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Additional Land at Te Awamutu taken for the Purposes of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

The parcel of land mentioned hereunder :—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of Allotments Nos.	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 7 0 0	70, 70A, 62A, 73A, Mangapiko Parish (16530)	II	Puniu.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 19364, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured purple.

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 fourth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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Additional Land at Napier taken for the Purposes of the Wellington-Napier Railway.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

The parcels of land mentioned hereunder :—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of Town Section No.	Situated in the Borough of
A. R. P. 0 0 39.55	350	Napier.
0 0 13.91	351 (S.O. Plan No. 365)	"

All in the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 19367, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

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 fourth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land at Gropers taken for the Purposes of the Western Railways (Branch to Otautau and Nightcaps Coalfield).

(L.S.) ISLINGTON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Western Railways (Branch to Otautau and Nightcaps Coalfield) to take further land at Gropers, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

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

SCHEDULE.

THE parcels of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being	Situated in Block No.	Situated in
A. R. P. 0 1 38.8	Part Section 19 ..	VIII	Jacobs River Hundred.
0 0 32.9	" 18 ..	"	Ditto.
9 0 11.6	" 25 ..	"	"
	(S.O. Plan No. 2427/32)		

All in the Southland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 19409, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

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 tenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Allocating Land reserved and taken for a Railway to the Purposes of a Road near Ahikwi, in the County of Hobson.

(L.S.) ISLINGTON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land taken for the purposes of the Kaihu Valley Railway, and it is considered desirable to allocate such land to the purposes of a road:

And whereas it has been certified by the Minister of Railways that such land is not required for railway purposes: And whereas such land is situated in the County of Hobson, the local authority of which has assented to the issue of this Proclamation:

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

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 section one hundred and ninety-seven of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a road, and that the said road shall be under the control of the Hobson County Council, and shall be maintained by the said Council in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Council.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 1 0 14.7	Kaihu Valley Railway (16399)	XIV	Tutamoe.

In the Land District of Auckland; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 19308, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow.

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 eighth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Altering the Middle-line of a Portion of the Extension of the Midland Railway from Reefton to Inangahua Junction.

(L.S.) ISLINGTON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS under the provisions in that behalf of section one hundred and sixty-seven of the Public Works Act, 1894, the middle-line of a portion of the extension of the Midland Railway from Reefton to Inangahua Junction—namely, from fifty-four miles forty-three chains to fifty-nine miles twenty-five chains—was defined by a Proclamation dated the sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and four, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and four: And whereas it has been found necessary in the construction of such railway to alter such line in manner hereinafter appearing:

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 upon me by section one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, do hereby revoke so much of the Schedule to the said Proclamation as defines the middle-line of the said railway beyond the point marked fifty-seven miles seventy-six chains on the plan numbered P.W.D. 20229 referred to therein; and in lieu thereof do hereby proclaim and declare that the middle-line of the part of the said railway, commencing from the said point marked fifty-seven miles seventy-six chains aforesaid and terminating at fifty-nine miles forty-five chains, shall be as defined and set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point in Section 22, Block V, Inangahua Survey District, which point is marked 57 miles 76 chains on the line of railway shown on the plan numbered P.W.D. 20229 quoted in the Proclamation hereinbefore referred to; proceeding thence generally in a north-easterly direction for a distance of about 1 mile 49 chains, and passing in, into, through, or over the following lands—viz., Sections 22, 26, 3, 2, 19 (ferry reserve), and 46, Block V, Inangahua Survey District—and terminating in the said Section 46, Block V, Inangahua Survey District, at a point marked 59 miles 45 chains: including all adjoining and intervening places, lands, reserves, roads, streets, tracks, rivers, streams, and watercourses: all in the Land District of Nelson: in the manner delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 31664, 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 eleventh day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Closing Part of Sydney Street in the City of Wellington.

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by subsection six of section eighty-six of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1910, and of all other powers in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby close the portions of the street known as Sydney Street, in the City of Wellington, as they are respectively described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Sydney Street, situated in the City of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 13'44 perches, more or less, and commencing at its junction with Molesworth and Charlotte Streets, as widened and now in use, and proceeding thence in a westerly direction for a distance of 778'09 links, more or less.

Also all that portion of Sydney Street, situated in the City of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 3'12 perches, more or less, and commencing at a point on the northern boundary of Sydney Street 905'92 links west of the western boundary of Molesworth Street, as widened and now in use, and bounded by a line proceeding thence in an easterly direction bearing 92° 3' 24" for a distance of 109'13 links, thence in a southerly direction bearing 180° 51' 20" for a distance of 61'37 links, thence in a north-westerly direction by the convex of a circular curve of a radius of 130 links for a distance of 131'89 links to the place of commencement.

All in the Wellington Land District; as the said portions of Sydney Street are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 27960, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green, and being portions of that part of Sydney Street delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 27704, deposited as aforesaid, and thereon bordered by a dotted line in green.

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 eleventh day of May, 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 Block I, Rimutaka Survey District, Upper Hutt Town 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 of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Upper Hutt Town Board, being the local

authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Rimutaka Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 15'39	Lot 19 on D.P. 1884, part of Section 121, Upper Hutt Town District	I	Rimutaka	P.W.D. 31367	Blue.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of each of the Pieces of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 0'19	Subdivision 32 of Lot 3 of Section 121, Upper Hutt Town District	I	Rimutaka	P.W.D. 31367	Green.
0 0 37'25	Lot 19 on D.P. 1884, part Section 121, Upper Hutt Town District	"	"	Ditto	"

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

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 eleventh day of May, 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 Block V, Waikouaiti Survey District, Waikouaiti 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 and mortgagees of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Waikouaiti County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in the Waikouaiti Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portions of Sections Nos.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 2 35	7 and 9	V	Waikouaiti	P.W.D. 31409	Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Road hereby closed.	Adjoining Sections Nos.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 2 2	7, 9, & 11	V	Waikouaiti	P.W.D. 31409	Green.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable 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 eleventh day of May, 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 VI and VII, South Tuakitoto Survey District, Bruce 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 consent of the owner of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Bruce County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in South Tuakitoto Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 0 38	1	VII	South Tuakitoto	P.W.D. 31529	Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Piece 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. 2 0 30	Sections Nos. 1 and 7	VII & VI	South Tuakitoto	P.W.D. 31529	Green.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable 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 eleventh day of May, 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 III, Egmont Survey District, Tauranga 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 Taranaki County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Egmont Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 17	25, Hua and Waiwakaiho Registration Districts	III	Egmont	P.W.D. 31589	Pink.
0 0 2.7	55, Hua and Waiwakaiho Registration Districts	"	"	Ditto..	"

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of May, 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 Blocks VIII and X, Tuapeka West Survey District, Tuapeka 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, lessee, and mortgagee of the land described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Tuapeka County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Tuapeka West Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 5 0 37	16	VIII	Tuapeka West	P.W.D. 31614	Red.
0 3 24	3	X	Ditto ..	Ditto..	"

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable 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 eleventh day of May, 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 a Road-line in Blocks II and III, Awakino East Survey District, Awakino County, as a Public Road.

(L.S.) ISLINGTON, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the road-line described in the Schedule hereto has been laid out by the Native Land Court in terms of subsection one of section one hundred and seventeen of the Native Land Act, 1909:

And whereas it is considered expedient to proclaim the road-line so laid out as a public road:

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 section one hundred and seventeen of the Native Land Act, 1909, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim the said road-line as a public road; and I do also declare that the same shall, on and after the date of this Proclamation, vest in the Crown as a public road accordingly.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Road-line proclaimed as a Public Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Blocks	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 1 14	Puketiti No. 2	II & III	Awakino East	P.W.D. 31627	Red.
0 3 24	Ditto ..	"	Ditto ..	Ditto..	Blue.
7 2 30	" ..	III	" ..	" ..	Purple.
9 0 24	" .. (16495, blue)	"	" ..	" ..	Yellow.

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 eleventh day of May, 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 a Road in Blocks X and XI, Waitoa Survey District, Ohinemuri 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 Blocks X and XI, Waitoa 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, from and after the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcels of land taken:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Situated in Blocks	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 2 8	84, Subdivision of Whakahoro Block	X	Waitoa	P.W.D. 30380	Pink.
7 1 22	83, ditto ..	"	"	Ditto..	Yellow.
2 2 4	42, " ..	"	"	" ..	Blue.
2 3 8	41, " ..	"	"	" ..	Pink.
7 0 35	40, " .. (16242, blue)	X & XI	"	" ..	Blue.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of May, 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 V, Nukumarū Survey District, Patea 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 V, Nukumarū Survey District :

And whereas an agreement has been entered into with the owner of the land described in the Schedule hereto to take such land for the purposes of a road :

And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to issue a Proclamation taking the land, as required by the Public Works Act, 1908 :

Now, therefore, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the 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, and being satisfied of the sufficiency of the agreement hereinbefore referred to, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road ; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of Block	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 3 33	Rangitatau 1D No. 2A	V	Nukumarū	P.W.D. 31577	Pink.
6 2 34	Ditto	"	"	Ditto..	"
3 0 15	"	"	"	" ..	"

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

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 eleventh day of May, 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 Stock Inspector's Residence, Opunake, in Block IX, Opunake Survey District.

(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 a Stock Inspector's residence, Opunake, in Block IX, Opunake Survey District :

And whereas an agreement has been entered into, in terms of section twenty-seven of the said Act, to take such land for the public work hereinafter set forth :

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

Now, therefore, I, 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, and being satisfied of the sufficiency of the agree-

ment hereinbefore referred to, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a Stock Inspector's residence, Opunake ; and I also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Section No	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 0	1, Block XXV, Opunake Town- ship	IX	Opunake..	P.W.D. 31639	Red.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable 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 eleventh day of May, 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 Scenic Purposes in Blocks II and VI, Opoti Survey District.

(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, the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910, for scenic purposes in Blocks II and VI, Opoti 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, the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910, 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 scenic purposes ; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 6 3 20	Rimuroa Block	VI	Opoti..	P.W.D. 30187	Red.
31 3 20	Mangapoike 2A No. 2 Block	II	" ..	Ditto..	"

All in the Hawke's Bay 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 eleventh day of May, 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 Scenic Purposes in Block II, Linkwater Survey District, Sounds 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, the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910, for scenic purposes in Block II, Linkwater 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, the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910, and of every other power and authority enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for scenic purposes; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 131 0 0	6	II	Linkwater	P.W.D. 31631	Edged red.

In the Marlborough 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 eleventh day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Authorizing the Auckland Harbour Board to reclaim Land, O'Neill's Point, Auckland Harbour.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of May, 1912.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE A. M. MYERS PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by the one-hundred-and-fifty-eighth section of the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), that where a Harbour Board is desirous of executing or constructing upon

lands vested in such Board or upon lands of the Crown any harbour-works of such a nature that the same could but for this section only be carried out and executed under the authority of a special Act the Board may apply to the Governor in Council for a special order, and, if the Governor in Council thinks fit, such order may be made and granted:

And whereas the Auckland Harbour Board (hereinafter called "the Board") is desirous of reclaiming from the sea certain land at O'Neill's Point, in Auckland Harbour, for the purpose of constructing the reclamation hereinafter described, and the said work is of such a nature as aforesaid, and the Board has applied to the Governor in Council for the issue of a special order:

And whereas the conditions precedent to the granting of a special order prescribed by the said Act have been duly performed and observed, and it appears expedient that such order should be made:

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby authorize and empower the Board to reclaim certain lands from the sea at O'Neill's Point as shown on a plan marked M.D. 3843, such reclamation to be carried out and constructed in accordance with plan and specifications marked M.D. 3843, subject to the provisions of the said Act.

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

Extension of Time for Preparation of County Rolls, &c., County of Southland.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of May, 1912.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE A. M. MYERS PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that the preparation of the rolls for the County of Southland, and the taking of certain steps consequent on such preparation, cannot be made and taken within the times mentioned in the Counties Act, 1908, and it is expedient to extend the said times respectively:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the said Counties Act, 1908, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the several dates mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be the respective dates for taking the several steps set out in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

1. For preparing the defaulters list and the rolls for the ridings within the County of Southland: Until the 22nd day of June, 1912.
2. Time for which such list and rolls shall be open for inspection: From the 27th day of June, 1912, to the 15th day of July, 1912.
3. Time for appeals against the said rolls: Until the 31st day of July, 1912.
4. Revision Courts may sit for hearing applications with reference to the said rolls, and adjourn: Until the 20th day of August, 1912.
5. Time when the said rolls, having been duly corrected and signed, shall come into force: On the 2nd day of September, 1912.

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

Licensing the Parker-Lamb Timber Company (Limited) to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Kaipara Harbour as a Site for a Wharf.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of May, 1912.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE A. M. MYERS PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Wolsey Allen and Ebenezer Caleb Carr, of

Northern Wairoa, Kaipara, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the Harbours Act Amendment Act, 1883, to occupy a part of the foreshore and the land below low-water mark immediately contiguous to such foreshore of Wairoa River, at Grahamsfern, Kaipara Harbour, in order to erect and maintain thereon a wharf, and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fifty-sixth section of the Harbours Act, 1878, deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 2183) showing the manner in which it was proposed to construct such wharf, the place where it was intended to erect the same, and the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied for such purpose: And whereas it was made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work would not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plan was approved by the Governor in Council without modification or addition: And whereas, pursuant to such application, a license was, by Order in Council dated the eighteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighteenth day of the same month, granted and issued to the licensees under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, for the term of fourteen years, computed from the eighteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, on the terms and conditions therein expressed:

And whereas the licensees duly constructed the said wharf:

And whereas the said license was, with the consent of the Minister of Marine, transferred to the Parker-Lamb Timber Company (Limited), of Auckland (hereinafter called "the company"), and the same is now under the control and management of the company:

And whereas the company has made application for a fresh license under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), for a term of seven years, computed from the expiry of the term of the said first-mentioned license, and it is expedient to grant the same for the term and subject to the conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the company as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the company to use and occupy that part of the foreshore, and of the land below low-water mark immediately contiguous thereto, which is particularly shown and delineated on the plan so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of using the aforesaid wharf in connection therewith, such license to be held and enjoyed by the company upon and subject to the terms and conditions set out in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. THE concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the parts of the foreshore, and the land below low-water mark necessary for such wharf, as shown on the plan marked M.D. 2183, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department as aforesaid.

2. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council, the company shall, on being supplied with a copy thereof, pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £2 in advance, payable on the 1st day of March, dating from the 1st day of March, 1912, the first of such annual payments to be made on the company being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

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

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

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

6. Any person authorized by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said wharf and view the state of repair thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at

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

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

8. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue in force for the term of seven years, computed from the 1st day of March, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges are altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the company shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

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

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

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

12. In case the company shall—

(1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;

(2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf for a period of thirty days; or

(3.) Be in any manner wound up or dissolved,—

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

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

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £5,000 for the Purpose of the Improvement of Streets, making Culverts, &c., proposed to be raised by the St. Aubyn Town Board.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of May, 1912.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE A. M. MYERS PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the St. Aubyn Town Board did, on the fourteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, take a poll of the ratepayers of the St. Aubyn Town District on the proposal to borrow the sum of five thousand pounds, under the provisions of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, for the purpose of the improvement of streets by regrading, forming, metalling, kerbing, making footpaths and culverts within the town district: And whereas the voting-paper used at the said poll was made out in the form prescribed by the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908, instead of form one in the Second Schedule to the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908: And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularity, and it is expedient to validate the same:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of

the powers conferred by section one hundred and twenty-one of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and section seven of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the said poll shall be and be deemed to have been as good, valid, and effectual as if the voting-papers used at such poll had been in the form given in the Second Schedule to the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and that the proceedings relative to such loan of five thousand pounds shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

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

Opening Lands in Southland Land District for Sale or Selection.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.—ALTON SURVEY DISTRICT.
First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
10	III	100 0 21	130 0 0	3 5 0	2 12 0
Weighted with £28 4s., valuation for improvements consisting of 13 acres clearing and grassing and fencing.					
All fairly light land on shingle; swampy in parts; about 13 acres have been cleared and are in grass, the balance being fairly heavily timbered, principally white-pine.					
21A	III	77 2 27	390 0 0	9 15 0	7 16 0
22	"	111 3 34	560 0 0	14 0 0	11 4 0

Sections 21A and 22 are covered with mixed bush, all the milling-timber having been removed. The land is flat, and is very good, deep, loamy soil. The sections are well situated on the main Clifden-Papatotara Road, and situated about a mile and a half from Tuatapere Railway-station.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Opening Settlement Lands in Auckland Land District for Selection.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the settlement lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Monday, the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, at the rentals mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Acts.

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SCHEDULE.
AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Matamata County.—Town of Matamata.—Matamata Settlement.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
4	XIII	0	1	0	50	0	0	1	2	6

Altitude, about 150 ft. above sea-level. Level land, in old grass; soil a light sandy loam, of good quality. Fronts Tainui and Hetana Streets, close to railway-station.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Matamata County.—Patetere North Survey District.—Selwyn Settlement.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
95	III	130	0	0	90	0	0	2	0	6

Altitude, from 200 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level. Undulating land, covered with light manuka; light sandy soil of inferior quality; no water on section. Situated about three miles from Tirau Railway-station by good metalled road, or about four miles from Putaruru by good road.

Otamatea County.—Matakohe Survey District.—Bickerstaffe Settlement.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
13. 14	XVI	244	0	0	1,160	0	0	26	2	0

Weighted with £9 12s., valuation for 12 chains of fencing.

Altitude, 15 ft. to 80 ft. above sea-level. Level to undulating land; about three-fourths of Section 14 is in grass; balance of section, also Section 13, manuka scrub: heavy black soil, inferior to medium in quality, on limestone formation; water can be obtained by sinking. Situated on Ford Road, about five miles from Whakapirau by good cart-road. The sections are fenced all round external boundaries.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Opening Settlement Land in Otago Land District for Selection.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the settlement land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Tuesday, the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, at the rental mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said land shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—CLUTHA COUNTY.—WAIPAHI SURVEY DISTRICT.—CONICAL HILLS SETTLEMENT.
First-class Land.

Sections.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
40A and 47A	627 3 10	2,190 0 0	49 5 6

Mixed agricultural and pastoral land, at an altitude of 700 ft. to 1,400 ft. above sea-level; at present in its natural state, with heavy covering of red and white tussock. Probably about one-third could be profitably broken up, the balance being first-rate natural pasture. There is a good homestead-site and good water on Section 47A. Access by formed road from Pukerau, two miles and a quarter, and from Arthurton, three miles, at each of which places are a post-office, railway-station, and school. The improvements (which are included in the capital value of the land) consist of 205 chains of boundary-fencing and one gate, of a total value of £28 19s.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
For Minister of Lands.

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED FUND for the

ORDINARY REVENUE

1910-1911.		RECEIPTS.	1911-1912.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
491,487	4 5	Balance at beginning of Year,—		
		Cash in the Public Account	564,201	9 0
		Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
35,441	7 0	In the Dominion	17,921	0 0
510	9 8	On account of Imperial Pensions	107	12 5
4,926	16 9	On account of other Governments	4,253	2 9
582,315	17 10		586,483	4 2
100,000	0 0	Less Treasury Bills outstanding		
482,315	17 10			586,483 4 2
		Ordinary Revenue,—		
3,027,828	19 9	Customs	3,279,012	2 11
819,838	18 11	Stamps (Stamp Department)	943,188	6 3
816,306	0 11	Stamps (Postal Department)	857,119	8 4
211,260	6 10	Postal and Telegraph Cash Receipts	232,688	14 6
628,723	1 5	Land-tax	647,015	7 8
407,235	1 7	Income-tax	448,934	11 5
118,100	2 11	Beer Duty	119,130	11 2
3,483,754	19 5	Railways	3,665,613	7 6
100,026	6 0	Registration and other Fees	108,495	5 5
45,932	8 11	Marine	48,321	14 3
327,123	0 0	Miscellaneous	371,667	17 1
9,986,129	6 8		10,721,387	6 6
		Territorial Revenue,—		
63,895	1 2	Cash Land Sales		
1,179	12 10	Deferred-payment Land Sales	£65,936	6 2
189,957	12 0	Pastoral Runs, Rents, and Miscellaneous	568	6 10
255,032	6 0		182,286	13 4
55,861	12 2	National Endowment Revenue	248,791	6 4
10,297,023	4 10		62,365	5 0
		Amount at credit of Deposit Account, Imperial Government, South Africa Contingents, transferred to Consolidated Fund		11,032,543 17 10
		The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
		The State Fire Insurance Act, 1908—		
		Debentures matured 1st May, 1911, renewed		2,000 0 0
		The Consolidated Stock Act, 1884—		
		Debentures matured 1st February, 1912, renewed		194,200 0 0
		Recoveries on account of Expenditure of Previous Years,—		
		Unauthorized	60	12 0
		High School Board, Blenheim—Amount of subsidy overpaid	21	0 0
		War Office—Unexpended balance of advance of £7,900 on account of Requisition Defence No. 8	80	13 9
		Repayment for improvements on Small Grazing-run 5, Block X, Opaku	1,228	10 0
		Aotea District Maori Land Board—Cost of survey of Morikau No. 2 Block	1,550	0 0
		War Office—Refund of amounts overcharged in connection with shipment of Defence stores	366	4 11
		Repayment on account of advances on punt at Greenfield Settlement	12	11 6
		Receipts under the Cyanide Process Gold Extraction Act, 1897	10,349	19 5
		Refund of amount paid for improvements, in terms of Section 214 of the Land Act, 1885	387	10 0
		Refund of Compensation under the Civil Service Act, 1866, awarded to H. M. Lee, late Deputy Registrar, Supreme Court, Christchurch	633	15 10
		Donation from the Auckland Racing Club towards the expense of the visit of the American Fleet to New Zealand waters in 1908	750	9 10
250	0 0	Repayment of Reticulation Loan by Christchurch City Council		
250	0 0			15,441 7 3
		The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
		The Defence and other Purposes Loan Act, 1870—		
25,000	0 0	Debentures matured 1st July, 1910, renewed		
		The Dairy Industry Act, 1908,—		
843	0 0	Debentures matured 1st January, 1911, renewed		
£10,755,432	2 8	Totals		£11,843,844 3 1

Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911

ACCOUNT.

