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Gisborne Police-gaol ceased to be a Police-gaol.

(L.S.) ISLINGTON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled the Prisons Act, 1908, it is enacted that the Governor may, by Proclamation published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, declare that any prison or police-gaol shall no longer be a prison or police-gaol; and upon the gazetting of such Proclamation, or from and after any later date fixed in such Proclamation for the purpose, such prison or police-gaol shall cease to be a prison or police-gaol:

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance of the above-recited power and authority, do hereby declare that from and after the gazetting of this Proclamation the police-gaol at Gisborne, in the Provincial District of Auckland, shall cease to be a police-gaol.

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 eighteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Government Roads in Blocks VII and VIII, Clifford Bay Survey District, as stopped.

(L.S.) ISLINGTON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section one hundred and thirty-three of the Public Works Act, 1908, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as stopped the Government roads described in the Schedule hereto.

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SCHEDULE.

The roads mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Roads referred to.	Adjoining Sections Nos.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 6 0 32	34 and 36	VII	Clifford Bay	P.W.D. 30086	Green.
7 0 32	31	VIII	Ditto ..	Ditto ..	"

All in the Marlborough Land District; as the said roads 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 Provincial District of Wellington.

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 eighteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for a Further Portion of the North Auckland Railway, and for a Road-diversion in connection therewith.

(L.S.) ISLINGTON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a further portion of the North Auckland Railway, and for a road-diversion in connection therewith:

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

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by section one hundred and eighty eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for a further portion of the said line of railway hereinbefore specified, and for the road-diversion in connection therewith as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Sheet No. of Plan	Situated in Block No.	Situated in Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
FOR RAILWAY.					
A. R. P.					
0 1 13	Nukuroa 1B, Section 1	1	VII	Otamatea	Purple.
3 1 20	Otiroa No. 1 Block	1			Yellow.
14 1 16		1 & 2	III, VII		Pink.
10 0 37	Nukuroa 1A, Section 1	2	III		
0 2 17	S.W., Section 50	2			
10 2 3	Section 51	2 & 3			
6 3 9	" 52	5			
0 2 0	" 53	3			
3 2 4	S.E., Section 48	3 & 4			
4 2 9	N.W., " 48	4			
4 0 0	Section 146	4			
2 3 17	" 145	4			
2 3 6	" 144	4 & 5	III, II		
6 0 4	" 143	5	II		
15 0 28	Pukearenga Block	5 & 6			
34 2 14	Kaitara No. 1 Block	6 & 7	II	Otamatea	
			XIII	Waipu	
2 0 28	Section 51 (Bickerstaffe Settlement)	8 & 9	XIII & XII	Waipu	
3 3 12	Section 50 (ditto)	9 & 10	XII		
FOR ROAD-DIVERSION.					
2 2 30	S.E., Section 48 ..	3	III	Otamatea	Burnt sienna.

All in the Land District of Auckland; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 30234 (161691-10, blue), deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable 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 eighteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Laying out and taking a Road in Block IX, Kopuaranga Survey District, Masterton 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 Land laid out and taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
0 1 0.7	Lot 1a, Section 60	IX	Kopuaranga	P.W.D. 28934	Purple.

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

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 nineteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VIII, Otahuhu Survey District, Turanga 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 consents of the owners and mortgagees of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Turanga Road Board, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Otahuhu 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 3 4.9	100, Pakuranga Parish (15995, blue)	VIII	Otahuhu	P.W.D. 30212	Red.
0 0 31.4	101, ditto (15995, blue)	"	"	Ditto	Purple.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Road hereby closed.	Passing through Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
0 3 18.1	100, Pakuranga Parish (15995, blue)	VIII	Otahuhu	P.W.D. 30212	Green.

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

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block III, Onewhero Survey District, Pukekohe West 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 consents of the owner and of the mortgagee of the land described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Pukekohe West Road Board, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Onewhero Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 0 1.5	53, Pukekohe Parish (15898, blue)	III	Onewhero	P.W.D. 28802	Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining Sections Nos.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 25.3	{ 53, Pukekohe Parish 78, Puni Parish (15898, blue)	III	Onewhero	P.W.D. 28802	Green.

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

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block VIII, Rotorua Survey 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 consents of the owners and mortgagee of the land described in the Schedule hereto, proclaim as a road the land in Rotorua Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each 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. 13 1 8 0 3 30 2 0 20	12 (scenic reserve) 1 1	VIII " "	Rotorua " "	P.W.D. 29851 Ditto.. "	Pink. Blue.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable 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 nineteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Otaua Drainage District, County of Manukau, constituted.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of September, 1911.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, in accordance with the provisions of the third section of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, a majority of the ratepayers in the area of land described in the Schedule hereto, situated in the County of Manukau, have presented a petition to His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, praying that the said area be constituted a drainage district under the provisions of the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority contained in the third section of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby constitute and declare the area of land described in the Schedule hereto to be a district for the purposes of Part I of the said Act, and to be called by the name of the "Otaua Drainage District"; and also, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority contained in the fourth section of the said Act, do hereby declare that the Board of Trustees for the said district shall consist of five persons, to be elected as members of the said Board, under and in accordance with the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Otaua Drainage District.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, bounded towards the north generally by the northern boundary of Section No. 171, Waiuku West Parish, from the north-eastern corner of Section No. 40 to the road at the north-eastern corner of the said Section No. 171; thence across that road and by the northern boundaries of Sections Nos. 170 and 168 to Section No. 163, Waiuku West Parish; thence by that section to a stream at its south-eastern corner; thence across that stream and by the Purapura Township to Section No. 207; thence by the northern boundaries of Sections Nos. 207 and 230, Waiuku West Parish, to the Aka-aka Drainage District, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 76, of the 17th October, 1895; thence towards the east generally by the said

drainage district to the Waikato River; thence towards the south-east by the Waikato River to a point in line with the north-eastern boundary of Section No. 186, Waiuku West Parish; thence towards the south-west generally by a right line across a road reserve and by Sections Nos. 186, 185, 184, and 183 to the road forming the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 182; thence by that road and the road forming the western boundary of the last-mentioned section to Section No. 61; thence by that section and Section No. 180 to the road at the northern corner of the last-mentioned section; thence by the road forming the north-western boundaries of Sections Nos. 180 and 61 to the south-eastern corner of Section No. 57; thence by that section and Section No. 53 to the road at its north-eastern corner; thence across and by that road to the easternmost corner of Section No. 42; thence by Sections Nos. 42 and 41 across a road and by Section No. 40, Waiuku West Parish, to the place of commencement.

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

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

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of September, 1911.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the sixteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, 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

FREDERICK POPE,
WILLIAM LAXON,
WILLIAM SHEPHERD,
FERDINAND STORY,
FRANCIS CAIRD,
JAMES CALDER, and
WILLIAM MAWHINNEY

to be the Whatawhata 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 Saturday, the seventh day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, at half past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Whatawhata School as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

WHATAWHATA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres, more or less, being Sections 71 to 78, inclusive, and 81 to 88, inclusive, Suburbs of Whatawhata. Bounded towards the north-east by Section 270, Pukete Parish; towards the south-east by a public road; towards the south-west by a public road; and towards the north-west by a public road: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1446/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Templeton Domain.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1911.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the third day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, certain powers were delegated to the Templeton Domain Board, no period being specified:

And whereas by section fifty-four of the said Act the period for which the said Board shall hold office will expire on the twenty-fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eleven:

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

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

GEORGE BAILEY,
ALFRED CHISNALL,
JOHN FREDERICK FRANKS,
ALEXANDER JOHNSTON,
DAVID KINROSS,
GEORGE PHILIP KISSELL,
JAMES LESLIE,
FRANK SAMUEL MADDISON, and
ROBERT SCOTT WATSON,

to be the Templeton Domain Board, having the control of the lands described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Monday, the ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, at two o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the County Council office, Yaldhurst, as the place where, the first meeting of the said Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

TEMPLETON DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 106 acres 1 rood, more or less, being reserve numbered 2351 (in red), Block IX, Christchurch Survey District. Bounded northward by the terrace forming the southern boundary of Rural Section 8005, also by Reserve 702; eastward by a road-line; southward by the terrace forming the northern boundary of Rural Section 4069; and westward by a road-line and by reserve numbered 702: save and excepting thereout reserve numbered 326, which is included within the above-described boundaries: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1144, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 122 acres 3 roods, more or less, being Reserve No. 2418 (in red), situated in Block IX, Christchurch Survey District, and bounded as follows: Towards the north by Rural Section 9248, 2750 links, and by an irregular line being the southern boundary of Rural Section 3201; towards the east by a road-line, 2457 links; towards the south and east by Reserve 327 (in red), 1000 links and 967.1 links respectively; towards the south generally by the northern boundaries of Rural Sections 2773 and 2810; and towards the west by a road-line, 2651.7 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1144A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 106 acres 1 rood, more or less, being Reserve No. 2351 (in red), situated in Block IX, Christchurch Survey District, and bounded as follows: Towards the north-east by the southern boundary of Rural Section 8005; towards the east by a road-line, 1970.5 links; towards the south and east by Reserve No. 326 (in red),

1000 links and 870.7 links respectively; towards the south generally by the northern boundaries of Rural Sections 4069 and 4364; towards the west by Reserve No. 702 (in red), a distance of 3430.6 links, to the point of commencement: save and except the road-line through the south-western corner of said Reserve No. 2351: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1144b, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being part of Rural Section 1680, situated in Block XIII, Christchurch Survey District, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point on the south side of the main South Road at the northern boundary of Rural Section 7194; towards the north by the said main South Road, 876.7 links; towards the north-east by a straight line, 653 links; towards the south by a straight line parallel to the said main South Road, 616.3 links; towards the south-west by an irregular line being the north-east boundary of the said Rural Section 7194, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1144c, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 6 acres, more or less, being part of Rural Section 2737, situated in Block XVI, Rolleston Survey District, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point on the west side of the Prebbleton-Waimakariri Road, and distant 1202.3 links from the south-east corner of Rural Section 2926; towards the north-east by the said Prebbleton-Waimakariri Road, 700 links; towards the south-east by a straight line, 857.2 links; towards the south-west by a line parallel to the said Prebbleton-Waimakariri Road, 700 links; and towards the north-west by a line parallel to the south-east boundary, 857.2 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1144d, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being part of Rural Section 1807, situated in Block IX, Christchurch Survey District, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point on the north side of the School Road and at the western boundary of Rural Section 1624; towards the south by the said School Road, 769.3 links; towards the west by a line parallel to the western boundary of the said Rural Section 1624, a distance of 650 links; towards the north by a line parallel to the said School Road, 769.3 links, to the west boundary of the said Rural Section 1624; and towards the east by the said boundary of Rural Section 1624, 650 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1144e, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Pahi Domain.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this nineteenth day of September, 1911.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the twentieth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-eighth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, certain powers were delegated to the Pahi Domain Board, no period being specified:

And whereas by section fifty-four of the said Act the period for which the said Board shall hold office will expire on the twenty-fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eleven:

And whereas it appears expedient to again 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

RUSSELL SMITH,
ROBERT STERLING,
GEORGE NEW,
REV. FRANCIS LATTER, and
ROBERT STERLING, JUN.,

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

SCHEDULE.

PAHI DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 acres 2 roods 8 perches, more or less, being Section 102, Suburbs of Pahi (Block III, Hukaterere Survey District). Bounded towards the north-west by Section 101, 892 links; towards the north-east by a public road 100 links wide, 254.8 and 439.3 links; towards the south-east by Section 103, 1192 links; and towards the south-west by the Arapaoa River: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1382, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

Declaring Portion of Oliver Road, in the Waikohu County, to be a County Road.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1911.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, Waikohu County, known as the Oliver Road, commencing at the suspension-bridge over the Waikohu River on the western frontage of Section 1, Block XVI, Motu Survey District, and proceeding in a southerly direction along the part of the frontage of the said section for a distance of about 73 chains; as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 30211, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring Portion of Arthur's Pass Road, in the Westland County, to be a Government Road.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1911.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excel-

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Westland Land District, Westland County, known as Arthur's Pass Road, commencing at the summit of the Southern Alps and proceeding thence in a northerly direction generally through Block II, Arthur's Pass Survey District; thence again northerly, then north-easterly, and then north-westerly generally through Blocks XIV, X, VII, VI, and II, Otira Survey District, to the boundary-line between Blocks I and II, Otira Survey District, near the south-western corner of the said Block II, Otira Survey District, being a distance of seventeen miles, more or less: as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 30217, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon shown in burnt sienna and marked C-D.

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

Declaring Portion of the Arthur's Pass Road, in the Tawera County, to be a Government Road.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1911.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a Government road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Canterbury Land District, Tawera County, known as the Arthur's Pass Road, commencing at the point where it crosses the boundary between Hawdon and Grassmere Survey Districts, and proceeding thence in a north-westerly direction generally through Block XIII, Hawdon Survey District; thence in a south-westerly direction generally through Block XVI, Bealey Survey District; thence in a westerly and then north-westerly direction generally through Blocks XV, XIV, X, and VI, Bealey Survey District, to the summit of the Southern Alps, being a distance of twenty miles, more or less: as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 30251, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red and lettered A-B.

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

Exempting Campbell Street, in the Borough of Timaru, from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to certain Conditions as to the Building-line.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1911.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by subsection one of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is, *inter alia*, provided that the said section shall not apply in any case where the local authority having control of

a road or street by resolution declares that the provisions thereof shall not apply to any specified road or street, or any specified part thereof, and such resolution is approved by the Governor in Council:

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

And whereas on the twenty-second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the Timaru Borough Council, the local authority having control of the street described in the Schedule hereto, did by resolution declare that the provisions of the said section one hundred and seventeen should not apply to the said street:

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved, subject to the condition hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by the above-in-part-recited Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the said resolution, subject to the condition that no building, or part of a building, shall at any time be erected on either side of the said street within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said street.

SCHEDULE

ALL that street in the Borough of Timaru known as Campbell Street, commencing at its junction with the main North Road and running in a southerly direction to its junction with Trafalgar Street, all in the Borough of Timaru, being a distance of 9 chains, more or less; as the said street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 29834, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Licensing Halliwell Bros. to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Hokianga River as a Site for a Shop.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1911.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), George Edwin Halliwell, Fred Halliwell, and Herbert Halliwell, trading under the style or title of "Halliwell Bros.," of Hokianga (hereinafter called "the licensees"), have applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the said Act to occupy a part of the foreshore at Kohukohu, Hokianga River, in the Provincial District of Auckland, in order to erect a shop thereon; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fiftieth section of the said Act, have deposited plans in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington, marked M.D. 3715 (two sheets), in duplicate, showing the area of foreshore intended to be occupied, and the manner in which it is proposed to erect the said shop: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plans have, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council: And whereas it is expedient that a license should be granted and issued to the licensees under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the object for which the said license is required by the licensees as aforesaid; and, in further

pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensees to use and occupy that part of the foreshore on which the shop is to be erected, as shown edged in red on sheet 1 of the plans so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining the said shop thereon, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensees upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore necessary for the construction of the shop at Kohukohu, Hokianga River, as shown edged in red on plan marked M.D. 3715 (sheet 1).

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

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

5. The licensees shall maintain the above-mentioned shop in good order and repair.

6. Any person authorized by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said shop and view the state of repair thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensees in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such shop, requiring them, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, they shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

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

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

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

10. In case the licensees shall—

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

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

11. The erection of the shop shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensees of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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

Licensing the Hobson County Council to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Tangaihi, in Kaipara Harbour, for a Wharf-site.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this nineteenth day of September, 1911.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), the Hobson County Council (hereinafter called "the Council") has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the said Act to occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark at Tangaihi, in Kaipara Harbour, in order to erect and maintain a wharf thereon; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fiftieth section of the said Act, has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington (marked M.D. 3727), showing the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied and the manner in which it is proposed to erect the said wharf: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council: And whereas it is expedient that a license should be granted and issued to the Council under the said Act for the purpose last aforesaid, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the object for which the said license is required by the Council as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the Council to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark on which the said wharf is to be erected, as shown on the plan M.D. 3727 so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining the said wharf; such license to be held and enjoyed by the Council upon and subject to the following terms and conditions, that is to say:—

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore, and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto, necessary for the erection of the said wharf, as shown on plan marked M.D. 3727.

3. All persons shall, at all reasonable times, upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the said wharf, and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

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

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

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

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

8. The ballast of all vessels loading at the said wharf shall be taken away by the Council and deposited above high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of

by the Minister, or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

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

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

11. The Council shall be liable for any injury which the said wharf may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on the Council's part.

12. In case the Council shall—

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

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

13. The erection of the said wharf shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the Council of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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

Licensing the Turanga Road Board to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Turanga Creek as a Wharf-site, and prescribing Dues for Use of the Wharf.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this nineteenth day of September, 1911.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), the Turanga Road Board (hereinafter called "the Board") has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the said Act to occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark in Turanga Creek, in the County of Manukau, in order to erect and maintain a wharf thereon; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fiftieth section of the said Act, has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 3699) showing the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied, and the manner in which it is proposed to erect the wharf: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council: And whereas it is expedient that a license should be granted and issued to the Board under the said Act for the purpose aforesaid, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed, and that dues and rates should be prescribed for the use of the said wharf:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the object for which the said license is required by the Board as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the Board to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto on which the wharf is to be erected, at the site shown on

the plan so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining the said wharf thereon, in accordance with the plan so deposited as aforesaid, such license to be held and enjoyed by the Board upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the First Schedule hereto; and doth hereby prescribe that the dues and rates set forth in the Second Schedule hereto shall be taken by the Board for the use of the said wharf.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore, and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto, necessary for the erection of the wharf, at the site shown on the plan marked M.D. 3699.

3. All persons shall, at all reasonable times, upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the said wharf, and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

12. In cases the Board shall—

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

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

13. The erection of the wharf shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the Board of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

SECOND SCHEDULE.
BERTHAGE DUES AND RATES.

	£	s.	d.	
STEAMERS plying regularly for hire...	5	0	0	per annum.
Motor-boats plying regularly for hire and carrying passengers ...	5	0	0	„
Motor-boats plying regularly for hire but not carrying passengers ...	2	10	0	„
All other boats for each time the raid wharves or either of them are used	0	2	6	

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

Revoking Order in Council licensing Joseph Edwin Shaver to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Doubtless Bay as a Site for a Shed.

ISLINGTON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this nineteenth day of September, 1911.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the seventeenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and four, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 14, of the eighteenth day of the same month, a license was granted to Joseph Edwin Shaver to use and occupy a portion of the foreshore and land below low-water mark in Doubtless Bay, in order to construct and maintain thereon a shed in the position shown on plan marked M.D. 2702, deposited in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington, and upon and subject to the terms and conditions therein set forth :

And whereas the said Joseph Edwin Shaver has asked that the said license to him should be revoked, and it is desirable that this should be done :

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

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

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

ISLINGTON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this nineteenth day of September, 1911.

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

SCHEDULE.

WAIUTA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 acres and 5 perches, more or less, being Section 87, Township of Blackwater. Bounded towards the north-east by Craighead Street, 1000 links; towards the south-east by a street forming the north-western boundary of Section 86 of said township, 878'6 links; towards the south-west by a road, 685'3 links and 363'7 links; and towards the north-west by a line parallel to the south-east boundary, 578'9 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1192/13, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Recreation Reserves 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 nineteenth day of September, 1911.

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 reserves for recreation in the Southland Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserves shall hereafter form part of Otautau Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain by the Otautau Domain Board.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 11 acres 1 rood 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 8, Block VII, Town of Otautau. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 11 in the said block, 998 links; towards the east by Kendal Street, 1160'5 links; towards the south by Section No. 7 in the said block, 998 links; and towards the west by Section No. 9 in the said block, 1160'5 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1167/4, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Also all that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 2 roods 7 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 11, Block VII, Town of Otautau. Bounded towards the north-east by Hulme Street, 1121 links; towards the south by Section No. 8, 998 links; and towards the west by Section No. 10, 510'8 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1167/16, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

Regulations and Charges for Transmission of Wireless Telegrams.

ISLINGTON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of September, 1911.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section one hundred and forty-nine of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, as applied by section one hundred and sixty-three thereof to communications by wireless telegraphy, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations with respect to the transmission of messages by wireless telegraphy, and doth prescribe the fees and charges set forth in those regulations.

REGULATIONS.

IN these regulations the expression "radio-telegrams" means telegrams transmitted or received by wireless telegraphy.

The regulations governing the acceptance and transmission of inland and cable telegrams shall apply to radio-telegrams, which shall be accepted at any telegraph-office for transmission to any ship equipped with the necessary apparatus, subject to the following exceptions:—

TELEGRAMS NOT ADMITTED.

Collect telegrams.
Telegrams with prepaid replies.
Telegrams repeated at the request of the sender to insure accuracy.

Telegrams with notice of delivery.
Telegrams to follow the addressee.
Paid service advices forwarded at the request of the addressee to detect errors.
Money-order telegrams.

CHARGES.

Ordinary and Government.

Ordinary.—The charge for the transmission of radio-telegrams to or from ships approaching or leaving the Dominion of New Zealand from or to any telegraph-office in the said Dominion shall be 10d. per word, allocated as follows:—

Ship-station charge: 4d. per word.
Coast-station and inland charges: 6d. per word.

Government.—In respect of messages transmitted on behalf of His Majesty's Government, or the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, the rate shall be one-half of the above charges.

Transmission beyond New Zealand.

For messages to places beyond the Dominion the charges shall be for ordinary messages 10d. per word, for Government messages 5d. per word, and, in addition thereto in each case, the charges for onward transmission published in the table of rates in the Post and Telegraph Guide.

Press.

Press Messages.—The charge for Press radio-telegrams shall be 5s. per 100 words or fraction thereof, allocated as follows:—

Ship-station charge: 2s. 6d. per 100 words or fraction thereof.
Coast-station and inland charges: 2s. 6d. per 100 words or fraction thereof.

For places beyond New Zealand, in addition to the above charges, the charges published in the table of rates in the Post and Telegraph Guide shall apply.

ADDRESS.

The address of a radio-telegram for delivery on board a ship shall contain—

The name of the addressee;
The name of the ship, prefixed by the word "Steamship," or its equivalent;
The word "Radio";
The name of the coast-station.

REDIRECTION.

When a radio-telegram reaches a specified coast-station too late for transmission to the ship to which it is addressed, it shall be redirected without further charge to any other coast-station in New Zealand from which it can be transmitted.

REIMBURSEMENTS.

When delivery of a radio-telegram cannot be effected owing to the ship having passed beyond range, the charge paid by the sender, less the inland charge, shall be refunded.

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 nineteenth day of September, 1911.

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 the 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 undivided interests in 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 undivided interests in 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.
Waikeno No. 2A ..	A. R. P. 8 2 0	Wellington.
" No. 3A ..	85 1 3	"

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

*Prohibiting all Private Alienation of certain Native Lands.*ISLINGTON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this nineteenth day of September, 1911.

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.
Tahoraite No. 1A ..	A. R. P. 618 0 0	Tahoraite.
" No. 1B ..	167 0 0	"
" No. 1C ..	83 0 0	"
" No. 1D ..	154 0 0	"
" No. 1E ..	248 0 0	"
" No. 1F ..	124 0 0	"
" No. 1G ..	683 0 0	"
" No. 1H ..	869 0 0	"
" No. 1K ..	527 0 0	"
" No. 2 ..	5,924 0 0	"

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

*Whitebait-fishing in Westland and Taranaki.*ISLINGTON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this nineteenth day of September, 1911.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the twelfth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and ten, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fifteenth day of the same month, regulations were made regarding the taking of whitebait:

And whereas it is desirable to make additional regulations:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the fifth section of the Fisheries Act, 1908, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations.

REGULATIONS.

1. WHITEBAIT nets fixed in what are known as trenches or groynes may be used as set-nets for taking whitebait in the rivers and streams in the County of Westland; but no person shall construct or use more than one groyne or trench, which shall be marked by a post erected by him above high-water mark in line with the groyne or trench, and bearing in distinct letters the name of the person

who is using the groyne or trench. The position of each groyne or trench shall, before construction, be approved by the Collector of Customs or by an Inspector of Fisheries, and no groyne or trench shall be moved to another position without the approval of the Collector or an Inspector.

2. Each person shall, during the whitebait season, use his groyne or trench at least four days a week, unless prevented by illness, floods, or other reason which the Collector or Inspector considers sufficient, failing which his right to it shall be forfeited.

3. Set-nets having an opening of not more than 3 ft. by 1 ft. 6 in. may be used for taking whitebait in the rivers and streams in the Counties of Clifton, Taranaki, and Egmont; but no person shall use any groyne, race, or lead in connection with such nets. No person shall use more than one set-net, and no person shall set a line of set-nets across any river or stream in the said counties, or set or place his set-net or use any other fishing-net within a distance of 2 chains from another set-net.

4. Any person committing a breach of the foregoing regulations or either of them is liable to a fine of not less than £1 and not exceeding £20.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Amending Regulations for the Protection of Life and Property on Vessels.

ISLINGTON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this nineteenth day of September, 1911.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and five of the Harbours Act, 1908, it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time make regulations, to be called "General Harbour Regulations," which shall have force and effect in all ports in New Zealand for, amongst other things, regulating matters relating to the protection of life and property in or on vessels :

And whereas by Order in Council dated the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighth day of the following month, general harbour regulations were made for the above-mentioned purpose :

And whereas it is desirable to revoke paragraph (1) of clause 1 of the said regulations :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, 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 paragraph (1) of clause 1 of the said regulations of the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and doth hereby order and direct that the following paragraph shall be substituted for it, viz. :—

(1.) There shall be a fore and aft space of at least eleven feet between the fore or after end of hatch-combings and the nearest cross-beam, or between cross-beams, and, where necessary, sufficient hatch-beams shall be unshipped and moved clear of the hatchways to give such space; provided that in vessels whose hatches are less than eleven feet fore and aft measurement all cross-beams and fore and afters in the hatches shall be unshipped and moved clear of the hatchways. All hatch-beams which are not unshipped must be properly secured to prevent their becoming unshipped should a sling of cargo catch underneath them; provided further that hatch-beams need not be unshipped when coal is being shipped into the hatches in bulk.

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

Borough of Invercargill.—New River Harbour Reclamation.

ISLINGTON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this nineteenth day of September, 1911.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and ten, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 68, of the

fourteenth day of the same month, the Council of the Borough of Invercargill (hereinafter called "the Council") was authorized by special order to reclaim the parcels of land described in the Schedule to the said Order in Council from the waters of the New River Harbour or Estuary :

And whereas the Council has applied for a special order to enable it to reclaim certain additional land from the waters of the said New River Harbour or Estuary, and has taken the necessary preliminary steps to enable it to obtain such special order :

And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation :

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 Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), 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 authorize and empower the Council, subject to the provisions of the said Act, to reclaim from the waters of the New River Harbour or Estuary the parcels of land described in the Schedule hereto in lieu of the parcels of land described in the Schedule to the hereinbefore-recited Order in Council, such reclamation to be carried out and constructed in accordance with the plan and specifications marked M.D. 3736, and to be completed within a period of seven years from the date of this Order in Council: Provided that nothing herein contained shall affect any work already carried out or constructed under the authority of the hereinbefore-recited Order in Council: Provided further, and it is hereby expressly declared and agreed, that, in so far as this Order concerns the position of the tramway which crosses the New River Harbour or Estuary, this present Order in Council and the authority hereby conferred shall operate and be construed subject to the Orders in Council dated respectively the third day of September, one thousand nine hundred and six, the twenty-eighth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and ten, authorizing the construction and working of the Invercargill-Otatara Tramway.

SCHEDULE.

(1.) ALL that area containing by estimation 98 acres, more or less, forming part of the foreshore and bottom of the New River Harbour, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point being the intersection of the prolongation of the south side of Tweed Street with the north-western side of Tweed Street Jetty, Invercargill, which point is also 450 links from the west corner of Ayr Street, and proceeding thence along the said prolongation of the south side of Tweed Street for a distance of about 450 links to its intersection with the bridge on the Otatara Tramway line; thence in a south-westerly direction along the line of the said bridge for a distance of about 920 links; thence on a line bearing N. 7° 30' E. for a distance of about 4950 links; thence on a line bearing N. 55' E. for a distance of about 4875 links; thence on a line bearing N. 4° 12' E. for a distance of about 4100 links; thence on a line bearing N. 17° 15' E. for a distance of about 950 links to a point on high-water mark, distance about 650 links from the railway-bridge across the Waihopai River; thence generally in a southerly direction by high-water mark to its intersection with the western boundary of the railway reserve; thence along the said western boundary of the railway reserve for a distance of about 1800 links to high-water mark; thence by high-water mark to the commencing-point: all the above-described area being margined red on the plan referred to below.

(2.) All that area covered by tidal waters of the New River, containing by estimation 1,208 acres, more or less, forming part of the foreshore and bottom of the New River Harbour, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point 600 links distant from the south-east corner of Section No. 8, Block XXI, Invercargill Hundred, being also the commencing-point of the south-eastern boundary-line of the land described in the first part of the Schedule to the New River Harbour Reclamation Act, 1902; proceeding thence along the said boundary-line on a bearing N. 10° 34' 33" E. for a distance of about 15700 links to the south-western corner of the land described in the second part of the said Schedule to such Act; thence along the south-eastern boundary of the said land described in the second part of the Schedule to such Act on a bearing S. 63° 58' 41" W. for a distance of about 8007 links; thence on a line bearing S. 23° W. for a distance of about 200 links; thence on a line bearing S. 5° 30' W. for a distance of about 4225 links; thence on a line bearing S. 1° 45' W. for a distance of about 4820 links; thence on a line bear-

ing S. 8° 30' W. for a distance of about 5540 links to its intersection with the line of the Otatara Tramway Bridge; thence in a south-westerly direction along the line of the said bridge and embankment connected therewith for a distance of about 10050 links to high-water mark; thence by high-water mark in a north-westerly direction to the commencing-point: all the above-described area being margined red on the plan referred to below.

Be all the foregoing areas, linkages, and bearings either more or less, all within the New River Harbour, being parts of the Invercargill Hundred, in the Land District of Southland: as all the above-described areas are delineated on the plan marked M.D. 3736, deposited in the office of the Minister of Marine, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

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

Land temporarily reserved for a Public Recreation-ground in Block XIII, Tuhua Survey District, in the Auckland Land District.

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:

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Auckland Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for a public recreation-ground.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 139 acres and 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 3, Block XIII, Tuhua Survey District. Bounded towards the north generally by a public road, 1327.6, 263.7, 623.6, 539.8, 1004.1, 529.5, 272.5, 163.5, 254.6, 268.1, 550.9, 949.8, and 383 links; towards the north-east by a line bearing 154° 12', 415.7 links; towards the south-east by lines bearing 226° 54', 3046 links, and 250° 17', 1128.7 links; and towards the south-west by a public road from Taumarunui to Ongarue, 848.3, 1001.3, and 2834.7 links: be all the aforesaid bearings and linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5439/8, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan 16127, blue).

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Lands temporarily reserved in the Nelson Land District.

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:

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands in the Nelson Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for purposes of public utility.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 24 acres 3 roods 24 perches, more or less, being Section 7, Block V, Whakapoi Survey District. Bounded towards the north generally by the road

along the left bank of Murray Creek, towards the south-east generally by a road, and towards the north-west generally by the road along the left bank of the Heaphy River.

All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 12 acres 1 rood 24 perches, more or less, being Section 9, Block V, Whakapoi Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Section 8 of said block, towards the south-east by Sections 8 and 10 of said block, towards the west generally by Murray Creek, and towards the north-west by a road.

All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 38 acres 1 rood, more or less, being Section 8, Block I, Whakapoi Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Section 7 of the said block; towards the south-east, east, and north-east by the road along the right bank of the Heaphy River; towards the south-west by Section 9 of the before-mentioned Block I; and towards the north-west by a line in prolongation of the north-western boundary-line of Section 9 aforesaid.

