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

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by "The Designation of Districts Act, 1908," and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the name of the locality now known as "West Wanganui" shall be and the same is hereby altered to "West Haven," and do assign the last-mentioned name to such locality accordingly; and also do hereby proclaim and declare that the name of the inlet of the sea now known as "West Wanganui Inlet" shall be and the same is hereby altered to "West Haven Inlet," and do assign the last-mentioned name to such inlet accordingly; and also do hereby proclaim and declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and ten, not being earlier than six months after the first publication thereof in the *Gazette*.

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

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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 | Waiheke .. | 7583 |

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.

Amending Order in Council fixing Dues for the Use of the Kawhia 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 Order in Council dated the twenty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 107, of the twenty-second day of the same month, the dues and rates specified in the Schedule thereto were prescribed for the use of the Kawhia Wharf :

And whereas it is desirable that the said Order in Council should be amended, in so far as it relates to the wharfage dues therein specified, by the addition of a minimum charge :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the thirteenth section of "The Harbours Act, 1908," and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend the said Order in Council of the twenty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and nine, by inserting, after the words "all goods not herein specified, per ton, 1s. 6d.," the following words : "Minimum charge on any one shipment or consignment, 3d.;" and doth order that the said amendment shall have force and effect as from the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and ten, inclusive.

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

Regulations prescribing Valuation Fees, and Scale of Costs and Fees, for Advances to Settlers.

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this fourth day of March, 1910.

Present :

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make

the following regulations with respect to valuation fees, and the costs and fees of preparing and completing mortgages, under Part II of the said Act.

REGULATIONS.

1. THE valuation fees payable by the proposed borrower under Part II of the said Act shall be according to the following scale :—

SCALE OF VALUATION FEES TO BE PAID BY APPLICANT IN ANY EVENT, AND TO ACCOMPANY THE APPLICATION.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|---|----|----|
| On application for loan not exceeding £100 | 0 | 10 | 6 |
| For loan exceeding £100 and not exceeding £250 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| For loan exceeding £250 and not exceeding £500 | 1 | 11 | 6 |
| For loan exceeding £500 and not exceeding £3,000 | 2 | 2 | 0 |

2. The costs and fees of preparing, completing, or discharging any mortgage under Part II of the said Act shall be payable according to the following scale :—

SCALE OF COSTS AND FEES FOR PREPARING MORTGAGE (TO BE DEDUCTED FROM THE ADVANCE).

Mortgages under "The Land Transfer Act, 1908."

Law-costs of perusing title, preparing, completing, and registering mortgage (to be deducted from the advance) :—

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|----|----|
| If advance does not exceed £250 | 0 | 7 | 6 |
| Exceeding £250 but not exceeding £500 | 0 | 10 | 0 |
| Exceeding £500 but not exceeding £750 | 0 | 15 | 0 |
| Exceeding £750 but not exceeding £1,000 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Exceeding £1,000 but not exceeding £1,500 | 1 | 6 | 0 |
| Exceeding £1,500 but not exceeding £2,000 | 1 | 11 | 6 |
| Exceeding £2,000 but not exceeding £3,000 | 1 | 17 | 6 |

With cash disbursements, which are the same in every case, namely :—

| | | | |
|--|---|----|---|
| Search fee (with an additional 2s. for every certificate of title after the first) | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Registration (with an additional 2s. for every certificate of title after the first) | 0 | 10 | 0 |

Mortgages under "The Deeds Registration Act, 1908."

Law-costs of perusing title, preparing, completing, and registering mortgage (to be deducted from the advance) :—

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|----|----|
| If advance does not exceed £150 | 0 | 18 | 0 |
| Exceeding £150 but not exceeding £250 | 1 | 0 | 6 |
| Exceeding £250 but not exceeding £500 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Exceeding £500 but not exceeding £750 | 1 | 13 | 0 |
| Exceeding £750 but not exceeding £1,000 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Exceeding £1,000 but not exceeding £1,500 | 2 | 13 | 0 |
| Exceeding £1,500 but not exceeding £2,000 | 3 | 13 | 0 |
| Exceeding £2,000 but not exceeding £3,000 | 4 | 13 | 0 |

With cash disbursements.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|---|----|----|
| Fee chargeable by solicitor not residing in registration centre for employing agent to register mortgage | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Fee for partial or total discharge of mortgage | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Fee for execution of consent by the Superintendent to any document | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| Fee for production of title-deeds held by the Superintendent | 0 | 5 | 0 |

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Regulations under the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909 (Advances to Local Authorities).

PLUNKET, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of March, 1910.

Present :

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909 (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), and of all other powers and authorities 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 make the following regulations, and doth declare that those regulations shall come into force on the date of the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

REGULATIONS RESPECTING LOANS TO LOCAL AUTHORITIES.

1. The term of every loan granted to a local authority under the said Act shall be thirty-six and a half years.

2. The principal and interest of every such loan shall be payable by half-yearly instalments in accordance with such one of the tables contained in the First Schedule hereto (or hereafter prescribed by any regulations made in that behalf) as is appropriate to the case.

3. Any local authority may, before making an application for a loan in manner hereinafter provided, and although it has not yet taken the necessary steps under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, or otherwise, for obtaining sufficient authority to raise that loan, make a preliminary application to the Board in the Form No. 1 in the Second Schedule hereto, or to the like effect, for the provisional approval of the proposed loan by the Board. Every such preliminary application shall be transmitted by post or otherwise to the Superintendent of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office at Wellington, and shall be accompanied by a copy of the last balance-sheet of the local authority.

4. The Board shall thereupon take this preliminary application into consideration, and may either refuse to entertain the proposal or may agree to entertain it on such terms and with such modifications (if any) as it thinks fit.

5. If the Board decides to entertain the said proposal, notice of the decision shall be given to the local authority in the Form No. 2 in the Second Schedule hereto, or to the like effect, in order that the local authority may take such steps under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, or otherwise, as may be necessary for the purpose of obtaining sufficient authority to raise the loan, and for the making of the special rate required as security for the loan.

6. No such provisional approval by the Board shall be deemed to constitute any agreement between the Board or Superintendent and the local authority, or shall affect in any manner the right of the Board to refuse to grant the loan, or its right to impose any conditions on the grant thereof.

7. Every such provisional approval shall lapse unless an application for the loan so approved is made by the local authority in manner hereinafter provided, and received by the Superintendent within **six months** after the date of the decision of the Board approving of the proposed loan.

8. When the Board has provisionally approved of any loan in manner aforesaid the local authority may make application to the Board for the grant of the loan in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in the notice of provisional approval. Every such application shall be in such one of the forms Nos. 3A, 3B, or 3C in the Second Schedule hereto as is applicable, or to the like effect, and shall be verified by a statutory declaration in the Form No. 4 in the said Schedule. Every such application shall be transmitted by post or otherwise to the Superintendent at Wellington.

9. No such application for a loan shall be made until the local authority has taken all necessary steps under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, or otherwise, for obtaining sufficient authority to raise the loan, and has duly made the special rate required as security for the loan.

10. The Board may, if it thinks fit, in special cases accept an application for a loan although no preliminary application or approval has been made or obtained in accordance with the foregoing regulations, or although the application does not conform to the terms and conditions provisionally approved by the Board.

11. Every application for a loan shall be taken into consideration by the Board, which shall by resolution either grant or refuse the application; and notice of the acceptance or refusal of the application shall thereupon be given to the local authority.

12. Every such notice of acceptance shall constitute a contract between the Superintendent and the Corporation of the local authority to grant and accept the loan in accordance with the terms of the application.

13. The term of the loan shall commence on the day agreed upon between the Superintendent and the local authority in manner aforesaid, notwithstanding any default by the local authority in accepting the amount of the loan or in fulfilling the conditions of the receipt thereof; and the dates of the payment of principal and interest by the local authority shall be computed and determined accordingly.

14. Any loan may, if so agreed upon, be made payable to the local authority by instalments, and in any such case each instalment shall for the purpose of calculating the term of the loan and the payments of principal and interest in respect thereof be deemed to constitute a separate loan made on the day on which that instalment is made receivable by the local authority.

15. No loan and no instalment of a loan shall be made receivable by a local authority at any date later than two years after the date of the application for the loan.

16. The debentures issued by the local authority in respect of the loan shall be in the Form No. 5 in the Second Schedule hereto or to the like effect.

17. Every such debenture shall be executed in pursuance of a resolution of the local authority, and shall be signed by the Mayor or Chairman of the local authority, and countersigned by an officer appointed by the local authority for that purpose. The due execution of every such debenture shall be verified by statutory declaration in the Form No. 6 in the Second Schedule hereto, or to the like effect.

18. A commission fee of one-half per centum on the amount of the loan shall be payable to the Superintendent by the local authority to whom the loan is granted. The said fee shall be paid at the time when the amount of the loan is paid to the local authority; but where the loan is paid to the local authority by instalments, the commission fee shall be apportioned between those instalments, and a proportionate part thereof shall be paid by the local authority at the time when each instalment is received by it.