1910-1911.			EXPENDITURE.	1911-1912.		
£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
34,373	4	8	Permanent Appropriations,—			
2,453,452	4	8	Civil List	83,679	15	8
482,118	7	4	Interest and Sinking Fund..	2,656,339	18	1
108,016	11	6	Under Special Acts of the Legislature	510,486	9	9
			Subsidies paid to Local Bodies	105,937	13	4
			Amounts paid over to Local Bodies and to Deposit Accounts—			
32,993	9	7	Payments under the Land Acts	32,962	5	1
7,403	16	3	Payments under the Timber and Flax Royalties Act	5,515	7	10
			Endowments—			
4,587	18	8	New Plymouth Harbour Board	3,861	14	3
25,040	3	7	Greymouth Harbour Board	26,326	16	2
67,969	8	0	Westport Harbour Board	60,218	13	5
55,861	12	2	National Endowment Residue	62,365	5	0
366,033	1	5	Old-age Pensions	386,962	8	6
			Widows' Pensions	1,961	19	9
3,642,849	17	10				3,886,618 6 10
			Annual Appropriations,—			
37,610	15	3	Class I.—Legislative Departments	31,628	3	8
48,023	9	1	" II.—Department of Finance	47,448	18	1
911,819	3	4	" III.—Post and Telegraph Department	986,526	15	9
2,270,813	10	1	" IV.—Working Railways Department	2,451,717	8	6
81,103	8	9	" V.—Public Buildings, Domains, and Maintenance of Roads	88,745	0	6
21,661	8	8	" VI.—Native Department	20,724	7	6
370,181	10	1	" VII.—Justice Department	384,720	12	2
22,456	14	10	" VIII.—Mines Department	24,843	10	9
262,141	14	4	" IX.—Department of Internal Affairs	385,836	10	2
205,269	3	2	" X.—Defence Department	401,870	3	5
114,736	9	11	" XI.—Customs, Marine and Harbours, and Inspection of Machinery Depart-	118,527	15	7
22,725	3	4	" XII.—Department of Labour	25,245	3	4
206,660	9	9	" XIII.—Department of Lands and Survey	234,500	16	10
184,578	14	6	" XIV.—Department of Agriculture, Commerce, and Tourists	219,434	10	8
932,446	16	3	" XV.—Education Department	1,012,048	4	7
8,027	9	4	Services not provided for	19,932	3	1
5,700,258	0	8				6,453,750 4 7
800,000	0	0	Revenue transferred to the Public Works Fund			500,000 0 0
			The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—			
			The State Fire Insurance Act, 1908—			
			Debentures matured 1st May, 1911, renewed			2,000 0 0
			The Consolidated Stock Act, 1884 —			
			Debentures matured 1st February, 1912, renewed			194,200 0 0
25,000	0	0	The Defence and other Purposes Loan Act, 1870—			
			Debentures matured 1st July, 1910, renewed			
843	0	0	The Dairy Industry Act, 1908,—			
			Debentures matured 1st January, 1911, renewed			
564,201	9	0	Balance at end of Year,—			
17,921	0	0	Cash in the Public Account	770,341	3	8
107	12	5	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—			
4,253	2	9	In the Dominion	31,183	11	11
			On account of Imperial Pensions	23	15	6
			On account of other Governments	5,727	0	7
586,483	4	2				807,275 11 8
£10,755,432	2	8	Totals			£11,843,844 3 1

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED FUND for the
TREASURY BILLS

1910-1911.	RECEIPTS.	1911-1912.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
100,000 0 0	Treasury Bills outstanding at beginning of Year .. .. .	..	..
783,000 0 0	Treasury Bills issued during Year	500,000 0 0	
333,000 0 0	Treasury Bills renewed during Year	200,000 0 0	700,000 0 0
1,116,000 0 0			
£1,216,000 0 0	Totals		£700,000 0 0

STATE FORESTS

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
16,921 7 7	Balance at beginning of Year,—		
	Cash in the Public Account	14,116 3 3	
853 15 10	Advances in hands of Officers of the Government—		
	In the Dominion	83 15 11	14,199 19 2
17,775 3 5			
3,099 15 4	Rents from Lands set apart	1,583 7 9	
11,771 4 3	Miscellaneous	33,614 14 8	35,198 2 5
14,870 19 7			
5,000 0 0	Contribution from the Consolidated Fund towards cost of forest-tree growing and planting .. .. .	..	5,000 0 0
£37,646 3 0	Totals		£54,398 1 7

STATE COAL-

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
54,848 5 5	Balance at beginning of Year,—		
	Cash in the Public Account	27,902 12 2	
7,210 15 2	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
	In the Dominion	266 1 8	27,568 13 10
61,559 0 7			
226,864 13 3	Proceeds of Sale of Coal .. .. .	..	218,920 14 6
..	The Coal-mines Act, 1908,—		
	Debentures issued .. .. .	..	20,000 0 0
1,362 16 1	The Appropriation Act, 1910—Section 22,—		
	Amount transferred in respect of Int-rest on the Cost of Construction of the Grey-mouth and Point Elizabeth Railway .. .. .	..	..
£289,786 9 11	Totals		£261,489 8 4

Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911--continued.

ACCOUNT.

1910-1911.		EXPENDITURE.						1911-1912.			
£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.
883,000	0 0	Treasury Bills renewed during Year	..	..	..	..	..	200,000	0 0		
883,000	0 0	Treasury Bills paid off during Year	..	..	..	..	..	500,000	0 0	700,000	0 0
1,216,000	0 0										
£1,216,000	0 0	Totals	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	£700,000	0 0

ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.
23,446	3 10	Annual Appropriation,— Vote 120—State Forests Branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22,810	13 8
14,116	3 3	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	..	30,977	19 1		
83	15 11	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	..	..	..	..	..	609	8 10	31,587	7 11
14,199	19 2										
£37,646	3 0	Totals	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	£54,398	1 7

MINES ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.
257,667	16 1	Annual Appropriation,— Vote 121—State Coal-mines	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	233,460	13 10
4,550	0 0	Interest on Debentures	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,550	0 0
27,302	12 2	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	..	15,425	11 11		
266	1 8	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	..	..	..	..	..	8,053	2 7	23,478	14 6
27,568	13 10										
£289,786	9 11	Totals	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	£261,489	8 4

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the **CONSOLIDATED FUND** for the
SCENERY PRESERVATION

1910-1911.	RECEIPTS.	1911-1912.
£ s. d. 6,652 16 9	Balance at beginning of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 2,921 19 10
..	The Scenery Preservation Act, 1908,— Debentures issued	5,000 0 0
..	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— The Scenery Preservation Act, 1908— Debentures matured 1st May, 1911, renewed	30,000 0 0
£6,652 16 9	Totals	£37,921 19 10

NAVAL DEFENCE

£ s. d. ..	Balance at beginning of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 309,818 16 3	£ s. d.
..	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In London	70,711 0 0	
..	Investment Account	250,000 0 0	630,529 16 3
..			
1,120,250 0 0	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— The Naval Defence Act, 1909— Instalments received in respect of £1,250,000 Loan authorized	129,750 0 0	
342,000 0 0	Advances on the security of Debentures issued under the Act	150,000 0 0	
..	Interest on overdue instalments	2 10 1	279,752 10 1
1,462,250 0 0			
..	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— ¾-per-cent. Inscribed Stock created to cover expenses of raising £1,250,000 Loan under the Naval Defence Act, 1909 .. .. .	..	47,821 13 11
£1,462,250 0 0	Totals .. .. .	..	£958,104 0 8

ACCOUNTS OF

£ s. d. Dr. 4,708 18 9	Balance at beginning of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. Dr. 3,079 16 0	£ s. d.
18 6 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	78 7 4	Dr. 3,006 8 8
Dr. 4,690 12 9			
10,072 10 7	Revenue received for Local Bodies,— Fees, Fines, &c.	12,824 7 4	
21,074 3 8	Endowments of Land, &c.	20,098 9 4	
18,047 4 2	Goldfields Revenue	17,460 3 9	
27,967 4 8	Gold Duty	25,931 5 5	76,314 5 10
77,161 3 1			
189 9 5	Counties Separate Account,— Revenue of Counties in which the Counties Act, 1908, is not in full operation .. .. .	..	65 3 9
28,299 3 5	Advance Accounts,— Amount repaid by Local Bodies	27,391 5 6	
73 13 8	Ditto on account of Unauthorized Expenditure of previous years	13,331 18 2	40,723 8 8
28,372 17 1			
£100,982 16 10	Totals .. .. .	..	£114,096 4 7

Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911—continued.

ACCOUNT.

1910-1911.		EXPENDITURE.	1911-1912.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
3,730	16 5	Annual Appropriation,— Vote 122—Scenery Preservation	5,758	5 4
		The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— The Scenery Preservation Act, 1908— Debentures matured 1st May, 1911, renewed	30,000	0 0
2,921	19 10	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	2,163	14 6
<u>£6,652</u>	<u>16 3</u>	Totals	<u>£37,921</u>	<u>19 10</u>

ACT ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.
489,289	0 0	Expenditure under the Act	605,711	0 0
431	3 9	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— The Naval Defence Act, 1909— Charges and Expenses	48,030	9 0
342,000	0 0	The Naval Defence Act, 1909,— Temporary Advances repaid		
309,818	16 3	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	289,362	11 3
70,711	0 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In London	15,000	0 0
250,000	0 0	Investment Account		
630,529	16 3		804,362	11 3
<u>£1,462,250</u>	<u>0 0</u>	Totals	<u>£958,104</u>	<u>0 3</u>

LOCAL BODIES.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.
9,438	6 3	Revenue paid over to Local Bodies, &c.— Fees, Fines, &c.	13,020	7 9
21,607	13 11	Endowments of Land, &c.	21,403	1 8
18,048	14 3	Goldfields Revenue	17,236	17 1
26,694	10 11	Gold Duty	27,140	11 1
75,789	5 4		78,800	17 7
132	19 8	Counties Separate Account,— Amount distributed amongst Local Bodies where the Counties Act, 1908, is not in full operation	43	10 10
28,067	0 6	Advance Accounts,— Payments on behalf of Local Bodies	27,439	9 4
Dr. 3,079	16 0	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	7,812	6 10
73	7 4	Advances in hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion		
Dr. 3,006	8 8		7,812	6 10
<u>£100,982</u>	<u>16 10</u>	Totals	<u>£114,096</u>	<u>4 7</u>

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the **CONSOLIDATED FUND** for the
DEPOSIT

1910-11.	RECEIPTS.	1911-12
£ s. d.		£ s. d. £ s. d.
196,816 11 1	Balance at beginning of Year,—	
	Cash in the Public Account	180,108 8 5
14 0 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	62 16 3
196,830 11 1		180,171 4 8
	Lodgments,—	
	Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1910	69,370 5 6
10,327 4 3	Emigrants' Deposits	6,391 19 3
10 4 7	Fisheries Act, 1908	3 12 0
125 0 0	General Assembly Library	70 0 0
	Gold Duty Suspense Account	5,174 10 1
14 8 9	Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Acts, 1908 Land Act, 1908—	4 19 1
1,565 17 0	Mining Districts Land Occupation Account	1,338 2 1
90,315 3 1	Miscellaneous	53,539 13 9
153,961 5 4	Money-order Settlement Account	221,658 2 6
38 0 0	Nelson Rifle Prize Fund	38 0 0
210 4 6	New Zealand University Endowments, Taranaki	130 15 11
2 18 4	New Zealand University Endowments, Westland	2 5 10
197 5 0	North Island Experimental Dairy School	197 0 0
	North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Application Act 1886 Amendment Act, 1889	33,663 3 9
24,283 2 4	Otago University Reserves Act, 1904	292 18 5
256 7 5	Public Trust Office Remittance Account	24,473 4 3
21,071 3 11	Railways	6,700 0 0
978 0 0	Rates on Workers' Dwellings	35 13 6
184 6 1	Taranaki Scholarships Endowment Account	701 13 0
	Tauranga Educational Endowment Reserves Act, 1896	21 12 7
253 15 9	Thermal Springs Districts Act, 1908	248 15 8
48 14 2	Trustee Act, 1908	3,857 1 2
1,998 4 7	Westport Harbour Board Act, 1884, Special Coal Rate Account	1,523 13 2
805,841 5 1		485,437 1 6
£502,671 16 2	Totals	£615,608 6 2

Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911—continued.

ACCOUNTS.

1910-11.			EXPENDITURE.	1911-12.		
£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
			Withdrawals,—			
			Cyanide Process Royalties Account	10,349	19	5
			Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1910	53,831	12	6
10,096	4	3	Emigrants' Deposits	6,387	15	3
22	16	3	Fisheries Act, 1908	8	13	11
270	0	0	General Assembly Library	70	0	0
			Gold Duty Suspense Account	5,174	7	5
			Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Acts, 1908	17	2	11
7	0	0	Imperial Government (South Africa Contingents)	13,175	13	10
			Land Act, 1908—			
865	13	8	Mining Districts Land Occupation Account	795	13	6
157	1	9	Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905	131	11	5
112,413	4	8	Miscellaneous	62,416	7	9
161,745	7	10	Money-order Settlement Account	208,658	2	6
			Native Townships—			
			Karewa	0	8	0
			Parata	7	1	0
			Potaka	0	10	0
56	5	0	Nelson Rifle Prize Fund	44	5	0
203	15	6	New Zealand University Endowments—Taranaki	138	15	11
			North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Application Act 1886 Amendment Act, 1889	3,586	18	7
10,000	5	6	North Island Experimental Dairy School			
5	10	0	Public Trust Office Remittance Account	23,748	12	4
21,905	11	9	Railways			
3,253	2	6	Rates on Workers' Dwellings	370	14	10
			Taranaki Scholarships Endowment Account	413	11	1
500	0	0	Tauranga Educational Endowment Reserves Act, 1896			
18	8	2	Thermal Springs Districts Act, 1908	63	18	4
980	4	8	Trustee Act, 1908			
						389,391 15 6
322,500	11	6				
			Balance at end of Year,—			
180,108	8	5	Cash in the Public Account	226,082	10	8
62	16	3	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—			
			In the Dominion	134	0	0
180,171	4	8				226,216 10 8
£502,671	16	2	Totals			£615,608 6 2

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC WORKS FUND for the

1910-1911.		RECEIPTS.	1911-1912.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
304,741	1 11	Balance at beginning of Year,—	381,258	12 10
		Cash in the Public Account		
7,625	4 2	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	8,786	13 9
		In the Dominion		
		Investment Account	750,000	0 0
312,366	6 1			1,140,045 6 7
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1911,—		
		Debentures issued	100,000	0 0
		Temporary advance on security of Debentures issued	350,000	0 0
				450,000 0 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1910,—		
1,568,350	0 0	Instalments received in respect of £1,750,000 Loan authorized	181,650	0 0
150,000	0 0	Interest on overdue instalments	3	10 2
		Temporary advances on the security of Debentures issued		
1,718,350	0 0			181,653 10 2
		The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1901—		
		Debentures issued in redemption of Debentures matured 1st December, 1911	8,100	0 0
		Temporary advance on Reserve Fund Securities—		
		Provision for Debentures matured 29th December, 1911	72,700	0 0
		Debentures matured 1st December, 1911, renewed	65,300	0 0
				146,100 0 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1903—		
		Temporary advance on Reserve Fund Securities—		
		Provision for Debentures matured 29th December, 1911	25,000	0 0
		Provision for Debentures matured 1st January, 1912	5,000	0 0
				30,000 0 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1904—		
		Temporary advance on Reserve Fund Securities—		
		Provision for Debentures matured 1st January, 1912		
				565,500 0 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1906—		
		Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st January, 1912	18,650	0 0
		Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, renewed	81,150	0 0
				99,800 0 0
		The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
		3½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock created to cover expenses of raising £1,750,000 Loan under the Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1910	66,950	7 5
		3½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock created to cover expenses of raising £1,850,000 Loan under the Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1909, and the Finance Act, 1909		
66,390	0 0			66,950 7 5
66,390	0 0			
800,000	0 0	Revenue transferred from the Consolidated Fund in aid of Public Works		
		Recoveries on account of Expenditure of previous Years,—		
		Value of material formerly in use on North Island Main Trunk Railway construction now transferred to other works or sold	4,129	0 8
		Repayment for advances for bushfelling, Rangitatau Block	468	17 10
		Refund of overcharge on wire supplied to the improved-farm settlers	13	3 0
		Value of land at Te Kuiti transferred to Railway Department for railway purposes	565	0 0
		Refund of loan for Johnson's Dam, Bow Bell Flat	30	0 0
		Public Trustee—Release of mortgage on Section 394, Whareama Block	1,608	9 8
		Railway Department—Amounts received from various purchasers of land at New Plymouth (Sentry Hill - New Plymouth Deviation)	2,758	8 5
		Value of Land at Papanui, Christchurch, transferred to Police Department for a site for police-station	100	0 0
800	0 0	Aotea District Maori Land Board—Reduction of Ohutu mortgage	800	0 0
57	5 0	Ikaroa District Maori Land Board—Reduction of Horowhenua mortgage	57	5 0
1,000	0 0	Muddy Terrace Sluicing Company—Reduction of mortgage under the Mining Act, 1908		
945	0 0	Westland Hospitals and Charitable Aid Board (quarter-cost of Hokitika Hospital)		
5	0 0	Amount advanced to Elsie Wallace pending completion of purchase of Kapiti No. 4 Block, now refunded		
1,423	19 7	Aotea District Maori Land Board—Survey liens on account of Wharetoto and Tauakira subdivisions		
651	16 2	Sale of traction-engine, &c., formerly in use on Marton - Te Awamutu Railway construction		
4,883	0 9			10,580 4 7
1,622	15 2	Special Receipts in connection with the Ellesmere and Forsyth Reclamation and Akaroa Railway Trust Account		
600,000	0 0	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1909,—		
		Proceeds of Scrip and Debentures issued		
1,250,000	0 0	The Finance Act, 1909,—		
2	3 7	Proceeds of Scrip and Debentures issued		
		Interest on overdue instalment		
1,250,002	3 7			
44,753,614	5 7	Totals		£3,192,194 18 7

Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911.

1910-1911.		EXPENDITURE.	1911-1912.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
		Annual Appropriations,—		
		Class XVI.—Public Works, Departmental	49,863	11 0
1,104,070	17 10	" XVII.—Railways	1,125,905	9 6
1,020	11 2	" XVIII.—Development of Water-power	9,082	4 0
1,562	8 1	" XIX.—Irrigation and Water-supply	2,793	16 11
325,612	11 10	" XX.—Public Buildings	349,654	17 9
8,426	15 1	" XXI.—Lighthouses, Harbour-works, and Harbour Defences	12,575	17 2
5,911	19 6	" XXII.—Tourist and Health Resorts	13,360	11 8
9,440	15 1	" XXIII.—Immigration	11,680	13 5
		" XXIV.—Construction, Maintenance, and Supervision of Roads, Bridges, and other Public Works	424,578	3 10
254,163	5 4	" XXV.—Development of Goldfields	21,244	12 6
10,845	3 7	" XXVI.—Telegraph Extension	147,692	6 8
111,867	13 1	" XXVII.—Contingent Defence	10,436	15 8
6,070	18 4	" XXVIII.—Lands Improvement	19,214	12 5
11,125	9 4	Services not provided for	2,660	19 0
200	0 0			
1,892,851	4 11			2,200,744 11 6
		The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1901—		
		Debentures matured 1st December, 1911, redeemed	8,100	0 0
		Debentures matured 29th December, 1911, redeemed	72,700	0 0
		Debentures matured 1st December, 1911, renewed	65,300	0 0
				146,100 0 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1903—		
		Debentures matured 29th December, 1911, redeemed	25,000	0 0
		Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, redeemed	5,000	0 0
25	0 0	Debentures matured 1st January, 1909, redeemed		
200	0 0	Debentures matured 1st February, 1909, redeemed		
225	0 0			30,000 0 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1904—		
		Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, redeemed		
				565,500 0 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1906—		
		Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, redeemed	18,650	0 0
		Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, renewed	81,150	0 0
				99,800 0 0
		Charges and Expenses in respect of loans raised under,—		
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1901	32	6 11
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1902	0	7 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1903	0	12 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1906	0	14 0
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1910	65,217	12 2
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1911	482	6 0
1,533	19 0	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908	1,736	5 5
4	5 0	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1900		
2	5 6	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1908		
21,024	14 5	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1909		
43,801	10 2	The Finance Act, 1909		
66,366	14 1			67,470 3 6
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1910,—		
150,000	0 0	Temporary Advances repaid		
		The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1909,—		
500,000	0 0	Debentures matured 31st March, 1910, redeemed		
		The Finance Act, 1909,—		
1,000,000	0 0	Temporary Advances repaid		
		The Ellesmere and Forsyth Railway Trust Account,—		
150	0 0	Expenditure		
		The Rotoiti Validation Act, 1909, Section 3,—		
2,976	0 0	Expenditure		
		The Appropriation Act, 1910, section 27,—		
1,000	0 0	Subsidy granted to Woodville County Council, applied in reduction of £3,000 Loan		
		Balance at end of Year,—		
381,258	12 10	Cash in the Public Account	65,941	5 0
8,786	13 9	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	16,638	18 7
750,000	0 0	In the Dominion		
		Investment Account		
1,140,045	6 7			82,580 3 7
£4,753,614	5 7	Totals		£3,192,194 18 7

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC WORKS FUND for the
PAEROA - WAIHI

1910-1911.			RECEIPTS.			1911-1912.		
£	s.	d.				£	s.	d.
..	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—			..	..	..
			The Public Works Act, 1908—					
			The Paeroa-Waihi Railway Act, 1908—					
			Debentures matured 31st March, 1912, and 30th September, 1912, renewed ..			..	86,250	0 0
..	Total .. .. .	..	..	..	£86,250	0 0

WELLINGTON-HUTT RAILWAY AND

£	s.	d.				£	s.	d.
12,210	5	9	Balance at beginning of Year—			..	4,814	4 9
			Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	..
24,490	0	0	The Hutt Railway and Road Improvement Act, 1910,—			..	5,190	0 0
			Debentures issued .. .. .	..	..	..
..	..	..	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—			..	100,000	0 0
			The Hutt Railway and Road Improvement Acts, 1903 and 1905—			..		
			Debentures matured 1st May, 1911, renewed .. .. .	..	..	..
3,110	0	0	The Hutt Railway and Road Improvement Act, 1907,—			..	..
			Debentures issued .. .. .	..	..	..
£89,810	5	9	Totals .. .. .	..	..	..	£110,004	4 9

THE RAILWAYS

£	s.	d.				£	s.	d.
18,197	11	0	Balance at beginning of Year,—			..	18,146	3 2
			Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	..
56,900	0	0	The Government Railways Amendment Act, 1910,—			..	33,850	0 0
			Debentures issued .. .. .	..	..	..
3,300	0	0	The Government Railways Act, 1908,—			..		
16,000	0	0	Scrip and Debentures issued .. .. .	..	..	..
			Debentures issued for Redemption of Debentures matured 30th June, 1910 .. .. .	..	..	..
1,500	0	0	Debentures matured 30th June, 1910, renewed under the New Zealand Loans Act, 1908 .. .. .	..	..	..
20,800	0	0				..		
100	0	0	The Finance Act, 1909,—			..		
			The Government Railways Act, 1908—			..		
			Scrip and Debentures issued .. .. .	..	..	..
£95,997	11	0	Totals .. .. .	..	..	..	£51,996	3 2

THE WAIHOU AND OHINEMURI

£	s.	d.				£	s.	d.
..	..	..	Balance at beginning of Year,—			..	100,000	0 0
			Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	..
..	..	..	The Waihou and Ohinemuri Rivers Improvement Act, 1910,—			1,667	0 0	
			Receipts under Section 17 .. .. .	..	..	5,000	0 0	
100,000	0	0	Receipts under Section 18 .. .. .	..	..	..
			Debentures issued .. .. .	..	..	..	6,667	0 0
100,000	0	0				..		
£100,000	0	0	Totals .. .. .	..	..	..	£106,667	0 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CHEVIOT ESTATE ACCOUNT

£	s.	d.				£	s.	d.
58,810	0	9	Balance at beginning of Year,—			..	62,771	15 8
			Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	..
12,486	6	1	Receipts under the Land Act, 1908,—			..	14,375	4 8
			Rents from Lands .. .. .	..	..	..
356	17	0	Other Receipts,—			..		
			Interest on Securities held by Investment Account .. .. .	..	..	..
£71,653	3	10	Totals .. .. .	..	..	..	£77,147	0 4

Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911—continued.

