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*Constituting the Town District of Hobsonville, in the County of Waitemata.*

(L.S.)

PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it is enacted by "The Town Boards Act, 1908," that the Governor may declare that any area wherein there are not less than fifty householders shall be a town district; And whereas a petition has been presented to the Governor by the inhabitants within the area mentioned and described in the Schedule hereto, praying that such area may be constituted a town district under "The Town Boards Act, 1908":

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by "The Town Boards Act, 1908," and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the said area shall be a town district, and the same is hereby constituted a town district under "The Town Boards Act, 1908," by the name of the Hobsonville Town District. And in further pursuance and exercise of the said powers I do hereby proclaim, declare, and appoint that the Board of Commissioners for the said district shall consist of five members.

SCHEDULE.

HOBSONVILLE TOWN DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, being Sections Nos. 2, 12, 21, 22, and 24, Parish of Waipareira, situated in Blocks VII, X, and XI, Waitemata Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west, north, east, and south generally by Waiarohia Creek, and Waitemata Harbour from the road forming part of the northern boundary of Section No. 41, Parish of Waipareira, to the north-eastern corner of Section No. 33, thence by the last-mentioned section to the road forming its western boundary, thence across that road and by Section No. 41, Parish of Waipareira, to the road forming

part of its northern boundary, crossing that road, and thence by that road to Waiarohia Creek, the place of commencement.

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

D. BUDDO.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land set apart for Settlement.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section seventy-five of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," it is, amongst other things, enacted that before any moneys as therein mentioned are expended upon any block of land it shall be necessary that the said block be proclaimed as set apart for settlement: And whereas by section two hundred and sixty-eight of "The Land Act, 1908," it is enacted that the Minister of Finance may from time to time, in accordance with sections seventy-five to seventy-seven of the first-mentioned Act, issue and apply moneys as therein mentioned for the purposes therein set forth in connection with national endowment land: And whereas the blocks of land described in the Schedule hereto is national endowment land:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power conferred on me by the above-mentioned Acts, and of every other power and authority enabling me in this behalf

ERRATA.—In the notice of promotions of Volunteer officers (Major A. Bell) published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 36, of 29th April, 1909, page 1177, for "3rd Regiment, Auckland Mounted Rifle Volunteers," read "2nd Regiment, Auckland Mounted Rifle Volunteers." In the notice of "Award of Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal" published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 47, of 10th June, 1909, page 1558, for "No. 335, Private Harry Henry," read "No. 335, Private Henry Harry."

and for the purposes of the said Acts, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the blocks of land described in the Schedule hereto as set apart for settlement.

**SCHEDULE.**

NATIONAL ENDOWMENT LAND.—AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.  
Otakairangi Block (1,254 Acres).

Area.	Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Edged on Plan
A. R. P.					
80 0 28	15	XIV	Hukerenui ..	S.G. 4314/1	Red.
207 0 16	16	"	" ..		
286 0 21	17	"	" ..		
194 2 13	15	XV	" ..		
224 2 0	3	III	Purua ..		
261 1 7	4	"	" ..		

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

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 June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Proclamations conferring Jurisdiction in Bankruptcy on District Courts revoked.*

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

**A PROCLAMATION.**

WHEREAS by "The Bankruptcy Act, 1903," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any District Court shall have jurisdiction in bankruptcy, and may revoke any such Proclamation:

And whereas by Proclamation dated the nineteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, it was proclaimed and declared that the District Courts of Taranaki, Wanganui, Wairarapa, Nelson, Westland, Ashburton, Timaru and Oamaru, Otago Goldfields, and Western Otago should have jurisdiction in bankruptcy throughout the whole of the district of each such District Court: And whereas by Proclamation dated the thirteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and four, it was proclaimed and declared that the District Court of Waikato and Thames should have the like jurisdiction:

And whereas it is expedient to revoke the said Proclamations:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power conferred upon me by "The Bankruptcy Act, 1903," and of every other power enabling me in this behalf, do hereby revoke the said Proclamations conferring jurisdiction in bankruptcy on the District Courts aforesaid, and do proclaim and declare that such revocation shall take effect on and from the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

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 eleventh day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Allocating Land reserved and taken for a Railway to the Purposes of a Road at Westmere, in the County of Waitotara.*

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

**A PROCLAMATION.**

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

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

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by section one hundred and ninety-seven of "The Public Works Act, 1908," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a road, and that the said road shall be under the control of the Waitotara County Council, and shall be maintained by the said Council in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Council.

**SCHEDULE.**

The parcels of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P.			
1 0 27	Railway land ..	..	II Westmere.
0 0 9.7	Railway land ..	..	II Westmere.

All in the Land District of Wellington; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 17160, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land in Block II, Hunua Survey District, taken for a Road-division in connection with a Railway, and for a Road-approach thereto.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

**A PROCLAMATION.**

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1908," for a certain public work, to wit, the construction of a road-division in connection with a railway, and for a road-approach thereto:

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise 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 this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the construction of a road-diversion in connection with and road-approach to the North Island Main Trunk Railway.

**SCHEDULE.**

THE parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder :—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 2 19.4	Sec. No. 16	Village of Manunui	II Hunua	Yellow.
2 0 2	Sec. No. 17		II Hunua	Blue.
0 2 28.5	Sec. No. 81		II Hunua	Yellow.
1 1 8.3	Sec. No. 82		II Hunua	Blue.

All in the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 24614, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above.

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

R. MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Additional Land in Block II, Hunua Survey District, taken for the Purposes of the North Island Main Trunk Railway.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

**A PROCLAMATION.**

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the North Island Main Trunk Railway to take further land in Block II, Hunua Survey District, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections twenty-nine and one hundred and eighty-eight of "The Public Works Act, 1908," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes above mentioned.

**SCHEDULE.**

THE parcels of land mentioned hereunder :—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 19.8	Sec. No. 16	Village of Manunui	II Hunua ..	Purple.
0 1 31.6	Sec. No. 17		II Hunua ..	Purple.
3 2 12.2	Road ..		II Hunua ..	Green.

All in the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 24614,

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

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

R. MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks III and VII, Opaheke Survey District, Hunua Road District.*

(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 of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Hunua Road Board, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Opaheke 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 Blocks	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 11 0 10	33, Otau Parish	III & VII	Opaheke	P.W.D. 24738	Pink.
0 0 6	"	VII	"	Ditto	"
0 1 25	"	"	"	"	"

**SECOND SCHEDULE.**

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Road closed.	Passing through Section No.	Situated in Blocks	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 8 2 20	33, Otau Parish	III & VII	Opaheke	P.W.D. 24738	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 Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

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

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks I, Takapau, and III, Norsewood Survey Districts, Dannevirke County.

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of 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 3 20	1	I	Takapau ..	P.W.D. 24792	Burnt sienna.
0 1 22	38	III	Norsewood ..	Ditto..	Ditto.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Road hereby closed.	Passing through Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 6 3 0	1	I	Takapau ..	P.W.D. 24792	Green.

All in the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

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

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks III and IV, Waimana Survey District, Whakatane County.

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

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 and mortgagees of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Whakatane County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Waimana 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. 9 2 0	Subdivisions 6 & 7 of Section 307, Waimana Ph.	III	Waimana	P.W.D. 24768	Purple.
2 3 10	Subdivision 8 of Section 307, Waimana Ph.	"	"	Ditto	Pink.
4 2 9	Subdivision 9 of Section 307, Waimana Ph.	"	"	"	Yellow.
5 0 24	Subdivision 11 of Section 307, Waimana Ph.	IV	"	"	"
1 2 0	Section 219, Waimana Ph.	"	"	"	Purple.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 14 0 27	Subdivisions 6 & 7 of Section 307, Waimana Ph.	III	Waimana	P.W.D. 24768	Green.
2 3 25	Subdivision 8 of Section 307, Waimana Ph.	"	"	Ditto	"
3 2 30	Subdivision 9 of Section 307, Waimana Ph.	"	"	"	"
3 3 18	Subdivision 10 of Section 307, Waimana Ph.	"	"	"	"
9 0 8	Subdivisions 10 & 11 of Section 307, Waimana Parish	"	"	"	"
1 1 13	Sections 219 and 220, Waimana Parish	IV	"	"	"

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 Minister of Public Works, 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 sixteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block IV, Wai-iti Survey District, Moutere Road District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

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 and mortgagees of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Moutere Road Board, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Wai-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.

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. 1 0 19.6	7	IV	Wai-iti	P.W.D. 24739	Pink.
0 0 21.6	Sq. 2, Sec. 43	"	"	Ditto	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Road closed.	Adjoining Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 3 34.2	190	IV	Wai-iti	P.W.D. 24739	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 Minister of Public Works, 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 sixteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block III, Alexandra Survey District, Raglan County.

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

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 lessees and licensee of the Crown land mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Hokianga County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Waipoua 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.

Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the owners of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Raglan County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Alexandra 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. 1 2 10	9, Karamu Parish	III	Alexandra	P.W.D. 24786	Pink.
1 3 28	8, Karamu Parish	"	"	"	Purple

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Pieces of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining Sections Nos.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 1 34.5	8, 12 & 18, Karamu Parish	III	Alexandra	P.W.D. 24786	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 Minister of Public Works, 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 June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block X, Waipoua Survey District, Hokianga County.

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

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 lessees and licensee of the Crown land mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Hokianga County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Waipoua 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 hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 3 1 5	5	X	Waipoua	P.W.D. 24767	Pink.

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. 4 1 13	5	X	Waipoua	P.W.D. 24767	Green.
2 2 22	5 and 8	"	"	"	"
0 0 5	2	"	"	"	"

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 Minister of Public Works, 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 sixteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block V, Ikitara Survey District, Purua Road District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

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, leasees, and mortgagees of the land mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Purua Road Board, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Ikitara 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	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 3 7	Manawa-kowara No. 1	V	Ikitara ..	P.W.D. 24791	Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Pieces of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 28	45	V	Ikitara ..	P.W.D. 24791	Green.
2 3 4	45 and 46	"	" ..	Ditto..	"

All in the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, 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 June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road in Block VII, Ngatapa Survey District, Cook 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 and licensee of the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and of the Cook County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands in Ngatapa Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 6 2 33	2	VII	Ngatapa	P.W.D. 24729	Pink.
10 0 5	No. 1b2, Wharekopae Blk.	"	"	Ditto	Green.

All in the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

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

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for a Gravel-pit in Mangatuna, Block VII, Uawa Survey District, Cook County.

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,

(L.S.) JAMES PRENDERGAST.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1908," for a certain work, to wit, for the purposes of a gravel-pit in Uawa Survey District:

And whereas the Cook 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 land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the said gravel-pit.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. E. P. 4 3 39	Mangatuna Block	VII	Uawa ..	P.W.D. 24793	Pink border.

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 Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

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

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Amending Part of a Proclamation taking Lands for a Road in Block VI, Wangaehu Survey District, Rangitikei 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 provided by subsection (a) of section three hundred and forty-nine of the said Act that "all Orders in Council, Proclamations, appointments of persons or places, or offices, or times, and all awards, valuations, orders, and rules or regulations made under such former Land Act, and in force on the coming into operation of this Act, shall continue and be in force, but may be revoked or altered under the powers conferred by this Act":

And whereas it is necessary to alter and amend a Proclamation issued under "The Land Act, 1892," taking lands for a road in Wangaehu Survey District, dated the seventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the ninth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and six, and herein-after referred to as "the said Proclamation," as it incor-

rectly describes the land purported to be thereby taken for a road:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby alter and amend the said Proclamation by substituting the Schedule to this Proclamation for the Schedule to the said Proclamation.

SCHEDULE.

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. 0 1 6.2	CCXXVIII, Rangitikei District	VI	Wangaehu	P.W.D. 24743	Yellow.
2 1 39.3	CCXIX, Rangitikei District	"	"	Ditto	"
6 1 35.5	CCXXX, Rangitikei District	"	"	"	"
3 3 36	Ditto..	"	"	"	"
4 3 17	" ..	"	"	"	"

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 Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

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

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Declaring Road in the Otago Heads Road District to be a District Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "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 and declare that the road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be a district road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Otago Heads Road District, in the Otago Land District, Peninsula County, commencing on the north-eastern boundary of Section 47, Block II, Portobello Survey District, where the road through Sections 45, 46, and 47, Block II, Portobello Survey District, terminates, and extending in a north-easterly direction through Lot 6, Block B, Otago Heads Native Reserve, Otago Heads Road District, and terminating where it joins on to the Native right-of-way, being a distance of 2491.5 links, or thereabouts: as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 24748, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Road in the Portobello Road District to be a District Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "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 and declare that the road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be a district road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Portobello Road District, in the Otago Land District, Peninsula County, commencing at the south-west corner of Section 45, Block II, Portobello Survey District, and extending in an easterly direction through Sections 45, 46, and 47, and terminating at the north-eastern boundary of Section 47, being a distance of 21 chains, or thereabouts; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 24749, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Directing Sale of Land under "The Public Works Act, 1908."

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the thirtieth section of "The Public Works Act, 1908" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that if it is found that any land held, taken, purchased, or acquired at any time under this or any other Act or Provincial Ordinance, or otherwise howsoever for any public work, is not required for such public work, the Governor may, by Order in Council publicly notified and gazetted, cause the same to be sold under the conditions set forth in the said Act:

And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to issue an Order in Council directing the sale of the land described in the Schedule hereto:

And whereas the said land is not now required for the public work for which it was taken, and it is desirable to sell the same:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers and authority conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby direct the sale of the said land.

SCHEDULE.

Area.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. B. P. 2 2 0	10	XI	Nuhaka North	P.W.D. 24775	Red border.

In the Land District of Hawke's Bay; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured

as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Exempting Portion of Princess Street, Wadestown, in the City of Wellington, from the Provisions of Section 117 of "The Public Works Act, 1908."

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by subsection one of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Public Works Act, 1908," it is, *inter alia*, provided that the said section shall not apply in any case where the local authority having control of a road or street by resolution declares that the provisions thereof shall not apply to any specified road or street, or any specified part thereof, and such resolution is approved by the Governor in Council:

And whereas by subsection two of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Public Works Act, 1908," it is provided that such approval may be either absolute or subject to such conditions as the Governor by Order in Council thinks fit to impose:

And whereas on the tenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eight, the Council of the City of Wellington, the local authority having control of the portion of the street known as Princess Street, Wadestown, described in the Schedule hereto, did by resolution declare that the provisions of the said section one hundred and seventeen should not apply to the said portion of street:

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by the above-in-part-recited Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the said resolution.

SCHEDULE.

THAT portion of street in the City of Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, known as Princess Street, Wadestown, to which Sections 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, and 51 have frontages; and the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 24731, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered green.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Native Land in the Omapere Survey District taken for the Purposes of a Post-office.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this seventh day of June, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is Native land, and is required to be taken for the purposes of a post-office:

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

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "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 proclaim and declare that the land shown upon such map, and described in the Schedule hereto, is hereby taken for a



post-office as aforesaid; and the said land shall vest in His Majesty the King as from the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 2 0	Te Taraire Block	XV	Omapere (Village of Kaikohe)	Red.

In the Land District of Auckland; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 24456, 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.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Aotea District Maori Land Board, by a recommendation made on the nineteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and received on the twenty-second day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eight, has recommended the Governor to except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of alienation by way of mortgage, 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 mortgage.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Kapiti Survey District, containing 90 acres, more or less, known as Ngarara West B No. 7, Subdivision 1, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 16th day of September, 1908, in favour of Kaiheirau, *alias* Kaiherau Takurua.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Maniapoto-Tuwaharetoa District Maori Land Board, by a recommendation made on the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and received on the third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and nine, 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 Otake Survey District, containing 198 acres, more or less, and known as Pukenui No. 2x, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court bearing date the 14th day of March, 1899, in favour of Te Naunau Hikaka and another.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Vesting Land in Maori Land Board under Section 24 of "The Maori Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1907."*

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twenty-four of "The Maori Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1907," it is enacted that any portion of any block of Maori land, not exceeding in any one case an area of five acres, which in the opinion of the Native Minister is suitable as a site for a fruit-preserving factory, dairy factory, cheese-factory, or creamery, or for any building required for any religious, charitable, educational, or public purpose, may be dealt with as in the said section is provided:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto is land which, in the opinion of the Native Minister, is suitable as a school and church site:

Now, therefore, 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 said land is vested in the Tokerau District Maori Land Board for an estate in fee-simple in possession, subject to all valid encumbrances, liens, and interests affecting the same, to be held and administered by the said Board for the benefit of the Maori owners, and in accordance with the provisions of the said section.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area situate in the Hokianga Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 2 acres and 1 perch, more or less, being a portion of the block of land known as Pakanae No. 2, which said area is more particularly delineated on the plan numbered 14935 (blue), deposited at the office of the Chief Surveyor, at Auckland.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Vesting Land in Maori Land Board under Section 24 of "The Maori Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1907."*

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twenty-four of "The Maori Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1907," it is enacted that any portion of any block of Maori land, not exceeding in any one case an area of five acres, which in the opinion of the Native Minister is suitable as a site for a fruit-preserving factory, dairy factory, cheese-factory, or creamery, or for any building required for any religious, charitable, educational, or public purpose, may be dealt with as in the said section is provided :

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto is land which, in the opinion of the Native Minister, is suitable as a school-site :

Now, therefore, 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 said land is vested in the Maniapoto-Tuwharetoa District Maori Land Board for an estate in fee-simple in possession, subject to all valid encumbrances, liens, and interests affecting the same, to be held and administered by the said Board for the benefit of the Maori owners, and in accordance with the provisions of the said section.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area situate in the Mapara Survey District, in the Land District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 2 acres, more or less, being part of Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68c. Bounded towards the south-west by a road bearing 125° 1', distance 400 links; towards the south-east by a right line bearing 35° 1', distance 500 links; towards the north-east by a right line bearing 305° 1', distance 400 links; and towards the north-west by a right line bearing 215° 1', distance 500 links: as the same is delineated on the plan numbered 14894, deposited at the office of the Chief Surveyor, New Plymouth, and thereon coloured purple.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Vesting an Addition to a Cemetery Reserve in the South Rakaia Road Board.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart for an addition to a cemetery reserve :

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the South Rakaia Road Board :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the fourth section of "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908," doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the South Rakaia Road Board, in trust, for an addition to a cemetery reserve.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres and 16.5 perches, more or less, being Reserve No. 3664A, situated in Rakaia Village Settlement, Block XIII, Rakaia Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Reserve No. 3664, 1002.1 links; towards the north-west by Reserve No. 3664, 1001.8 links; again towards the north-east by Reserve No. 3665A, 100 links; towards the south-east by Baker Road, 1101.8 links; towards the south-west by Ulundi Road, 1102.1 links; and again towards the north-west by Section No. 20x, 100 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5240/4, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Vesting a Plantation Reserve in the South Rakaia Road Board.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been permanently reserved for plantation purposes :

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient that the said land should be vested in the South Rakaia Road Board :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the fourth section of "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908," doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the South Rakaia Road Board, in trust, for plantation purposes.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres 1 rood 30.2 perches, more or less, being Reserves Nos. 3665 and 3665A, situated in Rakaia Village Settlement, Block XIII, Rakaia Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Johnston Road, towards the south-east by Baker Road, towards the south-west by Reserves Nos. 3664A and 3664, and towards the north-west by Section No. 22, Block I, Rakaia Village Settlement; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5240/4, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Validating Proceedings under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," respecting Loan of £2,500 proposed to be raised by Martinborough Town Board.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Martinborough Town Board in or about the month of December, one thousand nine hundred and eight, proposed to raise a loan of two thousand

five hundred pounds for the purpose of extra reticulation and alteration of the Martinborough town water-supply: And whereas the notice required by section eight of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," as amended by "The Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1908," was duly published once in each week for four successive weeks in the *Martinborough Star*, a newspaper circulating in the district: And whereas the last publication of the said notice required by section eight was on the sixth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and nine: And whereas the meeting of ratepayers to consider the proposal was summoned for, and held on, the fifth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and nine: And whereas a poll was taken for the said proposal on the fourteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and the proposal was carried: And whereas, notwithstanding the irregularity in holding the said meeting the day before the last publication of the notice aforesaid, it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled thereby, and it is expedient to validate the same:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section one hundred and twenty-one of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the said meeting held as aforesaid shall be deemed and taken to have been as properly convened and held as if it had been convened and held in accordance with the provisions of section eight aforesaid; and that the poll shall be deemed and taken to have been valid, and that the proceedings relative to the said loan shall not be called in question by reason only of the said irregularity.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke a certain Order in Council, dated the thirteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and four, delegating powers to the Weber County Council in respect of the Weber Domain, and doth hereby appoint

WILLIAM SIMPSON HARVEY,  
KENNETH FORBES CAMERON,  
WILLIAM HENRY SMALL,  
CHARLES SACHS, and  
HENRY WILLIAM JOHN MUSCUTT

to be the Weber Domain Board, having, subject to the said Act, control of the land described in the Schedule hereto, which land is a public domain, and shall be called the Weber Domain; and also doth hereby appoint Thursday, the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine, at seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Public Library, Weber, as the place where, the first meeting of the said Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

WEBER DOMAIN, WEBER COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres and 30 perches, more or less, being Section No. 51, Block V, Weber Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by the Dannevirke-Weber Road, 976.7 links; towards the south-east by Section No. 52, 1251.9 links; towards the south-west by Section No. 50, 910 links; and towards the north-west by Section No. 49, 960.6 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1239, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 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 in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Ruawahia Survey District, being called or known as Pokohu D Block, containing by admeasurement 9,080 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the east generally by Crown land and Putauaki No. 2 and the Matahina No. 1 Block, towards the south by the Pokohu E Block, and towards the west generally by the Pokohu C No. 3 Block and the Tarawera River.