All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 8 acres 1 rood 5 perches, more or less, being Section 18, Block I, Whakapoi Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east and south-east by Section 23 of the said block, towards the south-west by the road along the right bank of Gunner Creek, and towards the north generally by the road along the left bank of the Heaphy River; excepting the road, 1 chain wide, which intersects the land included within the above-described boundaries.

All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 27 acres 2 roods 32 perches, more or less, being Section 29, Block I, Whakapoi Survey District. Bounded towards the south-east by the road forming the north-west boundary of Section 30 of the said block, towards the south-west generally and north-west by the road along the left bank of the Heaphy River, and towards the north-east by the last-mentioned road and the road along the left bank of Gunner Creek.

All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 54 acres 3 roods 8 perches, more or less, being Section 34, Block I, Whakapoi Survey District. Bounded towards the south-east generally by a road, towards the south generally by Murray Creek, and towards the south-west and north-west by the road along the left bank of the Heaphy River.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. 5552/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

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

ISLINGTON, Governor.

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

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, aforesaid, declare my intention to change the specific purpose of the portion of the reserve described in the second column of the Schedule hereto from that named in the first column of the said Schedule to that named in the third column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

First Column. Description and Purpose of Original Reserve.	Second Column. Description of Portion of Reserve the Purpose of which it is intended to change.	Third Column. Intended Purpose.
All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre and 19 perches, more or less, being Section No. 79A, Town of Hector.	All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 27 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 79A, Town of Hector. Bounded towards the south-east by Pitt Street, 100 links; towards the south-west by the road along the right-hand bank of the Ngakawau River, 150 links; towards the north-west by the road along the coast of Tasman Sea, 107.7 links; and towards the north-east by a line parallel to the south-westward boundary, 190 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5553/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.	Site for a public library.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.
J. G. WARD,
 Minister of Lands.

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

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, do hereby declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Monday, the twenty-seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, at the rental mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said land shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.—KERIKERI SURVEY DISTRICT.
 Third-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	VII	50 0 0	20 0 0	0 8 0
Exempt from rent for one year.				
Weighted with £95, valuation for improvements consisting of four-roomed cottage, cow-shed, landing-stage, 10 acres grass, and about 60 chains fencing.				
Altitude, 10 ft. to 200 ft. above sea-level. Undulating land, 10 acres grass, balance scrub and fern. Soil of inferior quality, on sandstone formation; fairly watered by a small stream. Situated twelve miles from Russell by water.				
As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.				
J. G. WARD, Minister of Lands.				
Opening Settlement Lands in Auckland Land District for Selection.				
ISLINGTON, Governor.				
IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of				

New Zealand, do hereby declare that the settlement lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Monday, the twenty-seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, at the rentals mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—MANUKAU COUNTY.—BLOCK VI, OTAHUHU SURVEY DISTRICT.—ECCLESTON No. 2 SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	A. R. P. 1 0 6.4	120 0 0	2 14 0
2	0 2 33.3	210 0 0	4 14 6
3	0 1 32.4	140 0 0	3 3 0
4	0 1 26.5	130 0 0	2 18 6
5	0 1 35.3	100 0 0	2 5 0
6	0 2 6.5	160 0 0	3 12 0
7	0 2 4.4	150 0 0	3 7 6
8	0 2 12	170 0 0	3 16 6
9	0 1 34.5	140 0 0	3 3 0
10	0 2 5.6	160 0 0	3 12 0
11	0 2 0.8	170 0 0	3 16 6
12	0 3 8	200 0 0	4 10 0
15	0 2 21.8	120 0 0	2 14 0
16	0 2 25	130 0 0	2 18 6
17	0 2 39.5	150 0 0	3 7 6
18	0 3 19.4	170 0 0	3 16 6
19	1 0 17.1	220 0 0	4 19 0
20	1 0 0.2	230 0 0	5 3 6
21	0 2 35.1	120 0 0	2 14 0
22	0 0 39.9	80 0 0	1 16 0
23	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
24	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
25	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
26	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
27	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
28	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
29	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
30	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
31	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
32	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
33	0 0 39.9	90 0 0	2 0 6
34	0 1 8.8	90 0 0	2 0 6
35	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
36	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
37	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
38	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
39	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
40	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
41	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
42	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
43	0 0 39.9	90 0 0	2 0 6
44	0 0 15.9	40 0 0	0 18 0
45	0 0 35.3	70 0 0	1 11 6
46	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
47	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
48	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
49	0 0 39.9	90 0 0	2 0 6
50	0 0 38.9	80 0 0	1 16 0
51	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
52	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
53	0 0 39.9	80 0 0	1 16 0
54	0 3 19.5	180 0 0	4 1 0
55	0 2 25.6	120 0 0	2 14 0
56	0 2 3.9	100 0 0	2 5 0
57	0 3 26.6	210 0 0	4 14 6
58	0 3 5.5	200 0 0	4 10 0
59	0 2 21.2	100 0 0	2 5 0
60	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
61	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
62	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
63	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
64	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
65	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
66	0 0 39.9	90 0 0	2 0 6
67	0 1 9.9	90 0 0	2 0 6
68	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
69	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
70	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
71	0 2 0	100 0 0	2 5 0
72	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
73	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
74	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
75	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
76	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
77	0 1 0	80 0 0	1 16 0
78	0 1 11.1	70 0 0	1 11 6

The settlement comprises level and undulating land adjoining Otahuhu Railway-station, nine miles from Auckland on the Main Trunk line. There is a good railway service between Otahuhu and Auckland, and the allotments are eminently suited for homes for persons employed in the city. The soil is volcanic, of first-class quality.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

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

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, do hereby declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Monday, the twenty-seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, at the rental mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said land shall be leased under and subject to section one hundred and thirty-five of the said Act, as it contains, or is supposed to contain, metal, mineral, or valuable stone.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—COROMANDEL COUNTY.—HARATAUNGA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
14	I	100	1	5	60	0	0	1	4	0

Altitude, 250 ft. to 1,200 ft. above sea-level. Broken land, about three-fourths mixed forest, mostly tawa and rata, three dry kauri-trees, with light undergrowth of supplejack, ferns, pukapuka, &c., balance fern land. Clay soil inferior to medium in quality, on slate formation; well watered by streams. Situated three miles from Port Charles—two miles and a half formed 6 ft. track, remainder unformed.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Opening National Endowment Lands in Auckland Land District for 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, do hereby declare that the national endowment lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Monday, the eighteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, at the rentals mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—HOKIANGA COUNTY.—WAKU SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Unsurveyed Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
2	V	660	0	0	620	0	0	12	8	0
3	"	783	0	0	580	0	0	11	12	0

Altitude, 800 ft. to 1,500 ft. above sea-level. Rough and broken land, covered with heavy mixed forest comprising kahikatea, rimu, rata, tawa, puriri, taraire, kohekohe,

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towai, rewarewa, miro, and tawhero, with thick undergrowth of supplejack, punga, nikau, kiekie, karamu, wharangi, and whauwhau. Soil of good quality but rather stony, on slate formation; well watered by streams. Situated nine miles from Opononi—six miles 6 ft. bridle-track, balance unformed.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1	VI	755	0	0	620	0	0	12	8	0

Altitude, 800 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level. Broken land, steep along Whirinaki River, covered with heavy mixed forest comprising kahikatea, rimu, rata, tawa, puriri, &c., with thick undergrowth of supplejack, punga, nikau, and kiekie. Soil of good quality, on slate formation; well watered by Whirinaki River and streams. Situated ten miles from Opononi—six miles 6 ft. bridle-track, remainder unformed.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
87	IX	560	0	0	320	0	0	6	8	0
88	"	570	0	0	530	0	0	10	12	0

Altitude, 1,000 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level. Broken land, covered with heavy mixed forest comprising kahikatea, rimu, rata, tawa, &c., with thick undergrowth of supplejack, punga, nikau, kiekie, and karamu. Soil of good quality but stony, on slate formation; well watered by streams. Situated nine miles and a quarter from Opononi—six miles formed bridle-track, remainder unformed.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
21	X	594	0	0	440	0	0	8	16	0
22	"	350	0	0	270	0	0	5	8	0
23	"	730	0	0	540	0	0	10	16	0

Altitude, 1,000 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level. Broken land, covered with heavy mixed forest comprising kahikatea, rimu, rata, tawa, puriri, taraire, &c., with thick undergrowth of supplejack, punga, nikau, kiekie, and karamu. Soil of good quality but stony, on slate formation; well watered by streams. Situated five miles from Waimamaku Post-office.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
24	X	765	0	0	570	0	0	11	8	0
25	"	772	0	0	570	0	0	11	8	0

Altitude, 900 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level. Broken land, covered with heavy mixed forest comprising kahikatea, rimu, rata, tawa, &c., with thick undergrowth of supplejack, punga, nikau, and kiekie. Soil of good quality but stony, on slate formation; well watered by streams. Situated from eleven to twelve miles from Opononi—six miles formed bridle-track, remainder unformed.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Opening National Endowment Lands in Auckland Land District for 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, do hereby declare that the national endowment lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Monday, the twenty-seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, at the rentals mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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HOKIANGA COUNTY.—PUNAKITERE SURVEY DISTRICT.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1	XV	933	0	0	1,050	0	0	21	0	0
2	"	1,046	0	0	920	0	0	18	8	0

Altitude, 200 ft. to 1,100 ft. above sea-level. Level to broken land, about 100 acres of Section 1 and 200 acres of Section 2, fern land; balance heavy mixed forest com-

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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prising rimu, totara, matai, kahikatea, puriri, rata, miro, taraire, tawa, tanekaha, kohekohe, &c., with medium undergrowth of punga, nikau, kiekie, mingi, supplejack, and tokiwi. Soil a good loam and clay, with some alluvial on Section 1, on sandstone formation; well watered by Mangakahia River and streams. Situated fifteen to sixteen miles from Kaikohe, of which fourteen miles is partly formed cart-road, remainder unformed.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1	XVI	996	0	0	880	0	0	17	12	0

Altitude, 200 ft. to 1,000 ft. above sea-level. Hilly and broken land, about 50 acres fern, balance heavy mixed forest comprising rimu, totara, matai, puriri, rata, miro, taraire, tawa, tanekaha, kohekohe, &c., with medium undergrowth of punga, nikau, supplejack, kiekie, mingi, and tokiwi. Soil a good brown loam mixed with rubble and clay, on sandstone formation; well watered by Mangakahia and Awarua Rivers and small streams. Situated fifteen miles from Kaikohe, of which fourteen miles is partly formed cart-road, remainder unformed.

WAITEMATA COUNTY.—OKURA PARISH.

42	..	157	3	19	160	0	0	3	4	0
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Altitude, 70 ft. to 100 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and manuka country, with a few swampy gullies. Heavy clay soil inferior to medium in quality, on sandstone formation; well watered by swampy springs. Situated four miles by cart-road from Long Bay, thence sixteen miles by steamer to Auckland, or fourteen miles from Devonport by cart-road.

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

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 twenty-seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eleven; 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.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
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FIRST-CLASS LAND.

West Taupo County.—Mangaorongo Survey District.

3	XI	186	3	18	400	0	0	10	0	0	8	0	0
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Undulating country, covered with fern, tutu, and manuka scrub. Soil of medium quality, on sandstone formation; well watered by streams. Situated twelve miles from Otorohanga—eleven miles formed dray-road and one mile unformed good track.

6	IV	170	2	0	260	0	0	6	10	0	5	4	0
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Altitude, 200 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level. About 60 acres wet swamp, balance undulating to level 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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covered with fern and manuka. Soil of medium quality, on sandstone formation; well watered by swamp. Situated 11½ miles from Kihikihiki by formed dray-road.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Rotorua County.—Rotorua Survey District.

6	III	198	0	0	200	0	0	5	0	0	4	0	0
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Altitude, 900 ft. to 1,100 ft. above sea-level. Flat and undulating land, broken along Mangorewa Stream, covered with heavy mixed forest comprising tawa, rata, rimu, miro, hinau, towai, &c., with thick undergrowth of scrub. Soil of good quality of a sandy nature, on decomposed-pumice formation; well watered by a small stream. Situated two miles from the Village of Kakahi—one mile and a half formed road, known as Lagoon Road, remainder unformed.

8	III	200	1	0	230	0	0	5	15	0	4	12	0
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Altitude, 1,000 ft. to 1,100 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to level land, covered with heavy mixed forest comprising tawa, rata, rimu, miro, and hinau, with thick undergrowth of scrub. Soil of good quality of a sandy nature, on decomposed-pumice formation; indifferently watered by surface-water holes. Situated two miles from the Village of Kakahi—one mile and half formed road, remainder unformed.

Thames County.—Waihou Survey District.—Hauraki Plains.

1A	I	250	0	11	400	0	0	10	0	0	8	0	0
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Swamp land; soil second-class deep peat, on alluvial formation; watered by drains. Situated about three miles and a half from either Pipiroa or Waitakaruru Landings by formed road.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Matamau 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

DUNCAN MILNE,
GEORGE WALTER FRANCE,
JOHN HOLM, and
THOMAS PAGE

to be Trustees to provide for the maintenance and care of the Matamau Public Cemetery, in conjunction with Charles Swiggs, Borthwick Halliburton, and John Peacock Leighton, previously appointed.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Whakatane Public Cemetery 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 Warrant of the fifteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred, appointing the Whakatane County Council to be trustees for the Whakatane Public Cemetery, 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 cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
	WHAKATANE.
George Creeke, George Augustus Sykes, Edgar Waine Beckett, Ernest Cadness, and James Hunter Britten.	All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres, more or less, being Allotment No. 267, Waimana Parish (Block II, Whakatake Survey District). Bounded towards the north by Allotments Nos. 268 and 269, Waimana Parish, 800 links; towards the east by Allotment No. 269 aforesaid, 250 links; towards the south by a public road 100 links wide, 800 links; and towards the west by Allotment No. 268 aforesaid, 250 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1701, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Rangiriri 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 the several persons whose names are specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto to have the control and management of the public cemetery specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Names of Trustees.	Name of Public Cemetery, and Description of Land.
	RANGIRIRI.
Edward Thomas Bain, William Patterson, and Harry Simpson Hall.	All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 2 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Allotment No. 11, Suburbs of Rangiriri, Block III, Rangiriri Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Mercer Street, 900 links; towards the south-east by Allotment 6, Suburbs of Rangiriri, 425.4 links; and towards the south-west and north-west by Great South Road, 468.1 and 569 links respectively: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1700, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

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

Private Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 21st September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

The Honourable GEORGE FOWLDS of his offices of Minister of Education, Minister of Immigration, and Minister of Customs, and also of his office as a member of the Executive Council of the Dominion of New Zealand; such resignations to date from the 4th September, 1911.

By command,
ARTHUR GUISE,
Private Secretary.

Arrangements for First Election, &c., Otatau Drainage Board.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 2nd September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ARTHUR ETHELBERG MELLSON,

of Waiuku, to be Returning Officer for the purpose of conducting the first election of five members of the Board of Trustees of the Otatau Drainage District as constituted under the Land Drainage Act, 1908; also to appoint Wednesday, the 18th day of October, 1911, to be the date, and the Otatau Public Hall at Otatau to be the place, for holding such election; also to appoint Wednesday, the 25th day of October, 1911, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to be the day and the hour, and the said Otatau Public Hall at Otatau to be the place, at which the first meeting of Trustees shall be held.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Trustee under the Peninsula County Libraries Act, 1877, appointed.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 3rd August, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM WINTON

to be a Trustee under the Peninsula County Libraries Act, 1877, vice William Leslie.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 12th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ARTHUR FRANK TOSSWILL

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

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 12th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned persons 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.
FRANK HARDY FRANCIS	Akaroa.
JOHN SHARKAY	Mauriceville.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Cadet appointed.

Valuation Department,
Wellington, 14th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM ARMSTRONG McCAW

to be a Cadet in the Valuation Department, as from the 10th July, 1911.

D. BUDDO,
Minister in Charge.

Officer dismissed.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office,
Wellington, 30th August, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to dismiss from the Public Service

KENNETH HORACE HARRÉ,

lately a Cadet in the Post and Telegraph Department at Auckland.

J. G. WARD,
Postmaster-General.

Cadet in Department of Lands appointed.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 13th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES HOPE ROBERTSON

to be a Clerical Cadet in the Department of Lands, as from the 10th day of April, 1911.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Appointment of Cadet in the Land and Income Tax Department.

Land and Income Tax Department,
Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JAMES ALLEN

to be a Cadet in the Land and Income Tax Department, as from the 1st September, 1911.

J. G. WARD.

Master Mariner appointed to act with a Surveyor of Ships at the Ports of Invercargill and the Bluff in fixing the Positions of the Load-lines of Vessels.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 15th September, 1911.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance of the provisions of section 36 of the Shipping and Seamen Amendment Act, 1909,

WILLIAM MACLEAN

has been appointed a Master Mariner to act with a Surveyor of Ships at the Ports of Invercargill and the Bluff in fixing the positions of the load-lines of vessels referred to in the said section.

J. A. MILLAR.

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

Marine Department,
Wellington, 16th September, 1911.

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

ERNEST EDWARD TERRY

to be an Officer for the purposes of Part II of that Act.

J. A. MILLAR.

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

Marine Department,
Wellington, 16th September, 1911.

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

WILLIAM JARDINE,

of Kaitangata, to be an Officer for the purposes of Part II of that Act.

J. A. MILLAR.

Cancellation of Appointment of Inspector of Factories.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 19th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to cancel the appointment of

CHARLES EDWARD ALDRIDGE

as an Inspector under the Factories Act, 1908.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Labour.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 13th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

FREDERICK HELDT, Esq.,

of Apiti, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for New Zealand.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

Notice of Dismissal from the Civil Service.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 19th September, 1911.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to dismiss

ERNEST WILLIAM BAXTER

from his office as a Warder in His Majesty's Prison at Auckland.

JOHN G. FINDLAY.

Officer appointed under the Immigration Restriction Act, 1908.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned person to be an Officer to carry out the provisions of Part II of the Immigration Restriction Act, 1908.

Port of Westport, RICHARD BOOTH DUDLEY EYRE, *vice* Herbert John Crowther, retired.

R. MCKENZIE,
Minister of Customs.

Registrars of Brands appointed.—Notice No. 1531.

Department of Agriculture, Commerce, and Tourists,
Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

PHILIP BEERE (an officer of this Department)

to be Registrar of Brands for the Stratford Branding Registration District, in terms of the Stock Act, 1908, *vice* J. Halligan, transferred; and

JAMES HALLIGAN (an officer of this Department)

to be Registrar of Brands for the Wellington Branding Registration District, in terms of the Stock Act, 1908, *vice* G. Broom, transferred. The appointments to date from 24th and 25th July respectively.

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

Farm-manager's Assistant appointed.—Notice No. 1532.

Department of Agriculture, Commerce, and Tourists,
Wellington, 19th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

EDWARD PATRICK BROGAN (formerly a temporary officer)

to be a Farm-manager's Assistant in the Civil Service of the Government of New Zealand (Department of Agriculture, Commerce, and Tourists); the appointment to date from 4th September, 1911.

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

Inspector under the Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1908, the Fertilizers Act, 1908, and the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, appointed.—Notice No. 1533.

Department of Agriculture, Commerce, and Tourists,
Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

AUGUSTINE FREDRICK WILSON (an officer of this Department)

to be an Inspector under the Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1908, the Fertilizers Act, 1908, and the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908; the appointment to date from 31st August, 1908.

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

Appointments, Promotions, Transfers, Resignations, and Retirements of Staff and Territorial Force Officers.

Defence Office.

Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, transfers, resignations, and retirements of the undermentioned Staff and Territorial Force Officers:—

Commands and Staff.

Major Henry Owen Knox, Army Service Corps, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 6th September, 1911.

Honorary Captain James O'Sullivan, Director of Equipment and Stores, is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 6th September, 1911.

Captain Charles Ernest Archibald (Unattached List), to be an Intelligence Officer. Dated 30th August, 1911.

1st Mounted Rifles (Canterbury Yeomanry Cavalry).

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain James Alfred Northcote to be Captain. Dated 16th May, 1911.

2nd (Wellington West Coast) Mounted Rifles.

Captain John Bird Hine is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 25th May, 1911.

Lieutenant Samuel Dunn Johnston resigns his commission. Dated 4th August, 1911.

William Risk, Esq., to be 2nd Lieutenant, supernumerary to the establishment. Dated 26th June, 1911.

3rd (Auckland) Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant Ernest Adam Vipond to be Captain, *vice* Bent, resigned. Dated 21st June, 1911.

The undermentioned gentlemen to be 2nd Lieutenants:—

Harold Leslie Beecroft, Esq. Dated 23rd September, 1910.

Gordon Keir Hamilton, Esq. Dated 23rd September, 1910.

Sydney Charles Ashton, Esq. Dated 29th September, 1910.

Thomas Edward Paton, Esq. Dated 3rd October, 1910.

Nelson Jeffrey Ellingham, Esq. Dated 4th August, 1911.

4th (Waikato) Mounted Rifles.

Captain Samuel Lewis is transferred to the 16th (Waikato) Regiment. Dated 5th September, 1911.

6th (Manawatu) Mounted Rifles.

Captain William Fitzgerald Levin to be Major. Dated 16th May, 1911.

Captain Percy de Bathe Brandon (Unattached List) to be Captain, *vice* Levin, promoted. Dated 5th September, 1911.

9th (Wellington East Coast) Mounted Rifles.

The date of the promotion of Captain A. H. Herbert to the rank of Major, notified in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 47, of the 8th June, 1911, was 1st December, 1909, not 18th April, 1911, as therein stated.

Lieutenant James Whittaker retires under the provisions of paragraph 119, General Regulations, 1911. Dated 5th September, 1911.

New Zealand Field Artillery.

Lieutenant John Garencières Rose to be Captain, to complete establishment. Dated 16th May, 1911.

Alfred Herrick, Esq., to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 17th August, 1911.

New Zealand Garrison Artillery.

Major William Henry Hazard to be Lieutenant-Colonel, to command a division. Dated 15th July, 1911.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 28th August, 1911.

George Chetwyn Parker.
Edgar Hugh Skeates.
Francis D'Oyley Mears.

Corps of New Zealand Engineers.

2nd Lieutenant Alfred Thomas Dow to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1911.

1st (Canterbury) Regiment.

Major Henry Smart Edgar Hobday, v.d., Reserve of Officers, retires under the provisions of paragraph 118, General Regulations, 1911, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and permission to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 31st August, 1911.

Lieutenant Robert Amos Row to be Captain, to complete establishment. Dated 16th May, 1911.

2nd Lieutenant Claude Arthur Ferguson resigns his commission. Dated 25th August, 1911.

2nd (South Canterbury) Regiment.

Captain Charles Ernest Thomas, v.d., retires under the provisions of paragraph 118, General Regulations, 1911, with the honorary rank of Major, and permission to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 8th June, 1911.

3rd (Auckland) Regiment ("Countess of Ranfurly's Own").

2nd Lieutenant Herbert Swainson Atkinson to be Lieutenant, *vice* Proctor, transferred to 15th (North Auckland) Regiment. Dated 17th March, 1911.

2nd Lieutenant Valentine Dunne to be Lieutenant, *vice* Finlayson, resigned. Dated 1st June, 1911.

4th Regiment (Otago Rifles).

Major Johnston McAra to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 18th June, 1911.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

Odin Henry Moller. Dated 7th September, 1910.

Kenneth McKenzie Melville. Dated 7th September, 1910.

2nd Lieutenant James Alexander Laing resigns his commission. Dated 8th August, 1911.

2nd Lieutenant John Falconer Ewen to be Lieutenant, *vice* Moller, promoted. Dated 4th September, 1911.

The date of the promotion of Captain J. S. Douglas and Captain P. R. Fordham to the rank of Major, as notified in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 64, of the 10th August, 1911, was 16th May, 1911, not 17th March, 1911, as therein stated:—

12th (Nelson) Regiment.

Captain Edwin Arnold, v.d., retires under the provisions of paragraph 118, General Regulations, 1911, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 15th July, 1911.

The undermentioned gentlemen to be 2nd Lieutenants:—

Loftus Joseph Gibbs, Esq. Dated 12th June, 1911.

Albert Edward Conway, Esq. Dated 29th August, 1911.

George Lawn, Esq. Dated 29th August, 1911.

13th (North Canterbury) Regiment.

George Cruickshank Griffiths, Esq., to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 26th August, 1911.

14th Regiment (South Otago Rifles).

The date of the promotion of Captain J. H. Moir to the rank of Major, notified in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 52, of 29th June, 1911, was 7th September, 1910, not 8th April, 1911, as therein stated.

15th (North Auckland) Regiment.

Captain Robert Horatio Roy Bayly (Unattached List) to be Captain. Dated 17th March, 1911.

2nd Lieutenant Norman Alexander Duthie to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th September, 1911.

16th (Waikato) Regiment.

Captain Samuel Lewis, from the 4th (Waikato) Mounted Rifles, to be Captain. Dated 5th September, 1911.

New Zealand Signal Corps.

Captain Edgar Page Lacey (Unattached List) to be Captain. Dated 1st December, 1909.

George Hepburn Ferguson, Esq., to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 7th August, 1911.

New Zealand Chaplains Department.

The undermentioned to be Chaplains to the Forces, 4th Class:—

The Reverend Herbert George Rosher. Dated 5th August, 1911.

The Reverend George Budd. Dated 18th August, 1911.

The Reverend Alexander Doull. Dated 18th August, 1911.

The Reverend Evan George Evans. Dated 18th August, 1911.

The Reverend Alexander Samuel Morrison. Dated 25th August, 1911.

The Reverend Howard Elliott. Dated 28th August, 1911.

Unattached List.

The undermentioned Defence Cadet and other officers are transferred to the Unattached List of the Territorial Force for service with the Senior Cadets, under the provisions of paragraph 88 (b), General Regulations, 1911, with the rank specified:—

- Major Dugald Matheson. Dated 16th March, 1910.
 Captain Thomas David Pearce. Dated 4th June, 1902.
 „ William Henry Shepherd. Dated 4th June, 1902.
 „ Angus Sutherland Murray Polson. Dated 24th November, 1904.
 „ Walter Sydney Gardner. Dated 8th August, 1906.
 „ Walter Frederick Balham. Dated 3rd June, 1908.
 „ Frederick Stuckey. Dated 3rd June, 1908.
 „ William Henry Moyes. Dated 3rd August, 1908.
 „ David Alexander Watt. Dated 16th March, 1910.
 „ Lawrence Victor Porteous. Dated 1st June, 1910.
 „ Whampoa Fraser. Dated 1st June, 1910.
 „ Herbert William King. Dated 7th September, 1910.
 „ Malcolm Kennedy McCulloch. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ Frank William Gamble. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ Wilfred Courtney Sinel. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ James Arthur Shand. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 Lieutenant Frederick Johnston. Dated 19th November, 1909.
 „ Harman Ernest Gilbert Smith. Dated 1st December, 1909.
 „ Arthur Raglan Gatland. Dated 7th June, 1910.
 „ Alfred Edward Kretschmar. Dated 7th September, 1910.
 „ George Simon Mackenzie. Dated 16th May, 1911.
 „ John Murray. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ William Allen Armour. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ Harry Barton Allan. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ John Ulric Collins. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ William Hudson Scoon. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ James Dalton Dinneen. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ John George Fullarton. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ John Bartholomew Callan. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ Dudley Sedman Chisholm. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ Robert Campbell Ongley. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ Richard Edward Joseph Martin. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ Kenneth John Dellow. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ Gilbert Patrick O'Shannessy. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ William Patterson Pollock Gordon. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ Alonzo Patrick Dwan. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 „ James Paul Kavanagh. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 2nd Lieutenant Alfred Ernest Jaggs. Dated 5th September, 1911.
 2nd Lieutenant John Fagan. Dated 5th September, 1911.

J. G. WARD,
 Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.

Defence Office,
 Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration to

Lieutenant-Colonel LEWIS JOHN JOYCE (late Reserve of Officers),

he having a total commissioned service to the 6th March, 1911, entitling him thereto of twenty-one years three hundred and forty-two days.

J. G. WARD,
 Minister of Defence.

Award of the Long-service and Good-conduct Medal.

Defence Office,

Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 14 (1), Appendix IX, of the Regulations for the Military Forces of New Zealand, 1911, of the award of a Long-service and Good-conduct Medal to

No. 576, Quartermaster-Sergeant JAMES FAIRLEY,
 Royal New Zealand Artillery.

J. G. WARD,
 Minister of Defence.

Award of the Meritorious-service Medal.

Defence Office,

Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 12, Appendix IX, of the Regulations for the Military Forces of the Dominion of New Zealand, 1911, of the award of the Meritorious-service Medal to

No. 272, Sergeant-Major Artificer GEORGE JAMES BUCK, Royal New Zealand Artillery.

J. G. WARD,
 Minister of Defence.

Awards of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Defence Office,

Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

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

Lieutenant-Colonel DAVID PRINGLE, 6th (Manawatu) Mounted Rifles,

he having a total service to 31st July, 1911, entitling him thereto of twenty years and fifty-one days.

Chaplain the Reverend EDWARD CHARLES W. POWELL,
 New Zealand Chaplains Department,

he having a total service to 17th July, 1911, entitling him thereto of twenty years one hundred and ninety-one days.

No. 181, Colour-Sergeant ERNEST EDMUND PERRIN,
 7th Regiment (Wellington, West Coast Rifles),

he having a total service to 31st July, 1911, entitling him thereto of twenty years and sixty-two days.

J. G. WARD,
 Minister of Defence.

Appointment of a Clerical Cadet in the Defence Department.

Defence Office,

Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM CYRIL MUNROE WILLIAMSON

to be a Clerical Cadet in the Defence Department.
 Dated 11th August, 1911.

J. G. WARD,
 Minister of Defence.

Appointment of a Clerical Cadet in the Defence Department.

Defence Office,

Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

MATTHEW POTAKA

to be a Clerical Cadet in the Defence Department.
 Dated the 24th August, 1911.

J. G. WARD,
 Minister of Defence.

Acceptance of Services of a Defence Rifle Club.

Defence Office,

Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept, under section 43 (1) and (2) of the Defence Act, 1909, the services of the

Hawera Defence Rifle Club,

with headquarters at Hawera, Wellington Military District. Date of acceptance, 14th September, 1911.

J. G. WARD,
 Minister of Defence.

Officers appointed.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 8th September, 1911.

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

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

PERMANENT.