SCHEDULES.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Table No. I.—Advances to Local Authorities.—Term, 36½ Years ; Interest, 3½ per Cent.—Table of Half-yearly Instalments for every One Hundred Pounds of the Loan.

| Half-year. | Half-yearly Instalment. | Apportioned thus : | | Balance of Principal owing. |
|--------------|-------------------------|--|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | On Account of Interest at 3½ per Cent. | On Account of Principal. | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1st | 2 8 9 | 1 15 0 | 0 13 9 | 99 6 3 |
| 2nd | 2 8 9 | 1 14 9 | 0 14 0 | 98 12 3 |
| 3rd | 2 8 9 | 1 14 6 | 0 14 3 | 97 18 0 |
| 4th | 2 8 9 | 1 14 3 | 0 14 6 | 97 3 6 |
| 5th | 2 8 9 | 1 14 0 | 0 14 9 | 96 8 9 |
| 6th | 2 8 9 | 1 13 9 | 0 15 0 | 95 13 9 |
| 7th | 2 8 9 | 1 13 6 | 0 15 3 | 94 18 6 |
| 8th | 2 8 9 | 1 13 3 | 0 15 6 | 94 3 0 |
| 9th | 2 8 9 | 1 13 0 | 0 15 9 | 93 7 3 |
| 10th | 2 8 9 | 1 12 8 | 0 16 1 | 92 11 2 |
| 11th | 2 8 9 | 1 12 5 | 0 16 4 | 91 14 10 |
| 12th | 2 8 9 | 1 12 2 | 0 16 7 | 90 18 3 |
| 13th | 2 8 9 | 1 11 10 | 0 16 11 | 90 1 4 |
| 14th | 2 8 9 | 1 11 7 | 0 17 2 | 89 4 2 |
| 15th | 2 8 9 | 1 11 3 | 0 17 6 | 88 6 8 |
| 16th | 2 8 9 | 1 10 11 | 0 17 10 | 87 8 10 |
| 17th | 2 8 9 | 1 10 7 | 0 18 2 | 86 10 8 |
| 18th | 2 8 9 | 1 10 4 | 0 18 5 | 85 12 3 |
| 19th | 2 8 9 | 1 10 0 | 0 18 9 | 84 13 6 |
| 20th | 2 8 9 | 1 9 8 | 0 19 1 | 83 14 5 |
| 21st | 2 8 9 | 1 9 4 | 0 19 5 | 82 15 0 |
| 22nd | 2 8 9 | 1 9 0 | 0 19 9 | 81 15 3 |
| 23rd | 2 8 9 | 1 8 8 | 1 0 1 | 80 15 2 |
| 24th | 2 8 9 | 1 8 3 | 1 0 6 | 79 14 8 |
| 25th | 2 8 9 | 1 7 11 | 1 0 10 | 78 13 10 |
| 26th | 2 8 9 | 1 7 7 | 1 1 2 | 77 12 8 |
| 27th | 2 8 9 | 1 7 2 | 1 1 7 | 76 11 1 |
| 28th | 2 8 9 | 1 6 10 | 1 1 11 | 75 9 2 |
| 29th | 2 8 9 | 1 6 5 | 1 2 4 | 74 6 10 |
| 30th | 2 8 9 | 1 6 0 | 1 2 9 | 73 4 1 |
| 31st | 2 8 9 | 1 5 8 | 1 3 1 | 72 1 0 |
| 32nd | 2 8 9 | 1 5 3 | 1 3 6 | 70 17 6 |
| 33rd | 2 8 9 | 1 4 10 | 1 3 11 | 69 13 7 |
| 34th | 2 8 9 | 1 4 5 | 1 4 4 | 68 9 3 |
| 35th | 2 8 9 | 1 4 0 | 1 4 9 | 67 4 6 |
| 36th | 2 8 9 | 1 3 7 | 1 5 2 | 65 19 4 |
| 37th | 2 8 9 | 1 3 1 | 1 5 8 | 64 13 8 |
| 38th | 2 8 9 | 1 2 8 | 1 6 1 | 63 7 7 |
| 39th | 2 8 9 | 1 2 2 | 1 6 7 | 62 1 0 |
| 40th | 2 8 9 | 1 1 9 | 1 7 0 | 60 14 0 |
| 41st | 2 8 9 | 1 1 3 | 1 7 6 | 59 6 6 |
| 42nd | 2 8 9 | 1 0 9 | 1 8 0 | 57 18 6 |
| 43rd | 2 8 9 | 1 0 3 | 1 8 6 | 56 10 0 |
| 44th | 2 8 9 | 0 19 9 | 1 9 0 | 55 1 0 |
| 45th | 2 8 9 | 0 19 3 | 1 9 6 | 53 11 6 |
| 46th | 2 8 9 | 0 18 9 | 1 10 0 | 52 1 6 |
| 47th | 2 8 9 | 0 18 3 | 1 10 6 | 50 11 0 |
| 48th | 2 8 9 | 0 17 9 | 1 11 0 | 49 0 0 |
| 49th | 2 8 9 | 0 17 2 | 1 11 7 | 47 8 5 |
| 50th | 2 8 9 | 0 16 7 | 1 12 2 | 45 16 3 |
| 51st | 2 8 9 | 0 16 1 | 1 12 8 | 44 3 7 |
| 52nd | 2 8 9 | 0 15 6 | 1 13 3 | 42 10 4 |
| 53rd | 2 8 9 | 0 14 11 | 1 13 10 | 40 16 6 |
| 54th | 2 8 9 | 0 14 4 | 1 14 5 | 39 2 1 |
| 55th | 2 8 9 | 0 13 8 | 1 15 1 | 37 7 0 |
| 56th | 2 8 9 | 0 13 1 | 1 15 8 | 35 11 4 |
| 57th | 2 8 9 | 0 12 6 | 1 16 3 | 33 15 1 |
| 58th | 2 8 9 | 0 11 10 | 1 16 11 | 31 18 2 |
| 59th | 2 8 9 | 0 11 2 | 1 17 7 | 30 0 7 |
| 60th | 2 8 9 | 0 10 6 | 1 18 3 | 28 2 4 |
| 61st | 2 8 9 | 0 9 10 | 1 18 11 | 26 3 5 |
| 62nd | 2 8 9 | 0 9 2 | 1 19 7 | 24 3 10 |
| 63rd | 2 8 9 | 0 8 6 | 2 0 3 | 22 3 7 |
| 64th | 2 8 9 | 0 7 9 | 2 1 0 | 20 2 7 |
| 65th | 2 8 9 | 0 7 1 | 2 1 8 | 18 0 11 |
| 66th | 2 8 9 | 0 6 4 | 2 2 5 | 15 18 6 |
| 67th | 2 8 9 | 0 5 7 | 2 3 2 | 13 15 4 |
| 68th | 2 8 9 | 0 4 10 | 2 3 11 | 11 11 5 |
| 69th | 2 8 9 | 0 4 1 | 2 4 8 | 9 6 9 |
| 70th | 2 8 9 | 0 3 3 | 2 5 6 | 7 1 3 |
| 71st | 2 8 9 | 0 2 6 | 2 6 3 | 4 15 0 |
| 72nd | 2 8 9 | 0 1 8 | 2 7 1 | 2 7 11 |
| 73rd | 2 8 9 | 0 0 10 | 2 7 11 | .. |

Table No. II.—Advances to Local Authorities.—Term, 36½ Years; Interest, 3¼ per Cent.—Table of Half-yearly Instalments for every One Hundred Pounds of the Loan.