RAILWAY ACCOUNT.

1910-1911.		EXPENDITURE.	1911-1912.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
..	..	The Public Works Act, 1908,— The Paeroa-Waihi Railway Act, 1903— Debentures matured 31st March, 1912, renewed	53,476	0 0
..	..	Debentures matured 30th September, 1912 (surrendered), renewed	26,738	0 0
..	..			80,214 0 0
..	..	Charges and expenses authorized by the New Zealand Loans Act, 1908— On renewals .. .. .	..	6,036 0 0
..	..	Total .. .. .	..	£86,250 0 0

ROAD IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
34,996	1 0	Annual Appropriation,— Vote 124—Hutt Railway and Road Improvement .. .. .	..	..	7,704	10 7
..	..	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— The Hutt Railway and Road Improvement Acts, 1903 and 1905— Debentures matured 1st May, 1911, renewed .. .. .	..	..	100,000	0 0
..	..	The Hutt Railway and Road Improvement Act, 1910,— Charges and Expenses authorized by the New Zealand Loans Act, 1908—On Sales	..	..	0	7 0
4,814	4 9	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	2,299	7 2
£39,810	5 9	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£110,004	4 9

IMPROVEMENTS ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
60,345	15 6	Annual Appropriation,— Vote 125—Railway Improvements .. .. .	..	..	51,428	2 5
..	..	The Government Railways Amendment Act, 1910,— Charges and Expenses authorized by the New Zealand Loans Act, 1908—On Sales	..	..	0	10 6
16,000	0 0	The Government Railways Act, 1908,— Debentures matured 30th June, 1910, redeemed .. .. .	..	..	..	..
1,500	0 0	Debentures matured 30th June, 1910, renewed under the New Zealand Loans Act, 1908 .. .. .	..	..	..	..
17,500	0 0		..	..	..	..
5	12 4	The Finance Act, 1909,— The Government Railways Act, 1908— Charges and Expenses authorized by the New Zealand Loans Act, 1908 ..	..	..	..	..
18,146	3 2	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	567	10 3
£95,997	11 0	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£51,996	3 2

RIVERS IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
..	..	Annual Appropriation,— Vote 126—Waihou and Ohinemuri Rivers Improvement .. .. .	..	..	3,769	6 10
..	..	Interest on Debentures .. .. .	..	..	3,226	14 2
100,000	0 0	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	39,670	19 0	99,670	19 0
..	..	Investment Account	60,000	0 0	..	..
100,000	0 0		..	..	..	..
£100,000	0 0	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£106,667	0 0

for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
8,866	2 6	Interest paid in respect of Debentures issued	8,866	2 6	8,905	0 0
15	5 8	Surveys, Roading, &c.	38	17 6	..	..
8,881	8 2		..	..	..	..
62,771	15 8	Balance at end of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	18,242	0 4	68,242	0 4
..	..	Investment Account	50,000	0 0	..	..
62,771	15 8		..	..	..	..
£71,653	3 10	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£77,147	0 4

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT

1910-1911.		RECEIPTS.	1911-1912.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
202,385	9 10	Balance at beginning of Year,—		
		Cash in the Public Account	53,097	14 8
		Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
111	17 4	In the Dominion	300	0 0
202,497	7 2			53,397 14 8
		Amount received from the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office in terms of Section 89 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909		407,500 0 0
33,000	0 0			
		The Land for Settlements Act, 1908, the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Acts, 1909, 1910, and the New Zealand Loans Acts, 1908,—		
		Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st October, 1911	99,000	0 0
		Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st November, 1911	8,000	0 0
		Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st January, 1912	72,350	0 0
		Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st February, 1912	21,500	0 0
		Debentures matured 1st November, 1911, renewed	600	0 0
		Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, renewed	149,665	0 0
		Debentures matured 1st February, 1912, renewed	61,300	0 0
28,425	0 0	Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st January, 1911		
84,175	0 0	Debentures matured 1st January, 1911, renewed		
112,600	0 0			412,415 0 0
		Receipts on account of capital value of land under the Land Act, 1908,—		
		Section 177	11,536	18 9
11,549	16 11	Section 191	249	1 8
1,955	18 8			11,786 0 5
13,499	10 7			
		Receipts derived from Estates,—		
		Rents, &c.		281,695 19 7
271,199	7 7			
		Credits in reduction,—		
		Eccleston No. 2	20	18 3
		Heretaunga	58	8 7
21	9 3	Lawry	186	5 9
313	18 4	Makareao	67	8 4
		Ruapuna No. 2	7	9 6
		Windle	40	6 6
26	17 0			380 16 11
361	18 7			
		Recoveries on account of Estates,—		
		Drayton		6 0 0
		Other Receipts,—		
		Interest on Securities held by the Investment Account		
482	3 11			
		Carried forward		1,167,181 11 7
633,640	7 10			

for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911.

1910-1911.		EXPENDITURE.			1911-1912.			
£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
8,238	19 0	Annual Appropriations,—			7,387	0 4		
630	9 10	Vote 123—Land for Settlements Expenses						
		Vote Workers' Dwellings Expenses						
		Unauthorized			347	17 10		
8,869	8 10						7,734	18 2
		Acquirement of Estates, and Expenses incidental thereto,—						
		Name of Estate.	Purchase-money.	Incidental Expenses.	Total.			
404	6 2	Airedale		211 14 10	211 14 10			
12	8 6	Albury		4 11 9	4 11 9			
24,151	19 9	Allanholm		358 15 4	358 15 4			
27	12 6	Annan		765 2 2	765 2 2			
		Aorangi		46 16 6	46 16 6			
7	8 0	Ardgowan		3 14 0	3 14 0			
60	12 4	Argyll		132 9 6	132 9 6			
1	18 0	Ashley Gorge		1 14 6	1 14 6			
		Avenel (T. Morland)	27,985 16 0		27,985 16 0			
950	0 0	Aviemore		9 0 3	9 0 3			
2	10 0	Barnego		0 18 0	0 18 0			
		Beaumont		6 12 4	6 12 4			
42	11 8	Bickerstaffe		0 11 8	0 11 8			
34	7 0	Blind River		36 2 8	36 2 8			
		Braco		14 6 10	14 6 10			
100	6 0	Braeburn		120 19 8	120 19 8			
122	7 0	Buddo		104 19 10	104 19 10			
39	11 10	Cadman						
813	0 10	Carrington		108 6 10	108 6 10			
1	3 3	Carroll						
3	8 6	Chamberlain		2 2 3	2 2 3			
14,864	13 9	Clandeboye		83 1 10	83 1 10			
8,301	15 10	Clandeboye No. 2		5 19 2	5 19 2			
2	7 8	Clandon		1 7 7	1 7 7			
894	10 5	Clydebank		1,275 2 9	1,275 2 9			
		Conical Hills (W. Sheenan)	42,166 8 0	294 1 4	42,460 9 4			
11	3 3	Cradock		2 2 0	2 2 0			
6	0 9	Culverden		198 19 0	198 19 0			
		Douglas (E. Richards)	63,203 9 3	1,645 18 2	64,849 7 5			
		Duncan		2 10 0	2 10 0			
21,326	15 0	Drayton		146 7 7	146 7 7			
1	10 0	Dyer		157 9 8	157 9 8			
0	4 0	Eccleston No. 1						
13	15 3	Eccleston No. 2						
121	3 10	Edendale		304 13 10	304 13 10			
3	9 0	Elderslie						
		Elderslie No. 2 (J. B. Reid)	33,420 0 0	33 0 9	33,453 0 9			
21	16 1	Elsthorpe		29 2 3	29 2 3			
7	15 6	Epuni		19 3 7	19 3 7			
364	17 10	Ermedale		281 19 0	281 19 0			
0	7 6	Epworth						
30	12 8	Fencourt		39 16 1	39 16 1			
229	9 8	Flaxbourne		210 12 10	210 12 10			
18	1 3	Forest Gate		37 12 1	37 12 1			
		Four Peaks (H. D. Bell and W. Izard)	17,821 14 9		17,821 14 9			
1	5 6	Fyvie		80 7 10	80 7 10			
14	9 9	Glenham		32 16 2	32 16 2			
		Glentanner (G. Murray)	2,281 5 0	7 6 7	2,288 11 7			
		Greenfield		2 12 0	2 12 0			
0	7 6	Hall-Jones		1 14 0	1 14 0			
83	9 4	Hatuma		115 6 1	115 6 1			
16	7 0	Hawtrey		6 14 9	6 14 9			
4	6 6	Hekeao		1 7 6	1 7 6			
55	6 11	Hetana		23 0 7	23 0 7			
7	4 0	Highbank		6 9 0	6 9 0			
		Hikawera		25 1 5	25 1 5			
3,850	0 2	Hornby		53 4 10	53 4 10			
3	18 2	Horsley Downs						
2	13 1	Huinga		1 8 1	1 8 1			
0	16 0	Kaimahi		97 6 5	97 6 5			
23	17 10	Kanakanaia		28 1 9	28 1 9			
0	10 0	Kapua		1 2 0	1 2 0			
0	9 0	Kaputohe		25 0 0	25 0 0			
6	2 8	Karapiro		9 14 5	9 14 5			
1,277	18 9	Kauroo Hill		188 4 2	188 4 2			
0	18 0	Kereta		0 7 0	0 7 0			
8	17 6	Kinloch		17 14 11	17 14 11			
1	3 1	Kitchener		3 1 2	3 1 2			
1	13 8	Kohika		2 10 0	2 10 0			
6,478	4 9	Kohika No. 2		3 12 0	3 12 0			
9	10 11	Kumeroa		33 18 0	33 18 0			
169	8 10	Ladbrook		7 8 3	7 8 3			
		Langdale		66 19 9	66 19 9			
116	6 7	Lindsay		80 11 7	80 11 7			
		Linton		12 2 3	12 2 3			
2	0 0	Longbush		42 1 7	42 1 7			
3	10 0	Loughnan		0 2 5	0 2 5			
85,136	16 1	Carried forward	186,878 13 0	7,675 4 11	194,553 17 11			
					7,734 18 2			

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT

1910-1911.	RECEIPTS.	1911-1912.	
£ s. d. 633,640 7 10	Brought forward	£ s. d.	1,167,181 11 7
633,640 7 10	Carried forward	1,167,181 11 7

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1910-1911.		EXPENDITURE.			1911-1912.	
£	s. d.				£	s. d.
8,869	8 10	Brought forward				
		Name of Estate.				
		Acquirement of Estates, and Expenses incidental thereto—continued				
85,136	16 1			186,878	13 0	7,675 4 11
1 10	6	Lyndon No. 1				4 4 4
1 19	0	Lyndon No. 2				1 19 10
11 9	0	Maerewhenua				3 6 6
9 16	9	Mahora (R. Sowerby, Ehau and Hori Tupaea) ..	88 1 5			69 4 10
		Mahupuku				56 9 11
85 17	8	Makareao				
24 19	8	Manga-a-toro				63 0 10
5 12	6	Mangapouri				10 2 10
34 13	6	Mangatahi				54 18 9
2 10	0	Mangawhata				31 1 0
16 5	8	Mangawhero				21 3 9
3 2	6	Marawiti				2 0 6
31 17	6	Matakanui				7 5 6
98 4	1	Matamata				170 11 5
1 12	0	Maungaraki				45 13 8
1 12	0	Maytown				1 2 0
2 1	6	Mead				3 10 0
14 14	6	Meadowbank				93 13 6
13,758	10 11	Meadows				374 14 8
		Merrivale				22 7 7
5 15	9	Methuen				9 12 6
4 0	2	Mills				3 3 6
1 19	0	Morice				2 6 10
3,187	14 1	Ngatapa				27 8 8
20 18	3	Normandale				118 2 3
567 3	4	Northbank				20 16 5
		Ohakea				38 15 11
2 10	0	Okauia				6 10 11
24 1	5	Omaka				23 17 11
24 10	11	Opouriao				32 5 6
16 19	3	Orakipaea				2 10 6
		Otahu				4 2 7
0 11	0	Otaio				0 4 9
293 19	3	Otekaike				1,954 6 10
		Papaka				0 5 0
2 0	0	Paparangi				9 17 0
0 12	0	Pareora No. 1				0 8 9
1 19	6	Pareora No. 2				1 3 6
1 14	0	Patoa				
6 10	0	Pawaho				0 2 0
		Pitt				1 13 5
2 0	2	Plumer				44 0 4
206 17	0	Plunket				4 9 0
1 13	10	Poerna				0 7 6
8 18	0	Pomahaka				
10 16	10	Pouparae				7 18 0
11 11	8	Pourerere				23 17 4
3 16	5	Prescot				
4 8	9	Puhipuhi				3 2 5
0 15	8	Puhuka				
		Puketapu				0 18
3 7	0	Punaroa				
0 4	2	Raincliff				
18 3	1	Rainford				16 7 11
2 12	0	Rakitairi				1 0 0
11 13	11	Rangiatea				16 10 10
1 10	0	Rapuwai				
20 10	2	Raumati				61 1 10
4 5	7	Raureka				6 19 8
1 7	6	Rautawiri				0 9 6
33 8	6	Rewi				22 0 4
15 17	11	Richmond Brook				22 15 11
		Ringway				5 5 3
0 3	0	Roimata				
		Rosebrook				0 11 6
86 16	2	Rosewill				86 16 4
40,250	10 10	Ruapuna No. 2				
880	0 0	Rugged Ridges				6 2 1
		Scargill (F. Holland)				89 7 8
78 16	7	Selwyn	19,064 9 0			211 17 0
		Sherwood Downs (Sherwood Downs Company, Limited)	70,030 0 0			248 9 9
		Smithfield (J. Aitken)	18,253 0 9			18,253 0 9
		Spottis Creek (R. M. Turnbull)	400 0 0			400 0 0
3 4	10	Spotsborough				2 0 8
347 9	8	Starborough				330 2 6
39 13	0	Steward				5 2 0
18,280	3 3	Stoke				33 19 9
		Studholme				0 11 6
1 10	0	Tablelands				48 19 6
1 15	8	Takitū				2 0 0
163,740	4 5	Carried forward	294,714 4 2	12,272 15 2	306,986 19 4	7,734 18 2

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT

1910-1911.	RECEIPTS.	1911-1912.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
633,640 7 10	Brought forward .. .. .	.. .. .	1,167,181 11 7
£633,640 7 10	Totals .. .. .	.. .. .	£1,167,181 11 7

for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911—continued.

1910-1911.		EXPENDITURE.				1911-1912.	
£	s. d.	Name of Estate.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
8,869	8 10	Brought forward .. .. .		..	..	7,734	18 2
		Purchase-money.		Incidental Expenses.		Total.	
163,740	4 5	Acquirement of Estates, and Expenses incidental thereto—continued.		294,714	4 2	12,272	15 2
33	10 6	Tamaï .. .. .		..	..	0	0 4
1	4 0	Taumata .. .. .		..	..	..	..
59	13 8	Tautari .. .. .		..	..	178	2 3
1	10 0	Tawaha .. .. .		..	..	72	6 3
..	..	Te Anaraki .. .. .		..	..	0	18 0
926	18 1	Te Arai .. .. .		..	..	130	14 6
395	17 4	Teasdale .. .. .		..	..	114	18 4
2	5 8	Te Mata .. .. .		..	..	2	9 11
..	..	Te Matua .. .. .		..	..	19	10 6
..	..	Timaunga (S. McKenzie and K. McLennan) ..		72,768	16 9	65	1 2
3	13 4	Tokaora .. .. .		..	..	1	7 6
4	16 6	Tokarahi .. .. .		..	..	3	18 0
0	19 3	Tomoana .. .. .		..	..	1	12 0
2,555	9 3	Tongio .. .. .		..	..	2,485	14 4
1	12 0	Totara .. .. .		..	..	6	11 0
780	6 3	Tripp .. .. .		..	..	12	18 9
..	..	Valverde (G. W. Leadley)		14,000	0 0	..	..
46	19 4	Waari .. .. .		..	..	101	14 9
174	5 4	Waddington .. .. .		..	..	2	7 2
2	10 0	Waiapi .. .. .		..	..	1	17 9
54	16 3	Waikakahi .. .. .		..	..	16	19 2
56	3 11	Waimana .. .. .		..	..	56	17 0
9	16 3	Waimarie .. .. .		..	..	7	12 1
12	1 5	Waipapa .. .. .		..	..	7	16 0
..	..	Waipuka .. .. .		..	..	3	19 2
6,522	2 7	Waitakaruru No. 5B.. .. .		..	..	..	..
3	6 10	Wangapeka.. .. .		..	..	10	15 7
0	1 0	Wharenuï .. .. .		..	..	..	..
7	17 10	Whitehall .. .. .		..	..	8	17 9
80	4 5	Wigan .. .. .		..	..	35	2 5
21	10 0	Wilford .. .. .		..	..	651	10 9
15	11 10	Willows .. .. .		..	..	11	10 7
1	2 6	Windsor Park No. 1 .. .. .		..	..	..	..
175,516	9 9	Totals		381,483	0 11	16,285	18 2
						397,768	19 1
						397,768	19 1
					
						99,000	0 0
						8,000	0 0
						69,150	0 0
						21,500	0 0
						600	0 0
						149,665	0 0
						61,300	0 0
28,425	0 0	Debentures matured 1st January, 1911, redeemed		..	..	..	..
84,175	0 0	Debentures matured 1st January, 1911, renewed		..	..	..	..
112,600	0 0	Totals .. .. .		..	..	..	..
						409,215	0 0
					
						19	5 4
						0	3 0
						100	1 10
33	17 0	Charges and Expenses—		..	..	..	..
		On issue of Debentures .. .. .		..	..	..	..
		On renewal of Debentures .. .. .		..	..	..	..
		On redemption of Debentures .. .. .		..	..	..	..
224,037	8 9	Interest paid to Consolidated Fund in respect of Debentures issued		..	..	..	..
106	1 3	Interest under subsection (8) of section 191 of the Land Act, 1908 ..		..	..	..	..
						222,169	0 4
						44	9 7
					
						935	13 8
59,079	7 7	Section 90 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909,—		..	..	63,154	7 7
		Interest .. .. .		..	..	..	..
		Sinking Fund .. .. .		..	..	..	..
59,079	7 7	Totals .. .. .		..	..	..	..
						64,090	1 3
					
						66,039	13 0
53,097	14 8	Balance at end of Year,—		..	..	..	..
		Cash in the Public Account .. .. .		..	..	..	..
		Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		..	..	..	..
		In the Dominion .. .. .		..	..	..	..
300	0 0	Totals .. .. .		..	..	..	..
53,397	14 8			..	..	..	..
£633,640	7 10	Totals .. .. .		..	..	..	..
						£1,167,181	11 7

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the MAORI LAND SETTLEMENT

1910-11.		RECEIPTS.	1911-1912.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
4,299	19 8	Balance at beginning of Year,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	4,299 19 8
26,050	0 0	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— The Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905,— Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st January, 1911 ..	..	..
24,650	0 0	Debentures matured 1st January, 1911, renewed .. .. .	..	..
50,700	0 0			
£54,999	19 8	Totals .. .. .	..	£4,299 19 8

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the NATIVE LAND SETTLEMENT

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
..	..	Balance at beginning of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	44,800	17 8	..	..
..	..	Advances in the hands of the Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	21	12 0	..	..
..	..				44,822	9 8
181,600	0 0	Amount received from the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office in terms of section 94 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909.. ..	..	..	254,500	0 0
241	17 4	Amount received in respect of Survey Liens .. .. .	..	..	8,184	12 1
..	..	Rents, &c. .. .. .	..	..	2,116	4 4
£181,841	17 4	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£309,123	6 1

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONVERSION ACCOUNT for

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Dr. 859	13 1	Balance at beginning of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	Dr. 13,321	8 4	..	..
700	4 2	Advances in the hands of Stock Agents— Cash	475	8 9	..	..
..	..	In the hands of the High Commissioner— 3½-per-cent. Stock for sale	15,000	0 0	..	2,154 0 5
Dr. 159	8 11					
3,328,660	0 0	3½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock,— Issued for conversion of Debentures.. .. .	449,720	0 0	..	..
25,610	0 0	Issued for expenses of conversion	718	4 6	..	..
3,349,270	0 0				450,438	4 6
£3,349,110	11 1	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£452,587	4 11

ACT ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911.