Name.	Position.	Office.	Date.
Allen, Eric	Telegraph Message-boy	Wellington	1 April, 1911.
Atmore, Dorothy	Cadette, Telephone Exchange	"	1 " "
Brunton, Henry Stacey	Telegraph Message-boy	Greytown	5 " "
Catanach, Henry Alexander Newing	"	Waverley	1 " "
Clarke, Leslie Taylor	"	Rotorua	21 " "
Cole, William Phillip Stapleton	"	Thames	13 " "
Connell, Philip Sydney Newell	"	Waipu	1 " "
Cook, Walter Albert	Letter-carrier	Wellington	1 Feb., "
Cowdell, Samuel Willard	Telegraph Message-boy	Whangarei	1 April, "
Cunningham, John	"	Dunedin	1 " "
Dillicar, William Henry	"	Te Kuiti	8 Mar., "
Dunbar, Walter Henry James	"	Napier	1 April, "
Eden, Clement William	"	Wakefield	3 " "
Edwards, George Frederick	"	Auckland	11 " "
Elliott, John	"	Dunedin	1 " "
Gisby, Thomas Francis	"	Auckland	19 " "
Goodger, Herbert Laurence	"	Napier	17 Mar., "
Gray, Margaret Tessier	Cadette, Accountant's Branch, G.P.O.	Wellington	13 Feb., "
Grinlinton, James Eustace	Telegraph Message-boy	Pahiatua	24 April, "
Guppy, William Percy Henry	"	Wellington	12 " "
Holmes, Stanley Seddon	"	Wanganui	6 Mar., "
Johnston, May Catherine	Cadette, Telephone Exchange	Wellington	16 Nov., 1910.
Limbrick, Henry Thomas	Telegraph Message-boy	Waipawa	13 April, 1911.
Love, John Sydney	"	Wanganui	6 Mar., "
Mackie, David Eric	"	Foxton	17 April, "
McLaren, Norman McLeod	"	Dunedin	1 " "
McLean, Philippa Grace	Cadette, Telephone Exchange	Thames	8 Mar., "
McMichael, William Emerson	Telegraph Message-boy	Masterton	11 April, "
Morgan, William George	"	Karangahake	7 " "
Nathan, Ellen Ivy Emma	Cadette, Telephone Exchange	Wellington	1 Oct., 1910.
O'Connor, Alice	"	Napier	9 Mar., 1911
O'Shea, James Michael	Telegraph Message-boy	Wellington	13 " "
Paterson, Dugald	"	Dunedin	1 April, "
Renzie, Andrew	"	"	1 " "
Scott, Richard George	"	"	3 " "
Scully, Julia Agnes	Cadette, Accountant's Branch, G.P.O.	Ponsonby	9 Mar., "
Smith, Ethelwin Beatrice Hague	Cadette, Telephone Exchange	Wellington	9 Mar., "
Sorensen, Frederick John Stanslaus	Telegraph Message-boy	Thames	27 Feb., "
Stohr, Kenneth Okey	"	Westport	23 Mar., "
Suisted, Marion Constance	Postmistress	New Plymouth	28 April, "
Tarbutt, Lancelot Odard Samuel	Telegraph Message-boy	Tanestua	25 Mar., "
Todd, George Stanly	"	Avondale	28 April, "
Veitch, Stephen Robert	"	Okaiawa	1 " "
Veroce, Charles Ernest	"	Wanganui	10 Mar., "
Watt, Wilfred John	"	Blenheim	1 April, "
Wells, Albert Cyril	"	Auckland	1 " "
White, Stanley Ward	"	Coromandel	12 " "
Williams, Charles Warren	"	Helensville	1 " "
Williams, Gladys	Cadette, Telephone Exchange	Russell	22 " "
Woodall, Andrew David	Telegraph Message-boy	Greymouth	20 Feb., "
Woods, Martin Joseph	Junior Exchange Clerk	Whangarei	1 April, "
Wright, David Cyril	Telegraph Message-boy	Kawakawa	25 " "
		Kaikohe	20 Mar., "

NON-PERMANENT.

Name.	Office.	District.	Date.
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POSTMASTERS AND TELEGRAPHISTS.

Railway Officers.

Cockburn, Thomas	Outram	Dunedin	20 July, 1911.
Coop, Henry	Stirling	"	8 " "
Pope, Charles Lawrence	Waiholo	"	20 " "
Ryan, Frederick Leslie Stuart	Ohingaiti	Wanganui	4 " "

NON-PERMANENT—continued.

Name.	Office.	District.	Date.
POSTMASTERS.			
Bassett, Annie Martha	Mangaoronga	Wellington	1 July, 1911.
Bear, Elenor	Akatarawa	"	1 " "
Brydon, George	Whareora	Auckland	1 " "
Conolly, Mauriel Emma	Whangakoko	Blenheim	14 " "
Corkill, Robert	Darlington	Westport	1 " "
George, John	Waitakere	Auckland	1 " "
Glennie, Stuart George	Rere	Gisborne	8 " "
Hendren, Mary Magdalene	Arno	Timaru	20 " "
Henry, Thomas	Pehu	New Plymouth	1 " "
Hornbrook, Richards William	Koromautua	Auckland	1 June, "
Kennaday, Allan Napier	Resolution Bay	Blenheim	1 July, "
Kent, George	Tamarau	Gisborne	29 June, "
Knuckey, Louis Henry	Rawhitiroa	Wanganui	21 " "
McNarey, David	Spring Hills	Invercargill	1 " "
Mouat, Gilbert Harper	Rahui	Westport	24 July, "
Mowat, William	Stoneburn	Dunedin	12 " "
Nettlingham, Alfred	Hunua Siding	Auckland	28 June, "
Robinson, Reubin	Waikaraka	"	1 July, "
Sircombe, Hannah Jane	Rangiatea	"	23 June, "
Stevens, Edgar George	Waiohika	Gisborne	17 July, "
Street, Richard	Tarurutangi	New Plymouth	1 " "
Thomson, Charles Robert	Ngatamiro	"	8 " "
POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS.			
Allen, Maude Elizabeth	Ohutu	Wanganui	8 July, 1911.
Arocher, Elizabeth Lawson	Ngakawau	Westport	18 April, "
Ballantyne, Isabella Margaret	Waipounamu	Invercargill	1 July, "
Beuck, Peter Fredrick William*	Pukeokahu	Wanganui	1 June, "
Brewer, Arthur Roy	Awakino	New Plymouth	1 July, "
Christian, Mary Jane Goldsmith†	Okaramio	Blenheim	1 Oct., 1910.
Fabian, Percy Alfred	Riverlea	Wanganui	19 July, 1911.
Fecht, Maicie Mary Monica Johanna Elice	Azarimu	Auckland	1 " "
Foley, William	Swanson	"	18 " "
Fraser, Ernest Matthew	Te Awaiti	Blenheim	4 " "
French, Bessie Mildred	Mokai	Auckland	21 May, "
Grant, Robert Edward	Cunningham's	Wellington	1 July, "
Hansen, Arthur Harold	Eastown	Wanganui	17 " "
Hayles, Charles	Silverdale	Auckland	1 " "
Iggulden, Ada	Matemateanga	Wanganui	15 May, "
King, Constance Mabel	Pakaraka	Auckland	1 July, "
Laslett, Montague George	Whitford	"	1 " "
Litherland, William	Maungatapere	"	17 " "
McKenna, Mary Josephine	Seadown	Timaru	1 " "
McManaway, Thomas Dalton	Wakatahuri	Blenheim	1 " "
Peters, Henry James	Miramar	Wellington	1 June, "
Pringle, Annie	Ruapekapeka	Auckland	1 July, "
Shaw, George Charles	Nevesville	Thames	1 " "
Smith, Susan Elizabeth	Matangi	Auckland	15 " "
Taylor, Frederick	Akitio	Napier	11 " "
Trist, William Atkins	Awakino	New Plymouth	8 June, "
Tweed, Susanna	Wylie's Crossing	Dunedin	1 April, "
Whittaker, Alice	Awamangu	"	1 July, "
Wintour, Allan	Te Rapa	Auckland	26 June, "
Wright, George Cory —	Port Charles	"	6 July, "
TELEPHONISTS.			
Bell, Margaret	Wiri	Auckland	1 July, 1911.
Buckeridge, Edward William	Te Papatapu	"	27 June, "
Busch, Frederick John	Te Rako	Christchurch	1 July, "
Davis, Ellen Maud	Tauhinu	"	3 " "
Denize, Myrtle Hannah	Otaua	Auckland	30 May, "
Galloway, James	Mangatuna	Napier	13 July, "
Gibson, Stewart	Birehoun	Invercargill	15 June, "
Greig, George	Cape Campbell	Blenheim	7 July, "
Knuckey, Louis Henry	Rawhitiroa	Wanganui	7 " "
Macnicol, David Duncan	Taiaoatea	Auckland	1 " "
McMillan, Angus	Houto	"	28 June, "
Major, Henry James	Tutaki	Westport	20 " "
Monk, Richard	Conway Flat	Christchurch	30 " "
Norrie, John	Hundalee	"	23 " "
Singleton, Joseph Edward	Cape Saunders	Dunedin	1 July, "
Waller, Henry Thomas	Rotoorangi	Auckland	1 " "
White, Percy Henry	Hyde	Dunedin	3 " "

* Amending entry in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 71, of 7th September, 1911.† Amending entry in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 6, of 26th January, 1911.

Offices opened and closed, and Designation changed.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 8th September, 1911.

THE following particulars of offices opened and closed, and of a designation changed, are published for general information.

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

OFFICES.

Office.	District.	Date.
POST-OFFICES OPENED.		
Darlington	Westport	1 July, 1911.
Ngatamiro	New Plymouth	8 " "
Pehu	"	1 " "
Whangakoko	Blenheim	14 " "
POST-OFFICES CLOSED.		
Exhibition, Wellington	Wellington	29 July, 1911.
Maratoto	Thames	1 May, "
Pukehuia	Wellington	16 June, "
MONEY-ORDER OFFICE AND POST-OFFICE SAVINGS-BANK OPENED.		
Henley	Christchurch	8 Aug., 1911.
MONEY-ORDER OFFICE AND POST-OFFICE SAVINGS-BANK CLOSED.		
Exhibition, Wellington	Wellington	29 July, 1911.
POSTAL-NOTE (ISSUING) OFFICES OPENED.		
Hedgehope	Invercargill	8 Aug., 1911.
Rangiotu	Wellington	1 Sept., "
TELEGRAPH-OFFICE OPENED.		
Green Island	Dunedin	1 Aug., 1911.
TELEPHONE-OFFICES OPENED.		
Benmore (reopened)	Invercargill	21 July, 1911.
Callaghan's	Hokitika	29 " "
Clarendon	Dunedin	28 " "
Courtenay	Christchurch	10 Aug., "
Poerua	Greymouth	1 " "
Ruakohua	Auckland	28 July, "
Taringamotu	"	31 " "
Tuna	New Plymouth	9 Aug., "
Warwick Junction	Westport	26 July, "
TELEPHONE-OFFICE CLOSED.		
St. Leonards	Dunedin	3 Aug., 1911.
TELEPHONE EXCHANGES OPENED.		
Kelso	Dunedin	14 Aug., 1911.
Kirwee	Christchurch	7 " "
Taumarunui*	Auckland	13 June, "
Waiuku	"	18 July, "
TELEPHONE BUREAUX OPENED.		
Benmore (reopened)	Invercargill	21 July, 1911.
Callaghan's	Hokitika	29 " "
Clarendon	Dunedin	28 " "
Courtenay	Christchurch	10 Aug., "
Green Island	Dunedin	1 " "
Kirwee	Christchurch	7 " "
Manunui	Auckland	1 " "
Matapuna	"	1 " "
Owhango	"	1 " "
Piriaka	"	1 " "
Poerua	Greymouth	1 " "
Pollok Settlement	Auckland	11 " "
Ruakohua	"	28 July, "
Taringamotu	"	31 " "
Taumarunui*	"	13 June, "
Tuna	New Plymouth	9 Aug., "
TELEPHONE BUREAU CLOSED.		
Exhibition, Wellington	Wellington	29 July, 1911.
RECEIVING-OFFICE (PUBLIC) FOR TELEGRAMS CLOSED.		
Exhibition, Wellington	Wellington	29 July, 1911.

* Amending entry in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 61, of the 27th July, 1911.

OFFICES—continued.

RADIO-TELEGRAPH OFFICE OPENED.

Office.	Normal Range.	Date.
Radio, Wellington	300 miles	26 July, 1911.

DESIGNATION CHANGED.

Description.	Office.		District.	Date.
	From	To		
Telephone and bureau	Te Tatua	Mount Roskill	Auckland	28 July, 1911.

Result of Election of a Member of Gisborne Fire Board by Fire-insurance Companies.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 13th September, 1911.

THE following result of the election of a member of the Gisborne Fire Board by fire-insurance companies has been reported to the Minister of Internal Affairs, and is notified in accordance with the rules made under the Fire Brigades Act, 1908.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Gisborne Fire Board—

Stanley Sydney McPherson Dean, *vice* A. F. Kennedy, deceased.

Suburbs of Auckland (educational reserve), to Cornwall Park; thence again towards the north-east by Cornwall Park to and across Campbell Road; thence again towards the north-west by Campbell Road to the northern extension of Queen Street; thence towards the east by the said northern extension of Queen Street to and across Mount Smart Road; thence again towards the north-east and towards the north by Mount Smart Road to the north-western corner of Allotment No. 15, in Section No. 17, Suburbs of Auckland; thence towards the east generally by the said Allotment No. 15, across the railway reserve, and by Allotments Nos. 14, 13, 12, and 8 to Church Street, across Church Street, by Allotment No. 4, across a road, and by Allotment No. 5, Section No. 17 aforesaid, to the Manukau Harbour; thence towards the south generally by Manukau Harbour and Puhea Creek to a point opposite the south-eastern corner of Allotment No. 2, Section No. 13, Suburbs of Auckland; and thence towards the west by a right line across Summer Street and by Allotments Nos. 2 and 3, Section No. 13, Suburbs of Auckland, to Mount Smart Road, the place of commencement.

Redefining Boundaries of the Borough of Onehunga and the One Tree Hill Road District, and also of Eden County.

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 13th September, 1911.

PURSUANT to the provisions of section 20 of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1910, the boundaries of the Borough of Onehunga are hereby defined as set out in the First Schedule hereto, the boundaries of the said borough having been altered by an Order in Council dated the 27th day of June, 1911, made under the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and published in *Gazette* No. 52, of the 29th day of June, 1911.

And also in pursuance of the provisions of the said section 20 of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1910, the boundaries of the One Tree Hill Road District, and of the County of Eden, affected by the alteration made by the said Order in Council dated the 27th day of June, 1911, are hereby defined as set out respectively in the Second and Third Schedules hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF THE BOROUGH OF ONEHUNGA.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District bounded towards the north-east by Mount Smart Road from the north-eastern corner of Allotment No. 3, Section No. 13, Suburbs of Auckland, to a point in line with the south-eastern side of Campbell Road; thence towards the north-west by a right line across Mount Smart Road and by the south-eastern side of Campbell Road to a point in line with the north-eastern boundary of part of Allotment No. 13 of Section No. 12, Suburbs of Auckland (hospital reserve); thence towards the south-west by a right line across Campbell Road and by the said hospital reserve to its northernmost corner; thence again towards the north-west by part of Allotment No. 13 of Section No. 12,

SECOND SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF ONE TREE HILL ROAD DISTRICT.

ALL that area in Eden County bounded towards the north-east by the north-eastern side of the Great South Road from its junction with the Auckland-Onehunga Road to Hamlin's Creek at St. Ann's Bridge; thence towards the south generally by Hamlin's Creek and Manukau Harbour to the south-eastern corner of the Borough of Onehunga; thence towards the south-west generally by the Borough of Onehunga to the Auckland-Onehunga Road; and thence towards the west generally by the said Auckland-Onehunga Road to the place of commencement.

THIRD SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF THE COUNTY OF EDEN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District bounded towards the north generally by Waitemata Harbour from the Whau River to the Tamaki River; thence towards the east generally by the Tamaki River and the Otahuhu Creek to Portage Road; thence towards the south by Portage Road to Manukau Harbour; thence towards the west and again towards the south by Manukau Harbour to the Borough of Onehunga; thence by the Borough of Onehunga and again by Manukau Harbour to the western side of Portage Road at Karaka Bay; thence towards the west by the western sides of Portage Road, Brennan Street, Portage Road North, and the northern side of the Great North Road to the Whau River at the Whau Bridge; and thence by the Whau River to Waitemata Harbour, the place of commencement: excluding the City of Auckland, the Boroughs of Grey Lynn, Parnell, Newmarket, Mount Eden, Mount Albert, and the Town District of Ellerslie.

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

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

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

raglan COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order altering Riding Boundaries and fixing Representation thereof, and constituting New Ridings of Pukekawa and Port Waikato.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 23 of the Counties Act, 1908, section 4 of the Counties Amendment Act, 1908, and amendments thereto, and all other Acts and powers whatsoever in this behalf enabling, and subject to the consent of the Governor in Council, the Council of the County of Raglan hereby resolves as follows:—

That the present Onewhero Riding be subdivided into two ridings by a line commencing at the north-west corner of Section 75 of Block VIII, Onewhero; thence running in a south-westerly direction along the western boundaries of Sections 75 and 76 to the south-west corner of Section 76; thence east along the southern boundaries of Sections 76 and 77 to the north-east corner of Section 156; thence south-west along the eastern boundary of same section to the north-east corner of Section 158; thence south to the southern boundary of the south-west portion of Section No. 8 of Block XII; thence south along the western boundaries of Sections 3, 11, 1, and Opuatia No. 3b to the Opuatia Creek. And that all the area to the west of the above-mentioned line remain and be known as the Onewhero Riding, with the representation of one Councillor; and that all the area to the east of the aforesaid line (together with Section 6 of Block XIII, Maramarua; 4, 9, and 10, Opuatia Parish; and 3, Opuatia Parish; 5, 6, and 7 of Block XII, Onewhero; 2 and 3 of Block IX, Maramarua; 7d, Opuatia; 4 of XII, Onewhero; 7c, Opuatia; 3 and 4 of XIII, Maramarua; 7 of XVI, Opuatia; 9 and 2 of XII and XVI, Onewhero; part 3, Opuatia; 11, 1, 3, 5, and 6 of XII and XV, Onewhero; 5 and 7 of XIII, Maramarua; 7b, Opuatia; 10 of IX, Onewhero; 10 and 4 of XII and IX, Onewhero; 4 and 2 of XIII and XVI, Onewhero; and 7a, Opuatia, of Block IX, Maramarua, which are hereby deleted from the present Whangape Riding) shall be constituted a new riding to be known as the Pukekawa Riding, with the representation of one Councillor.

That the present Te Akau Riding be divided into two ridings by a line commencing at the south-west corner of Section No. B 29 of Block IX, Awaroa; thence following the southern boundary of the same section to the Waikaretu Road, and thence following the said Waikaretu Road to the riding boundary at the south-east corner of Section No. B 30, Awaroa. And that the area to the south of the above-mentioned line be known and constituted as the Te Akau Riding, with the representation of one Councillor; and that the area to the north of the said line (with the addition of Sections part Putataka No. 1A, 3, and 4 of Block XIII, Onewhero; Section 1 and part Section 2 of Block XIII, Onewhero, which are hereby deleted from the Onewhero Riding) shall be constituted and known as the Port Waikato Riding, with the representation of one Councillor.

The boundaries of the aforementioned ridings shall now be as follows:—

Pukekawa Riding.

Commencing at the south-east corner of Section 3 of Block XIV, Maramarua; thence west to the south-west corner of Section 10; thence along the block-line to the south-east corner of Section 7; thence along the western boundary of Section 8 to the Otauti Road; thence west along the said road-line to the north-east corner of Section 3b, Opuatia; thence along the eastern boundary of same section to the Opuatia Creek; thence west along the Opuatia Creek to the south-west corner of Section 3b, Opuatia; thence north along the western boundaries of Sections 3b, 1, 2, 3, 8a, and 158 to the north-east corner of Section 158; thence west along the southern boundaries of Sections 77 and 76; and thence north along the western boundaries of Sections 76 and 75 to the Waikato River; and thence following the bank of the Waikato River to the point of commencement.

Whangape Riding.

Commencing at the north-east corner of Section 6, Opuatia; thence south along the Waikato River to the

south-east corner of Section 62 of Block III, Rangiriri; thence along the road-line to the west corner of Section 36; and thence south along the south-east bank of the Whangape Lake to the south-east corner of Section 2 of Block V; thence west along the road-line to the south-east corner of Section 60 of Block XIII; thence west along the southern boundary of same section to the south-east corner of Section 53; thence south along the eastern boundaries of Sections 52, 51, 86 to the south-east corner of Section 86; thence west to the north-east corner of Section 88; thence south along the eastern boundary of same section; thence west along the southern boundary of Section 88 to the north-east corner of Section 215; thence along the east and south boundaries of Section 215 to the block-line; thence north along the block-line to the north-west corner of Section 119a; thence east along the northern boundary of Section 119a and south boundary of Section 107 to the south-east corner of Section 107; thence north along the west boundary of Section 95 to the road-line; thence east along the road-line to the south-west corner of Section North 94; thence east along the south boundary of Section 90 to the road-line; thence north along the road-line to the north-east corner of Section 90; thence east along the block-line to the south-east corner of Opuatia No. 4a to the Opuatia Creek; thence east along the said creek to the south corner of Section 3b, Opuatia; thence along the east boundary of same section to road-line; thence east along the road-line to the north-east corner of Section 8; and thence along the southern boundaries of Sections 7, 10, and 3 to the point of commencement.

Onewhero Riding.

Commencing at the south-west corner of Section 113 of Block IX, Onewhero; thence east along the bank of the Waikato River to the north-east corner of Section 95 of Block VIII, Onewhero; thence south along the eastern boundaries of Sections 95, 96, 166, and 149 to the south-east corner of Section 149; thence east along the north boundaries of Sections 150 and 156; thence along the eastern boundaries of Sections 156, 157, 8r, 22, and 4, Opuatia, to the Opuatia Creek; thence west along the southern boundaries of Sections Opuatia 4, 48, 5c, to the south-west corner of Section 5b No. 1; thence south along the road-line to the south-east corner of Section 90; thence west along the southern boundary of same section to the north-west corner of Section North 94; thence south along the west boundary of same section to the road-line; thence west along the road-line to the south-west corner of Section 102; thence south along the east boundary of Section 107 to the block-line; thence west along the block-line to the south-west corner of Section 114; thence north along the block-line to the south-west corner of Section 5 of XIII; thence north to the Moewaka Road; thence north-west along the said road to the south-east corner of Section 2 of Block IX; thence along the southern boundary of same section and north along the western boundary of same section to the north-west corner of said section; thence west along the northern boundary of Section 1 to the road-line; and thence north along the road-line to the point of commencement.

Port Waikato Riding.

Commencing at the south-west corner of Section B 29 of Block IX, Awaroa; thence east along the south boundary of same section to the road-line; and thence east along the road-line to the south-east corner of Section B 30; thence north along the block-line to the south-west corner of Section 5 of XIII, Onewhero; thence north along the western boundary of Section 5 to the Moewaka Road; thence west along the road-line to the south-east corner of Section 2 of IX, Onewhero; thence north to the south-west corner of same section; thence west along the northern boundary of Section 1 to the road-line; thence north-west along the road-line to the Waikato River; and thence west and south along the Waikato River and the coast-line to the point of commencement.

Te Akau Riding.

Commencing at the south-west corner of Section 60 of Blocks X and XIII, Whaingaroa; thence north along the western boundaries of Sections 60, 59, 123, 120, and 121 to the block-line; thence north along the block-line to the north-west corner of Section 73 of Block X, Awaroa; thence west along the Waikaretu Road to the coast-line; thence south along the coast-line to Rangitoto Point; and thence along the northern shore of the Whaingaroa Harbour to the point of commencement.

The above resolution was duly passed as a special order at a special meeting of the Raglan County Council held on the 10th day of March, 1911, and confirmed at a special meeting of the said Council held on the 12th day of April, 1911.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Raglan has hereunto been affixed this 12th day of April, 1911, in the presence of—

CAMPBELL JOHNSTONE,
Chairman.
H. MARSLAND,
Clerk.

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly made in accordance with the provisions of the Counties Act, 1908.

H. MARSLAND,
Clerk.

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

Office of the Minister of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

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

D. BUDDO,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

DANNEVIRKE COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order.—Adjusting Representation in the Council and altering Ridings.

In exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 23 of the Counties Act, 1908, the Dannevirke County Council resolves by way of special order as follows:—

1. The present division of the County of Dannevirke into four ridings is revoked, and in lieu thereof the said county shall be divided into six ridings, to be called respectively Dannevirke Riding, Mangatoro Riding, Ngapaeruru Riding, Matamau Riding, Norsewood Riding, and Ormondville Riding, which said ridings are respectively described in the Schedule hereto.

2. The said Dannevirke County shall consist of seven members who shall be elected as follows: The electors of the Dannevirke Riding shall elect two Councillors. The electors of the Mangatoro, Ngapaeruru, Matamau, Norsewood, and Ormondville Ridings shall each elect one Councillor.

3. The alteration hereby made shall take effect from date of gazetting.

SCHEDULE.

Dannevirke Riding.

All that area in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay commencing at the summit of the Ruahine Range, along the boundary-line of the Piripiri and Umutaoroa Blocks to the Mangatera Stream at the northern corner of Section 31, Block XIII, Norsewood Survey District; thence along the Mangatera Stream to the southern corner of Section 18, Block XIV; thence easterly to the Whakaruatapu Stream at the north-western corner of the Otanga Block; thence southerly along the Whakaruatapu Stream to its junction with the Mangatera Stream; thence southerly along the Mangatera Stream to the south-eastern corner of Section 18, Block III, Tahoraiti Survey District, and the Dannevirke Borough boundary; thence following the borough boundary westerly and southerly round to the Mangatera Stream; thence along the Mangatera Stream to its junction with the Dannevirke-Weber Road; thence along the Dannevirke-Weber Road to the junction of the Kaitoki-Otope Road; thence along the Kaitoki-Otope Road to the Woodville boundary at the Otope Stream; thence northerly and westerly along the Otope Stream to its junction with the Manawatu River; thence along the Manawatu River to its junction with the Orua-Keretaki Stream; thence along the Orua-Keretaki Stream to its junction with the Mangapukakahu Stream; thence along the Mangapukakahu Stream to the northern boundary of Section 13, Block I, Woodville Survey District; thence along the northern boundaries of Sections 54, 51, and 50, Block I, Woodville Survey District; thence along the northern boundary of Sections 57 and 1, Block I, Woodville Survey District; thence along the south-western boundary of Tamaki No. 5 Block to Trig. Station No. 85 on Ruahine Range; and thence along said range to place of commencement.

Mangatoro Riding.

All that area in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay commencing at the junction of the Mangatera and Whakaruatapu Streams, in a southerly direction along the Tiratu and Tipapakuku boundaries to the Manawatu River; thence along the Manawatu River to its junction with the Mangatoro Stream; thence along the Mangatoro Stream to its junction with the Mangamaire Stream to the north-eastern corner of Section 3, Block XIV, Mangatoro Survey District; thence along the eastern boundaries of Sections 3 and 4 to the Weber County boundary;

thence along the Weber County boundary to Trig. Station No. 52c (Wahataura); thence westerly along the southern boundary of Puketoi No. 6A to the Mangatoro Stream; thence along the western boundaries of Puketoi No. 6A and Puketoi No. 6B, Tahoraiti Survey District; thence westerly along the southern boundary of Section 16, Block XVI, Tahoraiti Survey District; thence northerly along the western boundaries of Sections 16, Block XVI, and 5 and 4, Block XII, Mangatoro Survey District, to Trig. Station No. 52 at eastern corner of Kaitoki No. 3 Block; thence westerly along the southern boundary of Kaitoki No. 3 Block, Tahoraiti Survey District, to the Kaitoki-Otope Road; thence northerly along the Kaitoki-Otope Road to the junction of the Dannevirke-Weber Road; thence along the Dannevirke-Weber Road to the Mangatera Stream; and thence along the Mangatera Stream to the place of commencement.

Ngapaeruru Riding.

All that area in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay commencing at the junction of the Manawatu River and the north-eastern corner of Tiratu or Manawatu No. 4D Block; thence southerly along the Manawatu River to its junction with the Mangapuaka Stream; thence along the Mangapuaka Stream to its junction with the Patangata County boundary; thence along the said boundary to the eastern corner of Section 3, Block VIII, Mangatoro Survey District; thence westerly along the boundary of Section 3, Block VIII, Mangatoro Survey District; thence westerly along the boundary of Section 3 to its junction with the Te Uri Road; thence along the Te Uri Road to the north-eastern corner of Small Grazing-run No. 73, Block XII, Mangatoro Survey District; thence southerly and westerly along the boundary of said Section 73 to its junction with the eastern boundary of Section 1, Block XI; thence southerly along the boundaries of Sections 1, Block XI, and 2 and 1, Block XV, Mangatoro Survey District; thence westerly along Section 1, Block XV, to the south-western corner of Section 3, Block XV; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of Sections 4 and 3, Block XIV, to the junction with the Mangamaire Stream; thence along the Mangamaire Stream to its junction with the Mangatoro Stream; thence along the Mangatoro Stream to its junction with the Manawatu River; thence westerly along the Manawatu River to the south-western corner of the Tiratu or Manawatu No. 4D Block; thence northerly along the boundary of the said block to the south-western corner of Section 2, Block IV; thence along the southern boundaries of Sections 2, 4, 5, 6, and 7 of Block IV, Tahoraiti Survey District; thence northerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections 7 and 8; and thence easterly along the Tiratu or Manawatu No. 4D Block to the Manawatu River, being the place of commencement.

Matamau Riding.

All that area in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay commencing at the south-western boundary of the Norsewood Riding, at the summit of the Ruahine Range; thence along the aforesaid riding generally in an easterly direction to the Mangatewainui River; thence southerly down the Mangatewainui River to its junction with the Manawatu River; thence southerly down the Manawatu River to the northern boundary at the Tiratu Block; thence westerly along that boundary to the north-eastern corner of Section 8; thence southerly along the boundaries of Sections 8 and 7; thence westerly along the boundaries of Sections 7, 6, 5, 4, and 2; thence northerly along the boundaries of Sections 2 and 1 to the junction of the Mangatera and Whakaruatapu Streams; thence northerly along the Whakaruatapu Stream to the north-western corner of the Otanga Block; thence from that corner in a westerly direction to the Mangatera Stream and the southern corner of Section 18, Block XIV, Norsewood Survey District; thence northerly along the Mangatera Stream to the corner between Sections 19 and 31, Block VIII, Norsewood Survey District; thence in a north-westerly direction in a straight line being the boundary-line between the Umutaoroa and Piripiri Blocks to the summit of the Ruahine Range; thence north-easterly along that range to place of commencement.

Norsewood Riding.

All that area in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay commencing at the summit of the Ruahine Range, at the south-western corner of the Waipawa County, and following generally easterly down the Makaretu River to the Waipawa County boundary; thence in a southerly direction to its junction with the old and new main Norsewood-Takapau Roads; thence southerly along the main road to the Manawatu River; thence down the Manawatu River to the north-eastern corner of Section 2; thence along a small stream, being the boundary of the Te Whitia

Tara Block, to the north-western corner of Section 1; thence southerly along the boundaries of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 95, and 155 of Block V; thence westerly along the southern boundary of Sections 154, 153, 152, and 151 of Block V; thence south-westerly along the boundaries of Sections 9A and 140 of Block V to the north-western corner of Section 166, Block IX; thence in a south-westerly direction along the boundary of Section 166, Block IX, to its intersection with the Norsewood-Makotuku Road; thence along that road in a south-easterly direction to the northern corner of Section 124, Block IX; thence southerly along the boundary of Section 124 to the Mangatewainui River; thence north-westerly along the Mangatewainui River to its intersection with the main Woodville-Napier Road; thence southerly along the aforesaid road to its intersection with the Mangatewai-iti River; thence in a north-westerly direction along the Mangatewai-iti River to a point in that river striking the boundaries of Te Ohu and Piripiri Blocks; and thence in a south-westerly direction along the said boundaries; thence in a straight line between the aforesaid blocks to the summit of the Ruahine Range; and thence along that range to the place of commencement.

Ormondville Riding.

All that area in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay commencing at the north-western corner of the Kahututae-Atua Stream, along the northern boundary of Sections 1 and 8 of Block V and Sections 1 and 2 of Block VI, Takapau Survey District, to the Manawatu River; thence along the Manawatu River to the junction of the Waikopiro Stream; thence along the Waikopiro Stream to the south-western corner of Block LXIX, Takapau Survey District; thence along the southern boundary of Block LXXXIII, Takapau Survey District, to the junction of the Turaekaitai and Whangai Streams; thence southerly along the Whangai Stream to the Mangapuaka and Tarereangarehu Streams to the Manawatu River; thence towards the north-west by the Manawatu and Mangatewainui Rivers to the south-west corner of Section 124, Block IX, Takapau Survey District; thence towards the north-east by Sections 125, 13A, 10A, and 9A, Block V, Takapau Survey District; thence along the southern boundaries of Sections 151, 152, 153, and 154; thence northerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections 154, 84A, 85, 85A, 85B, 86, 86A, 87, 87A, and 89 to the place of commencement.