| Half-year. | Half-yearly Instalment. | Apportioned thus: | | Balance of Principal owing. |
|------------|-------------------------|--|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | On Account of Interest at 3¼ per Cent. | On Account of Principal. | |
| 1st | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 2nd | 2 10 6 | 1 17 6 | 0 13 0 | 99 7 0 |
| 3rd | 2 10 6 | 1 17 3 | 0 13 3 | 98 13 9 |
| 4th | 2 10 6 | 1 17 0 | 0 13 6 | 98 0 3 |
| 5th | 2 10 6 | 1 16 9 | 0 13 9 | 97 6 6 |
| 6th | 2 10 6 | 1 16 6 | 0 14 0 | 96 12 6 |
| 7th | 2 10 6 | 1 16 3 | 0 14 3 | 95 18 3 |
| 8th | 2 10 6 | 1 15 11 | 0 14 7 | 95 3 8 |
| 9th | 2 10 6 | 1 15 8 | 0 14 10 | 94 8 10 |
| 10th | 2 10 6 | 1 15 4 | 0 15 2 | 93 13 8 |
| 11th | 2 10 6 | 1 15 1 | 0 15 5 | 92 18 3 |
| 12th | 2 10 6 | 1 14 10 | 0 15 8 | 92 2 7 |
| 13th | 2 10 6 | 1 14 6 | 0 16 0 | 91 6 7 |
| 14th | 2 10 6 | 1 14 3 | 0 16 3 | 90 10 4 |
| 15th | 2 10 6 | 1 13 11 | 0 16 7 | 89 13 9 |
| 16th | 2 10 6 | 1 13 7 | 0 16 11 | 88 16 10 |
| 17th | 2 10 6 | 1 13 4 | 0 17 2 | 87 19 8 |
| 18th | 2 10 6 | 1 12 11 | 0 17 7 | 87 2 1 |
| 19th | 2 10 6 | 1 12 8 | 0 17 10 | 86 4 3 |
| 20th | 2 10 6 | 1 12 4 | 0 18 2 | 85 6 1 |
| 21st | 2 10 6 | 1 12 0 | 0 18 6 | 84 7 7 |
| 22nd | 2 10 6 | 1 11 7 | 0 18 11 | 83 8 8 |
| 23rd | 2 10 6 | 1 11 3 | 0 19 3 | 82 9 5 |
| 24th | 2 10 6 | 1 10 11 | 0 19 7 | 81 9 10 |
| 25th | 2 10 6 | 1 10 7 | 0 19 11 | 80 9 11 |
| 26th | 2 10 6 | 1 10 2 | 1 0 4 | 79 9 7 |
| 27th | 2 10 6 | 1 9 9 | 1 0 9 | 78 8 10 |
| 28th | 2 10 6 | 1 9 5 | 1 1 1 | 77 7 9 |
| 29th | 2 10 6 | 1 9 0 | 1 1 6 | 76 6 3 |
| 30th | 2 10 6 | 1 8 7 | 1 1 11 | 75 4 4 |
| 31st | 2 10 6 | 1 8 2 | 1 2 4 | 74 2 0 |
| 32nd | 2 10 6 | 1 7 9 | 1 2 9 | 72 19 3 |
| 33rd | 2 10 6 | 1 7 4 | 1 3 2 | 71 16 1 |
| 34th | 2 10 6 | 1 6 11 | 1 3 7 | 70 12 6 |
| 35th | 2 10 6 | 1 6 6 | 1 4 0 | 69 8 6 |
| 36th | 2 10 6 | 1 6 0 | 1 4 6 | 68 4 0 |
| 37th | 2 10 6 | 1 5 7 | 1 4 11 | 66 19 1 |
| 38th | 2 10 6 | 1 5 1 | 1 5 5 | 65 13 8 |
| 39th | 2 10 6 | 1 4 7 | 1 5 11 | 64 7 9 |
| 40th | 2 10 6 | 1 4 2 | 1 6 4 | 63 1 5 |
| 41st | 2 10 6 | 1 3 7 | 1 6 11 | 61 14 6 |
| 42nd | 2 10 6 | 1 3 2 | 1 7 4 | 60 7 2 |
| 43rd | 2 10 6 | 1 2 7 | 1 7 11 | 58 19 3 |
| 44th | 2 10 6 | 1 2 1 | 1 8 5 | 57 10 10 |
| 45th | 2 10 6 | 1 1 7 | 1 8 11 | 56 1 11 |
| 46th | 2 10 6 | 1 1 0 | 1 9 6 | 54 12 5 |
| 47th | 2 10 6 | 1 0 6 | 1 10 0 | 53 2 5 |
| 48th | 2 10 6 | 0 19 11 | 1 10 7 | 51 11 10 |
| 49th | 2 10 6 | 0 19 4 | 1 11 2 | 50 0 8 |
| 50th | 2 10 6 | 0 18 9 | 1 11 9 | 48 8 11 |
| 51st | 2 10 6 | 0 18 2 | 1 12 4 | 46 16 7 |
| 52nd | 2 10 6 | 0 17 7 | 1 12 11 | 45 3 8 |
| 53rd | 2 10 6 | 0 16 11 | 1 13 7 | 43 10 1 |
| 54th | 2 10 6 | 0 16 4 | 1 14 2 | 41 15 11 |
| 55th | 2 10 6 | 0 15 8 | 1 14 10 | 40 1 1 |
| 56th | 2 10 6 | 0 15 0 | 1 15 6 | 38 5 7 |
| 57th | 2 10 6 | 0 14 4 | 1 16 2 | 36 9 5 |
| 58th | 2 10 6 | 0 13 8 | 1 16 10 | 34 12 7 |
| 59th | 2 10 6 | 0 13 0 | 1 17 6 | 32 15 1 |
| 60th | 2 10 6 | 0 12 3 | 1 18 3 | 30 16 10 |
| 61st | 2 10 6 | 0 11 7 | 1 18 11 | 28 17 11 |
| 62nd | 2 10 6 | 0 10 10 | 1 19 8 | 26 18 3 |
| 63rd | 2 10 6 | 0 10 1 | 2 0 5 | 24 17 10 |
| 64th | 2 10 6 | 0 9 4 | 2 1 2 | 22 16 8 |
| 65th | 2 10 6 | 0 8 7 | 2 1 11 | 20 14 9 |
| 66th | 2 10 6 | 0 7 9 | 2 2 9 | 18 12 0 |
| 67th | 2 10 6 | 0 6 11 | 2 3 7 | 16 8 5 |
| 68th | 2 10 6 | 0 6 2 | 2 4 4 | 14 4 1 |
| 69th | 2 10 6 | 0 5 4 | 2 5 2 | 11 18 11 |
| 70th | 2 10 6 | 0 4 6 | 2 6 0 | 9 12 11 |
| 71st | 2 10 6 | 0 3 7 | 2 6 11 | 7 6 0 |
| 72nd | 2 10 6 | 0 2 9 | 2 7 9 | 4 18 3 |
| 73rd | 2 10 6 | 0 1 10 | 2 8 8 | 2 9 7 |
| | 2 10 6 | 0 0 11 | 2 9 7 | .. |

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Form No. 1.

Preliminary Application for Loan.

Name of Local Authority :

Address :

Date of Application :

To the Superintendent (Advances to Local Authorities Branch), New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office, Wellington.

THE above-named local authority hereby makes application for the provisional approval of a loan of £ under the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, on the instalment system, with a term of $36\frac{1}{2}$ years.

The purpose for which the loan is required is :

The area over which the special rate is to be levied is

The rateable value of all rateable property in the said area is £

The system of rating in the said area is on the [State whether annual, capital, or unimproved value].

The total amount already owing on the security of rates over the rateable property in the said area is £

The amount collected annually on those rates is £

The security offered for the proposed loan is [State particulars of special rate and of any other security offered for the loan].

A. B.,

Mayor [or Chairman or Clerk].

Form No. 2.

Provisional Approval of Loan.

New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office
(Advances to Local Authorities Branch),
Wellington, 19 .

Memorandum for the Mayor [or Chairman],

THE New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Board has this day provisionally approved of the application of the [Name of local authority], dated the day of , 19 , for a loan of £ for the purpose of

This provisional approval is subject to the provisions of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, and the regulations made thereunder, and is given on the following terms and conditions :—

- (1.) The amount of the loan to be £
- (2.) The term of the loan to be $36\frac{1}{2}$ years.
- (3.) The rate of interest to be per centum per annum.
- (4.) Loan is to be secured by [State particulars of special rate and of any other security to be given for the loan].
- (5.) All statutory and other proceedings necessary for raising the loan to be duly taken.
- (6.) [State any other conditions on which loan to be granted.]

, Superintendent.

Form No. 3A.

Application for a Loan under the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909.

(Where proposal approved by poll of ratepayers.)

Application of [Name of local authority].

Amount of loan applied for : £

Term of loan : $36\frac{1}{2}$ years, on the instalment system.

Purpose for which loan required :

Special-rating district or area :

Date of application :

To the Superintendent (Advances to Local Authorities Branch), New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office, Wellington.

1. THE above-named local authority hereby applies for a loan of £ , in respect of which a preliminary application was made on the day of , 19 , and provisionally approved by the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Board, as notified by you on the day of , 19 .

2. The terms and conditions on which this loan is applied for are,—

- (a.) The loan is for the purpose of [State purpose].
- (b.) The rate of interest to be per centum per annum.
- (c.) The term to be $36\frac{1}{2}$ years, and loan to be repaid by instalments in accordance with the appropriate table.
- (d.) The loan-money to be paid over on the day of , 19 [or in instalments of (State amounts and dates of instalments of loan)].
- (e.) The security for repayment of the loan is,—
 - (i.) A special rate of in the pound over [Describe special-rating district or area].
 - (ii.) [State any other security.]

3. The proposal to raise the loan has been duly submitted to and approved by the ratepayers of the [Name of special-rating district] as by law required.

4. The notice of intention to raise the loan was duly published in the newspaper once in each week for four successive weeks—namely, on the , 19 .

5. The notice calling a meeting of ratepayers to consider the loan proposal was duly published in the newspaper of the day of , 19 , and that meeting was held on the day of , 19 .

6. The proposal to raise the loan was duly carried at a poll of the ratepayers taken on the day of , 19 , and a notice of the result of the poll was published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the , 19 (page), and also in the newspaper of the day of , 19 .

7. A copy of the voting-paper used at the poll is attached hereto, marked with my initials and the letter "A."

8. The special order making a special rate of in the pound on all rateable property in the [Name of special-rating district] was duly made or adopted on the day of , 19 , and confirmed on the day of , 19 ; and public notifications thereof were duly given in the newspaper of the , 19 , and in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the , 19 (page). A copy of the special order, under seal, is hereto attached, marked "B."

9. The rateable valuation of all rateable property in the special-rating district is £ , and the special rate of in the pound thereon will yield an annual sum of £ , which is sufficient to meet 10 per centum more than the periodical payments in respect of the loan as they fall due.

10. All statutory and other proceedings have been duly taken and all conditions have been duly fulfilled which are necessary for the raising of the said loan and for the making of the said special rate as a security therefor.

11. A copy of each of the newspapers referred to in this application is forwarded herewith * [and also a copy of the special roll, and a tracing or map of the special-rating area].

* [12. The special roll was prepared in accordance with section 3 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and deposited for public inspection at the office of the [Name of local authority] from to ; and public notice thereof was published in the newspaper on the day of , 19 and no valid objection was lodged against the said roll.]

A. B.,

Mayor [or Chairman, or Clerk].

Form No. 3B.

Application for a Loan under the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909.

(Where loan to be raised by consent of ratepayers, without poll.)

Application of [Name of local authority].

Amount of loan applied for: £ .

Term of loan: 36½ years, on the instalment system.

Purpose for which loan required: .

Special-rating district or area: .

Date of application: .

To the Superintendent (Advances to Local Authorities Branch), New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office, Wellington.

1. THE above-named local authority hereby applies for a loan of £ , in respect of which a preliminary application was made on the day of , 19 , and provisionally approved by the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Board, as notified by you on the day of , 19 .

2. The terms and conditions on which this loan is applied for are,—

(a.) The loan is for the purpose of [State purpose].

(b.) The rate of interest to be per centum per annum.

(c.) The term to be 36½ years, and loan to be repaid by instalments in accordance with the appropriate table.

(d.) The loan-money to be paid over on the day of , 19 [or in instalments of (State amounts and dates of instalments of loan)].

(e.) The security for repayment of the loan is,—

(i.) A special rate of in the pound over [Describe special-rating district or area].

(ii.) [State any other security.]

3. The ratepayers of the [Name of special-rating district] in respect of which the loan is to be raised do not exceed one hundred in number, and the consent of at least three-fourths of those ratepayers the capital value of whose properties as appearing on the valuation roll of the district is collectively greater than the capital value of the properties of those ratepayers who do not consent to the loan has been obtained in manner required by law.

4. The said consent, with its accompanying statutory declarations, is hereto attached, marked "A."

5. The special order authorising the raising of the loan was duly made or adopted on the day of , 19 , and confirmed on the day of , 19 ; and public notifications thereof were duly given in the newspaper of the , 19 . A copy of the special order, under seal, is hereto attached, marked "B."

