otorohanga Township for lease by Public Auction under "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," and its Amendments.

Office of the Maniapoto Tuwharetoa District Maori Land Board, Auckland, 26th April, 1909.

THE undermentioned sections in the Township of Otorohanga will be offered for lease by public auction for a term of twenty-one years, with right of renewals for further terms of twenty-one years, at the Public Hall, Otorohanga, on Tuesday, the 1st day of June, 1909, at 11.30 o'clock a.m.

The sections will be offered under the provisions of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," and its amendments, under conditions similar to those under which the other sections in the township have been leased.

Plans of the Township of Otorohanga can be seen and full particulars obtained at the Post-offices at Otorohanga, Hamilton, Cambridge, Rotorua, Te Awamutu, Kihikihiki, Pirongia, Kawhia, Te Kuiti, and Taumarunui; also on application to the President, Maniapoto-Tuwharetoa District Maori Land Board, at Auckland; and at the District Lands Office, Auckland.

JAS. W. BROWNE, President.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAITOMO COUNTY.—ORAHIRI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Lot.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Value.	Value of Improvements.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
5	IV	0 1 11	3 15 0	25 0 0
12	XI	0 1 19	5 0 0	30 0 0
1	XII	0 0 39	2 15 0	..
2	"	0 0 38	2 15 0	..
3	"	0 0 36	3 0 0	..
7	"	0 1 26	3 0 0	21 10 6
14	XVI	0 0 29	3 0 0	30 0 0
8	XVII	0 2 16	3 10 0	100 0 0
1	XXIII	0 1 32	3 15 0	..
2	"	0 1 0	2 0 0	..
3	"	0 1 0	1 13 0	..
4	"	0 1 0	1 13 0	..
5	"	0 1 0	1 13 0	..
6	"	0 1 0	1 13 0	..
7	"	0 1 0	1 13 0	..
8	"	0 1 0	1 13 0	..
9	"	0 1 0	1 13 0	..
10	"	0 1 0	1 13 0	..
11	"	0 1 28	1 13 0	..
12	"	0 1 9	1 5 0	..
13	"	0 2 5	2 10 0	..
14	"	0 2 9	2 10 0	..
15	"	0 2 29	3 0 0	..
16	"	0 2 29	3 10 0	..
7	XXIV	1 2 25	3 10 0	..
8	"	1 1 32	3 0 0	..
9	"	1 1 34	3 0 0	..
10	"	1 2 29	3 0 0	..
11	"	1 2 29	3 0 0	..
12	"	1 2 25	3 0 0	..
13	"	2 0 4	1 10 0	..
1	XXV	0 3 4	3 0 0	..
2	"	0 3 4	2 10 0	..
3	"	0 3 4	2 10 0	..
4	"	0 3 4	2 10 0	..
5	"	0 3 4	2 10 0	..
6	"	0 3 4	2 10 0	..
7	"	0 3 4	2 10 0	..

Lot.	Block.	Area	Upset Annual Value.	Value of Improvements.
8	XXV	0 3 4	2 10 0	..
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
9	"	0 3 4	2 10 0	..
10	"	0 3 4	2 10 0	..
11	"	0 3 4	2 10 0	..
12	"	0 3 4	2 10 0	..
13	"	0 3 4	2 10 0	..
14	"	0 3 4	2 10 0	..
15	"	0 3 4	2 10 0	..
16	"	0 3 4	3 0 0	..
2	XXVI	0 2 26	0 10 0	..

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD SHORT, of Oliphant Street, Ponsonby, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 12th day of May, 1909, at 11 a.m.

HUGH GÉRARD,

Acting Official Assignee.

Auckland, 4th May, 1909.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ARTHUR GUYON PURCHAS BROOKFIELD and ALFRED JOSEPH CARRIGAN, both of Auckland, trading as "Brookfield and Carrigan," Engineers, of Beach Road, Auckland, have this day been adjudged bankrupts; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 18th day of May, 1909, at 2.30 p.m.

HUGH GÉRARD,

Acting Official Assignee.