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

R. BAKER,
Clerk, Dannevirke County Council.

29th May, 1911.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 15th September, 1911.

THE following special order, made by the Whangamomona County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendment.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

WHANGAMOMONA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order making Special Rate.—Upper Mangaehu No. 2 Loan of £2,500.

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, and amendments, the Whangamomona County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £2,500, authorized to be raised by the Whangamomona County Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of forming to dray-road width and grading the Mangaehu Road from the end of the present formation to the Kohi Road junction, and thenceforward in grading and forming to dray-road width the Kohi Road for as far as the loan-money will allow, the said Whangamomona County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 3d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property of the Upper Mangaehu No. 2 Special-rating Area, comprising Subdivisions 2A, 2B, 2C, Block XIII, and Subdivision 2D, Block XIV, Mahoe Survey District; and Subdivision 17, Block IX, Ngatimaru Survey District; and Section 1, Block XIV, Section 8, Section 9, Block XIV, Section 10, Block X, Section 9, Block X, and part Subdivision 1A (500 acres), Block XIII, all in the Mahoe Survey District:

and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

ATHOL MEREDITH,
Chairman.

The above special order was instituted at a special meeting of the Council held on the 28th day of June, 1911, and confirmed at a meeting of the Council held on the 23rd day of August, 1911, in accordance with the provisions of the Acts authorizing and regulating Government loans to local bodies.

ALFRED COLEMAN,
County Clerk.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

KAIRANGA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, the Kairanga County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £950, authorized to be raised by the Kairanga County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of surveying, forming, bridging, culverting, and metalling roads in Sections 371 and 372, Block IV, Gorge Survey District, the said Kairanga County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 2d. and 11/20 of a penny in the pound upon the unimproved value of all rateable property of the special-rating area, comprising Sections 371, 372, and 373, Block IV, Gorge Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of February and the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Kairanga County was hereto affixed this 12th day of September, 1911.

M. A. MOODY,
Chairman.

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly made in accordance with the provisions of the Counties Act, 1908, and was passed at a special meeting called for that purpose on Tuesday, the 8th day of August, 1911, and was duly confirmed at the ordinary meeting held on Tuesday, 12th September, 1911.

Dated at Palmerston North, this 12th September, 1911.

M. A. MOODY,
Chairman, Kairanga County Council.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

SPECIAL ORDER MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1908, the Waimarino County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,200, authorized to be raised by the Waimarino County Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for trimming and metalling the Rangataua Road from its junction with the Kopurutuku Road to its junction with the Mangahouhou Road, and to trim and metal the Kopurutuku Road from its junction with the Rangataua Road

to a point 3 chains beyond the north-west boundary of Section 13, Block V, Karioi Survey District, the said Waimarino County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound sterling upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Rangataua No. 2 Special-rating District, comprising all the properties situated within the following boundaries—commencing at a point where the south boundary of Section 13, Block V, Karioi Survey District, touches the Kopurutuku Road; thence in an easterly direction along the south boundary of Section 13, Block V, Karioi Survey District, to the north-east boundary of the said Section 13, Block V, Karioi Survey District; thence in a north-westerly direction along the north-eastern boundaries of Sections 13, 12, 11, Block V, Karioi Survey District, to the north-west boundary of Section 10, Block VIII, Makotuku Survey District; thence south-west by the north-west boundary of Section 10, Block VIII, Makotuku Survey District, to the Kopurutuku Road; thence north by the north side of the Kopurutuku Road to the north side of the Rata-Maire Road; thence south by the north side of the Rangataua Road to the east boundary of Section 22, Block VIII, Makotuku Survey District; thence north-west by the east boundary of Section 22, Block VIII, Makotuku Survey District; thence generally south by the west boundaries of Sections 22, 21, 20, Block VIII, Makotuku Survey District, to the north boundary of the Otiranui Block, Makotuku Survey District; thence east and south by the north boundary of the Otiranui Block, Makotuku Survey District, to the west boundary of Section 4b, Otiranui Block, Makotuku Survey District; thence south by the west boundary of Section 4b, Otiranui Block, Makotuku Survey District, to the north boundary of Section 2, Otiranui Block, Makotuku Survey District; thence south and east by the south and west boundaries of the said Section 2, Otiranui Block, to the east boundary of Section 4E No. 4, Otiranui Block, Makotuku Survey District; thence north by the east boundary of Section 4E No. 4, Otiranui Block, Makotuku Survey District, to the south boundary of Section 14, Block VIII, Makotuku Survey District; thence east by the south boundary of Section 14, Block VIII, Makotuku Survey District, to the starting-point, comprising all the following properties—Sections 10, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, Block VIII, Makotuku Survey District; Sections 11, 12, 13, Block V, Karioi Survey District; Section 2, Otiranui Block; and Sections 4b, 4E No. 4, Otiranui Block, Makotuku 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 October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off; the loan will bear interest at the rate of 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum, and it is proposed to pay out of the loan-moneys the first year's interest thereon and the cost of raising the loan.

I, John Punch, Acting-Chairman of the Waimarino County Council, do hereby certify that the above special order was duly made and passed at a special meeting of the Waimarino County Council held on the 23rd day of November, 1910, and duly confirmed at a special meeting of the Waimarino County Council held on the 6th day of January, 1911.

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

Dated this 6th day of January, 1911.

JOHN PUNCH,
Acting-Chairman.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Waimarino was hereunto affixed on the 6th day of January, 1911, in the presence of—

A. MABBOTT,
County Clerk.

[The foregoing special order is gazetted in substitution for that already gazetted on pages 1466/7 of the *New Zealand Gazette*, 1911.]

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

OROUA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, the Oroua County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,800, authorized to be raised by the Oroua County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for construction of Fitzherbert Road East and Gardiner's Road, the said Oroua County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 5/6 of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the special-rating area, comprising Sections 1/24, 26/34, and 43/7, Block III, Gorge 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 April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off. It is the intention of the Oroua County Council to pay out of the said loan the cost of raising same.

The above resolution was duly passed as a special order at a special meeting of the Oroua County Council held on the 4th day of August, 1911, and confirmed at a special meeting of the said Oroua County Council held on the 8th day of September, 1911.

W. G. PEARCE,
Chairman, Oroua County Council.

Certificate of the Mayor of the City of Dunedin.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 19th September, 1911.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

CERTIFICATE UNDER SECTION 11 OF THE SLAUGHTERING AND INSPECTION ACT, 1908.

I, WILLIAM BURNETT, Mayor of the City of Dunedin, in accordance with section 11 of the Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1908, hereby certify that the Council of the City of Dunedin, by special order passed at a special meeting of the said Council on the 26th July, 1911, and duly confirmed at an ordinary meeting on the 23rd August, 1911, hath duly authorized the raising of a loan of £10,000 as a special loan for the purpose of establishing an abattoir for the City of Dunedin, under section 5 of the Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1908.

WM. BURNETT,
Mayor.

Resolution made by the Council of the County of Whangamomona.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 15th September, 1911.

THE following resolution, made by the Whangamomona County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendment.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

WHANGAMOMONA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Resolution making Special Rate.—Upper Mangaehu Road Loan.—Additional Ten Per Centum.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, the Whangamomona County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £150 (being 10 per centum of the original loan of £1,500), authorized to be raised by the Whangamomona County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for felling, forming to dray-road width, bridging (exclusive of the Mangaehu Bridge), and culverting the Mangaehu Road from the end of the present dray-road formation in a continuously easterly direction towards the Kohi Road junction for as far as the money will allow of, the said Whangamomona County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 3d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property of the Upper Mangaehu No. 1 Special-rating area, comprising Section 9, Block X,

Mahoe Survey District; Sections 9, 8, and 1, Block XIV, Mahoe Survey District; part Subdivisions 15 (300 acres) and 16 (500 acres), Block XII, Ngatimaru Survey District; part Subdivisions 1A (500 acres) and 2 (3,000 acres), Block XIII, Mahoe Survey District; part Subdivision 13 (500 acres) and Subdivision 1C, Block XVI, Ngatimaru Survey District; Subdivision 17, Block IX, Mahoe Survey District; and Section 10, Block X, Mahoe Survey District: and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

W. A. McCUTCHAN,
Chairman.

The above resolution was passed at a special meeting of the Council held on the 22nd day of March, 1911, in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendment, and the Counties Act, 1908.

ALFRED COLEMAN,
County Clerk.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 15th September, 1911.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

PIAKO 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 within all that area of land known as the Waiwhero Drainage District, and as is more particularly shown on plan deposited in the Piako County Council Office at Te Aroha, was taken on the 19th day of August, 1911, on the proposal by the Piako County Council to borrow the sum of £1,500 for the purpose of drainage-works within the said area.

The number of votes recorded in favour of the proposal was 15. The number of votes recorded against the proposal was 27.

I therefore declare the proposal to be lost.
Dated at Te Aroha, this 19th day of August, 1911.

WILLIAM P. CHEPMELLE,
Chairman, Piako County Council.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

THE following notice, received from the Ohakune Town Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

OHAKUNE TOWN BOARD.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Ohakune Town District taken on the 7th day of September, 1911, on the proposal to borrow £650 for the purpose of municipal buildings, fire-brigade station and plant, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 122, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 46.

I therefore declare the proposal was carried.
Dated this 8th day of September, 1911.

T. H. KIELY,
Chairman, Ohakune Town Board.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

JOHNSONVILLE TOWN BOARD.

THE following is the result of a poll taken by the Johnsonville Town Board on Wednesday, the 13th day of September, 1911, upon a proposal to borrow the sum of £4,300 under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, for the purpose of installing a petrol-gas lighting system and the erection of Board offices, when the following votes were recorded, viz. :-

Lighting: For the proposal, 98; against, 21.
Offices: For the proposal, 86; against, 30; informal, 1.

As the total number of valid votes recorded in favour of each proposal exceeds three-fifths of the total number of valid votes recorded in respect of each issue at the poll, I therefore declare the proposals carried.

W. L. THOMPSON,
Chairman, Johnsonville Town Board.
Johnsonville, 14th September, 1911.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF INVERCARGILL.

In the matter of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and the amendments thereof; and in the matter of a special loan of £100,000 proposed to be raised by the Council of the Borough of Invercargill under the said Acts.

I HEREBY give notice that on the 14th day of September, 1911, a proposal was submitted by the above-mentioned Council to the ratepayers of the Borough of Invercargill for raising a special loan of £100,000 for and in connection with the constructing, providing, and establishing the public work and engaging in the undertaking and for the purpose mentioned and set forth in the said proposal, which proposal was published in the *Southland Daily News* newspaper of the 12th, 19th, and 26th days of August, 1911, and the 2nd day of September, 1911; and that the number of votes recorded respectively for and against the proposal was as follows: For the proposal, 596 votes; against the proposal, 891 votes; informal, 18 votes.

And I declare the said proposal to be rejected.
Dated the 15th day of September, 1911.

WILLIAM A. OTT,
Mayor of the Borough of Invercargill.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 20th September, 1911.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

HEATHCOTE COUNTY COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Riding of Hillsborough taken on the 7th day of September, 1911, on the proposal of the Heathcote County Council to borrow the sum of £7,618 for—

	£	s.	d.
Opawa Road: Widening, metalling, channeling, fencing, shifting house. and asphalt-ing	2,310	0	0
Grange Street: Channelling and asphalt-ing	389	0	0
Garland's Road: Widening, grading and metalling, channelling and asphalt-ing	625	0	0
Station Road: Widening one side, fencing and metalling, grading, channelling and asphalt-ing	470	0	0

Hill's Road: Levelling and widening 16 ft. 6 in. on north side, channelling and asphalt-ing one side only, and metalling	5 7 0
River Road: Widening, metalling, channel-ling, fencing, and asphaltting footway from Opawa Bridge to White's Road, including half-cost White's Road	2,246 0 0
Bishopworth Street: Channelling and asphalting footpaths	278 0 0
Braybourne Street: Channelling both sides, and asphaltting, and drain	360 0 0
Concrete outfall drain, 30 chains from Braybourne Street to Woolston Station, land and fencing	690 0 0
Engineering and first year's interest	250 0 0
	£7,618 0 0

the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 70, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 27. I therefore declare that the proposal was carried. Dated this 8th day of September, 1911.

G. SCOTT,
Chairman of County.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Eltham Road, Taranaki Road, in the Town of St. Heliers Extension No. 3, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

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 Eltham Road, Taranaki Road, in the Town of St. Heliers Extension No. 3, Auckland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Tenders for the Supply of Military Boots.

Defence Office,
Wellington, 18th September, 1911.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders for the supply of military boots, as required by the Defence Department during the period ending 31st March, 1913, is published for general information:—

Name of Tenderer.	Military Boots, per Pair (with One Pair Leather Laces).	Remarks.
M. O'Brien and Co. (Limited), Christchurch	£ s. d. 0 10 5½	Accepted.
Sargood, Son, and Ewen, Dunedin	0 12 11	
W. J. Staples and Co., Wellington	0 12 8	
R. Hannah and Co. (Limited), Wellington	0 14 9	
Egmont Boot and Shoe Company, New Plymouth	0 12 0	
Ross and Glendining (Limited), Dunedin	0 13 4	
Shelton, Frostick, and Co. (Limited), Christchurch	0 13 10½	
R. Walton, Auckland	0 12 9	
South Canterbury Shoe Company (Limited), Timaru	0 12 3	

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Notice to Mariners No. 113 of 1911.

HOKIANGA BAR.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 18th September, 1911.

THE Harbourmaster at Hokianga reports that the shallow spit to the south of main channel is working to the northward. Soundings taken by local steamers at the latter end of August and early in September show that the south channel has commenced to close up again, and the north channel is deepening and opening out as the main channel similar to last year. The latest soundings show

17 ft. L.W.S. with flagstaff bearing E. by N. to E. ¾ N., and only 13 ft. L.W.S. along the line of bearing of flag-staff E. by N. ½ N. where in July this line showed 17 ft. Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2525 and 1091A; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chap-ter viii, page 201.

J. A. MILLAR.

Notice to Mariners No. 114 of 1911.

HOKITIKA TRAINING-WALL LIGHTS.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 18th September, 1911.

THE Hokitika Harbour Board have notified that during the extension of the training-walls seaward a white anchor light will be shown from extreme end of the works in progress on each of the north and south walls. These lights will be in addition to the usual harbour lights.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Chart No. 2591; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter x, page 321.

J. A. MILLAR.

Notice to Mariners No. 115 of 1911.

WHANGAREI.—LIGHTS FOR LIFTING-SPAN ON BRIDGE AT KIOREROA.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 19th September, 1911.

THE Whangarei Harbour Board have notified that the following mentioned signals will be exhibited on each side of the opening span of the Kioreroa Railway-bridge from the second of next month:—

At night-time: A green light will be shown on each side of the opening span when waterway is clear. No lights when navigation is closed.
At daytime: A green disc when waterway is clear. No disc when waterway is closed.

Works affected: "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter iii, page 77.

J. A. MILLAR.

Notice to Mariners No. 116 of 1911.

NEW SOUTH WALES.—SHELL, ETC., PRACTICE NEAR SYDNEY HEADS.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 19th September, 1911.

THE Navigation Department at Sydney notifies that the military authorities have requested that attention be drawn to the fact that when a red flag is flying from any of the forts or rifle ranges visible at sea on the coast-line between North Head and Botany Bay it is an indication that shot-and-shell practice or rifle-firing seawards is taking place. Masters of all steamers and persons in charge of sailing-boats and craft of every description are warned that their vessels must be navigated at least three miles from the coast when a red flag is flying, and they should not remain anywhere in the vicinity of the targets.

J. A. MILLAR.

By-law under the Government Railways Act, 1908.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 10 of the Government Railways Act, 1908, I, John Andrew Millar, the Minister of Railways, do hereby make the following by-law; and declare that the said by-law shall come into force on the date of the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

BY-LAW.

EVERY person consigning goods for carriage upon a rail-way on behalf of two or more persons or firms shall make a separate consignment-note in respect of the goods of each of those persons or firms, and shall disclose on every such consignment-note the person or firm on whose behalf he so consigns the said goods.
Any person who commits a breach of this by-law shall be liable to a fine of ten pounds.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this four-teenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Railways.

Tenders.

Public Works Department,
Wellington, 16th September, 1911.

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

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

WAIU RIVER BRIDGE CONTRACT, TUATAPERE.

Accepted.

	£	s.	d.
Everett and Heffernan, Seatoun ...	3,844	1	0

Declined.

Hamlyn and Baird, East Invercargill ...	6,264	10	0
Lyders, P. A., Dunedin ...	6,370	0	0
Rhodes and Son, Dunedin ...	6,586	13	4
Walker, J., Invercargill ...	6,842	2	6

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block VI, Port Nicholson Survey District, for the Purposes of a Wireless-telegraph Station.

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 11 1 5.5	Tinakore South Block, City of Wellington	VI	Port Nicholson	P.W.D. 29793	Yellow.
0 3 27	Section 14, Orangikaupapa, City of Wellington	"	Ditto ..	Ditto	Green.

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

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

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block V, Tarawera Survey District, Rotorua County, for State Forest-plantation Purposes.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, and the Public Works Amendment Act, 1910, to take the land described in the Schedule hereto for State forest-plantation purposes. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Rotorua, 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 of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

The parcel of land required to be taken:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 542 1 0	Rotomahana-Parekarangi, Section 6s, Section 2B (16026, blue)	V	Tarawera	Edged pink.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 29127, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block X, Rotoma Survey District, for Scenery-preservation Purposes.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910, to take the land described in the Schedule hereto for scenery-preservation purposes. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Rotoiti, 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 of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Part of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 82 0 11	Taumanu Block (5624 and 5625, red)	X (15106, blue)	Rotoma	Yellow.
29 1 33	Rotoma Block (5625, red)		"	Green.

All in the Land District of Auckland; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 25273, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Public Works.

Examination-shed appointed.

CUSTOMS.—In exercise of the power in me for this purpose vested by the Customs Law Act, 1908, I, the Minister of Customs, do hereby appoint that the undermentioned building shall be a place where goods may be deposited for examination on the landing thereof, namely:—

Wharf Shed, Dunedin,

situated on Victoria Wharf, and marked "R."

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

R. McKENZIE,
Minister of Customs.

Minister's Order No. 970.]

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 19th August, 1911, and for the corresponding period, 1910:—

WHANGAREI-KAWAKAWA SECTION.

	1911.			1910.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	1,107	570	1,677	907	448	1,355
2nd Class	3,279	3,384	6,663	2,909	2,638	5,547
Total	4,386	3,954	8,340	3,816	3,086	6,902
Season Tickets			8			31
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			145			221
Horses			8			11
Carriages			2			1
Dogs			23			30
Total			178			263
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays			3			1
Cattle			50			24
Calves			..			..
Sheep			102			..
Pigs			..			..
Total			155			25
Chaff, Lime, &c.			Tons.			Tons.
Wool			30			60
Firewood			..			..
Timber			150			180
Grain			337			604
Merchandise			510			390
Minerals			568			465
Total			8,621			9,844
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			515 10 9			322 10 7
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			66 2 6			48 19 9
Goods			1,554 17 11			1,693 7 1
Miscellaneous			32 17 4			165 16 5
Rents and Commission			25 18 8			21 4 5
Total			£2,195 7 2			£2,251 18 3

KAIHU SECTION.

	1911.			1910.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	27	52	79	11	46	57
2nd Class	672	710	1,382	1,123	826	1,949
Total	699	762	1,461	1,134	872	2,006
Season Tickets			0			0
PARCELS, ETC.,—			No.			No.
Parcels			156			174
Horses			2			2
Carriages			1			1
Dogs			14			12
Total			173			189
GOODS,—			No.			No.
Drays			6			1
Cattle			8			4
Calves			..			..
Sheep			..			..
Pigs			..			..
Total			14			5
Chaff, Lime, &c.			Tons.			Tons.
Wool			..			6
Firewood			18			18
Timber			440			91
Grain			64			64
Merchandise			120			165
Minerals			..			6
Total			642			350
REVENUE,—			£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Passengers			80 9 3			93 10 1
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails			21 11 3			22 15 11
Goods			162 11 8			102 14 7
Miscellaneous			3 5 6			0 2 10
Rents and Commission			4 18 6			4 11 8
Total			£272 16 2			£223 15 1

GISBORNE SECTION.

	1911.			1910.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	360	381	741	367	344	711
2nd Class	2,256	1,492	3,748	2,173	1,522	3,695
Total	2,616	1,873	4,489	2,540	1,866	4,406
Season Tickets			95			9

GISBORNE SECTION—continued.

PARCELS, ETC.,—	1911.		1910.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.
Parcels	260	..	176	..
Horses	2	..	3	..
Carriages	..	..	1	..
Dogs	45	..	16	..
Total	307	..	196	..
GOODS,—	No.		No.	
Drays	..	..	3	..
Cattle	..	..	13	..
Calves	..	..	..	..
Sheep	..	..	73	..
Pigs	..	..	12	..
Total	179	..	101	..
Chaff, Lime, &c.	Tons.		Tons.	
Wool	..	..	96	..
Firewood	..	..	7	..
Timber	..	..	18	..
Grain	..	..	265	..
Merchandise	..	..	269	..
Minerals	..	..	255	..
Total	1,426	..	1,204	..
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Passengers	348	4 3	316	17 8
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	62	15 0	40	4 4
Goods	381	19 11	378	10 4
Miscellaneous	30	7 3	237	8 9
Rents and Commission	38	6 3	44	7 6
Total	£861	12 8	£1,017	8 7

NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

PASSENGERS,—	1911.			1910.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	18,120	37,282	55,402	16,491	36,152	52,643
2nd Class	106,711	215,956	322,667	102,799	218,146	320,945
Total	124,831	253,238	378,069	119,290	254,298	373,588
Season Tickets			10,873			10,064
PARCELS, ETC.,—	No.			No.		
Parcels	..	..	33,923	..	..	30,562
Horses	..	..	507	..	..	541
Carriages	..	..	80	..	..	75
Dogs	..	..	2,334	..	..	2,227
Total	..	..	36,844	..	..	33,405
GOODS,—	No.			No.		
Drays	..	..	97	..	..	103
Cattle	..	..	10,637	..	..	10,164
Calves	..	..	1,344	..	..	814
Sheep	..	..	77,755	..	..	72,962
Pigs	..	..	1,241	..	..	1,291
Total	..	..	91,074	..	..	85,334
Chaff, Lime, &c.	Tons.			Tons.		
Wool	..	..	4,892	..	..	5,022
Firewood	..	..	292	..	..	286
Timber	..	..	5,550	..	..	4,570
Grain	..	..	24,140	..	..	18,696
Merchandise	..	..	17,945	..	..	18,060
Minerals	..	..	20,056	..	..	18,241
Total	..	..	50,758	..	..	49,440
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
Passengers	49,548	3 9	46,839	7 8		
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	8,045	7 3	7,452	3 2		
Goods	64,634	3 8	57,743	16 10		
Miscellaneous	1,103	13 3	1,028	5 7		
Rents and Commission	2,610	11 3	1,865	18 10		
Total	£125,941	19 2	£114,929	12 1		

SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

PASSENGERS,—	1911.			1910.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	11,786	43,756	55,542	11,696	40,532	52,228
2nd Class	55,846	190,052	245,898	55,629	167,994	223,623
Total	67,632	233,808	301,440	67,325	208,526	275,851
Season Tickets			5,679			5,340
PARCELS, ETC.,—	No.			No.		
Parcels	..	..	35,692	..	..	35,299
Horses	..	..	621	..	..	526
Carriages	..	..	93	..	..	91
Dogs	..	..	1,348	..	..	1,261
Total	..	..	37,054	..	..	36,177

SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES—*ctd.*

	1911. No.	1910. No.
Goods,—		
Drays	66	56
Cattle	4,340	4,743
Calves	279	329
Sheep	80,454	73,382
Pigs	2,376	3,378
Total	87,515	81,888
	Tons.	Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c. ..	8,112	8,292
Wool	1,946	2,186
Firewood	2,364	2,640
Timber	17,167	14,168
Grain	42,806	48,593
Merchandise	31,733	28,238
Minerals	59,032	60,132
Total	163,160	164,249
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	31,898 12 1	28,643 19 7
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	5,583 5 0	5,977 16 11
Goods	53,348 18 3	52,255 7 4
Miscellaneous	1,963 10 7	1,801 10 2
Rents and Commission	2,221 19 1	1,455 11 4
Total	£95,016 5 0	£90,134 5 4

WESTLAND SECTION.

	1911.			1910.		
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	900	1,398	2,298	864	1,634	2,498
2nd Class	7,934	14,414	22,348	8,240	13,902	22,142
Total	8,834	15,812	24,646	9,104	15,536	24,640
Season Tickets	299					349
PARCELS, ETC.,—	No.			No.		
Parcels	1,949			1,873		
Horses	22			32		
Carriages	6			3		
Dogs	104			83		
Total	2,081			1,991		
GOODS,—	No.			No.		
Drays	1			5		
Cattle	131			133		
Calves	2					
Sheep	1,653			562		
Pigs						
Total	1,787			700		
Chaff, Lime, &c. ..	Tons.			Tons.		
Wool	138			168		
Firewood	4					
Timber	270			308		
Grain	13,517			9,496		
Merchandise	698			829		
Minerals	1,798			1,561		
	37,260			40,682		
Total	53,685			53,044		
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
Passengers	1,763 16 1			1,719 5 6		
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	344 3 8			348 0 6		
Goods	9,907 4 8			8,972 18 4		
Miscellaneous	368 6 9			347 12 9		
Rents and Commission	142 10 2			149 8 7		
Total	£12,526 1 4			£11,537 5 8		

WESTPORT SECTION.

	1911.			1910.		
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	45	208	253	55	218	273
2nd Class	2,146	5,936	8,082	2,099	4,972	7,071
Total	2,191	6,144	8,335	2,154	5,190	7,344
Season Tickets	64					72
PARCELS, ETC.,—	No.			No.		
Parcels	493			517		
Horses	1			5		
Carriages						
Dogs	30			16		
Total	524			538		
GOODS,—	No.			No.		
Drays	2			1		
Cattle	1			2		
Calves						
Sheep	50			40		
Pigs						
Total	53			43		

WESTPORT SECTION—*continued.*

	1911. Tons.	1910. Tons.
Goods— <i>continued.</i>		
Chaff, Lime, &c. ..	36	48
Wool		
Firewood	670	576
Timber	261	266
Grain	286	255
Merchandise	487	579
Minerals	68,648	64,330
Total	70,388	66,054
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	522 16 7	473 6 6
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	66 14 0	74 2 1
Goods	9,003 9 6	8,316 4 9
Miscellaneous	534 17 6	506 10 8
Rents and Commission	36 4 7	33 9 1
Total	£10,164 2 2	£9,403 13 1

NELSON SECTION.

	1911.			1910.		
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	126	254	380	149	324	473
2nd Class	2,412	3,386	5,798	2,421	3,568	5,989
Total	2,538	3,640	6,178	2,570	3,892	6,462
Season Tickets	209					205
PARCELS, ETC.,—	No.			No.		
Parcels	386			396		
Horses				2		
Carriages				2		
Dogs	23			24		
Total	409			424		
GOODS,—	No.			No.		
Drays	2			2		
Cattle	9			5		
Calves				3		
Sheep	413			135		
Pigs						
Total	424			145		
Chaff, Lime, &c. ..	Tons.			Tons.		
Wool	120			222		
Firewood	4			3		
Timber	138			186		
Grain	197			293		
Merchandise	464			808		
Minerals	252			252		
	1,086			688		
Total	2,261			2,452		
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.			£ s. d.		
Passengers	512 5 10			526 17 2		
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	83 6 0			86 6 4		
Goods	1,186 9 8			925 19 11		
Miscellaneous	114 4 8			54 19 1		
Rents and Commission	68 2 0			86 15 8		
Total	£1,964 8 2			£1,680 18 2		

PICTON SECTION.

	1911.			1910.		
PASSENGERS,—	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	376	1,252	1,628	474	1,346	1,820
2nd Class	1,475	3,542	5,017	1,727	4,408	6,135
Total	1,851	4,794	6,645	2,201	5,754	7,955
Season Tickets	42					42
PARCELS, ETC.,—	No.			No.		
Parcels	199			198		
Horses	6			9		
Carriages				1		
Dogs	46			71		
Total	251			279		
GOODS,—	No.			No.		
Drays	2			4		
Cattle	13			10		
Calves				1		
Sheep	529			752		
Pigs	26					
Total	570			767		
Chaff, Lime, &c. ..	Tons.			Tons.		
Wool	312			996		
Firewood	15			12		
Timber	90			255		
Grain	119			216		
Merchandise	842			519		
Minerals	321			376		
	604			825		
Total	2,303			3,202		

PICTON SECTION—continued.

REVENUE,—	1911.			1910.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers ..	497	13	7	535	8	2
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	77	10	8	64	7	6
Goods ..	714	3	7	792	9	3
Miscellaneous ..	55	14	0	118	0	6
Rents and Commission	51	18	9	43	2	11
Total	£1,397	0	7	£1,553	8	4

LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.

PASSENGERS,—	1911.			1910.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	71	78	149	96	60	156
2nd Class	166	272	458	161	108	269
Total	257	350	607	257	168	425
Season Tickets ..			0			0
PARCELS, ETC.,—	1911.			1910.		
	No.			No.		
Parcels ..			329			412
Horses ..			6			7
Carriages ..			2			3
Dogs ..			13			7
Total			350			429

LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS—continued.

Goods,—	1911.		1910.			
	No.		No.			
Drays ..	1					
Cattle ..	3		8			
Calves ..						
Sheep ..	109					
Pigs ..						
Total	113		8			
Chaff, Lime, &c.	Tons.		Tons.			
Wool ..	192		12			
Firewood ..	10		6			
Timber ..						
Grain ..	31		18			
Merchandise ..	304		76			
Minerals ..	134		91			
	123		99			
Total	794		302			
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.		£ s. d.			
Passengers ..	166	17	5	65	13	9
Parcels, Luggage, & Mails	59	11	0	62	12	3
Goods ..	269	9	9	112	13	11
Miscellaneous ..	0	1	5	0	0	9
Rents and Commission						
Total	£495	16	9	£241	0	8

Railway Department, 19th September, 1911.