6. The special order making a special rate of _____ in the pound on all rateable property in the said special-rating district was duly made or adopted on the _____ day of _____, 19____, and confirmed on the _____ day of _____, 19____; and public notifications thereof were duly given in the _____ newspaper of the _____, 19____, and in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the _____, 19____ (page _____). A copy of the special order, under seal, is hereto attached, marked "C."

7. The rateable valuation of all rateable property in the special-rating district is £ _____, and the special rate of _____ in the pound thereon will yield an annual sum of £ _____, which is sufficient to meet 10 per centum more than the periodical payments in respect of the loan as they fall due.

8. All statutory and other proceedings have been duly taken and all conditions have been duly fulfilled which are necessary for the raising of the said loan and for the making of the said special rate as a security therefor.

9. A copy of each of the newspapers referred to in this application is forwarded herewith * [and also a copy of the special roll and a tracing or map of the special-rating area].

* [10. The special roll was prepared in accordance with section 3 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, as amended by section 22 of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1908, and deposited for public inspection at the office of the [Name of local authority] from _____ to _____, 19____; and public notice thereof was published in the _____ newspaper on the _____ day of _____, 19____, and no valid objection was lodged against the said roll.]

A. B.,

Mayor [or Chairman, or Clerk].

Form No. 3c.

Application for a Loan under the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909.

(Where loan to be raised by special order only.)

Application of [Name of local authority].

Amount of loan applied for : £ _____.

Term of loan : 36½ years, on the instalment system.

Purpose for which loan required : _____.

Special-rating district or area : _____.

Date of application : _____.

To the Superintendent (Advances to Local Authorities Branch), New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office, Wellington.

1. The above-named local authority hereby applies for a loan of £ _____, in respect of which a preliminary application was made on the _____ day of _____, 19____, and provisionally approved by the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Board, as notified by you on the _____ day of _____, 19____.

2. The terms and conditions on which this loan is applied for are,—

(a.) The loan is for the purpose of [State purpose].

(b.) The rate of interest to be _____ per centum per annum.

(c.) The term to be 36½ years, and loan to be repaid by instalments in accordance with the appropriate table.

(d.) The loan-money to be paid over on the _____ day of _____, 19____ [or in instalments of (State amounts and dates of instalments of loan)].

(e.) The security for repayment of the loan is,—

(i.) A special rate of _____ in the pound over [Describe special-rating district or area].

(ii.) [State any other security.]

3. The special order authorising the raising of the loan was duly made or adopted on the _____ day of _____, 19____, and confirmed on the _____ day of _____, 19____; and public notifications thereof were duly given in the _____ newspaper of the _____, 19____. A copy of the special order, under seal, is hereto attached, marked "A."

4. The special order making a special rate of _____ in the pound on all rateable property in the [Name of special-rating district] was duly made or adopted on the _____ day of _____, 19____, and confirmed on the _____ day of _____, 19____; and public notifications thereof were duly given in the _____ newspaper of the _____, 19____, and in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the _____, 19____ (page _____). A copy of the special order, under seal, is hereto attached, marked "B."

5. The rateable valuation of all rateable property in the special-rating district is £ _____, and the special rate of _____ in the pound thereon will yield an annual sum of £ _____, which is sufficient to meet ten per centum more than the periodical payments in respect of the loan as they fall due.

6. All statutory and other proceedings have been duly taken and all conditions have been duly fulfilled which are necessary for the raising of the said loan and for the making of the said special rate as a security therefor.

7. A copy of each of the newspapers referred to in this application is forwarded herewith.

A. B.,

Mayor [or Chairman, or Clerk].

Form No. 4.

Declaration verifying Application for Loan.

I, A. B., Mayor [or Chairman, or Clerk] of [Name of local authority], do solemnly and sincerely declare that the statements contained in the foregoing application are true and correct in every particular.

* Only required where special-rating area is not a legal subdivision of a district.

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

Declared at , this A. B.
 day of , 19 , before }
 me— , Justice of the Peace
 [or Solicitor of the Supreme Court].

Form No. 5.

Debenture.

[Name of local authority], New Zealand.

[Name of loan] Loan.

Loan of [State amount] from the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office.

Issue of [State number] debentures of [Not less than £20 nor more than £1,000] each, numbered 1 to , bearing interest at [State rate] per centum per annum.

These debentures are issued under the provisions of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, and the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908.

Debenture No.

1. The [Full name of body corporate], being a body corporate under the [Name of Act], in consideration of the sum of [Not less than £20 nor more than £1,000] lent to the said body corporate by the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office Superintendent, do hereby bind themselves [or itself] to pay to the said Superintendent or to the bearer of this debenture the said sum of [State amount], together with interest thereon at the rate of [State rate] per centum per annum.

2. The said principal and interest shall be payable in accordance with the table of repayments indorsed hereon by equal half-yearly instalments of [State amount in accordance with indorsed table] during a period of thirty-six and a half years, the first of those instalments being payable on the [State date six months after the date of the loan] day of , 19 .

3. The said instalments shall include both principal and interest in accordance with the indorsed table, and full payment thereof shall constitute a complete discharge of this debenture.

4. All sums payable under this debenture shall be paid at the office of the said Superintendent at Wellington.

5. The said body corporate hereby charges, as security for the payment of all moneys payable under this debenture and the other debentures of the same series, a special rate of [Insert sufficient description of special rate].

6. By way of further security for the said moneys, the said body corporate hereby charges [Insert sufficient description of any other security given for the loan].

7. The holder of this debenture has no claim in respect thereof upon the Government or public revenues of New Zealand.

Issued under the common seal of the [Full name of body corporate], the day of , 19 .

A. B., Mayor [or Chairman].

C. D., Treasurer [or other officer appointed to countersign debentures].

[Indorse appropriate Table of First Schedule.]

Form No. 6.

Declaration verifying due Execution of Debentures.

I, A. B., Mayor [or Chairman, or Clerk] of [Name of local authority], do solemnly and sincerely declare,—

1. That a resolution was passed at a meeting of [Name of local authority] duly called and constituted, held on , the day of , 19 , authorising the common seal of [Full name of body corporate] to be affixed to the debentures numbered 1 to , issued in respect of the loan of £ from the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office.

2. That the said common seal was duly affixed to the said debentures in accordance with the said resolution.

3. That C. D., whose signature appears on the said debentures, is the Treasurer [or other officer] of [Name of local authority], and has been appointed by the said local authority to countersign those debentures.

4. That the signature "A. B." on the said debentures is the proper handwriting of me, this deponent.

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

Declared at , this A. B.
 day of , 19 , before }
 me— , Justice of the Peace
 [or Solicitor of the Supreme Court].

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

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/lb, 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.

Cadet appointed.

Inspection of Machinery Department,
Wellington, 10th March, 1910.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

REGINALD CARLYLE TREMBATH

to be a cadet in the Inspection of Machinery Department, as from the 23rd day of November, 1909.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister in Charge of the Inspection of Machinery Department.

Manager, State Coal-mine, appointed.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 1st March, 1910.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance of the provisions of section 112 of "The Coal-mines Act, 1908,"

JAMES BISHOP, Esq.,

has been appointed Manager of the Point Elizabeth No. 2 State Coal-mine at Coal Creek, in the Cobden Survey District, as from the 1st day of March, 1910.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Mines.

Trustees of the East Coast Rabbit District elected.— Notice No. 1389.

Department of Agriculture, Commerce, and Tourists,
Wellington, 15th March, 1910.

NOTICE, dated the 12th instant, has been received, under the hand of the Returning Officer of the East Coast Rabbit District, constituted under "The Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1908," that

JAMES COPELAND FIELD,
EDWARD MASEY HUTCHINSON,
THOMAS HOLDEN,
WILLIAM DOUGLAS LYSNAR, and
JOHN JOSEPH PARKER

have been duly elected Trustees of the said district.

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

Members of the Egmont National Park Board appointed.— Notice No. 1391.

Department of Agriculture, Commerce, and Tourists,
Wellington, 15th March, 1910.

THE following have been appointed members of the Egmont National Park Board by the respective local bodies in terms of "The Egmont National Park Act, 1900":—

WILLIAM ANDREW COLLIS, Esq., representing Borough Council of New Plymouth;
JAMES ROBERT HILL, Esq., representing Taranaki County Council;
GEORGE ALBERT MARCHANT, Esq., representing Stratford County Council;
CHARLES GOODSON, Esq., representing Hawera Borough Council;
ARTHUR WILLIAM BUDGE, Esq., representing Stratford Borough Council;
FREDERICK WILLIAM WILKIE, Esq., representing Hawera County Council; and
ADOLPHUS HENRY MOORE, Esq., representing Opunake Town Board.

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

Officers appointed.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 18th February, 1910.

