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Allocating Land reserved for a Railway to the Purposes of a Road in Block II, Pouatu Survey District..

(L.S.) **PLUNKET, Governor.**

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto forms part of land reserved for the purposes of the Stratford-Ongarue Railway, and it is considered desirable to allocate such land to the purposes of a road:

And whereas it has been certified by the Minister of Public Works that such land is not required for railway purposes:

And whereas such land is situated in the Clifton County, the local authority of which county has assented to the issue of this Proclamation:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land allocated as a Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 12.2	Stratford-Ongarue Railway Reserve	II	Pouatu	P.W.D. 25847	Red.

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 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 first day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land in Block X, Clifford Bay Survey District, taken for the Purpose of Picton-Hurunui Railway.

(L.S.) **PLUNKET, Governor.**

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Picton-Hurunui Railway to take further land, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

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

SCHEDULE.

The parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Bordered on Plan
A. R. P. 11 3 0	Section 13 (Crown land)	X	Clifford Bay	Red.

In the Land District of Marlborough; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 25082, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above.

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

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking Part of a Proclamation taking Land in Heretaunga Survey District for the Purposes of a Rifle Range.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Public Works Amendment Act, 1909," it is enacted that if at any time after the issue or making of any Proclamation taking land under "The Public Works Act, 1908," and before the payment or award of any compensation in respect of the taking thereof, it is found that the land or any part thereof is not required for the purpose for which it was taken, the Governor may, by a subsequent Proclamation gazetted, revoke the former Proclamation either wholly or so far as he thinks necessary: And whereas it is found that a part of certain land in Block XIII, Heretaunga Survey District, taken for rifle-range purposes by a Proclamation made under "The Public Works Act, 1908," dated the thirtieth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eight (hereinafter termed "the said Proclamation"), and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 3, of the fourteenth day of the following month, is not required for the purpose for which the said land was taken: And whereas compensation in respect of the taking of the said land has not been paid or awarded:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Public Works Amendment Act, 1909," and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, do hereby revoke so much of the said Proclamation as affects thirty-two acres one rood seven decimal seven perches (shown bordered red on the plan marked P.W.D. 25708, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington), such land being part of the area of forty-one acres and eleven perches in Lot 2, Ngatarawa No. 1 Block, as is secondly mentioned in the Schedule to the said Proclamation.

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

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road and Gravel-pits in Blocks XV and XVI, Mahinapua Survey District.

(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 certain public works, to wit, for the purposes of a road and gravel-pits in Blocks XV and XVI, Mahinapua Survey District:

And whereas an agreement has been entered into with the owner of the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto to take such land for the public works hereinafter set forth:

And whereas plans have been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to issue a Proclamation taking the land, as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise 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, and being satisfied of the sufficiency of the agreement hereinbefore referred to, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the said road and gravel-pits aforesaid in Mahinapua Survey District; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the tenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Part of	Situated in Blocks	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
TAKEN FOR ROAD.					
A. R. P. 35 0 6	Hokitika Harbour Board Endowment Reserve No. 146	XV & XVI	Mahinapua	P.W.D. 25813	Green.
TAKEN FOR GRAVEL-PITS (TWELVE).					
4 3 34	Hokitika Harbour Board Endowment Reserve No. 146	XV & XVI	Mahinapua	P.W.D. 25813	Green.

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

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for Road Purposes in Block IV, Te Tumu Survey District, Tauranga 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 purposes of a road in the Te Tumu Survey District:

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Public Works Act, 1908," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the tenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 7 0 21	Papamoa No. 3 Block (4868c)	IV	Te Tumu	25939	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 first day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purpose of a Lighthouse in Block VIII, Turanganui Survey District.

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

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Harbours Act, 1908," and "The Public Works Act, 1908," for a certain public work, to wit, for the purpose of a lighthouse in Block VIII, Turanganui Survey District:

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

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by "The Harbours Act, 1908," and "The Public Works Act, 1908," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purpose of a lighthouse, and shall vest in the Gisborne Harbour Board; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece 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. 2 3 31	319, Kaiti Block	VIII	Turanganui	P.W.D. 26009	Red.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the 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 first day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block I, Tarras Survey District, Vincent County.

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of "The Land Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the owners of the land mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Vincent County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Tarras Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 2 18	P.R. "H," No. 3758 on Plan 236	I	Tarras	P.W.D. 25883	Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining Sections Nos.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 3 13	26, 27, & P.R. "H," No. 3758 on Plan 236	I	Tarras	P.W.D. 25833	Green.

All in the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the 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 first day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks III, XIV, and XV, Tutamoe and Kaihu Survey Districts, Hobson 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 lessee, licensees, and mortgagee of the Crown land mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Hobson County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Kaihu and Tutamoe Survey Districts described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.
LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Blocks	Situated in Survey Districts of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 2 31	4	XIV	Tutamoe ..	P.W.D. 25687	Pink.
0 0 10	1	III	Kaihu ..	" ..	Blue.
0 0 2-7	4	XIV	Tutamoe ..	" ..	Pink.
0 3 18	1	III	Kaihu ..	" ..	Blue.
0 2 16	2	"	" ..	" ..	Purple.
0 2 5	3	"	" ..	" ..	Pink.
0 1 27	5	XV	Tutamoe ..	" ..	Blue.

SECOND SCHEDULE.
ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of each of the Pieces of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining Section No.	Situated in Blocks	Situated in Survey Districts of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 3 7	{ 1 4	{ III XIV	{ Kaihu Tutamoe	P.W.D. 25687	Green.
0 0 11	4	"	"	"	"
0 0 6-4	1	III	Kaihu ..	"	"
0 2 10	{ 4 1A	{ XIV III	{ Tutamoe Kaihu	"	"
1 3 2	land 2	XIV	Tutamoe	"	"
0 0 25	{ 5 3	{ III XV	{ Tutamoe Kaihu	"	"
0 2 16	{ 5 3	{ XV III	{ Tutamoe Kaihu	"	"
0 0 0-2	5	XV	Tutamoe	"	"

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

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block II, Pouatu Survey District, Clifton 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 lessee, licensee, and mortgagees of the land mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Clifton County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Pouatu Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.
LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 3 0 20	2	II	Pouatu	P.W.D. 25847	Red.
1 2 27-6	4	"	"	Ditto	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.
ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 5 3 16	Sections 2, 3, and 4	II	Pouatu	P.W.D. 25847	Green.
0 0 16-2	Sections 2 and 4	"	"	Ditto	"
1 3 39	Railway reserve	"	"	"	"

All in the Taranaki Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the 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 first day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Blocks I, Motupiko, XIII, Gordon, and XVI, Tadmor Survey Districts, Waimea County.

(L.S.) PLUNKET, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of "The Land Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the owners and of the mortgagees of the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and of the Waimea County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Motupiko, Gordon, and Tadmor Survey Districts described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcels of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 10 2 34	Sections 6, 7, & 8, Sq. 35	I	Motupiko	P.W.D. 26065	Pink.
8 1 32	Crown land	"	"	Ditto	Burnt sienna Blue.
19 2 6	Section 21, Sq. 35	{ XIII	{ Gordon	"	"
2 0 3	Section 9 (Tadmor Title District)	XVI	Tadmor	"	Pink.

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

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Blocks III and VII, Karioi Survey District, Raglan County.

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of "The Land Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the owners and of the mortgagees of the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and of the Raglan County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Karioi Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Parcels of Land hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 1 32	38, Whaingaroa Parish	VII	Karioi	P.W.D. 25769	Yellow.
1 0 38	38A, ditto ..	III & VII	"	Ditto..	Brown.
2 2 22	45 & 46, " ..	Ditto	"	" ..	Pink.
2 2 22	44 & 45, " ..	III	"	" ..	Blue.
0 0 3.5	44, " ..	"	"	" ..	Pink.
0 0 36	46, " ..	"	"	" ..	Blue.

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

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Paroa Domain.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of December, 1909.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR J. G. WARD, K.C.M.G.,
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 the said Act, control of such domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the twenty-sixth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-ninth day of July, 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

- WILLIAM HEWLETT,
- PHILIP POWER,
- BENDIX HALLENSTEIN KERR,
- RICHARD SPENCER,
- PATRICK JAMES POWER,
- MICHAEL MCGRATH,
- RICHARD WALSH,
- THOMAS MCGILLICUDDY, and
- PETER EWART

to be the Paroa 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 Tuesday, the twelfth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and ten, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the residence of William Hewlett, on the Greymouth-Paroa Road at South Beach, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

PAROA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in Grey County, Westland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres and 6 perches, more or less, being Reserve No. 1061, Block XVI, Greymouth Survey District. Bounded towards the north by a residence-area, 400 links; towards the east by the Kumara-Greymouth Road, 760 links; towards the south by a road, 400 links; and towards the west by Beach Road, 760 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5277/1B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

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

Boundaries of Borough of Petone altered. — Amending Description.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-fourth day of February, 1910.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council made under "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1908," dated 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, a certain area of land was included in the Borough of Petone:

And whereas the said area was not correctly described in the Schedule to the said Order in Council, and it is therefore expedient to amend such Order:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said "Municipal Corporations Act, 1908," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling him in that 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 area to be added to the Borough of Petone by the hereinbefore-mentioned Order in Council of the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nine, shall be the area described in the Schedule hereto, in lieu of the area described in the said recited Order in Council, and the said Order in Council is hereby amended accordingly.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, being part of Original Section No. 10, Block XIII, Belmont Survey District, and a public road. Bounded towards the north-east and east generally by the existing western channel of the

Hutt River; towards the south-west by Port Nicholson from the mouth of the said Hutt River to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 8, Block XIII, Belmont Survey District; thence towards the north-west by a right line to the south-eastern corner of the last-mentioned section, and by that section to the aforesaid western channel of the Hutt River.

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

Consenting to Land being taken for a Portion of the Extension of Tawa Street to connect Gonville Avenue with King's Avenue, in the Township of Gonville.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Public Works Act, 1908" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is in section fifteen (b) thereof, *inter alia*, enacted that there shall not be taken any land occupied by any building, yard, garden, orchard, or vineyard, or in *bona fide* occupation as an ornamental park or pleasure-ground, without the previous consent of the Governor in Council:

And whereas an application has been made by the Gonville Town Board for the issue of an Order in Council under the said section consenting to the taking of a piece of land described in the Schedule hereto, which is occupied by a plantation, garden, and buildings:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the land described in the Schedule hereto being taken by the said Town Board for the purpose of Tawa Street extension to connect Gonville Avenue with King's Avenue.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land in the Township of Gonville, Wellington Land District, required for a portion of the extension of Tawa Street from Gonville Avenue to King's Avenue, being part of Lot 11 (D.P. 937) of Section 10, Block V, Westmere Survey District; as the said piece of land is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 25962, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring a Road at Abbotsford taken for a Road-diversion in connection with the Waitaki-Bluff Railway to be a Street.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that a certain road at Abbotsford, on the Lyttelton-Bluff Railway, situated in the Borough of Green Island, and described in the Schedule hereto, and which said road has hitherto been a Government road within the meaning of the said Act, shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a street, and that the said street shall be under the control and management of the Green Island Borough Council.

SCHEDULE.

ALL those parcels of land in the Otago Land District, containing in the aggregate 3 roods 31.2 perches, more or less, being portions of Allotments 5, 30, 29, 28, 27, and 26,

Block C, Township of Kingston, situated in Block V, Lower Kaikorai Survey District, and being those parcels of land at Abbotsford taken for a road in connection with the Waitaki-Bluff Railway, by a Proclamation dated the 4th day of April, 1908, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 28, of the 9th day of April, 1908; as the said parcels of land are more particularly shown coloured sepia, blue, and yellow on plan marked 16282, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington.

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

Declaring Portion of the Maraetotara Road, in the Hawke's Bay County, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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 portion of the road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

MARAETOTARA ROAD.

ALL that portion of road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, Hawke's Bay County, known as the Maraetotara Road, commencing at its junction with the Hastings-Waimarama Road, and running generally in a south-westerly direction to a point in 3A No. 2, Block VII, Kidnapper Survey District, a distance of 1 mile 55 chains, more or less; as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 26119, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring Portion of the Kaituna Road, in the Akitio County, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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 portion of the road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of the road in the Wellington Land District, Akitio County, known as the Kaituna Road, Pahiatua No. 2 Farm-homestead Block, commencing at the boundary-line of Sections 3 and 4, Block X, Mount Cerberus Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a southerly direction to a point in the said road between the boundaries of Sections 5 and 7, Block X, Mount Cerberus Survey District, a distance of about 1 mile 20 chains, more or less; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 26109, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring Portion of the Puketoi Road, in the Masterton County, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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 portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

PUKETOI ROAD.

ALL that portion of road in the Wellington Land District, Masterton County, known as the Puketoi Road, commencing at its junction with Saunders Road, and proceeding in a westerly direction generally along the frontage of part of Section 2, and the frontages of Sections 19 and 20 to the most southerly corner of Section 21, all in Block III, Puketoi Survey District, being a distance of 60 chains, more or less; as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 26110, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring the Whenuakura Road, in the Ohura County, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that road in the Taranaki Land District, Ohura County, commencing at its junction with the Waikaka Road, and proceeding generally in an easterly direction along the frontages of Sections 8, 20 (Crown land), 9, and 10, Block XV, Aria Survey District, to its junction with the Miroahua-Matiere Road; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 26122, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring the Tapuri Road, in the Ohura County, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by section one hundred and three of "The Public Works Act, 1908," and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor

of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that road in the Taranaki Land District, Ohura County, known as the Tapuri Road, commencing at its junction with the Miroahua-Matiere Road, and proceeding in a south-westerly direction generally along the frontages of Sections 17 and 15, Block XV, Aria Survey District, to the terminus of the road, a distance of 54 chains, more or less; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 26121, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring the Waikaka Road, in the Ohura County, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Taranaki Land District, Ohura County, known as the Waikaka Road, commencing at its junction with the Ohura Road at Nihoniho, and proceeding generally in a northerly direction through Sections 4, 2, and Section 1, Block III, Ohura Survey District, and along frontages of Sections 7, 5, 4, 3, and part of Section 2, Block XV, Aria Survey District, to its junction with the Whenuakura Road at the north-west corner of Section 8, Block XV, Aria Survey District, a distance of three miles and a half, more or less; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 26123, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring the Totoro Road, in the Waitomo County, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that road in the Taranaki Land District, Waitomo County, known as the Totoro Road, commencing at the junction with the Miroahua-Matiere Road at Aria Township, and proceeding in a westerly direction generally through part of Aria Township and along frontage of Sections 10, 9, Mahoenui No. 3B, 8, and part of Section 7,

to its junction with the Potaka Road at the western point of the said Section 7, all in Block IX, Totoro Survey District, being a distance of 4 miles 26 chains, more or less; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 26125, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring Portion of the Waitangata Road, in the Ohura County, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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 portion of road described in the Schedule hereto, known as the Waitangata Road, shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

WAITANGATA ROAD.

ALL that portion of road in the Taranaki Land District, Ohura County, known as the Waitangata Road, commencing at its junction with Ohura Road, near Nihoniho, and proceeding in a south-easterly direction generally through Native Sections K4, Section 2, and Crown land, and along the frontages of Sections 7, 11, and 8 to the south-west corner of Section 9, all in Block III, Ohura Survey District; as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 26124, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and coloured red, and marked A.B. thereon.

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

Declaring Portion of the Kawhia to Pirongia Road, in the Waitomo County, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

KAWHIA TO PIRONGIA ROAD.

ALL that road in the Auckland Land District, situated in the Waitomo County, commencing at a point on the county boundary at south-western corner of Section 17, Block IX, Pirongia Survey District, and proceeding thence in a south-easterly direction along the boundaries of Sections 1, 2, 6, 7; thence through Sections 1, 3, 6; thence in an easterly direction generally through or adjoining Sections 4, 7, 8, Native reserve, 9, 19, 19A, and 17; thence in a north-easterly direction through or adjoining Blocks 6115 Waiwhakaata, 6116 Parihoro, part Kopua No. 1s Section 2, Kopua No. 1L, Crown land, Kopua No. 6117 1s, 6121 Whakaroiro, Mangauika B No. 1 No. 2 Section 2, Mangauika No. 1B No. 3, 6118 Kai-

piha, No. 2 Mangauika Blook, and Mangauika Part B No. 6210, to county boundary in Block VIII, Pirongia Survey District, a distance of seventeen miles, or thereabouts: as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 25938, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red, and lettered B.C.

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

Declaring Portion of Mason's Road, in the Hawke's Bay County, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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 county road.

SCHEDULE.

MASON'S ROAD.

ALL that portion of road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, Hawke's Bay County, known as Mason's Road, commencing at the north-east corner of Section 2, Block XI, Maraekakaho Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a westerly direction to a point on the western boundary of the aforesaid section, being a distance of 1 mile 25 chains, more or less; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 25468, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and coloured red, and marked A.B. thereon.

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

Declaring Part of Matau Township to Mangaopa Road, Stratford County, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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 portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

MATAU TOWNSHIP TO MANGAOAPA ROAD.

ALL that portion of road in the Taranaki Land District, Stratford County, known as the Matau Township to Mangaopa Road, commencing at the intersection of the new Matau Road with the old Te Wera Road, and running in a south-westerly direction generally through Sections 39 and 41, Block VI, Ngatimaru Survey District, to its junction with the Mangaopa Road, being a distance of one mile, more or less; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 25476, 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.

Declaring Portion of the Mangapoike Valley Road (East End), in the Cook County, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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 portion of road described in the Schedule hereto, known as the Mangapoike Valley Road (East End), shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, be a county road.

SCHEDULE.

MANGAPOIKE VALLEY ROAD (EAST END).

ALL that portion of road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, Cook County, known as the Mangapoike Valley Road (East End), commencing at the south-east boundary of 2A Section 2, Maraetaha No. 2A, Block II, Nuhaka North Survey District, and proceeding in a south-westerly direction generally to a point about 54 chains north-east of the south-western boundary of 2A Section 3 of Maraetaha No. 2A, Block I, Nuhaka North Survey District, being a distance of four miles, more or less; as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 25961, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and coloured red, and marked A.B. thereon.

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

Declaring Portion of the Mata River to Waitahaia Road, in the Waiapu County, to be a County Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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 portion of road described in the Schedule hereto, known as the Mata River to Waitahaia Road, shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

MATA RIVER TO WAITAHAIA ROAD.

ALL that portion of road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, Waiapu County, known as the Mata River to Waitahaia Road, commencing at a point about 40 chains north-west of the south-eastern boundary of the Whakamarutuna No. 2 Block, and proceeding in a south-westerly direction generally to a point about 16 chains south-west of the western boundary of the Pouturu No. 2 Block, being a distance of 170 chains, more or less; as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 25960, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and coloured red, and marked A.B. thereon.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Declaring Road to Small Grazing-run 74, Onamalutu Survey District, Pelorus Road District, to be a District Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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, become a district road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that road in the Marlborough Land District, Pelorus Road District, known as the road access to Small Grazing-run 74, Onamalutu Survey District, commencing at its junction with the main road to Havelock, and proceeding in a westerly and southerly direction generally, adjoining or passing through Sections 44 (E.R.), part 1445, 76, 68, and 159, Block IV, and 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, and 12, Block III, Onamalutu Survey District, to the northern boundary of Section 3, Block VII, Onamalutu Survey District, being a distance of three miles, more or less; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 25831, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring Road in Block VIII, Kawhia North, and Blocks I and V, Pirongia Survey District, to be a Government Road.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

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 each of the Pieces of Road declared to be a Government Road.	Passing through Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 0 0	2	VIII	Kawhia North	P.W.D. 25792	Red.
3 2 0	3	"	"	Ditto	"
4 0 0	4	"	"	"	"
0 2 0	5	V	Pirongia	"	"
3 0 0	1	"	"	"	"
4 0 0	2	"	"	"	"
3 2 0	3	"	"	"	"
1 0 0	2	I	"	"	"
0 1 27	4 (sch res.)	"	"	"	"
4 2 0	3	"	"	"	"

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

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

Extending the Close Season for Seals.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas it is further provided by the said Act that every person who, during any close season for seals, takes any seals is liable for every such offence to a penalty not exceeding five hundred pounds, and in addition thereto is liable to a further penalty not exceeding twenty pounds in respect of every seal so taken :

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

REGULATION.

THE close season for seals prescribed by regulations made by Order in Council dated the 21st day of December, 1894, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 1, of the 4th day of January, 1895, and which was extended as hereinbefore recited, is hereby further extended up to the 30th day of June, 1911.

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

Foxton Harbour Board declared a Leasing Authority under "The Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908."

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Foxton Harbour Board is a body of persons having power to lease land held in trust reserved or set apart for public purposes, and has requested the Governor in Council to declare it to be a leasing authority within the meaning of "The Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908" :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in compliance with such request, and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred by the above-mentioned Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the Foxton Harbour Board is a leasing authority within the meaning of "The Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908."

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

Increasing the Holding-area of Land to Village-settlement Settlers in Wellington Land District.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council issued on the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and one, under the authority of section one hundred and sixty-nine of "The Land Act, 1892," fixing the terms and conditions upon which the village-settlement lands enumerated therein should be disposed of, it was provided that no lessee should hold more than one allotment :

And whereas it is expedient to allow one person to hold more than one allotment :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, in pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Dominion of New Zealand, doth hereby amend the Order in Council aforesaid so far as it affects the number of allotments that may be held, and doth by this present Order declare that on and after the date hereof any settler may apply for and acquire more than one allotment, provided the total area acquired does not exceed fifty acres; and it is hereby further declared that all the provisions of the Order in Council of the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and one, aforesaid, shall be applicable, except as regards the number of allotments that may be held.

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

Land taken for a Native School at Te Huruhi.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

And whereas by partition order of the Native Land Court, bearing date the fourteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eight, certain aboriginal Natives are declared to be the owners of the Te Huruhi No. 5E Block, within which the said land is situated :

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred by "The Public Works Act, 1908," and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the land shown upon the said map, and described in the Schedule hereto, is hereby taken for the purposes of the said Native school, and shall vest in His Majesty the King, as from the twenty-second day of April, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

SCHEDULE.

TE HURUHI NATIVE SCHOOL.

Approximate Area.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of	Shown on Plan marked
A. R. P. 2 0 0	Te Huruhi No. 5E (1088E)	V	Waikeke ..	7588

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

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

Licensing Edward Johnson to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Horse-shoe Bay, Stewart Island, as a Site for a Fish-shed.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Edward Johnson, of Horse-shoe Bay, Stewart Island (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under "The Harbours Act, 1908," hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore, in Horse-shoe Bay, Stewart Island, in order to construct and maintain thereon a fish-shed; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fiftieth section of the said Act, has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 3484) showing the place where it is intended to construct such fish-shed, the area of foreshore intended to be occupied for such purpose, and the manner in which it is proposed to carry out the work: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council: And whereas it is expedient that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensee on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

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

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore necessary for the construction of the fish-shed, as shown on plan marked M.D. 3484.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

10. In case the licensee shall—

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

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

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

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

Licensing Philip Henry Cannon to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore in Whangaroa Bay, Chatham Islands, as a Site for a Wharf.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Philip Henry Cannon, of Waitangi West, Chatham Islands (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under "The Harbours Act, 1908" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark in Whangaroa Bay, Chatham Islands, in order to erect and maintain thereon a wharf; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fiftieth section of the said Act, has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 3482) showing the place where it is intended to erect the same, and the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied for such purpose: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council: And whereas it is expedient that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensee on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

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

1. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark necessary for the erection of such wharf, which is shown on the plan marked M.D. 3482, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department as aforesaid.

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

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

4. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom, and maintain at its own cost, suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels; provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

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

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

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

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

9. In case the licensee shall—

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

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

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

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

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

Licensing the Opunake Wharf Company (Limited) to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Opunake as a Site for a Wharf and Sheds, and prescribing Dues and Rates for the Use of such Wharf.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, the Opunake Wharf Company (Limited), of Opunake (herein-

after called "the company"), in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the said Act to occupy a part of the foreshore and the land below low-water mark immediately contiguous to such foreshore at Opunake, in the Provincial District of Taranaki, in order to erect and maintain thereon a wharf and the necessary sheds in connection therewith; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fifty-sixth section of "The Harbours Act, 1878," deposited plans in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington (marked M.D. 1593 and 1650), showing the manner in which it was proposed to construct such wharf and sheds, the place where it was intended to erect the same, and the area of foreshore or land below low-water mark intended to be occupied for such purpose: And whereas it was made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work would not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plans were approved by the Governor in Council without modification or addition: And whereas, pursuant to such application, a license was by Order in Council dated the nineteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-third day of the same month, granted and issued to the company under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, for the term of fourteen years, computed from the date of the said Order in Council, on the terms and conditions therein expressed:

And whereas the company duly constructed the said wharf and sheds, and the same are now under the control and management of the company:

And whereas the company in the year one thousand nine hundred and four made application for a fresh license under the said Act for a term of three years, computed from the expiry of the term of the said first-mentioned license, and such license was granted for the said term of three years:

And whereas the company in the year one thousand nine hundred and seven made further application for a fresh license under the said Act, and such license was granted for a further term of two years:

And whereas the company has made application for a fresh license under the said Act for a further term of two years, computed from the date of expiry of the said license for two years hereinbefore mentioned, and it is expedient to grant the same for the term and subject to the conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the company as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the company to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and of the land below low-water mark immediately contiguous thereto which is particularly shown and delineated on the plans so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of using the aforesaid wharf and sheds in connection therewith, such license to be held and enjoyed by the company upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the First Schedule hereto; and doth hereby prescribe the dues and rates set forth in the Second Schedule hereto to be taken by the company for the use of the said wharf; and doth also hereby declare that this Order in Council shall come into force and take effect on the nineteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and ten, being the date of the expiry of the term of the license last granted.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

1. THE concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the parts of the foreshore and of the land below low-water mark necessary for the erection of such wharf and sheds, as shown on the plan marked M.D. 1650, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department as aforesaid.

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

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

4. The company shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf in good order and repair; and shall at all times exhibit therefrom, and maintain at its own cost, suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels: Provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

5. Any person authorised by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said wharf and sheds and view the state of repairs thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the

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

6. Nothing herein contained shall authorise the company to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of "The Harbours Act, 1908," or its amendments, or any regulation made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

7. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue in force for the term of two years, computed from the 19th day of January, 1910, unless such rights, powers, and privileges are sooner altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the company shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister.

8. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the company six calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the company.

9. The company shall be liable for any injury which the said wharf may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on the part of the company.

