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Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks XIII and XIV, Cloudy Bay Survey District, Wairau Road District.

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

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the owners of the land mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Wairau Road Board, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Cloudy Bay Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consent as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.
LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land Proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Sections No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 5 1 20	76 and 78	XIV	Cloudy Bay	P.W.D. 25344	Red.
8 3 20	89, 90, 92, and 94	XIII	"	Ditto..	"
1 2 32	89	"	"	" ..	Purple.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of each of the Pieces of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining Sections No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 6 1 1	75 and 76	XIV	Cloudy Bay	P.W.D. 25344	Green.
1 3 30	76 and 78	"	"	Ditto..	"

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-fourth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

ERRATUM.—In the Warrant authorizing Native owners to lease certain lands, published in *Gazette* No. 92, of the 20th October, 1910, page 3725, for "Rotoiti 3A" read "Rotoiti 5A."

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks II and III, Tokatoka Survey District, Hobson County.

(L.S.)

ISLINGTON, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owners, lessee, and mortgagees of the land mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Hobson County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Tokatoka Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 2 32	44 E.R., Arapohue Parish	II	Tokatoka	P.W.D. 26743	Pink.
2 1 35	43 and N.W. 42	"	"	"	Blue.
0 3 36	S.E. 42, 41	"	"	"	"
0 1 7	37	"	"	"	"
1 3 35	38	"	"	"	Yellow.
1 2 16.5	41	"	"	"	Blue.
0 0 6	38	"	"	"	Yellow.
0 1 5.3	E. and W. 40	"	"	"	Pink.
5 2 21	E. 40	II and III	"	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of each of the Pieces of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 0 18	36 and 43, Arapohue Parish	II	Tokatoka	P.W.D. 26743	Green.
1 1 4	37, 41, S.E. 42	"	"	"	"
1 1 28.5	37, 38, and 41	"	"	"	"
0 1 9	43, 44	"	"	"	"
3 3 4	43, 44	"	"	"	"

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block II, Motueka Survey District, Riwaka Road District.

(L.S.)

ISLINGTON, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the owner and mortgagee of the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and of the Riwaka Road Board, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Motueka Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 8 1 0	31	II	Motueka	P.W.D. 27419	Pink.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block X, Waitara Survey District, Clifton County.

(L.S.)

ISLINGTON, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the

Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the owner, lessees, and mortgagee of the land mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Clifton County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Waitara Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consent as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 7 2 17 3 2 6	Subdivision 3, Otaraoa Block	X	Waitara	P.W.D. 27301	Pink.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of each of the Pieces of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 7 3 37	Subdivision 2A, Otaraoa Block Subdivision 3, Otaraoa Block	X	Waitara	P.W.D. 27301	Green.
6 1 24					
5 0 31	Subdivision 5, Otaraoa Block Subdivision 3, Otaraoa Block	"	"	"	"

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-fourth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Laying-out and taking a Road in Block IX, Rotorua Survey District, Rotorua County.

(L.S.) ISLINGTON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section three hundred and eighty-nine of the Native Land Act, 1909, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby lay out and take as a road the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Road laid out and taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 1 16	5A, originally portion of Mareseroa-Oturoa Block (15670, blue)	IX	Rotorua ..	P.W.D. 27567	Pink.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-fourth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Rules under the Judicature Act, 1908.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of October, 1910.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the fifty-first section of the Judicature Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, and with the concurrence of their Honours the Judges of the Supreme Court of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the rules contained in the Schedule hereto, and doth declare that the said rules set out in the said Schedule shall come into force and take effect as and from the first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

SCHEDULE.

AFFIDAVITS.

194A. In every affidavit made by two or more deponents the names of the several persons making the affidavit shall be inserted in the jurat, except that if the affidavit of all the deponents is taken at one time by the same officer it shall be sufficient to state that it was sworn by both (or all) of the "above-named deponents."

SERVICE OF ORIGINATING SUMMONS.

541A. The notice of motion for directions as to service shall specify the direction asked for by the plaintiff, and shall state the reasons for such specification, but the Court shall not be bound thereby.

541B. To assist the Court in determining questions arising in giving directions for service of an originating summons where the questions thereby raised relate to the interests of several persons under a will, settlement, deed, or instrument of gift, contract, or other instrument, or under any particular statutory provision, or where questions touching the interests of infants born or unborn, or absentees arise, plaintiff shall, by affidavit or otherwise, supply to the Court such information as shall enable it to decide by what means the interests of each person or class interested may be adequately represented to the end that it may determine whether it should—

(a.) Direct any executor or trustee to represent infants, unborn persons, or absentees, or persons otherwise unrepresented, or otherwise provide for such representation:

- (b.) Direct that a guardian *ad litem* be appointed to represent any person where such a course appears necessary :
- (c.) Direct any person to represent others who have the like interest :
- (d.) Direct that any party or group of parties appear by a separate solicitor :
- (e.) Appoint counsel to represent any party separately as to all or any of the questions arising upon such summons, such counsel undertaking to represent such party :
- (f.) Direct the Public Trustee to represent any person or class of persons.

541c. Service upon any person appointed in terms of the foregoing rule shall suffice without appointment of guardian *ad litem* where it is not considered necessary to appoint one.

541d. Where in any such case the public interest is or may be affected, the plaintiff shall similarly supply to the Court such information as shall enable it to determine whether it should—

- (g.) Direct that the Attorney-General or Solicitor-General be served :
- (h.) Direct that any other Minister or functionary have notice of the proceedings :
- (i.) Direct that, with the consent of a Minister to be filed, any head of Department or other officer or functionary may represent the public interest and direct service on him.

541e. Where the interests of inhabitants of any locality represented by a local authority, or the interests of any similar class, are likely to be affected, the plaintiff shall similarly supply to the Court such information as shall enable it to determine whether it should—

- (j.) Direct that the local body or other representative body represent such inhabitants or class, unless it shall appear that their interests or the interests of a considerable section of such inhabitants or class may be adverse to those of the local authority ; or
- (k.) In cases where the local authority is itself the party moving, direct in what manner the inhabitants or any section of the community shall be represented.

541f. The memorandum indorsed on an originating summons embodying the directions as to the service thereof may be signed by the Registrar or Deputy Registrar.

MOTIONS AND SUMMONSES.

597B. Rule 597A of the Code of Civil Procedure is supplemented by the following additional paragraphs :—

- (e.) Every indorsement shall show the purpose of the motion or summons. Thus it is sufficient to indorse the proceeding as "Motion for Probate," but it is not sufficient to indorse a proceeding "Summons for Directions" or otherwise in an indeterminate way unless such proceeding cannot conveniently be briefly described.
- (f.) Every notice of motion for administration in which dispensing with or reducing security is applied for shall be indorsed so as to show such application in the indorsement.
- (g.) When any notice of motion or summons fails to comply with this rule, and application is made under paragraph (d) of Rule 597A for leave to file it, a Judge or the Registrar may order that a fresh indorsement may be attached thereto, with or without allowing the stamps to be reattached.
- (h.) When the reattaching of stamps is disallowed, whether under this rule or for any other reason, the cost thereof shall be disallowed to the solicitor who has filed the document.

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

Amending Inland Postage on Magazines (Registered).

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of October, 1910.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council made on the seventeenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and ten, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the

eighteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and ten, regulations were made and rates of postage fixed, under the authority of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), for the transmission of letters, books, packets, and newspapers through the post for places within or beyond New Zealand, and it is expedient to amend such regulations in the manner hereinafter set forth :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the rates of postage in respect of inland registered magazines fixed in the Schedule to the above-recited Order in Council, and in lieu thereof doth hereby fix the rates of postage for inland registered magazines set forth in the Schedule hereto ; and doth order that such rates shall take effect on and after the date of publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, and that all other references to the said rates of postage in the regulations made by the said Order in Council shall be deemed to be altered accordingly.

SCHEDULE.

RATES OF POSTAGE.

Magazines (Registered).

INLAND .. { Each copy not exceeding 8 oz., $\frac{1}{2}$ d. ; every additional 8 oz. or fraction thereof, $\frac{1}{2}$ d.

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

Appointing Member of Assessment Court for Rotorua Town.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of October, 1910.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the Valuation of Land Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint

THORNTON WALKER

to be a member of the Assessment Court for the Town of Rotorua.

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

Authorizing the Alienation of Native Land, notwithstanding the Provisions of Part XII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of October, 1910.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and three of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted that the Governor may by Order in Council, in any case in which he deems it expedient in the public interest so to do, authorize any acquisition, alienation, or disposition of Native land or of any interest therein, notwithstanding any of the provisions of Part XII (relating to limitation of area) of the aforementioned Act :

And whereas it is expedient that authority be granted for the acquisition, alienation, or disposition of the lands set out in the Schedule hereto, notwithstanding any of the provisions of Part XII of the said Act :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby authorize the acquisition, alienation, or disposition of the lands set out in the Schedule hereto, notwithstanding any of the provisions of Part XII of the Native Land Act, 1909. And it is hereby declared that this Order in

Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

SCHEDULE

Name of Block.	Area.	Block.	Survey District.
Te Wake No. 1 ..	A. R. P. 11 2 23	XV	Mata.
" No. 2 ..	41 0 0	XIV & XV	"
Rakauatautini A ..	119 2 24	XV III	" Tokomaru.
Honokawa 1B ..	117 3 0	XII	Raukumara East.
Pouturu No. 1 ..	255 0 0	XI	Hikurangi.
Rangikohua No. 6	157 0 0	XII	"
Paekawa No. 1B ..	275 2 0	IX V, IX, X	Mata. "
Rangikohua No. 1B	110 1 0	XII	Hikurangi.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Arawa Park Domain.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of October, 1910.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke a certain Order in Council, dated the tenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and five, appointing a Domain Board to have control of the Arawa Park Domain, and doth hereby appoint

CHARLES AUGUSTUS CLARKE,
THORNTON WALKER,
WILLIAM THOMAS CARR,
CHARLES CROWTHER,
ANDREW ERNEST KUSABS,
DAVID GARDNER, and
FREDERICK GOODSON

to be the Arawa Park Domain Board, having, subject to the said Act, control of the land described in the Schedule hereto, which land is a public domain, and shall be called the Arawa Park Domain; and also doth hereby appoint Monday, the seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and ten, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the office at the corner of Tutanekei and Hinemoa Streets, Rotorua, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

ARAWA PARK DOMAIN.

ALL that parcel of land in the Auckland Land District, being Section No. 23 of the Rotorua Rural Sections, containing by admeasurement 46 acres 3 roods 17 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 22 of the Rotorua Suburban Sections, 1515 links; towards the north-east by a public road, 2455 links; towards the east by Section No. 26 of the Rotorua Rural Sections, 111 links; towards the south by Section No. 24 of the Rotorua Rural Sections, 2783 links; and towards the west by Fenton Street, 2000 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 44604, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Rangaroa Domain.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty-seven of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, by Order in Council gazetted, appoint any local authority to be the Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain:

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

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

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

THE TAUMARUNUI NATIVE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

to be the Taumarunui Domain Board, having the control of the land described in the said Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Wednesday, the ninth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and ten, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and Gardiner's Hall, Taumarunui, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

RANGAROA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 9 acres 2 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 9, Block V, Rangaroa Village. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 8, Block V, Rangaroa Village; towards the east generally by a water-supply reserve for Railway Department and the Ohura South G No. 4 Block; towards the south generally by Taumarunui Railway-station (North Island Main Trunk Railway); towards the west by Section No. 11 of Block V aforesaid; again towards the north by East Street and Section No. 10 of Block V aforesaid; towards the south-west by Section No. 10 aforesaid; towards the south-east by the last-named section; and again towards the south-west by East Street aforesaid: save and except a water-supply reserve, 25 links wide, intersecting the before-described land: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1362/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

Fishing-license Fee, Lake Brunner.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of October, 1910.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the third day of November, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eleventh day of the same month, a regulation was made providing, amongst other things, that whole-season licenses for Lake Brunner only might be granted to men, women, and boys at a fee of ten shillings:

And whereas it is desirable to revoke the said regulation so far as it applies to men:

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 Part II of the Fisheries 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 revoke the said regulation so far as it relates to the Lake Brunner whole-season license fee for men, but not further or otherwise.

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

Ohinemuri County Council declared a Leasing Authority under the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of October, 1910.

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

Vesting Reserves in the Nelson City Council.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of October, 1910.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the lands described in the Schedule hereto have been permanently reserved for waterworks purposes:

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said reserves in the Nelson City Council:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the fourth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserves described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the City of Nelson, in trust for waterworks purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 1,000 acres, more or less, and being Section No. 1, Block IV, Maungatapu Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Section No. 14, Square 18; towards the north-east by Section No. 27 of Square 18; towards the south-east by Section No. 13 of Square 18; again towards the north-east by Sections Nos. 24 and 23 of Square 18; again towards the south-east by Section No. 6, Block IV, Maungatapu Survey District; towards the south-west and again towards the south-east by Section No. 5 of the before-mentioned Block IV; and again towards the south-west by Crown lands: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5428/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon hatched red.

All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 3,200 acres, more or less, and being Section No. 1, Block II, Maungatapu Survey District. Bounded towards the north generally by Sections Nos. 42 and 55 of Square 23, Section No. 22 of Block X, Wakapuaka Survey District, and by Section No. 85 of Square 23; towards the north-east by a right line drawn from the south-east corner of the last-mentioned section to the summit of the main range forming the watershed between the Maitai and Pelorus Rivers; towards the

east by the said summit to Trig. Station Maungatapu (K.H.); towards the south-west by a right line from the said trig. station to the north-east corner of Section No. 6 of Square 18, and by the said Section No. 6; towards the north-west generally by Section No. 50 of Square 18, the north branch of the Maitai River, and Section No. 52 of Square 18; again towards the south-west by Sections Nos. 52, 49, 48, 47, 46, and 44, all of Square 18; and towards the west by Section No. 57 of Square 18: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5428/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

Vesting a Reserve in the Mackenzie Town Board.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of October, 1910.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES CARROLL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been permanently reserved for a site for the deposit of refuse:

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Mackenzie Town Board:

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Reserve 3820 (in red), situated in Block VII, Cheviot Survey District, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point on the south-eastern boundary of Section 9, the said point being distant 623.2 links from the south-western corner of that section, and proceeding thence north-easterly along the aforesaid boundary of Section 9, 316.3 links; thence south-easterly along a line at a right angle to that boundary, 316.3 links; thence south-westerly along a line at a right angle to the last-mentioned boundary, 316.3 links; and thence north-westerly along a line at a right angle to the last-named boundary, 316.3 links, to the place of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 48749/163, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Applying Parts of a Street, formerly known as Boundary Street, which has been diminished in Width, within the Borough of Te Aroha to the Purposes of Public Utility in Terms of Section 182 (2) of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the one-hundred-and-eighty-second section of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that where, in diverting, or stopping, or diminishing the width of any street, any part thereof is no longer required for public use, the Council may apply the same, or any part thereof, to any purpose of public convenience or utility approved by the Governor in Council:

And whereas application has been received from the Te Aroha Borough Council that the portion of street formerly known as Boundary Street, which has been diminished in

width within the said borough, described in the First Schedule hereto, may be applied as a site for a post-office, and the portions of the said street described in the Second Schedule hereto may be applied as a site for municipal buildings and offices, the said street having been diminished in width by the Te Aroha Borough Council in accordance with the requirements of the said Act: And whereas the Governor in Council is of opinion that the said portions of the street formerly known as Boundary Street, which has been diminished in width, should be so applied:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authority conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve that the said pieces of land described in the Schedules hereto shall be applied to the purposes of public utility aforesaid.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land in the Auckland Land District, Borough of Te Aroha, being formerly portion of Boundary Street, which is now diminished in width, having a frontage on the north-east of 100 links to Whitaker Street, and a frontage on the north-west of 200 links to Boundary Street, and containing an area of 32 perches; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 26676, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured purple.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

All that piece of land in the said borough, being formerly portion of Boundary Street, which is now diminished in width, having a frontage on the south-west of 100 links to Rewi Street, and a frontage on the north-west of 133.3 links to Boundary Street, and containing an area of 21.3 perches.

Also all that piece of land in the said borough, being formerly portion of Boundary Street, which is now diminished in width, having a frontage on the north-east of 100 links to Rewi Street, and a frontage on the north-west of 166.6 links to Boundary Street, and containing an area of 26.7 perches; as the same are more particularly delineated on the said plan, and thereon coloured red.

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

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

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ASHLEY DOMAIN.

ALL that area in Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 1,920 acres, more or less, being Reserve 3102, situate in Blocks IV, VI, VII, VIII, Rangiora Survey District, comprising all that portion of the Ashley River bed lying between Reserves 1380 and 1921 on the west and the South Pacific Ocean on the east, save and excepting thereout Reserves Nos. 896 and 2486; also Rural Sections 1833, 10260, 11386, 12160, 14316, 23889, and 35072, which are included within the above-described boundaries, subject also to riparian ownership as regards part of Reserve 91 and Sections 10260, 11201, 11202, 19091, 23889,

33636, and 35072; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 44025, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

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

Recreation Reserve in Southland Land District brought under Part II of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres and 14 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 1 to 15, Block VIII, Town of East Gore. Bounded towards the north-west by Railway Street, 228 links; towards the east and north-east by the Waikaka River; towards the south by Toronto Street, 1222.3 links; and towards the west by Dundas Street, 1167.4 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1430, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Reciprocal Application of Workers' Compensation Act, 1908, to United Kingdom, Queensland, and Western Australia.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section fifty-three of the Workers' Compensation Act, 1908, it is enacted that where the Governor is satisfied that by the laws of any other country within the dominions of the Crown compensation for accidents is payable to the relatives of a deceased worker, although they are resident in New Zealand, he may by Order in Council declare that relatives resident in that country shall have the same rights and remedies under that Act as if resident in New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor is satisfied that by the laws of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the State of Queensland, and the State of Western Australia respectively, compensation for accidents is payable to the relatives of a deceased worker, although they are resident in New Zealand:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section fifty-three of the Workers' Compensation Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that relatives of a deceased worker, resident in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the State of Queensland, and the State of Western Australia respectively, shall have the same rights and remedies under the Workers' Compensation Act, 1908, as if resident in New Zealand.

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

Validating Rate made by Borough of Roxburgh.

ISLINGTON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS on the seventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and ten, the Council of the Borough of Roxburgh made a general rate of one shilling and ninepence in the pound on all rateable property within the said borough for the year ending thirty-first March, one thousand nine hundred and eleven : And whereas it appears that by misadventure the intention of the said Council to make the said rate was not publicly notified as required by section fifty of the Rating Act, 1908 : And whereas it is expedient to validate the irregularity as hereinafter set forth :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Rating 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 said rate so made as aforesaid shall be valid and effectual, notwithstanding the omission to publicly notify the intention to make the said rate.

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

Vesting Land in the Public Trustee under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892.

ISLINGTON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section four of the West Coast Settlement (North Island) Act, 1880, the Governor in Council is empowered to make and set apart reserves for Natives within the "confiscated territory" described in the First Schedule to the said Act :

And whereas all such reserves hitherto so set apart have become vested in the Public Trustee in fee-simple under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892, subject to the trusts respectively affecting the same :

And whereas it is expedient to set apart the land described in the Schedule hereto as a reserve for the further benefit of the Native owners thereof, to be ascertained under the provisions of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892, and its amendments :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities conferred by the first-before-mentioned Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby set apart the land described in the Schedule hereto ; and with the like advice and consent doth direct that the said land shall vest in the Public Trustee in fee-simple under and subject to the provisions of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892, and all amendments thereof ; and with the like advice and consent doth direct the issue of a Crown grant of the land described in the said Schedule to the Public Trustee in fee-simple, subject as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land, containing 436 acres, more or less, being the Otuhuia Block, Block V, Nukumarū Survey District, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

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

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

ISLINGTON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and thirty of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is provided that no instrument of alienation of Native land by way of mortgage or charge, other than a mortgage or charge in favour of a State Loan Department, shall be confirmed by a Board or Court without the precedent consent of the Governor in Council :

And whereas application has been made for the consent of the Governor in Council to a mortgage of the blocks or parcels of land mentioned in the Schedule hereto : And whereas it is expedient that the precedent consent of the Governor in Council should issue :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the alienation by way of mortgage of the blocks or parcels of land set out in the Schedule hereto. And it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Approximate Area.	Provincial District.
Kaiti, Sections 106 and 131	A. R. P. 2 0 0	Auckland.