All that parcel of land in the Province of Auckland, in the Dominion of New Zealand, containing by admeasurement 40 acres, more or less, being Allotment No. 247, Parish of Waimana and County of Opotiki. Bounded towards the north-east by Allotment No. 246, thence by the Awaraputuna River, towards the east by Allotment No. 248, towards the south by Allotment No. 245, and towards the west by Allotment No. 245.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Galatea Survey District, and being called or known as Matahina C South Block, containing by admeasurement 333 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north by Crown land, towards the east by the Rangitaiki River, towards the south by Section 1, Block II, Galatea Survey District, and towards the west by the Matahina C No. 1B and Crown land.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Galatea Survey District, and being called or known as the Matahina C No. 1B Block, containing by admeasurement 333 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north by Crown land, towards the east by the Matahina C South Block, towards the south by Section 1, Block II, Galatea Survey District, and towards the west by Run No. 54.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Tauranga and Aongatete Survey Districts, and being called or known as Te Irihanga No. 2, containing by admeasurement 339 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north and north-east by the Te Mahau Block, towards the east by Crown land, towards the south by Te Irihanga No. 1 Block, and towards the north-west by the Whakamarara No. 2 Block.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Tauranga and Otanewainuku Survey Districts, and being called or known as Ohauti No. 1, containing by admeasurement 643 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by the Pukete Stream, towards the east by Ohauti No. 2 Block, and towards the south and west by the Waimapu River.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Otanewainuku Survey District, and being called or known as Paengaroa No. 2 Block, containing by admeasurement 2,890 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north-west by Crown land, towards the east by Omanawa and Te Whakamaunga or Hukanui Stream, towards

the south-west by Paengaroa No. 1 Block, and towards the west by the Mangapapa River.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Tauranga Survey District, and being called or known as Pukemapou Block, containing by admeasurement 79 acres 2 roods 8 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east and east by the Ohauti No. 2 Block, towards the south and south-west by the Pukete Stream and the Waimapu River, and towards the north-west by the Poeko Block.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Otanewainuku Survey District, and being called or known as Tauwharawhara, containing by admeasurement 2,268 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east and east by the Mangapapa River, towards the south-west by Paengaroa Nos. 1 and 2, and towards the west and north-west by the Kaimai No. 2 and 1 Blocks.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Katikati Survey District, and being called or known as Lot 21, Tahawai Parish, containing by admeasurement, 54 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north and east by Tauranga Harbour, and towards the south-west by Sections 41 and 43, Tahawai Parish; save and except a public road which intersects the area herein described.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Tauranga Survey District, and being called or known as Waimanu No. 1D, containing by admeasurement 1,203 acres 3 roods 26 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north generally by Oteora No. 1 and Te Irihanga No. 1; towards the east by the Wairoa River; towards the south by Waimanu Nos. 1A, 2B, and 2C; and towards the west by Waimanu No. 1E.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Tauranga Survey District, and being called or known as Waimanu No. 1E, containing by admeasurement 70 acres 3 roods 14 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north by Oteora No. 1, towards the east by Waimanu No. 1D, towards the south by Waimanu No. 2C, and towards the west by Waimanu No. 1B.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Opoutihi Survey District, and being called or known as Waimanu No. 1F, containing by admeasurement 421 acres and 36 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-west by Oteora No. 1, towards the north-east by Waimanu No. 1G, towards the south-east by Waimanu No. 2A, and towards the south-west by Ngamuwahine Stream.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Opoutihi Survey District, and being called or known as Waimanu No. 1G, containing by admeasurement 24 acres 3 roods 4 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-west by Oteora Nos. 1 and 2 Blocks, towards the north-east by Waimanu No. 1B, towards the south-east by Waimanu No. 2A, and towards the south-west by Waimanu No. 1F.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Opoutihi Survey District, and being called or known as Waimanu No. 2A, containing by admeasurement 450 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north-west by Waimanu Nos. 1F, 1G, and 1B; towards the north-east by Waimanu No. 2C; towards the south-east by Poripori No. 2 and Crown land; and towards the south-west by Ngamuwahine Stream.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Tauranga Survey District, and being called or known as Waimanu No. 2B, containing by admeasurement 96 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north by Waimanu Nos. 1D and 1A, towards the east by the Wairoa River, and towards the south and west by Waimanu No. 2C.

All that parcel of land in the Land District of Auckland, situated in the Aongatete, Tauranga, Opoutihi, and Otanewainuku Survey Districts, and being called or known as Waimanu No. 2C, containing by admeasurement 704 acres, more or less. Bounded towards the north generally by Waimanu Nos. 1B, 1E, 1D, and 2B; towards the east by the Wairoa River; towards the south generally by Poripori No. 2; and towards the west by Waimanu No. 2A.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 300 acres, more or less, situated in the Tauranga, Aongatete, and Opoutihi Survey Districts, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Waimanu No. 1B Block. Bounded towards the north-east by Waimanu No. 1E Block, towards the south-east by Waimanu No. 2 and 2A Blocks, towards the south-west by Waimanu No. 1G Block, and towards the north-west by Oteora No. 2 Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 499 acres, more or less, situated in the Waiau Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Opape No. 6 (balance) Block. Bounded towards the north-west by Opape Nos. 6F and 6K; towards the north-east by Opape Nos. 5F, 5D, 5E, 5B, 5A, and 5C; towards the south-east by Opape No. 7; and towards the south-west by Section 7, Block IX, and Section 1, Block V, Waiau Survey District.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 1,088 acres 2 roods 16 perches, more or less, situated in the Waiau Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Opape No. 8. Bounded towards the north-west by Opape No. 5C, Nos. 3B, 3F, 3P, No. 2, and No. 1T; towards the north-east by Awaawakino Block; towards the south-east by Opape No. 9; and towards the south-west by Opape No. 7 Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 4,814 acres, more or less, situated in the Waioeka Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Oamaru No. 1C Block. Bounded towards the north by U or Kote Pato Stream, towards the east by Crown land, towards the south by Crown land, and towards the west generally by the Waioeka River.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 1,857 acres, more or less, situated in the Waioeka and Urutawa Survey Districts, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Oamaru No. 4B Block. Bounded towards the north by Section 7, Block IV, Waioeka Survey District, towards the east by Crown land, towards the south by Crown land, and towards the west by Crown land and Oamaru No. 3B Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 185 acres 2 roods 28 perches, more or less, situated in the Urutawa Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Whitikau No. 2B No. 2 Block. Bounded towards the north-east by Section 2, Block VIII, Urutawa Survey District; towards the south-east by Crown land; towards the south generally by Motu-Opotiki Road; towards the west by a public road and Section 2, Block VIII, Urutawa Survey District; save and except a public road which intersects the area above described.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 530 acres, more or less, situated in the Waiau Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Whitikau No. 3A No. 4 Block. Bounded towards the north by Section 2, Block II, Urutawa Survey District, a Government reserve, a crossing of a public road, and Section 2, Block III, Urutawa Survey District; towards the north-east by Section 8, Block III, Urutawa Survey District; towards the south-east by Whitikau No. 3A No. 2; and towards the south-west by Oamaru No. 7B Blocks.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 403 acres 3 roods 7 perches, more or less, situated in the Maketu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Paengaroa South No. 2 Block. Bounded towards the north-east by Paengaroa South No. 1 Block, towards the east by the Rotorua-Maketu Road, towards the south by the Paengaroa South No. 4 Block, and towards the west generally by the Kaituna River.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 115 acres 2 roods 34 perches, more or less, situated in the Maketu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Paengaroa South No. 3 Block. Bounded towards the north-east by the Paengaroa South No. 1 Block, towards the south-east by the Pokopoko River, towards the south-west by the Paengaroa South No. 4 Block, and towards the north-west by the Rotorua-Maketu Road.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 544 acres and 30 perches, more or less, situated in the Maketu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Paengaroa South No. 4 Block. Bounded towards the north generally by the Paengaroa South No. 2 Block, the Rotorua-Maketu Road, and the Paengaroa South No. 3 Block; towards the east by the Pokopoko River; towards the south by the Paengaroa South No. 5 Block; and towards the west by the Kaituna River.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 664 acres 2 roods 27 perches, situated in the Maketu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Paengaroa South No. 5 Block. Bounded towards the north by the Paengaroa South No. 4 Block; towards the east by the Pokopoko River and the Waiwhakaretu Stream; towards the south generally by the Rotorua-Maketu Road and Paengaroa South Nos. 6A, 6B, and 6C Blocks; and towards the west by the Kaituna River.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 50 acres, more or less, situated in the Maketu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Paengaroa South No. 6A Block. Bounded towards the north by the Paengaroa South No. 5 Block, towards the east by the Rotorua-Maketu Road, towards the south by the Paengaroa No. 7 Block, and towards the west by the Paengaroa South No. 6B Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 50 acres, more or less, situated in the Maketu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Paengaroa South No. 6B Block. Bounded towards the north by the Paengaroa South No. 5 Block, towards the east by the Paengaroa South No. 6A Block, towards the south by Paengaroa South No. 7 Block, and towards the west by the Paengaroa South No. 6C Block.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 50 acres, more or less, situated in the Maketu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Paengaroa South No. 6c Block. Bounded towards the north by the Paengaroa South No. 5 Block, towards the east by the Paengaroa South No. 6B Block, towards the south by the Paengaroa South No. 7 Block, and towards the west by the Kaituna River.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 100 acres, more or less, situated in the Maketu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Paengaroa South No. 7 Block. Bounded towards the north by the Paengaroa South No. 6c, No. 6B, and No. 6A Blocks; towards the east by the Rotorua-Maketu Road; towards the south by the Paengaroa South No. 8 Block; and towards the west by the Kaituna River.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 250 acres, more or less, situated in the Maketu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Paengaroa South No. 8 Block. Bounded towards the north by the Paengaroa South No. 7 Block, towards the east by the Rotorua-Maketu Road and the Waiwhakaretu Stream, towards the south by the Paengaroa South No. 9 Block, and towards the west by the Kaituna River.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 100 acres, more or less, situated in the Maketu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Paengaroa South No. 9 Block. Bounded towards the north by the Paengaroa South No. 8 Block, towards the east by the Waiwhakaretu Stream, towards the south by the Paengaroa South No. 10 Block, and towards the west by the Kaituna River.

All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 100 acres, more or less, situated in the Maketu Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Paengaroa South No. 10 Block. Bounded towards the north by the Paengaroa South No. 9 Block, towards the east by the Waiwhakaretu Stream, towards the south by the Te Taheke Block, and towards the west by the Kaituna River.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 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 Auckland Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserve shall hereafter form part of Mount Wellington Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in Eden County, Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 2 roods 36.8 perches, more or less, being part of Lot No. 64 of Section 12, Suburbs of Auckland. Bounded towards the north-east and south-east by Lot No. 56 of Section 12, Suburbs of Auckland, 190.9 and 650 links respectively; towards the south-west by a public road, 340.9 links; and towards the north-west by other part of Lot No. 64 aforesaid, 669.8 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1256/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 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 reserves for recreation in the Auckland Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserves shall hereafter be known as Motutara Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

MOTUTARA DOMAIN, WAITEMATA COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 47 acres 1 rood 24 perches, more or less, being the northern portion of Section No. 2, Block IX, Kumeu Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by the west portion of Taupaki Block; towards the south-east by Motutara Block, 1750 and 1500 links; and towards the west generally by a reservation 1 chain wide running along high-water mark of the sea.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 25 acres 2 roods 32 perches, more or less, being the southern portion of Section No. 2, Block IX, Kumeu Survey District. Bounded towards the north east by Motutara Block, 585 and 2625 links; towards the south-east by Section No. 32, Block XI, Kumeu Survey District, the abutment of a road, and Native land; and towards the west generally by a reservation 1 chain wide running along high-water mark of the sea.

Be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same are delineated on the plan marked L. 1158/8, deposited at the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, 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 Auckland Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserve shall hereafter form part of Pjumer Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 2 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 12, Plumer Hamlet, situated in the Parish of Waipareira (Block II, Titirangi Survey District).

Bounded towards the north-east by a public road; towards the south-east by Section No. 13, Plumer Hamlet; towards the south-west by Lot No. 31 of Section 7, Parish of Wai-pareira; and towards the north-west by Section No. 11 of the aforesaid Plumer Hamlet: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1111/6, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

ALEX. WILLIS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Appointment of Trustees, Rangiora Rifle Range Reserve.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

Acting-Major THOMAS RICHARD CRESWELL, No. 1 Battalion, Canterbury Defence Cadet Volunteers;  
Acting-Captain BENJAMIN STEVENS JORDAN, Rangiora Rifle Volunteers;  
JAMES OTWAY JOSLING, Esq., Rangiora; and  
JOHN SANSOM, Esq., Rangiora,

to be Trustees of the Rangiora Rifle Range Reserve, being Reserve No. 958, containing 20 acres, more or less, situate in the Mandeville district: bounded on the northward by the road reserved along the southern bank of the River Ashley; on the westward by Section No. 10449, and also by a straight line drawn from the southern corner thereof to a point on the northern boundary of Section No. 10009, situate about 25 chains 50 links from the north-west corner of that section; on the southward by Section No. 10009; and on the eastward by a line parallel to the last-described position of the western boundary so as to contain the above quantity: together with all buildings erected thereon: to hold the said several premises for the purpose of maintaining a rifle range for Volunteer purposes, and generally for the purposes of and with the powers conferred by the said Act. And it is hereby declared that the said Trustees shall be incorporated under the name of "The Trustees of the Rangiora Rifle Range Reserve," and that they shall take office as such Trustees on the fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Regulations amended.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by "The Defence Act, 1908," and its amendments, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby amend the General Regulations of the Defence Forces of New Zealand, made on the eighth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the same date, as set forth in the Schedule hereto, and do hereby make the following amendment as set forth in such Schedule; and I do hereby declare that such amendment shall come into force on the fifteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

SCHEDULE.

ACTIVE LIST.

REGULATION 140 is hereby amended by deleting all words after "field" on the fourth line to end of paragraph, and substituting the following words: "and ex-officers of the Volunteer Force who within six years of resigning their commissions are specially recommended by the Officer Commanding the District under whom they served for such appointments. The Officer Commanding District to satisfy himself before making recommendations that they are capable and desirous of military employment."

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

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

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
TOWN LAND.			
<i>Town of Maniaia.</i>			
5, 6, 7, 8, 16, 17, 18, 19	IV	A. R. P. 2 0 0	£ s. d. 40 0 0
2, 3, 13, 14 16, 17	VI	1 0 0 0 2 0	45 0 0 23 0 0
9	IX	0 1 0	8 0 0
6, 7, 8, 17, 18	XXIV	1 1 0	35 0 0

RURAL LAND.

*Egmont Survey District.*

21	VI	2 2 14	17 0 0
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Situated on Maude Road, about thirteen miles from New Plymouth. The land is an easy slope, and all in grass.

*Kapara Survey District.*

18	VI	4 1 24	9 0 0
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Weighted with £17 2s., valuation for improvements.  
Situated on the Waitotara Valley Road at Ngamatapouri Village Settlement, about twenty-eight miles distant from Waitotara by dray-road. The land is all in grass, and is flat near frontage, rising in an easy slope to the back of section. The soil is good loam, on a papa formation, but there is no water on the section.

21	VI	2 2 35	6 0 0
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Weighted with £11 19s. 9d., valuation for improvements.  
Situated on the Waitotara Valley Road at Ngamatapouri Village Settlement, about twenty-eight miles distant from Waitotara by dray-road. The land is flat, and has been in grass, but is now overgrown with fern, &c. The soil is of good loam, on a papa formation; well watered.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Land Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided in section one hundred and fifty-four of the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Wednesday, the twenty-fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nine; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on renewable lease; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1908."

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.—ALTON SURVEY DISTRICT.  
Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.		Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.		Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rental.	
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
29	III	A. R. P. 307 0 28	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
			270	0 0	6 15	0	5 8	0
			Weighted with £40, valuation for milling-timber.					
3	VI	362 0 0	275	0 0	6 17	6	5 10	0
			Weighted with £154 10s., valuation for milling-timber.					
5	VI	331 2 0	250	0 0	6 5	0	5 0	0
			Weighted with £154 10s., valuation for milling-timber.					
7	VI	360 2 0	275	0 0	6 17	6	5 10	0
			Weighted with £64 7s. 6d., valuation for milling-timber.					
10	VI	367 2 0	325	0 0	8 2	6	6 10	0
			Weighted with £193 2s. 6d., valuation for milling-timber.					
11	VI	277 2 0	245	0 0	6 2	6	4 18	0
			Weighted with £38 12s. 6d., valuation for milling-timber.					
6	X	340 1 10	300	0 0	7 10	0	6 0	0
			Weighted with £154 10s., valuation for milling-timber.					
7	X	364 1 25	320	0 0	8 0	0	6 8	0
			Weighted with £128 15s., valuation for milling-timber.					
8	X	375 3 37	370	0 0	9 5	0	7 8	0
			Weighted with £128 15s., valuation for milling-timber.					
9	"	263 2 33	235	0 0	5 17	6	4 14	0
10	"	266 0 0	170	0 0	4 5	0	3 8	0
1	XI	488 2 0	370	0 0	9 5	0	7 8	0
3	"	311 0 0	230	0 0	5 15	0	4 12	0
5	"	291 0 0	220	0 0	5 10	0	4 8	0
7	"	289 3 0	220	0 0	5 10	0	4 8	0
*8	"	302 2 0	230	0 0	5 15	0	4 12	0
			* Weighted with £64 7s. 6d., valuation for milling-timber.					
9	XI	284 2 28	215	0 0	5 7	6	4 6	0
10	"	266 2 10	200	0 0	5 0	0	4 0	0
12	"	313 2 0	255	0 0	6 7	6	5 2	0
13	"	274 2 0	210	0 0	5 5	0	4 4	0
*14	"	259 3 0	195	0 0	4 17	6	3 18	0
			* Weighted with £51 10s., valuation for milling-timber.					

LOCALITY AND DESCRIPTION.

The whole block ranges from 200 ft. to 1,600 ft. above sea-level; generally hilly and undulating, with flat-topped ridges; fairly good soil, wet in places. All heavy mixed bush, principally birch, with some good red-pine, white-pine, miro, and totara, fit for sawmilling. Section 29, gravel formation; other sections sandstone; well watered. Sections 12 to 14, Block XI, very wet and swampy, but could be easily drained. Distances range from one to seven miles from Tuatapere Post-office and store, and from ten miles and a half to sixteen miles from Waihoaka Railway-station. Section 14, Block XI, has a frontage on a metalled road; no formed roads to other sections at present, but roads will be formed when sections are selected.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

Opening Settlement Land in Marlborough Land District for Selection.

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Land Act, 1908," and "The Land for Settlements Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the settlement land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Monday, the twelfth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine, at the rental mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said land shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—MARLBOROUGH COUNTY.—CAPE CAMPBELL SURVEY DISTRICT.—FLAXBOURNE SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.		Half-yearly Rental.	
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.
19	VI	A. R. P. 15 0 0	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
			235	0 0	5	5 9
			Weighted with £19 2s., valuation for fencing.			

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

Opening National Endowment Lands in Auckland Land District for Selection.

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Land Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the national endowment lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Wednesday, the eleventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nine, at the rentals mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.  
Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.		Half-yearly Rental.	
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.—HUKERENUI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.		Half-yearly Rental.	
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.
15	XIV	A. R. P. 80 0 28	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
			90	0 0	1	16 0
16	"	207 0 16	225	0 0	4	10 0
17	"	286 0 21	210	0 0	4	4 0

Altitude, about 300 ft. above sea-level. Section 15, about 30 acres dry land, of which 10 acres is covered with high manuka bush, balance of section inferior wivi swamp. Section 16, about 35 acres dry land, of which 7 acres is high manuka bush; about 40 acres good swamp; balance inferior wivi swamp. Section 17, all inferior wivi swamp; peat soil. Well watered. Situated six to nine miles from Hikurangi Railway-station by dray-road formed to Section 15, and within 23 and 7 chains respectively of Sections 16 and 17; balance of formation is to be undertaken shortly.

15 | XV | 194 2 13 | 210 0 0 | 4 4 0  
Altitude, about 300 ft. above sea-level. Thirty acres dry land, covered with cabbage-trees and toetoe-grass; 25 acres medium flax; 6 acres manuka scrub; balance is swamp, half good, half inferior in quality; peat soil. Situated about six miles from Hikurangi Township and railway-station by formed dray-road.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.—PURUA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.		Half-yearly Rental.	
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.
3	III	224 2 0	240	0 0	4	16 0
4	"	261 1 7	285	0 0	5	14 0

Altitude, about 300 ft. above sea-level. Section 3, level land; 15 acres open, balance covered with good mixed forest and high manuka, with a few small kahikatea-trees of no marketable value; about one-fourth of section dry land, balance marshy; loamy soil. Section 4, about 20 acres dry land, covered with cabbage-trees and toetoe-grass; about 18 acres medium flax; about 90 acres good swamp, covered with high manuka; balance poor wivi swamp; peat soil. Well watered. Situated from six to seven miles from Hikurangi Township and Railway-station by formed dray-road.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.