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N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1911-12.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 19th August, 1911.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		FOR A TWELVE-MONTHLY PERIOD, AVERAGE TO DATE.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
							£ s. d.	£ s. d.
NORTH ISLAND.—								
Whangarei-Kawakawa	56	2,195 7 2	12,387 17 2	1,874 7 8	9,411 6 8	75.97	597 11 2	454 1 7
Kaihu ..	17	272 16 2	1,427 11 0	366 0 9	1,900 5 1	133.11	218 6 7	290 12 6
Gisborne ..	23	861 12 8	4,942 17 1	412 2 2	3,332 10 1	67.42	558 15 2	376 14 4
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,075	125,941 19 2	665,605 19 9	89,127 7 1	439,332 7 1	66.00	1,609 16 9	1,062 11 5
Total	1,171	129,271 15 2	634,364 5 0	91,779 17 8	453,976 8 11	66.34		
SOUTH ISLAND.—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,349	95,016 5 0	546,610 12 0	76,144 12 10	363,014 10 10	66.41	1,053 10 3	699 13 2
Westland ..	141	12,526 1 4	60,536 0 0	6,983 4 9	31,843 2 0	52.60	1,116 5 4	587 3 6
Westport ..	31	10,164 2 2	44,843 17 7	4,207 7 1	20,550 15 8	45.83	3,761 2 0	1,723 12 3
Nelson ..	48	1,964 8 2	9,169 11 10	1,595 8 11	7,776 18 6	84.81	496 13 9	421 5 0
Picton ..	48	1,379 0 7	9,832 6 7	2,196 2 8	9,346 12 8	95.06	548 11 8	521 9 9
Lake Wakatipu Steamers		495 16 9	2,194 8 7	319 15 4	1,698 9 4	77.40		
Total	1,617	121,563 14 0	673,186 16 7	91,446 11 7	434,230 9 0	64.50		
Grand total ..	2,788	250,835 9 2	1,357,551 1 7	183,226 9 3	888,206 17 11	65.43		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	REVENUE.		EXPENDITURE.		Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
NORTH ISLAND.—								
Whangarei-Kawakawa	35	2,251 18 3	11,380 8 4	1,427 7 2	7,222 8 0	63.46	865 3 6	549 1 5
Kaihu ..	17	223 15 1	1,415 19 8	386 10 6	1,724 4 1	121.77	216 13 0	263 14 0
Gisborne ..	23	1,017 8 7	4,206 3 11	841 4 5	5,575 17 0	132.56	475 9 8	630 6 3
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,075	114,929 12 1	613,696 11 9	73,630 16 6	413,694 4 0	67.41	1,491 5 11	1,005 5 8
Total	1,150	118,422 14 0	630,699 3 8	76,235 18 7	428,216 13 1	67.90		
SOUTH ISLAND.—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,323	90,134 5 4	523,765 1 1	70,734 16 1	368,120 9 6	70.28	1,029 6 5	723 8 10
Westland ..	141	11,537 5 8	54,378 3 0	5,582 13 4	31,144 1 6	57.27	1,021 3 9	594 17 3
Westport ..	31	9,403 13 1	48,788 2 0	4,011 0 3	21,284 13 6	43.63	4,091 18 2	1,785 3 4
Nelson ..	48	1,680 18 2	8,908 8 5	1,102 1 11	7,470 2 3	83.85	482 10 10	404 12 7
Picton ..	34	1,553 8 4	9,860 8 5	1,357 6 4	9,669 19 9	93.07	754 0 8	739 9 5
Lake Wakatipu Steamers		241 0 8	1,949 10 10	369 9 4	1,634 18 9	83.86		
Total	1,577	114,550 11 3	647,649 13 9	83,157 7 3	439,324 5 3	67.83		
Grand total ..	2,727	232,973 5 3	1,278,348 17 5	159,393 5 10	807,540 18 4	67.86		

Railway Department, 19th September, 1911.

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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of TRAFFIC on ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1911, to 19th August, 1911.

All Sections.	Passengers.						Season Tickets.	Number.						Number.					
	First Class.		Second Class.		Total.	Total.		Parcels.	Horses.	Carriages.	Dogs.	Total.	Drays, &c.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.	
	S.	R.	S.	R.															
1911	167,397	490,447	924,985	2,544,594	4,127,423	92,387	409,674	6,662	925	24,419	441,680	1020	69,139	9,265	2,008,122	50,943	2,138,469		
1910	163,174	433,002	928,166	2,203,862	3,728,204	85,596	393,735	6,037	905	22,149	422,826	817	75,807	7,268	2,196,712	59,586	2,340,190		
Inc.	4,223	57,445	..	340,732	399,219	6,791	15,939	625	20	2,270	18,854	203	..	1,997	..	..	..
Dec.	..	..	3,181	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,668	..	188,590	8,643	201,701

All Sections.	Tons.															
	Chaff, Lime, &c.		Wool.		Firewood.		Timber.		Grain.		Merchandise.		Minerals.		Total.	
	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.	Tons	c. qr.
1911 ..	86,390	0 0	22,135	12 0	48,624	0 0	277,760	13 0	393,512	3 0	315,620	13 0	1,060,075	19 0	2,204,119	0 0
1910 ..	88,128	0 0	22,165	12 0	46,860	0 0	227,945	5 0	413,011	0 0	318,697	0 0	1,115,864	8 0	2,232,671	5 0
Increase ..	..	..	..	..	1,764	0 0	49,815	8 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Decrease ..	1,738	0 0	30	0 0	..	..	..	..	19,498	17 0	3,076	7 0	55,788	9 0	23,552	5 0

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION of RAILWAYS, ROLLING-STOCK, &c., to 31st March, 1911, as furnished by Public Works Department and by Greymouth and Westport Harbour Boards respectively.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.			Cost of Unopened Lines.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Kawakawa	93	290	0 0	105	321	0 0
Whangarei	223	998	0 0	141	432	0 0
Kaihu	67	918	0 0	2	327	0 0
Gisborne	197	322	0 0	181	346	0 0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	12,903	629	0 0	312	458	0 0
South Island Main Lines and Branches	13,045	004	0 0	276	835	0 0
Westland	1,694	783	0 0	440	024	0 0
Westport	518	014	0 0	76	758	0 0
Nelson	404	030	0 0	87	923	0 0
Picton	390	032	0 0	149	819	0 0
Lake Wakatipu Steamer Service	16	436	0 0	..	..	..
In Suspense—	..	..	..	..	..	..
Surveys, North Island .. .. .	..	..	..	32	424	0 0
Miscellaneous, North Island .. .. .	..	..	..	5	169	0 0
Surveys, South Island .. .. .	..	..	..	8	472	0 0
Miscellaneous, South Island .. .. .	..	..	..	5	168	0 0
P.W.D. Stock of Permanent-way .. .. .	..	..	..	77	938	0 0
W.R.D. Stock of A.O.L. Stores	27	090	0 0	..	..	..
W.R.D. Deposit Account for Permanent-way Material	25	000	0 0
Totals	£29,606,546	0 0	0 0	£1,903,414	0 0	0 0

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Railway Department, 19th September, 1911.

Government Meteorological Observatory.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the Month of August, 1911. Observations taken at 9 a.m.

Altitude of observatory, 110 ft.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected, in Inches.	From Self-registering Instruments, for Twenty-four Hours previously.					Solar Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation.	Veloc. Wind in Miles.	Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.	Direction of Wind.	Rainfall, in Points (100 to 1 inch).
		Max. Temp. in Shade.	Min. Temp. in Shade.	Mean. Temp. in Shade.	Fah.	Fah.						
1	30-059	56-0	45-2	50-6	91	45	214	4	N.	1		
2	29-930	57-2	46-4	51-8	94	39	196	6	N.	12		
3	30-069	56-4	45-0	50-7	94	38	209	1	N.	9		
4	30-369	55-8	45-4	50-6	91	42	303	8	S.	..		
5	30-462	52-0	39-2	45-6	90	32	102	5	N.	..		
6	30-552	55-0	39-0	47-0	94	32	28	8	Calm	..		
7	30-609	54-8	41-2	48-0	93	35	110	4	S.	7		
8	30-539	52-8	46-2	49-5	88	43	498	8	S.	50		
9	30-369	49-2	41-0	45-1	68	35	268	1	N.E.	1		
10	30-033	51-2	44-8	48-0	88	38	272	8	S.	1		
11	29-939	49-0	36-6	42-8	80	29	244	2	N.	..		
12	29-929	52-2	37-0	44-6	92	29	124	1	N.E.	..		
13	29-910	55-0	38-2	46-6	90	30	88	5	N.	..		
14	29-959	54-8	45-8	50-3	89	40	226	8	N.	6		
15	30-091	54-6	49-0	51-8	92	47	362	6	N.	..		
16	30-063	58-8	51-0	54-9	90	49	346	10	N.	4		
17	29-983	61-2	53-2	57-2	99	51	403	8	N.	23		
18	29-883	55-8	49-0	52-4	81	43	100	6	N.E.	..		
19	29-939	59-8	40-8	50-3	96	33	101	3	N.E.	..		
20	29-902	57-4	39-2	48-3	98	31	120	3	N.E.	1		
21	30-059	55-8	42-8	49-3	99	39	322	4	S.	..		
22	29-883	54-2	43-4	48-8	97	37	136	7	N.	..		
23	29-859	55-6	41-2	48-4	95	32	193	2	N.E.	..		
24	30-009	58-0	42-0	50-0	96	32	161	7	S.	..		
25	30-099	52-8	44-0	48-4	98	38	294	7	S.	1		
26	30-059	51-2	42-8	47-0	95	38	300	7	S.	1		
27	29-811	51-2	44-8	48-0	84	40	241	10	S.E.	19		
28	29-799	48-8	45-4	47-1	62	43	410	7	S.	..		
29	30-079	50-2	40-2	45-2	99	32	266	4	N.E.	..		
30	30-022	53-8	47-6	50-7	96	47	349	5	N.W.	..		
31	30-029	57-8	53-2	55-5	96	50	527	8	N.W.	..		
*	30-074	54-4	43-9	49-2	90-8	38-3	242	5-6	..	136		
†	29-944	..	..	48-4	..	..	†469	..	..	†475

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

DIRECTION OF WIND.

N.	N.E.	E.	S.E.	S.	S.W.	W.	N.W.	Calm.
11	7	..	1	9	..	..	2	1

NOTE.—The weather during the month has been bright and sunny, while the rainfall was considerably below the average for August. Total bright sunshine, 170 hours 23 minutes, and three sunless days. Frosts occurred on nine mornings. The mean earth-temperature at 1 ft. was 49-3°, and 50-4° at 3 ft. Mean dew-point, 37-4°; mean elastic force of vapour, 0-224 in.; and mean relative humidity, 64 per cent.

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE.

MEANS AND TOTALS FROM THE CHIEF STATIONS.

August, 1911.

Ft.	Name of Station and Observer.	Absolute Mean Temp. Air in Shade.	Extremes.		Total Rainfall (100 Points to the inch).	Days with Rain (4 Point or more).
			Mean Max. Temp.	Mean Min. Temp.		
NORTH ISLAND.						
125	AUCKLAND .. T. F. Cheeseman	Deg. 52-4	Deg. 58-6	Deg. 46-3	Points. 323	Dys. 20
..	TE AROHA .. G. F. McGirr	51-8	60-0	43-6	280	10
925	ROTORUA .. J. F. Robieson	47-5	57-9	37-1	292	10
370	WAIHI .. H. B. Devereux	47-5	59-1	35-9	927	20
130	RUAKURA .. C. Cussen	46-9	58-6	35-2	238	9
63	NEW PLYMOUTH .. W. D. Fletcher	54-7	65-0	44-4	147	12
250	MOUMAHAKI ..	49-2	56-2	42-2	192	20
2080	TAIHAPE .. A. R. Fannin	43-5	50-0	36-9	102	15
..	PALMERSTON NORTH J. E. Vernon	48-3	56-7	40-0	242	11
119	LRVIN .. James Allan	49-1	59-4	38-8	166	13
377	MASTERTON .. Rev. A. Hodge	46-9	57-7	36-2	140	9
..	GISBORNE .. C. H. Ferris	50-2	58-9	41-6	349	15
14	GRENMEADOWS, NAPIER .. Very Rev. Dean Smyth	48-7	56-7	40-8	314	8
110	WELLINGTON .. F. W. Simms	49-2	54-4	43-9	136	14
Averages ..		49-0	57-8	40-2	275	13-3
SOUTH ISLAND.						
34	NELSON .. J. Sharp and Rev. J. P. Kempthorne	Deg. 48-7	Deg. 57-1	Deg. 40-3	Points. 166	Dys. 8
1218	HANMER SPA .. Dr. J. C. Duncan	..	53-1	*	60	7
25	CHRISTCHURCH .. H. F. Skey	44-8	54-1	35-4	8	4
42	LINCOLN .. G. Gray	47-5	56-3	38-6	46	5
130	TIMARU .. Caretaker of Domain	44-9	54-7	35-1	25	4
90	WAIMATE .. W. M. Hamilton	44-8	54-1	35-5	56	13
300	LEITH VALLEY, DUNEDIN .. H. Skey	45-8	52-7	38-8	71	5
350	GORE .. Captain A. A. Scott	44-4	53-1	35-7	173	13
12	HOKITIKA .. A. D. Macfarlane	47-3	57-9	36-7	566	12
18	INVERCARGILL .. L. Lennie	46-1	53-5	38-8	337	19
Averages ..		46-0	54-6	37-2	150	8

* Thermometer out of order.

AVERAGES DERIVED FROM THE MONTHLY CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLES FROM AUGUST, 1904, TO DECEMBER, 1910 (INCLUSIVE).

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Averages.
NORTH ISLAND—													
Mean temperature ..	63-6	64-0	62-3	57-3	53-4	49-8	48-3	49-0	51-8	54-9	58-4	61-6	Annual. 56-2° F.
Rainfall, in points (100 = 1 in.)	392	299	550	362	496	461	600	452	423	460	328	358	51-81 in.
Days with rain ..	10-5	8-0	12-4	12-6	14-8	15-8	17-8	14-4	16-3	16-0	12-5	12-1	163 days.
SOUTH ISLAND—													
Mean temperature ..	59-9	60-9	58-7	52-6	48-9	44-5	42-3	44-5	48-7	52-2	55-8	59-0	52-3° F.
Rainfall, in points (100 = 1 in.)	392	239	448	336	368	452	418	379	433	435	297	391	45-88 in.
Days with rain ..	12-5	7-4	12-6	12-3	12-1	13-7	14-0	14-2	15-5	15-9	12-6	13-6	156 days.

NEW ZEALAND RAINFALL FOR AUGUST, 1911.

Station.	Observer.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.	Maximum Fall, and Date.
NORTH ISLAND.				
(A.) NORTH-EAST ASPECT—NORTH CAPE TO EAST CAPE.				
Mangonui	A. C. Ballance	220	4	125 on 15th
Pakarakā, Ohāeawai	H. S. Ludbrook	297	14	100 on 16th
Waimate-nui	J. H. Orr	349	18	89 on 16th
Mount Eden, Auckland	C. Cooper	332	19	100 on 16th
Cuvier Island	Lightkeeper	336	7	100 on 15th and 26th
Turua, Thames	R. W. Bagnall	243	11	49 on 23th
Karaka	H. E. Glasson	256	24	53 on 16th
Sea View, Waihi	D. J. Durie .. .. .	..	..	..
Whakarewarewa, Rotorua	H. A. Goudie	321	10	92 on 17th
Waimangu	R. H. Ingle	146	8	33 on 16th
Waiotapu	W. T. Leggett	278	8	170 on 17th
Tauranga	C. J. Butcher	226	12	51 on 17th
Athenree, Tauranga	Rev. W. Salter	460	11	85 on 26th
Tangihanga, Te Araroa	G. W. Heald	810	12	337 on 27th
Raukokore, Thames	H. Allison	390	5	120 on 19th
(B.) NORTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE MARIA VAN DIEMAN TO CAPE EGMONT.				
Kaitiā	W. G. Puckey	220	8	91 on 15th
Wekaweka	E. J. Hawkings	454	25	79 on 16th
Rangiahua, Hokianga Harbour	W. R. Coxhead	292	22	61 on 15th
Kohukohu ^(a)	A. C. Yarborough	263	19	52 on 16th
Whangarei	R. Mair	897	17	413 on 25th
Pūhipūhi Plantation, Whakapara, Whangarei	R. Anderson	733	10.	270 on 24th
Whangarei Heads	F. McKenzie	537	6	200 on 17th
Helensville	A. J. Hill	342	15	180 on 16th
Onehunga	C. A. Senior	285	13	62 on 16th
Waiuku, Auckland	J. E. McGill	530	19	211 on 16th
Kawhia	J. K. Newton	257	12	82 on 16th
Taupo	Rev. H. J. Fletcher	224	8	80 on 17th
Waitomo Caves	C. Johnston	476	14	170 on 16th
Te Kuiti	T. E. Foy	413	13	165 on 17th
Hamilton, Waikato	Dr. H. Douglas	303	20	132 on 16th
State Farm, Waerenga	G. Mills	192	9	64 on 16th
Glen Murray	P. G. Arnaboldi	348	20	92 on 16th
Kaitieke, Raurimu	H. C. Wedde	293	12	112 on 17th
Mangaotaki (550 ft.)	M. M. L. Symonds	485	16	136 on 16th
Paekaha, Paemako	N. A. Robison	377	15	147 on 16th
Paparāhia, Awakino	J. E. C. Harrison	305	7	120 on 17th
Ngārimaru, Tarata	R. Drummond	390	8	135 on 1st
Riversdale, Inglewood (817 ft.)	Miss N. Trimble	332	16	87 on 16th
Inglewood	D. Gault, M.D.	357	12	98 on 1st
Upper Mangorei (1,000 ft.)	Mrs. J. Brown	425	21	97 on 16th
(C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGMONT TO CAPE PALLISER.				
Mountain-house, North Mount Egmont (3,140 ft.)	T. R. Ryan .. .. .	..	..	..
Opunake	A. H. Moore	105	15	22 on 1st
Eltham	L. N. Fairhall	196	14	43 on 17th
Stratford (1,020 ft.)	T. H. Penn	272	14	95 on 1st
Ohawe, Hawera	Guy Livingston	122	9	35 on 18th
Patea	H. E. Adams .. .. .	..	..	..
Oruamatua, Moawhango	R. M. Williamson	173	10	54 on 17th
Taumatātahi, Upper Waitotara	E. F. Liffitt	413	10	180 on 17th
Whangāmōmana	R. Faulkner	500	12	160 on 16th
Manunui	W. M. C. Wilson	162	9	41 on 11th
Raurimu (1,920 ft.)	E. Gould	347	11	108 on 17th
Arranmore, Makirikiri	H. A. Lambert .. .. .	..	..	..
Ohakune	Mrs. W. Seth-Smith	206	12	79 on 17th
Karioi	M. Lamont, M.D.	232	13	60 on 23rd
Waiouru	A. Peters	144	10	44 on 17th
Marybank, Wanganui	R. Hughes	126	6	72 on 17th
Plymouth Street, Wanganui	John T. Stewart, C.E.	113	8	65 on 17th
Newton Lees, Kaitoke, Wanganui	H. A. Lambert	131	8	64 on 17th
Wanganui	M. C. Coriiss	126	7	64 on 17th
Ruanui	E. Norris-Borlase	160	11	50 on 18th
Dalvey, Turakina	H. Y. Lethbridge	115	10	59 on 17th
Erehwon Station, Moawhango	Reg. G. Hustwick	139	12	35 on 17th
Hunterville	S. A. R. Mair	149	13	73 on 17th
Awakīta, Hunterville (1,451 ft.)	P. R. Earle	123	12	58 on 17th
Waituna West, Feilding	J. Guylee	119	10	63 on 17th
Thoresby, Marton	W. J. Birch	125	9	71 on 17th
Halcombe ^(b)	L. A. MacDonald .. .. .	..	..	..
Waitatapia, Bull's	K. W. Dalrymple	131	9	67 on 17th
Glen Oroua ^(c)	J. Sanson .. .. .	..	..	..
Feilding	C. J. Hill	177	14	83 on 17th
Fitzherbert West, Palmerston North	C. J. Monro	180	13	83 on 17th
Otaki	W. Burns-Smith	135	12	55 on 17th
Kapiti Island	R. Henry	106	12	42 on 17th
Waikanae	S. Duncan	128	12	56 on 17th
Pahautanui	J. Pearce	143	14	38 on 17th
Opau, North Makara	W. H. Wallace	158	11	55 on 8th
Late returns—				
(a) Kohukohu, July	A. C. Yarborough	316	23	48 on 27th
(b) Halcombe, June	L. A. MacDonald	305	12	72 on 18th
July .. .. .	.. .. .	440	7	240 on 20th
(c) Glen Oroua, July	J. Sanson	501	8	171 on 9th

New Zealand Rainfall for August, 1911—continued.

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NORTH ISLAND—continued.				
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER.				
Waitakaro	C. Mahoney	524	14	309 on 26th
Tologa Bay	W. E. Holder	414	15	210 on 26th
Kaharoa, Waimata Valley	F. M. Twishton	416	13	184 on 26th
Glenburn, Motu	Miss L. Petherbridge .. .. .	..	..	..
Waihau, Gisborne (Rototahi)	W. L. Oates	424	13	172 on 26th
Waitahōata, Whataatutu	E. V. Palmer	272	15	86 on 26th
Patutahi, Gisborne	J. C. Woodward	223	12	100 on 26th
Strathblane, Hangaroa (a)	J. B. Graham .. .. .	..	..	..
Tahora, Gisborne	Vernon Mitford	367	16	99 on 26th
Waihua, Wairoa	E. G. Richardson .. .. .	..	..	..
Tarawera	R. Cropp	267	10	117 on 17th
Tutira Lake	H. Guthrie-Smith	535	11	251 on 27th
Eskdale, Hedgeley	Thomas Clark	366	12	226 on 26th
Riverbank, Rissington, Napier	J. Moore	382	10	192 on 26th
Napier (b)	L. Azzopardi .. .. .	..	..	..
Okawa, Hawke's Bay	T. H. Lowry	241	11	90 on 26th
Whanawhana, Hastings	G. R. Beamish	179	11	94 on 26th
Waerengaahika	M. W. Butterfield	263	5	110 on 26th
Maraekakaho, Hastings	A. Lockie	178	11	63 on 26th
Poukawa	A. M. Smith	164	6	56 on 16th
Pukehou, Te Aute	S. B. Ludbrook	203	10	62 on 27th
Gwavas, Tikokino	H. Irwin	224	13	115 on 27th
Aramoana, Waipawa	J. G. Speedy	435	10	208 on 28th
Rangitapu, Waipawa	G. C. Williams	696	12	407 on 27th
Mount Vernon, Waipawa	J. W. Harding	164	13	35 on 28th
Waimarama, Hawke's Bay	Miss Meinertzhagen	537	10	222 on 27th
Mangakuri	J. Miller	497	9	277 on 27th
Waipukurau	C. J. Cooke	141	10	43 on 27th
Motuotaraia, Wanstead	Melville Johnstone	233	9	116 on 27th
Makaretu	C. Lewis	319	11	84 on 27th
Oruawharo, Takapau	J. W. Leithead	181	12	74 on 27th
Ormondville	F. B. Curd	188	5	92 on 27th
Dannevirke	G. Harvey .. .. .	..	..	..
Oporae, Waipatiki (c)	E. J. Herrick .. .. .	..	..	..
Porangahau	Rev. F. E. Telling-Simcox	396	6	207 on 28th
Pourerere	Mrs. E. Nairn	575	13	275 on 27th
Woodbank, Wimbledon	W. H. Speedy	329	15	155 on 27th
Pine Grove, Dannevirke	Dr. J. E. Riddell	337	13	137 on 28th
Mokia, Woodville	C. Nicholson	127	11	27 on 17th
Mangatainoka	Edwin Ashby	148	15	44 on 17th
Pahiatua	W. Posswill	146	11	43 on 18th
Easry, Tane	F. White	138	10	49 on 17th
Tawataia, Eketahuna	T. H. Groves	143	10	46 on 17th
Eketahuna	J. T. Quinn	254	11	63 on 17th
Castlepoint	A. B. Nicholls	139	9	39 on 27th
Annedale, Te Nui	H. A. Nevins	248	10	102 on 27th
Ditton, Masterton	S. Mawley	216	13	66 on 27th
Bush Grove, Masterton	H. G. Groves	225	13	68 on 27th
Hikurangi College, Clarendon	Rev. H. T. Stealey	170	12	37 on 17th
Waihakeke, Carterton	A. Peters	158	10	43 on 17th
Martinborough	J. K. Edie	109	6	50 on 17th
Featherston	D. MacDonald	200	13	36 on 7th
Summit	W. C. Gibson .. .. .	..	..	..
Waiwetū	H. M. Hayward	171	11	45 on 7th
Wainuiomata Reservoir	H. D. Drummond	402	15	87 on 8th
Bonnie Glen, Upper Hutt	A. J. McCurdy .. .. .	..	..	..
Lower Hutt	Miss H. M. Heaton	170	13	45 on 17th
Karori Reservoir	E. K. Robinson	227	12	85 on 8th
SOUTH ISLAND.				
(E.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO KAIKOURA.				
Parapara	J. Bassett	380	12	158 on 1st
Motueka	G. S. Huffam	285	12	81 on 1st
Manu	W. Hall-Jones	311	12	75 on 15th
Stanley Brook, Nelson	A. W. Fugle	268	10	86 on 2nd
Tapawera, Nelson	Dr. Hudson	199	9	41 on 1st
Waterworks, Nelson	J. E. Stone	164	5	54 on 1st
Nelson North	N. A. McLaren	164	7	79 on 1st
Stephen Island	Lightkeeper	114	5	40 on 16th
The Brothers (d) .. .. .	.. .. .	..	..	..
Cape Campbell .. .. .	.. .. .	87	6	29 on 27th
Picton	G. C. Edwards	320	9	155 on 27th
Manaroa, Pelorus Sound	Mrs. M. C. Masefield	259	8	94 on 17th
Meadowbank, Blenheim	T. G. Hogg	79	7	41 on 15th
Ugbrooke, Blenheim	H. D. Vavasour	62	10	18 on 27th
Robin Hood Bay	E. M. Stace	239	9	57 on 16th
Lytton Downs, Kaikoura	T. Harrison	62	6	29 on 8th
Timara Station, Renwicktown	R. F. Goulter	90	7	49 on 16th
Spring Creek, Blenheim	T. C. Prichard	95	8	30 on 16th
Avondale Station, Blenheim	C. G. Teschemaker-Shute	152	5	52 on 16th
Langridge Station, Upper Awatere	G. Shipley	32	2	21 on 16th
(F.) WEST ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO PUYSEGUR POINT.				
Farewell Spit	Lightkeeper	179	6	80 on 2nd
Pakawan	T. C. V. Field	735	13	410 on 3rd
Karamea, Westport	E. J. Gilmor	257	15	51 on 2nd
Denniston	F. Vurlov .. .. .	..	..	..
Inangahua Junction	V. W. Alborn	333	9	94 on 17th
Westport	M. Furneaux	436	19	110 on 16th
Reefton (643 ft.)	J. F. McPadden	347	11	104 on 16th
Greymouth	J. Connor	550	15	165 on 16th
Otira (1,255 ft.)	J. Manson	923	10	350 on 30th
Ross, Westland	W. Winchester	563	13	186 on 15th
Okura	J. Cuttance	739	11	195 on 1st
Puysegur Point (e)	Lightkeeper	1702	26	477 on 15th
Late returns—				
(a) Strathblane, Hangaroa, July	J. B. Graham	341	15	70 on 22nd
(b) Napier, July	L. Azzopardi	452	18	57 on 22nd
(c) Oporae, Waipatiki, July	E. J. Herrick	795	13	157 on 10th
(d) The Brothers, July	Lightkeeper	688	12	150 on 24th
(e) Puysegur Point, July	1259	21	220 on 7th

New Zealand Rainfall for August, 1911—continued.

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SOUTH ISLAND—continued.				
(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS.				
Hanmer Springs Nursery	W. A. Morrison	40	3	28 on 9th
Highfield, Amuri	F. S. Northcote	41	4	22 on 8th
Mackenzie, Cheviot	A. C. Bellwood	67	7	18 on 3rd
Waikari	C. Blake .. .. .	..	..	..
Oxford East	R. H. Gainsford	49	5	26 on 2nd
Amberley	G. Lewton	27	2	15 on 20th
Singletree, Alford Forest	R. A. Grigg .. .. .	..	..	..
Mount Somers	Rev. P. H. Pritchett	69	5	30 on 3rd
Bealey	F. S. Schaab	195	7	65 on 30th
Bealey Flat	A. F. Roberts	756	13	345 on 31st
Port Hills, Rhodes Convalescent Home	The Matron (Miss Wood)	7	1	7 on 8th
Ngapua, Cashmere Hills	W. Guise Brittan	12	3	5 on 7th
Rangiora	Thomas Keir	6	1	6 on 21st
Otahuna, Tai Tapu	R. H. Rhodes, M.P.	36	5	21 on 3rd
Hororata (a)	G. Hall	37	3	27 on 2nd
Akaroa (b)	Miss M. Jacobson	51	4	17 on 11th
Southbridge	J. McMillan	19	3	13 on 3rd
Mount Torlesse, Springfield	P. H. Johnson	25	5	10 on 9th
Methven	J. Carr	53	4	20 on 3rd
Glenthorpe Station	K. Murchison	158	5	77 on 31st
Lake Coleridge	G. S. Boyle	47	3	From 12th only
Rakaia	Rev. H. H. Mathias	51	5	30 on 2nd
Kyle	J. Lambie	15	3	9 on 4th
Winchmore, Ashburton	A. Curtis	76	3	39 on 2nd
Porateko, Mayfield	Mrs. W. G. Gallagher .. .. .	..	..	..
Ashburton	J. Readhead .. .. .	..	..	..
Windermere	J. W. Dell	67	6	45 on 3rd
Mount Peel, Rangitata	Mrs. Livingstone	77	4	33 on 16th
Peel Forest	W. E. Barker	76	4	25 on 3rd
Huntsam, Peel Forest	C. A. Dunn	58	4	23 on 16th
Kapunatiki, Rangitata	L. J. Grant	15	3	8 on 16th
The Heights, Geraldine	W. M. Moore	35	7	12 on 16th
Orari Gorge	Mrs. B. H. Tripp	64	4	21 on 16th
Orari Estate, Orari	G. A. Macdonald	31	8	13 on 16th
Lambrook, Fairlie	R. E. Gillingham	41	4	20 on 16th
Gray's Hill Station, Burke's Pass	J. W. Grant .. .. .	..	..	..
Waratah, Albury	F. H. Smith	29	2	23 on 3rd
Kakahu	Miss A. Thomson	25	4	11 on 3rd
Pleasant Point	J. Bishop	22	4	12 on 16th
Timaru Reservoir	J. Courtney	27	3	16 on 16th
Benmore Station, Omarama	J. Sutherland	54	3	35 on 16th
Otekaike	G. Benstead	20	3	17 on 16th
Borton's Siding	H. A. Dovey	25	2	20 on 11th
Livingstone	T. Charters	50	1	50 on 15th
Arnmere, Windsor	P. S. Shand	17	1	17 on 16th
Totara Station, near Oamaru	J. Macpherson	30	5	15 on 16th
Oamaru	J. Patterson	27	2	25 on 16th
Trotter's Creek, Hillgrove	W. S. D. Trotter	32	4	20 on 16th
Kauroo Hill, Maheno	A. Robertson	18	4	9 on 16th
Bushey Park, Palmerston South	Mrs. J. McKenzie	31	3	21 on 16th
Orokonui Home, Waitati	Dr. R. Donald .. .. .	..	..	..
Opoho, Dunedin (383 ft.)	J. W. Paulin	123	6	57 on 16th
Fish-hatchery, Portobello	F. Anderton	116	6	50 on 16th
(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT.				
Paerau	Miss Marion Kennedy	112	5	79 on 16th
Great Moss Swamp	A. J. McLeod	91	9	25 on 17th
Eweburn Nursery, Ranfurly	A. W. Roberts	49	4	23 on 15th
Naseby	J. Reed	44	4	24 on 17th
Kokonga	R. W. Glendinning	50	6	22 on 16th
Gladbrook Station, Middlemarch	A. McKinnon	85	8	47 on 16th
Middlemarch	J. Hay	64	4	40 on 16th
Mount Pisa Station, Cromwell	R. J. Hendrie	98	1	98 on 16th
Queenstown	J. A. Algie	71	3	51 on 31st
Lower Crawford, near Alexandra	J. C. Buchanan	80	2	65 on 17th
Galloway, Alexandra South	A. Gunn	77	3	57 on 7th
Manuherekia River	W. Jewiss	34	3	20 on 30th
Clyde	J. S. Dickie	85	3	45 on 17th
Roxburgh	Dr. J. R. Gilmour	61	6	22 on 30th
Balclutha	H. W. Kiernan	92	8	26 on 30th
Tapanui Nursery	R. G. Robinson	132	12	50 on 30th
Waikawa Valley	J. H. Buckingham	306	16	51 on 30th
Uplands, Waimahaka	Miss E. Middleton	264	18	290 on 21st and 30th
Roslin Estate, Woodlands	J. D. Trotter	290	18	50 on 11th
Centre Hill Station, Mossburn	W. J. Anderson	69	3	56 on 31st
Dipton	R. D. MacLachlan	87	6	29 on 30th
Nightcaps	James Ritchie	106	10	27 on 30th
Rannock, Orawia	Wm. Lambie	68	5	22 on 31st
Riverton	J. M. Geary	436	17	76 on 22nd
(I.) ISLANDS.				
Centre Island	Lightkeeper	313	18	35 on 10th and 21st
Stewart Island	W. Traill	379	21	77 on 30th
Niue Island	A. House .. .. .	..	..	..
Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Islands	H. M. Connal	296	19	50 on 17th
Chatham Islands	F. A. D. Cox	470	20	160 on 20th
Late returns—				
(a) Hororata, July	G. Hall	563	11	180 on 24th
(b) Akaroa, July	Miss M. Jacobson	1421	4	695 on 24th

Vital Statistics.