1910-1911.		EXPENDITURE.	1911-1912.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
26,050	0	0	450	0	0
24,650	0	0	..	..	..
50,700	0	0	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	5	18
4,299	19	8	..	3,844	0
£54,999	19	8	..	£4,299	19

ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, as compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911.

£	s.	d.	Annual Appropriation,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
123	10	6	Vote 136—Native-land Purchase Expenses .. .. .	..	..	..	333	4	1
..	..	..	Unauthorized .. .. .	..	..	..	50	0	0
135,384	7	7	Expenditure under the Act .. .. .	..	..	..	284,108	13	1
245	9	7	Payment to the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office under section 95 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909—	5,422	2	1	..	..	..
1,816	0	0	Interest	4,361	0	0	9,783	2	1
2,061	9	7	Sinking Fund .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	Advances under section 274 of the Native Land Act, 1909,—	3,000	0	0	10,500	0	0
..	..	..	Aotea District Maori Land Board	7,500	0	0	..	..	..
..	..	..	Tokerau District Maori Land Board .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
44,300	17	8	Balance at end of Year,—	1,823	14	0	..	..	..
21	12	0	Cash in the Public Account	2,524	12	10	4,348	6	10
44,322	9	8	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	..	..	..	..	..	..
£181,841	17	4	In the Dominion .. .. .	..	..	..	£309,123	6	1
..	..	..	Totals .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..

the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911.

£	s.	d.	Scrip and Debentures converted into 3½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock,—	Amount converted.	Rate.	Premium.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
£	s.	d.		£	£	£						
1,386,588	0	0	Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1910	201,500	102	4,030	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1905	226,000	103	6,780	..	..	..	..	..	..
500	0	0	Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1904	700	par	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1,022,142	0	0	Finance Act, 1909	10,500	102	210	..	..	..	..	..	..
612,000	0	0	Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1909 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
302,430	0	0	Naval Defence Act, 1909 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
3,323,660	0	0		438,700	..	11,020	449,720	0	0	449,720	0	0
1,056	10	0	Expenses Account,—	..	..	..	39	5	9	..	..	..
237	4	0	Brokerage and Commission .. .. .	..	..	..	579	8	9	..	..	..
21,565	19	6	Discount .. .. .	..	..	..	2,973	0	11	..	..	..
436	17	2	Stamp Duty .. .. .	..	..	..	506	10	8	4,098	6	1
23,296	10	8	Rent and Office Expenses .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dr. 13,321	8	4	Balance at end of Year,—	..	..	..	Dr. 2,059	19	10	..	..	..
475	8	9	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	..	828	18	8	..	..	..
15,000	0	0	Advances in the hands of Stock Agents—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2,154	0	5	Cash .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
£3,349,110	11	1	In the hands of the High Commissioner—	..	..	..	..	..	..	Dr. 1,231	1	2
..	..	..	3½-per-cent. Stock for sale .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	Totals .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	£452,587	4	11

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACCOUNT

1910-1911.	RECEIPTS.	1911-1912.
£ s. d.		£ s. d.
23,876 0 0	Balance at beginning of Year,— Cash in the Public Account	18,865 3 7
416,000 0 0	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908— Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st June, 1911 Debentures matured 1st March, 1911, renewed	50,000 0 0 50,000 0 0
416,000 0 0		
	Refunds under sections 64 and 72 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908,—	
	Counties—	
227 8 3	Cook	0 11 9
1 13 11	Hokianga	13 8 6
92 9 10	Kiwitea	754 15 7
18 10 1	Patangata .. .. .	..
100 0 0	Pohangina .. .. .	..
320 15 0	Waikohu	227 16 1
1,000 0 0	Woodville	100 14 9
	Boroughs—	
..	Eketahuna	29 10 6
29 9 9	Mataura .. .. .	..
..	Palmerston	660 0 0
101 16 2	Sumner .. .. .	..
30 2 3	Temuka .. .. .	..
89 13 8	Whangarei .. .. .	..
81 19 3	Woodville .. .. .	..
	Town Board—	
3 9 0	Hunterville .. .. .	..
	Drainage Boards—	
55 4 8	Ellesmere Land .. .. .	..
9 11 9	Hopelands .. .. .	..
2,162 3 7		1,796 17 2
70,000 0 0	The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908,— Debentures issued .. .. .	..
39,820 0 0	Amount received from the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office in terms of section 77 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909 .. .. .	..
551,858 3 7	Carried forward	70,662 0 9

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE of the LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACCOUNT

1910-1911.		RECEIPTS.				1911-1912.			
£	s. d.					£	s. d.	£	s. d.
551,858	3 7	Brought forward ..	..	..	..	..		70,662	0 9
551,858	3 7	Totals ..	..	..	..	..		£70,662	0 9

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE of the OPENING UP CROWN LANDS FOR SETTLE-

£	s. d.					£	s. d.	£	s. d.
..	..	Balance at beginning of Year, —							
		Cash in the Public Account ..	..	..	..	7,212	17 3		
		Advances in the Hands of Officers of the Government—							
		In the Dominion ..	..	..	..	1,361	12 5		
								8,574	9 8
54,265	0 0	Amount received from the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office in terms				..	..	61,250	0 0
		of section 77 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909 ..							
54,265	0 0	Totals ..	..	..	..	..		£69,824	9 8

for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911—continued.

1910-1911.		EXPENDITURE.						1911-1912.		
£	s. d.							£	s. d.	
56,695	0 0	Brought forward	..	..	..	..	..	10,649	7 2
Loans under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908—continued.										
Road Boards—										
2,000	0 0	Huntly	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1,000	0 0	Mangawhero	..	..	..	..	300	0 0	..
200	0 0	Mataongaonga	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
232	0 0	Moturoa	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
350	0 0	Oero	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
250	0 0	Okato	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
500	0 0	Okain's Bay	..	..	..	..	500	0 0	..
310	0 0	Okotuku	..	..	..	..	56	0 0	..
2,375	0 0	Pukekohe West	..	..	..	..	1,050	0 0	..
2,182	0 0	Riccarton	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
411	0 0	Tamahere	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
800	0 0	Turanga	..	..	..	..	450	0 0	..
308	0 0	Wairoa	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1,800	0 0	Waiuku	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12,718	0 0							2,356	0 0	
Town Board—										
800	0 0	Opotiki	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Drainage Boards—										
2,935	0 0	Ellesmere Land	..	..	..	..	400	0 0	..
1,000	0 0	Hungahunga	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
500	0 0	Makerua	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
2,800	0 0	Moutoa	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
225	0 0	Tumu Kaituna	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
7,460	0 0							400	0 0	
77,173	0 0	Total Loans	..	..	..	..	..	13,405	7 2
The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—										
The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908—										
416,000	0 0	Debentures matured 1st June, 1911, redeemed	..	..	..	..	50,000	0 0	..
416,000	0 0	Debentures matured 1st March, 1911, renewed	..	..	..	..	..	50,000	0 0
39,820	0 0	Amount transferred to Opening up Crown Lands for Settlement Account	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
18,865	3 7	Balance at end of Year,—							7,256	13 7
		Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	..
£551,858	3 7	Totals	..	..	..	..	..	£70,662	0 9

MENT ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911.

£	s. d.					£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
45,690	10 4	Annual Appropriation,—					49,287	11 2
		Vote 127—Roads to open up Crown Lands	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	Unauthorized	..	..	..	..	..	451	6 11
Balance at end of Year,—										
7,212	17 3	Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	19,836	12 10	..
1,361	12 5	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—					248	18 9	..	
		In the Dominion			20,085	11 7
8,574	9 8									..
£54,265	0 0	Totals	..	..	..	..	..	£69,824	9 8

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the HAURAKI PLAINS SETTLEMENT

1910-1911.		RECEIPTS.	1911-1912.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
5,387	6	1	Balance at beginning of Year,—		
			22,044	11	3
1,705	5	6	Cash in the Public Account		
			620	17	1
7,092	11	7	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion		
			22,665 8 4		
2,263	0	0	Receipts under section 5 of the Hauraki Plains Act, 1908,—		
3,710	18	10	52	18	0
40	15	10	4,456	16	7
			150	2	3
6,014	9	8	Land Sales		
			Perpetual Leases		
			Miscellaneous		
			4,659 16 10		
40,000	0	0	Amount received from the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office in terms of section 84 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909 ..		
£53,107	1	3	Totals		
			20,000 0 0		
			£47,325 5 2		

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the NATIONAL ENDOWMENT

£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
55,861	12	2	Balance at beginning of Year,—		
95,331	0	9	Cash in the Public Account		
			Rents, &c., from National Endowment Lands		
£151,192	12	11	Totals		
			£157,245 13 6		

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the NEW ZEALAND STATE-GUARANTEED ADVANCES

£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1,501,135	0	0	The New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Acts, 1909-1910,—		
250,000	0	0	Advances to Settlers—		
			173,865	0	0
1,751,135	0	0	500,000	0	0
			Instalment received in respect of £1,675,000 Loan authorized		
			Temporary advances on the security of Debentures issued		
			673,865 0 0		
291,265	0	0	Advances to Workers—		
250,000	0	0	33,735	0	0
541,265	0	0	Instalment received in respect of £325,000 Loan authorized		
			Temporary advances on the security of Debentures issued		
			33,735 0 0		
			Interest on overdue Instalments		
			4 0 3		
			The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
			3½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock created to cover expenses of raising £2,000,000 Loan ..		
			76,514 14 2		
			The New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Acts, 1909-1910, and New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
			Advances to Settlers—		
			20,000	0	0
			255,000	0	0
			Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st December, 1911		
			Debentures matured 1st December, 1911, renewed		
			Temporary advance on Reserve Fund Securities—		
			117,300	0	0
			140,000	0	0
			Provision for Debentures matured 29th December, 1911		
			3½-per-cent. Stock created for redemption of Debentures maturing 1st April, 1912 ..		
			Advances to Workers—		
			205,000	0	0
			Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, renewed		
			737,300 0 0		
£2,292,400	0	0	Totals		
			£1,521,418 14 5		

ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911.

1910-1911.		EXPENDITURE.	1911-1912.			
£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
29,607	4 5	Expenditure under the Act .. .. .	..	..	37,142	2 4
894	8 6	Payment of Principal and Interest under section 84 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909 .. .. .	..	..	2,661	11 11
22,044	11 3	Balance at end of Year,—				
620	17 1	Cash in the Public Account	7,445	1 9		
22,665	8 4	Advances in hands of Officers of the Government—				
		In the Dominion	76	9 2	7,521	10 11
£53,107	1 3	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£47,325	5 2

ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
5,619	8 8	Annual Appropriation,—			6,554	10 6
		Vote 128—Roads to open up National Endowment Lands .. .. .	..	..
79,423	16 3	Expenditure under the Land Act, 1908 .. .. .	..	..	87,244	17 9
66,149	8 0	Balance at end of Year,—			63,446	5 3
		Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..
£151,192	12 11	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£157,245	13 6

LOAN ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
1,251,135	0 0	Amounts paid over to the State-guaranteed Advances Office Account on account of				
41,265	0 0	Loan,—				
		Advances to Settlers	588,865	0 0		
		Advances to Workers	33,735	0 0	622,600	0 0
1,292,400	0 0	The Government Advances to Settlers Act, 1908,—				
		Advances to Settlers—				
		Debentures matured 1st December, 1911, redeemed	20,000	0 0		
		Debentures matured 1st December, 1911, renewed	255,000	0 0		
		Debentures matured 29th December, 1911, redeemed	117,300	0 0		
		Debentures matured 15th January, 1912, redeemed	85,000	0 0		
		The Government Advances to Workers Act, 1906—				
		Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, renewed	205,000	0 0	682,300	0 0
		The New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Acts, 1909-1910,—				
		Charges and Expenses authorized by the New Zealand Loans Act, 1908—				
		On issue of Debentures and Stock	76,518	14 5		
		On redemption of Debentures	7,700	0 0	84,218	14 5
		The New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909,—				
		Temporary Advances repaid—				
500,000	0 0	Advances to Settlers .. .. .	..	..
500,000	0 0	Advances to Workers .. .. .	..	..
1,000,000	0 0	Balance at end of Year,—				
		Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	132,300	0 0
£2,292,400	0 0	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£1,521,418	14 5

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the RANGITAIKI LAND DRAINAGE

1910-11.		RECEIPTS.						1911-12.			
£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.
..	..	Balance at beginning of Year,—						..	..	25,715 10 10	
		Cash in the Public Account									
715	10 10	Receipts under the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910 .. .. .						..	..	605 7 5	
25,000	0 0	Advances made by the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office under Section 5 of the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910 .. .. .						..	..	..
£25,715	10 10	Totals .. .. .						..	..	£26,320 18 3	

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the BANK OF NEW ZEALAND ACT, 1903,

£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.
500,000	0 0	Balance at beginning of Year,—						..	..	500,000 0 0	
		Investment Account									
£500,000	0 0	Totals .. .. .						..	..	£500,000 0 0	

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the RESERVE FUND ACCOUNT

£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.
800,000	0 0	Balance at beginning of Year,—						..	..	800,000 0 0	
		Investment Account									
£800,000	0 0	Totals .. .. .						..	..	£800,000 0 0	

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the NEW ZEALAND CONSOLS ACCOUNT

£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.
7,359	0 11	Balance at beginning of Year,—						..	..	..
402,765	0 0	Cash in Deposit Account .. .. .						..	..	1 14 0	
		Investment Account .. .. .						..	..	462,165 0 0	
410,124	0 11									462,166 14 0	
58,145	0 0	Deposits inscribed .. .. .						..	..	11,945 0 0	
145	0 0	New Zealand Consols Act, 1908,—						..	..	..
		Consols due 1st February, 1910, renewed									
£468,414	0 11	Totals .. .. .						..	..	£474,111 14 0	

The Treasury, Wellington, 25th April, 1912.

ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911.

1910-11.		EXPENDITURE.						1911-12.				
£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
..	..	Expenditure under the Act .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12,140	8 5
25,715	10 10	Balance at end of Year,—							12,931	18 1		
..	..	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1,248	11 9	14,180	9 10
25,715	10 10	Advances in the hands of the Government—										
..	..	In the Dominion .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
£25,715	10 10	Totals .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	£26,320	18 3

ACCOUNT for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911.

£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
500,000	0 0	Balance at end of Year,—							500,000	0 0
..	..	Investment Account .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
£500,000	0 0	Totals .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	£500,000	0 0

for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911.

£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
800,000	0 0	Balance at end of Year,—							800,000	0 0
..	..	Investment Account .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
£800,000	0 0	Totals .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	£800,000	0 0

for the Year ended 31st MARCH, 1912, compared with the Financial Year ended 31st MARCH, 1911.

£	s. d.							£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
145	0 0	New Zealand Consols Act, 1908,—								
1,102	6 11	Consols due 1st February, 1910, renewed .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
..	..	Consols due 1st February, 1910, redeemed .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1,247	6 11											
..	..	Balance at end of Year,—							6 14 0	..		
462,165	0 0	Cash in Deposit Account .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	474,105	0 0	474,111	14 0
..	..	Investment Account .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
462,166	14 0	Totals .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	£474,111	14 0
£463,414	0 11											

J. W. POYNTON,
Secretary to the Treasury.

A. O. GIBBES,
Acting Accountant to the Treasury

Examined and found correct.

ROBERT J. COLLINS,
Controller and Auditor-General.

SUMMARY of BALANCES on 31st MARCH, 1913.

	BALANCES.			CASH.			ADVANCES.			INVESTMENTS.			TOTAL.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
CONSOLIDATED FUND:—															
Ordinary Revenue Account	807,275	11	8	770,341	3	8	36,934	8	0	..	..	807,275	11	8
State Forests Account	31,587	7	11	30,977	19	1	609	8	10	..	..	31,587	7	11
State Coal-mines Account	23,478	14	6	15,425	11	11	8,053	2	7	..	..	23,478	14	6
Scenery Preservation Account	2,168	14	6	2,163	14	6	..	..	..	..	..	2,168	14	6
Naval Defence Act Account	304,362	11	3	289,362	11	3	15,000	0	0	..	..	304,362	11	3
Accounts of Local Bodies	7,812	6	10	7,812	6	10	..	..	..	..	..	7,812	6	10
Deposit Accounts	226,216	10	8	226,082	10	8	134	0	0	..	..	226,216	10	8
	1,402,896	17	4	1,342,165	17	11	60,730	19	5	..	..	1,402,896	17	4
PUBLIC WORKS FUND	82,580	3	7	65,941	5	0	16,638	18	7	..	..	82,580	3	7
WELLINGTON-HUTT RAILWAY AND ROAD IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT	2,299	7	2	2,299	7	2	..	..	..	..	..	2,299	7	2
THE RAILWAYS IMPROVEMENTS ACCOUNT	567	10	3	567	10	3	..	..	..	..	..	567	10	3
THE WAIHOU AND OHINEMURI RIVERS IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT	39,670	19	0	39,670	19	0	..	..	..	..	..	39,670	19	0
NATIVE LAND SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT	4,948	6	10	1,823	14	0	2,524	12	10	60,000	0	0	4,948	6	10
LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT	66,039	13	0	66,039	13	0	..	..	..	..	..	66,039	13	0
MAORI LAND SETTLEMENT ACT ACCOUNT	3,844	0	11	3,844	0	11	..	..	..	..	..	3,844	0	11
CHEVIOT ESTATE ACCOUNT	68,242	0	4	18,242	0	4	50,000	0	0	68,242	0	4
LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES ACCOUNT	7,256	13	7	7,256	13	7	..	..	..	..	..	7,256	13	7
OPENING UP CROWN LANDS FOR SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT	20,085	11	7	19,836	12	10	243	18	9	..	..	20,085	11	7
HAURAKI PLAINS SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT	7,521	10	11	7,445	1	9	76	9	2	..	..	7,521	10	11
NATIONAL ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT	63,446	5	3	63,446	5	3	..	..	..	..	..	63,446	5	3
RANGITAHI LAND DRAINAGE ACCOUNT	14,180	9	10	12,981	18	1	1,248	11	9	..	..	14,180	9	10
CONVERSION ACCOUNT	Dr. 1,231	1	2	Cr. 2,059	19	10	828	18	8	..	..	Cr. 1,231	1	2
NEW ZEALAND STATE-GUARANTEED ADVANCES LOAN ACCOUNT	132,300	0	0	132,300	0	0	..	..	..	..	..	132,300	0	0
NEW ZEALAND CONSOLS ACCOUNT	474,111	14	0	6	14	0	474,105	0	0	474,111	14	0
RESERVE FUND ACCOUNT	800,000	0	0	800,000	0	0	800,000	0	0
BANK OF NEW ZEALAND ACT, 1903, ACCOUNT	500,000	0	0	500,000	0	0	500,000	0	0
SILVER AND BRONZE COIN ACCOUNT	80,250	0	0	..	..	..	80,250	0	0	..	..	80,250	0	0
GENERAL SERVICES ACCOUNT	..	..	..	Cr. 101,416	8	10	101,416	8	10	..	..	..	..	..
Total	£3,828,410	2	5	£1,680,341	4	5	£263,963	18	0	£1,884,105	0	0	£3,828,410	2	5

Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 7th May, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE ALDRIDGE

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 7th May, 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.
Arthur Philip Bennett	Takapau.
Shiela Elizabeth Campion	Tirau.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Trustees for the Sandon Public Park appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 10th May, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 2 of the Sandon Public Park Management Act, 1875, been pleased to appoint

LAURIE CHESNEY ELLERM and
JOHN HENRY SHORE PERRETT

to be Trustees of the Sandon Public Park, in the place of Henry Sanson, deceased, and Charles Edwards, resigned, to act in conjunction with George Williams, James Alexander Bailey, and William John Phillips, previously appointed.

G. W. RUSSELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Clerk appointed, Auckland Savings-bank.

The Treasury,
Wellington 2nd May, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the appointment by the Trustees of the Auckland Savings-bank of

ROBERT NORRIES JOHNSTON

to be a Clerk in that bank.

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Finance.

Cadet appointed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 7th May, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT JOHN TAYLOR

to be a Cadet in the Native Department at Wellington, as from the 1st day of May, 1912.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Native Minister.

Empire Day to be observed as a Holiday on King's Birthday.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 10th May, 1912.

EMPIRE Day will be celebrated on Monday, the 3rd June proximo, the anniversary of the birthday of His Majesty the King, and that day will be observed as a public holiday in the Government offices throughout the Dominion.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Special Order made by the Pukekura Road Board, Waipa County.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 9th May, 1912.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

PUKEKURA ROAD BOARD.

Special Order.

It is hereby resolved (1) That, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, the Road Boards Act, 1908, and the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, a loan of £2,625 be raised for the purpose of paying the Board's contribution towards the cost of constructing a high-level bridge over the Waikato River at Cambridge, ordered to be paid by the Pukekura Road Board by Warrant of His Excellency the Governor dated the 7th day of May, 1906, such loan to be for a period of thirty-six years and a half, under the provisions of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, and to be secured by a special rate of ½d. in the pound on the rateable value of all rateable property in the Pukekura Road District. Neither the cost of raising the loan nor the interest for the first year to be paid out of the loan.

(2.) That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on the above loan, the Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of ½d. in the pound on the rateable value of all rateable property of the whole of the Pukekura Road District; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and shall be payable yearly on the 1st day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Dated at Cambridge, this 20th day of February, 1912.

E. VEALE,
Clerk.

I hereby certify that the above special order was passed at a special meeting of the Pukekura Road Board held on the 19th of February, 1912, and was duly confirmed at a meeting of the Board held on 1st April, 1912, in accordance with the Road Boards Act, 1908.

E. VEALE,
Clerk.

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

The Treasury,
Wellington, 15th May, 1912.

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

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Finance.

OROUA COUNTY COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, the Oroua County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £2,000, authorized to be raised by the Oroua County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of construction of Arapata Road, the said Oroua County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of ¾d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property comprised in the special-rating area described in the Schedule hereto; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

THE SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

Number of section, block, and survey district: Section 1, Blocks 13 and 14, Ongo Survey District. Area: 3,591 acres. Rateable value: £38,782.