Approximate Area of Roads hereby closed.	Adjoining or Intersecting Original Section.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan	
A. B. P. 0 1 36 1 1 10 0 1 24 0 0 38 1 3 0 0 0 29 1 2 8 1 2 16 3 3 20 0 3 36 5 3 20	Intersecting Sections Nos. 19, 14, 13, and 16	V	Kauroo	..		
0 3 12 0 0 32 0 3 28 1 2 8 1 1 8 0 3 24 1 2 12 2 1 20 2 3 21 0 2 12 0 0 12	Intersecting Sections Nos. 16, 12, 19, 7, and 1 Adjoining Section No. 24 .. .. Adjoining Section No. 1 .. .. Adjoining Section No. 20 .. .. Adjoining Sections Nos. 1 and 2 .. .. Adjoining Section No. 8 .. .. Intersecting Sections Nos. 2, 3, and 4 .. .. Intersecting Section No. 9 .. ..	" VI VIII X " " " "	" " " Oamaru " " " "	.. .. .. .. .. .. .. ..	S.G. 19396/77..	Green.

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

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands

*Land temporarily reserved in the Wellington Land District for the Use and Support of Aboriginal Natives.*

PLUNKET, Governor.  
By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

WHEREAS by the three-hundred-and-twenty-first section of "The Land Act, 1908," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or particular description, and whether the same has been surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which in his opinion are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Wellington Land District described in the Schedule hereunto written, for the use and support of aboriginal Natives.

**SCHEDULE.**

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 192 acres, more or less, being Sections Nos. 6 and 7, Block V, Aohanga Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 8, Block V, Aohanga Survey District; towards the south-east generally by the Waihoki Road; and towards the west by Section No. 5 of Block V aforesaid: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5259/2, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged yellow.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Lands temporarily reserved for a Public Recreation-ground in the Wellington Land District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.  
By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

WHEREAS by the three-hundred-and-twenty-first section of "The Land Act, 1908," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or

particular description, and whether the same has been surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which in his opinion are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned:

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

**SCHEDULE**

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being Suburban Section No. 15, Town of Langdale.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres and 18 perches, more or less, being Suburban Sections Nos. 11 and 12, Town of Langdale.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. 1126/7, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands

*Lands temporarily reserved for the Preservation of Scenery in the Southland Land District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.  
By his Deputy,  
JAMES PRENDERGAST.

WHEREAS by the three-hundred-and-twenty-first section of "The Land Act, 1908," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or particular description, and whether the same has been surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which in his opinion are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale

the lands in the Southland Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the preservation of scenery.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 18 acres, more or less, being Sections Nos. 120 and 121, Block XX, Invercargill Hundred. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 119, Block XX, Invercargill Hundred; towards the east by a public road; towards the south by a road along the Oreti River; and towards the west by Section No. 122 of the said block.

All that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 8 acres, more or less, being Section No. 124, Block XX, Invercargill Hundred. Bounded towards the east by Section No. 123, Block XX, Invercargill Hundred; towards the south by a road along the Oreti River; and towards the north-west by Section No. 31 of the said block.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. 414/2, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Lands temporarily reserved for the Improvement of the New River Harbour, in the Southland Land District.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

WHEREAS by the three-hundred-and-twenty-first section of "The Land Act, 1908," it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or particular description, and whether the same has been surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which in his opinion are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned:

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

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 84 acres 3 roods 33 perches, more or less, being Section No. 81, Block V, Campbelltown Hundred. Bounded towards the north-west by a public road along the New River Estuary, 3812.4 links; towards the east by a public road, 2300 links; and towards the south by Section No. 52, Block V, Campbelltown Hundred, 9040 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 7094/10A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

All that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 12 acres, more or less, being Section No. 82, Block V, Campbelltown Hundred. Bounded towards the north by a railway reserve, 2400 links; towards the south-east by the Invercargill-Bluff Railway, 2900 links; and towards the west by a public road, 1330 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 7094/10B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands

*Notice of Application to proclaim Rurikaka Stream, together with all its Tributaries, Watercourses for the Deposit of Tailings, &c.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in him by "The Mining Act, 1908," His Excellency the Governor hereby notifies

that application has been made to him to constitute and set apart by Proclamation the watercourses the name, locality, and description whereof are set forth in the Schedule hereto to be watercourses into which may be discharged any tailings, débris, and waste water produced by or resulting from mining operations carried on under the said Act.

Any person who objects to such Proclamation being made, or whose land, or riparian or other rights in respect of such land, will be damaged or injuriously affected by the operation thereof, is required to serve on the Minister of Mines, within the period of ninety days after the publication hereof in the *Gazette*, full particulars of such objection, and also a claim in the prescribed form setting forth full particulars of all compensation that will be claimed by him in the event of such Proclamation being made.

No person will be entitled to any compensation for damage or injury consequent on the operation of such Proclamation unless his claim is duly served in the manner and within the period aforesaid.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

THAT stream, known as Rurikaka Stream, which flows south-westerly from its source in Block XII, Longwood Survey District, about one mile east of Round Hill, for a distance of 5.5 miles to Foveaux Strait, together with the tributaries thereof.

Dated at Wellington, this twenty-second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

R. McKENZIE,  
Minister of Mines.

*Regulations for the Conservation and Use of the Hanmer Springs Sanatorium, Thermal Springs, and Grounds.*

PLUNKET, Governor.

By his Deputy,

JAMES PRENDERGAST.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section three hundred and twenty-nine of "The Land Act, 1908," and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do by this notification revoke the regulations made on the eleventh day of December, one thousand nine hundred and three, the twelfth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and six, and the twenty-first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the seventeenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and three, the twenty-ninth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and six, and the twenty-seventh day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven, respectively, and in lieu thereof do hereby make the following regulations for the use by the public of the reserve described in the Second Schedule hereto, and grounds pertaining to such reserve, which contain the thermal springs, situate at Hanmer:—

#### REGULATIONS.

1. These regulations shall apply to the reserve in the Canterbury Land District, known as "The Hanmer Thermal Springs Reserve," which is described in the Second Schedule hereto, and the control of which is vested in the Minister of the Crown for the time being having the administration of "The Tourist and Health Resorts Control Act, 1908," together with the buildings or enclosures erected and to be erected on such reserve.

##### Sanatorium.

2. Application for admission to the Sanatorium shall be made to the Resident Medical Officer, Hanmer Springs, and each applicant shall be subject to examination by that officer before being admitted to the Sanatorium. The charges for residence at the Sanatorium and medical treatment shall be those as set forth in the First Schedule hereto.

3. No person shall be admitted (unless in accordance with Regulations 4, 5, and 6) except on the recommendation of the Hospital or Charitable Aid Board of the district to which he or she belongs, or on the recommendation of the trustees of the benevolent society or hospital (if separate institutions) of the town in which the applicant resides. The Board or trustees in making such recommendation shall guarantee the cost of such applicant patient, shall send him or her at their own charge to Hanmer Springs, be responsible for his or her return passage, and provide a suitable supply of clothing. They shall also furnish a report on the case by a duly qualified medical practitioner, showing nature of com-

plaint, in order that it may be known whether the case is one that is likely to benefit by treatment at the Sanatorium.

4. Members of any duly registered friendly society may be admitted, on the recommendation of the lodge to which they belong, on the same terms as patients recommended by a Hospital or Charitable Aid Board, and Regulation 3 shall be read as applying to them in all respects: Provided that not more than six of such members shall be resident at the Sanatorium at any one time, and that all the hospital beds are not required by patients admitted under Regulation 3.

5. When all the beds are not occupied by patients admitted under Regulations 3, 4, and 5, the Resident Medical Officer may, at his discretion, admit such persons as he considers fit and proper subjects for treatment in the Sanatorium.

6. When all the beds are not occupied by patients admitted under Regulations 3, 4, and 5, persons may be admitted to the Sanatorium free of charge on the following conditions:—

- (a.) Each application for admission shall be made to the General Manager of the Department of Tourist and Health Resorts, Wellington, and shall be accompanied by a doctor's certificate showing nature of complaint, and stating that the applicant is a fit patient for and is likely to receive benefit from treatment at the Sanatorium, and is not suffering from tuberculosis or any infectious disease.
- (b.) Each applicant for free accommodation and treatment shall have been a resident of New Zealand for more than twelve months prior to the application, and shall satisfy the General Manager that he or she has not sufficient means to pay for such accommodation and treatment.
- (c.) Each applicant on arrival at Hanmer Springs shall be subject to examination by the Resident Medical Officer before being finally accepted for free accommodation and treatment.
- (d.) That the expenses to and from Hanmer Springs are provided by each such person, together with a sufficient supply of clothing.
- (e.) That during the months from October to March, inclusive, not more than four, and from April to September, inclusive, not more than six, such persons shall be resident at the Sanatorium at one time.
- (f.) The residence of each patient shall be limited to two months, but the General Manager may, at his discretion, further extend the duration of such residence.

7. Patients residing in the Government Sanatorium at Hanmer Springs may, while so residing, and on production of a ticket from the Resident Medical Officer, be admitted free to such baths as he directs.

8. Fees for consultations with the Medical Resident Officer shall be as set forth in the First Schedule hereto.

#### Baths.

9. Hours of admission to baths shall be as authorised by the General Manager. Admission shall be obtained by ticket only, and each bather shall present his or her ticket to the bath-attendant, who shall clip and if it has no further currency retain it. The charges for tickets for admission to baths and for the use of towels and bathing-dresses shall be those set forth in the First Schedule hereto.

10. Persons suffering from skin-diseases must not bathe in any baths or pools, nor use any towels, except those specially set apart for their use; any such person must inform the ticket-issuer, before taking the baths, of the fact that he or she is so suffering. Any person failing to furnish such information will be liable to a penalty not exceeding £10.

11. No person shall wash or place in any bath or swimming-pool subject to these regulations any clothes, soap, substance, article, or thing. Any person committing a breach of this regulation shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5.

12. No person shall wear a bathing-dress when using a public bath without first obtaining the permission of the Resident Medical Officer, or, in the absence of the Resident Medical Officer, the bath-attendant.

13. No person shall occupy a bath for a longer period than thirty minutes at one time.

14. No bather shall use a continuous stream of hot water during the time he is in any private bath supplied from any thermal spring subject to these regulations. The supply of water to private baths shall be controlled by the bath-attendants.

15. Smoking or spitting is strictly prohibited inside the bath-rooms or swimming-pools, or about the premises respectively pertaining thereto.

16. No person shall place, deposit, or leave any bottle or glassware (whether broken or whole), paper, straw, litter, dirt, rubbish, or any offensive or noxious matter of any kind, in any bathing-house, bath, or pool subject to these regulations.

17. No dog shall be allowed on the premises of any bath or swimming-pool. The owner of any dog so found will be liable to a penalty not exceeding £1.

18. Every person using any bath or swimming-pool subject to these regulations shall conform to and abide by such regulations; and in case any such person shall while using any such bath or swimming-pool commit any indecency or breach of the peace, or be guilty of any disorderly conduct, or commit a breach of any of these regulations, the Resident Medical Officer, or any person duly authorised in writing by the Resident Medical Officer, may (without prejudice to any proceedings for a penalty) require any such person to abstain from doing any of the acts aforesaid and forthwith to leave, or in default thereof may eject or cause to be ejected such person from the premises subject to these regulations.

#### Pleasure-grounds.

19. The grounds used in connection with the springs shall be open to the public free of charge, subject to the provisions of these regulations: Provided that the General Manager of the Department of Tourist and Health Resorts may, if it is deemed expedient, declare the grounds or any portion closed; and may at specified times direct that a charge be made for admission, such charge not to exceed the sum of one shilling.

20. No person shall pick any flower, or break or destroy or injure any plant, shrub, or tree growing on land subject to these regulations; and if any person commits a breach of this regulation he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5, in addition to paying for the damage done.

21. No person shall place, deposit, or leave any bottle or glassware, paper, straw, dirt, rubbish, or any offensive or noxious matter of any kind within the grounds or any part thereof.

22. No person shall place in any thermal spring subject to these regulations, or in any spring or pool, or in any water-race, channel, or reservoir, within the grounds, any clothes, or soap, or any substance or article.

23. No horse, dog, or other animal shall be allowed inside the grounds or any part thereof which are subject to these regulations; and for each time any horse, dog, or other animal trespasses or is allowed to trespass on such grounds, the owner of such horse, dog, or other animal will be liable to a penalty not exceeding £1.

This regulation does not apply to horses drawing any carriage, nor to saddled horses, nor to dogs which are led by a cord or chain.

24. No person shall ride a bicycle through the grounds or any part thereof; and any person so doing shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £1.

25. No person shall trespass upon any portion of the reserves within any enclosure which is set apart for planting, or where the soil is loose and prepared for cultivation, or upon grass kept cut for lawns or ornamental purposes; nor shall any person fail to close any gate he may have opened to gain access to any part of the grounds.

Any person infringing this regulation shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £1.

26. The bowling-green, tennis-court, and croquet-lawn shall be open to players on such days and at such times as the Resident Medical Officer approves.

27. The bowling-green, tennis-court, and croquet-lawn shall not be open to players on Sundays.

28. All playing-fees shall be paid in advance, and a ticket obtained.

29. Tickets shall be obtained at the ticket-office only, and must be submitted to the attendant for inspection on demand.

30. Material for playing may be obtained from the attendant, and players shall return it to him before leaving the grounds.

31. Players shall not play more than one game or set when other players desire to play.

32. Bowls-players shall deliver their bowls with both feet on a mat, and must not drop any bowl on the green.

33. Persons wearing boots or shoes with nails or heels shall not be allowed on the bowling-green, tennis-court, or croquet-lawn.

34. The Resident Medical Officer may refuse to issue tickets for games to any person or persons convicted of any act of indecency, disorderly conduct, or breach of the peace,

or who may have been ejected from the baths or grounds for any such reason, or on account of objectionable conduct.

35. Any person who is a season-ticket holder shall be liable to have his ticket cancelled should he commit a breach of any of these regulations.

36. Every person using or passing through the grounds subject to these regulations or any part thereof shall conform to and abide by such regulations; and in case any person shall, while using or passing through any of the grounds, commit any indecency or a breach of the peace, or be guilty of any disorderly conduct, or of behaving to the annoyance of others, such person may be summarily ejected from the grounds, and shall be liable as for a breach of these regulations.

37. For the purpose hereof, the General Manager of Tourist and Health Resorts shall have charge of gardens, grounds, enclosures, paths, and the premises pertaining thereto, and as regards any part of the grounds subject to these regulations, the Resident Medical Officer, or other person in charge thereof at the time, shall have authority to carry out these regulations.

38. Except where otherwise specially provided, every person committing a breach of or failing to observe the provisions of these regulations shall be liable on conviction to a penalty not exceeding £20.

39. The expression "Resident Medical Officer" means the person having the general charge and control (under the direction of the said General Manager) of the Hanmer Hot Springs, baths, and the land and premises pertaining thereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Fees and charges for residence and treatment in the Sanatorium, for medical consultation, for baths, and for games, shall be as follows:—

Sanatorium.

Residence, including medical attendance, medicine, nursing, and baths—	£	s.	d.
Patients admitted under Regulations 3 and 4, per week .. .. .	1	10	0
Patients admitted under Regulation 5, per week .. .. .	2	2	0
Patients admitted under Regulation 6 .. .. .	Free		

Medical Consultations.

Patients other than residents in the Sanatorium—	£	s.	d.
Consultations at Medical Officer's rooms, each .. .. .	0	7	6
" " patient's residence, each .. .. .	0	10	6
Medicine, per bottle .. .. .	0	2	6

Persons resident within a Radius of One Mile from the Sanatorium.

	£	s.	d.
First consultation at Medical Officer's room .. .. .	0	7	6
For each subsequent visit for the same illness, made not more than fourteen days from previous visit .. .. .	0	5	0
First consultation at patient's residence .. .. .	0	10	6
For each subsequent visit at patient's residence, for the same illness, made not more than fourteen days from the previous visit .. .. .	0	7	6
Confinements .. .. .	3	3	0

Patients resident over One Mile from the Sanatorium.

Same as for patients resident within one mile of the Sanatorium, but subject (in the case of consultation at patient's residence) to an additional charge of five shillings for each mile or fraction of a mile beyond the first mile from the Sanatorium.

The Resident Medical Officer shall not, however, attend any patient residing beyond a radius of five miles from the Sanatorium except by special arrangement, and then only in cases of an exceptional nature at the sole discretion of the Resident Medical Officer, and subject to payment by the patient of a special fee to be fixed by the Resident Medical Officer.

Operations.

	£	s.	d.
Uncomplicated simple fracture of the arm or leg .. .. .	3	3	0
Uncomplicated dislocations .. .. .	2	2	0

Patients to be charged the cost of material used.

Provided that the Resident Medical Officer shall have power to fix the charges for fractures of other parts of the body, or for any other operation whatsoever.

Bath Fees.

The charges for bath tickets shall be—	Each.
For visitors' private bath .. .. .	9d.
" visitors' public bath .. .. .	6d.
" child visitors' private bath .. .. .	4d.
" child visitors' public bath .. .. .	3d.
" residents' private bath .. .. .	6d.
" residents' public bath .. .. .	3d.
" child residents' private bath .. .. .	3d.
" child residents' public bath .. .. .	1d.
" public cold-water swimming-bath—	
Adults .. .. .	3d.
Children .. .. .	1d.
" electric bath or Vichy douche .. .. .	2s. 6d.
" hot-air and douche bath .. .. .	3s.
" douche and massage bath (for fifteen minutes) .. .. .	2s. 6d.
" massage (maximum one hour) .. .. .	5s.
" visitors' commutation tickets for 25 private baths .. .. .	15s.
" visitors' commutation tickets for 25 public baths .. .. .	10s.
" visitors' commutation tickets for 12 private baths .. .. .	8s.
" visitors' commutation tickets for 12 public baths .. .. .	5s. 6d.
" residents' family commutation tickets for 25 public baths .. .. .	5s.

One towel will be supplied free for the use of each visitor using a bath, but a charge of 2d. will be made for each additional towel supplied to a visitor, except in the case of hot-air and douche, douche and massage, or massage, when towels and all other material are provided by the Department.

Children's tickets shall be issued only to children whose individual ages do not exceed twelve years.

Commutation tickets shall have a currency of four months from date of issue.

A "resident" shall be deemed to be any person who has signed a declaration before the Resident Medical Officer, a Justice of the Peace, or the Postmaster, truly setting forth that he or she has resided for a period of at least six months within a radius of five miles from the Hanmer Springs Post-office. Any such person shall be entitled to receive tickets at rates specified for "residents." For the purposes hereof, the head of any household may sign one declaration for the whole of the inmates of such household, providing the name of each person the declaration applies to is appended to the said declaration.

Each resident's family commutation ticket shall be available for the use of members of one household only.

Fees for Games.

The charges for players' tickets shall be, for each player, per single game—Bowls, 6d.; croquet, 3d.; per set—tennis, 3d. Weekly ticket: Bowls, 3s.; tennis, 3s.; croquet, 2s. Season ticket: Bowls, £1; tennis, £1; croquet, 10s. 6d.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Hanmer Thermal-springs Reserve.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District, being Sections Nos. 4, 19, 21, 39, and 45, Hanmer Plains, situated in Block II, Lyndon Survey District, and containing by admeasurement 195 acres 1 rood 4 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north generally by the Woodbank Road, Sections Nos. 1, 3, a road, Section No. 6, and again by the Woodbank Road; towards the east and south by the Main North Road; and towards the west by the Jack's Pass Road and Section No. 20.

Also all that parcel of land, being Section No. 46 and part of Section No. 40, Block II, Lyndon Survey District, containing approximately 81 acres, and bounded towards the north-west by the Main North Road; towards the east by the fence on the plantation reserve; towards the south by the south boundary of Section No. 40; towards the west by the Main North Road, the south and east boundaries of Hanmer Town Block V, the east boundary of Block IV, and by Leamington Street and Scarborough Terrace to the Main North Road: save and except Reserve No. 3745 within the above-described area.

As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57182/7A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

THOS. MACKENZIE,  
Minister in Charge of Department of Tourist and Health Resorts.

*Resignation of Minister of Customs, &c., and Member of the Executive Council.*

Private Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 17th June, 1909.

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

The Honourable ALEXANDER WILSON HOGG of his offices of Minister of Customs and Minister of Labour, and also of his office as a member of the Executive Council of the Dominion of New Zealand. Such resignations to date from the 17th June, 1909.

By command.

H. C. WATERFIELD,  
Private Secretary.

*Ministers appointed.*

Private Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 17th June, 1909.

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

The Honourable JOHN ANDREW MILLAR to be Minister of Labour, *vice* the Honourable A. W. Hogg, resigned; also to appoint

The Honourable GEORGE FOWLDS to be Minister of Customs, *vice* the Honourable A. W. Hogg, resigned.

By command.

H. C. WATERFIELD,  
Private Secretary.

*Members of the Public Service Classification Board appointed.*

Prime Minister's Office,  
Wellington, 11th June, 1909.