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

J. G. WARD,
Postmaster-General and Minister of Telegraphs.

PERMANENT.

| Name. | Position. | Office. | Date. |
|---|-------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|
| Dunlop, Ethel | Cadette, Telephone Exchange | Invercargill | 2 Aug., 1909. |
| Egan, Thomas Sylvester | Telegraph Message Boy | Greymouth | 9 " " |
| Kyle, Andrew | " | Wellington | 30 " " |
| Loughlin, Kathleen | Cadette, Telephone Exchange | Christchurch | 12 July, " |
| McGonagle, Norman Crawford | Telegraph Message Boy | Otahuhu | 1 Sept., " |
| McLisky, Roydon Lear | " | Hastings | 1 " " |
| Murphy, Francis Raymond | " | Hamilton | 1 " " |
| Murray, David Henry | " | Christchurch | 2 " " |
| Procter, Arthur Percy | " | Waitara | 1 " " |
| Searle, William Charles Stevens | " | Dunedin | 1 Mar., " |
| Thomson, Angelica Alberta Janet | Cadette, Telephone Exchange | Greymouth | 2 Aug., " |
| Watson, Henry Alfred Pollen | Telegraph Message Boy | Wellington | 6 Sept., " |

NON-PERMANENT.

| Name. | Office. | District. | Date. |
|---|-------------------------------|----------------------|----------------|
| POSTMASTER AND TELEGRAPHIST. | | | |
| <i>Railway Officer.</i> | | | |
| Paterson, John | Pukerau | Invercargill | 10 Dec., 1909. |
| POSTMASTERS. | | | |
| Castles, Thomas Henry | Waiānakarua | Oamaru | 12 Nov., 1909. |
| Dahm, John Thomas | Ruakituri | Napier | 1 Jan., 1910. |
| Sinclair, Harry Graeme | Broadwood | Auckland | 1 Oct., 1909. |
| Wilson, Ruby Hamilton | Arataha | Gisborne | 8 Dec., " |
| POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS. | | | |
| Bosher, Phoebe | Winiata | Wanganui | 12 Dec., 1909. |
| Burton, Frederick Robert George | Horeke | Auckland | 22 Nov., " |
| Griffin, William | Hukanui | Wellington | 13 Dec., " |
| Leather, Daniel Herbert | Matakana | Auckland | 11 " " |
| Robertson, David | Kakahi | " | 13 " " |
| Rosser, Charles | Makaretu | Napier | 13 " " |
| TELEPHONISTS. | | | |
| Bain, Michael John | Ellerslie (Bureau) | Auckland | 26 Nov., 1909. |
| Colley, William | Cape Maria van Diemen | " | 6 " " |
| Cumming, William | Malaghan's | Invercargill | 1 Dec., " |
| Lord, Henry James Whytehead | Patuki | Nelson | 15 " " |
| McRae, Joseph | The Spa | Auckland | 1 July, " |

Offices opened and closed.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 22nd February, 1910.

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

J. G. WARD,
Postmaster-General and Minister of Telegraphs.

OFFICES.

| Office. | District. | Date. |
|---|----------------------|--------------------|
| POST-OFFICE OPENED. | | |
| Epsom | Auckland | 24 November, 1909 |
| MONEY-ORDER OFFICES AND POST-OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS OPENED. | | |
| Awanui | Auckland | 8 January, 1910. |
| Hawarden | Christchurch | 3 " " |
| MONEY-ORDER OFFICE AND POST-OFFICE SAVINGS-BANK CLOSED. | | |
| Ballance | Wellington | 15 January, 1910. |
| POSTAL-NOTE (ISSUING) OFFICES OPENED. | | |
| Pakipaki | Napier | 3 January, 1910. |
| Pakowhai | " | 16 " " |
| POSTAL-NOTE (ISSUING) OFFICE CLOSED. | | |
| Waiorongomai | Thames | 31 December, 1909. |
| TELEPHONE-OFFICES OPENED. | | |
| Mara | Wellington | 21 December, 1909. |
| Opuaka | Invercargill | 16 " " |
| Parakakau | Auckland | 7 January, 1910. |
| Takahue | " | 16 December, 1909. |
| Upokonui | Wanganui | 5 January, 1910. |
| Waiomio (reopened) | Thames | 17 December, 1909. |
| Waitahinga | Wanganui | 30 " " |

OFFICES—continued.

| Office. | District. | Date. |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| TELEPHONE-OFFICE CLOSED. | | |
| Taipo | Hokitika | 14 July, 1909. |
| TELEPHONE BUREAUX OPENED. | | |
| Kelcher's | Timaru | 11 January, 1910. |
| Mara | Wellington | 21 December, 1909. |
| Matamata | Auckland | 14 January, 1910. |
| Opuaka | Invercargill | 16 December, 1909. |
| Sawyer's Bay | Dunedin | 22 " " |
| Tawai | Timaru | 11 January, 1910. |
| Upokonui | Wanganui | 5 " " |
| Waiomio (reopened) | Thames | 17 December, 1909. |
| Waitahinga | Wanganui | 30 " " |
| TELEPHONE BUREAU CLOSED. | | |
| Taipo | Hokitika | 14 July, 1909. |
| TELEPHONE EXCHANGES OPENED. | | |
| Nuhaka | Napier | 13 January, 1910. |
| Waimahaka | Invercargill | 10 November, 1909. |

Special Order made by the Taranaki County Council merging Omata, Upper Hurford, and Egmont Road Districts.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 15th March, 1910.

THE following special order, made by the Taranaki County Council, is published for general information.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

TARANAKI COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order made by the Council of the County of Taranaki dissolving the Omata, Upper Hurford, and Egmont Road Boards, and merging the Areas of the said Road Districts into the County of Taranaki.

In pursuance of the powers vested in it in that behalf by "The Counties Act, 1908," section 31, the Council of the County of Taranaki to accede to the prayer of the petitioners of the Omata, Upper Hurford, and Egmont Road Districts hereby resolves as follows:—

"That the Omata, Upper Hurford, and Egmont Road Boards be dissolved, and that the areas of the said districts be merged into the County of Taranaki as from the 31st March, 1910."

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Taranaki was affixed hereto by the Chairman, Joseph Brown, duly authorised by resolution of the Council on the 7th day of March, 1910.

Signed by direction and on behalf of the Council.

J. BROWN,
Chairman.
CHRISTOPHER CARTER,
Councillor.

In the presence of—

ROBERT ELLIS,
County Clerk.

7th March, 1910.

I certify that the above special order has been duly made.

R. ELLIS,
County Clerk.

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 to Mariners No. 24 of 1910.

FRENCH PASS.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 8th March, 1910.

IT having been brought under the notice of this Department that some shipmasters take their vessels through the French Pass against the stream, attention is drawn to the following caution, which is published in the "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," viz:—

"Caution about French Pass.—It has been reported that it is becoming a common practice to take vessels through the French Pass against the stream. This is a highly dangerous action, and is likely to terminate eventually in a serious disaster. Masters of vessels are therefore cautioned against this practice. Not only has it been found that vessels will sometimes not answer their helm owing to the strong tide acting on their bow, but there is a great danger of meeting another vessel coming from an opposite direction, and not being able to see one another in sufficient time to avoid a collision. As Nelson is now able to be worked at any state of tide by the local steamers the temptation to do this is all the greater, hence the need of this warning."

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 1096 and 2685; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chap. vi, pages 185 and 186; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1910, page 175.

J. A. MILLAR.

Notice to Mariners No. 27 of 1910.

OTAGO HARBOUR.—NEW LIGHTS.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 14th March, 1910.

THE Otago Harbour Board have notified that on and after 1st April, 1910, a white light will be exhibited on each of the four piles marking the approaches to the passage between Quarantine and Goat Islands, two above and two below the islands.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Plan No. 2411; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chap. viii, page 257.

J. A. MILLAR.

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

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the shops in the Borough of Wairoa, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all shops in the borough shall be closed as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at 6 p.m.,

Thursdays at 1 p.m., and Saturdays at 9.30 p.m., except in the case of tobacconists, hairdressers, confectioners, and chemists, whose hours of closing shall be Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays, 8 p.m.; Thursdays, 1 p.m.; and Saturdays, 10 p.m. Refreshment-room keepers and fruiterers shall be Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, 10.30 p.m. From the 18th to the 31st December in each year, also on the day immediately preceding public holidays, and during the carnival week in each January, the later hours of closing shall apply; public holidays, those laid down under "The Factories Act, 1908": And whereas the Wairoa Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all shops within the borough of Wairoa:

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 21st day of March, 1910, all shops in the Borough of Wairoa shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

Dated at Wellington, this 16th day of March, 1910.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Labour.

Forbidding Money-order and Postal Correspondence for T. D. Howe, Sydney.

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

SCHEDULE.

T. D. HOWE, Post-office Box 991, Sydney.

Dated this 15th day of March, 1910.

JOHN G. FINDLAY,
For Postmaster-General.

Notice appointing First Meeting of Contributors of Separate Institutions.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power conferred on me by section 92 of "The Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909," I, David Buddo, acting for the Minister in charge of the administration of the said Act, do hereby appoint that the first meeting of the contributors to each separate institution shall be held on Tuesday, the 5th day of April, 1910, at the place and time set opposite the name of that institution in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

| Separate Institutions. | Place of Meeting of Contributors. | Time of Meeting. |
|---|---|------------------|
| Mercury Bay Hospital | Mercury Bay Hall .. | 7.30 p.m. |
| Oamaru Hospital .. | Office of Secretary to Oamaru Hospital Trustees, Thames Street, Oamaru | 8 p.m. |
| Wellington Convalescent Home | Town Hall, Wellington | 2.30 p.m. |
| Jubilee Institute for the Blind, Auckland | Office of Secretary to Jubilee Institute for the Blind, 322 Victoria Arcade, Auckland | 3.30 p.m. |
| Reefton Ladies' Benevolent Society | Borough Council Chambers, Reefton | 3 p.m. |
| St. Andrew's Orphanage, Nelson | Diocesan Office, Nelson | 4 p.m. |
| Wellington Society for the Relief of the Aged and Needy | Town Hall, Wellington | 3 p.m. |
| Wellington Ladies' Christian Association | Chamber of Commerce, Wellington | 2 p.m. |
| Charleston Hospital | Institute Hall, Charleston | 8 p.m. |

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

D. BUDDO,
For Minister of Hospitals and Charitable Aid.

Tenders.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 14th March, 1910.

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

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Mines.

KUMARA WATER-RACE EXTENSION.—DITCHING CONTRACT.

| | Accepted. | £ | s. | d. |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-------|----|----|
| P. Power, Greymouth | | 1,381 | 0 | 0 |
| <i>Declined.</i> | | | | |
| J. Beban and party, Greymouth | | 2,108 | 9 | 0 |
| Drake and Mordaunt, Greymouth | | 1,994 | 8 | 8 |
| F. J. Carley, Hokitika | | 1,799 | 18 | 0 |
| J. Gilbert and party, Kumara | | 1,794 | 11 | 0 |
| W. H. Evenden, Kumara | | 1,707 | 10 | 0 |
| Kean and Skinner, Kumara | | 1,615 | 4 | 8 |
| H. Morgan, Kumara | | 1,512 | 15 | 6 |
| M. Giffney and party, Kumara | | 1,439 | 9 | 10 |

Bonus on Mineral Oil produced in New Zealand.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 1st June, 1909.