Auckland, 8th May, 1909.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WALTER JOSEPH HENRY WARNER, of Gisborne, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 17th day May, 1909, at 2.30 o'clock.

JOHN COLEMAN,

Deputy Official Assignee.

Gisborne, 7th May, 1909.

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

In the matter of WILLIAM RUSSELL MACKAY, of Stratford, Stock-dealer, a bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that the public examination of the above-named bankrupt is fixed for the 19th day of May, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the sitting of the above-named Court in Bankruptcy, at the Courthouse, at Stratford.

Dated this 4th day of May, 1909.

ALFRED COLEMAN,

Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN WILLIAM JENSEN, of Feilding, Carpenter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Feilding, on Friday, the 14th day of May, 1909, at 1 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
Palmerston North, 27th April, 1909.

*In Bankruptcy.*

DIVIDENDS as under are now payable at my office, Perry Street, Masterton, on all proved accepted claims:—

John Emery Blade, of Carterton, Land Agent: 3s. in the pound (first and final).

William Bruce Craighead, of Masterton, Tailor: 2½d. in the pound (second and final, making 2s. 6½d. in all).

Henry Stratton Izard, of Greytown, Solicitor: 2d. in the pound (second and final, making 1s. 2d. in all).

Frank Bright McCay, of Masterton, Draper: 7d. in the pound (second and final, making 9s. 7d. in all).

Christopher Heaton Smith, of Masterton, Farmer: 5d. in the pound (second and final, making 14s. 9d. in all).

Frederick Staples, of Masterton, Restaurant-keeper: 2s. 6d. in the pound (first and final).

Augustus Edward Williams, of Masterton, Tobacconist: 9s. 8d. in the pound (first and final).

Promissory notes must be produced for indorsement of dividend.

W. B. CHENNELLS,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
Masterton, 6th May, 1909.

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

In the matter of BERNARD DOUGLAS, of Opaki, Farmer, a bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that the public examination of the above-named bankrupt is fixed for the 27th day of May, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the sitting of the above-named Court in Bankruptcy, at the Courthouse, at Masterton.

Dated this 8th day of May, 1909.  
W. B. CHENNELLS,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that ALEXANDER COLLIE, of Masterton, Wood and Coal Merchant, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, at Masterton, on Monday, the 17th day of May, 1909, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

W. B. CHENNELLS,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
Masterton, 8th May, 1909.

*In Bankruptcy.*

Estate of PETER CHRISTOPHER McHUGH, of Reefton, Sawmill Agent.

A SUPPLEMENTARY dividend, of ¼d. in the pound, is now payable at my office, Bridge Street, Reefton.

HENRY COOPER,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
Reefton, 7th May, 1909.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN CUPIT PHELAN, of Ruatapu, Engine-driver, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 12th day of May, 1909, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

J. BEVAN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
29th April, 1909.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALEXANDER JOHN PETERSEN, of Papanui, Painter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 12th day of May, 1909, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

5th May, 1909. J. EVANS,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT HART, of Richmond, Christchurch, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 14th day of May, 1909, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

7th May, 1909. J. EVANS,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that AUGUSTUS JAMES COLMAN, of No. 10 Madras Street, Sydenham, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 14th day of May, 1909, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

7th May, 1909. J. EVANS,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES CHRISTIAN SOMMERS, of Christchurch, Merchant, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 19th day of May, 1909, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

11th May, 1909. J. EVANS,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ANDREW JOHN McLAUGHLIN, formerly of Temuka, Stable-keeper, now of Oamaru, Labourer, 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 11th day of May, 1909, at 11 o'clock.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
Timaru, 4th May, 1909.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN HUNTER, of Winton, Horse-trainer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 14th day of May, 1909, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
Invercargill, 1st May, 1909.

## MINING NOTICES.

UNDER "THE MINING ACT, 1908."

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE FOR A FLOOD-RACE.

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

PURSUANT to "The Mining Act, 1908," the undersigned, John Ewing, of Roxburgh, Hydraulic Mining Engineer

as trustee, hereby applies for a license for a flood-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: 28th July, 1908; No. 68552.