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

Prohibiting Private Alienation of certain Native Land.

ISLINGTON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby prohibit for the period of one year from the date of this Order in Council all alienations of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienations in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Block.	Approximate Area.	Survey District.
Manawaangi	12,070 acres	Porangahau.

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

Lands permanently reserved.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	Gazette.
Auckland ..	Plumer Hamlet (Parish of Waipareira)	20	..	A. R. P. 3 2 7	Public recreation-ground	1910. 20 Aug.	1910. No. 79, 25 Aug.
" ..	Mangamuka Survey District (Kohukohu Township)	71	X	0 0 16	Site for a public library and mechanics' institute	20 "	" "
" ..	Maungaru Survey District	6	VII	5 0 0	Landing reserve ..	9 Sept.	No. 84, 15 Sept.
" ..	Tarawera Survey District	..	XV, XVI	97 0 0	Internal communication	9 "	" "
" ..	Ditto	2	XV	135 3 0	Scenic	9 "	" "
" ..	"	4	"	139 2 16	"	9 "	" "
" ..	"	5A	"	6 1 0	"	9 "	" "
" ..	"	3	"	6 1 12	"	9 "	" "
" ..	Puniu Survey District	10	V	4 1 20	Site for a public cemetery	13 "	" "
Hawke's Bay	Mahanga Survey District	19	III	4 3 20	Site for a public school	25 Aug.	No. 81, 1 Sept.
Wellington	Town of Waimarino	1	VI	1 0 0	Police	5 "	No. 76, 11 Aug.
Nelson ..	Reefton Survey District	..	IX	0 3 0	Addition to a site for a public cemetery	5 "	" "
" ..	Matakitaki Survey District	17	VI	0 1 0	Site for a public hall ..	26 "	No. 81, 1 Sept.
" ..	Kaiteriteri Survey District	5	XIV	10 1 34	Resting-place for travelling stock	26 "	" "
" ..	Matiri Survey District	5	III	8 0 20	Site for a public school	26 "	" "
" ..	"	6	"	1 2 0	Gravel	26 "	" "
" ..	"	8	IV	1 1 20	"	26 "	" "
" ..	"	10	XIV	5 1 3	Resting-place for travelling stock	26 "	" "
" ..	Marnia Survey District	11	IV	63 1 14	Ditto	26 "	" "
" ..	Ditto	16	XII	8 0 0	Metal	26 "	" "
" ..	Kongahu Survey District	17	III	10 3 8	Site for a public cemetery	26 "	" "
" ..	Ditto	18	"	12 2 0	Metal	26 "	" "
" ..	"	7	VII	5 0 0	Site for a public cemetery	26 "	" "
" ..	Lyell Survey District	13	XVI	0 2 12	Gravel	26 "	" "
" ..	"	14	"	1 0 0	Metal	26 "	" "
" ..	Motupiko Survey District	13	X	2 0 0	Gravel	26 "	" "
" ..	Ditto	15	"	1 1 2	"	26 "	" "
" ..	"	16	"	3 2 0	"	26 "	" "
" ..	"	15	XIV	1 2 0	"	26 "	" "
" ..	"	16	"	1 0 0	"	26 "	" "
" ..	"	17	"	1 0 0	"	26 "	" "
" ..	Kawatiri Survey District	130	III	10 0 0	"	26 "	" "
" ..	Town of Hector ..	137	..	0 0 34	Police	26 "	" "
" ..	"	147	..	0 1 5	Site for the deposit of rubbish	26 "	" "
" ..	Kaiteriteri Survey District	20	VII	147 0 0	Quarry	9 Sept.	No. 84, 15 Sept.
" ..	Burnett Survey District	11	III	8 3 0	Site for a public school	9 "	" "
" ..	Ditto	16	"	22 0 0	Resting-place for travelling stock	9 "	" "
Marlborough	Opawa District, Cloudy Bay Survey District	Allotment No. 4 of Sec. 45	XVI	10 0 0	Public recreation-ground	24 Aug.	No. 81, 1 Sept.
Canterbury	Westerfield Survey District	Res. 3822 (in red)	VIII	8 2 0	River-conservation ..	9 Sept.	No. 84, 15 Sept.
Otago ..	Town of Glenorchy ..	6 to 16 (inclusive)	III	1 3 11.8	Site for a public school	20 Aug.	No. 79, 25 Aug.
" ..	"	1	XX	23 0 37	Public recreation-ground	9 Sept.	No. 84, 15 Sept.
" ..	Elderslie Settlement, Kauroo Survey District	34A	XI	2 0 20	Site for a public school	13 "	" "
Southland..	Adams' Island (southernmost of the Auckland Is'ds)	..	"	25,000 0 0	Preservation of native fauna and flora	24 Aug.	No. 81, 1 Sept.
" ..	Town of Limehills ..	8	IV	0 1 0	Public recreation-ground	13 Sept.	No. 84, 15 Sept.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Trustee for the Arapohue Public Cemetery appointed.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the fourth section of the Cemeteries Act, 1908, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

CHARLES DARWIN BRADLEY

to be a Trustee, in the place of Reginald Pring Keer, deceased, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Arapohue Public Cemetery, in conjunction with Joseph Simpkin, George Coverhouse Sills, Benjamin Charles New, and Arthur Johnston Gelston, previously appointed by His Excellency the Governor.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Mokihinui and Seddonville Public Cemeteries appointed.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Cemeteries Act, 1908, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the warrants of the third day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, and the second day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, appointing trustees for the Mokihinui and Seddonville Public Cemeteries respectively, and appoint the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to have the control and management of the public cemeteries specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Names of Public Cemeteries, and Descriptions of Land.
Timothy Corby, Cornelius Dean, Ducliffe Peter Mumm, James Quinn, Thomas Quinn, Fredrick Smallholme, and Meyrick Lewilyn Jones.	MOKIHINUI PUBLIC CEMETERY. All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 1 rood 39 perches, more or less, and being Section No. 115, Town of Mokihinui. Bounded towards the north-east by Hiller Street, 536 links; towards the south-east by a line at right angles to the said north-east boundary, 525 links; towards the south-west by Knyvet Street, 414 links; and towards the north-west by the road along the coast of the Tasman Sea, 539 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1622, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.
	SEDDONVILLE PUBLIC CEMETERY. All that area in the Nelson Land District containing by admeasurement 3 acres 1 rood 34 perches, more or less, and being Section No. 4A, Block X, Mokihinui Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by the road along the left bank of the Mokihinui River, 769.5 links; towards the south-east by Section No. 116 of the Town of Mokihinui, 485 links, and by the prolongation in a south-westerly direction of the north-west boundary of that section, 258.1 links; and towards the south-west by part of Section No. 4 of Square 144, 338.5 links and 664.3 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1622A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Murchison Public Cemetery appointed.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the fifty-fifth section of the Cemeteries Act, 1908, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the local authority specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to have the control and management of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Local Authority.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
Murchison County Council.	MURCHISON <i>(Formerly known as Hampden).</i> All that area in the Nelson Land District containing by admeasurement 3 acres and 32 perches, more or less, and being Sections Nos. 90 and 92 of Square 170, in the Town of Murchison. Bounded towards the east by Chalgrave Street, 800 links; towards the south by Essex Street, 400 links; and towards the west and north by Section No. 94A of Square 170, 799.1 and 400 links respectively: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1634, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Opening Land in Auckland Land District for Sale or Selection.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—HOKIANGA COUNTY.—
WAIPOUA 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.
W 17	XI	213 3 2	£ 360 0 0	£ 9 0 0	£ 7 4 0

A. R. P. £ s. d. £ s. d.
Weighted with £141 7s. 6d. for about 18,891 sup. ft. of kauri timber and about 263,860 sup. ft. of totara timber. Altitude, from 600 ft. to 800 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to level land; mostly old kauri workings; about 160 acres overrun by fire about two years ago, and grassed; balance green forest comprising kauri, totara, taraire, rata, miro, tawa, and birch; light undergrowth of ferns and kiekie. Soil loam and clay of fair quality on sandstone formation. Situated about eight miles from Kaihu Railway-station by formed road.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale or Selection.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
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WEST TAUPO COUNTY—PUNI SURVEY DISTRICT.

A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
3	V	190	0	0	380	0	0	9	10	0	7	12	0

Altitude, from 100 ft. to 200 ft. above sea-level. Open level land, covered with fern and manuka scrub. Soil of medium quality; well watered by small swamps. Situated about five miles from Te Pahi Railway-station by formed road, not metalled.

WEST TAUPO AND WAITOMO COUNTIES.—PUNI SURVEY DISTRICT.

A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
6	IX	182	0	20	320	0	0	8	0	0	6	8	0

Altitude, from 100 ft. to 250 ft. above sea-level. About 125 acres swamp, balance covered with heavy fern and tutu; mostly ploughable. Soil of medium quality; well watered by Kawa Swamp. Situated about four miles from Te Pahi Railway-station by formed road, not metalled.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Opening Land in Wellington Land District for Sale or Selection.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—RANGITIKEI COUNTY.—OHINEWAIURUA SURVEY DISTRICT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
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A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
25	XIII	89	2	0	500	0	0	12	10	0	10	0	0

Weighted with £177 10s., valuation for improvements.

Access is from Taihape, three miles distant, by a formed dray-road; one mile and a half of the road is metalled. Undulating land, with soil of a good loam on papa formation. The forest is mixed bush, with the usual undergrowth. Well watered by streams. Elevation ranges from about 1,000 ft. to 1,200 ft. above sea-level. The improvements comprise felling and grassing, 20 acres; felling only, 6 acres; fencing, 87 chains; and dwellinghouse, two rooms, 26 ft. by 11½ ft. by 10 ft., built of sawn timber and roofed with iron.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Opening Land in Southland Land District for Sale or Selection.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—TARANGATURA SURVEY DISTRICT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
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A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
1	XLI	88	0	5	180	0	0	4	10	0	3	15	0

Weighted with £40, valuation for improvements consisting of fencing and grassing.

The whole of this land was formerly covered with mixed bush, most of which has been removed, the remainder being chiefly white-pine, through portion of which a fire has spread. The land is undulating, and steep in places; sandstone formation; fairly well watered. Access by metalled road, and distant about five miles from Centre Bush Railway-station. Altitude, from 300 ft. to 425 ft. above sea-level.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees of a Rifle Range Reserve appointed.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto, and hereinafter called the "Colac Bay Rifle Range Reserve," has, by virtue of certain Proclamations, dated the twenty-third day of November, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and the seventh day of January, one thousand nine hundred and ten, become vested in the Crown, and set apart as a rifle range for the use of the Territorial Force under the Defence Act, 1909: And whereas it is expedient to appoint Trustees for the said rifle range, under the provisions of Part V of the Defence Act, 1908:

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the authority vested in me by Part V of the Defence Act, 1908, and of all other authorities conferred upon me in that behalf, do hereby appoint

Captain GEORGE TASMAN DAWSON, Colac Bay Rifles,
AUSTIN CULLING, Esquire, and
WILLIAM CHARLES HARRISON, Esquire,

to be Trustees of the said rifle range under Part V of the Defence Act, 1908. And I hereby declare that the said Trustees and their successors shall be a body corporate as aforesaid for an estate in fee-simple, to have and to hold the same as a rifle range for the use of the Territorial Force, subject to the provisions of the Defence Act, 1908, and the Defence Act, 1909, in that behalf. And I further declare that this Warrant shall take effect on the twentieth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 32 acres 2 roods 13 perches, more or less, being Section No. 14, Block X, Longwood Survey District, commencing at the north-east corner of Section No. 13 of the said block, Longwood Survey District. Bounded thence by a line bearing $345^{\circ} 28' 20''$ for a distance of 979.8 links; thence by a line bearing $346^{\circ} 59'$ for a distance of 5308 links; thence by a line bearing $76^{\circ} 59'$ for a distance of 400 links; thence by a line bearing $166^{\circ} 59'$ for a distance of 5308 links; thence by a line bearing $168^{\circ} 30'$ for a distance of 3776.8 links; thence by a road-line bearing $252^{\circ} 43'$ for a distance of 200.6 links to the south-east corner of said Section No. 13; thence by the north-east boundary of that section, 2818 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5369/3, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Authorizing Native Owners to lease Native Land.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by subsection (b) of section fifteen of the Maori Land Laws Amendment Act, 1908, and acting on the recommendation of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby authorize the Native proprietors of the under-mentioned land to lease the same, subject to the condition that the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1909, as to leasing are complied with.

Rotomahana Parekarangi No. 5B (8087 acres).

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

J. CARROLL,
Native Minister.

Vesting Control of the Waipuku River Bridge in the Stratford County Council and apportioning the Cost of Maintenance.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and twenty of the Public Works Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may, upon the terms and conditions in the said section mentioned, by Warrant publicly notified, direct that any bridge already constructed, or which may hereafter be constructed, over or across any river or arm of the sea respectively shall, from and after a date to be fixed in such Warrant, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of such local authority as is mentioned in that behalf in such Warrant; and may by any such Warrant as aforesaid fix and determine whether all or any, and, if so, what part of the cost, whether theretofore incurred or thereafter to be incurred, of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing any such bridge is to be provided and paid by the local authority or local authorities, and if so, by what local authority or local authorities; and may also by any such Warrant as aforesaid direct how, when, and to whom any such payment is to be made:

And whereas by the said Act it is further provided that the Governor may from time to time, with the view of determining whether it is expedient to vest the exclusive care, control, management, and maintenance of any such

bridge in any local authority, direct any person to be a Commissioner to inquire into and report to him upon any matter which he deems necessary to enable him to determine any such question as aforesaid; and may by any subsequent Warrant publicly notified from time to time vary or alter such care, control, and management:

And whereas a Commissioner was appointed under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, and an inquiry was duly held, with a view to determine what local authority could most conveniently and efficiently control the bridge known as the Waipuku Bridge mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and hereinafter referred to as "the said bridge," and what proportion of the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the said bridge should be paid by any, and if so, which local authority or local authorities:

And whereas such Commissioner did report to the Governor, after due inquiry, his opinion as to the matters respecting which he was appointed to report:

And whereas it is expedient to make provision under the said Act for the purposes and in the manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby direct that the said bridge shall, from and after the date of this Warrant, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of the Stratford County Council; and, in further pursuance of the aforesaid powers and authorities, I do hereby fix and determine that the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the said bridge shall be borne by the Stratford and Taranaki County Councils in equal proportions:

And I do hereby also further direct that any contribution hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the Taranaki County Council shall be paid from time to time in the proportion hereinbefore prescribed out of the funds of the said Council within a period of thirty days after demand in writing made by or on behalf of the Stratford County Council, and such payments shall be made from time to time to the Clerk of the Stratford County Council for and on account of such County Council.

SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge over the Waipuku River, known as the Waipuku Bridge, situated on the Mountain Road where it crosses the said river at a place about six miles and a half from Stratford on the south, and about seven miles from Inglewood on the north; as the site of the said bridge is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 27330, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

Warrant vesting Control of the Waipukurau Bridge in the Waipukurau Town Board, and apportioning the Cost of maintaining the Same.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and twenty of the Public Works Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may, by Warrant under his hand publicly notified and gazetted, direct that any bridge already constructed, or which may hereafter be constructed, over or across any river or arm of the sea respectively shall, from and after the date to be fixed in such Warrant, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of such local authority as shall be mentioned in that behalf in such Warrant; and may by any such Warrant as aforesaid fix and determine whether all or any, and if so, what part of the cost, whether theretofore incurred or thereafter to be incurred, of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing any such bridge is to be provided and paid by the local authority or local authorities, and if so, by what local authority or local authorities; and may by any such Warrant as aforesaid direct how, when, and to whom any such payment is to be made:

And whereas it is considered expedient to make provision under the said Act for the purposes and in the manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby direct that the bridge, known as the Waipukurau Bridge, over the Tukituki River, as described in the Schedule hereto (and hereinafter referred to as "the bridge") shall, from and after the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of the Waipukurau Town Board; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the aforesaid powers and authorities, I do hereby fix and determine that the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the said bridge shall be borne by the Waipukurau, Waipawa, and Dannevirke County Councils, and the Waipawa Borough Council, in the following proportions—namely, the Waipukurau County Council, the sum of sixteen pounds eight shillings and fourpence per annum; the Waipawa County Council, the sum of sixty-five pounds fifteen shillings and eightpence per annum; the Dannevirke County Council, the sum of fifty-five pounds and eightpence per annum; and the Waipawa Borough Council, the sum of one pound twelve shillings and sevenpence per annum: Provided that if the total amount of such proportions—namely, one hundred and thirty-eight pounds seventeen shillings and threepence per annum—is not in any one year required for maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the said bridge, the unexpended balance shall be applied and expended for that purpose by the Waipukurau Town Board in subsequent years, when the total annual payment of one hundred and thirty-eight pounds seventeen shillings and threepence may be insufficient to cover the cost of such work: Provided further that payment of the said proportions of cost shall cease as soon as and when the special loan raised for the construction of the said bridge is paid off:

And I do also further direct that any contribution hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the Waipukurau, Waipawa, and Dannevirke County Councils and the Waipawa Borough Council shall be paid from time to time in the proportions, and subject to the conditions hereinbefore prescribed, out of the funds of the said counties and borough, within a period of thirty days after demand in writing made by or on behalf of the Board of the Town of Waipukurau, and such payments shall be made from time to time to the Clerk of that Board for and on account of such Board. A separate account shall be kept by the Clerk of the Waipukurau Town Board of all moneys received from the said counties and borough and expended by that Board in maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the said bridge.

SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge over the Tukituki River known as the Waipukurau Bridge, situated on the main road between Waipukurau and Waipawa: as the site of the said bridge is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 27606, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured yellow.

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

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

Postmaster appointed to take and receive Statutory Declarations.

PURSUANT to the authority conferred upon me by the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that

EDMOND BOURKE,

being a person holding the office of Postmaster under the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, at Putaruru, is authorized to take and receive statutory declarations under the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

As witness my hand, this twentieth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

Time for Destruction of Originals of Telegrams.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of October, 1910.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the seventeenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and ten, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and ten, regulations were made under the authority of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), *inter alia* fixing the period for which the originals of inland telegrams and cable messages are to be kept:

And whereas it is expedient to alter and amend such regulations in the manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the regulation numbered twenty-five under the heading "Fee for Search," in the Schedule to the above-mentioned Order in Council, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the regulation set forth in the Schedule hereto, and doth order that such regulation shall be read as part of the regulations first herein mentioned, and shall have effect on and after the date of the publication of this Order in Council in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

25. THE originals of inland telegrams and cable messages may be destroyed after the expiration of three months and twelve months respectively from the date thereof.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of Executive Council.

Appointment of Consular Agent of Italy at Auckland recognized.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1910.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that, in accordance with instructions from His Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies, he has recognized the appointment of

CHARLES RHODES, Esq.,
as Consular Agent of Italy at Auckland.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1910.

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

Name.	District.
THOMAS MORGAN	Reefton.
GEORGE GRAHAM JOHNSON	Ohakune.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Member of Burke's Pass Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 17th October, 1910.

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

ALFRED JOHN KEEFFE

to be a member of the Burke's Pass Domain Board, in the place of James Keeffe, deceased.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Okarito Domain Board resigned.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 17th October, 1910.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of

JAMES DONOVAN

as a member of the Okarito Domain Board.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Spotswood Domain appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 17th October, 1910.
HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 41 of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, been pleased to appoint

ALFRED GEORGE HARRISON

to be a member of the Spotswood Domain Board, in the place of John Evans, resigned.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Howick Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 17th October, 1910.
HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 41 of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, been pleased to appoint

JAMES BRADY

to be a member of the Howick Domain Board, in the place of Lachlan McInnes, resigned.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Wai-iti Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 24th October, 1910.
HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 41 of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, been pleased to appoint

JOHN MEAD

to be a member of the Wai-iti Domain Board, in the place of Henry Hollis, deceased.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Kimbolton Domain Board resigned.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 24th October, 1910.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of

JOHN BOURNE

as a member of the Kimbolton Domain Board.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees of Murchison Public Cemetery resigned.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 24th October, 1910.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignations of

ROBERT MCNEE,
CHARLES DOWNIE,
THOMAS BELL, and
WILLIAM WOODCOCK

as Trustees of the Murchison (formerly known as Hampden) Public Cemetery.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Deputy Commissioner of Stamps appointed.

Head Office, Stamp Department,
Wellington, 25th October, 1910.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GERARD WILLIAM SAMPSON

to be Deputy Commissioner of Stamps at Wanganui, as from the 11th day of October, 1910.

