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Change of Name of Locality and Inlet, "West Wanganui" to "West Haven."

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

WHEREAS the Council of the County of Collingwood has, by resolution adopted at an ordinary meeting thereof, requested that the name of the locality situated in the County of Collingwood and known as "West Wanganui" be altered to "West Haven":

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

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

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Constituting the Borough of Wairoa, County of Wairoa.

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare the area described in the Schedule hereto to be a borough under the said Act on and from the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and nine; that the name of such borough shall be the Borough of Wairoa; that the said borough shall be an undivided borough; and that the number of Councillors to be elected thereto shall be eight, exclusive of the Mayor.

And I do further proclaim and declare that John William Sargisson, of Wairoa, shall be the Returning Officer to conduct the first election of Mayor and Councillors of the said borough; and that Robert Thompson Esther shall be the Town Clerk and the person to prepare the district electors roll for the purposes of the said first election.

And, lastly, I do proclaim and declare that the first election of Mayor and Councillors of the said borough shall be held on Thursday, the twenty-first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and nine; and that the first meeting of the Council of the said borough shall be held on Monday, the twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and nine, at half past seven o'clock in the afternoon, at the Mechanics' Institute, at Wairoa.

SCHEDULE

BOROUGH OF WAIROA.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, situated in Clyde Survey District, bounded towards the north by the Waioma-Raenui Stream, from the easternmost corner of Waioma-Raenui Block to the confluence of the said stream with the Awatere Stream; thence by the said Awatere Stream to the north-western corner of Awatere Block; thence towards the north-east by Awatere Block to the road to Nuhaka, across that road, and again by Awatere Block to the Wairoa River; thence towards the east by a right line running due south across the said Wairoa River; thence

ERRATUM.—In the Order in Council published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 9th day of September, 1909, page 2303, declaring certain lands to be subject to Part II of "The Native Land Settlement Act, 1907," for "Arataha No. 2" read Arataha No. 3.

again towards the north and towards the south-east by the right bank of the Wairoa River to the stream which forms the western boundaries of Sections Nos. 847 and 845, Town of Clyde; thence towards the west by that stream to the southernmost corner of Section No. 42; thence towards the south-west generally by Sections Nos. 17, 14, and 1, Block V, Clyde Survey District, and the production of the north-eastern boundary of the last-mentioned section to the Wairoa River; thence towards the north-west by the Wairoa River to the north-eastern corner of Te Koutu Block; thence towards the west generally by a right line across the Wairoa River to the eastern boundary of the Taumataoteo Block; thence by that block to the Ruataniwha Road; thence across that road, again by the last-mentioned block and the Waioma-Raenui Block to the Waioma-Raenui Stream, 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 seventeenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Land proclaimed as a Road in Block VIII, Kawhia North Survey District, Kawhia 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 of the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, proclaim as a road the land in Kawhia North Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 3 30	5	VIII	Kawhia North	P.W.D. 24865	Red.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial 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 seventh day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

R MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for Road in Block I, Maramarua Survey District, Manukau County.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1908," for a certain public work, to wit, for the pur-

poses of a road in Block I, Maramarua Survey District, Manukau County:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 2 15	63, Koheroa Parish	I	Maramarua	P.W.D. 24804	Pink.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial 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 eleventh day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Paeroa Domain.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and six, appointing a Domain Board to have control of the Paeroa Domain, and doth hereby appoint

THE THREE MEMBERS OF THE OHINEMURI COUNTY COUNCIL REPRESENTING PAEROA RIDING, *ex officio*,
SAMUEL CRAIG,
WILLIAM FORREST,
WILLIAM McWATTERS, and
EDMUND WILLIAM PORRITT

to be the Paeroa Domain Board, having, subject to the said Act, control of the lands described in the Schedule hereto, which lands are a public domain, and shall be called the Paeroa Domain; and also doth hereby appoint Tuesday, the fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and nine, at half past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Council Chambers, Paeroa, as the place where, the first meeting of the said Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

PAEROA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 1 rood 15 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, and 12, Block IX, Town of

Paeroa. Bounded towards the north and towards the north-east by Hall Street; towards the south-east by Mackay Street; and towards the south-west by Willoughby and Arthur Streets. Also,

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres and 2 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11 of Block X, Town of Paeroa. Bounded towards the north by Te Arero-O-Huatata No. 2 Block; towards the east by Section No. 12 of Block X, Town of Paeroa; towards the south generally by Alpha Street and Hall Street; and towards the west by Section No. 1 of Block X aforesaid. Also,

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 30 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 1 and 2, Block XI, Town of Paeroa. Bounded towards the north by Alpha Street; towards the south-east by Mackay Street; and towards the south-west by Hall Street. Also,

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 8 acres 3 roods 28 perches, more or less, being Block XIV of the Town of Paeroa. Bounded towards the north by Alpha Street; towards the north-east by King Street; towards the south-east by Arney Street; towards the south-west by Willoughby Street; and towards the north-west by Mackay Street to the point of commencement. Also,

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 1 rood 15 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12 of Block XV, Town of Paeroa. Bounded towards the north-east by Lewis Street, Town of Paeroa; towards the south-east by Victoria Street of said town; towards the south-west by Wood Street of said town; and towards the north-west by Sections Nos. 6 and 7 of Block XV of the Town of Paeroa aforesaid. Also,

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 20½ perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 5, 6, and 7 of Block XV, Town of Paeroa. Bounded towards the north-east by Lewis Street; towards the south-east by Section No. 8, Block XV, Town of Paeroa; towards the south-west by Wood Street; towards the north-west by Arney Street; again towards the north-east by Section No. 1 of the aforesaid block; and again towards the north-west by the last-named section and by Sections Nos. 3, 2, and 4 of the aforesaid block. Also,

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 roods 34 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 1, 2, and 3, Block XXI, Town of Paeroa. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 4, Block XXI, Town of Paeroa; towards the south-east by Sections Nos. 8 and 7 of said Block XXI; towards the south-west by Lewis Street of said town; and towards the north-west by Olga Street, Town of Paeroa aforesaid. Also,

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 6 acres 1 rood, more or less, being Block XXII of the Town of Paeroa. Bounded towards the north-east by Wolfe Street; towards the south-east by Olga Street; towards the south-west by Lewis Street; and towards the north-west by Arney Street to the point of commencement.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. 1038A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Kawhia Domain.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908," His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke an Order in Council, dated the twenty-second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and eight, appointing the Kawhia Town Board to be the Kawhia Domain Board, and doth hereby appoint

THE KAWHIA TOWN BOARD

to be the Kawhia Domain Board, having, subject to the said Act, control of the lands described in the Schedule hereto, which lands are a public domain, and shall be called

the Kawhia Domain; and also doth hereby appoint Thursday, the seventh day of October, one thousand nine hundred and nine, at seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Town Board Office, Kawhia, as the place where, the first meeting of the said Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

KAWHIA DOMAIN, KAWHIA COUNTY.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres and 37 perches, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block XI, Town of Kawhia. Bounded towards the north generally by the Kawhia S Block (known as Paretoa), 302·4, 484·6, 108·3, 102·3, 157, 116·3, 121·1, 244·9, 1145·3, and 555·1 links; towards the east by the Kawhia K No. 2 Block (known as Te Puru), 57·2 links; towards the south generally by Rosamond Terrace, 498·5, 300, and 1500 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 57839/4, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. Also,

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block X, Kawhia North Survey District. Bounded towards the east by Huki Street and Sections Nos. 19, 6, 5, and 4 of Block I, Te Puru Native Township; towards the south-east by Sections Nos. 3, 2, and 1 of Block I aforesaid; towards the south-west by Section No. 1 of Block XI, Kawhia Township; and towards the north-west by Kawhia S No. 2 (Paretoa Block): as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1047/14, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Whangateau Domain.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and four, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-eighth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and four, powers were delegated to the Whangateau Domain Board for a term of five years:

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

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

JAMES WATT DARROCH,
MICHAEL SMITH,
THOMAS JONES,
DAVID MACKY DARROCH,
THOMAS ERNEST ASHTON,
EDGAR JESSON MEIKLEJOHN, and
DUNCAN WILLIAM KNAGGS

as from the thirteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nine, to be the Whangateau Domain Board, having the control of the land described in the said Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the sixteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and nine, at seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Domain Hall, Whangateau, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

WHANGATEAU DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, being Section No. 156A, Parish of Omaha, containing by admeasurement 15 acres and 20 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the

north-west and north generally by a public road, 942.2, 478.7, 135.7, and 602.9 links; towards the east by Section No. 156c, Parish of Omaha, 1069 links; towards the south by Whangateau Harbour; and towards the south-west generally by Section No. 156B and 156D, Parish of Omaha, 500, 200, and 250 links respectively: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1300, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Aratapu Domain.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 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 twenty-eighth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, delegating powers to the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Hobson County in respect of the Aratapu Domain, and doth hereby appoint

SAMUEL GEORGE BARKER,
WILLIAM FINCHER COUTTS,
ANTHONY KEANE,
WILLIAM NEWMAN,
THOMAS NIELD, and
ROLAND WORDSWORTH

to be the Aratapu 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 Aratapu Domain; and also doth hereby appoint Thursday, the seventh day of October, one thousand nine hundred and nine, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Public Library, Aratapu, as the place where, the first meeting of the said Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

ARATAPU DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, being Section No. 42, Kopuru Parish, and containing by admeasurement 44 acres 1 rood 35 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-west, the north, the north-east, the south-east, and the south-west by public roads, 3236.3 links, 202.4 links, 2126.2 links, 3000 links, and 650.1 links respectively: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1258, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Mangaroa Domain.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 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 twenty-first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and seven, appointing a Domain Board to

have control of the Mangaroa Domain, and doth hereby appoint

GEORGE CHARLES STEVENSON,
JOHN FRANCIS McCLENAGHAN,
CHARLES HENRY HOPE,
WALTER KEITH WILLIAMS,
HERBERT CRAVEN,
DAVID BRUCE,
DANIEL SULLIVAN,
EDMUND GROVE BENNETT, and
GEORGE DENISON

to be the Mangaroa 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 Mangaroa Domain; and also doth hereby appoint Friday, the twenty-second day of October, one thousand nine hundred and nine, at seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and O'Malley's Hall, Mangaroa, as the place where, the first meeting of the said Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

MANGAROA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 13 acres and 20 perches, more or less, being Suburban Section No. 35, Town of Mangaroa, Block V, Ohura Survey District. Bounded generally towards the North by Hibi Street, 1240.56 links; towards the east by Huia Street, 1010 links; towards the south by Kuku Street, 500 links; again towards the east by Kuku Street, 200 links; again towards the south by Suburban Sections Nos. 28 and 27, Town of Mangaroa; and towards the west by Suburban Section No. 34, Town of Mangaroa, and Kiwi Street, 1210 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1014, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Runanga Domain.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

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

GEORGE MILLAR,
JOHN SOUTHWARD,
HENRY COPPERSMITH,
JOHN LUMSDEN LITTLE, and
JAMES NEILSON

to be the Runanga Domain Board, having the control of the land described in the said Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Wednesday, the sixth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and nine, at half past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Miners' Institute, Runanga, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

RUNANGA DOMAIN, GREY COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Westland Land District, containing by admeasurement 19 acres 3 roods and 16 perches, more or less, being Reserve No. 361, Block XXXIX. Town of Runanga. Bounded towards the north by Millar Street, 1067 links; towards the east by right lines bounding the Railway Reserve, 193.6, 911.7, 569.5, and 776.2 links respectively; towards the south-west by Greymouth Road, 684.1, 367.7, and 1714.2 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1155/3, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

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

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board, by a recommendation made on the thirtieth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and received on the sixth day of September, 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 Tiffin Survey District, containing 7 acres 2 roods 4 perches, more or less, known as Akura No. 8c, Subdivision No. 1, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court bearing date the 9th day of October, 1899, in favour of Whaitiri Waimarama and others.

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

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

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section four of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1895," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Order in Council, except from the operation of section one hundred and seventeen of "The Native

Land Court Act, 1894" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), for a limited period or otherwise, and either generally or for such purposes and subject to such restrictions as shall be in such Order specified, any land, wheresoever situate, which is for the time being subject to the operation of the said section, or any interest therein or right over the same, or may in like manner make such exception in favour exclusively of any lessee or other person who has been *bond 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 twenty-second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and received on the thirtieth day of July, 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 Maungakaretu Survey District, containing 190 acres and 9 perches, more or less, known as Raketapauma 1E No. 2, Section 1, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 23rd day of September, 1901, in favour of Te Pura McGregor.

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

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

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 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 *bond 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 twenty-second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and received on the thirtieth day of July, 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 Wangaeu Survey District, containing 70 acres, more or less, known as Omurihore 4A No. 1, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 14th day of August, 1899, in favour of Roretā Tamāua.

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

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 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 sixteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and received on the twenty-second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and nine, 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 Ikitara Survey District, containing 55 acres 1 rood 12 perches, more or less, known as Waipu 4A3B No. 1, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 7th day of August, 1909, in favour of Pahau Waitere.

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

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September 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*

fade 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 second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and received on the fourteenth day of September, 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 Kapiti Survey District, containing 115 acres 3 roods 16 perches, more or less, known as Ngarara West B No. 7, Subdivision 3, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court bearing date the 16th day of September, 1908, in favour of Wiremu Takarua.

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

*Authorising Native to mortgage Land under Section 6 of
"The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1897."*

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section six of "The Native Land Laws Amendment Act, 1897," it is enacted that the Governor may, by Order in Council, authorise any Native owning land in severalty to mortgage such land to any lending Department of the Government, and that in such case the mortgage shall operate in all respects as if the mortgagor were other than a Native, and accordingly none of the restrictions, limitations, or provisions of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," or any other Act affecting Native land, or lands owned or held by Natives, shall apply, anything in any such Act to the contrary notwithstanding: And whereas Taare Omipi, of Puketotara, in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Dominion of New Zealand, being the owner in severalty of the block or parcel of land mentioned and particularised in the Schedule hereto, has applied to be allowed to mortgage the said block of land: And whereas by certificate bearing date the tenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nine, under the hand of Jackson Palmer, Esquire, a Judge of the Native Land Court of New Zealand, and the seal of the said Court, it was certified that the said Taare Omipi possesses, irrespective of the land proposed to be mortgaged, other land sufficient for his maintenance:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities 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 authorise the said Taare Omipi to mortgage the land set out in the Schedule hereto to the Government Advances to Settlers Office, being a lending Department of the Government as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Pirongia Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, containing 119 acres 1 rood 33 perches, more or less, known as Waiwhakaata 3E No. 2, Section 2, and being the whole of the land comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court registered in Volume 34, folio 43, of the provisional register of the Auckland District.

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

The Land Titles Protection Act, 1908.—Consenting to an Application to the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court in pursuance of Section 39 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an order of the Native Land Court made the sixteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, purporting to determine the successor to the share or interest of Te Kara Maketu, otherwise known as Maketu, in the land known as Kopuawaiwaha No. 4, one Maraea Wells was declared to be the successor to the said share or interest :

And whereas it is alleged that the said order was made through a mistake, error, or omission within the meaning of section thirty-nine of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894" :

And whereas application has been made to His Excellency the Governor in Council to consent to the making of an application to the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, in pursuance of the provisions of section thirty-nine of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," to amend the said order for the purpose of rectifying the said alleged mistake, error, or omission :

And whereas on inquiry held in pursuance of the provisions of "The Land Titles Protection Act, 1908," the Governor is satisfied that a *prima facie* case has been established, and that it would be inexpedient to dispose of it by remedial legislation, or any other procedure which would obviate litigation :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of all powers and authorities in that behalf vested in him by "The Land Titles Protection Act, 1908," and of every other power and authority enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the making of an application to the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court, in accordance with the provisions of section thirty-nine of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for the purpose of rectifying the said mistake, error, or omission, and that the said order of the said Court made the sixteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, and any subsequent order founded thereon, may be the subject of an order of the said Chief Judge under the said section thirty-nine of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894."

J. F. ANDREWS,
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.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 be known as Pukekaroro Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

PUKEKARORO DOMAIN, OTAMATEA COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District being Section S. 79, Kaiwaka Parish (Block XIV, Waiou Survey District), and containing by admeasurement 73 acres and 32 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-west by Sections N.W. 79, M. 79, E. 79, 4498.4 links; towards the north-east by Section 80, 1638.4 links; towards the south-east by Sections N.E. 76, S. 76, and 113, 4476.7 links; and

towards the south-west by Section 78, 1638.4 links, all of Kaiwaka Parish aforesaid: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1324, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
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.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 be known as Ahirau Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

AHIRAU DOMAIN, COROMANDEL COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District being Section No. 17, Block V. Haratauna Survey District, and containing by admeasurement 16 acres 2 roods, more or less. Bounded towards the eastward generally by Waikanae No. 4 Book, 500, 305, 622, 465, and 177 links; towards the south, west, and north-west by Cabbage Bay: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1330, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
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.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 be known as Raglan Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

RAGLAN DOMAIN, RAGLAN COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District being Lots 5, 6, 8, 9, of Section 14, Town of Raglan (Block I, Karioi Survey District), and containing by admeasurement 1 acre 2 roods 22 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by Kaitoke Street, 502 links; towards the south-east by Lot 7, part of Section 14 aforesaid, 440 links; towards the south-west by Kaitoke Street aforesaid, 378 links; and towards the north-west by Lot 4, part of Section 14 aforesaid, 366 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1321, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
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.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 be known as Te Teko Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

TE TEKOK DOMAIN, WHAKATANE COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District being Section 115, Parish of Matata (Block X, Rangitaiki Upper Survey District), and containing by admeasurement 70 acres 2 roods, more or less. Bounded towards the south-east by Section 114, 3454.8 links; towards the south by the crossing of a road 100 links wide, and by Section 59, 175 and 1620 links; towards the north-west by Section 116, 4177.6 links; and towards the north by the crossing of the road hereinbefore mentioned, and by a public road, 1934.1 links; excepting a public road which intersects the area: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1325, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
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.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 be known as Paengaroa Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

PAENGAROA DOMAIN, TAURANGA COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District being Section No. 14, Village of Paengaroa (Block VIII, Maketu Survey District), containing by admeasurement 6 acres 1 rood 27 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north by a public road, 753.6 links; towards the south-west by a public road, 1056.2 links; towards the south by Crown land, 499.5 links; and towards the west by Section No. 13, 1025 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1322, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
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.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 be known as Uretara Island Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

URETARA ISLAND DOMAIN, OPOTIKI COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District being Section 284, Waimana Parish, Uretara Island, and containing by admeasurement 181 acres, more or less. Bounded on all sides by the Ohiva Harbour; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1332, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
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.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 be known as Hunua Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

HUNUA DOMAIN, MANUKAU COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District being Section 89, situated in the Parish of Hunua (Block II, Opaheke Survey District), and containing by admeasurement 40 acres 1 rood 6 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by Section 129, 1327.7 links; towards the south by a public road, 783.3 links; the crossing of a road, 105 links; again by the aforesaid public road, 1463 links; by the crossing of a proposed road, 100 links; again by the aforesaid public road, 735 links; the crossing of the aforesaid proposed road, 109 links; and by that road to the Hunua Stream, 73 links: thence towards the west by the Hunua Stream aforesaid; and towards the north-west by Section No. 90, 2842 links; the crossing of a road, 105 links; and again by Section No. 90, 807.4 links; excepting from the area described the intersecting roads: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1320, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
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.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 be known as Koheroa Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

KOHEROA DOMAIN, MANUKAU COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District being Section 8, Suburbs of Mercer (Block VI, Maramarua Survey District), and containing by admeasurement 4 acres 2 roods 20 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 654.5 links; towards the south-east by Section 16, 961 links; towards the south-west by a railway reserve (North Island Main Trunk Railway), 379 links; towards the north-west by Section 9, 914.2 links, all of the aforesaid Suburbs of Mercer: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1329, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

J. F. ANDREWS,
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.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 be known as Kororareka Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

KORORAREKA DOMAIN, BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District being Section 5, Block I, Town of Russell, and containing by admeasurement 7 acres 1 rood 30 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north by Crown lands, 751.2 links; towards the east by Section 7 of Block I, Town of Russell aforesaid, 1008 links; and towards the south and west by a public road, 221, 718.8, 359.2, and 435 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1327, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
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.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 be known as Rangiriri Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

RANGIRIRI DOMAIN, WAIKATO COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District being Section No. 1A, Suburbs of Rangiriri (Block III, Rangiriri Survey District), and containing by admeasurement 2 acres 2 roods, more or less. Bounded towards the north-west and north-east by Section No. 2 of the suburbs aforesaid, 500 and 500 links; and towards the south-east and south-west by public roads, 500 and 500 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 27606, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
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.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 be known as Wairere Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

WAIBERE DOMAIN, PIAKO COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District being Section 9, Block XI, Wairere Survey District, and containing by admeasurement 46 acres 1 rood, more or less. Bounded towards the north-west by Section 8, the abutment of a road, and again by Section 8 aforesaid, 9800.3 links; towards the north-east by Section 11, 627 links; and towards the south-east and south-west by a public road following the bank of the Wairere Stream: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1326, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
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.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 be known as Ohiwa Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

OHIWA DOMAIN, OPOTIKI COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District being Section No. 304, Parish of Waiotahi, and containing by admeasurement 5 acres 3 roods 30 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 303, Parish of Waiotahi, 1120 links; towards the east by a public road, 138 and 390 links; towards the south by Section No. 314, aforesaid parish, 1210 links; and towards the west by Ohiwa Harbour: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1331, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
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.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 be known as Tahere Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

TAHERE DOMAIN, HOKIANGA COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District being Sections Nos. 106 to 111 inclusive, Suburbs of Rawene (Block XIV, Mangamuka Survey District), and containing by admeasurement 16 acres 1 rood 36 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north by De Thierry Street, 1618.2 links; towards the east by Maning Street, the crossing of a public road, and again by the aforesaid street, 1101.1 links; towards the south by O.L.C. 63, granted to F. White, the crossing of the public road aforesaid, and again by O.L.C. 63 aforesaid, 2014.3 links; and towards the west by Russell Esplanade, 250.4, 462.5, and 309.6 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: excepting a public road, 100 links wide, intersecting the area: as the same is delineated on plan marked L. 1328, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
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.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 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 Mangapiko Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 121 acres, more or less, being Section No. 75A, Ngaroto Parish. Bounded towards the north by Sections Nos. 78, 79, 80, and 81 of the Parish of Ngaroto; towards the east by Sections Nos. 82, 83, and 84 of the said parish; and towards the south-west by Sections Nos. 74 and 75 of the said parish, the abutment of a public road, and again by the said Section No. 75, and by Section No. 77 of the parish aforesaid: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1149, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 Taranaki Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserve shall hereafter be known as Mahoe Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

MAHOE DOMAIN, WHANGAMOMONA COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 3 roods 30 perches, more or less, being Section No. 16, Town of Whangamomona. Bounded towards the north, west, and south by the Whangamomona River; and towards the east and south-east by the Ohura Road, 290 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1309, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

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

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 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 Taranaki Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserve shall hereafter be known as Onairo Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

ONAIRO DOMAIN, CLIFTON COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 6 acres, more or less, being Section No. 8, Block III, Waitara Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east and south by Onairo Stream; and towards the west by part Section 7 of Block III, Waitara Survey District, and Main North Road, 1094.1 links: be the aforesaid linkage more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1336, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

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

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 Nelson Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserve shall hereafter be known as Appleby Bridge Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

APPLEBY BRIDGE DOMAIN, WAIMEA COUNTY.

ALL that area in Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 13 acres, more or less, being Section No. 2, Block II, Waimea Survey District. Bounded towards the east by the Waimea River; towards the south-east by an overflow of the said river; and towards the west and north-west by a public road forming the eastern boundary of Sections Nos. 52, 10, and 8 of the Waimea West Original District: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 55720, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING 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 Canterbury 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 Methven Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 1 rood, more or less, being part of Rural Section 30312, Block VII, Spaxton Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Recreation Reserve 2613, 720.4 links; towards the east by a right line being the production in a southerly direction of the western boundary of Cemetery Reserve 2612 to a public road, 347.9 links; towards the south-west by a public road, 800 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1196: deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Regulation prescribing Declaration to be made by Highest Bidder for a Pasturage License under "The Land Act, 1908."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section sixty-two of "The Land Act, 1908" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, prescribe by regulations the forms of declaration to be made under the said Act, to the effect that the applicant is legally qualified to acquire the land applied for by him:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulation, and doth hereby declare that it shall be read together with the general regulations made under section sixty-two of the said Act, dated the twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and published in the *Gazette* of the fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and that it shall take effect on the day of the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

REGULATION.

The following declaration shall be made by the highest bidder for a pasturage lease or license under section 230 of "The Land Act, 1908":—

SCHEDULE F.

Declaration to be made by the Highest Bidder for a Pasturage Lease or License under Section 230 of "The Land Act, 1908."

I, A. B., of _____, do solemnly and sincerely declare,—
1. That I am, subject to the provisions of "The Land Act, 1908," desirous of becoming the purchaser of a lease or

license of the pastoral lands described in the accompanying Schedule.

2. That I am acquiring the lease or license of such land solely for my own use and benefit, and not directly or indirectly for the use or benefit of any other person or persons whomsoever.

3. That I am not the holder of any lease or license under Part VI of "The Land Act, 1908," except the lease or license over Run No. , which I am now purchasing, nor have I any interest in any such lease or license save as aforesaid.

[Or, 3. That I am the holder of a lease or license under Part VI of "The Land Act, 1908," but have applied under section 231 of the said Act for the recommendation of the Land Board and approval of the Minister of Lands to enable me to become the holder of a lease or license of the pastoral lands which I am now purchasing.]

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1908."

Declared at , this day of A. B.
before me— , a Justice of the Peace for New Zealand.

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

Validating the Public Notifications of a Loan of £700 authorised to be raised by the Castlepoint River Board to prevent the Overflow of the Whareama River.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Castlepoint River Board lately proposed to raise a loan of seven hundred pounds, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," to prevent the overflow of the Whareama River: And whereas the four public notifications of the intention of the said Board to confirm the resolution, passed by way of special order, making the special rate as security for the said loan were incorrect, inasmuch as they set forth the sum to be borrowed as seven hundred and fifty pounds: And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularity, 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 validate the said public notifications of the said special order, and doth hereby declare that the proceedings relative to the said loan shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

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

Validating the Public Notifications of the Special Order in connection with a Loan of £300 for the Purposes of Drainage and Sewerage in the Hunterville Town District, proposed to be raised by the Hunterville Town Board.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Hunterville Town Board lately proposed to raise a loan of three hundred pounds, under the provisions of "The Public Health Act, 1908," and "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," for the purposes of drainage and sewerage in the Hunterville Town District: And whereas a special order making a special rate has been made as a security for the said loan: And whereas the provisions of paragraph (b) of section thirty-one of "The Town Boards Act, 1908," relating to special orders were not fully complied with by the said Board, inasmuch as public notice of the subsequent meeting for the purpose of confirming the resolution making the special order, although

published for four consecutive weeks, was not published once in each of the four weeks immediately after the day on which the special meeting for the adoption of the said resolution was held: And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularity, and it is expedient to validate the same:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in 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 validate the said notification, and doth order and declare that the proceedings relative to the said loan shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

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

Validating the Voting-paper in connection with a Loan of £1,000, proposed to be raised by the Hunterville Town Board for providing for the Lighting of the Hunterville Town District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Hunterville Town Board lately proposed to raise a loan of one thousand pounds, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," for the purpose of providing for the lighting of the Hunterville Town District: And whereas the public notice of the proposal to raise the said loan was published in the *Hunterville Express* newspaper in accordance with the provisions of the said Act: And whereas the voting-paper used at the subsequent poll of the ratepayers did not set forth the particulars of such notice, as required by section eleven of the said Act, and was otherwise not in the form contained in the Second Schedule to the said Act: And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularities or defects, and that 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 power 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 validate the said voting-paper, and doth hereby declare that the proceedings with reference to the said loan shall be and shall be deemed to have been as good, valid, and effectual as though the said voting-paper had been in due form.