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

RICHARD CARTER, Esq., Secretary of Customs;  
JOSEPH FRANK STRONG HAY, Esq., M.B., M.S., Inspector-General of Mental Hospitals;  
WILLIAM CHARLES KENSINGTON, Esq., Under-Secretary, Lands Department; and  
FRANK GEOFFREY BURTON WALDEGRAVE, Esq., Under-Secretary, Justice Department,

being permanent heads of departments of the public service, to be members of the Public Service Classification Board under "The Public Service Classification and Superannuation Act, 1908," *vice* Messrs. T. E. Donne, W. T. Glasgow, T. H. Hamer, and J. D. Ritchie, resigned.

J. G. WARD,  
Prime Minister.

*General Manager, State Fire Insurance Office, appointed.*

Prime Minister's Office,  
Wellington, 17th June, 1909.

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

GEORGE FREDERICK COLIN CAMPBELL, Esq., to be the General Manager of the State Fire Insurance Office under "The State Fire Insurance Act, 1908," *vice* J. W. Brindley, Esq. Appointment to date from 1st June, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Prime Minister.

*Chief Health Officer appointed.*

Prime Minister's Office,  
Wellington, 17th June, 1909.

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

THOMAS HARCOURT AMBROSE VALINTINE, Esq., M.D., to be Chief Health Officer under "The Public Health Act, 1908," *vice* Dr. Mason. Appointment to date from 1st June, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Prime Minister.

*Commissioner of Old-age Pensions appointed.*

Prime Minister's Office,  
Wellington, 17th June, 1909.

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

WILLIAM RUSSELL MORRIS, Esq., to be Commissioner under "The Old-age Pensions Act, 1908," *vice* J. E. Smith, Esq. Appointment to date from 1st August, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Prime Minister.

*Member of Hampden Bush Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 21st June, 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 CHALMERS CLARK to be a member of the Hampden Bush Domain Board, in the place of Emanuel Scarrott, who has resigned.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands

*Members of Taupiri Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 21st June, 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 ALBERT JOLL and RICHARD FRANCIS BOLLARD to be members of the Taupiri Domain Board, in the place of Edmund Blackford Cox and John William Bailey, who have removed from the district.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands

*Native Interpreter's License revoked.*

Native Department,  
Wellington, 17th June, 1909.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to revoke the license as a Native Interpreter, under "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," and "The Native Interpreters Classification Act, 1900," held by the under-mentioned person:—

EPIHA NGAWIKI, of Paeroa.

J. CARROLL,  
Minister of Native Affairs.

*Appointing Official Member of Te Arawa District Maori Council under "The Maori Councils Act, 1900."*

Native Minister's Office,  
Wellington, 17th June, 1909.

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

The Reverend FREDERICK BENNETT, of Rotorua, to be official member of Te Arawa District Maori Council under the provisions of "The Maori Councils Act, 1900," *vice* Captain Gilbert Mair, resigned.

J. CARROLL,  
Native Minister.

*Director of the Meteorological Branch of the Marine Department appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 16th June, 1909.

**I**T is hereby notified that the Rev. DANIEL CROSS BATES has been appointed Director of the Meteorological Branch of the Marine Department; the appointment to date from the 1st July, 1909.

J. A. MILLAR.

*Police Gaoler appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 18th June, 1909.

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

Constable FREDERICK WADE

to be Police Gaoler at Kawhia, vice Constable P. J. McCarthy, transferred.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

*Cadet resigned.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 21st June, 1909.

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

WILLIAM ECKFORD WILSON

of his appointment as a cadet in the Magistrate's Court at Wellington, as from the 12th day of June, 1909.

JOHN G. FINDLAY

*Registrars of Supreme Court, &c., appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 21st June, 1909.

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

EDWARD RAWSON, Esq., S.M.,

to be Registrar of the Supreme Court at Westport, on and from the 1st day of June, 1909; and

VICTOR GRACE DAY, Esq., S.M., and  
THOMAS WILLIAM TAYLER, Esq.,

to be Registrar and Deputy Registrar respectively of the Supreme Court at Timaru, on and from the 15th day of June, 1909.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

*Cadet appointed.*

Public Works Department,  
Wellington, 21st June, 1909.

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

STANLEY GORDON PATERSON

to be a clerical cadet in the Public Works Department; the appointment to date from 15th February, 1909.

R. MCKENZIE,  
Minister of Public Works.

*Secretary of Customs appointed.*

Department of Trade and Customs,  
Wellington, 17th June, 1909.

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

RICHARD CARTER

to be Secretary of Customs and Chief Inspector of Distilleries, vice William Thompson Glasgow, retired. Appointment to date from the 1st April, 1909.

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister of Customs.

*Inspector of Factories appointed.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 17th June, 1909.

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

Constable HUBERT WATTS

to be an Inspector under "The Factories Act, 1908." The appointment is dated the 8th day of June, 1909.

A. W. HOGG,  
Minister of Labour.

*New Zealand Militia Officer appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 15th June, 1909.

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

*New Zealand Militia.*

Robert Oswald Chesney (Lieutenant, Royal New Zealand Artillery) to be Captain. Date of commission, 31st May, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officers appointed.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 12th June, 1909.

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

*New Zealand Medical Corps.*

Garnet Wilson Harty to be Captain. Date of commission, 7th April, 1909.

William Edward Herbert, M.D., F.R.C.S. Edin. (Surgeon-Captain, N.Z.M.), to be Captain. Date of appointment, 22nd May, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer promoted.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 15th June, 1909.

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

The Reverend GEORGE WILLIAM CHRISTIAN (Honorary Chaplain, Fourth Class)

to the rank of Major (Honorary Chaplain, Third Class), and with effect from 18th May, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officers resigned.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 12th June, 1909.

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

*Motueka Mounted Rifle Volunteers.*

Lieutenant Joseph Wilfred Senior. Date of resignation, 9th May, 1909.

*Greytown Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain Alexander Burnet Charters. Date of resignation, 26th May, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer's Commission cancelled.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 15th June, 1909.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with Regulation 115 (8), General Regulations of the Defence Forces of New Zealand, 1906, of the cancellation of the commission granted

Captain THOMAS MCKIBBIN, New Zealand Medical Corps,

and with effect from 4th June, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer resigned.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 15th June, 1909.

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

*3rd Battalion, Otago Rifle Volunteers.*

Captain (Adjutant) Francis Charles Stubbs. Date of resignation, 24th March, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

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

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 12th June, 1909.

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

Captain JOHN GEORGE SWAN, Irish Rifle Volunteers, and to approve that his name be placed on the Active List (Unattached), with rank of Lieutenant, and with effect from 26th April, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

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

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 15th June, 1909.

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

Captain WILLIAM JAMES GIRLING, Blenheim Rifle Cadet Volunteers, and to approve that his name be placed on the Active List (Unattached), with rank of Captain, and with effect from 17th December, 1907.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Volunteer Officer transferred from Active List (Unattached) to Volunteer Corps.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 15th June, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the transfer of

Captain WILLIAM JAMES GIRLING from the Active List (Unattached) to the Blenheim Rifle Volunteers, with rank of Lieutenant, and with effect from 1st April, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Warrant forming Engineer and Submarine Mining Volunteers into Regiment revoked.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 17th June, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to revoke the Warrant as published on pages 265 and 266 of the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 7, dated 29th January, 1903, "Engineers and Submarine Mining Volunteers."

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Engineer Volunteer Companies formed into Regiment.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 15th June, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the following companies of the Engineer Volunteers being formed into a regiment, to be designated the "New Zealand Engineer Volunteers," in the order of seniority and with the numbers as under, and with effect from 17th June, 1909:—

- No. 1 Company, New Zealand Engineer Volunteers (Canterbury Engineer Volunteers).
- No. 2 Company, New Zealand Engineer Volunteers (Dunedin Engineer Volunteers).

No. 3 Company, New Zealand Engineer Volunteers (Auckland Engineer Volunteers).  
No. 4 Company, New Zealand Engineer Volunteers (Wellington Engineer Volunteers).

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Services of Mounted Rifle Volunteer Corps accepted.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 12th June, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept, in accordance with section 45 (a) of "The Defence Act, 1908," the services of the

*Waimarino Mounted Rifle Volunteers,*

with headquarters at Raetihi, to be attached to the 1st Regiment, Wellington (West Coast) Mounted Rifle Volunteers, and designated F Company. Date of acceptance, 10th June, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Services of Defence Rifle Club accepted.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 12th June, 1909.

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

*Feilding Defence Rifle Club,*

with headquarters at Feilding, Wellington Military District. Acceptance to date from 8th June, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

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

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 12th June, 1909.

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

No. 278, Sergeant CHARLES JAMES, Wanganui Guards Rifle Volunteers,

he having a total service to 1st May, 1909, entitling him thereto of twenty years and twenty-five days.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Resignation of Trustee, Palmerston North Drill-shed Reserve.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 12th June, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept, under "The Defence Act, 1908," the resignation of

Major CHARLES THOMAS TATUM, Active List (Unattached),

as a Trustee of the Palmerston North Drill-shed Reserve. Date of resignation, 31st May, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Appointments of Trustees, Rangiora Rifle Range Reserve, cancelled.*

Defence Office,  
Wellington, 12th June, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to cancel, under "The Defence Act, 1908," the appointments of Trustees to the Rangiora Rifle Range Reserve, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 58, of 12th July, 1906, as from 3rd June, 1909.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Defence.

*Fire Boards under "The Fire Brigades Act, 1908."*

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

THE undermentioned persons have been appointed or elected to be members of the following Fire Boards constituted under "The Fire Brigades Act, 1908."

D. BUDDO,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Auckland Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
David Goldie.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Bartholomew Kent.  
Alexander Stuart Russell.  
Horace Walker.
- Elected by the Auckland City Council—  
Andrew Jack Entrican.  
Peter Mitchell Mackay.  
Robert Tudehope.

*Christchurch Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
Henry Richard Rusbridge.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Harry Stacpoole Batchelor.  
William Bertie McKenzie.  
Arthur Langdon Parsons.
- Elected by the Christchurch City Council—  
Thomas Norris Horsley.  
Charles Taylor.  
John Dryden Hall.

*Dannevirke Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
George Wright.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Henry Ernest Kempthorne.  
John James Jaffray Mallard.  
Charles Pearce.
- Elected by the Dannevirke Borough Council—  
Hans Madsen Ries.  
William Johnstone.  
George Wratt.

*Dunedin Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
James Arkle.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Thomas Chalmer.  
William Isaac Bolam.  
Henry Donald Stronach.
- Elected by the Dunedin City Council—  
Archibald James Sullivan.  
John Wilson.  
Joseph Eli White.

*Feilding Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
Owen Pleasants.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Charles Alfred Ewen.  
John James Jaffray Mallard.  
Richard Middleton Simpson.
- Elected by the Feilding Borough Council—  
William James Benjamin Trewin.  
Edmund Goodbehere.  
Archibald Williamson.

*Gisborne Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
John Townley.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
John Coleman.  
Alexander Francis Kennedy.  
George Laurence Evans.
- Elected by the Gisborne Borough Council—  
William Douglas Lysnar.  
William Pettie.  
Francis Robert Harris.

*Greymouth Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
Jesse Steer.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
John James Jaffray Mallard.  
Arthur Langdon Parsons.  
Joseph Theodore Skoglund.
- Elected by the Greymouth Borough Council—  
Thomas Eldon Coates.  
Henry Bignell.  
Denis Shannahan.

*Hawera Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
Richard Alfred Dawson Welsh.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Francis Peacock Corkill.  
John Paton.  
Harold Frederick John Tewsley.
- Elected by the Hawera Borough Council—  
Henry William Sutton.  
Hugh Knight Whittington.  
James Foy.

*Hastings Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
Daniel O'Reilly.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Thomas Percy Baynton Ching.  
John James Jaffray Mallard.  
Herbert Marshall.
- Elected by the Hastings Borough Council—  
Thomas Styles.  
John Anderson Miller.  
Alfred Amory George.

*Hokitika Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
Jules Cæsar Malfroy.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
George Henry Eisfelder.  
John James Jaffray Mallard.  
Arthur Langdon Parsons.
- Elected by the Hokitika Borough Council—  
Henry Leslie Michel.  
Herbert Maxton Coulson.  
Francis McGregor.

*Lawrence Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
George Jeffery.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Joseph Skottowe Webb.  
Henry Robert Law.  
Robert Sproull Menzies.
- Elected by the Lawrence Borough Council—  
Herbert Hastings Leary.  
James Bryce McKinlay.  
David Lawrence Christie.

*Masterton Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
Orlando Nathaniel Collins Pragnell.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Henry Ernest Kempthorne.  
Charles Pearce.  
Richard Middleton Simpson.
- Elected by the Masterton Borough Council—  
Joseph Charles Ewington.  
James Henry Pauling.  
Joseph Philip Prentice.

*Maori Hill Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
Oscar Balk.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
William Isaac Bolam.  
Henry Donald Stronach.  
James Reynolds Cameron.
- Elected by the Maori Hill Borough Council—  
Stephen Noble Brown.  
Edgar Scott Clarke.  
Peter Duncan.

*Milton Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
James William Petrie.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Thomas Chalmer.  
Joseph Skottowe Webb.  
Henry Robert Law.
- Elected by the Milton Borough Council—  
Charles Grey.  
Thomas Graham Henderson.  
John Parlane.

*New Plymouth Fire Board :—*

- Appointed by the Governor—  
Charlie Emanuel Bellringer.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Francis Peacock Corkill.  
Edward Percy Webster.  
John Paton.
- Elected by the New Plymouth Borough Council—  
Edward Dockrill.  
Frank Edwin Wilson.  
Augustus Edward Watkins.



*Oamaru Fire Board:—*

Appointed by the Governor—  
John Bulleid.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Thomas Chalmer.  
Joseph Skottowe Webb.  
Archibald James Sullivan.

Elected by the Oamaru Borough Council—  
Robert Milligan.  
Robert Mahan.  
Kenneth McAdam.

*Palmerston North Fire Board:—*

Appointed by the Governor—  
Alexander Turner.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Charles Alfred Ewen.  
John James Jaffray Mallard.  
Richard Middleton Simpson.

Elected by the Palmerston North Borough Council—  
James Alfred Nash.  
Henry Haydon.  
Edward John Armstrong.

*Petone Fire Board:—*

Appointed by the Governor—  
Richard Mothes.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Charles Alfred Ewen.  
John James Jaffray Mallard.  
Charles Pearce.

Elected by the Petone Borough Council—  
John William McEwan.  
Richard Walton Short.  
Robert John Southgate.

*Whangarei Fire Board:—*

Appointed by the Governor—  
Robert Thompson.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—  
Lancelot William Dolling Andrews.  
Frank Evans.  
Norman Theodore Williams.

Elected by the Whangarei Borough Council—  
James Harrison.  
John Samuel Dent.  
James Rathbone Reyburn.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 18th June, 1909.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

COUNTY OF EGMONT.

*Special Order authorising Payment of Interest and Sinking Fund from General Fund Account.*

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," the Council of the County of Egmont hereby resolves as follows: That the interest and sinking fund on the loan of £4,487 17s. inscribed against the County of Egmont (such loan having been expended in the construction of various bridges on the security of a whole district rate) be paid out of the General Fund Account of the county.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a special order made by the Council of the County of Egmont at a special meeting of the said Council held on the 16th day of April, 1909, and confirmed at a subsequent ordinary meeting of the said Council held on the 11th day of June, 1909.

S. CAMPBELL,  
County Chairman.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Egmont was hereto affixed by Samuel Campbell, the County Chairman, acting by direction and on behalf of the said Council, this 11th day of June, 1909, in the presence of—

GEO. W. ROGERS,  
County Clerk.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 18th June, 1909.

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

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Finance.

NEWMARKET BOROUGH COUNCIL.

*Special Order making Special Rate.*

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," the Newmarket Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £5,000, authorised to be raised by the Newmarket Borough Council, under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," and amendments thereof, for drainage-works within the Borough of Newmarket, the said Newmarket Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 3d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the whole of the Borough of Newmarket; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of April and the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly passed at a special meeting of the Borough Council of the Borough of Newmarket held on the 12th day of May, 1909, and confirmed at an ordinary meeting of the Council of the said borough held on the 14th day of June, 1909.

Dated at Newmarket, this 15th day of June, 1909.

WM. HOGG,  
Town Clerk.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 19th June, 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."

J. A. MILLAR,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

WHANGAMOMONA COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Special Order making a 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 £600, authorised to be raised by the Whangamomona County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of re-forming and metalling the unmetalled portion of the Whangamomona Road, immediately following the present metalled portion, for a distance of 75 chains, or as far as the money will go, the said Whangamomona County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 4½d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property of the Whangamomona Road Special-rating Area, comprising Sections 21, 166, 166A, 63, 64, 165, 12, 14, and 23, all in Block I, and Section 1, Block II, and Section 5, Block V, all in the 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 County of KIWITEA.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 21st June, 1909.

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

J. A. MILLAR,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

KIWITEA COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Special Order.*

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Counties Act, 1908," and amendments, the Kiwitea County Council does hereby resolve as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,200, authorised to be raised by the Kiwitea County Council, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," and amendments, for the purpose of constructing the approaches and bridge over the Mangawharariki Stream at Karewarewa Village Settlement, the said Kiwitea County Council does hereby make and levy a special rate of  $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable valuation of all rateable property of the Karewarewa Bridge Special-rating District, comprising Sections 8, 4, 5, Blocks IX and XIII, Ruahine Survey District; 2, 3, part 6, Blocks XIII and XVI, Ruahine and Hautapu Survey Districts; 6, 12, 13, 7, 11, 8, 9, 10, Block XIII, Ruahine Survey District; 19, Block XII, Hautapu Survey District; 8, 9, 7, part 6, 4, 5, Block XVI, Hautapu Survey District; 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 7, 15, 16, 10, 11, 12, 14, Karewarewa Village Settlement; 23B, 23A, 24, Block XVI, Hautapu Survey District; 1, Block XIII, Ruahine 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 February and the 1st day of August in each and every year during a period equal to the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The cost of raising the loan and the interest for the first year shall be paid out of loan.

The foregoing is a true and correct copy of a special order adopted at a special meeting of the Council on the 20th day of March, 1909, and confirmed at a special meeting of the Council on the 17th day of April, 1909.

FRANK F. HOCKLY,  
Chairman.  
D. H. GUTHRIE,  
Councillor.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 22nd June, 1909.

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

J. A. MILLAR,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

HOROWHENUA COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Special Order.*

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," the Horowhenua County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £200, authorised to be raised by the Horowhenua County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of metalling part of the road through Manawatu-Kukutaauaki 7D No. 3, the said Horowhenua County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the 7D No. 3 Special-rating District, comprising Lots 1 and 1A, 2, 2A, and 3 of Manawatu-Kukutaauaki 7D No. 3, Block IV, Mount Robinson; as the same is shown on the plan and coloured red; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a special order made at a special meeting of the Horowhenua County Council held on the 13th day of March, 1909, and confirmed at a subsequent meeting held on the 10th day of April, 1909.

H. E. LODGE,  
County Clerk.

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

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 21st June, 1909.

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

J. A. MILLAR,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

LEVELS COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," Section 18.*

WHEREAS the Levels County Council has raised a special loan, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," secured by a special rate made over the whole district, as specified hereunder in the Schedule: And whereas it is desired to pay the interest and sinking fund on the above loan out of its general fund, so as to obviate the necessity for levying and collecting the special rate mentioned in the Schedule: Now, therefore, the Levels County Council hereby, by way of special order, resolves that the interest and sinking fund upon the undermentioned loan be paid out of the general fund as from the date hereof.

SCHEDULE.

Amount of Loan.	Term.	Date of Special Order confirming the Raising of Same.	Amount of Special Rate in the Pound.
£ 5,400	32 years	6th February, 1909	1/38th of a ld.

The common seal of the Inhabitants of the body corporate known as the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Levels was hereto affixed by Charles Newman Orbell, the County Chairman, acting by direction and on behalf of the Council, this 1st day of May, 1909, in the presence of—

CHAS. N. ORBELL,  
Chairman.  
F. E. WHITEHEAD,  
County Clerk.

I, Frank Edmund Whitehead, Clerk of the Levels County Council, hereby certify that the above special order was duly passed at a special meeting of the Levels County Council held on the 3rd day of March, 1909, and confirmed at a special meeting of the Council held on the 7th day of April, 1909.

F. E. WHITEHEAD,  
Clerk, Levels County Council.

*Authorising the Laying-off of Reservoir and Nelson Streets, in the Town of Waipukurau Extension No. 8, of a Width of not less than 66 ft. each.*

Department of Lands,  
Wellington, 16th June, 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 Reservoir and Nelson Streets, in the Town of Waipukurau Extension No. 8, Hawke's Bay Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. each, instead of 99 ft.

J. G. WARD,  
Minister of Lands.

*Certificate under "The Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1908."*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 21st June, 1909.

CERTIFICATE from the Mayor of the Borough of Thames is published, as required by section 11 of "The Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1908."

J. A. MILLAR,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF THAMES.

I, FRANK H. CLAXTON, Mayor of Thames, in accordance with section 11 of "The Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1908," hereby certify that the Council of the Borough of Thames, by special resolution intended to operate as a special order, passed on the 17th day of December, 1908, and confirmed at a special meeting held on the 14th day of January, 1909, ordained that the Council do borrow the sum of £3,000 from

the Hon. Minister of Finance of New Zealand for the purpose of establishing a public abattoir, the period of the said loan to be twenty-six years.

The common seal of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of Thames was affixed hereto by me, this 11th day of June, 1909.