J. CARROLL,
Minister of Stamp Duties.

Officer for the Purposes of Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908, appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 15th October, 1910.
HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 79 of the Fisheries Act, 1908, appointed

JOSEPH JONES,

of Cameron's, to be an officer for the purposes of Part II of that Act.

J. A. MILLAR.

Inspector of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 26th October, 1910.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable LEWIS READ

to be an Inspector under the Factories Act, 1908. The appointment is dated the 24th day of October, 1910.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Labour.

Inspector of Factories resigned.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1910.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation of

MARGARET HAWTHORNE (nee SCOTT)

as an Inspector under the Factories Act, 1908.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Labour.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 24th October, 1910.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

ALFRED BENJAMIN JACKSON, Esq.,

of Baulkham Hills, New South Wales, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for New Zealand.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

Clerk of Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 26th October, 1910.
HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable LEWIS READ

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Papakura, from the 5th day of October, 1910, vice Constable R. Lanigan, transferred.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

Assistant Meat Inspector appointed.—Notice No. 1448.

Department of Agriculture, Commerce, and Tourists,
Wellington, 26th October, 1910.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EDWARD SIDNEY JENKINS

to be an Assistant Meat Inspector in the Civil Service of the Government of New Zealand (Department of Agriculture, Commerce, and Tourists), the appointment to date from 21st October, 1910.

THOS. MACKENZIE,
Minister of Agriculture and of Industries
and Commerce.

Territorial Force Officer appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 20th October, 1910.

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

Band, 2nd Battalion Auckland (Hauraki) Infantry.

Bandmaster Arthur Clarke to be Honorary Lieutenant. Date of commission, 1st September, 1910.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Territorial Force Officer appointed.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1910.

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

No. 1 Battalion, Auckland Officers' Training Corps (Junior Division).

The Reverend Edward Elliot Malden to be Honorary Chaplain. Date of commission, 1st May, 1910.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Territorial Force Officers promoted.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1910.

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

1st Battalion, Otago Rifles.

Captain (Adjutant) Johnston McAra to be Major. Date of commission, 3rd October, 1910.

Wellington Guards Rifles.

Lieutenant Joseph Garrett Roache to be Captain. Date of commission, 7th October, 1910.

2nd Regiment, North Canterbury Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant James Alfred Northcote (Pay- and Quarter-master) to be Honorary Captain. Date of commission, 7th September, 1910.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Territorial Force Officers resigned.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1910.

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

Raglan Mounted Rifles.

Honorary Chaplain the Reverend Ranald Macdonald. Date of resignation, 31st March, 1910.

Geraldine Mounted Rifles.

Captain Edward Harris. Date of resignation, 7th October, 1910.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Defence Rifle Club disbanded.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1910.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the disbandment under section 42 (1) and (2) and section 44 of the Defence Act, 1909, of the undermentioned Defence rifle club:—

Kaituna Defence Rifle Club,

with headquarters at Kaituna, Canterbury Military District. Date of disbandment, 18th October, 1910.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Cadet Officers' Training Unit formed.

Junior Cadet Headquarters,
Wellington, 26th October, 1910.

THE formation of the Wellington Cadet Officers' Training Unit, with headquarters at Wellington, and with effect from 11th May, 1910, under Junior Cadet Regulation 96, has been approved.

G. FOWLDS,
Minister of Education.

Cadet Officers' Training Unit formed.

Junior Cadet Headquarters,
Wellington, 26th October, 1910.

THE formation of the Auckland Cadet Officers' Training Unit, with headquarters at Auckland, and with effect from 11th May, 1910, under Junior Cadet Regulation 96, has been approved.

G. FOWLDS,
Minister of Education.

New Zealand Junior Cadets.—Formation of Junior Cadet Battalions.

Junior Cadet Headquarters,
Wellington, 26th October, 1910.

THE formation of the undermentioned Junior Cadet Battalions composed as under have been approved.

D. BUDDO,
Acting Minister of Education.

AUCKLAND DISTRICT.

1st Auckland Battalion, with headquarters at Onehunga, and with effect from 30th September, 1903:—

Onehunga (No. 1)	..	..	..	A Company.
Onehunga (No. 2)	..	..	..	B Company.
Epsom	..	..	..	C Company.
Ellerslie	..	..	..	D Company.

Remuera	}	combined	..	..	E Company.
Newmarket					
Otahuhu					
Mangere Bridge					

Mount Eden (No. 1)	..	..	..	F Company.
Mount Eden (No. 2)	..	..	..	G Company.

Mangere Bridge and Otahuhu attached to Newmarket. Major J. Robb in command.

2nd Auckland Battalion, with headquarters at Napier Street, and with effect from 30th September, 1903:—

Napier Street	..	..	..	A Company.
Wellesley Street	..	..	..	B Company.
Nelson Street	..	..	..	C Company.
Beresford Street	..	..	..	D Company.
Chapel Street	..	..	..	E Company.

Major D. W. Dunlop in command.

3rd Auckland Battalion (Thames), with headquarters at Thames, and with effect from 11th October, 1904:—

Waiokaraka (No. 1)	..	..	..	A Company.
Waiokaraka (No. 2)	..	..	..	B Company.
Parawai	..	..	..	C Company.
Tararu	..	..	..	D Company.
Kauranga	..	..	..	E Company.

Major Newton in command.

4th Auckland Battalion, with headquarters at Hikurangi, and with effect from 25th April, 1905:—

Whangarei	..	..	..	A Company.
Hora Hora	..	..	..	B Company.
Cum	..	..	..
Maungakaramea	..	..	..

Kamo	} C Company.
Cum	
Te Oruru	
Cum	
Marua	} D Company.
Hikurangi	
Cum	
Hukerenui	
Cum	
Whakapara	

Major Rust in command.

5th Auckland Battalion, with headquarters at Beresford School, and with effect from 24th October, 1905 :—

Beresford Street (No. 1)	A Company.
Beresford Street (No. 2)	B Company.
Richmond Road	C Company.
Newton W. (No. 1)	D Company.
Newton W. (No. 2)	E Company.
Ponsonby (No. 1)	F Company.
Ponsonby (No. 2)	G Company.
Bayfield	H Company.

Major W. Kay in command.

6th Auckland Battalion, with headquarters at Auckland, and with effect from 12th July, 1910 :—

Grafton	A Company.
Mount Albert	B Company.
Edendale	C Company.
Avondale	D Company.
Grey Lynn	E Company.
Point Chevalier	} F Company.
New Lynn	

Captain Robert Carnachan in command, with rank of Major.

Captain F. W. Hare, Adjutant.

Captain George H. Matthews, Quartermaster.

7th Auckland Battalion, with headquarters at Devonport, and with effect from 12th July, 1910 :—

Devonport (No. 1)	A Company.
Northcote	B Company.
Devonport (No. 2)	C Company.
Takapuna Industrial	} D Company.
Takapuna Public	
Birkdale	Detachment attached.
Stanley Bay	Scout Patrol attached.
Mayfield	Scout Patrol attached.

Captain McGregor in command, with rank of Major.

Captain Braithwaite, Adjutant.

8th Auckland Battalion (Ohinemuri), with headquarters at Waihi, and with effect from 6th August, 1910 :—

Waihi D.H.S. (No. 1)	A Company.
Waihi D.H.S. (No. 2)	B Company.
Waihi East	} combined
Waihi South	
Waikino	D Company.
Karangahake	E Company.

Captain H. J. Woller in command, with rank of Major.

9th Auckland Battalion (Waikato), with headquarters at Hamilton, and with effect from 6th August, 1910 :—

Hamilton West D.H.S.	A Company.
Ngaruawahia	} combined
Taupiri	
Te Kawhia	} combined
Huntly	
Kimihia	C Company.
Cambridge East D.H.S.	D Company.
Hamilton East	Detachment (attached).

Captain W. R. C. Walker in command, with rank of Major.

Captain A. J. Shepherd, Adjutant.

10th Auckland Battalion (Piako), with headquarters at Morrinsville, and with effect from 6th August, 1910 :—

Paeroa	A Company.
Te Aroha	B Company.
Rotorua	C Company.
Morrinsville	} combined
Waihou	
Waimaku	} combined
Putaruru	
Walton	
Matamata	
Wharoa	
Gordon	} combined
Manawaru	

Major D. R. F. Campbell in command.

11th Auckland Battalion (King-country), with headquarters at Ohaupo, and with effect from 6th August, 1910 :—

Taumarunui	} combined	A Company.
Manunui		
Mangapehe		
Te Kuiti		
Te Awamutu	} combined	B Company.
Otorohanga		
Pirongia		
Rangiawhia		
Hangitiki		
Ohaupo		

Captain J. S. Colhoun in command, with rank of Major.

Special Order made by the Drury Road Board, County of Manukau.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 24th October, 1910.

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

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

SPECIAL ORDER MADE BY THE DRURY ROAD BOARD.

THAT, under authority of section 4 and subsection (c) of section 5 of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, and sections 72, 110, and 120 of the Road Boards Act, 1908, the Drury Road Board hereby declares that furze (or gorse), ox-eye daisy, and ragwort shall be noxious weeds in the Drury Road District. This special order to come into force on the 1st October, or when gazetted.

I hereby certify the above special order was duly made in accordance with the Roads Boards Act, 1908.

JOSEPH FLANAGAN,
Chairman.
SIDNEY FIELING,
Clerk.

Special Order made by the Moa Road Board, County of Taranaki.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 25th October, 1910.

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

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

MOA ROAD BOARD.

Special Order in re £300 Loan for Bristol Road West.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, the Moa Road Board hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £300, authorized to be raised by consent of the ratepayers interested, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of continuing the forming and metalling on the Bristol Road on the west side of the Manganui River, the said Moa Road Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of 3½d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Bristol Road West No. 2 Special Rating District, comprising Sections 10 (in two subdivisions), 11, 12, 15, 17, 16 (in two subdivisions), 14, Block XIII, Waitara Survey District; Sections 56, 57, 17, 26, 16, 14, 15, 13, 12, 11, 3, 2, 1, 25, 24, half of part 23, Block I, Huiroa Survey District: and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, and the interest and sinking fund to be paid at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly passed in accordance with the Road Boards Act, 1908, at a special meeting of the Moa Road Board held on the 13th

day of August, 1910, and confirmed at a subsequent meeting of the said Board held on the 17th day of September, 1910.

W. OGIER,
Clerk to the Moa Road Board.

[NOTE.—The above special order is published in substitution for that published in *Gazette* No. 88, of 29th September, 1910, page 3588.]

*Special Order made by the Tataraimaka Road Board,
County of Manukau.*

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 25th October, 1910.

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

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

SPECIAL ORDER MADE BY THE TATARAIMAKA ROAD BOARD.

THAT the following plants be declared noxious weeds within the Tataraimaka Road District—viz., gorse, ox-eye daisy, ragwort, blackberry, and Californian thistle.

I hereby certify that the above special order has been duly passed in accordance with the Road Boards Act, 1908.

A. H. GOOD,
Clerk, Tataraimaka Road Board.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 20th October, 1910.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Council of the County of Rangitikei, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

RANGITIKEI COUNTY COUNCIL.

Notice of Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Mataroa-Koeke Road Special Rating District was taken on the 14th day of October, 1910, on the proposal of the Rangitikei County Council to borrow the sum of £5,500 for the purpose of gravelling the Mataroa-Koeke Road from Murray's Track to Koeke.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 49. The number of votes recorded against the proposal was 21. I therefore declare that the proposal was carried. Dated this 18th day of October, 1910.

ROBERT K. SIMPSON,
Chairman, Rangitikei County Council.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 20th October, 1910.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Mount Albert Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

MOUNT ALBERT ROAD DISTRICT.

Notice of Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Mount Albert Road District was taken on the 15th day of October, 1910, on the proposal of the Mount Albert Road Board to borrow the sum of £30,000 for the following purposes:—

- (a.) Extension of water-supply and construction of new reservoir £ 9,230
- (b.) Formation and kerbing and channelling of new north road from Dominion Road to proposed tramways terminus at Morningside 5,700
- (c.) Formation and kerbing and channelling of new north road in connection with proposed overhead railway-bridge at Morningside Crossing 2,000
- (d.) Contribution to New Zealand Railways as part cost of altering line at above crossing, Morningside 700
- (e.) Formation and kerbing and channelling of Kingsland Road from new north road to junction with the Edendale Road ... 4,665
- (f.) Formation-work in Mountain Road ... 875
- (g.) Formation-work, Onehunga-Mount Albert Road 1,600
- (h.) Sewer-connections with Arch Hill Gully sewer 400
- (i.) Various footpaths and sundry formation-work 1,000
- (j.) Contingencies, engineering, &c. 3,830

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 408. The number of votes recorded against the proposal was 80. I therefore declare that the proposal was carried. Dated this 17th day of October, 1910.

M. J. COYLE,
Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 25th October, 1910.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the County of Eltham, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

ELTHAM COUNTY COUNCIL.

Notice of Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Mangatoki Riding of the County of Eltham was taken on the 19th day of October, 1910, on the proposal of the Eltham County Council to borrow the sum of £30,000 for the purpose of grading, forming, widening, extending metal, and constructing culverts on certain specified roads in the Mangatoki Riding of the County of Eltham, and which proposal is more fully described in advertisement appearing in the *Eltham Argus* and *Hawera Star* newspapers of the 10th, 17th, and 24th September, and 1st October, 1910.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 157. The number of votes recorded against the proposal was 43. I therefore declare that the proposal was carried. Dated this 20th day of October, 1910.

JOHN THOS. QUIN,
Chairman.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 25th October, 1910.

THE following notices, received from the Mayor of the Borough of Palmerston North, are published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

PALMERSTON NORTH BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Notice of Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Palmerston North, taken on the 21st day of October, 1910, on the proposal of the Palmerston North Borough Council to borrow the sum of £5,000 for works as follows:—

To erect a building to be used as a public library and museum on part Section 257, Coleman Place and Cuba Street,

the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 232, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 283.

I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Dated this 24th day of October, 1910.

J. A. NASH,
Mayor.

PALMERSTON NORTH BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Notice of Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Palmerston North, taken on the 21st day of October, 1910, on the proposal of the Palmerston North Borough Council to borrow the sum of £2,000 for works as follows:—

To erect swimming-baths and accessories at the rear of the Opera House on Section 856,

the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 201, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 313.

I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Dated this 24th day of October, 1910.

J. A. NASH,
Mayor.

Certificate of the Mayor of the Borough of Thames.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 24th October, 1910.

THE following certificate of the Mayor of the Borough of Thames is published in accordance with the provisions of section 11 of the Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1908.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF THAMES.

I, HENRY LOWE, Mayor of Thames, in accordance with section 11 of the Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1908, hereby certify that the Council of the Borough of Thames, by special resolution intended to operate as a special order, passed at a special meeting on the 8th September, 1910, and confirmed at an ordinary meeting on the 6th October, 1910, ordained that the Council do borrow the sum of £355 from the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office Superintendent for the purpose of liquidating the cost of completing the erection of the Thames Borough Abattoirs, the period of the said loan to be thirty-six years and a half.

The common seal of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of Thames was affixed hereto by me this 19th day of October, 1910.

HENRY LOWE,
Mayor.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Monro, Fitzgerald, and Ward Streets, in the Town of Cobden Extension, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 19th October, 1910.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I, Joseph George Ward, Minister of Lands, do hereby authorize the laying-off of Monro, Fitzgerald, and Ward Streets, in the Town of Cobden Extension, Westland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Notifying Land in the Auckland Land District subject to the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

Office of Board of Land Purchase Commissioners,
Wellington, 20th October, 1910.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and its amendments, I hereby notify that the undermentioned Crown land, being the land known as the Waitakaruru Settlement, which has been acquired under the said Acts, is subject to the said Acts as from 6th September, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

WAITAKARURU SETTLEMENT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1,634 acres 1 rood 22 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 2, Subdivision of Waitakaruru No. 5B Block, situated in Blocks VII, VIII, and XII, Piako Survey District, commencing at a point 235849.1 links south and 292118.6 links east of Mount Eden. Bounded towards the south-east by Crown land, Ngarua No. 5 Block, the crossing of a public road, and again by Ngarua No. 5 Block aforesaid, 18577.4 links; towards the south-west by western portion Waitakaruru No. 5B Block, the crossing of a public road, and again by western portion of Waitakaruru No. 5B Block aforesaid, and the abutment of a public road, 11627.1, 124.9, and 72.2 links respectively; towards the north-west by other part of Section No. 2, Subdivision of Waitakaruru No. 5B, 17142 links; and towards the north-east by Waitakaruru No. 5A Block, 7429.7 links, to the place of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: save and excepting a road 100 links wide intersecting the before-described land: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 19415, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged green.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Notifying Land in the Marlborough Land District subject to the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

Office of Board of Land Purchase Commissioners,
Wellington, 20th October, 1910.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and its amendments, I hereby notify that the undermentioned Crown land, being the land known as the Northbank Settlement (additional), which has been acquired under the said Acts, is subject to the said Acts as from 10th October, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

NORTHBANK SETTLEMENT.

ALL those parcels of land in the Marlborough Land District, containing in the aggregate 1,385 acres, more or less, and being Section 1A, Block XV, Sections 1A and 5, Block XVI, Pine Valley Survey District, and Section 5, Block II, Mount Olympus Survey District. Commencing at the most northerly corner of the said Section 5, Block XVI, Pine Valley Survey District, and bounded thence towards the north-east by Crown lands, by Section 4 of said Block XVI, and by Section 4 of Block II, Mount Olympus Survey District, 20060 links; thence towards the south-east by said Section 4, Block II, Mount Olympus Survey District, 860 links; thence towards the south-west generally by the reserve along the Top Valley Creek, 6650 links and 3550 links, and by Section 3, Block XVI, Pine Valley Survey District, 3170 links; thence across the said Top Valley Creek and its reserves, 525 links; thence bounded towards the north-east by reserve along the Top Valley Creek, 2100 links; thence towards the south by Sections 1, Block XVI, and 1, Block XV, Pine Valley Survey District, 10173 links; towards the west by Crown lands, 11700 links; towards the north generally by reserve along Top Valley Creek, 3400 links; then across the said creek and its reserves, 525 links; and bounded thence towards the north and north-west by Crown lands, 6211 links, to point of commencement: and being more particularly shown on Plan L. and S. 19221 attached, and therein edged red: but nevertheless excepting out of the said boundaries the intersecting portion of Top Valley Creek and its reserves, coloured blue and brown on said attached plan.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Notice to Mariners No. 113 of 1910.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 21st October, 1910.

THE following extracts from Notices to Mariners, received from the Board of Trade, London, are published for general information.

J. A. MILLAR.

AFRICA.

PORT NATAL.—1. A radio-tel. station is est. with Cape Natal Lt.-h. (29° 52' S., 31° 33' E.), N. 68° E., 350 yds., and the port sig.-station, N. 37° W. The call sig. of the station is

not stated. 2. The pier next wrd. of wharf-shed "I" has been shortened by the removal of 83 yds. of its outer end, and the floating dock has been moved, and is now moored in the prolongation of this pier, with its outer end 185 yds. from the new outer end of the pier. A new edition of Chart No. 2908 is shortly to be published. Sept.

EAST COAST.—ZULULAND.—DURNFORD PT.—(a) A rk. carrying 3 fms., exists $1\frac{3}{10}$ miles S. 47° E.; and (b) a rk. carrying 6 fms., $2\frac{8}{10}$ miles S. 52° E. from Durnford Pt. obelisk (28° 54' S., 31° 59' E.). Rk. (b) has not yet been exam., and probably carries less water. Sept.

ZULULAND.—A rocky ledge, extending 7 cables from the shore, carrying 2 to 3 fms., exists, the N.-ern. end, with O'Neill Peak (28° 44' S., 32° 9' E.), W., $2\frac{3}{10}$ miles; and the S.-wrn. end with O'Neill Peak, N. 34° E., $1\frac{2}{10}$ miles. It is probable that the ledge continues still further to the S.-wrd. CAUTION.—Mariners are warned that it is dangerous to hug the coast in this vicinity, especially in fine weather, when the dangers are not breaking. Sept.

SEYCHELLES.—ST. DENIS ISL.—On 25th Aug., 1910, a fl. white lt. every 5 secs.: Fl. $\frac{1}{2}$ sec., ecl. $4\frac{1}{2}$ secs., elev. 85 ft., R. 14 miles, was to be exh. from a grey iron lt.-h. 90 ft. high, in 8° 48' S., 55° 40' E., on the N.W. side of the isl., and the present F. white lt. disc. Sept.

