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Lands reserved under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908.

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

WHEREAS by the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), a Scenery Preservation Board is constituted, and it is enacted that such Board shall, when so directed by the Minister charged for the time being with the administration of the said Act, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and make inquiries respecting the same, and report to the Governor; and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown or private, shall be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves: And whereas the said Board was duly directed to inspect and report on the lands described in the Schedule hereunder, and has recommended that the said lands should be permanently reserved for scenic purposes, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation:

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers contained in the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereunder shall be scenic reserves under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and subject to the provisions thereof.

SCHEDULE.

RANGITATAU SCENIC RESERVES.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 11 acres 2 roods 16 perches, more or less, being Section 10, Block I, Nukumarū Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Section 17, Block I, Nukumarū Survey District, a stock reserve, 622.5 links; towards the north generally by the Waitotara Valley Road; and towards the south-east and south generally by Section 14 of the said block: as the same is delineated on the

plan marked L. 624/1B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 17 acres 1 rood 24 perches, more or less, being Section 15, Block I, Nukumarū Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west and north generally by the Waitotara Valley Road; towards the north-east generally by Section 13, Block I, Nukumarū Survey District; and towards the south-east, south, and south-west generally by Section 16, Block V, Nukumarū Survey District: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 624/1C, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 36 acres 3 roods, more or less, being Section 4, Block V, Nukumarū Survey District. Bounded towards the north and east generally by Section 12, Block I, Nukumarū Survey District, 2216.5 links; by the crossing of the Waitotara Road, and by that road; towards the south, south-west, and west generally by Section 16, Block V, Nukumarū Survey District, 1942.6 links; by the Waitotara Road, 450.8 links; again by Section 16, 1461.4 links; by the Waitotara Road, by the crossing of that road, and again by that road: save and except that portion of the Waitotara Road which intersects the area: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 624/1D, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 14 acres, more or less, being Section 5, Block V, Nukumarū Survey District. Bounded towards the west and north-west generally by the Waitotara Valley Road, commencing at the angle immediately opposite traverse-peg marked xxvi. and towards the north, east, and south-east generally by Section 16; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 624/1E, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 18 acres 3 roods 24 perches, more or

ERRATA.—In the special order made by the Pahiatua County Council altering ridings, published in *New Zealand Gazette* of 1st June, 1911, page 1816, the sixth line from the bottom of the first column should read "and Section 8, Block XI," instead of "and Section 6, Block XI."

In Notice to Mariners No. 28, of the 30th March, 1912, published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 32, of the 4th April, 1912, for "D'Urville Island" in heading substitute "approaching Admiralty Bay, Cook Strait"; for "D'Urville Island" in fourth line substitute "on the mainland."

less, being Section 6, Block V, Nukumarū Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Section 7, Block V, Nukumarū Survey District, a school-site, 3627 links; towards the north-east generally by the Waitotara Valley Road; and towards the east, south, and south-west generally by Section 19 of said Block V: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 624/1A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 98 acres, more or less, being Section 9, Block V, Nukumarū Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west, north, and east generally by the Utuhia Native Reserve, 31257 links and 2094 links; by Section 15 of said Block V, and by a road and river-bank reserve 1 chain wide along the western bank of the Waitotara River; towards the south and south-west generally by Section 18 of Block V aforesaid: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 624/1F, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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 sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

THOS. MACKENZIE,
Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block X, Karioi Survey District, Auckland Land District.

(L.S.) ISLINGTON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and 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 mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Raglan County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land 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 hereby proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 3 1 35.4	106	X	Karioi ..	L. 1912/349	Red.
5 0 39	133A				
0 1 21	133B				
	Whaingaroa Parish				Blue.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of each of the Pieces of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 0.04	106	X	Karioi ..	L. 1912/349	Green.
5 0 10	106				
0 3 14	124				
1 3 8.4	133A & 133B				
0 1 15.6	133B				
	Whaingaroa Parish				

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 Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington. (Auckland Plan No. 16163.)

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 sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

THOS. MACKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block V, Forest Hill Hundred, Southland County.

(L.S.) ISLINGTON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and 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 of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Southland County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Forest Hill Hundred, 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	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 2 28	189	V	Forest Hill Hundred	P.W.D. 31428	Red.
1 0 4	189	.	Ditto ..	Ditto..	.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 0 3	189	V	Forest Hill Hundred	P.W.D. 31428	Green.

All in the Southland 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 sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks XII and XVI, Opaheke, and V and VII, Wharekawa Survey Districts.

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

IN pursuance and 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 Waikato County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as roads the land in Opaheke and Wharekawa Survey Districts described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the roads described in the Second Schedule hereto, which are not required by reason of the roads described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.
LAND PROCLAIMED AS ROADS.

Approximate Area of each Piece of Land proclaimed as Roads.	Being Portions of	Situated in Blocks	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 23	Section 163, Koheroa Parish	XVI	Opaheke	P.W.D. 30563	Purple.
10 3 4	Wharekawa No. 2 Block	XII & XVI	"	Ditto..	Pink.
52 2 33	Wharekawa Nos. 2 and 3 Blocks (16154 and 16155, blue)	XVI V & VII	Wharekawa	P.W.D. 30562	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.
ROADS CLOSED.

Approximate Area of each of the Pieces of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Blocks	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 13 2 13	Wharekawa No. 2 Block	XII & XVI	Opaheke	P.W.D. 30563	Green.
22 0 13	Wharekawa Nos. 2 and 3 Blocks (16154 and 16155, blue)	XVI V & VII	Wharekawa	P.W.D. 30562	"

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 sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block I, Waitoa Survey District, Ohinemuri County.

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

IN pursuance and 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 of the land described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Ohinemuri County Council, being the local autho-

city in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Waitoa Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 8 3 12	Section 6.. (16524, blue)	I	Waitoa..	P.W.D. 31400	Pink.

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

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

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Native School in Block XIV, Mangaoporo Survey District, Wairarapa County.

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

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under the Public Works Act, 1908, for a certain public work, to wit, for the purposes of a Native school in Block XIV, Mangaoporo Survey District;

And whereas all the 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 exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a Native school; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect from and after the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 0 0	Wairaromai Block	XIV	Mangaoporo	P.W.D. 30806	Pink.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable 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 sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for Road Purposes in Block III, Turanganui Survey District, Cook County.

(L.S.) ISLINGTON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under the Public Works Act, 1908, for a certain public work, to wit, for the purposes of a road in Block III, Turanganui Survey District:

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

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and I do hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-fifth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 38.9	Lot 14 of 266, Kaiti	III	Turanganui	P.W.D. 31358	Red.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable 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 sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking a Proclamation taking Land for Drainage Purposes in Blocks I and II, Turanganui Survey District, Cook County.

(L.S.) ISLINGTON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, it is enacted that if at any time after the issue or making of any Proclamation taking land under the Public Works Act, 1908, and before the payment or award of any compensation in respect of the taking thereof, it is found that the land, or any part thereof, is not required for the purpose for which it was taken, or that any error in form or substance exists in or in relation to that Proclamation or the making or gazetting thereof, the Governor may, by a subsequent Proclamation gazetted, revoke the former Proclamation, either wholly or in so far as he thinks necessary:

And whereas it is found that the land in Makauri 34C, Kopua, Kairongoua, Matawhero No. 2, and Tahoka B Blocks, Blocks I and II, Turanganui Survey District, taken for drainage purposes by a Proclamation made under the Public Works Act, 1908, and dated the seventeenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (hereinafter termed "the said Proclamation"), and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 62, page 3062, of the nineteenth day of the same month, is no longer required for the purpose for which it was taken: And whereas compensation in respect of the land taken by the said Proclamation has not been paid or awarded:

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New

Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, do hereby revoke the said Proclamation.

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 sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Native Land to be Crown Land under Section 368 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

(L.S.) ISLINGTON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section three hundred and sixty-eight of the Native Land Act, 1909 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is provided, *inter alia*, that the Crown may purchase any Native land in pursuance of a resolution of the assembled owners passed and confirmed in accordance with Part XVIII of the said Act, and on the resolution being adopted by the Native Land Purchase Board it shall become a contract of purchase as between the Crown and all persons who are the owners of the land; and the Governor may by Proclamation, at any time after the contract of purchase has been so made, declare that the land so purchased is vested in His Majesty the King, and it shall vest accordingly, and shall become Crown land:

And whereas a resolution was passed by a meeting of assembled owners and duly confirmed by the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board that the land set out in the Schedule hereto be sold to the Crown:

And whereas the Native Land Purchase Board duly considered and adopted the resolution:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section three hundred and sixty-eight of the said Act, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land set out in the Schedule hereto is vested in His Majesty the King, and is Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land situate in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing 449 acres 1 rood 5 perches, more or less, being the land known as Mangatnoka No. 1A No. 1 East Block, and being part of the land comprised in certificate of title, Volume 47, folio 197, of the Register-book of the Wellington Land Registration 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 third day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Native Land to be Crown Land under Section 368 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

(L.S.) ISLINGTON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section three hundred and sixty-eight of the Native Land Act, 1909 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is provided, *inter alia*, that the Crown may purchase any Native land in pursuance of a resolution of the assembled owners passed and confirmed in accordance with Part XVIII of the said Act, and on the resolution being adopted by the Native Land Purchase Board it shall become a contract of purchase as between

the Crown and all persons who are the owners of the land ; and the Governor may by Proclamation, at any time after the contract of purchase has been so made, declare that the land so purchased is vested in His Majesty the King, and it shall vest accordingly and shall become Crown land :

And whereas a resolution was passed by a meeting of assembled owners, and duly confirmed by the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board, that the land set out in the Schedule hereto be sold to the Crown :

And whereas the Native Land Purchase Board duly considered and adopted the resolution :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section three hundred and sixty-eight of the said Act, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land set out in the Schedule hereto is vested in His Majesty the King, and is Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land situate in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing 1,422 acres 2 roods 35 perches, more or less, being the land known as Mangatainoka 1A No. 1 West Block, and being part of the land comprised in certificate of title, Volume 47, folio 197, of the Register-book of the Wellington Land Registration 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 third day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING !

Prison proclaimed.

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

WHEREAS by an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled the Prisons Act, 1908, it is provided that the Governor may, by Proclamation published in the *Gazette*, declare any house, building, enclosure, or place to be a prison, and from and after the gazetting of any such Proclamation, or from any later time specified in the Proclamation, such house, building, enclosure, or place shall be deemed a prison :

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 the buildings erected upon the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, and all enclosures used or occupied therewith, shall, from and after the publication of this Proclamation in the *Gazette*, be a prison, known as the Waikeria Prison, within the meaning and for the purposes of the Prisons Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement about 68 acres, being part of Tokanui C No. 21B Block, situated in Block XVI, Puniu Survey District. Bounded towards the east and north-east by the Mangatutu Stream from the confluence of the Mangamaire Stream with the said Mangatutu Stream to the northern boundary of Tokanui C No. 20B Block ; thence towards the south-east by the last-mentioned block to the Mangamaire Stream ; and thence towards the west and north-west by the said Mangamaire Stream to the place of commencement.

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 sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

J. A. HANAN,
Minister of Justice.

GOD SAVE THE KING !

Consenting to closing Road in Block IX, Karioi Survey District, Raglan County.

ISLINGTON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this fourth day of April, 1912.

Present :
THE HONOURABLE T. MACKENZIE, F.R.G.S., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and thirty-three (a) of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is enacted that a local authority shall not declare any county road or district road to be stopped, and such road shall not be deemed to be stopped, until the consent thereto of the Governor by Order in Council gazetted is obtained :

And whereas the Raglan County Council has applied for such consent in respect to the road described in the Schedule hereto :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the above-in-part-recited Act, 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 consent to the Raglan County Council closing the road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Road to be closed.	Adjoining Sections Nos.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 5 0 18.5	71 and 73, Karioi Parish (16037, blue)	IX	Karioi	P.W.D. 31185	Green.

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

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

Declaring Road in Block XI, Mangahao Survey District, to be a Government Road.

ISLINGTON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this fourth day of April, 1912.

Present :
THE HONOURABLE T. MACKENZIE, F.R.G.S., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each of the Pieces of Road hereby declared a Government Road.	Being on Frontage of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 8.2 0 1 21.8	Section 7, Pahitua Native Reserve	XI	Mangahao	P.W.D. 31410	Green.

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

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

Exempting Portion of the West Side of Burwood Avenue, in the Borough of Maori Hill, 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 Buildings, at Wellington, this fourth day of April, 1912.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE T. MACKENZIE, F.R.G.S., PRESIDING 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, and clause (b) of subsection one of section thirteen of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, it is provided that such approval may be either absolute or subject to such conditions as the Governor in Council thinks fit to impose, and may refer to one or both sides of the road or street :

And whereas the Maori Hill Borough Council, the local authority having control of the portions of streets 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 streets :

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved in so far as it refers to the west side of the portion of Burwood Avenue described in the Schedule hereto, subject to the conditions hereinafter mentioned :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and 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 to the extent hereinbefore mentioned, subject to the conditions that no building, or part of a building, shall be erected at any time within thirty-three feet of the centre-line on the west side of that part of Burwood Avenue described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Burwood Avenue, situated in the Borough of Maori Hill, adjoining the south-eastern boundary of Allotment 13, Newington, being a subdivision of part of Section 9, Block I, Upper Kaikorai District; as the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 29784, 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.

Member of the Board of Land Purchase Commissioners appointed.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this second day of April, 1912.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE T. MACKENZIE, F.R.G.S., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Land for Settlements Act, 1908 (section 4), His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion doth hereby appoint

JOHN STRAUCHON, Esq.,

of Wellington, Under-Secretary of Lands, to be a member of the Board of Land Purchase Commissioners constituted under the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, in the place of William Charles Kensington, Esq., I.S.O., retired. The appointment to date from 1st April, 1912.

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

Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of a Reserve in the Town of Timaru, Canterbury 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 for which such reserve was set apart to any other purpose, or if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to exchange any of the land comprised in such reserve for other land of equal value, to be dedicated to one or more purposes named in the said Class II, the Governor may, by notice gazetted, make such change, exchange, or dedication, as the case may be, and in such notice declare the manner and terms in which the same is intended to be so made :

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, aforesaid, declare my intention to change the purpose of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto from a site for a museum to an addition to a site for a drill-shed.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 20 perches, more or less, being part of Reserve 104, Town of Timaru, and bounded as follows : Towards the north by other part of Reserve 104, 250 links : towards the east by a railway reserve (part Reserve 104), 50 links ; towards the south by Section 32, 250 links ; and towards the west by High Street, 50 links : be all the aforesaid linkages more or less : as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1912/20, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

D. BUDDO,
For Minister of Lands.

Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of Portion of a Reserve in the Town of Shannon, Wellington 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 pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon 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 Part II of the Schedule hereto from that named in Part I of the said Schedule to that named in Part III of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.

Description and Purpose of Original Reserve.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 232, Town of Shannon.

Set apart as a site for a post and telegraph office by section 27 of the Reserves and other Lands Sale, Disposal, and Enabling and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1901.

PART II.

Description of Portion of Reserve the Purpose of which it is intended to change.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 30.3 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 232, Town of Shannon. Bounded to-

wards the north-west by Plimmer Terrace, 75.76 links; towards the north-east by the other part of Section No. 232, 250 links; towards the south-east by Section No. 230, 75.76 links; and towards the south-west by Section No. 233, 250 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 52152/38, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

PART III.

Intended Purpose.

Site for a public library and reading-room.

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

D. BUDDO,
For Minister of Lands

Lands permanently reserved.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

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

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

And whereas by the sixty-ninth section of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, it is further provided that the Governor may from time to time, as he thinks fit, set aside reserves for any specified public purpose out of land acquired under the last-mentioned Act, provided that no land so acquired shall be set aside for endowments:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	Gazette.
Auckland ..	Hukerenui S.D.* ..	52	VI	A. R. P. 10 0 0	Public recreation ..	1912. 10 Feb...	1912. No. 13, 15 Feb.
	Village of Mangere	47A	..	0 2 16	Public recreation-ground	22 " ..	No. 19, 29 "
	Town of Puketurua	10, 11, 12, and 13	III	1 0 0	Site for a public school	22 " ..	" 29 "
Wellington ..	Mangapiko Parish..	100B	..	0 2 9	Public recreation ..	22 " ..	" 29 "
	Huangarua S.D.* ..	23	XIII	1 0 0	Gravel purposes ..	31 Jan...	No. 9, 8 "
	Piriaka Township..	4	III	0 1 0	Addition to a site for a public school	10 Feb...	No. 13, 15 "
	Tauakira S.D.* ..	10	XIV	8 1 13	Site for a public school	22 " ..	No. 19, 29 "
Canterbury ..	Hunua S.D.* ..	47	X	7 0 32	Public recreation ..	22 " ..	" 29 "
	Tiffin S.D.* (Carrington Settlement)	24	II	3 0 0	Site for a public school	22 " ..	" 29 "
	Mount Thomas S.D.*	Reserve 3853	XVI	30 0 0	Site for a bridge, and for protective works in connection therewith	10 " ..	No. 13, 15 "
Otago ..	Cave Village (Pareora S.D.*)	Reserve 3852	..	0 1 0	Site for a public library	10 " ..	" 15 "
	Kauroo Hill Settlement	41A	..	5 0 0	Site for a public school	22 " ..	No. 19, 29 "

* Survey District.

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

THOS. MACKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Portion of a Primary Education Endowment in Block IX, Mount Fyffe Survey District, Marlborough Land District, set apart as a Site for a Public School.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

WHEREAS by section five of the Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1911, it is enacted that the Governor may, on the recommendation of the Land Board of the district in which are situated any reserves or endowments vested in the Crown by or in pursuance of section two of the Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1910, set apart as sites for public schools, secondary schools, or technical schools any part of such reserves or endowments :

And whereas the Land Board of the Marlborough Land District has duly passed a resolution recommending that the portion of the primary education endowment described in the Schedule hereto should be set apart as a site for a public school, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation :

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Acts aforesaid, do hereby set apart the portion of the primary education endowment described in the Schedule hereto as a site for a public school.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Marlborough Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 3 roods 34.5 perches, more or less, being part Section 217, Kaikoura Suburban (Block IX, Mount Fyffe Survey District). Bounded towards the north-west by Section No. 218, Kaikoura Suburban, 500 links; towards the north-east and south-east by remaining portion of Section 217 aforesaid, 400 links and 500 links respectively; and towards the south-west by a 1-chain road, 400 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1912/264, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

THOS. MACKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Secondary Education Endowment in Block I, Invercargill Hundred, Southland Land District, set apart as a Site for a Boys' High School.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

WHEREAS by section five of the Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1911, it is enacted that the Governor may, on the recommendation of the Land Board of the district in which are situated any reserves or endowments vested in the Crown by or in pursuance of section two of the Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1910, set apart as sites for public schools, secondary schools, or technical schools any part of such reserves or endowments :

And whereas the Land Board of the Southland Land District has duly passed a resolution recommending that the secondary education endowment described in the Schedule hereto should be set apart as a site for a boys' high school, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation :

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Acts aforesaid, do hereby set apart the secondary education endowment described in the Schedule hereto as a site for a boys' high school.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 15 acres 1 rood 4 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 23, Block I, Invercargill Hundred. Bounded towards the north by Lots 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, Land Transfer plan 696, 1043.3 links; towards the west by said Lot 8, 206 links; again towards the north by Herbert Street, 100 links; towards the east by Lot 10 on the said Land Transfer plan, 206 links; again towards the north by said Lot 10 and by Lots 11, 12, 13, and 14 on the said

Land Transfer plan, 1100 links; again towards the east by Elles Road, 306 links; towards the south by Lot 17 on the said Land Transfer plan, 249.9 links; again towards the east by said Lot 17 and Lot 18, 412 links; again towards the south by Section 22, Block I, Invercargill Hundred, 1993.3 links; and again towards the west by Coronation Avenue, 718 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1911/1829, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twelve

THOS. MACKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Branding Registration Districts of Taupo and Wanganui abolished, and new Branding Registration Districts of Taupo, Wanganui, and Waimarino constituted.—Notice No. 1594.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

WHEREAS it is expedient that the Taupo and Wanganui Branding Registration Districts as at present constituted should be abolished, and that new branding registration districts as described in the Schedule hereto should be constituted in lieu thereof :

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 vested in me by the Stock Act, 1908, do hereby abolish the Taupo and Wanganui Branding Registration Districts as at present constituted, and do hereby constitute in lieu thereof the branding registration districts as set forth in the Schedule hereto, and declare that the said districts shall hereafter be comprised as described in the said Schedule; and also do hereby appoint the persons set opposite thereto in the said Schedule to be the Registrars of the said districts accordingly.