NOTICE is hereby given that a bonus will be paid for the production of mineral oil under the following conditions:—

1. A bonus of 3d. per gallon (£6,250) will be paid on the first 500,000 gallons of mineral oil produced in the Dominion of New Zealand. The mineral oil in the refined state to have a specific gravity of 0.814 to 0.830, and a flash point of not less than 83° Fabr. by the Abel closed test.
2. Notice of intention to claim the aforesaid bonus must be given in writing to the Minister of Mines not later than 31st March, 1912.
3. The claim must be made before 31st March, 1913.
4. The first claimant who proves to the satisfaction of the Government that he has fulfilled all the conditions to be the recipient of the bonus.
5. All conditions as to quantity, quality, priority, and value to be fulfilled to the satisfaction of an officer appointed for the purpose by the Government.

RODERICK MCKENZIE,
Minister of Mines.

Bonus for the Production of Quicksilver.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 14th February, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that a bonus of four pence (4d. per pound will be paid on the production of the first one hundred thousand pounds weight (100,000 lb.) of good marketable retorted quicksilver, free from all impurities, from any mine in New Zealand, on the following conditions, that is to say:—

1. That at least one-third of the quantity is produced on or before the 31st March, 1911, and the remaining two-thirds on or before the 31st March, 1912.
2. No bonus will be payable until the whole of the one hundred thousand pounds (100,000 lb.) of quicksilver has been produced as stipulated to the satisfaction of an officer to be appointed by the Minister of Mines, and on whose certificate alone the bonus will be paid.
3. In the event of more than one person producing the required quantities of quicksilver before the dates named, inquiry will be made by the officer above referred to, when, if it is found that each applicant is equally entitled to a bonus, the amount will be divided in proportion to the quantities produced by each applicant, but in no case shall any bonus be paid until at least one hundred thousand pounds (100,000 lb.) of quicksilver has been produced in the aggregate.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Mines.

Plant declared to be a Noxious Weed by the Kaikoura County Council.—Notice No. 1390.

Department of Agriculture, Commerce, and Tourists,
Wellington, 15th March, 1910.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Kaikoura County Council has, by special order, declared gorse to be a noxious weed within the meaning of "The Noxious Weeds Act, 1908," in the Kaikoura County.

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

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

The Treasury, New Zealand,
Friendly Societies Office,
Wellington, 11th March, 1910.

THE Rakaia Lodge, situated at Rakaia, is registered as a branch of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1909," this 11th day of March, 1910.

ROBT. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

The Treasury, New Zealand,
Friendly Societies Office,
Wellington, 11th March, 1910.

THE Loyal Sisters of Friendship Lodge, situated at Auckland, is registered as a branch of the Auckland District of the New Zealand Branch of the Manchester Unity Independent Order of Odd Fellows Friendly Society, under "The Friendly Societies Act, 1909," this 11th day of March, 1910.

ROBT. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

"Incorporated Societies Act, 1908." — Declaration by the Registrar dissolving a Society.

I, ROBERT EDWARD HAYES, Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that the St. Mary's Catholic Club (Registered) is no longer carrying on its operations, and has no assets, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved in pursuance of section 28 of "The Incorporated Societies Act, 1908."

Dated at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1910.

ROBT. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

Officiating Ministers for 1910.—Notice No. 9.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1910.

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:—

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.
The Reverend Frank Tucker.

Salvation Army.
Staff-Captain Robert Greenfield.

[ERRATUM.—Notice No. 8, *Gazette* of 10th March, 1910: For "10th March, 1909," read "10th March, 1910."]

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

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

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-runs are 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.—WHAIKATANE COUNTY.—WAIHI SOUTH SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Pastoral Land.

National Endowment.

| Run No. | Block. | Area. | Half-yearly Rental. |
|---|-----------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 77 | VIII, XII | A. R. P. 2,925 0 0 | £ s. d. 25 0 0 |
| Altitude, 200 ft. to 500 ft. above sea-level. Broken fern and scrub land; soil of a sandy nature, on pumice formation; well watered by several streams. Distant six miles from Matata by formed road. | | | |
| 78 | XII | A. R. P. 2,304 0 0 | 18 0 0 |
| Altitude, 300 ft. to 600 ft. above sea-level. Broken to undulating land, covered with fern and scrub; sandy soil, on pumice formation; well watered by two streams. Distant about eight miles from Matata by dray-road. | | | |
| ERIC C. GOLD SMITH, Commissioner of Crown Lands. | | | |

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.

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.

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.

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 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.

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. |
|---------|-------|-------|----------------------|
|---------|-------|-------|----------------------|

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 Wherside Survey Districts.

159 (Kekerangu) | 74,400 0 0 | 13 years | 500 0 0
Situated 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 Otago Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands, Wellington, 15th March, 1910.

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

SCHEDULE.
OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

| Tenure. | Lease No. | Sections. | Block. | Survey District. | Formerly held by |
|---------|-----------|------------|--------|------------------------|------------------|
| P.L. | 765 | 22, 23, 24 | I | Upper Wakatipu | James Wilson. |

J. G. WARD,
Minister of 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. — WAIAPU 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.

Lands in Wellington Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 26th 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 lands under the provisions of section 124 of "The Land Act, 1908."

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | | | Minimum Annual Rental. | | |
|--|--------|-------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|
| | | A. | R. | P. | £ | s. | d. |
| <i>Town of Levin.</i> | | | | | | | |
| 5 | XIII | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Flat land, in grass; soil of good quality. Situated in Devon Street. | | | | | | | |
| <i>Suburbs of Pongaroa.</i> | | | | | | | |
| 10 | .. | 5 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Flat and undulating land, in grass; soil of fair quality. Access is by metalled road, half a mile to the township. | | | | | | | |

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease, seven years.
2. 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.
3. 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.

4. Possession will be given on the day of acceptance of tender.

5. The leases shall be for the term specified, but shall be subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.

6. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance.

7. The lessee shall 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.

8. 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.

9. The lease shall 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.

Land in Hawke's Bay Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Napier, 9th February, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, at the local Lands Office, Gisborne, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Monday, the 11th day of April, 1910, under the provisions of section 132 of "The Land Act, 1908."

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT. — WAIAPU COUNTY. — MATA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Rural Land.

| Section | Block. | Area. | | | Upset Price. | | |
|---------|--------|-------|----|----|--------------|----|----|
| | | A. | R. | P. | £ | s. | d. |
| 1 | VII | 185 | 0 | 0 | 450 | 0 | 0 |

Situated about six miles from Waipiro by formed dray-road. Two acres in bush, the remainder broken fern country; soil good. Altitude, about 350 ft. above sea-level.

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown 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.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wairoa.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 8th March, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Wairoa on the 4th day of April, 1910, to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Gisborne, 1910-5.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Land. |
|-----|--|----------------------------|
| 8 | Kingi Rotoatara (4-82) | Hereheretau No. 2D. |
| 9 | Kingi Nau (4-173) | Hinewhaki West No. 2. |
| 10 | Karena Rawhi (4-55) | Kahaatureia No. 1. |
| 11 | Areka Mete and others (4-53) | Kahaatureia A. |
| 12 | Watene Huka (4-52) | Kahaatureia A. |
| 13 | Watene Huka (3-270) | Kahaatureia A. |
| 14 | Epeniha Pona and others (4-154) | Kairang' No. 2. |
| 15 | Hati Toromata (4-59) | Kairangi No. 2. |
| 16 | Whakangaro Makahue and others (4-148) | Mahanga No. 1C. |
| 17 | Timi Paraone (4-224) | Mahanga No. 1D. |
| 18 | Paraone te Kowhai (4-155) | Mahanga No. 2A. |
| 19 | Timi Paraone (4-225) | Mahanga No. 2A. |
| 20 | Paora Tunge (4-79) | Mahanga No. 2. |
| 21 | Whakangaro Makahue and Piripi Purupuru (4-159) | Mahanga No. 2D. |
| 22 | Whakangaro Makahue (4-150) | Mahanga No. 2E. |
| 23 | Maika Taruke (4-75) | Mangapoike No. 2C. |
| 24 | Te Rua te Atimana (4-167) | Moutere No. 2. |
| 25 | Te Waaka Toroaiwhiti (4-73) | Nuhaka Nos. 2E3C and 2E3D. |
| 26 | Ihaka Whaanga (4-71) | Nuhaka No. 2E3. |
| 27 | Karepa Mataira and Waaka Toroaiwhiti (4-69) | Nuhaka Nos. 2E3C and 2E3D. |
| 28 | Karepa Mataira and others (4-76) | Nuhaka No. 2E3A. |
| 29 | Wiremu Kaimoana and Tiemi Wirihana (4-74) | Nuhaka No. 2E2. |
| 30 | Waaka Toroaiwhitu and Hori Mete (4-171) | Nuhaka No. 2E2J. |
| 31 | Wiremu Kaimoana (3-241) | Ngamotu. |
| 32 | Pukukino Hamana (4-156) | Ngaruetepe No. 3. |
| 33 | Wairakau Mete (4/179) | Ngaruetepe No. 2. |
| 34 | Reti Kaukau (4-198) | Ohuia No. 1. |
| 35 | Erami Kaihue (4/194) | Ohuia No. 1. |
| 36 | Paora Haronga and others (4/192) | Ohuia No. 1. |
| 37 | Mere Tupaea (4-250) | Ohuia No. 3. |
| 38 | Mere Tupaea (4-254) | Ohuia No. 4. |
| 39 | Ihakara Tuhi (4-85) | Okare. |
| 40 | Pine Kerei (4-60) | Orangitirohia No. 15. |
| 41 | Paora Onekawa (4-176) | Orangitirohia No. 18B. |
| 42 | Itiria Kopu (4-84) | Pakowhai. |
| 43 | Rakera Apatu (4-208) | Paeroa No. 1E. |
| 44 | A. R. Duff (4-66) | Paeroa No. 1E8. |
| 45 | Pahira Hoehoe (4-139) | Paeroa No. 1E8. |
| 46 | Itiria Kopu (4-201) | Poutaka. |
| 47 | Paku Naki and Pine Kerei (4-228) | Poutaka. |
| 48 | Hiria To (4-107) | Putere A12. |
| 49 | Rawhira Kirihuruhuru and others (4-220) | Rato No. 3C. |
| 50 | Rina Hokianga (4-140) | Rato No. 3C. |
| 51 | Karepa Taua and Paratene Waata (4-230) | Rimuroa. |
| 52 | Takerei Hauparo (4-235) | Rotokakarangu. |
| 53 | Rutene Tuhi (4-222) | Tapatangata. |
| 54 | Itiria Kopu (4-200) | Taumataoteo. |
| 55 | Paora Onekawa (4-206) | Taumataoteo. |
| 56 | Rewi Tamihana (4-259) | Taumataoteo. |
| 57 | Hemi Huata (4-162) | Taupara No. 2. |
| 58 | Paapu Waiti and Ripeka Paora (4-81) | Tawapata South No. 4. |
| 59 | Tamehana te Tuki (4-168) | Tawapata South No. 3. |
| 60 | Hati Toromata (4-213) | Tukemokihia No. 3B. |
| 61 | Ruihana Kake and Te Paea Kauwaerehe (4-217) | Tutaekuri. |
| 62 | Naki Morera and Waimiraka Morera (4-221) | Tutaekuri No. 1A. |
| 63 | Teka Hema (4-136) | Tutaekuri No. 1B. |
| 64 | Kapohe Awamutu (4-165) | Tutaekuri No. 1C15. |
| 65 | Kiritoha Kihirini and others (4-209) | Tutaekuri No. 1C16. |
| 66 | Urumingi Kapene (4-138) | Tutaekuri No. 1C16. |
| 67 | Peta Hema (4-137) | Tutaekuri No. 1C16. |
| 68 | Paerimu (4-133) | Tutaekuri No. 1C14. |
| 69 | Wikitoria te Nehu (4-172) | Tutuotekaha No. 1. |
| 70 | Hikiera Pona (4-164) | Tutuotekaha No. 3. |
| 71 | Heni Matuarakau (4-72) | Tutuotekaha No. 4. |
| 72 | Wi Tamihana (4-210) | Wharepu No. 1. |
| 73 | Heremaia Hikirangi and Hirini Manuhiri (4-54) | Whakaki. |
| 74 | Kepa Hoepo and others (4-257) | Whakaki No. 3. |