GOVERNMENT STATISTICIAN'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of August, 1911:—

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the undermentioned Boroughs, during the Month of August, 1911.

BOROUGHES.	CENSUS POPULATION, APRIL, 1911.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGHES.	DEATHS IN BOROUGHES REGISTERED IN AUGUST, 1911.									Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, August, 1911.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1910.
			Males.			Females.			Total Deaths.				
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.					
Auckland	40,536	108	1	2	23	1	3	15	45	1.11	11.88		
Birkenhead	1,703	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.59	6.18
Devonport	7,041	18	..	..	2	..	..	4	6	0.86	7.94
Newmarket	2,780	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8.73
Grey Lynn	7,454	28	..	..	1	..	..	2	3	0.40	6.10
Parnell	5,465	2	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	0.55	10.73
Mount Eden.. .. .	9,881	32	1	..	3	1	..	4	9	0.96	5.44		
Northcote	1,422	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.70	5.01
Mount Albert	6,700	21	2	..	3	..	..	1	6	0.90	..
Totals Auckland and sub-urban boroughs	82,482	223	4	2	36	2	3	27	74	0.90	9.73		
Population of other suburbs*	20,194												
Total population of Greater Auckland	102,676												
Wellington	64,372	152	6	8	26	2	2	16	60	0.93	9.31		
Karori	1,449	5	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.69	4.89
Onslow	1,789	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.56	4.89
Miramar	1,630	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1.69
Eastbourne	560	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals Wellington and sub-urban boroughs	69,800	163	6	8	28	2	2	16	62	0.89	8.95		
Population of other suburbs*	929												
Total population of Greater Wellington	70,729												
Christchurch	53,116	141	8	1	25	5	..	32	71	1.34	10.54		
Woolston	3,412	6	..	..	2	..	..	3	5	1.47	13.56
New Brighton	1,696	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.59	2.98
Sumner	1,751	3	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	1.14	6.96
Spreydon	3,286	18	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	0.91	..
Totals Christchurch and sub-urban boroughs	63,261	165	8	1	29	5	..	39	82	1.30	10.41		
Population of other suburbs*	16,932												
Total population of Greater Christchurch	80,193												
Dunedin	41,529	100	..	..	27	..	1	18	46	1.11	10.99
Maori Hill	2,216	3	..	..	1	1	..	2	4	1.80	7.26
Mornington	4,679	7	1	..	3	..	..	5	9	1.92	8.77
Roslyn	5,744	10	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	0.34	7.84
St. Kilda	4,137	9	..	..	..	..	..	4	4	0.97	10.27
West Harbour	1,651	1	..	..	3	1	..	..	4	2.42	7.78
Green Island.. .. .	1,872	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.54	..
Totals Dunedin and suburban boroughs	61,828	133	1	..	36	2	1	30	70	1.13	10.24		
Population of other suburbs*	2,409												
Total population of Greater Dunedin	64,237												

* These remaining suburbs do not lie within borough boundaries, and particulars respecting them have not been obtained for the Vital Statistics. Closely correct annual statements of population outside boroughs are not obtainable.

In the above table are given the deaths and death-rates for each of the four cities, for the suburban boroughs severally, and for each city with its suburban towns.

Deaths occurring at hospitals, of persons not residents of the borough wherein the hospital is situated, have been allotted in each case to the borough where the disease was contracted, and not to that in which the death actually took place.

The inclusion of the suburban boroughs tends to lower the rate at Auckland, Wellington, and Christchurch, but raises it at Dunedin.

	Death-rates per 1,000 of Population.
Auckland City	1.11
and eight suburban boroughs	0.90
Wellington City	0.93
and four suburban boroughs	0.89
Christchurch City	1.34
and four suburban boroughs	1.30
Dunedin City	1.11
and six suburban boroughs	1.13

Including the suburbs, the rate at Christchurch is the highest, and at Wellington the lowest.

Compared with August, 1910, the results are,—

	1910.	1911.
Auckland and suburbs	0.84	0.90
Wellington and suburbs	1.19	0.89
Christchurch and suburbs	1.34	1.30
Dunedin and suburbs	1.02	1.13

The total births in the four chief cities and their suburban boroughs amounted to 684, against 660 in July—an increase of 24. The deaths in August were 288—an increase of 1 as compared with last month. Of the total deaths, males contributed 159, females 129. Forty-seven of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 16.32 per cent. of the whole number; 30 of these were under one year of age.

There were 120 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards in the four chief cities and their suburban boroughs, as against 102 in July. The following table shows the classification:—

Age.	Auckland.		Wellington.		Christchurch.		Dunedin.		Total.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
65	..	1	..	..	..	2	2	..	2	3
66	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	3	1
67	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	3	1
68	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	2	1
69	..	1	1	..	2	1	1	..	4	2
70	1	2	..	1	1	..	..	1	2	4
71	1	1	1	..	2	..	2	1	6	2
72	2	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	5	..
73	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	..	2	2
74	2	1	..	..	2	1	..	1	4	3
75	2	..	..	2	1	1	..	1	3	4
76	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
77	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	4	..
78	..	1	1	1	..	1	1	2	2	5
79	..	2	..	..	2	1	..	1	2	4
80	2	1	3	1	..	1	..	..	5	3
81	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	1	..	5
82	..	1	..	..	..	3	2	..	2	4
83	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2
84	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	..	2	2
85	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	3	1
86	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	2
87	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1
89	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
90	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1
91	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
92	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
93	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
94	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
97	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Totals ..	17	14	10	9	15	21	20	14	62	58

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Centres registered during August, 1911.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
I.—GENERAL DISEASES.									
<i>(a.) Epidemic Diseases.</i>									
6. Measles	1	..	..	..	..	1
9. Diphtheria	1	1	..	..	..	2
10. Influenza	1	..	1	..	3	..	5
<i>(b.) Other General Diseases.</i>									
28. Phthisis	1	..	2	..	5	7	15
28. Tuberculosis	1	..	..	1
30. Tubercular Meningitis	1	..	..	1	..	..	2
34. Tubercular Abscess of Kidney	1	..	..	..	1
37. Syphilis (Congenital)	1	..	..	..	..	1
39. Cancer—Mouth, Tongue	1	..	1	..	..	1	3
40. " Stomach, Liver	3	..	2	..	3
41. " Intestines, Rectum	1	..	1	..	1	..	2
42. " Uterus, Vulva	2	..	2
43. " Breast	1	1
45. " Other organs	1	..	..	1	..	2	4
46. Intestinal Tumour	1	1
50. Diabetes	1	..	2	..	2
53. Hodgkin's Disease	1	1
54. Anæmia	1	..	1	..	1	..	3
55. Hæmophilia	1	1	..	..	..	..	2

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
II.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF THE ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.									
61. Meningitis	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	4
64. Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy	3	..	3	..	4	10
65. Softening of Brain	1	..	..	1
66. Hemiplegia	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
66. Paraplegia	1	..	..	1
69. Epilepsy	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
71. Convulsions of Infants	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
74. Cretinism	1	..	..	..	1
74. Imbecility	1	..	..	1
74. Neurasthenia	1	..	1
III.—DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.									
78. Endocarditis	2	..	1	3
79. Heart-disease	5	..	6	..	10	..	12	33
80. Angina Pectoris	1	..	..	1
82. Embolism	2	..	..	2
83. Hæmorrhoids	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
85. Hæmorrhage	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
IV.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.									
89. Acute Bronchitis	3	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	6
90. Chronic Bronchitis	5	..	5	..	8	..	2	20
91. Broncho-pneumonia	1	4	1	3	..	2	1	12
92. Pneumonia	3	6	1	2	..	1	1	2	16
93. Pleurisy	1	..	1	..	..	2
94. Congestion, Œdema of Lungs	1	..	..	1	2
96. Asthma	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
V.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.									
102. Gastric Ulcer	1	..	..	..	..	1
103. Dyspepsia	1	..	..	..	..	1
103. Gastritis	1	..	1
104. Diarrhœa (children under 2 years)	1	..	..	..	1
108. Appendicitis	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	4
109. Intussusception	1	..	..	..	1
114. Gallstones	1	1
118. Pancreatitis	2	..	..	2
VI.—DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.									
119. Acute Nephritis	1	..	..	1
120. Bright's Disease	2	..	1	..	1	4
120. Uræmia	1	..	..	..	..	1
122. Peri Nephric Abscess	1	..	..	1
124. Cystitis	1	1
124. Extravasation of Urine	1	..	..	1
126. Enlarged Prostate	1	..	2	3
130. Parametritis	1	1
VII.—PUERPERAL STATE.									
134. Miscarriage	1	1
137. Puerperal Septicæmia	1	..	..	1
VIII.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.									
142. Gangrene	2	2
XI.—DISEASES OF EARLY INFANCY.									
151. Marasmus, &c.	1	..	1	..	2	..	1	..	5
151A. Premature Birth	1	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	4
152. Umbilical Hæmorrhage	1	..	..	..	1
XII.—OLD AGE.									
154. Senile Decay	10	..	3	..	6	..	8	27
XIII.—VIOLENCE.									
155. Suicide by Poison	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
156. " Coal-gas	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
160. " Cutting-instruments	1	..	1	..	..	2
167. Accident—Burns	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
168. " Suffocation	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
172. " Fall down lift	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
175. " Collide with trap	1	..	..	1
185. " Fracture of Skull	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	4
185. " Overlain	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
185. " At Birth	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
186. " Suffocation by Inhalation of Milk	1	..	..	..	1
186. " Strangled in a Fence	1	1
XIV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.									
188. Syncope	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
189. Heart-failure	9	..	..	..	..	..	1	10
189. Found Dead	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
189. Debility	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Totals	11	63	18	44	14	68	4	66	288

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the undermentioned Boroughs, during the Month of August, 1911.

BOROUGHs.	CENSUS POPULATION, APRIL, 1911.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGHs.	DEATHS IN BOROUGHs REGISTERED IN AUGUST, 1911.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, August, 1911.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1910.
			Males.			Females.					
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.			
Thames	3,591	15	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.28	10.76
New Plymouth	5,238	23	..	1	2	..	..	3	6	1.16	14.29
Napier	10,537	29	..	1	6	1	..	8	16	1.52	10.97
Gisborne	8,196	39	2	..	5	1	..	7	15	1.83	14.80
Wanganui	10,929	36	3	1	5	..	..	3	12	1.10	9.28
Wanganui East	1,737	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Palmerston North	10,991	35	2	1	2	2	2	2	11	1.00	7.99
Masterton	5,182	12	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	0.58	9.78
Petone	6,640	13	..	1	1	..	..	1	3	0.45	7.16
Blenheim	3,771	21	1	..	3	..	..	2	6	1.59	9.55
Nelson	8,051	17	3	2	6	..	..	10	21	2.61	13.63
Greymouth	5,469	12	1	..	4	1	..	..	6	1.10	10.61
Hokitika	2,291	9	1	..	3	..	..	..	4	1.75	12.77
Lyttelton	4,058	6	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	0.74	8.05
Timaru	11,280	27	1	..	1	1	..	1	4	0.35	7.78
Oamaru	5,152	20	..	..	8	1	..	4	13	2.52	11.43
Invercargill	12,782	49	2	..	5	..	..	6	13	1.02	7.42
Invercargill South	1,388	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17.11

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 14th September, 1911.

M. FRASER,
Government Statistician.

Minister's Decisions under Customs Duties Act.

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 20th September, 1911.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Hon. the Minister of Customs has decided to interpret the Customs Duties Act in relation to the undermentioned articles as follows:—

NOTE.—“Not otherwise enumerated” appears as n.o.e.; “other kinds” as o.k.; “articles and materials suited only for, and to be used solely in, the fabrication of goods in the Dominion” as a. & m.s. Articles marked thus † are revised decisions.

Record.	Goods	Classification under Tariff, and Item No.	Rate of Duty.	
			General Tariff.	Preferential Surtax on Foreign Goods.
11/1607	Cotton or linen piece-goods and unions of the same n.o.e., having thereon patterns, woven devices, or other designs, which indicate that they are to be cut up into separate articles or to be manufactured into separate articles, provided that the weaving of each piece is continuous, and also that such piece represents not less than six articles	As cotton or linen piece-goods and unions of the same n.o.e. (286)	Free.	
11/1607	Cotton or linen piece-goods and unions of the same n.o.e. which have been woven in a wide loom and afterwards split down the middle and the raw edge only of each split piece hemmed or whipped in lieu of selvedge, provided the hemming or whipping is simply to make a permanent edge to a straight-cut split piece	As cotton or linen piece-goods and unions of the same n.o.e. (286)	Free.	
†11/1465	Dowels, wooden	As woodenware n.o.e. (201) ..	20 per cent.	10 per cent.
†11/850	Machine tools, metal-workers', &c., viz.:— Sand-sifter, for use in foundry ..	As metal-workers' machine tool (379)	Free.	
11/1417	Stereotypes, with or without letterpress ..	As stereotypes (154)	25 per cent.	

NOTE.—M.O. 969—“Atlas Preservative A” as scrub-exterminator.” This is a revised decision.

Minister's Order No. 972.]

W. B. MONTGOMERY,
Secretary of Customs.

Notice fixing Closing-hours of Shops in the City of Wellington where Tobacco, Cigars, or Cigarettes are sold under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all shops in the City of Wellington wherein is carried on the trade of a seller of tobacco or cigars or cigarettes, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops in the city shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday, at 8 p.m.; Wednesday, at 1 p.m.; Saturday, at 10.30 p.m., except on the night before Good Friday, Anniversary Day, Labour Day, and King's Birthday, when the hour of closing shall be 10 p.m.; Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve, at 11 p.m.: And whereas the Wellington City Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the shops in the City of Wellington wherein is carried on the trade of a seller of tobacco or cigars or cigarettes:

Now, therefore, I, John Andrew Millar, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, do hereby direct that, from and after the 25th day of September, 1911, all such shops in the City of Wellington shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

The notice gazetted on 10th May, 1906, fixing the closing-hours of all tobacconists' shops is hereby cancelled.

Dated at Wellington, this 20th day of September, 1911.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Labour.

Notice fixing Closing-hours of Retail Butchers' Shops in the Borough of Wanganui under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the retail butchers' shops in the Borough of Wanganui, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops in the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 5.30 p.m.; Saturday, 9 p.m.: And whereas the Wanganui Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the shops carrying on business as retail butchers within the Borough of Wanganui:

Now, therefore, I, John Andrew Millar, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, do hereby direct that, from and after the 25th day of September, 1911, all such shops in the Borough of Wanganui shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

Dated at Wellington, this 20th day of September, 1911.

J. A. MILLAR,
Minister of Labour.

The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908.—Notice of Proposed Cancellation of Registry.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 20th September, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to an application in that behalf made to me by the Auckland Builders, Contractors, and General Labourers' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 701, situated at Auckland, and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 21 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, it is my intention to cancel the registration of that industrial union after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*, unless in the meantime cause is shown to the contrary.

JOHN LOMAS,
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

Notice of Date of Examinations.—Extension of Time for receiving Entries.

Education Department,
Wellington, 4th September, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the time for receiving entries for the teachers' D and C certificate examinations of January, 1912, is extended to the 15th October, 1911, or, with the late fee, to the 31st October, 1911. This extension does not apply to any examinations other than those for teachers' D and C certificates.

G. HOGBEN,
Inspector-General of Schools.

Te Makarini Scholarships, held at Te Aute College, Hawke's Bay.

TWO scholarships of the yearly value of £35, tenable for two years, are offered for competition. One of these scholarships, to be called the senior scholarship, is open to all Maori boys not over sixteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination: the other, to be called the junior scholarship, is open to all Maori boys under fourteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination who have attended a Native school or schools under the control of the Education Department, and whose attendance at school during the previous year is considered by the Inspector of Native Schools to have been satisfactory. The scholarships are open to Maori boys on the conditions laid down in the regulations of the Trustees of the Te Makarini Scholarships Fund, as printed in the Appendix to the Native Schools Code, 1908. The examination will be held at convenient centres on the 4th and 5th of December, 1911.

Candidates must, either directly or through their teachers, send notice to the Inspector of Native Schools, Education Department, Wellington, of their intention to present themselves for examination. Such notice must be posted so as to reach the Department not later than the 25th of October, 1911.

Copies of the regulations and forms of notice may be obtained from teachers of Native schools and boarding institutions, the Secretaries to Education Boards, or the Secretary for Education, Wellington.

W. W. BIRD,
Inspector of Native Schools.

Education Department,
Wellington, 20th September, 1911.

Officiating Minister for 1911.—Notice No. 32.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 20th September, 1911.

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 name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

Congregational Independents.

The Reverend WALTER MANSFIELD TRIGG.

W. W. COOK,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Conscience-money received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 13th September, 1911.

THE Minister of Finance directs me to acknowledge receipt of the sum of 5d., forwarded to the Railway Department, Carterton, 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, 15th September, 1911.

THE Ruataniwha Lodge, No. 88, situated at Waipawa, 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 12th day of September, 1911.

ROBT. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Friendly Society registered.

The Treasury, New Zealand,
Friendly Societies Office,
Wellington, 15th September, 1911.

THE Waihi Workers' Accident Relief Association, situated at Waihi, is registered as a friendly society under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 15th day of September, 1911.

ROBT. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

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

Public Trust Office, Wellington.

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:—

Caple, George Goldwin, late of Clifton, County Bristol, England, commercial traveller. Filed on 18th August, 1911.

Haire, Thomas, late of Kaponga, in the Provincial District of Taranaki, clerk in holy orders. Filed on 18th August, 1911.

Anderson, Thomas, late of Manakau, in the Provincial District of Wellington, gardener. Filed on 18th August, 1911.

Farr, Edward G., late of Opotiki, in the Provincial District of Auckland, photographer. Filed on 18th August, 1911.

Cronin, George Denis, late of Petone, in the Provincial District of Wellington, coachbuilder. Filed on 18th August, 1911.

Foley, John, late of Thames, in the Provincial District of Auckland, contractor. Filed on 18th August, 1911.

Billing or Billings, Elizabeth, *alias* Billing, Eleanor, late of Waiwera, in the Provincial District of Auckland, widow. Filed on 18th August, 1911.

Turner, Edwin Newman, late of Masterton, in the Provincial District of Wellington, fish-dealer. Filed on 21st August, 1911.

Frazer, William, late of Waiheke Island, in the Provincial District of Auckland, settler. Filed on 21st August, 1911.

Bradley, Herbert Edward, *alias* Herbert Edwin, late of Nelson, in the Provincial District of Nelson, machine-grinder. Filed on 21st August, 1911.

McGonagle, William, late of Otahuhu, in the Provincial District of Auckland, pensioner. Filed on 21st August, 1911.

Latimer, Emily Jane Letitia, late of Waharoa, in the Provincial District of Auckland, housewife. Filed on 21st August, 1911.

Thompson, William, late of Waihopo, in the Provincial District of Auckland, poultry-farmer. Filed on 21st August, 1911.

Heaps, William, late of Hampstead, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, sailor. Filed on 21st August, 1911.

Vercoe, Arthur, late of Nelson, in the Provincial District of Nelson, gentleman. Filed on 21st August, 1911.

Burnett, James, late of New Plymouth, in the Provincial District of Taranaki, labourer. Filed on 21st August, 1911.

Henry, William John, late of Raglan, in the Provincial District of Auckland, farmer. Filed on 21st August, 1911.

Eddie, John, late of Napier, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, hawkier. Filed on 21st August, 1911.

Groundwater, Robert, late of Pleasant Point, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, labourer. Filed on 21st August, 1911.

Raymond, William, late of Murchison, in the Provincial District of Westland, miner. Filed on 21st August, 1911.

Gregory, Aileen or Aline May Florence, late of Dunedin, in the Provincial District of Otago, spinster. Filed on 21st August, 1911.

Chapman, Jane, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, spinster. Filed on 23rd August, 1911.

Evans, Emrys, late of Ohiwa, in the Provincial District of Auckland, labourer. Filed on 23rd August, 1911.

Auld, Thomas, late of Blackball, in the Provincial District of Westland, miner. Filed on 23rd August, 1911.

Luke, Samuel John, late of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, boilermaker. Filed on 30th August, 1911.

Miller, Annie, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, married woman. Filed on 30th August, 1911.

Lester, Louis, late of Gisborne, in the Provincial District of Auckland, cook. Filed on 30th August, 1911.

Simms, Robert Crozier, late of Waihi, in the Provincial District of Auckland, architect. Filed on 6th September, 1911.

Shanly, or Shanley, William Augustine, late of Hastings, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, jeweller. Filed on 6th September, 1911.

Harrington, Robert, late of Hatuma, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, farmer. Filed on 6th September, 1911.

Jackson, George, late of Barrytown, in the Provincial District of Westland, settler. Filed on 6th September, 1911.

Willan, Thomas Henry, late of Dunedin, in the Provincial District of Otago, canvasser. Filed on 6th September, 1911.

Stace, Walter Maunsell, late of Blenheim, in the Provincial District of Marlborough, wool-classer. Filed on 6th September, 1911.

Wharton, William Henry, late of Christchurch, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, warehouseman. Filed on 6th September, 1911.

Wardrop, Robert, late of Motueka, in the Provincial District of Nelson, agent. Filed on 8th September, 1911.

Woods, Charles, late of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, doorkeeper. Filed on 8th September, 1911.

Alderson, George Butson, late of Waikaia, in the Provincial District of Otago, rabbitier. Filed on 8th September, 1911.

Brewer, William Henry, late of Opawa, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, wharf labourer. Filed on 8th September, 1911.

Gordon, George Hugh, late of Patearoa, in the Provincial District of Otago, retired miner. Filed on 8th September, 1911.

Gandy, John, late of Christchurch, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, ploughman. Filed on 8th September, 1911.

Jones, Walter, late of Ashburton, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, labourer. Filed on 12th September, 1911.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Pastoral Runs in Hawke's Bay Land District surrendered.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 16th September, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that, a surrender of the license of the undermentioned pastoral runs having been accepted, the said runs have thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Run No.	Survey District.	Tenure.	Lease No.	Formerly held by
13 and 14	Kaweka and Kuripapanga	Pastoral Run	34	William Farrelly.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

Lands in Southland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands,
Wellington, 16th September, 1911.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease or License No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by
O.R.P.	514	8	XI	Alton	Wm. Wakefield.
R.L.	19	33	"	Campbelltown Hundred	Luke Brown.
"	88	31, 32, and 33	XXIV	Invercargill Hundred	Hilton James Ashbrook.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
Napier, 4th September, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or selection; and applications will be received at this office and at the local Lands Office, Gisborne, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, the 7th day of December, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.
Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
WAIPAWA COUNTY.—MAKARETU SURVEY DISTRICT.					
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
6	III	93 3 20	600 0 0	15 0 0	12 0 0
WAIKOHU COUNTY.—WAIKOHU SURVEY DISTRICT.					
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
2 22	I	128 0 0	770 0 0	19 5 0	15 8 0

C. R. POLLEN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Southland Land District open for Sale or Selection.

District Lands Office,
Invercargill, 6th June, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or selection; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 27th day of September, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—NEW RIVER HUNDRED.
First-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.
57	XXI	173 1 15	260 0 0	6 10 0	5 4 0
58	"	197 0 0	320 0 0	8 0 0	6 8 0
59	"	147 0 25	260 0 0	6 10 0	5 4 0
60	"	137 0 21	240 0 0	6 0 0	4 16 0
61	"	132 3 22	250 0 0	6 5 0	5 0 0
63	"	115 2 19	240 0 0	6 0 0	4 16 0
64	"	101 2 14	210 0 0	5 5 0	4 4 0
*65	"	108 0 6	220 0 0	5 10 0	4 8 0
†66	"	108 0 6	230 0 0	5 15 0	4 12 0
‡68	"	91 0 3	230 0 0	5 15 0	4 12 0

* Weighted with £3 7s. 5d., valuation for fencing.
† Weighted with £2 19s., valuation for fencing.
‡ Weighted with £14 17s. 8d., valuation for fencing.

The lands are offered subject to existing tramway rights through Sections 57, 58, 60, 61, 63, 64, 65, and 66, until cancelled by the Land Board.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 17th July, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 12B, Block VII, Tutamoe Survey District, Auckland Land District, will be disposed of, under section 131 of the said Act, on or after Monday, the 23rd day of October, 1911.

ERIC. C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Wellington Land District open for Sale or Selection.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 25th July, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or selection; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 31st day of October, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON 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.
RANGITIKEI COUNTY.—HAUTAPU SURVEY DISTRICT.					
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
15	IV	427 0 0	1,610 0 0	40 5 0	32 4 0
16	"	297 0 0	1,120 0 0	28 0 0	22 8 0
17	"	398 0 0	1,670 0 0	41 15 0	33 8 0
31	"				
15	V	442 0 0	1,550 0 0	38 15 0	31 0 0
RANGITIKEI COUNTY.—RUAHINE SURVEY DISTRICT.					
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
2	I	365 0 0	1,380 0 0	34 10 0	27 12 0
3	"	613 0 0	2,640 0 0	66 0 0	52 16 0

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Wellington Land District for Disposal under Section 138 of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 19th June, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under section 138 of the said Act on or after Wednesday, the 27th day of September, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—PUKETOI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
8	III	200 acres.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
Invercargill, 23rd August, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for license by public auction at this office at 11 o'clock a.m. on Friday, the 27th day of October, 1911, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

RUN No. 539 (Class B), Lords River District, Stewart Island County: Area, 450 acres; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £3.

Possession will be given on day of sale.

Description.

The land is covered with scrub and stunted bush, and is almost surrounded by water, therefore very little fencing required. Situated at Port Adventure, about eighteen miles by sea from Half-moon Bay.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 18th July, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 24th day of October, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.
Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.—HUKERENUI SURVEY DISTRICT.				
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
3	III	192 3 2	240 0 0	4 16 0
4	"	286 3 21	300 0 0	6 0 0
5	"	265 1 17	460 0 0	9 4 0
6	"	241 0 27	420 0 0	8 8 0
7	"	224 0 17	270 0 0	5 8 0
8	"	275 3 16	290 0 0	5 16 0
9	"	323 1 11	450 0 0	9 0 0
10	"	336 0 21	460 0 0	9 4 0
11	"	340 0 12	410 0 0	8 4 0
12	"	183 0 0	250 0 0	5 0 0
13	"	209 1 13	290 0 0	5 16 0
2	VII	318 1 23	280 0 0	5 12 0
3	"	296 0 4	310 0 0	6 4 0
5	"	216 2 5	260 0 0	5 4 0

BAY OF ISLANDS AND WHANGAREI COUNTIES.—HUKERENUI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
4	VII	240 3 26	420 0 0	8 8 0
6	"	295 1 28	210 0 0	4 4 0
7	"	268 0 35	370 0 0	7 8 0

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Southland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Invercargill, 1st August, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction for cash at this office at 11 o'clock a.m. on Friday, the 3rd day of November, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.—JACOBS RIVER HUNDRED.
Rural Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
37	III	60 3 0	110 0 0

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Wellington Land District for Disposal under Section 129 of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 10th July, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 98, Block VI, Wairarapa Survey District, Wellington Land District, will be disposed of in two portions, under section 129 of the said Act, on or after Wednesday, the 25th day of October, 1911.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Nelson Land District for Disposal under Section 131 of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands Office,
Nelson, 25th July, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under section 131 of the said Act on or after Wednesday, the 1st day of November, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 13, Block XII, Maruia Survey District. Area, 29 acres 1 rood 18 perches.

R. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Otago Land District for Disposal under Section 129 of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands Office,
Dunedin, 27th June, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under section 129 of the said Act on or after Friday, the 29th day of September, 1911.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

An estimated area of 1 acre of unsurveyed land on the beach reserve fronting Section 48, Block VIII, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District.

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Auckland Land District open for Sale or Selection.

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 23rd August, 1911.

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 Tuesday, the 26th day of September, 1911, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—PART OF TE AKAU BLOCK.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
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FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Raglan County.—Awaroa Survey District.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	IX	512 0 0	1,000 0 0	25 0 0	20 0 0
2	"	191 0 0	370 0 0	9 5 0	7 8 0
1	X	617 2 0	1,000 0 0	25 0 0	20 0 0
2	"	285 0 0	370 0 0	9 5 0	7 8 0
3	"	394 0 0	510 0 0	12 15 0	10 4 0
1	XIV	390 0 0	600 0 0	15 0 0	12 0 0
4	"	551 2 14	1,200 0 0	30 0 0	24 0 0
6	"	482 0 0	1,200 0 0	30 0 0	24 0 0
7	"	404 0 0	1,000 0 0	25 0 0	20 0 0

Raglan County.—Whaingaroa Survey District.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
3	II	515 0 0	1,710 0 0	42 15 0	34 4 0
4	"	581 0 0	1,930 0 0	48 5 0	38 12 0
5	"	502 0 0	1,670 0 0	41 15 0	33 8 0
6	"	480 0 0	1,330 0 0	33 5 0	26 12 0
7	"	438 0 9	1,620 0 0	40 10 0	32 8 0
8	"	438 1 0	1,210 0 0	30 5 0	24 4 0
9	"	499 1 8	1,230 0 0	30 15 0	24 12 0

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Raglan County.—Awaroa Survey District.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
2	XIV	509 0 0	550 0 0	13 15 0	11 0 0
3	"	540 0 12	530 0 0	14 10 0	11 12 0
5	"	764 0 0	1,410 0 0	35 5 0	28 4 0

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Small Grazing-run in Wellington Land District open for Application.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 11th September, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-run is open for lease; and applications will be received at this office and the Gretna Hall, Taihape, on Tuesday, the 31st day of October, 1911, up to 4 o'clock p.m., under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—KAITIHEKE COUNTY.—
RUAHINE SURVEY DISTRICT.
Second-class Pastoral Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Half-yearly Rental.
2	II	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
20	I	2,505 0 0	63 0 0

LOCALITY AND DESCRIPTION.

This run is situated on the slopes of the Ruahine Ranges, at the head-waters of the Makino Stream; access is from Utiku, which is about seventeen miles distant, by a formed dray-road for about fourteen miles, partly metalled—the remainder is bridle-track. The run comprises about 600 acres of mixed bush on easy slopes, and remainder rough birch country and open country, with tussocks and weeds, on which snow lies during the winter months. The soil is from fair to good, on papa, sandstone, and shell-rock formation. The forest is mixed, comprising rimu, maire, matai, kowhai, and birch, with a thick undergrowth of rangiora, kotukutuku, manuka, tarata, tawhiwhi, and tupari. Well watered by small streams. Elevation ranges from about 1,850 ft. to 4,600 ft. above sea-level.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserves in Auckland Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 28th August, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserves will be offered for lease by public auction at this office on Friday, the 6th day of October, 1911, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—MATAMATA COUNTY.—PATERE NORTH SURVEY DISTRICT.—SELWYN SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term of Lease.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	
30	XV	135 0 0	2 16 0	14 years.

Undulating land; inferior light soil; vegetation consists of tussock, manuka, scrub, and fern; fenced along road-frontage. Situated one mile from Lichfield and five miles from Putaruru Railway-station. The main Taupo-Napier Road passes the section.

33 | XI | 10 0 0 | 0 5 0 | 14 years.
Undulating land; well watered; vegetation consists of short tea-tree scrub; fenced on south side by Rotorua Railway line. Situated two miles from Putaruru Railway-station.