SCHEDULE.

Branding Registration District.	Registrar.	Location of Registrar.
Taupo Branding Registration District (All that area comprising the Counties of Kawhia, West Taupo, Waitomo, Awakino, East Taupo, Matamata, and Ohura as at present constituted, and including all boroughs and town districts in or adjacent to that area.)	Robert Alexander	Borough of Hamilton.
Wanganui Branding Registration District (All that area comprising the County of Wanganui as at present constituted, and including all boroughs and town districts in or adjacent to that area.)	Duncan Munro	Borough of Wanganui.
Waimarino Branding Registration District (All that area comprising the Counties of Waimarino and Kaitieke as at present constituted, and including all boroughs and town districts in or adjacent to that area.)	..	Ditto.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

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

Warrant vesting Control of the Rakaia Gorge Bridge, near Methven, in the Ashburton County Council, and apportioning Cost of Maintenance of the same between the Ashburton County Council and the Selwyn County Council.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

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

And whereas by the said section one hundred and twenty it is, *inter alia*, provided that the Governor may, with a view of determining what proportion (if any) of the cost of maintaining any work should be borne by any local authority or local authorities, direct any Magistrate or other person to be a Commissioner to inquire into and report to him upon any matter which he shall deem necessary to enable him to determine any such question aforesaid:

And whereas a Commissioner was appointed for the purpose as aforesaid and an inquiry duly held:

And whereas such Commissioner should report to the Governor, after due inquiry, his opinion thereon:

And whereas the Governor is of opinion that it is equitable that the cost of maintaining the bridge mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be provided, and paid in the manner and in the proportions hereinafter respectively set forth:

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 vested in me by the said Act, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby direct that the bridge described in the Schedule hereto, and known as the Rakaia Gorge Bridge (hereinafter called "the said bridge"), shall, from and after the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of the Ashburton County Council; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the powers aforesaid, I do hereby fix and determine that the cost of maintaining, repairing, or improving the said bridge is to be provided and paid by the local authorities hereinafter mentioned in the following proportions—viz., the Ashburton County Council to pay one-half of such cost, and the Selwyn County Council to pay one-half of such cost respectively: And I do hereby direct that the contribution hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the Ashburton County Council towards the cost of maintaining, repairing, or improving the said bridge shall be paid from time to time, in the proportion hereinbefore prescribed, out of the county fund of the said County of Selwyn, within a period of one month after demand in writing made by or on behalf of the Council of the County of Ashburton, stating the amount so required to be paid and the purpose for which it is required, shall have been left at the office of the Selwyn County Council, and the payments so required to be made shall be made from time to time to the Clerk of the Ashburton County Council for and on behalf of the Council of the County of Selwyn: And I do hereby cancel and revoke the Proclamation vesting the control and apportioning the cost of maintaining the said bridge, published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, page 461, of the twenty-third day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge over the Rakaia River, known as the Rakaia Gorge Bridge, situated on the road from Methven to Whitecliffs, about ten miles from Methven; as the site of the said bridge is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 31503, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon shown by a red cross.

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

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Minister of Public Works.

Commissioners appointed to inquire into Matters concerning West Coast Settlement Reserves Leases.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

To all to whom these presents shall come, and to ALEXANDER McARTHUR, Esq., of Wellington, Master of Arts, Doctor of Laws, Stipendiary Magistrate; and to WILLIAM KERR, Esq., of Wanganui, Stipendiary Magistrate: Greeting.

WHEREAS the lessees of lands held under the provisions of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1881, and its amendments, are desirous of surrendering their present leases and obtaining in lieu thereof leases under section eight of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892:

And whereas some of the said lessees allege that they have been misled by the form of the lease or the conduct of the Public Trustee into supposing that the compensation payable in respect of the improvements on their leases was not limited to the sum of five pounds (£5) for every acre thereof, and acting on that supposition made or purchased improvements in excess of that limit:

And whereas the Native owners of the lands included in the said leases allege that such lands will be required for their own use and occupation on the expiration of the said leases, and have requested that the desire of the present lessees to obtain permission to surrender their leases and obtain fresh leases under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892, shall not be granted:

And whereas it is expedient that full inquiry should be made into the several matters hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, Privy Councillor, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of every power and authority enabling me in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby appoint you, the said

ALEXANDER McARTHUR and
WILLIAM KERR,

to be Commissioners for the purpose of inquiring into the several matters and things hereinafter mentioned and referred to, that is to say:—

- (1.) On what terms and conditions the said lessees or any of them should be permitted to surrender their present leases and obtain new leases in lieu thereof under section eight of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892.
- (2.) Whether any of the said lessees have been misled by any act of the Public Trustee or any other officer of the Public Trust Department, or the form of the lease issued, or the regulations made under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1881, or its amendments, into believing that there was no limit to the amount of the compensation to which they were entitled under their leases, and in consequence of such belief made on their leaseholds or purchased from other lessees improvements in excess of five pounds (£5) per acre.
- (3.) What areas of land now leased under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1881, and its amendments, may hereafter be required by the Native owners for their use and occupation; and, having regard to their particular interests therein and their individual fitness for profitably using such lands, which of the said leases, if any, should be allowed to remain under the present tenure in order that such Native owners may, on the expiration of such leases, compete for the possession of the lands held under them.
- (4.) What provisions should be made to enable such Native owners to get financial assistance from the Government to enable them to work their farms, should any of them become tenants of such leaseholds.

And you are hereby directed to inquire into the several matters aforesaid at such place or places in the Dominion as you may think fit, by all lawful ways and means, subject to the terms of these presents.

And, with the like advice and consent, I do further appoint you the said

ALEXANDER McARTHUR

to be Chairman of the said Commission.

And for the purpose of such inquiry you are hereby empowered to summon and have before you, and examine on oath or otherwise as may be allowed by law, all witnesses or other persons whom you may judge capable of affording you any information upon or in respect of the several matters of inquiry hereinbefore mentioned, or any matter or thing arising thereout or connected therewith.

And also to have before you and examine any books, writings, records, or documents whatsoever which you shall deem necessary for your information in the premises.

And I do also require you, not later than the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, or as much sooner as the same can conveniently be done (using all diligence), to report to me under your hands and seals your proceedings herein and your opinion touching the several premises.

And I do further declare that this Commission shall continue in full force and virtue, and that subject to these presents you the said Commissioners shall and may from time to time proceed in the subject-matters thereof as you shall judge expedient, and that your powers and functions hereunder shall continue in full force, notwithstanding that the inquiry hereby directed may not be formally adjourned.

And, lastly, it is declared these presents are subject to the provisions of the Commissions of Inquiry Act, 1908.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable John Poynder Dickson Poynder, Baron Islington, Privy Councillor, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at Wellington, this sixth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Native Minister.

Approved in Council.

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

Postmaster appointed to take and receive Statutory Declarations.

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

ALBERT BARNETT,

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

As witness my hand, this sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

Assistant Law Officer resigned.

Crown Law Office,
Wellington, 27th March, 1912.

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

THOMAS NEAVE, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,

of his appointment as an Assistant Law Officer to the Government of New Zealand, as from the 23rd March, 1912.

J. G. WARD,
Prime Minister.

Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 3rd April, 1912.

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

Name.	District.
DAVY GEORGE FLETCHER SUSTINS ..	Carterton.
ARTHUR STUART PALMER ..	Mount Grey.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 6th April, 1912.

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.
GEORGE MORTIMER COLEBROOK ..	Tolaga Bay.
HERBERT FREDERIC THOMAS GOODMAN ..	Tokatoka.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Deputy Chief Electoral Officer appointed.

Chief Electoral Office,
Wellington, 6th April, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE AVERY CORMACK

to be the Deputy Chief Electoral Officer for the Dominion of New Zealand, under the Legislature Act, 1908. Appointment to take effect from the 1st April, 1912.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister in Charge of Electoral Department.

Resignation of Member of Board of Land Purchase Commissioners.

Land for Settlements Department,
Wellington, 2nd April, 1912.

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

WILLIAM CHARLES KENSINGTON, Esq., I.S.O.,

as a member of the Board of Land Purchase Commissioners constituted under the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, as from 31st March, 1912.

THOS. MACKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Notice of Approval of Appointment of Manager of Private Industrial School.

Education Department,
Wellington, 10th April, 1912.

BY virtue of the power vested in me by section 13 of the Industrial Schools Act, 1908, I, Josiah Alfred Hanan, the Minister of Education, do hereby notify my approval of

Sister MARY AMBROSE

as Manager of St. Joseph's Industrial School at Upper Hutt.

J. A. HANAN,
Minister of Education.

Members of Aotea District Maori Land Board reappointed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 6th April, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to reappoint

ALBERT BARNES and
TAKARANGI METE KINGI,

of Wanganui, to be members of the Aotea District Maori Land Board as constituted under the Native Land Act, 1909.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Native Minister.

Promotion of New Zealand Staff Corps and Royal New Zealand Artillery Officers.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 6th April, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the promotion of the undermentioned New Zealand Staff Corps and Royal New Zealand Artillery Officers :-

Captain Harry Harwood Browne, New Zealand Staff Corps, to be Major. Dated 26th March, 1912.

Captain Herbert Edward Pilkington, Royal New Zealand Artillery, to be Major. Dated 26th March, 1912.

Captain Harry Rowland Potter, New Zealand Staff Corps, to be Major. Dated 26th March, 1912.

Captain Murray Menzies Gardner, Royal New Zealand Artillery, to be Major. Dated 26th March, 1912.

Captain George Spafford Richardson, New Zealand Staff Corps, to be Major. Dated 26th March, 1912.

Lieutenant Jesse Alfred Wallingford, New Zealand Staff Corps, to be temporary Captain whilst employed as an Area Group Officer. Dated 26th March, 1912.

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Defence.

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

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 6th April, 1912.

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

3rd (Auckland) Mounted Rifles.

Major James Gladwin Wynyard, from the Reserve of Officers, to be Major. Dated 25th March, 1912.

The undermentioned officers resign their commissions:—

Captain Ernest Adam Vipond. Dated 2nd March, 1912.
2nd Lieutenant Gordon Keir Hamilton. Dated 29th December, 1911.
Supernumerary 2nd Lieutenant Bertram Lush is absorbed into the establishment, *vice* Hamilton, resigned.

New Zealand Field Artillery.

2nd Lieutenant Gilbert Edward Archey, from the Unattached List (b) to be 2nd Lieutenant.

New Zealand Garrison Artillery.

Lieutenant James Henderson Crawford to be Captain, to complete establishment. Dated 11th March, 1912.
Lieutenant Cyprian Bridge Brereton is transferred to the 12th (Nelson) Regiment. Dated 25th March, 1912.
2nd Lieutenant William Howard Johnson is absorbed into the establishment, *vice* McKellar, transferred.

New Zealand Railway Corps.

2nd Lieutenant Augustine Stuart Henderson to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th November, 1911.

2nd (South Canterbury) Regiment.

Douglas Playfair Fraser, Esq., to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 25th March, 1912.

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

Lieutenant Herbert Swainson Atkinson resigns his commission. Dated 29th February, 1912.

5th Regiment (Wellington Rifles).

Lieutenant George Ernest Simeon is transferred to the Unattached List (b) for service with the Senior Cadets. Dated 25th March, 1912.
Lionel Lancelot Hitchings, Esq., to be 2nd Lieutenant, supernumerary to the establishment. Dated 25th March, 1912.

6th (Hawaki) Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant Stephen Shepherd Allen to be Lieutenant, *vice* Merrielees, promoted. Dated 27th November, 1911.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants, supernumerary to the establishment. Dated 25th March, 1912:—

Jeremiah William Melville, Esq.
Robert Nicoll Morpeth, Esq.

8th Regiment (Southland Rifles).

Sergeant Peter Mackenzie to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 11th March, 1912.

10th Regiment (North Otago Rifles).

Jules Cæsar Malfroy, Esq., to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 25th March, 1912.

12th (Nelson) Regiment.

Lieutenant Cyprian Bridge Brereton, from the New Zealand Garrison Artillery, to be Lieutenant under the provisions of paragraph 125, General Regulations, 1911.

14th Regiment (South Otago Rifles).

The undermentioned officers are transferred to the Unattached List (b) for service with the Senior Cadets. Dated 25th March, 1912:—

Lieutenant Gilbert Simpson.
2nd Lieutenant Frederick Carson.

15th (North Auckland) Regiment.

The date of seniority of Major James Preston Stevenson is 17th March, 1911, and not as stated in *New Zealand Gazette* of the 14th March, 1912.

Nowlan Francis Knight, Esq., to be 2nd Lieutenant, supernumerary to the establishment. Dated 25th March, 1912.

16th (Waikato) Regiment.

The date of seniority of Major Roy Cumming is 17th March, 1911, and not as stated in *New Zealand Gazette* of the 14th March, 1912.

New Zealand Signal Corps.

Sergeant John Caskie McDonald to be 2nd Lieutenant, supernumerary to the establishment. Dated 25th March, 1912.

New Zealand Medical Corps.

Captain Charles Edward Bucknill, from the Reserve of Officers, to be Captain. Dated 25th March, 1912.
Charles Ernest Howden, M.R.C.S., Eng., to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th March, 1912.

Unattached List (b).

(Senior Cadets.)

The undermentioned lieutenants resign their commissions:—

James Milne Adam. Dated 4th March, 1912.
Colin John Gray. Dated 7th March, 1912.
Hugh Scott Hannah. Dated 9th March, 1912.
Lieutenant George Ernest Simeon, from the 5th Regiment (Wellington Rifles), to be Captain. Dated 25th March, 1912.
Lieutenant William Mackenzie, from the Reserve of Officers, to be Lieutenant.
Lieutenant Gilbert Simpson, from the 14th Regiment (South Otago Rifles), to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th March, 1912.
2nd Lieutenant Frederick Carson, from the 14th Regiment (South Otago Rifles), to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th March, 1912.
2nd Lieutenant Gilbert Edward Archey is transferred to the New Zealand Field Artillery. Dated 25th March, 1912.

The undermentioned are appointed for service with the Senior Cadets under the provisions of paragraph 88 (b), General Regulations, 1911, with the rank specified. Dated 25th March, 1912:—

Captain.

William Hartshone, Esq.

Lieutenants.

Robert Charles Moore, Esq.
Spencer Gannon Smith, Esq.
Percy Braithwaite, Esq.
Hector Campbell Mackenzie, Esq.
Clive Heathcote Falk Statham, Esq.
Thomas Gilbert Robertson, Esq.
Owen Vivian Davies, Esq.

2nd Lieutenants.

Graham Alexander Mills, Esq.
George Arthur Reginald McKay, Esq.
Ethelbert Joseph James Welch, Esq.
Robert Prain Boyne, Esq.
Henry Newell Waymouth, Esq.
Henry Alexander Callander, Esq.
Hugh Liddon Richards, Esq.
Ivan Scott Orbell, Esq.
Nicol Cook, Esq.
Frank Leslie Hunt, Esq.
George Edington Waite, Esq.
Cedric Rolfe Sargood, Esq.
Raymond Murray Watson, Esq.
William James Bevis, Esq.
Robert Turnbull, Esq.
Francis Dennison Maurice, Esq.
Henry White Oak Slater, Esq.
Frederick James Brooks, Esq.
Henry Eugene Voyce, Esq.
Lorenz Wilfred Meuli, Esq.

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 6th April, 1912.

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

Colonel JAMES ALLEN, New Zealand Garrison Artillery,

he having a total service to the 20th March, 1912, entitling him thereto of twenty years three hundred and thirty days.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Defence.

Date of Election to fill Extraordinary Vacancy in Feilding and Palmerston North Fire Boards by Insurance Companies.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 4th April, 1912.

PURSUANT to the Fire Brigades Act, 1908, and the rules made thereunder, I, George Warren Russell, Minister of Internal Affairs, being the Minister charged with the administration of the said Act, do hereby appoint Saturday, the 13th day of April, 1912, to be the day for holding an election of one member of the Feilding Fire Board and of the Palmerston North Fire Board by the insurance companies concerned, such election being held to fill the extraordinary vacancy caused by the resignation of Richard Middleton Simpson as a member of the said Fire Boards.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 10th April, 1912.

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

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF INVERCARGILL.

In the matter of a special loan of £31,000 proposed to be raised by the Council of the Borough of Invercargill, under the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and the amendments thereof.

I HEREBY give notice that on the 29th day of March, 1912, a proposal was submitted by the above-mentioned Council to the ratepayers of the Borough of Invercargill for raising a special loan of £31,000 for the purpose of acquiring material for and construction and laying of sanitary works, sewers, and pipes, with all necessary machinery and plant, for the benefit of that part of the Borough of Invercargill bounded on the north by Gala Street, on the east by Deveron Street, on the south by Forth Street, and on the west by the New River Estuary; and that the number of votes recorded respectively for and against the proposal was as follows: For the proposal, 123; against the proposal, 35.

And I declare the said proposal to be carried.
Dated this 30th day of March, 1912.

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

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 10th April, 1912.

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

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Finance.

PLEASANT POINT TOWN BOARD.

Result of Poll.

At a poll taken on the 2nd April instant on the proposal to raise a loan of £500 for asphaltting and kerbing 120 chains, more or less, in the Pleasant Point District, the result is as under:—

Total number of valid votes recorded	...	56
For the proposal	...	34
Against the proposal	...	22

As the majority in favour of the proposal is more than three-fifths of the valid votes recorded, I hereby declare the proposal duly carried.

JOHN CRAWFORD,
Chairman of Town Board.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 10th April, 1912.

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

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Finance.

OTOROHANGA NATIVE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL.

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

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Otorohanga Native Township was taken on the 4th day of April, 1912, on the proposal of the inhabitants of the Otorohanga Native Township (known as the Otorohanga Native Township Council) to borrow the sum of £2,050 for the following purpose—to raise a special loan of £2,050 for the permanent formation, metalling, and improvement of the streets, road, and footpaths in the Township of Otorohanga; such sum to be allocated to the streets, roads, and footpaths as follows: Tuhoro Street, £195; Maniapoto Street, £500; Ranfurly Street, £60; Balance Street, £70; Kanawa Street, £230; Turonga Street, £125; Hinewai Street, £70; Haerehuku Street, £170; Te Kawa Street, £186; Kakamutu Road, £90; Kahiri Street, £14; Waipa Esplanade, £50; Rangatahi Street, £80; Mair Street, £79; Pango Street, £25; Rangipare Street, £25; Mataroa Street, £10; Orahiri Terrace, £25; Puha Street, £16; Pine Street, £10; Tutunui Street, £10; Blank Street, £10. And to pay out of the said loan the cost of raising the loan and the interest for the loan for the first year.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 44. The number of votes recorded against the proposal was nil.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 4th day of April, 1912.

JOHN ORMSBY,
Chairman, Otorohanga Native Township Council.

Person appointed to issue Licenses for Boats for Towing on the Taieri River.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 8th April, 1912.

IT is hereby notified that

NORMAN BEAUMONT,

Superintendent of Mercantile Marine at Dunedin, has appointed the person to issue licenses under the regulations of the eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, for the towage of boats carrying passengers on the Taieri River.

GEO. LAURENSEN.

Notice to Mariners No. 29 of 1912.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 1st April, 1912.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, South Australia, is published for general information.

GEO. LAURENSEN.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Spencer Gulf.—Cape Burr.

MASTERS of vessels and others are hereby informed that an uncharted rock of small extent, and having over it about 5 ft. at low-water springs, has been reported to exist about half a mile south of Cape Burr and a quarter of a mile off the shore.

Until a more accurate survey of the locality has been made masters of vessels are cautioned against approaching within half a mile of the shore immediately to the southwards of the cape.