FRANK H. CLAXTON, Mayor.

Thames, 11th June, 1909.

*Notice to Mariners No. 43 of 1909.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 15th June, 1909.

THE following information, relating to submarine sound-signals which has been extracted from the June Pilot Chart of the North Pacific Ocean issued by the United States Hydrographic Office, is published for general information. In connection with this information it will be seen on reference to the *New Zealand Shipping Gazette* of the 27th February last that Captain L. W. Beavis in a letter to the manager of the Norfolk and North American Steamship Company, Limited, reports that without the aid of a microphone, by simply putting his ear to the side of the vessel in the forepeak, he heard the submarine bell of the Tongue Light-vessel on his port bow at a distance of six miles. By putting his ear close to each side of the ship he states that one can distinguish which side of the ship the sound comes from.

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Marine.

SUBMARINE SOUND-SIGNALS.

UNTIL recent times the sound-signals generally used to guide mariners, especially during fogs, were, with certain modifications, sirens, trumpets, steam whistles, bell boats, bell buoys, whistling buoys, rockets, gongs, bells struck by machinery, and cannons fired by powder or gun-cotton. In connection with all these implements the atmosphere is the medium of transmission of the sounds emitted from the sounding-apparatus; but it is a characteristic of the air that, in contiguous spaces of the atmosphere, the temperature, humidity, and pressure vary in such a manner as to produce a state which bears the same relation to sound as cloudiness does to light. Tyndall has thus described these conditions: "By streams of air differently heated, or saturated in different degrees with aqueous vapours, the atmosphere is rendered *flocculent* to sound. *Acoustic clouds*, in fact, are incessantly floating or flying through the air. They have nothing whatever to do with ordinary clouds, fogs, or haze; and the most transparent atmosphere may be filled with them, converting days of extraordinary optical transparency into days of equally extraordinary acoustic opacity."

*The Inadequacy of Aerial Sound-signals.*

The mariner has long since learned to be exceedingly cautious about depending upon aerial sound-signals, even when near. Experience has taught him that he should not assume that he is out of hearing distance of the position of the signal-station because he fails to hear its sound; that he should not assume that because he hears a fog-signal faintly he is at a great distance from it, nor that he is near because he hears the sound plainly; that he should not assume that he has reached a given point on his course because he hears the fog-signal at the same intensity that he did when formerly at that point, neither should he assume that he has not reached this point because he fails to hear the fog-signal as loudly as before, or because he does not hear it at all; and that he should not assume that the fog-signal has ceased sounding because he fails to hear it, even when within easy earshot.

While both the range and the certainty of the transmission of sounds through the air may be enhanced by imparting such excessive energy to the sound-waves as to render them less liable to the dissipating influences of a variable atmosphere, yet, with the fog-signals heretofore in use, it has been impossible to distinguish, by any means available to the mariner at sea, the times when he might expect aberrations in audition from the times when the sounds would be heard normally as to force and place.

*The Superiority of Water as a Medium for the Transmission of Sounds at Sea.*

Water is a less mobile medium than air, less responsive to marked variations of density arising through changes in temperature and pressure, and, therefore, less subject to variations of homogeneity and more reliable as an agency of the transmission of sound-waves.

*Submarine Signal-bells.*

In his experiments on Lake Geneva, in 1826, Colladon had a bell, weighing about 150 lb., suspended some 5 ft. under water from the side of a boat, and struck by a hammer attached to the end of a lever. Stationed in another boat, he listened for the bell-sounds propagated beneath the surface, which were conveyed from the water by a cylindrical tube of tin some 9 ft. long and 6 in. in diameter. One end of this tube terminated in an orifice for insertion in the ear, and the other was spread out somewhat in the form of a spoon, with its orifice closed by a flat elliptical plate of tin about 2 square feet in area. By attaching a suitable weight to the lower end of the tube it was easily retained in a vertical position with about four-fifths of its length submerged, its flat plate being turned toward the boat carrying the bell. With this simple apparatus Colladon was able to hear, with perfect distinctness, the blows of the hammer on the bell across the widest part of Lake Geneva, when the calculated distance between the two boats was not less than eight miles. The sounds which he heard appeared as if they had been caused by some metallic body striking the bottom of the tube, and they were as distinct at eight miles as at a few hundred feet from the bell. One set of observations was made during a strong wind. The waters of the lake, which were at first calm, became violently agitated, and it was necessary to keep the boat in position by means of several anchors, yet, notwithstanding the noise of the waves that struck the tube, he took observations with the same accuracy as when the air and water were still. And he states, "I am convinced that by employing a bigger bell, and improving or enlarging the hearing apparatus, easy communication could be effected under the water of a lake or of the sea up to fifteen or twenty leagues."

Plans for making a practical use of the water as a means of communication between vessels at sea commenced to germinate with the invention of the telephone in the latter part of the last century.

In his admirable work, entitled "The Modern Light-House Service," published as Senate Executive Document No. 56, Fifty-first Congress, first session, Mr. Arnold B. Johnson, Chief Clerk of the United States Lighthouse Board, has made reference to the experiments which were commenced in 1883 by Prof. Lucien Blake, whose plan he describes as follows: "A sound-producing apparatus was to be attached to each vessel, and to be worked under the surface of the water. In times of fog or at night a code of signals would be produced by it, which would be transmitted in all directions through the water with a velocity four or five times that in the air. Each vessel, in addition to the sound-producing apparatus, would be provided with sound-receiving apparatus, which would take up out of the water the signals arriving from the neighbouring vessels. For steamships the sound-producing apparatus was designed to be a steam fog-horn or whistle, especially constructed to sound under water and to be heard at least from six to eight miles. . . . As to the receiving apparatus with which each vessel was to be provided, the original plan of 1883, and which has not been changed, was to employ some form of telephone acting as a transmitter under water and connected with a receiver within the vessel. . . ."

It is along these general lines that the problem has been so successfully solved, under the auspices of the Submarine Signal Company of Boston, that the method of submarine sound-signalling has been officially recognised as supplying an important aid in navigation. As early as 1903, the United States Lighthouse Establishment had furnished the light-vessels at Boston, Nantucket, Fire Island, and Sandy Hook with submarine fog-bells. The equipment consisted of a bell with striking-mechanism actuated by compressed air, suspended at a depth of 30 ft. or so beneath the surface of the sea from a davit at the side of the vessel; a small and compact air-compressor driven by a kerosene engine or by steam from the boilers of the light-vessel, for the purpose of furnishing power to operate the bell; and a code-ringer, also connected with the compressor engine, and adapted automatically to control the strokes of the bell so as to cause its ringing to send out the code number of the light-vessel.

The sound-waves going out from the light-vessels below the surface of the sea could be heard for a distance of some miles by passing ships equipped with microphones to receive submarine sound-signals. These sound-receivers are located inside of the hulls of ships below the water-line, and connected with the chart-room or bridge by a telephone circuit. On either side of the forehold there is fitted a small tank on the inside of the skin of the ship, without cutting the plating or making any alteration whatever in the hull of the vessel. A small opening in the top permits the introduction into the tank of a dense liquid in which the receiving microphones are suspended. By listening at the telephone, whose circuit includes both the port and starboard microphones, and switching the instrument from the starboard to the port microphone and back again, the tones of the light-vessel's

submarine bell could be heard on coming in range of it. If the tone was louder on the starboard side than on the port, the mariner would know that the light-vessel was on his starboard side, and if the tone was exactly the same in both microphones, he would know that the light-vessel was dead ahead.

It was found that, even in the case of vessels to which the sound-receiving microphones had not been fitted, a listener, putting his ear to the inner surface of the plating—say, in the empty forepeak below the water-line—could hear the sound proceeding from a submarine bell several miles away; but under such circumstances no information is derived as to the direction from which the sound proceeds, and hence a vessel encompassed in fog could not be steered by bell and must suffer a denial of those advantages that come from the knowledge of direction that is derivable on board of vessels in which suitable instruments have been installed to receive the sounds.

The substantial service rendered to shipping by the submarine bells first established decided the United States Lighthouse Board to extend their installation from time to time to other light-vessels until at present forty-six of the light-vessels in the waters of the United States are thus equipped, and the signals which they send out are of undoubted aid to deep-water navigation.

Equally effective as aids to navigation are the submarine bells that have been fitted to buoys, where they are worked by the motion of the sea, and those that have been suspended from tripods on the sea-bottom, where they are controlled electrically from shore-stations and serve to give warning of dangers or to mark turning-points along the routes of commerce.

Many of the light-vessels and buoys in European waters have been similarly furnished with these bells, and they have been likewise established in the region of the Gulf of St. Lawrence; and, as the effective range of the submarine bell far exceeds that of aerial sound-signals, having been known to exceed fifteen miles, and their bearing can be determined with sufficient accuracy for safe navigation in fog, if a vessel is equipped with receivers, it has seemed appropriate to set forth for the benefit of mariners a list of the stations where they are at present established.

List of Stations sending Submarine Signals in Canada and the United States.

LIGHT-VESSELS.

CANADA :—	Code.	Fenwick Island Shoal	Code.
St. Lawrence River,—		Thirty-five Foot Channel ..	45
Red Island ..	3	Cape Charles ..	49
White Island ..	5	Relief vessel No. 45	
Princes Shoal ..	7	Tail of the Horseshoe	6
Gulf of St. Lawrence,—		Diamond Shoal ..	5
Anticosti ..	15	Cape Lookout Shoal	46
Nova Scotia,—		Frying-pan Shoal ..	1
Lurcher Shoal ..	14	Relief vessel No. 53	58
UNITED STATES:—		Brunswick Bar ..	84
Atlantic Coast,—		South Pass ..	43
Cape Elizabeth ..	74	Heald Bank ..	22
Boston ..	54	Relief 91, Winter	
Pollock Rip Shoal ..	73	Quarter Shoal ..	
Pollock Rip ..	5	Pacific Coast,—	
Great Round Shoal	2	Umatilla Reef ..	67
Hedge Fence ..		San Francisco ..	7
Nantucket Shoals ..	66	Blunts Reef ..	83
Relief vessel No. 66		Relief vessel No. 76	
Hen and Chickens ..	86	Columbia River ..	88
Vineyard Sound ..	7	Great Lakes,—	
Brenton Reef ..	39	Eleven Foot Shoal	58
Cornfield Point ..	48	Lansing Shoal ..	3
Fire Island ..	68	Grays Reef ..	5
Sandy Hook ..		White Shoal ..	22
Relief vessel No. 78		Poe Reef ..	5
Relief vessel No. 16		Lake Huron ..	5
Ambrose Channel ..	22	Bar Point Shoal ..	3
North-east End ..		South-east Shoal ..	1
Five Fathom Bank	42		
Overfalls ..	69		

ELECTRIC SHORE-STATIONS.

CANADA :—		Cape Porchu, Yarmouth ..	2
Nova Scotia—		New Brunswick—	
Louisburg ..	2	Negro Head, St. John	3
Chebueto Head, Halifax ..	4	UNITED STATES:—	
		Detour, Michigan ..	

BELL BUOYS.

CANADA :—		Egg Island ..	..
Sambro Island ..	..	Lunenburg ..	..

List of Stations sending Submarine Signals in Europe.

ENGLAND :—		HOLLAND :—	
Light-vessels—		Light-vessels,—	
Outer Dowsing ..	4	Tershellinger ..	3
Tongue ..	4	Haaks ..	1
East Goodwin ..	6	Maas ..	1
Royal Sovereign ..	3	Schowen Bank ..	
Shambles ..	5	N. Hinder ..	2
Owers ..	7	W. Hinder I ..	5
Outer Gabbard ..	7	W. Hinder II ..	
Spurn ..	3	Shore-stations, Handbell,—	
Shore-stations, Handbell,—		Vliessing Pier ..	
Queenboro Pier ..		Bell Buoy,—	
Dean Tail, Nab Rock		Ymuiden ..	
Bell Buoy,—		FRANCE :—	
GERMANY :—		Light-vessels,—	
Light-vessels,—		Sandettie ..	31
Amrumbank ..	66	Shore-stations,—	
Elbe Island ..	4	Havre (pneumatic bell) ..	
Aussenwaser ..	5	Bell Buoy,—	
Aussenjade ..	222	Havre Buoy ..	
Norderney ..	3	Tenders,—	
Borkumriff ..	9	Cherbourg, N. G. L.	
Ausseneider ..	9	“Willkommen” ..	99
Kiel ..		SWEDEN :—	
Fehmarn ..	9	Light-vessels,—	
Aldergrund ..		Trelleborg ..	1
Ostsee ..		DENMARK :—	
Weser II ..		Light-vessels,—	
		Gjedser ..	1

The number in the column headed “Code” indicates the signal which is rung by the submarine bell for the purpose of identifying the light vessel or station to which it is attached. For example, the submarine bell on Heald Bank light-vessel, off the coast of Texas, will sound, during thick and foggy weather, the number 22 at regular intervals, thus: Two strokes in quick succession followed, after a silent interval of three seconds, by two more strokes in quick succession, and then a silent interval of five seconds.

Remarkable endurance-tests have been applied to some of these submarine signaling-installations. From a cottage at Point Allerton, near Boston, in which a 2½-horse power oil-engine operated an electric generator, a submarine cable was laid to the shore, and thence two miles out into the harbour along the sea-bottom. At the end of the cable was an iron tripod standing on the bottom of the ocean, 70 ft. below the surface of the water, and on the tripod was a bell weighing 220 lb., the clapper of which was actuated by powerful magnets. On 30th March, 1907, the current was turned on and the bell began to strike at the rate of about 22 blows a minute, and continued until 16th May, when the total number of strokes had reached 1,032,930 in a duration of 789½ hours.

The pneumatic bells on five light-vessels were also required to be rung continuously, night and day, for sixty-one days, making a period equal to two years and a half of service according to the highest demands made in past years upon the fog-whistle on the light-vessel at Sandy Hook. Submarine-bell buoys have also been tested. The fact that the bearing of the buoy can be found in fog or at night makes them advantageous to shipping when they are placed in exposed positions in water of sufficient depth to give the vessels steering for them sufficient space to manoeuvre for the purpose of locating the origin of the sound. It is noted that in restricted waters, or when the bell is located near steep banks or rocky shores, an echo may be expected; and this fact requires that the proposed location should, in each case, be thoroughly investigated by experiment, because there are possible situations where the echo may be heard instead of the direct sound, and thus lead to an erroneous determination of the place of the danger which the bell is intended to mark.

The mechanism for submarine-bell buoys is dependent on wave-motion for its power, and therefore differs from that of the electrically controlled tripod bell, and also from the pneumatic bell employed in connection with light-vessels. On the trunk or stem of the buoy is a float or “sea-anchor,” free to move up and down for a short distance and ballasted so as to have, as nearly as may be, the same weight as seawater. It is the design that this shall remain practically stationary as the buoy rises and falls. The pull-rod of the clapper is connected to a crank on a toothed wheel which is turned by a ratchet-and-pawl gear operated by two arms attached to the sea-anchor. Of special interest in connection with submarine-signal buoys are the gas buoys which have been experimentally fitted with bells that are rung through mechanism actuated by the pressure of the gas supplied for the light, and are thus independent of the action of the waves as an agency for ringing the bell, and consequently free of the liability to irregularity in the intervals between the strokes of the clapper, which precludes the successful ringing of a code-signal.

*Communication between Vessels at Sea.*

Beside their usefulness in warning vessels of their approach to the land and to dangers, submarine sound-signals may be used as a means of communication between vessels at sea. For this purpose the sound-producing bell, immersed in water held in a tank, is installed in the fore-peak of the vessel, inside of the hull, and may be operated automatically or by hand. As a means of communication between submarine boats in a state of submergence, this method of signalling has a special field of utility. During the tests of submarine boats in May, 1907, communication was in this manner kept up between the "Octopus" and the tender "Starling." Signals were communicated from the "Starling" to the "Octopus," telling when the latter had crossed the finish lines and when to come to the surface, and distinct messages were received in return from the submerged vessel.

*The Equipping of Vessels with Submarine Sound-receivers.*

The maritime community has availed itself more and more of the facilities which have thus been provided by the fostering care of the various Governments, with a view of lessening danger in navigation and delay in transportation, and an increasing number of vessels have, year by year, been furnished with submarine sound-receivers, and, for the convenience of underwriters in determining rates of insurance, the American Bureau of Shipping has noted in "The Record of American and Foreign Shipping," which of the vessels are so equipped.

The saving of time brought about by enabling vessels to reach port instead of being delayed by fog and losing tides is being constantly exemplified. The "Lucania," while approaching New York on one occasion, made all three light-vessels by submarine-bell sounds, which constituted the sole guide; and we read in the *Cologne Gazette* that the captain of the "Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse" during the course of a voyage to New York, when surrounded by a dense fog off the coast near Fire Island light-vessel, heard the submarine bell and was able to steer by it, when, as it subsequently transpired, he was twelve nautical miles distant from the signal-station. At 6.45 a.m. the sound of the bell was heard to starboard, and, owing to the fog, the ship, which was some distance out of her position, was guided solely by these bell-signals, and the course was altered by the sounds heard from the light-ship, though the fog-horn was wholly inaudible.

*The Range of Audibility of Submarine Bells.*

While careful listening at the telephone is always a requirement that must not be underrated nor overlooked, it is found that vessels of deep immersion have an advantage in the range of distance at which submarine sound-signals may be detected, and this is accentuated in cases where they are moving at a slow rate of speed. Indeed, on the Great Lakes, where the forepeaks of vessels are frequently above the water-line, special provision was necessary for the proper submergence of the tanks containing the sound-receivers.

There appears to be no failure to hear and recognise the sounds of the submarine signal-bells at distances between three and five miles, and on the average these distances are considerably exceeded.

What range of submarine transmission of sound-waves will ultimately be set as the limit of practical audibility of such signal-bells is not now known, but the possibility of a comparatively extended range, under special conditions, is foreshadowed in the observations that have been lately made between the light-vessel "Gabelsflasch," located at the entrance to Kiel, Germany, and the light-vessel "Fehmarn-belt," situated nearly twenty-seven nautical miles away. On different occasions the ringing of the submarine bell on the latter light-vessel was heard by the unaided ear through the naked walls of the carpenter's store-room on the "Gabels-flasch" vessel. Without doubt this remarkable transmission was favoured by the form of the sea-bottom, which, while not of an even depth in the region between the light-vessels, does not suffer any sudden or great irregularities; and, perhaps, the energy of the sound-waves, freed of interference by the infrequency of traffic in midwinter and by the absence of agitation of the waters from storm, was conserved and strengthened by the narrowing shape of the borders of this portion of the German Sea.

Although there are some situations in which the submarine sound-signals are cut off, as, for example, when an underwater formation, like a bank or shoal, rises from the bottom and culminates near the surface of the sea, these observations on the "Gabelsflasch" vessel indicate that conditions may be found or arranged which will be exceptionally favourable for the distant transmission of signals. Thus, where there is a funnel-shaped entrance bounded by jetties running far out into the sea, it may be practicable, by the concentration of waves from an origin of sound placed near the vertex of the funnel, to mark out a sharply defined sound-sector for the purpose of locating the entrance when it is obscured from view by fog or darkness.

*Notice to Mariners No. 44 of 1909.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 16th June, 1909.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Port Officer, Melbourne, are published for general information.

J. A. MILLAR.

## VICTORIA.

*Port of Geelong.*

ON and after 4th May, 1909, a fixed green light will be exhibited from the outer end of North Geelong Pier (North Geelong), visible  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles in clear weather.

GEO. A. MOLLAND,  
Harbourmaster.

Geelong, 3rd May, 1909.

*Warrnambool Harbour.—Visibility of Upper Lighthouse.*

Referring to General Notice to Mariners dated 1st August, 1907, page 52, relative to directions for entering the harbour, it is hereby notified that, as the upper or rear lighthouse cannot be plainly seen when entering about noon, the water-tower, open its own width to the westward of the lower lighthouse, may be taken as being in line with the higher lighthouse (until it is visible).

Such water-tower is round with a flat top, visible high above the trees and land, therefore it is easily distinguished from other adjacent towers and spires, and is specially useful when used as a mark in the way described, when the sun is near the zenith.

C. W. MACLEAN,  
Port Officer.

Melbourne, 19th May, 1909.

*Notice to Mariners No. 45 of 1909.*

## LEADING-LIGHTS FOR NEW ENTRANCE TO NELSON HARBOUR.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 21st June, 1909.

THE Nelson Harbour Board notify that the following leading-lights have been established to lead through the new entrance:—

1. *First Reach.*—Front light *fixed red*, exhibited from a white beacon in  $41^{\circ} 16' S.$ ,  $173^{\circ} 17' E.$ ,  $1\frac{2}{10}$  cables N.  $14^{\circ} E.$  from the rear beacon for the old channel. Rear light *fixed red*, exhibited from a white beacon 37 yards S.  $63^{\circ} E.$  from the front beacon. These beacons in line S.  $63^{\circ} E.$  lead through the entrance to new channel between the breakwaters. The position of these beacons is liable to alteration to meet the changes in the channel.