10. In case the company—

- (1.) Commits or suffers a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Ceases to use or occupy the said wharf or shed; or
- (3.) Is wound up or dissolved,

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

11. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister having charge of the Marine Department, and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ALL goods, merchandise, and luggage, weight or measurement, as the freight thereon is charged, except when otherwise expressly provided for, per ton	s.	d.
Barley, per ton (12 sacks)	5	0
Bricks and slates (not including labour), per 1,000 ..	6	3
Bran, per ton (15 sacks)	5	0
Butter, per keg	0	3
Bones and bonedust, per ton	5	0
Beer, per ton, which consists of 3 hogsheads of 54 gallons, 5 barrels of 28 to 36 gallons, 8 kilderkins of 18 gallons, or 10 kegs of 10 gallons	5	0
Chaff, per ton (30 sacks)	5	0
Coal, per ton	5	0
Cement, per ton (5 barrels)	5	0
Carts, each	5	0
Flax, per ton	5	0
Flour, per ton (10 sacks)	5	0
Fungus, per sack	0	3
Fungus, per bale (under 4 cwt.)	1	0
Grass-seed, per ton (20 sacks)	5	0
Grain, not otherwise specified, per ton (10 sacks) ..	5	0
Hides, each	0	3
Hides, per sack	1	0
Hay, per ton	5	0
Iron, sheet and rod, per ton	5	0
Lime, per ton (10 sacks)	5	0
Oats, per ton (14 sacks)	5	0
Potatoes, per ton (12 sacks)	5	0
Poultry, each	0	1
Pollard, per ton (15 sacks)	5	0
Ploughs, single, each	2	6
Ploughs, double, each	3	9
Parcels, minimum charge, each	1	0
Passengers' luggage, that can be carried by hand ..	Free.	
Passengers' luggage, that cannot be carried by hand, per ton	5	0
Sheep-skins, per bundle of not more than 20	0	9
Timber, per 100 ft. superficial	1	0
Tallow, per ton (3 casks)	5	0
Tanks, each	5	0
Wool, per bale, not exceeding 4 cwt.	1	0
Wool, per sack	0	3
Empty cases, casks, and kegs	Half rates.	

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Licensing Alfred Charles Hanlon to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Broad Bay, Otago Harbour.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Alfred Charles Hanlon, of Dunedin (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under "The Harbours Act, 1903" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto in order to erect and maintain thereon a boatshed, staging, and slipway at Broad Bay, Otago Harbour; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fiftieth section of the said Act, has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington, marked M.D. 3483 (two sheets), showing such shed, staging, and slipway, and the place in the said harbour where it is intended to erect the same, and the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied for such purpose: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation; and the said plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council: And whereas it is expedient that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensee on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

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

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark necessary for the erection of the said boatshed, staging, and slipway, as shown on the said plan marked M.D. 3483 (sheet 2).

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

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

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

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

7. In case the licensee shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said boatshed, staging, or slipway for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause three of these conditions; or

(4.) Become bankrupt, or be in any manner brought under the operation of any law in force for the time being relating to bankruptcy, then and in any of the said cases this Order in Council, and every right, power, or privilege hereby conferred, may be revoked and determined by the Governor in Council without any notice to the licensee or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensee, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the rights and privileges thereby conferred, have been revoked and determined; and upon such revocation the Minister may cause the said boatshed, staging, and slipway, and all other erections or buildings thereto belonging, to be removed, and may recover the costs incurred by any such removal from the licensee.

8. The erection of the boatshed, staging, and slipway shall be deemed to be an acceptance by the licensee of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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

Licensing the Waikawa Sawmilling Company (Limited) to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Waikawa as a Site for a Wharf.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, the Waikawa Sawmilling Company (Limited), (hereinafter called "the company"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under "The Harbours Act, 1908" (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark in Waikawa Harbour in order to construct and maintain thereon a wharf; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fiftieth section of the said Act, has deposited plans in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, marked M.D. 3469 (two sheets), showing the place where it is intended to construct such wharf, the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied for such purpose, and the manner in which it is intended to carry out the work: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plans have, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council: And whereas it is expedient that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the company on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the company as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the company to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark which is particularly shown and delineated on sheet 1 of the plans so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of constructing thereon a wharf in accordance with the said plans, such license to be held and enjoyed by the company upon and subject to the following terms and conditions, that is to say:—

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark in Waikawa Harbour necessary for the construction of the wharf as shown on plans M.D. 3469 (sheet 1).

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

4. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall continue in force for fourteen years,

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

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

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

7. The company shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf in good order and repair; and shall at all times exhibit therefrom and maintain at its own cost suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels: Provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

8. The ballast of all vessels loading at the said wharf shall be taken away by the company and deposited above high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister, or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

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

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

11. The company shall be liable for any injury which may be sustained by any vessel or boat in passing the said wharf by contact therewith, and which may be occasioned by any default or neglect on its part.

12. In case the company shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause three of these conditions; or
- (4.) Be in any manner wound up or dissolved,

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

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

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

Revoking Order in Council licensing Edward Johnson to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Horse-shoe Bay, Stewart Island, as a Site for a Fish-shed.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the twenty-third day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 74, of the twenty-sixth day of the same month, a license was granted to Edward Johnson, of Horse-shoe Bay, Stewart

Island, to use and occupy a portion of the foreshore and land below low water in Horse-shoe Bay, in order to construct and maintain thereon a fish-shed, in the position shown on the plan marked M.D. 2140, deposited in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington, and upon and subject to the terms and conditions therein set forth:

And whereas it is desirable that the said license should be revoked:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of all the powers enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby revoke and determine the said recited Order in Council of the twenty-third day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and the rights and privileges thereby conferred.

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

Revoking Order in Council Licensing Francis Joseph Sullivan to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Purakanui River, Otago, as a Site for a Smokehouse.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the fifteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 71, of the seventeenth day of the same month, a license was granted to Francis Joseph Sullivan, of Dunedin, to use and occupy a portion of the foreshore and land below low water in Purakanui River, Otago, in order to construct and maintain thereon a smokehouse, in the position shown on plan marked M.D. 3236, deposited in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington, and upon and subject to the terms and conditions therein set forth:

And whereas the said Francis Joseph Sullivan desires that the said license should be revoked, and it is desirable that this should be done:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of all the powers enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby revoke and determine the said recited Order in Council of the fifteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and the rights and privileges thereby conferred.

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

Revoking Order in Council licensing George Swain to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Kaipipi Bay, Stewart Island, as a Site for a Wharf.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 20, of the fifteenth day of the same month, a license was granted to George Swain, of Half-moon Bay, Stewart Island, to use and occupy a portion of the foreshore and land below low water in Kaipipi Bay, Stewart Island, in order to construct and maintain thereon a wharf, in the position shown on plan marked M.D. 2929, deposited in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington, and upon and subject to the terms and conditions therein set forth:

And whereas the said George Swain desires that the said license should be revoked, and it is desirable that this should be done:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of all the powers enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby revoke and determine the said recited Order in Council of the third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and six, and the rights and privileges thereby conferred.

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

Revoking an Order in Council taking Land in Paeroa Survey District for Scenery-preservation Purposes.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by "The Public Works Amendment Act, 1909," it is enacted that if at any time after the issue or making of any Order in Council taking land under "The Public Works Act, 1908," and before the payment or award of any compensation in respect of the taking thereof, it is found that the land or any part thereof is not required for the purpose for which it was taken, the Governor may, by a subsequent Order in Council gazetted, revoke the former Order in Council either wholly or so far as he thinks necessary: And whereas it is found that the whole of certain land in Blocks II and III, Paeroa Survey District, taken for scenery-preservation purposes by Order in Council made under "The Public Works Act, 1905," dated the second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven (hereinafter termed "the said Order in Council"), and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* Nos. 78, 80, 82, and 85, of the fifth, twelfth, nineteenth, and twenty-seventh days of the same month, is not required for the purpose for which the said land was taken: And whereas compensation in respect of the taking of the said land has not been paid or awarded:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by "The Public Works Amendment Act, 1909," and of all other powers 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 revoke the said Order in Council.

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

Vesting Management of Wharf at Waitapu in Takaka County Council, and prescribing Dues.

PLUNKET, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of March, 1910.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section eleven of "The Harbours Act, 1908" (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor in Council may vest the management of any wharf the property of His Majesty in any local governing body or person, upon such terms and conditions as the Governor in Council thinks fit:

And whereas it is provided by section thirteen of the said Act that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council, prescribe what dues and rates shall be taken by the body or person in whom any such wharf shall be vested as aforesaid:

And whereas it is thought desirable to vest in the Takaka County Council (hereinafter called "the Council") the management of the wharf at Waitapu, in the County of Collingwood, on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth, and to prescribe the dues and rates which shall be taken by the Council for the use of such wharf:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said eleventh and thirteenth sections of the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby vest the management of the wharf at Waitapu aforesaid in the Council, subject to the conditions set forth in the First Schedule hereto; and doth hereby prescribe that the dues and rates set forth in the Second Schedule hereto shall be taken by the Council for the use of the said wharf.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

CONDITIONS OF MANAGEMENT.

1. IN these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister of Marine, as defined by "The Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908," and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.
2. That all His Majesty's subjects shall at all reasonable times, and upon payment of the proper dues, have free and

full liberty to use the above-mentioned wharf, and rights of ingress and egress thereto and therefrom.

3. That His Majesty or the Governor, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, over, and out of the wharf without payment.

4. That the Council shall maintain and keep the above-mentioned wharf, and all erections on or in connection with the wharf, in good order and repair; and shall at all times exhibit therefrom and maintain at its own cost any lights for the guidance of vessels: Provided that no new light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved by the Minister.

5. That all dues and rates received on account of the said wharf by the Council shall be applied to keeping the said wharf and all erections on or in connection with such wharf in good order and repair.

6. That any person authorised by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said wharf, and any buildings erected on the wharf or in connection therewith, and view the state of repair thereof; and that upon his leaving at or posting to the last known address of the Council a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such wharf or buildings, requiring the Council, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to make good or repair the same, the Council shall, with all convenient speed, cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

7. That the Council shall not erect, or suffer to be erected, on the said wharf any building or structure whatever except with the consent of the Minister.

8. That the Council shall keep a separate account of the receipts and expenditure on account of such wharf and premises, and shall cause such account to be balanced to the thirty-first day of March in every year, and shall send a copy of such account when balanced to the Minister, and shall supply any particulars in reference thereto as may be required by the Minister.

9. That the Council shall appoint all officers necessary for the working and management of the wharf.

10. That nothing herein contained shall authorise the Council to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of "The Harbours Act, 1908," or its amendments, or any regulations thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

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

12. That the rights, powers, and privileges conferred under or by virtue of this Order in Council may be at any time resumed by the Governor on giving to the Council three calendar months' notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the Council. No compensation or allowance shall be payable in such case.

13. The Council shall be liable for any injury which may be caused at the said wharf to any vessel or boat through any default or neglect on the part of the Council.

14. In case the Council shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them; or
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf for a period of thirty consecutive days,

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

SECOND SCHEDULE.

	s. d.
Sawn timber, per 1,000 ft., with right to remain on wharf six weeks	0 6
Sawn timber, per 1,000 ft., after first six weeks, for every week or part of a week	0 3
Bricks, per 1,000	2 0
Bricks, per 500	1 0
Bricks, minimum charge up to 100	0 6
Sheep—	
Rams, not exceeding 1	0 6
Rams, exceeding 1, each	0 2
All other sheep, not exceeding 12, each	0 1
Flocks of sheep, exceeding 12, each	0 0½
Pigs and calves, not exceeding 10, each	0 2

	s. d.
Pigs and calves, exceeding 10, each	0 1
Cattle, not exceeding 10, each	1 0
Cattle, exceeding 10, each	0 6
Horses, each	1 0
All goods in single package, parcel, or box, up to 112 lb. in weight	0 3
All goods by weight or measurement, per ton or part of a ton	0 6
Firewood, per cord, with right to remain on wharf two weeks	0 6
Firewood, per cord, after first two weeks, for every week or part of a week	0 3
Posts and rails, per 100	0 6
Palings, per 1,000	1 0
Shingles, per 1,000	0 6
Hop-poles, per 1,000	0 6
Wool, hops, and flax, per bale	0 6
Coal, lime, and stone for export, per ton or part of a ton	0 3
(Unslaked lime will not be allowed to remain on the wharf longer than one week in any case, and the consignees will be held liable for any damage caused through its slaking.)	
Bicycles, each	0 3
Passengers' luggage, not exceeding 100 lb.	Free.

Storage.

	s. d.
Per ton or part of a ton (in closed goods-shed), for first week or part of a week	0 6
Per ton or part of a ton (in closed goods-shed), after the first week, for every week or part of a week	1 0
Bicycles, each, per week or part of a week	0 3
Goods left in the open shed may remain three days without being liable for storage charges, after that time half-rates will be charged. All goods not requiring storage may be allowed to remain on the wharf one week, but the Council will incur no responsibility for any goods left in the open shed or on the wharf.	

Labour.

	s. d.
Labour, if required, per ton	0 6
Labour, if required, if less than half a ton	0 3

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

Redefining Motu Riding, in the County of Waikohu.

PLUNKET, Governor.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the twenty-third day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nine, made under "The Counties Act, 1908," the boundaries of the Counties of Cook and Waikohu were altered, and a certain area thereby added to the County of Waikohu:

And whereas it is expedient to include the area so added to the County of Waikohu in the Motu Riding of the said county:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by "The Counties Act, 1908," do hereby declare that the area added to the County of Waikohu shall be included in the Motu Riding, and that the boundaries of the said riding shall be those described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

MOTU RIDING.

ALL that area in Waikohu County bounded by a line commencing at the junction of the Kaitawa Stream with the Motu River; thence generally south-westerly and south-easterly along the boundaries of Opotiki, Whakatane, and Wairoa Counties to the western boundary of Cook County; thence north-easterly along the boundary of Cook County to the Wharekopae Stream; thence northerly along the Wharekopae and Makaretu Streams to the north-western boundary of Wharekopae No. 2A Block; thence easterly along the northern boundaries of Wharekopae 2A2B and Okahuati Nos. 1 and 1C Blocks to the south-western boundary of Waihuka Block; thence north-westerly along the north-eastern boundary of Run No. 47 to the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 2, Block IV, Ngatapa Survey District; thence north-easterly along the south-

eastern boundary of said Section No. 2 and Waikohu-Matawai 1a Block to the Waikohu River; thence north-westerly along the centre of the said river to its confluence with the Rangiriri Stream; thence north-westerly along the said stream to the western boundary of Mangatu No. 3 Block; thence along the western boundaries of Mangatu No. 3 and No. 4 Blocks to the Motu River, the place of commencement.

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

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of a Portion of a Reserve in the Nelson Land District.

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 change the specific purpose of the portion of the reserve described in the second column of the Schedule hereto from that named in the first column of the said Schedule to that named in the third column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Original Reserve.	Portion which it is intended to change.	Intended Purpose.
All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 3 roods 8 perches, more or less, being Section No. 31 of the Village of Murchison (formerly known as Hampden); as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5364/5, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red. Set apart as a reserve for purposes of public utility in <i>Nelson Provincial Gazette</i> No. 24, of the 11th August, 1865, page 110.	All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 2 roods 8 perches, more or less, being portion of Section No. 31 of the Village of Murchison. Bounded towards the west by Fairfax Street, 172 links; towards the north by Sections Nos. 30, 28, 27, and 26 of the said village, 900 links; towards the east by Section No. 20 of the said village, 172 links; and towards the south by other portion of said Section No. 31, 900 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5364/9, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.	For police purposes.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of a Portion of a Reserve in the Nelson Land District.

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 change the specific purpose of the portion of the reserve described in the second column of the Schedule hereto from that named in the first column of the said Schedule to that named in the third column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Description and Purpose of Original Reserve.	Portion which it is intended to change.	Intended Purpose.
All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 2 roods, more or less, being Section No. 30 of the Village of Murchison (formerly known as Town of Hampden); as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5397/1b, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red. Set apart as a reserve for purposes of public utility in <i>Nelson Provincial Gazette</i> No. 24, of the 11th August, 1865, page 110.	All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods, more or less, being portion of Section No. 30, Village of Murchison. Bounded towards the west by Fairfax Street, 125 links; towards the north by other portion of said Section No. 30, 400 links; towards the east by Section No. 28 of said village, 125 links; and towards the south by Section No. 31 of said village, 400 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5397/1a, deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.	For a site for a public pound.

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

D. BUDDO,
For Minister of Lands.

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

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by "The Land Act, 1908," I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Wednesday, the twenty-second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and ten, at the rentals mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to section one hundred and thirty-five of the said Act, as they contain, or are supposed to contain, metal, mineral, or valuable stone.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.—WAIAU SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
32	XIII	106 0 0	100 0 0	2 0 0
33	XIII	113 2 0	100 0 0	2 0 0

The land is inferior, and is principally covered with birch bush of an inferior quality, but there are a few totara-trees scattered all over it. Well watered. Accessible by good summer road, and distant about three miles from Tuatapere Railway-station.

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

D. BUDDO,
For Minister of Lands.

Notice of Application to proclaim a Watercourse for the Deposit of Tailings, &c.

PLUNKET, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in him by "The Mining Act, 1908," His Excellency the Governor hereby notifies that application has been made to him to constitute and set apart by Proclamation the watercourse the name, locality, and description whereof are set forth in the Schedule hereto to be a watercourse into which may be discharged any tailings, debris, and waste water produced by or resulting from mining operations carried on under the said Act.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

THAT stream known as Waimea Creek, situated in the Westland Land District, which flows north-westerly from its several sources in Block XV, Waimea Survey District, for a distance of about nine miles and a half to the sea, together with the several tributaries thereof.

Dated at Wellington, this fifth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Mines.

Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 1st March, 1910.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOSEPH WILLIAM JORDAN

to be the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Awitu.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Registrar of Births and Deaths appointed.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EMILY ADAMS

to be the Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Kaeo.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

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 JOSEPH PATTON	Kaikoura.
WALTER WELLINGS GOUGH	Mount Grey.
GEORGE ROBERT DANSEY	Waverley.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Actuary of Friendly Societies appointed.

The Treasury, New Zealand,
Friendly Societies Office,
Wellington, 20th January, 1910.

IN pursuance of the 5th section of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1909," His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ANTONIO THOMAS TRAVERSI,

of Wellington, to be the Actuary of Friendly Societies, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1909."

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

Auditor under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1909," licensed.

The Treasury, New Zealand,
Friendly Societies Office,
Wellington, 28th January, 1910.

IN pursuance of the 10th section of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1909," His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to license

ANTONIO THOMAS TRAVERSI,

of Wellington, to act as a Public Auditor for the purposes of "The Friendly Societies Act, 1909."

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

Member of Ealing Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

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

PETER ROWE

to be a member of the Ealing Domain Board, in the place of Anthony Henry Deveaux Worthington.

D. BUDDO,
For Minister of Lands.

Member of Taieri Lake Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

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

ROBERT WITTON GLENDINNING

to be a member of the Taieri Lake Domain Board, in the place of Robert Logan, resigned.

D. BUDDO,
For Minister of Lands.

New Zealand Militia Officer appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

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

New Zealand Militia.

Thomas Henry Overton (formerly Lieutenant, 6th New Zealand Contingent) to be Lieutenant. Date of commission, 19th January, 1910.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officers promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

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

5th Battalion, Wellington (Centre or Ruahine) Rifle Volunteers.

Captain (Acting-Major) Alexander Burnet Charters to be Major. Date of commission, 1st December, 1909.

B Battery, New Zealand Field Artillery Volunteers.

Lieutenant Alexander Fowler Roberts to be Captain. Date of commission, 18th January, 1910.

1st Regiment, Otago Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant (Adjutant) William McGregor Turnbull to be Captain. Date of commission, 28th January, 1910.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 107, General Regulations of the Defence Forces of New Zealand, 1906, of the promotion of the undermentioned officer:—

4th Regiment, Auckland Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant (Pay- and Quarter-master) George James Robert Dormor to be Honorary Captain. Date of commission, 3rd February, 1910.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

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

Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

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

Lieutenant DONALD WILLIAM BODLE, No. 1 Company, Auckland Division, New Zealand Garrison Artillery Volunteers,

and to approve that his name be placed on the Active List (Unattached), with rank of Lieutenant, and with effect from 16th July, 1909.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

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

Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

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

Captain PETER HENRY WOOD, Reefston Rifle Volunteers, and to approve that his name be placed on the Active List (Unattached), with rank of Captain, and with effect from 28th June, 1909.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officers resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

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

Wakatipu Mounted Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant William Cumming. Date of resignation, 6th November, 1909.

Christ's College Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant Leslie Fleetwood Tribe. Date of resignation, 3rd February, 1910.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Officer's Commission cancelled.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 85, General Regulations of the Defence Forces of New Zealand, 1906, of the cancellation of the commission granted to

Captain JAMES HENRY ALFRED PEDDER, No. 4 Company, New Zealand Engineer Volunteers (Wellington Engineer Volunteers),

and with effect from 31st January, 1910.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Volunteer Corps disbanded.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, under section 6 (b) of "The Defence Act, 1909," of the disbandment of the

Huntly Rifle Volunteers,

with headquarters at Huntly. Date of disbandment, 26th February, 1910.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Appointment of Temporary Member, New Zealand Military Pensions Board, cancelled.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to cancel, under "The Military Pensions Act, 1908," and as from the 2nd February, 1910, the appointment of

Major CHARLES MACKIE BEGG, New Zealand Medical Corps,

as a member of the New Zealand Military Pensions Board, which appointment (*Gazette* No. 3, of the 14th January, 1909) had effect only during the absence from the Dominion of Colonel William Edward Collins, Reserve of Medical Officers, New Zealand Medical Corps, who resumes duty as a member of the said Board as from the 2nd February, 1910.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Member of the New Zealand Military Pensions Board appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, under "The Military Pensions Act, 1908," of the appointment of

Colonel WILLIAM EDWARD COLLINS, Reserve of Medical Officers, New Zealand Medical Corps,

as a member of the New Zealand Military Pensions Board, vice Major Charles Mackie Begg, New Zealand Medical Corps, resigned.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

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

Lieutenant (Pay- and Quarter-master) Robert Mitchell Irvine, 1st Battalion, Nelson Infantry,

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

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

Acting-Lieutenant THOMAS WILLIAM O'DRISCOLL, Dundedin City Guards Rifles,

he having a total service to 27th January, 1910, entitling him thereto of twenty years and ten days.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 5th March, 1910.

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

No. 88, Quartermaster-Sergeant EDWARD JAMES PIERCY, No. 4 Company, New Zealand Engineers,

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Letters of Naturalisation issued.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 1st March, 1910.

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

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Heinrich Wilhelm Braun	Labourer ..	Waiuku.
Peter Demetrio ..	Cook	Auckland.
Carl Gustaf Eriksson	Painter	Te Kuiti.
Oscar Jonsen ..	Sawmill hand ..	Moana.
Mate Maich..	Gum-digger ..	Te Kopuru.
Hans Nielsen ..	Labourer	Norsewood.
Mark Sarich ..	Gum-digger ..	Kaiwaka.
Cvitan Sunde ..	Farmer	Dairy Flat.
Baptiste Maurice Thielen	Smelter	Orepuki.
Friedrich Heinrich Tonges	Farm labourer ..	Elgin.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Special Order made by the Wallace County Council, altering Boundaries of Ridings.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 7th March, 1910.

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

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

WALLACE COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order.

THAT the Otautau Riding of Wallace County be extended towards the south so as to include the parts of Sections 2 and 1 of Block X, and the part of Section 41, Block VIII, Jacob's River Hundred, north of the road leading to Fairfax Township, and that the boundaries be altered accordingly.

NEW BOUNDARIES.

Otautau Riding.—Bounded on the north by the Wairio Riding and Taringatura Survey District; towards the east and south-east generally by the Southland County; towards the south by the Southland County, and road forming the south boundary of Blocks XV and XIV, Jacob's River

Hundred, to new road through Section 1 of 2, Block X, Jacob's River Hundred; again on the south by said new road extended westerly to Fairfax Township; towards the west by main road through Section 41, Block VIII, Jacob's River Hundred, to line of hundreds; again towards the south by the south boundary of Aparima Hundred; and towards the west by Longwood Survey District and Waiatu Riding.

Aparima Riding.—Bounded towards the north and north-east by Otautau Riding hereinbefore described; towards the east and south-east by Southland County; towards the south, south-west, and again towards the south by the ocean, Jacob's River Estuary, and the Pourakino River to the north-west corner of Block III, Jacob's River Hundred, and by a right line due west to the Longwood Survey District; towards the west by that survey district.

The special order to take effect from the date of the gazetting thereof.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of Wallace County was hereto affixed, this 26th day of February, 1910, in presence of—

WM. AFFLECK,
Chairman.

JAS. FULLARTON,
County Clerk.

I hereby certify that the above special order was made as by law required.

JAS. FULLARTON,
Clerk, Wallace County Council.

Special Order made by the Mount Albert Road Board, County of Eden.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 8th March, 1910.

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

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

MOUNT ALBERT ROAD DISTRICT.

SPECIAL order made on the 1st day of February, 1910, under the provisions of "The Road Boards Act, 1908," sections 28 and 72:—

"That the Mount Albert Road Board, by special order, shall, at the election of members to be held in may next, increase the number of members from five to seven."

I, Harry Utting, Clerk to the Mount Albert Road Board, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was carried at a special meeting held the 1st February, 1910, and confirmed at a subsequent meeting held the 1st March, 1910, and that the provisions of section 72 of "The Road Boards Act, 1908," were complied with.

H. UTTING,
Clerk, Mount Albert Road Board.

Special Order made by the Council of the City of Christchurch.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 9th March, 1910.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

CHRISTCHURCH CITY COUNCIL.

Special Order levying Special Rate.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908," the Christchurch City Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest at the rate of £4 10s. per centum per annum and other charges on a loan of £750, authorised to be raised by the Christchurch City Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for defraying part of the cost of the purchase of a piece of land in Beckenham-Fisher-ton Recreation-ground Loan Special-rating Area to be used as a pleasure-ground, the said Christchurch City Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{3}{100}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value (being the unimproved value) of all rateable property within that part of Sydenham Ward of the City of Christchurch named "Beckenham-Fisher-ton Recreation-ground Loan Special-rating Area," comprising all that area commencing at the junction of Tennyson Street

and Colombo Street, thence southerly along Colombo Street to the River Heathcote, thence along the River Heathcote to the north-eastern corner of Rural Section 49, thence westerly along Tennyson Street to the starting-point, and comprising Rural Sections 21 and 49, Block XV, Christchurch Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of March in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Christchurch was hereto affixed in the presence of—

CHAS. ALLISON,
Mayor.
HY. R. SMITH,
Town Clerk.

We hereby certify that the foregoing special order was duly adopted at a special meeting of the Christchurch City Council held on the 7th day of February, 1910, and was duly confirmed at an ordinary meeting of the said Council held on the 7th day of March, 1910.

Dated this 8th day of March, 1910.

CHAS. ALLISON,
Mayor.
HY. R. SMITH,
Town Clerk.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 8th March, 1910.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

RANGITAIKE DRAINAGE BOARD.