Address for service: Care of Hutton and McKean, Solicitors, Clyde.

Dated at Clyde, this 10th day of March, 1909.

*Schedule.*

Locality of the race and of its starting and terminal points: No. 4A. Commencing in Cockburn's Gully just where the gully comes off hill on to Hercules Flat, running thence in a southerly direction through land occupied by Walter Cockburn, about 7 chains; thence by culvert, 7 ft. wide and 3 ft. high, across main road, Roxburgh to Anderson's Flat, to head of old mining cut just below Hand's garden; thence by said cut and old working to the Molyneux River.

Length and intended course of race: 40 chains; east to west.

Mean depth and breadth: 3 ft. by 10 ft. on top and 7 ft. on bottom.

Proposed term of license: Forty-two years.

JOHN EWING  
(By his Solicitors, HUTTON AND MCKEAN),  
Applicant.

Precise time of marking out privilege applied for: 11 a.m. on 6th March, 1909.

Precise time of filing of the foregoing application: 11 a.m. on 10th March, 1909.

Time and place appointed for the hearing of the application and all objections thereto: Thursday, 17th June, 1909, at 10 a.m., at Warden's Court, Roxburgh.

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

F. JEFFERY,  
Mining Registrar.

**HESSEY'S GOLD-DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED),  
(IN LIQUIDATION).**

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 230 of "The Companies Act, 1908," that a General Meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at the company's registered office, 91A Princes Street, Dunedin, on Friday, the 11th day of June, 1909, at 5.15 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company, and the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.

Dated the 30th day of April, 1909.

W. E. C. REID,  
Liquidator.

**LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1908," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 14th June, 1908.

1371. EMILY BRIGGS.—1 rood, Town Section 256, Clyde. Occupied by Applicant, William Robert Argue, Lake Falconer, Leonard Storey, John Holt, and Thomas William Sparks.

1372. JULIUS SANDTMANN.—1 rood 16.9 perches, part Suburban Section 72, Napier. Occupied by Applicant. Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of May, 1909, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

L. PAULING,  
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 from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

10905. WILFRID JOHN WALTER and JOSEPH ROBERT WALTER.—10 acres and 18 perches, part of Rural Section 1682, Blocks VII and VIII, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Hugh Henry.

10930. THOMAS HINDMARSH KER.—8 $\frac{1}{10}$  perches, part of Lot 6, Christchurch Town Reserves. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 11th day of May, 1909, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,  
District Land Registrar

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1908," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

2916. THE SOUTHLAND AGRICULTURAL AND PASTORAL ASSOCIATION.—13 acres 1 rood 7 perches, parts of Sections 39 and 40, Block IX, Invercargill Hundred. Occupied by Alfred Henry Beer.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 7th day of May, 1909, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

C. E. NALDER,  
District Land Registrar.

**PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.**

**"THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908."**

**STRIKING COMPANIES OFF REGISTER.**

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of subsection (3) of section 266 of the above Act, that the companies enumerated in the Schedule hereunder will (unless cause is shown to the contrary within three months from this date) be struck off the Register of Companies for the District of Otago.

*Schedule.*

Andrew Given and Company (Limited). 1901/6.  
The Blake and Auckland Leads Gold-dredging Company (Limited). 1900/154.  
The Central Mataura Gold-dredging Company (Limited). 1900/149.  
The Canadian Flat Hydraulic Sluicing and Electric Power Transmission Company (Limited). 1900/152.  
The Dunedin and Roslyn Tramway Company (Limited). 1902/16.  
The Dunedin and Suburban Coal Company (Limited). 1900/150.  
The Eclipse Check-book Company (Limited). 1901/24.  
The Feddersen Gold-dredging Company (Limited). 1901/8.  
G. Lintott and Company (Limited). 1901/9.  
The Gows Creek Gold-mining Company (Limited). 1900/181.  
Herman House and Company (Limited). 1901/20.  
The Mercantile Finance Company (Limited). 1902/32.  
The New Britannia Gold-dredging Company (Limited). 1902/31.  
The New Alpine Consols Dredging Company (Limited). 1902/26.  
The New Kawarau Bridge Gold-dredging Company (Limited). 1902/3.  
The New Half-way House Gold-dredging Company (Limited). 1901/32.  
The New Orient Gold-mining Company (Limited). 1901/17.  
O'Brien's Patent Hydraulic Gold-dredging Company (Limited). 1900/177.  
The Peninsula Ferry Company (Limited). 1901/33.  
The Riley's Beach Gold-dredging Company (Limited). 1901/5.  
The Shetland Terrace Sluicing Company (Limited). 1901/16.  
The Timaburn Gold-dredging Company (Limited). 1901/19.  
The Wangapeka Gold-dredging Company (Limited). 1900/168.  
Wareatea Gold-dredging Company (Limited). 1900/169.  
Dated at Dunedin, this tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