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

Validating the Voting-paper in connection with a Loan for £1,500 proposed to be raised by the Hunterville Town Board for completing and extending Works for the Supply of Water to and Works for the Drainage and Sewerage in the Hunterville Town District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Hunterville Town Board lately proposed to raise a loan of one thousand five hundred pounds, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," for the purpose of completing and extending works for the supply of water to and for the drainage and sewerage in the Hunterville Town District: And whereas the public notice of the proposal to raise the said loan was published in the *Hunterville Express* newspaper in accordance with the provisions of the said Act: And whereas the voting-paper used at the subsequent poll of the ratepayers did not set forth the particulars of such notice, as required by section eleven of the said Act, and was otherwise not in the form contained in the Second Schedule to the said Act: And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularities or defects, and that 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 power 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 validate the said voting-paper, and doth hereby declare that the proceedings with reference to the said loan shall be and shall be deemed to have been as good, valid, and effectual as though the said voting-paper had been in due form.

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

Validating the Voting-paper in connection with a Loan for £500 proposed to be raised by the Hunterville Town Board for providing a Mechanical Filter for the Water Reservoir of the Hunterville Town District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Hunterville Town Board lately proposed to raise a loan of five hundred pounds, under the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," for the purpose of providing a mechanical filter for the water reservoir of the Hunterville Town District: And whereas the public notice of the proposal to raise the said loan was published in the *Hunterville Express* newspaper in accordance with the provisions of the said Act: And whereas the voting-paper used at the subsequent poll of the ratepayers did not set forth the particulars of such notice, as required by section eleven of the said Act, and was otherwise not in the form contained in the Second Schedule to the said Act: And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularities or defects, and that 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 power 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 validate the said voting-paper, and doth hereby declare that the proceedings with reference to the said loan shall be and shall be deemed to have been as good, valid, and effectual as though the said voting-paper had been in due form.

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

Validating an Irregularity in connection with a Loan of £2,871 for a Bridge over the Whakatane River on the Main Road between Opoitiki and Rotorua.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Whakatane County Council lately proposed to raise a loan of two thousand eight hundred and seventy-one pounds for the purpose of providing the amount necessary to enable it to comply with the Warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor, dated the thirtieth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eight, authorising the construction of a bridge over the Whakatane River on the main road between Opoitiki and Rotorua, near the Town of Whakatane, and apportioning the cost thereof: And whereas, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges upon the said loan, the said Whakatane County Council did, by special order, make and levy a special rate of one-sixteenth of a penny in the pound on the rateable value of all rateable property in the said Whakatane County: And whereas the public notification of the said special order making the said special rate was published in the *Whakatane Press* newspaper once during each of the four weeks immediately after it was adopted, whereas it should have been published once in each of the four weeks immediately preceding the date of its confirmation: And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularity or defect, 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 validate the said public notification and the proceedings confirming such special resolution under the provisions of "The Counties Act, 1908"; and doth hereby declare that the proceedings in relation to the said loan and special order making and levying the said special rate shall be and be deemed to have been as good, valid, and effectual as though the said public notification had been correctly published, and that the validity of the proceedings or of the security for the said loan shall not be questioned on the ground of the aforementioned irregularity or defect.

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

Validating an Irregularity in connection with a Proposed Loan of £1,360 to be raised by the Waimate West County Council for the Purpose of metalling the Unmetalled Portion of Auroa Road South.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 1909.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Waimate West County Council lately proposed to raise a loan of one thousand three hundred and sixty pounds, by consent of the ratepayers of the Auroa Road South Special-rating District, under paragraph (d) of section fifteen of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," for the purpose of metalling the unmetalled portion of Auroa Road South, in the Waimate Riding of the Waimate West County: And whereas the special roll of the said special-rating district was not advertised as open for public inspection at the office of the said Waimate West County Council, as required by section twenty-two of "The Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1908": And whereas the whole of the ratepayers of the said special-rating district consented to the raising of the said loan, and it therefore appears that the said ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularity or defect, 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 validate the aforesaid irregularity, and doth also declare that the proceedings relative to such loan shall not be called into question by reason only of such irregularity.

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

Vesting a Reserve in the Matamata County Council.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been permanently reserved for a stockyard and water reserve for stock:

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Matamata County Council:

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 Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Matamata County, in trust, for a stockyard and water reserve for stock.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 11 acres 3 roods 8 perches, more or less, being Section No. 77A, Selwyn Settlement, Block I, Patetere North-east Survey District. Bounded towards the north generally and east by Section No. 76, Selwyn Settlement, Block I, Patetere North-east Survey District; towards the south by a public road; and towards the west by Section No. 3 of Block IV, Patetere North Survey District: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 19315/365, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Vesting a Quarry Reserve in the Gisborne Borough Council.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart for quarry purposes: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Gisborne Borough Council:

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 Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Gisborne Borough, in trust, for quarry purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 60 acres, more or less, being Section No. 133, Block VII, Patutahi Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road; towards the south-east by the Gisborne-Wairoa Road; towards the south-west by Section No. 133A, Block VII, Patutahi Survey District; and towards the north-west by a public road and by Section No. 119, Block III, of said survey district: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 6261/19, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Extending the Time for holding General Election of Councillors, Borough of Dargaville.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1909.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1908," it is provided that the first general election of the whole of the members of every Council shall be held on the last Wednesday in April, one thousand nine hundred and nine: And whereas the first general election of Councillors of the Borough of Dargaville for the year one thousand nine hundred and nine has not been held, and it is expedient that the date appointed for the holding of the same should be extended as hereinafter provided:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1908," doth hereby order and declare that the time for holding the first general election of Councillors for the Borough of Dargaville for the year one thousand nine hundred and nine shall be extended to Friday, the eighth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

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

Authorising the Exchange of a Portion of a Reserve in Canterbury Land District for other Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto forms part of a reserve heretofore duly set apart for plantation purposes: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to exchange the said land for that described in the second column of the said Schedule:

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 twelfth section of "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908," doth hereby declare that the said land described in the first column of the Schedule hereto may be exchanged for the land described in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Description of Portion of Reserve authorised to be exchanged.	Description of Land to be obtained in Exchange therefor.
All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres 3 rood 5 perches, more or less, being part of Reserve No. 1830 (in red), Block IV, Fighting Hill Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Rural Section No. 34564, 1218.4 links; towards the east and south-east by a public road, 323, 374, 163, and 1055 links; and towards the west by Rural Section No. 33180, 1571.7 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5352/1A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.	All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 13 acres 1 rood 2 perches, more or less, being part of Rural Section No. 20422, Block IV, Fighting Hill Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Reserve No. 1830 (in red), 1641.3 links; towards the east by a public road, 255.2 and 1467.7 links; towards the south by part of Rural Section No. 20422, 1130.1 links; and towards the west by other part of the said Rural Section No. 20422, 596.8 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less, as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5352/1B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Declaring Road adjoining Section 1, Block V, Karioi Survey District, to be a Government Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 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 Government road.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Road hereby declared a Government Road.	Adjoining Section	Situated in Block	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 8.2	1, Crown land	V	Karioi ..	P.W.D. 25111	Green.

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

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Exempting Beaconsfield Street, Borough of Devonport, from the Provisions of Section 117 of "The Public Works Act, 1908."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 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 thirteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine, the Devonport Borough Council, the local authority having control of the street described in the Schedule hereto, did by resolution declare that the provisions of the said section one hundred and seventeen should not apply to the said street:

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by the above-in-part-recited 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.

ALL that street in the Borough of Devonport, Auckland Land District, known as Beaconsfield Street, commencing at its junction with Tainui Road, and passing between Subsections 76, 79 to 84, and 86, and Subsections 87, 89 to 98, and ending at its junction with Vauxhall Road; all in the said borough; as the said street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 25173, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red, and lettered A-B.

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

Regulation under "The Training-ships Act, 1908."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted by section four of "The Training-ships Act, 1908," that the Governor in Council may from time to time make regulations giving effect to the said Act:

And whereas by Orders in Council dated the seventh day of January, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and the

twenty-fourth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the tenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and the fourteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and nine, respectively, the Governor in Council made regulations for the appointment of staff and enrolment of boys in New Zealand training-ships, and for applications for enrolment on training-ships to be accompanied by an agreement, signed by the parent or guardian of a boy, that the boy will remain at sea for six months after leaving the training-ship if employment can be found for him by the Marine Department:

And whereas it is desirable to make a further regulation: Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by "The Training-ships Act, 1908," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following additional regulation, viz.:—

REGULATION.

In the case of boys joining a training-ship under the regulation made by Order in Council dated the twenty-fourth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and for whom employment is found by the Marine Department in other ships, the amounts of pay standing to their credit on discharge from the training-ship may be retained by the Department until the expiration of six months from the date of such discharge.

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

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, 1909.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Land Board of the Auckland Land District has duly passed a resolution recommending that the Okura Kauri-gum Reserve, described in the Schedule hereto, be excepted from the operation of the said Act, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation:

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 121 acres and 26 perches, more or less, being Section No. 212 and eastern portion of Section No. 211 of the Parish of Pukeatua, and forming the Okura Kauri-gum Reserve, set apart by Order in Council dated 21st day of August, 1899, and published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 71, of 24th day of August, 1899. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 210 of the Parish of Pukeatua, towards the south-east by a public road, towards the south-west by a public road, and towards the north-west by the western portion of Section No. 211 of the said parish to the point of commencement; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5348/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

Lands permanently reserved.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	<i>Gazette</i> .
Wellington	Town of Ninia ..	7	..	A. R. P. 0 1 0	Site for a post-office	1909. 22 July	1909. No. 62, 29 July
"	" ..	33	..	10 0 0	Site for a public school	"	" "
"	Town of Horopito	1	I	0 1 11.9	For police purposes	"	" "
"	West Ditto ..	19	"	0 1 10.8	Gravel	"	" "
"	" ..	9	IX	1 2 29.9	"	"	" "
"	" ..	4 and 15	XIII	0 2 0	Site for a post-office	"	" "
"	" ..	5 and 14	"	0 2 0	Site for public buildings of the General Government	"	" "
"	" ..	4 to 15 (inclusive)	XIV	15 2 25	Public recreation-ground	"	" "
"	" ..	9 and 10	XVIII	8 2 39	Site for a public hospital	"	" "
"	" ..	36	..	2 1 29	For police purposes	"	" "
"	" ..	37	..	5 3 20	Plantation ..	"	" "
"	" ..	38	..	5 2 10	" ..	"	" "
"	" ..	39	..	4 1 14	" ..	"	" "
"	" ..	40	..	6 0 23	Site for a public school	"	" "
"	" ..	1 (Suburbs)	..	5 2 23	Site for a public cemetery	"	" "
"	Town of Owhango..	6, 7, 8, 9, 16, 17, 18, & 19	II	2 0 0	Site for a public school	"	" "
"	" ..	13 and 14	I	0 2 0	Site for public buildings of the General Government	"	" "
"	" ..	5 to 16	III	7 3 24	Public recreation-ground	"	"
"	" ..	5 to 16, 21, 22, and 23	IV				
"	Town of Rangataua	5	IX	5 0 3	Site for a public school	"	" "
"	" ..	6 and 7	"	10 0 5	Public recreation-ground	"	" "
"	" ..	8	"	4 1 10	Site for a public hospital	"	" "
"	" ..	1	X	1 0 20	Site for public buildings of the General Government	"	" "
"	Village of Kakahi ..	4	I	0 1 0	Site for a post-office	"	" "
"	" ..	20	"	4 0 34	Site for a public school	"	" "
"	" ..	1	II	0 1 12	Site for public buildings of the General Government	"	" "

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

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Lands permanently reserved.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Land District.	Survey District.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	Gazette.
Auckland ..	Tapapa ..	1B	III	A. R. P. 2 0 0	Site for a public school	1909. 7 Aug.	1909. No. 65, 12 Aug.
Nelson ..	Steeple ..	7	IV	5 0 0	Gravel ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	9	"	5 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	Kawatiri ..	23	I	5 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	56	V	5 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	57	"	5 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	58	IV	5 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	34	VII	16 3 11	Resting-place for travelling stock	"	"
" ..	Gordon ..	7	I	0 2 26	Gravel ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	31	II	1 2 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	38	"	1 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	39	"	1 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	41	"	1 1 36	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	42	"	1 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	43	"	1 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	44	"	1 2 16	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	45	"	0 2 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	46	"	0 1 29	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	47	"	1 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	Kongahu ..	24	I	2 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	3	VII	7 0 18	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	4	"	10 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	5	"	5 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	Wai-iti ..	13	XIII	0 1 27	" ..	"	"
" ..	Otumahana ..	3	IX	10 0 0	Site for a public school	"	"
" ..	Tadmor ..	16	XVI	1 0 17	Gravel ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	17	"	1 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	19	"	4 3 8	Site for a public school	"	"
" ..	" ..	22	"	15 0 0	Resting-place for travelling stock	"	"
" ..	Ohika ..	2	I	14 1 34	Ditto ..	"	"
" ..	Mokihinui ..	31	XI	10 0 0	Site for a public school	"	"
" ..	" ..	37	"	2 0 0	Metal ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	40	"	1 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	6	XII	46 0 0	Resting-place for travelling stock	"	"
" ..	Howard ..	13	IV	1 0 0	Gravel ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	14	"	1 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	15	"	1 1 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	Oparara ..	57	IX	3 2 16	Site for a public school	"	"
" ..	" ..	58	"	5 0 0	Gravel ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	33	XV	5 0 0	Site for a public school	"	"
" ..	" ..	34	"	5 0 0	Gravel ..	"	"
" ..	Mawhera-iti ..	15	XII	2 0 0	Site for a public school	"	"
" ..	Inangahua ..	15	I	8 3 32	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	55	IV	5 3 28	Gravel ..	"	"
" ..	Waitakere ..	1	II	5 0 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	10	III	0 2 0	Site for a public school	"	"
" ..	Matiri ..	1	V	6 0 0	Resting-place for travelling stock	"	"
" ..	" ..	4	VII	2 2 30	Site for a public school	"	"
" ..	" ..	5	"	0 0 30	Metal ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	6	"	6 2 3	Resting-place for travelling stock	"	"
" ..	" ..	6	VIII	0 0 31	Metal ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	6	IX	5 0 0	Gravel ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	8	X	9 0 11	Site for a public school	"	"
" ..	" ..	13	XI	1 0 0	Metal ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	14	"	0 1 5	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	15	"	9 0 0	Resting-place for travelling stock	"	"
" ..	" ..	11	XIV	2 2 0	Site for a public school	"	"
" ..	" ..	12	"	0 2 16	Gravel ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	13	"	0 1 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	14	"	0 1 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	15	"	0 1 0	" ..	"	"
" ..	" ..	23	"	36 0 0	Resting-place for travelling stock	"	"
" ..	" ..	24	"	3 2 0	Gravel ..	"	"

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

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Notice of Intention to exchange a Reserve in the Town of Rangataua, Wellington Land District, for other Lands.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Reserve intended to be exchanged.	Description of Lands to be obtained in Exchange therefor.
<p>All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods, more or less, being Sections Nos. 12 and 13, Block III, Town of Rangataua. Bounded towards the north-west by Sections Nos. 14 and 15, Block III, Town of Rangataua; towards the north-east by Nei Street; towards the south-east by Sections Nos. 10 and 11, Block III aforesaid; and towards the south-west by Miharo Street: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5909/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered blue.</p> <p>Reserved for a site for a post-office in <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 93, of the 26th November, 1908, page 3002.</p>	<p>All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 23, Block III, Town of Rangataua. Bounded towards the north-west by Sections Nos. 26, 25, and 24, Block III, Town of Rangataua; towards the north-east by Nei Street; towards the south-east by Section No. 21 of said Block III; and towards the south-west by Section No. 22: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5909/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.</p> <p>All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 6, Block IV, Town of Rangataua. Bounded towards the north-west by a tramway reserve, 50 links wide, along the north-western boundary of Block IV, Town of Rangataua; towards the north-east by Nei Street; towards the south-east by Section No. 7 of said Block IV; and towards the south-west by Sections Nos. 20 and 21: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5909/10, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.</p>

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this thirty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

[This notice is published in lieu of that appearing in *Gazette* No. 37 of the 6th May, No. 39 of the 13th May, No. 40 of the 20th May, and No. 43 of the 27th May, 1909, owing to an amendment necessary in the description of Section No. 6, Block IV.]

Lands set apart for a Municipal Endowment in the Mackenzie Town District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of "The Land Act, 1908" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is provided that the reserves to be made by the Governor for any existing borough or town district under that section shall be made only in cases where reserves for the same purpose do not exist therein, or, if existing, do not equal or exceed the amount of reserves authorised to be made under section fifteen of the said Act:

And whereas the existing municipal reserves in the Town of Mackenzie do not equal the amount of such reserves authorised by the said section fifteen, and it is deemed expedient to make the reserves hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby reserved as an endowment or for the use of the Town Board of the Mackenzie Town District, as constituted by Proclamation dated the third day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 103, of the fifth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 3 roods 10 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 1 to 8 (inclusive), Block XV, Town of Mackenzie.

Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Sections Nos. 1 to 14 (inclusive), Block XIX, Town of Mackenzie.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. 48749/135, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow.

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

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Appointing Commissioners to classify Pastoral Runs in Canterbury Land District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the two-hundred-and-twenty-fifth section of "The Land Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

FREDERICK WILLIAM FLANAGAN,
HENRY DOUGLAS MORPETH HASZARD, and
JAMES STEVENSON

Commissioners to classify and report to me upon the rural lands in Canterbury Land District known as Runs Nos. 70, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 89, 93A, 110A, 110B, 111, 112, 113, 114, 116, 117, 118, 119, 178, 179, 233, and 237, as provided by section two hundred and twenty-five of "The Land Act, 1908."

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

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Appointing Commissioners to classify Pastoral Runs in Southland Land District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the two-hundred-and-twenty-fifth section of "The Land Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

HARRY MAY SKEET,
DUNCAN KING, and
ANDREW KINROSS

Commissioners to classify and report to me upon the rural lands in Southland Land District known as Runs Nos. 389, 389A, and 415, 530, and 415B, as provided by section two hundred and twenty-five of "The Land Act, 1908."

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

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Changing the Purpose of a Reserve in the Westland Land District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto was heretofore duly set apart for purposes of public utility, being a reserve within Class II of the Second Schedule to "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908," and such land has not been vested in trust in any society, body corporate, or trustees:

And whereas it is expedient that such land shall be appropriated for a public recreation-ground, being a reserve within Class III of the aforesaid Act:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the eleventh section of "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908," do by this notification declare that the said land shall, from and after the twenty-third day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nine, be appropriated for a public recreation-ground under Class III of "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908"; and I do hereby direct that this notification shall be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Westland Land District, containing by admeasurement 8 acres 1 rood 24 perches, more or less, being Reserve No. 44, Block IV, Cobden Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Hall Street, towards the north-east by Nelson Quay, towards the south-east by a road reserve, and towards the south-west by a road reserve and by Hill Quay; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1266/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Opening National Endowment Land in Auckland Land District for Selection.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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 land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Wednesday, the twenty-fourth day of November, 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 Act.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.—OMAPERE SURVEY DISTRICT.
Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
2	III	A. R. P. 346 0 32	£ s. d. 250 0 0	£ s. d. 5 0 0

Altitude, 1,100 ft. above sea-level. Undulating land, covered with fern and manuka scrub, except about 6 acres light forest for firewood; clay soil on ridges; fair soil on lower slopes; well watered. Situated about seven miles from Okaihau—five miles dray-road, balance as yet unformed. The Kauri Timber Company's tram-line from Puketi to Kerikeri runs through the section, and is reserved.

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

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale or Selection.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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-fourth day of November, 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.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.
Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
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BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.—OMAPERE PARISH.

A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
21 ..	25 3 33	25 0 0	0 12 6

Altitude, about 1,000 ft. above sea-level. Flat land, covered with fern and manuka; soil second-class quality, on red clay; well watered. Situated near Okaihau, and about fourteen miles from Kerikeri Landing by fair dray-road.

WHANGAREI COUNTY.—RUATANGATA PARISH.

S.E. M. 8	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
..	34 1 30	50 0 0	1 5 0	1 0 0

Altitude, from about 300 ft. to 330 ft. above sea-level. All open land, fern and manuka; level to gentle slopes, with about 5 acres swamp; soil fair to inferior in quality, on sandstone formation; swamp of good quality when drained. Situated about four miles from Ruatangata by good road.

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

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Opening Settlement Land in Taranaki Land District for Selection.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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 Wednesday, the twenty-seventh day of October, 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.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—TARANAKI COUNTY.—PARITUTU SURVEY DISTRICT.—SPOTSWOOD SETTLEMENT.
First-class Land.

Section.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
55, 57, 58, 59, 60	A. R. P. 67 1 4	£ s. d. 1,060 0 0	£ s. d. { 23 17 0 0 7 9*

* Interest and sinking fund on building (five-roomed cottage out of repair) valued at £10. Payable in cash, or in twenty-one years by half-yearly instalments of 7s. 9d. Total half-yearly payment, £24 4s. 9d.

Spotswood Settlement lies between the Main South Road and Port Moturoa, about two miles and a quarter from New Plymouth, and extends from half a mile to about two miles

from the Breakwater. The quality of most of the settlement is good, being generally a sandy loam, on a kind of free-clay formation. The climate is mild, and at certain periods bracing, and the rainfall plentiful. Section 60 is mortgaged to the Government Advances to Settlers Office for the sum of £100.

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

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Opening Settlement Land in Southland Land District for Selection.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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 Wednesday, the twenty-seventh day of October, 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.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—WYNDHAM SURVEY DISTRICT.—GLENHAM SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.			Half-yearly Rental.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
2A	V	A. R. P. 213 0 0	1,015	0	0	22	16	9

Weighted with £38 6s., valuation for improvements, consisting of—hut and shed, £5; bushfelling, £22 10s.; and fencing, £10 16s.

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

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Hauturu Public Cemetery appointed.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the fourth section of "The Cemeteries Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to have the control and management of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
	HAUTURU.
Adolphus Brandon, William Darnell Humphrys, Alfred Whitmore Babbage, William Turner, and Herbert Brandon.	All that area in Kawhia County, Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres 3 roods, more or less, being Section No. 6, Block VIII, Kawhia South Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Awaroa Road, 596·7 links; towards the east by Section No. 5, Block VIII, Kawhia South Survey District, 1004·1 links; towards the south by Section No. 5 aforesaid, 446·7 links; and towards the west by Awaroa Road aforesaid, 864·3 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 58839/6, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Site for the Disposal of Nightsoil or Refuse, Mataura.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance of the provisions of section sixty-two of "The Public Health Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby consent to the Council of the Borough of Mataura setting apart that portion of the lands belonging to the Corporation of the said borough, being Section 5 of part of Section 54, Block III, Tuturau Survey District, as a site for the deposit and disposal of nightsoil or refuse.

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

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Public Health.

Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon and vested in me by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities me thereunto enabling, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board aforesaid, do hereby remove and revoke the restrictions now existing against the alienation of the said land, so as to permit the same to be sold, at a price to be not less than four thousand eight hundred pounds.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Te Tumu Survey District, containing 480 acres, more or less, known as Papamoia No. 3, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 13th day of May, 1893, subject to the restriction that the land therein comprised shall be "inalienable."

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

J. CARROLL,
Native Minister.

Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Paekakariki Survey District, containing 10 acres, more or less, known as Kahotea No. 1A, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 28th day of January, 1909, subject to the restriction that the land therein comprised shall be "inalienable, except by lease for a period not exceeding twenty-one years."

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

J. CARROLL,
Native Minister.

Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

And whereas the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board, by a recommendation made and passed by the said Board on the twelfth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and received on the sixth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nine, recommended the Governor to remove and revoke the restrictions against alienation contained in the instrument of title of the block of land particularised and set out in the Schedule hereto, so far as to permit the same to be mortgaged:

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Turanganui Survey District, containing 30 acres 2 roods, more or less, known as Ruaohinetu 1B1, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 23rd day of January, 1899, subject to the restriction that the land comprised therein shall be "inalienable by sale or mortgage or by lease for a longer period than twenty-one years."

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

J. CARROLL,
Native Minister

Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Waipawa Survey District, containing 92 acres 1 rood 18 perches, more or less, known as Hautotara No. 3, and comprised in a partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 15th day of August, 1902, containing the restriction that the said land shall be "inalienable by sale or mortgage, or by lease beyond twenty-one years."

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

J. CARROLL,
Native Minister.

Removing Restrictions against Alienation of Native Land.

PLUNKET, Governor.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land, situate in the Portobello Bay Survey District, containing 75 acres, more or less, being Otago Heads Native Reserve, Lot 45, and being the land comprised in a Crown grant dated the 1st day of November, 1869, containing the following restriction: "Inalienable by sale, or by lease for a longer period than twenty-one years, or by mortgage, except with the consent of the Governor being previously obtained to every such sale, lease, or mortgage."

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

J. CARROLL,
Native Minister.

Second Clerk-Assistant, Legislative Council, appointed.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 14th September, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

BASIL EDWARD SEYMOUR STOCKER, Esq., M.A.,
to be Second Clerk-Assistant of the Legislative Council, vice George Moore, Esq. Appointment to date from 1st September, 1909.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 18th September, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

LOUIS ANTONY BOTT
to be the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Manuherikia.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 20th September, 1909.

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

Name.	District.
ROBERT MARTIN	Mahurangi.
HENRY HOBSON McINTOSH	Picton.
LESLIE GAVIN CAMPBELL BARTRUM PACKARD	Takaka.
FREDERICK WILLIAM BARNARD	Opunake.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Appointing Returning Officer for First Election and Clerk to preside at First Meeting, Ohura County Council.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 15th September, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROWE FENNEL, of Woodville,

to be Returning Officer to conduct the first election of members of the Council of the County of Ohura, and also to be the Clerk of the Council of the said county for the purpose of presiding at the first meeting thereof.

THOS. MACKENZIE,
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

Member of Bunnythorpe Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 13th September, 1909.

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

WILLIAM BROKIE DUTHIE

to be a member of the Bunnythorpe Domain Board, in the place of David Lowe Smith, who has resigned.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Member of Taupiri Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 13th September, 1909.

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

GERALD WILLIAM MILLER

to be a member of the Taupiri Domain Board, in the place of Francis Davys, who has resigned.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Member of Weber Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 13th September, 1909.

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

NORMAN GORDAN MUNRO

to be a member of the Weber Domain Board, in the place of Charles Sachs, who has removed from the district.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Member of Cashmere Hills Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 13th September, 1909.

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

THOMAS DEWAR BOAG

to be a member of the Cashmere Hills Domain Board, in the place of George Witty, M.P., who has resigned.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Cadet in Department of Lands appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 18th September, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

RONALD FRANCIS MACKENZIE

to be a draughting cadet in the Department of Lands, as from the 4th day of May, 1908.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Members of Manuherikia Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 20th September, 1909.