The above resolution was duly passed as a special order at a special meeting of the Oroua County Council held on the 4th day of April, 1912, and confirmed at a meeting of the Oroua County Council held on the 3rd day of May, 1912.

ROY L. HARDING,
Clerk, Oroua County Council.

Resolution made by the Moutoa Drainage Board.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 10th May, 1912.

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

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Finance.

MOUTOA DRAINAGE BOARD.

Copy of Resolution passed by the Moutoa Drainage Board at a Meeting held on 29th March, 1912, and confirmed on 26th April, 1912.

THAT, under the powers vested in it by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and the provisions of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, and the regulations made thereunder, the Moutoa Drainage Board hereby resolves: That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £600, such loan being 10 per cent. on the original loan of £6,000 raised by the said Board for the construction of an overflow channel from the Karikari Drain to the Manawatu River, the said Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1/15 of a penny in the pound upon the rateable (capital) value of all rateable properties in the Moutoa Drainage District Special-rating District; and that such rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, to be payable on the 1st day of May in each year, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly passed at a meeting of the Moutoa Drainage Board on 29th March, and confirmed 26th April, 1912.

W. BOCK,
Clerk.

Resolutions made by the Council of the County of Raglan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 11th May, 1912.

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

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Finance.

RAGLAN COUNTY COUNCIL.

Resolutions authorizing Raising of Loan of £5,000 over Te Akau Special-rating District, and striking Special Rate over Te Akau Special-rating District as Security for Loan of £5,000.

Resolution No. 1.

RESOLVED that, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on it by the Counties Act, 1908, the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, and amendments thereto, and all other Acts in that behalf enabling, and in particular the powers vested in it by section 15 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and by subsection (2) of section 4 of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, and with the consent of the ratepayers of the Te Akau Special-rating District, testified by a petition signed by not less than three-fourths of the ratepayers of the said special-rating district, the capital values of whose properties as appearing on the valuation roll of the said district are collectively greater than the capital values of the properties of the ratepayers who did not so consent, the Raglan County Council hereby resolves: That, for the purpose of forming and metalling certain roads at Te Akau within the Te Akau Special-rating District of the said county, the Raglan County Council hereby authorizes the raising of a loan of £5,000 at a rate of interest of 5 per centum per annum, together with an additional sum of £1 per centum per annum with which to provide the necessary sinking fund, for a period of thirty-

five years; and declares that the cost of raising the loan shall, if necessary, be payable out of the moneys so raised.

Resolution No. 2.

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £5,000, authorized to be raised by the Raglan County Council, under the provisions of the Counties Act, 1908, the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, and amendments thereto, and all other Acts in that behalf enabling, for the purpose of forming and metalling certain roads at Te Akau, within the Te Akau Special-rating District of the said county, the Raglan County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 2½d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Te Akau Special-rating District.

The boundaries of the said special-rating district are as follows: Commencing at the coast-line at the north-west corner of Section 1 of Block VI, Whaingaroa Survey District; thence along the northern boundaries of Sections 1, 5, 7, 8, 9 of Block VI, and Sections 1, 2, 3 of Block VII, to the north-east corner of Section 3 of Block VII; thence south along the eastern boundaries of Sections 3, 4, 8, 9, and 4 of Blocks VII and X, and Section 5 of Block X, to the south-east corner of Section 5 of Block X; thence west along the southern boundaries of Sections 5 and 2 of Block X and Section 5 of Block IX to the south-west corner of Section 5 of Block IX; thence north along the western boundary of Section 5 to the south-east corner of Section 2 of Block IX; thence south and west taking in 100 acres of Section Te Akau D No. 9 to the coast-line; thence north along the coast-line to the point of commencement.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of January in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-five years, and the rate of interest to be paid to be £5 per centum per annum, together with an additional sum of £1 per centum per annum with which to provide the necessary sinking fund, or until the loan is fully paid off; and it is the intention to pay out of the loan, if necessary, the cost of raising same.

The above resolutions were duly passed at a meeting of the Raglan County Council held at Ngaruawahia on the 8th day of May, 1912.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Raglan has hereunto been affixed this 8th day of May, 1912, in the presence of—

CAMPBELL JOHNSTONE,
Chairman.

H. MARSLAND,
Clerk.

Resolution made by the Council of the County of Waimairi.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 11th May, 1912.

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

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Finance.

WAIMAIRI COUNTY COUNCIL.

Resolution making Special Rate.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, and the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, the Waimairi County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest at the rate of 3½ per centum per annum, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £350, authorized to be raised by the Waimairi County Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the following purposes—namely, construction of a drain from the south side of the railway-line to Wilson's Creek, through Rural Sections 1765 and 430, within the said part of the said district—the Waimairi County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 3d. in the pound on the rateable value of all the rateable property in that part of the Waimairi County District, being Rural Sections 1796, 1788, and parts of Rural Sections 1765, 1527, 811, and 589, in Block 3, Christchurch Survey District, commencing at a point being the south-west corner of Rural Section 1765; thence north-westerly along the south-west boundary of that section, a distance of 1780 links; thence south-

westerly at right angles to the last-mentioned line, across Marshland Road, Rural Sections 1527, 811, and 589, to the boundary of Rural Section 419; thence north-westerly to the railway-line; thence north-easterly along the railway-line to the road forming the north-west boundary of Rural Section 1765; thence north-easterly and south-easterly along the north-west and north-east boundaries of Rural Sections 1765, 1788, 1796 to the south-east corner of the last-mentioned section; thence south-westerly along the south-eastern boundaries of Rural Sections 1796, 1788, 1765 to the starting-point: and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of March and the 1st day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution passed at a duly constituted meeting of the Waimairi County Council held on the 6th day of May, 1912.

JAMES H. SHARPE,
Clerk to the Waimairi County Council.

Resolution made by the Council of the County of Amuri.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 14th May, 1912.

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

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Finance.

AMURI COUNTY COUNCIL.

THE following resolution was passed by the Amuri County Council at a meeting held on the 4th day of May, 1912:—

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by section 4 of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, the Amuri County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the instalments of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £500, authorized to be raised by the Amuri County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, for the payment of the Council's proportion of the cost of constructing a traffic-bridge across the Waipara River, the Amuri County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1/435 of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value of all the lands within the county; and such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of May and the 1st day of November in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a resolution passed by the Amuri County Council at its meeting on the 4th day of May, 1912.

C. SMITH,
County Clerk.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 11th May, 1912.

THE following notices, received from the Chairman of the Otahuhu Road Board, are published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908.

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Finance.

OTAHUHU ROAD BOARD.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Otahuhu Road District taken on the 27th April, 1912,—

1. The number of votes recorded for the proposal that a sum of £7,000 be borrowed for the completion and extension of the drainage and waterworks system in the Otahuhu Road District was as follows: For the proposal, 84; against the proposal, 15.

2. The number of votes recorded for the proposal that the sum of £3,000 be borrowed for improving the Great South Road and roads adjacent thereto was as follows: For the proposal, 86; against the proposal, 12.

3. The number of votes recorded for the proposal that the sum of £750 be borrowed for acquiring a site for offices

for the Otahuhu Road Board and for erecting workshops was as follows: For the proposal, 76; against the proposal, 18.

I therefore declare that all the above proposals were carried.

Dated this 7th day of May, 1912.

J. HARBUTT,
Chairman, Otahuhu Road Board.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 13th May, 1912.

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

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF PATEA.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Patea taken on the 24th day of April, 1912, on the proposal of the Patea Borough Council to borrow the sum of £5,000 for the erection of a town hall and municipal buildings, and the furnishing of the same, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 125, the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 31, and the number of informal votes recorded was 1.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 10th day of May, 1912.

J. A. McKENNA,
Mayor.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Matai, Manuka, Rimu, Totara, Nikau, and Mahoe Streets, in the Town of New Lynn Extension No. 4, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 9th May, 1912.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Matai, Manuka, Rimu, Totara, Nikau, and Mahoe Streets, in the Town of New Lynn Extension No. 4, Auckland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

G. W. RUSSELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Devery, Willow, Poplar, Elm, Stout, and Oak Streets, in the Town of Waipura Extension No. 1, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 9th May, 1912.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Devery, Willow, Poplar, Elm, Stout, and Oak Streets, in the Town of Waipura Extension No. 1, Hawke's Bay Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

G. W. RUSSELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Alison's Avenue, in the Town of Takapuna Extension No. 26, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 9th May, 1912.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Alison's Avenue, in the Town of Takapuna No. 26, Auckland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

G. W. RUSSELL,
For Minister of Lands.

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED

ORDINARY REVENUE

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1912.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
456,512 19 9	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	369,845 9 11	
	Cash in the Public Account		
	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—		
480,842 3 8	In the Dominion	589,877 10 3	
4,540 14 10	On account of other Governments	4,841 12 0	
44 10 2	On account of Imperial Pensions	Dr. 590 15 7	
941,940 8 5		963,973 16 7	
533,000 0 0	Less Treasury Bills outstanding	200,000 0 0	763,973 16 7
408,940 8 5			
	Ordinary Revenue,—		
796,827 9 7	Customs	875,756 12 3	
256,736 0 2	Stamps (Stamp Department)	234,220 7 1	
211,759 10 0	Stamps (Postal Department)	222,261 10 9	
40,909 3 2	Postal and Telegraph Cash Receipts	44,181 15 6	
19,195 9 0	Land-tax	26,754 1 3	
384,308 12 0	Income-tax	432,882 0 5	
32,422 18 10	Beer Duty	30,917 4 6	
1,046,974 11 2	Railways	1,041,068 14 2	
48,651 1 3	Registration and other Fees	42,353 12 7	
13,055 5 7	Marine	13,400 5 1	
135,956 11 0	Miscellaneous	164,124 14 8	
2,986,796 11 9		3,128,370 18 3	
	Territorial Revenue,—		
24,356 19 0	Cash Land Sales	16,052 5 3	
263 5 10	Deferred-payment Land Sales	299 16 9	
81,161 18 7	Pastoral Runs, Rents, and Miscellaneous	77,988 13 6	
105,782 3 5		94,340 15 6	3,222,711 13 9
3,092,578 15 2			
	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
	The Consolidated Stock Act, 1884—		
	Debentures matured 1st February, 1912, renewed		194,200 0 0
	Recoveries on account of Expenditure of previous years—		
	Unauthorized	30 12 0	
	Repayment on account of advances on punt at Greenfield Settlement	6 5 9	
	Refund of compensation under Civil Service Act, 1866, awarded to H. M. Lee, late Deputy Registrar, Supreme Court, Christchurch	633 15 10	
	Donation from Auckland Racing Club towards the expenses of the visit of the American Fleet to New Zealand waters in 1908	750 9 10	
250 0 0	Repayment of Reticulation Loan by Christchurch City Council		1,421 3 5
250 0 0			
843 0 0	The Dairy Industry Act, 1908,—		
	Debentures matured 1st January, 1911, renewed		
£3,502,612 3 7	Totals		£4,182,306 13 9

TREASURY BILLS

£ s. d.	TREASURY BILLS	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
533,000 0 0	Treasury Bills outstanding at beginning of Quarter		200,000 0 0
£533,000 0 0	Totals		£200,000 0 0

FUND for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

ACCOUNT.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1911.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1912.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
8,450	6 8	Permanent Appropriations,—	9,972	7 11
281,242	5 1	Civil List	400,769	7 5
182,624	14 2	Interest and Sinking Fund	181,051	6 3
42,274	6 7	Under Special Acts of the Legislature	32,689	4 0
		Subsidies paid to Local Bodies		
14,360	8 2	Amounts paid over to Local Bodies and to Deposit Accounts—	14,061	3 10
2,068	14 4	Payments under the Land Acts	1,653	3 2
		Payments under the Timber and Flax Royalties Act		
703	17 11	Endowments—	482	14 4
6,197	7 5	New Plymouth Harbour Board	4,828	9 5
14,165	0 10	Greymouth Harbour Board	14,009	19 8
16,758	9 8	Westport Harbour Board	18,709	11 6
114,155	19 10	National Endowments	117,805	0 3
		Old-age Pensions	1,961	19 9
		Widows Pensions		
683,001	10 8			797,994 7 6
		Annual Appropriations,—		
8,393	0 11	Class I.—Legislative Departments	8,215	9 5
17,960	3 1	" II.—Department of Finance	17,287	10 10
313,309	15 6	" III.—Post and Telegraph Department	381,904	17 11
626,100	3 9	" IV.—Working Railways Department	790,826	7 6
21,112	2 1	" V.—Public Buildings, Domains, and Maintenance of Roads	32,381	11 9
7,071	18 6	" VI.—Native Department	5,963	19 0
101,331	14 0	" VII.—Justice Department	124,227	11 5
8,595	12 0	" VIII.—Mines Department	7,021	0 4
69,420	13 1	" IX.—Department of Internal Affairs	136,778	5 7
50,946	6 9	" X.—Defence Department	142,939	1 11
		" XI.—Customs, Marine and Harbours, and Inspection of Machinery Departments	33,921	10 0
31,454	5 11	" XII.—Department of Labour	6,838	10 9
5,928	9 9	" XIII.—Department of Lands and Survey	63,610	15 11
68,332	8 4	" XIV.—Department of Agriculture, Commerce, and Tourists	77,744	17 11
57,820	9 4	" XV.—Education Department	284,020	13 10
270,229	6 4	Services not provided for	19,154	10 6
7,277	19 5			2,132,836 14 7
1,665,284	8 9			
567,000	0 0	Revenue transferred to the Public Works Fund		250,000 0 0
		The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
		The Consolidated Stock Act, 1884—		
		Debentures matured 1st February, 1912, renewed		194,200 0 0
843	0 0	The Dairy Industry Act, 1908,—		
		Debentures matured 1st January, 1911, renewed		
564,201	9 0	Balance at end of Quarter,—	770,341	3 8
17,921	0 0	Cash in the Public Account	31,183	11 11
4,253	2 9	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	5,727	0 7
107	12 5	In the Dominion	23	15 6
		On account of other Governments		
586,483	4 2	On account of Imperial Pensions		
£3,502,612	3 7	Totals		807,275 11 8
				£4,182,306 13 9

ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
533,000	0 0	Treasury Bills paid off during Quarter			200,000	0 0
£533,000	0 0	Totals			£200,000	0 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED
STATE FORESTS

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1912.
£ s. d. 3,089 18 7	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 9,311 9 11
1,856 16 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	
4,946 14 7		9,311 9 11
819 11 2	Rents from Lands set apart	322 19 2
8,765 17 1	Miscellaneous	29,321 4 9
9,585 8 3		29,644 3 11
5,000 0 0	Contribution from the Consolidated Fund towards cost of forest-tree growing and planting	
£19,532 2 10	Totals	£38,955 13 10

STATE COAL-

£ s. d. 27,441 15 3	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 13,036 3 2	£ s. d.
20,168 3 2	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	15,652 14 6	
47,609 18 5			28,688 17 8
57,713 4 3	Proceeds of Sale of Coal		55,269 7 3
..	The Coal-mines Act, 1908,— Debentures issued		10,000 0 0
1,362 16 1	The Appropriation Act, 1910, Section 22,— Amount transferred in respect of interest on the cost of construction of the Greymouth and Point Elizabeth Railway .. .. .		..
£106,685 18 9	Totals		£38,958 4 11

SCENERY PRESERVATION

£ s. d. 4,019 10 7	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 104 0 6	£ s. d.
85 13 8	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion		
4,105 4 3			104 0 6
..	The Scenery Preservation Act, 1908,— Debentures issued		5,000 0 0
£4,105 4 3	Totals		£5,104 0 6

NAVAL DEFENCE

£ s. d. 208,629 15 6	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 107,818 16 3	£ s. d.
78,000 0 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In London	150,000 0 0	
281,629 15 6			257,818 16 3
497,000 0 0	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— The Naval Defence Act, 1909— Instalments received in respect of £1,250,000 Loan authorized	46,750 0 0	
..	Advances on the security of Debentures issued under the Act	150,000 0 0	
..	Interest on overdue instalments	2 10 1	
497,000 0 0			196,752 10 1
..	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— ¾-per-cent. Inscribed Stock created to cover expenses of raising £1,250,000 Loan under the Naval Defence Act, 1909		47,821 13 11
£778,629 15 6	Totals		£502,893 0 3

FUND for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively—*continued*

ACCOUNT.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1911.	EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1912.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
5,332 3 8	Annual Appropriation,— Vote 120—State Forests Branch .. .. .	..	7,368 5 11
14,116 3 3	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	30,977 19 1	
83 15 11	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	609 8 10	31,587 7 11
14,199 19 2			
£19,532 2 10	Totals .. .. .	..	£38,955 13 10

MINES ACCOUNT.

£ s. d.	Annual Appropriation,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
76,842 4 11	Vote 121—State Coal-mines .. .. .	..	68,204 10 5
2,275 0 0	Interest on Debentures .. .. .	..	2,275 0 0
27,302 12 2	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	15,425 11 11	
266 1 8	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	8,053 2 7	23,478 14 6
27,568 13 10			
£106,685 18 9	Totals .. .. .	..	£93,958 4 11

ACCOUNT.

£ s. d.	Annual Appropriation,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1,183 4 5	Vote 122—Scenery Preservation .. .. .	..	2,940 6 0
2,921 19 10	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	2,163 14 6
£4,105 4 3	Totals .. .. .	..	£5,104 0 6

ACT ACCOUNT.

£ s. d.	Expenditure under the Act	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
148,000 0 0		..	150,000 0 0
99 19 3	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— The Naval Defence Act, 1909— Charges and Expenses .. .. .	..	48,030 9 0
309,818 16 3	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	289,362 11 3	
70,711 0 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In London	15,000 0 0	
250,000 0 0	Investment Account .. .. .	..	304,362 11 3
630,529 16 3			
£778,629 15 6	Totals .. .. .	..	£502,393 0 3

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED

ACCOUNTS OF

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1912.	
£	s. d.	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	£	s. d.
7,447	14 0	Cash in the Public Account	20,843	15 1
1,716	4 10	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	1,838	0 10
		In the Dominion		
9,163	18 10			22,681 15 11
		Revenue received for Local Bodies,—		
3,516	5 2	Fees, Fines, &c.	3,375	8 5
4,183	18 9	Endowments of Land, &c.	2,834	19 9
6,023	5 4	Goldfields Revenue	5,996	5 1
5,746	9 4	Gold Duty	5,299	2 10
19,469	18 7			17,505 16 1
		Counties Separate Account,—		
88	14 9	Revenues of Counties in which the Counties Act, 1908, is not in full operation .. .. .	..	37 13 0
		Advance Accounts,—		
14,070	1 5	Amount repaid by Local Bodies	13,068	14 5
70	7 8	Ditto on account of Unauthorized Expenditure of Previous Years .. .. .	..	13,068 14 5
14,140	9 1			
£42,863	1 3	Totals .. .. .	..	£53,293 19 5

DEPOSIT

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1912.	
£	s. d.	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	£	s. d.
204,100	14 8	Cash in the Public Account	264,146	12 10
234	0 0	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	479	0 0
		In the Dominion		
204,334	14 8			264,625 12 10
		Lodgments,—		
1,515	4 0	Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1910	15,538	13 0
2	12 6	Emigrants' Deposits	1,411	0 0
..	..	Fisheries Act, 1908	1	8 11
0	3 3	Gold Duty Suspense Account	913	9 6
545	12 2	Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1908	1	9 3
9,974	17 8	Land Act, 1908—Mining Districts Land Occupation Account	501	0 6
13,684	2 6	Miscellaneous	7,061	2 6
10	3 6	Money-order Settlement Account	28,315	0 0
209	17 0	Nelson Rifle Prize Fund	10	0 0
86	0 0	New Zealand University Endowment, Taranaki .. .. .	..	..
7,645	4 0	North Island Experimental Dairy School	30	0 0
186	2 3	North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Application Act 1886 Amendment Act, 1889	13,277	9 3
3,738	1 11	Otago University Reserves Act, 1904	292	1 6
..	..	Public Trust Office Remittance Account	3,559	12 7
48	8 11	Railways	4,498	0 0
..	..	Rates on Workers' Dwellings .. .. .	..	..
113	3 3	Taranaki Scholarships Endowment Account	288	1 11
48	14 2	Thermal Springs Districts Act, 1908	90	12 0
431	8 4	Trustee Act, 1908	3,857	1 2
		Westport Harbour Board Act, 1884—Special Coal Rate Account	740	6 7
38,299	15 5			80,381 8 8
£242,574	10 1	Totals .. .. .	..	£345,007 1 6

FUND for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively—continued.