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDER.

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Land. | Amount due |
|-----|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| 84 | The Chief Surveyor, Hawke's Bay | Mangapoike No. 1F2 | £ s. d. 7 10 6 |
| 85 | The Chief Surveyor, Hawke's Bay | Mangapoike No. 1E2 | 8 15 0 |
| 86 | The Chief Surveyor, Hawke's Bay | Nuhaka No. 2C2 | 42 6 0 |

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE OF LAND.

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Land. |
|-----|---|------------------------------------|
| 87 | { Waiti te Rito, Patu te Rito, Mere te Rito, and Hinga te Rito .. Karena Taranui | Whakapau No. 5F. Hereheretau B. |

APPLICATIONS TO CONSTITUTE OWNERS A BODY CORPORATE.

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Land. |
|-----|-------------------------------------|--|
| 88 | Karepa Mataira and others | Nuhaka No. 2E3B. |
| 89 | Whakapahi Hata and others | Putere No. 1E2. |
| 90 | Hone te Putene and others | Whakapau No. 5C. |
| 91 | Eru Mete and others | Rato No. 3A. |
| 92 | Watene Paioneone and others | Tawapata South No. 4. |
| 93 | The Native Minister | Nuhaka Nos. 2A4C, 2A4D, 2A4E, 2A4G, 2A4K, 2A4L, 2A4M, 2A4N, 2A4P, 2A4S. |

APPLICATIONS FOR REGISTRATION OF ADOPTIONS.

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Adopted Party. | Parents of Adopted Party. |
|-----|-----------------------------|--|--|
| 99 | Pairimu Wi Pahaka | Tei Ruaawai and Raiha Ruaawai | |
| 100 | Para Paku | Robert Blair Sim | John Sim and Marion Sim. |
| 101 | John and Ereti Down | John Down, jun. | Paora Rupapera and Ripaka Paora. |
| 102 | Riwia Hori | Miriama | Henare and Makere Haati. |
| 103 | Enoho te Ro | Hariata Paretipua and Hape Paretipua | Haenga Paretipua. |
| 104 | Enoho te Ro | Rauhiria Hikawai and Te Ngaehe Whatuira Rangikahiwa Tipuna Te Ngaehe Whatuira Rangikahiwa Tipuna | Rauhiria Hikawai and Pera Hikawai. Neri Whatuira. Hakopa Tipuna. |

MATTER REFERRED BACK TO THE COURT FOR FURTHER HEARING AND ADJUDICATION.

| No. | Name of Land. | Particulars. |
|-----|----------------------|--|
| 105 | Kahotea West | Proceedings under section 30 of "The Native Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1901." |

APPLICATIONS TO ASCERTAIN AND DETERMINE THE NATIVE BENEFICIARIES.

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Land. |
|-----|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 106 | The East Coast Commissioner | Moutere No. 2, Subdivision 1. |
| 107 | The East Coast Commissioner | Tawapata South No. 1. |
| 108 | The East Coast Commissioner | Tawapata North No. 1A. |
| 109 | The East Coast Commissioner | Tawapata North No. 2, Subdivision 1. |
| 110 | The East Coast Commissioner | Whangawehi No. 1B. |

APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION WITH WILL ANNEXED.

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Deceased. |
|-----|-----------------------|--------------------|
| 111 | Perea Reupena | Te Hemara Hawene. |
| 112 | Pita Morera | Te Wheto Mitipara. |
| 113 | Karena Rawhi | Hamuera te Ngongo. |
| 114 | Hira Mane | Piripi Amorakau. |

APPLICATION FOR RESTRAINING ORDER.

| No. | Name of Applicant. | Name of Land. | Nature of Application. |
|-----|--------------------|---------------|---|
| 115 | Karepa Taus | Rimuroa | For an order prohibiting trespassers from entering upon land. |

Notice of Nomination for Committees for Incorporated Blocks.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the persons whose names are set out in the second column of the Schedule hereunder have been proposed for nomination as candidates for the committees to administer the blocks set out in the first column.

Dated at Gisborne, this 8th day of March, 1910.

HAROLD CARR,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

| Name of Block. | Names of Persons nominated. |
|----------------------|--|
| Mangapoike No. 2c .. | Maika Taruke. Wetini Rikirangi. Epanaia Whanga. Akuira te Ota. Ria te Ota. |
| Awapuni No. 1h .. | Arapeta Hape. Hapi Kiniha. Peti Aata. Te Make Rangiheuea. |

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

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. | | | |
| | | A. R. P. | £ s. d. |
| 3 | IX | 2 1 22 | 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 28 | 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 28 | 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 |

* Loaded 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 JOHN SIMPSON, of Henderson, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 15th day of March, 1910, at 11 a.m.

E. GÉRARD,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 8th March, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that STANLEY CREAMER, of Greenlane, Wood and Coal Merchant, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 15th day of March, 1910, at 2.30 p.m.

E. GÉRARD,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 8th March, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN ALEXANDER ROBB, of Gisborne, Confectioner and Boardinghouse-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Tuesday, the 15th day of March, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock.

JOHN COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Gisborne, 8th March, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that RICHARD HENRY WAKELIN, of Ohakune, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at Ohakune, at Mr. Gould's office, on Friday, the 18th day of March, 1910, at 4 o'clock p.m.

W. RODWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.

7th March, 1910.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of G. N. HUGHES-JOHNSON, of Wanganui, Printer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend, of 6s. 1d. in the pound, is now payable at my office on all proved and accepted claims.

W. RODWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 9th March, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM BAKER, of Ranga-taus, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at Ohakune, at Mr. Gould's office, on Monday, the 21st day of March, 1910, at 4 o'clock p.m.

W. RODWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.

14th March, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that DANIEL FRANCIS O'SULLIVAN, of Muritai, Baker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, Public Trust Building, on Friday, the 18th day of March, 1910, at 11 o'clock a.m.

ALEXR. SIMPSON,
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 8th March, 1910.

In Bankruptcy.

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

Lyttelton Steam Laundry Company (in liquidation): 20s. in the pound.

Bell, J. J.: First, of 4s. in the pound.

Selwood, Tom: First, of 1s. 6d. in the pound.

Moyle, W. H.: First and final, of 2s. 8d. in the pound.

J. EVANS,
Official Assignee.

Christchurch, 8th March, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that PERCY ARTHUR RING, of Medbury, Farm Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 16th day of March, 1910, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

J. EVANS,
Official Assignee.

8th March, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JEANIE DICKIE, of 111 Chester Street, Christchurch, Boardinghouse-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 16th day of March, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

J. EVANS,
Official Assignee.

9th March, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EUSTACE LINDEN MACASSEY, of Dunedin, Auctioneer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Wednesday, the 16th day of March, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Dunedin, 8th March, 1910.

MINING NOTICES.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Golden Gem Dredging Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 30th October, 1907. Whether in active operation or not: Active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: 69 High Street, Dunedin; H. Turner.

Nominal capital: £2,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £1,500.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £1,200.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any):

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £300.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 2,000.

Number of shares allotted: 1,500.