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

THOMAS CAHILL,
EDWARD MARSLIN, and
GEORGE RIVERS

to be members of the Manuherikia Domain Board, in the place of William Sanderson Laidlaw, deceased, and Thomas Peter Beck and Duncan Bringans, removed from the district.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Member of Marlborough Land Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 20th September, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES BOYD, of Kaikoura, Farmer,

to be a member of the Land Board of the Land District of Marlborough, as from the 28th day of September, 1909.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Clerk to Resident Commissioner at Niue appointed.

Cook and other Islands Administration,
Wellington, 10th September, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALFRED HOUSE

to be Clerk to the Resident Commissioner at Niue.

J. CARROLL.

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

Marine Department,
Wellington, 15th September, 1909.

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

JOHN DOUGLAS HAMILTON, of Dannevirke, and
EDWIN JAMES WILKINSON, of Dunedin,

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

J. A. MILLAR.

Volunteer Officers appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1909.

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

No. 3 Company, Wellington Division, New Zealand Garrison Artillery Volunteers.

Arthur Grenville Hume to be Captain. Date of commission, 3rd March, 1909.

Eltham Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Alexander James Clark to be Captain. Date of commission, 2nd June, 1909.

New Zealand Medical Corps.

Alexander Bronte to be Captain. Date of commission, 18th July, 1909.

Edwin Henry Britton Milsom to be Captain. Date of commission, 20th July, 1909.

Marlborough Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Henry Joseph Stace to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 2nd December, 1908.

Zealandia Rifle Volunteers.

David Sutherland Columb (formerly Captain, Hibernian Rifle Cadet Volunteers) to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 29th March, 1909.

Wellington Post and Telegraph Rifle Volunteers.

Samuel James Bolton to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 2nd June, 1909.

Hawera Rifle Volunteers.

Walter George Bishop to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 2nd June, 1909.

Walter Bruce Johnstone to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 2nd June, 1909.

GEO. FOWLDS,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officers promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the promotion of the undermentioned officers:—

3rd Regiment, Auckland Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Major (Acting Lieutenant-Colonel) Allen Bell to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Date of commission, 10th June, 1909.

1st Regiment, Wellington (West Coast) Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant (Adjutant) Walter Francis Klingender to be Captain. Date of commission, 2nd June, 1909.

Active List (Unattached).

Captain Edward Kimble Madigan to be Major. Date of commission, 27th July, 1909.

GEO. FOWLDS,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officers resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1909.

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

Hibernian Rifle Cadet Volunteers.

Captain David Sutherland Columb. Date of resignation, 29th March, 1909.

Alexandra Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Captain Charles Leslie Sommerville. Date of resignation, 7th June, 1906.

GEO. FOWLDS,
Acting Minister of Defence.

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

Defence Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1909.

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

Lieutenant JAMES WHITE, Wakatipu Mounted Rifle Volunteers,

and to approve that his name be placed on the Active List (Unattached), with rank of Lieutenant, and with effect from 1st March, 1909.

GEO. FOWLDS,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Ex-Volunteer Officer placed on Active List (Unattached).

Defence Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 140, Amended General Regulations of the Defence Forces of New Zealand, as published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 52, of 24th June, 1909, of the appointment of

HERBERT EDWIN MOORE (formerly Lieutenant, Christchurch Volunteer Cycle Corps)

as Lieutenant on the Active List (Unattached), and with effect from 24th August, 1909.

GEO. FOWLDS,
Acting Minister of Defence.

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

Defence Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1909.

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

Lieutenant CHARLES BENDALL LOVER, Taranaki Rifle Volunteers,

and to approve that his name be placed on the Active List (Unattached), with rank of Lieutenant, and with effect from 27th August, 1909.

GEO. FOWLDS,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer resigned, and posted to Retired List.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 16th September, 1909.

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

Captain JAMES MACKENZIE, Cromwell Rifle Volunteers Reserve,

and to approve that he be posted to the Retired List, with rank of Captain, and with effect from 19th August, 1909.

GEO. FOWLDS,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officers appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 17th September, 1909.

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

New Zealand Medical Corps.

Henry George Hawkins Monk to be Captain. Date of commission, 11th June, 1909.

Leslie Burton Burnett, M.B., to be Captain. Date of commission, 24th August, 1909.

GEO. FOWLDS,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 17th September, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the promotion of the undermentioned officer:—

Alexandra Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant William Morrison to be Captain. Date of commission, 4th December, 1907.

GEO. FOWLDS,
Acting Minister of Defence.

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

Defence Office,
Wellington, 17th September, 1909.

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

Captain JOHN BROWN, Millerton Rifle Volunteers,

and to approve that his name be placed on the Active List (Unattached), with rank of Captain, and with effect from 23rd August, 1909.

GEO. FOWLDS,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Commissions in the British Army.

Defence Office, Wellington, N.Z., 16th September, 1909.

THE following table, as laid down by Army Order 182 of 1909, showing the campaigns and special periods of Military History on which papers will be set at the examinations stated, is republished for general information.

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GEO. FOWLDS,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Examinations.	Date.	Campaigns.
For commissions in the Regular Army (candidates from the Special Reserve, Militia, Territorial Force, Universities, and Colonial Military Forces), under the Regulations issued with Army Orders 164 and 191 of 1907, and 246 of 1908.	October, 1911, and March, 1912	The Shenandoah Valley Campaign, from April, 1861, to June, 1862 (inclusive). <i>At the October, 1911, examination an alternative paper on the campaign set in March, 1911, will be again set for University and Colonial Candidates only.</i>
	October, 1912, and March, 1913	The Russo-Turkish War, 1877-78, omitting the operations in Asia Minor. <i>At the October, 1912, examination an alternative paper on the campaign set in March, 1912, will be again set for University and Colonial Candidates only.</i>

Officers appointed.

Post and Telegraph Department,

General Post Office, Wellington, 13th September, 1909.

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

JOHN G. FINDLAY,
Acting Postmaster-General and Minister of Telegraphs.

PERMANENT.

Name.	Position.	Office.	Date.
Abraham, William Percival	Telegraph Message Boy	Kaikoura	30 May, 1908.
Aitken, Leslie Bruce	Cadet, C.P.O.	Auckland	6 April, 1909.
Bagnall, Lemuel John	Telegraph Message Boy	Ponsonby	1 " "
Beck, Reginald Walton	"	Christchurch	3 May, "
Brown, Arthur James	"	Dunedin	1 " "
Buxton, Allan Edward	"	Auckland	1 April, "
Cameron, Annetta Maggie	Cadette, Telephone Exchange	Taihape	1 " "
Cleaver, Leslie Ernest	Telegraph Message Boy	Petone	1 May, "
Corskie, John Robert	"	Waipawa	1 April, "
Coutts, Wyman	"	Tariki	16 " "
Croucher, Richard	"	Parnell	1 " "
Daley, John	Letter-carrier	Petone	1 May, "
Delaney, Patrick	Telegraph Message Boy	Westport	1 April, 1908.
Dunn, Harley Mildred	Cadette, Telephone Exchange	Christchurch	29 Mar., 1909.
Felton, Myrtle Christina	"	"	22 " "
Fowke, Leslie John Nicholls	Telegraph Message Boy	Ashburton	24 June, 1908.
Golding, William Sydney Harold	Letter-carrier	Wellington	24 Jan., 1909.
Grantham, John Douglas	Telegraph Message Boy	Wanganui	1 July, 1908.
Griffin, Edith Featherstone	Cadette, Telephone Exchange	Auckland	22 Mar., 1909.
Halpin, Henry Edge	Telegraph Message Boy	Palmerston North	1 Dec., 1908.
Hannigan, Charles Joseph	"	Ashburton	5 April, 1909.
Harper, William	"	Mosgiel	1 " 1908.
Hudson, William Charles Edwin	"	Palmerston North	1 " "
Kivell, Thomas Arthur	Lineman	Patea	1 " 1909.
Laurenson, James	Distributor	Christchurch	19 Mar., 1908.
Law, William Murdoch	Letter-carrier	Thames	13 April, 1909.
Lightwood, Hugh Cecil	Telegraph Message Boy	Marton Junction	1 " 1908.
McAnaney, James	P.O. Messenger	Auckland	22 Mar., 1909.
McEnirney, James Francis	Telegraph Message Boy	Wellington South	26 April, "
McGrath, Kathleen Mary	Cadette	Sec.'s Office, G.P.O.	15 Mar., "
McHardie, Clarence Vivian	Telegraph Message Boy	Marton Junction	1 April, "
McKay, John Matheson	"	Dunedin	1 " "
McNeil, Robert Edward	"	Coromandel	1 " "
Malcolm, Robert John	"	Weraeroa	1 " 1908.
Martin, Jane Annie	Postmistress	Sanson	1 July, "
Martin, Rita	Cadette, Telephone Exchange	Wellington	22 Mar., 1909.
Milligan, Catherine Ellen	Postmistress	Burnett's Face	18 June, 1908.
Perkins, John	Letter-carrier	Napier	23 Nov., "
Pye, William John	Boy Sorter, C.P.O.	Wellington	29 April, 1909.
Reid, Charles Edward	Cadet, C.P.O.	Invercargill	13 " "
Rickard, Eliza Catherine	Postmistress	Ahaura	25 Mar., "
Robertson, William Bambridge	Telegraph Message Boy	Hunterville	1 April, 1908.
Rubino, Mansueto	"	Christchurch	3 " 1909.
Schadick, Emma Mary Pauline	Cadette, Telephone Exchange	Westport	22 Mar., "
Smith, George Cotton	Telegraph Message Boy	Upper Hutt	5 April, "
Studd, Lionel Nicholson	"	Auckland	1 " "
Thompson, Flora Agnes	Cadette, Telephone Exchange	Stratford	22 Mar., "
Thompson, Robert John	Telegraphist	Christchurch	1 May, "
Troy, James John	Telegraph Message Boy	Kilbirnie	14 April, "
Watt, Elizabeth Mary	Cadette, Telephone Exchange	Auckland	17 Mar., "
Whiting, Leonard George	Telegraph Message Boy	Christchurch	21 April, "

NON-PERMANENT.

Name.	Office.	District.	Date.
POSTMASTERS AND TELEGRAPHISTS.			
<i>Railway Officers.</i>			
Bateman, John Charles Wallace	Orepuki	Invercargill	2 June, 1909.
Felton, Thomas Leonard	"	"	26 " "
Holland, David Francis	Sheffield	Christchurch	20 July, "
Kerr, William	Orepuki	Invercargill	5 May, "
POSTMASTERS.			
Allen, Mary Esther	Piako	Auckland	17 July, 1909.
Anderson, Rosetta	Te Kinga	Greymouth	14 June, "
Baillie, Robert Campbell	Ruatahuna	Auckland	14 " "
Bedggood, William Henry	Paihia	"	6 July, "
Foster, Edward Albert	Kiokio	"	1 " "
Hill, James	Waikohu	Gisborne	13 " "
Hodgkinson, Clara Alice Elois	Ruakohua	Auckland	1 " "
Johnson, George Allen	Benio	Invercargill	10 " "
Oldham, Hedley	Rapaura	Blenheim	19 " "
Pedersen, Anastasia Mary	Matatera	Napier	8 " "
Thomas, James Murphy	Marumaru	"	1 Jan., "
Troughear, Georgina	Tererenga	Auckland	1 July, "
Wharfe, George Edward	North Albertland	"	8 " "
Williams, Francis Annie*	Kaiwairai	Wellington	1 April, "
POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS.			
Broadbridge, George Howard*	Wairau Valley	Blenheim	1 June, 1909.
Brown, William Alfred	Island Bay	Wellington	1 July, "
Burley, Claud Mariner	Wakarara	Napier	1 Feb., "
Edmonds, Albert Edwin	Mount Albert	Auckland	19 July, "
Garland, Henry	Awhitu Central	"	1 " "
McNee, Frank Knight*	Upper Matakaitaki	Westport	1 May, "
Magill, Hugh	Waihou	Auckland	16 July, "
Perriam, John William	Queensberry	Dunedin	13 " "
Ross, Thomas	Kiritaki	Napier	8 " "
Torr, Louisa Josephine	Ruawai	Auckland	1 " "
Warner, Abraham	Ngutuwera	Wanganui	10 " "
Williams, Lily Church	Croixelles	Nelson	10 " "
Ziegler, Margaret	Taupaki	Auckland	17 " "
TELEPHONISTS.			
Bernard, Mary Morrogh	Utakura	Auckland	16 July, 1909.
Cook, Herbert Francis	Whangamumu	"	7 " "
Heath, Mary Ann	Tutamoe	"	9 " "
McGill, Mary	Kaeaea	"	7 " "
Shepherd, Elizabeth	Ruatoki North	Thames	3 " "
Turner, Marianna	Mangatu	Auckland	12 " "

* Correcting entry in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 69, of 19th August, 1909.

The initials of the Postmistress, Utakura, Auckland, are corrected from "M. T." to "M. M." (amending entry in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 89, of 10th October, 1907.

Offices opened and closed; Designations corrected.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 13th September, 1909.

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

JOHN G. FINDLAY,
Acting Postmaster-General and Minister of Telegraphs.

OFFICES.

Office.	District.	Date.
POST-OFFICES OPENED.		
Matatera	Napier	8 July, 1909.
Paihia	Auckland	6 " "
Rapaura	Blenheim	19 " "
Ruatahuna	Auckland	14 June, "
Waikohu	Gisborne	13 July, "
POST-OFFICES CLOSED.		
Karetu	Auckland	16 June, 1909.
Waimaru	Blenheim	22 March, "
MONEY-ORDER OFFICE AND POST-OFFICE SAVINGS-BANK OPENED.		
Kakaramea	Wanganui	24 July, 1909.

OFFICES—continued.

Office.	District.	Date.
POSTAL-NOTE (ISSUING) OFFICE OPENED.		
Waimahaka	Invercargill	8 August, 1909.
TELEPHONE-OFFICES OPENED.		
Cass (reopened)	Christchurch	24 July, 1909.
Glenledi	Dunedin	26 " "
Matahanea	Thames	16 " "
Nukutawhiti	Auckland	4 August, "
Omakere	Napier	5 " "
Roa	Greymouth	17 May, "
Tui	Nelson	2 August, "
Utakura	Auckland	16 July, "
Waimatenui	"	22 " "
TELEPHONE BUREAUX OPENED.		
Aria	Auckland	2 August, 1909.
Buckland	"	14 " "
Glenledi	Dunedin	26 July, "
Mairoa	Auckland	9 August, "
Mangapehi	"	2 " "
Matahanea	Thames	16 July, "
Morrinsville	Auckland	15 January, "
Nukutawhiti	"	4 August, "
Omakere	Napier	5 " "
Paemako	Auckland	2 " "
Te Kuiti	"	2 " "
Waiariari	Timaru	14 July, "
TELEPHONE BUREAU CLOSED.		
Karioi	Wanganui	9 August, 1909.
TELEPHONE EXCHANGES OPENED.		
Cheltenham	Wellington	9 August, 1909.
Motueka	Nelson	19 July, "
Waipahi	Dunedin	27 " "

DESIGNATIONS CORRECTED.

Description.	Office.		District.	Date.
	From	To		
Post	Mungaroa	Mangaroa	Wellington	26 July, 1909.
Post, telephone, money-order, savings-bank, and bureau	Te Nui	Tinui	"	1 Aug, "

Special Order made by the Taranaki County Council, altering Ridings and fixing Representation.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 16th September, 1909.

THE following special order, made by the Taranaki County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Counties Act, 1908."

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

COUNTY OF TARANAKI.

Special Order.

In pursuance of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Counties Act, 1908," the Council of the County of Taranaki hereby resolves as follows:—

(1.) That the present Omata Riding within the County of Taranaki be divided and a new riding be created, such riding to contain the areas of the Barrett, Omata, and Upper Hurford Road Districts.

(2.) The balance of the present Omata Riding to be formed into a separate riding, and to contain the areas of the Oakura, Tataraimaka, Okato, and Werekino Road Districts.

That each riding be represented by one Councillor, and that this special order take effect as from the 31st March, 1910.

That No. 1 be called the Omata Riding, and No. 2 be called the Okato Riding.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Taranaki was affixed hereto by the Chairman, duly authorised by resolution of the said Council, on the 6th day of September, 1909.

Signed by direction and on behalf of the Council by—

(L.S.)

JOSEPH BROWN,
Chairman.
ROBERT STEVENS,
Councillor.

I hereby certify that the above special order, dividing the Omata Riding, creating an additional riding, fixing the representation and the date the said special order will take effect, has been duly made in accordance with "The Counties Act, 1908."

ROBERT ELLIS,
County Clerk.

Dated at New Plymouth, this 13th day of September, 1909.

Special Order made by the Council of the Borough of Wanganui.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 20th September, 1909.

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

J. A. MILLAR,
Acting Minister of Finance.

WANGANUI BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Town or Public Hall Repayment Loan of £4,000.—Special Order authorising raising Loan and making Special Rate.

WHEREAS the sum of £4,000, borrowed by way of special loan by the Wanganui Borough Council, to be applied and appropriated towards the erection and furnishing of a "town or public hall," is due and payable on the 1st day of October, 1909, and the sum of £4,000 is required to pay off the said loan: Now, therefore, the Wanganui Borough Council doth hereby, in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," and "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1908," and their respective amendments, resolve by special order:—

Firstly: For the purpose of paying off the whole of such special loan, to borrow and raise a special loan of £4,000, repayable on the 1st day of November, 1914.

Secondly: To establish a sinking fund during the currency of the loan of £2 per centum per annum on the amount for the time being of the said loan actually borrowed, for or towards payment of such loan at its maturity.

Thirdly: To appropriate and pledge by way of security to provide for the payment of interest on such special loan, and the payment of such sinking fund and other charges, an annually recurring special rate of 1d. in the pound on the annual value of all rateable property within the Borough of Wanganui.

Fourthly: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on the said loan of £4,000, authorised to be raised by the Wanganui Borough Council, under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," and "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1908," and their respective amendments, for paying off a special loan of £4,000, borrowed by the said Council for the erection and furnishing of a "town or public hall," which loan is due and payable on the 1st day of October, 1909, the said Wanganui Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Wanganui Borough, comprising the whole of the Borough of Wanganui; 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 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of five years and one calendar month, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The above special order was passed at a special meeting of the Council held on the 13th day of August, 1909, and confirmed at an ordinary meeting of the Council held on the 14th day of September, 1909.

The common seal of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Wanganui was affixed to the above special order by order of the Council and by and in the presence of—

C. E. MACKAY,
Mayor.
G. MURCH,
Town Clerk.

Special Order made by the Makerua Drainage Board.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 21st September, 1909.

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

J. A. MILLAR,
Acting Minister of Finance.

MAKERUA DRAINAGE BOARD.

At a special meeting of the Makerua Drainage Board held on the 6th day of August, 1909, the following special order was made:—

Notice is hereby given, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," and the amendment thereto, the Makerua Drainage Board hereby resolves as follows: That the Makerua Drainage Board proposes to raise a loan of £2,000, under the provisions and authority of paragraph (d) of section 15 of the principal Act, for the concentration and discharge of the drainage from 1,686 acres, or thereabouts, into the Board's main drain; and that a special roll of the rate-payers in Special District No. 2, the part of the Makerua Drainage District for which the loan of £2,000 is proposed to be raised, has been prepared and lodged for public inspection in the manner prescribed by subsection (3) of section 3 of the principal Act; and that such special roll was deposited for public inspection at the Courthouse, Palmerston North, on the 28th day of January, 1909. And that, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on the said loan of £2,000, authorised to be raised by the Makerua Drainage Board, under the before-mentioned Act, the Makerua Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of 3d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all properties in Special District No. 2, consisting of Sections 56 and 57, and part of the Makerua Estate, containing in all 1,685 acres 3 roods 39 perches, and of a valuation of £34,985; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and to be payable half-yearly on the 1st days of February and August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The cost of raising loan and the first year's interest to be paid out of loan.

By order.

H. GREIG,
Chairman, Makerua Drainage Board.

9th August, 1909.

At a special meeting of the Makerua Drainage Board held on the 14th day of September the above special order was duly confirmed.

The said special order was publicly notified in the newspaper circulating in the district on the 9th, 16th, 23rd, and 30th days of August, 1909.

I hereby certify that the special order referred to was duly made and confirmed by the Board at the special meetings stated.

Copies of the newspaper containing the four weekly public notifications are duly forwarded.

H. GREIG,
Chairman, Makerua Drainage Board.

Special Order made by the Council of the County of Raglan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 21st September, 1909.

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

J. A. MILLAR,
Acting Minister of Finance.

RAGLAN COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order making Special Rate.—Pukekawa Special-rating District.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," and amendments thereto, the Raglan County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £150, authorised to be raised by the Raglan County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, being an additional amount of 10 per cent. on the original loan of £1,500 raised by the said Council, under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901," for the purpose of forming and metalling portions of the Ohiro Road, to which the sum of £1,300 was allocated, and forming and metalling Murray's Road, to which the sum of £200 was allocated, which is not sufficient to complete same, the expenditure of the said sum of £150, to be allocated as to £130 to the completion of the works on the Ohiro section, and £20 to the completion of the works on the Murray Road section, the said Raglan County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 3d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Pukekawa Special-rating District. The boundaries of the special-rating district are as follows: Commencing at the north-west corner of Section 75 of Block VIII, Onewhero; thence along the Waikato River to the north-west corner of Section 78; thence along the western boundary of same section; thence east along the road-line to the north-west corner of Section 149A; thence along the western boundary of same section and Section 150A to the road-line; thence south and east along the road-line to the river-bank; thence along the river-bank to Opuatia Parish line at the north corner of Section 4; thence along the parish-line to the south-east corner of Section 8; thence along the road-line to the northern corner of Opuatia No. 3A; thence along the western boundary-line of the same section to the Opuatia Stream; thence along the Opuatia Stream to the boundary of the Onewhero Special-rating District; thence along the said boundary to point of commencement. 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 July and the 1st day of January in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, and the interest to be paid at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum, or until the loan is fully paid off; and it is the intention to pay out of loan cost of raising same and first year's interest.

The above resolution was duly passed as a special order at a special meeting of the Raglan County Council held on the 22nd day of July, 1909, and confirmed at a special meeting of the said Council held on the 15th day of September, 1909.

BASIL HEWETT,
Chairman.
H. MARSLAND,
Clerk.

Special Order made by the Council of the Borough of Picton.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 21st September, 1909.

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

J. A. MILLAR,
Acting Minister of Finance.

PICTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

In the matter of a loan of £2,500, raised under "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," for the purposes of drainage of a portion of the Borough of Picton.

Notice is hereby given that at a special meeting of the Picton Borough Council held on the 20th day of August, 1909, a resolution was passed that, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £2,500, authorised to be raised by the Picton Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of the drainage of a portion of the Borough of Picton, the said Picton Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1½d. in the pound upon the rateable value of the rateable property hereinafter more particularly described—that is to say, all that area of the Borough of Picton situated in Block XII, Linkwater Survey District, enclosed within an imaginary line commencing at the north-eastern corner of Reserve No. 1149 on which the Courthouse stands; thence diagonally in a north-westerly direction across Broadway Street to the south-western boundary of part Section 251; thence along the boundary of the railway reserve along Auckland Street in a northerly direction as far as the north-eastern corner of Section 246; thence westerly along the northern boundary of the said Section 246 to the middle of the said boundary; thence through the middle of Sections 245, 244, 243, and 242, following the eastern boundary of the railway reserve, to the northern boundary of Section 242; thence westerly to the north-western boundary of the said Section 242; thence due north across Dublin Street to the southern boundary of Section 229; thence in a northerly direction along the eastern boundary of the railway reserve to the north-western corner of Section 235; thence in an easterly direction along the northern boundary of the said Section 235 to the corner of Auckland Street and London Quay; thence in a general easterly direction along the inland side of London Quay to Wellington Street; thence in a south-easterly direction to the north-western boundary of Section 1160; thence along the northern boundary of the said Section 1160 to the sea; thence in a southerly direction along the eastern boundary of the said Section 1160 to the north-western corner of Section 2; thence in a general easterly direction along the sea to the north-eastern boundary of Section 7; thence in a southerly direction along the eastern boundary of the said Section 7 to Dublin Street; thence in a south-easterly direction across Dublin Street to the north-eastern corner of Section 10; thence southerly along the eastern boundary of Section 10 to the north-western corner of Section 371; thence eastwards to the north-eastern corner of Section 1121; thence southerly across Russell Street to the north-western corner of Section 1128; thence southerly to the north-western corner of Section 281; thence westerly to the north-western corner of Section 280; thence southerly to Broadway; thence south-eastwards to the north-eastern corner of Section 287; thence southerly to the south-eastern corner of Section 287; thence due west to the north-western corner of Reserve 466; thence southerly to Otago Street; thence south-eastwards to the north-eastern corner of Section 1133; thence southerly to the south-eastern corner of Section 1133; thence due west to the north-eastern corner of Section 300; thence in a southerly direction to the north-eastern corner of Section 302; thence due west along the northern boundary of the said Section 302 to Wellington Street; thence along Wellington Street in a northerly direction to the commencing-point: which said imaginary line encloses the following sections, which comprise the special-rating area over which the said special rate is struck—namely, Sections 301, 300, 299, 298, 297, 296, 200, 1133, 295, 294, 293, 292, 291, 290, 289, 288, 285, 286, 287, 279, 278, 1126, 1127, 1128, 1121, 371, 370, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1, 1160, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 257, 256, 255, 254, 253, 252, 327, 263, 262, 261, 260, 259, 258, 269, 268, 267, 266, 265, 264, 326, 275, 274, 273, 272, 271, 270, 235, 234, 233, 232, 231, 230, 229, and part of Sections 251, 245, 244, 243, 242, all which sections hereinbefore mentioned are delineated on the plan of the Town of Picton: and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April 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.

And notice is hereby given also that the said resolution will be submitted to a special meeting of the said Picton Borough Council, to be held at the Borough Council Offices, situate in High Street, Picton, on Saturday, the 18th day of September, 1909, at noon, for confirmation as a special order.

Dated this 20th day of August, 1909.

J. BLIZZARD,
Town Clerk.

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order was duly confirmed, this 18th day of September, 1909.

H. A. McCORMICK,
Mayor.

Special Order made by the Council of the Borough of Feilding.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 22nd September, 1909.

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

J. A. MILLAR,
Acting Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF FEILDING.

Special Order.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," and amendments thereof, the Council of the Borough of Feilding hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £160, authorised to be raised by the Council of the Borough of Feilding, under the above-mentioned Act, for the completion of construction of a ferro-concrete bridge across the Makino Stream in Manchester Street, the said Council of the Borough of Feilding hereby makes and levies a special rate of 2½d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Borough of Feilding; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The above special order was duly passed and adopted at a properly constituted special meeting of the Council held on the 16th day of August, 1909, and confirmed at a meeting of the Council held on the 16th day of September, 1909.

WM. JAMES B. TREWIN,
Mayor of the Borough of Feilding.

Special Order made by the Council of the County of Waimarino.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 20th September, 1909.