RESULTS of the polling on the several loan proposals enumerated below, viz:—

£2,800, for works in Eastern Special-rating Area, Tarawera Subdivision: For, 9; against, 5: total, 14.

£1,000, for works in Island Special-rating Area, Tarawera Subdivision: For, 4; against, nil.

£500, for main drain, Matata Special-rating Area, Matata Subdivision: For, 2; against, nil.

£5,000, for diversion of Rangitaike River from Warbrick's bend to the sea, and works appertaining thereto: For, 40; against, nil.

February 28th, 1910.

The number of votes cast for the proposal being in each case at least three-fifths of the total recorded, the four several proposals are hereby declared carried.

JNO. H. SPURR,
Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 9th March, 1910.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

HASTINGS BOROUGH COUNCIL.

In the matter of "The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908."

I, JOHN ANDERSON MILLER, Mayor of the Borough of Hastings, hereby give notice that on the 2nd day of March, 1910, a poll of the ratepayers of the said borough was duly held and taken on a proposal of the Council of the said borough to raise a special loan of £35,000 for the following purposes, the amount applicable to each such purpose being set opposite the statement of each such purpose respectively, namely:—

(1.) To supply the Borough of Hastings with a high-pressure water-supply, and an electric-light-and-power installation, including the acquisition of any land or buildings which may be necessary, £40,000.

(2.) To extend and make alterations in the sewerage system of the borough, £30,000.

(3.) For the construction of kerbed, channelled, and asphalted footpaths, and for the construction of streets, £15,000.

At such poll the number of votes recorded was as follows: For the proposal, 1,000; against the proposal, 62; informal, 10.

Wherefore I declare the said proposal to be duly carried.
Dated the 3rd day of March, 1910.

J. A. MILLER,
Mayor.

Notice to Imprestees under "The Public Revenues Act, 1908."

The Treasury,
Wellington, 28th February, 1910.

EVERY officer holding advances of public money is hereby required to pay to the Public Account, at the nearest branch of the Bank of New Zealand, the unexpended balance of his account on or before Thursday, the 31st March proximo, and forthwith to transmit to the Treasury at Wellington the bank receipt for such repayment, together with an account of his expenditure to the same date, as required by clause 4 of the Treasury Regulations.

As respects disbursements which officers may require to make immediately after the close of the financial year, requisitions for the amount required are to be made in such time as to enable them to reach Wellington not later than the 15th March, so that the requisite funds may be placed at the disposal of the officer as soon after the 1st April as possible.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

Notice of the Taking and Laying-off of a Road through Parangarahu Native Reserve, Wellington 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 land specified in the said Schedule, under the authority of the Governor of the said Dominion, by Warrant dated the 14th day of February, 1910.

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. 34 2 32	Parangarahu Native Reserve	Block VIII, Pencarrow	191/25	Red.

In the Wellington Land District; as the said area is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the District Lands Office, at Wellington.

Dated this 5th day of March, 1910.

D. BUDDO,
For Minister of Lands.

Notice to Mariners No. 18 of 1910.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 4th March, 1910.

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

J. A. MILLAR.

AFRICA.

CAPE COLONY.—SIMONS BAY.—INTENDED LIGHT.—TEMPORARY LIGHT TO BE WITHDRAWN.—Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 10 (459) of 1907, further information has been received that about the 1st January, 1910, the temporary fixed red light exhibited on the northern elbow of the eastern breakwater, Simons Bay, Cape Colony, would be replaced by an *intermittent* light every 10 seconds, with *white and red sectors*, visible 9 miles.

Approx. position: Lat. 34° 11' 15" S., long. 18° 26' 30" E.

HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

OAHU.—HONOLULU HARBOUR ENTRANCE.—BUOYS TO BE REPLACED BY GAS BUOYS.—About the 15th February, 1910, outside entrance bell buoy, Honolulu Harbour entrance, Hawaiian Islands, will be replaced by outside entrance gas buoy, painted red and marked "Honolulu 2," exhibiting an *intermittent red acetylene light*.

On the same date, entrance buoy No. 1, a first-class, tall-type can, will be replaced by entrance gas buoy No. 1, exhibiting an *intermittent white acetylene light every 4 seconds*—thus, light 2 seconds, eclipsed 2 seconds.

OAHU.—HONOLULU HARBOUR.—INTENDED CHANGE IN LIGHTS.—About the 15th February, 1910, the temporary Honolulu range front light on the eastern side of Sand Island, Honolulu Harbour, Hawaiian Islands, will be replaced by a permanent fourth-order *intermittent white light every 6 seconds*—thus, light 4 seconds, eclipsed 2 seconds—and the name of the station will be changed to Honolulu Harbour Light-station.

The new light will be shown, 43½ ft. above high water and 41 ft. above the ground, from a black, cylindrical lantern surmounting a square, concrete tower on a keeper's dwelling of concrete with a black roof, and will be visible about 12 miles over the entire horizon.

(See Notice to Mariners No. 7 (283) of 1908.)

On the same date the colour of Honolulu range rear light will be changed from green to *red*, its arc of visibility increased to make it visible from all points within the harbour-limits, and its name changed to Honolulu Fort Street light.

CHINA SEA.

BANKA ISLAND.—NORTH-EAST COAST.—LIAT BAY.—BUOY CHANGED.—Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 51 (2930) of 1909, further information has been received that the red conical buoy established to mark the rock with 2 fathoms over it in Liat Bay, north-east coast of Banka Island, has been provided with a ball top-mark.

Approx. position: Lat. 1° 49' 18" S., long. 106° 09' 20" E.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VANCOUVER ISLAND.—SCOTT GROUP.—TRIANGLE ISLAND.—INTENDED LIGHT AND WIRELESS TELEGRAPH STATION.—A lighthouse and wireless telegraph station are being constructed by the Canadian Government on Triangle Island, the most western island of the Scott Group, lying westward of Cape Scott, Vancouver Island. Further notice will be given before the light and telegraph are put in operation.

Approximate position on H.O. Chart No. 1452: Lat. 50° 51' 45" N., long. 129° 04' 15" W.

ESQUIMALT HARBOUR.—SUBMARINE CABLE.—PROHIBITED ANCHORAGE.—A high-voltage electric cable has been laid by the British Columbia Electric Railway Company across the entrance of Esquimalt Harbour, Vancouver Island, from a point about 150 yards westward of the western side of the Government dock to a point about 300 yards northward of Rodd Point, on the western shore of the harbour, in a direction bearing approximately 282°, distant 1,150 yards.

Each landing-place is marked by a white sign with the words "Cable Crossing" painted thereon. Mariners are instructed not to anchor in the vicinity of this cable.

WEST COAST.—KYUQUOT SOUND.—SHOALS.—Information has been received of the existence of a rock, with less than 6 ft. over it, in the western approach to Kyuquot Bay, Kyuquot Sound, west coast of Vancouver Island, on the following bearings:—

Union Island, left tangent, 355°.

Western headland of Kyuquot Bay, south-western point, 126°, distant 1,750 yards.

Approx. position: Lat. 49° 59' 30" N., long. 127° 20' 00" W. "P.D.; breaks in heavy weather" will be placed on the charts in this position.

The detached ledge off the eastern end of Bare Island extends about 150 yards 182° 30' from the position shown on the charts.

A rocky ledge extends about 250 yards northward from the rock awash, between the rock and rocky ledge located 1,000 yards 240° from the western headland of Kyuquot Bay.

NOTE.—The last mentioned rocks have been named Twin Rocks.

GRAHAM REACH.—HIEKISH NARROWS.—REEF LOCATED.—Capt. Holmes Newcomb, of the Canadian Government steamer "Kestrel," reports having located the reef on which the steamer "Ohio" is supposed to have been wrecked, at the southern entrance to Hiekish Narrows, Graham Reach, British Columbia. Captain Newcomb did not examine the danger thoroughly, but found it to be a reef marked by kelp, extending 250 yards from shore at extreme low water.

A close examination of this reef made by Captain Musgrave, of the Canadian Government surveying-vessel

"Lillooet," shows it to be located off a point on Sarah Island, which bears 250° 15' from Steep Point.

A rock with 7 ft. of water over it was found on the reef 350 ft. from shore, with depths of 5½ fathoms inside.

Vessels entering Hiekish Narrows from the southward should make Steep Point and follow the eastern shore through the narrows.

Notice to Mariners No. 19 of 1910.

NELSON HARBOUR.—DREDGE OFF RAILWAY WHARF.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 3rd March, 1910.

THE Nelson Harbour Board has notified that a dredge has been placed in position 200 ft. north of the Railway Wharf, and 180 ft. towards mid-channel. Dredge-moorings have also been laid down the centre of the channel from the bow of the dredge to abreast of the boat-landing in 80 ft. at low water, spring tides.

Masters of vessels are warned against approaching the wharf during strong flood tides.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Plan 2185; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chap. vi, p. 188.

J. A. MILLAR.

Notice to Mariners No. 20 of 1910.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 4th March, 1910.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Department of Harbour and Light, Fremantle, are published for general information.

J. A. MILLAR.

NORTH-WEST COAST.

NOTICE is hereby given that a third-order dioptric white light, showing a triple flash every 15 seconds, is in course of erection on Cape Leveque, lat. 16 deg. 23 min. south, long. 122 deg. 55 min. east.

The light will be displayed from an iron tower painted white, 43 ft. in height from base to vane; range of visibility, 19 miles.

Charts affected: No. 1052, Hall Pt. to Cape Bertholet; No. 1047, Cape Ford to Buccaneer Archipelago; No. 1048, Buccaneer Archipelago to Bedout Island.

C. J. IRVINE,
Chief Harbourmaster.

Department of Harbour and Light,
Fremantle, 21st January, 1910.

NORTH-WEST COAST.

Notice is hereby given that a second-order dioptric white light, showing a double flash every five seconds, duration of each flash a fifth of a second, is in course of erection on Vlaming Head, lat. 21 deg. 48 min. south, long. 114 deg. 6 min. 30 sec. east.

The light will be displayed from an iron tower painted white, 40 ft. in height from base to vane; range of visibility, 23 miles.

Chart affected: No. 1055, Bedout Island to Cape Cuvier.

C. J. IRVINE,
Chief Harbourmaster.

Department of Harbour and Light,
Fremantle, 21st January, 1910.

NORTH-WEST COAST.

Notice is hereby given that a second-order dioptric white light, flashing every five seconds—thus, flash one-third of a second, eclipse four and two-thirds seconds—is in the course of erection on Point Cloates, lat. 22 deg. 42 min. south, long. 113 deg. 41 min. east.

The light will be displayed from a masonry tower of a natural grey colour, 75 ft. in height from base to vane; range of visibility, 21 miles.

Chart affected: No. 1055, Bedout Island to Cape Cuvier.

C. J. IRVINE,
Chief Harbourmaster.

Department of Harbour and Light,
Fremantle, 21st January, 1910.

Notice to Mariners No. 21 of 1910.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 4th March, 1910.

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

J. A. MILLAR.

FAIRWAY BUOY, EASTERN ENTRANCE CHANNEL, PORT ALBERT.

REFERRING to General Notice to Mariners, dated 1st August, 1907, page 112, with regard to the fairway buoy marking the eastern entrance channel, Port Albert, mariners and others are hereby notified that, owing to the shoaling of such eastern entrance channel rendering it unsafe, the buoy marking the entrance thereof has been removed. Snake Island Channel, which has deepened, and has the entrance marked by a black buoy, as described by Notice to Mariners No. 54, dated 27th October, 1909, is now used as the entrance channel for Port Albert.

Chart affected: No. 1703.

C. W. MACLEAN,
Port Officer.

Melbourne, 25th January, 1910.

Re EASTERN ENTRANCE CHANNEL, PORT ALBERT.

With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 62, dated the 25th of January, 1910, relating to the removal of the fairway buoy at the eastern entrance to Port Albert, owing to the entrance having become unnavigable through siltation, mariners and others are hereby further notified that all the buoys marking such eastern entrance are now being removed. It is also hereby notified as follows:—

The present entrance is off the west end of the bar bank. The leading-buoys are almost in a direct line due south from the west end of Snake Island. After crossing the bar vessels must follow the line of beacons, keeping close to those coloured red on the inner side of the bar bank, and when clear thereof, turn to the west, instead of to the east as hitherto. The line of beacons will guide through a well-defined and deep channel, passing Snake and La Trobe Islands on the port side, then round the west end of Sunday Island into the Midge Channel, where the course into Port Albert will become clear. Care must be exercised to keep a distance of between 50 ft. and 60 ft. from the red beacons all the way round such Sunday Island Channel. The lowest depth is 9 ft. at low water and 7 ft. on the bar. As the currents run very strong, way should be maintained on the vessel in passing narrow places to prevent being set aground on the banks.

CAUTION.—Masters of vessels are warned against attempting to navigate the channel leading to Port Albert without having at least once done so with the assistance of a pilot.

C. W. MACLEAN,
Port Officer.

Melbourne, 2nd February, 1910.

Notice to Mariners No. 22 of 1910.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 4th March, 1910.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Marine Board, Adelaide, South Australia, are published for general information.

J. A. MILLAR.

WEST COAST.

Venus Bay.

MASTERS of vessels and others are informed that a pair of leading beacons, 500 ft. apart, painted white, and having triangular tops, have been erected on the north side of the entrance to Venus Bay. These kept in line N. 23° E. lead over the deepest water on the outer bar. Also that a beacon, painted red, having a triangular top, has been placed on the south side of the channel just above No. 1 red beacon. This beacon in line with No. 1 black beacon N. 67° E. leads over the deepest water on the inner bar and midway between the two points forming the entrance.

Vessels entering the bay should steer for the outer white leads until the inner black and red leads come in line, then steer for them until well over the bar, from whence the black beacon is to be kept on the port hand, as usual.

Approximate position of front white beacon: Lat. 33° 13½' S., long. 134° 39¼' E.

Beard Bay.

A red perch buoy has been placed in three and a half fathoms L.W.S. inside the rocky bar at the entrance to Beard Bay. This buoy kept in line with Calca Bluff N. 7° W. leads over the deepest and generally smoothest water on the bar, giving a depth not less than 10 ft. at L.W.S. Also that a beacon, painted black, having a triangular top, has been erected on the top of the sandhill on the west side of the entrance. In line with the perpendicular cliff of Cape Radstock S. 42° W. it leads clear of the N.W. edge of Propeller Rock, which is situated about half a cable N. x W. from the buoy, and has on it about 6 ft. at L.W.S.

Vessels intended for entering should steer for the buoy in line with Calca Bluff, and when inside the bar keep the buoy on the starboard hand and steer N.N.W. until the beacon comes on with the cliff of Cape Radstock, after which clear anchorage with at least 2½ fathoms will be found from N.N.W. to N.E. for 3 cables, beyond which the bay gradually shoals to about 3 ft. at L.W.S. 1½ miles from the entrance.

Approximate position of buoy: Lat. 33° 11½' S., long. 134° 21' E., all bearings magnetic.

These affect Admiralty Charts Nos. 1061 and 1066.

ARTHUR SEARCY,
President of the Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,
Port Adelaide, 4th February, 1910.

KANGAROO ISLAND, BACKSTAIRS PASSAGE.

Subsidiary Light, Cape Willoughby.

Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 5 of 1909, dated the 25th February, 1909, masters of vessels and others are hereby informed that the red light mentioned therein, exhibited from the lower part of the tower, and showing over the Scrapper Shoal from about south by west until shut in by the high land of Cape St. Albans, will be discontinued on the 1st May next.

This affects Admiralty Charts 2389B, 1014, and 25.

ARTHUR SEARCY,
President of the Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,
Port Adelaide, 4th February, 1910.

Notice to Mariners No. 23 of 1910.

DREDGING OPERATIONS, LYTTELTON HARBOUR.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 7th March, 1910.

THE Lyttelton Harbour Board has notified that dredging operations are now in progress at Lyttelton, and masters of vessels are cautioned that the dredge's lines will extend up and down the channel outside the moles, and that vessels must not anchor in the outer dredged channel above Ripa Island—that is, within 250 ft. of the line of leading-buoys.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Chart No. 1999; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chap. viii, p. 239; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1910, p. 181.

J. A. MILLAR.

Notice to Mariners No. 25 of 1910.

RANGITOTO CHANNEL, AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—ALTERATION OF BUOYS.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 9th March, 1910.

THE Auckland Harbour Board have notified that the red western luminous buoy in Rangitoto Channel has been moved out to a position 4 cables N. 85° E. from Rough Rock, with Mount Victoria Flagstaff bearing S. 57° W., Bean Rock Lighthouse S. 23° E. The red buoy N. 32° E. from Cook Point and the light-boat from the Kaipara Shoal have been withdrawn, and the shoal is now marked by a red buoy.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Plans Nos. 1970 and 1896; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chap. ii, pages 36 and 37; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1910, page 115, and plan facing page 114.

NOTE.—The position of buoy from magnetic bearings plotted from compass on chart, small corrections X '09 and using compass on chart, var. 13° 45' E.

J. A. MILLAR.

Varied Notice (No. 2) fixing Closing-hours of Fruiterers', Refreshment-room Keepers', Confectioners', and Stationers' Shops in the Borough of Temuka under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the fruiterers', refreshment-room keepers', confectioners', and stationers' shops in the Borough of Temuka, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops within the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows:—*Fruiterers, Refreshment-room Keepers, and Confectioners*: Half-holiday at 10.30 p.m., Saturdays at 11 p.m.; other working-days, 10.30 p.m. *Stationers*: Half-holiday at 1 p.m., Saturday at 10 p.m.; other working-days, 8 p.m.: And whereas the Temuka Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the fruiterers', refreshment-room keepers', confectioners', and stationers' shops in the Borough of Temuka:

Now, therefore, I, John Andrew Millar, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1908," do hereby direct that, from and after the 14th day of March, 1910, all fruiterers', refreshment-room keepers', confectioners', and stationers' shops in the Borough of Temuka shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

The notices gazetted the 16th day of February, 1905, and the 10th day of May, 1906, fixing the closing-hours of all shops in the borough, are hereby varied accordingly.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of March, 1910.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Labour.

Varied Notice (No. 3) fixing Closing-hours of Tobacconists' and Hairdressers' Shops in the Borough of Temuka under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the tobacconists' and hairdressers' shops in the Borough of Temuka, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops within the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Half-holiday at 1 p.m., Saturdays at 10.30 p.m., other working-days at 8 p.m.: And whereas the Temuka Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the tobacconists' and hairdressers' shops in the Borough of Temuka:

Now, therefore, I, John Andrew Millar, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of "The Shops and Offices Act, 1908," do hereby direct that, from and after the 14th day of March, 1910, all tobacconists' and hairdressers' shops in the Borough of Temuka shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

The notices gazetted the 16th day of February, 1905, and the 10th day of May, 1906, fixing the closing-hours of all such shops in the borough, are hereby varied accordingly.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of March, 1910.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Labour.

Tenders.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 4th March, 1910.

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

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works

GISBORNE—ROTORUA RAILWAY.—OTOKO VIADUCT CONTRACT.

Accepted.

	£	s.	d.
Griffiths, G. W., and Co., Westport	11,773	0	0

Declined.

Fraser, G. M., Hamilton	13,066	11	3
Anderson, J. and A., Christchurch	13,945	0	0
McWilliams and Andrews, Wellington	14,063	10	0
Johnson, W. T., Wellington	15,283	7	11
Nicol, J. A., Gisborne	15,992	0	0
Rhodes, W., and Son, Dunedin	17,108	18	0
McLoughlin, P., and Co., Gisborne	20,268	4	0

ERECTOR OF POST-OFFICE AT WAIROA, HAWKE'S BAY.

	£	s.	d.
<i>Accepted.</i>			
Gardiner, A. R., Wairoa	3,100	0	0
<i>Declined.</i>			
Duncan, A., Hastings	3,217	8	6
Hamlin, R. H. J., Napier	3,297	0	0
Reynell and Harris, Wellington	3,376	0	0

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block XVI, Kawhia South Survey District, for the Purposes of a Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1908," to execute a certain public work, to wit, the construction of a road in Block XVI, Kawhia South 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 Ngapaenga, and is there open for inspection; and 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 or to the taking of such land, 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, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land required to be taken:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 1 18	Hauturu East No. 1B, Section 3A, No. 6430 (red)	XVI	Kawhia South	Pink.

In the Land District of Auckland; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 25808, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

Introduction of New Zealand Potatoes into Peru prohibited.
—Notice No. 1388.

Department of Agriculture, Commerce, and Tourists,
Wellington, 8th March, 1910.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the importation of potatoes from New Zealand into Peru has been prohibited.

THOS. MACKENZIE,
Minister of Agriculture, Industries and Commerce,
and Tourist and Health Resorts.

Native Licensing Assessors elected.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 9th March, 1910.

NOTICE has been received at this office, under the hands of the Returning Officers, that

REWETI TE RAKAHEREA and
RANGHAEREPO LAWRENCE

have been elected to be Assessors for the Native Licensing Districts of Taupo and Waioeka respectively.

F. WALDEGRAVE,
Under-Secretary.

Government Meteorological Observatory.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the month of January, 1910. Observations taken at 9 a.m.

Altitude of new observatory, 110 ft.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected, in inches.	From Self-registering Instruments, for Twenty-four Hours previously.						Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.	Direction of Wind.	Rainfall, in points (100 to 1 inch).
		Max. Temp. in Shade.	Min. Temp. in Shade.	Mean Temp. in Shade.	Solar Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation.	Veloc. Wind in Miles.			
1	29.829	Fah. 65.0	Fah. 50.6	Fah. 57.8	Fah. 107	Fah. 41	382	3 N.	..	
2	29.759	67.2	54.0	60.6	117	45	296	5 N.	..	
3	29.872	69.0	57.4	63.2	117	49	320	3 N.	..	
4	29.799	70.0	61.0	65.5	121	58	500	9 N.W.	8	
5	30.069	66.2	52.2	59.2	108	49	586	5 S.E.	..	
6	30.113	64.6	49.2	56.9	117	42	290	3 N.	..	
7	30.009	69.0	59.0	64.0	114	55	410	8 N.	2	
8	30.205	64.6	56.0	60.3	104	50	264	7 S.E.	..	
9	29.889	70.0	54.0	62.0	121	46	290	8 N.W.	..	
10	30.083	74.0	58.0	66.0	124	56	266	7 S.E.	4	
11	29.999	75.0	63.8	69.4	123	63	366	10 N.	6	
12	29.862	69.6	64.0	66.8	104	64	776	9 N.	..	
13	29.963	68.0	60.0	64.0	110	57	580	8 N.	..	
14	30.039	67.0	58.0	62.5	121	55	400	8 N.	..	
15	30.122	70.0	59.4	64.7	119	56	392	10 S.E.	..	
16	29.839	68.2	54.0	61.1	129	46	200	7 N.	..	
17	29.823	68.2	57.2	62.7	116	53	280	10 N.	16	
18	29.689	66.0	56.0	61.0	98	54	460	10 S.	..	
19	29.962	68.2	58.6	63.4	126	54	260	9 N.E.	59	
20	29.769	75.0	62.0	68.5	121	61	170	10 N.	36	
21	29.891	74.2	61.0	67.6	122	60	360	9 S.E.	2	
22	30.159	68.0	56.0	62.0	127	56	390	7 S.E.	..	
23	30.099	64.6	49.8	57.2	119	42	286	1 N.	..	
24	29.879	71.0	61.0	66.0	117	55	276	8 N.	..	
25	29.759	70.6	64.8	67.7	121	63	590	9 N.	5	
26	29.950	73.0	59.0	66.0	127	58	376	8 N.	..	
27	30.013	74.8	60.8	67.8	125	58	400	8 S.	..	
28	29.839	69.0	60.0	64.5	102	55	260	9 N.	42	
29	30.100	71.0	54.0	62.5	124	53	520	10 S.	37	
30	29.929	57.8	53.8	55.8	69	52	606	10 S.E.	235	
31	29.383	58.0	55.0	56.5	69	55	400	10 S.E.	148	
*	29.925	68.6	57.4	63.0	114.1	53.6	385	7.7	.. 600	
†	29.886	..	..	62.7	..	..	†471	..	.. †322

* Means, &c. † Means previous years. ‡ Last year.

DIRECTION OF WIND.

N.	N.E.	E.	S.E.	S.	S.W.	W.	N.W.	Calm.
17	1	..	8	3	..	..	2	..

NOTE.—Warm and rather cloudy weather prevailed during the month with a rainfall of 6.00 in., most of which fell in the last four days. The total bright sunshine was 178 hours 41 minutes, and five sunless days. The mean earth-temperature at 1 ft. was 63.3°, and 61.6° at 3 ft. Mean relative humidity was 76 per cent. Dew-point, 55.3°; and mean elastic force of vapour, .437 in.

N.B.—The barometer readings are now corrected for gravity.

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE.
MEANS AND TOTALS FROM THE CHIEF STATIONS.
January, 1910.

Altitude above Sea-level in Feet.	Name of Station and Observer.	Absolute Mean Temp. Air in Shade.			Extremes.		Total Rainfall (100 Points to the Inch).	Days with Rain (Point or more)
		Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Mean Max. Temp.	Mean Min. Temp.		
125	NORTH ISLAND. AUCKLAND... T. F. Cheeseman	Deg. 68.6	Deg. 74.9	Deg. 62.3	Deg.	Points. 452	Dys. 15	
..	TE AROHA... G. F. McGirr	67.5	80.1	55.0	..	381	14	
925	ROTORUA... J. F. Robieson	68.4	79.3	57.4	..	894	13	
370	WAIHI... H. B. Devereux	67.6	77.0	58.1	..	495	19	
130	RUAKURA... C. Cussen	66.8	77.2	56.4	..	521	14	
63	NEW PLYMOUTH... W. D. Fletcher	66.6	73.8	59.4	..	803	14	
250	MOUMAHAKI... F. Gillanders	64.8	71.8	57.8	..	545	11	
103	PALMERSTON NORTH... Mrs. A. A. Martin	..	..	..	..	..	..
119	LEVIN... D. M. Cole	65.4	74.6	56.2	..	681	15	
377	MASTERTON... A. G. Wise	64.7	78.0	51.5	..	523	8	
..	GISBORNE... Archd'n Williams	69.6	78.5	60.7	..	324	9	
14	MEEANEE, NAPIER... Very Rev. Dean Smyth	66.7	75.2	58.3	..	329	8	
110	WELLINGTON... F. W. Simms	63.0	68.6	57.4	..	600	13	
..	Averages	66.6	75.7	57.5	..	545	12.9	
34	SOUTH ISLAND. NELSON... J. Sharp and Rev. J. P. Kempthorne	Deg. 67.3	Deg. 76.2	Deg. 58.5	Deg.	Points. 456	Dys. 11	
490	MURCHISON... Dr. E. H. Howard	64.4	75.3	53.4	..	519	14	
1218	HANMER SPA... S. J. Collett	62.6	72.5	52.7	..	592	11	
25	CHRISTCHURCH... E. V. Pemberton	61.7	69.0	54.4	..	421	12	
42	LINCOLN... G. Gray	63.1	71.9	54.4	..	363	10	
130	TIMARU... Caretaker of Domain	56.6	61.1	52.2	..	371	18	
90	INGLEWOOD, WAIMATE... W. M. Hamilton	59.7	67.7	51.7	..	364	20	
300	LEITH VALLEY, DUNEDIN... H. Skey	58.5	65.9	51.1	..	857	12	
350	GORE... Captain A. A. Scott	59.2	69.1	49.3	..	250	11	
12	HOKITIKA... A. D. Macfarlane	61.7	69.1	54.2	..	1218	17	
..	Averages	61.4	69.7	53.1	..	541	13.6	

SUMMARY FOR JANUARY, 1910.