Approximate position: Lat. 34° 8' S., long. 136° 41½' E.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 2389B.

ARTHUR SEARCY,
President of the Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,
Port Adelaide, 28th November, 1911.

Notice to Mariners No. 30 of 1912.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 3rd April, 1912.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, South Australia, is published for general information.

GEO. LAURENSEN.

REFERRING to Notice to Mariners No. 21 of 1910, masters of vessels and others are hereby informed that the under-mentioned station is now equipped with Morse signalling-lamps, and may be communicated with by vessels passing during the night-time :—

Althorpe Island Lighthouse : Lat. 35° 23' S., long. 136° 51½' E.

Messages should be sent according to the rules laid down in the British Signal Manual. It should be understood that the Marine Board Department cannot accept any responsibility in despatching from the stations any messages requiring delivery at Adelaide or other ports, but every effort will be made to assist shipping in this direction.

This affects Admiralty Chart No. 2389A.

ARTHUR SEARCY,
President of the Marine Board.

Marine Board Offices,
Port Adelaide, 14th November, 1911.

Notice to Mariners No. 31 of 1912.

SHOT-AND-SHELL PRACTICE IN BOTANY BAY, NEW SOUTH WALES, AUSTRALIA.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 9th April, 1912.

THE military authorities in Sydney, New South Wales, 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 so flying, and they should not remain anywhere in the vicinity of the targets.

Chart affected : Admiralty Chart No. 1020.

GEO. LAURENSEN.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block IX, Tutaki Survey District, for Road Purposes.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work, to wit, the construction of a road in Block IX, Tutaki Survey District, and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Matakītaki, 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.

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 the Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 1 0	Sections 20, 1A, and 9	IX	Tutaki	P.W.D. 31495	Red.

In the Nelson Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as

above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 4th day of April, 1912.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Minister of Public Works.

Notice by the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II).

To the owner of the following land, that is to say: All that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 19 acres, more or less, being the north-eastern portion of Allotment 142, Parish of Okahu, in the Provincial District of Auckland.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee has instituted inquiries, and has not thereby ascertained who the owner of the above-described land is, and believes that such owner is not in the Dominion:

Now, the Public Trustee hereby calls upon such owner, within six months of the date of the publication of this notice in this *Gazette*, to establish to the satisfaction of the Public Trustee his title to the said land; and, if he fails or neglects so to do, the Public Trustee will exercise the powers and authorities granted to him in and by the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II).

Dated this 4th day of April, 1912.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

Notice by the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II).

To the owner of the following land, that is to say: All that parcel of land, in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 32 perches, more or less, being Allotment 7, Village of Weymouth, in the Parish of Karaka, in the County of Eden. The land was Crown-granted to David Tallerman, of Melbourne, merchant, who cannot now be traced.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee has instituted inquiries, and has not thereby ascertained who the owner of the above-described land is, and believes that such owner is not in the Dominion:

Now, the Public Trustee hereby calls upon such owner, within six months of the date of the publication of this notice in this *Gazette*, to establish to the satisfaction of the Public Trustee his title to the said land; and, if he fails or neglects so to do, the Public Trustee will exercise the powers and authorities granted to him in and by the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II).

Dated this 4th day of April, 1912.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

Notice to make Returns of Land under the Land and Income Assessment Act, 1908.

Land and Income Tax Department,
Wellington, 4th April, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the above Act and the regulations made thereunder, every person and company within the meaning of the said Act, being owner of land in New Zealand, or being the holder or owner of any mortgage or mortgages of land in New Zealand, is hereby required to make and furnish to me, in the prescribed form, returns of such land and mortgages as at 12 o'clock noon on the 31st day of March, 1912.

And further notice is hereby given that such returns shall in all cases be delivered at or forwarded to the office of the Commissioner of Taxes, in the Government Buildings, at Wellington, on or before the 1st day of May, 1912.

G. F. C. CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Taxes.

NOTE.—Persons who have not received forms of return from this office may obtain them at any postal money-order office.

SPECIAL NOTE.—Any person failing to furnish a return at the prescribed time is liable to a penalty of not less than £2 nor more than £100.

Deceased Persons' Estates.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE for Management during the Month of March, 1912.

No.	Name of Deceased.	New Zealand Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
1	Anderson, Agnes Catherine ..	Greymouth ..	England ..	26 Sept., 1911	Intestate.
2	Anderson, John ..	Te Aroha ..	Norway ..	20 Feb., 1912	"
3	Aspinall, John ..	Waihi ..	" ..	* Aug., 1906	Testate.
4	Barrett, Thomas ..	Waikaia ..	Ireland ..	3 Dec., 1911	"
5	Bloomfield, Mark Edward ..	Orari ..	" ..	3 ..	Intestate.
6	Brown, Lindsay ..	Takapuna ..	Australia ..	22 Feb., 1912	Testate.
7	Burt, John ..	Clinton ..	Scotland ..	15 Oct., 1892	Intestate.
8	Carver, Mary Ann Dennis ..	Dannevirke ..	England ..	15 Sept., 1911	"
9	Champion, Shadrach Thomas ..	Masterton ..	" ..	29 Feb., 1912	"
10	Channer, Thomas ..	Catlin's Railway-works ..	" ..	27 Sept., 1911	"
11	Cook, John ..	Onehunga ..	England ..	4 Jan., 1912	"
12	Crawford, John Inglis ..	Edendale ..	Scotland ..	20 Feb., ..	"
13	Crump, Charles ..	Palmerston South ..	England ..	22 ..	Testate.
14	Currie, Catherine ..	Mount Eden, Auckland ..	" ..	2 ..	Intestate.
15	Fitzherbert, Augustus ..	Inglewood ..	" ..	13 Oct., 1908	Testate.
16	Fosberg, Arthur Leonard ..	Auckland ..	England ..	6 Jan., 1912	Intestate.
17	Gillespie, Elizabeth ..	Westport ..	Ireland ..	11 Mar., ..	Testate.
18	Glanville, John Richard ..	Seaman s.s. "Petone" ..	England ..	11 ..	Intestate.
19	Graham, Thomas ..	Omakau ..	" ..	9 Jan., ..	"
20	Gransden, William Ronald or Roland ..	Hokitika ..	Ireland ..	25 Feb., ..	"
21	Green, Horace William ..	Auckland ..	England ..	5 ..	"
22	Hall, John Ernest ..	Palmerston North ..	" ..	28 Jan., ..	Testate.
23	Hearn, John ..	Hokitika ..	Ireland ..	17 Dec., 1911	"
24	Horn, Francis Joseph ..	Seddonville ..	Germany ..	13 Sept., ..	"
25	Hoy, Henry Thomas ..	Pohangina ..	England ..	17 Dec., ..	Intestate.
26	Hutchings, John ..	Whangarei ..	" ..	22 Feb., 1912	Testate.
27	Jones, Sarah ..	Wellington ..	" ..	26 ..	Intestate.
28	Kelly, Mathew ..	Putaki ..	Ireland ..	27 Jan., ..	"
29	Kelly, Thomas ..	Dannevirke ..	" ..	14 Feb., ..	"
30	Lenz, John George ..	Lawrence ..	Germany ..	16 Jan., ..	Testate.
31	Maclean, Alaster Lachlan Napier ..	Wellington ..	" ..	23 Feb., ..	"
32	McGuinness, John ..	Auckland ..	Ireland ..	1 Dec., 1911	Intestate.
33	McKenzie, Margaret ..	Waitahuna ..	Scotland ..	22 ..	Testate.
34	McSweyn, Duncan ..	Dunedin ..	Canada ..	21 Feb., 1912	"
35	Malet, Frederick de Carteret ..	Christchurch ..	Jersey ..	21 Mar., ..	"
36	Marshall, John ..	Auckland ..	" ..	21 Feb., ..	Intestate.
37	Millbourne, William Nathaniel ..	Christchurch ..	Ireland ..	5 June, 1911	Testate.
38	Mooney, Ann ..	Sunnyside Mental Hos. ..	" ..	7 Feb., 1912	Intestate.
39	Morris, William ..	Waitaki County ..	England ..	† ..	"
40	Nicholson, George ..	Napier ..	Born at sea en route to New Zealand	7 Mar., ..	"
41	O'Kean or Kean, Mary ..	Wellington ..	" ..	28 Feb., ..	"
42	Olsen, Agnes ..	Ohakune ..	" ..	26 Dec., 1911	"
43	O'Rourke, Thomas Michael ..	Murchison ..	Australia ..	9 Jan., 1912	"
44	Parkinson, Elizabeth ..	Greymouth ..	England ..	31 Oct., 1911	Testate.
45	Petersen, Catherine Julia ..	Northlands, Wellington ..	" ..	15 Mar., 1912	Intestate.
46	Petersen, Peter Anton ..	Waipapakauri ..	Norway ..	15 Jan., ..	"
47	Potter, Russell ..	Auckland ..	England ..	29 Feb., ..	"
48	Rayner, Ralph Thompson ..	Wellington ..	Egypt ..	2 Dec., 1911	Testate.
49	Reeves, Edward ..	Wellington ..	" ..	15 Feb., 1912	"
50	Smith, William ..	" ..	Ireland ..	6 ..	Intestate.
51	Smith, Rose Anna ..	Otakeho, Taranaki ..	England ..	4 ..	Testate.
52	Stanley, Frederick ..	Port Ahuriri ..	Australia ..	10 Mar., ..	Intestate.
53	Sweet, Ernest Vernon ..	Gisborne ..	England ..	8 Feb., ..	"
54	Thompson, Margaret ..	Wellington ..	" ..	10 ..	Testate.
55	Warne, Lyvian ..	Longford, Murchison ..	" ..	26 Jan., ..	"
56	Watson, John ..	Heddon Bush ..	Scotland ..	16 Feb., ..	Intestate.
57	Wong Lee ..	Havelock North ..	China ..	17 July, 1911	"
58	Wright, Samuel ..	Lyttelton ..	England ..	12 Feb., 1912	Testate.
59	Youngman, Alfred Joseph ..	Wairoa ..	" ..	† Sept., 1911	Intestate.

* Early.

† Uncertain; 7th or 8th.

‡ Between 23rd and 25th.

Dated the 3rd day of April, 1912.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

Officiating Ministers for 1912.—Notice No. 15

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 10th April, 1912.

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 intituled the Marriage Act, 1908, the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

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

The Reverend CYRIL HERBERT HARVEY, M.A.

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.

The Reverend ANGUS McDONALD.

The Reverend JAMES DAWSON CRAWFORD MADILL.

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

Results of the Land Surveyors' Examination, Australia and New Zealand, March, 1912.—New Zealand Candidates.

The Surveyors' Board of New Zealand,
Wellington, 9th April, 1912.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the March examination twenty-six candidates sat. Of these, Mr. William David Armit, Lands and Survey Department, Nelson; Mr. Burnham Hirst Horner, New Plymouth; and Mr. Arthur Campbell Cooke, Nelson, passed the examination; while Mr. Valentine Blake, Lands and Survey Department, Wellington; Mr. William Brian de Laval Willis, Lands and Survey Department, Auckland; Mr. John Kirwood Ledger, Lands and Survey Department, Auckland; Mr. Francis Alfred Stevens, Hamilton; and Mr. Frank Lewis Davie, Christchurch, completed the examination, having passed in some of the subjects at a former examination.

C. E. ADAMS,
Secretary, Surveyors' Board.

General Elections, 1911.

Electoral Department, Wellington, 10th April, 1912.

THE accompanying returns, showing the results of the general elections in 1911, have been compiled from particulars furnished by the several Returning Officers, and are published for general information.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister in Charge of Electoral Department.

RETURN showing the Number of Votes recorded for each Candidate at General Election, 1911; the Number of Informal Votes; the Number of Electors who did not vote; the Number of Electors on Roll; and the Population of each Electoral District at the Census in 1911.

Electoral Districts and Names of Candidates.	Number of Votes recorded.			Number of Electors who did not vote.	Number of Electors on Roll.	Population at Census, 1911.
	For each Candidate.	Informal Votes.	Total.			
Bay of Islands—						
Reed, Vernon Herbert	2,671	..	..	..	..	..
Wilkinson, George	2,488	57	5,216	1,306	6,522	12,080
Marsden—						
Mander, Francis	3,120	..	..	..	..	..
Purdie, Edmund Campbell ..	2,576	68	5,764	1,300	7,064	12,555
Kaipara—						
Coates, Joseph Gordon	*2,744	..	..	..	..	..
Stallworthy, John	*2,172	11	4,927	1,373	6,300	11,588
Waitemata—						
Harris, Alexander	*3,823	..	..	..	..	..
Napier, William Joseph	*3,416	12	7,251	1,558	8,809	14,687
Eden—						
Bollard, John	3,629	..	..	..	..	..
Speight, William James	2,966	91	6,686	1,464	8,150	14,220
Auckland East—						
Myers, Arthur Mielziner	4,485	..	..	..	..	..
Withy, Arthur	2,490	160	7,135	1,911	9,046	15,195
Auckland Central—						
Glover, Albert Edward	4,061	..	..	..	..	..
Savage, Michael Joseph	1,800	..	..	..	..	..
Gleeson, James Collins	1,171	..	..	..	..	..
Richardson, William	601	99	7,732	2,980	10,712	15,153
Auckland West—						
Bradney, James Henry	4,273	..	..	..	..	..
Poole, Charles Henry	3,146	110	7,529	1,258	8,787	15,214
Grey Lynn—						
Payne, John	*3,470	..	..	..	..	..
Fowlds, George	*3,432	22	6,924	1,612	8,536	15,182
Parnell—						
Dickson, James Samuel	*4,264	..	..	..	..	..
Findlay, John George	*3,826	25	8,115	1,896	10,011	15,163

* Second-ballot results. For first-ballot results see the special return on pp. 1292-1295.

RETURN showing the Number of Votes recorded for each Candidate at General Election, 1911, &c.—
continued.

Electoral Districts and Names of Candidates.	Number of Votes recorded.			Number of Electors who did not vote.	Number of Electors on Roll.	Population at Census, 1911.
	For each Candidate.	Informal Votes.	Total.			
Manukau—						
Lang, Frederic William	3,965	..	..	..	..	..
Stewart, Ralph Duncan	1,658	..	..	..	..	..
Morton, Joseph Bertram	1,435	100	7,158	1,766	8,924	14,668
Franklin—						
Massey, William Ferguson	3,779	..	..	..	..	..
McLarin, John Wesley	1,816	46	5,641	1,369	7,010	12,277
Raglan—						
Bollard, Richard Francis	*2,782	..	..	..	..	..
Bell, Allen	*1,863	20	4,665	1,907	6,572	11,813
Thames—						
Rhodes, Thomas William	2,783	..	..	..	..	..
Taylor, Edmund Harvey	2,717	134	5,634	1,068	6,702	12,528
Ohinemuri—						
Poland, Hugh	*3,341	..	..	..	..	..
Hickey, Patrick Hodgens	*2,134	38	5,513	1,900	7,413	13,319
Tauranga—						
Herries, William Herbert	3,790	..	..	..	..	..
King, Robert	1,849	119	5,758	1,478	7,236	12,234
Waikato—						
Young, James Alexander	3,846	..	..	..	..	..
Greenslade, Henry James	2,718	127	6,691	1,130	7,821	13,013
Bay of Plenty—						
Macdonald, William Donald Stuart ..	3,177	..	..	..	..	..
De Latour, Harry Douglas	2,642	65	5,884	1,938	7,822	12,249
Taumarunui—						
Wilson, Charles Kendall	2,746	..	..	..	..	..
Jennings, William Thomas	2,621	29	5,396	1,392	6,788	12,246
Gisborne—						
Carroll, James (unopposed) .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	14,023
Hawke's Bay—						
Campbell, Hugh McLean	*3,980	..	..	..	..	..
Simson, Horace Ian	*2,873	28	6,881	1,937	8,818	13,387
Napier—						
Brown, John Vigor	3,920	..	..	..	..	..
Hill, Henry Thomas	2,856	139	6,915	1,501	8,416	14,556
Waipawa—						
Hunter, George	3,389	..	..	..	..	..
Jull, Albert Edward	2,820	94	6,303	1,422	7,725	12,967
Pahiatua—						
Escott, James Henry	*2,882	..	..	..	..	..
Ross, Robert Beatson	*2,309	15	5,206	1,117	6,323	12,168
Masterton—						
Sykes, George Robert	*3,245	..	..	..	..	..
Hogg, Alexander Wilson	*2,664	10	5,919	1,373	7,292	12,904
Wairarapa—						
Buchanan, Walter Clarke	2,950	..	..	..	..	..
Hornsby, John Thomas Marryat	2,825	..	..	..	..	..
Tanner, Cyril William	88	91	5,954	877	6,831	11,563
Stratford—						
Hine, John Bird	3,006	..	..	..	..	..
McCluggage, Joseph	2,576	46	5,628	929	6,557	12,334
Taranaki—						
Okey, Henry James Hobbs	3,315	..	..	..	..	..
Bellringer, Charlie Emanuel	2,561	..	..	..	..	..
Forbes, William	343	75	6,294	869	7,163	13,090
Egmont—						
Mackenzie, Thomas	3,009	..	..	..	..	..
Dive, Bradshaw	2,682	63	5,754	918	6,672	11,718
Patea—						
Pearce, George Vater	3,246
O'Dea, Patrick	2,286
Train, Frederick	536	82	6,150	1,333	7,483	12,724

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	For each Candidate.	Informal Votes.	Total.			
Wanganui—						
Veitch, William Andrew	*4,115
Hogan, James Thomas	*2,959	22	7,096	1,775	8,871	14,185
Waimarino—						
Smith, Robert William	*3,071	..	..	..	..	..
Hockly, Frank Franklin	*2,591	21	5,683	2,421	8,104	12,255
Oroua—						
Guthrie, David Henry	3,176	..	..	..	..	..
Hornblow, Robert Edward	2,084	89	5,349	1,657	7,006	12,929
Rangitikei—						
Newman, Edward	3,065	..	..	..	..	..
Meldrum, William	2,037	..	..	..	..	..
Collins, Charles Bower	295	65	5,462	1,515	6,977	11,524
Palmerston—						
Buick, David	3,374	..	..	..	..	..
McNab, Robert	2,542	..	..	..	..	..
Thomson, William	748	..	..	..	..	..
Milverton, William	68	83	6,815	1,136	7,951	14,194
Otaki—						
Robertson, John	*2,517	..	..	..	..	..
Field, William Hughes	*2,496	21	5,034	1,451	6,485	12,157
Hutt—						
Wilford, Thomas Mason	3,471	..	..	..	..	..
Reardon, Michael John	1,540	..	..	..	..	..
McEwan, John William	911	..	..	..	..	..
Short, Richard Walton	881	93	6,896	1,352	8,248	14,502
Wellington North—						
Herdman, Alexander Lawrence	4,193	..	..	..	..	..
Izard, Arnold Woodford	2,386	..	..	..	..	..
Carey, Elijah John	1,185	136	7,900	2,754	10,654	15,268
Wellington Central—						
Fisher, Francis Marion Bates	*3,813	..	..	..	..	..
Fletcher, Robert	*3,682	19	7,514	3,267	10,781	15,248
Wellington East—						
Newman, Alfred Kingcome	*3,780	..	..	..	..	..
McLaren, David	*3,715	18	7,513	2,706	10,219	15,275
Wellington South—						
Hindmarsh, Alfred Humphrey	*3,598	..	..	..	..	..
Wright, Robert Alexander	*3,344	9	6,951	2,116	9,067	15,238
Wellington Suburbs and Country District—						
Bell, William Henry Dillon	*3,060	..	..	..	..	..
Moore, Francis Thomas	*2,661	20	5,741	1,691	7,432	14,136
Nelson—						
Atmore, Harry	*3,655	..	..	..	..	..
Moffatt, Walter John	*2,139	15	5,809	1,627	7,436	13,287
Motueka—						
McKenzie, Roderick	2,710	..	..	..	..	..
Smith, Frederick William Oscar	1,606	25	4,341	1,576	5,917	11,503
Buller—						
Colvin, James	3,143	..	..	..	..	..
Munro, Fergus Ferguson	2,993	35	6,171	1,238	7,409	12,618
Grey—						
Guinness, Arthur Robert	3,677	..	..	..	..	..
Webb, Patrick Charles	2,539	71	6,287	1,336	7,623	12,658
Westland—						
Seddon, Thomas Edward Youd	3,443	..	..	..	..	..
Michel, Henry Leslie	3,172	41	6,656	557	7,213	12,166
Wairau—						
McCallum, Richard	*3,228	..	..	..	..	..
Duncan, John	*3,086	24	6,338	1,171	7,509	12,926
Hurunui—						
Forbes, George William	2,940	..	..	..	..	..
Macfarlane, David Duncan	2,001	51	4,992	1,314	6,306	11,441
Kaipoi—						
Buddo, David	*3,000
Moore, Richard	*2,791	16	5,807	1,108	6,915	11,927