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

J. A. MILLAR,
Acting Minister of Finance.

WAIMARINO COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Meeting.—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 Waimarino County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,050, authorised to be raised by the Waimarino County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for forming and metalling Ward Street from Ranfurly Terrace to Grey Street, and for forming footpaths in Ward Street from Ranfurly Terrace to Queen Street (the sum of £650), for forming and metalling Duncan Street from Ranfurly Terrace to Grey Street (the sum of £280), and for forming Pitt Street from the Mill Road to Duncan Street (the sum of £120), the said Waimarino County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 3d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Raetihi Townships Streets No. 2 Special-rating Area, comprising (with the exception of sections at present included in the Mill Road Special-rating Area and in the Raetihi Townships Streets No. 1 Special-rating Area) the whole of the Raetihi Riding, and includes all of the following sections in the Township of Raetihi in Block VI of the Makotuku Survey District—Sections 212 to 226 (inclusive), Block V; Sections 83 to 97 (inclusive), Block VI; Sections 138 to 157 (inclusive), Block VII; Sections 158 to 184 (inclusive), Block VIII; Sections 281 to 254 (inclusive), Block IX; Sections 99 to 103 (inclusive), Block X; Sections 108 to 116 (inclusive), Block X; Sections 119 to 186 (inclusive), Block XI; Sections 196 to 199 (inclusive), Block XII; Sections 185 to 195 (inclusive), Block XIII; and the following suburban sections—211, 255 to 261 (inclusive), 263 to 278 (inclusive), 280, 282, 284, 286, 288, 289, 290, and 290A: and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable

yearly on the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The loan is to bear interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum, and it is proposed to pay out of the loan-moneys the cost of raising the loan and the first year's interest thereon.

I, Peter Brass, Chairman of the Waimarino County Council, do hereby certify that the above special order was duly made and passed at a special meeting of the Waimarino County Council held on the 21st day of July, 1909, and was duly confirmed at a special meeting of the said Waimarino County Council held on the 6th day of September, 1909.

PETER BRASS,
Chairman.

In testimony whereof the common seal of the Waimarino County Council has been hereunto affixed.

Dated this 6th day of September, 1909.

PETER BRASS,
Chairman.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Waimarino was hereunto affixed on the 6th day of September, 1909, in the presence of—

HENRY WILSON CAMPBELL,
County Clerk.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 29th September, 1909.

THE following notice, received from the Wainono Drainage Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908."

J. A. MILLAR,
Acting Minister of Finance.

In the matter of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," "The Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908," and "The Land Drainage Act, 1908," and the Acts amending the same respectively.

I, GEORGE HUNTER, Chairman of the Wainono Drainage Board, do hereby give notice that the result of the poll taken on the 20th day of August, 1909, on the proposal to rebuild a main outlet culvert from the Waihao River to the sea, and for that purpose to raise a special loan of £2,300, and to make an annually recurring special rate of 1½d. in the pound on all land in the Wainono Drainage District classified under the provisions of "The Land Drainage Act, 1908," as first-class land for the purposes of such Act, 1d. in the pound on all land in the said district classified as aforesaid on second-class land, and ¾d. in the pound on all land in the said district classified as aforesaid as third-class land, on the unimproved value of all the said lands rateable under "The Land Drainage Act, 1908," in the said district, as security for the interest and sinking fund in connection with such loan, such special rate to be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable on the 1st day of April and 1st day of October in each and every year during a period equal to the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid off (the interest to be paid on the said loan is at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum), and to pay out of the loan-moneys the cost of raising the loan and the first year's interest of the loan during the construction of the said works, is as follows:—

Number of votes recorded for the proposal	..	33
Number of votes recorded against the proposal	..	22
Total .. .. .	..	55

The total number of valid votes recorded in favour of the proposal being three-fifths of the total number of valid votes recorded at the poll, I therefore hereby declare the proposal to be carried.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1909.

GEORGE HUNTER,
Chairman of the Wainono Drainage Board.

Authorising the Laying-off of Taupo and Tuhua Roads, in the Town of Ongarue, of a Width of not less than 66 ft. each.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 17th September, 1909.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of "The Land Act, 1908," I, David Buddo, Acting Minister of Lands, do hereby authorise the laying-off of Taupo and Tuhua Roads, in the Town of Ongarue, Taranaki Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. each, instead of 99 ft.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Authorising the Laying-off of Woodhouse Street, in the Town of North Linwood Extension No. 8, Canterbury Land District, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 17th September, 1909.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of "The Land Act, 1908," I, David Buddo, Acting Minister of Lands, do hereby authorise the laying-off of Woodhouse Street, in the Town of North Linwood Extension No. 8, Canterbury Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft., instead of 99 ft.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Notice of the Taking and Laying-off of a Road through Mangaroa A No. 2 Block, Taranaki Land District.

NOTICE is hereby given, by direction of His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, under the authority of section 93 of "The Public Works Act, 1908," that the road described in the Schedule hereto was 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 22nd day of July, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken for Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block and Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 2 22	Mangaroa A No. 2 Block	X, Ohura ..	3411	Pink.

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the District Lands Office, at New Plymouth.

Dated this 16th day of September, 1909.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Names of Persons deemed to be entitled to Land under the Provisions of "The South Island Landless Natives Act, 1906," in Section 31, Block VI, Gore Survey District, Marlborough Land District.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 15th September, 1909.

IN pursuance of section 8 of "The South Island Landless Natives Act, 1906," it is hereby notified that the persons whose names are enumerated in the Schedule hereto are deemed to be entitled to the areas of land set opposite their respective names, under the provisions of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

Name.	Area allotted.	Locality.
Huruata, Mihi ..	40	Section 31, Block VI, Gore Survey District.
" Te Ata Tuhi ..	40	
" Piri ..	40	
" Tobi te Manu ..	40	
" Rangikopinga ..	40	
" Kuraheke ..	40	
" Makuku ..	40	
" Pae Mata ..	40	
" Moari ..	40	

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

"The Sharebrokers Act, 1908."—Alteration to Rules of Thames Stock Exchange.

Head Office, Stamp Department,
Wellington, 17th September, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased, in terms of section 11 of "The Sharebrokers Act, 1908," to approve the following rule:—

Rule No. 4.—"The maximum fee for entrance as a member of the Exchange shall be one hundred pounds (£100)."

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Stamp Duties.

Notice to Mariners No. 77 of 1909.

WANGANUI HARBOUR.—REMOVAL AND ALTERATION OF BEACONS, AND ALTERED DIRECTIONS.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd September, 1909.

THE Wanganui Harbour Board has notified that an error was made in the colour of one of the beacon lights referred to in Notice to Mariners No. 72, issued by this Department on the 7th instant, and therefore that notice is cancelled, and the following substituted for it:—

The black and white beacons on the South Head have been removed, and the leading-beacons on the North Head have been shifted from the east side to the west side of the signal-station, and the lights thereon are *white*. The following are the directions for entering the river, viz.: After crossing the bar and rounding the north end of the South Spit, vessels should steer to the south-eastward, and keep the red and white beacons, or two *white* lights on the north beach, in line, which course follow until the two red lights on the south internal wall are opened out; thence follow directions as previously given in the "New Zealand Nautical Almanac."

Chart, &c. affected: Admiralty Chart No. 2054; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chap. v, pages 157 and 158; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1909, pages 147, 148, and 294.

J. A. MILLAR.

Notice fixing Closing-hours of Fruiterers' and Confectioners' Shops in the Borough of Kumara under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the shops wherein is carried on the trade of a seller of fruit and confectionery in the Borough of Kumara, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops within the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday, 10 p.m.; Wednesday (the statutory half-holiday), 1 p.m.; and Saturday, 11 p.m.: And whereas the Kumara Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the shops within the Borough of Kumara wherein is carried on the trade of a seller of fruit and confectionery:

Now, therefore, I, John George Findlay, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1908," do hereby direct that, from and after the 27th day of September, 1909, all such shops in the Borough of Kumara shall be closed in accordance with the aforementioned requisition.

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

JOHN G. FINDLAY,
For Minister of Labour.

Notice fixing Closing-hours of Butchers', Hairdressers', and Stationers' Shops in the Borough of Kumara under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the shops in each of the trades of butchers, hairdressers, and stationers in the Borough of Kumara, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops in the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Saturdays, 10 p.m. (except hairdressers, 11 p.m.); Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays, 9 p.m.; Wednesdays (statutory half-holiday), 1 p.m.: And whereas the Kumara Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the shops in each of the trades of butchers, hairdressers, and stationers in the Borough of Kumara:

Now, therefore, I, John George Findlay, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1908," do hereby direct that, from and after the 27th day of September, 1909, all shops in each of the trades of butchers, hairdressers, and stationers in the Borough of Kumara shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

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

JOHN G. FINDLAY,
For Minister of Labour.

Forbidding Money-order and Postal Correspondence for the Benkő Bank, Budapest.

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

SCHEDULE.

BENKŐ BANK, 60 Andrassy Street, Budapest.

Dated this 20th day of September, 1909.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,
Acting Postmaster-General.

Justices of the Peace appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 22nd September, 1909.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned persons to be Justices of the Peace for New Zealand, namely:—

Thomas Aitken, Esq., of Mosgiel.
William Stewart Algie, Esq., of Saunders, Alfredton, co. Pahiatua.
Robert Candlish Allen, Esq., of Annandale, Morrinsville, co. Piako.
David Armstrong, Esq., of Ngahere, co. Grey.
William Arnold, Esq., of Spring Grove, Nelson.
Thomas Richard Atkinson, Esq., of Dargaville, co. Hobson.
Thomas Anderson Bamber, Esq., of Wanganui.
John Barnett, Esq., of Leeston, co. Selwyn.
John Barr, Esq., of Eastbourne, Wellington.
William Barrett, Esq., of Christchurch.
John Bary, Esq., of Renwicktown, co. Marlborough.
Joseph Edward Bartlett, Esq., of Richmond, Nelson.
Samuel John Barwell, Esq., of Orawia, co. Southland.
David Arthur Baxter, Esq., of Napier.
John Coupland Becroft, Esq., of Ponsonby, Auckland.
Frank Bedford, Esq., of Wellington.
Alexander Gerald Beere, Esq., of Gisborne.
Andrew Bell, Esq., of Duntroon, co. Waitaki.
Fred Cornelius James Bellringer, Esq., of New Plymouth.
James Bennet, Esq., of Rae's Junction, co. Tuapeka.
Arthur Cochrane Bennett, Esq., of Huiarangi, Patoka, co. Hawke's Bay.
Joseph Bicknell, Esq., of Puketapu, co. Hawke's Bay.
Robert Bilkey, jun., Esq., of Pukekohe, co. Manukau.
John Black, Esq., of Waimate, Canterbury.
Samuel Blake, Esq., of Kakarama, co. Patea.
John Albert Blank, Esq., of St. Albans, Christchurch.
Thomas William Blennerhassett, Esq., of Wanganui.
Edward Brabazon Boland, Esq., of Hauti, co. Cook.
Erni Bond, Esq., of Auckland.
Josiphiah Wedgwood Boon, Esq., of New Plymouth.
Hugh Boyd, Esq., of Rangiora.
George Leonard Bradley, Esq., of Raupo, co. Otamatea.
James Brake, Esq., of Christchurch.
Charles Harry Bridge, Esq., of Motu, co. Cook.
William Gnise Brittan, Esq., of Cashmere Hills, Christchurch.
Samuel Carey Brown, Esq., of Auckland.
Stephen Bryant, Esq., of Ohariu, co. Makara.
Samuel Bullock, Esq., of Fendalton, Christchurch.
Charles Joseph Butcher, Esq., of Tauranga.

William Leonard Butler, Esq., of Tiroto, co. Cook.
 George Cameron, Esq., of Werarua, co. Horowhenua.
 Frederick James Carr, Esq., of Sockburn, co. Selwyn.
 Henry Samuel Castle, Esq., of Reefton.
 Charles Augustus Cawkwell, Esq., of Remuera, Auckland.
 Albyn Walter Cheeseman, Esq., of Waihopo, co. Mangani.
 Walter Chisholm, Esq., of Nelson.
 Clement Alexander Clarke, Esq., of Okaiawa, co. Hawera.
 Cecil Henry Clinkard, Esq., of Mamaku, co. Rotorua.
 Edward Cole, Esq., of Papakura, co. Manukau.
 Robert Bell Cole, Esq., of Huntville, co. Rangitikei.
 James Moore Coradine, Esq., of Masterton.
 Alfred Coster, Esq., of Waikoura, co. Southland.
 Edmund Blachford Cox, Esq., of Rotoorangi, Cambridge.
 Michael John Coyle, Esq., of Mount Albert, Auckland.
 Michael Cronin, Esq., of Mapuna, co. Hobson.
 Alexander Crow, jun., Esq., of Maheno, co. Waitaki.
 John Cunningham, Esq., of Brookside, co. Selwyn.
 Kenneth Waring Dalrymple Esq., of Parewanui, Co. Rangitikei.
 Arthur Robert Davis, Esq., of Pukearuhe, co. Clifton.
 George Davis, Esq., of Auckland.
 John Deans, Esq., of Homebush, Glentunnel, co. Selwyn.
 Alfred Herbert Dillon, Esq., of Waipukurau, co. Waipukurau.
 William Dinwiddie, Esq., of Napier.
 Marmaduke John Dixon, Esq., of West Eyreton, co. Selwyn.
 George Oswald Donovan, Esq., of Kopuaranga, co. Masterton.
 Hugh Douglas, Esq., of Hamilton.
 Henry Alfred Dovey, Esq., of Borton's, co. Waitaki.
 Thomas Dunn, Esq., of Rakaunui, co. Akitio.
 Joseph James Eason, Esq., of Johnsonville.
 Henry Eaton, Esq., of Timaru.
 Alexander Watson Edwards, Esq., of Te Aroha.
 Richard Campbell Ellis, Esq., of Belgrove, Nelson.
 Robert Anderson Ewing, Esq., of Dunedin.
 William Anderson Ewing, Esq., of Dunedin.
 Edward Sumner Fairey, Esq., of Brightwater, Nelson.
 Brownlow John Fatt, Esq., of Gore.
 Alfred Gilbey Falwell, Esq., of Warkworth, co. Rodney.
 Thomas Fiddis, Esq., of South Dunedin.
 James Fisher, Esq., of Denniston, co. Buller.
 James Edward Fitzgerald, Esq., of Wainihinihi, co. Westland.
 Michael Fitzgerald, Esq., of Otira, co. Westland.
 William Fleming, Esq., of Dunedin.
 James Fougere, Esq., of Chatham Islands.
 Robert Forrest, Esq., of Flat Creek, co. Marlborough.
 Edward Robert Fox, Esq., of Denniston, co. Buller.
 James Fraser, Esq., of Lyalldale, St. Andrew's, co. Waimate.
 Murdoch Fraser, Esq., of New Plymouth.
 Christian Fredericksen, Esq., of Le Bon's Bay, co. Akaroa.
 Henry Robert French, Esq., of Warkworth, co. Rodney.
 James Fuller, Esq., of Seddon, Marlborough.
 John Gardner, Esq., of New Lynn, Auckland.
 Basil Robertson Gardener, Esq., of Levin.
 William Gardiner, Esq., of Taumarunui, co. West Taupo.
 Andrew Gibson, Esq., of Temuka.
 Joseph Gibson, Esq., of Cheviot, co. Cheviot.
 William Thomas Gilbert, Esq., of Karamea, co. Buller.
 Frederick Octavius Goodson, Esq., of Rotorua.
 George Keith Graham, Esq., of Palmerston, Otago.
 John Edwin Hall, Esq., of Hastings.
 John Ronald Hamilton, Esq., of Winton.
 Robert Hamilton, Esq., of Duntroon, co. Waitaki.
 Osmond Wellersley Hanby, Esq., of Nelson.
 Henry James Harris, Esq., of Wakefield, Nelson.
 Robert Hatchwell, Esq., of Lyttelton.
 Joseph Frank Strong Hay, Esq., of Wellington.
 Arthur Heckler, Esq., of Waikouaiti.
 James Henderson, Esq., of Esk Valley, St. Andrew's, co. Waimate.
 James Russell Hetherington, Esq., of Ngaruawahia, co. Waipa.
 William Frederick Highley, Esq., of Clive, co. Hawke's Bay.
 Charles Edward Treherne Hill, Esq., of Sockburn, co. Selwyn.
 Henry Ewart Hill, Esq., of Gisborne.
 James Robert Hill, Esq., of Hillsborough, co. Taranaki.
 John Hill, Esq., of Hukerenui, co. Bay of Islands.
 Henry Hirst, Esq., of Orepuki, co. Wallace.
 Charles Bonfield Hoadley, Esq., of Napier.
 William John Holdsworth, Esq., of Auckland.
 Arthur Samuel Holmes, Esq., of Onehunga.
 Robert Boyd Holmes, Esq., of Havelock North, co. Hawke's Bay.

Arthur Frederick Hooper, Esq., of Melbourne.
 John Knowles Hornblow, Esq., of Foxton.
 Maurice James Houlihan, Esq., of Wharekawa, Whangamata, co. Ohinemuri.
 William James Howell, Esq., of Paraparaumu, co. Hutt.
 Frank Hubbard, Esq., of Te Aroha.
 Hugh Stevenson Hunter, Esq., of Waianiwa, co. Southland.
 William Elkin Hutchison, Esq., of Auckland.
 William James Jaffery, Esq., of Auckland.
 John Jemison, Esq., of Tariki, co. Taranaki.
 Joseph Henry Johnson, Esq., of Hikurangi, co. Whangarei.
 Albert Johnston, Esq., of Waikanae, co. Horowhenua.
 William David Jolly, Esq., of Cromwell.
 Frederick Charles Jones, Esq., of Otaki, co. Horowhenua.
 Cecil Kemp, Esq., of Kerikeri, co. Bay of Islands.
 Andrew Arthur Kerr, Esq., of Belgrove, Nelson.
 William Alexander Kerr, Esq., of Riponui, co. Whangarei.
 George Knight, Esq., of Newton, Auckland.
 Joseph Laking, Esq., of Onehunga.
 John Alfred Lambert, jun., Esq., of Timatanga, co. Marlborough.
 John Robert Lambert, Esq., of Towai, co. Bay of Islands.
 Joseph Tilson Lang, Esq., of Palmerston North.
 John Parker Lawrie, Esq., of Rotorua.
 Thomas Laws, Esq., of Napier.
 William Henry Laycock, Esq., of Hikuai, Tairua, co. Coromandel.
 Edward Lefevre, Esq., of Palmerston South.
 Francis Charles Alfred Leggett, Esq., of Wharekopae, co. Cook.
 Daniel Hugh Lewis, Esq., of Okaihau, co. Bay of Islands.
 William Arthur Lindop, Esq., of Rotomana, Greymouth.
 Carl Johannes Edward Linnemann, Esq., of Hokitika.
 Thomas Currie List, Esq., of New Plymouth.
 Henry Arthur Lloyd, Esq., of Ashburton.
 Leonard John Lloyd, Esq., of Aukopae Landing, Taumarunui.
 Jabez William Mace Luxford, Esq., of Aramoho, Wanganui.
 William Lynskey, Esq., of Kaiapoi.
 Robert Macaulay, Esq., of Milford, Temuka.
 William James MacDermott, Esq., of Ponsonby, Auckland.
 John William Macdonald, Esq., of Wellington.
 Oscar Henry Mackechnie, Esq., of Pipiriki, co. Wanganui.
 Arthur Mairs, Esq., of Lyell, co. Buller.
 Gordon Maitland, Esq., of Picton.
 Francis Joseph Marshall, Esq., of Morrinsville, co. Piako.
 George Martin, Esq., of Auckland.
 William Martin, Esq., of Papatowai, co. Clutha.
 Alexander Matheson, Esq., of Roslyn, Dunedin.
 Percy Matthews, Esq., of Tairua, co. Coromandel.
 Robert McCarroll, Esq., of Mareretu, co. Whangarei.
 Marskam A'Becket McCarthy, Esq., of Greytown.
 William McCathie, Esq., of Upper Waiwera, co. Waitemata.
 Alfred McClure, Esq., of Campbelltown, Invercargill.
 James McCoolgan, Esq., of Niagara, co. Southland.
 Quentin Anderson McLlwraith, Esq., of Whangape, co. Hokianga.
 John McInnes, Esq., of Winchester, co. Geraldine.
 Angus John McKay, Esq., of Titoki, co. Whangarei.
 James Donald McKay, Esq., of Guntown, co. Coromandel.
 Donald McKenzie, Esq., of Te Oneroa, co. Fiord.
 James Joseph McKeown, Esq., of Springbrook, St. Andrew's, co. Waimate.
 Isaac McLeod, Esq., of Helensville, co. Waitemata.
 Christopher McRae, Esq., of Brantra, Hokonui, co. Southland.
 George Edwards Meek, Esq., of Fairfax, co. Southland.
 Armstrong Mewburn, Esq., of Auckland.
 John Millar, Esq., of Wyndham.
 David Mills, Esq., of Melbourne.
 Cecil Fenwick Mitchell, Esq., of Mornington, Dunedin.
 William Fyfe Moody, Esq., of Whakatane, co. Whakatane.
 Charles Daniel Moore, Esq., of Winton.
 James Morris, Esq., of Ararua, Matakoho, co. Otamatea.
 William Morton, Esq., of Kimbolton, co. Kiwitea.
 William Moynihan, Esq., of Middlemarch, co. Taieri.
 George Thompson Muloock, Esq., of Waimui, Christchurch.
 George Nash, Esq., of Wadestown, Wellington.
 Robert Neilson, Esq., of Wanganui.
 William Field Newbery, Esq., of Waitara.
 Richard Atkinson Nicholls, Esq., of Brookdale, Bideford, co. Masterton.
 Thomas Cheal Norris, Esq., of New Brighton Road, Christchurch.
 William Bernard North, Esq., of Beautiful Valley, co. Geraldine.

Maurice O'Connor, Esq., of Hazelburn, Pleasant Point, co. Levels.

Michael O'Reilly, Esq., of Kutarere, co. Opotiki.

Cornelius O'Sullivan, Esq., of Uruti, co. Clifton.

Nicholas O'Toole, Esq., of Fairlie, co. Mackenzie.

William Richard Pankhurst, Esq., of Riverton.

George Barr Paterson, Esq., of Gore.

William Edward Percival, Esq., of Inglewood.

William Pettie, Esq., of Gisborne.

David Mainland Philip, Esq., of Dunback, co. Waihemo.

Frederick George Platt, sen., Esq., of Henderson, co. Waitemata.

William Plowman, Esq., of Napier.

William Priest, Esq., of Timaru.

James Perceval Prouse, Esq., of Mangarakau, co. Collingwood.

James Robert Purdy, Esq., of Hutt, Wellington.

Charles Ray, Esq., of Bannockburn, co. Vincent.

Robert Roger Middleton Ray, Esq., of Karamea, co. Buller.

Nevill Jupp Ray, Esq., of Pakaraka, co. Bay of Islands.

William Edward Redman, Esq., of Picton.

Carl Fredrick Reed, Esq., of Ōtakura, co. Bay of Islands.

William James Reilly, Esq., of Takaka, co. Takaka.

John Rentoul, Esq., of Cheviot, co. Cheviot.

Oliffe Richmond, Esq., of Mironui, Motu, co. Cook.

James Risk, Esq., of Birchfield, co. Buller.

William Robertson, sen., Esq., of Herbert, co. Waitaki.

Alexander Higgie Rollo, Esq., of Ōtaki, co. Horowhenua.

Samuel Thomas Rossiter, Esq., of Waiuku, co. Manukau.

James Rothwell, Esq., of Timaru.

Samuel Rundle, Esq., of Bell Block, co. Taranaki.

Herbert Southern Russell, Esq., of Timaru.

Isaac Salek, Esq., of Wellington.

Robert Salmon, Esq., of Auckland.

Lionel Gordon Saxby, Esq., of Whatatutu, co. Cook.

Henry Schofield, Esq., of Grey Lynn, Auckland.

Christian Fredrick Schwass, Esq., of Hope, co. Waimea.

George John Sealy, Esq., of Timaru.

Henry Havelock Sharplin, Esq., of Stavely, co. Ashburton.

David Shaw, Esq., of Moreere, Nuhaka, co. Wairoa.

Richard Sherratt, Esq., of Patutahi, co. Cook.

Charles Simpson, Esq., of Papanui, Christchurch.

William Simpson, Esq., of Whakapara, co. Whangarei.

Reginald Heber Skelton, Esq., of Ōtuhi, co. Marsden.

Joseph Smail, Esq., of Riversdale, co. Southland.

Edward Smith, Esq., of Waitaki South, co. Waitaki.

Godwyn Dalrymple Smith, Esq., of Manurewa, co. Manukau.

John Smith, Esq., of West Eyreton, co. Ashley.

Thomas Smith, Esq., of Waikouaiti.

William Smith, Esq., of Invercargill.

Robert John Southgate, Esq., of Petone, Wellington.

Joseph Sparrow, Esq., of Dunedin.

Robert Millard Speirs, Esq., of St. Albans, Christchurch.

Herbert Christian Squires, Esq., of Parua Bay, co. Whangarei.

Thomas Stevenson, Esq., of Spotswood, Cheviot.

George Stuart, Esq., of Brooksdale, Tapanui.

Lewis Stuart, Esq., of Otarawao, co. Marlborough.

Alfred Edwin Tapper, Esq., of Waitoru, Wallacetown, co. Southland.

John Morgan Taylor, Esq., of Linwood, Christchurch.

Thomas David Taylor, Esq., of Havelock, Marlborough.

Herbert Henry Thoms, Esq., of Manga-o-hae, co. Waitomo.

James Edwin Tidd, Esq., of Hamilton.

John Topham, Esq., of Onetea, co. Hobson.

Arthur Francis Trask, Esq., of Stoke, co. Waimea.

William Andrew Tulloch, Esq., of Tolaga Bay, co. Cook.

Charles Turner, jun., Esq., of Flat Creek, co. Marlborough.

John Frederick Wachsmann, Esq., of Christchurch.

Edward Walsh, sen., Esq., of Awakino, co. Clifton.

Wilfred John Walter, Esq., of Marshland, co. Selwyn.

William Wardlaw, Esq., of Ruatoki, co. Whakatane.

William Holden Webb, Esq., of Nelson.

James Weir, Esq., of Heathcote Valley, co. Selwyn.

George Whitcombe, Esq., of Oparau, co. Kawhia.

John James Winsbury White, Esq., of Blenheim.

William Winsbury White, Esq., of Ashburton.

Edmund Wickes, Esq., of Greymouth.

Herbert Lester Wiggins, Esq., of St. Clair, Dunedin.

Alexander Herbert Wilkie, Esq., of Ohakune, co. Waimarino.

George Wilkinson, Esq., of Ellerslie, Auckland.

Thomas Williams, Esq., of Waipawa, co. Waipawa.

Alexander Wilson, Esq., of Ruatangata, co. Whangarei.

Victor Emmanuel Winter, Esq., of Wairoa, Hawke's Bay.

Arthur Stanley Wohlmann, Esq., of Rotorua.

Arthur William Wood, Esq., of Fitzroy, co. Taranaki.

Richard Wylie, Esq., of Kaiapoi.

David Yorwarth, Esq., of Ross.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

Notice of Intention to take Land for a Road in Waimarino County, Block V, Karioi Survey District.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1908," to execute a certain work, to wit, the construction of a road in Karioi Survey District, and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the Post-office at Ohakune, and is there open for inspection. And notice is also hereby given that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 8-9	4	V	Karioi	P.W.D. 2511	Red.

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this sixteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

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,

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 21st August, 1909, and for the corresponding period, 1908:—

KAWAKAWA SECTION.

	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	31	4	35	36	10	46
2nd Class	360	384	744	336	244	580
Total	391	388	779	372	254	626
Season Tickets			2			1
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			35			13
Horses			4			2
Carriages			2			..
Dogs			4			4
Total			45			19
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays			..			..
Cattle			..			10
Calves			4			..
Sheep			..			..
Pigs			..			..
Total			4			10
Chaff, Lime, &c.			Tons.			Tons.
Wool			18			..
Firewood			..			..
Timber			16			88
Grain			140			81
Merchandise			147			112
Minerals			236			383
Total			557			664
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			40 10 4			34 15 9
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			10 9 2			8 0 6
Goods			120 11 3			139 15 5
Miscellaneous			0 7 10			6 17 10
Rents and Commission			3 4 8			1 14 0
Total			£175 3 3			£191 3 6

WHANGAREI SECTION.