EXCEPT in Southland, the rainfall was everywhere above the average, though this was principally accounted for by a heavy rainfall accompanying a disturbance after the 28th. This, however, did not extend so far as Southland.

The weather conditions were very sultry all over the Dominion, and especially in the North, during the greater part of the month, though a cold and damp spell was experienced in Canterbury and parts of Otago about the third week of the month. Northerly winds prevailed northward of East Cape and Kawhia. Humid, hazy, and foggy weather was experienced generally, and thunder-storms at times. Two inches of rain fell in three hours during such a storm at Methven, in Canterbury, on the 21st. The first half of the month was on the whole windy and fine, the second half showery and changeable. Very unfavourable harvest weather was experienced in Canterbury in the latter half of the month. The muggy weather also caused blight in other parts, but promoted a good growth of feed for stock.

A smart westerly disturbance on the 11th and 12th caused rain, especially on the west coast south of Kawhia. From the 17th to the 20th the weather was very unsettled on the east coast of both Islands. Showery weather was reported in most parts between the 23rd and 27th. The disturbance between the 28th and 31st was of a mild cyclonic type, the centre passing over the North Island.

Meteorological Office, Wellington.

D. C. BATES, Director.

NEW ZEALAND RAINFALL FOR JANUARY, 1910.

Station.	Observer.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.	Maximum Fall, and Date.
NORTH ISLAND.				
(A.) NORTH-EAST ASPECT—NORTH CAPE TO EAST CAPE.				
Mangonui ..	A. C. Ballance ..	298	4	250 on 30th
Pakaraka, Ohacawai ..	Nevill Ray ..	480	14	198 on 29th
Mount Eden, Auckland ..	C. Cooper ..	547	16	181 on 29th
Remuera, Auckland ..	Rev. H. Young ..	501	13	150 on 30th
Cuvier Island ..	Lighthousekeeper ..	145	4	60 on 31st
Mamaku ..	F. S. Ramson ..	940	15	187 on 29th
Matamata ..	H. J. Moore Jones ..	..	..	..
Turua, Thames ..	L. J. Bagnall ..	243	9	100 on 31st
Whakarewarewa, Rotorua ..	H. A. Goudie ..	1102	15	361 on 19th
Waimangu ..	R. H. Ingle ..	796	12	241 on 30th
Waioapu ..	A. W. Roberts ..	800	7	205 on 19th
Athenree, Tauranga ..	Rev. W. Salter ..	469	12	161 on 30th
Tauranga ..	C. J. Butcher ..	639	15	390 on 30th
Matakaoa ..	L. E. Brathwaite ..	..	..	..
Tangihanga, Te Araroa ..	G. W. Heald ..	569	10	306 on 30th
Te Kaha ..	Rev. C. W. Robinson ..	390	7	280 on 31st
(B.) NORTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE MARIA VAN DIEMEN TO CAPE EGMONT.				
Kaitia ..	W. G. Puckey ..	333	9	150 on 29th
Wekaweka ..	E. J. Hawkings ..	709	20	334 on 29th
Rangiahua, Hokianga Harbour ..	W. R. Coxhead ..	354	15	182 on 29th
Kohukohu ..	A. C. Yarborough ..	515	11	220 on 29th
Whangarei ..	R. Mair ..	493	20	119 on 13th
Puhipuhi Plantation, Whakapara, Whangarei ..	J. Mason ..	486	13	212 on 29th
Whangarei Heads ..	T. R. Koller ..	352	8	111 on 29th
Ruatangata Nursery ..	A. Gordon ..	426	16	118 on 13th
Bickerstaffe, Whakapirau ..	Manager of State Farm ..	..	..	..
Helensville ..	A. J. Hill ..	436	15	130 on 29th
Onehunga ..	C. A. Senior ..	550	15	182 on 29th
Waiuku, Auckland ..	J. E. Makgill ..	461	13	165 on 29th
Kawhia ..	J. K. Newton ..	506	9	143 on 31st
Taupo ..	Rev. H. J. Fletcher ..	652	11	191 on 18th
Waitomo Caves, King-country ..	G. Wratten ..	..	..	..
Paterangi, Waikato ..	Cyril Jephson ..	645	8	132 on 19th
Hamilton, Waikato ..	Dr. H. Douglas ..	552	16	110 on 29th
State Farm, Waerenga ..	G. Mills ..	515	14	156 on 12th
Wairama Downs, Tūakau ..	A. R. Rutherford ..	535	14	146 on 30th
Mangaotaki (550 ft.) ..	W. J. Hill ..	1013	20	333 on 30th
Paekaha, Paemako ..	N. A. Robison ..	783	14	276 on 30th
Paparaha, Awakino ..	J. E. C. Harrison ..	671	15	150 on 9th
Ngatimaru, Tarata ..	R. Drummond ..	1157	12	230 on 28th
Riversdale, Inglewood (817 ft.) ..	Miss N. Trimble ..	1232	13	246 on 9th
Inglewood ..	D. Gault, M.D. ..	1147	14	240 on 9th
Upper Mangorei (1,000 ft.) ..	Mrs. J. Brown ..	1435	16	314 on 9th
(C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGMONT TO CAPE PALMER.				
Mountain-house, North Mount Egmont (3,140 ft.) ..	T. R. Ryan ..	2844	7	647 on 30th
Opunake ..	A. H. Moore ..	689	13	213 on 9th
Eltham ..	L. N. Fairhall ..	575	14	150 on 28th
Stratford (1,020 ft.) ..	T. H. Pettin ..	931	15	198 on 28th
Ohawe, Hawera ..	Guy Livingston ..	527	13	165 on 28th
Patea ..	H. E. Adams ..	650	11	140 on 20th
Oruamatua, Moawhango ..	R. M. Williamson ..	393	12	87 on 10th
Taumatatahi, Upper Waitotara ..	E. F. Liffiton ..	..	..	..
Whangamomona ..	S. Klee ..	943	11	233 on 9th
Raurimu (1,920 ft.) ..	E. Gould ..	907	14	175 on 9th
Arranmore, Makirikiri ..	H. A. Lambert ..	428	11	90 on 30th
Ohakune ..	R. G. Slyfield ..	..	..	..
Waiouru ..	A. Peters ..	546	16	185 on 10th
Marybank, Wanganui ..	R. Hughes ..	434	12	110 on 21st
Plymouth Street, Wanganui ..	John T. Stewart, C.E. ..	414	11	126 on 20th
Wanganui ..	M. C. Corliss ..	429	9	130 on 20th
Ruanui ..	E. Norris-Borlase ..	483	9	147 on 11th
Dalvey, Turakina ..	H. Y. Lethbridge ..	452	10	120 on 20th
Erehwon Station, Moawhango ..	Mrs. M. Caccia-Birch ..	335	14	90 on 9th
Hiwi, Taihape ..	A. R. Fannin ..	269	13	66 on 21st
Hunterville ..	S. A. R. Mair ..	424	13	125 on 20th
Awakita, Hunterville (1,451 ft.) ..	P. R. Earle ..	298	11	81 on 10th
Waituna West, Feilding ..	E. S. Guylee ..	473	16	133 on 20th
Thoresby, Marton ..	W. J. Birch ..	397	12	91 on 19th
Halcombe ..	L. A. McDonald ..	..	..	..
Raumai, Bull's ..	E. J. Keiller ..	416	11	95 on 30th
Waitatapia, Bull's ..	K. W. Dalrymple ..	396	11	96 on 30th
Glen Oroua ..	J. Sanson ..	395	10	115 on 30th
Feilding ..	Miss E. Goodbehere ..	479	12	100 on 20th
Fitzherbert West, Palmerston N. ..	C. J. Monro ..	483	12	106 on 21st
Otaki ..	W. Burns-Smith ..	648	13	226 on 19th
Kapiti Island ..	R. Henry ..	795	15	203 on 30th
Walkane ..	S. Duncan ..	492	13	150 on 30th
Pukerua ..	Mrs. A. V. McDonald ..	..	..	..
Pahautanui ^(e) ..	J. Pearce ..	512	7	162 on 30th
Opau, North Makara ..	W. H. Wallace ..	433	11	132 on 30th
Late return— (e) Pahautanui, December, 1909	J. Pearce ..	433	8	250 on 25th

New Zealand Rainfall for January, 1910—continued.

Station.	Observer.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.	Maximum Fall, and Date.
NORTH ISLAND—continued.				
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER.				
Hauturu, Tokomaru Bay ..	L. E. Cotterill ..	473	11	164 on 19th
Glenburn, Motu ..	W. W. Bridge ..	595	15	201 on 19th
Waihu, Gisborne ..	F. H. Loisel ..	252	11	88 on 31st
Mangataikapua, Whatatutu ..	L. G. Saxby ..	..	..	..
Patutahi, Gisborne ..	J. C. Woodward ..	..	..	..
Strathblane, Hangaroa ..	J. B. Graham ..	..	..	..
Tahora, Gisborne ..	Vernon Mitford ..	491	13	217 on 19th
Wairoa, Hawke's Bay ..	T. E. Foy ..	..	..	..
Tarawera ..	R. Cropp ..	530	11	138 on 19th
Tutira Lake ..	H. Guthrie-Smith ..	310	11	114 on 30th
Eskdale, Petane, Napier ..	Thomas Clark ..	233	9	96 on 29th
Riverbank, Rissington, Napier..	J. Moore ..	278	10	109 on 29th
Napier ..	L. Azzopardi ..	302	9	80 on 21st
Whanawhana, Hastings ..	G. R. Beamish ..	367	12	161 on 19th
Maraekakaho, Hastings ..	A. Lookie ..	280	14	90 on 19th
Poukawa ..	A. M. Smith ..	174	8	50 on 19th
Pukehou, Te Aute ..	J. B. Ludbrook ..	225	12	80 on 19th
Gwavas, Tikokino ..	H. Irwin ..	453	10	148 on 11th
Aramoana, Waipawa ..	J. G. Speedy ..	146	6	53 on 30th
Mount Vernon, Waipawa ..	J. W. Harding ..	299	13	74 on 29th
Wairamarama, Hawke's Bay ..	Miss Meinertzhagen ..	193	9	54 on 19th
Mangakuri ..	G. C. Williams ..	247	11	62 on 29th
Waipukurau ..	C. J. Cooke ..	286	11	72 on 29th
Makaretu ..	C. Lewis ..	374	11	125 on 29th
Oruawharo, Takapau ..	J. W. Leithead ..	424	11	157 on 20th
Ormondville ..	F. B. Curd ..	381	10	88 on 30th
Dannevirke ..	G. Harvey ..	437	12	118 on 4th
Porangahau ..	Rev. F. E. Telling-Simcox ..	256	8	80 on 23rd
Pouerere ..	Mrs E. Nairn ..	246	10	44 on 30th
Woodbank, Wimbledon ..	W. H. Speedy ..	277	12	80 on 29th
Pine Grove, Dannevirke ..	Dr. J. E. Riddell ..	362	7	100 on 29th
Mokia, Woodville ..	W. Stainton ..	489	12	108 on 20th
Mangatainoka ..	Edwin Ashby ..	645	13	134 on 20th
Pahiata ..	W. Tosswill ..	634	10	122 on 31st
Oporae ..	A. D. Herrick ..	..	..	..
Eastry, Tane ..	F. White ..	..	..	..
Tawataia, Eketahuna ..	T. H. Groves ..	447	13	108 on 19th
Eketahuna ..	J. T. Quinn ..	600	10	137 on 30th
Hamua ..	J. Kay ..	..	..	..
Dreyer's Rock, Mauriceville ..	A. Dawson ..	..	..	..
Castlepoint ..	A. B. Nicholls ..	271	10	62 on 30th
Annedale, Te Nui ..	H. A. Nevins ..	372	12	105 on 29th
Ditton, Masterton ..	S. Mawley ..	472	13	126 on 19th
Bush Grove, Masterton ..	H. G. Groves ..	448	12	114 on 19th
Hikurangi College, Clarendon ..	Rev. H. T. Stealey ..	530	12	..
Waihakeke, Carterton ..	H. Peters ..	510	12	210 on 30th
Martinborough ..	C. W. Lee ..	493	9	260 on 30th
Featherston ..	D. McDonald ..	464	11	147 on 29th
Summit (1,144 ft.) ..	A. Douglas ..	877	11	225 on 29th
Waiwetu ..	H. M. Hayward ..	558	10	240 on 30th
Wainuiomata Reservoir ..	H. D. Drummond ..	548	12	181 on 30th
Bonnie Glen, Upper Hutt ..	A. J. McCurdy ..	600	14	205 on 30th
Silverstream ..	J. Gibson Stott ..	478	12	158 on 30th
Lower Hutt ..	Miss H. M. Heaton ..	584	11	233 on 30th
Karori Reservoir ..	E. K. Robinson ..	551	13	194 on 30th
Miramar ..	Dr. Makgill ..	461	11	193 on 30th
SOUTH ISLAND.				
(E.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO KAIKOURA.				
Parapara ..	J. Bassett ..	653	10	245 on 30th
Motueka ..	G. S. Huffam ..	561	10	265 on 30th
Manu ..	G. G. Wilson ..	662	10	174 on 30th
Tapawera, Nelson ..	Dr. Hudson ..	618	10	204 on 31st
Waterworks, Nelson ..	J. E. Stone ..	496	13	216 on 30th
Nelson North ..	N. A. McLaren ..	433	9	195 on 30th
Stephen Island ..	Lightkeeper ..	302	8	110 on 19th
The Brothers ..	Lightkeeper ..	483	8	190 on 30th
Cape Campbell ..	Lightkeeper ..	238	9	123 on 31st
Manaroa, Pelorus Sound ..	Mrs. M. C. Masefield ..	467	7	125 on 30th
Meadowbank, Blenheim ..	G. T. Seymour ..	216	4	141 on 31st
Ugbrooke, Blenheim ..	H. D. Vavasour ..	..	..	..
Robin Hood Bay ..	E. M. Stace ..	387	9	224 on 31st
Lynton Downs, Kaikoura ..	T. Harrison ..	512	16	130 on 30th
Timara Station, Renwicktown ..	R. F. Goulter ..	273	7	150 on 30th
Spring Creek, Blenheim ..	T. C. Pritchard ..	267	10	165 on 30th
Avondale Station, Blenheim ..	C. G. Teschemaker-Shute ..	..	..	..
Langridge St'n, Upper Awatere ..	G. Shipley ..	..	..	..
(F.) WEST ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO PUYSEGUR POINT.				
Farewell Spit ..	Lightkeeper ..	545	7	243 on 31st
Pakawau ..	T. C. V. Field ..	378	13	352 on 30th
Denniston ..	J. Penman ..	990	19	200 on 27th
Westport ..	M. Furneaux ..	582	15	149 on 17th
Reefton (643 ft.) (*) ..	J. Henderson ..	574	11	134 on 30th
Greymouth ..	J. Connor ..	952	12	273 on 18th
Otira (1,255 ft.) ..	J. Mansor ..	1580	16	670 on 11th
Ross, Westland ..	W. Winchester ..	1092	15	263 on 30th
Okuru ..	J. Cuttance ..	1378	12	298 on 18th
Puysegur Point ..	Lightkeeper ..	335	17	54 on 2nd
Late return—				
(*) Reefton, December, 1909..	J. Henderson ..	654	14	182 on 30th

New Zealand Rainfall for January, 1910—continued.

Station.	Observer.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.	Maximum Fall, and Date.
SOUTH ISLAND—continued.				
(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS.				
Hanmer Springs Nursery	W. A. Morrison	627	11	154 on 30th
Highfield, Amuri	F. S. Northcote	614	9	150 on 30th
Mackenzie, Cheviot	A. C. Bellwood	651	10	163 on 30th
Waikari	C. Blake	388	10	102 on 30th
Oxford East	R. H. Gainsford	676	15	176 on 30th
Amberley, Christchurch	G. Lewton	498	10	190 on 30th
Mount Somers	Rev. P. H. Pritchett	588	22	113 on 30th
Bealey	F. J. Rendle	780	10	200 on 11th and 30th
Port Hills, Rhodes Convalescent Home	The Matron (Miss Wood)	258	9	102 on 31st
Rangiora	Thomas Keir	520	8	184 on 30th
Otahuna, Tai Tapu	R. H. Rhodes, M.P.	388	10	115 on 31st
Hororata	D. Fraser	478	14	98 on 30th
Akaroa	Miss M. Jacobson	550	12	114 on 28th
Southbridge	J. McMillan	414	10	102 on 30th
Mount Torlesse, Springfield	P. H. Johnson	660	20	132 on 31st
Methven	J. Carr	727	16	222 on 21st
Rakaia	Rev. H. H. Mathias	475	11	136 on 30th
Kyle	J. Lambie	329	9	122 on 30th
Winchmore, Ashburton	A. Curtis	387	10	112 on 30th
Porateko, Mayfield	Mrs. W. G. Gallagher	613	20	137 on 30th
Ashburton	J. Readhead	387	13	116 on 31st
Windermere	J. W. Dell	456	19	101 on 28th
Mount Peel, Rangitata	Mrs. Livingstone	689	18	133 on 18th
Peel Forest	W. E. Barker	654	19	149 on 18th
Huntsham, Peel Forest	C. A. Dunn	666	24	122 on 30th
Kapunatiki, Rangitata	J. C. Rolleston	396	12	121 on 28th
The Heights, Geraldine	W. M. Moore	665	21	129 on 28th
Orari Gorge	Mrs. B. H. Tripp	975	23	165 on 18th
Orari Estate, Orari	G. A. Macdonald	443	14	115 on 28th
Lambrook, Fairlie	R. E. Gillingham	429	12	87 on 30th
Gray's Hill St'n, Burke's Pass ^(a)	J. W. Grant	267	9	81 on 21st
Waratah, Albury	F. H. Smith	620	18	138 on 18th
Kakahu	Miss A. Thomson	482	19	104 on 28th
Pleasant Point	J. Bishop	365	16	72 on 30th
Timaru Reservoir	J. Courtney	434	16	74 on 17th
Hermitage, Mount Cook (2,510 ft.)	D. McDonald	926	14	212 on 11th
Benmore Station, Omarama	J. Sutherland	251	10	60 on 17th and 18th
Otekaike	G. Benstead	461	13	121 on 17th
Borton's Siding	H. A. Dovey	403	10	135 on 17th
Livingstone, Windsor	C. P. J. Blathwayt	735	20	180 on 17th
Armore, Windsor	P. S. Shand	515	20	166 on 17th
Totara Station, near Oamaru	J. Macpherson	370	16	105 on 17th
Oamaru	J. Patterson	269	11	112 on 17th
Trotter's Creek, Hillgrove	W. S. D. Trotter	387	15	82 on 17th
Kauroo Hill, Maheno	A. French .. ..	..	..	..
Bushey Park, Palmerston South	Mrs. J. McKenzie	310	16	80 on 17th
Orokonui Home, Waitati	Dr. R. Donald	236	6	110 on 17th
Opoho, Dunedin (383 ft.)	J. W. Paulin	243	13	52 on 4th
Fish-hatchery, Portobello	F. Anderton	192	13	280 on 18th
(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT.				
Paerau	Miss Marion Kennedy	187	9	48 on 17th
Great Moss Swamp	A. J. McLeod	234	..	..
Eweburn Nursery, Ranfurly	A. W. Roberts	252	8	75 on 17th
Naseby	J. Reed	298	9	95 on 18th
Kokonga	R. W. Giendinning	208	11	53 on 17th
Gladbrook St'n, Middlemarch	A. McKinnon	274	14	81 on 18th
Middlemarch	J. Hay	267	14	75 on 18th
Tarras	R. K. Smith .. ..	..	..	..
Mount Pisa Station, Cromwell	R. J. Hendrie	183	6	118 on 17th
Queenstown	A. H. Hiddleston	126	2	102 on 18th
Garston	W. S. Lea .. ..	..	..	..
Lower Crawford's, near Alexandra	J. C. Buchanan	204	5	79 on 20th
Galloway, Alexandra South	A. Gunn	261	3	128 on 20th
St. Bathans, Otago	David Weir	324	13	90 on 17th
Clyde	J. S. Dickle	163	7	92 on 18th
Roxburgh	Dr. J. R. Gilmour	143	7	42 on 17th
Balcutha	J. W. Brame	116	8	42 on 3rd
Tapanui Nursery	R. G. Robinson	281	12	82 on 3rd
Waikawa Valley	J. H. Buckingham	321	12	116 on 3rd
Mataura ^(b)	R. Winning	156	10	45 on 3rd
Uplands, Waimahaka	Miss E. Middleton	166	8	93 on 3rd
Centre Hill Station, Mossburn	W. J. Anderson	341	8	106 on 18th
Dipton	R. D. MacLachlan	145	8	62 on 17th
Nightcaps	James Ritchie	209	10	63 on 19th
Riverton	J. M. Geary	254	11	56 on 1st
Orepuki	Rev. H. T. Blair .. ..	..	..	..
(I.) ISLANDS.				
Centre Island	Lightkeeper	200	13	55 on 1st
Stewart Island	W. Trall	519	16	134 on 3rd
Niue Island	A. House .. ..	..	..	..
Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Is'ds.	H. M. Connal .. ..	..	..	..
Chatham Islands	A. Shand	229	14	85 on 21st
Late returns—				
(^a) { Gray's Hill St'n, Burke's Pass, November, 1909	J. W. Grant	151	10	42 on 1st
{ Ditto, December, .. ..	.. ..	16	3	6 on 4th and 29th
(^b) Mataura,	R. Winning	202	13	71 on 31st

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 5th February, 1910, and for the corresponding period, 1909:—

KAWAKAWA SECTION.

	1910.			1909.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	37	10	47	70	36	106
2nd Class	513	696	1,209	544	462	1,006
Total	550	706	1,256	614	498	1,112
Season Tickets	..	..	4	..	..	3
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	43	..	..	10
Horses	..	..	7	..	..	1
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	10	..	..	6
Total	..	..	60	..	..	17
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	..	..	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	588	..	..	168
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	4
Total	..	..	588	..	..	172
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	Tons.	..	..	Tons.
Wool	..	..	24	..	..	24
Firewood	..	..	..	..	..	..
Timber	..	..	113	..	..	18
Grain	..	..	82	..	..	79
Merchandise	..	..	153	..	..	143
Minerals	..	..	36	..	..	84
Total	..	..	408	..	..	348
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	72 0 6	..	..	62 19 10
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	..	10 19 4	..	..	7 13 9
Goods	..	..	104 4 9	..	..	90 18 1
Miscellaneous	..	..	78 17 9	..	..	0 10 2
Rents and Commission	..	..	3 4 8	..	..	1 14 0
Total	..	..	£269 7 0	..	..	£163 15 10

WHANGAREI SECTION.

	1910.			1909.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	1,219	638	1,857	1,313	716	2,029
2nd Class	3,497	3,976	7,473	3,742	4,112	7,854
Total	4,716	4,614	9,330	5,055	4,828	9,883
Season Tickets	..	..	49	..	..	6
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	329	..	..	199
Horses	..	..	6	..	..	8
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	10	..	..	8
Total	..	..	345	..	..	215
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	3	..	..	18
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	1	..	..	..
Pigs	..	..	8	..	..	20
Total	..	..	12	..	..	38
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	Tons.	..	..	Tons.
Wool	..	..	144	..	..	12
Firewood	..	..	138	..	..	90
Timber	..	..	1,613	..	..	2,538
Grain	..	..	217	..	..	155
Merchandise	..	..	400	..	..	321
Minerals	..	..	8,263	..	..	4,582
Total	..	..	10,775	..	..	7,698
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	405 12 2	..	..	377 3 5
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	..	44 11 1	..	..	40 10 11
Goods	..	..	1,683 6 5	..	..	1,259 6 0
Miscellaneous	..	..	169 12 9	..	..	8 3 9
Rents and Commission	..	..	15 17 7	..	..	14 18 0
Total	..	..	£2,319 0 0	..	..	£1,700 2 1

KAIHU SECTION.

	1910.			1909.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	39	48	87	21	44	65
2nd Class	966	1,114	2,080	904	662	1,566
Total	1,005	1,162	2,167	925	706	1,631
Season Tickets	..	..	7	..	..	0
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	264	..	..	152
Horses	..	..	3	..	..	9
Carriages	..	..	1	..	..	2
Dogs	..	..	9	..	..	9
Total	..	..	277	..	..	172
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	2	..	..	1
Cattle	..	..	..	..	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	1
Sheep	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	2	..	..	2
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	Tons.	..	..	Tons.
Wool	..	..	114	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	1	..	..	1
Timber	..	..	54	..	..	42
Grain	..	..	162	..	..	422
Merchandise	..	..	86	..	..	50
Minerals	..	..	183	..	..	146
Total	..	..	600	..	..	661
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	108 2 1	..	..	81 0 11
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	..	24 11 1	..	..	24 10 6
Goods	..	..	128 11 4	..	..	149 14 9
Miscellaneous	..	..	1 3 9	..	..	0 0 2
Rents and Commission	..	..	4 11 8	..	..	1 10 10
Total	..	..	£266 19 11	..	..	£256 17 2

GISBORNE SECTION.