34 | XI | 46 0 0 | 0 16 0 | 14 years.
Undulating land, covered with short tea-tree scrub; fenced on south boundary by Rotorua Railway line. Situated three miles from Putaruru Railway-station.

Terms and Conditions of Lease.

- One-half year's rent, the lease fee (£1 ls.), and rent for the period from the date of auction to the 31st December, 1911, must be paid on the fall of the hammer.
- Immediate possession will be given.

3. The lease will be for a term of fourteen years from the 1st January, 1912, but subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.

4. The rent shall be payable half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st January and 1st July in each year, free from all deductions whatsoever.

5. The lessee shall not sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of his interest in the lease without consent.

6. The lessee shall have no right to compensation, either for improvements he has put on the land, or on account of the aforesaid resumption, or for any other cause; but he may, on the expiration or sooner determination of the lease, remove all buildings and fences erected by him, but not otherwise.

7. The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and shall prevent their increase or spread, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

8. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, sweetbriar, or other noxious weed on the land comprised in the lease; and he shall with all reasonable dispatch remove, or cause to be removed, all noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

9. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee shall fail to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to be fulfilled.

Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Ngatapa Settlement, Hawke's Bay Land District, open for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands Office,
Napier, 4th September, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease, and applications will be received at this office and the local Lands Office, Gisborne, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Friday, the 13th day of October, 1911, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

Applicants will have to appear personally before the Land Board at the local Lands Office, Gisborne, at 10 o'clock a.m. on Monday, the 16th day of October, 1911, to answer any questions the Land Board may ask, but if any applicant so desires he may be examined by the Land Board of the district in which he resides.

The ballot for the section, if there is more than one applicant, will be held on Monday, the 16th October, 1911, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., at the local Lands Office, Gisborne.

Preference will be given to landless applicants, and the decision of the Land Board as to which of the applicants are landless shall be final and conclusive.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—COOK COUNTY.—WAIKOHU SURVEY DISTRICT.—NGATAPA SETTLEMENT.

Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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12	XV	A. R. P. 5 0 0	£ s. d. 100 0 0	£ s. d. 2 5 0
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Weighted with £3 17s. 6d., valuation for 17 chains fencing (four posts, six and seven wires).

Agricultural land, comprising flat and low downs. Good soil, on clay subsoil; well grassed. Distant about seventeen miles and a half from Gisborne by coach-road.

C. R. POLLEN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
Dunedin, 1st August, 1911.

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 Tuesday, the 10th day of October, 1911, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—VINCENT COUNTY.—LOWER HAWEA AND LOWER WANAKA SURVEY DISTRICTS.

Second-class Pastoral Land.
National Endowment.

RUN No. 506 : Area, 2,833 acres ; half-yearly rent, £20.
Terrace land, generally light and shingly, with patches of good land. Situated at the junction of the Hawea and Clutha Rivers, about four miles from Pembroke.

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserve in Auckland Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 2nd September, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserve will be offered for lease by public auction at this office on Friday, the 13th day of October, 1911, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—EAST TAUPO COUNTY.—TAUHARA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term of Lease.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	
7	II	130 0 0	4 0 0	14 years.

Situated on the Taupo-Napier coach-road, on the shores of Lake Taupo, a mile and a half from the Town of Taupo. Undulating land, covered with a dense growth of manuka ; pumice soil ; watered by Lake Taupo and a warm stream.

Terms and Conditions of Lease.

1. One-half year's rent, the lease fee (£1 ls.), and rent for the period from the date of auction to the 31st December, 1911, must be paid on the fall of the hammer.
2. Immediate possession will be given.
3. The lease will be for a term of fourteen years from the 1st January, 1912, but subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.
4. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance on the 1st January and 1st July in each year, free from all deductions whatsoever.
5. The lessee shall not sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of his interest in the lease without consent.
6. The lessee shall have no right to compensation, either for improvements he has put on the land, or on account of the aforesaid resumption, or for any other cause ; but he may, on the expiration or sooner determination of the lease, remove all buildings and fences erected by him, but not otherwise.
7. The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and shall prevent their increase or spread, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
8. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, sweetbriar, or other noxious weeds on the land comprised in the lease ; and he shall with all reasonable dispatch remove, or cause to be removed, all noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
9. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee shall fail to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to be fulfilled.

Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Canterbury Land District open for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands Office,
Christchurch, 14th August, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m., on Wednesday, the 4th day of October, 1911, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

First-class Land.

WAIMAIRI COUNTY.—CHRISTCHURCH SURVEY DISTRICT.—KAIMAHI SETTLEMENT.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	VI	10 0 27	680 0 0	15 6 0

Situated on the Sawyer's Arms Road, near Papanui, about two miles and a quarter from the tramway terminus and railway-station at Papanui, and about five miles from Christchurch Post-office. Open, level agricultural land, with black soil on a sandy clay subsoil ; excellently adapted for fruit-growing, market gardening, or small farming ; the land is in good order, laid down in clover and grass.

PAPARUA COUNTY.—ROLLESTON SURVEY DISTRICT.—DRAYTON SETTLEMENT.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
5	XII	111 0 0	1,740 0 0	39 3 0
17	"	10 0 0	450 0 0	10 2 6

Situated respectively about two miles and one mile north-westward from Templeton Railway-station, which is nine miles from Christchurch on the Christchurch-Dunedin Main Trunk Railway line. Open, level agricultural land, Section 5 consisting of good light soil in grass, and Section 17 of rich land in wheat stubble. The improvements, which are included in the price of the sections, are as follows : Section 5, 197½ chains of boundary and subdivision fencing, valued at £90 8s. ; Section 17, 16 chains of boundary-fencing, valued at £6.

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Brydone Village, Southland Land District, open for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands Office,
Invercargill, 21st August, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease ; and applications will be received at the District Lands Office, Invercargill, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 27th day of September, 1911, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

Applicants will have to appear personally before the Land Board at the District Lands Office, Invercargill, at 10 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 28th September, 1911, to answer any questions the Land Board may ask, but if any applicant so desires he may be examined by the Land Board of the district in which he resides.

The ballot for the section, if there is more than one applicant, will be held on Thursday, the 28th September, 1911, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., at the District Lands Office, Invercargill.

Preference will be given to landless applicants, and the decision of the Land Board as to which of the applicants are landless shall be final and conclusive.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—EDENDALE SETTLEMENT.—BRYDONE VILLAGE.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
147E	I	0 2 12	20 0 0	0 9 0

Land level, in good English grass. Situated directly opposite Brydone Railway-station and alongside the school and dairy factory.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
Invercargill, 15th August, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village-homestead allotments are open for selection on renewable lease ; and applications will be received at the District Lands Office, Invercargill, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 27th day of September, 1911, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

The ballot for the sections for which there is more than one applicant will be held at the District Lands Office, Invercargill, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, the 28th day of September, 1911.

Preference will be given to landless applicants, and the decision of the Land Board as to which of the applicants are landless shall be final and conclusive.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—NIAGARA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

Section.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
19	0 1 0	2 10 0	0 1 0
20	0 1 0	2 10 0	0 1 0
21	0 0 35	2 10 0	0 1 0
22	0 0 35	2 10 0	0 1 0
23	0 1 0	2 10 0	0 1 0

Situated about one mile from Waikawa Harbour, fronting Waikawa River. Bush land, slightly undulating, and partly swampy. Limit of holding, 10 acres.

Terms and Conditions of Lease.

1. The lands described above are first-class lands, and are village-homestead allotments, open for selection on renewable lease for periods of sixty-six years under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act").
2. The rentals stated above shall be the prices at which the lands shall be open for selection.
3. Applications for leases shall be made in manner as provided in Part I of the said Act; and all such applications shall be made to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Invercargill; and leases shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of Part I aforesaid.
4. Each applicant shall state his or her residence, occupation, and condition in life (namely, whether married or single), and will be required to make the prescribed declaration.
5. Each applicant shall pay the first half-year's rent, together with the lease and registration fee (£1 1s.), immediately the application has been approved or declared successful at the ballot; also the rent for the period elapsing between the date of the lease and the due date of such half-yearly payment.
6. The rent shall be paid half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st days of January and July in each year, as provided in section 180 of the said Act; and the first half-year's rent is payable as before provided.
7. Improvements and residence on the land comprised in the lease shall be as provided in Part III of the said Act. The provisions of section 162, and all other provisions of the said Act with respect to substantial improvements, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations. The provisions of section 159, and all other provisions of the said Act in respect of compulsory residence, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations.
8. The lessee shall not 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. The lessee shall hold the land 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.

Timber in Wellington Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Wellington, 25th July, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the right to cut and remove the timber on the undermentioned Crown lands, at the upset prices stated below, will be offered for sale by public auction in two lots, at the Gretna Hall, Taihape, on Tuesday, the 31st day of October, 1911, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the timber regulations thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Lot No. 1.

SECTIONS 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, Block IV, Hautapu Survey District. Area, 917 acres 2 roods.

Timber.	Estimated Quantity, in Sup. Feet.	Upset Price.
		£ s. d.
Totara	2,909,500	} 7,805 0 0
Matai	1,971,000	
Rimu and miro ..	225,000	
Kahikatea	5,538,400	

Lot No. 2.

Sections 19, 20, Block IV, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, Block VIII, Hautapu Survey District. Area, 525 acres 1 rood 20 perches.

Timber.	Estimated Quantity, in Sup. Feet.	Upset Price.
		£ s. d.
Totara	1,169,400	} 3,245 0 0
Matai	619,400	
Rimu and miro ..	71,500	
Kahikatea	3,378,200	

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The right to cut and remove the timber on each lot will be sold generally in accordance with the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, the timber regulations made thereunder, and the following conditions, and may contain such additional conditions as the Commissioner in his discretion considers necessary in the interests of the Crown or of the public.
2. The quantities of the various timbers set forth in the above Schedule are approximate only, and are furnished for the information of intending purchasers, who are expected, previous to the sale, to make their own estimate of the quantity of timber on each lot. No contract for purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the licensee be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, and kind than as stated herein, 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. The successful bidder shall purchase the whole of the timber in a lot, and shall, on the fall of the hammer, pay in cash a deposit of 10 per centum of the amount bid, together with £1 1s. license fee, and shall also deposit eight promissory notes, each for one-eighth of the balance of purchase-money, each payable on demand, and indorsed by two persons to be approved by the Commissioner. These promissory notes will be presented, the first at an interval of nine months from the date of sale, and the others at subsequent intervals of six months, but they may be presented for payment at earlier dates if more than a due proportion of timber is found to be cut, or should any breach of the conditions occur, or if in the opinion of the Commissioner the interest of the Crown is jeopardized.
4. The purchaser of each lot shall have the right to cut all timber thereon during a period of five years from the date of sale. The license shall be only for the cutting and removal of the timber, and shall give no right to the use of the land.
5. The timber in each lot shall be cut in a face, and the Crown reserves the right of following up the mill-workings by felling and grassing such areas as from time to time will have been cleared of milling-timber. Sufficient timber shall be left on each section for fencing and general farming purposes.
6. The Land Board may authorize the laying-down and working of tram-lines through these lots by other persons than the licensees of the particular lots affected.
7. The licensee shall not put, throw, or place, or allow to be put, thrown, or placed, into any river, stream, watercourse, or into any place where it may be washed into any river, stream, or watercourse, any sawdust or other saw-mill refuse.
8. If the timber on any lot is unsold at auction the right to cut it at the upset price will remain open for application until further notice.
9. Each lot will be sold generally in accordance with the area and boundaries as shown on the sale map at the District Lands Office, Wellington.
10. No compensation will be given nor shall any be claimed for any error, discrepancy, or misdescription whatever in respect of any lot or in these conditions.

JAMES MACKENZIE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Rotorua.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 15th September, 1911.
NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Rotorua on the 5th day of October, 1911, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Auckland, 1911-45.]

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
875	Wiremu Atetini and Wiremu Kingi Atetini	Kaitao (Rotohokahoka No. 3).
876	Te Kimi Amohau	Kawaha 5N No. 3.
877	Taiporutu te Mapu	Mangorewa-Kaharoa No. 8B.
878	Taima Rikiti	Okataina.
879	The Waiariki District Maori Land Board	Pokohu A No. 2.
880	Reweti	Pukemapou.
881	Taiporutu te Mapu	Rotohokahoka D Nos. 1 and 2.
882	Te Kiwi Amohau	Rotohokahoka D, Section 7.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Tokaanu.

Registrar's Office, Whanganui, 13th September, 1911.
NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Tokaanu on the 4th day of October, 1911, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Whanganui, 1911-16.]

A. H. MACKAY, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
502	Kingi Topia	Awarua 3D3 No. 13.
503	Te Keapa Puataata and others	Hautu-Kaimanawa No. 3.
504	Ngapuke te Hanairo.. .. .	Waimarino E No. 4.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 185 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909, FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE PAYMENT OF PURCHASE-MONEY FOR MINORS TO THEIR TRUSTEE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Minor.
505	Bullock and Currie, solicitors for Te Hau Torokawa	Subdivision 1 of Section 37, Waitara West	Rangitau Piki Ngarongo, Henare Wi Ngarongo, Te Iwa Ngarongo, Peehi Ngarongo, Hera Ngarongo.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Tokaanu.

Registrar's Office, Whanganui, 18th September, 1911.
NOTICE is hereby given that the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Tokaanu on the 4th day of October, 1911, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Whanganui, 1911-17.]

A. H. MACKAY, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
513	Te Rangihiroa te Moanapaku and others	Awarua 4A No. 3C, Subdivision 2.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wellington.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 18th September, 1911.
 NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Wellington on the 4th day of October, 1911, to hear and determine the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Wellington, 1911-45.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.
 APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.				
1	Mortgage	12 May, 1911 ..	Awapatiki 1A No. 1 ..	Piri Pomare to L. Matson and another.
2	Sale	7 June, ..	Maungamaunu, Section 2, No. 7 ..	Teera Pene Tahui and others to H. W. G. Beauchamp and others.
3	"	7 February, ..	Kekerione No. 51 ..	Te Rua Huihui to D. F. Blyth.
4	"	23 March, ..	Wairau, Block 12, Section 12B ..	Amiria Gage and others to Tahua Watson.
5	"	10 April, ..	Wairau, Block 12, Section 12D ..	Paraneha Kingi and others to Tahua Watson.
6	"	31 October, ..	Subdivision 3 of Section 30, Taituku ..	Tahuraki Meihana and others to J. K. Hart.
NEW APPLICATION.				
7	Sale	8 September, 1911 ..	Aorere, Section 84, Square 14 ..	Henry O'Donnell to Charles Leslie Grant.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.		
8	Hohipuha Maika	Haruatai No. 3.
9	Mohi Karena	Hutt, Section 19, Subdivision 8.
10	Tatana Whataupoko and others	Mahinawa No. 2.
11	Haimona Ranapiri and others (by their solicitors, Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers)	Otaki, Sections 177, 178, 179, 186, and 187.
12	Ngamekomeko Tio	Rangipuhi (Onepoto).
13	Harena Porutu (by her solicitors, Hammerton, Andrew, and Webb)	Ratapihipihi D.
14	Te Manumatuka	Taita, Section 58, Subdivision 7.
15	Kimi Matenga	" " " " 10.
16	Hanikamu te Hiko	Takapuwhia A.
17	Ruta Rene (by her solicitors, Menteth and Ward)	" " " " D No. 1A, Section 1.
18	Tamati Waiti and others	Tutaeparaketete No. 2c.
19	Rota Waitoa Paki and others	Waiwhetu Pa.
NEW APPLICATIONS.		
20	Mere Poharama	Kaiwhare No. 14.
21	Teone Henare Kingi and others (by their solicitor, W. G. Baillie)	Kopi No. 2, Subdivision 3.
22	Taiawhio te Tau	" " " " "
23	Hunia Arona and Ropata Ranapiri	Maramaihoea, or Section 360, Block 14, Rangitoto.
24	Maaka Pukehi (by her solicitor, G. H. Harper)	Ngakaroro 3d No. 1, Section 5b.
25	Rota Waitoa Paki (by her solicitors, Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers)	Otaki, Sections 136, 137, 152, and 153.
26	Henare Parata (agent for Te Rawhiti te Rangitoakiwaho and others)	Papawai No. 6.
27	Rawiri Matangi Bates and others (by their solicitors, O. and R. Beere)	Polhill Gully, Section 23, Subdivision 2 and other lands.
28	Rewanui Apatari (for Herena Apatari and others)	Puketotara Nos. 334 and 335, Subdivision 2B No. 2.
29	Matana Eriha (for Hoera Rangihakaewa)	Tiratu.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Children.	Name of Present Trustee.
150	Heremaia Maika	Mikomiko No. 47 ..	Te Noho, or Mereana te Whaua, or Noho Manuera, or Noho te Noho ..	William Iorns and Whaitiri Waimarama.
151	"	Okurupatu A No. 2 ..	Ditto ..	Ditto.
152	"	" " " " B No. 3 ..	" " " " "	" " " " "
153	"	Mataikona No. 3B ..	" " " " "	" " " " "
154	"	" " " " Nq. 2B ..	" " " " "	" " " " "
155	"	Akura No. 3c ..	" " " " "	" " " " "
156	"	" " " " No. 8 ..	" " " " "	" " " " "
157	"	" " " " 14B No. 1 ..	" " " " "	" " " " "
158	"	Rakautatahi No. 1g ..	" " " " "	" " " " "
159	"	Otawhao A3, Section 49 ..	" " " " "	" " " " "
160	"	Otawhao A5, Subdivision 1 ..	" " " " "	" " " " "
161	"	Manaia No. 107, Section 1 ..	" " " " "	" " " " "
162	"	Owhaoko C No. 1 ..	" " " " "	" " " " "
163	Urapana Horima (by his solicitors, Gifford Moore and Beale)	Puketotara 334 and 335, Section 5 ..	Hana Urapana ..	Hemara te Whetu.
164	Tamehana Wereta (by his solicitors, Gifford Moore and Beale)	Ditto	Rangitakuku Taatari ..	" " " " "
165	Tahurangi Jones	Hutt, Section 19, Subdivision 12 and other lands ..	Wereta Teone Tahurangi ..	Pitama Tahurangi.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Person under Disability.
166	Harry Wirikake	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 7D No. 1, Section 6	Kararaina Hirma and others.
167	Kahukore Hurinui (by her solicitor, G. H. Harper)	Horowhenua XI B, Section 41, North A No. 1	Wiki Hunia or Raraku.
168	Ditto	Horowhenua XI B, Section 36, No. 2L, Section 5	"

APPLICATIONS FOR ADOPTION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Names of Adopted Children.	Names of Parents.
169	Taare Pouhiki	Phyllis Parera Matenga ..	Kakikake Matenga and Riria.
170	Terina Hoani	Te Kawankurua Hanita and Mua-o-te-tangata	Hanita Henare and Roka Hanita.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 34 OF THE MAORI LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1903, FOR ORDER VESTING LAND IN DISCHARGE OF SURVEY LIENS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount of Survey Lien.
171	Commissioner of Crown Lands, Wellington	Pukerua No. 3A	£ s. d. 5 12 6
172	"	" No. 3B	9 7 6
173	"	Orangikaupapa No. 12	3 18 9
174	"	" No. 8	3 18 9
175	"	" No. 3	3 18 9
176	"	Korokoro South	5 0 0
177	"	" North	5 0 0
178	"	Hutt, Sections 1 and 2, Subdivision 2 ..	1 16 8

APPLICATION FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
179	Henare te Ara Hirawea	Makareta Paurini Hirawea.

180 Application is hereby made by the Public Trustee for an order determining that, as executor of the will of Karepa Waata, deceased, he is entitled to the sum of £183 6s. 1d., being balance of purchase-money paid to Tama te Hura for the Pahiatua No. 7 Block.

At the conclusion of the Wellington sitting the Court will adjourn to Kaikoura to deal with such cases as can be more conveniently heard there.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board.

Gisborne, 13th September, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board to be held at Gisborne on Tuesday, the 3rd day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

[T. 1911-10.]

ALEX. KEEFER, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF LEASES.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Maori Lessor.	Term of Lease.	Area proposed to be leased.
1	T. 1911/273	Roka Tiereti	Wharekahika (Taiti-muroa)	Watene te Akau and others	Yrs. 21	A. R. P. 1,200 0 0
2	T. 1911/289	Ann Quirk	Whakapaupakihi No. 2	The proprietors .. .. .	.. ..	2,000 0 0

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS (OTHER THAN LEASES).

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
3	T. 1911/274	Transfer ..	21 March, 1911 ..	Opoho No. 3B ..	Wi Kaipuke and others to Mary Vaughan (solicitors, De Lautour, Barker, Stock, and Matthews).
4	T. 1911/275	" ..	15 July, 1911] ..	[Whakaangi 5B No. 2B2 ..	Wi Ngara Houkamau and others to May De Lautour (solicitors, De Lautour, Barker, Stock, and Matthews).
5	T. 1911/276	" ..	17 August, 1911 ..	Papatu A No. 6A ..	Te Roera Tareha to William Clark (solicitors, Nolan and Skeet).
6	T. 1911/277	" ..	17 " 1911 ..	" A No. 6B ..	Ditto.
7	T. 1911/278	" ..	8 September, 1911 ..	Manukawhikitiki A 1 ..	Merihi Ngore to Frederick Thomas Hall (solicitors, Nolan and Skeet).
8	T. 1911/279	" ..	4 " 1911 ..	" ..	Horiana Tupeka to Frederick Thomas Hall (solicitors, Nolan and Skeet).
9	T. 1911/280	" ..	29 May, 1911 ..	Nukutaurua No. 2D ..	Mohi Tuamotu and others to George Edward Ormond (solicitors, Nolan and Skeet).
10	T. 1911/281	" ..	28 April, 1911 ..	" ..	Hape Kereru to George Edward Ormond (solicitors, Nolan and Skeet).
11	T. 1911/282	" ..	23 July, 1911 ..	Kahaatureia No. 2A ..	Whereri Mete and others to Myra Powdrell (solicitors, Nolan and Skeet).
12	T. 1911/283	" ..	18 March, 1911 ..	Mangaoae No. 2A6 ..	Himiona Kautuku and others to S. Kirkpatrick (solicitors, Chrisp and Coleman).
13	T. 1911/284	" ..	18 " 1911 ..	Mangaheia 1B No. 3C ..	Rameka Makuru and others to Helen Boland (solicitors, Chrisp and Coleman).
14	T. 1911/285	Mortgage ..	6 September, 1911 ..	Kaiti No. 207 ..	Himiona Katipa to John Thomas Evans (solicitors, Chrisp and Coleman).
15	T. 1911/286	" ..	6 " 1911 ..	" Nos. 199 and 200 ..	Harete Taihuka to H. J. Bushnell (solicitors, Chrisp and Coleman).
16	T. 1911/290	" ..	11 " 1911 ..	" No. 329 ..	Sarah Cunningham to J. F. Ross (solicitors, Kirk, Burnard, and Sievwright).
17	T. 1911/292	Transfer ..	11 July, 1911 ..	Opoho No. 4E3 ..	Hariata Reupena to Mary Vaughan (solicitor, F. J. Foot).
18	T. 1911/293	" ..	22 March, 1911 ..	" No. 2 ..	Winiata te Rito and others to Mary Vaughan (solicitor, F. J. Foot).
19	T. 1911/294	" ..	13 September, 1911 ..	Papatu No. A No. 6C ..	Wetini Rikirangi to William Clark (solicitors, Nolan and Skeet).
20	T. 1911/272	" ..	7 March, 1911 ..	Te Kiwi ..	Eweneriti te Naihi and others to J. N. Heslop (solicitors, De Lautour, Barker, Stock, and Matthews).
21	T. 1911/270	Mortgage ..	18 August, 1911 ..	Waiomoko No. 2 ..	Karepa Kautuku to Henry Williams (solicitors, Kirk, Burnard, and Sievwright).
22	T. 1911/295	Transfer ..	16 " 1911 ..	Whatatuna No. 4 ..	Mikaera Parekeiha and others to William Clark (solicitors, Nolan and Skeet).

APPLICATIONS FOR PRECEDENT CONSENT TO PROPOSED ALIENATIONS UNDER SECTION 209 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
23	T. 1911/263	Lease ..	Mangawhariki No. 6 ..	Natives to Te Hau Konatu (solicitors, De Lautour, Barker, Stock, and Matthews).
24	T. 1911/265	" ..	Hurakia No. 1 ..	Natives to Pehikura Awatere (solicitors, De Lautour, Barker, Stock, and Matthews).
25	T. 1911/268	" ..	Marahea ..	Natives to Wiremu Karaka.

APPLICATIONS FOR RECOMMENDATION FOR PRECEDENT CONSENT OF THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL UNDER SECTION 230 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
26	T. 1911/287	Mortgage ..	Kaiti No. 207 ..	Himiona Katipa to John Thomas Evans (solicitors, Chrisp and Coleman).
27	T. 1911/288	" ..	" Nos. 199 and 200 ..	Harete Taihuka to Herbert James Bushnell (solicitors, Chrisp and Coleman).
28	T. 1911/291	" ..	" No. 329 ..	Sarah Cunningham to Julian Frances Ross (solicitors, Kirk, Burnard, and Sievwright).
29	T. 1911/262	" ..	Waiomoko No. 2 ..	Karepa Kautuku to Henry Williams (solicitors, Kirk, Burnard, and Sievwright).

Meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 19th September, 1911.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board to be held at Wellington on Tuesday, the 3rd day of October, 1911, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow. At the conclusion of local business the Board will adjourn to Masterton and Hastings.