	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	721	472	1,193	1,171	530	1,751
2nd Class	2,326	2,424	4,750	2,605	2,528	5,133
Total	3,047	2,896	5,943	3,776	3,108	6,884
Season Tickets			13			26
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			131			171
Horses			3			..
Carriages			..			..
Dogs			9			8
Total			143			179
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays			..			2
Cattle			3			70
Calves			..			..
Sheep			8			7
Pigs			16			17
Total			27			96
Chaff, Lime, &c.			Tons.			Tons.
Wool			30			24
Firewood			..			..
Timber			84			102
Grain			1,822			2,864
Merchandise			219			212
Minerals			236			213
Total			7,959			9,357
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			265 11 6			291 6 7
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			43 13 4			26 10 3
Goods			1,669 11 7			2,094 11 6
Miscellaneous			187 3 1			24 19 8
Rents and Commission			14 8 4			14 13 3
Total			£2,180 7 10			£2,452 1 3

KAIHU SECTION.

	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	28	64	92	20	38	58
2nd Class	1,021	768	1,789	1,054	740	1,794
Total	1,049	832	1,881	1,074	778	1,852
Season Tickets			0			0
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			132			160
Horses			4			3
Carriages			..			..
Dogs			10			9
Total			146			172
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays			..			..
Cattle			..			..
Calves			..			..
Sheep			..			..
Pigs			..			..
Total			..			..
Chaff, Lime, &c.			Tons.			Tons.
Wool			6			..
Firewood			..			18
Timber			422			41
Grain			52			51
Merchandise			165			132
Minerals			..			5
Total			657			247
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			89 4 3			87 0 7
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			21 14 5			22 14 5
Goods			147 16 6			75 5 10
Miscellaneous			1 9 3			0 4 11
Rents and Commission			4 11 8			2 2 0
Total			£264 16 1			£187 7 9

GISBORNE SECTION.

	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	269	296	565	222	300	522
2nd Class	1,988	1,888	3,876	1,544	1,544	3,707
Total	2,257	2,184	4,441	2,385	1,844	4,229
Season Tickets			99			137
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			189			151
Horses			1			4
Carriages			1			1
Dogs			33			28
Total			224			184
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays			1			1
Cattle			12			2
Calves			..			21
Sheep			680			..
Pigs			30			9
Total			723			33
Chaff, Lime, &c.			Tons.			Tons.
Wool			24			30
Firewood			3			10
Timber			78			78
Grain			230			138
Merchandise			182			132
Minerals			148			104
Total			1,479			338
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			349 2 5			340 9 0
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			33 16 3			33 10 5
Goods			423 6 0			200 0 5
Miscellaneous			61 0 11			0 4 2
Rents and Commission			33 16 11			9 13 3
Total			£901 2 6			£583 17 3

NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	15,923	35,134	51,057	18,046	42,712	60,758
2nd Class	93,122	193,700	286,822	103,798	207,514	311,312
Total	109,045	228,834	337,879	121,844	250,226	372,070

	1909.		1908.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.
Season Tickets	3,493	3,843		
PARCELS, ETC.,—				
Parcels	23,300	23,829		
Horses	425	396		
Carriages	80	92		
Dogs	2,182	2,102		
Total	30,987	26,419		

	1909.		1908.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.
GOODS,—				
Drays	57	89		
Cattle	9,491	8,262		
Calves	458	975		
Sheep	58,470	84,368		
Pigs	1,484	1,713		
Total	69,960	95,407		

	1909.		1908.	
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	4,856	3,828		
Wool	214	313		
Firewood	3,990	3,968		
Timber	16,015	18,465		
Grain	14,132	12,199		
Merchandise	17,846	19,859		
Minerals	38,683	41,137		
Total	95,736	99,769		

	1909.			1908.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
REVENUE,—						
Passengers	39,501	15	2	37,057	17	2
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	6,812	15	2	5,992	3	11
Goods	48,094	4	3	44,414	16	8
Miscellaneous	1,102	8	5	1,341	16	1
Rents and Commission	1,706	0	3	957	0	2
Total	£97,217	3	3	£89,763	14	0

SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	10,430	39,424	49,854	10,983	36,228	47,211
2nd Class	51,564	167,506	219,070	55,487	155,754	211,241
Total	61,994	206,930	268,924	66,470	191,982	258,452

	1909.		1908.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.
Season Tickets	5,180	5,194		
PARCELS, ETC.,—				
Parcels	33,679	32,643		
Horses	632	500		
Carriages	84	81		
Dogs	1,676	1,594		
Total	36,071	34,818		

	1909.		1908.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.
GOODS,—				
Drays	69	66		
Cattle	4,778	4,061		
Calves	283	272		
Sheep	72,667	122,086		
Pigs	2,351	1,831		
Total	80,148	123,316		

	1909.		1908.	
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	6,330	11,052		
Wool	1,732	1,482		
Firewood	2,490	3,030		
Timber	13,708	16,880		
Grain	58,028	36,437		
Merchandise	25,244	28,272		
Minerals	59,798	57,425		
Total	167,330	154,578		

	1909.			1908.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
REVENUE,—						
Passengers	25,957	6	4	25,294	2	2
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	5,753	3	10	5,886	14	1
Goods	51,966	17	0	48,250	3	4
Miscellaneous	1,952	6	11	1,938	2	8
Rents and Commission	1,516	7	4	1,236	7	7
Total	£87,146	1	5	£82,605	9	10

WESTLAND SECTION.

	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	888	1,792	2,680	667	1,416	2,083
2nd Class	7,876	14,118	21,994	7,323	12,302	19,625
Total	8,764	15,910	24,674	7,990	13,718	21,708

	1909.		1908.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.
Season Tickets	369	429		
PARCELS, ETC.,—				
Parcels	1,786	1,441		
Horses	35	27		
Carriages	3	3		
Dogs	94	69		
Total	1,918	1,540		

	1909.		1908.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.
GOODS,—				
Drays	8	1		
Cattle	185	215		
Calves	23	1		
Sheep	1,022	1,002		
Pigs	..	16		
Total	1,188	1,235		

	1909.		1908.	
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	162	90		
Wool	..	1		
Firewood	298	108		
Timber	7,752	10,185		
Grain	943	685		
Merchandise	1,425	1,226		
Minerals	32,749	27,691		
Total	43,329	39,986		

	1909.			1908.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
REVENUE,—						
Passengers	1,703	5	4	1,463	5	5
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	330	9	4	272	8	11
Goods	7,443	11	10	7,241	16	7
Miscellaneous	270	17	2	229	9	5
Rents and Commission	110	18	9	73	12	11
Total	£9,859	2	5	£9,280	13	3

WESTPORT SECTION.

	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	70	294	364	97	210	307
2nd Class	1,818	4,826	6,644	2,071	5,354	7,425
Total	1,888	5,120	7,008	2,168	5,564	7,732

	1909.		1908.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.
Season Tickets	108	46		
PARCELS, ETC.,—				
Parcels	441	448		
Horses	1	..		
Carriages	..	..
Dogs	8	28		
Total	450	476		

	1909.		1908.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.
GOODS,—				
Drays	1	1		
Cattle	2	25		
Calves	..	..
Sheep	118	246		
Pigs	..	..
Total	121	272		

	1909.		1908.	
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	48	48		
Wool	..	..
Firewood	552	414		
Timber	190	380		
Grain	155	206		
Merchandise	761	440		
Minerals	53,098	58,539		
Total	54,804	60,027		

	1909.			1908.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
REVENUE,—						
Passengers	443	13	4	479	16	10
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	58	12	2	54	15	10
Goods	7,260	5	10	7,924	3	6
Miscellaneous	380	1	5	445	14	4
Rents and Commission	32	18	5	12	18	0
Total	£8,175	11	2	£8,917	8	6

NELSON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	155	362	517	110	264	374
2nd Class	2,365	3,776	6,141	2,340	3,280	5,620
Total	2,520	4,138	6,658	2,450	3,544	5,994
Season Tickets	..	..	80	..	..	87
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	340	..	..	387
Horses	..	..	..	..	..	3
Carriages	..	..	1	..	..	2
Dogs	..	..	20	..	..	40
Total	..	..	361	..	..	432
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	3	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	1	..	..	1
Calves	..	..	1	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	334	..	..	1,078
Pigs	..	..	6	..	..	..
Total	..	..	345	..	..	1,079

	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	132	264
Wool	1	2
Firewood	264	408
Timber	252	321
Grain	472	450
Merchandise	230	186
Minerals	809	863
Total	2,160	2,494

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	478	2	4	447	11	11
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	85	10	5	82	6	9
Goods	939	9	0	771	1	2
Miscellaneous	112	12	4	50	17	8
Rents and Commission	58	13	4	40	15	8
Total	£1,674	7	5	£1,392	13	2

PICTON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	508	1,184	1,692	381	1,276	1,657
2nd Class	1,859	4,176	6,035	1,781	3,664	5,445
Total	2,367	5,360	7,727	2,162	4,940	7,102
Season Tickets	..	..	37	..	..	4
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	178	..	..	211
Horses	..	..	3	..	..	6
Carriages	..	..	1	..	..	1
Dogs	..	..	33	..	..	59
Total	..	..	215	..	..	277
Goods,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	4	..	..	3
Cattle	..	..	3	..	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	978	..	..	623
Pigs	..	..	16	..	..	..
Total	..	..	1,001	..	..	626

PICTON SECTION—continued.

Goods—continued.	1909.		1908.	
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	1,698	1,098	..	..
Wool	43	18	..	..
Firewood	222	420	..	..
Timber	177	185	..	..
Grain	1,148	812	..	..
Merchandise	361	540	..	..
Minerals	360	713	..	..
Total	4,009	3,786	..	..

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	506	6	1	473	6	9
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	59	17	6	60	16	7
Goods	944	18	2	872	3	4
Miscellaneous	142	11	3	65	0	9
Rents and Commission	28	3	0	24	1	0
Total	£1,681	16	0	£1,495	8	5

LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.

PASSENGERS,—	1909.			1908.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	66	154	220	104	76	180
2nd Class	175	176	351	174	92	266
Total	241	330	571	278	168	446

	No.	No.
Season Tickets	..	0
PARCELS, ETC.,—		
Parcels	..	420
Horses	..	1
Carriages
Dogs	..	11
Total	..	432

	No.	No.
Goods,—		
Drays	..	1
Cattle	..	7
Calves
Sheep	..	150
Pigs
Total	..	150

	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	288
Wool	..	7
Firewood
Timber	..	113
Grain	..	180
Merchandise	..	110
Minerals	..	63
Total	..	473

REVENUE,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	78	13	7	127	18	7
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	57	8	9	59	14	9
Goods	163	13	8	223	5	0
Miscellaneous	0	13	9	0	0	2
Rents and Commission	..	..	..	0	10	0
Total	£300	9	9	£411	8	6

Railway Department, 21st September, 1909.

H. DAVIDSON,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1909-10.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 21st August, 1909 (143 Days).

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Kawakawa ..	9	175 3 3	890 4 3	428 5 9	1,376 4 7	154.60	289 6 5	447 5 6
Whangarei ..	23	2,180 7 10	10,668 3 1	838 10 7	4,796 1 1	44.96	1,205 19 3	542 3 3
Kaihu ..	17	264 16 1	1,606 18 1	311 18 5	1,530 8 5	95.24	245 15 3	234 1 3
Gisborne ..	23	901 2 6	4,436 1 2	675 11 2	3,446 6 5	77.69	501 9 4	389 11 8
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,064	97,217 3 3	549,507 9 5	79,456 6 3	403,674 9 5	73.46	1,342 15 8	986 8 5
Total ..	1,135	100,738 12 11	567,108 16 0	81,710 12 2	414,823 9 11	73.15		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,299	87,146 1 5	524,851 5 2	69,473 4 4	357,493 8 6	68.11	1,050 10 2	715 10 11
Westland ..	138	9,859 2 5	47,601 13 2	6,016 0 11	30,159 5 10	63.36	896 16 10	568 4 4
Westport ..	31	8,175 11 2	41,437 2 11	3,992 3 5	18,079 17 5	43.63	3,475 7 5	1,516 7 6
Nelson ..	48	1,674 7 5	8,992 9 7	1,293 12 8	7,017 11 0	78.04	487 1 10	380 2 4
Picton ..	34	1,681 16 0	11,158 17 1	1,497 13 7	9,050 15 2	81.11	853 6 6	692 2 4
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	800 9 9	2,123 4 4	404 19 11	1,742 19 5	82.09		
Total ..	1,550	108,837 8 2	636,164 12 3	82,682 14 10	423,548 17 4	66.58		
Grand total ..	2,685	209,576 1 11	1,203,273 8 3	164,393 7 0	838,372 7 3	69.67		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR (137 Days).

NORTH ISLAND—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Kawakawa ..	8	191 3 6	693 18 6	238 15 7	1,222 19 4	174.98	227 3 0	397 9 3
Whangarei ..	23	2,452 1 3	12,346 12 0	1,074 7 7	4,651 6 10	37.67	1,395 14 0	525 16 1
Kaihu ..	17	187 7 9	1,523 12 10	345 5 9	1,756 1 6	115.26	233 0 6	268 11 6
Gisborne ..	23	583 17 3	3,271 2 9	533 0 10	2,711 1 1	82.88	392 16 9	325 11 6
North Island Main Lines and Branches	912	89,763 14 0	459,000 10 4	68,119 12 8	331,406 15 9	72.20	1,327 12 6	958 11 4
Total ..	983	93,178 3 9	476,840 16 5	70,411 2 5	341,748 4 6	71.67		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,286	82,605 9 10	462,949 13 8	77,685 15 6	360,567 17 2	77.88	935 19 7	728 19 9
Westland ..	125	9,280 13 3	47,434 18 0	6,685 18 11	32,054 19 2	67.58	986 12 11	666 14 10
Westport ..	31	8,917 8 6	41,383 13 10	3,512 8 4	16,776 3 9	40.54	3,470 17 9	1,407 0 8
Nelson ..	43	1,392 13 2	7,311 3 6	1,303 16 1	6,017 4 5	82.30	442 1 5	363 16 8
Picton ..	34	1,495 8 5	8,955 15 0	2,002 12 7	6,856 5 6	76.56	684 17 0	524 6 1
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	411 8 6	2,031 8 0	381 16 10	1,699 1 7	83.64		
Total ..	1,519	104,103 1 8	570,066 12 0	91,572 8 3	423,971 11 7	74.37		
Grand total ..	2,502	197,281 5 5	1,046,907 8 5	161,983 10 8	765,719 16 1	73.14		

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Railway Department, 21st September, 1909.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of TRAFFIC on ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1909, to 21st August, 1909.

All Sections.	Passengers.					Season Tickets.	Number.					Number.						
	First Class.		Second Class.		Total.		Total.	Parcels.	Horses.	Carriages.	Dogs.	Total.	Drays, &c.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.
	S.	R.	S.	R.														
1909*	159,197	466,704	899,663	2,352,948	3,878,512	78,940	376,143	6,437	901	23,136	406,617	879	64,465	4,667	1,868,443	48,083	1,986,537	
1908†	163,751	424,834	880,970	2,090,966	3,560,521	72,826	330,692	6,092	906	22,093	359,783	857	54,355	6,606	1,935,410	42,417	2,039,645	
Inc.	..	41,870	18,693	261,982	317,991	6,114	45,451	345	..	1,043	46,834	22	10,110	..	..	5,666	..
Dec.	4,554	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	1,939	66,967	..	53,108

All Sections.	Tons.															
	Chaff, Lime, &c.		Wool.		Firewood.		Timber.		Grain.		Merchandise.		Minerals.		Total.	
	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.
1909* ..	78,836	0 0	22,662	16 0	45,038	0 0	195,092	6 0	512,582	2 0	281,893	2 0	982,947	6 0	2,119,051	12 0
1908† ..	84,782	0 0	19,290	12 0	45,380	0 0	240,637	8 0	304,467	15 0	271,962	8 0	946,458	16 0	1,912,978	19 0
Increase ..	..	..	3,372	4 0	..	..	..	..	208,114	7 0	9,930	14 0	36,488	10 0	206,072	13 0
Decrease ..	5,946	0 0	..	..	342	0 0	45,545	2 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

* 143 days. † 137 days.

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION of RAILWAYS, ROLLING-STOCK, &c., to 31st March, 1909, as furnished by Public Works Department and by Greymouth and Westport Harbour Boards respectively.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.		Cost of Unopened Lines.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Kawakawa	92,773	0 0	75,852	0 0
Whangarei	177,996	0 0	63,187	0 0
Kaihu	67,918	0 0	..	..
Gisborne	186,421	0 0	32,102	0 0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	12,219,646	0 0	124,717	0 0
South Island Main Lines and Branches	12,233,165	0 0	397,052	0 0
Westland	1,462,921	0 0	310,408	0 0
Westport	500,718	0 0	34,248	0 0
Nelson	381,275	0 0	31,219	0 0
Picton	367,630	0 0	82,914	0 0
Lake Wakatipu Steamer Service	16,436	0 0	..	..
In Suspense—	..	..	..	..
Surveys, North Island .. .. .	..	..	31,141	0 0
Miscellaneous, North Island .. .. .	..	..	5,169	0 0
Surveys, South Island .. .. .	..	..	8,039	0 0
Miscellaneous, South Island .. .. .	..	..	5,168	0 0
P.W.D. Stock of Permanent-way .. .. .	..	..	88,624	0 0
W.R.D. Stock of A.O.L. Stores	30,693	0 0	..	..
W.R.D. Deposit Account for Permanent-way Material	25,000	0 0	..	..
Totals	27,762,592	0 0	1,289,840	0 0

H. DAVIDSON,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways

Immigration and Emigration Returns.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of AUGUST, 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	367	252	77	77	773	71	39	8	13	131
Queensland .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Victoria	170	89	17	15	291	228	130	22	26	406
New South Wales	768	351	46	34	1,199	959	443	75	64	1,541
Western Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tasmania	50	21	..	..	71	87	56	6	7	156
Fiji	42	22	5	6	75	26	23	3	4	56
Other British possessions	14	4	3	..	21*	10	6	1	1	18†
Pacific islands	19	5	1	2	27‡	19	8	..	..	27§
Other foreign ports .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	33	10	3	1	47||
Totals, August, 1909	1,430	744	149	134	2,457	1,433	715	118	116	2,382
Totals, August, 1908	1,532	632	146	123	2,433	1,320	634	66	74	2,094

* From British Columbia, 11; Cape Town, 10. † For British Columbia. ‡ From Samoa, 9; Friendly Islands, 4; Society Islands, 14. § For Society Islands, 16; Friendly Islands, 5; Samoa, 5; Tahiti, 1. || For San Francisco, 20; Monte Video, 27.

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	843	97	630	310	940	721	57	522	256	778
Wellington	1,004	154	715	443	1,158	926	116	686	356	1,042
Dunedin .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invercargill	327	32	234	125	359	501	61	343	219	562
Totals, August, 1909	2,174	283	1,579	878	2,457	2,148	234	1,551	831	2,382
Totals, August, 1908	2,164	269	1,678	765	2,433	1,954	140	1,386	708	2,094

CHINESE.—Arrivals—At Auckland, 9; Wellington, 14. Departures—From Auckland, 13; Wellington, 20.

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

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

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

Regulations under the Land Transfer Act prescribing Fees to be charged by Licensed Land-brokers.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on me by "The Land Transfer Act, 1908," and with the sanction of His Excellency the Governor, I hereby prescribe the fees to be charged by licensed land-brokers as follows:—

For application to bring land under "The Land Transfer Act, 1908," where the land remains in the original grantee, although it may have been or still remains subject to lease or mortgage,—	£ s. d.
Where the value does not exceed £400	0 10 0
Where the value exceeds £400 but does not exceed £800	½ per cent.
Where the value exceeds £800	1 0 0
The above charges include filling up application, procuring declaration and signatures, procuring diagram from Land Office, and attendance and delivery at Registry Office.	
Where the title has not remained in the original grantee an extra charge may be made proportioned to the trouble, such cases being more in the nature of conveyancing.	
For filling up and entering caveat	0 10 0
Memorandum of transfer, lease, mortgage, or encumbrance,—	
Where the value does not exceed £400	0 10 0
Where the value exceeds £400 but does not exceed £800	½ per cent.

Where the value exceeds £800	£ s. d.
In the case of a lease, and of annuity secured by encumbrance, ten years rent, or ten years of such annuity, to be assumed as the value for the purpose of calculating the percentage.	1 0 0
Whenever any implied covenant or covenants is or are modified, or any covenant or covenants, not being of those for which abbreviated forms of words are hereinbefore prescribed, is or are introduced in any instrument, extra	0 5 0
Whenever any original section, or allotment, or parcel of land included in an existing grant or other instrument is broken in any dealing, extra	0 10 0
Transfer of mortgage or lease, discharge of mortgage, surrender of lease, or withdrawal of caveat	0 5 0
Power of attorney without registering abstract	0 10 0
Power of attorney with registering abstract	1 0 0
Transmission	0 10 0
Copy probate or other document required by the Registrar in support of transmission or dealing, per folio	0 0 3
Declaration required by the Registrar in support of any matter or fact, per folio	0 0 6
Grant of easement or dedication of road	0 10 0

EDWIN BAMFORD,
Registrar-General of Land.

16th September, 1909.

Notice published pursuant to the Provisions of Section 15 of "The Public Trust Office Act, 1908."

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 21st September, 1909.

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

Beckett, Charles William, late of Hastings, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, labourer. Filed on the 9th day of September, 1909.

Williams, Arthur George, late of Christchurch, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, bootmaker. Filed on the 9th day of September, 1909.

Champion, Annie J., late of Christchurch, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, married woman. Filed on the 14th day of September, 1909.

Skelton, Frederick, late of Blenheim, in the Provincial District of Marlborough, kitchenman. Filed on the 14th day of September, 1909.

McCullum or McCallum, Robert, late of Kerepehi, in the Provincial District of Auckland, seaman. Filed on the 15th day of September, 1909.

Scott, Alexander, late of Hamilton, in the Provincial District of Auckland, sawyer. Filed on the 16th day of September, 1909.

Downes, Ann Jane, late of Omimi, in the Provincial District of Otago, married woman. Filed on the 16th day of September, 1909.

Anderson, George Reid, late of Pahiatua, in the Provincial District of Wellington, hotel-porter. Filed on the 18th day of September, 1909.

Francis, Mary, late of Aorangi, in the Provincial District of Wellington, spinster. Filed on the 18th day of September, 1909.

Harris, Jane, late of Woolston, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, widow. Filed on the 21st day of September, 1909.

Carmichael, Frederick, late of Christchurch, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, labourer. Filed on the 21st day of September, 1909.

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 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 20th day of September, 1909.

J. W. POYNTON,
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing 40 acres, more or less, being the western part of Allotment No. 81, in the Parish of Tauraroa, in the Provincial District of Auckland.

Tenders for Inland Mail-services for 1910, 1911, and 1912 (additional to Services advertised in the Gazette Supplement, No. 68, of the 13th August, 1909, and in Gazette No. 74, of the 9th September, 1909).

General Post Office,
Wellington, 21st September, 1909.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the several Chief Post-offices in the Dominion until Monday, the 27th September, 1909, for the conveyance of mails between the undermentioned places, for a period of THREE years, from the 1st January, 1910, to the 31st December, 1912.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF AUCKLAND.

135A. Kohukohu and Broadwood, weekly. (Alternative to No. 135.)

140A. § Rotorua and Waiotapu, by coach, and Waiotapu, Wairakei, and Taupo, by motor-car, daily in summer; thrice weekly in winter. (Alternative to Nos. 139 and 140.)

POSTAL DISTRICT OF WANGANUI.

29A. Mangaweka to Kaweka Road (Cruickshank's), via Te Kapua Road (rural delivery), twice weekly. (Alternative to No. 29.)

POSTAL DISTRICT OF WELLINGTON.

44. Hinakura, Spring Grove (no post-office), and Martinborough, twice weekly; also Hinakura, Glendhu, Pahaoa, and Glenburn, weekly. (Alternative to No. 44A.)

44A. Hinakura, Spring Grove (no post-office), and Martinborough, thrice weekly; also Hinakura, Glendhu, Pahaoa, and Glenburn, weekly. (Alternative to No. 44.)

116. Wellington, delivery of parcels in city, twice daily, and delivery and collection of parcels in suburbs, once daily; also collection of parcels from post-offices, Courtenay Place, Te Aro, and Molesworth Street (between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.), hourly. (Alternative to Nos. 117 and 118.)

117. Wellington, delivery of parcels, twice daily, and collection of parcels from post-offices, Courtenay Place, Te Aro, and Molesworth Street (between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.), hourly. (Alternative to No. 116.)

118. Wellington, delivery and collection of parcels in suburbs, once daily. (Alternative to No. 116.)

Services Nos. 43, 44, 44A, 116, 117, and 118 as advertised in the Gazette Supplement, No. 68, of the 13th August, 1909, are cancelled.

POSTAL DISTRICT OF NELSON.

15B. † Riwaka, Upper Takaka, East Takaka, and Takaka, weekly. (Alternative to No. 15A.)

POSTAL DISTRICT OF HOKITIKA.

15A. §|| Ross, Ferguson's, Pukekura, Hende's Ferry, and Harihari, twice weekly; Harihari, Mount Hercules, Wataroa, The Forks, Tatara, and Waiho Gorge, weekly. (Alternative to No. 15.)

POSTAL DISTRICT OF TIMARU.

7A. Geraldine and Orari, five times daily. (Alternative to No. 7.)

POSTAL DISTRICT OF DUNEDIN.

15.** Cromwell, Lowburn Ferry, Queensberry, Luggate, Hawea Flat, Albert Town, and Pembroke, by coach, thrice weekly. (Alternative to Nos. 15A, 15B, 15C, 16, 16A, 44, 69A, and 69B.)

15A. Cromwell, Lowburn Ferry, Queensberry, Luggate, Hawea Flat, Albert Town, and Pembroke, by motor-car, thrice weekly. (Alternatives to Nos. 15, 15B, 15C, 16, 16A, 44, 69A, and 69B.)

15B.** Cromwell, Lowburn Ferry, Queensberry, Luggate, Mount Barker, and Pembroke, by coach, thrice weekly. (Alternative to Nos. 15, 15A, 15C, 16, and 16A.)

15C. Cromwell, Lowburn Ferry, Queensberry, Luggate, Mount Barker, and Pembroke, by motor-car, thrice weekly. (Alternative to Nos. 15, 15A, 15B, 16, 16A, 69A, and 69B.)

16.** Cromwell, Lowburn Ferry, Queensberry, Luggate, Albert Town, and Pembroke, by coach, thrice weekly. (Alternative to Nos. 15, 15A, 15B, 15C, 16A, 69A, and 69B.)

16A. Cromwell, Lowburn Ferry, Queensberry, Luggate, Albert Town, and Pembroke, by motor-car, thrice weekly. (Alternative to Nos. 15, 15A, 15B, 15C, 16, 69A, and 69B.)

Services Nos. 15, 15A, 16, and 16A are in lieu of those of the same numbers advertised in Gazette Supplement, No. 68, of the 13th August, 1909.