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: 19.
Present number of shareholders: 14.
Number of men employed by company: 8.
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 638 oz. 19 dwt. 12 gr.; £2,505 9s. 6d.
Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 1,240 oz. 7 dwt. 15 gr.; £4,831 15s. 11d.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £3,458 19s. 11d.
Total expenditure since registration: £6,160 4s. 6d.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
Amount of cash at banker's: Nil.
Amount of cash in hand: £2 1s. 3d.
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
Amount of debts owing by company: £1,175 10s. 8d.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Henry Turner, Secretary of the Golden Gem 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."

H. TURNER,
Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin, this 10th day of March, 1910, before me—W. Laurence Simpson, J.P. 247

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Tinkers Gold-mining Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 10th June, 1902.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Matakaniui; T. Duggan.

Nominal capital: £15,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £15,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £15,000.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £15,000.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £15,000.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 15,000.

Number of shares allotted: 15,000.

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: 15.

Number of men employed by company: 8.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 615 oz. 13 dwt. 11 gr.; £2,370 7s. 8d.

Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 4,885 oz. 18 dwt. 8 gr.; £18,871 13s. 6d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £1,295 1s. 5d.

Total expenditure since registration: £12,272 18s. 1d.

Total amount of dividends declared: £8,812 10s.

Total amount of dividends paid: £8,812 10s.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash at banker's: £122 6s. 4d.

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: £29 11s. 5d.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Timothy Duggan, the Secretary of the Tinkers Gold-mining Company (Limited), of Matakaniui, do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st January, 1910; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of "The Justices of the Peace Act, 1908."

T. DUGGAN,
Secretary.

Declared at Matakaniui, this 11th day of March, 1910, before me—Wm. Laidlaw, J.P. 256

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Mount Morgan Sluicing Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 2nd July, 1902.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Matakauui; T. Duggan.
 Nominal capital: £2,800.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £800.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £800.
 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: £2,000.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 2,800.
 Number of shares allotted: 2,800.
 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: 8.
 Present number of shareholders: 8.
 Number of men employed by company: 3.
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 176 oz. 17 dwt. 12 gr.; £679 5s. 10d.
 Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 1,308 oz. 4 dwt. 8 gr.; £5,041 12s. 2d.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £512 Os. 1d.
 Total expenditure since registration: £4,860 13s. 7d.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £70.
 Total amount of dividends paid: £70.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at banker's: £168 5s. 3d.
 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: £17 17s. 1d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Timothy Duggan, the Secretary of the Mount Morgan Sluicing Company (Limited), of Matakauui, 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."

T. DUGGAN,
 Secretary.

Declared at Matakauui, this 11th day of March, 1910,
 before me—Wm. Laidlaw, J.P. 257

UNDER "THE MINING ACT, 1908."

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE FOR TITLE UNDER "THE MINING ACT, 1905."

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

PURSUANT to "The Mining Act, 1908," the undersigned, Kate Theodora Muir, of Earnsclough, Widow, being the holder of the mining privilege specified in the Schedule hereto, hereby applies to surrender the same, and to obtain in substitution therefor a license for a corresponding mining privilege under that Act.

Address for service: Care of W. A. Bodkin, Solicitor, Alexandra.

Dated at Alexandra, this 26th day of January, 1910.

Schedule.

Name of mining privilege proposed to be surrendered, and Act under which the title is held: Water-race License No. 1569.

Locality and area of mining privilege: Blackman's Gully, in Leaning Rock District.

Existing instrument of title, with date and registered No.: License dated 19th September, 1895; registered No. 1569.

Whether instrument produced or not: Produced.

Time from which priority is claimed: 29th July, 1880.

Name of proposed corresponding mining privilege: Water-race license.

Proposed term of new license: Forty-two years.

KATE T. MUIR
 (By her Solicitor, W. A. Bodkin),
 Applicant.

Precise time of filing the foregoing application: 4 p.m., 28th January, 1910.

Time and place appointed for the hearing of the application and all objections thereto: Saturday, 12th March, 1910, at 11 a.m., at the Warden's Court, Clyde.

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

F. JEFFERY,
 Mining Registrar.

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In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908"; and in the matter of the Dargo Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

At an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above company held at Port Chalmers on Wednesday, the second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and ten, the following extraordinary resolution was duly passed:—

"That it is proved to its satisfaction that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue in business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that the company be wound up accordingly."

And at such meeting JAMES HENRY GRAY, of Port Chalmers, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the winding-up.

Dated at Port Chalmers, this 11th day of March, 1910.

257 FREDERICK WILLIAM PLATTS, 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 on or before the 18th day of April, 1910.

Application 4273. MARJOREY McDONNELL.—1 acre, part Section III, Rangitikei Block, Rangitoto Survey District, Block XI (Town of Bull's). Unoccupied.

Application 4339. THOMAS WILLIAM CAVERHILL.—260 acres 1 rood 6 $\frac{7}{10}$ perches, Section 184, and part of Sections 48, 51, 183, Hutt. Occupied by the Belmont Park Company (Limited).

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 16th day of March, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

E. BAMFORD,
 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 on or before the 14th day of April, 1910.

No. 638. GEORGE HENRY BENNETT SMITH.—2 roods 16 perches, Section 94, Town of Kaikoura. Unoccupied.

Diagram may be inspected at this office (D.P. No. 492).

Dated this 14th 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.

11010. MARY ANN REDPATH.—1 rood 10 perches, part of Rural Section 41, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicant.

11100. CHARLES BOWKER.—31 $\frac{4}{10}$ perches, part of Rural Section 2334, Borough of Timaru. Occupied by William McIntosh.

11112. JOHN FLINDERS SCOTT.—5 acres 2 roods 21 perches, part of Rural Section 1765, Block III, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

11113. JAMES CUSACK.—32 $\frac{4}{10}$ perches, Lot 2, Plan 2701, part of Rural Section 325, Block XI, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of March, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
 District Land Registrar.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

In the matter of "The Companies Act, 1908," section 266 (4).

Re the Norsewood Public Hall Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of the above company has been struck off the Register.
Dated at Napier, this 8th day of March, 1910.

L. PAULING,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

NOTICE.

"THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908," SECTION 266 (4).

TAKE notice that the companies enumerated in the Schedule hereunder have been struck off the Register and the said companies have been dissolved.

Schedule.

- 1899/29. Barrier Reefs Gold-mining Company (Limited).
- 1904/20. Galbraith Iron and Steel Company (Limited).
- 1905/20. Kirikiri Mines (Limited).
- 1904/52. Auckland Pure Milk Supply Company (Limited).
- 1906/53. South Kapanga Gold-mining Company (Limited).

1907/18. Ngatiawa Gold-mining Company (Limited).
1908/63. Neavesville Mines (Limited).

Given under my hand, at Auckland, this tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

WM. G. FLETCHER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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.

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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SCHEDULE.

The several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

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Dated this 28th day of February, 1910.

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R. W. EVANS,
Clerk of the Ohinemuri County Council.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, CHARLES EDWARD HOPGOOD and JAMES SINCLAIR HERRON, carrying on business as Storekeepers at Pukerau, Otago, under the style or firm of "Hopgood and Herron," has been dissolved as from the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and nine; and that all debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James Sinclair Herron, who will continue to carry on the said business alone and in his own name only.

As witness our hands, this eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

C. HOPGOOD.
J. S. HERRON.

Witness to the signatures of both parties—P. Lemon,
Solicitor, Dunedin. 248

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, JAMES ALEXANDER ROBERTSON and ROSS MOORE, carrying on business as Coachbuilders and Blacksmiths at Southbridge, under the style of "Moore and Robertson," was on the 1st day of March, 1910, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said James Alexander Robertson, by whom the business will in future be carried on.

Dated this 7th day of March, 1910.

JAMES ALEXANDER ROBERTSON.
ROSS MOORE.

Witness to the signatures of James Alexander Robertson and Ross Moore—J. Mawson Stewart, Public Accountant,
Christchurch. 249

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, WALTER HENRY HOOPER and LEONARD ARTHUR BISHOP, as Farmers, carrying on business at West Taratahi, near Carterton, is dissolved by mutual consent as from this date.

Dated this 9th day of March, 1910.

WALTER HENRY HOOPER.
LEONARD ARTHUR BISHOP.

Witness—T. E. Maunsell, Solicitor, Carterton. 250

NOTICE.

SOLICITOR (just passed examination) with good all-round practical experience seeks engagement, town or country.

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"LEX," Post-office, Timaru.

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, GAVIN ADDIE FORREST, M.B., Bac. Surg., 1901, Univ. Edin., now residing in Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 11th April next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Dominion of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar-General.

G. A. FORREST, M.B.

Dated at Wellington, 10th March, 1910. 254

I, GEORGE JOHN BLACKMORE, M.B. C.M. Edin. 1895, M.D. Edin. 1907, D.P.H. Oxon. 1901, now residing in Christchurch, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 11th day of April next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Dominion of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Christchurch.

G. J. BLACKMORE.

Dated at Christchurch, 10th March, 1910. 255

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership between us, the undersigned, DONALD WILLIAMSON, CHARLES WILLIAMSON, ALEXANDER STUART, in the business of Sheepfarmers carried on by us, Greenstone District, under the style or firm of "Williamson Brothers and Stuart," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the day of the date hereof. The said Donald Williamson and Charles Williamson will continue the said business, under the style of "Williamson Brothers," and will receive all debts due to and pay all debts due by the said late firm.

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

DONALD WILLIAMSON.
CHARLES WILLIAMSON.
ALEXANDER STUART.

Witness to all signatures—T. E. Bryant. 258

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto carried on between ALBERT DELLOW DONALD and ERNEST JAMES EASTWOOD, under the style of "Donald and Eastwood," Cycle Importers and Engineers, at Pahiatua, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 28th day of February, 1910. All liabilities of the firm will be discharged by the new firm of A. and R. Donald, who will also receive all moneys owing to the late firm, and who can alone give a good discharge therefor.

E. J. EASTWOOD.
A. D. DONALD.
G. R. DONALD.

Witness to signatures—J. Osburne-Lilly, Solicitor, Pahiatua. 259

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