J. B. JACK, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATION.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	I. 1911/325	Lease ..	16 December, 1910 ..	Akura No. 2, Section 2A (part)	Pane Ihaka to Martin Kerins (R. K. Jackson).
2	I. 1911/448	.. ..	13 March, 1911 ..	Manawatu - Kukutauaki No. 4C, Subdivision 5A, Sections 2 and 3	Reweti Te Whena and others to Catherine Agnes Thomson (McGrath and Willis).
3	I. 1911/449	.. ..	7 February, 1911 ..	Akura No. 2, Section 2A (part)	Hera Tare to Martin Kerins (R. K. Jackson).
4	I. 1911/450	Transfer ..	29 July, 1911 ..	Rangitikei-Manawatu B No. 4 (part)	Ema Hemi te Aweawe to Mary Emily Gimblett (Innes and Oakley).
5	I. 1911/452	Lease ..	.. ..	Okaihau 3c No. 2 ..	Natives to Joseph Gillies (George Ebbett).
6	I. 1911/453	Transfer ..	30 June, 1911 ..	Horowhenua XI B 41 South G (part)	Hera te Upokoiri to Honora Hannan (R. D. Bagnall).
7	I. 1911/455	Lease ..	27 July, 1911 ..	Kohurau No. 2b ..	Erena Karauria to David Lumsden (T. W. Lewis).
8	I. 1911/456	Transfer ..	6 and 21 June, 1911..	Ngarara West A, Section 79 (part)	Pekahou Pehi Parata and another to Arthur Cyrus Mason (R. C. Sim).
9	I. 1911/462	.. ..	24 August, 1911 ..	Lot 23, Section 153, Township of Sandon	Karehana Tauranga to William Edward Weightman (J. Graham).
10	I. 1911/463	.. ..	.. ..	Manawatu - Kukutauaki No. 4B, Subdivision 4B No. 1	Winia Petera to William Bevan, jun. (McGrath and Willis).
11	I. 1911/464	.. ..	.. ..	Manawatu - Kukutauaki No. 4B, Subdivision 4C No. 3	Pirihira Tamihana and others to William Bevan, jun. (McGrath and Willis).
12	I. 1911/465	.. ..	15 June, 1911 ..	Aorang 3D No. 2B ..	Ereni te Aweawe to Agnes Tenant (Gifford Moore and Beale).
13	I. 1911/467	.. ..	.. ..	Manawatu - Kukutauaki 4A No. 2, Subdivision 1A No. 3 (part)	Te Kewa Anahira to Dugald Thomson (McGrath and Willis).
14	I. 1911/468	Lease ..	.. ..	Manawatu - Kukutauaki 4A No. 2, Subdivision 1A Nos. 2 and 3	Te Kewa Atnahira to William Bevan, jun. (McGrath and Willis).
15	I. 1911/469	.. ..	4 July, 1911 ..	Waiotchika No. 2 ..	Manihera Ruka and others to James Coe (Menteath and Ward).
16	I. 1911/470	.. ..	21 August, 1911 ..	Manawatu - Kukutauaki 2d No. 12	Poaneki te Momo to Edward Henry Law (Hankins and Lockhart Fitzherbert).
17	I. 1911/472	Transfer ..	6 September, 1911 ..	Waopukatea East No. 1A, Section 8	Pita Taipua and another to Harold Small (R. J. Staveley).
18	I. 1911/473	.. ..	18 August, 1911 ..	Waopukatea East No. 1A, Section 9	Ramari Tame Hawea to Harold Small (R. J. Staveley).
19	I. 1911/474	.. ..	10 ,, 1911 ..	Horowhenua XI B 36 2L No. 4	Noa Tawhati to James Leydon (G. H. Harper).
20	I. 1911/475	Lease ..	18 July, 1911 ..	Himatangi No. 3b ..	Turi Pineaha and others to Edith Myrtle Barber (Chapman, Skerrett, Wylie, and Tripp).
21	I. 1911/476	.. ..	18 ,, 1911 ..	Himatangi No. 3A, Section 2 (part)	Iwi Eruere and others to Ainslie Knight Barber (Chapman, Skerrett, Wylie, and Tripp).
22	I. 1911/477	.. ..	18 ,, 1911 ..	Ditto ..	Tawhairua Eruera and another to Otho Barber (Chapman, Skerrett, Wylie, and Tripp).
23	I. 1911/478	Transfer ..	17 August, 1911 ..	Wainui A (part) ..	Waitaoro Raniera to Harold Smith (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
24	I. 1911/479	.. ..	.. ..	Wakapua No. 1 (part) ..	Taniera Ranapiri and another to George McBeath (Kirk and Lyon).
25	I. 1911/480	Lease ..	27 October, 1910 ..	Waimarama 3A No. 6B ..	Huria Heta and others to Miki Thomas (D. Scannell).
26	I. 1911/481	.. ..	20 July, 1911 ..	Pukehou 4G No. 8A ..	Hakaria Rangikura and another to William Martin Simcox (Kirk and Lyon).
27	I. 1911/482	.. ..	29 May, 1911 ..	Rakautatahi 1B No. 1 ..	Hera Tipene and others to William Francis Wood (Kennedy, Lusk, and Morling).
28	I. 1911/484	Transfer ..	11 September, 1911 ..	Te Whiti North No. 5 (part)	Wirihita Pinea to Eleanora Louisa Wardell (C. A. Pownall).
29	I. 1911/485	Lease ..	9 August, 1911 ..	Patangata 4A No. 6 ..	Rititia Maremare to Andrew Duncan Priest (D. Scannell).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
30	I. 1911/486	Transfer ..	26 August, 1911 ..	Waiongharakeke No. 1	Te Wira Aomarama to Norman Moore White (D. Scannell).
31	I. 1911/487	" ..	29 " 1911 ..	Eparaima G No. 3B ..	Maraea Apatu to Agnes Elizabeth Fleming (D. Scannell).
32	I. 1911/488	" ..	31 July, 1911 ..	Hikutoto South No. 5 (part)	Matenga Pekapeka and others to George Woodward (D. Scannell).
33	I. 1911/489	" ..	11 " 1911 ..	Waihuahua No. 4A (part)	Kerehoma Paora to Olaf Carlson (D. Scannell).
34	I. 1911/490	" ..	20 May, 1911 ..	" "	Renata te Nii and others to Olaf Carlson (D. Scannell).
35	I. 1911/491	" ..	3 August, 1911 ..	Te Aute 3B No. 3 ..	Tareha Kingi to Colin Kinross White (D. Scannell).
36	I. 1911/492	" ..	— September, 1911 ..	Purimu No. 3 ..	Hemi Kireka Rapaea to Agnes Elizabeth Fleming (D. Scannell).
37	I. 1911/493	" ..	6 " 1911 ..	Ohiti-Waitio No. 1b ..	Hakihaki Raurimu to Anihira Nikera (D. Scannell).
38	I. 1911/494	" ..	— " 1911 ..	Section 9, Block IV, Ruataniwha Survey District (Tikokino)	Tuihata Arona and others to Lizzie Susan Holden (D. Scannell).
39	I. 1911/495	" ..	2 " 1911 ..	Ditto ..	Wikitoria te Umairangi to Lizzie Susan Holden (D. Scannell).
40	I. 1911/496	" ..	19 August, 1911 ..	Waiongharakeke No. 4	Tangatake Hapuka to Norman Moore White (D. Scannell).
41	I. 1911/497	" ..	23 " 1911 ..	" No. 9	Urupeni Puhara to Norman Moore White (D. Scannell).
42	I. 1911/498	" ..	21 " 1911 ..	Tapairu No. 16A ..	Waiata Epiha to Te Mare Nepa (D. Scannell).
43	I. 1911/499	Lease ..	13 May, 1911 ..	Pukerowhiti 1A, Section 4	Mereana Hapuka to Colin Kinross White (D. Scannell).
44	I. 1911/500	" ..	30 August, 1911 ..	Eparaima G No. 3C ..	Te Atua Renata and others to John Winlove (D. Scannell).
45	I. 1911/501	Transfer ..	" ..	Wharerangi No. 2 ..	Te Muera te Aitu and others to Herbert Gregory Ballantyne (D. Scannell).
46	I. 1911/502	" ..	14 August, 1911 ..	Whenuakura No. 12 ..	Mereairu Petera to John Brooker (D. Scannell).
47	I. 1911/503	" ..	9 September, 1911 ..	Waikopiro 1B, Section 2B No. 2	Tungane Hori and others to Morgan Morgan (D. Scannell).
48	I. 1911/504	" ..	8 " 1911 ..	Ngapaeruru 4B No. 2 ..	Te Kukunga o te Rangī and others to Charles Edkins (Fitzherbert and Robertshaw).
49	I. 1911/505	" ..	14 " 1911 ..	" 2B No. 2 ..	Amiria Ropiha and others to Charles Edkins (Fitzherbert and Robertshaw).
50	I. 1911/509	Lease ..	20 July, 1911 ..	Ohaeretahi 2A No. 4 ..	Whenua Manihera to A. C. Feast (M. Lavery).
51	I. 1911/510	Transfer ..	6 " 1911 ..	Koangaumu No. 7 ..	Hera Paneta and others to Herbert John Jillett (Menteath and Ward).
52	I. 1911/511	" ..	21 June, 1911 ..	Kahotea No. 1E ..	Te Riri Ngapaki and others to Herbert John Jillett (Menteath and Ward).
53	I. 1911/512	" ..	18 July, 1911 ..	Kahotea No. 1D, Section 2	Winara Parata and others to Herbert John Jillett (Menteath and Ward).
54	I. 1911/513	" ..	6 May, 1911 ..	Takapuwahia A North No. 2	Hoani Horomona and others to Herbert John Jillett (Menteath and Ward).
55	I. 1911/514	" ..	3 April, 1911 ..	Takapuwahia A North No. 1	Ruihi Horomona to Herbert John Jillett (Menteath and Ward).
56	I. 1911/515	" ..	13 " 1911 ..	Ohau No. 3, Subdivision 26, Section 2D No. 4B	Perenara Mohi Heremia and others to Beatrice Mary Jillett (Menteath and Ward).
57	I. 1911/516	" ..	— September, 1911 ..	Ohau No. 3, Subdivision 26, Section 2D No. 2	Heera Ranapiri to Beatrice Mary Jillett (Menteath and Ward).
58	I. 1911/517	" ..	— " 1911 ..	Kenepuru 5A No. 2B No. 1	Ruta Maaka to Thomas Henry Eastwood (Menteath and Ward).
59	I. 1911/518	" ..	19 June, 1911 ..	Wairere No. 2, Subdivision D	Mere te Hiko and others to Rachael Jane Whitehouse (Menteath and Ward).
60	I. 1911/519	Agreement for sale	10 " 1911 ..	Okurupatu B No. 3A ..	Meri Elers and others to Alexander Reside and Sons (A. R. Bunny).
61	I. 1911/520	Ditto ..	10 " 1911 ..	" 1B No. 3B ..	Ahi Kouka Witinitara and others to Alexander Reside and Sons (A. R. Bunny).
62	I. 1911/521	Lease ..	27 April, 1911 ..	Te Maipi No. 6 ..	Hori te Huki and others to Alexander Reside and Sons (A. R. Bunny).
63	I. 1911/522	Agreement for sale	6 June, 1911 ..	Okurupatu A No. 3, Subdivisions E, F, and G of Subdivision 2A Nos. 1 and 2B	Akitu Watene and others to Alexander Reside and Sons (A. R. Bunny).
64	I. 1911/523	Lease ..	4 July, 1911 ..	Te Maipi 7C Nos. 5 and 3	Piriip Waaka to Alexander Reside and Sons (A. R. Bunny).
65	I. 1911/524	Transfer ..	14 September, 1911 ..	Te Aute 3D No. 5 ..	Tangatake Hapuku and others to George Priest (E. J. W. Hallett).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
66	I. 1911/525	Transfer ..	31 May, 1911 ..	Ipuotaraia No. 4A ..	Te Whatuiapiti Renata to Jane Priest (E. J. W. Hallett).
67	I. 1911/526	.. ..	4 August, 1911 ..	Patangata 4A No. 5D ..	Rawiri Turi to Andrew Priest (E. J. W. Hallett).
68	I. 1911/527	.. ..	10 .. 1911 ..	.. 4A No. 5C ..	Taare Reupena to Andrew Duncan Priest (E. J. W. Hallett).
69	I. 1911/528	Agreement for sale	27 May, 1911 ..	Kaitoki No. 2 ..	Takerei Takerei to Marion Alex. Cowper (Fitzherbert and Robertshawe).
70	I. 1911/529	Transfer ..	12 September, 1911 ..	Tautane No. 3 ..	Tipene Matua to Silvester Martin (Dolan and Ferguson).
71	I. 1911/530	Lease ..	6 June, 1911 ..	Horowhenua XI B 41, Sub-division T	Paranihia Riwai and others to Thomas Hannan (Harper and Harper).
72	I. 1911/531	.. ..	20 .. 1911 ..	Horowhenua XI B 41, Sub-division O	Rawinia Ihaia and another to Thomas Hannan (Harper and Harper).
73	I. 1911/532	Transfer ..	.. ..	Okurupatu No. 3, Sub-division 2E No. 1	Hemi Tacapa and others to Grace Shaw (W. G. Beard).
74	I. 1911/535	.. ..	29 April, 1911 ..	Horowhenua XI B 41, South B Subdivision G	Rangipo Mete Kingi and others to Daniel Hannan, jun. (McGrath and Willis).
75	I. 1911/538	Lease ..	4 March, 1911 ..	Whenuakura No. 2 ..	Pikihua Eru and others to Akonga and Whakaiti Mohi (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
76	I. 1911/539	.. ..	7 July, 1911 ..	Purimu No. 6 ..	Eriata Nopera and others to Frances Ellen McNutt (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
77	I. 1911/540	Transfer ..	17 August, 1911 ..	Section 1, Block IV, Ruataniwha Survey District (Tikokino)	Te Moananui and others to Lizzie Susan Holden (Cotterill and Humphries).
78	I. 1911/541	.. ..	4 September, 1911 ..	Section 14D, Block IV, Ruataniwha Survey District (Tikokino)	Iriwata Hanita and another to John Morrison (Cotterill and Humphries).
79	I. 1911/542	.. ..	18 July, 1911 ..	Tuhirangi No. 8 (part) ..	Reretimi Kerei and others to Frederick Thomas Kelly (Cotterill and Humphries).
80	I. 1911/543	.. ..	15 August, 1911 ..	.. No. 8 (part) ..	Hemi Nuku and others to Frederick Thomas Kelly (Cotterill and Humphries).
81	I. 1911/544	.. ..	18 .. 1911 ..	.. No. 4 (part) ..	Hiha Ngarangione to Frederick Thomas Kelly (Cotterill and Humphries).
82	I. 1911/545	.. ..	15 September, 1911 ..	Section 6, Block IV, Ruataniwha D (Tikokino)	Warihia te Ihukino and another to Lizzie Susan Holden (Cotterill and Humphries).
83	I. 1911/546	Lease ..	29 July, 1911 ..	Ohau No. 3, Section 21 ..	Patuaka Taueke to Michael Narrie Bailey (W. Stewart Park).
84	I. 1911/547	Transfer ..	5 August, 1911 ..	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 2D No. 7D	Nekia te Rau to Michael Narrie Bailey (W. Stewart Park).
85	I. 1911/548	.. ..	5 .. 1911 ..	Horowhenua XI B 41, North D No. 1	Hoani Nahona to William Pringle (W. Stewart Park).
86	I. 1911/549	Lease ..	5 .. 1911 ..	Horowhenua XI B 41, Section K No. 3	Kingi Puihi to Arthur Cyrus Mason (W. Stewart Park).
87	I. 1911/550	.. ..	26 July, 1911 ..	Horowhenua XI A, Sub-section 6	Kingi Puihi to Andrew Cumming (W. Stewart Park).
88	I. 1911/551	.. ..	1 September, 1911 ..	Horowhenua XI B 41, Section L	Hema Henare to Arthur Cyrus Mason (W. Stewart Park).
89	I. 1911/552	Transfer ..	5 July, 1911 ..	Totaranui No. 11B ..	Hipora Erueere to Thomas O'Rourke (Kirk and Lyon).
90	I. 1911/553	.. ..	12 August, 1911 ..	Puninga No. 1 ..	Rapihana Kopu Hawaikirangi to Horace Ian Simson (T. W. Lewis).
91	I. 1911/554	.. ..	12 September, 1911 ..	.. No. 3 ..	Paerikiriki Otene and another to Horace Ian Simson (T. W. Lewis).
92	I. 1911/555	.. ..	5 August, 1911 ..	Hikutoto South No. 2 ..	Te Arawhata Pirini to Horace Ian Simson (T. W. Lewis).
93	I. 1911/556	.. ..	6 September, 1911 ..	Awahuri Block ..	Hemi Nuku to Hiraani Tiakitai (T. W. Lewis).
94	I. 1911/557	.. ..	.. ..	Ipuotaraia No. 2 ..	Henare Matua to Charity Groome (D. Scannell).
95	I. 1911/558	.. ..	13 September, 1911 ..	Whenuakura No. 9 ..	Te Kani Hori and others to Charles Hamlin (D. Scannell).
96	I. 1911/559	.. ..	.. ..	Te Aute No. 4C ..	Tutua Maera to Colin Kinross White (D. Scannell).
97	I. 1911/562	.. ..	.. ..	Pukengaki No. 23A ..	Rihara Ihaia to Blanche Ethel Jury (A. J. Bathgate).
98	I. 1911/564	Lease ..	18 September, 1911 ..	Horowhenua XI B 41, South G No. 3	Wirihana Hunia to William Stewart Park (W. Stewart Park).
99	I. 1911/565	Transfer ..	18 .. 1911 ..	Horowhenua XI B 41, South G No. 2	Wirihana Hunia to Lindsay Banks Barron (W. Stewart Park).
100	I. 1911/566	.. ..	18 .. 1911 ..	Papaaruhe No. 4A ..	Te Whatuiapiti Renata to Waipapu Board of Diocesan Trustees (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
101	I. 1911/567	.. ..	30 June, 1911 ..	Otawhao A No. 3, Section 53	Ripeka Inia and others to Rose Jane Prescott (Sainsbury, Logan and Williams).

APPLICATIONS FOR PRECEDENT CONSENT TO ALIENATIONS UNDER SECTION 209 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
102	I. 1911/454	Lease	Omahu Nos. 1A and 1B, Sections 1 and 2	Natives to Pera Hohepa (T. W. Lewis).
103	I. 1911/460	Sale	Lot 3, Section 274, Block 8, Wainui-oru Survey District	Piripi Waaka and others to Thomas Robert Barrer (M. Lavery).
104	I. 1911/466	"	Waihuahua No. 5B	Natives to Hilda Carlson (D. Scannell).
105	I. 1911/508	"	Himatangi No. 3A, Section 3	Wakarau te Kotua and another to Harold Barber (Field and Luckie).
106	I. 1911/532	"	Awaawaroa No. 1, Subdivision No. 1	Whareiti Ruka and others to Martin Elgar (W. G. Beard).
107	I. 1911/534	"	Rangatiramata Block	Natives to Frances Mary McGaffin (Carlile, McLean, and Wood).
108	I. 1911/561	"	Pukengaki No. 3	Natives to Rachel Burch (A. J. Bathgate).
109	I. 1911/563	"	" No. 23B	Natives to Blanche Ethel Jury (A. J. Bathgate).

APPLICATION IN TERMS OF SECTION 341 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909, THAT MEETINGS OF ASSEMBLED OWNERS BE SUMMONED.

No	Record No.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.	Name of Land.	Proposed Resolution for Consideration.
110	I. 1911/444	Lease	Heru-a-Tureia Block	That portions of the said land be leased to Frank and Francis Ross for a term of twenty one years at a rental of not less than 5 per cent. on the Government valuation.

APPLICATION TO RECOMMEND HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR TO CONSENT TO MORTGAGE UNDER SECTION 230 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
111	I. 1911/536	Ngarara West B Nos. 2 and 3	Te Wharemaru Ihakara to William James Howell (Moorhouse and Hadfield).

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waima North A No. 22 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Rawene, on Wednesday, the 18th day of October, 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the right be granted to Easson (Limited) to fell and remove the timber from the said land during a period of ten years, on payment of a royalty of 4d. per 100 superficial feet."

Dated at Auckland, this 12th day of September, 1911.

W. DINNIE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waima South A Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Rawene, on Wednesday, the 18th day of October, 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the right be granted to Easson (Limited) to fell and remove the timber from the said land during a period of ten years, on payment of a royalty of 4d. per 100 superficial feet."

Dated at Auckland, this 12th day of September, 1911.

W. DINNIE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waima South D Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Rawene, on Wednesday, the 18th day of October, 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the right be granted to Easson (Limited) to fell and remove the timber from the said land during a period of ten years, on payment of a royalty of 4d. per 100 superficial feet."

Dated at Auckland, this 12th day of September, 1911.

W. DINNIE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waima South D 1 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Rawene, on Wednesday, the 18th day of October, 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the right be granted to Easson (Limited) to fell and remove the timber from the said land during a period of ten years, on payment of a royalty of 4d. per 100 superficial feet."

Dated at Auckland, this 12th day of September, 1911.

W. DINNIE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waima South D 1 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Rawene, on Wednesday, the 18th day of October, 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the kahikatea and rimu on the above block be sold to the Union Box and Packing-case Company (Limited) at a royalty of 6d. per 100 superficial feet, with a right to remove the timber within a term of seven years."

Dated at Auckland, this 19th day of September, 1911.

W. DINNIE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Motatau No. 1 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kawakawa, on Thursday, the 12th day of October, 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the kahikatea and rimu timber standing on the said block be sold to the Kauri Timber Company (Limited) for the sum of £400."

Dated at Auckland, this 16th day of September, 1911.

W. DINNIE,
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 Makirikiri No. 1 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Court-house, Masterton, on Friday, the 6th day of October, 1911, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of determining the person or persons to whom the said land, which is subject to Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909, shall be leased.

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of September, 1911.

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 Makirikiri No. 2 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Court-house, Masterton, on Friday, the 6th day of October, 1911, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of determining the person or persons to whom the said land, which is subject to Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909, shall be leased.

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of September, 1911.

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 Makirikiri No. 3 Block will be held, in pursuance of

Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Court-house, Masterton, on Friday, the 6th day of October, 1911, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of determining the person or persons to whom the said land, which is subject to Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909, shall be leased.

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of September, 1911.

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 Makirikiri No. 4 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Court-house, Masterton, on Friday, the 6th day of October, 1911, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of determining the person or persons to whom the said land, which is subject to Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909, shall be leased.

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of September, 1911.

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 Makirikiri No. 5 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Court-house, Masterton, on Friday, the 6th day of October, 1911, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of determining the person or persons to whom the said land, which is subject to Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909, shall be leased.

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of September, 1911.

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 Makirikiri No. 6 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Court-house, Masterton, on Friday, the 6th day of October, 1911, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of determining the person or persons to whom the said land, which is subject to Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909, shall be leased.

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of September, 1911.

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 Makirikiri No. 7 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Court-house, Masterton, on Friday, the 6th day of October, 1911, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of determining the person or persons to whom the said land, which is subject to Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909, shall be leased.

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of September, 1911.

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 Makirikiri No. 9 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Courthouse, Masterton, on Friday, the 6th day of October, 1911, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of determining the person or persons to whom the said land, which is subject to Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909, shall be leased.

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of September, 1911.

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 Makirikiri No. 10 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Courthouse, Masterton, on Friday, the 6th day of October, 1911, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of determining the person or persons to whom the said land, which is subject to Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909, shall be leased.

Dated at Wellington, this 18th day of September, 1911.

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 Kohurau No. 2D Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Courthouse, Hastings, on Wednesday, the 11th day of October, 1911, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be vested in the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board for sale under Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909.”

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of September, 1911.

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 Tutaehao No. 2 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Courthouse, Masterton, on Friday, the 6th day of October, 1911, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be vested in the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board for sale under Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909.”

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of September, 1911.

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 Porangahau 1A No. 3B, Section 2, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at the Courthouse, Hastings, on Wednesday, the 11th day of October, 1911, 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 Wellington, this 20th day of September, 1911.

J. B. JACK,
President.**BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.***In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Hamilton.*

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD RANGELEY, of Waihi, Furniture Dealer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Waihi, on Friday, the 22nd day of September, 1911, at 3 p.m.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 14th September, 1911.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that SYDNEY HERBERT CATCHPOLE, of Waihi, Draper's Assistant, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Waihi, on Friday, the 22nd day of September, 1911, at 2 p.m.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 14th September, 1911.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that DIMITAR PETROFF, of Te Kopuru, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Dargaville, on Tuesday, the 26th day of September, 1911, at 2 p.m.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 18th September, 1911.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends in the under-mentioned estates are now payable at my office on all proved and accepted claims:—

Joseph Charles Ruston, of Napier, Baker: Second and final dividend of 1s. 5½d. in the pound.

Eckford and Fagan, of Napier, Butchers: First and final of 4s. 1½d. in the pound.

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

Napier, 16th September, 1911.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALBERT JAMES ARNOLD, of Levin, Butcher, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Levin, on Wednesday, the 20th day of September, 1911, at 3 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Palmerston North, 14th September, 1911.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOSEPH ROBINSON, of Millerton, Miner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 21st day of September, 1911, at 2 o'clock p.m.

W. T. SLEE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

13th September, 1911.

In Bankruptcy.

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

Higginson Bros., of Dunedin, Butchers: Second and final of 5s. in the pound.

William Thomas Paynter, of Palmerston South, Blacksmith: First and final of 5s. in the pound.

Harry Louie, of Palmerston South, Fruiterer: First and final of 8½d. in the pound.

F. H. MORICE,
Official Assignee.

Dunedin, 13th September, 1911.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 80, folio 157, of the Register-book, in favour of HERBERT EDWARD AVERILL, of Henderson, Gentleman, for Lot 9 of a subdivision of Allotment 6 of the Parish of Waipareira, having been lodged with me, and application made to issue a provisional certificate of title, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue a provisional certificate of title accordingly at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated the 15th day of September, 1911, at the Lands Registry Office, at Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

5201. Applicant, WILLIAM FREDERICK SINCLAIR.—Allotments 78 and 79, and part of Allotment 76, Parish of Waiuku East, containing 791 acres 3 roods. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 20th day of September, 1911, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of provisional certificates of title in the name of WILLIAM COUTTS, of Normanby, Farmer, for Allotments 439, 441, 443, 444, 445, 504, 505, and 506, Township of Normanby Extension, being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 4, folio 174, Vol. 8, folio 162, Vol. 34, folio 4, and Vol. 38, folio 119, Taranaki Registry, and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said certificates of title, I hereby give notice of my intention to issue the provisional certificates of title as requested upon the expiration of fourteen days of the publication hereof in the *Gazette*.

Dated this 18th day of September, 1911, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

A. V. STURTEVANT,
Assistant Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 23rd day of October, 1911.

Application 4424 (Plan A/2878). ARTHUR EDWARD PEARCE.—4 acres and 3½ perches, part Section 96, Hutt, Block I, Rimutaka Survey District. Unoccupied.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 21st day of September, 1911, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a discharge of Mortgage No. 15639, in favour of EMMA HUNT, of Mataura, Widow, over Lots 6 and 7, Block III, Plan 81, pt. 5A Waimumu Hundred, being all the land in certificate of title, Vol. 22, folio 232, and evidence of the loss of the said mortgage having been lodged, I hereby give notice that I will register the said discharge unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, this 18th day of September, 1911.

L. PAULING,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in favour of JENS PETER PETERSEN, of Invercargill, Carpenter, for Section 1, Block I, Township of Killrony, being the land contained in certificate of title, Vol. 22, folio 132, and evidence having been lodged of the destruction of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I shall issue a provisional certificate of title as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, the 13th day of September, 1911.

L. PAULING,
District Land Registrar.

MINING NOTICES.

THE KARAKA MINES (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of section 302 of the Companies Act, 1908, that the Karaka Mines (Limited), a gold-mining company duly incorporated in London, England, proposes to commence and carry on business at Thames, New Zealand; and that the company's office or place of business in New Zealand where legal process of any kind may be served upon it, and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered, is situated at Albert Street, Thames.

Dated at Thames, this 31st day of August, 1911.

MILLER AND SON,
Solicitors for the Company.

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UNDER THE MINING ACT, 1908.

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE FOR A WATER-RACE.—No. 4/11.

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

PURSUANT to the Mining Act, 1908, the undersigned, Robert Lee, of Lake Hayes, Lake County, New Zealand, Gentleman, hereby applies for a license for a water-race as specified in the Schedule hereto, the course whereof has been duly marked out for the purpose.

Precise time of marking out privilege applied for: 4 p.m. on 5th September, 1911.

Date and number of miner's right: 7th January, 1911; No. 85501.

Address for service: Office of Wesley Turton, Solicitor, Queenstown.

Dated at Queenstown, this 8th day of September, 1911.

Schedule.

Locality of the race and of its starting and terminal points: Boundary Creek, Kawarau River, commencing at a point in said Boundary Creek about a mile and a half above the junction of the said creek with the Kawarau River; thence running in about a north-westerly direction for about 40 chains in an open race about 1 ft. deep and 2 ft. wide (using fluming where necessary); thence in about a north-westerly direction for about 62 chains to the Kawarau River using 12½ in. iron pipes; thence for about 5 chains, crossing the Kawarau River on suspension-ropes, using about 330 ft. of 11 in. iron pipes; thence for about 76 chains in a northerly direction through Sections 131, 101, 89, 83, and 84, Block III, Shotover Survey District, using 12½ in. iron pipes to the main road (Queenstown to Arrowtown); thence across the said main road (a two-chain one) at a point about 16 chains west of Thomas Morrison's gate, using 12½ in. iron pipes; thence in a northerly direction through Sections 57 and 65, thence crossing a public road, and then

into and terminating in Section 105, Block III, Shotover Survey District, at a point on Slope Hill, a distance of about 44 chains from the said main road, using 12½ in. iron pipes.

Length and intended course of race: About 229 chains; north-westerly and then northerly.

Points of intake: Commencing-point.

Estimated time and cost of construction: Nine months; £4,900.

Mean depth and breadth: First 40 chains open race, 1 ft. deep by 2 ft. wide, then about 62 chains of 12½ in. iron pipes to the Kawarau River, then 11 in. iron pipes across the Kawarau River, and from there to the terminating-point 12½ in. iron pipes.

Number of heads to be diverted: Six.

Purposes for which water is to be used: Domestic, irrigation, industrial pursuits, feeding or driving machinery, and supplying any tank, reservoir, or house with water.

Proposed term of license: Forty-two years.

Pegs marked X.

ROBERT LEE
(By his Solicitor, WESLEY TURTON),
Applicant.

Precise time of filing of the foregoing application: 10.46 a.m., 8th September, 1911.

Time and place appointed for the hearing of the application and all objections thereto: Thursday, 24th October, 1911, at 11 a.m., at the Warden's Court, at Queenstown.

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

A. J. THOMPSON,
Mining Registrar.
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TAIRUA LEADS (LIMITED), (IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the above-named company will be held at the registered office of the company, 2 Swanson Street, in the City of Auckland, on Thursday, the 28th day of September, 1911, at 2.30 p.m., for the purpose of considering an account prepared in accordance with section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, showing the manner in which the winding-up of the company has been conducted, and to pass a resolution disposing of the company's books.

H. D. ABBOTT,
Liquidator.
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Auckland, 12th September, 1911.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the Alexandra Antimony Company (Limited), (in voluntary liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named company are required, on or before the 11th day of October, 1911, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors, if any, to WALTER GEORGE FOSTER, ARTHUR THOMAS BATE, and HERBERT DOUGLAS VICKERY, at 100 Customhouse Quay, Wellington (the Liquidators of the said company); and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidators, are personally, or by their solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts or claims are proved.

W. G. FOSTER,
A. T. BATE,
H. D. VICKERY,
Liquidators.

Dated at Wellington, this twentieth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eleven. 607

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the Zealandia Gold-saving Process (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named company are required, on or before the 7th day of October, 1911, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any), to the undersigned, at his office, Hobson Buildings, Shortland

Street, Auckland, the Liquidator of the said company; and, if so required in writing from the said Liquidator, are personally, or by their solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts or claims are proved.

Dated at Auckland, this 18th day of September, 1911.

611 HENRY J. LEE,
Liquidator.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,
CANTERBURY DISTRICT.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the Dawson Patent Egg-carrier Company (Limited).

BY an order made by His Honour Mr. Justice Denton in the above matter dated the 12th day of September, 1911, on the petition of the Dawson Patent Egg-carrier and Produce Company (Limited), (in liquidation), a company duly incorporated under the provisions of the Companies Act in the State of New South Wales, in the Commonwealth of Australia, having its registered office in Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, a creditor of the above-named company, it was ordered that the Dawson Patent Egg-carrier Company (Limited) be wound up by this Court under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908; and that the Official Assignee in Bankruptcy at Christchurch be constituted Official Liquidator of the affairs of the company.

Dated this 14th day of September, 1911.

DUNCAN, COTTERILL, AND STRINGER,
Solicitors for the said Petitioner, A.M.P. Buildings,
Christchurch. 599

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,
CANTERBURY DISTRICT.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of Alfred Tyree and Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that creditors of the above-named company, who have not already done so, are required, on or before the 1st day of November, 1911, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors, if any, to JOHN HENRY STRINGER, of Cathedral Square, Christchurch, Accountant, the Liquidator of the said company, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are sent in.

Dated this 12th day of September, 1911.

DUNCAN, COTTERILL, AND STRINGER,
A.M.P. Buildings, Christchurch,
Solicitors to the above-named Liquidator. 600

THE COMMERCIAL PROPERTY AND FINANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, that a general meeting of the members of the Commercial Property and Finance Company (Limited) will be held at the office of the company, in Vogel Street, Dunedin, on Monday, the 9th day of October, 1911, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators; and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company and of the Liquidators thereof shall be disposed of.

Dated the 14th day of September, 1911.

JAMES ARKLE,
WILLIAM BURNETT,
A. HILL-JACK,
Liquidators. 601

DECLARATION OF POLL ON PROPOSAL TO
ADOPT SYSTEM OF RATING ON UNIMPROVED
VALUE.

PURSUANT to section 39 of the Rating Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the County of Featherston taken on the 15th day of September, 1911, on the proposal that the system of rating in the said county be on the unimproved value, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 173; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 181; informal votes, 5.

I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Dated at Martinborough, this 16th day of September, 1911.

ALEX. D. McLEOD,
County Chairman.

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WESTLAND COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of the Public Works Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Westland County Council, on behalf of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Westland County, propose to take, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Act, the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purpose of a public road.

And further notice is hereby given that a survey has been made and a plan has been prepared showing the land required to be taken, together with the names of the owners and occupiers of such land, so far as they can be ascertained; and a copy of such plan is deposited at the County Clerk's office, situate in Fitzherbert Street, Hokitika, and is open for inspection by all persons during ordinary office hours—namely, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

All persons affected are hereby called upon to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections to such work or to the taking of the said land, and to send such writing, within 40 (forty) days from the first publication of this notice, to the County Clerk, at the office of the said Council, situate as aforesaid.

Schedule.

All that parcel of land situate in Block VIII, Survey District of Waimea, Westland, having an approximate area of 2 acres 2 roods 15'6 perches, being part Sub-division 1A, Arahura Native Reserve, numbered 30, coloured pink on plan marked 1559; as the same is more particularly delineated on the said plan marked and coloured as aforesaid.

Dated at Hokitika, this 15th day of September, 1911.

By order.

D. J. EVANS,
County Clerk.

604

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the Waitui Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited), a company incorporated under the said Act, and having its registered office situated in Inglewood.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the 9th day of September, 1911, at an extraordinary general meeting held at its registered office in Inglewood, the Waitui Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited) confirmed as a special resolution the following resolution requiring the said company to be wound up voluntarily:—

"That, having regard to the agreement of the 15th day of May, 1911, made between this company and the Moa Farmers' Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited) for the sale and transfer of this company's land and premises, and part of its plant and machinery, to the Moa Farmers' Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited), it is desirable to wind up this company, and that accordingly this company—namely, the Waitui Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited)—be wound up voluntarily; and that, WILLIAM EDWARD PERCIVAL be and he is hereby appointed the Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up and for the purpose of distributing the assets of this company, at a remuneration of £15."

Dated at Inglewood aforesaid, this 18th day of September, 1911.

W. E. PERCIVAL,
Secretary to and Liquidator of the Waitui Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited).

Witness—Henry R. Billing, Solicitor, Inglewood.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, WILLIAM HUGHES FIELD, MARTIN LUCKIE, and GEORGE TOOGOOD, under the style of "Field, Luckie, and Toogood," Barristers and Solicitors, Wellington, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

Messrs. FIELD and LUCKIE will carry on the business of the late firm, and will receive all moneys owing to it and pay all debts and liabilities thereof.

Mr. Toogood retires from the said Partnership, and will recommence the practice of his profession in Wellington on the 1st day of March, 1912.

Dated this 31st day of August, 1911.

W. H. FIELD.
MARTIN LUCKIE.
GEO. TOOGOOD.

Witness to signatures—R. T. Adams, Law Clerk, Wellington. 606

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, JOHN KERNOHAN and WILLIAM GREER SANDS, carrying on business as Farmers at Pleasant Point, under the style or firm of "Kernohan and Sands," has been dissolved as from the date hereof.

Dated this 26th day of August, 1911.

JOHN KERNOHAN.
W. G. SANDS.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, GEORGE DORRICOTT and MATTHEW ANDREWS, carrying on business as Threshing-mill Proprietors at Pleasant Point, under the style or firm of "Andrews and Dorricott," has been dissolved as from the 31st day of March, 1911.

Dated this 16th day of September, 1911.

GEORGE DORRICOTT.
MATTHEW ANDREWS.

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I, WILLIAM SCOTT WATSON, Bach. Med. University Edinburgh, 1908, Bach. Surgery University Edinburgh, 1908, Doctor of Medicine, University Edinburgh 1911, now residing in Mental Hospital, Auckland, hereby give notice that I intend applying, on the 19th October, 1911, next, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Auckland.

W. SCOTT WATSON,
Mental Hospital, Auckland.

Dated at Auckland, 19th September, 1911. 610

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