	1910.			1909.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	337	342	679	307	296	603
2nd Class	2,817	3,398	6,215	2,499	2,266	4,765
Total	3,154	3,740	6,894	2,806	2,562	5,368
Season Tickets	..	..	5	..	..	2
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	354	..	..	255
Horses	..	..	2	..	..	1
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dogs	..	..	37	..	..	63
Total	..	..	393	..	..	319
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	1
Cattle	..	..	2	..	..	3
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	7,066	..	..	10,046
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	14
Total	..	..	7,068	..	..	10,064
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	Tons.	..	..	Tons.
Wool	..	..	6	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	553	..	..	406
Timber	..	..	12	..	..	324
Grain	..	..	118	..	..	202
Merchandise	..	..	121	..	..	251
Minerals	..	..	195	..	..	200
Total	..	..	1,082	..	..	195
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	455 0 11	..	..	360 11 6
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	..	39 10 9	..	..	37 0 1
Goods	..	..	626 13 10	..	..	552 6 5
Miscellaneous	..	..	40 10 6	..	..	52 16 1
Rents and Commission	..	..	36 16 6	..	..	16 14 0
Total	..	..	£1,198 12 6	..	..	£1,019 8 1

NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

		1910.		1909.	
PASSENGERS.—		S.	R.	S.	R.
1st Class	19,749	56,516	76,265	21,394	55,670
2nd Class	106,441	277,938	384,379	109,363	262,228
Total		126,190	334,454	130,757	317,898
Season Tickets		9,926	8,402		
PARCELS, ETC.—		No.	No.		
Parcels	37,653	33,463			
Horses	817	754			
Carriages	105	76			
Dogs	1,853	2,140			
Total		40,428	36,433		
GOODS.—		No.	No.		
Drays	70	89			
Cattle	6,367	5,468			
Calves	973	851			
Sheep	372,769	413,497			
Pigs	9,982	9,133			
Total		390,161	428,528		
Chaff, Lime, &c.		Tons.	Tons.		
Chaff	4,404	3,672			
Wool	5,008	5,386			
Firewood	3,312	2,908			
Timber	17,466	14,864			
Grain	18,541	17,451			
Merchandise	23,986	24,512			
Minerals	38,303	34,135			
Total		111,020	102,928		
REVENUE.—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Passengers	58,193 6 7	49,324 12 0			
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	7,401 17 2	8,110 1 4			
Goods	67,495 0 1	60,446 1 4			
Miscellaneous	1,479 11 1	1,819 2 10			
Rents and Commission	1,917 10 7	674 7 11			
Total		£136,497 5 6	£120,374 5 5		

SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

		1910.		1909.	
PASSENGERS.—		S.	R.	S.	R.
1st Class	16,083	44,574	60,637	15,736	41,448
2nd Class	74,334	235,160	309,494	75,478	213,932
Total		90,417	279,734	91,214	255,380
Season Tickets		6,185	5,513		
PARCELS, ETC.—		No.	No.		
Parcels	45,210	40,866			
Horses	668	678			
Carriages	85	83			
Dogs	1,190	1,427			
Total		47,153	43,064		
GOODS.—		No.	No.		
Drays	171	126			
Cattle	3,040	3,488			
Calves	471	292			
Sheep	234,805	151,759			
Pigs	3,081	2,090			
Total		241,568	157,750		
Chaff, Lime, &c.		Tons.	Tons.		
Chaff	5,334	5,130			
Wool	26,511	24,343			
Firewood	1,362	1,312			
Timber	11,145	10,368			
Grain	32,927	26,168			
Merchandise	36,351	30,215			
Minerals	48,064	47,114			
Total		161,694	145,135		
REVENUE.—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Passengers	38,592 16 11	33,963 11 7			
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	6,650 6 5	7,557 13 7			
Goods	59,555 16 2	53,364 11 4			
Miscellaneous	1,745 6 8	1,779 8 6			
Rents and Commission	1,502 2 6	917 13 3			
Total		£108,046 8 8	£97,589 3 3		

WESTLAND SECTION.

		1910.		1909.	
PASSENGERS.—		S.	R.	S.	R.
1st Class	1,088	1,998	3,086	1,021	2,016
2nd Class	9,145	23,076	32,221	9,675	17,914
Total		10,233	25,074	10,696	19,930
Season Tickets		640	373		
PARCELS, ETC.—		No.	No.		
Parcels	2,329	1,705			
Horses	41	78			
Carriages	3	1			
Dogs	53	74			
Total		2,426	1,858		
GOODS.—		No.	No.		
Drays	5	3			
Cattle	179	210			
Calves	3	..			
Sheep	1,950	1,317			
Pigs	..	35			
Total		2,137	1,565		
Chaff, Lime, &c.		Tons.	Tons.		
Chaff	162	78			
Wool	34	48			
Firewood	298	72			
Timber	5,645	2,084			
Grain	635	449			
Merchandise	1,438	1,250			
Minerals	40,577	26,416			
Total		48,789	30,847		
REVENUE.—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Passengers	2,467 14 1	2,092 7 1			
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	366 19 7	340 18 4			
Goods	7,676 18 6	4,706 1 2			
Miscellaneous	266 16 2	174 2 9			
Rents and Commission	105 15 2	64 15 6			
Total		£10,884 3 6	£7,378 4 10		

WESTPORT SECTION.

		1910.		1909.	
PASSENGERS.—		S.	R.	S.	R.
1st Class	65	144	209	85	166
2nd Class	2,404	5,782	8,186	1,973	4,914
Total		2,469	5,926	2,058	5,080
Season Tickets		35	20		
PARCELS, ETC.—		No.	No.		
Parcels	563	449			
Horses	7	5			
Carriages	1	..			
Dogs	16	24			
Total		587	478		
GOODS.—		No.	No.		
Drays	..	..	
Cattle	..	..	
Calves	..	..	
Sheep	186	251			
Pigs	..	..	
Total		186	251		
Chaff, Lime, &c.		Tons.	Tons.		
Chaff	114	36			
Wool	..	..	
Firewood	612	372			
Timber	135	87			
Grain	238	160			
Merchandise	441	329			
Minerals	77,396	56,802			
Total		79,436	57,786		
REVENUE.—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Passengers	518 10 7	398 8 1			
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	69 11 3	57 15 11			
Goods	10,381 0 10	7,511 16 11			
Miscellaneous	402 0 7	328 18 8			
Rents and Commission	28 10 1	28 10 6			
Total		£11,399 13 4	£8,325 10 1		

NELSON SECTION.

	1910.			1909.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	186	252	438	213	204	417
2nd Class	2,745	5,246	7,991	2,701	5,838	8,539
Total	2,931	5,498	8,429	2,914	6,042	8,956
Season Tickets	..	..	103	..	..	10
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	469	..	..	394
Horses	..	..	1	..	..	2
Carriages	..	..	1	..	..	1
Dogs	..	..	30	..	..	26
Total	..	..	501	..	..	423
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	16	..	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	1,566	..	..	116
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	1,582	..	..	116
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	Tons. 174	..	..	Tons. 150
Wool	..	..	86	..	..	130
Firewood	..	..	264	..	..	384
Timber	..	..	421	..	..	325
Grain	..	..	368	..	..	344
Merchandise	..	..	561	..	..	471
Minerals	..	..	399	..	..	602
Total	..	..	2,273	..	..	2,406
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	603 3 4	..	..	486 3 5
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	..	86 9 7	..	..	84 17 8
Goods	..	..	1,085 17 10	..	..	1,019 10 0
Miscellaneous	..	..	64 12 10	..	..	97 5 0
Rents and Commission	..	..	70 9 2	..	..	25 3 6
Total	..	..	£1,910 12 9	..	..	£1,712 19 7

PICTON SECTION.

	1910.			1909.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	614	2,318	2,932	608	1,818	2,426
2nd Class	2,672	7,756	10,428	2,507	4,966	7,473
Total	3,286	10,074	13,360	3,115	6,784	9,899
Season Tickets	..	..	45	..	..	3
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	270	..	..	207
Horses	..	..	14	..	..	11
Carriages	..	..	2	..	..	2
Dogs	..	..	58	..	..	54
Total	..	..	344	..	..	374
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	2	4
Cattle	6	1
Calves	2
Sheep	21,174	15,377
Pigs
Total	21,184	15,382

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PICTON SECTION—continued.

	1910.		1909.	
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
GOODS—continued.				
Chaff, Lime, &c.	1,110	..	1,368	..
Wool	172	..	442	..
Firewood	168	..	96	..
Timber	73	..	128	..
Grain	896	..	673	..
Merchandise	794	..	657	..
Minerals	534	..	776	..
Total	3,747	..	4,140	..
REVENUE,—				
Passengers	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Passengers	920	18 11	653	0 4
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	74	13 9	67	15 7
Goods	1,171	0 0	1,189	4 6
Miscellaneous	194	17 6	93	2 0
Rents and Commission	27	13 0	12	13 11
Total	£2,389	3 2	£2,015	16 4

LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.

	1910.			1909.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	231	1,874	2,105	229	2,900	3,129
2nd Class	314	1,478	1,792	311	998	1,309
Total	545	3,352	3,897	540	3,898	4,438
Season Tickets	..	..	0	..	..	5
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels	..	..	656	..	..	527
Horses	..	..	7	..	..	15
Carriages	..	..	2	..	..	1
Dogs	..	..	9	..	..	30
Total	..	..	674	..	..	573
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle	..	..	12	..	..	1
Calves	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	1	..	..	22
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	13	..	..	23
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	Tons. 6	..	..	Tons. 30
Wool	..	..	146	..	..	89
Firewood	..	..	6	..	..	6
Timber	..	..	77	..	..	71
Grain	..	..	76	..	..	57
Merchandise	..	..	125	..	..	117
Minerals	..	..	83	..	..	89
Total	..	..	519	..	..	459
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers	..	..	448 6 0	..	..	567 16 5
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	..	..	70 19 7	..	..	72 0 0
Goods	..	..	212 19 9	..	..	174 6 7
Miscellaneous	..	..	5 13 0	..	..	Cr. 1 1 4
Rents and Commission	..	..	0 10 0	..	..	..
Total	..	..	£738 8 4	..	..	£818 1 8

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 5th February, 1910 (311 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 ..	8	269 7 0	2,224 18 5	1,287 4 5	5,117 6 1	230-00	328 13 8	755 19 4
Whangarei ..	23	2,319 0 0	24,070 16 2	938 16 11	10,315 12 7	42-86	1,236 16 9	506 9 11
Kaihu ..	17	266 19 11	3,460 4 7	412 17 3	3,539 9 11	102-29	240 11 0	246 11 5
Gisborne ..	23	1,198 12 6	10,441 9 5	748 9 10	7,121 10 11	68-20	536 10 4	365 18 7
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,064	136,487 5 6	1,286,064 4 0	83,619 10 6	889,721 14 9	69-18	1,428 9 5	988 4 10
Total ..	1,135	140,541 4 11	1,326,261 12 7	87,006 18 11	915,815 14 3	69-05		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,323	108,046 8 8	1,104,230 15 9	70,298 5 2	781,639 2 5	70-79	997 14 0	706 4 10
Westland ..	138	10,884 3 6	107,986 5 10	5,174 8 6	66,228 6 8	61-33	924 15 8	567 3 5
Westport ..	31	11,399 13 4	95,447 7 7	4,374 10 9	40,622 18 3	42-56	3,638 15 1	1,548 13 5
Nelson ..	48	1,910 12 9	19,720 0 2	2,241 2 9	15,434 3 8	78-27	485 10 7	380 0 2
Picton ..	34	2,389 3 2	23,331 17 2	2,048 13 4	20,354 5 1	85-41	828 7 7	707 10 0
Lake Wakatipu Steamers ..	..	738 8 4	5,334 0 6	379 9 8	4,833 7 11	82-18		
Total ..	1,574	135,368 9 9	1,356,600 7 0	84,516 10 2	928,712 4 0	68-46		
Grand total ..	2,709	275,909 14 8	2,682,861 19 7	171,523 9 11	1,844,527 18 3	68-75		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR (305 Days).

NORTH ISLAND—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Kawakawa ..	8	163 15 10	1,638 7 2	210 16 5	2,365 19 11	174-93	242 0 7	423 7 8
Whangarei ..	23	1,700 2 1	25,749 8 1	796 15 6	10,387 16 9	40-34	1,323 1 10	533 15 3
Kaihu ..	17	256 17 2	3,555 0 7	325 0 3	3,851 13 6	108-34	247 2 10	267 15 3
Gisborne ..	23	1,019 8 1	8,721 13 7	631 9 5	5,988 19 0	68-66	460 8 8	316 3 0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,030	120,374 5 5	1,083,868 11 5	77,915 16 10	779,414 3 11	71-91	1,377 8 4	990 10 1
Total ..	1,101	123,514 8 7	1,123,593 0 10	79,879 18 5	802,508 7 1	71-43		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,299	97,583 3 3	1,020,409 7 10	67,539 0 3	801,361 5 5	78-53	935 16 2	734 18 5
Westland ..	130	7,378 4 10	102,114 10 2	5,786 8 3	69,721 3 5	68-28	946 10 4	646 5 1
Westport ..	31	8,325 10 1	86,199 13 5	3,331 14 9	37,120 16 4	43-06	3,286 4 11	1,415 3 3
Nelson ..	48	1,712 19 7	17,154 19 5	1,216 8 6	13,512 18 10	78-77	464 2 7	365 11 10
Picton ..	34	2,015 16 4	20,145 3 0	1,441 1 6	18,685 14 8	92-76	700 4 8	649 10 1
Lake Wakatipu Steamers ..	..	813 1 8	4,986 12 9	431 19 0	4,344 7 11	87-12		
Total ..	1,542	117,828 15 9	1,251,010 6 7	79,746 12 3	944,746 6 7	75-52		
Grand total ..	2,643	241,343 4 4	2,374,543 7 5	159,626 10 8	1,747,254 13 8	73-58		

H. DAVIDSON,

Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department, 8th March, 1910.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF TRAFFIC ON ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1909, to 5th February, 1910.

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.
1910*	S. 358,276	R. 1,122,740	S. 1,970,997	R. 5,780,988	9,233,001	167,399	871,512	17,162	2,173	42,743	933,590	2052	139,777	10,095	3,360,683	99,639	3,612,246
1909†	371,549	1,029,716	1,967,186	5,232,486	8,600,937	156,136	776,012	16,091	2,110	42,002	836,215	1923	124,044	11,322	3,477,099	88,313	3,702,701
Inc.	..	93,024	3,811	548,502	632,064	11,263	95,500	1,071	63	741	97,375	129	15,733	..	..	11,326	..
Dec.	13,273	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,227	116,416	..	90,455

All Sections.	Tons.															
	Chaff, Lime, &c.		Wool.		Firewood.		Timber.		Grain.		Merchandise.		Minerals.		Total.	
1910* ..	Tons 151,490	c. qr. 0 0	Tons 132,407	c. qr. 11 0	Tons 84,310	c. qr. 0 0	Tons 441,433	c. qr. 5 0	Tons 874,198	c. qr. 8 0	Tons 610,929	c. qr. 1 0	Tons 2,088,589	c. qr. 11 0	Tons 4,383,357	c. qr. 16 0
1909† ..	153,938	0 0	106,982	12 0	86,524	0 0	499,576	0 0	638,908	1 0	589,922	17 0	1,954,699	12 0	4,030,551	2 0
Increase	..	..	25,424	19 0	..	..	235,290	7 0	21,006	4 0	133,889	19 0	352,806	14 0	..	..
Decrease	..	2,448 0 0	..	..	2,214 0 0	58,142 15 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

* 311 days. † 305 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.

Railway Department, 8th March, 1910.

Deceased Persons' Estates.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE for Management during the month of February, 1910.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Anderson, Nicholas August	Alexandra South	Sweden	30 Jan., 1910	..
2	Anthony, William	Waihemo	..	..	..
3	Blackwood, Andrew	Mataroa	..	22 Dec., 1909	Relatives known.
4	Brien, Louise	Feilding	..	..	Relatives known.
5	Briggs, David	Outram	England	24 Jan., 1910	..
6	Burk, James	Brydone	..	30 Nov., 1909	Relatives known.
7	Butler, Ellen	Christchurch	Ireland	6 Feb., 1910	Relatives known.
8	Crawford, John	Wellington	Victoria	21 Dec., 1909	Probate.
9	Dick, William	Linton	..	24 Feb., 1910	Probate.
10	Dooley, Patrick Michael	Stratford	..	9 Nov., 1909	..
11	Dyer, Matthew	Putaruru	..	19 Feb., 1910	Relatives known.
12	Hamilton, James Smith	Gore	Scotland	22 Oct., 1909	..
13	Hutcheson, Elizabeth	Bull's	Scotland	11 Jan., 1910	Relatives known.
14	Killeen, William	Wellington	..	..	Probate.
15	Kneebone, Mary Ann	Coromandel	..	— Nov., 1897	Relatives known.
16	Moore, Samuel	Wellington	..	..	Probate.
17	Mowlem, John	Palmerston North	England	25 Jan., 1910	Probate.
18	McKenzie, John	St. Andrew's	Scotland	8 Jan., 1910	Probate.
19	Neess, Jorgen Rasmussen	Kanieri	Norway	22 Jan., 1910	..
20	Parish, Percy	Wellington	..	17 Feb., 1910	Relatives known.
21	Powley, Richard	Waitakerei, Auckland	England	13 Jan., 1910	Probate.
22	Reid, Thomas	Opotiki	..	20 Dec., 1909	..
23	Reinelg, Charles	Wellington	..	19 Jan., 1910	..
24	Saunders, Henry William	Rata	England	3 Feb., 1910	..
25	Scott, Isabella	Auckland	..	23 Dec., 1909	Relatives known.
26	Skelton, Charles	Leeston	Scotland	9 Nov., 1909	..
27	Steer, James	Christchurch	England	29 Dec., 1909	Relatives known.
28	Tomkins, Harold	Taupo	England	24 Dec., 1909	Relatives known.
29	Tuke, Arthur Lionel	Blenheim	..	14 Feb., 1910	Relatives known.
30	Wade, William	Weston, Otago	..	16 Jan., 1910	Relatives known.
31	Wafforn, James Thomas	Christchurch	..	28 Dec., 1909	Probate.
32	Ward, Janet	Geraldine	Scotland	3 Mar., 1905	Relatives known.
33	Worth, Samuel Henry	Gisborne	..	20 Dec., 1909	..
34	Young, David	Clive	Scotland	26 Jan., 1910	..

Dated the 2nd day of March, 1910.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

Officiating Ministers for 1910.—Notice No. 8.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 10th March, 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 names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

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

The Reverend Herbert Alfred Walke.

Baptists.

The Reverend Francis Hugh Radford.

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

Westland Land Board.—Election of Member.

I GORDON HURRELL MORLAND McCCLURE, Returning Officer for the election of a member of the Westland Land Board, do hereby notify, in accordance with the provisions of section 41 of "The Land Act, 1908," and the regulations made thereunder, that the only person nominated to fill the vacancy occurring on the said Board was George Mallinson, Esq., of Moana.

I do therefore hereby declare that GEORGE MALLINSON is duly elected a member of the Westland Land Board as from the 31st March, 1910.

Dated at Hokitika, this 26th day of February, 1910.

G. H. M. McCCLURE,
Returning Officer.

Tenders for Mail-service, Cambridge-Hamilton.

SEALED tenders will be received by the Chief Postmaster, Auckland, until Tuesday, the 15th March, 1910, for the conveyance of mails from 1st April, 1910, to 31st December, 1912, between Cambridge and Hamilton daily (a) by motor-car, and (b) by coach. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and any tender which may be accepted may be terminated by the Postmaster-General on his giving three months' notice in writing.

D. ROBERTSON,
Secretary.General Post Office,
Wellington, 1st March, 1910.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

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

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 22nd January, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land, under section 128 of the said Act, on or after Thursday, the 28th day of April, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 22A, Block VIII, Waipoua Survey District, containing 10 acres, or thereabouts.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Auckland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 16th February, 1910.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease or License No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
L.P.	2047	2	VII	Matamata Town ..	W. J. Addis ..	Non-fulfilment of conditions.
"	2495	5	III	Omapere ..	A. Fleet..	Abandoned.
"	2400	2, 3	XVI	Matakohu ..	J. Taylor ..	Arrears of rent.
"	2096	1-14	IV	Waharoa Town ..	A. Dibar ..	Non-fulfilment of conditions.
"	2042	19	VIII	Matamata Town ..	J. L. Ross ..	"
"	1188	2	V	Pirongia ..	H. Armstrong ..	Arrears of rent.
"	975	1, 2, 3, 5	XIV	Whitianga ..	R. Oxley, jun. ..	"
R.L.	192	112	..	Selwyn Settlement	T. W. Little ..	Abandoned.
"	188	8	XIV	Otanewainuku ..	J. P. Morcombe ..	Selector's request.
"	166	22	..	Tautari Settlement	Cary and Engall..	"
"	49	1	VIII	Maungatautari	C. A. Bloomfield ..	Non-signature of lease.
"		1, 2, 4	IX	Patetere North		
"		5	V	"		
"	67	371	..	Waipu Parish ..	J. Barry ..	Selector's request.
"	77	7	III	Rotoma ..	A. Johanson ..	Non-signature of lease.
S.G.R.	58	Run 75	..	Tatua ..	E. S. Coates ..	Non-fulfilment of conditions.
H.P.L.	72	..	XVI	Ohinemuri ..	A. Scott..	Abandoned.
P.L.	289	9	IX	Opuawhanga ..	E. Macken ..	Arrears of rent.
O.R.P.	2886	212	..	Owhiwa Parish ..	E. J. Beasley ..	Non-fulfilment of conditions.
"	3361	N.W. 9	..	Omanaia Parish ..	T. A. Taylor ..	"
"	3437	15, 16, 21	XI	Takahue ..	W. Bateman ..	Abandoned.
"	3475	7	XIV	Russell ..	W. W. Boor ..	Arrears of rent.
"	3544	287E	..	Pukeatua Parish ..	C. Moeschel ..	Abandoned.
"	3557	65	..	Ruapekapeka Parish	J. H. Rochat ..	Non-signature of license.
"	2285	14	I	Kaihu ..	D. A. Williams ..	Non-fulfilment of conditions.
M.D.L.O.	217	29	XV	Ohinemuri ..	A. Trembath ..	Arrears of rent.

D. BUDDO,
For Minister of Lands.

Lands in Otago Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 7th March, 1910.

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease No.	Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Formerly held by
L.I.P.	1339 S.	8	XIII	Pomahaka (Pomahaka Downs Estate)	Patrick Meeney.
O.R.P.	353	3, 6	VIII	Woodland	Daniel Goulding.

D. BUDDO,
For Minister of Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 18th January, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that an area of 3 acres and 22 perches, intersecting Sections 15, 16, and 17, Pukekura Parish, will be disposed of, under section 131 of the said Act, on and after Thursday, the 21st day of April, 1910.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District to be opened for Selection.

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 17th January, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that Section No. 89A, Rangitaiki Parish, will be subdivided and opened for selection on or after Wednesday, the 27th April, 1910.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Runs in Marlborough Land District open for Application.

Department of Lands,
Blenheim, 8th March, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral runs are open for license, and applications will be received at this office, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1908," up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 13th day of April, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

Run No.	Area.	Term.	Upset Annual Rental.
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Onamalutu and Cloudy Bay Survey Districts.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
134	1,407	0	0	21	years	30 0 0

Situated to the north side of Kaituna Valley, about sixteen miles by good road from Blenheim, and varies in altitude from 200 ft. to 2,000 ft. It consists of hillsides of inferior to fairly good quality, and upon which the native grasses are increasing. Covered generally on the south with short manuka and fern, with a sprinkling of flax and scrub, and on the north generally with fern and patches of bush in the gullies; fairly well watered. The run is fenced only along portions of the boundary, and, as in addition to partly adjoining it is also intersected by freehold land, there is an expensive contingent liability in regard to the balance of the fencing.

Tone, Upcot, Kaitarau, Tapuaenuku, and Whernside Survey Districts.

159 (Kekerangu) | 74,400 0 0 | 13 years | 500 0 0
Situating generally in the Middle Clarence Valley on the left or north bank of the river between Boundary and Red Hill Streams, and extends to the summit of the inland Kaikoura Mountains. The altitude varies from about 300 ft. at Boundary Stream to 9,465 ft. at the summit of Mount Tapuaenuku. The quality of the soil varies very much, some of the land in the valley and low hills being good limestone formation; some fairly good flats and pastoral country, with much rough mountain-faces, said to be much infested with rabbits. The run is much cut up by small scattered freeholds, and the only access at present is through adjoining freeholds and leaseholds.

F. STEPHENSON SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Southland Land District open for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands Office,
Invercargill, 9th March, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that the undermentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 22nd day of June, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.—WAIAU SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Capital Value.			Half-yearly Rental.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
32	XIII	106	0	0	100	0	0	2	0	0
33	XIII	113	2	0	100	0	0	2	0	0

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-run in Auckland Land District open for Lease.

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 9th March, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-run is open for lease, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 25th day of April, 1910, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1908."

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WHAKATANE COUNTY.—WAIHI SOUTH SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Pastoral Land.

NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.

Run No.	Block.	Area.			Half-yearly Rental.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
76	VII, XI	2,669	0	0	20	0	0

Altitude, about 800 ft. above sea-level. Broken to undulating country, covered with fern and scrub; soil of a sandy and pumice nature, on volcanic cement. Well watered by small streams. Situated seven miles from Matata—five miles by the Tauranga-Matata coach-road and two miles by Pikowai Road (formed).

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 11th January, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, at this office, on Friday, the 15th day of April, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF KAIWAKA.

Suburban Land.

Sections.	Area.			Upset Price.		
	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
223, 226	24	2	8	196	0	0

Weighted with £26, valuation for improvements effected.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Run in Wellington Land District for License by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 8th February, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for license by public auction, at the Drill Hall, Wanganui, at 10 o'clock a.m. on Friday, the 18th day of March, 1910, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1908."

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WAIMARINO COUNTY.—KARIOI SURVEY DISTRICT.—RANGIWAEA 4F No. 1 BLOCK.

Class B.

Run No.	Block.	Area.			Upset Annual Rental.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
31	VII	1,760	0	0	44	0	0

This run is situated on the North Island Main Trunk Railway, between Ohakune and Waiouru, and is adjacent to Ninia Township and Karioi Railway-station. It comprises open flat tussock land of inferior quality. The run is offered subject to the right of the late licensee to remove, within such reasonable time as the Land Board may determine, any temporary fencing he may have erected, excepting fencing along boundary of his Run No. 2, Rangipo-Waiu-Murimotu.

Rent will commence on date of possession, which will be given on date of sale.

The term shall be seven years from the 1st March, 1911, and shall also include the period between date of possession and that date.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
New Plymouth, 24th December, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that the undermentioned land will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land, under section 128 of "The Land Act, 1908," on or after Wednesday, the 13th day of April, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.
3	VI	Aria	A. R. P. 3 3 31

FRANCIS SIMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District open for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 8th December, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 25th day of April, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—RAGLAN COUNTY.—RANGIRIRI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Unsurveyed Land.—National Endowment.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value, per Acre.	Rent per Acre per Annum.
1	V	A. R. P. 860 0 0	£ s. d. 0 12 6	£ s. d. 0 0 6

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 11th January, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, at this office, on Friday, the 15th day of April, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF KAIWAKA.

Suburban Land.

Sections.	Area.	Upset Price.
223, 226	A. R. P. 24 2 8	£ s. d. 196 0 0

Weighted with £26, valuation for improvements effected.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Otago Land District open for Sale or Selection.