J. MURRAY,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

**I**, PATRICK FRASER HOWDEN, Licentiate in Medicine and Surgery of the Society of Apothecaries, London, 1905, and now residing in Palmerston, Otago, do hereby give notice that I intend to apply on the 22nd day of May, 1909, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification at the office of the Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages.

P. F. HOWDEN, L.M.S., London.

Dated at Dunedin, 23rd April, 1909. 499

#### ETTRICK STREET EXTENSION.

**P**UBLIC notice is hereby given that the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of South Invercargill propose to take Section A on the subdivision of part of Section 15, Block I, Invercargill Hundred, known as Trafalgar Township, Deposited Plan No. 46, and being all the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 84, folio 37, Southland Registry, containing 1 rood, more or less, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1908," for the purposes of a public street, a plan of which said land is open for inspection at the house of the Town Clerk of the said borough, Mr. A. Ball, in Oteramika Road, Georgetown, in the said district. And notice is further given that all persons affected thereby are requested to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said works or to the taking of the said lands, and to send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the said Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of South Invercargill, addressed to them at the Council Chambers, Elles Road, South Invercargill.

Dated at South Invercargill, this 30th day of April, 1909.  
By order.

ALFRED BALL,  
Town Clerk.

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#### SPECIAL ORDER MADE BY THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF ONSLOW.

**T**HE following special order, made by the Onslow Borough Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1908":—

ONSLow BOROUGH COUNCIL.

*Special Order increasing the Number of Councillors on Redivision of the Borough.*

Resolved (by way of special order), That the total number of members of the Onslow Borough Council be altered to nine, and that there be three members for each of the three wards of the borough.

The common seal of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Onslow was hereto affixed in the presence of—

JOSEPH G. HARKNESS,  
Mayor.  
HENRY ABRAHAM,  
Town Clerk.

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order was duly adopted at a special meeting of the Onslow Borough Council held on the 26th day of March, 1909, and was duly confirmed at a special meeting of the said Council on the 20th day of April, 1909.

Dated this 20th day of April, 1909.

HENRY ABRAHAM,  
Town Clerk.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908," and the New Plymouth Petroleum Company (Limited).

**N**OTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders, duly convened, and legally constituted, held in the registered office of the company, Exchange Court, Princes Street, Dunedin, on Monday, the 3rd day of May, 1909, the following extraordinary resolution was passed:—

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

Also that Messrs. ROBERT CRAWFORD, of Roslyn, Gentleman, and EDWARD TRYHALL, of Dunedin, Accountant, were appointed Liquidators for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the company.

Dated at Dunedin, this 4th day of May, 1909.

C. F. SUNDSTRUM,  
Chairman.

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**A**T St. Andrew's Hall, Stratford, on the 27th day of March, 1909, a general meeting of the Co-OPERATIVE SAWMILLING COMPANY OF TARANAKI (LIMITED) was held, when the following resolution was passed:—

"That this company be wound up voluntarily," and that JOHN IRVINE be appointed Liquidator, at a remuneration of ten guineas.

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JOHN IRVINE, Secretary, *pro tem.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by RONALD VOLCKMAN and THOMAS ARTHUR WILL, under the firm-name of "Volckman and Will," at Rangiora, in the trade or business of Surgeons and Medical Practitioners, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this 31st day of March, 1909.