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	For each Candidate.	Informal Votes.	Total.			
Christchurch North—						
Isitt, Leonard Monk	*4,627
Hall, John Dryden	*3,878	32	8,537	1,370	9,907	15,225
Christchurch East—						
Davey, Thomas Henry	*4,042	..	..	..	..	..
Thacker, Henry Thomas Joynt ..	*2,861	33	6,936	2,219	9,155	15,189
Christchurch South—						
Ell, Henry George	3,690	..	..	..	..	..
Whiting, Gains Robert	3,059	..	..	..	..	..
Howard, Edwin John	540	198	7,487	1,214	8,701	15,172
Riccarton—						
Witty, George	*3,976	..	..	..	..	..
Ensor, Charles Herbert	*2,603	14	6,593	1,502	8,095	14,126
Avon—						
Russell, George Warren	*3,854	..	..	..	..	..
McCombs, James	*3,583	14	7,451	1,333	8,784	15,155
Lyttelton—						
Laurensen, George	4,160	..	..	..	..	..
Cook, Colin	2,081	79	6,320	1,217	7,537	14,189
Ellesmere—						
Rhodes, Robert Heaton	3,100	..	..	..	..	..
Armstrong, George	1,519	..	..	..	..	..
Rowell, Frank	691	84	5,394	1,162	6,556	11,822
Selwyn—						
Dickie, William James	2,734	..	..	..	..	..
Hardy, Charles Albert Creery ..	2,463	38	5,235	1,048	6,283	11,474
Ashburton—						
Nosworthy, William	*3,232	..	..	..	..	..
Kennedy, John	*2,319	8	5,559	1,525	7,084	12,025
Timaru—						
Craigie, James	*3,906	..	..	..	..	..
Moore, Joseph Harold	*2,680	25	6,611	1,981	8,592	14,298
Temuka—						
Buxton, Thomas	2,902	..	..	..	..	..
Jeffries, William	1,530	..	..	..	..	..
Armitage, George Whitefield ..	910	46	5,388	1,094	6,482	11,575
Waitaki—						
Smith, Francis Henry	*2,609	..	..	..	..	..
Macpherson, John Andrew	*2,525	12	5,146	1,052	6,198	11,573
Oamaru—						
Lee, Ernest Page	3,169	..	..	..	..	..
Duncan, Thomas Young	1,805	..	..	..	..	..
Milligan, Robert	1,318	56	6,348	846	7,194	13,392
Otago Central—						
Scott, Robert	3,354	..	..	..	..	..
Mason, William D'Arcy	1,544	..	..	..	..	..
Bennetts, John	790	40	5,728	1,153	6,881	12,137
Dunedin North—						
Thomson, George Malcolm	*4,182	..	..	..	..	..
Douglas, Robert Rutherford ..	*3,423	13	7,618	1,615	9,233	15,141
Dunedin West—						
Millar, John Andrew	*4,461	..	..	..	..	..
Bedford, Harry Dodgshun	*3,822	19	8,302	2,527	10,829	15,106
Dunedin Central—						
Statham, Charles Ernest	4,042	..	..	..	..	..
Arnold, James Frederick	2,498	..	..	..	..	..
Macpherson, Dugald	1,452	83	8,075	1,121	9,196	15,092
Dunedin South—						
Sidey, Thomas Kay	4,171	..	..	..	..	..
MacManus, John Edward	3,426	176	7,773	1,080	8,853	15,110
Chalmers—						
Clark, Edward Henry	*3,029	..	..	..	..	..
Johnson, John Thomas	*2,703	9	5,741	1,631	7,372	13,226
Bruce—						
Allen, James	3,138
McKinlay, Parker	2,463	64	5,665	968	6,633	11,433

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Electoral Districts and Names of Candidates.	Number of Votes recorded.			Number of Electors who did not vote.	Number of Electors on Roll.	Population at Census, 1911.
	For each Candidate.	Informal Votes.	Total.			
Clutha—						
Malcolm, Alexander Scott	2,621	..	..	..	..	..
Livingstone, George	2,246	21	4,888	1,348	6,236	11,712
Wakatipu—						
Fraser, William	2,753	..	..	..	..	..
Horn, James	2,482	24	5,259	777	6,036	11,647
Mataura—						
Anderson, George James	3,096	..	..	..	..	..
MacGibbon, John	2,239	36	5,371	1,256	6,627	12,304
Wallace—						
Thomson, John Charles	3,152	..	..	..	..	..
Carmichael, Alan	1,190	..	..	..	..	..
King, James	682	71	5,095	942	6,037	11,468
Invercargill—						
Hanan, Josiah Alfred	*3,736	..	..	..	..	..
Fleming, Thomas	*3,069	16	6,821	1,824	8,645	14,645
Awarua—						
Ward, Joseph George	2,893	..	..	..	..	..
Hamilton, John Ronald	2,265	..	..	..	..	..
Morris, William Arthur	152	82	5,392	826	6,218	11,715
Total	465,568	4,143	469,711	111,281	580,992	1,008,206

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	1911.	1908.	1905.
Number of votes recorded for candidates elected	257,349	233,328	216,378
Number of votes recorded for candidates defeated	208,219	177,178	173,811
Number of electors who recorded their votes at the first ballot but not at the second ballot ..	23,201	13,546	..
Number of informal votes	4,143	4,596	5,468
Total number of electors who voted at the election	492,912	428,648	395,657
Total number of electors on rolls	590,042	537,003	476,473
Total population of Dominion at last census (excluding Maoris)	1,008,206	888,376	772,504

MAORI ELECTION.—RETURN SHOWING NUMBER OF VOTES POLLED BY EACH CANDIDATE.

Electoral Districts and Names of Candidates.	Number of Votes recorded.		Electoral Districts and Names of Candidates.	Number of Votes recorded.	
	For each Candidate.	Total.		For each Candidate.	Total.
Northern Maori—			Western Maori—		
Te Rangihiroa	1,032		Maui Pomare	2,464	
Riapo Timoti Puhipi	627		Henare Kaihau	1,899	
Jehu Moetara	500		Pepene Eketone	1,470	
Wiri Nehua	455		Tarapipipi Taingakawa	581	
Hemi Te Paa	414		Ngarangi Katitia	560	
Herepete Rapihana	295		Pomare Hetaraka	19	
Eru Ihaka	287				6,993
Kaka Porowini	261		Southern Maori—		
Wiremu Tuauru Kowhai	43		Taare Parata	264	
Reihana Netana	26		John Hopere Wharewiti	233	
Huirua Tito	25		Uru		
		3,965	Tahuaroa Karira Watson	131	
			Teone Matapura Erihana	84	
			James Apes	80	
			Haimona Patete	18	
					810
Eastern Maori—					
Apirana Ngata (unopposed).					11,768

Chalmers—														
Clark, Edward Henry	2,850	..	..	..	3,029	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Johnson, John Thomas	1,476	..	..	..	2,703	9	5,741	1,631	5,563	6,522	781	178	850	7,372
Dickson, James McColl	1,376	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
McCarthy, Arthur Peter	578	64	6,344	1,028	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invercargill—														
Hanan, Josiah Alfred	3,115	..	..	..	3,736	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fleming, Thomas	2,104	..	..	..	3,069	16	6,821	1,824	6,556	7,600	779	265	1,045	8,645
Farrant, Herbert	2,043	73	7,335	1,310	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	200,385	2,327	202,712	44,075	193,641	561	194,202	52,585	186,336	210,578	16,376	7,866	36,209	246,787

SUMMARY OF VOTING IN ABOVE-MENTIONED DISTRICTS IN WHICH SECOND BALLOTS WERE TAKEN.

Number of electors who voted at first ballot	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	202,712
Number of electors who voted at second ballot	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	194,202
Number of electors who voted at both ballots	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	186,336	..	..	..	..
Number of electors who voted at first but not at second ballot	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16,376	..	..	..	..
Number of electors who voted at second ballot but not at first ballot	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7,866	..	..	..	..
Number of electors who voted at the election	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	210,578	..	..	..	..
Number of electors who did not vote at either ballot	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	36,209	..	..	..	..

RETURN SHOWING THE UNDERMENTIONED PARTICULARS OF FIRST BALLOTS IN THE CASES OF THOSE ELECTORATES WHERE SECOND BALLOTS WERE NECESSARY.

Electoral District.	Electors on Roll.			Number of Electors who recorded Votes (including informal).	Number of Electors who did not vote.	Informal Votes.	Proportion per Cent. of Males and Females on Roll.		Percentage of Total Number of Votes recorded to Total Number of Electors on the Roll.	Percentage of Informal Votes recorded.
	Men.	Women.	Total.				Men.	Women.		
Kaipara	3,902	2,398	6,300	5,067	1,233	75	62	38	80.43	1.48
Waitemata	4,473	4,336	8,809	7,368	1,441	142	51	49	83.64	1.93
Grey Lynn	4,077	4,459	8,536	6,982	1,554	106	48	52	81.79	1.52
Parnell	4,685	5,326	10,011	8,206	1,805	93	47	53	81.97	1.13
Raglan	3,828	2,744	6,572	5,390	1,182	99	58	42	82.01	1.84
Ohinemuri	4,303	3,110	7,413	6,124	1,289	64	58	42	82.61	1.05
Hawke's Bay	5,136	3,682	8,818	6,909	1,909	67	58	42	78.35	0.97
Pahiatua	3,663	2,660	6,323	5,286	1,037	50	58	42	83.60	0.95
Masterton	3,767	3,525	7,292	6,037	1,255	51	52	48	82.79	0.84
Wanganui	4,522	4,349	8,871	7,399	1,472	77	51	49	83.41	1.04
Waimarino	5,439	2,665	8,104	5,753	2,351	59	67	33	70.99	1.03
Otaki	3,925	2,560	6,485	5,273	1,212	67	61	39	81.31	1.27
Wellington Central ..	6,078	4,703	10,781	7,643	3,138	121	56	44	70.89	1.58
Wellington East	4,948	5,271	10,219	7,794	2,425	80	48	52	76.27	1.03
Wellington South	4,376	4,691	9,067	7,188	1,879	95	48	52	79.28	1.32
Wellington Suburbs and Country District	3,756	3,676	7,432	6,005	1,427	55	51	49	80.80	0.92
Nelson	3,635	3,801	7,436	6,038	1,398	53	49	51	81.20	0.88
Wairau	4,199	3,310	7,509	6,323	1,186	62	56	44	84.21	0.98
Kaipoi	3,693	3,222	6,915	6,047	868	61	53	47	87.45	1.01
Christchurch North ..	4,253	5,654	9,907	8,568	1,339	95	43	57	86.48	1.11
Christchurch East	4,437	4,718	9,155	7,729	1,426	103	48	52	84.42	1.33
Riccarton	4,091	4,004	8,095	6,872	1,223	71	51	49	84.89	1.03
Avon	4,150	4,634	8,784	7,783	1,001	66	47	53	88.60	0.85
Ashburton	3,920	3,164	7,084	6,033	1,051	64	55	45	85.17	1.06
Timaru	4,318	4,274	8,592	7,323	1,269	115	50	50	85.23	1.57
Waitaki	3,544	2,654	6,198	5,400	798	45	57	43	87.12	0.83
Dunedin North	4,146	5,087	9,233	8,043	1,190	75	45	55	87.11	0.93
Dunedin West	5,185	5,644	10,829	8,450	2,379	79	48	52	78.03	0.93
Chalmers	3,750	3,622	7,372	6,344	1,028	64	51	49	86.06	1.01
Invercargill	4,285	4,360	8,645	7,335	1,310	73	50	50	84.85	1.00
Totals	128,484	118,303	246,787	202,712	44,075	2,327	52	48	82.14	1.15

RETURN SHOWING THE UNDERMENTIONED PARTICULARS OF SECOND BALLOTS IN THE CASES OF THOSE ELECTORATES WHERE SECOND BALLOTS WERE NECESSARY.

Electoral District.	Electors on Roll.			Number of Electors who recorded Votes (including informal).	Number of Electors who did not vote.	Informal Votes.	Proportion per Cent. of Males and Females on Roll.		Percentage of Total Number of Votes recorded to Total Number of Electors on the Roll.	Percentage of Informal Votes recorded.
	Men.	Women.	Total.				Men.	Women.		
Kaipara	3,902	2,398	6,300	4,927	1,373	11	62	38	78.21	0.22
Waitemata	4,473	4,336	8,809	7,251	1,558	12	51	49	82.31	0.17
Grey Lynn	4,077	4,459	8,536	6,924	1,612	22	48	52	81.12	0.32
Parnell	4,685	5,326	10,011	8,115	1,896	25	47	53	81.06	0.31
Raglan	3,828	2,744	6,572	4,665	1,907	20	58	42	70.98	0.43
Ohinemuri	4,303	3,110	7,413	5,513	1,900	38	58	42	74.37	0.69
Hawke's Bay	5,136	3,682	8,818	6,881	1,937	28	58	42	78.03	0.41
Pahiatua	3,663	2,660	6,323	5,206	1,117	15	58	42	82.33	0.29
Masterton	3,767	3,525	7,292	5,919	1,373	10	52	48	81.17	0.17
Wanganui	4,522	4,349	8,871	7,096	1,775	22	51	49	79.99	0.31
Waimarino	5,439	2,665	8,104	5,683	2,421	21	67	33	70.13	0.37
Otaki	3,925	2,560	6,485	5,034	1,451	21	61	39	77.63	0.42
Wellington Central ..	6,078	4,703	10,781	7,514	3,267	19	56	44	69.70	0.25
Wellington East	4,948	5,271	10,219	7,513	2,706	18	48	52	73.52	0.24
Wellington South	4,376	4,691	9,067	6,951	2,116	9	48	52	76.66	0.13
Wellington Suburbs and Country District	3,756	3,676	7,432	5,741	1,691	20	51	49	77.25	0.35
Nelson	3,635	3,801	7,436	5,809	1,627	15	49	51	78.12	0.26
Wairau	4,199	3,310	7,509	6,338	1,171	24	56	44	84.41	0.38
Kaipoi	3,693	3,222	6,915	5,807	1,108	16	53	47	83.98	0.28
Christchurch North ..	4,253	5,654	9,907	8,537	1,370	32	43	57	86.17	0.37
Christchurch East	4,437	4,718	9,155	6,936	2,219	33	48	52	75.76	0.48
Riccarton	4,091	4,004	8,095	6,593	1,502	14	51	49	81.45	0.21
Avon	4,150	4,634	8,784	7,451	1,333	14	47	53	84.82	0.19
Ashburton	3,920	3,164	7,084	5,559	1,525	8	55	45	78.47	0.14
Timaru	4,318	4,274	8,592	6,611	1,981	25	50	50	76.94	0.38
Waitaki	3,544	2,654	6,198	5,146	1,052	12	57	43	83.03	0.23
Dunedin North	4,146	5,087	9,233	7,618	1,615	13	45	55	82.51	0.17
Dunedin West	5,185	5,644	10,829	8,302	2,527	19	48	52	76.66	0.23
Chalmers	3,750	3,622	7,372	5,741	1,631	9	51	49	77.88	0.16
Invercargill	4,285	4,360	8,645	6,821	1,824	16	50	50	78.90	0.23
Totals	128,484	118,303	246,787	194,202	52,585	561	52	48	78.69	0.24

RETURN SHOWING THE NUMBER OF MALE AND FEMALE ELECTORS ON THE ROLL; THE NUMBER OF MALE AND FEMALE ELECTORS WHO VOTED; THE NUMBER OF ELECTORS WHO DID NOT VOTE; THE NUMBER OF INFORMAL VOTES; THE PROPORTION PER CENT. OF MALES AND FEMALES ON ROLL; THE PROPORTION PER CENT. OF MALES AND FEMALES VOTING TO TOTAL NUMBER OF VOTES RECORDED; THE PERCENTAGE OF VOTES RECORDED BY MALES AND FEMALES RESPECTIVELY TO NUMBER OF MALES AND FEMALES ON ROLL; THE PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL NUMBER OF VOTES RECORDED TO TOTAL NUMBER OF ELECTORS ON THE ROLL; AND THE PERCENTAGE OF INFORMAL VOTES RECORDED.