District Lands Office,
Dunedin, 26th January, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of "The Land Act, 1908," that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or selection, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 9th day of May, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—CLUTHA COUNTY.—CATLIN'S SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
1	V	A. R. P. 187 0 0	£ s. d. 100 0 0	£ s. d. 2 10 0	£ s. d. 2 0 0
2	"	287 3 24	150 0 0	3 15 0	3 0 0
3	"	233 0 24	120 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0
4	"	243 0 16	130 0 0	3 5 0	2 12 0
5	"	184 2 0	100 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0
8	"	182 3 0	100 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0
9	"	172 0 10	90 0 0	2 5 0	1 16 0
10	"	265 1 24	140 0 0	3 10 0	2 16 0
11	"	220 2 16	120 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0
3	VII	299 3 20	150 0 0	3 15 0	3 0 0
4	"	272 2 0	140 0 0	3 10 0	2 16 0
4A & 17	"	175 0 16	110 0 0	2 15 0	2 4 0
6	"	105 3 0	60 0 0	1 10 0	1 4 0
7	"	248 3 16	220 0 0	5 10 0	4 8 0
11	"	194 2 20	100 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0
12	"	223 1 10	120 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0
13	"	251 3 10	130 0 0	3 5 0	2 12 0
14	"	172 1 30	90 0 0	2 5 0	1 16 0
15	"	286 2 32	150 0 0	3 15 0	3 0 0
16	"	236 1 24	120 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0
18	"	287 1 0	150 0 0	3 15 0	3 0 0
19	"	266 1 0	140 0 0	3 10 0	2 16 0
20	"	205 0 0	110 0 0	2 15 0	2 4 0

Bush land, somewhat steep and broken in places. The timber generally is birch. The soil is light and good. General aspect is southerly. Situated within easy distance of the Catlin's Railway, which is now in course of construction. The north-east corner of Block VII is about eight miles from Owaka Railway-station.

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Canterbury Land District open for Lease.

District Lands Office,
Christchurch, 15th February, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for lease, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 29th day of March, 1910, under the provisions of "The Land Act, 1908."

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF HANMER SPRINGS.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Annual Rental.
15	III	A. R. P. 0 3 0	£ s. d. 1 10 0

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

- Applications must be made to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Christchurch, and must be accompanied by a deposit of a half-year's rent, together with £1 ls. lease fee.
- Possession will be given on approval by the Land Board of the application.
- The lease will be for a term of thirty-three years.
- The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance, free of all deductions whatsoever; and if not paid within twenty-one days after due date the lessor may re-enter upon the land and determine the lease.
- The lessee shall have no right to mortgage, sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the whole or any portion of the land comprised in the lease, except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
- The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and shall prevent their increase or spread, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
- The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, sweetbriar, and other noxious weeds or plants on the land comprised in the lease; and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, broom, sweetbriar, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

8. The lessee shall not carry on, or permit to be carried on, upon the land or any part thereof any noisy, noxious, or offensive trade or manufacture, or do or suffer to be done thereon any act or thing whatsoever which may be an annoyance to the lessor or to any other lessee in the neighbourhood.

9. In the event of the lessee, upon the expiry of the term, not again becoming the occupier of the land under a fresh lease, he shall be entitled to payment of valuation for all improvements which he shall have effected upon the land, so far as the same are existing and unexhausted.

10. The lessee shall, within one year from the date of selection, erect a permanent building on the section of a value of at least £50.

Full particulars may be obtained at the District Lands Office, Christchurch.

F. W. FLANAGAN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserves in Wellington Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 2nd February, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserves will be offered for lease by public auction, at this office, on Wednesday, the 30th day of March, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
<i>Hutt County.</i>				
Part 32	XVI	Akatarawa	A. R. P. 741 0 0	£ s. d. 5 0 0
<i>Featherston County.</i>				
State Forest Reserves.				
102	..	..	1,353 0 0	15 0 0
105	..	..
Parts 100	III	Rimutaka		
" 101	V, IX	Wairarapa		
<i>Featherston and Hutt Counties.</i>				
..	XV, XVI	Akatarawa	5,159 0 0	85 0 0
..	III, IV	Rimutaka		
..	I, II, V	Wairarapa		

Locality and Description.—These lots are situated on the railway-line between Kaitoke Railway-station and Cross Creek, and comprise more or less open country on the Rimutaka Ranges, suitable for grazing.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease, fourteen years, subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.
2. A deposit of a half-year's rent, and £1 1s. lease fee, must be paid on the fall of the hammer.
3. The lessee shall have the right to use the land comprised in the lease for grazing purposes only.
4. The lessee shall have no right to fell or remove from the land any live or dead trees or timber, whether standing or lying on the ground.
5. All persons duly authorised in that behalf shall have free right of ingress, egress, and regress for such purposes as the Commissioner may deem expedient.
6. The lessee shall have no claim for compensation for improvements at any time, but at the expiration of his lease may remove all fencing and buildings erected by him on the land.
7. Licenses may be issued at any time during the currency of grazing-lease to the lessee or other persons to cut and remove either standing or felled timber under the Timber or Forest Regulations, without the payment of compensation to the lessee.
8. The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and he shall prevent their increase or spread, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
9. The lessee shall not light or permit any fire to be lighted within or in the vicinity of the reserves, nor shall he intentionally or negligently allow fire to spread in or into the forest. In the event of any damage to forest, flax, &c., caused through fires so lighted or spreading, the lessee shall be liable for the value of such damage, and shall also be liable to a penalty of £50.
10. The lease shall be subject to the conditions that the Crown shall not be liable for any damage that may be done

by or to stock running on the land comprised in the lease, and the lessee shall take all risks of whatever nature.

11. Possession will be given on date of acceptance of tender, from which date rent will commence.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserves in Wellington Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 25th January, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 27th day of April, 1910, for leases of the undermentioned reserves under the provisions of "The Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908."

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Minimum Annual Rental.	Term.
<i>Mangahao Survey District.</i>				
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	
23	VII	9 0 0	6 10 0	Five years.
Situate on the Ridge Road, adjoining the Suburbs of Scarborough. Distant about one mile from Pahiatua Railway-station.				
<i>Apti Survey District.</i>				
5	IV	3 1 32	2 10 0	Five years.
Situated about one mile and a half from Rangiwahia. Access is from Mangaweka, about twelve miles by good metalled road.				
<i>Town of Mangaweka North.</i>				
5 and 6	IV	0 1 36	3 0 0	Fourteen years.
<i>Town of Livingston.</i>				
73	..	7 2 30	3 0 0	Seven years.
Lessee of this section will be required to fence, fell, and grass the area to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands within one year of acceptance of his tender; also to keep down all noxious weeds and rabbits.				
<i>Town of Levin.</i>				
1	XIV	0 1 36	1 0 0	Seven years.
Situated at the corner of Cambridge and Devon Streets.				
<i>Town of Linton.</i>				
300	..	4 0 20	4 0 0	Fourteen years.
Situated 16 chains from railway-siding. First-class land.				
<i>Town of Mangaweka.</i>				
52	..	0 1 0	2 0 0	Fourteen years.
Situated at corner of Bank and Koraenui Streets. Flat land.				

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Tenders must be accompanied by marked cheque or post-office order for six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 1s. lease fee.
2. There are no restrictions or limitations as to the number of sections which one person may lease, and no declaration is required. Residence and improvements are not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, nor for any other cause.
3. Possession will be given on the day of acceptance of tender.
4. The leases shall be for the terms specified, but shall be subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.
5. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance.
6. The lessee will have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease, except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
7. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbriar on the land comprised in the lease; and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, sweetbriar, broom, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
8. The lease will be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee shall fail to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to be fulfilled.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Te Kuiti.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 28th February, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Te Kuiti on the 5th day of April, 1910, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Auckland, 1910-10.]

A. G. HOLLAND, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS		
3	Papanui Tamahiki, Hohepa Petera, and Kuia te Rore	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 21(?), (B Section 2).
4	Hone Kaora	Pirongia West No. 1, Section 2B (Pukekohe).
5	Hone Kaora (agent for Ahurei Mateao)	Pirongia West No. 1, Section 2A (Tiritirima-tangi).
6	Te Hinureina Enoka, Katipa te Pato, and others	Te Awaroa A No. 10.
7	Te Aohau Weretatikapa, Te Iwikino Weretatikapa, and Te Warahi te Whiutahi	Ohura South K No. 4, Section 2B No. 3.
8	Roia te Ake, Atakohu Wetere, and another	Kawhia P3 (Motungaio).
9	Maeke Waiora, Turaki Maikuku, Rangiahua te Rake, Te Waiata te Iwikino, Tuarua Waiora, and others	Pukuweka No. 1 (Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 1).
10	Te Warahi te Whiutahi and others	Pukuweka No. 2, Section 2D (Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 2, Section 2D).
11	Miriama Kahukarewao, Hori Kingi te Mawae, Turaki Maikuku, Te Manuauate Piripi Tuhua, and Te Marae Rongomataane	Taumarunui Township.
12	Rangianini Ngahiraka, Te Hoko Tapeka, and Wairoa Oneroa	Rangitoto A No. 57.
13	Rawiri te Hauparoa (agent for Rangiwahakarewa Paraone)	Kinohaku West No. 12A.
14	Hori te Ihorangi, Hapimana Mokau, and Waiuku te Huia	Tokanui No. 1B (Pukekawawa).
15	Turaki Maikuku	Ohura South M3c.
16	Tukuteihu te Ngarupiki	Ohura South K No. 4, Section 2B.
17	Korau (for Pourewa and others)	Hauturu West No. 2, Section 3F.]
18	Te Pouwharetapu and others	Manuaitu No. 2B.
19	Kahu te Kuru and Huriwaka Manunui	Ohura South B No. 2 (Otairua).
20	Tai Hauauru and others	Pirongia West No. 3B, Section 2c.
21	Rihi te Rauparaha	Mangaora.
22	R. Mainwaring (for Ngawiki Rauroha)	Puketarata 4E No. 2.
23	Ngamotu Pateriki	Tokanui C No. 18.
24	Henare Tikitini	Pokuru No. 2F, Section 2.
25	Makereti Hinewai	Tokanui No. 1A.
26	Puea Herangi and others	Hikurangi.
27	Te Manuauate Piripi Tuhua (as trustee for Ria Heni Ngapera)	Ohura South K4, Section 2B.
28	Tahuata te Poihi	Marokopa No. 4.
29	Te Rewahi Hiriako	Te Pukenui No. 2F.
30	Tama Kawe	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N.
31	Marama Hiriako and Taitoko Hiriako	Aorangi-Punihangarua No. 3.
32	Wehi Ringitanga, Tutaki Ringitanga, and Mihi Ringitanga	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 33.
33	Wehi Ringitanga, Tutaki Ringitanga, and Mihi Ringitanga	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 28.
34	Tamiahua Raiti (T. R. Hughes for the applicant)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26F (Tarapounamu).
35	Tira Hinekura and others	Puketarata No. 6B.
36	Rawiri Heneri, Pareaute Komanga, and Watikena Herewini (T. R. Hughes for the applicants)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 24 (Ongarahu).
37	Watikena Herewini, Te Ngoi Maika, Pareaute Komanga, Haiminia te Raku, and others (T. R. Hughes for the applicants)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 38 (Rangiahua).
38	Miriama Kahukarewao and Turi Peoi Kahukarewao	Ohura South C No. 2, Section 3A.
39	Anaru Eketone (for Rauputu Tumokemoke, Kaahu Huatare, and others)	Karnotewhenua B No. 5c No. 4
40	J. Ormsby (agent for the owners)	Kaingapipi No. 10.
41	J. Ormsby (agent for the owners)	Kaingapipi No. 7.
42	Rihi Huaanga	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 30.
43	Rana Rauangi and others	Otorohanga T No. 2.
44	Te Aue	Hauturu East No. 1E, Section C.
45	Hemi Hiria and Te Aue	Hauturu East B No. 2, Section 2B.
46	Kauki Tauira, Te Aua Tauira, Te Apiti te Ranga, and Te Rawhiti Maaka	Te Pahi (Aotea South No. 3).
47	Kauki Tauira, Te Aua Tauira, Te Apiti te Ranga, and Te Rawhiti Maaka	Raoraokanere (Aotea South No. 2).
48	Wirihana te Aooterangi, Para Haimona, Mita Karaka Ngatipare, Te Rau Kaimakariri, Percui Kawharu, Toiharuru Tongariro, and Pineahi Maihi	Manuaitu B.
49	Pepene Eketone (for Hone Taonui Ruihi, Hare Kingi, and others)	Te Awaroa B4, Section 5.
50	Haora Tauhaki	Hauturu East No. 2F.
51	Ngapakhi te Waharua, Manoposka te Waharua, and others	Rangitoto A.
52	Te Kena te Huia, Manaia te Huia, Whakaranu Pouaka (by their agent, David Ormsby)	Rangitoto A No. 46.
53	Waeroa Matena (trustee for Hinehou Waeroa, Tamahiki Waeroa, Rangawhenua Waeroa, and Te Rerenga Waeroa)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 64R (Te Kaingaika).
54	Hamuhamu te Putu, Whakarau Tauhe, Te Huia te Raro, and Rutu Hopa	Tauranga.
55	Rangianini Ngahiraka and Ngahiraka Rangianini	Tokanui C No. 14.
56	Te Watikena Herewini and others	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26F (Tarapounamu).

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION—*continued.*

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS— <i>continued.</i>		
57	Tohengaroa te Rauroha, Wiari te Rauroha, and Rauputu Taitu, <i>alias</i> Rauputu Tumokemoke	Taumarunui Township.
58	Rihi Huaanga	Pokuru No. 2F.
59	Waho Tapuae	Rangitoto A No. 35.
60	Ngahua Matengaro	Mangaroa B No. 2B.
61	Waeroa Matena	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 79 (Te Tapuwae).
62	Toheriri Tawhana	Te Pukenui (No. 2N).
63	Te Manu Tupukaheke	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 52B.
64	Te Aue Kaahu	Mahoenui No. 3.
65	Te Uira Kiwi, Tuteao Kiwi, and others	Taharoa A.
66	Te Pouwharetapu	Rauri.
67	Toheriri Tawhana	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 57 (Mapara No. 7).
68	Toheriri Tawhana	Maraetua No. 10.
69	Ngapawa Ngaamo (by her agent, John Ormsby)	Kakepuku No. 1.
70	Hone Omipi	Te Kauri No. 2.
71	Te Hika Poutama (agent for Wikitoria Wahanui)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 33.
72	Kawenui Herewini	Mangawhero No. 3.
73	Pareaute Komanga, Tukere Pareaute, and others	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 34.
74	Rihi Huaanga	Pokuru No. 2F.
75	Heta Rehua	Tokanui C No. 20.
NEW APPLICATIONS.		
76	Urupa Pohepohe and others	Pirongia West No. 1, Section 2E.
77	Tukere Hone (for Kahuwakaangi Tahuna and others)	Ngamahanga.
78	Te Ata Matana, <i>alias</i> Te Ata Pehira (by Pepene Eketone, agent)	Mahoenui No. 1B.
79	Teri Porowata (for Te Kiri Katipa and others)	Awaroa A No. 7, Section 2.
80	Whareki Tuihana	Mangauka B No. 1 No. 2, Section 2.
81	Riria Pairama and others	Pukeuha (Taurua).
82	Pairama Keepa and Arapata te Rangituaatoka	Mangaawakino No. 1
83	Waata Mokena (Walter Morgan)	Pirongia West No. 1, Section 2H.
84	Te Moerua Natanahira and Koroheke	Kinohaku West No. 1A, Section 1.
85	Mohiiti Moutere and others	Hauturu West No. 2B, Section 4.
86	Kerapa Ngahere, Te Ngahere, Pakira Rangiamohia, and others	Hauturu West No. 3.
87	Rangi Moeakau	Wharepunga No. 5.
88	Rapana Ihakara	Otorohanga Q No. 2.
89	Hone Omipi	Kopua No. 1B2.
90	Ngapawa Ngaamo (by her agent, John Ormsby)	Puketarata No. 3B, Section 2.
91	E. C. Falwasser (for Marohia Ngatoko)	Hauturu East No. 2A.
92	Tamihana te Huirau, Hone Hohepa, Hori Apukena, Pepe Whariki, Tumauru te Rarauhe, Taumata Paku, Makura, Kiri Mako Atutahi, Huang Tuke, and Katu Tohiariki	Kinohaku East No. 1F, Section 29.
93	Rangirumakina Mauritu (by her agent, J. Ormsby)	Kinohaku East No. 1F, Section 29.
94	Wi Peehi	Ohura South K No. 4, Section 2B No. 1.
95	J. Ormsby (for the owners)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 60E.
96	Te Ratutonu Taiamai	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 70.
97	Teri Poroata (for Te Moerua Kiwi and others)	Taharoa A.
98	Teri Poroata (for Wetere te Kakeku and others)	Kinohaku West No. 2D (?No. 12D).
99	Tamaki Tamehana	Kawhia G No. 2.
100	J. Ormsby (for Te Watikena Herewini)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35G.
101	J. Ormsby (for Te Wiari te Kuri and Ratutonu Taiamai)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 70 (Te Ahoroa).
102	Tama Kawe	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68A.
103	Te Riri Moerua	Haututu East 1E No. 4B.
104	Te Warahi te Whintahi	Ohura South C No. 1.
105	T. T. Rawhiti and others	Ngamahanga.
106	R. Mainwaring (for Te Puke Huirama)	Wharepunga No. 7C.
107	Akinihi Huiti (as trustee for Rawiri Erueti and Olive Erueti)	Puketarata No. 12.
108	Ngawiki te Rauroha	Tokanui C No. 9.
109	Teri Poroata (for Tuke Hikurangi and Mahutu te Toko)	Kinohaku East No. 1F, Section 26.
110	Hinerangi te Huaki	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77E (Tangitu).
111	Ngatokowha te Rangi, Tutahanga te Wano, and others	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 80.
112	Ngaparu te Whakaki, Kahutopuni Waata, T. Hurinui te Wano, Tangahoe te Rawahirua, and Hinurewa Ngahiwi	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 79 (Tapuwae).
113	Hariwhenua Herangi	Ngamahanga.
114	Te Watikena Herewini	Rangitoto-Tuhua 26F No. 2 (Tarapounamu).
115	Teri Poroata (agent for Te Koi Moera and Marino Paparahi)	Te Kuiti 2B No. 25.
116	Whitinui Hohepa (agent for Poutu Hihiti)	Kinohaku East No. 1F, Section 4.
117	Waeroa Matena	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68H.
118	Kahutopuni Waata, Tangahoe te Rawahirua, Tutahanga te Wano, and Hurinui te Wano	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77N.
119	Timoti Hihipeehi, Tai Hihipeehi, Hoera Putohe, and Kawhi Matewaka	Te Taharoa A No. 4.
120	Tama Kawe and others	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68I.
121	Tama Kawe and others	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 71B.
122	Pepene Eketone (agent for Kingi Wetere and others)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 69B.
123	James Boddie (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Te Kumi No. 5.
124	H. D. McCargle (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 70.
125	E. C. Falwasser (agent for Ngapera Huiao)	Te Kumi No. 12.
126	Rangirumakina Mauritu	Kinohaku East No. 1F, Section 2.
127	Ratima Pekamu	Umukaimata No. 2 (Kaiatenganga).
128	Hakaraia Waiwera and others	Kakepuku No. 9, Section 3.
129	Hakaraia Waiwera and others	Kakepuku No. 1.
130	Ngaamo te Rauroha	Rangitoto A No. 60B.
131	Tutahanga te Wano and Ngaparu Whakaki	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 67B.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
NEW APPLICATIONS—continued.		
132	Tutahanga to Wano, Ngaparua Whakaki, Whetu Ringitanga, and Taumoana	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 76.
133	Kingi Omeka, Haiminia te Raaku, and Rangianewa Rangawhenua	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 36A, Section 1.
134	Miriama Kahukarewa, Rangi Whakateko Tauriri, Tiraha Poihipi, Manuauto Piripi Tuhaia	Taumarunui Township.
135	Hohepa Petera (by his agent, John Ormsby)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77B.
136	Mihi Pepene, Hare Tana, Mere Tana, and Pita Tana	Kaipia.
137	Falwasser, Thorp, and Co. (for Whare Hotu)	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28B No. 16A.
138	Pepene Eketone (for Te Aomarama Tokihana and others)	Te Kuiti No. 2c.
139	Pepene Eketone (for Rangihua Kingi and others)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 64K.
140	Pepene Eketone (for Te Raita Matengaro)	Pukenui 2D No. 7B.
141	Pepene Eketone (agent for Ngahiwi Paiwaho and others)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68H.
142	Te Kaponga	Wharepungua No. 9c.
143	Taui Wetere	Kawhia CI No. 2.
144	Pepene Eketone (agent for Kahutopuni Waata and others)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 71B.
145	Falwasser, Thorp, and Co. (for Hariwhenua Herangi, <i>alias</i> Waata Herangi and others)	Kopua No. 1b2, Section 3.
146	Hurinui te Wano (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 55B.
147	Riri Moerua (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Kinohaku East 3D No. 8.
148	Te Riri Moerua (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Hauturu East No. 1E Section 5c, No. 2B Section 2.
149	Noke te Moerua (by her solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Hauturu East No. 1E Section 5c, No. 2B Section 3.
150	Tanetiorau (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Hauturu East No. 1E Section 5c, No. 2c No. 2.
151	Riri Moerua (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Pukeroa-Hangatiki 4c No. 2.
152	Te One Haereiti (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Otorohanga E No. 4.
153	Te Riri te Moerua (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Mangawhero No. 2A, Section 3.
154	Koroheke Rangihaea (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Pehitawa 2B No. 3.
155	Kumeroa Tutawa (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Pehitawa 2B No. 4.
156	Hinewai Tarahua (by her solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Piha No. 1.
157	Haunoni te Rakeiwaho (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Ohura South F No. 2B.
158	Mihirei Ngatai (by her solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Ohura South M No. 3A, Section 2c.
159	Makere te Uru (by her solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Ohura South M No. 3A, Section 2B.
160	Rangitotohu Turaki (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Ohura South M No. 3c.
161	Tukuteihu te Ngarupiki (by her solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Ohura South K No. 4, Section 2B No. 3.
162	Rangitahu Putangaroa (by her solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Te Kumi No. 8.
163	Hinekoina Hohepa and Hohepa Petera (by their solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 52B.
164	Mere Tahatika (by her solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Rangitoto A No. 37B.
165	Falwasser, Thorp, and Co.	Rangitoto A No. 46.
166	Falwasser, Thorp, and Co.	Otorohanga E No. 3.
167	Falwasser, Thorp, and Co.	Otorohanga E No. 4.
168	Falwasser, Thorp, and Co.	Orahiri H.
169	Falwasser, Thorp, and Co.	Hikurangi.
170	Falwasser, Thorp, and Co.	Ohura South F No. 2B.
171	Te Rangihaeata Pirihera (John Ormsby, agent)	Orahiri No. 7c.
172	Hatutana Pakukohatu (John Ormsby, agent)	Pukeroa-Hangatiki No. 4d.
173	Ketetahi Tapuha (by his agent, John Ormsby)	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 21B No. 2.
174	Kingi te Mate (by his agent, John Ormsby)	Otorohanga E No. 5.
175	Tereita Matengaro (by her solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Pukenui 2D No. 7B.
176	Taumoana (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68H.
177	Tutahanga te Wano (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 79H.
178	Falwasser, Thorp, and Co. (for Tame Huirau)	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 10B.
179	Falwasser, Thorp, and Co. (for Atutahi Porokoru and Netana Atutahi)	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 12B.
180	Whautapu Oneroa (T. R. Hughes, for applicant)	Rangitoto A No. 67B.
181	Huirangi Pikiahu and Pikiahu te Rangatira	Turoto C No. 2.
182	Maria Hanuere	Hauturu East B No. 2E.
183	Waata Pumipi and others	Kawhia P2.
184	Hohepa Petera, Turei Hohepa, Hinekino Hohepa, Te Waimata Hohepa, Te Porana te Akau, and Te Hautuku Hohepa	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77B.
185	Te Aue Kahu and others	Te Karuotewhenua B No. 5c No. 2.
186	Pouaka Amotahi	Kakepuku No. 9B, Section 4.
187	Rauputu Tuimokemoke	Karuotewhenua B No. 5c No. 44A.
188	Piripi Pene	Mangauika No. 1B2, Section 2B.
189	Piripi Pene	Whakairoiro 5c No. 2D.
190	Mamae Moke, Paahi Moke, and others	Kawhia A No. 2E.
191	Mamae Moke, Paahi Moke, and others	Rangitoto A No. 63.
192	Tuatu Mantara	Pakarikari No. 1B.
193	Para Hikaia	Ohura South G No. 4L, Section 2.
194	Wi Peehi	Ohura South K No. 4, Section 2B No. 1.
195	Earl and Kent (solicitors for applicants)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 61c, Section 2.
196	Earl and Kent (solicitors for applicant)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68I.
197	Te Niko Mauritu (by Hari Hemara)	Kinohaku East No. 1F, Section 4A.
198	Whautapu te Oneroa (for Te Oneroa Huihana and others)	Puketarata No. 4G Section 2D, No. 2B Section 2.
199	Tuwainoa Erueti	Pirongia West No. 3, Section 2B.
200	Mokaraka Hohepa (trustee, Hohepa Haurangi) and Maria Hoponi	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35I.
201	Earl and Kent (solicitors for applicant, Hone Tana)	Rangitoto A No. 48.
202	Earl and Kent (solicitors for applicant, Taumoana Rangituatea)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77B, Section 2B.
203	Earl and Kent (solicitors for Riri Moerua, applicant)	Hauturu East 1E No. 4B.
204	Te Whare Hotu (for Ngaturu Ihaia and others)	Kinohaku West G.
205	Falwasser, Thorp, and Co (for Tutahanga te Wano and others)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 67B.
206	Te Maanu Mahuki	Pukeroa-Hangatiki No. 2c.
207	Paapu te Huetu (by his agent, John Ormsby)	Otorohanga No. 1D.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION—*continued.*

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
NEW APPLICATIONS— <i>continued.</i>		
208	Tutahanga te Wano (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Rangitoto-Tuhua 79H No. 2.
209	Koroheke Rangihaea (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Pehitawa 2B No. 3B.
210	Hinewai Tarahuia (by her solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Piha No. 1B.
211	Koroheke Tumanao (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Kinohaku East 3D No. 8.
212	Tawhi Erueti (by his agent, John Ormsby)	Rangitoto A No. 50.
213	Te Rewatu Hiriako	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 61F.
214	W. H. Grace (agent for Hera te Au and Arthur Grace)	Rangitoto A No. 5.
215	Pepene Eketone (for Te Teira te Teira)	Te Kuiti No. 2B, Section 1N.
216	E. C. Falwasser (for Hohepa Petera and Ngaparaki te Aruhe)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77L.
217	E. C. Falwasser (for Te Haurangi te Komanga and others)	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 70.
218	Kereama Anihana	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35r, Section 2.
219	Huirua Pairama	Pukeuha B.
220	Arihia te Wehenga	Pukeuha C.
221	Patena and others (by their solicitors and agents, Earl and Kent)	Ohura South F No. 2c.
222	Te Matawhati Hoani and others	Tamahere, Lot 143.