PACIFIC OCEAN.

BISMARCK ARCHIP.—ABGARRIS ISLS.—The sand-bank (1884) in 3° 44' S., 154° 35' E., srd. of Abgarris Isls., does not exist, and has been expunged from the charts. Sept.

SOUTH AMERICA.

RIO DE LA PLATA.—The lt.-buoy, conical, exh. a F. red lt., in 35° 7' S., 57° 2' W., at ssn. end of Ortiz Bank, $3\frac{1}{2}$ miles N. 85° E. from Indio Pt. Lt.-v., has been withdrawn. Sept.

CHINA SEA, ETC.

WEI HAI WEI ANCHORAGE.—Merchant vessels are prohibited from anchoring within that part of the Admiralty waters between a line joining Outer Isl. and the wrn. extr. of Observatory Isl. (37° 30' N., 122° 9' E.), and a line joining Outer Isl. and Kwoa Pu., nrn. extr. of Leo Kung Tau. Vessels of every description are prohibited from anchoring within a dist. of 1 cable on either side of a line joining the white telegraph beacon on the wrn. extr. of Observatory Isl. with the similar beacon on the ssn. side of King Hall Pt. Vessels are not permitted to remain at anchor in the fairways of the ern. or wrn. entr. as defined by the white sectors of Flagstaff Pt. Lt. Sept.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO, ETC.

GASPAR STRAIT.—A shoal, about $\frac{1}{2}$ cable in extent, is reported to have been sighted from the s.s. "Wyneric," in 2° 4' S., 107° 21' E., nrn. approach to the strait. NOTE.—The position of this shoal falls within the title of Chart No. 2137. Sept.

BILLITON ISL.—A reef, estimated to carry 3 ft., is reported to exist in 2° 38' S., 108° 16' E., off N.E. coast of the isl. Aug.

KANGEAN GROUP.—JAVA SEA.—A reef, marked by discoloured water, on which soundings of 6 to 8 fms. were obtained, but over a portion of which the depth is estimated not to exceed 3 fms., exists in 6° 29' S., 116° 6' E. "Position approx." has been charted against this reef. Sept.

INDIAN OCEAN.

RANGOON RIVER.—(a) Lower Monkey Pt. buoy, black, has been moved about 400 ft. N. 17° W. (b) A new track, "No. 6," is in use, the inward marks for which are the time-ball in line with the Port Commissioners' flagstaff. Sept.

Notice to Mariners No. 114 of 1910.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd October, 1910.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Department of Navigation at Sydney, New South Wales, is published for general information.

J. A. MILLAR.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

It is hereby notified that on and after the above date vessels entering and leaving the Port of Newcastle are to keep the fairway leading-towers in line on a bearing S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ S. The deepest water will be found on this line, and it must be observed as the main channel for inward and outward bound vessels.

The sailing directions issued on the 27th August, 1906, for outward-bound vessels to keep the fairway towers in line until the green-light beacons come in line and proceed out with the green-light beacons in line, are hereby rescinded.

By order of the Acting-Superintendent.

JOHN S. D'ARCY,
Acting-Secretary.

Department of Navigation,
Sydney, 30th September, 1910.

Notice to Mariners No. 115 of 1910.

HOKIANGA BAR.—SOUNDINGS IN CHANNEL.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 21st October, 1910.

THE Harbourmaster at Hokianga reports that, from recent soundings taken off the entrance to Hokianga River, the north channel is apparently shifting still further to the northward, and is maintaining 17 ft. at L.W.O.S. The south channel was found to be clearing out again, and is carrying 13 ft. 6 in.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Chart No. 2525 and Plan 1091A; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chap. vii, page 201.

J. A. MILLAR.

Notice to Mariners No. 116 of 1910.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd October, 1910.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Department of Navigation at Sydney, New South Wales, is published for general information.

J. A. MILLAR.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after the 1st day of October, 1910, the following lighthouses and signal-stations, having been equipped with morse signalling-lamps, may be communicated with by passing vessels during night-time:—

Station.	Latitude.	Longitude.
Green Cape Lighthouse	.. 37° 16' S.	150° 4' E.
Montagu Island Lighthouse	.. 36° 15' S.	150° 14' E.
Point Perpendicular Lighthouse	.. 35° 5' S.	150° 50' E.
South Head, Port Jackson, Signal-station	.. 33° 51' S.	151° 18' E.
Norah Head Lighthouse	.. 33° 17' S.	151° 35' E.
Newcastle Signal-station	.. 32° 55' S.	151° 49' E.
Point Stephens Lighthouse	.. 32° 45' S.	152° 12' E.
Seal Rocks Lighthouse	.. 32° 26' S.	152° 33' E.
Smoky Cape Lighthouse	.. 30° 56' S.	153° 5' E.
South Solitary Island Lighthouse	30° 12' S.	153° 16' E.
Cape Byron Lighthouse	.. 28° 38' S.	153° 39' E.

Messages should be sent according to the rules laid down in the British Signal Manual. It must be clearly understood that the Department of Navigation does not accept any responsibility in respect of either the receipt or despatch, by signal-stations or lighthouses, of any messages requiring delivery at Sydney or other ports, though every effort will be made to assist shipping in regard to such messages.

By order of the Acting-Superintendent,

JOHN S. D'ARCY,
Acting-Secretary.

Department of Navigation, New South Wales,
Sydney, 26th September, 1910.

Notice to Mariners No. 117 of 1910.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd October, 1910.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Department of Navigation at Sydney, New South Wales, is published for general information.

J. A. MILLAR.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Newcastle Southern Breakwater Light.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after Monday, the 19th September, 1910, the fixed red light hitherto shown

on the southern breakwater at the harbour-entrance, Port of Newcastle, will be exhibited from a beacon 545 ft. further along the breakwater to the north-eastward. Height of light above high water, 45 ft.; arc of visibility, 222°.

Vessels from the southward will open this light when it is bearing N. 64° W. (magnetic), and when in sight it leads clear north-eastward of Big Ben Rock and adjacent shoals.

During fog a bell will be rung at short intervals.
By order of the Acting-Superintendent.

JOHN S. D'ARCY,
Acting-Secretary.

Department of Navigation,
Sydney, 19th August, 1910.

Notice to Mariners No. 118 of 1910.

LEADING BEACONS FOR KAWHIA HARBOUR.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 24th October, 1910.

NOTICE has been received from the Kawhia Harbour authorities that the leading beacons for entering the harbour have been altered as follows:—

The original beacon on Te Motu has been shifted back and the height increased, and a new beacon has been erected to seaward on the sandbank, 4 cables to the north-westward of the back beacon. The beacons are painted white, and lead in over the bar in 12 ft. L.W.O.S., bearing with one another when in line S. 55½° E. (true) or S. 71° E. (magnetic). The beacon on the South Head formerly in use has been painted brown.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2524 and 2535; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chap. vii, page 225; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1910, page 258.

J. A. MILLAR.

Notice to Mariners No. 121 of 1910.

CHARACTERISTIC OF LIGHT ON JACKSON'S HEAD TEMPORARILY CHANGED.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 25th October, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that, owing to the mechanism of the Jackson's Head beacon-light going out of gear, the light has been temporarily changed to a fixed one.

Due notice will be given when the light will again be occulting.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 695, 2054, 2685, 3629, and 1212; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chap. vi, page 173; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1910, page 112.

J. A. MILLAR.

Notice to Mariners No. 122 of 1910.

KAIPARA HARBOUR ENTRANCE.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 26th October, 1910.

MASTERS of vessels are warned not to attempt to cross the Kaipara Bar south of line of beacons on the North Head, so as to avoid heavy seas breaking on north-west end of South Shoal immediately southward of line of beacons. At present the best mark for keeping in the channel is to keep the lower beacon in line with the flag-staff when on the bar, gradually bringing the beacons in line as the North Spit is neared, and when abreast of this spit they should be in one.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 1212, 2543, and 2614; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter vii, page 207; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1910, page 167.

J. A. MILLAR.

Tenders.

Public Works Office,
Wellington, 24th October, 1910.

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

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

MANUFACTURE OF STEEL-PLATE GIRDER SPANS.

GISBORNE-ROTORUA RAILWAY.

Accepted.

	£	s.	d.
Massey Bros. (Limited), Auckland	3,002	0	0

Declined.

Griffiths and Co., Birchfield	3,400	0	0
Scott Bros. (Limited), Christchurch	3,680	10	8
Anderson, J. and A., Christchurch	4,085	0	0
Luke and Co., Wellington	4,254	2	0
Burt, A. and T. (Limited), Dunedin	4,477	12	0
Hadecke, A., Rangiora	4,531	0	0
Dunedin Engineering Company, Dunedin	4,568	14	0

MIDLAND RAILWAY.

Accepted.

Scott Bros., Christchurch	1,678	14	8
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Declined.

Hadecke, A., Rangiora	1,895	0	0
Sanders Bros., Wellington	1,971	4	3
Massey Bros. (Limited), Auckland	2,068	0	0
Anderson, J. and A., Christchurch	2,109	0	0
Cooper and Duncan, Christchurch	2,648	0	0
Crabtree and Sons, Wellington	2,672	0	0
Dispatch Foundry Company, Greymouth	2,749	18	0
Burt, A. and T. (Limited), Dunedin	2,800	0	0
Dunedin Engineering Company, Dunedin	2,868	16	0

NELSON-GLENHOPE RAILWAY.

Accepted.

Sanders Bros., Wellington	365	18	6
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Declined.

Massey Bros., Auckland	409	10	0
Scott Bros., Christchurch	424	4	6
Anchor Foundry Company, Nelson	465	10	0
Hadecke, A., Rangiora	471	0	0
Robertson and Co., Wellington	490	0	0
Luke and Co., Wellington	515	17	0
Anderson, J. and A., Christchurch	546	0	0
Crabtree and Sons, Wellington	560	0	0
Dispatch Foundry Company, Greymouth	577	4	0
Kershaw, J., Nelson	623	0	0

ERECTION OF POHOKURA STATION BUILDINGS, STRATFORD ONGARUE RAILWAY.

Accepted.

Scott, R. J., Stratford	1,290	0	0
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Declined.

Boon, J. W., Stratford	1,325	0	0
King, N. J., Stratford	1,404	0	0
Hodder, E. W., Whangamomona	1,430	0	0
Ryan, John, and Sons, Manaia	2,100	0	0

ERECTION OF BRIDGE ON REEFTON-INANGAHUA RAILWAY.

Accepted.

Reynolds, H. J., Hokitika	647	0	0
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Declined.

Sigley, J., Greymouth	709	17	6
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Tenders.

Mines Department,
Wellington, 25th October, 1910.

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

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Mines.

IRON AND STEEL WORK FOR COAL-STORAGE BIN CONTRACT, POINT ELIZABETH STATE COLLIERY No. 2.

Accepted.

	£	s.	d.
Briscoe and Co., Wellington	1,004	7	6

Declined.

Riley, A. D., and Co., Wellington	1,313	0	0
Burt, A. and T. (Limited), Dunedin	1,312	0	0
Cooper and Duncan (Limited), Christchurch	1,155	0	0
Lawrie, P. S., Wellington	1,106	0	0
Ashby, Bergh, and Co., Christchurch	1,059	9	2
Duthie, J., and Co., Wellington	1,058	5	7
Mills, E. W., and Co., Wellington	1,054	0	11

The Civil Service of India; Clerkships (Class I) in the Home Civil Service; and Eastern Cadetships.

Education Department,
Wellington, 25th October, 1910.

THE following regulations, received from His Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies, respecting examinations for the Civil Service, for clerkships (Class I) in the Home Civil Service, and for Eastern cadetships, are published for general information.

G. HOGBEN,
Inspector-General of Schools.

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA, ETC.

SYLLABUS OF ANY OPEN COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA, CLERKSHIPS (CLASS I) IN THE HOME CIVIL SERVICE, AND EASTERN CADETSHIPS IN THE COLONIAL SERVICE THAT MAY BE HELD IN THE YEAR 1911, AND OF ANY OTHER COMPETITION THAT MAY BE HELD IN COMBINATION THEREWITH.

IN view of the importance of legible handwriting in the public service, candidates are warned that the provision as to deductions for bad handwriting in these competitions will be strictly enforced.

Candidates are warned that full marks cannot be obtained on any paper unless the whole of it is answered, or, in cases where the number of questions to be answered is specified, unless the full number specified is answered.

English Composition.—An essay to be written on one of several specified subjects.

Sanskrit Language and Literature.—Translation from Sanskrit (Vedic and classical) into English, and from English into classical Sanskrit. History of Sanskrit literature (Vedic and classical), including a knowledge of such Indian history as bears upon the subject; critical questions on the Sanskrit language (Vedic and classical).

Candidates are expected to make a special study of the Seventh Mandala of the Rig-veda, but other Vedic hymns may also be set in the examination.

Arabic Language and Literature.—Translation from Arabic into English, and from English into Arabic; original composition in Arabic; history of Arabic literature (including a knowledge of such Arabian history as bears upon the subject); Arabic grammar; Arabic prosody.

Greek Literature.—Critical questions on the Greek language (including questions on philology) and literature.

Latin Literature.—Critical questions on the Latin language (including questions on philology) and literature.

English Language and Literature.—The examination will be in two parts. In the one the candidates will be expected to show a general acquaintance with the course of English literature, as represented (mainly) by the following writers in verse and prose, between the reign of Edward III and the accession of Queen Victoria:—Verse: Chaucer, Langland, Spenser, Shakespeare, Milton, Dryden, Pope, Gray, Collins, Johnson, Goldsmith, Crabbe, Cowper, Campbell, Wordsworth, Scott, Byron, Coleridge, Shelley, Keats. Prose: Bacon, Sir Thomas Browne, Milton, Cowley, Bunyan, Dryden, Swift, Defoe, Addison, Johnson, Burke, Scott, Macaulay (essays and biographies).

A minute knowledge of the works of these authors will not be looked for in this part of the examination, which will, however, test how far the candidates have studied at first hand the chief productions of the greatest English writers, and are acquainted with the leading characteristics of their thought and style, and with the place which each of them occupies in the history of English literature. Candidates will also be expected to show that they have studied in these authors the history of the English language in respect of its vocabulary, syntax, and prosody.

The other part of the examination will relate to one of the periods named below, which will follow each other year by year in the order indicated:—

1. For the year 1911: A.D. 1800 to A.D. 1832 (nineteenth-century writers to the death of Scott).

2. For the year 1912: A.D. 1360 to A.D. 1600 (Chaucer to Spenser).

3. For the year 1913: A.D. 1600 to A.D. 1700 (Shakespeare to Dryden).

4. For the year 1914: A.D. 1700 to A.D. 1800 (Pope to Cowper).

The examination in this part will require from candidates a more minute acquaintance with the history of the English language and literature, as illustrated in the chief works produced in each period, and will be based to a considerable extent, but by no means exclusively, on certain books specified each year by the Commissioners. The names placed beside the dates are intended to suggest the general character of the literary development of the period, and, consequently, the natural limits of the examination. All the works of Shakespeare, for example, will be regarded as falling within the period 1600 to 1700; all the works of Swift within the period

1700 to 1800; all the works of Scott and Wordsworth, and all the works of Macaulay, within the period 1800 to 1832.

The books specified for the year 1911, period 1800 to 1832, are:—Wordsworth: Sonnets. Shelley: Prometheus Unbound; Adonais; Hellas. Sydney Smith: Works. Keats: Poems. Rejected Addresses. Scott: Heart of Midlothian; The Antiquary; Old Mortality. Jane Austen: Novels. Byron: Letters.

Italian: History of the Language and Literature.—Passages for translation may be set, and questions asked, demanding a knowledge of the language in its early stages; but it will not be obligatory upon candidates to master in detail the old forms in use before the time of Dante.

French: History of the Language and Literature.—Passages for translation may be set, and questions asked, demanding a knowledge of the language in its early stages; but it will not be obligatory upon candidates to master in detail the old forms in use before 1500.

German: History of the Language and Literature.—Passages for translation may be set, and questions asked, demanding a knowledge of the language in its early stages; but it will not be obligatory upon candidates to master in detail the old forms in use before 1500.

Lower Mathematics.—Plane geometry, including conic sections; solid geometry, including the method of orthogonal projection; algebra and plane trigonometry; elementary plane co-ordinate geometry; elementary mechanics of solids and fluids; geometrical optics; elements of differential and integral calculus, with simple illustrations from other branches of the subject. The questions may involve the use of drawing instruments. The use of the slide rule is allowed.

Higher Mathematics.—Higher algebra (including theory of equations), plane and spherical trigonometry, differential calculus, integral calculus, differential equations, analytical geometry (plane and solid), statics (including attractions), dynamics of a particle, rigid dynamics, hydrodynamics, the mathematical theory of electricity and magnetism. The questions may involve the use of drawing instruments. The use of the slide rule is allowed.

Chemistry, Physics, Geology, Botany, Zoology, Animal Physiology.—Candidates are warned that the practical examinations carry a large proportion of the marks.

Geography.—The history of geographical ideas and methods. The construction and use of the more familiar map-projections. A general knowledge of the methods of exploratory surveying.

The characteristics and cartographical analysis of the physical regions of the world. The configuration of the continents and of the bed of the ocean. The characteristics and distribution of typical land-forms. The circulation of air and water. The climatic characteristics of different parts of the earth. The distribution of plant and animal associations.

The classification and distribution of the races of mankind. Past and present lines of communication. The influence of geographical environment (physical features and other natural conditions) upon the habits, arts, industries, social organization, and, generally, the political and economical development of the more important existing peoples.

Greek History.—Questions (a) on the general and (b) on the constitutional history of Greece to the death of Alexander. Candidates will be expected to show a knowledge of the original authorities. They must also be prepared to answer questions on historical geography, and to draw sketch-maps.

Roman History.—Questions (a) on the general and (b) on the constitutional history of Rome to the death of Trajan. Candidates will be expected to show a knowledge of the original authorities. They must also be prepared to answer questions on historical geography, and to draw sketch-maps.

English History.—The subject will include (a) the political history of Great Britain, Ireland, and the colonies; (b) the constitutional history of the United Kingdom. Candidates should be acquainted with the following authorities:—

Period I, to 1485. Stubbs, Select Charters (Clarendon Press).

Period II, 1485 to 1848. Prothero, Statutes and Constitutional Documents (Clarendon Press). Gardiner, Documents of the Puritan Revolution (Clarendon Press).

In each period the number of marks assigned to the question or questions dealing with the text of the prescribed books will be about one-sixth of that assigned to the whole period. Candidates must be prepared to answer questions on historical geography, and to draw sketch-maps.

General Modern History.—Candidates may, at their choice, be examined in any one of the following periods. Periods III, IV, and V will include Indian history.

Candidates are warned that high marks will not be awarded in this subject unless the text of the prescribed books has been carefully studied by them. Candidates must be prepared to answer questions on historical geography, and to draw sketch-maps.

I. From the accession of Charlemagne to the Third Crusade (A.D. 800 to A.D. 1193).

II. From the Third Crusade to the Diet of Worms (A.D. 1193 to A.D. 1521).

III. From the Diet of Worms to the death of Louis XIV (A.D. 1521 to A.D. 1715).

IV. From the accession of Louis XV to the French Revolution of 1848 (A.D. 1715 to A.D. 1848).

V. From the Peace of Paris to the Treaty of Berlin (A.D. 1763 to A.D. 1878).

Candidates should be acquainted with the following authorities:—

PERIOD I, 800-1193.

Einhard: Vita Caroli Magni, from 800 A.D. Editions: (1) Pertz; (2) *Scriptores Rerum Germanicarum*.

Lambert of Hersfeld. Edition: Pertz.

Suger: Vita Ludovici VI. Editions: (1) Migne; (2) Société de l'Histoire de France, 1868.

Otto of Freising: De gestis Frederici I. Edition: Pertz. (The continuators are included.)

PERIOD II, 1193-1521.

Joinville: St. Louis. Editions: (1) Petitot; (2) Michaud et Poujoulat; (3) Buchon; (4) Société de l'Histoire de France, 1868.

Philippe de Comines: Mémoires. Editions: (1) Petitot; (2) Michaud et Poujoulat; (3) Buchon; (4) de Mandrot, Picard, Paris, 1901-3.

Machiavelli: The Prince. English translation by Thompson: Published by the Clarendon Press.

PERIOD III, 1521-1715.