69A. Pembroke, Albert Town, and Maungawera, twice weekly. (Alternative to Nos. 15, 15A, 15B, 15C, 16, 16A, and 69B.)

69B. Pembroke, Albert Town, and Maungawera, thrice weekly. (Alternative to Nos. 15, 15A, 15B, 15C, 16, 16A, and 69A.)

† Service may be terminated by the Postmaster-General on his giving three months' notice in writing.

§ Special conditions attach to these tourist services. Particulars may be ascertained from Chief Postmasters.

|| Clause 5 of the special conditions attaching to tourist services does not apply to this service.

** Service may be terminated by the Postmaster-General on his giving six months' notice in writing.

In delivering and receiving mails at railway-stations it is understood that contractors deal with the guards of trains, and that delivery of the mails is to be made into the railway-vans if required.

D. ROBERTSON,
Secretary.

Education Board of the District of Grey. — Election of Members.

IN accordance with section 24 of "The Education Act, 1908," I hereby declare the following persons to be duly elected members of the Education Board of the District of Grey:—

Northern Ward	NOBLE, JOSEPH.
Eastern Ward	FLYNN, JOHN.
Western Ward	BIGNELL, HENRY JOHN.

It is further notified that for the Northern and Western Wards the candidates declared elected were the only ones nominated.

For the Eastern Ward the number of valid votes recorded for the duly nominated candidates was,—

Flynn, John	62
White, Frank	62

The total number of valid votes was 124, and the number of invalid votes was 5.

The election was decided by lot at the ordinary meeting of the Grey Education Board, held on Monday, the 13th September, 1909.

P. F. DANIEL,
Returning Officer.
Education Office,
14th September, 1909.

Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.

NOTICE.—EDWARD CHARLES RIGBY, Esquire, of Melbourne, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, has this day been appointed by His Honour the Acting Chief Justice a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in the State of Victoria, under the 47th section of "The Judicature Act, 1908," for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Dunedin, this 17th day of September, 1909.

W. A. HAWKINS,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

Officiating Ministers for 1909.—Notice No. 34.

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

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

Baptists.

The Reverend Albert Ager.

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands for Disposal in Otago Land District.

District Lands Office,
Dunedin, 20th September, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that Sections 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33, and 34, Block XIV, Rimu Survey District, Otago Land District, will be disposed of on or after Monday, the 10th day of January, 1910.

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land for Disposal in Otago Land District.

District Lands Office,
Dunedin, 21st September, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that Section 45, Block I, Greendale Survey District, Otago Land District, will be disposed of in three allotments on or after Monday, the 10th day of January, 1910.

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Runs in Westland Land District classified.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 18th September, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners appointed, in pursuance of section 225 of "The Land Act, 1908," to classify and report upon rural lands in Westland Land District have reported to His Excellency the Governor that the lands described in the Schedule hereto have been classified by them as therein noted.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

SCHEDULE.

CLASS A.—PASTORAL LANDS, being Lands suitable exclusively for Pasturage, and not capable of being used with Profit in Areas of a Carrying-capacity of less than Five Thousand Sheep.

RUN No. 624: Harata; area, 15,700 acres. Bounded commencing at the confluence of the Grey and Clarke Rivers, following the left bank of the River Grey to the boundary of the Nelson and Westland Land District; thence in a direction generally north-east along the said district boundary to Alexander Creek; thence following the middle of the main branch of the Alexander Creek in a general south-easterly direction and onward to the upper boundary of the bush-line; thence generally in a north-westerly direction along the upper boundary of the bush-line and skirting the north-western shoulder of Conical Hill, and proceeding thence generally in a south-easterly direction along the southern shoulder of Conical Hill to the upper edge of the bush; thence in a south-easterly direction for about half a mile to the upper edge of the bush on the other side of the saddle; thence in a south-westerly direction for about two miles to the right bank of the Grey River; thence down the right bank of the River Grey to a point opposite the mouth of Paddy's Creek; thence up the middle of Paddy's Creek for about a mile, and thence in a westerly direction for about a mile to the big bend in the River Clarke; thence down the middle of that river to the starting-point: excluding from the area Miscellaneous Licenses Nos. 147 and 399, and the eastern portion of Section 2824.

Run No. 625: May; area, 34,300 acres. Bounded commencing at a point in the northern boundary of the Westland Land District, being the north-east corner of Run 624, and thence along the said district boundary to Mount Haast, and thence along the same district boundary to the Rahu Saddle, and thence along the East and West Coast Track to Section 2825, and thence around the northern and western boundaries of Sections 2825 and 2826 to the southern corner of Section 2825; thence about 10 chains along the south-eastern boundary of said Section 2825; thence in a south-easterly direction, following generally the first main spur about one mile and a quarter, to the upper edge of the bush on the north-western corner of Turpentine Knob; thence following generally the upper edge of the bush along the western flank of the mountain to within about a mile of Robinson River; thence in a north-westerly direction about one mile to the easternmost corner of Section 2823, and thence in the direction of the north-eastern boundary of that section prolonged to the River Grey; thence down the middle of the River Grey for about half a mile; thence generally in a northerly direction up the first main spur to the upper edge of the bush; thence along the upper edge of the bush on the western flank of the mountain to the south-eastern corner of Run 624; thence along the eastern boundary of Run 624 to the starting-point.

Run No. 626: Christobel; area, 12,750 acres. Bounded commencing at the easternmost point of Run 625, and following the boundary of the Westland Land District to Mount Haast; thence in a general north-westerly direction in a straight line to the head of Lake Christobel; thence along the left shore of Lake Christobel for about half a mile, and thence in a south-westerly direction to the upper edge of the bush on the northern flank of the mountain, and thence in a general westerly direction along the upper edge of the bush to the westernmost open point, and thence by irregular lines for about two miles to the upper edge of the bush-line on the north-eastern shoulder of Turpentine Knob, and thence in a general north-westerly direction along the upper edge of the bush-line to the eastern boundary of Run 625, and thence along the eastern boundary of that run to the starting-point: excluding Sections 2825 and 2826.

Run No. 627: Elliot; area, 25,700 acres. Bounded commencing at the big bend of the River Clarke on the southern boundary of Run 624, and proceeding generally in a south-south-westerly direction up the middle of the Clarke and onwards to the upper edge of the bush; thence generally in an easterly direction along the upper edge of the bush to the

saddle below Pyramid; thence in a southerly direction by the western side of the open and down the main creek to its confluence with the Nancy River; thence down the right bank of the Nancy River to its confluence with the Ahaura River; thence about half a mile down right bank of the Ahaura River; thence in a northerly direction about a mile to the upper edge of the bush; thence along the upper edge of the bush along the western flank of Mount Elliot and onwards past Trig. C to the north-western corner of the open; thence about a mile through the bush to the southern boundary of Run 624; thence along the southern boundary of that run to the starting-point.

Run No. 628: Pohaturoa; area, 22,200 acres. Bounded commencing at the big bend of the Clarke River at the common boundaries of Runs 624 and 627, and bounded on the north by the southern boundary of Run 624, and on the east by the western boundary of Run 625 to the middle of the Grey River; thence down the middle of the Grey River to its confluence with the Robinson River; thence up the middle of the River Robinson to the southernmost corner of Reserve 1241; thence by the southern boundaries of Reserve 1241 and Section 1 of Square 181 and Section 2823 to the southernmost corner of the latter section; thence in a general south-westerly direction about two miles to the upper edge of the bush on the Navaro Range; thence by the upper edge of the bush skirting the northern flank of that range to the north-western corner of the open; thence in a north-westerly direction about half a mile to the boundary of Run 627 on the Nancy River; thence by the eastern boundary of Run 627 to the starting-point: excluding Section 2822.

Run No. 629: Robinson; area, 32,500 acres. Bounded commencing at the easternmost corner of Section 2823 on the boundary of Run 625, and bounded on the north by the southern boundary of Runs 625 and 626 as far as Mount Hatless on the Main Range; thence by the eastern boundary of the Westland Land District to the main saddle at the head of Robinson River; thence by the upper edge of the bush-line on the northern flank of the Navaro Range to the western boundary of Run 628; thence in a north-easterly direction by the western boundary of the latter run to the southernmost corner of Section 2823; and thence by the south-eastern boundary of that section to the starting-point.

Run No. 630: Waikite; area, 51,500 acres. Bounded commencing at the north-western corner of Section 42, Block I, Haupiri Survey District, and proceeding generally eastwards along the southern boundaries of Sections 42 and 43, in said survey district, and along the south-eastern boundary of Section 2678 to the right bank of River Nancy on boundary of Run 627; thence along the southern boundary of the said run to the boundary of Run 628; thence along the western boundary of the last-mentioned run to the upper edge of the bush at the north-western corner of the open on the Navaro Range; thence in a general southerly direction to the south-western corner of the said open; thence for about half a mile along the upper edge of the bush-line in a general easterly direction; thence generally down the spur to the Ahaura River, striking that river about a mile below its confluence with the Tutaekuri River; thence in a general southerly direction about one mile and a half to the upper edge of the bush-line, and along the upper edge of the bush-line and through the belt of bush opposite the junction of Trent River and Tutaekuri River, and following the upper edge of the bush-line for a distance of about two miles and a half to Dreadnought Creek; thence along the middle of that creek and crossing the River Trent, proceeding about half a mile down the right bank to Dido Creek; thence up Dido Creek to the summit of the main range on the boundary of the Westland Land District; thence along the boundary of the said district to Harper's Pass; thence along the boundary of the old provincial district a distance of about four miles; thence in a north-westerly direction to the upper edge of the bush on the western flank of Mount Elizabeth Range; thence along the upper edge of that bush-line to the saddle at the head of the first branch of Heron Creek; thence along the middle of Heron Creek to the Hatter's Terrace Track; thence in an easterly direction along the said track to the western boundary of Section 21, Block V, Haupiri Survey District; thence generally eastwardly along the southern boundaries of Sections 21, 26, 25, in Block V, Haupiri Survey District, Section 2578, Reserve 382, Sections 2579, 2580, 2581, Section 2, Block VII, Haupiri Survey District; thence north along eastern side of latter section to the left bank of the Ahaura River; thence down the said left bank to the north-eastern corner of Reserve 382; thence crossing the river diagonally to the right bank, and proceeding down the right bank to the starting-point.

Run No. 631: Ajax; area, 53,250 acres. Bounded commencing at the south-eastern corner of Run 629 on the boundary of the Westland Land District, and proceeding generally in a south-westerly direction along that district boundary to the boundary of Run 630; thence along the

eastern boundary of Run 630 to Run 628; thence along the southern boundary of Run 628 to Run 629; thence along the southern boundary of Run 629 to the starting-point.

Run No. 619: New River; area, 7,600 acres. Bounded commencing at the junction of Cockabulla Creek and the New River; thence in a northerly direction along the left bank of the New River to the junction of Eight-mile Creek with the New River; thence along Eight-mile Creek to the southernmost corner of Miscellaneous Lease No. 511; thence along the southern and eastern boundaries of said lease to the south-western corner of Section 1494; thence along the southern boundary of that section to German Gully Road; thence along German Gully Road a distance of about 8 chains; thence by a north line to the right bank of the New River; thence along the right bank of the New River to the crossing of the Dunganville Road; thence along the said road in a north-easterly direction to its junction with the Maori Gully Horse-track; thence in a southerly direction down the said horse-track to Brown's Creek; thence along the right bank of Brown's Creek in a general easterly direction to the boundary of Section 857; thence southerly along the western boundary of said section about 56 chains to southern boundary of Block III, Hohonu Survey District; thence along said southern boundary a distance of about 150 chains due westerly to Maori Creek; thence in a south-westerly direction generally about 70 chains; thence in a westerly direction generally about 60 chains to Eight-mile Creek, striking that creek a distance of about 5 chains below the junction of Right Arm Creek; thence in a south-westerly direction generally a distance of about 90 chains to north-western corner of Pakihi, near five-mile peg on Irishman's Track; thence in a north-westerly direction generally along watershed between Cockabulla Creek and Mosquito River to the starting-point: exclusive of existing rights.

Run No. 620: Rata-tree Peak; area, 6,520 acres. Bounded commencing at the intersection of the New River and Dunganville Road; thence in a westerly direction along the right bank of the New River to the crossing of the Marsden-Maori Creek Road; thence along the northern side of that road about 72 chains to intersection of eastern boundary of Reg. License 560 produced; thence in a north-westerly direction generally by a line in extension of eastern boundary of said reg. license, and along eastern boundary to north-eastern corner of said reg. license; thence along the north side of Limestone Diggings Road in westerly direction to south-eastern corner of Miscellaneous Lease No. 512; thence in a northerly direction along the eastern boundary of said miscellaneous lease to its north-eastern corner; thence along northern boundary of said miscellaneous lease in a westerly direction to its north-western corner; thence due north along western boundary of Hohonu Survey District about 70 chains to south-western corner of Arnold Survey District; thence due north along western boundary of Arnold Survey District a distance of about 70 chains to point of intersection of said western boundary of Arnold Survey District with a line in continuation of southern boundary of Section 1864; thence in an easterly direction along the said line and southern boundary of Section 1864 to Marian Creek; thence in a south-easterly direction to south-western corner of Reserve 130; thence along southern boundary of Reserve 130 to its south-eastern corner; thence along line in continuation of said southern boundary of Reserve 130 to its intersection with Dunganville Road; thence in a south-westerly direction along Dunganville Road to the starting-point: exclusive of existing rights.

Run No. 621: Cookeye Creek; area, 5,750 acres. Bounded commencing at the junction of Cockabulla Creek and New River; thence in a south-easterly direction generally along south-eastern boundary of Run 619 to north-western corner of Pakihi, near five-mile peg on Irishman's Track; thence by a due-south line to northern boundary of Run 429; thence along northern boundary of Run 429 to Trig. B.K., Marsden Road; thence in a northerly direction along eastern side of Marsden Road to its junction with Cariboo Road; thence in a north-easterly direction along Cariboo Road to Cariboo Creek; thence in a southerly direction up Cariboo Creek to south-western corner of Renewable Lease No. 124; thence along the south-eastern boundary of said renewable lease to its south-eastern corner; thence along north-eastern boundary of said renewable lease about 22 chains to intersection of that boundary with line in extension of southern boundary of Regulation Application No. 6947; thence in an easterly direction along said line and southern boundary of said application to south-eastern corner of same; thence in a northerly direction along eastern boundary of said regulation application to Marsden-Maori Creek Road; thence in an easterly direction along south side of the Marsden-Maori Creek Road to its crossing with New River, the point of commencement: exclusive of all other existing rights.

Run No. 622: Westbrook; area 5,600 acres. Bounded commencing at the north-eastern corner of Run 29 in Cameron's Track; thence in an easterly direction along

the south side of Cameron's Track to its junction with Marsden Road; thence in a south-easterly direction along western side of Marsden Road to the north-east corner of Section 1477; thence in a westerly direction along northern boundary of Section 1477 to its north-western corner; thence in south-easterly direction along western boundaries of Sections 1477 and 1464 to south-western corner of Section 1464; thence in a north-easterly direction along the southern boundary of Section 1464 to Marsden Road; thence in a south-easterly direction along west side of Marsden Road to north-east corner of Section 1874; thence in a south-westerly direction along northern boundary of Section 1874 to its north-western corner; thence in a south-easterly direction along western boundary of Section 1874 to Marsden Road; thence in a south-westerly direction along western side of Marsden Road to the Big Hohonu River; thence in a westerly direction along north bank of Hohonu River to Cape Terrace Road; thence in a north-westerly direction along eastern side of Cape Terrace Road to southern boundary of Run 29; thence in a north-easterly direction along southern boundary of Run 29 to its south-eastern corner; thence in a north-westerly direction along eastern boundary of Run 29 to starting-point: exclusive of Miscellaneous Leases Nos. 390, 546, 542, 543, 545, and all other existing rights.

Run No. 623: Irishman's; area, 5,250 acres. Bounded commencing on the northern boundary of Run 29 at the south-eastern corner of Run 621; thence in a northerly direction along the eastern boundary of Run 621 to southernmost point of Run 619; thence in an easterly direction generally along southern boundary of Run 619 to its south-eastern corner on western boundary of Section 857; thence in a southerly direction along the western boundary of Section 857 to Irishman's Track; thence in a westerly direction along north side of Irishman's Track to north-western corner of Section 2474; thence in a southerly direction along western boundary of Section 2474 to Morgan Road; thence in a south-westerly direction along Morgan Road to north-eastern corner of Section 2470; thence in a westerly direction along northern boundary of Section 2470 to its north-western corner; thence in a south-westerly direction along western boundary of Section 2470 to north side of road reserve along Eastern Hohonu River; thence along north side of said road reserve to north-eastern corner of Section 2442; thence in a westerly direction along northern boundary of Section 2442 to eastern boundary of Run 429; thence in a northerly direction along eastern boundary of Run 429 to its north-eastern corner; thence in a westerly direction along northern boundary of Run 429 to commencing-point: exclusive of all existing rights.

G. H. M. McCLURE,
J. S. LANG,
G. MALLINSON, } Commissioners.

Lands in Murchison Village Settlement, Nelson Land District, open for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands Office,
Nelson, 20th September, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village-homestead allotments are open for selection on renewable lease, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 10th day of November, 1909, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1908."

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—MURCHISON COUNTY.—TUTAKI SURVEY DISTRICT.—MURCHISON VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
23	I	2 0 0	20 0 0	0 8 0
24	"	2 0 0	20 0 0	0 8 0
26	"	2 0 0	20 0 0	0 8 0

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The lands enumerated above are first-class lands, and are village-homestead allotments, open for selection on renewable lease for periods of sixty-six years under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1908" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act").

2. The rentals stated above shall be the prices at which the lands shall be open for selection.

3. Applications for leases shall be made in manner as provided in Part I of the said Act; and all such applications shall be made to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Nelson; and leases shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of Part I aforesaid.

4. Each applicant shall state his or her residence, occupation, and condition in life (namely, whether married or single), and will be required to make the prescribed declaration.

5. Each applicant shall pay the first half-year's rent, together with the lease and registration fee (£1 1s.), immediately the application has been approved or declared successful at the ballot; also the rent for the period elapsing between the date of the lease and the due date of such half-yearly payment.

6. All rent must be paid half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st days of January and July in each year, as provided in section 180 of the said Act; and the first half-year's rent is payable as before provided.

7. Improvements and residence on the land comprised in the lease shall be as provided in Part III of the said Act. The provisions of section 162, and all other provisions of the said Act with respect to substantial improvements, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations. The provisions of section 159, and all other provisions of the said Act in respect of compulsory residence, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations.

8. No lessee shall divide, sublet, or transfer the land held by him under these regulations, except under and subject to the provisions of Part I of the said Act.

9. No lessee shall apply for or hold more than one allotment, and such allotment shall be held for his or her sole use and benefit, and not for the use or benefit of any other person whomsoever.

10. All the provisions of the said Act, so far as applicable, shall extend and apply to the lands affected by these regulations, and to the applications and leases to be made and issued thereunder, and generally to the interests created, and the persons whose rights, liabilities, or interests are thereby affected; and the mention of any particular provision of the said Act shall not be deemed to exclude any other provision of the said Act applicable to the particular case.

R. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Milling-timber in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Tender.

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 20th September, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given in terms of "The Land Act, 1908," and the regulations thereunder, that written tenders will be received at this office from the proprietors of existing sawmills, and logging contractors, up till 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, the 21st day of October, 1909, for the purchase of the undermentioned milling-timber:—

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.
WHANGAROA COUNTY.

Lot 1.

Crown Land, Part Blocks IV and VIII, Whangaroa Survey District.

134 GREEN kauri-trees, containing (approximately) 123,825 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brand thus: V.

Time for removal: One year.

Upset price: 1s. 6d. per 100 sup. ft.

Terms: Cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender.

12 faulty and undersized kauri-trees, branded $\hat{F}R$, not included in this sale.

Lot 2.

Section 5, Block IX, Whangaroa Survey District.

79 green kauri-trees, containing (approximately) 112,473 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brand thus: III.

Time for removal: One year.

Upset price: 1s. 6d. per 100 sup. ft.

Terms: Cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender.

10 faulty and undersized kauri-trees, branded $\hat{F}R$, not included in this sale.

Lot 3.

Section 3, Block VIII, Whangaroa Survey District.

105 green kauri-trees, containing (approximately) 231,172 sup. ft. (standing measurement).
Distinguishing brand thus: X.
Time for removal: One year.
Upset price: 1s. 6d. per 100 sup. ft.
Terms: Cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender.

10 faulty and undersized kauri-trees, branded $\hat{F}\hat{R}$, not included in this sale.

Lot 4.

Crown Land, Part Block VIII, Whangaroa Survey District.

7 green and 6 dry kauri-trees, containing (approximately) 30,799 sup. ft. (standing measurement).
Distinguishing brand thus: ||.
Time for removal: One year.
Upset price: 1s. 6d. per 100 sup. ft.
Terms: Cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender.

7 kauri-trees, branded $\hat{F}\hat{R}$, not included in this sale.

Lot 5.

Section 1, Block III, Kaeo Survey District.

89 green and 8 dry kauri-trees, containing (approximately) 112,146 sup. ft. (standing measurement).
Distinguishing brand thus: X.
Time for removal: One year.
Upset price: 2s. per 100 sup. ft.
Terms: Cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender.

19 faulty and undersized trees, branded $\hat{F}\hat{R}$, not included in this sale.

BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.

Lot 6.

Part Blocks XI, XII, XV, and XVI, Kaeo Survey District (National Endowment).

275 green and 70 dry kauri-trees, containing (approximately) 594,149 sup. ft. (standing measurement).
Distinguishing brands thus: | and ||.
Time for removal: One year.
Upset price: 1s. 6d. per 100 sup. ft.
Terms: Half in cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender, and half in six months thereafter.

10 faulty and undersized kauri-trees, branded $\hat{F}\hat{R}$, not included in this sale.

HOKIANGA COUNTY.

Lot 7.

Sections 23 and 24, Block VII, Whangape Survey District.

157 green, dry, and scorched kauri-trees, containing (approximately) 241,789 sup. ft. (standing measurement).
19 kahikatea-trees, containing (approximately) 40,933 sup. ft. (standing measurement).
Distinguishing brand thus: V and X.
Time for removal: One year.
Upset prices per 100 sup. ft.: Kauri, 2s.; and kahikatea, 6d.
Terms: Cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender.

CONDITIONS.

1. Intending tenderers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relating to their tender.
2. The aforementioned quantities, qualities, and kind as to the said timber shall be taken as sufficiently accurate for the purpose of this sale; and no contract for purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the successful tenderer be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, and kind than as stated hereon or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber, nor shall any extra sum be claimed by the Crown if for any reason the quantity of timber is found to be in excess of that stated hereon.
3. No tender will be considered wherein a less royalty is offered than the upset prices as stated in terms of each lot.
4. All timber on each lot, whether standing or in logs, shall remain the property of the Crown until all the instalments are paid.
5. In all lots the quantities stated are standing measurements.
6. Should any dispute arise as to boundaries, the decision of the Commissioner of Crown Lands shall be final.

7. In the event of any of the above lots not being disposed of, applications may be received and be dealt with at any time within six months from the above date of closing of tenders (unless previously formally withdrawn), providing, however, that the amount offered is not less than the upset prices stated hereon.

8. No extension of time for removal of timber will be allowed successful tenderers who bleed or permit bleeding of kauri-trees included in this sale unless full payment of purchase-money is first made.

9. All tenders must be submitted on forms which will be supplied on application to the above office, and envelopes enclosing same to be marked "Tender for Timber," and addressed to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland.

10. In lots where terms of payment may have been arranged, any breach of the foregoing conditions of sale will render the "on demand" promissory notes liable to be presented for immediate payment.

11. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

TERMS.

Separate tenders for the various lots of timber must be accompanied by a deposit of 5 per cent. on the amount of tender, in cash, marked cheque, or post-office order; the balance to be paid, if tender accepted, as specified in the terms of each lot, together with the timber-cutting license fee of £1 1s.

All such instalment-payments shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum as from the date of acceptance of tender, and, with the interest added, shall be secured by "on demand" promissory notes made and indorsed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserve in Westland Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Hokitika, 31st August, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserve will be offered for lease by public auction, for a term of fourteen years, at this office, on Wednesday, the 6th day of October, 1909, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908."

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 16, Block XV, Town of Runanga: Area, 1 rood.
Upset annual rental, £1.
Weighted with £600, valuation for buildings.

G. H. M. McCLURE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Pohonui Village, Wellington Land District, for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 18th August, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, at this office, on Wednesday, the 29th day of September, 1909, under the provisions of section 132 of "The Land Act, 1908."

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—VILLAGE OF POHONU.
Village Land.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
41	A. R. P. 4 3 23	£ s. d. 27 0 0

Weighted with £73 10s., valuation for improvements, comprising a four-roomed house, garden, and 2 acres grassed.

Pohonui is situated on the Mangaweka Road, about twenty-seven miles from Hunterville.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Nelson Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 17th September, 1909.

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

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Formerly held by
L.I.P.	35	II	Kongahu	A. R. P. 283 3 13	J. F. Shaw.
"	2	XII	Mokihinui	425 0 0	W. P. Marris.
"	5	VIII	Kawatiri	31 0 0	J. E. Hawes.
"	46 and 47	IX	Oparara	132 3 24	J. A. Ryan.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

Land in Nelson Land District surrendered.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 17th September, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that, a surrender of the lease of the undermentioned land having been accepted by resolution of the Nelson Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1908."

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Sections.	Blocks.	District.	Area.	Formerly held by
L.I.P.	5 and 30	I and II	Gordon	A. R. P. 640 3 0	W. A. Hines.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 23rd August, 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 203 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 26th day of November, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—HAUTAPU SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
56	X	A. R. P. 2 3 3

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 7th September, 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 Thursday, the 9th day of December, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—REWA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
2	XIV	10 acres.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Wellington Land District for Disposal under Section 128 of "The Land Act, 1908."

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 30th 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 128 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 1st day of October, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—MAKURI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
34	XV	A. R. P. 20 2 8

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Adjournment of Sitting of the Native Land Court at Port Awanui.

Native Land Court Office, Gisborne, 15th September, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sitting of the Native Land Court which was notified to be held at Port Awanui on the 23rd day of September, 1909, has been adjourned to the 4th day of October, 1909, at the same place.

[Gisborne, 1909-24.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

Petition for Incorporation by the Owners of the Awaawakino B Block.

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," and its amendments, and of the petition for incorporation by the owners of Awaawakino B Block. At a sitting of the Court held at Opotiki, before James Wakelin Browne, Esquire, Judge, and Hari Hemara, Assessor, on Wednesday, the 18th day of August, 1909.

UPON reading the petition for incorporation lodged herein, and upon hearing the petitioners, and the evidence adduced on their behalf, and the Court being satisfied of the consent of the majority of the owners of the said Awaawakino B Block, and that such block can be dealt with to the advantage of the owners thereof by being incorporated as hereinafter appearing, it is ordered that the owners whose names are set out in the Schedule hereunder written shall be and the same are hereby constituted a body corporate within the meaning of section 122 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," by the name of "The Proprietors of the Awaawakino B Block," subject to the powers, liabilities, and incidents conferred or imposed by the said Act or any amendments thereof. The said land contains 1,972 acres, and is bounded as follows: Towards the north by the Tasman Sea and Awaawakino A Block, towards the east by Waihoata B Block, and towards the west by Opape Native Reserves.

And it is hereby ordered and directed that a general meeting of the proprietors of the said block shall be held at Torere, on Friday, the 17th day of September, 1909, at the hour of 7.30 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of nominating a committee to administer the said land, and fixing the number of its members.