APPLICATION TO DETERMINE RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
966	Te Rangihaeata Pirihita, Koroheke te Rangihaeata, Waikawhia te Rangikaharuru, and Te Whata Karaka	Orahiri Q.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 48 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
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These applications will be heard on or after the 11th day of April, 1910:—

ADJOURNED APPLICATION.

967 | Wiremu Tuapokai Huihi | Ngaputiputi Pahere.

NEW APPLICATIONS.

968 | Hori Hapukena | Tahuri Hori.
 969 | Edward Charles Falwasser (Teri Porota) | Peti Hineru.
 970 | W. Morgan Bankart and John Swann | Alice Jane Kendall.
 971 | Te Moerua Natanahira (by his agent, John Ormsby) | Rangimurua Natanahiri.
 972 | Kahutoi Rangiamohia (by his agent, John Ormsby) | Rangiamohia te Rohutu.
 973 | Rawiri Heneri | Pohe Raimuha.
 974 | Kahuketi te Rana | Te Marae Rongomatane.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
975	George Stockman	Rangitoto-Tuhua	Application for the inclusion of the name of Korota Tamihana in the order for the said land.
976	Te Ata Whakarake, Hori Paamu, Meteria Mokara, Whakarake, Turi Kahukarewao, and Tangatakinu Miriama	Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 1 and 2 (Pukuweka)	Application for the inclusion of their names in the orders for the said lands.
977	Te Hinureina Enoka	Awaroa A No. 4 and Awaroa A No. 10	Application to ascertain the reason of the shortage of area in Awaroa A No. 10.
978	Parete Rama Aranui and others	Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 6, 9, and 10	Application to amend the boundaries of Rangitoto-Tuhua Nos. 6, 9, and 10 as originally set out by the Native Land Court.
NEW APPLICATION.			
979	Arapeta Omipi	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 64 (Kaingaika)	For inclusion of certain names in the title to the said land.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTIONS 39 AND 40 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," FOR AMENDMENT OF BOUNDARIES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
980	Te Aka Pairama and others	Karuotewhenua B No. 2B, B No. 3, and No. 5c	Application for alteration of boundaries.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land proposed to be exchanged.
981	Mere te Wai Ruihi	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 64.
	Hone Taonui Ruihi	Orabiri No. 2, Section 6B.)
982	Hone Taonui Ruihi	Otorohanga No. 3A.)
	Mere te Wai Ruihi	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 64.
983	Hone Taonui Ruihi	Otorohanga 4B No. 1.
	Mere te Wai Ruihi	Te Kuiti No. 2B.
984	Hori Ngatai Ruihi	Otorohanga No. 4B1.
	The Governor	Karuotewhenua 3C No. 1.
985	Turanga Ratimera	Karuotewhenua No. 3D, Section 3.
	The Governor	Section 1, Block VII, Otanake Survey District.
985A	Pepene Eketone	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35G, Section 3.
	Raita Hiriko (Raita Wiari)	Reureu No. 3.
	Powhiri Waruru	Reureu No. 1.

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF SURVEY LIEN UNDER SECTION 55 OF "THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATION.		
986	Whare Hotu (Wharemahihi Hotu)	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 28B, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16, and 17.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area.			District.		
			A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
987	Preston Chambers	Ouruwhere No. 3U	208	0	0	6	15	6
988	Preston Chambers	Tokanui C No. 1B	178	0	4	3	6	3
989	Alfred Waimate Cheal	Kakepuku No. 11C, Section 2B	301	0	14	12	13	11
990	Alfred Waimate Cheal	Kakepuku No. 9B, Section 3	226	2	0	23	16	6
991	Preston Chambers	Ouruwhere No. 3M	88	2	0	6	17	3
992	Alfred Waimate Cheal	Kakepuku No. 9B, Section 2D	190	1	0	34	9	1
993	Richard Coles Jordan	Kinohaku East No. 1B, Section 4B No. 2	236	2	0	30	14	11
994	Richard Coles Jordan	Pukeroa-Hangatiki 4D No. 2	723	0	14	45	16	2
995	Richard Coles Jordan	Pukenui 2D No. 7A	51	2	12	7	19	6
996	Richard Coles Jordan	Pukenui 2D No. 7B	442	0	0	14	6	0
997	Richard Coles Jordan	Kinohaku East No. 1B, Section 4B No. 4	236	2	0	20	7	7
998	Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland District	Mahoenui No. 2, Section 4 .. .. .	..	..	..	11	0	10

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 65 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," THAT A DEFINED PORTION OF LAND MAY BE VESTED IN APPLICANT, IN LIEU OF SURVEY COSTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount due.		
			£	s.	d.
999	John William Harrison	Rangitoto A ³ No. 15 .. .. .	..	..	34 19 3
1000	John William Harrison	Rangitoto A ⁴ No. 21 .. .. .	..	..	83 16 9
1001	John William Harrison	Rangitoto A ⁵ No. 35 .. .. .	..	..	35 7 0
1002	John William Harrison	Rangitoto A No. 38 .. .. .	..	..	47 0 10
1003	John William Harrison	Rangitoto A No. 39 .. .. .	..	..	36 0 8
1104	John William Harrison	Rangitoto A No. 45 .. .. .	..	..	62 2 6
1005	John William Harrison	Rangitoto A No. 46 .. .. .	..	..	111 3 2
1006	John William Harrison	Rangitoto A No. 47 .. .. .	..	..	36 12 7
1007	John William Harrison	Rangitoto A No. 48 .. .. .	..	..	121 18 4
1008	John William Harrison	Rangitoto A No. 50 .. .. .	..	..	66 2 5
1009	John William Harrison	Rangitoto A No. 57 .. .. .	..	..	27 7 6
1010	John William Harrison	Rangitoto A No. 64 .. .. .	..	..	80 10 1
1011	John William Harrison	Rangitoto A No. 66 .. .. .	..	..	15 3 2
1012	John William Harrison (for Harrison and Lerner)	Wharepuhunga No. 5 .. .. .	..	..	42 6 5
1013	John William Harrison (for Harrison and Lerner)	Wharepuhunga No. 7 .. .. .	..	..	41 5 6
1114	John William Harrison (for Harrison and Lerner)	Wharepuhunga No. 9 .. .. .	..	..	32 11 3
1015	John William Harrison (for Harrison and Lerner)	Wharepuhunga No. 11 .. .. .	..	..	16 4 3
1016	John William Harrison (for Harrison and Lerner)	Wharepuhunga No. 12 .. .. .	..	..	52 7 1
1017	John William Harrison (for Harrison and Lerner)	Wharepuhunga No. 14 .. .. .	..	..	123 9 1
1018	John William Harrison (for Harrison and Lerner)	Pukeroa-Hangatiki No. 3A .. .. .	..	..	8 7 8
1019	John William Harrison	Pukeroa-Hangatiki No. 3B .. .. .	..	..	11 12 2
1020	John William Harrison	Rangitoto A No. 2 .. .. .	..	..	66 16 6

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 65 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894"—*continued.*

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount due.
1021	Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland District	Te Kuiti No. 2A	£ s. d. 11 10 0
1022	Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland District	Mahoenui No. 2, Section 4	11 0 10
1023	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland District	Kinohaku East No. 1B, Section 4B No. 1	1 1 2
1024	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland District	Kinohaku East No. 1B, Section 4B No. 2	4 4 9
1025	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland District	Kinohaku East No. 1B, Section 4B No. 3	3 3 9
1026	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland District	Kinohaku East No. 1B, Section 4B No. 4	4 4 9
1027	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland District	Kinohaku East No. 1B, Section 4B No. 5	8 9 3
1028	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland District	Kinohaku East No. 1B, Section 4B No. 7	3 3 7
1029	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland District	Kinohaku East No. 1B, Section 4B No. 8	9 10 8

APPLICATION TO THE COURT TO ALLOCATE THE EXCESS OF AREA FOUND ON RE-SURVEY.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1030	Hesketh and Richmond, solicitors	Mangaroa B Nos. 2A, 2B, 2C, 2D, and 1E.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 69 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," TO ORDER AND DECLARE LAND TO BE SUBJECT TO RIGHT OF PRIVATE ROAD.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1031	R. Mainwaring (agent for Mere Tori Hori Keeti, Martha Kenny, and H. Farmer)	Pokuru Nos. 3F, 3G, and 3H.
1032	E. H. Hardy (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Pukenui No. 2W.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTIONS 108 AND 109 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894," FOR PAYMENT OF MONEYS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount claimed.
1033	Hiri Wetere Kereti	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 58	£117 14s. 11d.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTIONS 108 AND 109 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Minor.	Nature of Application.
1034	Falwasser, Thorp, and Co. (for Kawe Hone Wirihana)	Kawe Hone Wirihana	Application for an order for payment by the Public Trustee of the sum of £129 10s.

APPLICATIONS TO CONSTITUTE OWNERS A BODY CORPORATE AND APPOINT A COMMITTEE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTIONS 122, 123, AND 124 OF "THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894."

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area.	District.
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ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	A.	R.	P.	District.
1035	Patupatu Keepa, Te Huiā Kingi, and Pepene Eketone	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 66 (Ngapuketurua)	34,963	0	0	Otorohanga.
1036	Waitarere Hoani, Porutu Patupatu, Mokena Patupatu, Tiki Hari, and Pepene Eketone	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 66 (Ngapuketurua)	34,963	0	0	Otorohanga.
1037	Te Riri Patene (Arekahanara Rira Patene)	Lot 66A No. 4, Parish of Waipa	929	0	0	Waikato.
1038	Tewi Eketone, Tahiwī Aranui, Hotukopa te Kanawa, Tawhiwhi te Kanawa, Waimapuna Moeroa, Te Huiatahi Parearohi, and Parearohi te Kawana	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 66 (Ngapuketurua)	34,963	0	0	Otorohanga.
1039	Hone te Anga, Wiri Karihi, Takere Hone, Piripi Herangi, Nepe Tipa, Ngawaero te Koko, Meri Kahu Kawhena, Te Waiata Wiri, Te Whakarawe te Uruhoru, and Pouaka te Amotahi	Kakepuku No. 9B, Section 5	200	0	0	Kawhia.
1040	Te Tahiwī Aranui, Parearohi te Kanana, Tutunui te Kawana, Moe Omipi, Paretekawa Aranui, Tewi Eketone, Te Tahiwī Omipi, Moe Aranui, and Mangamanga te Kawana	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 6	227	0	0	Rohe Potae.

Sitting of the Native Appellate Court at Te Araroa.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 9th March, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Appellate Court will be held at Te Araroa on the 14th day of April, 1910, to hear and determine the several appeals against the decisions of the Native Land Court set forth in the Schedule hereto. All persons interested in the said appeals are hereby notified to attend at the time and place aforesaid.

[Gisborne, 1910-6.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPEALS AGAINST DECISIONS OF THE NATIVE LAND COURT.

No.	Name of Appellant.	Name of Land.	Decision in respect of which Appeal is made.
1	Himiona Apanui	Marangairoa No. 2	Decision, dated the 13th day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
2	Hera Wahakai	Marangairoa No. 2	Decision, dated the 13th day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
3	Pita Pokia and Maaka Paweheru	Marangairoa No. 1A (Whakararanui)	Decision, dated the 23rd day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
4	Emere Turangi	Marangairoa No. 1A (Whakararanui)	Decision dated the 23rd day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
5	Manahi Parapara	Marangairoa No. 1A (Whakararanui)	Decision, dated the 23rd day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
6	Hatiwira Houkamau	Marangairoa No. 1B (Horoera)	Decision, dated the 16th day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
7	Hona Wikitapu and others	Marangairoa No. 1B (Horoera)	Decision, dated the 16th day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
8	Hakaraia Pahewa	Marangairoa No. 1B (Horoera)	Decision, dated the 16th day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
9	Hakaraia Mauheni	Marangairoa No. 1B (Horoera)	Decision, dated the 16th day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
10	Waiariki Ropiha	Marangairoa No. 1B (Horoera)	Decision, dated the 16th day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
11	Henare te Rangimatanuku (by his agent, Hori Mahue)	Marangairoa No. 1B (Horoera)	Decision, dated the 16th day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
12	Tuhaka Kohere	Marangairoa No. 1B (Horoera)	Decision, dated the 16th day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
13	Paratene Ngata (agent for the descendants of Te Aotahi, a descendant of Kopuni)	Marangairoa No. 1B (Horoera)	Decision, dated the 16th day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
14	Paratene Ngata (for the descendants of Karuai)	Marangairoa No. 1B (Horoera)	Decision, dated the 16th day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
15	Himiona Apanui	Marangairoa No. 1B (Horoera)	Decision, dated the 16th day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
16	Te Harawira Huriwai	Marangairoa No. 1B (Horoera)	Decision, dated the 16th day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
17	Ema Tiakitai	Marangairoa No. 1B (Horoera)	Decision, dated the 16th day of June, 1908, upon investigation of title.
18	Apikara Ngatakitaki and others	Wharekahika	Decision dated the 20th day of March, 1909.
19	Hohepa Karapaina	Wharekahika	Decision dated the 20th day of March, 1909.
20	Potene Tuhiwai	Wharekahika	Decision dated the 20th day of March, 1909.
21	Rangiherea Parapara and Peta Raerena	Wharekahika	Decision dated the 20th day of March, 1909.
22	Keeti te Ahurangi and others	Wharekahika	Decision dated the 20th day of March, 1909.
23	Turuhira Tuhiwai	Wharekahika	Decision dated the 20th day of March, 1909.
24	Hatiwira Houkamau and others	Wharekahika	Decision dated the 20th day of March, 1909.
25	Makere Ngarimu	Wharekahika	Decision dated the 20th day of March, 1909.
26	Katene Ngatoko	Wharekahika	Decision dated the 20th day of March, 1909.
27	Horomona Teo Paipa	Wharekahika	Decision dated the 20th day of March, 1909.
28	Hata Potatau Tipene and others	Wharekahika	Decision dated the 20th day of March, 1909.
29	Mita Haane	Tapatu	Decision dated the 14th day of April, 1909.
30	Rangiherea Parapara and others	Tapatu	Decision dated the 14th day of April, 1909.
31	Henare Mahuika	Tapatu	Decision dated the 14th day of April, 1909.
32	Popata Pariohe and others	Tapatu	Decision dated the 14th day of April, 1909.
33	Wiremu Arapata	Tapatu	Decision dated the 14th day of April, 1909.
34	Heni Pahau	Tapatu	Decision dated the 14th day of April, 1909.
35	Hatara Matehe	Tapatu	Decision dated the 14th day of April, 1909.

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

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

In the matter of an application by Ihimaera Mihipo and Paura Mihipo, under section 39 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for rectification of succession order to Mihipou, deceased, in the Mangaiti No. 1 Block.

IT is hereby notified that the above-mentioned application has been dismissed.

As witness my hand, this 28th day of February, 1910.

JACKSON PALMER,
Chief Judge.

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

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

In the matter of an application by Rihiona te Rangiamai, under section 39 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for amendment of succession order to the interest of Miriama Heirangi, deceased, in Mangatipona West F Block.

IT is hereby notified that the above-mentioned application has been dismissed.

As witness my hand, this 22nd day of February, 1910.

JACKSON PALMER,
Chief Judge.

Petition for Incorporation by the Owners of the Puhatikotiko No. 2a1 Block.

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

In the matter of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," and its amendments, and of the petition for incorporation by the owners of the Puhatikotiko No. 2a1 Block. At a sitting of the Court held at Gisborne, before Robert Noble Jones, Judge, and Hapi Kiniba, Assessor, on Thursday, the 24th day of February, 1910.

UPON reading the petition for incorporation lodged herein, and upon hearing Harawira te Ua, for 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 Puhatikotiko No. 2a1 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 of the said block 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 Puhatikotiko No. 2a1 Block," subject to the powers, liabilities, and incidents conferred or imposed by the said Act or any amendments thereof. The said land contains 63 acres, or thereabouts, and is bounded as follows: Towards the north by Puhatikotiko Nos. 3A and 3B2, towards the east by Puhatikotiko No. 2b1, towards the south by Waikohu River, and towards the west by Puhatikotiko No. 2a2.

And it is hereby ordered and directed that a general meeting of the proprietors of the said block shall be held at the Native Land Court House, Gisborne, on Saturday, the 26th day of March, 1910, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating a committee to administer the said land, and fixing the number of its members.

And it is hereby further ordered that the committee shall have full power to defray the reasonable costs and expenses consequent upon this incorporation or incidental thereto,

and that the title to the said land hereby vested in the corporate body above named shall be subject to all existing rights, alienations, encumbrances, and contracts affecting the same or any interest therein.

In witness whereof the seal of the said Court was hereto affixed, the day and year first above written.

R. N. JONES, Judge.

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

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

In the matter of an application by Pene Heihi, under section 39 of "The Native Land Court Act, 1894," for rectification of succession order to Rina Ruku, now deceased, in the Tapuaeroa 1b2 Block, dated the 26th March, 1902.

WHEREAS the above-mentioned application has been referred to the Court for inquiry and report: And whereas the same has been reported upon: And whereas it has been found that an error has been made: And whereas it has been found that Rina Ruku and Rina Matekino were not the one and the same person, as Rina Matekino is not an owner in the above-mentioned block, and that Rina Ruku was not dead at the time the succession order of the 26th March, 1902, was made: Now, therefore, for the purpose of rectifying the said error, and in exercise of the powers vested in me by section 39 aforesaid, it is hereby ordered that the succession order made on the 26th March, 1902, to the interest of Rina Ruku, *alias* Rina Matekino, deceased, is hereby cancelled.

As witness my hand, this 1st day of March, 1910.

JACKSON PALMER,
Chief Judge.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Tokerau District Maori Land Board.

Auckland, 5th March, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Tokerau District Maori Land Board to be held at Auckland on Wednesday, the 23rd day of March, 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

G. DEAN PITT, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT TO LEASE.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors
38	T. 1910/22	Gordon Mackay (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Otara	Ihapera Ngawiki and others.
39	T. 1910/24	George H. Smith	Nukuroa No. 2 (part of)	.. .. .
40	T. 1910/25	James Coleman (by his solicitors, Russell and Campbell)	Pukepoto C.No. 5c	Kaimahi Apetera and others.
41	T. 1910/26	Andrew Alexander Wilson and another (by their solicitors, Parr and Blomfield)	Maunu 1E No. 3A South	.. Hemara Tawaewas and others.
42	T. 1910/27	George Frederick Dickeson (by his solicitors, Reed and Miller)	Taumaharau A	Pene Tau.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
43	Conveyance	26th July, 1877	Ihumatao No. 3	Te Hakuene te Ratu to Thomas W. Deacon, of Riverhead.
44	Transfer	21st February, 1910	Whaititiri 12M No. 2c	Meretiana Pute, of Pakotai, to Matthew Watson Armstrong, of Whangarei.

Sitting of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board at Rotorua.

Waiariki Maori Land Board Office, Rotorua, 28th February, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board will be held at Rotorua on the 29th day of March, 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by me, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

JAS. W. BROWNE, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT TO LEASE.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant,	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.				
1	W. 1907/32	John and James Dalbeth (by their agent, A. A. Yates)	Kaitao No. 2A .. ..	..
2	W. 1908/15	Robert King	Otairoa No. 3c .. ..	..
3	W. 1908/19	Robert King	Te Takapu-o-te-Waharoa No. 3 ..	..
4	W. 1908/43	Charles King McNicol	Pukehina M (part) .. ..	..
5	W. 1908/44	Mereana Kereitana	Te Puke No. 2A (part) .. ..	..
6	W. 1908/73	Henry S. C. Morrison (by his trustee, William Morrison)	Ongaonga No. 1 .. ..	..
7	W. 1908/80	John Barton (by his solicitor, W. A. Carter)	Te Puke No. 2c, Nos. 1, 2, and 3	Takaanini Hohaja Tarakawa and others.
8	W. 1908/83	Caleb Lally (by his solicitor, O. J. Hodge)	Te Puke 2A No. 3A .. ..	..
9	W. 1909/3	Hugh Graham (by his agent, A. A. Yates)	Maungarangi No. 1J .. ..	..
10	W. 1909/4	Hugh Graham (by his agent, A. A. Yates)	Maungarangi No. 1G .. ..	..
11	W. 1909/5	Hugh Graham (by his agent, A. A. Yates)	Maungarangi No. 1L .. ..	..
12	W. 1909/6	Hugh Graham (by his agent, A. A. Yates)	Maungarangi No. 1M .. ..	..
13	W. 1909/7	Hugh Graham (by his agent, A. A. Yates)	Maungarangi No. 1N .. ..	..
14	W. 1909/8	Hugh Graham (by his agent, A. A. Yates)	Maungarangi No. 1R .. ..	..
15	W. 1909/9	Hugh Graham (by his agent, A. A. Yates)	Maungarangi No. 1T .. ..	..
16	W. 1909/10	Hugh Graham (by his agent, A. A. Yates)	Maungarangi No. 5 .. ..	..
17	W. 1909/11	Hugh Graham (by his agent, A. A. Yates)	Maungarangi No. 7B .. ..	..
18	W. 1909/12	Hugh Graham (by his agent, A. A. Yates)	Maungarangi No. 1E .. ..	..
19	W. 1909/13	Hugh Graham (by his agent, A. A. Yates)	Maungarangi No. 7c .. ..	..
20	W. 1909/14	Hugh Graham (by his agent, A. A. Yates)	Maungarangi No. 3A .. ..	..
21	W. 1909/15	Hugh Graham (by his agent, A. A. Yates)	Maungarangi No. 2B .. ..	..
22	W. 1909/23	Robert Elliott Grieve (by his agent, T. M. Lawson)	Section 64, Parish of Matata ..	..
23	W. 1909/25	Frederick de Luen (by his solicitors, Earl and Kent)	Part of Lot 32j, Parish of Rangitai	Tamihana te Puru and others.
24	W. 1909/52	E. G. Cruickshank (by his solicitor, O. J. Hodge)	Pukaingataru B No. 10, Section 1	..
25	W. 1909/53	E. G. Cruickshank (by his solicitor, O. J. Hodge)	Pukaingataru B No. 10, Section 2	..
26	W. 1909/54	E. G. Cruickshank (by his solicitor, O. J. Hodge)	Pukaingataru B No. 10, Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7	..
27	W. 1909/62	Frank Summers (by his solicitor, W. A. Carter)	Lot 32c, Parish of Rangitai ..	..
NEW APPLICATIONS.				
28	W. 1909/67	C. R. Vercoe (by his solicitor, O. J. Hodge)	Ngatipahiko B No. 3c No. 1 ..	..
29	W. 1909/70	J. H. Fowler (by his solicitor, H. Phillipps)	Te Puke No. 1D (part)	Katerina te Atirau and another.
30	W. 1909/73	Charles Rogers (by his solicitor, O. J. Hodge)	Pukaingataru, Section 14 .. ..	..
31	W. 1909/74	Charles Rogers (by his solicitor, O. J. Hodge)	Pukaingataru, Section 15 .. ..	..
32	W. 1909/76	Robert H. Foley	Section 23, Parish of Tahawai ..	..
33	W. 1910/1	Mary Ann Lockington (by her solicitors, Rhodes and Hampson)	Section 23, Parish of Tahawai ..	Tawaha.
34	W. 1910/5	James Paterson (by his solicitor, O. J. Hodge)	Karangi A, Section 1 .. ..	..
35	W. 1910/6	William Rowe (by his solicitor, O. J. Hodge)	Kaitimako No. 1 .. ..	..
36	W. 1910/7	William Rowe (by his solicitor, O. J. Hodge)	Kaitimako No. 2 .. ..	..
37	W. 1910/8	William Rowe (by his solicitor, O. J. Hodge)	Kaitimako No. 3 .. ..	..

APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT TO LEASE—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.
<i>NEW APPLICATIONS—continued.</i>				
38	W. 1910/9	Walter Alexandre and Hare Renata (by their solicitors, Rhodes and Hampson)	Tarewa No. 3 (part) ..	Hare Renata.
39	W. 1910/10	Austin Loder (by his solicitors, Buddle, Button, and Co.)	Hikutawatawa No. 1 ..	Heni Rawhiri.
40	W. 1910/13	John A. Brown (by his solicitor, O. J. Hodge)	Ngatipahiko B No. 3c No. 11 ..	..
41	W. 1910/16	T. J. Walker and W. T. Carr (by their solicitor, G. Urquhart)	Paeroa East No. 4B No. 2E (part)	Rangikaawatea and others.

APPLICATIONS FOR ISSUE OF RECOMMENDATIONS UNDER SECTION 15 (b) OF "THE MAORI LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1908," TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR TO PERMIT OF LEASE.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Maori Lessors.
<i>ADJOURNED APPLICATION.</i>				
42	W. 1909/44	D. Landon and Natives (by their solicitor, G. Urquhart)	Okoheriki 2d No. 3 (part) ..	Honatana Patene and another.
<i>NEW APPLICATION.</i>				
43	W. 1910/14	William Hickey and Natives (by their solicitor, G. Urquhart)	Rotomahana-Parekarangi No. 3A, Section 3B No. 2	Hurihanganui Ngarimu and others.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
<i>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.</i>				
44	W. 1906/52	Alfred Washer (by his solicitor, H. A. Sharp)	Te Puke No. 2c, Nos. 1, 2, and 3 ..	Sale.
45	W. 1908/37	Te Reiwhati	Kaikokopu No. 2B	Sale.
46	W. 1909/50	Te Mataika and others (by their solicitor, R. M. Tolhurst)	Parish of Rangitaiki, Lot 38A, Sections 3A and 3B	Mortgage.
47	W. 1909/51	Robert Henry Hooper (by his solicitors, Jackson and Russell)	Allotments 259, 262, and 294, Parish of Waimana	Sale.
<i>NEW APPLICATIONS.</i>				
48	W. 1909/68	Robert King (by his solicitors, Neumegen and Mowlem)	Rauotehuia B No. 3	Sale.
49	W. 1909/69	Robert King (by his solicitors, Neumegen and Mowlem)	Rauotehuia B (part)	Sale.
50	W. 1909/71	Maringi Maraea and another	Otawa No. 1B	Sale.
51	W. 1909/72	Te Matau Pineaha	Rangiuru No. 1A	Sale.
52	W. 1910/2	Taake Tunui and another (by their solicitors, Parr and Blomfield)	Sections 12B and 13, Town of Whakatane	Sale.
53	W. 1910/3	Wharewera Kaperiere (by his solicitors, Parr and Blomfield)	Allotment 237, Parish of Waimana	Sale.
54	W. 1910/11	Austin Loder (by his solicitors, Buddle, Button, and Co.)	Hikutawatawa No. 1	Sale.
55	W. 1910/12	Hare Ratete	Rauotehuia (part)	Sale or other disposition.
56	W. 1910/15	William Rogers	Rauotehuia B No. 3	Sale.