Electoral District.	Electors on Roll.			Number of Voters who recorded Votes (including Informal).			Number of Electors who did not vote.	Informal Votes.	Proportion per Cent. of Males and Females on Roll.		Proportion per Cent. of Males and Females voting to Total Number of Votes recorded.		Percentage of Votes recorded by Males and Females respectively to Number of Males and Females on Roll.		Percentage of Total Number of Votes Recorded to Total Number of Electors on the Roll.	Percentage of Informal Votes recorded.
	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.			Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.		
Bay of Islands..	4,176	2,346	6,522	3,790	1,426	5,216	1,306	57	64	36	73	27	90.76	60.78	79.98	1.09
Marsden ..	4,131	2,933	7,064	3,419	2,345	5,764	1,300	68	58	42	59	41	82.76	79.95	81.60	1.18
Kaipara ..	3,902	2,398	6,300	3,356	1,957	5,313	987	75	62	38	63	37	86.01	81.61	84.33	1.41
Waitemata ..	4,473	4,336	8,809	3,846	3,743	7,589	1,220	142	51	49	51	49	85.98	86.32	86.15	1.87
Eden ..	4,114	4,036	8,150	3,409	3,277	6,686	1,464	91	50	50	51	49	82.86	81.19	82.04	1.36
Auckland East..	4,696	4,350	9,046	3,766	3,369	7,135	1,911	160	52	48	53	47	80.20	77.45	78.87	2.24
Auckland Central	6,371	4,341	10,712	4,626	3,106	7,732	2,980	99	59	41	60	40	72.61	71.55	72.18	1.28
Auckland West ..	4,314	4,473	8,787	3,735	3,794	7,529	1,258	110	49	51	50	50	86.58	84.82	85.68	1.46
Grey Lynn ..	4,077	4,459	8,536	3,618	3,800	7,418	1,118	106	48	52	49	51	88.74	85.22	86.90	1.43
Parnell ..	4,685	5,326	10,011	4,114	4,482	8,596	1,415	93	47	53	48	52	87.81	84.15	85.87	1.08
Manukau ..	4,407	4,517	8,924	3,597	3,561	7,158	1,766	100	49	51	50	50	81.62	78.84	80.21	1.40
Franklin ..	3,816	3,194	7,010	3,165	2,476	5,641	1,369	46	54	46	56	44	82.94	77.52	80.47	0.82
Raglan ..	3,828	2,744	6,572	3,338	2,227	5,565	1,007	99	58	42	60	40	87.20	81.16	84.68	1.78
Thames ..	3,961	2,741	6,702	3,292	2,342	5,634	1,068	134	59	41	58	42	83.11	85.44	84.06	2.38
Ohinemuri ..	4,303	3,110	7,413	3,657	2,615	6,272	1,141	64	58	42	58	42	84.99	84.08	84.61	1.02
Tauranga ..	4,208	3,028	7,236	3,426	2,332	5,758	1,478	119	58	42	59	41	81.42	77.01	79.57	2.07
Waikato ..	4,214	3,607	7,821	3,706	2,985	6,691	1,130	127	54	46	55	45	87.94	82.76	85.55	1.89
Bay of Plenty ..	5,456	2,366	7,822	4,143	1,741	5,884	1,938	65	70	30	70	30	75.93	73.58	75.22	1.10
Taumarunui ..	4,518	2,270	6,788	3,687	1,709	5,396	1,392	29	67	33	68	32	81.61	75.29	79.49	0.54
Gisborne* ..	5,393	3,657	9,050	4,068	2,744	6,812	2,238	135	60	40	60	40	75.43	75.03	75.27	1.98
Hawke's Bay ..	5,136	3,682	8,818	4,764	2,578	7,342	1,476	67	58	42	65	35	92.76	70.02	83.26	0.91
Napier ..	4,397	4,019	8,416	3,748	3,167	6,915	1,501	139	52	48	54	46	85.24	78.80	82.16	2.01
Waipawa ..	4,354	3,371	7,725	3,552	2,751	6,303	1,422	94	56	44	56	44	81.58	81.61	81.59	1.49
Pahiatua ..	3,663	2,660	6,323	3,226	2,316	5,542	781	50	58	42	58	42	88.07	87.07	87.65	0.90
Masterton ..	3,767	3,525	7,292	3,297	3,087	6,384	908	51	52	48	52	48	87.52	87.57	87.55	0.80
Wairarapa ..	4,060	2,771	6,831	3,533	2,421	5,954	877	91	59	41	59	41	87.02	87.37	87.16	1.53
Stratford ..	3,892	2,665	6,557	3,412	2,216	5,628	929	46	59	41	61	39	87.67	83.15	85.83	0.82
Taranaki ..	3,597	3,566	7,163	3,238	3,056	6,294	869	75	50	50	51	49	90.02	85.70	87.87	1.19
Egmont ..	3,866	2,806	6,672	3,357	2,397	5,754	918	63	58	42	58	42	86.83	85.42	86.24	1.10
Patea ..	4,244	3,239	7,483	3,496	2,654	6,150	1,333	82	57	43	57	43	82.38	81.94	82.19	1.33
Wanganui ..	4,522	4,349	8,871	3,962	3,756	7,718	1,153	77	51	49	51	49	87.62	86.36	87.00	1.00
Waimarino ..	5,439	2,665	8,104	4,018	2,049	6,067	2,037	59	67	33	66	34	73.87	76.89	74.86	0.97
Oroua ..	3,949	3,057	7,006	2,998	2,351	5,349	1,657	89	56	44	56	44	76.17	76.91	76.35	1.66
Rangitikei ..	4,022	2,955	6,977	3,170	2,292	5,462	1,515	65	58	42	58	42	78.82	77.56	78.29	1.19
Palmerston ..	4,048	3,903	7,951	3,483	3,332	6,815	1,136	83	51	49	51	49	86.04	85.37	85.71	1.22
Otaki ..	3,925	2,560	6,485	3,335	2,191	5,526	959	67	61	39	60	40	84.97	85.59	85.21	1.21
Hutt ..	4,329	3,919	8,248	3,643	3,253	6,896	1,352	93	52	48	53	47	84.15	83.01	83.61	1.35
Wellington North	5,353	5,301	10,654	3,967	3,933	7,900	2,754	136	50	50	50	50	74.11	74.19	74.15	1.72
Wellington Central	6,078	4,703	10,781	4,399	3,629	8,028	2,753	121	56	44	55	45	72.38	77.16	74.46	1.51
Wellington East ..	4,948	5,271	10,219	3,917	4,158	8,075	2,144	80	48	52	49	51	79.16	78.88	79.02	0.99
Wellington South ..	4,376	4,691	9,067	3,656	3,801	7,457	1,610	95	48	52	49	51	83.55	81.03	82.24	1.27
Wellington Suburbs and Country Districts	3,756	3,676	7,432	3,244	3,029	6,273	1,159	55	51	49	52	48	86.37	82.40	84.41	0.88

RETURN SHOWING THE NUMBER OF MALE AND FEMALE ELECTORS ON THE ROLL; THE NUMBER OF MALE AND FEMALE ELECTORS WHO VOTED, ETC.—*continued.*

Electoral District.	Electors on Roll.			Number of Voters who recorded Votes (including Informal).			Number of Electors who did not vote.	Informal Votes.	Proportion per Cent. of Males and Females on Roll.		Proportion per Cent. of Males and Females voting to Total Number of Votes recorded.		Percentage of Votes recorded by Males and Females respectively to Number of Males and Females on Roll.		Percentage of Total Number of Votes Recorded to Total Number of Electors on the Roll.	Percentage of Informal Votes recorded.
	Men.	Women.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Total.			Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.	Men.	Women.		
Nelson	3,635	3,801	7,436	3,142	3,174	6,316	1,120	53	49	51	50	50	86.44	83.50	84.94	0.84
Motueka	3,421	2,496	5,917	2,736	1,605	4,341	1,576	25	58	42	63	37	79.98	64.30	73.36	0.58
Buller	4,573	2,836	7,409	3,824	2,347	6,171	1,238	35	62	38	62	38	83.62	82.76	83.29	0.57
Grey	4,447	3,176	7,623	3,650	2,637	6,287	1,336	71	58	42	58	42	82.08	83.03	82.47	1.13
Westland	4,499	2,714	7,213	4,110	2,546	6,656	557	41	62	38	62	38	91.35	93.81	92.28	0.62
Wairau	4,199	3,310	7,509	3,727	2,926	6,653	856	62	56	44	56	44	88.76	88.40	88.60	0.93
Hurunui	3,915	2,391	6,306	3,077	1,915	4,992	1,314	51	62	38	62	38	78.60	80.09	79.16	1.02
Kaipoi	3,693	3,222	6,915	3,320	2,950	6,270	645	61	53	47	53	47	89.90	91.56	90.67	0.97
Christchurch North	4,253	5,654	9,907	3,863	5,073	8,936	971	95	43	57	43	57	90.83	89.72	90.20	1.06
Christchurch East	4,437	4,718	9,155	3,887	4,027	7,914	1,241	103	48	52	49	51	87.60	85.35	86.44	1.30
Christchurch South	4,332	4,369	8,701	3,793	3,694	7,487	1,214	198	50	50	51	49	87.56	84.55	86.05	2.64
Riccarton	4,091	4,004	8,095	3,588	3,471	7,059	1,036	71	51	49	51	49	87.70	86.69	87.20	1.01
Avon	4,150	4,634	8,784	3,813	4,202	8,015	769	66	47	53	48	52	91.88	90.68	91.25	0.82
Lyttelton	4,002	3,535	7,537	3,350	2,970	6,320	1,217	79	53	47	53	47	83.71	84.02	83.85	1.25
Ellesmere	3,527	3,029	6,556	3,001	2,393	5,394	1,162	84	54	46	56	44	85.09	79.00	82.28	1.56
Selwyn	3,672	2,611	6,283	3,101	2,134	5,235	1,048	38	58	42	59	41	84.45	81.73	83.32	0.73
Ashburton	3,920	3,164	7,084	3,443	2,748	6,191	893	64	55	45	56	44	87.83	86.85	87.39	1.03
Timaru	4,318	4,274	8,592	3,769	3,670	7,439	1,153	115	50	50	51	49	87.29	85.87	86.58	1.55
Temuka	3,638	2,844	6,482	3,067	2,321	5,388	1,094	46	56	44	57	43	84.30	81.61	83.14	0.86
Waitaki	3,544	2,654	6,198	3,224	2,370	5,594	604	45	57	43	58	42	90.97	89.30	90.25	0.80
Oamaru	3,586	3,608	7,194	3,223	3,125	6,348	846	56	50	50	51	49	89.88	86.61	88.24	0.88
Otago Central	4,103	2,778	6,881	3,404	2,324	5,728	1,153	40	60	40	59	41	82.96	83.66	83.24	0.70
Dunedin North	4,146	5,087	9,233	3,723	4,436	8,159	1,074	75	45	55	46	54	89.80	87.20	88.37	0.92
Dunedin West	5,185	5,644	10,829	4,030	4,715	8,745	2,084	79	48	52	46	54	77.72	83.54	80.76	0.90
Dunedin Central	4,408	4,788	9,196	3,894	4,181	8,075	1,121	83	48	52	48	52	88.34	87.32	87.81	1.03
Dunedin South	4,432	4,421	8,853	4,003	3,770	7,773	1,080	176	50	50	51	49	90.32	85.27	87.80	2.26
Chalmers	3,750	3,622	7,372	3,336	3,186	6,522	850	64	51	49	51	49	88.96	87.96	88.47	0.98
Bruce	3,551	3,082	6,633	3,080	2,585	5,665	968	64	54	46	54	46	86.74	83.87	85.41	1.13
Clutha	3,552	2,684	6,236	2,937	1,951	4,888	1,348	21	57	43	60	40	82.69	72.69	78.38	0.43
Wakatipu	3,657	2,379	6,036	3,259	2,000	5,259	777	24	61	39	62	38	89.12	84.07	87.13	0.46
Mataura	4,089	2,538	6,627	3,304	2,067	5,371	1,256	36	62	38	62	38	80.80	81.44	81.05	0.67
Wallace	3,627	2,410	6,037	3,179	1,916	5,095	942	71	60	40	62	38	87.65	79.50	84.40	1.39
Invercargill	4,285	4,360	8,645	3,877	3,736	7,613	1,032	73	50	50	51	49	90.48	85.69	88.06	0.96
Awarua	3,632	2,586	6,218	3,147	2,245	5,392	826	82	58	42	58	42	86.65	86.81	86.72	1.52
Totals	321,633	269,009	590,642	271,054	221,858	492,912	97,130	6,044	54	46	55	45	84.43	82.47	83.54	1.23

* As there was no parliamentary election in Gisborne the figures have been made up from the results of the licensing poll.

RETURN SHOWING NUMBER OF SEAMEN'S RIGHTS AND ABSENT VOTERS' PERMITS ISSUED AND EXERCISED IN EACH ELECTORAL DISTRICT.

Electoral District.	Electoral Rights.			Absent Voters' Permits.		
	Total Number of Seamen's Rights issued.	Number of Seamen who voted.	Number of Seamen who did not vote.	Total Number of Absent Voters' Permits issued.	Number of Absent Voters' Permits exercised.	Number of Absent Voters' Permits issued but not exercised.
Bay of Islands	1	1	..	49	36	13
Marsden	3	2	1	79	57	22
Kaipara	1	1	..	48	42	6
Waitemata	11	10	1	98	55	43
Eden	17	11	6	69	53	16
Auckland East	81	33	48	72	52	20
Auckland Central	279	161	118	70	45	25
Auckland West	81	43	38	57	47	10
Grey Lynn	15	12	3	69	54	15
Parnell	46	35	11	127	116	11
Manukau	67	47	20	92	68	24
Franklin	2	2	..	44	34	10
Raglan .. .. .	..	..	..	51	38	13
Thames	1	1	..	38	25	13
Ohinemuri .. .. .	..	..	..	64	50	14
Tauranga .. .. .	..	..	..	76	61	15
Waikato .. .. .	..	..	..	129	96	33
Bay of Plenty	2	1	1	47	32	15
Taumarunui .. .. .	..	..	..	46	36	10
Gisborne	30	2	28	180	89	91
Hawke's Bay .. .. .	..	..	..	70	41	29
Napier	5	5	..	131	94	37
Waipawa .. .. .	..	..	..	126	89	37
Pahiatua .. .. .	..	..	..	92	78	14
Masterton .. .. .	..	..	..	123	97	26
Wairarapa .. .. .	..	..	..	131	98	33
Stratford .. .. .	..	..	..	68	45	23
Taranaki	1	1	..	84	60	24
Egmont .. .. .	..	..	..	127	84	43
Patea .. .. .	..	..	..	84	47	37
Wanganui	8	5	3	187	163	24
Waimarino .. .. .	..	..	..	46	39	7
Oroua .. .. .	..	..	..	82	63	19
Rangitikei .. .. .	..	..	..	121	72	49
Palmerston .. .. .	..	..	..	179	112	67
Otaki .. .. .	..	..	..	94	84	10
Hutt	3	..	3	151	81	70
Wellington North	37	9	28	225	174	51
Wellington Central	226	79	147	134	91	43
Wellington East	34	26	8	167	139	28
Wellington South	30	26	4	147	140	7
Wellington Suburbs and Country District	2	2	..	140	97	43
Nelson	26	14	12	95	67	28
Motueka	1	1	..	4	4	..
Buller	67	36	31	103	71	32
Grey	9	1	8	167	115	52
Westland .. .. .	..	..	..	126	78	48
Wairau	1	1	..	82	61	21
Hurunui .. .. .	..	..	..	19	13	6
Kaipoi	5	5	..	85	73	12
Christchurch North	2	1	1	142	108	34
Christchurch East .. .. .	..	..	..	109	86	23
Christchurch South	1	1	..	82	57	25
Riccarton	1	..	1	87	57	30
Avon .. .. .	..	..	..	118	84	34
Lyttelton	251	124	127	56	42	14
Ellesmere .. .. .	..	..	..	18	15	3
Selwyn .. .. .	..	..	..	35	24	11
Ashburton .. .. .	..	..	..	124	99	25
Timaru	3	2	1	150	109	41

RETURN SHOWING NUMBER OF SEAMEN'S RIGHTS AND ABSENT VOTERS' PERMITS ISSUED AND EXERCISED IN EACH ELECTORAL DISTRICT—*continued.*

Electoral District.	Electoral Rights.			Absent Voters' Permits.		
	Total Number of Seamen's Rights issued.	Number of Seamen who voted.	Number of Seamen who did not vote.	Total Number of Absent Voters' Permits issued.	Number of Absent Voters' Permits exercised.	Number of Absent Voters' Permits issued but not exercised.
Temuka .. ..	..	..	..	68	49	19
Waitaki .. ..	..	..	..	81	61	20
Oamaru .. ..	..	..	..	149	110	39
Otago Central .. ..	..	..	..	61	41	20
Dunedin North	13	10	3	160	128	32
Dunedin West	102	65	37	195	144	51
Dunedin Central	26	16	10	190	136	54
Dunedin South	18	3	15	157	121	36
Chalmers	103	69	34	127	97	30
Bruce .. ..	..	..	..	103	88	15
Clutha .. ..	..	..	..	25	17	8
Wakatipu .. ..	..	..	..	51	38	13
Mataura .. ..	..	..	..	54	43	11
Wallace .. ..	..	..	..	21	13	8
Invercargill	2	2	..	107	90	17
Awarua	8	5	3	69	50	19
Totals	1,622	871	751	7,434	5,463	1,971

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Chief Electoral Officer.

Electoral Department, Wellington, 10th April, 1912.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in Westland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Hokitika, 12th February, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction for cash at the Courthouse, Greymouth, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 15th day of May, 1912.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF COBDEN.

Town Land.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.		Valuation for Improvements.	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
31	A. R. P. 0 0 32.2	140	0 0	550	0 0
32	0 0 32.2	120	0 0	350	0 0
33	0 0 32.2	120	0 0	170	0 0
34	0 0 32.2	120	0 0	140	0 0
35	0 0 18.4	80	0 0	160	0 0
35A	0 0 13.8	60	0 0	300	0 0
174	0 0 32.2	90	0 0	40	0 0
175	0 0 32.2	100	0 0	160	0 0
176	0 0 32.2	100	0 0	10	0 0

The sections are centrally situated in the Town of Cobden, and are distant about a mile and a quarter from the Greymouth Post-office. The streets fronting the sections, with the exception of Sections 174, 175, and 176, are formed and metalled. There are buildings, at present occupied, on the whole of the sections.

H. D. M. HASZARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 5th February, 1912.

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 at this office at 11 o'clock a.m. on Friday, the 31st day of May, 1912.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—EDEN COUNTY.—SUBURBS OF AUCKLAND.

Lot	Section	Area.	Upset Price.	
			£	s. d.
68	12	A. R. P. 1 0 32.37	150	0 0

Weighted with £60, valuation for improvements consisting of shed and fencing.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Southland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Invercargill, 27th February, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 31A, Block IV, Aparima Hundred, Southland Land District, will be offered for sale by public auction for cash at this office at 11 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, the 29th day of May, 1912.

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

Lands in Canterbury Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands Office,
Christchurch, 12th February, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction for cash at this office at noon on Wednesday, the 15th day of May, 1912.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

Rural Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
MALVERN COUNTY.—HORORATA SURVEY DISTRICT.			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
36717	VIII	22 1 27	280 0 0
ASHLEY COUNTY.—RANGIORA SURVEY DISTRICT.			
R. 371	VIII	3 2 20	12 0 0
SELWYN COUNTY.—HORORATA SURVEY DISTRICT.			
36718	XVI	37 1 27	135 0 0

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Otago Land District for Sale or Selection.

District Lands Office,
Dunedin, 5th February, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land is open for sale or selection under the said Act; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 7th day of May, 1912.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO 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.
CLUTHA COUNTY.—WOODLAND SURVEY DISTRICT.					
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
31	X	17 0 0	15 0 0	0 7 6	0 6 0
CLUTHA COUNTY.—RIMU SURVEY DISTRICT.					
9	XIII	196 3 20	150 0 0	3 15 0	3 0 0

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Putaruru Village, Selwyn Settlement, Auckland Land District, open for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 7th March, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 22nd day of April, 1912, 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, Auckland, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 25th day of April, 1912, 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 at the District Lands Office, Auckland, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, the 25th day of April, 1912, at the conclusion of the examination of applicants.

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.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—MATAMATA COUNTY.—PUTARURU VILLAGE.—SELWYN SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
17	II	0 1 0	35 0 0	0 15 9

Altitude, about 525 ft. above sea-level. Level land, in native grass. Soil of a light sandy nature. Situated about 20 chains from Pataruru Railway-station by good road.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District to be disposed of under Section 128 of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 12th February, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 9, Block I, Maungamangero Survey District, containing 31 acres 2 roods 20 perches, will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land under section 128 of the Land Act, 1908, on or after Wednesday, the 15th day of May, 1912.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District to be disposed of under Section 131 of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands Office,
Auckland, 12th February, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that an area of Crown land adjoining Section 55, Maramaru Parish, and containing about 10 acres, will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land, under section 131 of the Land Act, 1908, on or after Wednesday, the 15th day of May, 1912.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Southland Land District for Sale or Selection.

District Lands Office,
Invercargill, 27th February, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Sections 10A, and 11, 12, 21, 22, 23, 24, 47, 48, and 49, Block XXIV, Invercargill Hundred, Southland Land District, are open for sale or selection under the said Act; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 22nd day of May, 1912.

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

Lands in Timauanga Settlement, Canterbury Land District.
open for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands Office,
Christchurch, 5th March, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease; and applications will be received at this office and the local Lands Office, Timaru, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 15th day of April, 1912, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—WAIMATE COUNTY.—
TIMAUNGA SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
WAIMATE COUNTY.—NIMROD SURVEY DISTRICT.				
1 and 2	VIII	669 2 0	£ 5,850 0 0	£ 131 12 6
WAIMATE COUNTY.—NIMROD* AND OTAIO† SURVEY DISTRICTS.				
3	*VIII	537 3 0	£ 5,380 0 0	£ 121 1 0
4	†V			
WAIMATE COUNTY.—NIMROD SURVEY DISTRICT.				
5	VIII	363 1 0	£ 3,280 0 0	£ 73 16 0
6	"	341 0 0	£ 4,120 0 0	£ 92 14 0
WAIMATE COUNTY.—OTAIO SURVEY DISTRICT.				
7	V	335 3 0	£ 4,500 0 0	£ 101 5 0
8	"	259 2 0	£ 4,000 0 0	£ 90 0 0
9	"	229 0 0	£ 3,090 0 0	£ 69 10 6
10	"	370 3 0	£ 5,190 0 0	£ 116 15 6
11	"	315 3 0	£ 5,430 0 0	£ 122 3 6
12	"	398 3 0	£ 5,050 0 0	£ 113 12 6
13	"	398 3 0	£ 6,100 0 0	£ 137 5 0
14	"	352 2 0	£ 5,260 0 0	£ 118 7 0
15	"	300 0 0	£ 5,120 0 0	£ 115 4 0
16	"	187 2 0	£ 3,200 0 0	£ 72 0 0
17	VI	240 2 0	£ 3,980 0 0	£ 89 11 0
18	V	338 0 0	£ 5,220 0 0	£ 117 9 0
19	VI	319 0 0	£ 5,040 0 0	£ 113 8 0

* Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £550, payable in cash or in twenty-one years by half-yearly instalments of £21 9s. Total half-yearly payment, £90 19s. 6d.
† Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £1,050, payable in cash or in twenty-one years by half-yearly instalments of £40 19s. Total half-yearly payment, £157 14s. 6d.
‡ Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £710, payable in cash or in twenty-one years by half-yearly instalments of £27 13s. 10d. Total half-yearly payment, £146 0s. 10d.
§ Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £1,275, payable in cash or in twenty-one years by half-yearly instalments of £49 14s. 6d. Total half-yearly payment, £164 18s. 6d.