RONALD VOLCKMAN.  
T. A. WILL.

Witness—H. C. D. Van Asch, Solicitor, Rangiora. 504

#### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between CHARLES ALEXANDER BAKER and HORACE DANVERS BAKER, carrying on the business of Land and Estate Agents, under the style of "Baker Bros.," was dissolved by mutual consent as from 31st day of March, 1909.

CHARLES ALEXANDER BAKER.  
HORACE DANVERS BAKER.

Witness—T. Young, Solicitor, Wellington. 505

#### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between JOSEPH POULTER LEARY and THOMAS PATERSON HENDERSON, trading as "J. P. Leary and Co.," at Palmerston North, as Importers, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of April, 1909. The business will in future be carried on by the said J. P. Leary alone, under the style of "J. P. Leary and Co."

Dated this 29th day of April, 1909.

J. P. LEARY.  
THOS. P. HENDERSON.

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**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership existing between us in the business of Paperhangers and Decorators, carried on by us at Hamilton, is dissolved by mutual consent as from this date. The business will be carried on by Charles Chapman at the premises occupied by the firm in Victoria Street, Hamilton. All moneys owing to the firm are to be paid to the said Charles Chapman, who will discharge all liabilities.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1909.

ROBT. DONN.  
CHAS. CHAPMAN.

Witness to signatures of Robert Donn and Charles Chapman—Charles Armstrong, Solicitor's Clerk, Hamilton.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908," and the amendments thereof, and of the Waimate Public Hall Company (Limited).

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-mentioned company by the Supreme Court was, on the 30th day of March, 1909, presented to Mr. Justice Denniston, a Judge of the Supreme Court, by Arthur James Manchester, of Waimate, Accountant, a contributory of the said company, and the said petition is directed to be heard before a Judge of the said Court, at Christchurch, on the 27th day of May, 1909, at the hour of 11 o'clock; and any creditor or contributory of the said company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing, by himself or his counsel, for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

HAMILTON AND MOORE,  
Solicitors for the Petitioner.

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## WELLINGTON CITY COUNCIL.

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1908," "The Wellington City Empowering Act, 1897," "The Wellington City Empowering Act, 1899," and "The Public Works Act, 1908."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the City of Wellington proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, and all other Acts enabling it in that behalf, to execute a certain public work—namely, the widening of Willis Street, in the said city—and for the purpose of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that a plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the public office of the Town Clerk to the said Council, in the Town Hall, Cuba Street, in the said city, and is there open for inspection without fee by all persons during ordinary office hours; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or the taking of such lands should, if they have well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public works or to the taking of the said lands, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Wellington City Council addressed to the Town Clerk at his said office.

## Schedule.

Approximate Area of Parcel of Land to be taken.	Being Part of Section	Edged on Plan	Situate in
A. R. P. 0 0 6.55	205	Red	The City of Wellington.

In the Land District of Wellington; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan above mentioned.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 5th day of May, 1909.

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JNO. R. PALMER,  
Town Clerk.

## PRIVATE BILL.

In the matter of a proposed Bill, or Act, intitled "An Act to enable the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Wellington to raise Moneys for the purpose of purchasing Sites in the Town of Wanganui, and building thereon a Church, Presbytery, and Convent, by mortgage of certain Lands situate in the Town of Wanganui, and to enable him to lease the same Lands for any Term not exceeding Sixty-six Years; and also to authorise the refund to the Trustees in the estate of the late Charles Henry Kirk, of Wanganui, Catholic Priest, of the Estate Duty paid in respect of certain Lands."

PURSUANT to the Standing Orders of the House of Representatives relating to private Bills, the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Wellington and the Trustees in the estate of Charles Henry Kirk, late of the Town of Wanganui, Catholic Priest, deceased—namely, Thomas O'Shea, of the City of Wellington, Catholic Priest, and Thomas Lloyd, of the Town of Wanganui, Solicitor—hereby give notice that, within fourteen days of the meeting of the General Assembly of New Zealand to be held next after the date of this notice, a Petition will be presented to the General Assembly of New Zealand by them praying and applying for leave to bring in a private Bill, to be called "The Wanganui Roman Catholic Lands Act, 1909."