APPLICATIONS 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.
<i>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.</i>					
57	W. 1909/2	Transfer ..	22nd December, 1908	Lot 214, Parish of Te Puna	Mere Taka to Herbert Pasquale Clarke.
58	W. 1909/22	Conveyance ..	20th February, 1909..	Allotment 256, Town of Richmond	Mita Tahoka to William Cleveland Savage.
<i>NEW APPLICATION.</i>					
59	W. 1910/4	Transfer of lease	16th November, 1909	Orete G	Clara Walker to John Callaghan.

Maori Lands open for Sale and Lease, and Timber-cutting Rights on Maori Lands for Sale.

Wellington, 22nd February, 1910.

MAORI lands open for sale and lease, and timber-cutting rights on Maori lands for sale by public tender. Tenders close between 15th and 23rd March, 1910.

- A. 1,984 acres for sale, in one lot.
- B. 1,771 acres for sale, in seven lots.
- C. 1,726 acres for lease, in seven lots.
- D. 1,348 acres for lease, in three lots.
- E. 4,362 acres for lease, in seventeen lots.
- F. 13,507 acres for lease, in forty-three lots.
- G. 60,439,294 sup. ft. milling-timber (Motatau No. 2 Block, Bay of Islands District) for sale, in one lot.
- H. 10,662,541 sup. ft. milling-timber (Te Karae Block, Hokianga District) for sale, in one lot.

For information apply as under:—

- A. Ikaroa Maori Land Board, Wellington.
- B and C. Maniapoto-Tuwharetoa Maori Land Board, Auckland.
- D. Aotea Maori Land Board, Wanganui.
- E. Waiariki Maori Land Board, Rotorua.
- F, G, and H. Tokerau Maori Land Board, Auckland.

Or general information may be obtained at the office of the Native Department, Government Buildings, Wellington.

THOS. W. FISHER,
Under-Secretary.

Sections in Native Townships for Lease by Public Tender.

Gisborne, 5th March, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at the office of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board, at Gisborne, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 20th day of April, 1910, for leases of the undermentioned sections in the Townships of Tuatini, Waipiro, and Te Araroa. Term of lease, twenty-one years, with right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years, under the provisions of "The Native Townships Act, 1895," and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Minimum Annual Upset Rental.
TOWNSHIP OF TUATINI.—WAIAPU COUNTY.			
3	IX	A. R. P. 2 1 22	£ s. d. 4 0 0
TOWNSHIP OF WAIPIRO.—WAIAPU COUNTY.			
14	III	5 0 17	2 2 0
15*	III	6 1 7	3 4 0
16†	III	7 1 25	3 0 0
TOWNSHIP OF TE ARAROA.—WAIAPU COUNTY.			
1	..	5 0 33	0 10 0
2	..	9 3 25	1 0 0
3	..	4 2 23	0 10 6
4	..	10 0 0	1 0 0
5	..	10 0 0	1 0 0
6	..	10 0 0	1 0 0
7	..	8 3 19	1 0 0
8	..	4 2 23	0 10 6
9	..	9 2 3	1 0 0
10	..	4 3 1	0 12 6
12	..	10 0 0	1 5 0
13	..	10 0 0	1 5 0
51	..	0 1 0	1 0 0
52	..	0 1 0	1 0 0

* Load-d with £31 ls., for fencing and grassing † Loaded with £12, for fencing and grassing.

Maps and full particulars may be obtained on application at the Board's office.

ALEX. KEEFER,
President, Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES HENRY McMASTERS, of Towai, Settler, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 11th March, 1910, at 11 a.m.

E. GÉRARD,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 3rd March, 1910.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Gisborne.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM ROGERS, of Parihimanihi, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 9th day of March, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock.

JOHN COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Gisborne, 28th February, 1910.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Gisborne.

NOTICE is hereby given that PATRICK JOHN HOFEN, of Gisborne, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 7th day of March, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock.

JOHN COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Gisborne, 28th February, 1910.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of MASON BROS., of Hastings, Motor Engineers.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first dividend, of 4s. in the pound, is now payable on all proved accepted claims in this estate.

Promissory notes to be produced for indorsement.

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

Napier, 1st March, 1910.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Palmerston North.

NOTICE is hereby given that ANDREW WYND, of Foxton, Engine-driver, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 18th day of February, 1910, at 11 o'clock a.m.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Palmerston North, 10th February, 1910.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Masterton.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM JAMES PATRICK, of Rakaunui, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Masterton, on Monday, the 14th day of March 1910, at 12 o'clock noon.

W. B. CHENNELLS,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Masterton, 28th February, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM EDWIN BATEMAN, of Tawa Flat, Cabinetmaker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, Public Trust Buildings, on Friday, the 11th day of March, 1910, at 11 o'clock a.m.

ALEXR. SIMPSON,
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 2nd March, 1910.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Nelson.

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES HARRIS, formerly of Motueka, but now of Nelson, Butcher, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 11th day of March, 1910, at 3 o'clock.

W. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

1st March, 1910.

MINING NOTICES.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Riley's Revival Gold-dredging Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 27th April, 1907.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; Charles S. Reeves.
Nominal capital: £3,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £2,350.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,350.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £650 for claim.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £650 for claim.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 3,000.
Number of shares allotted: 3,000.
Amount paid per share: £1.
Amount called up per share: £1.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 28.
Present number of shareholders: 31.
Number of men employed by company: 8.
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 749 oz. 7 dwt. 15 gr.; £2,979 12s. 6d.
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 1,682 oz. 4 dwt. 18 gr.; £6,575 5s. 10d.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £3,689 19s. 8d.
Total expenditure since registration: £9,919 1s. 5d.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
Amount of cash at banker's and on deposit: Nil.
Amount of cash in hand: £1 18s. 4d.
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
Amount of debts owing by company: £1,014 4s. 8d.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Charles S. Reeves, Secretary of Riley's Revival Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1909; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1908."

CHAS. S. REEVES,
Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 14th day of February, 1910,
before me—Alec. Burt, J.P. 229

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Enterprise Gold-dredging Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 24th August, 1891.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; Charles S. Reeves.
Nominal capital: £7,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £7,000.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,500.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £7,000; £3,500.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £3,500.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 7,000.
Number of shares allotted: 7,000.
Amount paid per share: £1.
Amount called up per share: £1.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 14.
Present number of shareholders: 131.
Number of men employed by company: 8.
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 776 oz. 14 dwt. 13 gr.; £3,020 10s. 9d.
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 21,524 oz. 16 dwt. 4 gr.; £83,386 2s. 11d.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £2,842 1s. 8d.
Total expenditure since registration: £58,574 1s. 2d.
Total amount of dividends declared: £26,887.
Total amount of dividends paid: £26,884 10s.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: £2 10s.
Amount of cash at banker's and on deposit: £723 10s. 5d.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
Amount of debts owing by company: £117 8s. 3d.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Charles S. Reeves, Secretary of the Enterprise Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1909; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1908."

CHAS. S. REEVES,
Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 14th day of February, 1910,
before me—Alec. Burt, J.P. 230

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Four-in-Hand Gold-mining Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 4th June, 1909.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Tyrone Buildings, Customs Street East, Auckland; R. A. Aickin.
Nominal capital: £20,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £17,971 8s.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,742 17s.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £3,500; nil.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £3,500.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 100,000.
Number of shares allotted: 89,857.
Amount paid per share: 2s. on 35,000; 1s. on 54,857.
Amount called up per share: 2s. on 35,000; 1s. on 54,857.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 66.
Present number of shareholders: 78.
Number of men employed by company: 9.
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 28 oz. 6 dwt. gold; £83 2s. 6d.
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: £83 2s. 6d.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £1,298 15s. 9d.
Total expenditure since registration: £1,298 15s. 9d.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
Amount of cash at banker's: £181 2s. 9d.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
Amount of cash on deposit bearing interest, repayable on demand: £600.
Amount of debts directly due to company: £27 0s. 5d.
Amount of debts considered good: £27 0s. 5d.
Amount of debts owing by company: £105 0s. 10d.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Reginald Arthur Aickin, of Auckland, Secretary of the Four-in-Hand Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1909; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously

believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1908."

REGINALD A. AICKIN,
Secretary.

Declared at Auckland, this 16th day of February, 1910,
before me—S. D. Hanna, J.P. 231

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Masterton Gold-dredging Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 6th January, 1904.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; W. E. C. Reid.
Nominal capital: £5,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £5,000.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,500.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £3,500.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,500.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 5,000.
Number of shares allotted: 5,000.
Amount paid per share: £1.
Amount called up per share: £1.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.
Present number of shareholders: 80.
Number of men employed by company: Average, 8.
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 1,699 oz. 8 dwt. 8 gr.; £6,704 19s. 10d.
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 11,945 oz. 3 dwt.; £47,080 3s.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £3,001 11s. 5d.
Total expenditure since registration: £21,413 10s.
Total amount of dividends declared: £23,500.
Total amount of dividends paid: £28,500.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
Amount of cash at banker's: £266 13s.; deposit, £400.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
Amount of debts owing by company: Nil.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, William Edwin Charles Reid, Secretary of the Masterton Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1909; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1908."

W. E. C. REID,
Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 23rd day of February, 1910,
before me—J. MacGregor, J.P. 232

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Tangiaro Gold-mining Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 19th October, 1907.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Hobson Buildings, Shortland Street, Auckland; L. G. Murray.
Nominal capital: £11,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £11,000.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,479 18s. 9d.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 110,000.
Number of shares allotted: 110,000.
Amount paid per share: 110,000 paid up to 1s. 1d.
Amount called up per share; 1s. 1d. on 50,000; 7d. on 30,000; 1d. on 30,000.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: 1; £55 1s. 11d.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: 14,958; £3 9s. 2d.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 45.

Present number of shareholders: 193.
Number of men employed by company: 6.
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Nil.
Total quantity and value of gold or silver produced since registration: Nil.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £1,231 11s. 7d.
Total expenditure since registration: £3,467 7s. 5d.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
Amount of cash at banker's: £178 7s. 3d.
Amount of cash in hand: £10 1s. 5d.
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
Amount of debts owing by company: £4 16s. 5d.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Leslie Gordon Murray, of Auckland, Secretary of the Tangiaro Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1909; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1908."

L. G. MURRAY,
Secretary.

Declared at Auckland, this 17th day of February, 1910,
before me—S. D. Hanna, J.P. 243

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Molyneux Hydraulic Gold-dredging Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 25th May, 1900.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Tarbert Street, Alexandra South; John Rivers.
Nominal capital: £6,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £5,896.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £5,896.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £5,896.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 6,000.
Number of shares allotted: 5,896.
Amount paid per share: £1.
Amount called up per share: £1.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 95.
Present number of shareholders: 86.
Number of men employed by company: 7.
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 737 oz. 9 dwt. 15 gr.; £2,854 0s. 4d.
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 8,200 oz. 16 dwt. 16 gr.; £31,490 5s. 10d.; and 3,238 oz. 2 dwt. 14 gr. (£12,523 19s. 11d.) by old company previous to re-registration.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £2,667 19s. 5d.
Total expenditure since registration: £28,583 2s. 11d.; and £20,044 11s. by old company previous to re-registration.
Total amount of dividends declared: £3,685; and £3,095 15s. by old company previous to re-registration.
Total amount of dividends paid: £3,685; and £3,095 15s. by old company previous to re-registration.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
Amount of cash at banker's: £200 15s. 10d.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
Amount of debts owing by company: £127 11s. 1d.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, John Rivers, of Alexandra South, the Legal Manager of the Molyneux Hydraulic Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1909; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1908."

JOHN RIVERS,
Manager.

Declared at Alexandra, this 3rd day of March, 1910, before me—Henry Schaumann, J.P. 245

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: South Waikaiti Dredging Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 9th November, 1907.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; James Archibald Sligo.
 Nominal capital: £5,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £5,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £4,300.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 5,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 5,000.
 Amount paid per share: £1.
 Amount called up per share: £1.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 42.
 Present number of shareholders: 51.
 Number of men employed by company: 7.
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 523 oz. 12 dwt. 4 gr.; £2,055 4s. 5d.
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 711 oz. 15 dwt.; £2,782 6s. 2d.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £2,466 2s. 11d.
 Total expenditure since registration: £6,578 11s. 5d.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at banker's: £145 19s. 9d.
 Amount of cash in hand: £4 5s.
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of debts owing by company: £222 0s. 9d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): £100.

I, James Archibald Sligo, Secretary of the South Waikaiti Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1909; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1908."

J. A. SLIGO,
Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 1st day of March, 1910, before me—A. Tapper, J.P. 246

ALLEN'S HYDRAULIC SLUICING COMPANY (LIMITED).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company held on the 10th February, 1910, the following special resolution was duly passed, and was confirmed at a meeting held for that purpose on the 25th of the same month: "That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the company's claim cannot be worked with advantage to the shareholders, and that it is advisable to wind up the company, and accordingly that the same be wound up voluntarily; also that WILLIAM THOMAS MONKMAN, of Dunedin, Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

JOHN BEESON,
Chairman. 233

Dunedin, 25th February, 1910.

THE RESOLUTION BAY ANTIMONY PROSPECTING COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

A MEETING of shareholders of the above company will be held at the office of Messrs. Griffiths and Son, High Street, Blenheim, on the 14th day of March, 1910, at the hour of 4 o'clock p.m., to receive an account showing the manner in which the winding-up of the company has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of; also to determine the manner in which the books and documents of the company are to be disposed of.

234 E. J. HARVEY, Liquidator.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908"; and in the matter of the Waihi-Paeroa Gold Extraction Company (Limited), being a company duly incorporated as a "private company" under the said Act.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 22nd day of February, 1910, the undernoted special resolutions were duly passed by the Waihi-Paeroa Gold Extraction Company (Limited) pursuant to subsection (6) of section 168 of "The Companies Act, 1908."

RESOLUTIONS.

1. That the Waihi-Paeroa Gold Extraction Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily.
2. That PERCY NICHOL KINGSWELL, Company Director, and WILLIAM WALLACE BRUCE, Accountant, both of Auckland, be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purposes of the winding-up of the said company.
3. That the whole of the business, property, and assets of the Waihi-Paeroa Gold Extraction Company (Limited), (save its uncalled capital), be sold and transferred to a new company to be formed as a public company with the same name, with a capital of £100,000, divided into 100,000 shares of £1 each, for the purpose of acquiring, *inter alia*, such business, property, and assets.
4. That the Liquidators be and they are hereby authorised to enter into an arrangement whereby the members of this company shall receive in compensation for such transfer and sale as aforesaid 60,000 fully paid-up shares in the said new company, but, nevertheless, on the footing (a) that each member of this company holding contributing shares binds himself to subscribe for and take up his *pro rata* proportion of 16,000 shares in the new company; (b) that each shareholder in this company, holding paid-up shares or contributing shares, shall have the right to subscribe for and take up such proportion of the remaining shares in the new company as shall be proportionate to his present holding of shares in this company; (c) that the new company take over and pay all the debts and liabilities of this company as on the 5th day of March, 1910; and (d) that the new company pay the costs of the liquidation and winding-up of this company.

And for these purposes to enter into and execute on behalf of this company a certain memorandum of agreement proposed to be made between this company of the first part, the said Percy Nichol Kingswell and William Wallace Bruce as Liquidators of this company of the second part, and David Whamond Duthie, of Auckland, Bank-manager, as trustee for the said new company of the third part, the draft whereof has already been approved of by the directors of this company, and has (for the purposes of indentification) been indorsed with the signature of the managing director of this company.

A. HANNA,
Solicitor for the Waihi-Paeroa Gold Extraction Company (Limited), (in liquidation). 239

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908," and the Lead of Waikaiti Sluicing Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders, duly convened and legally constituted, held in the registered office of the company on Monday, the 21st February, 1910, the following special resolution, passed at an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders, duly convened and legally constituted, held on the 24th January, 1910—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of 'The Companies Act, 1908,'" was confirmed.

Also that EDWARD TRYTHALL, of Dunedin, Accountant, was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the company.

Dated at Dunedin, this 28th day of February, 1910.

240 J. BOWDEN,
Chairman.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1908," and its amendments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

4872. GEORGE BALLARD.—Allotment 5, Suburban Section 2, Parish of Pukekohe, containing 5 acres. Occupied by Robert McCallum.

4879. ELIZABETH McDONALD.—Part of Allotment 153 and Lot 10, Subsection 3 of Allotment 170, all in

Section 10, Suburbs of Auckland, containing together 15 acres 2 roods 17 perches. Occupied by William McDonald.

4890. JOHN WISDOM SHACKELFORD. — Lot 23 and part Lots 24, 29, of Allotment 40, Parish of Titirangi, containing 1 acre 3 roods 10.5 perches. Occupied by Applicant.

4918. CHARLES STUART REECE. — Allotment 262 and part Allotments 259, 263, Town of Hamilton West, containing 2 acres and 12.2 perches. Occupied by Applicant and tenant.

4919. LAURENCE JAMES McGUIRE. — Part of Lot 3 of Lot 30B, Section 30, Parish of Onewhero, containing 121 acres. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 5th day of March, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1908," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

1195. THE NEW PLYMOUTH GAS COMPANY (LIMITED). — Part of Section 845, Town of New Plymouth, containing $\frac{7}{10}$ perch. Occupied by the Drill Hall.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 1st day of March, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

C. H. WALTER DIXON,
Assistant 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 11th day of April, 1910.

1380. TIMOTHY POWNALL. — 4 acres 2 roods, Sections 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, and 343, Township of Clive. Occupied by William Orr.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 8th day of March, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

L. PAULING,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1908," and its amendments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 11th day of April, 1910.

Application 4309. CECILIA MARGARET MOLLIER. — $7\frac{1}{10}$ perches, part of Section 371, City of Wellington. Occupied by weekly tenant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 9th day of March, 1910, 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 7th day of April, 1910.

No. 632. WALTER SCOTT. — 651 acres and 23 perches, parts of Sections 4, 50, 92, 93, 94, and 95, Block II, and parts of Section 91, Block VIII, Hundalee Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office (D.P. 489).

Dated this 5th day of March, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Blenheim.

R. STONE FLORANCE,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of "The Land Transfer Act, 1908," unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

11064. RICHARD PETER TRACEY. — 9 perches, part of Town Section 8, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicant.

11078. JOHN McNALLY. — 1 rood 34 perches, part of Rural Section 1488, Block XIII, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

11079. THOMAS KNEESHAW and PETER STAINGER. — 3 roods 30 perches, parts of Rural Section 7629, Block VIII, Selwyn Survey District. Occupied by Hugh Brown, James McKenzie, and F. Noble.

11085. HENRY SLATER RICHARDS. — 50 acres 3 roods 3 perches, Rural Section 874, Block XIV, Christchurch Survey District. Unoccupied.

11109. WILLIAM RALPH GARDNER. — 13 acres 1 rood 32 perches, parts of Rural Section 5343, 5606, and 5987, Block VII, Mairaki Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

11110. ELIZABETH HANSON. — 2 acres, Lots 1 to 5, Plan 2456, part of Rural Section 154, Block XV, Christchurch Survey District. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 8th day of March, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,
WELLINGTON DISTRICT.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908"; and in the matter of the Wellington and Manawatu Railway Company (Limited), now being wound up voluntarily.

THE creditors of the above-named company are required, on or before the 19th day of April, 1910, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any), to JOHN KIRKCALDIE and WILLIAM MOWAT HANNAY, of Wellington, New Zealand, Gentlemen, the Voluntary Liquidators of the said company; and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Voluntary Liquidators, or their solicitors, are, by their solicitors or personally, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time or place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1910.

185 D. G. A. COOPER,
Registrar.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908."

NOTICE is hereby given that the NORTH BRUNNER COAL COMPANY (LIMITED), incorporated in England, has removed its registered office or principal place of business in New Zealand from Mackay Street, Greymouth, to Number 224, Hereford Street, Christchurch, where legal process of any kind may be served upon it and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered.

Dated this 21st day of February, 1910.

212 ARTHUR P. HARPER, Attorney for the Company.

I, MICHAEL HERBERT WATT, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor in Surgery, New Zealand, 1910, and now residing at Dunedin, Otago, do hereby give notice that I intend to apply on the 28th day of March, 1910, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification at the office of the Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages.

Dated at Dunedin, 28th February, 1910.

226 MICHAEL HERBERT WATT,
M.B., Ch.B., N.Z.

I, HENRY CALDWELL TAIT, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor in Surgery, New Zealand, 1910, and now residing at Dunedin, Otago, do hereby give notice that I intend to apply on the 28th day of March, 1910, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification at the office of the Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages.

Dated at Dunedin, 28th February, 1910.

227 HENRY CALDWELL TAIT,
M.B., Ch.B., N.Z.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership between us, the undersigned, EDWARD WALTER WALDEN and JOSEPH BARTON, in the business of Architects, carried on by us in Dowling Street, Dunedin, under the style or firm of "Walden and Barton," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the day of the date hereof. The said Edward Walter Walden will continue the said business in his own name, and will receive all debts due to, and pay all debts due by, the said late firm.

Dated at Dunedin, this 1st day of March, 1910.

E. W. WALDEN.
J. BARTON.

Witness to both signatures—H. H. Inglis. 228

I, JAMES BOYD, Lic. R. Coll. Surg. Edin. 1893, Lic. R. Coll. Phys. Edin. 1893, Lic. Fac. Phy. and Surg. Glas. 1893, Mem. R. Coll. Surg. Eng. 1893, Fell. R. Coll. Surg. Edin. 1895, now residing in Auckland, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 3rd April, 1910, 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.

JAMES BOYD,
Central Hotel, Auckland.

Dated at Auckland, 3rd March, 1910. 235

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between us, the undersigned, JAMES FREDERICK BRUNDELL and PATRICK O'DRISCOLL, carrying on business as Plumbers at Princes Street, Dunedin, under the style of "Brundell and O'Driscoll," has been dissolved as from the 26th day of February, 1910.

Dated this 1st day of March, 1910.

J. F. BRUNDELL.
P. O'DRISCOLL.

Witness to both signatures—Robert W. Hills, Law Clerk, Dunedin. 237

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908"; and in the matter of the Malcolm Furnishing Company (Limited), a private company carrying on business at Palmerston N.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 1st day of March, 1910, a special resolution was duly passed by the shareholders of the above-named company, as follows:—

"That the Malcolm Furnishing Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily, and that THOMAS FORSYTH, of Wellington, Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

Dated this 1st day of March, 1910.

238 THOS. FORSYTH, Liquidator.

OHINEMURI COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Ohinemuri County Council to execute a certain public work—to wit, a stock-paddock—in the block of Native land called "Orangipirau Number 1," in the County of Ohinemuri, and for the purpose of such public work to take, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1908," and "The Public Works Amendment Act, 1909," the lands described in the Schedule hereto.

And notice is hereby given that a copy of the plan of the said lands so required to be taken is deposited in the offices of the Ohinemuri County Council, at Paeroa, in the said county, and is there open for public inspection.

And notice is hereby further given that all persons affected shall, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such lands, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Ohinemuri County Council, at its office, Belmont Road, Paeroa, and for this purpose a notice is also published in the *New Zealand Kahiti*.

SCHEDULE.

The several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Section or Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block No.	Shown on Plan marked	Coloured on Plan	Situated in the County of	Situate in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 12 2 29	Orangipirau No. 1 Block	XIII	14798	Edged pink	Ohinemuri ..	Ohinemuri.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1910.

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R. W. EVANS,
Clerk of the Ohinemuri County Council.

OHINEMURI COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Ohinemuri County Council to execute a certain work—to wit, a gravel-pit—in the block of Native land called "Orangipirau Number 1," in the County of Ohinemuri, and for the purpose of such public work to take, under the provisions of "The Public Works Act, 1908," and "The Public Works Amendment Act, 1909," the lands described in the Schedule hereto.

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Dated this 28th day of February, 1910.

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R. W. EVANS,
Clerk of the Ohinemuri County Council.

BALANCE-SHEET of the LESLIE PRESBYTERIAN ORPHANAGE BOARD, as at 31st December, 1909.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
To Capital .. .. .	.. .. .	7,999	2	6
Interest accrued .. .. .	.. .. .	80	8	3
		£8,079	10	9
Capital Account.		£	s.	d.
Dr.				
To Balance at this date .. .. .	.. .. .	7,999	2	6
		£7,999	2	6
Income and Expenditure Account.		£	s.	d.
Dr.				
To Rates and taxes, law-costs, auditors, advertising, collecting, and sundries .. .. .	.. .. .	93	18	11
Transfer to capital .. .. .	.. .. .	234	17	8
Transfer to capital, donations .. .. .	.. .. .	264	18	10
		£593	15	5
ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
By Property at Remuera .. .. .	.. .. .	1,320	0	0
Loans on mortgage .. .. .	.. .. .	4,936	0	0
Cash at call .. .. .	.. .. .	1,000	0	0
Post-Office Savings-Bank .. .. .	.. .. .	607	11	10
Bank of New Zealand (Limited) .. .. .	.. .. .	134	6	4
Cash in hands of Treasurer .. .. .	.. .. .	1	4	4
Sundry debtors .. .. .	.. .. .	80	8	3
		£8,079	10	9
Capital Account.		£	s.	d.
Cr.				
By Balance as at 31st December, 1908 .. .. .	.. .. .	7,499	6	0
Transfer from Income and Expenditure Account .. .. .	.. .. .	234	17	8
Transfer from Donations Account .. .. .	.. .. .	264	18	10
		£7,999	2	6
Income and Expenditure Account.		£	s.	d.
Cr.				
By Interest .. .. .	.. .. .	328	16	7
Donations .. .. .	.. .. .	14	18	10
Half of late E. Knox bequest, per Messrs. Buddle, Button, and Co. .. .. .	.. .. .	250	0	0
		£593	15	5

W. FRAZER,
Treasurer.

We have examined the balance-sheet and accompanying statement of Capital Account and Income and Expenditure Account, and have compared them with the books, vouchers, and securities, and certify them to correctly set forth the position of the Leslie Orphan Trust Board as at 31st December, 1909.

W. H. CHURTON, F.S.A.A., Eng.,
W. KAYLL, F.N.Z.A.A.,

242 Auditors.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between LEONARD CLOAKE and JOHN GOSLING, trading as "The Hutt Valley Carrying Company," has this day been dissolved by notice in writing.

Saturday, 7th March.
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JOHN GOSLING.

PATENT OFFICE SUPPLEMENT.

A SPECIAL Supplement to the *New Zealand Gazette* is now published fortnightly, containing all notices concerning patents and trade-marks required by law to be gazetted; also, particulars of lapsed applications for patents, expired letters patent, and other information useful to inventors, manufacturers, and others. The Supplement will be issued free to subscribers to the *Gazette*, and to others on payment of a subscription of eleven shillings per annum, including postage, payable in advance to the Government Printer.

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