Sully: Mémoires, up to the Treaty of Vervins. Editions: (1) Petitot; (2) Michaud et Poujoulat.

Torcy: Mémoires. Editions: (1) Petitot; (2) Michaud et Poujoulat.

PERIOD IV, 1715-1848.

Frederick II. Histoire de mon Temps, and La Guerre de Sept Ans. Editions: (1) Boutaric; (2) Œuvres de Frédéric II, published by Decker, Berlin, 1846.

Malmesbury (First Earl of). Diaries and Correspondence. London, Bentley, 1844. Vol. II, Mission to the Hague, pp. 66-443. Vol. III, Mission to Lisle, pp. 369-599.

Metternich. Aus Metternich's nachgelassenen Papieren. Autorisirte Original-Ausgabe. Vienna, 1880. Or in English translation—Memoirs of Prince Metternich. Richard Bentley and Son, London, 1880-82. To be studied up to the year 1815.

PERIOD V, 1763-1878.

Malmesbury: As for Period IV. Metternich: As for Period IV. Bianchi: La Politique du Comte Camille de Cavour, 1852-1861 (Turin, 1885). Bismarck: Gedanken und Erinnerungen von Bismarck (edited by H. Kohl, Stuttgart, 1898). Or in English translation—Bismarck, the Man and the Statesman: Reflections and Reminiscences, &c. Translated under supervision of A. J. Butler (Smith and Elder, London, 1898). To be studied up to the year 1878.

Logic and Psychology.—The history of the subject will be included.

Moral and Metaphysical Philosophy.—The history of the subject will be included.

Political Economy and Economic History.—Candidates will be expected to possess a knowledge of economic theory; of the existing economic conditions; of statistical methods; and of the history of industry, land-tenure, and economic legislation in the United Kingdom.

Political Science.—The examination will not be confined to analytical jurisprudence, early institutions, and theory of legislation, but may embrace comparative politics, the history of political theories, &c. Candidates will be expected to show a knowledge of original authorities.

English Law.—Law of contract; law of evidence; law of the Constitution; criminal law; law of torts.

The following applies only to Candidates for Clerkships on the Establishment of the Foreign Office, for Attachéships in the Diplomatic Service, and for Student Interpreterships in China, Japan, and Siam:—

Spanish: History of the Language and Literature.—Passages for translation may be set, and questions asked, demanding a knowledge of the language in its early stages; but it will not be obligatory upon candidates to master in detail the old forms in use before 1500.

Civil Service Commission, July, 1910.

EXAMINATIONS FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

An open competitive examination for admission to the Civil Service of India will be held in London, under the subjoined regulations, commencing on the 1st August, 1911.

The number of persons to be selected at this examination will be announced hereafter.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received on or before the 1st July, 1911, an application on the prescribed form, a copy of which is sent herewith. No question as to the delay or loss in the post of any such application form can be entertained. Candidates who delay their applications until the last days will do so at their own risk.

Acknowledgments of such application forms are sent, and any candidate who has filled up and returned the printed application form but has not received an acknowledgment of it within four complete days should at once write to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Burlington Gardens, London W. Failure to comply with this provision will deprive the candidate of any claim to consideration.

The order for admission to the examination will be posted on the 20th July, 1911, to the address given on the form of application. It will contain instructions as to the time and place at which candidates will be required to attend and as to the manner in which the fee (£6) is to be paid.

Civil Service Commission, August, 1910.

Regulations.

* * The following regulations, made by the Secretary of State for India in Council, are liable to alteration from year to year.

1. An examination for admission to the Civil Service of India, open to all qualified persons, will be held in London in August of each year for such number of appointments to that Service as the Secretary of State may on each occasion determine. The date of the examination and the number of appointments to be made for each province will be announced beforehand by the Civil Service Commissioners.

2. No person will be deemed qualified who shall not satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners,—

(i.) That he is a natural-born subject of His Majesty.

(ii.) That he had attained the age of twenty-two and had not attained the age of twenty-four on the 1st day of August of the year in which the examination is held.

[N.B.—In the case of Natives of India it will be necessary for a candidate to obtain a certificate of age and nationality issued under Notification of the Government of India, No. 2252, dated 21st August, 1888, as amended by Notification No. 404, dated 19th May, 1898, and signed, should he be a resident in British India, by the Secretary to Government of the province, or the Commissioner of the division, within which his family resides, or, should he reside in a Native State, by the highest political officer accredited to the State in which his family resides.

(iii.) That he has no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity unfitting him, or likely to unfit him, for the Civil Service of India.*

(iv.) That he is of good moral character.

3. Should the evidence upon the above points be *prima facie* satisfactory to the Civil Service Commissioners, the candidate, on payment of the prescribed fee, will be admitted to the examination. The Commissioners may, however, in their discretion, at any time prior to the grant of the certificate of qualification hereinafter referred to, institute such further inquiries as they may deem necessary; and if the result of such inquiries, in the case of any candidate, should be unsatisfactory to them in any of the above respects, he will be ineligible for admission to the Civil Service of India, and, if already selected, will be removed from the position of a probationer.

4. The open competitive examination will take place only in the following thirty-eight subjects†:—

	Marks.
1. English composition	500
2. Sanskrit language and literature	800
3. Arabic language and literature	800
Greek, not less than two subdivisions, of which one must be translation:—	
4. Translation	400
5. Prose composition	200

* The Civil Service Commissioners will regard no person as constitutionally fitted for appointment to the Civil Service of India who has not been satisfactorily vaccinated within the last seven years.

† A syllabus defining the character of the examination in the various subjects may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London W.

	Marks.
6. Verse composition	200
7. Literature, &c.	300
Latin, not less than two subdivisions, of which one must be translation :—	
8. Translation	400
9. Prose composition	200
10. Verse composition	200
11. Literature, &c.	300
12. English language and literature	600
13. Italian, translation, composition, and conversation	400
14. Italian, history of the language and literature	200
15. French, translation, composition, and conversation	400
16. French, history of the language and literature	200
17. German, translation, composition, and conversation	400
18. German, history of the language and literature	200
The history of these languages and their literatures can only be taken by candidates who also offer themselves for the rest of the examination in those languages.	
19. Lower mathematics	1,200
20. Higher mathematics	1,200
Natural science—i.e., any number not exceeding four of the following, or three if both lower and higher mathematics be also taken :—	
21. Chemistry	600
22. Physics	600
23. Geology	600
24. Botany	600
25. Zoology	600
26. Animal physiology	600
27. Geography	600
28. Greek history (ancient, including constitution)	500
29. Roman history (ancient, including constitution)	500
English history (either or both sections may be taken) :—	
30. Section I: To A.D. 1485	400
31. Section II: A.D. 1485 to 1848	400
32. General modern history	500
33. Logic and psychology	600
34. Moral and metaphysical philosophy	600
35. Political economy and economic history	600
36. Political science	500
37. Roman law	500
38. English law	500

From the marks assigned to candidates in each subject such deduction will be made as the Civil Service Commissioners may deem necessary in order to secure that no credit be allowed for merely superficial knowledge.

Consistently with the limitations specified above, candidates are at liberty to name any of the foregoing subjects, provided that the maximum number of marks that can be obtained from the subjects chosen is limited to 6,000. If this maximum is exceeded by a candidate's selection he will be required to indicate one of his subjects the marks for which should in his case be reduced so as to bring his maximum marks within the prescribed limit. The marks so reduced will be subject to a correspondingly reduced deduction.

Moreover, if a candidate's handwriting is not easily legible, a further deduction will on that account be made from the total marks otherwise accruing to him.*

5. A list of the competitors shall be made out in order of their proficiency as disclosed by the aggregate marks finally awarded to each competitor, and in that order so many competitors, up to the determined number of appointments, as are found by the Civil Service Commissioners to be qualified by examination shall be designated to be selected candidates for the Civil Service of India, provided that they appear to be duly qualified in other respects. Should any selected candidate become disqualified, the Secretary of State for India will determine whether the vacancy thus created shall be filled or not. In the former case the candidate next in order of merit, and in other respects duly qualified shall be deemed to be a selected candidate.

6. Selected candidates, before proceeding to India, will be on probation for one year, at the end of which time they will be examined, with a view of testing their progress in the following subjects† :—

Compulsory—	Marks.
1. Indian Penal Code	400
2. Code of Criminal Procedure	200
3. The Indian Evidence Act	200
4. Indian history	400

* It is notified for general information that the number of marks deducted for bad handwriting may be considerable.

† Instructions, showing the extent of the examination, will be issued to selected candidates as soon as possible after the result of the open competition is declared.

	Marks.
*5. The principal vernacular language of the province to which the candidate is assigned	400
Optional [not more than one of the following subjects]—	
1. Hindu and Mohammadan law	450
†2. Sanskrit	400
†3. Arabic	400
4. Persian	400
5. Hindustani (for candidates assigned to the Province of Burma only)	400

In this examination, as in the open competition, the merit of the candidates examined will be estimated by marks (which will be subject to deductions in the same way as the marks assigned at the open competition), and the number set opposite to each subject denotes the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it. The examination will be conducted on paper and *viva voce*, as may be deemed necessary. This examination will be held at the close of the year of probation, and will be called the "final examination."

If any candidate is prevented by sickness or any other adequate cause from attending such examination, the Commissioners may, with the concurrence of the Secretary of State for India in Council, allow him to appear at the final examination to be held in the following year, or at a special examination.

7. The selected candidates will also be tested during their probation as to their proficiency in riding.

The examinations in riding will be held as follows :—

(1.) Shortly after the result of the open competitive examination has been declared, or at such time or times as the Commissioners may appoint during the course of the probationary year.

(2.) Again at the time of the final examination. Candidates who may then fully satisfy the Commissioners of their ability to ride well and to perform journeys on horseback will be awarded from 100 to 200 marks, according to the degree of proficiency displayed, to be added to their marks in the final examination. Candidates who fail to obtain 100 marks, but are reported by the Civil Service Commissioners to have reached a minimum standard of proficiency in riding, and are certified by the said Commissioners to be entitled to be appointed to the Civil Service of India, will, on their arrival in India, be subjected to such further tests in riding as may be prescribed by their Government, and shall receive no increase to their initial salary until they have passed such tests to the satisfaction of that Government.

A candidate who fails at the end of the year of probation to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners that he has reached the minimum standard of proficiency in riding will be liable to have his name removed from the list of selected candidates.

8. The selected candidates who, on examination, shall be found to have a competent knowledge of the subjects specified in Regulation 6, and who shall have satisfied the Civil Service Commissioners of their eligibility in respect of nationality, age, health, character, conduct during the period of probation, and ability to ride, shall be certified by the said Commissioners to be entitled to be appointed to the Civil Service of India, provided they shall comply with the regulations in force at the time for that service.

9. Persons desirous to be admitted as candidates must apply on forms, which may be obtained from "The Secretary to the Civil Service Commissioners, London," at any time after the 1st December in the year previous to that in which the examination is to be held. No person will be admitted to the examination from whom the Secretary to the Civil Service Commissioners has not received, on or before the 1st July (or, if that date should fall upon a Sunday or public holiday,

* The principal vernacular language prescribed for each province to which candidates are assigned is as follows :—

For the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh, the Punjab, and the Central Provinces—Hindustani.
For Bengal—Hindustani or Bengali (at the option of the candidate).
For Eastern Bengal and Assam—Bengali (unless it is the candidate's mother-tongue).
For Burma—Burmese.
For Bombay—Marathi (unless it is the candidate's mother-tongue).
For Madras—Tamil or Telugu (at the option of the candidate).
In Hindustani the candidate will be required to be acquainted with both the Persian and the Nagari character.

A candidate assigned to Eastern Bengal and Assam whose mother-tongue is Bengali must offer for examination Hindustani, a candidate assigned to Bombay whose mother-tongue is Marathi must offer for examination Hindustani, and a candidate assigned to Madras or Bengal whose mother-tongue is either of the languages shown against his province must offer the other for examination.

† These subjects may not be offered by any candidate who has offered them at the open competition.

then on or before the first day thereafter on which their office is open) in the year in which the examination is to be held, an application, in the handwriting of the candidate, on the prescribed form.

The Civil Service Commissioners are authorized by the Secretary of State for India in Council to make the following announcements:—

(1.) Selected candidates will be allotted to the various provinces upon a consideration of all the circumstances, including their own wishes; but the requirements of the public service will rank before every other consideration.

(2.) An allowance amounting to £150 will be given to any candidate who passes his probation at one of the universities or colleges which have been approved by the Secretary of State—viz., the Universities of Oxford, Cambridge, Dublin, Glasgow, Edinburgh, St. Andrew's, Aberdeen, and London (University College or King's College); Victoria University, Manchester.

This allowance will be paid to the selected candidate in four instalments on the following dates respectively:—December 24th after his selection, March 25th, June 24th, and the date of his signing his covenant on being finally appointed to the Service.

With the final instalment an allowance on account of passage to India will be paid to each newly appointed civilian to the amount of £37 10s. for passage to Calcutta, Madras, or Bombay, and £43 for passage to Rangoon, the officer then making his own arrangements for his passage.

The payment of each of the first three instalments will be conditional on the receipt, by the Secretary of State, through the Civil Service Commissioners, of a certificate that the candidate has fulfilled up to date the requirements of the authorities, and shown satisfactory conduct at the authorized university or college; the fourth and final instalment will be paid as soon as the selected candidate has signed his covenant, and for its payment no certificate from the college authorities will be required.

The whole probation must ordinarily be passed at the same institution. Migration will not be permitted except for special reasons approved by the Secretary of State.

(3.) Each candidate will be required before receiving the first instalment of his allowance to execute an agreement binding himself to refund all moneys he may have received from the Secretary of State for India in the event of—

- (1) His failure to pass the final examination within the time prescribed by the regulations, and to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners of his fitness for admission to the Civil Service of India; or
- (2) His subsequent failure to execute the usual covenant, and to proceed to India as and when he shall be directed by the Secretary of State for India.

(4.) All candidates obtaining certificates will be also required to enter into covenants by which, amongst other things, they will bind themselves to make such payments as under the rules and regulations for the time being in force they may be required to make towards their own pensions or for the pensions of their families. The stamps payable on these covenants amount to £1.

(5.) The seniority in the Civil Service of India of the candidates obtaining certificates will be determined according to the order in which they stand on the list resulting from the combined marks of the open competitive and final examinations.

(6.) Candidates obtaining certificates will be required to report their arrival in India within such period after the grant of their certificates of qualification as the Secretary of State may in each case direct.

(7.) Candidates who fail to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners at the final examination held in any year will be definitely rejected, and will not be allowed to present themselves for re-examination, unless it shall appear to the Secretary of State in Council, after reference to the Civil Service Commissioners, that such failure is due to circumstances wholly exceptional and beyond the control of the candidate.

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

OPEN COMPETITION OF 1911.

The form of application below does not apply to either the Home or the Colonial Service.

Intending candidates for either or both of those services should write about Easter next to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London W., for the prescribed forms of application.

Civil Service Commission, August, 1910.

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

OPEN COMPETITION OF 1911.—FORM TO BE FILLED UP BY CANDIDATES FOR EXAMINATION.

* * * *The order for admission to the examination will not be issued unless this form, filled up by the candidate himself, is received by the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission on or before the 1st July, 1911.*

This application form relates only to the competition for the Civil Service of India, and does not entitle a candidate to compete also for the Home or colonial service. Intending candidates for either or both of these services must obtain the proper form or forms of application and forward them so as to reach the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, on or before 1st July.

SIR,—I beg to inform you that I wish to be admitted to the Open Competitive examination for the Civil Service of India, which is appointed to commence in London on the 1st of August, 1911.

I am a natural-born subject of His Majesty. [Candidates not born within the British dominions should state this fact in a separate letter.]

I hereby declare that I was born on the _____ day of _____, 18____, and that therefore I shall have attained the age of twenty-two years and shall not have attained the age of twenty-four years on the 1st of August, 1911; I also declare that I have no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity unfitting me, or likely to unfit me, for the Civil Service of India; and that I am of good moral character, and otherwise eligible under the regulations; and I undertake that, if I am successful, I will conform, during my period of probation, to such rules respecting the conduct of public servants as have been laid down, or may hereafter be laid down, by the Secretary of State for India in Council.

I send herewith a certificate of age and nationality, issued in accordance with the rule respecting Natives of India printed in paragraph 3 of rules attached. [Candidates who are not natives of India should strike out this paragraph.]

I beg to inform you that I was * _____ examined before the Civil Service Commissioners in the month of † _____ in the year 1____, as a candidate for the situation of _____

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,
(Name in full.)

Address to which it is desired that the order for examination should be sent: ‡ _____

(Date.)

The Secretary, Civil Service Commission.

Certificates of age (except as mentioned above), health, and character should not be supplied until after the result of the examination is known.

N.B.—Attention is drawn to the annexed form, which must be filled up by every candidate.

If an open competitive examination for clerkships (Class I) in the Home Civil Service should be appointed to be held in August, 1911, I request that a prescribed form of application may be forwarded to me when ready for issue.

(Signature.)

If an open competitive examination for Eastern cadetships should be appointed to be held in August, 1911, I request that a prescribed form of application may be forwarded to me when ready for issue.

(Signature.)

EVIDENCE OF AGE TO BE REQUIRED FROM CANDIDATES FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

1. Every candidate born in the United Kingdom should be prepared to produce, when required, a certificate from the Registrar-General of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, or from one of his provincial officers. This certificate may be obtained from the Registrar-General in London, Dublin, or Edinburgh, or from the Superintendent Registrar of the district in which the birth took place.

2. A candidate born of European parents in India should be prepared to produce, when required, a certificate of baptism from the district in which he was baptized. If this does not also mention the date of birth it should be accompanied by a statutory declaration by one of the candidate's parents, stating the date and place of birth. When such certificates are not in the possession of the candidates an extract from the registers kept at the India Office will probably be obtainable.

3. A candidate who is a Native of India must, on or before the 1st July, 1911, produce a certificate of age and nationality issued under Notification of the Government of India, No. 2252, dated 21st August, 1888, as amended by Notification No. 404, dated 19th May, 1898, and

* If you have never been examined, insert the word "never."

† If you have been examined, give the date, &c., of the last occasion.

‡ If a London address, state the postal district; if a country address, state the post-town.

signed, should he be a resident in British India, by the Secretary to Government of the province, or the Commissioner of the division within which his family resides, or, should he reside in a Native State, by the highest political officer accredited to the State in which his family resides. No other certificates will be accepted for this competition.

To be filled up by the candidate himself, and returned with the Form of Application.

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.
OPEN COMPETITION OF 1911.
SELECTION FORM.

* * Place your initials against the subjects which you select; if your selections exceed 6,000 marks indicate the subject which is to be reduced; and sign your name in the place indicated.

	Maximum Marks.
1. English composition	500
2. Sanskrit language and literature	800
3. Arabic language and literature	800
Greek, not less than two subdivisions, of which one must be translation:—	
4. Translation	400
5. Prose composition	200
6. Verse composition	200
7. Literature, &c.	300
Latin, not less than two subdivisions, of which one must be translation:—	
8. Translation	400
9. Prose composition	200
10. Verse composition	200
11. Literature, &c.	300
12. English language and literature	600
13. Italian, translation, composition, and conversation	400
14. Italian, history of the language and literature	200
15. French, translation, composition, and conversation	400
16. French, history of the language and literature	200
17. German, translation, composition, and conversation	400
18. German, history of the language and literature	200
The history of these languages and their literatures can only be taken by candidates who also offer themselves for the rest of the examination in those languages.	
19. Lower mathematics	1,200
20. Higher mathematics	1,200
Natural science—i.e., any number not exceeding four of the following, or three if both lower and higher mathematics be also taken:—	
21. * Chemistry	600
22. Physics	600
23. Geology	600
24. * Botany	600
25. Zoology	600
26. Animal physiology	600
27. Geography	600
28. Greek history (ancient, including constitution)	500
29. Roman history (ancient, including constitution)	500
English history, either or both sections may be taken:—	
30. Section I: To A.D., 1485	400
31. Section II: A.D., 1485 to 1848	400
32. General modern history	500
33. Logic and psychology	600
34. Moral and metaphysical philosophy	600
35. Political economy and economic history	600
36. Political science	500
37. Roman law	500
38. English law	500

(Signature.)
(Date.)

To the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London W.

N.B.—Attention is drawn to the annexed form, which must be filled up by every candidate.

* For the practical examination in chemistry candidates may bring any standard books on analysis, and for the practical examination in botany any standard flora. All books brought must be submitted to the presiding examiner for his approval. No written notes of any kind will be allowed.