LOCAL BODIES.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1911.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1912.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
2,696	15 9	Revenue paid over to Local Bodies, &c.—	3,385	9 2
16,887	10 8	Fees, Fines, &c.	16,892	18 2
4,875	4 8	Endowments of Land, &c.	4,073	2 4
7,324	11 10	Goldfields Revenue	7,711	4 6
		Gold Duty		
31,784	2 11			32,062 14 2
		Counties Separate Account,—		
81	17 3	Amount distributed amongst Local Bodies where the Counties Act, 1908, is not in full operation .. .. .	..	43 10 10
		Advance Accounts,—		
14,003	9 9	Payments on behalf of Local Bodies .. .. .	..	13,375 7 7
		Balance at end of Quarter,—		
Dr. 3,079	16 0	Cash in the Public Account	7,812	6 10
73	7 4	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	..	7,812 6 10
Dr. 3,006	8 8	In the Dominion		
£42,863	1 3	Totals .. .. .	..	£53,293 19 5

ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.	Withdrawals,—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
3,881	16 9	Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1910	20,839	2 0		
7	0 0	Emigrants' Deposits	3,477	19 3		
57	9 0	Gold Duty Suspense Account	5,174	7 5		
12,920	3 9	Imperial Government—South Africa Contingents .. .. .	..	..
33,284	2 6	Land Act, 1908—Mining Districts Land Occupation Account	57	0 0		
		Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905	105	0 11		
		Miscellaneous	15,788	6 0		
		Money-order Settlement Account	55,215	0 0		
		Native Townships—				
		Karewa	0	8 0		
		Parata	7	1 0		
		Potaka	0	10 0		
56	5 0	Nelson Rifle Prize Fund	7	7 6		
6	2 6	North Island Main Trunk Railway Loan Application Act 1886 Amendment Act, 1889	3,577	12 7		
203	15 6	New Zealand University Endowment, Taranaki .. .. .	..	..
8,233	7 11	Public Trust Office Remittance Account	14,388	16 11		
3,253	2 6	Railways .. .. .	..	..
500	0 0	Taranaki Scholarships Endowment Account	151	19 3		
		Tauranga Educational Endowment Reserves Act, 1896 .. .. .	..	..
62,403	5 5					118,790 10 10
		Balance at end of Quarter,—				
180,108	8 5	Cash in the Public Account	226,082	10 8		
62	16 3	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	134	0 0		
180,171	4 8	In the Dominion				226,216 10 8
£242,574	10 1	Totals .. .. .	..	..		£345,007 1 6

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC

QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1911.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1912.
£ s. d. 493,617 13 10	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 39,290 18 3
121,499 7 1	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	173,417 14 5
555,117 0 11		212,708 12 8
..	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1911,— Debentures issued	100,000 0 0
..	Temporary advance on security of Debentures issued	350,000 0 0
..		450,000 0 0
695,800 0 0	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1910,— Instalments received in respect of £1,750,000 Loan authorized	65,450 0 0
..	Interest on overdue instalments	3 10 2
695,800 0 0		65,453 10 2
..	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1901— Debentures matured 1st December, 1911, renewed	10,000 0 0
..	Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st December, 1911	8,100 0 0
..	Temporary advance on Reserve Fund Securities— Provision for Debentures matured 29th December, 1911	72,700 0 0
..		90,800 0 0
..	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1903— Temporary advance on Reserve Fund Securities— Provision for Debentures matured 29th December, 1911	25,000 0 0
..	Provision for Debentures matured 1st January, 1912	5,000 0 0
..		30,000 0 0
..	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1904— Temporary advance on Reserve Fund Securities— Provision for Debentures matured 1st January, 1912 .. .. .	..
..		565,500 0 0
..	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1906— Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st January, 1912	18,650 0 0
..	Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, renewed	81,150 0 0
..		99,800 0 0
..	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— ¾-per-cent. Inscribed Stock created to cover expenses of raising £1,750,000 Loan under the Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1910 .. .. .	..
..		18,201 7 5
567,000 0 0	Revenue transferred from the Consolidated Fund in aid of Public Works .. .. .	..
..		250,000 0 0
769 0 0	Special Receipts in connection with the Ellesmere and Forsyth Reclamation and Akaroa Railway Trust Account .. .. .	..
..		755 9 8
..	Recoveries on Account of Expenditure of Previous Years,— Value of material formerly in use on North Island Main Trunk Railway construction-works, now transferred to other works or sold	15 0 0
..	Repayment of advances for bushfelling on Rangitatau Block	234 8 11
..	Second instalment for refund of loan for Johnson's Dam, Bow Bell Flat	15 0 0
..	Public Trustee—Release of mortgage on Section 394, Whareama Block	1,608 9 8
..	Railway Department—Amounts received from various purchasers of land at New Plymouth (Sentry Hill-New Plymouth Deviation).. .. .	2,758 8 5
..	Value of land at Papanui, Christchurch, transferred to Police Department for a site for a police-station.. .. .	100 0 0
57 5 0	Ikaroa District Maori Land Board—Reduction of Horowhenua mortgage	57 5 0
800 0 0	Aotea District Maori Land Board—Reduction of Ohutu mortgage	800 0 0
1,423 19 7	Aotea District Maori Land Board—Survey liens on account of Wharetoto and Tauakira subdivisions .. .. .	..
651 16 2	Sale of traction-engine, &c., formerly in use on Marton - Te Awamutu railway-construction .. .. .	..
2,933 0 9		5,588 12 0
21 12 5	Recoveries on Account of Expenditure of Previous Quarters,— Charges and expenses of raising loans under— The Finance Act, 1909 .. .. .	..
10 7 7	The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1909 .. .. .	..
82 0 0		..
£1,821,651 1 8	Totals	£1,788,807 11 11

WORKS FUND for the Quarters ended 31ST MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911.			EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1912.		
£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
12,110	10	0	Annual Appropriations,—			
398,765	3	8	Class XVI.—Public Works, Departmental	13,843	10	3
971	6	6	" XVII.—Railways	461,104	4	6
663	1	11	" XVIII.—Development of Water-power	3,487	9	2
81,398	11	4	" XIX.—Irrigation and Water-supply	424	1	0
1,397	0	6	" XX.—Public Buildings	115,170	13	2
1,538	8	6	" XXI.—Lighthouses, Harbour-works, and Harbour-defences	4,903	8	10
10,935	8	11	" XXII.—Tourist and Health Resorts	5,011	10	3
106,025	11	11	" XXIII.—Immigration	13,997	12	11
4,715	12	6	" XXIV.—Construction, Maintenance, and Supervision of Roads, Bridges, and other Public Works	176,978	15	1
54,282	5	5	" XXV.—Development of Goldfields	3,359	14	9
2,044	15	2	" XXVI.—Telegraph Extension	48,575	17	7
3,581	18	9	" XXVII.—Contingent Defence	4,951	17	2
200	0	0	" XXVIII.—Lands Improvement	6,288	12	8
			Services not provided for	2,660	19	0
678,629	15	1				860,758 6 4
			The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—			
			The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1901—			
			Debentures matured 1st December, 1911, renewed	10,000	0	0
			Debentures matured 29th December, 1911, redeemed	72,700	0	0
						82,700 0 0
			The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1903—			
			Debentures matured 29th December, 1911, redeemed	25,000	0	0
			Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, redeemed	5,000	0	0
						30,000 0 0
			The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1904—			
			Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, redeemed			565,500 0 0
			The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1906—			
			Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, redeemed	18,650	0	0
			Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, renewed	81,150	0	0
						99,800 0 0
			Charges and Expenses in respect of Loans raised under—			
			The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1901	32	4	5
			The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1906	0	14	0
			The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1910	65,217	12	2
			The Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1911	482	6	0
			The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908	1,736	5	5
						67,469 2 0
			The Rotoiti Validation Act, 1909, section 3,—			
2,976	0	0	Expenditure			
381,258	12	10	Balance at end of Quarter,—			
			Cash in the Public Account	65,941	5	0
8,786	13	9	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—			
750,000	0	0	In the Dominion	16,638	18	7
			Investment Account			
						82,580 3 7
1,140,045	6	7				
£1,821,651	1	8	Totals			£1,788,807 11 11

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC

PAEROA-WAIHI

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911.			RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1912.		
£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
..	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— The Public Works Act, 1908,— The Paeroa-Waihi Railway Act, 1903— Debentures matured 31st March, 1912, and 30th September, 1912, renewed ..	..	86,250	0 0
..	Totals .. .. .	..	£86,250	0 0

WELLINGTON - HUTT RAILWAY AND

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
9,927	13	1	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	2,899	12 10
5,590	0	0	The Hutt Railway and Road Improvement Act, 1910,— Debentures issued .. .. .	..	..	..
£15,517	13	1	Totals .. .. .	..	£2,899	12 10

THE RAILWAYS

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
29,158	4	10	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	5,285	14 4
6,550	0	0	The Government Railways Amendment Act, 1910,— Debentures issued .. .. .	..	8,760	0 0
£35,708	4	10	Totals .. .. .	..	£14,045	14 4

THE WAIHOU AND OHINEMURI

£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
..	..	..	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	99,230	8 0
..	..	..	The Waihou and Ohinemuri Rivers Improvement Act, 1910,— Receipts under Section 17	1,667	0	0
100,000	0	0	Receipts under Section 18.. .. .	5,000	0	0
100,000	0	0	Debentures issued .. .. .	..	6,667	0 0
£100,000	0	0	Totals .. .. .	..	£105,897	8 0

WORKS FUND for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively—*continued*.

RAILWAY ACCOUNT.

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911.			EXPENDITURE.				QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH 1912.					
£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
..	The Public Works Act, 1908,—				53,476	0	0	80,214 0 0		
..	The Paeroa-Waihi Railway Act, 1903—				26,738	0	0			
..	Debentures matured 31st March, 1912, renewed .. .. .				..	..	..
..	Debentures matured 30th September, 1912 (surrendered), renewed .. .. .				..	..	..
..	Charges and expenses authorized by the New Zealand Loans Act, 1908—				..	..	..	6,036 0 0		
..	On renewals .. .. .				..	..	..
..	Total .. .. .				..	..	..	£86,250 0 0		

ROAD IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT.

£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
10,703	8	4	Annual Appropriation,—				..	..	..	600 5 8		
..	..	..	Vote 124—Hutt Railway and Road Improvement .. .. .				..	..	..
4,814	4	9	Balance at end of Quarter,—				..	..	..	2,299 7 2		
..	..	..	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .				..	..	..
£15,517	13	1	Totals .. .. .				..	..	..	£2,899 12 10		

IMPROVEMENTS ACCOUNT.

£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
17,562	1	8	Annual Appropriation,—				..	..	..	13,478 4 1		
..	..	..	Vote 125—Railway Improvements .. .. .				..	..	..
18,146	3	2	Balance at end of Quarter,—				..	..	..	567 10 3		
..	..	..	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .				..	..	..
£35,708	4	10	Totals .. .. .				..	..	..	£14,045 14 4		

RIVERS IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT.

£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
..	..	..	Annual Appropriation,—				..	..	..	2,999 14 10		
..	..	..	Vote 126—Waihou and Ohinemuri Rivers Improvement .. .. .				..	..	..
..	..	..	Interest on Debentures .. .. .				..	..	..	3,226 14 2		
100,000	0	0	Balance at end of Quarter,—				39,670	19	0	99,670 19 0		
..	..	..	Cash in the Public Account				60,000	0	0			
100,000	0	0	Investment Account .. .. .				..	..	..
£100,000	0	0	Totals .. .. .				..	..	..	£105,897 8 0		

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CHEVIOT

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1912.
£ s. d. 62,601 8 11	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 66,597 4 11
4,605 1 8	Receipts under the Land Act, 1908,— Rents from Lands .. .. .	.. .. . 6,078 18 4
£67,206 10 7	Totals	£72,676 3 3

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the NATIVE

£ s. d. 2 17 0	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 60,469 1 0	£ s. d.
38,223 7 3	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	36,937 15 2	97,406 16 2
38,226 4 3			
102,000 0 0	Amount received from the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office in terms of Section 94 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909 ..	..	50,000 0 0
172 3 1	Amount received in respect of Survey Liens .. .. .	..	2,603 14 1
..	Rents, &c. .. .. .	..	473 17 0
£140,398 7 4	Totals .. .. .	..	£150,484 7 3

ESTATE ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1911.	EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1912.	
£ s. d. 4,433 1 3 1 13 8 4,434 14 11	Interest paid in respect of Debentures issued Surveys, Roading, &c.	£ s. d. 4,433 1 3 1 1 8	£ s. d. 4,434 2 11
62,771 15 8 ..	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account Investment Account	18,242 0 4 50,000 0 0	68,242 0 4
62,771 15 8			
£67,206 10 7	Totals .. .. .	..	£72,676 3 3

LAND SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

£ s. d. 86 0 6	Annual Appropriation,— Vote 136—Native Land Purchase Expenses.. .. .	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 12 10 0
..	Unauthorized .. .. .	..	50 0 0
94,173 17 2	Expenditure under the Act .. .. .	..	141,712 10 5
1,816 0 0	Payment to the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office under Section 95 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909,— Sinking Fund .. .. .	..	4,361 0 0
44,300 17 8 21 12 0 44,322 9 8	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	1,823 14 0 2,524 12 10	4,348 6 10
£140,398 7 4	Totals .. .. .	..	£150,484 7 3

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1912.
£ s. d. 105,022 5 2	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 18,256 15 2
41,408 9 5	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion .. .. .	..
146,425 14 7		18,256 15 2
33,000 0 0	Amount received from the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office in terms of Section 89 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909 ..	.. 382,500 0 0
84,175 0 0	The Land for Settlements Act, 1908, the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Acts, 1909 and 1910, and the New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st January, 1912 ..	72,350 0 0
250 0 0	Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st February, 1912 ..	21,500 0 0
84,425 0 0	Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, renewed	149,665 0 0
	Debentures matured 1st February, 1912, renewed	61,300 0 0
	Debentures matured 1st January, 1911, renewed .. .. .	..
	Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st January, 1911 ..	..
		304,815 0 0
130,985 10 2	Receipts derived from Estates,— Rents, &c. .. .. .	.. 182,226 14 4
1,850 18 6	Receipts on account of Capital Value of Land under the Land Act, 1908,— Section 177	2,544 14 3
900 0 0	Section 191	249 1 8
2,750 18 6		2,793 15 11
0 5 8	Credits in Reduction,— Eccleston No. 2 .. .. .	..
9 4 7	Heretaunga .. .. .	..
394 9 11	Lawry .. .. .	..
4 7 8	Ngatapa	2,769 11 7
348 7 10	Windle .. .. .	..
		2,769 11 7
9 3 4	Recoveries on Account of Expenditure of Previous Quarters,— Charges and expenses of raising loan under the Land for Settlements Act, 1908..	.. ..
397,944 14 5	Carried forward .. .. .	.. 843,361 17 0

SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911.		EXPENDITURE.			QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1912.	
		Name of Estate.	Purchase-money.	Incidental Expenses.	Total.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
		Acquirement of Estates, and Expenses incidental thereto—				
		Airedale		1 16 0	1 16 0	
2	13 0	Albury				
24,151	19 9	Allanholm		190 13 6	190 13 6	
25	9 6	Annan		2 14 6	2 14 6	
		Aorangi		46 11 6	46 11 6	
5	8 6	Argyll		125 18 7	125 18 7	
1	18 0	Ashley Gorge		1 14 6	1 14 6	
		Avenel (T. Morland)	27,985 16 0		27,985 16 0	
950	0 0	Aviemore				
1	0 0	Barnego		0 18 0	0 18 0	
		Beaumont		6 12 4	6 12 4	
5	12 3	Bickerstaffe		35 3 10	35 3 10	
8	6 11	Blind River		18 4 3	18 4 3	
		Braco		14 6 10	14 6 10	
16	13 0	Braeburn		76 13 0	76 13 0	
90	1 11	Buddo				
190	11 1	Carrington		108 6 10	108 6 10	
0	0 3	Carroll				
223	1 1	Clandeboye		7 4 2	7 4 2	
0	17 1	Clandeboye No. 2		1 3 6	1 3 6	
		Clandon		0 3 1	0 3 1	
578	12 6	Clydebank		500 9 9	500 9 9	
		Conical Hills (W. Shennan)	42,166 8 0	173 4 7	42,339 12 7	
0	1 4	Cradock		1 4 9	1 4 9	
0	4 0	Culverden		4 18 1	4 18 1	
		Douglas		1,314 0 4	1,314 0 4	
21,325	7 6	Drayton		3 12 6	3 12 6	
		Dyer		157 9 8	157 9 8	
		Eccleston No. 2		0 8 7	0 8 7	
5	15 10	Edendale		151 11 11	151 11 11	
0	10 0	Elderslie				
		Elderslie No. 2 (J. B. Reid)	33,420 0 0	33 0 9	33,453 0 9	
2	14 2	Elsthorpe		29 2 3	29 2 3	
		Epuni		19 3 7	19 3 7	
0	7 6	Epworth				
301	7 1	Ermedale		7 12 8	7 12 8	
0	16 7	Fencourt		20 15 7	20 15 7	
63	18 1	Flaxbourne		104 9 5	104 9 5	
2	16 10	Forest Gate		37 12 1	37 12 1	
		Four Peaks (H. D. Bell and W. Izard)	17,821 14 9		17,821 14 9	
0	14 0	Fyvie				
14	9 9	Glenham		32 16 2	32 16 2	
		Glentanner (G. Murray)	2,281 5 0	7 6 7	2,288 11 7	
0	7 6	Hall-Jones		1 14 0	1 14 0	
		Hatuma		110 2 4	110 2 4	
		Hawtreay		6 14 9	6 14 9	
1	14 6	Hekeao				
		Heretaunga		2 8 7	2 8 7	
43	17 3	Hetana		8 5 9	8 5 9	
1	12 6	Highbank		3 0 0	3 0 0	
		Hikawera		25 1 5	25 1 5	
84	6 8	Hornby		5 17 2	5 17 2	
3	18 2	Horsley Downs				
		Huinga		0 3 2	0 3 2	
0	14 0	Kaimahi		96 14 8	96 14 8	
0	15 0	Kanakanaia		26 12 3	26 12 3	
0	6 6	Kaputohe				
1	3 10	Karapiro		4 16 10	4 16 10	
		Kauroo Hill		184 0 8	184 0 8	
0	14 0	Kereta		0 7 0	0 7 0	
3	14 0	Kinloch		4 3 2	4 3 2	
0	1 3	Kitchener		0 18 9	0 18 9	
		Kohika		1 10 6	1 10 6	
1	5 6	Kohika No. 2		3 12 0	3 12 0	
		Kumeroa		27 13 2	27 13 2	
18	5 9	Ladbrook		4 4 3	4 4 3	
		Langdale		54 1 9	54 1 9	
		Lawry		0 2 4	0 2 4	
5	11 2	Lindsay		79 2 7	79 2 7	
		Linton		12 2 3	12 2 3	
		Longbush		42 1 7	42 1 7	
		Loughnan		0 2 5	0 2 5	
1	10 6	Lyndon No. 1		2 19 4	2 19 4	
1	19 0	Lyndon No. 2		1 19 10	1 19 10	
0	10 0	Maerewhenua		2 10 0	2 10 0	
0	8 0	Mahora		18 18 2	18 18 2	
		Mahupuku		56 9 11	56 9 11	
91	13 0	Makareao		56 13 7	56 13 7	
		Manga-a-toro		57 14 3	57 14 3	
		Mangapouri		4 8 11	4 8 11	
0	16 0	Mangatabi		53 0 9	53 0 9	
		Mangawhata		31 1 0	31 1 0	
1	17 7	Mangawhero		10 13 7	10 13 7	
48,238	9 2	Carried forward	123,675 3 9	4,239 6 4	127,914 10 1	

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1912.	
£ s. d. 397,944 14 5	Brought forward	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 848,861 17 0
397,944 14 5	Carried forward .. .. .	..	848,861 17 0

SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively—continued.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1911.		EXPENDITURE.				QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1912.				
		Name of Estate.	Purchase-money.		Incidental Expenses.		Total.			
£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
48,238	9 2	Brought forward ..	123,675	3 9	4,239	6 4	127,914	10 1		
		Acquirement of Estates, and Expenses incidental thereto—continued.								
15	17 3	Matamata ..			80	1 8	80	1 8		
0	12 0	Maungaraki ..			30	13 8	30	13 8		
2	2 0	Meadowbank ..			3	13 6	3	13 6		
13	14 9	Meadows ..								
		Merrivale ..			20	16 7	20	16 7		
0	15 1	Methuen ..			4	16 6	4	16 6		
0	7 6	Mills ..			0	12 6	0	12 6		
1	19 0	Morice ..			2	6 10	2	6 10		
2,300	3 11	Ngatapa ..								
1	1 6	Normandale ..			23	18 10	23	18 10		
2	18 11	Northbank ..			6	7 3	6	7 3		
		Ohakea ..			38	15 11	38	15 11		
0	3 10	Okauia ..			2	14 11	2	14 11		
5	10 2	Omaka ..			11	18 9	11	18 9		
1	5 6	Opouriao ..			16	2 0	16	2 0		
1	0 0	Orakipaoa ..			0	11 6	0	11 6		
		Otahu ..			4	2 7	4	2 7		
25	16 0	Otekaike ..			452	13 9	452	13 9		
		Paparangi ..			9	17 0	9	17 0		
0	13 6	Pareora No. 2 ..								
6	10 0	Pawaho ..								
		Pitt ..			0	15 5	0	15 5		
0	12 9	Plumer ..			18	5 0	18	5 0		
		Plunket ..			3	9 0	3	9 0		
		Poerua ..			0	7 6	0	7 6		
0	11 6	Pomahaka ..								
1	12 6	Pouparae ..			7	18 0	7	18 0		
		Pourerere ..			20	6 10	20	6 10		
0	14 8	Puhipuhi ..			1	11 11	1	11 11		
0	14 0	Punaroa ..								
3	13 6	Rainford ..			7	19 3	7	19 3		
1	10 1	Rangiatea ..			7	7 9	7	7 9		
1	10 0	Rapuwai ..								
		Raumati ..			42	4 10	42	4 10		
0	15 0	Raureka ..			6	19 8	6	19 8		
1	14 6	Rewi ..			3	15 10	3	15 10		
3	13 6	Richmond Brook ..			9	7 3	9	7 3		
		Ringway ..			5	5 3	5	5 3		
0	1 0	Romata ..								
70	15 0	Rosewill ..			78	19 4	78	19 4		
117	17 10	Ruapuna No. 2 ..			0	13 0	0	13 0		
880	0 0	Rugged Ridges ..								
		Scargill (F. Holland) ..	19,064	9 0	89	7 8	19,153	16 8		
9	14 8	Selwyn ..			33	6 2	33	6 2		
		Sherwood Downs (Sherwood Downs Co., Ltd.) ..	70,030	0 0	222	13 3	70,252	13 3		
		Smithfield (J. Aitken) ..	18,253	0 9			18,253	0 9		
		Spotswood ..			1	0 6	1	0 6		
		Spottis Creek (R. M. Turnbull) ..	400	0 0			400	0 0		
76	15 3	Starborough ..			165	1 10	165	1 10		
		Steward ..			4	1 6	4	1 6		
142	19 3	Stoke ..								
		Tablelands ..			48	19 6	48	19 6		
1	11 6	Takitu ..			2	0 0	2	0 0		
0	1 0	Tamai ..								
0	14 0	Taumata ..								
17	18 1	Tautari ..			43	19 2	43	19 2		
		Tawaha ..			72	6 3	72	6 3		
405	15 8	Te Arai ..			117	14 11	117	14 11		
8	9 6	Teasdale ..			6	2 10	6	2 10		
		Te Mata ..			2	13 8	2	13 8		
		Te Matua ..			19	10 6	19	10 6		
		Timaunga (S. McKenzie and K. McLellan) ..	72,768	16 9	65	1 2	72,833	17 11		
		Toka-ora ..			0	3 0	0	3 0		
		Tokarahi ..			3	18 0	3	18 0		
0	4 0	Tomoana ..			1	12 0	1	12 0		
1,360	12 8	Tongoio ..			692	4 0	692	4 0		
1	0 0	Totara ..			2	14 0	2	14 0		
127	5 10	Tripp ..								
		Valverde (G. W. Leadley) ..	14,000	0 0			14,000	0 0		
35	5 0	Waari ..			3	5 6	3	5 6		
0	7 6	Waddington ..			1	9 10	1	9 10		
0	10 0	Waiapi ..			0	7 6	0	7 6		
7	17 0	Waikakahi ..			9	0 6	9	0 6		
17	5 2	Waimana ..			21	18 7	21	18 7		
		Waimarie ..			7	6 1	7	6 1		
1	16 9	Waipapa ..			3	19 8	3	19 8		
		Waipuka ..			3	3 2	3	3 2		
		Wangapeka ..			1	2 7	1	2 7		
1	11 1	Whitehall ..			5	5 4	5	5 4		
2	8 0	Wigan ..			35	2 5	35	2 5		
21	10 0	Wilford ..			1	10 9	1	10 9		
1	14 8	Willows ..			11	10 7	11	10 7		
53,948	2 6	Totals ..	318,191	10 3	6,864	8 4	325,055	18 7	325,055	18 7
53,948	2 6	Carried forward ..							325,055	18 7

SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively—*continued*.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1911.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1912.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
53,948	2 6	Brought forward .. .. .	..	325,055 18 7
3,655	9 11	Annual Appropriations,—	2,762	1 8
180	18 11	Vote 123—Land for Settlement Expenses .. .. .	..	..
..	..	Vote—Workers' Dwellings Expenses	347	17 10
..	..	Unauthorized .. .. .	..	..
3,786	8 10			3,109 19 6
..	..	The Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Acts, 1909 and 1910,—		
..	..	Debentures redeemed—	69,150	0 0
..	..	Matured 1st January, 1912	21,500	0 0
28,425	0 0	Matured 1st February 1912 .. .. .	..	..
..	..	Matured 1st January, 1911 .. .. .	..	..
..	..	Debentures renewed—	149,665	0 0
..	..	Matured 1st January, 1912	61,300	0 0
..	..	Matured 1st February, 1912 .. .. .	..	..
84,175	0 0	Matured 1st January, 1911 .. .. .	..	..
112,600	0 0			301,615 0 0
..	..	Charges and Expenses—	9	4 4
0	3 5	On issue of Debentures	0	3 0
..	..	On renewal of Debentures	100	1 10
..	..	On redemption of Debentures .. .. .	..	..
0	3 5			109 9 2
115,132	17 5	Interest paid to Consolidated Fund in respect of Debentures issued .. .. .	..	113,940 1 0
59,079	7 7	Sinking Fund under Section 90 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909 .. .. .	..	33,489 13 10
..	..	Interest under Subsection (8) of Section 191 of the Land Act, 1908 .. .. .	..	2 1 11
53,097	14 8	Balance at end of Quarter,—	66,039	13 0
300	0 0	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..
..	..	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—	..	..
..	..	In the Dominion .. .. .	..	..
53,397	14 8			66,039 13 0
£397,944	14 5	Totals .. .. .	..	£343,361 17 0

SETTLEMENT ACT ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
25,450	0 0	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—	100	0 0	..	..
24,650	0 0	The Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905—	..	..	..	..
..	..	Debentures matured 1st January, 1911, redeemed .. .. .	..	..	100	0 0
50,100	0 0	Debentures matured 1st January, 1911, renewed .. .. .	..	..	..	..
..	..					
4,299	19 8	Balance at end of Quarter,—	..	..	3,844	0 11
..	..	Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	..	..
£54,399	19 8	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£3,944	0 11

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the NEW ZEALAND STATE.

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1912.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
117,250	0 0	Balance at beginning of Quarter— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..
665,980	0 0	The New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Acts, 1909, 1910,— Advances to Settlers— Instalment received in respect of £1,675,000 Loan authorized	62,645	0 0
..	..	Temporary advances on the security of Debentures issued	500,000	0 0
665,980	0 0			562,645 0 0
129,220	0 0	Advances to Workers— Instalment received in respect of £325,000 Loan authorized	12,155	0 0
..	..	Temporary advances on the security of Debentures issued .. .. .	..	..
129,220	0 0			12,155 0 0
..	..	Interest on overdue instalments .. .. .	..	4 0 8
..	..	The New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— 3½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock created to cover expenses of raising £2,000,000 Loan .. .. .	..	76,514 14 2
..	..	The New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Acts, 1909, 1910, and New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— Advances to Settlers— Debentures issued for redemption of Debentures matured 1st December, 1911	20,000	0 0
..	..	Debentures matured 1st December, 1911, renewed	255,000	0 0
..	..	Temporary advance on Reserve Fund Securities— Provision for Debentures matured 29th December, 1911	117,300	0 0
..	..	3½-per-cent. Stock created for redemption of Debentures maturing 1st April, 1912	140,000	0 0
..	..	Advances to Workers— Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, renewed	205,000	0 0
..	..			787,300 0 0
£912,450	0 0	Totals .. .. .	..	£1,388,618 14 5

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the NEW ZEALAND

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
462,175	0 0	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in Deposit Account	26	14 0	478,771	14 0
..	..	Investment Account	473,745	0 0	..	..
462,194	0 11				340	0 0
300	0 0	Deposits inscribed .. .. .	..	..	..	..
£462,494	0 11	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£474,111	14 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONVERSION

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Dr. 2,257	9 7	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	Dr. 555	7 7	..	..
153	8 8	Advances in the hands of the Stock Agents— Cash	275	18 6	Dr. 279	9 1
Dr. 2,104	0 11					
1,691,670	0 0	3½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock,— Issued for Conversion of Debentures	223,092	0 0	223,805	4 6
15,000	0 0	Issued for Expenses of Conversion	713	4 6	..	..
1,706,670	0 0					
£1,704,565	19 1	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£223,525	15 5

GUARANTEED ADVANCES LOAN ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st March, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1911.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1912.			
£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
783,230	0 0	Amount paid over to the State-guaranteed Advances Office on account of Loan,—	477,645	0 0	489,800	0 0
41,265	0 0	Advances to Settlers	12,155	0 0		
824,495	0 0	Advances to Workers				
		The Government Advances to Settlers Act, 1908,—				
		Advances to Settlers—				
		Debentures matured 1st December, 1911, redeemed	20,000	0 0		
		Debentures matured 1st December, 1911, renewed	255,000	0 0		
		Debentures matured 29th December, 1911, redeemed	117,300	0 0		
		Debentures matured 15th January, 1912, redeemed	85,000	0 0		
		The Government Advances to Workers Act, 1906,—				
		Debentures matured 1st January, 1912, renewed	205,000	0 0	682,300	0 0
		The New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, 1910,—				
		Charges and Expenses authorized by the New Zealand Loans Act, 1908—				
		On issue of Debentures and Stock	76,518	14 5		
		On redemption of Debentures	7,700	0 0	84,218	14 5
		The New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909,—				
		Temporary Advances repaid—				
87,955	0 0	Advances to Workers				
		Balance at end of Quarter,—				
		Cash in the Public Account			132,300	0 0
£912,450	0 0	Totals			£1,388,618	14 5

CONSOLS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
327	6 11	The New Zealand Consols Act, 1908,—				
		Consols due 1st February, 1910, redeemed				
		Balance at end of Quarter,—				
		Cash in Deposit Account		6 14 0		
462,165	0 0	Investment Account	474,105	0 0	474,111	14 0
462,166	14 0	Totals			£474,111	14 0
£462,494	0 11					

ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

£	s. d.		Amount converted.	Rate.	Premium.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
1,386,588	0 0	Scrip and Debentures converted into 3½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock,—	£	£	£				
2,652	0 0	Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1910	65,900	102	1,318				
		Finance Act, 1909	4,700	102	94				
		Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1905	146,000	103	4,380				
		Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1904	700	par					
302,430	0 0	Naval Defence Act, 1909							
1,691,670	0 0	Totals	217,300		5,792	223,092	0 0	223,092	0 0
		Expenses Account,—							
10,613	15 0	Stamp Duty				1,495	15 5		
128	3 8	Rent and Office Expenses				150	6 8		
		Brokerage and Commission				1	15 9		
		Discount				16	18 9	1,664	16 7
10,741	18 8								
Dr. 13,321	8 4	Balance at end of Quarter,—							
		Cash in the Public Account				Dr. 2,059	19 10		
		Advances in the hands of Stock Agents—							
		Cash				828	18 8		
475	8 9	In the hands of the High Commissioner—							
		3½-per-cent. Stock for Sale							
15,000	0 0								
2,154	0 5								
£1,704,565	19 1	Totals						£223,525	15 5

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LOANS TO LOCAL

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1912.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
23,872	10 1	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	7,862 7 6
227	8 3	Refunds under Section 64 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908,—		
92	9 10	Cook County	754	15 7
100	0 0	Kiwitea County	29	10 6
..	..	Pohangina County	660	0 0
..	..	Eketahuna Borough .. .. .	..	..
101	16 2	Palmerston Borough .. .. .	..	..
81	19 3	Sumner Borough .. .. .	..	..
..	..	Woodville Borough .. .. .	..	..
608	13 6			1,444 6 1
416,000	0 0	The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908,— Debentures matured 1st March, 1911, renewed .. .. .	..	..
£440,476	3 7	Totals .. .. .	..	£9,306 13 7

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the OPENING UP CROWN

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
6,529	8 4	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	17,851	9 4	..	..
8,856	7 10	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	11,319	0 5	29,170	9 9
14,885	16 2					
14,345	0 0	Amount received from the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office in terms of Section 77 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909 .. .. .	..	..	15,000	0 0
£29,230	16 2	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£44,170	9 9

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the HAURAKI

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
3,397	6 4	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	1,238	15 7	..	..
4,499	18 4	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	7,608	11 9	8,847	7 4
7,897	4 8					
1,928	7 4	Receipts under Section 5 of the Hauraki Plains Act, 1908,—	2,753	15 10	..	..
96	0 0	Perpetual Leases .. .. .	..	..	2,753	15 10
2,024	7 4	Land Sales .. .. .	..	..	..	..
25,000	0 0	Amount received from the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office in terms of Section 84 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909 .. .. .	..	..	10,000	0 0
£34,921	12 0	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£21,601	3 2

BODIES ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1911.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1912.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
		Loans under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908,—		
		Counties—		
		Olifton	600	0 0
200	0 0	Eketahuna .. .. .	..	..
500	0 0	Kawhia .. .. .	..	..
276	0 0	Rangitikei .. .. .	..	..
260	0 0	Waipa	150	0 0
..	..	Whangamomona .. .. .	..	..
1,236	0 0			
		City Council—		
2,000	0 0	Christchurch .. .. .	..	..
		Borough—		
..	..	Maori Hill .. .. .	..	250 0 0
		Road Boards—		
1,150	0 0	Pukekohe West	1,050	0 0
200	0 0	Turanga .. .. .	..	..
800	0 0	Waiuku .. .. .	..	..
2,150	0 0			1,050 0 0
		Drainage Board—		
225	0 0	Tamū Kaituna .. .. .	..	..
5,611	0 0			2,050 0 0
		Total Loans		
416,000	0 0	The Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908,—		
		Debentures matured 1st March, 1911, renewed .. .. .	..	..
18,865	3 7	Balance at end of Quarter,—		
		Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	7,256 13 7
£440,476	3 7	Totals		£9,306 13 7

LANDS FOR SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
20,656	6 6	Annual Appropriation,—				
		Vote 127—Roads to open up Crown Lands .. .. .	..	..	23,633	11 3
..	..	Unauthorized .. .. .	..	..	451	6 11
		Balance at end of Quarter,—				
7,212	17 3	Cash in the Public Account	19,836	12 10		
1,361	12 5	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—				
		In the Dominion	248	18 9	20,085	11 7
8,574	9 8					
£29,230	16 2	Totals			£44,170	9 9

PLAINS SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
11,645	17 0	Expenditure under the Act .. .. .	..	..	12,670	6 7
		Payment of Principal and Interest under Section 84 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909 .. .. .	..	..	1,409	5 8
610	6 8					
		Balance at end of Quarter,—				
22,044	11 3	Cash in the Public Account	7,445	1 9		
620	17 1	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government—				
		In the Dominion	76	9 2	7,521	10 11
22,665	8 4					
£34,921	12 0	Totals			£21,601	3 2

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the NATIONAL

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1912.
£ s. d. 27,163 2 5	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 34,437 1 9
2,581 12 10	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	3,207 18 11
29,744 15 8		97,645 0 8
44,491 16 2	Rents, &c., from National Endowment Lands	35,121 11 4
£74,286 11 5	Totals	£72,766 12 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the RANGITAIKI

£ s. d. 283 13 7	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 17,839 16 2	£ s. d.
..	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government— In the Dominion	800 0 0	18,689 16 2
283 13 7			
25,000 0 0	Advances made by the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office under Section 5 of the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910 .. .. .	..	..
481 17 3	Receipts under the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910 .. .. .	..	..
£25,715 10 10	Totals .. .. .	..	£18,689 16 2

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the RESERVE

£ s. d. 800,000 0 0	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Investment Account	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 800,000 0 0
£800,000 0 0	Totals .. .. .	..	£800,000 0 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the BANK OF NEW

£ s. d. 500,000 0 0	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Investment Account	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 500,000 0 0
£500,000 0 0	Totals .. .. .	..	£500,000 0 0

The Treasury,
Wellington, 26th April, 1912.

ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1911.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1912.	
£	s. d.	Annual Appropriation,— Vote 128—Roads to open up National Endowment Lands	£	s. d.
2,166	5 4		..	2,605 10 1
5,920	18 1	Expenditure under the Land Act, 1908 .. .. .	..	6,714 16 8
66,149	8 0	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	63,446 5 3
£74,236	11 5	Totals .. .. .	..	£72,766 12 0

LAND DRAINAGE ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.
..	..	Expenditure under the Act .. .. .	..	4,509 6 4
25,715	10 10	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	12,931	18 1
..	..	Advances in the hands of Officers of the Government,— In the Dominion	1,248	11 9
25,715	10 10		..	14,180 9 10
£25,715	10 10	Totals .. .. .	..	£18,689 16 2

FUND ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.
800,000	0 0	Balance at end of Quarter,— Investment Account .. .. .	..	800,000 0 0
£800,000	0 0	Totals .. .. .	..	£800,000 0 0

ZEALAND ACT 1903 ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 31st MARCH, 1912 and 1911, respectively.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.
500,000	0 0	Balance at end of Quarter,— Investment Account .. .. .	..	500,000 0 0
£500,000	0 0	Totals .. .. .	..	£500,000 0 0

J. W. POYNTON,
Secretary to the Treasury.

A. O. GIBBES,
Acting Accountant to the Treasury.

Examined and found correct.

ROBERT J. COLLINS,
Controller and Auditor-General.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Pukeiti, Hokonui, and Moana Roads, in the Town of Otahuhu Extension No. 11, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 9th May, 1912.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Pukeiti, Hokonui, and Moana Roads, in the Town of Otahuhu Extension No. 11, Auckland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

G. W. RUSSELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Waima and Omu Streets, in the Town of Kapomohi, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 9th May, 1912.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Waima and Omu Streets, in the Town of Kapomohi, Auckland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

G. W. RUSSELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Carrick Street, Elles Road, Affleck, Lindsay, and Frederick Streets, in the Town of Otautau Extension No. 6, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 13th May, 1912.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Carrick Street, Elles Road, Affleck, Lindsay, and Frederick Streets, in the Town of Otautau Extension No. 6, Southland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

G. W. RUSSELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Notice to Mariners No. 43 of 1912.

Re UNCHARTED ROCK OFF TRIO ISLANDS APPROACHING ADMIRALTY BAY, COOK STRAIT.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 13th May, 1912.

REFERRING to Notice to Mariners No. 28 of 1912, re the reported uncharted rock off Francis Head, approaching Admiralty Bay, Captain Bollons of the Government steamer "Hinemoa" reports that he has searched for this rock, and took lines of soundings with the vessel and boats, but could not find shallow water or any indication of shallow water in or close to the position stated in the above-mentioned notice. He anchored over this position, and found 32 fathoms grey soft mud.

A rock exists nearer the southern Trio Islands, and about 2½ miles from Clay Point. This rock dries at low-water springs, and is the outer rock of a ridgy reef which juts out from the southern Trio Islet, several pinnacles of which are dry at low-water springs.

The rock lies 4¼ cables S. 7° E. (true) or S. 23° E. (magnetic) from the south end of the southern Trio.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2684 and 695; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter vi, page 182.

GEO. LAURENSEN.

Notice to Mariners No. 44 of 1912.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—ROCKS IN MOTU IHI CHANNEL.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 13th May, 1912.

REFERRING to Notice to Mariners No. 130 of 1911, the Auckland Harbour Board have notified that the bearings of the rock off the N.W. end of Motu Ihi Island, with 2½ fathoms over it at L.W.S.T., should be amended as follows:—

South extreme of Motu Tapu, N. 83° 30' W. (true) or S. 81° 30' W. (magnetic).

N.W. extreme of Motu Koreho, S. 48° 30' W. (true) or S. 33° 30' W. (magnetic).

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Chart No. 1896; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter ii, page 40.

GEO. LAURENSEN.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block I, Mahoe Survey District, for a Police-station.

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 police-station in Block I, Mahoe 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 Whangamomona, 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 parcels of land required to be taken:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land proposed to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situatd in Block	Situatd in Survey District of	Coloured on Plan	
					A.	R.	P.
0 1 1.4	Section 62	..	I Mahoe	..	Pink.
0 2 11.8	" 62	..	" "	..	Purple.

All in the Taranaki Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 31593, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 8th day of May, 1912.

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

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block III, Uawa Survey District, for the Purposes of a Native School, and for a Road thereto.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute certain public works, to wit, the construction of a Native School and a road thereto in Block III, Uawa Survey District, and for the purposes of such public works 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 Tolaga Bay, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public works or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public works 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 parcels of land required to be taken :—

Approximate Area of each Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
FOR NATIVE SCHOOL.					
A. R. P. 4 0 5	Kopuatarakihi 2A, 2B, and 2C Blocks (648, brown)	III	Uawa ..	P.W.D. 29748	Green.
FOR ROAD.					
1 0 22	Kopuatarakihi 2C Block (648, brown)	III	Uawa ..	P.W.D. 29748	Red.

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 8th day of May, 1912.

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

Notice of Intention to take Land in Chatham Islands for the Purposes of a Wireless-telegraph Station.

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 wireless-telegraph station in the Chatham Islands, 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 Chatham Islands, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the said public work or by the taking of such 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	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 6 3 0	Otonga 1E No. 4B3	Chatham Islands	P.W.D. 31663	Pink.

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 13th day of May, 1912.

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

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block IV, Cobden Survey District, Grey County, 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 IV, Cobden 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 Public Works Office at Greymouth, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of each Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 31.3	Part Subdivision 3 of Section 130, Cobden Suburban, Square 119	IV	Cobden	P.W.D. 30097	Pink.
1 3 30	Part of Sections 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, and part of a closed street between Sections 133 and 134, Cobden Suburban, Square 119	"	"	Ditto..	Yellow.

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 8th day of May, 1912.

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

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block VI, Waihou 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 VI, Waihou 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 Netherton, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of such 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 Subdivision	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 21.4	Tiritiri No. 7 (16527, blue)	VI	Waihou	P.W.D. 31382	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.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 13th day of May, 1912.

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

Notice of Intention to take Land in Blocks V and XIII, Waipakura 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 Blocks V and XIII, Waipakura 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 Makirikiri, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of such 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 parcels of land required to be taken:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Sections Nos.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 0 34.5	202 and 203	XIII	Waipakura	P.W.D. 30853	Yellow.
0 2 2.4	23	V	"	Ditto..	Purple.

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 14th day of May, 1912.

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

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

Land and Income Tax Department,
Wellington, 13th May, 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, having derived income during the year ending 31st March, 1912, from any source or by any means which is made the subject of taxation under the said Act, is hereby required to duly make and furnish to me, in the prescribed form, returns of such income on or before the 1st June, 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.

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.

Regulations made by the Public Trustee under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892, and any Amendment of the same.

IN pursuance and exercise of all the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892, and the amendments thereof, Frederick Fitchett, the Public Trustee of the Dominion of New Zealand, doth hereby make the following regulations:—

In all leases to be hereafter issued under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1892, or its amendments, the forms of leases as prescribed by the regulations made thereunder shall be modified as follows, that is to say: The covenant that "The lessee will fence" shall be omitted; and in lieu thereof the following covenant shall be inserted:—

The lessee will, within twelve months after the commencement of the term hereby granted, completely fence the boundaries of the demised land with a sufficient fence within the meaning of the Fencing Act, 1908, and also will at all times during the said term keep in good and substantial repair and condition all subdivisional or boundary fences now or hereafter erected upon or around the demised land; and also will not at any time call upon or compel the lessor to contribute to the cost of erecting, repairing, or maintaining any boundary fence between the demised land and any adjoining land in which the lessor may have any estate or interest; and also will at all times indemnify the lessor from all liability under the Fencing Act, 1908, in respect of the erection, repair, or maintenance of boundary fences between the demised land and any adjoining land: Provided always that nothing herein shall operate or be construed to deprive the lessee of any rights he may have (under the aforesaid Act or otherwise) against any other person than the lessor: Provided further that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to lessen, limit, or restrict the lessee's liability under the covenant to keep in repair implied herein by law.

In witness whereof Frederick Fitchett, the Public Trustee, hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal of office, this 10th day of May, 1912.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

Notice of Vesting of Land in the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II, Unclaimed Lands).