DESCRIPTIONS OF SECTIONS.

Section 1.—Altitude, from 880 ft. to 1,140 ft. Chiefly in tussock and native grass; about 120 acres have been ploughed, and are now covered with *Poa pratensis* and tussock; all rather steep, excepting 20 acres of flat fronting main road; well watered by running stream; fair soil. Situated twenty-three miles from Timaru by well-formed road. Improvements which are included in the price of section consist of 148 chains of fencing, valued at £73.

Section 2.—Altitude, from 40 ft. to 1,080 ft. Chiefly in tussock; about 100 acres have been ploughed, and are now covered with *Poa pratensis* and tussock; 160 acres are flat, dry, and stony; balance undulating and rather steep terrace, all fair soil; well watered. Situated twenty-two miles from Timaru by well-formed road. Improvements which are included in the price of the section consist of 186 chains of fencing, valued at £84 10s.

Section 3.—Altitude, 760 ft. to 980 ft. About 84 acres in English grass; balance in tussock and native grass; 150 acres consist of rather shingly flat in tussock; balance down and terrace land; well watered; soil fair. Situated twenty-one miles and a half from Timaru by well-formed road. Improvements which are included in the price of the section consist of 234 chains of fencing, valued at £108 10s.

Section 4.—Altitude, 740 ft. to 900 ft. About 120 acres in rye-grass and clover; balance in tussock and native grass; 150 acres flat land stony in places; balance down and terrace land; well watered by creeks; soil fairly good. Situated twenty miles from Timaru by well-formed road. Improvements which are included in the price of the section consist of 194 chains of fencing, valued at £97.

Section 5.—Altitude, from 650 ft. to 1,200 ft. Chiefly in tussock and other native grasses; about 90 acres have been ploughed, and are now in English grass; balance broken tussock land, good soil, with 15 acres of flat at north-west corner; well watered by springs and creeks. Situated twenty-two miles and a half from Timaru by well-formed road. Improvements which are included in the price of the section consist of 295 chains of fencing, valued at £101 14s.

Section 6.—Altitude, 640 ft. to 930 ft. About 140 acres are in rye-grass and clover; balance in tussock and Native grass; 35 acres of flat, a little stony; remainder undulating and broken land; all well watered; soil fair to medium. Situated twenty-one miles and three-quarters from Timaru by well-formed road. The improvements which are included in the price of section consist of 256 chains of fencing, valued at £100 15s.

Section 7.—Altitude, 610 ft. to 900 ft. About 274 acres in English grass; remainder in tussock; 72 acres flat and stony, the balance terrace and easy-sloping land; fairly good soil; well watered. Situated twenty miles and three-quarters from Timaru by well-formed road. Improvements which are included in the price of section consist of 238 chains of fencing, valued at £96.

Section 8.—Altitude, 600 ft. to 870 ft. About 185 acres in rape and turnips; 60 acres in English grass, and the balance in tussock and Native grass; 60 acres shingly flat; remainder undulating and terrace land; well watered. Situated twenty miles and a half from Timaru by well-formed road. Improvements which are included in the price of the section consist of 222 chains of fencing, valued at £90 10s.

Section 9.—Altitude, 590 ft. to 860 ft. Consists of 15 acres shingly flat, the remainder undulating and terrace land, of which about 140 acres are rape, 40 acres English grass, 2 acres plantation four years old, balance steep face in tussock; well watered; soil good. Situated twenty miles from Timaru by well-formed road. Improvements which are included in the price of the section consist of 238 chains of fencing, valued at £90; 197 chains at 9s., £88 13s. Improvements which are not included in the price of the section, but which must be paid for separately, consist of a nearly new combined wool-shed (five stands) and stable (eight stalls), cart-shed, under one roof, built or iron on totara piles, £350, and a three-roomed cottage built of wood and roofed with iron, tongued-and-grooved lining, £200; total, £550.

Section 10.—Altitude, from 560 ft. to 930 ft. Flat, hilly, and undulating land of good quality, part limestone formation, of which about 182 acres are in rye-grass and clover; 5 acres plantation and garden; balance in tussock, native grass intermixed with surface-sown English grass; nearly all can be ploughed; well watered. Situated nineteen miles and a half from Timaru by well-formed road. Improvements which are included in the price of the section consist of 437 chains of fencing and 5 acres plantation and garden, all valued at £244. Improvements which are not included in price of section, but have to be paid for separately, consist of a nearly new, well-kept ten-roomed dwellinghouse with verandah, built of wood and roofed with iron, lathed and plastered, every convenience, concrete dairy and storeroom, septic tank, &c., £900. Wood-and-iron four-stall stable and harness-room, trap-house and motor-shed on concrete foundations, £150; total, £1,050; cost much more.

Section 11.—Altitude, from 640 ft. to 950 ft. Consists of about 50 acres flat, 160 acres easy ridges, balance steeper, but part ploughable: of this, 210 acres are in rape, turnips, and oats; balance tussock, with native and English grasses; soil all good, part limestone formation, flat shingly in patches; well watered by creeks and springs. Situated twenty miles and three-quarters from Timaru by well-formed road. Improvements which are included in price of section consist of 240 chains of fencing, valued at £89 10s.

Section 12.—Altitude, 570 ft. to 1,174 ft. About 50 acres flat in rape and turnips; 45 acres in English grass (old); balance in tussock, native and English grasses; very broken ground, but good limestone soil; fairly well watered by springs and small gullies. Situated twenty miles and a quarter from Timaru by well-formed road. The improvements which are included in price of section consist of 358 chains of fencing, valued at £117 10s.

Section 13.—Altitude, 570 ft. to 1,160 ft. About 35 acres of rather shingly flat, now in rape, turnips, and oats; 40 acres English grass (old) and 2 acres rape; total under

cultivation 167 acres, including English grass; balance in tussock, native and English grasses, rather steep and broken, but very good limestone soil; fairly well watered by springs and small gullies. Situated nineteen miles and a half from Timaru by well-formed road. Improvements which are included in price of section consist of 347 chains of fencing, valued at £126 10s.

Section 14.—Altitude, 560 ft. to 1,050 ft. About 26 acres flat, rather shingly in places, now in rape and turnips, and about 162 acres in rape; balance in tussock, native and English grasses; is rather steep and broken in places, but all good limestone soil, fairly well watered by springs and creek. Situated nineteen miles from Timaru by well-formed road. Improvements which are included in price of section consist of about 350 chains of fencing, valued at £131 5s. The improvements not included in price of section, but which must be paid for separately, consist of new wool-shed (six stands) and stable (eight stalls, two loose boxes), machine-shed, and storeroom lined with wood, all under one roof, built of iron on jarrah piles, £400; new cottage (four rooms), bathroom, and wood-shed, built of wood and roofed with iron, tongued-and-grooved lining, £300; wool-shed, £10: total, £710.

Section 15.—Altitude, 530 ft. to 1,030 ft. All in English grass, excepting about 4½ acres in garden, orchard, and plantation one year and a half old, and 15½ acres in tussock; hilly faces rather steep, but excellent limestone soil; well watered by springs and small creeks. Situated eighteen miles and a half from Timaru by well-formed road. Improvements which are included in price of section consist of about 277 chains of fencing, valued at £93 10s. The improvements not included in price of section, but which will have to be paid for separately, consist of a quite new dwellinghouse, built of wood, with tile roof, lined with plaster and wood, all well finished, containing six bedrooms, drawing-room, kitchen, scullery, bathroom, dairy, wash-house, coal-house, two store-rooms, cupboards, &c., verandah, hot and cold water service, bells, and pipes laid for acetylene gas, valued at £1,275; much below cost price.

Section 16.—Altitude, 530 ft. to 1,020 ft. All limestone hill in English grass, except 10 acres, which is rather broken, covered with tussock and English grasses; all but a few acres ploughable; good soil; fairly well watered by springs and one small creek. Situated seventeen miles and three-quarters from Timaru by well-formed road. The improvements which are included in the price of the section consist of 129 chains of fencing, valued at £42 15s.

Section 17.—Altitude, 500 ft. to 1,039 ft. All ploughable limestone hill in English grass, a little broken in part; soil very good, fairly well watered by springs and small creek. Situated seventeen miles from Timaru by well-formed road. The improvements which are included in the price of the section consist of 156 chains of fencing, valued at £49 7s.

Section 18.—Altitude, from 600 ft. to 980 ft. Hilly limestone land; 160 acres have been ploughed and laid down in English grass; the balance, most of which can be ploughed, is in tussock and English grass; all is very good soil, well watered by springs and creeks. Situated eighteen miles from Timaru—seventeen miles and a quarter of which is well formed, remainder to be formed. The improvements which are included in the price of the section consist of 232 chains of fencing, valued at £73 10s.

Section 19.—Altitude, from 570 ft. to 980 ft. Hilly limestone land; about 230 acres have been ploughed, and are now in English grass; balance tussock and English grass; 15 acres good flat at southern end; all very good soil; well watered by springs and creeks. Situated seventeen miles and a quarter from Timaru by well-formed road. The improvements which are included in the price of the section consist of 194 chains of fencing, valued at £62 10s.

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Taranaki Land District to be disposed of under Section 131 of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands Office,
New Plymouth, 11th March, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that part of section 23, Block IX, Ohura Survey District, containing 3 roods 8·9 perches, will be disposed of, under section 131 of the said Act, to the holder of adjoining land on or after Friday, the 14th day of June, 1912.

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
Napier, 27th March, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands Office, Napier, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, 13th June, 1912, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and amendment.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—WEBER COUNTY.—WEBER SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
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		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
6	III	74 0 0	26 0 0

Situated about a mile and a quarter from Weber on the main Dannevirke to Herbertville Road. Well watered by the Tahuokaretu Stream. Soil fair, on clay formation; small portion in flat, and balance is undulating and hilly; all in grass.

5	VII	220 2 30	100 0 0
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Situated about two miles and a quarter from Weber and a mile and a quarter from the main Dannevirke to Herbertville Road. Well watered by several streams. Section is somewhat rough and broken by steep gullies; soil is good; all in grass, with the exception of about 35 acres.

Terms and Conditions of Lease.

1. Term of lease, twenty-one years, subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.
2. A deposit of a half-year's rent and £1 1s. lease fee must be paid on the fall of the hammer.
3. Possession will be given on 1st July, 1912, from which date rent will commence.
4. The rent shall be paid half-yearly in advance.
5. There are no restrictions or limitations as to the number of sections which one person may hold, and no declaration is required. Residence and improvements are not compulsory.
6. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
7. The lessee shall have no right to fell or remove from the land any live or dead trees or timber, whether standing or lying on the ground.
8. All persons duly authorized in that behalf shall have free right of ingress, egress, and regress for such purposes as the Commissioner of Crown Lands may deem expedient.
9. The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and he shall prevent their increase or spread to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
10. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, sweetbriar, and other noxious weeds on the land comprised in the lease, and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove or cause to be removed all gorse, sweetbriar, broom, or other noxious weeds or plants as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
11. The lessee will at all times during the term of the lease keep all fences upon or about the land in good and substantial repair.
12. The lease will be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee shall fail to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to be fulfilled.

C. R. POLLEN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands Office,
New Plymouth, 19th February, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that part Section 7, Block XV, Ohura Survey District, Taranaki Land District, containing approximately 15 acres 2 roods, will be disposed of under section 128 of the said Act, to the holder of adjoining land, on or after Friday, the 31st day of May, 1912.

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Te Kuiti, Auckland.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 4th April, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Te Kuiti on the 25th day of April, 1912, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Auckland, 1912-20.]

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
439	Aue Tanetinorau	Hauturu East No. 1A.
440	Sarah Marshall	" B 2B No. 3.
441	Ingoa Tuhemata (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	" C No. 2B.
442	Tiki Omipi	" E No. 2.
443	Rangiwhera Roa (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	" E No. 3.
444	Tiki Omipi	Hauturu West No. 1, Section 2c.
445	"	" No. 1, Section 2d.
446	Rene Ponui	Kawhia T No. 2, Section 3.
447	Koroheke Amoamo	" P No. 1, Section 2A.
448	Wiriwiri Pikia	" P No. 11.
449	Mokau Hapimana	Kahuwera B No. 2.
450	Mokena Patupatu (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	Karotewhenua B 5c No. 2.
451	Piko Hariata (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	Kinohaku East No. 1A, Section 2.
452	Ruta Hana	" No. 2, Section 24d.
453	Te Rerehau Haupokia	Kinohaku West No. 11d, Section 3.
454	Tai Pukunui (Earl, Kent, and Howarth) ..	Korakonui No. 4.
455	Ngawharau te Mura (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	Kumi No. 10.
456	D. C. Broadfoot	" No. 11.
457	"	" No. 12b.
458	John T. Hetet (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	Kuiti Township, Lot 1 and part 23.
459	Manawairi Taohua (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	Kuiti 2B No. 8.
460	Tiramate Pohe (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	" No. 10.
461	Noka Hikanui	Mangaora No. 6.
462	Rangiura Arama	Mangarapa 4 No. 2B1.
463	Kawenui Herewini (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	Mangawhero No. 1g.
464	Hori te Kanawa and others	Maketu.
465	Hohua te Apa	"
466	Taipua Kiwi and others	"
467	Waretini Tukorehu	Marokopa No. 5B.
468	Iringahau Taramoa (Earl, Kent, and Howarth) ..	" No. 5d.
469	Pati te Taiki and Otimi te Taiki	Orahiri No. 8B.
470	Rewatu Hiriako	Otorohanga C.
471	Kaa Parosone	Ohura South M No. 3B.
472	Tapuira Ihaha (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	" N, Section 2.
473	Tuauru te Waihanea (Earl, Kent, and Howarth) ..	" N No. 2d.
474	Tahuata te Poihi	Pehitawa 2B No. 3.
475	Thomas Baxter Scott (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	Pirongia West No. 2, Section 2F 1A.
476	Te Aho te Hae	" No. 2B, Section 1A.
477	Thomas B. Bowen (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	Pokuru No. 1A.
478	Te Manu te Haate and Matengaro te Haate ..	" No. 1A.
479	Matengaro te Haate	" No. 1A.
480	Makawe Tapuwhenua	" 2A No. 2.
481	Ngaurukehu te Maraku (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	" No. 3B.
482	Koroheke Rangihaea (Earl, Kent, and Howarth) ..	Pukeroa Hangatiki 4c No. 3A.
483	Wiki Tohengaroa	Pukeuha C.
484	Whakarongotai Hikuroa and others	Rapaura No. 2.
485	Miriama Kahukarewao and others	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 2 (Pukuweka).
486	Kameta te Para	" No. 36B3.
487	Te Ata Hoani (Earl, Kent, and Howarth) ..	" No. 61g, Section 3.
488	Hori Ngatai (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	" No. 61o, Section 2B.
489	Annie Sommerville (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	Rangitoto A No. 63B, Section 1.
490	Ngahiraka Rangianini (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	" A No. 63B1.
491	Jessie Russell Jordan (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	" A No. 66B2.
492	"	" A No. 66B2.
493	A. F. Johnstone (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 66B.
494	Hira te Akau (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	" No. 67B.
495	Amohaere Rangitahi (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	" No. 68K.
496	Te Ngohi Tuarau	" No. 72B.
497	Waitarere Hoani	" 74B No. 6E.
498	Hinekino Hohepa (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	" No. 77E, Section 3A.
499	Waitarere Hoani	" No. 77K, Block 5.
500	Hira te Akau (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	" No. 78B4.
501	"	" No. 78B4.
502	Te Rehia Takuira (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	" 79H No. 2B2, Section 2.
503	Hinekino Rahera and others	" 80B No. 2.
504	Oliver Noel Gillespie	" 80B No. 2.
505	Toihau Kumete	Taharoa A.
506	Hori te Kanawa	" A.
507	Te Moerua Kiwi and others	" A.
508	Timoti Hihipeehi and others	" A No. 4.
509	Tawhi Eructi	Taumatotara No. 4B.
510	Mursahi Niketi	Tokanui 1B No. 2B.
511	Raureti te Huia	" No. 1D, Section 2.
512	Ngawiki Rauroha and Parekarau te Rauroha ..	" C No. 8B.
513	Tangihare Tawhana and Taruke te Oha ..	Umukaimata No. 1A, Section 2.
514	Ratima Pekamu	" No. 2, Section 5.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
515	W. H. Swainson (Broadfoot and Finlay)	Waiwhakaata 3E No. 4B.
516	Frank Yates Lethbridge	Wharepuhunga 7B No. 2.
517	Tongahua Kiri (Broadfoot and Finlay)	" No. 9A, Section 1.
518	Taongahua Kiri (Broadfoot and Finlay)	" No. 9A, Section 2.
519	Rangikatua Ngakao and Urikore Raira	" No. 9A, Section 2.
520	Te Kaponga te Kohetu	" 9C No. 1.
521	Raureti te Huia	" 9C No. 1A.
522	Kingi Ahoaho (Broadfoot and Finlay)	" 9C No. 2.
523	Taongahua Raimapaha	" 9C No. 2.
524	Frank Y. Lethbridge (Broadfoot and Finlay)	" No. 12A, Section 2B.
525	Toianako Kerekeha (Broadfoot and Finlay)	" 14A No. 2.
526	Te Rehi Reupena (Broadfoot and Finlay)	" 14A No. 2.
527	Frank Yates Lethbridge (Broadfoot and Finlay)	" 14A No. 2.
528	Matahou te Waru and Ngakuku te Waru	" No. 16A.

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGES.

No	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land proposed to be exchanged.
529	(Tuhituhi te Tahuti (Maude White <i>nee</i> Maude Mainwaring) Rihi Huanga	Pokuru No. 2B, Section 1. " No. 2F, Section 2B No. 1.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
530	W. H. Grace (Earl and Kent)	Hatua te Heke.
531	Moihi Kereama (W. J. Broadfoot)	Te Haurangi Komanga.
532	George Brown	Teni Paraone.
533	Rukuruku Papanahi and Huihana Parehuroro (W. J. Broadfoot)	Tuhoropunga te Korowai.

APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
534	Ngatai te Mamaku	Ngarewai Ngatai.
535	Kurupae Taraiti	Rameka Taraao.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
536	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Kawhia G No. 1A	£ s. d. 14 5 6
537	"	" G 1B No. 1	2 10 0
538	"	" G 1B No. 2	4 5 0
539	"	" G 1B No. 3	2 10 0
540	"	" G 1B No. 4	2 10 0
541	"	" G No. 2A	11 5 0
542	"	" G No. 2B	2 17 6
543	"	" G No. 2C	2 17 6
544	"	" O No. 1	16 16 0
545	"	" O No. 2	16 2 6
546	"	" O No. 3	20 2 6
547	"	" O No. 4	7 1 0
548	"	" O No. 5	10 13 6
549	"	" O No. 6	5 13 0
550	"	" O No. 7	11 6 6
551	"	" O No. 8	3 1 0
552	"	" P No. 7A	4 4 0
553	"	" P No. 7B	4 4 0
554	"	" P No. 7C	4 4 0
555	"	" P No. 7D	4 4 0
556	"	" P No. 7E	4 4 0
557	"	Karuotewhenua B No. 1	11 6 1
558	"	" B 5C No. 4A	9 12 8
559	"	" B 5C No. 4B	41 5 6
560	Richard Coles Jordan	Ohura South A No. 3	164 3 8
561	"	" N, Section 2	117 12 11
562	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Pirongia West 3B No. 2E	17 17 1
563	Percy Ward	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 77B	107 10 0
564	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Wharepuhunga No. 5A	5 1 2
565	"	" No. 5B	18 4 0
566	"	" No. 5C	24 18 5
567	"	" No. 5D	30 9 6
568	"	" No. 5E	7 11 6
569	"	" No. 5F	10 13 7

APPLICATIONS TO ASSESS THE AMOUNT OF COMPENSATION PAYABLE TO OWNERS OF NATIVE LAND TAKEN BY PROCLAMATION UNDER THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1908.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area taken.			Purpose for which taken.
			A.	R.	P.	
570	G. McCartney	Section 1, Block XX, Te Kuiti				Railway purposes.
571	W. S. Short	Mokau River, North Bank (Mangoira Nos. 1 and 2)	2,690	0	0	Scenic purposes.
572	"	Ditto	260	0	0	
			94	2	16	
			76	0	0	

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
573	Wiriwiri Pikia	Kawhia P No. 11A ..	Applying that the present subdivisions of the block be cancelled, and that the block be partitioned afresh.
574	Te Wairua Tumanako and others	Mangaawakino No. 8B ..	Ditto.
575	Nuka te Ahurewa	Mangawhero No. 4A ..	"
576	Miriama Kahukarewao (Earl and Kent)	Rangitoto - Tuhua No. 1 (Pukuweka)	"
577	Ditto	Rangitoto - Tuhua No. 2 (Pukuweka)	"

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 29 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
578	Margaret Jane Beeson (Broadfoot and Finlay)	Rangitoto A No. 36B.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Rotorua.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Registrar's Office, Auckland, 4th April, 1912. Native Land Court sitting at Rotorua on the 25th day of April, 1912, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Auckland, 1912-21.]

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1094	Makarita te Toa and Makarita Akapita	Kaitao-Rotohokahoka No. 1G.
1095	Tiaki Rewiri	Rangitaiki No. 29.
1096	Tiaki Rewiri and others (Wynyard and Skelton)	"
1097	Earl and Kent (for applicants)	"
1098	Te Utauta Tamati	Rangitaiki Lot 29, G1 and G2.
1099	Makarita te Toa	Waiherowhero No. 8.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Gisborne.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 4th April, 1911. Native Land Court sitting at Gisborne on the 18th day of April, 1912, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Gisborne, 1912-11.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
42	Peti Toka	Tarewauru A 2B.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Dannevirke.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 10th April, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Dannevirke on the 24th day of April, 1912, 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, 1912-17.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.
APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Fitzherbert and Robertshawe (for Miriama Heketa and Te Hotu (Oka) Heketa)	Ahuaturanga No. 5.
2	Hore Haira	Kaitoki No. 2k.
3	A. E. Simson (by his solicitor, T. W. Lewis)	Mangatainoka No. 1A1½ East.
4	Aperata Takana (for Te Uira Akuira and Hohepa Akuira)	Tahoraiti No. 1e.
5	Katerina Pikihiua	" No. 1g.
6	Hare Pine Takirirangi	" No. 1h.
7	Fitzherbert and Robertshawe (for Miriama Heketa and Te Hotu (Oka) Heketa)	" No. 1e.
8	Manahi Paewai and others	" No. 2.
9	Nikora Peeti	" No. 2.
10	Fitzherbert and Robertshawe (for Kairama Pirihiara and Eparata Whaitiri)	" No. 2, Sections 1 to 11, and Sections 20 to 31.
11	Tiria Hori	Rakautatahi No. 1f.
12	Matana Eriha (for Rangiwakaewa)	Tiratu.
13	Pirihiara (by her agent, Te Whatuiapiti)	"

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 9th April, 1912.

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 23rd day of April, 1912, 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.

C. T. H. BROWN, President.

SCHEDULE.
APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
NEW APPLICATIONS.					
1	1912/54	Agreement modifying lease	27 July, 1910 ..	Mangatainoka K No. 2A	Meihana Taorangi to Alfred Udy (Brown, Dean, and Neave).
2	1912/56	Lease ..	22 December, 1911 ..	Karere, Section 88 ..	Rakiwhata Peeti to Ferdinand Hendrich Schwamm (Young and Tripe).
3	1912/64	Transfer ..	14 ,, 1911 ..	Pukerua 3c No. 1b ..	Mere te Hiko to Joshua Henry Prosser (Morison and McLean).
4	1912/70	Lease ..	5 February, 1912 ..	Ohaeretahi Subdivision 2A No. 5	Eruera Manihera to Arthur Charles Feast (M. Lavery).
5	1912/74	" ..	30 August, 1911 ..	Ohaeretahi 2A Nos. 7, 8, 9, and 10	Kataraina Apihai and others to Thomas Henry Haigh (R. Ward Tate).
6	1912/79	" ..	30 January, 1912 ..	Aorangi 3g No. 2b ..	Meihana te Rama and others to John Pearce Morecombe (A. M. Salek).
7	1912/88	" ..	23 ,, 1912 ..	Ohaeretahi 2A No. 5 ..	Eruera Manihera to Thomas Henry Haigh (R. Ward Tate).
8	1912/92	Transfer ..	8 February, 1912 ..	Township of Sandon, Section 3 of Section 153	Makareta Ahitana to Catherine Whisker (John Graham).
9	1912/93	" ..	14 ,, 1912 ..	Horowhenua XIb, Subdivision 41 South G No. 2	Reupena Mete Kingi and others to Lindsay Banks Barron (W. Stewart Park).
10	1912/94	" ..	14 ,, 1912 ..	Horowhenua XIb, Subdivision 41 South G No. 5	Ditto.
11	1912/95	Lease ..	17 ,, 1912 ..	Pukehou 4g No. 8d ..	Meropa te Kootu to William Martin Simcox (Kirk and Lyon).
12	1912/101	Transfer ..	5 ,, 1912 ..	Okurupatu B No. 3A ..	Ihaia Hopu Whakamairu and others to Alexander Reside (A. R. Bunny).
13	1912/102	Lease ..	20 ,, 1912 ..	Ohaeretahi 2A No. 6 ..	Maota i te Rangi Kingi and others to Thomas Henry Haigh (R. Ward Tate).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
NEW APPLICATIONS— <i>continued.</i>					
14	1912/103	Transfer ..	23 September, 1911 ..	Horowhenua XIb 36 No. 2L2	Kingi Puihi to James Leydon (G. H. Harper).
15	1912/104	" ..	26 February, 1912 ..	Section 128, Otaki ..	Te Rehu Wiremu Rooti and others to Catherine Robinson (G. H. Harper).
16	1912/105	" ..	4 March, 1912 ..	Waitohu No. 1B, Section 3	Katarina Kiriona and others to George William Taylor (G. H. Harper).
17	1912/106	" ..	19 February, 1912 ..	Makirikiri No. 34 ..	Hakaria Rangikura and another to William McKegg (G. H. Harper).
18	1912/107	" ..	7 " 1912 ..	Kaingaraki No. 11 ..	Harakipa and others to David Judd (G. H. Harper).
19	1912/110	" ..	14 " 1912 ..	Whakataki No. 4B ..	Pikihua Manihera and others to Arthur Brightwell (M. Lavery).
20	1912/111	" ..	12 March, 1912 ..	Ahuaturanga No. 6 ..	Pirihira Takere to Ellen Monteith (Webb and Holmden).
21	1912/112	" ..	12 " 1912 ..	Ngarara West A, Section 43	Metapere Ropata to William Hughes Field (Field and Luckie).
22	1912/113	" ..	14 " 1912 ..	Taonui-Ahuaturanga 1F, Section 9A No. 2 (part)	Ruiha Pere Turi and others to Neil Campbell (A. Guy).
23	1912/116	Lease ..	1 February, 1912 ..	Puketotara, Lot 5A (part)	Heremaia Maika and another to Ernest John Beale (Gifford Moore and Beale).
24	1912/117	Assignment of lease	— March, 1912 ..	Puketotara No. 7c (part)	Tamati Kawana to George Allman (Gifford Moore and Beale).
25	1912/118	Grant of right-of-way	" ..	Lower Aorangi 3D No. 1	Taitoko Makuri to Jonathan Lucas (Gifford Moore and Beale).
26	1912/120	Lease ..	13 March, 1912 ..	Manawatu - Kukutauaki No. 2D (part Section 7)	Te Waiwera Paraihe Mira and another to Reginald Louis Tippler and another (Young and Tripe).
28	1912/124	Transfer ..	19 " 1912 ..	Township of Sandon, Section 153 (part)	Ruera te Nuku to Wanihi te Nuku (John Graham).
29	1912/125	" ..	25 " 1912 ..	Taonui-Ahuaturanga 2B No. 6	Arani Hoeta and others to Te One Himiona and another (John Graham).
30	1912/121	Mortgage ..	9 " 1912 ..	Township of Sandon, Section 153, Subdivision 6A	Te One and Akuhata Himiona to Alexander Farmer (John Graham).
31	1912/126	" ..	" ..	Puketotara 3B No. 2 ..	Tamati Kawana to Meihana te Rama (A. M. Salek).
32	1912/127	Transfer ..	2 March, 1912 ..	Horowhenua XIb 41 South G, Section 2 (part)	Wirihana Hunia to Daniel Hannan, jun. (Chapman, Skerrett, Wylie, and Tripp).
33	1912/128	" ..	2 " 1912 ..	Horowhenua XIb 41 South G, Section 3	Ditto.
34	1912/129	Lease ..	28 February, 1912 ..	Makirikiri No. 3 ..	Hema te Ao and others to William McKegg (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
35	1912/130	" ..	19 " 1912 ..	Titokitoki 3H No. 3 ..	Te Rei Parewhanake to William McKegg (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
36	1912/131	Transfer ..	26 January, 1912 ..	Makuratawhiti No. 3, Section 152	Raimapaha te Paki to William McKegg (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
37	1912/132	Lease ..	" ..	Titokitoki 3H No. 2 ..	Hori te Wara and others to William McKegg (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
38	1912/133	" ..	21 October, 1911 ..	Manawatu - Kukutauaki 4B No. 1C (part)	Mihipeka Ihakara to Loeta Constance Drake (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
39	1912/134	Transfer ..	11 March, 1912 ..	Takapuwahia North A No. 2A	Hoani Horomona to Herbert John Jillett (Menteath and Ward).
40	1912/135	" ..	8 February, 1912 ..	Takapuwahia D No. 1A, Section 1	Ruta Maaka to Herbert John Jillett (Menteath and Ward).
41	1912/136	" ..	13 November, 1911 ..	Horowhenua 3A No. 4 ..	Rora Korako to Mary Agnes Bartholomew (Brown and Dean).
42	1912/137	" ..	13 " 1911 ..	Horowhenua 11B36 No. 1C2B	Parawhenua Matakatea to John Roderick McDonald, jun. (Brown and Dean).
43	1912/139	Lease ..	12 March, 1912 ..	Mangatainoka J No. 4A No. 1	Maata Apirana to William James Smith (Brown, Dean, and Neave).
44	1912/140	Transfer ..	26 October, 1911 ..	Makuratawhiti No. 1H..	Riripeti Haka to Mere Pairoroku (G. H. Harper).
45	1912/141	" ..	1 April, 1912 ..	Pukerua 3B ..	Waipataka Pene and another to Elizabeth Laing Grey (Field and Luckie).
46	1912/144	" ..	" ..	Uraokakite North No. 2B	Takana Kingi and another to Alice Burch (Izard and Weston).
47	1912/145	" ..	8 March, 1912 ..	Pukengaki No. 14D, part No. 19	Mere Taha to Blanche Ethel Jury (Izard and Weston).
48	1912/146	" ..	9 December, 1911 ..	Waitarere No. 6A ..	Iwikatea Kirimeneta and others to W. Batten (Brown, Dean, and Neave).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
<i>NEW APPLICATIONS—continued.</i>					
49	1912/147	Transfer ..	2 April, 1912 ..	Horowhenua 11B No. 27	Paranihia Riwai to Flora McDonald (Brown, Dean, and Neave).
50	1912/148	.. ..	13 March, 1912 ..	Okoura 5B	Patura Anaru to Ann Sinclair (W. G. Beard).
51	1912/149	.. ..	.. ..	Hinana 1B Subdivision 1 (part)	Hoani Paraone Tunuiarangi to Eliza Cooper (W. G. Beard).
52	1912/150	.. ..	4 March, 1912 ..	Horowhenua XI B, Sub-division 36 1E No. 4	Miriama Matakatea to W. Ryder (W. Stewart Park).
53	1912/151	.. ..	3 April, 1912 ..	Horowhenua XI B, Sub-division 36 1E No. 5	Warena te Kereihi to W. Ryder (W. Stewart Park).
54	1912/152	.. ..	4 .. 1912 ..	Ngarara West A, Section 79 (part)	Te No Parata and another to A. C. Mason (W. Stewart Park).
55	1912/153	.. ..	8 March, 1912 ..	Horowhenua XI B 36 1E No. 1	Puku Wirihana and others to Walter Ryder (W. Stewart Park).
56	1912/154	.. ..	25 .. 1912 ..	Pahaoa 3A No. 3A ..	Hemi Paratene and another to George Charles Summerell (R. Ward Tate).
57	1912/155	.. ..	26 .. 1912 ..	.. 3A No. 3B ..	Pahira Anaru and others to Earle Robert McLaren (R. Ward Tate).
58	1912/156	.. ..	1 April, 1912 ..	.. No. 7A ..	Pane Hemi to Donald William McLaren (R. Ward Tate).
59	1912/157	.. ..	29 March, 1912 ..	Waitutuma 1A No. 4 ..	Ketia te Maari and another to William Sinclair Sutherland (R. Ward Tate).
60	1912/158	.. ..	6 .. 1912 ..	Horowhenua XI B 41 South K	Ripeka Winara and others to Thomas Hannan (McGrath and Willis).
<i>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.</i>					
61	1910/28	Lease ..	.. ..	Tahuroa C ..	Horiana Natanahira to Hugh Morrison McLaren (R. Ward Tate).
62	1910/390	Transfer ..	.. ..	Pirinoa No. 1 ..	Ihipera te Miha and others to Arapata te Maari (R. Ward Tate).
63	1910/391	.. ..	.. ..	.. No. 2 ..	Eruha te Maari to Arapata te Maari (R. Ward Tate).
64	1910/392	.. ..	.. ..	.. No. 3 ..	Nikorima te Maari to Arapata te Maari (R. Ward Tate).
65	1910/393	.. ..	.. ..	.. No. 5 ..	Te Whanautane te Maari to Arapata te Maari (R. Ward Tate).
66	1911/67	.. ..	19 January, 1911 ..	Waitohu No. 11A ..	Robert Jillett to Herbert John Jillett (Menteath and Ward).
67	1911/68	.. ..	19 .. 1911 ..	Pukekaraka Pa ..	Ditto
68	1911/325	Lease ..	16 December, 1910 ..	Akura No. 2, Section 2A (part)	Pane Ihaka to Martin Kerins (R. K. Jackson).
69	1911/448	.. ..	13 March, 1911 ..	Manawatu - Kukutauaki 4c No. 5A, Sections 2 and 3	Reweti te Whenua and others to Catherine Agnes Thomson (McGrath and Willis).
70	1911/449	.. ..	7 February, 1911 ..	Akura No. 2 Section 2A (part)	Hera Tare to Martin Kerins (R. K. Jackson).
71	1911/511	Transfer ..	21 June, 1911 ..	Kahotea No. 1E ..	Huirua Ngapaki and others to Herbert John Jillett (Menteath and Ward).
72	1911/613	.. ..	8 November, 1911 ..	Ngawakaakupe B1 Block (part)	Horiana Natanahira to Frank Rutherford Bladen (W. G. Beard).
73	1911/614	.. ..	8 .. 1911 ..	Ngawakaakupe B Block (part)	Horiana Natanahira to Henry Featherston Toogood (W. G. Beard).
74	1911/615	.. ..	8 .. 1911 ..	Ditto	Horiana Natanahira to Alexander James Toogood (W. G. Beard).
75	1912/17	.. ..	23 December, 1911 ..	Tamaki No. 5A ..	Hemi Kerihitini and others to Anders Christensen (T. H. G. Lloyd).
76	1912/37	.. ..	20 .. 1911 ..	Manawatu - Kukutauaki No. 7F South	Merehira Akapita to Maria Campbell (G. H. Harper).
77	1912/39	Lease ..	13 January, 1912 ..	Horowhenua XI B No. 41 South G, Section 4	Rangipo Mete Kingi to Gerald Hannan (Chapman, Skerrett, Wylie, and Tripp).
78	1912/40	.. ..	5 December, 1911 ..	Horowhenua XI B No. 41 South G, Section 5	Warena te Hakeke and others to Gerald Hannan (Chapman, Skerrett, Wylie, and Tripp).
79	1912/41	.. ..	12 .. 1911 ..	Ditto	Hera te Upokoiri to Gerald Hannan (Chapman, Skerrett, Wylie, and Tripp).

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

No	Record No.	Nature of Alienation	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
<i>ADJOURNED APPLICATION.</i>				
80	1911/532	Sale ..	Awaawaroa No. 1, Subdivision 1 ..	Natives to Martin Elgar (W. S. Beard).

APPLICATIONS 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.
NEW APPLICATIONS.				
81	1912/142	Lease	Waiorongomai No. 3 ..	That the said land be leased to Edwin Percivale Simcox for a period of twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per cent. on the Government valuation (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
82	1912/143	"	" No. 6 ..	Ditto.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.				
83	1910/425	Sale	Te Ununu No. 2 ..	That the said land be sold to Allan Cameron at a price of £4 10s. per acre (Gawith and Logan).
84	1911/679	"	Pukengaki No. 11 ..	That the said land be sold to John Milsome Jury at a price of £10 per acre or the Government valuation (A. J. Bathgate).

APPLICATIONS TO RECOMMEND HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR TO CONSENT TO MORTGAGES UNDER SECTION 230 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
85	1912/121 ..	Township of Sandon, Section 153, Subdivision 6A ..	Te One and Akuhata Himiona to Alexander Farmer (John Graham).
86	1912/126 ..	Puketotara 3B No. 2 (part) ..	Tamati Kawana to Meihana te Rama (A. M. Salek).

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Ohura South K No. 1, Section 2c No. 1, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui, on Thursday, the 25th day of April, 1912, at 8 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the said land be leased to Charles Carton for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 1s. per acre during the first ten years, 2s. per acre during the next eleven years, and 5 per cent. on the Government valuation during the remaining twenty-one years."

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whangamarino Lot 471b will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ngaruawahia, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Frank Storey for the sum of £2 per acre."

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Lot 64, Parish of Waipa, will be held, in

pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ngaruawahia, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed alternative resolutions:—

"(a.) That 3,000 acres of the said block be leased to W. F. Foy for forty-two years, at an annual rental of 1s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 2s. per acre during the next twenty-one years. Compensation to be paid up to £2 per acre.

"(b.) That the residue of the said block be leased to Iwan Helmsing upon similar terms."

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Lot 66a No. 3, Parish of Waipa, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ngaruawahia, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed alternative resolutions:—

"(a.) That 3,000 acres be leased to Earl Price for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 1s. 3d. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 2s. 6d. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years. Compensation for improvements up to £2 per acre.

"(b.) That a further 3,000 acres be leased to Rothwell Martin upon similar terms.

"(c.) That the residue of the said block be leased to Ada Lucy Mussen upon similar terms."

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 3A No. 6B will be held, in

pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ngaruawahia, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Jonathan Pinker for the sum of £1 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Puhue No. 2, Section 7c, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ngaruawahia, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed alternative resolutions:—

“(a.) That the land be leased to Arthur James Smith for a term of fifty years, at an annual rental of 2s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 5 per cent. on the then unimproved value during the remaining twenty-one years.

“(b.) That the land be sold to Arthur James Smith for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Kinohaku East No. 5E will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga, on Thursday, the 25th day of April, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of considering the following proposed alternative resolutions:—

“(a.) That the land be leased to George McKay for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 4s. 9d. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 6s. 9d. per acre during the next twenty-one years, for the front portion of the block containing 63 acres; and 3s. per acre during the first twenty-one years and 5s. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years for the balance of the block.