And it is hereby further ordered that the committee shall have full power to defray the reasonable costs and expenses consequent upon incorporation or incidental thereto, and that the title to the said land hereby vested in the corporate body above named shall be subject to all existing rights, alienations, encumbrances, and contracts affecting the same or any interest therein.

In witness whereof the seal of the said Court was hereto affixed, the day and year first above written.

JAS. W. BROWNE, Judge.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

AWAAWAKINO B BLOCK.

Aroha.	Hori Nohotu.	Makoha Wakahou.	Te Rakataua Parakaia.
Arapera.	Honatana Porikapa.	Noera Takatua.	Te Rongopakaha Parakaia.
Atareta.	Hemi Tutata.	Naki.	Rihimona Rehua.
Ani.	Hakiaha Hunia.	Nahirata.	Te Raina Kingi.
Aramata.	Ihipera Peka.	Ngarui Reweti.	Raiha Tautuhi.
Arapeta Parakaia.	Iwingaro Babbington.	Ngarama Taiuru.	Raima Tauheru.
Te Awanui Parakaia.	Kereama Tautuhi.	Nimerata Timoti.	Riripeti Puhi.
Akuhata Honatana.	Kingi Mokotua.	Te Ngaronui Makiwhara.	Rithia Herewini.
Akuhata Takatua.	Kararaina.	Nepia Porikapa.	Te Rakaukawa.
Atareta Herewini.	Kauia.	Otene Te Rangai.	Rapi Hunia.
Emire, <i>alias</i> Emire Arapeta.	Keita Puhi.	Te Oriā Rihimona.	Te Ruawai Hunia.
Ereatara, <i>alias</i> Ereatara Herewini.	Kataraina.	Te Oke Waiapu.	Te Hata.
Ema Warakihī.	Kaperiere Tamateareho.	Te Oitahuna.	Tauheru.
Erina, <i>alias</i> Erina Waikohua.	Kainamu Arapeta.	Pei.	Turuhira.
Eru Rihimona.	Kerei Parakaia.	Te Paea.	Taku.
Epiha Puru.	Kenehia Rewi.	Porikapa Konohirehe.	Tamehana.
Hemi te Rua.	Kenehia, <i>alias</i> Kenehia Koara.	Patene Kuariro.	Takatua.
Henare Aururangi.	Karauria Kohikohi.	Pene te Puni.	Taua.
Hohaia Ngarara.	Kapa Herewini.	Paora Kingi.	Tamanohoaka.
Hemi Kare Patata.	Keretihana, <i>alias</i> Keretihana Taka.	Pirihihi.	Tikei Parakaia.
Hori Karaka.	Meri.	Te Paea.	Tamati Toka.
Heke.	Mahuru Paku.	Te Pirihi Kerei.	Tahua Honatana.
Hohepa Tuia.	Matauru.	Pirihiira Parakaia.	Tipuna Honatana.
Hetera.	Makoha.	Paku Eruera.	Topehuia Puruhi.
Hinehau.	Maata.	Paerau Kahuka.	Turoa Takatua.
Te Harawira.	Mere Kararaina.	Pita Ranapia.	Tamarangi Kingi.
Horomona.	Mere Karo.	Te Paea Honatana.	Titi Wakahou.
Hapikara.	Miriama.	Pahemata Hauraki.	Taiā Makiwhara.
Hinekupa.	Maria Koara.	Paratene Rewi.	Tini Waiapu.
Henipuhi.	Mata Matihī.	Pekamu te Rua.	Taru Waiapu.
Honatana Tarahaere.	Matenga Taua.	Pera Kararehe.	Timoti Rewi.
Hiiti Ranapia.	Mitai Whenua.	Patihana Hohepa.	Tamarangi Mita.
Hami Honatana.	Mahu Peka.	Pakoko Waiapu.	Taiakitewhanga Herewini.
Henare Kiingi.	Maui.	Patata Herewini.	Tutere Porikapa.
Hoera Katipo.	Mio.	Pateriki Porikapa.	Wikitoria.
Hiria, <i>alias</i> Hiria Tauawhi.	Maraea Himiona.	Petera Porikapa.	Wetini Taku.
Huriata Taiuru.	Moihi Rangikotua.	Te Pahou Puru.	Wharekohuru, <i>alias</i> Wharekohuru Romana.
Hiria Tauaki.	Moho Kerei.	Ririwhenua.	Wi Pere Honatana.
Horiana Mika.	Miriama Parakaia.	Raina.	Whareumu Harawira.
Hirini Warakihī.	Makuini Kingi.	Ria.	Wiremu Maihi.
Hare Toka.	Maru Honatana.	Riria.	Warakihī Waiapu.
Hiro Waiapu.	Mihiterina Kingi.	Raiha.	Te Wakaroa Waiapu.
Haua Babbington.	Miriama Materoa.	Romana Tautari.	Te Wakahou Waiapu.
Haaka Tautuhi.	Meriona, <i>alias</i> Meriona Hema.	Rewi Tipoki.	Te Whitu Waiapu.
Heni Taku.	Maora Babbington.	Ruku.	Wi Kingi.
Hakahaka, <i>alias</i> Hakahaka Ahipene.	Makarini Herewini.	Rawiri Tuauri.	Winiata te Hata.
Haromi Herewini.	Matekitewai Katia.	Ranapia Hinu.	Wikitoria Rihimona.
Hinekupa Herewini.	Mere Taka Hunia.	Ropiha Raturua.	Weriwiri Puru.
	Mere Putiputi Hunia.	Rangikapua.	Winiata Hunia.
		Ritihia.	

Order for Incorporation of the Owners of the Waiohoata B Block.

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," and its amendments, and of the petition for incorporation by the owners of the Waiohoata B Block. At a sitting of the Court held at Opotiki, before James Wakelin Browne, Esquire, Judge, and Hari Hemara, Assessor, on Wednesday, the 18th day of August, 1909.

UPON reading the petition for incorporation lodged herein, and upon hearing the petitioners, and the evidence adduced on their behalf, and the Court being satisfied of the consent of the majority of the owners of the said Waiohoata B Block, and that such block can be dealt with to the advantage of the owners thereof by being incorporated as hereinafter appearing, it is ordered that the owners whose names are set out in the Schedule hereunder written shall be and the same are hereby constituted a body corporate within the meaning of section 122 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," by the name of "The Proprietors of Waiohoata B Block," subject to the powers, liabilities, and incidents conferred or imposed by the said Act or any amendments thereof. The said land contains 7,664 acres, and is bounded as follows: Towards the north by Waiohoata A Block, towards the east by Torere Block, towards the south by Torere Block, and towards the west by Awaawakino A and B Blocks.

And it is hereby ordered and directed that a general meeting of the proprietors of the said block shall be held at Torere on Friday, the 17th day of September 1909, at the hour of 7.30 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of nominating a committee to administer the said land, and fixing the number of its members.

And it is hereby further ordered that the committee shall have full power to defray the reasonable costs and expenses consequent upon this incorporation or incidental thereto, and that the title to the said land hereby vested in the corporate body above named shall be subject to all existing rights, alienations, encumbrances, and contracts affecting the same or any interest therein.

In witness whereof the seal of the said Court was hereto affixed, the day and year first above written.

JAS. W. BROWNE, Judge.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.
WAIHOATA B BLOCK.

Arapera Peti.	Iwingaro Babbington.	Otene te Rangai.	Tamati Toka.
Ani Patene.	Kahuka Waiokura.	Te Oria Rihimona.	Taia Makiwhara.
Atareta te Peru.	Kararaina Mahuru.	Pohu.	Tini Waiapu.
Aramata Herewini.	Kauia Ruaranbanga.	Pirihita Hinepani.	Taru Waiapu.
Akuhata Takatua.	Kenehia Koara.	Pera Kararehe.	Timoti Rewi.
Atareta Herewini.	Keretihana Taku.	Peterihi Kingi.	Tamatama Tarahae.
Emire Arapeta.	Kawhena Hako.	Pekamu Te Rua.	Taiakitewhanga Herewini.
Erina Waikohua.	Kenehia Rewi.	Te Paea Kingi.	Tamarangi Mita.
Erestara Herewini.	Kauria Kohokohi.	Paratene Rewi.	Tame Rihimona.
Ema Warakihi.	Kainamu Arapeta.	Patihana Hohepa.	Tutere Porikapa.
Eru Rihimona.	Kereama Tautuhi.	Te Pirihia Kerei.	Te Wetini Taku.
Epiha Puru.	Kapa Herewini.	Patiriki Porikapa.	Wikitoria Tuauri.
Honatana Tarahaere.	Keita Puha.	Pakoko Waiapu.	Wharekohuru Romana.
Hamiora Tinohi.	Kingi Mokotua.	Patata Herewini.	Wiremumu Maihi.
Himiona.	Maata Paekau.	Pita Ranapia.	Warakihi Waiapu.
Hoera Manoro.	Maata Matihe.	Paku Eruera.	Te Wakaroa Waiapu.
Hinehau Tauhina.	Meriona Hena.	Paerau Kahuka.	Te Wakahou Waiapu.
Hiria Tauawhi.	Mere Kararaina.	Petera Porikapa.	Te Whitu Waiapu.
Te Harawira Arapeta.	Mere Karo.	Te Pahou Te Puru.	Wi Kingi.
Hinekupa Herewini.	Miriama Hinewera.	Ria Katia.	Winiata te Hata.
Hakahaka Hahipene.	Maria Koara.	Riria te Oria.	Wikitoria Rihimona.
Horomona Tuauri.	Makuini Kingi.	Raiha Hineawe.	Weriweri Puru.
Te Hata.	Mihiterina Kingi.	Te Raina Kingi.	Noera Takatua.
Huriata Taiuru.	Makoha Waiapu.	Rangikapua Puru.	Mere Taka Hunia.
Horiana Mika.	Meri Puru.	Ritihia Kararaina.	Mere Putiputi Hunia.
Hirini Warakihi.	Mahuru Paku.	Raima Tauheru.	Rapi Hunia.
Hare Toka.	Matauru.	Rowharewha Putiki.	Te Ruawai Hunia.
Hoera Katipo.	Mio Tupe.	Rihimona Rehua.	Winiata Hunia.
Hemi Kare Patata.	Mariana Taiuru.	Raiha Tautuhi.	Miriama Parakaia Kerei.
Hiro Waiapu.	Matenga Tana.	Ruihi te Wharetapu.	Wirihana Parakaia Kerei.
Hori Karaka.	Maora Babbington.	Ruihi Wharetaka.	Pirihira Parakaia Kerei.
Haua Babbington.	Makarini Herewini.	Te Rakatau Kerei.	Ketia Parakaia Kerei.
Haka Tautuhi.	Matekitewai Katia.	Ritihia Rewharewha.	Mereana Parakaia Kerei.
Heni Taku.	Nimerata Timoti.	Ritihia Herewini.	Mere Kutia Parakaia Kerei.
Haromi Herewini.	Nepia Porikapa.	Riripete Puha.	Moho Parakaia Kerei.
Hori Mio.	Ngahirata Tahu.	Te Rakaukawa.	Kerei Parakaia Kerei.
Hori Nohotu.	Ngarama Taiuru.	Turuhira Whakahoro.	Tikei Parakaia Kerei.
Honatana Porikapa.	Te Oitahuna.	Turoa Takatua.	Arapeta Parakaia Kerei.
Hemi Tutata.	Te Oke Waiapu.	Tamarangi Kingi.	Hakiaha Hunia.
Hipera Peka.			

Notice of Nomination for Committees for Incorporated Blocks.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the persons whose names are set out in the second column of the Schedule hereunder have been proposed for nomination as candidates for the committees to administer the blocks set out in the first column.

Dated at Gisborne, this 13th day of September, 1909.

HAROLD CARR,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Block.	Names of Persons nominated.
Tarake	Rutene Tuhi.
Makareao	{ Hakopa Tipuna. Kingi Karauria.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board.

Gisborne, 18th September, 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 Maori Land Board to be held at Gisborne on Monday, the 4th day of October, 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 Maori Lessor.	Term of Lease.	Area proposed to be leased.		
						Yrs.	A.	R. P.
64	T. 1909/86	Nopera Rangiua (by his solicitors, Chrisp and Coleman)	Mangaheia Nos. 2K and 2r.	Oriwia Ruru and others ..	21	510	0	0
65	T. 1909/87	William Frederick Sinclair (by his solicitor, H. Hei)	Tauwhareparae No. 1B	Ani Ahunuku and others..	21	535	1	24
66	T. 1909/88	John Machell (by his solicitor, H. Hei)	Whaururangi No. 1 ..	Karukoura	21	12	0	9

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.
67	T. 1908/160	Thomas William Porter ..	Tuahu No. 1 ..	A. R. P. 600 0 0	Sale.
68	T. 1909/84	Stewart Crarer (by his solicitor, E. Sandeman)	Tukemokihi No. 3B ..	24 3 13	Sale.
69	T. 1909/85	Rawiri Karaha and Hataraka Rangi (by their solicitors, Chrisp and Coleman)	Mangaheia No. 1B3F ..	16 2 29	Sale.

APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF ALIENATION UNDER SECTION 7 OF "THE MAORI LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1908."

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
70	T. 1909/89	Transfer ..	21st August, 1909 ..	Puhatikotiko No. 8G (part)	Hemi Whakarau and Mohi Tamatea Tutaki to Edmund Woodthorpe Richings Bousfield (solicitor, H. Hei).

Meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 21st September, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written—also, on the application of the interested parties, any matter adjourned from a previous sitting—will be considered at a meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board to be held at the Government Buildings, Wellington, on Tuesday, the 5th day of October, 1909, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon. At the conclusion of local business the Board will adjourn to Masterton and Hastings.

THOS. W. FISHER, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPROVAL OF LEASE.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.	Term of Lease.	Area.		
						Yrs.	A.	R. P.
1	I. 1909/137	Hemi Enoka (by his solicitors, Field, Luckie, and Toogood)	Awaawaroa No. 1, Sub-divisions 3B and 3C	Ani Enoka	10	55	1	31
2	I. 1909/142	Clara C. Tatham (by her solicitor, W. G. Beard)	Tutaehao No. 2 ..	Piripi Waaka and others ..	21	125	0	0
3	I. 1909/143	Lillian M. Glazebrook (by her solicitor, D. Scannell)	Waipuka 3A No. 4 (part)	Hiramina te Orenge ..	21	100	0	0
4	I. 1909/144	Margaret Tinsley (by her agent, E. Buckle)	Manaia, Section 107, Lot 1	Otene Kuku Karaitiana and others	21	79	0	12

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.	Area.
5	I. 1909/114	Jessie C. Strang (by her solicitor, W. G. Beard)	Hinana No. 1B, Subdivisions 1 and 2 (part)	Sale	A. B. P. 165 3 0
6	I. 1909/130	Martin Kerins (by his solicitor, A. R. Bunny)	Akura 3c No. 1A (part)..	Sale	7 0 0
7	I. 1909/131	Renata te Nii (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	Tikokino No. 13A (part)	Sale	6 0 24
8	I. 1909/132	Renata te Nii (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	Tikokino No. 16 (part)..	Sale	4 3 2
9	I. 1909/133	Renata te Nii (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	Tikokino No. 15A (part)	Sale	4 0 21
10	I. 1909/134	Renata te Nii (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	Tikokino No. 17 (part)..	Sale	4 0 37
11	I. 1909/140	Tu Hirini (by his solicitors, Maunsell and Hart)	Whareama, Section 394	Sale	1,150 0 0
12	I. 1909/141	Te Hiwa Paku (by his solicitor, W. G. Beard)	Ngapuketurua No. 3A ..	Exchange	41 1 17
13	I. 1909/145	Te Nahu Watene (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	Rakau - o - mokai Block (interest in)	Sale	47 0 0
14	I. 1909/146	Te Nahu Watene (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	Waipuka 3c No. 2 (interest in)	Sale	59 1 0

APPLICATIONS FOR APPROVAL OF ALIENATIONS UNDER SECTION 7 OF "THE MAORI LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1908."

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
15	I. 1909/138	Mortgage ..	..	Purakau C No. 2 ..	Charles J. Jury to the Public Trustee (Field, Luckie, and Toogood)
16	I. 1909/139	Mortgage ..	23rd August, 1909	Okurupatu A No. 2, Sub-division 1c	Rimini Wi Timitara and others to the Government Advances to Settlers Department (Field, Luckie, and Toogood).

Meeting of the Maniapoto-Tuwaharetoa District Maori Land Board.

Auckland, 20th September, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Maniapoto-Tuwaharetoa District Maori Land Board to be held at Te Kuiti on Friday, the 1st day of October, 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

A. G. HOLLAND, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT TO LEASE.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.
153	M. 1909/262	Falwasser and Thorp (agents for L. Fisher and John J. Pendray)	Ohura South M No. 3D, Section 1	..
154	M. 1909/263	Falwasser and Thorp (agents for Alfred Julian)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60D ..	..
155	M. 1909/265	John Ormsby (agent for S. A. R. Mair)	Rangitoto-Tuhua 77A No. 2B ..	..
156	M. 1909/266	John Ormsby (agent for C. Rountree)	Puketarata 4G No. 2A ..	..
157	M. 1909/268	E. C. Falwasser	Te Kuiti 2B No. 1A, Section 1A ..	..
158	..	Patrick John Sullivan	Rangitoto A No. 2B ..	..

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
159	M. 1909/264	Walter Thorp	Ohura South H, Section 1	.. Sale.
160	M. 1909/267	Falwasser and Thorp (agents for William Standish)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	.. Sale.
161	M. 1909/269	Falwasser and Thorp (agents for William Standish)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N ..	.. Sale.

Maori Lands in Te Kuiti Township for Lease by Public Auction under "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," and Amendments.

Office of the Maniapoto-Tuwharetoa District
Maori Land Board,
Auckland, 31st August, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned sections will be offered for lease by public auction for a term of twenty-one years, with right of renewals for further terms of twenty-one years, at the Courthouse, Te Kuiti, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, the 5th day of October, 1909.

WAITOMO COUNTY.—OTANAKE SURVEY DISTRICT.—TOWNSHIP OF TE KUITI.

Lot.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Value of Improvements
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	
11	VI	0 1 1	5 0 0	..
17	VI	0 1 16	3 0 0	..
12	VIII	0 0 28	10 0 0	Hall, £2,000.
1	XXI	0 0 29	2 0 0	..

Plans of the Township of Te Kuiti can be seen and full particulars obtained at the Post-offices at Te Awamutu, Kihikihi, Otorohanga, Te Kuiti, and Taumarunui; also on application to the President, Maniapoto-Tuwharetoa District Maori Land Board, at Auckland.

A. G. HOLLAND,
President, Maniapoto-Tuwharetoa District
Maori Land Board.

Maori Lands for Lease by Public Auction.

Tokerau District Maori Land Board Office,
Auckland, 26th August, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for lease by public auction for a term of twenty-five years, with right of renewal for a further term of twenty-five years, at the Public Hall, Kohukohu, Hokianga, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Monday, the 18th day of October, 1909, under the provisions of "The Maori Land Administration Act, 1900," and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

TE KARAH BLOCK.—MANGAMUKA SURVEY DISTRICT.—AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
2	120 0 0	10 5 0
All mixed-forest land; about two-thirds undulating, balance hilly; a fair depth of good dark loam, on strong clay subsoil. This section is loaded with £5 for improvements.		
3	155 0 0	12 0 0
Heavy mixed-forest land, containing taraire, rimu, &c., but only sufficient useful timber for building and fencing purposes; fair depth of good loam, on clay subsoil.		
7	180 0 0	18 0 0
Heavy-forest land, containing ordinary mixed timber sufficient for fencing and building purposes; a fair depth of good loam, on strong clay subsoil. This section is loaded with the sum of £40 for improvements.		
9	135 0 0	11 15 0
Heavy mixed-forest land; soil of a clay nature of good quality; sufficient timber for building and fencing purposes.		
10	116 2 0	9 15 0
All heavy-bush land, containing sufficient timber for fencing and building purposes. A fair depth of loam, on strong clay subsoil.		
17	135 0 0	9 10 0
About 30 acres open fern land, balance mixed bush; clayey soil of fair quality, on sandstone formation.		
22	298 0 0	22 10 0
Ordinary mixed-bush land; fair soil, on sandstone formation; sufficient timber for building and fencing purposes.		

Lot.	Area.	Upset Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
23	292 0 0	23 10 0
Heavy-forest land, and soil of good quality; one-half undulating.		
25	300 0 0	24 15 0
One hundred acres open fern land, balance mixed bush; soil of fair quality. This section is loaded with the sum of £16 for improvements.		
26	320 0 0	26 10 0
Sixty to 70 acres mixed bush and fern land, balance heavy bush. A fair depth of good loam, on strong clay subsoil. Sufficient timber for building and fencing purposes.		
30	283 0 0	22 15 0
Heavy forest land; dark loam soil, on strong clay subsoil.		
31	302 0 0	21 5 0
Ordinary mixed-forest land; strong clayey soil of fair quality.		
35	292 0 0	23 10 0
Heavy-forest land, containing mixed timbers sufficient for fencing and building.		
37	299 0 0	24 0 0
Heavy mixed-forest land; fair depth of good loam, on strong clay subsoil.		
39	305 0 0	24 10 0
Heavy mixed-forest land; mixed timbers sufficient for fencing and building purposes; two-thirds undulating.		
55	141 0 0	11 15 0
Heavy manuka and mixed light bush; all undulating land; fair depth of good soil, on sandstone formation.		
56	148 0 0	12 5 0
Ordinary mixed bush; land generally undulating; fair depth of good soil, on clay subsoil.		
57	124 2 0	10 5 0
Mixed bush; mostly undulating; fair depth of loam, on clay subsoil.		
62	235 0 0	19 0 0
Fifteen acres open fern land, remainder mixed bush; fair soil, on sandstone formation.		
63	220 0 0	16 10 0
Fifteen acres open fern land, remainder mixed bush.		
66	170 0 0	12 15 0
About 40 acres open fern land, balance mixed bush.		
70	280 0 0	21 0 0
Heavy mixed-forest land, containing puriri, &c., sufficient for fencing and building purposes; good limestone land. This section is loaded with the sum of £20 for improvements.		
71	324 0 0	22 15 0
All heavy-forest land; good limestone land; fine sheep-country.		
THE ABOVE-MENTIONED ALLOTMENTS HAVE BEEN SET APART FOR SELECTION IN THE FIRST INSTANCE BY THE MAORI OWNERS OF THE LAND, AND WILL BE OFFERED, BY PUBLIC AUCTION, TO SUCH MAORI OWNERS, AT THE PUBLIC HALL, KOHUKOHU, HOKIANGA, AT 11 A.M. ON FRIDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1909. ANY SUCH ALLOTMENTS NOT THEN TAKEN UP WILL BE OFFERED TO THE PUBLIC, TOGETHER WITH THE UNDERMENTIONED SECTIONS, ON MONDAY, THE 18TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1909, AT THE TIME AND PLACE AFORESAID.		
4	325 0 0	22 15 0
Mixed-forest land of fair quality; sufficient timber for fencing and building purposes. Situated about three miles from Kohukohu, and accessible by Kohukohu-Broadwood Road.		
6	223 2 0	14 0 0
Heavy-forest land, containing sufficient useful timber for fencing and building purposes. Situated three miles and a half from Kohukohu, and accessible by main road.		
12	307 0 0	21 10 0
Heavy mixed-forest land; well watered. Situated four miles and a half from Kohukohu, and accessible by Broadwood Road. Touched by navigable water at high tides.		
13	269 0 0	19 0 0
Heavy-forest land; well watered; soil of fair quality. Situated about five miles from Kohukohu by Broadwood Road.		
14	196 0 0	17 5 0
About 30 acres manuka flat, balance mixed bush; a fair depth of good loam, on strong clay subsoil; well watered. Situated about five miles from Kohukohu and one mile from tidal water.		

Lot.	Area.	Upset Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
15	262 0 0	18 10 0
Heavy-forest land, containing sufficient timber for fencing and building purposes; well watered. Situated about six miles from Kohukohu by Broadwood Road.		
18	231 0 0	16 5 0
Heavy mixed-forest land; well watered. Situated about seven miles from Kohukohu by Broadwood Road.		
19	230 0 0	16 5 0
Heavy mixed-forest land; well watered. Situated about seven miles and a half from Kohukohu by Broadwood Road.		
20	319 0 0	21 10 0
Ordinary mixed-bush land; fair soil; well watered. Situated about eight miles from Kohukohu by Broadwood Road.		
21	314 0 0	21 5 0
Ordinary mixed-bush land; fair soil; well watered. Distant about ten miles from Kohukohu.		
32	305 0 0	20 15 0
Ordinary mixed-forest land; soil of a fair quality; well watered. Situated about six miles and a half from Kohukohu and two miles and a half from navigable water at high tides.		
33	307 0 0	17 0 0
Mixed-bush land; medium soil; well watered. Distant about eleven miles from Kohukohu.		
34	285 0 0	15 15 0
Sixty acres open scrub land, balance mixed bush; well watered. Situated about eleven miles from Kohukohu.		
36	283 0 0	18 10 0
Heavy-forest land; fair soil; well watered; sufficient timber for fencing and building purposes. Distant about twelve miles from Kohukohu.		
38	420 2 0	29 10 0
Thirty acres open fern land, balance ordinary mixed bush; fair soil on sandstone formation. Distant about twelve miles from Kohukohu. This section is loaded with the sum of £18 for improvements.		
40	268 0 0	21 10 0
Heavy-forest land, containing mixed timbers sufficient for fencing and building purposes; two-thirds undulating; well watered; dark loam, on strong clay subsoil. Situated about ten miles from Kohukohu and four miles from tidal water.		
41	305 0 0	21 10 0
Twenty-five acres open fern land, balance mixed bush; well watered; soil of a sandstone formation. Situated about ten miles and a half from Kohukohu and four miles and a half from tidal water. This section is loaded with the sum of £20 for improvements.		
42	286 0 0	18 0 0
Forty acres open fern land, balance mixed bush; fair soil of a sandstone formation; well watered.		
43	373 0 0	24 5 0
Twenty acres open fern land, balance mixed bush; soil of a sandstone formation of a fair quality; well watered.		
44	160 0 0	11 5 0
Ordinary mixed bush; fair soil, on strong clay subsoil; well watered.		
45	52 0 0	3 15 0
Half open fern land, remainder mixed bush; good soil, on sandstone formation; well watered. This section is loaded with the sum of £18 for improvements.		
46	380 0 0	27 10 0
Heavy mixed-forest land; good dark loam, on strong clay subsoil; well watered. Situated about thirteen miles from Kohukohu and seven miles from tidal water.		
47	407 0 0	34 15 0
Heavy mixed-forest land; about 30 acres rich alluvial flat, balance undulating land of good quality; well watered. Situated about twelve miles from Kohukohu and six miles from tidal water. This section is loaded with the sum of £20 for improvements.		
49	532 0 0	29 5 0
Heavy mixed-forest land; fair soil; well watered. Situated about eleven miles from Kohukohu and four miles and a half from tidal water.		
50	864 0 0	49 15 0
Heavy mixed-forest land; one third undulating; good rubbly soil; well watered. Situated about thirteen miles from Kohukohu and five miles from tidal water.		