NOTE.

If open competitive examinations for the following services—viz., Eastern cadetships in the colonial service; clerkships (Class I) in the Home Civil Service—should be held in 1911 concurrently with the open competitive examination for the Civil Service of India, candidates, duly eligible in respect of age, will be admitted to compete for any two or all three of these services, subject to the following conditions:—

(1.) They must enter and return to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, within the time limited by the several regulations, an application on the form prescribed for each of the respective services.*

(2.) Every successful candidate who may have been admitted to compete for either the India or the colonial service (or both), as well as for the Home service, will be called upon to declare, immediately after the announcement of the result of the competitions, whether he prefers his name to remain on the list of candidates for the India or colonial service or on the list of candidates for clerkships in the Home Civil Service. The name of any candidate who fails to declare his choice when called upon to do so will be removed from the list of candidates for clerkships in the Home Civil Service.

(3.) Every successful candidate who may have been admitted to compete for both the India and colonial services will be called upon to declare, immediately after the announcement of the result of the competitions, whether he prefers his name to remain on the list of candidates for the Civil Service of India or on the list of candidates for Eastern cadetships in the colonial service. The name of any candidate who fails to declare his choice when called upon to do so will be removed from the list of candidates for Eastern cadetships.

(4.) All declarations of choice are irrevocable.

(5.) Candidates for all three or any two of the above-mentioned services will be required to pay a consolidated fee of £6.

Civil Service Commission, 5th August, 1910.

* Candidates who may desire to enter the competitions for the Home and colonial services should apply, about Easter next, to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London W., for the prescribed forms of application.

Officiating Ministers for 1910.—Notice No. 35.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 26th October, 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 late Majesty King Edward VII, and intitled the Marriage Act, 1908, the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

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

The Reverend George Arthur Crossman.
The Reverend Charles Francis Saunders.

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

"Conscience Money" received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 19th October, 1910.

THE Minister of Finance directs me to acknowledge receipt of the sum of 3s., forwarded to the Railway Department, Wellington, by some person unknown, as "conscience money" to the New Zealand Government.

J. W. POYNTON,
Secretary to the Treasury.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

The Treasury, New Zealand,
Friendly Societies Office,
Wellington, 26th October, 1910.

THE Pride of Te Kuiti Lodge No. 82, situated at Te Kuiti, is registered as a branch of the Grand Lodge of the North Island of New Zealand of the United Ancient Order of Druids Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 26th day of October, 1910.

ROBT. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

RETURN of the VALUE of IMPORTS at the several PORTS of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1910—continued.

Countries.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Poverty Bay.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau.	Picton.	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton and Christchurch.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Bluff.	Parcels Post.	Totals.	Corresponding Quarter, 1909.	Countries.		
America—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	America—	
U.S., East Coast	77,367	...	157	920	1,545	187	3,048	100,248	4,973	142	...	1,460	1,293	1,178	228	52,572	883	251	32,337	3,707	3,198	285,694	275,434	U.S., East Coast		
West Coast	18,240	...	...	206	1,061	...	393	8,617	613	71	...	384	36	314	...	2,477	104	...	7,458	581	474	41,029	22,670	West Coast	
Alaska	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	Alaska
West Indies	573	...	...	...	66	...	...	604	...	...	...	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,298	502	West Indies	
Mexico	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	Mexico
Brazil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	48	25	Brazil
Uruguay	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47	Uruguay
Guatemala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	Guatemala
Africa—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Africa—
Egypt	59	...	...	...	...	...	...	205	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	62	...	15	341	339	...	Egypt
Morocco	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	Morocco
Madagascar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	Madagascar
Canary Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	Canary Islands
Tripoli	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	Tripoli
Asia—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Asia—
China	822	...	...	...	...	...	65	2,247	110	...	...	62	...	...	...	179	...	...	130	...	27	3,642	3,009	...	China
Japan	15,367	...	...	63	...	...	71	11,400	1,898	...	...	45	...	...	...	10,176	6,392	300	6,769	699	114	53,294	29,867	...	Japan
Java	3,204	...	...	...	...	...	50	1,130	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	111	13	...	722	237	...	5,622	6,519	...	Java
Philippines	1,757	...	...	20	...	...	...	156	51	...	...	...	...	...	...	112	...	...	805	...	1	2,906	2,265	...	Philippines
Sumatra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	Sumatra
Asia Minor	743	...	...	...	12	...	...	336	21	...	...	25	...	...	...	335	33	...	1,164	...	1	2,670	2,387	...	Asia Minor
Arabia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	Arabia
Cochin China	112	Cochin China
Flores Island	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	101	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	101	Flores Island
Pacific Islands—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pacific Islands—
New Hebrides	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	New Hebrides
New Caledonia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,007	...	...	...	...	4,007	New Caledonia
Surprise	1,675	1,675	4,790	Surprise
Friendly	11,855	12,203	Friendly
Navigators	102	1	1,086	12	Navigators
Society	3,277	28	3,305	Society
Sandwich	4	Sandwich
Solomon	5	4	Solomon
Christmas	4	Christmas
New Guinea	4	New Guinea
Totals	1,482,897	1,011	538	50,708	48,700	8,687	61,163	1,358,891	121,780	14,330	874	42,785	13,885	37,834	3,394	764,023	90,590	19,191	703,189	134,696	94,366	5,053,532*	...	...	Totals
Corresp. Quarter, 1909...	1,351,593	1,289	142	43,920	32,894	6,974	61,718	1,110,120	94,259	10,958	1,810	25,314	13,745	27,040	3,159	649,584	70,092	18,475	489,808	106,723	74,944	...	4,199,560†	Corresp. Quarter, 1909		

* Includes specie imported at Auckland, £10,005; Wellington, £100,000; Lyttelton, £5,000; Dunedin, £6,500.

† Includes specie imported at Auckland, £50,005; Christchurch, £25,460; Dunedin, £25,000

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 24th October, 1910.

W. B. MONTGOMERY, Secretary of Customs.

Tenders.—Supply of Waterproof Coats, Police Department.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders for the supply of police waterproof coats and capes (C. 9 waterproof cloth) for one year from 1st November, 1910, is published for general information.

F. WALDEGRAVE,
Commissioner of Police.

Name of Tenderer.	Address.	Amount of Tender.		Remarks.
		Foot.	Mounted.	
Sargood, Son, and Ewen (Limited)	Wellington ..	£ s. d. 2 3 0	£ s. d. 2 6 0	Accepted.
Wright, Dixon, and Witt	" ..	2 5 9	2 5 9	Declined.
Bing, Harris, and Co. (Limited)	" ..	2 5 9	2 10 9	"
Kaipoi Woollen Manufacturing Company (Limited) ..	Christchurch ..	2 6 6	2 10 0	"
Ross and Glendining (Limited)	Wellington ..	2 9 6	2 16 6	"
J. M. Morran (Union cloth as per samples) ..	Auckland ..	2 10 0	2 12 6	"
		2 15 0	2 17 6	"

Government Insurance Department.—Agency opened at Otira.

Government Insurance Department,
Wellington, 25th October, 1910.

AN Agency of the Life Branch of the above Department will be opened at the

POST-OFFICE, OTIRA,

as from the 2nd proximo.

J. H. RICHARDSON,
Commissioner.

Tenders for Copper Wire.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 25th October, 1910.

THE following particulars of tenders for the supply and delivery of 25 tons of hard-drawn copper wire are published for general information:—

<i>Accepted.</i>			
Joseph Nathan and Co. (Limited), Wellington	£	s.	d.
	1,725	0	0
<i>Declined.</i>			
Samuel Brown (Limited), Wellington	1,775	0	0
P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington	*1,777	10	0
P. S. Lawrie and H. Hutchison, Wellington	1,797	0	0
Richardson, Blair, and McCabe (Limited), Wellington	1,798	0	0
H. S. King, Wellington	1,810	0	0
Castendyk and Focke, Wellington	1,810	12	6
R. W. Cameron and Co., Wellington	1,812	10	0
R. W. Cameron and Co., Wellington	1,837	10	0
Arthur D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington	1,839	7	6
W. J. Curry and Co., Auckland	1,855	0	0
Indiarubber, Guttapercha, and Telegraph Works (Limited), Christchurch	1,856	5	0
A. S. Paterson and Co., Wellington	1,873	0	5
Thomas Ballinger and Co. (Limited), Wellington	1,874	0	0

* £10 less if payment made in London.

J. K. LOGAN,
Superintendent of Electric Lines.

Tenders for 10,000 Yards of Canvas.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 19th October, 1910.

TENDERS will be received until 5 p.m. on Monday, 5th December, 1910, for the supply and delivery of 10,000 yards of canvas.

Samples, specifications and conditions, and forms of tender may be obtained at the Chief Post-offices at Auckland, Christchurch, and Dunedin, and at the office of the Controller of Stores, at Wellington.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

By order.

J. K. LOGAN,
Superintendent of Electric Lines.

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

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 25th October, 1910.

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

O'Malley, John, late of Towai, in the Provincial District of Auckland, labourer. Filed on the 19th day of September, 1910.

Millward, William, late of Burnett's Face, in the Provincial District of Nelson, miner. Filed on the 19th day of September, 1910.

Reid, Andrew Dick, late of Gibbstons, in the Provincial District of Otago, miner. Filed on the 21st day of September, 1910.

Spick, Oliva, late of Northern Wairoa, in the Provincial District of Auckland, married woman. Filed on the 21st day of September, 1910.

Lock, Albert John, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, cook. Filed on the 21st day of September, 1910.

Clark, Robert, late of Taumarunui, in the Provincial District of Auckland, bushman. Filed on the 22nd day of September, 1910.

Goss, Stephen, late of Tauranga, in the Provincial District of Auckland, clerk. Filed on the 22nd day of September, 1910.

Reade, Lawrence Edward, late of Foxton, in the Provincial District of Wellington, solicitor. Filed on the 22nd day of September, 1910.

Snell, John Walter, late of Henley, in the Provincial District of Otago, labourer. Filed on the 22nd day of September, 1910.

Bourneville, Eugene Ernest, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, carpenter. Filed on the 24th day of September, 1910.

Scott, Mary, late of Karangahake, in the Provincial District of Auckland, married woman. Filed on the 28th day of September, 1910.

McPharlin, Archibald John, late of Ohura, in the Provincial District of Auckland, bushman. Filed on the 28th day of September, 1910.

Gillies, John Lawson, late of South Dunedin, in the Provincial District of Otago, tailor. Filed on the 28th day of September, 1910.

Hill, Henry, or Hill, Harry, late of Fairlie, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, contractor. Filed on the 28th day of September, 1910.

Paine, Frank Leslie, late of Lyttelton, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, clerk. Filed on the 28th day of September, 1910.

Harris, Lawrence Charles, late of Northern Wairoa, in the Provincial District of Auckland, labourer. Filed on the 28th day of September, 1910.

McLeod, John, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, bookmaker. Filed on the 28th day of September, 1910.

Welsh, Frederick Alexander, late of Ballee, Antrim, Ireland, minor. Filed on the 28th day of September, 1910.
 Kitto, Ann, late of Dalmore, in the Provincial District of Dunedin, widow. Filed on the 30th day of September, 1910.

Jacobsen, Jacob Christian, late of Mauriceville, in the Provincial District of Wellington, labourer. Filed on the 1st day of October, 1910.

Riddell, Andrew, late of Petone, in the Provincial District of Wellington, greaser. Filed on the 4th day of October, 1910.

Lafferty, Grace, late of Sydenham, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, married woman. Filed on the 4th day of October, 1910.

Stringer, Joseph, late of Karamu, in the Provincial District of Auckland, labourer. Filed on the 10th day of October, 1910.

Morton, James, late of Collingwood, in the Provincial District of Nelson, miner. Filed on the 10th day of October, 1910.

McNaught, Christina, late of Amberley, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, married woman. Filed on the 10th day of October, 1910.

Startup, George Henry, late of Normanby, in the Provincial District of Taranaki, farmer. Filed on the 14th day of October, 1910.

Clements, Elizabeth, late of Gisborne, in the Provincial District of Auckland, dressmaker. Filed on the 14th day of October, 1910.

McBreen, James, late of Hikurangi, in the Provincial District of Auckland, bushman. Filed on the 15th day of October, 1910.

Robinson, William, late of Grey Lynn, in the Provincial District of Auckland, gardener. Filed on the 15th day of October, 1910.

Hunter-Blair, Robert, late of Little Barrier Island, in the Provincial District of Auckland, curator of the island. Filed on the 21st day of October, 1910.

Hewson, Mary Ann Emeline, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, married woman. Filed on the 21st day of October, 1910.

Cook, Ann, late of Halcombe, in the Provincial District of Wellington, married woman. Filed on the 21st day of October, 1910.

Baird, James, late of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, painter. Filed on the 21st day of October, 1910.

James, Agnes McPherson, late of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, widow. Filed on the 21st day of October, 1910.

Gardner, Elizabeth Jane, late of West Seneca, United States of America. Filed on the 19th day of October, 1910.

FRED FITCHETT,
 Public Trustee.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Land in Southland Land District open for Sale or Selection.

District Lands Office,
 Invercargill, 25th October, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land is open for sale or selection, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 22nd day of February, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—TARINGATURA SURVEY DISTRICT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
1	XLI	A. R. P. 88 0 5	£ s. d. 180 0 0	£ s. d. 4 10 0	£ s. d. 3 15 0

Weighted with £40, valuation for improvements consisting of fencing and grassing.

H. M. SKEET,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Hawke's Bay Land District for Disposal under Section 140 of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands Office,
 Napier, 25th October, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 3, Block VII, Nuhaka Survey District, Wairoa County, containing 1 acre 2 roods 17 perches, will be disposed of as a cheese-factory site, under section 140 of the Land Act, 1908, to the Nuhaka Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited), on or after Friday, the 27th day of January, 1911.

C. R. POLLEN,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
 Auckland, 25th October, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of on occupation with right of purchase, under section 128 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 27th day of January, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
10	XIV	Puniu	A. R. P. 51 2 0

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Wellington Land District open for Sale or Selection.

District Lands Office,
 Wellington, 19th September, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for sale or selection, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 21st day of December, 1910, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—RANGITIKEI COUNTY.—MAUNGAKARETU SURVEY DISTRICT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
12, 12A	XIV	A. R. P. 79 1 34	£ s. d. 120 0 0	£ s. d. 3 0 0	£ s. d. 2 8 0

Situated on Okaka Road, in the Hunterville No. 1 Block, the distance from Mataroa being about sixteen miles. Comprises hilly land, with a few flats at the front. The soil is of fair quality on papa formation. The forest is light, comprising rimu, matai, tawa, &c., with undergrowth of usual kind. Fairly well watered.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District open for Sale or Selection.

District Lands Office,
 Auckland, 3rd October, 1910

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land is open for sale or selection, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 23rd day of January, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—HOKIANGA COUNTY.—WHANGAPE 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.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
67	11	A. R. P. 370 1 0	200	0	0	5	0	0	4	0	0

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 6th October, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, at the Survey Office, Hamilton, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Friday, the 20th day of January, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAIPA COUNTY.—NGAROTO PARISH.

Rural Land.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.		
		£	s.	d.
37	A. R. P. 36 3 2	150	0	0
361	50 0 0	50	0	0

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-run in Hawke's Bay Land District open for Lease.

District Lands Office,
Napier, 6th September, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-run is open for lease, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, the 10th day of November, 1910, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—WAIPAWA COUNTY.—WAKARARA AND MAKARETU SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Pastoral Land.

Run No.	Area.	Half-yearly Rental.		
		£	s.	d.
101	A. R. P. 1,718 0 0	26	0	0

*Situating about seven miles by road from Wakarara Post-office, and about twenty-two miles from Ongaonga. High, broken, pastoral country, all in bush, consisting principally of red and black birch and stunted rimu. Altitude, 2,200 ft. to 3,500 ft. Soil fair; well watered by several streams, many of which are difficult to cross owing to their precipitous sides.

C. R. POLLEN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Hawke's Bay Land District open for Sale or Selection.

District Lands Office,
Napier, 14th September, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given 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 Thursday, the 10th day of November, 1910, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—DANNEVIKKE COUNTY.—NORSEWOOD SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.			Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.			Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
6	IX	A. R. P. 126 0 0	1,150	0	0	28	15	0	23	0	0

First-class Land.

Somewhat broken in the western portion, the remainder being flat and undulating. About half of the section is in English grass. Good soil; well watered. Altitude, 1,075 ft. to 1,250 ft. above sea-level. Distant five miles from Piripiri and Matamau Railway-stations. The owner of buildings will be allowed two months in which to remove or otherwise dispose of them.

Second-class Land.

3 | V | 1,069 0 0 | 2,200 0 0 | 55 0 0 | 44 0 0
Forest country, suitable for pastoral purposes. About 600 acres of the southern portion consists of low hills, with tawa, rimu, and other mixed bush, and fair soil. The remainder of the section consists of rough broken country, with inferior soil; well watered. Altitude, 1,200 ft. to 2,400 ft. above sea-level. Distant six miles from Piripiri and Matamau Railway-stations.

1 | IX | 1,459 0 0 | 2,300 0 0 | 57 10 0 | 46 0 0
Mixed forest country, suitable for pastoral purposes. About 600 acres consists of fairly low hills, the remainder being high and broken. The soil is fair to inferior; well watered. Altitude, 1,000 ft. to 2,400 ft. above sea-level. Distant six miles from Piripiri and Matamau Railway-stations.

C. R. POLLEN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 23rd September, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of the Land Act, 1908, and the State Forests Act, 1908, and regulations thereunder, that written tenders will be received at this office, from the proprietors of existing sawmills and logging contractors, up till 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, 23rd November, 1910, for the purchase of the kauri and other milling-timber standing on the undermentioned lots.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

MONGONUI COUNTY.

Lot 1.

Part Blocks VIII, Ahipara, XIII, Takahue, and VII, Whangape Survey Districts.

(State Forest and National Endowment.)

2,216 GREEN and 10 dry kauri-trees, containing approximately 3,988,341 sup. feet (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brands, thus: ▽ I, II, and III.

Time for removal: Three years.

Upset price: 2s. per 100 sup. feet.

Terms: One-fifth in cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender, one fifth in seven months, one-fifth in fourteen months, one-fifth in twenty-one months, and one-fifth in twenty-eight months thereafter.

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

BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.

Lot 2.

Part Blocks I and II, Omapere Survey District.—Lot 1, Puketi Forest.

(National Endowment.)

532 green kauri-trees, containing approximately 1,132,432 sup. feet (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brand, thus: I.

Time for removal: Two years.

Upset price: 2s. 6d. per 100 sup. feet.

Terms: One-third in cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender, one-third in eight months, and one-third in sixteen months thereafter.

18 faulty and undersized trees, branded $F^{\wedge}R$, not included in this sale.

Lot 3.

Part Block I, Omapere Survey District.—Lot 2, Puketi Forest.

(National Endowment.)

973 green kauri-trees, containing approximately 1,866,608 sup. feet (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brand, thus: II.

Time for removal: Two years.

Upset price: 2s. 6d. per 100 sup. feet.

Terms: One-third in cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender, one-third in eight months, and one-third in sixteen months thereafter.

30 faulty and undersized trees, branded $F^{\wedge}R$, not included in this sale.

HOKIANGA COUNTY.

Lot 4.

Part Block XIII, Kaeo Survey District.—Lot 3, Puketi Forest.

(National Endowment.)

1,621 green and 27 dry kauri-trees, containing approximately 3,797,862 sup. feet (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brand, thus: III.

Time for removal: Three years.

Upset price: 2s. 6d. per 100 sup. feet.

Terms: One-fifth in cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender, one-fifth in seven months, one-fifth in fourteen months, one-fifth in twenty-one months, and one-fifth in twenty-eight months thereafter.

30 faulty and undersized trees, branded $F^{\wedge}R$, not included in this sale.

Lot 5.

Part Block XIII, Kaeo Survey District.—Lot 18, Omahuta Forest.

(State Forest.)

874 green kauri-trees, containing approximately 1,612,500 sup. feet (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brand, thus: I.

Time for removal: Two years.

Upset price: 2s. 6d. per 100 sup. ft.

Terms: One-third in cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender, one-third in eight months, and one-third in sixteen months thereafter.

24 faulty and undersized trees, branded $F^{\wedge}R$, not included in this sale.

HOBSON COUNTY.

Lot 6.

Crown Land, Part Block III, Kaihu Survey District.