2. *Second Reach.*—Front light *fixed white*, exhibited from a flagstaff on pier at Pilot's boatshed. Rear light *fixed white*, exhibited from a post 70 yards N.  $88^{\circ} E.$  from the front light. These beacons in line N.  $88^{\circ} E.$  lead from their intersection with the first leading-line into the haven. These lights are to be replaced by permanent lights in another position when the works are completed. A *fixed green* light is exhibited from the outer extremity of the wharf next southward of Government wharf. A bank is forming westward of Boulder Bank and southward of the fairway buoy.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2616 and 2185; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chap. vi, page 188; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," pages 166 and 297.

J. A. MILLAR.

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

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the tobacconists' shops in the Borough of Petone, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops within the borough shall be closed at 8.30 o'clock p.m. every day, except on Wednesdays and Saturdays, when the hour shall be at 1 o'clock p.m. on Wednesdays (the weekly half-holiday), and at 10.30 p.m. on Saturdays; except on the night before New Year's Day, Anniversary Day, Picnic Day, Good Friday, Prince of Wales's Birthday, Labour Day, King's Birthday, Christmas Day, when the hour of closing shall be 10 o'clock p.m.: And whereas the Petone Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of all the tobacconists doing business within the borough:

Now, therefore, I, John Andrew Millar, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1908," do hereby direct that, from and after the 28th day of June, 1909, all tobacconists' shops in the Borough of Petone shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of June, 1909.

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Labour.

*Notice fixing Closing-hours of all Drapers' and Clothiers' Shops in the Borough of Wanganui under the Shops and Offices Act.*

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the drapers' and clothiers' shops, combined and separately, in the Borough of Wanganui, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday, 6.15 p.m.; Saturday, 9.30 p.m.: And whereas the Wanganui Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the drapers' and clothiers' shops, combined and separately, within the Borough of Wanganui:

Now, therefore, I, John Andrew Millar, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1908," do hereby direct that, from and after the 28th day of June, 1909, all the drapers' and clothiers' shops, combined and separately, in the Borough of Wanganui shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of June, 1909.

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Labour.

*Notice fixing Closing-hours of Grocers' Shops in the Heathcote Road District 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 Heathcote Road District, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all grocers' shops in the Heathcote Road District shall be closed on four days of each week—viz., Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday—at 6.30 p.m.; on Thursday at 1 o'clock p.m.; and on Saturday, or upon any evening preceding a holiday upon which the shops are closed for the day, at 9.30 p.m.: And whereas the Heathcote Road Board has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the grocers' shops in the Heathcote Road District:

Now, therefore, I, John Andrew Millar, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1908," do hereby direct that, from and after the 28th day of June, 1909, all the grocers' shops in the Heathcote Road District shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

Dated at Wellington, this 22nd day of June, 1909.

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Labour.

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

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the hairdressers and tobacconists' shops in the Borough of Balclutha, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops in the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: At 8 o'clock every evening, except Wednesday and Saturday: And whereas the Balclutha Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the hairdressers and tobacconists' shops in the Borough of Balclutha:

Now, therefore, I, John Andrew Millar, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1908," do hereby direct that, from and after the 28th day of June, 1909, the notice dated 23rd June, 1909, applying to all shops, is cancelled as far as it affects hairdressers and tobacconists' shops, which shall thenceforth be closed in accordance with the above requisition.

Dated at Wellington, this 23rd day of June, 1909.

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Labour.

*Notice fixing Closing-hours of all Shops in the Borough of Balclutha under the Shops and Offices Act.*

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the shops in the Borough of Balclutha, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all shops in the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday at 6 o'clock p.m., and on Saturdays at 9 o'clock p.m.: And whereas the Balclutha Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the shops in the Borough of Balclutha:

Now, therefore, I, John Andrew Millar, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1908," do hereby direct that, from and after the 28th day of June, 1909, all shops in the Borough of Balclutha shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

Dated at Wellington, this 23rd day of June, 1909.

J. A. MILLAR,  
Minister of Labour.

*Clerks of Magistrates' Courts to whom Statements of Liquor shall be sent under Section 147 of "The Licensing Act, 1908," appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 15th June, 1909.

I HEREBY notify that, in accordance with the provisions of subsection (1) (b) of section 147 of "The Licensing Act, 1908," I have appointed the Clerks for the time being of the Magistrates' Courts set out in the first column of the Schedule hereto to be the Clerks to whom shall be sent all statements of liquor sent or taken into the licensing districts set out in the second column of the said Schedule.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,  
Minister of Justice.

#### SCHEDULE.

First Column. Court.	Second Column. Licensing District.
Auckland.	Eden.
Waihi.	Ohinemuri.
Masterton.	Masterton.
Wellington.	Wellington South and Wellington Suburbs.
Milton.	Bruce.

*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 Timaru.

Portion of the cellar of a stone building roofed with iron, situated in Church Street, on Town Section No. 99, to be known as

THE TIMARU BOND.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

GEO. FOWLDS,  
Minister of Customs.

Minister's Order No. 908.]

*Notice of the Taking and Laying-off of Roads through Mangaroa B Block and Ohura South K No. 2 Block, Blocks II and VI, Ohura 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 roads described in the Schedule hereto were, on the 27th June, 1907, duly taken and laid off through the lands specified in the said Schedule, under the authority of the Governor of the said Dominion, by Warrant dated the 26th October, 1905.

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. 18 2 16	Mangaroa B Block	VI	Ohura	P. W. D. 24759	Pink.
6 0 0	Ditto ..	"	"	Ditto ..	"
10 1 8	Ohura South K No. 2 Block, Section 2b	II and VI	"	P. W. D. 24758	"
7 0 9	Ohura South K No. 2 Block, Section 2c	Ditto	"	Ditto ..	"

All in the Taranaki Land District; as the same areas are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.  
Dated this 16th day of June, 1909.

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

"The Mutual Fire Insurance Act, 1908."

Public Trust Office,  
Wellington, 18th June, 1909.

IN pursuance of section 58 of "The Mutual Fire Insurance Act, 1908," a synopsis of the business of the Taranaki Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Association as on the 31st March, 1909, is hereby declared:—

Assets—	£	s.	d.
Cash in bank .. .. .	1,470	11	6
Cash in hand .. .. .	111	11	10
Amount still payable on premium notes ..	8,807	10	3
<b>Liabilities—</b>			
Sundry unspecified claims .. .. .	30	8	9
Amount covered by policies in force ..	194,103	0	0
<b>Income—</b>			
Cash received on premium notes .. .. .	1,237	5	2
Amount of premium notes .. .. .	10,044	15	5
Interest received .. .. .	38	18	9
Income from other sources (reinsurances)	9	6	0
<b>Expenditure—</b>			
Losses paid during the year .. .. .	150	0	0
Expenses paid during the year .. .. .	331	14	8

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

"The Mutual Fire Insurance Act, 1908."

Public Trust Office,  
Wellington, 15th June, 1909.

IN pursuance of section 58 of "The Mutual Fire Insurance Act, 1908," a synopsis of the business of the Wellington Farmers' Union Mutual Fire Insurance Association as on the 31st March, 1909, is hereby published:—

Assets—	£	s.	d.
Amount of cash in hand and in bank ..	404	0	6
Amount of assessments on premium notes	627	6	2
Amount outstanding upon premium notes	5,809	12	4
<b>Liabilities—</b>			
Amount of losses incurred .. .. .	1	0	0
Amount of all other existing claims ..	10	19	3
Amount of policies in force .. .. .	102,099	10	0
<b>Income—</b>			
Amount received on premium notes ..	627	6	2
Amount of premium notes .. .. .	6,436	18	6
Amount of income from other sources ..	0	3	6
<b>Expenditure—</b>			
Amount of losses paid .. .. .	1	0	0
Amount of expenses .. .. .	156	12	11
Amount paid for reinsurance .. .. .	25	8	0
Amount of advance repaid .. .. .	100	0	0
<b>Policies—</b>			
Total insurance effected to 31st March, 1909	102,099	10	0
Less amount reinsured .. .. .	4,800	0	0
	<u>£97,299</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>0</u>

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

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 £100.

Dated at Wellington, this 17th day of June, 1909.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing 56 acres, more or less, being the south part of Allotment No. 65, Parish of Kaeo, in the Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded on the north by other part of Allotment No. 65, 3200 links; on the east by lines, 500, 201, 148, 562, and 30 links; on the south by Allotment No. 66, 4840 links; and on the west by a road.

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 £100.

Dated at Wellington, this 17th day of June, 1909.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL those parcels of land, containing (1) 50 acres, more or less, being Allotment No. 94, in the Parish of Te Puna, in the Provincial District of Auckland: bounded on the north-east by Allotment No. 93, 3960 links; on the south-east by a road, 170 and 1110 links; on the south-west by Allotment No. 95, 3900 links; and on the west by Allotments Nos. 86 and 84, 1280 links: and (2) containing 47 acres, more or less, excepting 3 acres and 26 perches conveyed to the Crown for a road, being Allotment No. 95, in the Parish of Te Puna, in the Provincial District of Auckland: bounded on the north-east by Allotment No. 94, 3900 links; on the south-east by a road, 450 links; on the south by a road, 2280 and 1850 links; on the north-west by Allotment No. 86, 1700 links, intersected by a road conveyed to the Crown: and (3) containing 50 acres, more or less, excepting 3 acres 3 roods 12 perches conveyed to the Crown for roads, being Allotment No. 115, in the Parish of Te Puna, in the Provincial District of Auckland: bounded on the north by a road, 2211 links; on the south-east by a road, 2500 and 1995 links; on the west by a road, 93 links, and by Allotment No. 114, 3040 links, intersected by two roads conveyed to the Crown.

*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 to 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 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 £100.

Dated at Wellington, this 21st day of June, 1909.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing 40 acres, more or less, being the middle portion of Allotment 6, Parish of Mangatete, in the Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded on the north by a road, 1380 links; on the north-east by other part of Allotment 6, 1850 links; on the south-east by other part of Allotment 6, 1920 links; on the south-west by other part of Allotment 6, 1670 links; and on the north-west by a road, 310 links and — links, to the point of commencement.

*Notice by the Public Trustee under "The Public Trust Office Act, 1908" (Part II, Unclaimed Lands).*

To the owner or owners of a parcel of land, containing 50 acres, more or less, being Allotment No. 142 in the Parish of Pirongia, in the Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded on the north by a road, 1621 links, 944 links, 602 links, and 487 links; on the east by a road, 775 links, and by Allotment 150, 148 links; on the south by Allotment 143, 3354 links; and on the west by a road, 1909 links. The land is registered in the name of Henry Elston, described as a private in the 2nd Company, Forest Rangers, who cannot now be traced.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee has instituted inquiries, and has not thereby ascertained who the owner or owners of the above-described land is or are, and believes that such owner is, or owners are, not in the Dominion:

Now, this notice calls upon such owner or owners, within six months of the date of the publication of this notice in this *Gazette*, to establish to the satisfaction of the Public Trustee his or their title to the land specified in this notice; and, if such owner does or owners do not, within the time limited, so establish his or their title, the Public Trustee will exercise the powers and authorities granted to him in and by "The Public Trust Office Act, 1908."

Dated this 19th day of June, 1909.

J. W. POYNTON,  
Public Trustee

*The Education Board of the District of North Canterbury.—Election of Member.—"The Education Act, 1908."*

I HEREBY give notice that the number of valid votes recorded for the several candidates for the election of member of the Education Board of the District of North

Canterbury (North Ward), held on the 24th day of May 1909, is as follows, to wit:—

#### NORTH WARD. (One Member.)

Boyd, Hugh .. .. .	141
Moore, Richard .. .. .	131
Bullock, Samuel .. .. .	106
Bernstein, Reverend Isaac Amber .. .. .	43

The total number of valid votes recorded is 421. The total number of votes rejected as informal is 20.

I therefore hereby declare the said HUGH BOYD to be duly elected member of the Education Board of the District of North Canterbury for the North Ward.

H. C. LANE,  
Returning Officer.

Christchurch, 8th June, 1909.

#### *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.

*Government Insurance Department.—Agency opened at Springfield.*

Government Insurance Department,  
Wellington, 18th June, 1909.

AN agency of the above Department (Life and Accident Branches) will be opened at

THE POST-OFFICE, SPRINGFIELD,

as from the 23rd June, 1909.

J. H. RICHARDSON,  
Commissioner.



Immigration and Emigration Returns.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of MAY, 1909, showing the Places from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES FROM AND TO DIFFERENT PLACES.

Countries.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	
United Kingdom .. .. .	287	145	57	49	538	164	101	18	26	309
Queensland .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Victoria .. .. .	163	116	20	22	321	312	154	18	25	509
New South Wales .. .. .	725	454	71	60	1,310	1,443	676	93	102	2,314
Western Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tasmania .. .. .	61	32	4	5	102	80	15	1	2	98
Fiji .. .. .	14	6	3	..	23	52	22	8	4	86
Other British possessions .. .. .	31	18	7	5	61*	68	47	5	3	123†
Pacific islands .. .. .	39	14	8	8	69‡	35	16	1	1	53§
Other foreign ports .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	46	10	7	1	64
Totals, May, 1909 .. .. .	1,320	785	170	149	2,424	2,200	1,041	151	164	3,556
Totals, May, 1908 .. .. .	1,570	780	158	151	2,659	1,768	991	149	123	3,031

\* From Bengal, 38; Straits Settlement, 4; British Columbia, 4; Cape Town, 15. † For British Columbia, 1 From Society Islands, 18; Navigator Islands, 13; Friendly Islands, 2; Papeete, 36. ‡ For Navigator Islands, 11; Society Islands, 14; Friendly Islands, 8; Tahiti, 20. § For Monte Video, 15; Teneriffe, 3; San Francisco, 46.

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.\*

Ports.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
Auckland .. .. .	741	98	518	321	839	1,244	112	904	452	1,356
Wellington .. .. .	1,000	170	728	442	1,170	1,376	145	996	525	1,521
Lyttelton .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	60	12	40	32	72
Dunedin .. .. .	1	1	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..
Invercargill .. .. .	363	50	244	169	413	561	46	411	196	607
Totals, May, 1909 .. .. .	2,105	319	1,490	934	2,424	3,241	315	2,351	1,205	3,556
Totals, May, 1908 .. .. .	2,350	309	1,728	931	2,659	2,759	272	1,917	1,114	3,031

CHINESE.—Arrivals—At Auckland, 23; Wellington, 16. Departures—From Wellington, 31; Auckland, 20.

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

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd June, 1909.

W. W. COOK,  
Deputy Registrar-General.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Land in Wellington Land District for Disposal under Section 131 of "The Land Act, 1908."

District Lands Office,  
Wellington, 21st June, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of, under section 131 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 24th day of September, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—KAITIÈKE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
7	XIV	A. R. P. 5 0 17

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Wellington Land District for Disposal under Section 203 of "The Land Act, 1908."

District Lands Office,  
Wellington, 22nd June, 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 203 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 24th day of September, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Locality.	Area.
Part 18	Karewarewa Village Settlement	34 acres (approx.).

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,  
Wellington, 22nd June, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 11th day of August, 1909, for a lease of the under-mentioned reserve under the provisions of section 315 of "The Land Act, 1908."

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—PAHIATUA COUNTY.—  
MANGAHAO SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Minimum Annual Rental.
14	I	A. R. P. 38 0 0	£ s. d. 13 0 0

*Locality and Description.*

Situated near the Manawatu Gorge Bridge, east of Hall Farm Settlement, and between the Ballance-Woodville Road and the Manawatu River. The access is from Woodville or Ballance, which are about four miles distant. Comprises a natural clearing of low-lying flat land of good quality (subject to flood), covered with grass and clover, toitoi grass, rushes, &c. The soil is of a rich alluvial nature, on shingle formation.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease, fourteen years.
  2. Tenders should be addressed to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Wellington, and indorsed on outside "Tender for lease," and must be accompanied by marked cheque or post-office order for six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 ls. lease fee.
  3. The lessee shall have the right to use the land comprised in the lease for grazing purposes only.
  4. The lessee shall have no right to fell or remove from the land any live or dead trees or timber, whether standing or lying on the ground.
  5. All persons duly authorised in that behalf shall have free right of ingress, egress, and regress for any of the purposes of "The State Forests Act, 1908," or for felling or removing from the land any trees or timber.
  6. The lessee shall have no claim for compensation for improvements at any time, but at the expiration of his lease may remove all fencing and buildings erected by him on the land.
  7. The Commissioner of State Forests may issue licenses at any time during the currency of grazing-lease to the lessee or other persons to cut and remove either standing or felled timber under the State Forest Regulations, without the payment of compensation to the lessee.
  8. The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and he shall prevent their increase or spread, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
  9. The lessee shall not light or permit any fire to be lighted within or in the vicinity of the State forest, nor shall he intentionally or negligently allow fire to spread in or into such forest. In the event of any damage to forest, flax, &c., caused through fires so lighted or spreading the lessee shall be liable for the value of such damage, and shall also be liable to the penalty provided in clauses 10 and 11 of the State Forest Regulations.
  10. The lease shall be subject to the conditions that the land comprised in lease shall be fenced, the vegetation shall be conserved as far as possible, and the road through it shall be kept open for traffic, and sheep only shall be allowed to graze upon the land.
  11. Possession will be given on date of acceptance of tender, from which date rent will commence.
- Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

JAMES MACKENZIE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Pastoral Run in Southland Land District for License by Public Auction.*

District Lands Office,  
Invercargill, 21st June, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for license by public auction, at this office, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, the 11th day of August, 1909, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1908."

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.  
Class II.

Run. No.	Survey District.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term.
532	Centre Hill..	Acres. 2,744	£ s. d. 30 0 0	21 years.

Possession will be given on day of sale.  
Valuation for improvements, £240 13s. 6d. (fencing £236 13s. 6d., and sheep-dip and yards £4); to be paid on the fall of the hammer.

DESCRIPTION OF RUN.

Run No. 532 is situated in the Centre Hill Survey District, and is accessible by main road from Mossburn (about five miles) or by road up Hamilton Burn (the same distance). The country is inferior; mostly terrace land, intersected by two creeks, the Centre Burn and Hamilton Burn. The feed on the terrace is scant, most of the herbage being red-tussock, while there is a large area of peat swamp, and some manuka; on the creek-flats the feed is better, and there is good shelter. Most of the country is good for only six months in the year. The run is substantially fenced, excepting about two miles and a half of the south-eastern boundary. A subdivisional fence divides the run into two portions. The height above sea-level is about 1,300 ft.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

E. H. WILMOT,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Disposal of Land in Otago Land District under Section 128 of "The Land Act, 1908."*

District Lands Office,  
Dunedin, 31st May, 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 said Act, on or after Wednesday, the 8th day of September, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 42, Block H, Clarendon Survey District: 3 acres 1 rood 34 perches.

E. H. WILMOT,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Auckland Land District open for Sale or Selection.*

District Lands Office,  
Auckland, 25th May, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that the undermentioned land is open for sale or selection, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 1st day of September, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAIKEMATA COUNTY.—WAI-  
REIRA PARISH.  
Second-class Land.

Section.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
N.E. 184	A. R. P. 165 0 0	£ s. d. 165 0 0	£ s. d. 4 2 6	£ s. d. 3 6 0

JOHN STRAUCHON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Hastings.*

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 17th June, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Hastings on the 6th day of July, 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.

[Wellington, 1909-22.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
64	Maari Taiuru .. .. .	Motukawa No. 2B, Section 10.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount due.
			£ s. d.
77	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waipuka No. 1A .. .. .	10 14 9
78	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waipuka 1B No. 2 .. .. .	4 17 6
79	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waipuka 3A No. 1 .. .. .	13 8 6
80	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waipuka 3A No. 2 .. .. .	7 6 9
81	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waipuka 3A No. 3 .. .. .	7 12 9
82	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waipuka 3A No. 4 .. .. .	20 11 3
83	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waipuka 3B No. 1 .. .. .	28 18 3
84	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waipuka 3B No. 2 .. .. .	4 12 9
85	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waipuka 3c No. 2 .. .. .	25 6 9
86	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waipuka No. 3D .. .. .	19 5 9
87	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Okaihau 1A No. 2 .. .. .	0 12 6
88	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Okaihau No. 1B .. .. .	6 11 9
89	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Okaihau No. 1D2 .. .. .	8 13 3
90	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Okaihau No. 2D .. .. .	4 8 9
91	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Okaihau No. 2E .. .. .	2 17 0
92	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Okaihau No. 2F .. .. .	7 4 3
93	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Okaihau No. 3A .. .. .	13 9 6
94	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Okaihau 3c No. 2 .. .. .	4 12 0
95	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waimarama No. 2A .. .. .	7 5 3
96	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waimarama 2B No. 2 .. .. .	13 6 1
97	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waimarama 2c No. 2 .. .. .	7 18 3
98	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waimarama 2D No. 2 .. .. .	5 19 0
99	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waimarama 2F No. 2 .. .. .	6 3 3
100	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waimarama 2G No. 2 .. .. .	14 10 0
101	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waimarama No. 1B .. .. .	5 12 5
102	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waimarama 3A No. 1 .. .. .	6 2 0
103	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waimarama 3A No. 2 .. .. .	1 0 9
104	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waimarama 3A No. 3B .. .. .	13 10 0
105	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waimarama 3A No. 4B .. .. .	12 13 10
106	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waimarama 3A No. 5 .. .. .	59 0 0
107	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Waimarama 3A No. 6B .. .. .	51 5 0
108	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Pukekura West B .. .. .	11 2 6
109	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Pukekura West C .. .. .	11 13 11
110	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Pukekura East No. 4B .. .. .	1 7 1
111	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Pukekura East No. 6B .. .. .	2 12 3
112	Kennedy Bros. and Morgan .. .. .	Kaiwaka, Subdivisions 1 and 2 .. .. .	186 15 9

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 65 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," TO CUT OFF A SUFFICIENT PORTION OF THE LAND FOR THE APPLICANT TO DISCHARGE THE SURVEY LIEN MENTIONED IN PREVIOUS SURVEY CHARGING ORDER.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Date on which Charging Order made.	Amount of Survey Lien.
113	Charles D. Kennedy .. .. .	Mangamaire B .. .. .	4th June, 1900 .. .. .	£101 18s.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 34 OF "THE MAORI LANDS ADMINISTRATION ACT, 1903," TO CUT OFF PORTIONS OF LAND TO SATISFY UNPAID SURVEY LIENS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount due.
			£ s. d.
114	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Awarua 1A No. 2 East No. 3 .. .. .	14 4 3
		Awarua 1A No. 2 East No. 2 .. .. .	14 4 2
115	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. .. .	Awarua 4A No. 3c No. 8A .. .. .	4 11 5
		Awarua 4A No. 3c No. 8D .. .. .	9 2 10

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Names of Land proposed to be exchanged.
116	{ Airini Tonore .. .. . Iraia Karauria .. .. .	Ohiti-Waitio No. 5A. Waiohiki No. 1c.
117	{ Airini Tonore .. .. . Iraia Karauria .. .. .	Pukehamoamo F No. 3. Omahu 3B No. 2.
118	{ Mutu Marereira .. .. . Raphana Hawaikirangi .. .. .	Kakewahine No. 1. Kakewahine No. 2.