Lot.	Area.	Upset Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
51	866 0 0	49 15 0
Heavy mixed-forest land; one-third undulating; good soil, on sandstone formation, and well watered. Situated about fourteen miles from Kohukohu and six miles from tidal water.		
58	123 0 0	9 5 0
60	141 2 0	10 15 0
Generally bush country; fair soil of a sandstone formation. Situated about six miles from Kohukohu and touched by tidal water.		
61	324 0 0	26 15 0
Mixed-forest land; all undulating; fair depth of good loam, on strong clay subsoil; well watered. Situated about six miles from Kohukohu and partly bounded by the Hokianga River.		
64	381 0 0	29 10 0
One hundred acres open fern land, remainder mixed bush; good soil; well watered. Situated about nine miles from Kohukohu and one mile from tidal water.		
65	378 0 0	32 0 0
Eighty acres open fern land, remainder mixed bush; soil of good quality; well watered. Situated about nine miles from Kohukohu and one mile from tidal water.		
68	343 0 0	25 15 0
One hundred acres open fern land, remainder mixed bush; fair soil of sandstone formation. Situated about nine miles from Kohukohu and one mile from tidal water.		
69	395 0 0	31 15 0
Forty acres mixed fern and bush, balance all heavy bush; good soil of a sandstone formation; well watered. Situated about ten miles from Kohukohu and one mile from tidal water.		
73	432 0 0	37 15 0
Fifty acres partly open, balance mixed bush; all undulating; strong limestone land; well watered. Very suitable for dairying. Situated about twelve miles from Kohukohu.		
74	430 0 0	26 15 0
Heavy mixed-forest land; fair limestone land; good sheep-country; well watered. Situated about thirteen miles from Kohukohu.		
75	334 0 0	27 10 0
Heavy mixed-forest land; contains sufficient timber for fencing and building purposes. Strong limestone land; well watered. Splendid grass land. Situated about eight miles and a half from Kohukohu.		
76	446 0 0	40 0 0
Heavy mixed-forest land, containing sufficient timber for fencing and building purposes. Strong limestone country and good grass land; well watered. Situated about nine miles from Kohukohu.		

LOCALITY AND DESCRIPTION.

The block is situated to the north of the Kohukohu Township, the nearest point being distant about two miles and a half, while the distance to the extreme end is about fourteen miles. The land is bounded on the east by the Hokianga River, and on the western side by the Kohukohu-Broadwood Road. The soil generally is from fair to good. About thirty sections are well adapted for dairying, while the others are particularly adapted for sheep and young cattle, and most of the sections are well watered. The land is more or less all bush land, containing rimu, kahikatea, puriri, &c., with a few scattered totara, sufficient in the case of all the sections for fencing and building purposes only. The average altitude of the block is about 400 ft.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease: Twenty-five years, with right of renewal for a further term of twenty-five years.
2. The rental to be not less than the upset rental for the first twenty-five years, and shall be computed at the rate of 5 per cent. on the then unimproved value for the second term of twenty-five years.
3. Highest bidder to be declared the lessee, but Board may decline to accept any bid.
4. Successful lessee required to make statutory declaration in the prescribed form.
5. Lessee required, on fall of hammer, to pay six months' rent, £3 3s. fee on lease, and amount of stamp duty and registration fee.
6. Lessee may enter into immediate possession, but term of lease commences on 1st January, 1910.

7. Rental to be paid half-yearly, in advance, on 1st January and 1st July in each year.

8. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments (land-tax excepted).

9. Lessee not to transfer, sublet, or mortgage without the prior consent of the Board. Transfer not allowed until lessee has been one year in possession.

10. Including all other land already owned, held, or occupied under a tenure of more than nine months' duration, no person may hold more than 5,000 acres; every acre of first-class land being reckoned as 7½ acres, and every acre of second-class land being reckoned as 2½ acres.

11. Lessee to execute lease within thirty days after being notified that it is ready for signature.

12. Residence is to commence within four years in bush or swamp lands, and within one year in open or partly open lands, and to be continuous for six years.

13. Every lessee shall bring into cultivation,—

(a.) Within one year from the date of his lease, not less than one twentieth of the land leased by him;

(b.) Within two years from the date of his lease, not less than one-tenth of the land leased by him;

(c.) Within four years from the date of his lease, not less than one-fifth of the land leased by him;

and shall, within six years from the date of his lease, in addition to the cultivation of one-fifth of the land, have put substantial improvements of a permanent character (as defined by "The Land Act, 1908") on first-class land to the value of £1 for every acre of such land, and on second-class land to an amount equal to the net price of every acre of such land: Provided that in no case shall the additional improvements required be more than 10s. per acre on second-class land, or 2s. 6d. per acre on third-class land.

14. On expiry of term of lease improvements will be valued and protected.

15. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

16. Areas of unsurveyed land are subject to alteration on completion of survey.

17. All leases shall conform to the requirements of "The Maori Lands Administration Act, 1900," and the regulations made thereunder; and lessees shall be deemed to be acquainted with the provisions thereof, and to be bound thereby as effectually as if such provisions were embodied herein.

Maps giving full particulars may be obtained on application to the office of the Tokerau District Maori Land Board, Auckland, and at the District Lands Office, Auckland.

C. DEAN PITT,
President.

Maori Lands for Lease by Public Tender (1,451 Acres 3 Rods 32 Perches).

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at the office of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board, Wellington, up to 5 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, 28th October, 1909, for leases of the undermentioned lands for a term of twenty-five years, with right of renewal for a further term of twenty-five years, under the provisions of "The Native Land Settlement Act, 1907," and the regulations made thereunder.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Area.	Class.	Upset Annual Rental.	Improvements.
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Rakautatahi 5b Block, Block III, Norsewood Survey District.

	A. R. P.			Class.	Per acre.		
					s. d.	£	
1	185	0	0	First ..	6	0	70
2	113	0	0	" ..	6	0	..

All bush land, which has been swept by fire. Soil good. About 10 acres of Section 1 have been cleared.

Rakautatahi 1l Block, Block III, Norsewood Survey District.

	A. R. P.			Class.	Per acre.		
					s. d.	£	
3	90	2	24	First ..	6	0	13
4	127	0	22	" ..	5	0	5
6	250	0	0	Second	1	6	..

All bush land, which has been swept by fire. The soil on Sections 3 and 4 is good. Section 6 contains some rough and broken country, the soil being light and stony.

Rakautatahi 2b No. 2 Block, Block III, Norsewood Survey District.

	A. R. P.			Class.	Per acre.		
					s. d.	£	
1	101	0	0	First ..	4	6	..
2	120	0	0	" ..	5	0	15
3	75	0	0	" ..	4	0	..
4	150	0	0	" ..	4	0	14

Sections 1 and 2 consist of bush land, partly swept by fire, the soil being good, but inclined to be stony on the flats. About one-third of Section 3 consists of light bush, the balance being open fern country. The soil on this section is good, but of a light character. Section 4 is all open land, except along the river, where there is light bush.

Section.	Area.	Class.	Upset Annual Rental.	Improvements.
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This section is mostly fern country, inclined to be stony. Soil light, but good. The eastern boundary of this section is fenced.

Rakautatahi 3b No. 1 Block, Block I, Takapau Survey District.

	A. R. P.			Class.	Per acre.		
					s. d.	£	
..	19	1	24	First ..	4	6	14

Rakautatahi 3b No. 2 Block, Block I, Takapau Survey District.

	A. R. P.			Class.	Per acre.		
					s. d.	£	
..	51	0	13	First ..	4	0	..

Rakautatahi 3b No. 3a Block, Block I, Takapau Survey District.

	A. R. P.			Class.	Per acre.		
					s. d.	£	
..	53	0	5	First ..	4	0	12

Rakautatahi 3b No. 3b Block, Block I, Takapau Survey District.

	A. R. P.			Class.	Per acre.		
					s. d.	£	
..	116	2	24	First ..	4	0	30

The above four sections are all open lands, except along the river, where there is light bush. Mostly fern country, inclined to be stony. Soil light, but good. Areas subject to slight alteration.

LOCALITY.

The sections are situated some eight miles from the Wellington-Napier Railway line, and are accessible by road from Ormondville or Takapau.

The lands are described for the general information of selectors, who are recommended, nevertheless, to make a personal inspection, as the Board is not responsible for the absolute accuracy of any description.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease: Twenty-five years, with right of renewal for a further term of twenty-five years.

2. The rental shall not be for less than the given upset rental for the first twenty-five years, and shall be computed at the rate of 5 per cent. on the then unimproved value for the second term of twenty-five years.

3. Every tender shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope, addressed to the President, and marked on the outside as follows: "Tender for lease of Lot No. , as advertised in the newspaper of the day of , 19 , " and shall be accompanied by a statutory declaration in the prescribed form.

4. If any person desires to tender for more than one lot a separate tender for each lot must be made. Each tender must be accompanied by a separate declaration, as required by the last preceding condition.

5. Each tender must be accompanied by six months' rent, lease fee (£3 3s.), an amount sufficient to cover stamp duty and registration fee, and the value of the improvements (if any).

6. Lessee may enter into immediate possession, but term of lease commences on 1st January, 1910.

7. Rental to be paid half-yearly, in advance, on 1st January and 1st July in each year.

8. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments (land-tax excepted).

9. Lessee not to transfer, sublet, or mortgage without the prior consent of the Board. Transfer not allowed until lessee has been one year in possession.

10. Including all other land already owned, held, or occupied under a tenure of more than one year's duration, no person may hold more than 5,000 acres; every acre of first-class land being reckoned as 7½ acres, and every acre of second-class land being reckoned as 2½ acres.

11. Lessee to execute lease within thirty days after being notified that it is ready for signature.

12. Residence to commence within four years in bush lands or swamp lands, and within one year in open or partly open lands, and to be continuous for six years.

13. Lessee has no right to minerals without license, but he may use on the land any minerals for any agricultural, pastoral, household, road-making, or building purpose.

14. Every lessee shall bring into cultivation,—

(a.) Within one year from the date of his lease, not less than one-twentieth of the land leased by him;

(b.) Within two years from the date of his lease, not less than one-tenth of the land leased by him;

(c.) Within four years from the date of his lease, not less than one-fifth of the land leased by him;

and shall, within six years from the date of his lease, in addition to the cultivation of one-fifth of the land, have put substantial improvements of a permanent character (as defined by "The Land Act, 1908") on first-class land to the value of £1 for every acre of such land, and on second-class land to an amount equal to the net price of every acre of such land: Provided that in no case shall the additional improvements required on second-class land be more than 10s. per acre.

15. On expiry of term of lease lessee's improvements will be valued and protected.

16. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

17. All leases shall conform to the requirements of "The Native Land Settlement Act, 1907," and the regulations made thereunder; and the lessees shall be deemed to be acquainted with the provisions thereof, and to be bound thereby as effectually as if such provisions were embodied herein.

INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS.

Tenders must be sent to the office of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board, at Wellington, and must be on the proper forms, to be obtained at the office of the said Maori Land Board and the post-offices in the locality of the land to be opened.

Full particulars may be obtained on application at the office of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board, Government Buildings, Wellington.

THOS. W. FISHER,
President, Ikaroa District Maori
Land Board.

Office of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board,
Wellington, 20th September, 1909.

*Lands for Sale by Public Auction in the Rakautatahi Block,
by Messrs. Rose (Limited), Auctioneers, of Dannevirke.—
1,984 acres and 12 perches.*

Office of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board,
Wellington, 20th September, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction, at Norsewood, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 25th October, 1909, under the provisions of "The Native Land Settlement Act, 1907," and the regulations made thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

PART RAKAUTATAHI 1L.—BLOCKS I, II, AND III, NORSEWOOD SURVEY DISTRICT, HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Area.	Class.	Upset Price per Acre.
5	A. R. P. 153 0 12	Second ..	£ s. d. 1 2 6
7	1,831 0 0	Third ..	

Areas subject to slight alteration. To be submitted for sale in one lot.

Locality and Description.

The land is situated about five miles from Norsewood, which township is distant about four miles from Ormondville, on the Wellington-Napier Railway line. Section 5 consists of bush which has been swept by fire. The soil on one-half of this section is good, while the balance is of a light stony nature. Section 7 is all bush land, one-third of which has been swept by fire. Part of this section is rough and broken, and runs to an elevation of 2,000 ft. The soil is light and stony.

The lands are described for the general information of selectors, who are recommended, nevertheless, to make a personal inspection, as the Board is not responsible for the absolute accuracy of any description.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. Land is to be sold subject to a reserve price of £1 2s. 6d. an acre.
2. Highest bidder to be declared the purchaser, but the vendor reserves the right to refuse any bid.
3. If any dispute arises as to any bidding, the auctioneer shall put up the lot again at the last undisputed bid.
4. Ten per cent. of purchase-money to be paid on fall of hammer. Balance to be paid by twenty equal half-yearly instalments, the first of such instalments being payable on the 1st July, 1910.
5. The purchaser to pay interest on unpaid purchase-money at rate of five per cent. per annum. Interest to be payable on the 1st January and the 1st July of each year, and to date from the signing of contract of sale.
6. Residence and improvements to conform with sections 159 to 165 of "The Land Act, 1908," so far as applicable.
7. Land to be sold subject to the provisions of "The Native Land Settlement Act, 1907," and the regulations made thereunder.

Full particulars may be ascertained, and plans and copies of the regulations obtained, from Messrs. Rose (Limited), Auctioneers, Dannevirke, or at this office.

THOS. W. FISHER,
President, Ikaroa District Maori Land Board.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM CHARLES NOBLE, of Hawera, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the office of the Deputy Official Assignee, Hawera, on Friday, the 1st day of October, 1909, at 2 p.m.

J. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

New Plymouth, 17th September, 1909.

In Bankruptcy.

Estate of JAMES ALFRED WHALER, Dannevirke, Bootmaker.

A FIRST and final dividend, of 2s. 1½d. in the pound, is now payable on all proved accepted claims in the above estate.

NORMAN L. GURR,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Dannevirke, 17th September, 1909.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of A. CAMPBELL AND Co., of Pahiatua, Drapers.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first dividend, of ten shillings in the pound (10s. in £1), is now payable at my office on all proved claims against the above estate.

J. D. WILSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Pahiatua, 17th September, 1909.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Palmerston North.

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDERICK WALTER AUGUSTINE, of Marima, Sawmill Hand, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 17th day of September, 1909, at 11 o'clock a.m.

J. D. WILSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

9th September, 1909.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Palmerston North.

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS ARTHUR ADAMSON, of Pahiatua, Photographer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 20th day of September, 1909, at 11 o'clock a.m.

J. D. WILSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Pahiatua, 14th September, 1909.

In Bankruptcy.

Estate of WALTER THOMAS COTTON, of Palmerston North, Baker.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend, of 7s. 7d. in the pound, 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, 11th September, 1909.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ISRAEL GELHOR, of Wellington, Racehorse-owner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, Customhouse Building, on Wednesday, the 29th day of September, 1909, at 11 o'clock a.m.

ALEXR. SIMPSON,
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 20th September, 1909.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Westport.

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE FRASER, Labourer, of Westport, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 20th day of September, 1909, at 3.30 o'clock p.m.

10th September, 1909. W. T. SLEE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Greymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES HOUSTON MORRIS, of Runanga, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of September, 1909, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

GEO. P. PURNELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Tainui Street, Greymouth, 11th September, 1909.

MINING NOTICES.

NOTICE.

"THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908," SECTION 266 (4).

Re the Wakamarina Golden Point Dredging Company (Limited).

TAKE notice that the name of the above-mentioned company has been struck off the Register, and the company has been dissolved.

Given under my hand, at Blenheim, this seventeenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

F. W. BROUGHTON,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE KING DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED), (IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of the King Dredging Company (Limited), held at the registered office of the company, 152 High Street, Dunedin, on Thursday, 2nd September, 1909, the following resolution was passed: "That the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is desirable to wind up the same, and that the company be wound up accordingly under 'The Companies Act, 1908,' and that a Liquidator be appointed for such winding-up."

708 J. N. LAWSON, Liquidator.

THE SLAB HUT CREEK GOLD-DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the following extraordinary resolution was passed by the shareholders of the above-named company at an extraordinary general meeting of the company, held at the office, Mackay Street, Greymouth, on Thursday, the 19th day of August, 1909:—

"That it is proved to its satisfaction that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same; also that a Liquidator be appointed, and his remuneration fixed."

E. TAYLOR,
Liquidator.
Greymouth, 15th September, 1909. 709

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

LEASE No. 1488, from the WHANGAREI HARBOUR BOARD to WILLIAM TUKI, of Section 9, Parish of Ruakaka: The lessor having re-entered for non-payment of rent, it is my intention to notify such re-entry upon the Register at the expiration of one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated the 17th day of September, 1909, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
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," and its amendments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

4803. JOHN DIXON.—Allotments 154, 155, Town of Hamilton East, containing 2 acres and 0.32 perch. Occupied by Applicant.

4807. CHARLES DANIEL GREY.—Lot 3 of Allotment 15, and part of Allotment 14, Section 7, Suburbs of Auckland, containing together 1 rood 4.31 perches. Occupied by tenants.

4839. COURT CITY OF AUCKLAND, No. 3978, A.O.O.F.—Lots 44, 45, of Allotment 10, Section 7, Suburbs of Auckland, containing together 26.01 perches. Occupied by Applicants.

4845. ALEXANDER SPEED WEBSTER and CAROLINE JANE WEBSTER.—Portion of a block of land on the Hokianga River, called Taikapati or Pakanai Block, containing 66 acres and 21 perches. Occupied by Applicants.

4854. LIONEL RICHARD WOOD MATTHEWS and EFFIE CAROLINE MATTHEWS.—Part of Lots 65, 66, of Allotment 11, Section 48, City of Auckland, containing 18½ perches. Occupied by tenant.

4867. CHARLES STUART REECE.—Allotments 112, 113, Town of Hamilton West, containing together 2 acres and 3 perches. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 18th day of September, 1909, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 41, folio 154, for Section 11, Block IV, Town of Manaia, whereof ELLEN ALEXANDER LOWE, wife of Francis Herbert Lowe, of Manaia, Settler, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title for the said land, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional certificate of title at expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth, this 20th day of September, 1909.

A. V. STURTEVANT,
Assistant Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register discharges of Mortgages Nos. 5551 and 6148, in favour of WILLIAM GEORGE KEMP, affecting Section 4, Block XVI, Woodville Survey District, all the land in certificate of title, Vol. 30, fol. 155, and evidence of the loss of the said mortgages having been lodged, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with the production of such mortgages and register the discharges unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 30th September, 1909.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Napier, this 9th day of September, 1909.

L. PAULING,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a discharge of Mortgage No. 43951, in favour of JOSEPH DANIEL SLATER, of Wellington, Draper, affecting part of Lot 487, City of Wellington, being part of the land in Vol. 118, fol. 131, and all the land in Lease 5065 of the Wellington Registry, and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said mortgage and lease, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with the production of the said lease and mortgage and register the discharge as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 7th day of October, 1909.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 1909, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

E. 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 23rd day of October, 1909.

Application 4324. **MATILDA ADELAIDE HARVEY.**—2 roods 26 perches, part Section 137, Town of Waverley. Occupied by William McFarlane and Sons, Alfred Ernest Eames, and Alexander I. Moulde.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 1909, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

E. 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 22nd day of October, 1909.

No. 630. **JANE ECKFORD.**—2 acres 1 rood 4 perches, Allotment 217 and part of Allotments 216 and 218 of Section 46, Opawa District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office (D.P. 472).

Dated this 20th day of September, 1909, at the Lands Registry Office, Blenheim.

F. W. BROUGHTON,
Assistant Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1908," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

10988. **EDWARD WASHBOURN** and **FRANK WASHBOURNE.**—191 acres 3 roods 20 perches, parts of Rural Sections 4494 and 5757, Block V, Leeston Survey District. Occupied by Mrs. Washbourne and Edward Washbourne.

10996. **HENRY REVELL.**—3 acres 2 roods 35 perches, Rural Section 13642, Borough of Kaiapoi. Occupied by Alexander Anderson.

11000. **WILLIAM HENRY BOUNDY.**—5 acres 3 roods 3 perches, part of Lot 4, Plan 1047, part of Rural Section 42, Borough of Woolston. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 21st day of September, 1909, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE UNDER "THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908," SECTION 266, SUBSECTION (4).

TAKE notice that the names of the companies mentioned in the Schedule hereto have been struck off the Register, and the companies have been dissolved.

Given under my hand, at Invercargill, this fourteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nine.

C. E. NALDER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

Schedule.

- 1899/10. The Godwards Spiral Pin and New Inventions Company (Limited).
- 1900/6. The Victoria Waimumu Gold-dredging Company (Limited).
- 1902/4. The Phoenix Dredging Company (Limited).
- 1900/9. The MacCharlton Gold-dredging Company (Limited).
- 1904/6. The Centre Bush Dairy Company (Limited).
- 1906/1. The Sounds Fishing Company of New Zealand (Limited).
- 1906/3. The Riverview Dredging Company (Limited).
- 1908/1. The Mataura River Syndicate (Limited).
- 1905/10. The Duke of Gordon Dredging Company (Limited).
- 1904/1. Lynwood (Limited).

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908."

NOTICE is hereby given that the **NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED)**, a company duly registered under the English Companies Acts, 1862 to 1907 (heretofore carrying on business under the name of the Northern Assurance Company), proposes to carry on its business in the Provincial District of Canterbury. The office of the said company is situated at the offices of Messrs. Harman and Stevens (Limited), at No. 220 Hereford Street, in the City of Christchurch, where legal process of any kind may be served upon the said company and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered.

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1909.

HARMAN AND STEVENS (LIMITED),
Attorneys of the said Company for
the above-mentioned District.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908."

NOTICE is hereby given that the **NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED)**, a company duly registered under the English Companies Acts, 1862 to 1907 (heretofore carrying on business under the name of the Northern Assurance Company), proposes to carry on its business in the Provincial District of Otago. The office of the said company is situated at the offices of Messrs. H. L. Tapley and Co., No. 51 Crawford Street, in the City of Dunedin, where legal process of any kind may be served upon the said company and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered.

Dated the 3rd day of September, 1909.

H. L. TAPLEY AND CO.,
Attorneys of the said Company for the
above-mentioned District.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908."

NOTICE is hereby given that the **NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED)**, a company duly registered under the English Companies Acts, 1862 to 1907 (heretofore carrying on business under the name of the Northern Assurance Company), proposes to carry on its business in the Provincial District of Westland. The office of the said company is situated at the offices of V. W. M. Bonar, Wharf Street, in the Town of Hokitika, where legal process of any kind may be served upon the said company and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered.

Dated the 10th day of September, 1909.

V. W. M. BONAR,
Attorney of the said Company for the
above District.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,
WELLINGTON DISTRICT (NAPIER REGISTRY).

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

NOTICE is hereby given that a Petition for confirming a proposed reduction of the above-named company's capital from £45,000 to £22,500 was on the 14th day of September instant presented to the Supreme Court at Napier, in the Wellington District of the said Court, and that the said Petition is directed to be heard before His Honour Mr. Justice Cooper in His Honour's Chambers at the Supreme Court House, Napier, on Thursday, the 30th day of September instant, at the hour of 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and that the list of creditors of the company is to be made out as for the 29th day of September instant.

COTTERILL AND HUMPHRIES,
Solicitors for the Company.

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MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, **REGINALD LESLIE NORMAN**, Memb. Roy. Coll. Surgeons, England, 1894; Lic. Roy. Coll. Physicians, England, 1894, now residing in Auckland, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 14th October, 1909, to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Dominion of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Auckland.

R. L. NORMAN,
Hikurangi.

Dated at Auckland, 13th September, 1909. 711

ELECTION OF TWO MEMBERS OF THE PHARMACY BOARD OF NEW ZEALAND, FOR THE DISTRICT OF WELLINGTON.

To be elected by the registered pharmaceutical chemists residing within the District of Wellington (Central District), the boundaries of which are the same as those of the Provincial Districts of Wellington, Hawke's Bay, Nelson, and Marlborough.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention to proceed on Friday, the 22nd day of October, 1909, to the election of two duly registered pharmaceutical chemists of New Zealand to serve as members of the Pharmacy Board of New Zealand, in place of George Bagley and Frederick Castle, who retire by effluxion of time and are eligible for re-election.

All candidates must be nominated, in the manner provided by the regulations, on or before Monday, the 4th day of October, 1909.

Nominations will be received by the undersigned at his office, corner of Featherston and Brandon Streets, Wellington, at or before 4 p.m. of Monday, the 4th October, 1909.

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

CHAS. W. NIELSEN,

712 Registrar and Solicitor for the Board.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908," and of the Palmerston North Sash, Door, and Timber Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the Palmerston North Sash, Door, and Timber Company (Limited), duly convened, and held at the Club Hotel, Palmerston North, on Tuesday, the 24th day of August, 1909, at 8 o'clock in the afternoon, the following special resolution was duly passed; and that at a subsequent extraordinary meeting of the members of the said company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on Tuesday, the 14th day of September, 1909, the following resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of 'The Companies Act, 1908.'"

And at such last-mentioned meeting WALTER RUTHERFURD and FREDERICK WILLIAM CONNELL, of Palmerston North, Accountants, were appointed Liquidators for the purposes of the winding-up.

Dated this 16th day of September, 1909.

JNO. E. PERRIN, Chairman.

Frank H. Cooke, Solicitor, Palmerston North.

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THE Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, carrying on business as Bicycle and General Importers, at Lambton Quay, Wellington, and the Main Road, Lower Hutt, under the style or firm of "Matterson and Fitzgerald," has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The Lower Hutt business will in future be carried on by Mr. Matterson, and the Wellington business by Mr. Fitzgerald.

Dated at Wellington, this 1st day of September, 1909.

S. H. MATTERSON,

J. E. FITZGERALD.

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NOTICE OF CHANGE OF SURNAME.

I, DAISY MAUD DU GARDE TOOGOOD, heretofore called and known by the name of Daisy Maud Du Garde Cook, of Kohiwi, Whareama, Wairarapa District, Dominion of New Zealand, Spinster, hereby give public notice that on the 14th day of September, 1909, I formally and absolutely renounced, relinquished, and abandoned the use of my said surname of Cook, and then assumed and adopted, and determined thenceforth on all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe, the name of Daisy Maud Du Garde Toogood instead of the said name of Daisy Maud Du Garde Cook; and I give further notice that by a deed-poll dated the 14th day of September, 1909, duly executed and attested, and enrolled in the Supreme Court of New Zealand, at Wellington, on the 15th day of September, 1909, I formally and absolutely renounced and abandoned the said surname of Cook, and declared that I had assumed and adopted, and intended thenceforth upon all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe, the name of Daisy Maud Du Garde Toogood instead of Daisy Maud Du Garde Cook, and so as to be at all times thereafter called, known, and described by the name of Daisy Maud Du Garde Toogood exclusively.

Dated at Masterton, this 16th day of September, 1909.

DAISY MAUD DU GARDE TOOGOOD,

Late DAISY MAUD DU GARDE COOK.

Witness to signature—D. K. Logan, Solicitor, Masterton.

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THE FITZHERBERT ESTATE COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 230 of "The Companies Act, 1908," that a General Meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at the registered office of the company, 27 Panama Street, Wellington, on Thursday, the 14th day of October, 1909, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company, and of the Liquidator, shall be disposed of.

Dated the 22nd day of September, 1909.

JAS. A. BRUCE,

Liquidator.

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I, ERNEST HUNT, Mem. R. Coll. Surg. Eng. 1893, Lic. R. Coll. Phys. Lond. 1893, now residing in Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 22nd October next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Dominion of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar-General.

ERNEST HUNT.

Dated at Wellington,

22nd September, 1909.

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