(Kaihu Watershed.)

93 green and 7 dry kauri-trees, containing approximately 382,698 sup. feet (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brand, thus: X.

Time for removal: One year.

Upset price: 2s. per 100 sup. feet.

Terms: Cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender.

Lot 7.

Crown Land, Part Block IV, Kaihu Survey District.

8 kauri-trees, containing approximately 6,332 sup. feet (standing measurement); 723 rimu-trees, containing approximately 525,987 sup. feet (standing measurement); 2,898 kahikatea-trees, containing approximately 3,743,656 sup. feet (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brands, thus: I, II, and V F^{\wedge} .

Time for removal: Three years.

Upset prices: Kauri, 1s.; rimu and kahikatea, 6d. per 100 sup. feet.

Terms: One-fifth in cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender, one-fifth in seven months, one-fifth in fourteen months, one-fifth in twenty-one months, and one-fifth in twenty-eight months thereafter.

19 rimu and 97 kahikatea trees (defective), branded F.R., not included in this sale; also 374 totara and 169 matai trees, branded F.R., reserved for settlement purposes.

Lot 8.

Crown Land, Part Block XVI, Tutamoe Survey District, and Block IV, Kaihu Survey District.

(Tangowahine Watershed.)

169 green and dry kauri-trees, containing approximately 429,936 sup. feet (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brand, thus: V.

Time for removal: One year.

Upset price: 2s. per 100 sup. feet.

Terms: Cash within fourteen days after acceptance of tender.

20 faulty and undersized trees, branded F.R., not included in this sale.

CONDITIONS.

1. Intending tenderers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relating to their tenders.

2. The aforementioned quantities, qualities, and kind as to the said timber shall be taken as sufficiently accurate for the purpose of this sale, and no contract for purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the successful tenderer be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being in less quantity, quality, and kind than as stated herein or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber, nor shall any extra sum be claimed by the Crown if for any reason the quantity of timber is found to be in excess of that stated herein.

3. No tender will be considered wherein a less royalty is offered than the upset prices as stated in terms of each lot.

4. All timber on each lot, whether standing, felled, or in logs, shall remain the property of the Crown until all the instalments are paid.

5. Offers from the successful tenderers will be considered for the purchase of the undersized and defective timber mentioned herein.

6. In all lots the quantities stated are standing measurements, and only those trees bearing the special distinguishing brand shown in each lot are included in this sale.

7. Should any dispute arise as to boundaries, the decision of the Commissioner of Crown Lands shall be final.

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

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

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

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

12. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

TERMS.

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

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

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Otago Land District for Sale by Public Auction for Cash.

District Lands Office,
Dunedin. 6th September, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction for cash, at this office, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 8th day of December, 1910.

SCHEDULE.
OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
TOWN LAND.			
<i>Town of Ranfurly.</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
10	XI	0 1 4.7	35 0 0
Weighted with £780, valuation for improvements consisting of building containing twenty-five rooms, windmill, tower, and tank.			
SUBURBAN LAND.			
<i>Town of Alexandra.</i>			
5	XXVII	1 1 19	5 0 0
Weighted with £5 11s. 4d., valuation for fencing.			
E. H. WILMOT, Commissioner of Crown Lands.			

Village-homestead Allotments in Southland Land District open for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands Office,
Invercargill, 3rd October, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village-homestead allotments are open for selection on renewable lease, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 21st day of November, 1910, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

The ballot for the allotments for which there is more than one applicant will be held at this office at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 22nd day of November, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—INVERCARGILL HUNDRED.
Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
109	XX	15 3 1	25 0 0	0 10 0
113*	"	15 3 1	25 0 0	0 10 0

Weighted with £30 6s., valuation for improvements, consisting of hut, shed, clearing, fencing, and ditching.

Flat bush land, from which large timber has been removed; soil light. Distance two miles from terminus of Otatara Tram line, and about nine miles from Invercargill.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

9. No lessee shall apply for or hold more than 65 acres, and such area shall be held for his or her sole use and

benefit, and not for the use or benefit of any other person whomsoever.

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

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Wellington Land District for Disposal under Section 128 of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 5th September, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be disposed of, under section 128 of the said Act, on or after Thursday, the 8th day of December, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
5	X	Mikimiki..	Aces. 237
7	XI	" ..	300

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Southland Land District open for Sale or Selection.

District Lands Office,
Invercargill, 18th October, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land is open for sale or selection, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 25th day of January, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—FOREST HILL HUNDRED.
Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
264	VII	200 0 0	100 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

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

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 23rd day of January, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—COROMANDEL COUNTY.—HARATAUNGA SURVEY DISTRICT.
Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
2	III	436 0 0	220 0 0	4 8 0

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wellington.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 24th October, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Wellington, on the 4th day of November, 1910, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wellington, 1910-34.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
150	Lease	19th February, 1908 ..	Wakapuaka (part) ..	Hemi Matenga to Arthur Douglas Bird.
151	Transfer	22nd August, 1908 ..	Ngarara West A, part Section 40	Whakarau te Kotua to William Hughes Field
152	"	27th July, 1910 ..	Kekerione No. 1r (part)	Pahi Pomare to Inia Tuhata.
153	"	14th June, 1910 ..	Kekerione No. 1, Sub-division 32	Haena te Poki to Paniora te Anahu.
154	"	19th October, 1910 ..	Rangitoto No. 5.	Te Ahu Pakake to Doris Lord.

APPLICATION FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
155	Pitiera Taipua and others	Muhunua 1B No. 2.
156	Rangiapoa Waikari	Awarua 2c No. 2.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 121 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
159	Pitiera Taipua and others ..	Muhunua 1B No. 2 ..	To cancel the partition orders dated 27th April, 1906.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 91 OF THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1908.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
160	Hutt County Council (by its solicitors, Brandon, Hislop, and Johnston)	Part of Hongoeke Nos. 1 and 2, and Haukopua West	To ascertain the amount of compensation payable to the owners of, or other persons interested in, the said land taken for road purposes, and to determine who are the proper persons to whom such compensation should be paid.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 27 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
161	W. V. B. Pearce (by his solicitors, Messrs. Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers)	Aorangi 3G No. 2A ..	To amend the partition order herein by reserving the right-of-way as ordered by the Native Land Court in 1906.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Kaiapoi.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 24th October, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Kaiapoi on the 10th day of November, 1910, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wellington, 1910-36.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.
APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
278	Transfer	31st January, 1910 ..	Part Subdivision 1E No. 5, Otonga	Riakiao Wharepa to Joseph Santos and W. A. Parnham.
279	Lease	11th June, 1910 ..	Part Section 10, Block IV, Wairewa 887	Manu Taylor to A. J. Thomson.
280	"	20th April, " ..	Oxford Native Reserve 2038 Nos. 1A and 1B	Poihipi Wakena and others to J. W. Foster.
281	"	28th May, " ..	Kaiapoi Native Reserve, Section 19	Hohepa Teihoka and another to Robert McQuillan.
282	"	24th " " ..	Wairewa 887, Section 2, Block III	Makareta Rapatini to W. A. Sillifant.
283	Transfer	30th September, 1910	Wairewa 887, Section 3, Block III	Piripi Horopapera to Thomas Quealy.
284	Lease	18th June, 1910 ..	Kaiapoi 97 ..	Te Uki Rupapera and others to Robert McQuillan.
284A	Conveyance	11th May, " ..	Village Section 18, Arowhenua Native Reserve 881	Kihi Kahu to Rahera Whitau.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
285	Piripi Tauwhare	Arahura North Bank, Reserve 30.
286	H. Tare Tikao	Wairewa 887, Block 5.
287	"	" " 3, Section 8.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
374	H. W. Uru	Hineiawhea Teihoka Barrett.
375	A. W. Traill	Kate Kihau.
376	Hoani Maaka Hape	Retimana Momo.
377	John Robertson	Pirihira Ngahua Rapatini.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 50 OF THE NATIVE LAND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENT AND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1901, FOR INQUIRY INTO THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE ADOPTIONS MENTIONED BELOW.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Adopted Child.	Particulars of Adoption.
378	Ihaia te Awanui	Teoti Wira Tamaherangi..	Adoption by Ihaia te Awanui, of Kaikoura, of Teoti Wira Tamaherangi, the child of Teoti Wira.
379	Teone Paka Koruarua and Raita Koruarua	Teone Wiwi Paraone ..	Adoption by Teone Paka Koruarua and Raita Koruarua of Teone Wiwi Paraone, the child of Irihapeti Paraone.

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW ADMINISTRATOR.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.	Name of Present Administrator.
380	Wiremu Retara	Merchana Retara	Henare Whakatau Uru.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 91 OF THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1908.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
381	Otago Heads Road Board ..	Otago Heads	Application for assessment of compensation payable in respect of the lands described in the First Schedule to the Otago Heads Native Reserve Road Act, 1908.

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

IN THE NATIVE APPELLATE COURT OF NEW ZEALAND.
In the matter of an application by Waaka te Ngoungou, under section 24 of the Maori Land Laws Amendment Act, 1908, to cancel the order of the Native Land Court dated the 3rd day of February, 1905, appointing successors to the interests of herself, then alleged to be deceased, in Upokomutu Block, and which order was affirmed by the Native Appellate Court.

WHEREAS the above application has been referred to the Native Appellate Court for inquiry and

report, and the same has been duly reported upon: And whereas it is found that the said order was made in error, the said person not being deceased: Now, therefore, for the purpose of rectifying the said error, and in exercise of the power in that behalf vested in me by section 24 aforesaid, and by section 433 of the Native Land Act, 1909, I hereby order that the said order be and the same is hereby cancelled.

As witness my hand and the seal of the Court, this 4th day of October, 1910.

JACKSON PALMER,
Chief Judge.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board will sit at Auckland on Friday, the 11th day of November, 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, and such other matter as may be lawfully brought before it.

Auckland, 24th October, 1910.

W. H. BOWLER, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR PRECEDENT CONSENT TO ALIENATION UNDER SECTION 209 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	W. 1910/446	Sale	Lot 141, Parish of Pepepe	.. Natives to Alexander Campbell.

APPLICATIONS TO SUMMON MEETINGS OF OWNERS UNDER PART XVIII OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Proposed Resolution for Consideration.
2	W. 1910/443	Ernest Deeble (by his solicitors, Millar and Son)	Moechau 1G No. 5	.. That land be sold to applicant at £3 per acre.
3	W. 1910/444	Bamford and Brown	Taharoa A No. 6	.. That land be leased to J. H. Gunson for fifty years at a rental of 1s. per acre during first twenty-one years, 3s. next twenty-one years, and no rental during remaining eight years.
4	W. 1910/445	"	" No. 3	.. That part of foreshore be leased to James Robertson for fifty years at a rental of 1s. per acre during first twenty-one years, 3s. next twenty-one years, and no rental during remaining eight years.

Native Lands for Lease by Public Tender.—988 Acres.

Office of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board, Gisborne, 7th October, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of the Native Land Act, 1909, and the regulations made thereunder, that written tenders will be received by the President at Wairoa, Hawke's Bay, up till 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, the 16th day of November, 1910, for leases of the several lands named in the Schedule hereto, for a term of twenty-one years, with a right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years.

SCHEDULE.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
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RUARAKAIPUTARA No. 1 BLOCK.—BLOCK II, CLYDE SURVEY DISTRICT.

First-class Land.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	71 0 23	26 13 6

About 25 acres of rich well-grassed flat; balance low ridges, mixed scrub and grass. Soil good, well watered. About one mile and a half from Wairoa Dairy Factory. There is a road laid off through the block connecting with the main Wairoa-Nuhaka Road.

KOPUA D BLOCK.—BLOCK II, CLYDE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
2	47 1 13	10 13 0

This block is bounded by the Kairangi No. 2, Tukemokihi No. 2, Ohuia No. 1, and Kapua B Blocks. It is suitable for grazing purposes only. There is no road access to the block. It is subject to a lease for flax-cutting rights for the term of twenty-one years from 1st July, 1908.

KAHAATUREIA A BLOCK.—BLOCKS I AND IV, NUHAKA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
3	196 3 0	17 4 6

Steep hilly land; soil fair; covered with light bush and scrub. Access by road not guaranteed. It adjoins Section 2, Block 20, Opoiti Survey District.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
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	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
4	280 0 0	31 10 0

About 10 acres of flat; balance low hills, covered with fern, grass, and scrub. Soil good. Access by road not guaranteed. It adjoins Kahaatureia Nos. 2 and 7 Blocks.

MATAKUHIA BLOCK.—BLOCK XIV, TUAHU SURVEY DISTRICT.

Third-class Land.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
5	393 1 0	19 14 0

High hilly land covered with light bush scrub. Situated between S.G.R. 80 and 81. It has an altitude of about 1,500 ft. above sea-level. About thirty-three miles from Wairoa—twenty-two miles by coach-road, balance graded bridle-track.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS.

1. Term of lease: Twenty-one years, with right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years.
2. The rental shall not be less than the given upset rental for the first twenty-one years, and shall be computed at the rate of 5 per cent. on the then unimproved value for the second term of twenty-one years.
3. Every tender shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope, addressed to the President, and marked on the outside as follows: "Tender for lease of Lot No. , as advertised in the newspaper of the day of , 19" and shall be accompanied by a statutory declaration in the prescribed form.
4. If any person desires to tender for more than one lot a separate tender for each lot must be made. Each tender must be accompanied by a separate declaration, as required by the last preceding condition.
5. Each tender must be accompanied by six months' rent, lease fee (£3 3s.), an amount sufficient to cover stamp duty and registration fee, and the value of the improvements (if any).
6. Term of lease commences on the 1st January, 1911. Lessee may enter into possession immediately upon acceptance of tender, and shall be entitled to a rebate of rent for the period from the 1st January to date of acceptance of tender.
7. Rental to be paid half-yearly, in advance, on 1st January and 1st July in each year.

8. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments (land-tax excepted).

9. Lessee not to transfer, sublet, or mortgage without the prior consent of the Board. Transfer not allowed until lessee has been one year in possession.

10. Including all other land already owned, held, or occupied under a tenure of more than one year's duration, no person may hold more than 3,000 acres; every acre of first-class land being reckoned as 7½ acres, and every acre of second-class land being reckoned as 2½ acres.

11. Lessee to execute lease within thirty days after being notified that it is ready for signature.

12. Lessee has no right to minerals without license, but he may use on the land any minerals for any agricultural, pastoral, household, road-making, or building purpose.

13. On expiry of term of lease, lessee's improvements will be valued and protected.

14. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

15. All leases shall conform to the requirements of the Native Land Act, 1909, and the regulations made thereunder; and the lessees shall be deemed to be acquainted with the provisions thereof, and to be bound thereby as effectually as if such provisions were embodied herein.

Full particulars may be obtained at the office of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board, Gisborne.

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

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Owahaoko A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tokaanu, on Friday, the 4th day of November, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Wanganui, this 14th day of October, 1910.

J. B. JACK,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Owahaoko A No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tokaanu, on Friday, the 4th day of November, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Wanganui, this 14th day of October, 1910.

J. B. JACK,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Owahaoko B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taihape, on Tuesday, the 8th day of November, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Wanganui, this 14th day of October, 1910.

J. B. JACK,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909:

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Owahaoko B No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taihape, on Tuesday, the 8th day of November, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Wanganui, this 14th day of October, 1910.

J. B. JACK,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Owahaoko C will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taihape, on Tuesday, the 8th day of November, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Wanganui, this 14th day of October, 1910.

J. B. JACK,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Owahaoko D 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taihape, on Tuesday, the 8th day of November, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Wanganui, this 14th day of October, 1910.

J. B. JACK,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Owahaoko D 4 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taihape, on Tuesday, the 8th day of November, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Wanganui, this 14th day of October, 1910.

J. B. JACK,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Owahaoko D 8 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taihape, on Tuesday,

the 8th day of November, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution :—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted.”

Dated at Wanganui, this 14th day of October, 1910.

J. B. JACK,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Oamaru 2b Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Opotiki, on Wednesday, the 16th day of November, 1910, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution :—

“That the offer made by the Crown to purchase the land for the sum of £3,485 shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua, this 19th day of October, 1910.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Oamaru 4b Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Opotiki, on Wednesday, the 16th day of November, 1910, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution :—

“That the offer made by the Crown to purchase the land for the sum of £695 shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua, this 19th day of October, 1910.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Oamaru 3b Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Opotiki, on Wednesday, the 16th day of November, 1910, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution :—

“That the offer made by the Crown to purchase the land for the sum of £370 shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua, this 19th day of October, 1910.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tahora 2b No. 2 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Opotiki, on Wednesday, the 16th day of November, 1910, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution :—

“That the offer made by the Crown to purchase the land for the sum of £4,235 shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua, this 19th day of October, 1910.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tahora 2A Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Opotiki, on Wednesday, the 16th day of November, 1910, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution :—

“That the offer made by the Crown to purchase the land for the sum of £5,760 shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua, this 19th day of October, 1910.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tahora 2AE No. 1 and 2AD Blocks will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Opotiki, on Wednesday, the 16th day of November, 1910, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution :—

“That the offer made by the Crown to purchase the land for the sum of £1,925 shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua, this 19th day of October, 1910.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rotokawa Tauhara North Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Rotorua, on Friday, the 11th day of November, 1910, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution :—

“That the offer made by the Crown to purchase the land for the sum of £350 shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua, this 19th day of October, 1910.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waikawa No. 2 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wairoa, Hawke's Bay, on Tuesday, the 15th day of November, 1910, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution :—

“That a lease of the said land be granted to Ra Bartlett, of Muriwai, aboriginal Native, at £5 per cent. on the present Government valuation, for a term of twenty-one years from date of execution, with a right to renewal for a further term of twenty-one years, at £5 per cent. on the then unimproved Government valuation, or right to compensation for improvements.”

Dated at Gisborne, this 21st day of October, 1910.

ALEX. KEEFER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Ikaroa Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of the Pukokomuka Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Meeting-house, Makirikiri Pa, on Friday, the 25th day of November, 1910, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Edward Averill, of Mangatoro, sheep-farmer, at a price equal to the Government valuation of the said land.”

Dated at Wellington, this 25th day of October, 1910.

J. B. JACK,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Ikaroa Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of the Tutira Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Petane, on Thursday, the 24th day of November, 1910, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

“That the portion of the said land known as the Tutira Reserve, containing 1,300 acres, more or less, be leased to Arama Pohio under the provisions of Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909”; or, in the alternative

“That the said reserve be leased to Te Roera Tareha and Kurupo Tareha under the provisions of Part XVI of the said Act.”

Dated at Wellington, this 25th day of October, 1910.

J. B. JACK,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Ikaroa Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of the Waimarama No. 1B Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Court-house, Hastings, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of November, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted.”

Dated at Wellington, this 25th day of October, 1910.

J. B. JACK,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Ikaroa Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of the Rangatiramata Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Court-house, Hastings, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of November, 1910, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

“(a.) That the said land be vested in the said Board for leasing under Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909”; or, in the alternative

“(b.) That the said land be vested in the said Board for sale under Part XIV of the said Act”; or, in the alternative

“(c.) That the said land be offered at auction by the said Board, as the agent of the Native owners, for sale to the highest bidder, subject to a reserve price equal to the Government valuation of the said land”; or, in the alternative

“(d.) That a lease, for a term of years, of the said land be offered at auction by the said Board, as the agent of the Native owners, subject to a reserve rental to be fixed by the said Board.”

Dated at Wellington, this 25th day of October, 1910.

J. B. JACK,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Ikaroa Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of the Kakewahine No. 1 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Court-house, Hastings, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of November, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

“(a.) That the said land be vested in the said Board for leasing under Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909”; or, in the alternative

“(b.) That the said land be vested in the said Board for sale under Part XIV of the said Act”; or, in the alternative

“(c.) That the said land be offered at auction by the said Board, as the agent of the Native owners, for sale to the highest bidder, subject to a reserve price equal to the Government valuation of the said land”; or, in the alternative

“(d.) That a lease, for a term of years, of the said land be offered at auction by the said Board, as the agent of the Native owners, subject to a reserve rental to be fixed by the said Board.”

Dated at Wellington, this 25th day of October, 1910.