The objects of the said application and Bill are as follow:—

1. To enable the Archbishop to borrow, on the security of the lands described in the First Schedule to the proposed Bill, containing one acre and two roods, more or less, being the sections numbered 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, and 162 on the plan of the Town of Wanganui, any sum or sums of money, not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of twenty-five thousand pounds, by means of a mortgage or mortgages for the purpose of purchasing other lands in the Town of Wanganui, and building on the lands so purchased, or elsewhere in the Town of Wanganui, a Roman Catholic church, presbytery, and convent.

2. To enable the Archbishop to lease the lands described in the First Schedule to the proposed Bill: (a) For any term not exceeding sixty-six years without right of renewal; (b) for any term not exceeding twenty-one years (1) with a perpetual right of renewal; (2) with a provision that prior to the expiration of the term a new lease for a further term not

exceeding twenty-one years and containing the same provisions (including this provision for renewal) shall be put up to public auction at the annual value of the land only, subject to a condition that in the event of any person other than the lessee becoming entitled to the new lease, such person shall before being let into possession pay to the lessee the value of the improvements thereon, to be fixed by valuation; (3) with a provision that the lessee may at any time prior to the expiration of the term, at his option, either have a new lease as provided by clause (1) hereof, or have a new lease put up to public auction under clause (2) hereof: and also to enable the Archbishop to accept a surrender of any lease.

3. To enable the Archbishop to lay out and form streets, roads, paths, and drains through and over the said lands, and to dedicate the same, or any part thereof, to the public.

4. To authorise the Minister of Finance to refund to the Trustees in the estate of Charles Henry Kirk, late of Wanganui, Catholic Priest, deceased, the sum paid by them as estate duty in respect of the lands described in the Second Schedule to the proposed Bill, being, first, sections numbered 141, 142, 143, 146, and 148 on the plan of the Town of Wanganui; secondly, section numbered 144 on the plan of the Town of Wanganui; thirdly, that piece of land being part of Suburban Block 36, Town of Wanganui, and being sections numbered 837, 838, and 839; fourthly, that piece of land being allotment numbered 12 on a plan deposited in the office of the Registrar of Deeds, at Wellington, as Number 49, of a subdivision into allotments of Suburban Block Number 14, Town of Wanganui; fifthly, that piece of land being Section 105, Township of Mangaweka.

A copy of the said Petition and Bill will be deposited in the office of the Examiner of Standing Orders either before or within fourteen days after the commencement of the said session.

Dated this 10th day of May, 1909.

FRANCIS REDWOOD,  
Archbishop of Wellington.

THOS. O'SHEA, S.M.

THOMAS LLOYD.

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## SCHOOL FOR DEAF-MUTES, SUMNER, NEAR CHRISTCHURCH.

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

Director: MR. J. E. STEVENS.

FOR Deaf Children of sound intellect. The pupils are taught to use and understand ordinary speech. The full charge for board and education is £40 a year, but less is accepted from parents who cannot afford to pay this amount. In case of necessity admission is free.

By the Education Act, the education of deaf children between the ages of 7 and 16 is made compulsory. A child is, as a rule, best fitted to begin the school course at about the age of 6, but advice should be obtained as soon as any sign of deafness is observed.

The following classes of deaf children are admitted:

1. Children born deaf, or who have lost their hearing before learning to speak.
2. Children who can hear a little, but are too deaf to be taught in an ordinary school.
3. Children who have lost their hearing after having learned to speak.

Parents and other persons acquainted with such cases above the age of 4 are invited to communicate with the Director, or with

THE SECRETARY FOR EDUCATION,  
Wellington.

## BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

THE public are informed that extracts from the *New Zealand Gazette*, containing all Bankruptcy Notices that appear in each issue, are published weekly, and will be sent post-free to any address on payment of a subscription of 10s. per annum. Single copies, 3d. each. Orders should be addressed—

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