## REFERENCES UNDER SECTION 49 OF "THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Reference.
119	The Chief Judge of the Native Land Court	Te Pirau No. 1A ..	Application by Paora Kurupo that the Court give effect to an arrangement re the alteration of survey boundaries and road.
120	The Chief Judge of the Native Land Court	Patangata No. 1 ..	Application by Rititia Maremare for amendment of partition orders by striking out the words "Inalienable except by lease."
121	The Chief Judge of the Native Land Court	Wharerangi, Tuhirangi, Tarawera, and Omahu No. 1	Application by Hohaia te Hoata for inclusion of the name of Tarati te Hoata in succession orders for the interests of Apikaera te Herepo, deceased.

## APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Children.
122	Pamoia Ponatahuri .. .. .	Ngapaeruru No. 10 .. .. .	Amaru Tutere.
123	Ratima Wairoa .. .. .	Ngapaeruru No. 10 .. .. .	Tukeke Ratima.
124	Keita Ruta .. .. .	Ohiti-Waitio No. 3F .. .. .	Rawiri te Paturoa and Te Watara wi Poneke.
125	Pineaha Mokihī .. .. .	Ohiti-Waitio No. 3F .. .. .	Rawiri te Paturoa and Te Watara wi Poneke.
126	Alfred L. D. Fraser .. .. .	Rangipo-Waiu and other lands .. .. .	Kathleen Hiraani Blake and Ralph Holden Wellwood.
127	Raupī Tanguru .. .. .	Awarua and other lands .. .. .	Hanuere Tanguru, Tenui Tanguru, Te Aue Tanguru, and Pani Tanguru.
128	Ieni Ropiha .. .. .	Eparaima East and other lands .. .. .	Iraia Ropiha (imbecile).
129	Pera Wheraro .. .. .	Waipuka 3C No. 2 .. .. .	The children of Mariana Mahue, deceased.
130	Hoera Rangiwhakaewa .. .. .	Pukokomuka .. .. .	Arapera Hei.
131	Arawhata Pirini .. .. .	Hikutoto South No. 2 and Matahiwi No 1	Arawhata Pirini (Koroheke).

## APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Minors.
132	Areta Kerei .. .. .	Putere No. 1 and other lands .. .. .	Tataira Raiha.
133	Te Tuati Meha .. .. .	Purimu and other lands .. .. .	The successors to Hori Ropiha.
134	Paratene te Koro and Atareta te Koro .. .. .	Aorangi and other lands .. .. .	Te Matenga Taihaere.
135	Paraneha Manahi .. .. .	Pukokomuka .. .. .	Parehe Takarei and Haira Takarei.
136	Maria Whakatane Hauaho .. .. .	Te Aute No. 4 .. .. .	Epiha Whakatane, Te Rangitohumare Huki, and Tame Huki.
137	Maaka Wiremu .. .. .	Mangaohane No. 1K and other lands	Te Whetu Wharawhara, Hira Wharawhara, and Taiparoro Wharawhara.

## APPLICATIONS UNDER SUBSECTION (13) OF SECTION 14 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
138	Morehu Raina .. .. .	Waikopiro and other lands	Application that Ahitana Nopera and Pirihira te Apatu, administrators for Morehu Raina, should be ordered to furnish accounts.
139	Henare Reupena and Eriha Reupena	Ipuotaraia and other lands	Application that Rupuha te Hianga, Rititia Maremare, and Reupena should be ordered to furnish accounts of their trusteeships.

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.
140	Tungane Hori .. ..	Ripeka Matene ..	Application by Tungane Hori, of Kaitoki, to adopt Ripeka Matene, the child of Matene and Arapera.
141	Te Raheke Parake .. ..	Tuahine Hata ..	Application by Te Raheke Parake, of Arapawanui, to adopt Tuahine Hata, the child of Rihiri te Aua and Hata.
142	Moanaroa Kokohu .. ..	Warihia Wheura ..	Application by Moanaroa Kokohu, of Waipatu, to adopt Warihia Wheura, the child of Whakarite.
143	Kurupo Tareha and Areta Kurupo (otherwise Areta Brightwell)	Henry Oneone Tareha ..	Adoption by Kurupo Tareha and Areta Kurupo (otherwise Areta Brightwell) of Henry Oneone Tareha, the child of Kurupo Tareha and Mabel McClland.
144	Wirihana Tipene .. ..	Wirihana Tipene ..	Application by Wirihana Tipene, of Waipawa, to adopt Wirihana Tipene, the child of Hare Nepe and Katorangi Hare.
145	Anaru Tuhua .. ..	Arihi Korena .. ..	Adoption by Anaru Tuhua, of Takapau, of Alice Gollan, the child of James D. Gollan and C. Gollan.
146	Tui Heretaunga and Ruihi Pahi	Te Hukarere Maremare ..	Adoption by Tui Heretaunga and Ruihi Pahi, of Pakipaki, of Te Hukarere Maremare, the child of Maremare Eria and Rora Eria.
147	Paraneha Hori .. ..	Te Hau Rapaea ..	Adoption by Paraneha Hori, of Kaitoki, of Te Hau Rapaea, the child of Taite Rapaea and Wahawaha.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 50 OF "THE NATIVE LAND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENT AND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1901," TO INQUIRE INTO THE REVOCATION OF THE ADOPTIONS MENTIONED BELOW.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Adopted Child.	Nature of Revocation of Registration of Adoption.
148	Paraneha Hori .. ..	Te Hau Rapaea ..	The revocation by Paraneha Hori of the registration of the adoption by him of Te Hau Rapaea.
149	Werahiko te Hauwaho .. ..	Hauwaho Hamitutu ..	The revocation by Werahiko te Hauwaho of the registration of the adoption of Hauwaho Hamitutu.

APPLICATIONS TO IMPOSE RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
150	Kaninamu Hona .. ..	Patangata Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4.
151	Tuiti Macdonald (for Kaninamu Hona and others) .. ..	Patangata Nos 1, 2, 3, and 4.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 20 OF "THE NATIVE RESERVES ACT, 1882."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
152	The Public Trustee .. ..	Waiohiki.
153	The Public Trustee .. ..	Paepaetahi.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
154	Teko te Ruru Pikikotuku, Tame Raihana, Ngamihi te Kehu, Moetai Ngarangi, Hore Ngarangi, Pare Ngamihi, Hekeawai Whakapaki, and others	Te Rangaranga Block ..	To restrain any person or persons from felling or milling timber on the said block until the subdivision by the Native Land Court.
155	Amiria Ropiha and others (by their agent, Hone McMillan)	Tahoraiti No. 2 ..	Application for an injunction to restrain persons from removing timber from the block.

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.
156	Hon. the Native Minister .. ..	Rakautatahi No. 1B .. ..	A. R. P. 1,327 3 0	Takapau.
157	Mariana Manahi, Katipo Eriata, Paraneha Paewai, and Riria Takerei (by their agent, Rakiwhata Pesti)	Tamaki No. 2A .. ..	3,000 0 0	Dannevirke.

## APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 67 OF "THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
158	Horace Baker .. ..	Omahu No. 3D .. ..	That the applicant be allowed interest on his survey liens.
159	Horace Baker .. ..	Omahu No. 3B .. ..	
160	Horace Baker .. ..	Omahu No. 3D .. ..	

## APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 90 OF "THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area of Land taken.	Nature of Application.
161	Frank G. Magnusson .. ..	Tahoraite No. 2 .. ..	A. R. P. 56 0 0	To ascertain the amount of compensation to be paid to the Native owners of, and other persons interested in, the said land taken for sanitary sewerage purposes; to ascertain also who are the proper persons to whom such compensation should be paid.
162	Chairman, Porangahau Road Board	Tautane No. 2 .. ..	.. ..	To ascertain the amount of compensation to be paid to the Native owners of, and other persons interested in, the said land taken for road purposes; to ascertain also who are the proper persons to whom such compensation should be paid.
163	The Porangahau Road Board (by their solicitors, Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams)	Tautane No. 2 .. ..	.. ..	To ascertain the amount of compensation to be paid to the Native owners of, and other persons interested in, the said land taken for road purposes; to ascertain also who are the proper persons to whom such compensation should be paid.

## APPLICATION FOR PRIVATE RIGHT OF WAY.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
164	Daniel Ellison .. ..	Papaaruhe and Matatuowhiro	Applying for a private right of road from the Matatuowhiro Block through the Papaaruhe Block to the Te Aute-Onepu Road.

## APPLICATION FOR RIGHT OF ROAD.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
165	Airin Tonore (by her solicitor, T. W. Lewis)	.. .. Kohurau.

## APPLICATION TO CANCEL SUCCESSION ORDER IN REALTY.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Owner.
166	P. Sheridan .. ..	Okaihau No. 3 .. ..	Maraea Aorangi.

## APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 72 OF "THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
167	Hiraani Ahitana and others .. ..	Whawhakanga .. ..	Application for an order directing the Public Trustee to pay the rents due to them as successors to Wi Matua, deceased.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Kaikohe, Bay of Islands.*

Native Land Court Office, 21st June, 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 Kaikohe, Bay of Islands, on the 6th day of July, 1909, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Auckland, 1909-14.]

A. G. HOLLAND, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATION.		
32	Hone Tipene .. .. .	Wairere Nos. 1 and 2.
NEW APPLICATIONS.		
1233	Kaipara Hiri, Harata Kaipara, and Eruera Rapana .. .. .	Utakura 2d No. 7.
1234	Hone Wepiha (agent for Ani Tanaha), Heremaia Hori and others .. .. .	Wairere No. 2.
1235	Kaipo Hoterene, Tareha Hoterene, Hohepa Aporo, and others .. .. .	Utakura No. 2B.
1236	Te Hana Hotai and others (by Hone Wepiha) .. .. .	Whataipu.
1237	Matiu Tawhai, Makere Tawhai, and Hohepa Tawhai .. .. .	Whakaterere No. 1.
1238	Pita Riwhi, Te Tana Riwhi, and others (Pire Teira, agent) .. .. .	Whirinaki No. 3, Section 1 (No. 3A).

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wellington.*

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 21st June, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Wellington on the 6th day of July, 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.

[Wellington, 1909-23.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Sale .. .. .	6th day of February, 1909	Rangitoto No. 4 (an undivided interest in)	Huria Tekateka, Ibaka Tekateka, and Tara Wirihana, to Edwin Nelson Snook, John Herbert Snook, and William Lawrence Snook.
2	Lease .. .. .	21st day of June, 1906	Te Awaite Village, Section No. 8	Mere Wiremu to Thomas Norton (h.c.).
3	Sale .. .. .	2nd day of November, 1908	Wairau, Block XII, Section 10 (a part)	Erenora Tungia to Hapareta Rore Pukekohatu and Mere Hapareta Tungia.
4	Lease .. .. .	12th day of August, 1908	Wairewa 889, Block I, Section 10	Karauria Mahuraki and others to Joseph William Johnston.
5	Sale .. .. .	22nd day of April, 1909	Waikawa Village, Section 8	Wiremu Keepa and Heni Keepa to Taniora Love and Hohepine Love.
6	Sale .. .. .	3rd day of August, 1908	Kekerione No. 45 and undivided interest in Mangere.	Riakiao Wharepa to Inia Tuhata.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
12	Pitama Tahurangi and others .. .. .	Hutt, Section 19, Subdivision 20.
13	Riakiao Wharepa and another .. .. .	Kekerione No. 1, Section 65.
14	Samuel Campbell .. .. .	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki No. 7F.
15	Rangi Kauhata .. .. .	Mauihakona (Hutt, Section 102B).
16	Waitaoro Raniera .. .. .	Takapuwahia C.
17	Teo Tipene .. .. .	Taita, Section 57.
18	Kimi Matenga .. .. .	Taita No. 58, Section 10.

APPLICATIONS FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
126	Ruihi Horomona .. .. .	Onetea.
127	Ruihi Horomona .. .. .	Rangitoto No. 10.
128	Mohi Nopera .. .. .	Takapuwahia Township, Section 28.
129	Mohi Nopera .. .. .	Takapuwahia Township, Sections 66 and 67.
130	Huria Matenga .. .. .	Waikawa Township, Section 11, Subdivision 2.
131	Pohu Makoare .. .. .	Waikawa Township, Section 11, Subdivision 1.
132	Hoani Makitanara .. .. .	Wairau, Block XII, Subdivision 3.
133	Ruihi Horomona .. .. .	Whangamoia, Block I, Section 2.

## APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Lands.	Names of Persons alleged to be Imbeciles.
135	Robert Smith .. .. .	Tahoraiti No. 1r, Pahiatua Native Reserve, Mangatainoka, and Iwi te Kai	Karepa Waata.
136	Ipariana Rapira te Keha .. .. .	Wainui, Taia, Hutt, Waiwhetu, and Pitoone	Miriana Karehana.

## 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.
137	Ngahui Hemara .. .. .	Taare Hohepa Tiuri, <i>alias</i> C. J. Jury	Adoption by Ngahui Hemara, of Papawai, of Taare Hohepa Tiuri, <i>alias</i> C. J. Jury, the child of John Milsome Jury and Te Aitu Whatahoro.
138	Noa Tawhati .. .. .	Rangimarie Noa Tawhati	Adoption by Noa Tawhati, of Horowhenua, near Levin, of Rangimarie Noa Tawhati, the child of Te Poi and Kita.
139	Ngamoni Ngawharewiti .. .. .	Ngawharewiti Tiwai, Te Maunu Tiwai, and Ngamoni te Wari	Adoption by Ngamoni Ngawharewiti, of Waitangi, Chatham Islands, of Ngawharewiti Tiwai, the child of Tiwai Naera Pomare and Moari Arapata; and of Te Maunu Tiwai, the child of Tiwai Naera Pomare and Moari Arapata; and of Ngamoni te Wari, the daughter of Te Wari Ngamate and Maki Rutera.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
140	Parete Teira .. .. .	Waikawa No. 2 .. .. .	For amendment of succession orders to interests of Ngahina Matiu, <i>alias</i> Matiu Tamawai, deceased.

## REFERENCE UNDER SECTION 49 OF "THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Reference.
141	Chief Judge of the Native Land Court	Hutt (Taia), Section 57 .. .. .	For inquiry and report as to boundaries.

## APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW ADMINISTRATOR.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.	Name of Present Administrator.
142	A. M. te Puni .. .. .	Atanatiu te Puni, deceased .. .. .	Horace Danvers Baker.

## APPLICATION UNDER "THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1908."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area taken.	Nature of Application.
143	Chief Engineer, Roads Department	Onepoto .. .. .	2A. 1B. 31P.	To ascertain the amount of compensation to be paid to the persons interested in the said land taken for the purposes of a road.

## APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 72 OF "THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
144	Public Trustee .. .. .	Oruapuputa Nos. 4 and 20	For an order authorising him to pay out rents.



APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 3 OF "THE MAORI LAND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENT AND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1907."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
145	Eparaima Takarangi and Tupoki Takarangi (by their solicitors, O. and R. Beere)	Subdivision 11c of Section 3, Hutt, Block XIII, Belmont Survey District	For an order directing the Public Trustee to pay to the applicants all compensation-moneys paid to him on their behalf under order dated the 15th day of March, 1905.
146	Ani Moani (by her solicitors, O. and R. Beere)	Otari No. 5 .. ..	For an order directing the Public Trustee to pay to the applicant all compensation-moneys paid to him on behalf of Paratene te Auroroa and Wi Hapi Pakau, deceased, the applicant having been appointed successor to the aforesaid deceased persons on the 10th day of March, 1908.
147	Wiremu Kingi Rimeni, Warahi Rimeni, and Taukei (by their solicitor, W. G. H. Bailie)	Otari Nos. 4 and 5 ..	For an order directing the Public Trustee to pay all moneys due to them as compensation for their land taken for scenic purposes, together with interest thereon.

APPLICATIONS UNDER "THE MAORI REAL ESTATE MANAGEMENT ACT, 1888," AND ITS AMENDMENTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
148	J. B. Rutland (by his solicitors, Bunny, Petherick, and Ayson)	Komangarautawhiri A No. 3	For an order directing the Public Trustee to pay purchase-money for interests of Annie Martin and Louisa Martin.
149	J. B. Rutland (by his solicitors, Bunny, Petherick, and Ayson)	Takaka, Section 9, Sub-section 3	For an order directing the Public Trustee to pay purchase-money for interests of Annie Martin and Louisa Martin.

APPLICATION UNDER SUBSECTION (3) OF SECTION 2 OF "THE HOROWHENUA BLOCK ACT AMENDMENT ACT, 1906."

No.	Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
150	Eruera Nicholson .. ..	Horowhenua 11B No. 41 ..	To ascertain and determine the names of the members of the Ngatiraukawa Tribe who are entitled to the lands mentioned in an order of the Native Land Court dated the 21st day of July, 1908, and to perfect and complete such order; and also, if necessary, to partition the said lands among the persons declared by the Court to be entitled to the same.

APPLICATION FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDER.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount due
151	A. P. Mason .. ..	Komangarautawhiri Nos. 1A, 2A, 3A, 4A ..	£70 18s. 6d.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 34 OF "THE MAORI LANDS ADMINISTRATION ACT, 1903," TO CUT OFF PORTIONS OF LAND TO SATISFY UNPAID SURVEY LIENS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount due
152	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. ..	Tinakori South .. ..	£ s. d. 2 9 0
153	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. ..	Pukerua 3C No. 2A .. ..	22 15 0
154	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. ..	Pukerua No. 3B .. ..	9 7 6
155	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. ..	Pukerua No. 3A .. ..	5 12 6
156	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. ..	Orangikaupapa No. 12 .. ..	3 18 9
157	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. ..	Orangikaupapa No. 8 .. ..	3 18 9
158	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. ..	Orangikaupapa No. 4 .. ..	3 18 9
159	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. ..	Orangikaupapa No. 3 .. ..	3 18 9
160	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. ..	Korokero South .. ..	5 0 0
161	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. ..	Korokero North .. ..	5 0 0
162	Commissioner of Crown Lands .. ..	Hutt, Sections 1 and 2, Subdivision 2 ..	1 16 8

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
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ADJOURNED APPLICATION.

163 | Manutekura Panapa .. .. | Hori Parana.

The application for probate mentioned below will be heard on or after the 24th day of July, 1909:—

164 | Kerehi Manupiri .. .. | Hori Manupiri.

*Sitting of the Native Appellate Court at Wellington.*

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 18th June, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Appellate Court will be held at Wellington on the 6th day of July, 1909, to hear and determine the matters set forth in the Schedule hereto. All persons interested in the said matters are hereby notified to attend at the time and place aforesaid.

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A NEW TRIAL.

No.	Names of Applicants.	Decisions in respect of which Application is made.
12	D. M. Findlay and P. E. Baldwin (solicitors for Te Amaru Pamoā and others)	Application for new trial on the grounds that the undermentioned decisions were obtained by fraud — to wit, decisions of the Native Land Court and Native Appellate Court refusing grant of probate in the matter of the will of Wi Matua, deceased; also decisions of Native Land Court and Native Appellate Court on applications for succession to the interests of the said Wi Matua, deceased, in Porangahau 1B No. 4J, Mangaorapa, Mangamaire B, Whawhakanga, and Porangahau No. 2B Blocks.

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

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

In the matter of an application under section 39 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," by Rongomaora Ihimera, for cancellation of the order of the Court dated the 12th day of November, 1887, appointing successors to Ria Tutereiao, deceased, in Ngatirahiri Block Nos. 6 and 14; and of a reference by the Chief Judge of the said Court under section 49 of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895"; and in the matter of an Order in Council by His Excellency the Governor in Council dated the 31st day of March, 1909, consenting to the Chief Judge making an order under section 39 aforesaid.