J. B. JACK,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Ikaroa Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of the Ipu-o-taraia No. 4 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Court-house, Hastings, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of November, 1910, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

“(a.) That the said land be vested in the said Board for leasing under Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909”; or, in the alternative

“(b.) That the said land be vested in the said Board for sale under Part XIV of the said Act”; or, in the alternative

“(c.) That the said land be offered at auction by the said Board, as the agent of the Native owners, for sale to the highest bidder, subject to a reserve price equal to the Government valuation of the said land”; or, in the alternative

“(d.) That a lease, for a term of years, of the said land be offered at auction by the said Board, as the agent of the Native owners, subject to a reserve rental to be fixed by the said Board.”

Dated at Wellington, this 25th day of October, 1910.

J. B. JACK,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALBERT A. GROVES, of Auckland, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt upon the petition of Harry Sydney Smith and Sydney Innes Halcombe, of Auckland, Auctioneers; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 28th day of October, 1910, at 11 o'clock.

E. GERARD,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 20th October, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS TAYLOR, of Ngaruawahia, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 31st day of October, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock.

E. GERARD,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 21st October, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM JAMES NIGEL HONISS, of Symonds Street, Auckland, Commission Agent, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 3rd day of November, 1910, at 11 o'clock a.m.

E. GERARD,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 22nd October, 1910.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that a second and final dividend of 5⁹/₁₆d. (making a total of 1s. 1¹/₁₆d.) in the pound is now payable on all proved and accepted claims in the estate of WILLIAM RUSSELL MACKAY, Stock-dealer, of Stratford. Promissory notes (if any) to be produced for indorsement prior to receiving dividend.

ALFRED COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Stratford, 22nd October, 1910.

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

In the estate of GEORGE FRYER, of Dannevirke, Baker, a bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a final dividend of 4d. in the pound is now payable at my office.

NORMAN L. GURR,
Official Assignee.

Dannevirke, 18th October, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES SMYTH, of Bull's, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Feilding, on Monday, 24th October, at 1 p.m.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Palmerston North, 17th October, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS HODGE, of Martinborough, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Greytown, on Monday, the 31st day of October, 1910, at 11 o'clock a.m.

W. B. CHENNELLS,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Masterton, 19th October, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD LOTHAIR CHATWIN, Tobacconist, of Wellington, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, Public Trust Buildings, on Tuesday, the 1st day of November, 1910, at 11 o'clock a.m.

ALEXANDER SIMPSON,
Official Assignee.

Wellington, 21st October, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM MARSHALL MERRIGOLD, of Blenheim, Fishmonger, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 27th day of October, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock.

R. WANDEN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

9th October, 1910.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOSEPH ALEXANDER GALLIS RODDICK, of Temuka, Bricklayer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at Arcade, Timaru, on Monday, the 31st day of October, 1910, at 11 o'clock.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Timaru, 24th October, 1910.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, Otago and Southland Districts, holden at Invercargill.

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN THOMAS HILL, of Invercargill, Groom, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 28th day of October, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Invercargill, 15th October, 1910.

MINING NOTICES.

CROWN GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

A FINAL Meeting of shareholders will be held in the office of William Todd and Co., Don Street, Invercargill, on Tuesday, 8th November, 1910, at 4.30 p.m. For presentation of Liquidator's report and account.

WM. TODD,
Liquidator.

THE MAY QUEEN EXTENDED GOLD-MINING
COMPANY (NO LIABILITY),

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company duly convened and held at Empire Buildings, Swanson Street, Auckland, on Thursday, the 29th day of September, 1910, the following extraordinary resolutions were duly passed; and at a second extraordinary meeting duly convened and held at the same place, on Thursday, the 13th day of October, 1910, were duly confirmed as special resolutions, viz. :-

1. That it is desirable to reconstruct the company, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily; and that JOSEPH JAMES MACKY be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the winding up.

2. That the Liquidator of the company be and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new company, to be named the Good Hope Gold-mining Company (No Liability), with a capital of £14,000, divided into 140,000 shares of 2s. each, with a memorandum of association which has already been prepared with the privity and approval of the directors of the company.

3. That the draft agreement submitted to this meeting, and expressed to be made between this company and its Liquidator of the one part, and the Good Hope Gold-mining Company (No Liability) of the other part, be and the same is hereby approved; and that the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized, pursuant to section 259 of the Companies Act, 1908, to enter into an agreement with such new company (when incorporated) in the terms of the said deed, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modification as he may think expedient.

Dated at Auckland, this 17th day of October, 1910.

J. J. MACKY,
Secretary.

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STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN
MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Kuranui Caledonian (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand: 10th January, 1905; 11th January, 1905.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Local Secretary: Victoria Arcade, Auckland; W. Gilfillan.

Where mine is situate: Thames.

Nominal capital: £30,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £24,460 18s.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand: £10,733 7s.

Price paid to vendors of mine in partly paid-up shares, credited as 1s. paid: 143,285 shares.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 300,000.

Number of shares on New Zealand Register: 200,733.

Amount paid per share (New Zealand Register): 1s. on 137,966; 2s. on 62,767.

Amount called up per share (New Zealand Register): 2s.

Number and amount of calls in arrear (New Zealand Register): Nil.

Number of shares forfeited on New Zealand Register: Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Present number of shareholders on New Zealand Register: 549.

Number of men employed by company in New Zealand: 5.

Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 22 oz. 2 dwt.; £62 1s. 3d.

Total quantity and value produced since registration of company in New Zealand: 850 oz. 6 dwt.; £2,345 0s. 4d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations in New Zealand since last statement: £1,133 6s. 11d.

Total expenditure since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £11,334 10s. 3d.

Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand: Nil.

Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: £137 8s. 5d.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company in New Zealand: Nil.

Amount of debts considered good: Nil.

Amount of debts owing by company: Nil.

Amount of the liabilities of the company in New Zealand: £2 2s. 9d.

I, Henry Gilfillan, of Auckland, the Local Secretary of the Kuranui Caledonian (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. GILFILLAN,
Local Secretary.

Declared at Auckland, this 18th day of October, 1910,
before me—H. M. Shepherd, J.P. 688

In the matter of the Canton Reef Quartz-mining Company (Limited).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company duly convened and held at the registered office of the company, No. 91A Princes Street, Dunedin, on the tenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the company also duly convened and held at the same place on the twenty-ninth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and nine, the following resolution was duly passed and confirmed as a special resolution, viz. :-

"That the company be wound up voluntarily; and that WILLIAM EDWIN CHARLES REID be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

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

ROBERT RUTHERFORD,
Chairman.

Witness to the signature of Robert Rutherford—W. Hudson, Grocer, Caversham. 691

In the matter of the New Canton Reef Gold-mining Company (Limited).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company duly convened and held at the registered office of the company, 91A Princes Street, Dunedin, on the 14th day of September, 1910, the following special resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 5th day of October, 1910, the following resolution was duly confirmed, namely :-

"That the company be wound up voluntarily; and that WILLIAM EDWIN CHARLES REID, of Dunedin, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated the 17th October, 1910.

E. CHILCOTT,
Chairman.

Witness—Robert Gilkison, Solicitor, Dunedin. 692

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of provisional certificates of title for Lots 31 and 32 of Block 8, Heretaunga Block, all the land in certificates of title, Vol. 19, folio 46, and Vol. 28, folio 70, whereof one JOHN RICHARD LANAUZE is the registered proprietor, and evidence of the loss of the original certificates having been produced, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional certificates unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 3rd day of November, next.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Napier, this 18th day of October, 1910.

L. PAULING,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 28th day of November, 1910.

1399. SAMUEL ARMSTRONG.—1 rood 17 $\frac{7}{10}$ perches, Town Section 390 and part Suburban Section 9, Napier. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 24th day of October, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

L. PAULING,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 28th day of November, 1910.

Application 4373 (Plan A/2689). JOHN ALFRED BILLINGHURST.—5 acres 3 roods 34 $\frac{3}{4}$ perches, part Section 42, Waitotara District. Occupied by Applicant.

Application 4377 (Plan A/2831). HELEN CASH and ARTHUR WESTON FULLERTON-SMITH. 678 acres 3 roods 3 perches, parts Sections LXIII, LXVIII, LXIX, LXX, Rangitikei District, and parts Sections 21 and 24, Rangitikei Agricultural Reserve. Occupied by R. D. and C. H. Kerr.

Application 4392 (Plan A/2832). JAMES STEPHENS.—1 rood 8 perches, part Section 16, Watt's Peninsula. Occupied by Applicant.

Application 4400 (Plan A/2833). THOMAS DICKSON, 1 rood $\frac{3}{4}$ perch, Section 250, Town of Wanganui. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 26th day of October, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

E. BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

A PPLICATION having been made to me to register a discharge of Mortgage No. 53722, in favour of JOHN WALKER, Clerk in Holy Orders, JOSEPH WILLIAM SALMON, Postmaster, and THOMAS PROCTOR, Draper, all of Newtown, from the Metropolitan Permanent Building and Investment Society, affecting parts of Sections 963 and 965 of the City of Wellington, and being all the land in Lease 6806 and part of the land in Vol. 158, fol. 168, of the Land Transfer Office, at Wellington; and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said mortgage and lease, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with the production of the said mortgage and lease and register the discharge as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 10th day of November, 1910.

Dated this 26th day of October, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

E. BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

A PPLICATION having been made to me to register a re-entry by GEORGE WOOD, formerly of Feilding, but now of Awatuna East, Farmer, as lessor under Memorandum of Lease No. 8547, affecting Section 232, Township of Carnarvon, and being all the land in Vol. 21, fol. 294, of the Land Transfer Office, at Wellington, of which ALEXANDER TELFER McCANDLISH, of Wangaehu, and SAMUEL ALEXANDER, of Rongotea, Farmers, are the registered lessees, I hereby give notice that I will register the re-entry as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 28th day of November, 1910.

Dated this 26th day of October, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

E. BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

A PPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the name of REBECCA FOWLES, wife of FRANK FOWLES, of Feilding, Settler, for Section 518 on Plan of Subdivision A, Manchester Block, known as the Town of Feilding, and deposited as No. 19, and being all the land in Vol. 29A, fol. 294, of the Land Transfer Office, at Wellington, and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate of title as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 10th day of November, 1910.

Dated this 26th day of October, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

E. BAMFORD,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 24th day of November, 1910.

No. 656. RICHARD MARFELL.—5 acres 3 roods 37 $\frac{3}{4}$ perches, part of Part 1 of Section 27, District of Otake. Occupied by Applicant.

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No. 657. JANE HARRIET GORDON MACALISTER.—1 rood $\frac{1}{10}$ perch, Section 1082, Town of Picton. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 25th day of October, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Blenheim.

R. STONE FLORANCE,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss or destruction of certificate of title, Vol. 147, folio 190, for part of Reserve 1127, situated in Block XV of the Waimate Survey District, whereof the AKAROA HIGH SCHOOL BOARD is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional certificate at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 17th day of October, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
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 of the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

11094. WILLIAM HENRY CARL.—1 rood 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ perches, Section 160, Town of Arowhenua. Occupied by Applicant.

11177. FANNY TULETT.—1 rood 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ perches, parts of Town Sections 16 and 18, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicant.

11195. JOHN GORDON BANNERMAN.—1 rood 23 $\frac{9}{10}$ perches, part of Rural Section 206, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Unoccupied.

11215. LIZZIE RAYNER.—2 roods, part of Rural Section 243B, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Occupied by James Sidey.

11221. JOHN ROBERTSON.—37 $\frac{7}{10}$ perches, part of Lot 96, Christchurch Town Reserves. Occupied by Applicant.

11247. JAMES TALBOT NORTON.—2 roods 19 $\frac{5}{10}$ perches, Town Section 312, and parts of Town Section 311, and Rural Section 40, Borough of Lyttelton. Unoccupied.

11275. GEORGE HARRIS MAXWELL.—39 $\frac{6}{10}$ perches, part of Rural Section 243B, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicant.

11311. JOHN STEWART BOWMAN.—1 rood 14 $\frac{3}{10}$ perches, Lot 123, Plan 2912, part of Rural Section 325, Block XI, Christchurch Survey District. Unoccupied.

11312. GEORGE JOHN SMITH and ELEANOR SARAH BRUCE SMITH.—1 rood 18 $\frac{6}{10}$ perches, part of Rural Section 71, Sydenham Ward, City of Christchurch. Occupied by William Henry Harris.

11314. FREDERICK ARTHUR PAGE.—1 rood 26 perches, part of Lot 164, Plan 2912, part of Rural Section 325, Block XI, Christchurch Survey District. Unoccupied.

11315. PERCY DAVID HERRIOTT.—39 $\frac{6}{10}$ perches, Lot 42, Plan 2740, part of Rural Section 325, Block XI, Christchurch Survey District. Unoccupied.

11317. PETER JAMES RAWLINGS.—4 acres 2 roods 18 perches, Lots 9 and 10, Plan 2459, part of Rural Section 76, Block XV, Christchurch Survey District. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 18th day of October, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 113, folio 175, for Town Section 255, Geraldine, whereof SARAH BOWKETT, wife of THOMAS BOWKETT, of Geraldine, Wheelwright, is the registered owner, and application having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional certificate at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 19th day of October, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 35, folio 136, for Section 738, Borough of Ashburton, whereof the late MARGARET POLLOCK, of Ashburton, Widow, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 21st day of October, 1910. at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
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.

11180. JAMES MAXWELL.—21 $\frac{1}{10}$ perches, part of Rural Section 243b, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicant.

11192. JOHN BOLLARD WILSON and ARTHUR EDGAR GRAVENOR RHODES.—2 acres 1 rood 25 $\frac{8}{10}$ perches, parts of Rural Section 912, Block X, Rangiora Survey District. Occupied by James Drage.

11216.—ALEXANDER SIMPSON.—39 $\frac{8}{10}$ perches, part of Rural Section 243b, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Occupied as to parts by Henrietta Edmonston, Henry William Luke, and Applicant.

11219. ROBERT JOHNSON.—20 $\frac{1}{10}$ perches, part of Rural Section 243b, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicant.

11292. FREDERICK STOREY.—1 rood 37 $\frac{6}{10}$ perches, Lots 74 and 75, Plan 2349, part of Rural Section 243f, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Unoccupied.

11326.—HENRY ERNEST CARDE.—1 rood 7 $\frac{6}{10}$ perches, Lot 127, D.P. 2374, part of Rural Section 243f, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 25th day of October, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

G. G. BRIDGES,
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 calendar month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

2935. WILLIAM ALEXANDER OTT and MARIA BESSIA HAWKINS.—20 perches, part of Section 10, Block XII, Town of Invercargill. Occupied by John Henry Dixon and Elizabeth Annie Lamont.

2936. THOMAS FLEMING and EDWARD COOPER LEARY.—1 rood 20 perches, Section 11 and part of Section 10, Block XII, Town of Invercargill. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 24th day of October, 1910, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

C. E. NALDER,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a discharge of Mortgage No. 12324, over part of Sections 3 and 551r, Block IV, Upper Kaikorai District, JAMES ANDERSON, of Dunedin, Flour-miller, Mortgagee, and a declaration having been lodged of the loss of the outstanding duplicate of said mortgage, I hereby give notice that I intend to register the said discharge and dispense with the production of the said duplicate mortgage, as empowered by section 40 of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged in this office forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of the publication hereof.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin, this 17th day of October, 1910.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES SPICER AND SONS (LIMITED), a company duly incorporated in England, proposes to commence and carry on business in New Zealand; and that the said company's office in New Zealand, where legal process of any kind may be served upon the company and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered, is situated in Hannah's Buildings, No. 262 Lambton Quay, in the City of Wellington.

W. W. BRUCE,
667 Attorney for James Spicer and Sons (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of section 302 of the Companies Act, 1908, that the office or place where it carries on business within New Zealand of the INDIARUBBER, GUTTAPEPERCHA, AND TELEGRAPH WORKS COMPANY (LIMITED), a company incorporated outside New Zealand, is situated in 153 Manchester Street, in the City of Christchurch, in New Zealand.

GEORGE BURNS CROMB,
679 Attorney in New Zealand for the above-named Company.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between JOHN THOMAS BERNARD, WILLIAM THOMAS PETTIGREW, and ERNEST CHARLES MORRALL, of Carterton, Bakers, under the firm-name of "Buzzard and Co.," has been dissolved as from 15th instant. The business will in future be carried on under the name of "Buzzard and Co." by the above-named John Thomas Bernard and Ernest Charles Morrall.

Dated at Carterton, the 18th day of October, 1910.

JOHN THOMAS BERNARD,
685 ERNEST CHARLES MORRALL.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between FLORENCE NICOL and EDWARD BURGESS MARTIN, carrying on business as Bakers and Storekeepers at the City of Nelson, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of September, 1910.

All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by the said Florence Nicol, who will continue to carry on the said business under the style of "R. F. Nicol and Co."

Dated the 18th day of October, 1910.

FLORENCE NICOL.
Witness to signature of Florence Nicol—H. V. Gully,
Solicitor, Nelson.

E. B. MARTIN.
Witness to signature of Edward Burgess Martin—Philip
Moore, Solicitor, Nelson. 686

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ADDITIONAL CHRISTIAN NAME.

I, FRANCIS HARRIS, of Canton, China, a commander in the service of the Chinese Imperial Maritime Customs, but formerly of the City of Christchurch, in the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby give notice that on and after the date hereof I will assume, take, and adopt the additional Christian name of Chambers, and that at all times hereafter the name of Francis Chambers Harris will alone be used and adopted by me in all transactions, documents, and writings, and all legal and other proceedings and matters. And I further give notice that such intended change or assumption of name is formally declared and evidenced by deed-poll under my hand and seal this day, and intended to be enrolled in the Supreme Court Office, at Christchurch, in the Dominion of New Zealand. In testimony whereof I do hereby sign and subscribe myself by my present and also by my intended future name.

Dated this twenty-second day of October, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

FRANCIS HARRIS
FRANCIS CHAMBERS HARRIS.

Signed in the presence of—Chas. J. Styche, Law Clerk,
Christchurch. 687

PHARMACY BOARD OF NEW ZEALAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that, under and pursuant to notice given by me dated 29th day of September, 1910, the following persons were respectively nominated as candidates to represent the Central District upon the Pharmacy Board of New Zealand, as from 1st January next, namely:—

ARTHUR HOBSON,
LEONARD S. W. MCKENZIE;

and the number of nominations not exceeding the number of vacancies to be respectively filled, the said persons are hereby declared to have been duly elected.

Dated at Wellington, the 14th day of October, 1910.

689 C. W. NIELSEN,
Registrar.

In the matter of the Whitford Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company, duly convened and held at Whitford on the 14th day of September, 1910, the following special resolution was duly passed:—

Resolution: "That the company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908";

and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the 5th day of October, 1910, the following special resolution was duly confirmed:—

Resolution: "That the company be wound up voluntarily, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908."

Dated Auckland, 17th October, 1910.

690 WM. W. WARNOCK,
Liquidator.

NOTICE OF INTENTION OF THE MATAURA BOROUGH COUNCIL TO TAKE LAND IN WAIMUMU DISTRICT FOR WATERWORKS PURPOSES.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed by the Council of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Mataura, under the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, to take for waterworks purposes the land described in the Schedule hereto. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the Town Clerk's office, at Mataura, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the taking thereof, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the said Council of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Mataura.

Schedule.

The parcel of land required to be taken consists of part of the land shown on the map of the Waimumu Hundred as the Hokonui Bush (State Forest), the approximate area whereof is 3,400 acres, and the boundaries whereof are edged red on the said plan, the said land being part of the lands in the said hundred permanently reserved for the purpose of providing land for landless natives under the South Island Landless Natives Act, 1908.

As witness our hands at Mataura, this 18th day of October, 1910.

694 ANDW. BALNEAVES, Mayor, } of the Borough
J. C. MacGREGOR, Town Clerk, } of Mataura.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, under the style of "Broad, Small, and Co.," Wholesale and Retail Ironmongers, Timber-merchants, and Furniture-dealers, has been dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the undersigned Joseph Henry Small, as from the twenty-first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and ten. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the undersigned, CHARLES JOHN BROAD and MAURICE THOMPSON, by whom the business will in future be carried on.

Dated this 22nd day of October, 1910.

C. J. BROAD.
J. H. SMALL.
M. THOMPSON.

Witness to all signatures—J. F. Lillicrap, Solicitor, Invercargill.

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VAN VEEN COMPANY (LIMITED), (IN LIQUIDATION).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders in the above company held on Wednesday, the 28th September, 1910, it was resolved, and at a subsequent meeting held on Wednesday, the 12th October, it was confirmed, "That the above company be dissolved; and that B. VAN VEEN and A. W. MESSENGER be and are hereby appointed Liquidators." 693

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