“(b.) That the land be leased to V. S. Hattaway on similar terms.

“(c.) That the land be leased to Ratima Pekamu on similar terms.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto A No. 43B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga, on Thursday, the 25th day of April, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be leased to Athol Graham Brisell Price for forty-two years, at an annual rental of 1s. 6d. per acre during the first eleven years, 2s. per acre during the next ten years, and 4s. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua 29c No. 2c will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga, on Thursday, the 25th day of April, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“(a.) That the land be sold to F. Vercoe for the sum of £1 10s. per acre.

“(b.) That the land be leased to F. Vercoe for forty-two years, at an annual rental of 1s. 6d. per acre for the first twenty-one years, and 3s. per acre during the next twenty-one years.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua 29c No. 2A, Section 1, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga, on Thursday, the 25th day of April, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be leased to Charles Edwin McPhee for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 1s. 6d. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 3s. per acre during the remainder of the term.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua 29c No. 2A, Section 3, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga, on Thursday, the 25th day of April, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be leased to Charles Edwin McPhee for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 1s. 6d. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 3s. per acre during the remainder of the term.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Kinohaku East 3D, Section 8A No. 4B, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 9.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Henry Andrew Ellison for the sum of £3 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Mangauika Native Reserve will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 9.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Edward Charles Falwasser for the sum of £1 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 3A, Section 5A No. 7, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Annie Morris and Frank Moginie for the sum of £1 10s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari No. 3A, Section 5c, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to P. B. Morris for the sum of £1 10s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari No. 3A, Section 5j, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Leslie Gardner for the sum of £1 10s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari No. 3A, Section 5h, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land

Act, 1909, at Kihikihi, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to O. E. Farrow for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari No. 3A, Section 5g, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to O. E. Farrow for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari No. 3A, Section 5f, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to O. E. Farrow for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari No. 3A, Section 5n, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to O. E. Farrow for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 3A, Section 5A No. 3, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to P. B. Morris for the sum of £1 10s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 3A, Section 5A No. 1, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to F. G. Moginie, of Auckland, for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 5A No. 1F will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Daniel Long for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 5A No. 1C will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Ada Lucas for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 5A No. 1A No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Ada Lucas for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto A No. 23 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“(a.) That the land be leased to Arthur Byrt Jordan for forty-two years, at an annual rental of 1s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 2s. per acre during the remainder of the term.

“(b.) That the land be sold to Arthur Byrt Jordan for the sum of £1 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 3A, Section 5A No. 3, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to P. B. Morris for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 3A, Section 7B No. 2, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whatawhata, on Saturday, the 27th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed alternative resolutions:—

“(a.) That the said land be sold to James Keville for the sum of £1 15s. per acre.

“(b.) That the land be leased to James Keville for forty-two years, at an annual rental of 1s. 3d. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 2s. 6d. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari No. 4H will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to A. G. Saunders for the sum of £1 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 20th day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Hoe-o-Tainui North No. 2B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Muriel Knight Harrison for the sum of £2 5s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 5A No. 1H will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Daniel Long for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 5A No. 1G will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Daniel Long for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 4H No. 8 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Charles Schmitt for the sum of £1 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 4H, Section 5A, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Joseph Houston for the sum of £2 5s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari No. 4G, Section 6, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be leased to Cyril Arthur Hughes for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 1s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 2s. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari No. 4G, Section 2, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be leased to Cyril Arthur Hughes for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 1s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 2s. per acre during the remainder of the term.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari No. 4G will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be leased for forty-two years to Cyril Arthur Hughes, at an annual rental of 1s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 2s. per acre during the remainder of the term.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 4B No. 7, Section 3, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be leased to Janey Hughes for forty-two years, at an annual rental of 2s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 4s. per acre during the remainder of the term.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 4B No. 5 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be leased to Janey Hughes for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 2s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 4s. per acre during the remainder of the term.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 3A, Section 5A No. 6, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to P. B. Morris for the sum of £1 10s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maukoro Reserve B No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Joseph William Hedley for the sum of £2 10s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maukoro Reserve A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Samuel Herbert Harrison for the sum of £2 10s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Hoe-o-Tainui North No. 3B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909,

at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Samuel Herbert Harrison for the sum of £1 10s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whatitokarua B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at

Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to William Grubb for the sum of £3 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Karaka-Taupo A and C will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to Ruth Craig for the sum of £1 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Turangatangata Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed alternative resolutions:—

“(a.) That the land be sold to George Warren for the sum of £2 per acre.

“(b.) That the land be sold to Samuel Herbert Harrison for the sum of £3 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Koronae No. 1D will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Paeroa, on Tuesday, the 30th day of April, 1912, at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Thomas Augustine Barrett for the sum of £5 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Wharekawa 5B North No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Paeroa, on Tuesday, the 30th day of April, 1912, at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to Ruth Craig for the sum of £1 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Wharekawa 5B South No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Paeroa, on Tuesday, the 30th day of April, 1912, at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to Stanley Chambers for the sum of £1 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maukoro Reserve B No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Paeroa, on Tuesday, the 30th day of April, 1912, at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Joseph William Hedley for the sum of £2 10s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whatitokarua D will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Paeroa, on Tuesday, the 30th day of April, 1912, at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to William Grubb for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Awaiti 1B No. 2B No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Thames, on Wednesday, the 1st day of May, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Alfred Gifford for the sum of £1 10s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Makumaku No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Thames, on Wednesday, the 1st day of May, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to George T. Scotcher for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whatitokarua E will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Thames, on Wednesday, the 1st day of May, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to William Grubb for the sum of £2 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waitakaruru No. 4c, Section 5, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Shortland, Thames, on Wednesday, the 1st day of May, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Miriam Stuart Findlay for the sum of £450.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Karaka Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Thames, on Wednesday, the 1st day of May, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to George Cribb for the sum of £6 10s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Patutahatika Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Thames, on Wednesday, the 1st day of May, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to George Cribb for the sum of £6 10s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland, this 23rd day of March, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Hoe-o-Tainui South No. 4B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1912, at 3 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, or any part thereof, shall be accepted.”

Dated at Auckland, this 8th day of April, 1912.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends are now payable in the undermentioned estates on all proved claims. Promissory notes (if any) to be produced for indorsement prior to receiving dividend.

Coutts, A., formerly of Tauranga, Brewer: Second and final, 6s. 2d. in the pound.

Cunningham, R., of Ponsonby, Butcher: First and final, 9s. in the pound.

Grant, L. A., of Taumarunui, Boardinghouse-keeper and Sawmiller: First and final, 1s. 5d. in the pound.

Kelty, F. B., of Whangarei, Commission Agent: First and final, 3s. 5½d. in the pound.

King-country Timber Company (Limited), of Auckland, (in liquidation): First and final, 20s. in the pound.

Lewis, W. R., of Te Aroha, Butcher: First and final, 10s. in the pound.

Livesey, J. W. (private estate), of Auckland, Flaxmiller: First and final, 5s. 3d. in the pound.

McAlpine, E. C., of Auckland, Timber Broker: Third and final, 5½d. in the pound.

McIlroy, J., of Waiuku, Butcher: First and final, 7s. 8½d. in the pound.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 30th March, 1912.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN SLOAN, of Matawai, Settler, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 15th day of April, 1912, at 2.30 o'clock.

JOHN COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Gisborne, 3rd April, 1912.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that LOUIS CARLINE, of Whakamara, Sharemilker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, Borough Chambers, on Wednesday, the 17th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock p.m.

C. A. BUDGE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Hawera, 4th April, 1912.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that ELLIOTT HUME, of Alton, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt on the petition of the Commercial Agency (Limited), a company duly incorporated under the Companies Act, 1908, and having its registered office at No. 12 Brandon Street, City of Wellington; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 12th day of April, 1912, at 2 o'clock p.m.

C. A. BUDGE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Hawera, 1st April, 1912.

In Bankruptcy.

DIVIDENDS, as under, are now payable at my office, Perry Street, Masterton, on all proved accepted claims. Promissory notes must be produced for indorsement of dividends.

Thomas William Miller, of Masterton, Labourer: First and final, 5s. in the pound.

Thomas Bernard Hugh McGuire, of Martinborough, Hotelkeeper: First and final, 6s. 7½d. in the pound.

W. B. CHENNELLS,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Masterton, 10th April, 1912.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of WILLIAM OWEN BIERWIRTH, of Progress Junction, Bushman.

NOTICE is hereby given that a supplementary dividend of 8s. 10d. in the pound (making a total of 20s. in the pound) on all proved and accepted claims is now payable at my office, Bridge Street, Reefton.

HENRY COOPER,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Reefton, 3rd April, 1912.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT CRAIGHEAD, of Glenham, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 12th day of April, 1912, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

1st April, 1912.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 44, folio 165, of the Register-book, in favour of JOHN RENNER, formerly of Auckland, N.Z., but now of San Francisco, U.S.A., Salesman, for Lot 82 of Allotment 7, Section 16, Suburbs of Auckland, 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 9th day of April, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office at Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 62, folio 55, of the Register-book, in favour of THOMAS WADE, of Rangiriri, Settler, and WILLIAM PATERSON, for Allotment 47 of the Parish of Whangape having been lodged with me, and application made to issue a provisional certificate of title and to register evidence of the death of William Paterson, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue a provisional certificate of title (and to register the evidence of death) accordingly at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated the 4th day of April, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office at Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to register a transfer of Lease No. 3356 from the PUBLIC TRUSTEE to WILLIAM CROWE, affecting Sections 38 and 107, Kairoa Reserve, Paritutu Survey District, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said lease, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with the production of the said lease and register the transfer as requested at the expiration of fourteen days from the publication hereof in the *Gazette*.

Dated this 4th day of April, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

A. V. STURTEVANT,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 11th day of May, 1912.

Application 4433 (Plan A/3003). MARY DUNLOP CALDWELL.—172 perches, part Section Rangitikei Agricultural Reserve (Town of Marton). Occupied by Edward E. Gahagan and Marton Borough Council.

Application 4467 (Plan A/3004). ALFRED MATTHEWS.—244 acres 2 roods 18½ perches, Sections 63, 64,

65, 66, 67, 68, 69, Masterton Small-farm Settlement, and Sections 65 and 56, Opaki Block. Occupied by Applicant and Donald Donald.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 11th day of April, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
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.

1479. GEORGE HENRY FRANK and WILFRED ERNEST FRANK.—2 roods 9 perches, parts of Section 516, City of Nelson. Occupied by Applicants.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 2nd day of April, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

W. W. DE CASTRO,
Assistant District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 136, folio 221, comprising Subdivision 11 of Reserve 283, situated in Block XIV of the Geraldine Survey District, whereof EMMA DE RENZY, daughter of WILLIAM DE RENZY, of Winchester, Gentleman, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional certificate of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 4th day of April, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 140, folio 82, comprising Subdivision 225 of Reserve 873, situated in Block XI of the Rangiora Survey District, whereof WIKITORIA MUTU, of Kaiapoi, an aboriginal Native, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional certificate of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 4th day of April, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the several parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

2965. BRISCOE AND COMPANY (LIMITED).—17 perches, part of Section 1, Block I, Town of Invercargill. Occupied by Applicant.

2966. JAMES HUNTER.—1 acre and 241 perches, part of Section 28, Block I, Invercargill Hundred. Occupied by Applicant.

2967. HONOR QUINN and DELIA QUINN.—1 acre 1 rood 21.4 perches, part of Section 1, Block I, Invercargill Hundred. Occupied by Applicants.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 3rd day of April, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

L. PAULING,
District Land Registrar.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and of the Nestle and Anglo Swiss Condensed Milk Company.

NOTICE is hereby given that the office or place of business of the above-named company is at Williamson Buildings, Shortland Street, Auckland.

Dated this 26th day of March, 1912.

BUDDLE, BUTTON, AND CO.,
Solicitors for the Company.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and of the Alpha Sawmills Timber and Shipping Company (Limited), (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the above company will be held at the registered office of the company, Reads Quay, Gisborne, on Saturday, the 27th day of April, 1912, at 12 o'clock noon, with the object of complying with the provisions of section 230 of the Companies Act, 1903.

Dated this 23rd day of March, 1912.

V. BARKER,
Liquidator.

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THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the H. A. Parker Proprietary Company (Limited), a company duly incorporated in the Dominion of Victoria, intends to commence business in New Zealand, and that its place of business will be at 188 Cashel Street, Christchurch.

DUNCAN, COTTERILL, AND STRINGER,
Solicitors for the Company.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the reconstruction of the Huddart, Parker, and Company Proprietary (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Huddart, Parker, and Company Proprietary (Limited) has sold its business and assets to Huddart-Parker (Limited), and therefore the old company will cease to do business in New Zealand on the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

The Huddart, Parker, and Company
Proprietary (Limited),
By its Attorney,

C. W. JONES.

Witness—Leonard O. H. Tripp, Solicitor, Wellington.

With reference to the above notice, a new company called "Huddart-Parker (Limited)" has been incorporated, and will take over all the assets and liabilities of the old company of Huddart, Parker, and Company Proprietary (Limited). The new company proposes to carry on business in the Dominion of New Zealand at the following places: Wellington—3 Queen's Chambers, Jervois Quay; Auckland—Customhouse Street; Christchurch—c/o Kinsey and Co.; Dunedin—c/o Neill and Co. (Limited); Invercargill—c/o J. G. Ward and Co. (Limited); Gisborne—c/o Dalgety and Co. (Limited); Napier—c/o C. H. Cranby and Co.

Dated this 30th day of March, 1912.

Huddart-Parker (Limited),

By its Attorney,

C. W. JONES.

Witness—Leonard O. H. Tripp, Solicitor, Wellington.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the following resolutions have been carried by the shareholders of Pettett and Dudley (Limited) at a meeting held on the 25th day of March, 1912:—

(1) That the company be voluntarily wound up under the provisions of the Companies Act.

(2) That REGINALD DAVIS be appointed Liquidator of the company.

R. DAVIS,

Liquidator.

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THE NEW WAITEKAURI GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED), (IN LIQUIDATION).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the New Waitekauri Gold-mining Company (Limited), duly convened and held at No. 108 Victoria Arcade, Auckland, on the 6th day of March, 1912, the subjoined resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the said company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 2nd day of April, 1912, the subjoined resolution was duly confirmed, viz:—

"That the New Waitekauri Gold-mining Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908."

And at the last above-named meeting WILLIAM BLOMFIELD and HENRY GILFILLAN were appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding-up.

W. BLOMFIELD,
H. GILFILLAN,

Liquidators.

Auckland, 2nd April, 1912.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND FOR A ROAD.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that the Whangarei County Council propose, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work, to wit, the construction of a road through Section 3, Parish of Parahaki, and for the purposes of such public work to take the land described in the Schedule hereto. And notice is hereby further given that the said Whangarei County Council have caused a survey to be made and a plan to be prepared showing the lands required to be taken, together with the names of the owners and occupiers of such land as far as they can be ascertained. A copy of such plan is deposited at the dwellinghouse of Thomas Sparrow Carmichael, in the Whareora Road District, in which road district the land proposed to be taken is situated, and is open to inspection by all persons at all reasonable hours. And notice is hereby also given that all persons affected by the taking of such land are called upon to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections to the execution of such work or to the taking of the said land, and to send such writing, within forty days from the 3rd day of April, 1912 (being the date of the first publication of this notice), to the Whangarei County Council, at their office, Bank Street, Whangarei.

Dated this 3rd day of April, 1912.

Schedule hereinbefore referred to.

Approximate Area of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block No.	Shown on Plan No.	Coloured on Plan	Situated in the Parish or Survey District of
A. R. P. 7 1 30	3, Parahaki Parish	XI	16376	Pink	Parahaki Parish, Whangarei Survey District.

In the Land District of Auckland; as the same is more particularly delineated by the plan numbered 16376 of the District Survey Office at Auckland.

J. MCKINNON,
333 Clerk, Whangarei County Council.

WAIHI GRAND JUNCTION GOLD COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the office or place of business of the said company for all purposes except the keeping of the Share Register is removed to the office of the company at Waihi. The Share Register will continue to be kept as heretofore at the office of the Talisman Consolidated, corner of Queen and Swanson Streets, Auckland.

BUDDLE, BUTTON, AND CO.,
334 Solicitors for the Company.

BOROUGH OF WOOLSTON.

In the matter of the Rating Act, 1908, and of the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908.

I HEREBY give public notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Woolston taken on the 3rd day of April, 1912, on the proposal that the adoption of the system of rating property on the basis of the unimproved value thereof be rescinded in the Borough of Woolston, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 167; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 310; informal votes, 8.

I therefore hereby declare the said proposal to be rejected.

Dated this 4th day of April, 1912.
MCGREGOR WRIGHT,
335 Mayor.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between CHARLES FREDERICK VERRALL and CHARLES JOHN PRICE, carrying on business as Blacksmiths and Wheelwrights at Te Kuiti, under the style or firm of "Verrall and Price," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 31st day of March, 1912.

Dated the 2nd day of April, 1912.
C. F. VERRALL.
C. J. PRICE.
Witness—H. Hine, Solicitor, Te Kuiti. 336

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Teviot-Molyneux Gold-mining Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 24th December, 1909.
Whether in active operation or not: In active (constructive) operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Managing Director: Dunedin; John Ewing.
Nominal capital: £35,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £10,000.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: Nil.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £10,000.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 35,000.
Number of shares allotted: 10,000.
Number of contributing shares provisionally applied for: 17,750.
Amount paid per share: Nil.
Amount provisionally deposited for payment per share: 5s.
Amount called up per share: Nil.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 4.
Present number of shareholders: 6.
Number of men employed by company: 3.
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year: Nil. (Works in course of construction.)
Total quantity and value produced since registration: Nil. (Works not completed.)
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £392 9s. 6d.
Total expenditure since registration: £5,555 9s. 8d.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil. (Works still under construction.)
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
Amount of cash in bank: Nil.
Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
Amount of debts owing by company: £5,969 19s. 1d.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, John Ewing, of Dunedin, the Managing Director of the Teviot-Molyneux Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the _____; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

JOHN EWING,
Managing Director.

Declared at Wellington, this 3rd day of April, 1912, before me—W. C. Gasquoine, J.P. 337

ASSIGNED ESTATE.

In the matter of the assigned estate of ARTHUR BEAUCHAMP, Grocer, 142 Ingestre Street, Wellington.

ALL claims in the above estate must be rendered to the undersigned on or before Friday, 3rd May, 1912, otherwise they will be excluded from participating in the distribution.

GOLD AND ARCUS,
Trustees,

153-5 Featherston Street, Wellington. 338
3rd April, 1912.

In the matter of the Oroua Carrying Company (Limited).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company duly convened and held at the registered office of the said company, Manchester Square, Feilding, on the 26th day of January, 1912, the following special resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 16th day of February, 1912, the following resolution was duly confirmed, namely—

"That the Oroua Carrying Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily."

And at such last-mentioned meeting **JUSTIN AYLMER**, of Feilding, Accountant, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the winding-up.

Dated at Feilding, this 29th day of March, 1912.

M. A. CONWAY,
Chairman.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership lately existing between the under-signed, under the style of "Armstead, Hunter, and Tait," Barristers and Solicitors, at Invercargill and Riverton, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will henceforth be carried on by the under-signed **WILLIAM GEORGE TAIT** alone.

Dated at Riverton, this first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JAMES ARMSTEAD.
W. G. TAIT.

Witness to the signatures of the said James Armstead and William George Tait—**E. B. Patrick**, Solicitor, Riverton. 340

SCHOOL FOR DEAF-MUTES, SUMNER, NEAR CHRISTCHURCH.

Under the Control and Supervision of the Education Department.

Director: **MR. J. E. STEVENS.**

FOR Deaf Children of sound intellect. The pupils are taught to use and understand ordinary speech. The full charge for board and education is £40 a year, but less is accepted from parents who cannot afford to pay this amount. In case of necessity admission is free.

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2. Children who can hear a little, but are too deaf to be taught in an ordinary school.
3. Children who have lost their hearing after having learned to speak.

Parents and other persons acquainted with such cases above the age of 4 are invited to communicate with the Director, or with

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