WHEREAS the above application has been referred to the Native Land Court for inquiry and report, and the same has been duly reported upon: And whereas it appears that the order made appointing successors to Ria Tutereiao, deceased, in Ngatirahiri Nos. 6 and 14 was made in error:

Now, therefore, for the purpose of rectifying the said error, and in exercise of the power in that behalf vested in me as Chief Judge of the said Court by section 39 aforesaid, I hereby order that the order of the Court dated the 12th day of November, 1887, appointing successors to Ria Tutereiao, deceased, in the above-mentioned land, be and the same is hereby cancelled, and that all orders founded upon such succession order be also cancelled.

As witness my hand, this 12th day of June, 1909.

JACKSON PALMER, Chief Judge.

*Application under Section 39 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," dismissed.*

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

In the matter of an application under section 39 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," by Te Pohau Ngarori, otherwise Wi Tamihana Ngarori, to the Chief Judge of the said Court to amend the order of the Court appointing successors to Wi Waaka Kahukura, deceased, in Te Oreore No. 1 and other blocks.

IT is hereby notified that the application of Te Pohau Ngarori, otherwise Wi Tamihana Ngarori, under section 39 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for amendment of the order of the Court dated the 12th day of October, 1892, appointing successors to Wi Waaka Kahukura, deceased, in Te Oreore No. 1 and other blocks, is hereby dismissed; and leave is hereby granted to the said applicant to appeal from this decision within fourteen days from the publication of this notice in the *Gazette* and *Kahiti*.

As witness my hand, this 17th day of June, 1909.

JACKSON PALMER, Chief Judge.

*Notice of Appointment of Committee for Incorporated Block.*IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,  
GISBORNE DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court has appointed the following persons to be members of the committee for the purpose of administering the land set opposite their names in the Schedule hereto.

Dated at Gisborne, this 16th day of June, 1909.

HAROLD CARR,  
Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

Name of Block.	Names of Members of Committee.
Puninga No. 10 ..	{ Rewi Toheriri. Hemi Ngarangikatuku. Hemi Kiti Mokena. Tame Paterititi.

## MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

*Meeting of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board.*

Auckland, 21st June, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board to be held at Rotorua on Thursday, the 1st day of July, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

JAS. W. BROWNE, President.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO LEASE.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors
42	W. 1909/25	Frederick De Luen (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Part of Rangitaiki, Lot 32J ..	Tamihana te Puru and others.

Meeting of the Tairāwhiti District Māori Land Board.

Gisborne, 19th June, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Tairāwhiti District Māori Land Board to be held at Gisborne on Monday, the 12th day of July, 1909, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

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ALEX. KEEFER, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT TO LEASE.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Māori Lessor.	Term of Lease.	Area proposed to be leased.
18	T. 1909/30	Mere Rangiūia (by her solicitors, Blair and Sainsbury)	Wharekaka D1 ..	Ani Huatau and another..	YRS. 30	A. R. P. 68 2 18
19	T. 1909/33	Robert Preston (by his solicitors, Rees Bros. and Bright)	Ruaohinetu 1B1 ..	Hemi te Oariki ..	14	15 0 0
20	T. 1909/34	Oliver Charles Ormerod (by his solicitors, Nolan and Skeet)	Tauwharetoi 4B ..	The Proprietors of the Tauwharetoi 4B Block	42	662 0 0
21	T. 1909/35	William Frederick Sinclair (by his solicitor, H. Hei)	Tauwhareparae 1B ..	Ani Ahunuku and others..	21	563 0 0
22	T. 1909/37	George Witters (by his solicitor, H. Hei)	Okahuatū 1D2B2 ..	Katerina Takawhaki ..	21	618 0 0
23	T. 1909/38	Hura Marino (by his solicitor, H. Hei)	Tuawhatu 3 ..	Rawiri Marino and others	21	222 1 24
24	T. 1909/39	Charles William Ferris, jun. ..	Kaiti 313, Section 1c	The Proprietors of Kaiti 313, Section 1c	42	36 2 18
25	T. 1909/44	Thomas Winfield McCarthy (by his solicitors, Rees Bros. and Bright)	Puhatikotiko 1B2D ..	Heni Whakaetenga ..	10	16 2 14
26	T. 1909/45	James Jones and George Jones jun. (by their solicitors, Rees Bros. and Bright)	Waitūhi 2A ..	Aporo Paerata and another	42	3 0 0
27	T. 1909/46	John Clark, jun. (by his solicitors, Nolan and Skeet)	Papahi A6c..	Wetini tu te Wiwini ..	21	64 0 23
28	T. 1909/48	Fred Stuart (by his solicitor, H. Hei)	Rangaiohinehau 4B3A	Hemi te Ngaio ..	21	1 0 0

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
29	T. 1909/40	Hemi te Oariki (by his solicitor, H. Hei)	Ruaohinetu 1B1 ..	A. R. P. 30 2 0	Mortgage.
30	T. 1909/47	Peter Crarer (by his solicitor, E. Sandeman)	Orangitirohia 12E1 ..	0 1 0	Sale.
31	T. 1909/49	Hone Hirini Wherehi ..	Rangikohua 5B ..	26 0 0	Sale.
32	T. 1909/50	The Proprietors of Ahirau No. 1A Block (by their solicitor, W. L. Rees)	Ahirau 1A ..	355 0 0	Mortgage.
33	T. 1909/51	The Proprietors of Manukawhikitiki No. 1B2 Block (by their solicitor, W. L. Rees)	Manukawhikitiki 1B2	289 0 0	Mortgage.
34	T. 1909/52	The Proprietors of Papakorokoro No. 3 Block (by their solicitor, W. L. Rees)	Papakorokoro 3 ..	376 0 0	Mortgage.
35	T. 1909/53	The Proprietors of Papakorokoro No. 5 Block (by their solicitor, W. L. Rees)	Papakorokoro 5 ..	467 0 0	Mortgage.
36	T. 1909/54	The Proprietors of Rangatira No. 3A1 Block (by their solicitor, W. L. Rees)	Rangatira 3A1 ..	83 0 0	Mortgage.
37	T. 1909/55	The Proprietors of Rangatira No. 3E3 Block (by their solicitor, W. L. Rees)	Rangatira 3E3 ..	260 0 0	Mortgage.
38	T. 1909/56	The Proprietors of Rangatira No. 3H Block (by their solicitor, W. L. Rees)	Rangatira 3H ..	59 0 0	Mortgage.
39	T. 1909/57	The Proprietors of Tapuihikitia C Block (by their solicitor, W. L. Rees)	Tapuihikitia C ..	158 2 16	Mortgage.
40	T. 1909/58	The Proprietors of Waihora C Block (by their solicitor, W. L. Rees)	Waihora C ..	186 1 20	Mortgage.
41	T. 1909/59	The Proprietors of Waihora E Block (by their solicitor, W. L. Rees)	Waihora E ..	652 2 35	Mortgage.
42	T. 1909/60	The Proprietors of Whatatutu No. 2 Block (by their solicitor, W. L. Rees)	Whatatutu 2 ..	241 0 0	Mortgage.

## APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
43	T. 1909/36	Mortgage ..	22nd May, 1909 ..	Waiomoko 2 ..	Karepa Kautuku to Kenneth Campbell (solicitor, H. Hei).
44	T. 1909/41	Transfer of lease	30th April, 1909 ..	Puninga 5 ..	Hemi Kara and Tipene Kara to Charles Gibson (solicitors, Chrisp and Coleman).
45	T. 1909/42	Mortgage of leasehold interests	18th February, 1909..	Omaika 1A, 1B, and 2 ..	Enoka Rukuata to Donald McDonald (solicitors, Chrisp and Coleman).

**BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.**

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES WILLIAM COOMBE and ERNEST LINES, of Wanganui, Farmers, were this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 28th day of June, 1909, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

18th June, 1909. W. RODWELL,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of JAMES NEILSON, of Wanganui, Baker. NOTICE is hereby given that a third and final dividend, of 11s. 6½d. in the pound, is now payable at my office on all proved and accepted claims.

W. RODWELL,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
Wanganui, 21st June, 1909.

*In Bankruptcy.*

Estate of ROLAND SPENCER. NOTICE is hereby given that a third and final dividend, of 6d. in the pound, making 7s. 2d. in the pound in all, is now payable at my office on all proved accepted claims. Promissory notes must be produced for indorsement.

G. J. SCOTT,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
Palmerston North, 19th June, 1909.

*In Bankruptcy.*

Estate of SVERRE SORENSSEN. NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend, of 1s. 2½d. in the pound, is now payable at my office on all proved accepted claims. Promissory notes must be presented for indorsement.

G. J. SCOTT,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
Palmerston North, 18th June, 1909.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HANS PETER MORTENSEN, of Palmerston North, Factory Manager, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of June, 1909, at 11 o'clock a.m.

G. J. SCOTT,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
Palmerston North, 12th June, 1909.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE SAUNDERS, of Carterton, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Carterton, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of June, 1909, at 2 o'clock p.m.

16th June, 1909. W. B. CHENNELLS,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that ALFRED REBAY, of Mauriceville, Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at Courthouse, at Masterton, on Saturday, the 27th day of June, 1909, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

W. B. CHENNELLS,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
Masterton, 22nd June, 1909.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that SIDNEY DAVID LEVIEN and ELEANOR ALICE ROLLET, trading under the style or firm of "Levien and Rollet," of the City of Nelson, Auctioneers and Commission Agents, were this day adjudged bankrupts; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 24th day of June, 1909, at 3 o'clock.

17th June, 1909. W. ROUT, JUN.,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN WILLIAM MOULDER, of Takaka, Hairdresser, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Takaka, on Thursday, the 1st day of July, 1909, at 11 o'clock.

18th June, 1909. W. ROUT, JUN.,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

DIVIDENDS on all accepted proved claims in the following estates are now payable at my office, 215 Hereford Street:—

Baker, W. J.: First and final, of 4s. 4d. in the pound.  
Miller, W. F.: 20s. in the pound.

Christchurch, 16th June, 1909. J. EVANS,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES WESTON, of Albermanle Street, Sydenham, Tailor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 24th day of June, 1909, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

17th June, 1909. J. EVANS,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ISABELLE MATILDA JOHNSTON, of Christchurch, Boardinghouse-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 24th day of June, 1909, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

17th June, 1909. J. EVANS,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM FOX, of 141 St. Asaph Street, Christchurch, Trainer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 25th day of June, 1909, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

J. EVANS,  
Official Assignee.  
18th June, 1909.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Otago and Southland District.*

In the matter of "The Bankruptcy Act, 1908"; and in the matter of "The Administration Act, 1908"; and in the matter of the estate of DAVID GEORGE GRANT, late of Wickliffe Bay, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that by an order of the above honourable Court, dated the 22nd day of June, 1909, the Official Assignee in Bankruptcy for the Otago and Southland District was appointed Administrator of the above-mentioned estate; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 28th day of June, 1909, at 2.30 o'clock.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.  
Dunedin, 22nd June, 1909.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HERBERT WILLIAM CAMPBELL, of Bluff, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 24th day of June, 1909, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
Invercargill, 17th June, 1909.

**MINING NOTICES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the following resolution was passed at a general meeting of shareholders of the company on the 26th day of May, 1909, and confirmed at a special meeting called for that purpose on the 11th day of June, 1909: "That it is required that the Tairua Conqueror Gold-mining (Limited) be wound up voluntarily."

And a further resolution was passed "That Mr. WILLIAM GRAY, of Auckland, be appointed Liquidator for such winding-up."

Dated at Auckland, this 14th June, 1909.

WM. GRAY,  
Liquidator.  
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NOTICE is hereby given that the following resolution was passed at a general meeting of shareholders of the company on the 26th day of May, 1909, and confirmed at a special meeting called for that purpose on the 11th day of June, 1909: "That it is required that the Tairua Triumph Gold-mining Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily."

And a further resolution was passed "That Mr. WILLIAM GRAY, of Auckland, Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for such winding-up."

Dated at Auckland, this 14th day of June, 1909.

WM. GRAY, Liquidator.  
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NOTICE is hereby given that the following resolution was passed at a general meeting of shareholders of the company on the 26th day of May, 1909, and confirmed at a special meeting called for that purpose on the 11th day of June, 1909: "That it is required that the Tairua Monarch Gold-mining (Limited) be wound up voluntarily."

And a further resolution was passed "That Mr. WILLIAM GRAY, of Auckland, Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for such winding-up."

Dated at Auckland, this 14th day of June, 1909.

WM. GRAY,  
Liquidator.  
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**THE NEW UNA GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).**

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the New Una Gold-mining Company (Limited), duly convened, and held at No. 108 Victoria Arcade, Auckland, on the 3rd day of June, 1909, the subjoined resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the said company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the 17th day of June, 1909, the subjoined resolution was duly confirmed, viz.:-

"That the New Una Gold-mining Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of 'The Mining Companies Act, 1904.'"

And at the last above-named meeting CHARLES FRANKLIN SANDERS was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.

C. F. SANDERS,  
Liquidator.  
Auckland, 17th June, 1909. 582

**THE GREENSTONE SLICING COMPANY (LIMITED), (IN LIQUIDATION).**

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the above-named company will, in pursuance of section 230 of "The Companies Act, 1903," be held at Mr. R. Wild's office, Revell Street, Hokitika, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of June, 1909, at noon, for the purpose of laying before such meeting an account showing the manner in which the winding-up of the said company has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of, and of offering any explanation the Liquidator may wish to give.

Notice is also hereby given that it is intended to propose at such meeting an extraordinary resolution directing that the books, accounts, and documents of the company, and of the Liquidator, be retained by the Liquidator for a period of three months and thereafter destroyed.

Dated this 13th day of May, 1909.

584 R. WILD, Liquidator.

**LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.**

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a transfer of Mortgage No. 55079 in favour of JAMES DRYSDALE, of Nireaha, Sawmiller, from WILLIAM JOSEPH FERKINS, of Wellington, Builder, affecting Allotment 360 (D.P. 1299), part Section 29, Karori District, being all the land in Vol. 156, fol. 52, Wellington Registry, and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said mortgage, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with the production of the said mortgage and register the discharge as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 8th day of July, 1909.

Dated this 23rd day of June, 1909, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

EDWIN BAMFORD,  
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1908," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 24th day of July, 1909.

Application 4256. ROBERT NEILSON.—12 acres 3 roods 8 and 9/10th perches, part Section 90, Left Bank Wanganui River. Occupied by Applicant.

Application 4288. FRÉDERICK WILLIAM SMITH.—184 acres and 22 perches, part Sections 240 and 241, Right Bank Wanganui River. Occupied by Applicant and Ernest Edward Wright.

Application 4300. ELIZABETH KELLY.—49 acres 1 rood 18 and 6/10th perches, Section 117, Hutt District. Occupied by Applicant.

Application 4304. ANGUS SUTHERLAND CLYNE FRENCH.—29 and 7/10th perches, part Section 10, Ohiro District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 23rd day of June, 1909, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

EDWIN BAMFORD,  
District Land Registrar.

**A**PPPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the name of **LUCY GULBERTI MILESI**, of Wellington, Married Woman, for part Section 131, City of Wellington, being all the land in Vol. 16, fol. 243, Wellington Registry, and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate of title as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 8th day of July, 1909.

Dated this 23rd day of June, 1909, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

**EDWIN BAMFORD**,  
District Land Registrar.

**A**PPPLICATION having been made to me to register a re-entry by **THOMAS LEONARD COWLISHAW**, **SARAH JANE SHAND**, and **HENRY JOHN SHAND**, all of Christchurch, Wine and Spirit Merchants, as lessors under Memorandum of Lease No. 4283, affecting the land in Lease No. 4280 (Town Section 1156, City of Christchurch), whereof **MARGARET MITCHELL CARSON**, of Gore, Widow, and **CHARLES LEGGETT STARK**, of Christchurch, Hotelkeeper, are the registered lessees, I hereby give notice that I will register such re-entry at the expiration of one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, this 19th day of June, 1909.

**G. G. BRIDGES**,  
District Land Registrar.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1908," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

10899. **EDITH SARAH PACKER LABATT**.—1 rood 1 $\frac{3}{4}$  perches, Town Section 359 and part of Town Section 357, City of Christchurch. Unoccupied.

10949. **WILLIAM BARTHOLOMEW PRATT**.—6 acres 1 rood 8 perches, part of Rural Section 224, Block VII, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

10950. **HERBERT WRIGHT**.—50 acres, Rural Section 13520, Block X, Mairaki Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

10951. **WILLIAM CHARLES RAPSEY**.—40 acres, Rural Sections 6666 and 8749, Blocks IV and VIII, Otaio Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

10954. **ANNIE REBECCA FREEBURY**.—1 rood 5 $\frac{1}{2}$  perches, Lot 9, Plan 2528, part of Rural Section 18, Block X, Christchurch Survey District. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of June, 1909, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

**G. G. BRIDGES**,  
District Land Registrar.

**E**VIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 99, folio 115, affecting Rural Sections 26111 and 26183, situated in Block III of the Christchurch Survey District, whereof the late **HARRIET CHARLOTTE JONES**, of Merivale, Widow, is the registered proprietress, and application having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional certificate of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, this 22nd day of June, 1909.

**G. G. BRIDGES**,  
District Land Registrar.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1908," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the publication hereof.

**JESSIE THOMSON**.—Sections 5, 6, and part Section 4, Block XLI, City of Dunedin. Occupied by Applicant. No. 4908.

**ALEXANDER MURRAY**.—Part of Section 1, Block II, Waitahuna East District. Occupied by Applicant. No. 4904.

**ROBERT PRYDE**.—Part of Section 8, Block I, Anderson's Bay District. Occupied by Applicant. No. 4905.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of June, 1909, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

**W. WYINKS**,  
District Land Registrar.

**E**VIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 33, folio 42, for Section 16, Block V, Town of Clinton, whereof **JAMES MUIR**, of Karangahake, Auckland, County Foreman, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title for the said land, I hereby give notice of my intention to issue such provisional certificate at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the publication hereof.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin, this 21st June, 1909.

**W. WYINKS**,  
District Land Registrar.

**E**VIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of Crown grant, Vol. 2, folio 147, for Section 3, Block XIV, Town of Arrowtown, whereof **GRACE JENKINS**, wife of **JOSEPH JENKINS**, of Arrowtown, Storekeeper, is the registered proprietress, and application having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title for the said land, I hereby give notice of my intention to issue such provisional certificate at the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin, this 21st June, 1909.

**W. WYINKS**,  
District Land Registrar.

## PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

### "THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908."

**N**OTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of subsection (4) of section 266 of "The Companies Act, 1908," that the undermentioned companies have been struck off the Register of Companies for the District of Nelson:—

The Westport Jockey Club Company (Limited).  
The Nelson Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited).

Dated at Nelson, this 19th day of June, 1909.

**W. W. DE CASTRO**,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

### "THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908," SECTION 266 (4).

Re the Waipatiki Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited).

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the name of the above company has been struck off the Register.

Dated at Napier, this 17th day of June, 1909.

**L. PAULING**,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the **AUSTRALIAN KODAK LTD.**, a company duly incorporated in the State of Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia, intends to commence or carry on business as Merchants and Indentors of Photographic Goods at No. 6 Mercer Street, in the City of Wellington.

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### RAWENE SAWMILL COMPANY (LIMITED), (IN LIQUIDATION).

**N**OTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 223 of "The Companies Act, 1908," that at an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company, duly convened, and held at 6 to 9 Tyrone Buildings, Customs Street, Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, on the 17th day of June, 1909, at 12.15 in the afternoon, the following extraordinary resolution was duly passed:—

1. That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the company that it cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that the same be wound up accordingly.

2. That Mr. **STANLEY G. CHAMBERS** be appointed Liquidator, with the following Supervisors—viz., Messrs. **ROBERT BURNS**, **E. C. BLOMFIELD**, and **D. B. WALLACE**—for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the company.

Sealed with the seal of the company in the presence of—

**H. P. TAYLOR**,  
Director.

Witness—**H. Ramsey**, Director.  
Witness—**H. D. Stewart**, Secretary.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908"; and in the matter of the Ngunguru Sawmilling Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company, duly convened, and held at the company's registered office, Tyrone Buildings, Customs Street, Auckland, on Monday, 31st May, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the subjoined extraordinary resolution was duly passed:—

"It being proved to the satisfaction of the company that it cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, it is advisable to wind up the same."

The following resolution was also passed: "That Mr. T. E. WHITTON, Auckland, Accountant, be appointed Liquidator."

Dated at Auckland, this 19th day of June, 1909.

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GEO. BAILDON, Chairman.

I, RONALD GRAEME SCOTT ORBELL, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery, Edinburgh, 1904; M.D., Edinburgh, 1908; and Licentiate of Midwifery, Dublin, 1905, and now residing in Dunedin, Otago, do hereby give notice that I intend to apply on the 21st day of July, 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.

Dated at Dunedin, 21st June, 1909.

RONALD G. S. ORBELL,  
M.D., M.B., Ch.B., and L.M.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between LEONARD HILL and EDWARD LLOYD, carrying on business as "Hill and Lloyd," Karori, Contractors, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The said Edward Lloyd will collect and receive all moneys owing to the said firm, and will pay all debts due or incurred by the said firm.

Dated this 9th day of June, 1909.

LEONARD HILL.  
E. LLOYD.

Witness to the signatures to above—Ernest C. Levvey,  
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