WHEREAS I, the undersigned, the Public Trustee, have, for the purposes of Part II of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (relating to unclaimed lands), made due inquiries with respect to the land described in the Schedule hereunder, and the owner thereof, and have, in respect of the said land, given the notices prescribed by section 66 of that Act, and have in all respects complied with the provisions of that Act pertinent hereto: And whereas I have not thereby ascertained who the owner is, and believe that such owner is not in the Dominion, nor has such owner established his title to the said land, as required by the said Act: I hereby give notice that the said land is, under and by virtue of the said Act, vested in the Public Trustee as aforesaid, as from the date of the publication hereof, and will be administered under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, the value of the land for the purposes of section 67 (d) of the said Act being less than £100.

Dated at Wellington, this 13th day of May, 1912.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Allotment 23, Town of Kibikihi, in the Parish of Puniu. Bounded towards the north by Allotment 22, 340 links; towards the east by a road, 295 links; towards the south by Allotment 24, 340 links; and towards the west by Allotment 28, 295 links.

Notice of Vesting of Land in the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II, Unclaimed Lands).

WHEREAS I, the undersigned, the Public Trustee, have, for the purposes of Part II of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (relating to unclaimed lands), made due inquiries with respect to the land described in the Schedule hereunder, and the owner thereof, and have, in respect of the said land, given the notices prescribed by section 66 of that Act, and have in all respects complied with the provisions of that Act pertinent hereto: And whereas I have not thereby ascertained who the owner is, and believe that such owner is not in the Dominion, nor has such owner established his title to the said land, as required by the said Act: I hereby give notice that the said land is,

under and by virtue of the said Act, vested in the Public Trustee as aforesaid, as from the date of the publication hereof, and will be administered under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908; the value of the land for the purposes of section 67 (d) of the said Act being less than £100.

Dated at Wellington, this 15th day of May, 1912.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 80 acres, more or less, being the northern portion of Allotment 84 and the southern portion of Allotment 85, in the Parish of Waipareira, in the Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded on the north by other part of Allotment 85, 4300 links; on the north-east by a road, 1430 links and 700 links; on the south-east by the same road, 500 links and 76 links; on the south by other part of Allotment 84, 5720 links; and on the west by Allotments 78 and 77, 1410 links.

Notice of Vesting of Land in the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II, Unclaimed Lands).

WHEREAS I, the undersigned, the Public Trustee, have, for the purposes of Part II of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (relating to unclaimed lands), made due inquiries with respect to the land described in the Schedule hereunder, and the owner thereof, and have, in respect of the said land, given the notices prescribed by section 66 of that Act, and have in all respects complied with the provisions of that Act pertinent hereto: And whereas I have not thereby ascertained who the owner is, and believe that such owner is not in the Dominion, nor has such owner established his title to the said land, as required by the said Act: I hereby give notice that the said land is, under and by virtue of the said Act, vested in the Public Trustee as aforesaid, as from the date of the publication hereof, and will be administered under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908; the value of the land for the purposes of section 67 (d) of the said Act being less than £100.

Dated at Wellington, this 15th day of May, 1912.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 29 perches, more or less, being Allotment 93, Township of Newcastle, in the Parish of Horotiu, County of Waikato, in the Provincial District of Auckland. Bounded towards the north by a street, 92 links; towards the east by Allotment 94, 170 links; towards the south by Allotment 97, 111 links; and towards the west by Allotment 92, 232 links.

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 60 acres, more or less, being the northern portion of Allotment 126, Parish of Ruatangata. Bounded towards the north-east by Allotment 125, 3340 links, and by a road, 1540 links; towards the south-east by the Mongari River; towards the south-west by part of Allotment 126, 4080 links; and towards the north-west by Allotments 122 and 121, 1560 links. The last registered owner of the land is one James McGrath, of Matakohe, gum-digger, 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 15th day of May, 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 50 acres, more or less, being Allotment 257, in the Parish of Waiohahi, in the County of Opotiki. Bounded towards the north-east by Allotment 256, 2995 links; towards the south-east by Allotment 259, 1665 links; towards the south-west by Allotment 258, 3044 links; and towards the north-west by a road, 1650 links. The land was Crown-granted to one James Walker, formerly a private in the 1st Regiment of Waikato Militia, 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 15th day of May, 1912.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

Half-yearly Statement of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Australasia in New Zealand.

HALF-YEARLY return of the aggregate average amount of the weekly liabilities and assets of the Bank of Australasia within the Dominion of New Zealand from the 17th day of October, 1911, to the 15th day of April, 1912, inclusive. (Published pursuant to the Royal Charter of Incorporation.)

	£	s.	d.
Bills in circulation not bearing interest ..	22,390	6	4
Notes in circulation not bearing interest ..	145,681	5	4
Bills and notes in circulation bearing interest ..	..	..	..
Balances due to other banks ..	..	..	..
Cash deposited not bearing interest ..	1,523,195	3	11
Cash deposited bearing interest ..	569,634	16	7
Total liabilities within the Dominion	£2,260,901	12	2
	£	s.	d.
Coin and bullion ..	704,649	0	8
Landed property (bank premises) ..	35,602	12	0
Notes and bills of other banks ..	28,556	3	4
Balances due from other banks ..	..	..	..
Debts due to the corporation, including notes, bills, and other securities ..	3,501,489	17	10
Total assets within the Dominion	£4,270,297	13	10

A. P. WEBSTER, Inspector.
R. SWANSTON, Accountant.

Wellington, 24th April, 1912.

Officiating Ministers for 1912.—Notice No. 20.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 15th May, 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 intitled the Marriage Act, 1908, the following name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

Church of Christ.

FRED. WILSON GREENWOOD.

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in Auckland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 14th May, 1912.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease or License No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
O.R.P.	3886	7	XVI	Waoku	A. G. Rogers ..	Non-signature of license.
L.P.	2080	19	VIII	Matamata Township	C. Klette ..	Non-fulfilment of conditions.
O.R.P.	3888	18	XVI	Waoku	J. Krivan, sen. ..	"
"	3611	3	XII	"	W. Winter ..	"
"	3884	7	"	"	C. Gabel ..	"
"	4026	4	IX	Maramarua ..	S. J. McMullien ..	Selector's request.
"	3900	24, 25, 26	XVI	Waoku	A. McM. Campbell ..	"
R.L.	506	5	XV	Hetana	G. T. Edwards ..	"
"	519	1	III	Rotorua	A. W. Smith ..	Abandoned.
"	417	17	XIV	Hukerenui ..	W. J. Denny ..	"
"	354	6	XVI	"	G. Russell ..	"
"	520	7	"	Otanewainuku ..	J. Brown ..	"
O.R.P.	3885	5	"	Waoku	J. A. Johansen ..	"
"	3932	182	Parish	Waimana	E. J. Wood ..	"
"	3646	7	II	Tutamoe	W. Whalley ..	"

G. W. RUSSELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Land in Taranaki Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 14th May, 1912.

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

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by
O.R.P.	5	II	Heao	Harold Webby.

THOS. MACKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Lands in Wellington Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 14th May, 1912.

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by
O.R.P.	860	19	IV	Pohangina	F. Gagern.
V.H.R.L.	125	11, 12	XIX	Ohakune Village Settlement ..	A. A. Larsen.
"	120	16, 17, 28, 29, 30	"	Marshall Village Settlement ..	S. Jackson.
"	58	2	"	Ohakune Village Settlement ..	J. Blair.
Mis. L.	149	84	II	Hunua	T. Pohipohi.
S.G.R.	198	2	"	Ruahine	W. Page.
R.L.	12	8	"	Nukumaru	T. W. Garrett.
V.H.R.L.	145	41	"	Ohakune Village Settlement ..	H. H. McDonald.
O.R.P.	1010	7	VIII	Whirinaki	A. Hadley.
L.S.R.L.	59	9	II	Belmont	Mrs. E. Weldon.
"	52	35	"	Hawtrey Settlement ..	
V.H.R.L.	24	26	"	Ohakune Village Settlement ..	J. T. Innes.
"	33	36	"	"	P. B. Petersen.
"	136	28	"	"	F. McLaughlan.
T.R.L.	108	4	XV	Horopito West Township ..	J. S. Sandbrook.
					W. R. Raynel.

THOS. MACKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Land in Wellington Land District surrendered.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 16th April, 1912.
 NOTICE is hereby given that a surrender of the lease of the undermentioned land having been accepted by resolution of the Wellington Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by
R.L. ..	18	31	VII	Manganui ..	J. J. Walker.

THOS. MACKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Land in Nelson Land District surrendered.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 14th May, 1912.
 NOTICE is hereby given that a surrender of the lease of the undermentioned land having been accepted by resolution of the Nelson Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	Formerly held by
R.L. ..	50	II	Reefton	A. R. P. 51 0 0	William Patterson.

THOS. MACKENZIE,
Minister of Lands.

Land in Southland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 14th May, 1912.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the undermentioned land having been forfeited by resolution of the Southland Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease or License No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by
O.R.P. ..	510	1	XI	Alton ..	Emily Clara Crow.

G. W. RUSSELL,
For Minister of Lands.

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

Department of Lands and Survey,
Auckland, 15th May, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of the Land Act, 1908, and the regulations thereunder, that written tenders will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, from the proprietors of existing sawmills and logging contractors up till 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, 28th May, 1912, for the purchase of the kauri timber standing on the undermentioned lot.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—OHINEMURI COUNTY.

Crown Land, Part Block VIII, Ohinemuri Survey District (Waiharakeke Stream).

86 KAURI trees, containing approximately 252,540 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brand thus : Δ
 Time for removal : One year.
 Upset price : 2s. per 100 sup. ft.

CONDITIONS.

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

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

3. No tender will be considered wherein a less royalty is offered than the upset price above stated.

4. The quantity stated is standing measurement, and only those trees bearing the special distinguishing brand shown are included in this sale.

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

6. In the event of the above lot not being disposed of, applications may be received and dealt with at any time

within six months from the above date of closing of tenders (unless previously formally withdrawn), providing, however, that the amount offered is not less than the upset price stated herein.

7. Tenders must be submitted on forms which will be supplied on application to the Postmasters, Paeroa and Waihi, or to the above office, and envelopes enclosing same to be marked "Tender for Timber," and addressed to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland.

8. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

TERMS.

Tenders for the timber must be accompanied by a deposit of 5 per cent. on the amount of tender in cash, marked cheque, or post-office order; the balance to be paid, if tender accepted, within fourteen days after date of acceptance, together with the timber-cutting license fee of £1 1s.

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 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. McCLURE,
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.

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.

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.
63	12	A. R. P. 1 0 32.37	£ s. d. 150 0 0

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

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Education Reserve for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Hokitika, 16th April, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up till 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 22nd day of May, 1912, for a lease of the undermentioned reserve for a term of twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF AHAURA.—EDUCATION RESERVE.

Sections.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
33, 34, 35	A. R. P. 0 0 36	£ s. d. 0 15 0

Weighted with £20, valuation for clearing, orchard, and fencing.

Terms and Conditions of Lease.

1. Tenders to be indorsed "Lease of Sections 33, 34, 35, Town of Ahaura," and to be addressed to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Hokitika.
2. Tenders must be accompanied by a deposit of one half-year's rent at the rate offered, together with lease and registration fees, the amount of the valuation for improvements, and stamp duty.
3. Term of lease is twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for successive terms of twenty-one years.
4. Rent of renewal lease to be fixed by arbitration. If lessee does not desire new lease at end of any term, land to be leased by auction. The incoming lessee to pay the value of the improvements, which is to be handed over to the outgoing lessee.
5. No transfer or sublease allowed without consent.
6. Lessee to keep the land clear of noxious weeds.
7. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrear.
8. Buildings on land to be insured.
9. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

The form of lease, which is under section 2 (5) of the Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1910, and section 5 (e) of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908, may be perused and full particulars obtained at this office.

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 7th May, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that part of Section 7, Block II, Heringa Survey District, containing 4 acres 1 rood 10 perches, will be disposed of to the holder of adjoining land under section 128 of the Land Act, 1908, on and after Friday, 9th August, 1912.

W. H. SKINNER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Gisborne.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 6th May, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Gisborne on the 20th day of May, 1912, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Gisborne, 1912-16.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
755	{ Aporo Paerata Waioeka Paraone and Harata Pahoho	Puhatikotiko 2A No. 1. Waituhi No. 2A.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Gisborne.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 11th May, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Gisborne on the 27th day of May, 1912, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Gisborne, 1912-17.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR COMPENSATION FOR IMPROVEMENTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
756	Matene Kaipau	Tarewauru A No. 2B.

APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT OF BOUNDARIES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
757	Tu Rewini	Whareongaonga C 4 and C 5.

APPLICATION FOR AUTHORITY FOR RECEIVER TO EXECUTE MORTGAGE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
758	T. W. Porter	Whangara B 1, B 2, K, and N	Application for authority and direction to the receiver to execute a mortgage in favour of the applicant over the interest of Rapata Taita, deceased.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
759	Mary Vaughan	Opoho No. 1.
760	"	" No. 2.
761	"	" No. 3A.
762	"	" No. 3B.
763	"	" No. 3C.
764	"	" 4E No. 1.
765	"	" 4E No. 2.
766	"	" 4E No. 3.
767	"	" 5B.
768	"	" 5C.
769	"	" 4E No. 4.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Native Lands for Lease by Public Tender.—257 Acres.

Office of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board,
Gisborne, 25th April, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at the office of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board, at Gisborne, up to 4 p.m. on Monday, the 10th day of June, 1912, for leases of the under-mentioned lands, for a period of twenty-one years, with a right to a renewal for a further term of twenty-one years, under the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1909, and the regulations made thereunder.

SCHEDULE

WAIKOHU COUNTY.—HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Lot No.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
<i>Rangatira 3a1 Block.—Block XVI, Mangatu Survey District, C.T. Vol. 42, Folio 59, P.B.R.</i>		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	83 0 0	55 0 0
<i>Kumukumu Block.—Block XIII, Waingaromia Survey District, C.T. Vol. 40, Folio 202, P.B.R.</i>		
2	55 3 0	30 0 0
<i>Hauomatuku No. 8a Block.—Block XIII, Waingaromia Survey District, C.T. Vol. 41, Folio 282, P.B.R.</i>		
3	47 2 0	18 0 0
<i>Hauomatuku No. 9b Block.—Block XIII, Waingaromia Survey District, C.T. Vol. 41, Folio 214, P.B.R.</i>		
4	27 1 29	10 0 0
<i>Hauomatuku No. 9c Block.—Block XIII, Waingaromia Survey District, C.T. Vol. 41, Folio 215, P.B.R.</i>		
5	43 0 27	16 0 0

Lots Nos. 2, 3, 4, and 5 are subject to Lease No. 3470, being license to cut and remove timber therefrom for the space of seven years from the 7th March, 1911.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

- Land to be leased by the Board under the provisions of Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909, and the regulations made thereunder, and all leases to conform to the requirements of the said Act and regulations.
- Applicants to be twenty-one years of age and upwards.
- Term of lease, twenty-one years, with the right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years.
- The rental shall not be less than the given upset annual rental for the first term of twenty-one years, and shall be not less than 5 per cent. on the then unimproved value for the second term of twenty-one years; and in no case shall the rent for the second term be less than the rent for the first term.
- Every tender shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope addressed to the President, and marked on the outside as follows: "Tender for Lease of Lot No. , as advertised in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the day of , 1912."
- If any person desires to tender for more than one lot, a separate tender for each lot must be made.
- Each tender must be accompanied by six months' rent at the rate tendered, together with lease fee of £3 3s., registration fee of 10s., and an amount sufficient to cover stamp duty.
- Subject to the upset annual rental the highest qualified tenderer to be declared the lessee.
- Successful applicants to sign agreements to lease after being notified of acceptance of tender.
- Lessee to make necessary declaration and execute lease within thirty days after signing agreement to lease.
- In case of default, deposit may be forfeited and lots re-leased.
- Including all other land already owned, held, or occupied, no person may hold more than 3,000 acres as computed by the Native Land Act, 1909.
- Rent to be paid in advance on the 1st days of January and July.
- Transfer not allowed until after one year of continuous residence.

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- Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
- Lessee has no right to timber or minerals without license.
- On expiry of lease, lessee's improvements will be valued and protected.
- Title being Land Transfer, no objection to be taken.
- Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.
- Lots to be taken as correctly described.

INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS.

Tenders must be sent to the office of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board, at Gisborne, and must be on the proper forms, to be obtained at the office of the said Board.

Full particulars may be obtained on application at the office of the said Board at Gisborne.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waimarino Reserve D (1,410 acres) will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui, on Saturday, the 22nd day of June, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

- A proposed lease of the said block to Harry Hunt, of Taumarunui, settler, for a term of forty-two years, at a yearly rental of 1s. 6d. per acre for the first twenty-one years, and 5 per cent. on the then unimproved value for the balance of the term; or, in the alternative
- A proposed sale of the said block to the said Harry Hunt for the sum of £1 5s. per acre."

Dated at Wanganui, this 13th day of May, 1912.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Ohura South D, Section 2 (140 acres), will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui, on Saturday, the 26th day of June, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

- "That this land, containing 140 acres, be sold to Watkins Bros. for the price of £1 per acre; or, in the alternative, that the land be leased to Watkins Bros. at 1s. per acre per annum."

Dated at Wanganui, this 13th day of May, 1912.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tupapanui 2b2 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui, on Friday, the 7th day of June, 1912, at 2 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 shall be accepted."

Dated at Wanganui, this 13th day of May, 1912.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waimarino No. 2 (1,640 acres) will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Pipiriki, on Friday, the 14th day of June, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the portion of the block, containing by estimation 1,640 acres, lying to the southward of the Kahura Stream, be leased to Margaret Ward, of Oamaru, married woman, for a term of forty-two years from the 1st day of July, 1912, at the yearly rental of 1s. per acre for the first twenty-one years thereof, and at a rental of 5 per cent. for the remaining twenty-one years of the term at 5 per cent. on the unimproved value thereof as existing on the 1st day of July, 1933.”

Dated at Wanganui, this 13th day of May, 1912.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waimarino No. 2 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Pipiriki, on Friday, the 14th day of June, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That portion of this block, containing by estimation 1,800 acres, lying to the northward of the Kahura Stream, be leased to Martha Craig, of Oamaru, spinster, for a term of forty-two years from the 1st day of July, 1912, at the yearly rental of 1s. per acre for the first twenty-one years thereof, and at a rental for the remaining twenty-one years of the term at 5 per cent. on the unimproved value thereof, disclosed by the Government valuation thereof as existing on the 1st day of July, 1933.”

Dated at Wanganui, this 13th day of May, 1912.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Tuhi 2B No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 26th day of June, 1912, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a lease of the said land be granted to Frank Dillon Allen for a term of forty-two years at 2s. per acre, or such annual rental as to the Board seems just, for the first twenty-one years of the term, and for the remainder of the term a sum equal to 5 per cent. on the unimproved value of the said land at the end of the first twenty-one years.”

Dated at Wanganui, this 13th day of May, 1912.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Mangawhero West 2B No. 1, containing 157 acres, will

be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 26th day of June, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said block of land be sold to Jessie Campbell Polson, of Mangawhero, married woman, at the price of £10 per acre.”

Dated at Wanganui, this 13th day of May, 1912.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Tuhi 1B Block, containing 1,425 acres, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 26th day of June, 1912, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the above block, less 75 acres taken for scenic purposes, be sold to Thomas McFayden at a price equal to £2 per acre; or, in the alternative, that the said block, less 75 acres taken for scenic purposes, be leased to Thomas McFayden for the term of forty-two years from the 25th day of July, 1907, at the annual rental of 1s. 9d. per acre for the first twenty-one years, and at a rental equivalent to £5 per centum on the unimproved value of the said land for the last twenty-one years of the term, such lease to contain the usual covenants.”

Dated at Wanganui, this 13th day of May, 1912.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waimarino 5B No. 8, containing 161 acres, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 26th day of June, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be leased to William McDonnell, of Wanganui, for a term of forty-two years at an annual rental of 9d. per acre for the first twenty-one years, and 5 per cent. on unimproved value for second twenty-one years; lease to contain usual covenants.”

Dated at Wanganui, this 13th day of May, 1912.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waimarino B No. 3B2A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui, on Saturday, the 22nd day of June, 1912, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be leased to Kuru Poinga for forty-two years—twenty-one years at 5 per cent. on the capital value of the land, and twenty-one years at 5 per cent. on Government unimproved value.”

Dated at Wanganui, this 13th day of May, 1912.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Otiranui No. 5b (83 acres 1 rood 8 perches) will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui, on Thursday, the 27th day of June, 1912, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to Frances Ethel Webster (*nee* Tansy) for the sum of £291 11s.”

Dated at Wanganui, this 13th day of May, 1912.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Otiranui 5c (59 acres 2 roods) will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui, on Thursday, the 27th day of June, 1912, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to Frances Ethel Webster (*nee* Tansy) for the sum of £208 5s.”

Dated at Wanganui, this 13th day of May, 1912.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tupapanui 2b No. 1 (208 acres), Tupapanui 2b No. 2 (1,792 acres), will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui, on Friday, the 7th day of June, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be leased to D. H. Sinclair for forty-two years at 5 per cent. on Government valuation.”

Dated at Wanganui, this 13th day of May, 1912.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waimarino A No. 17, containing 1,200 acres, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui, on Thursday, the 27th day of June, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said block be leased to Robert Henry Stewart, of Auckland, farmer, for the term of forty-two years, at the yearly rental of 1s. 6d. per acre for the first period of twenty-one years of the said term, and 2s. 6d. per acre for the last twenty-one years of the term.”

Dated at Wanganui, this 13th day of May, 1912.

J. B. JACK,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ANDREW ROBERT DUNN, of St. Helier's Bay, Auckland, Settler, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Friday, the 17th day of May, 1912, at 11 o'clock.

Auckland, 10th May, 1912.
W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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.

Aulsebrook, R., of Auckland, Draper and Milliner: Second, 7½d. in the pound.

Flewellyn and Son, of Auckland, Builders: First and final, 10½d. in the pound.

Whitbread, W., of Auckland, Grocer and Fruiterer: 1st and final, 1s. 10½d. in the pound.

Wilson, G. T., of Auckland, Engineer: First and final, 6s. 8d. in the pound.

Auckland, 30th April, 1912.
W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN HODGSON, of New Plymouth, Marine Engineer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 20th May, 1912, at 2.30 p.m.

New Plymouth, 10th May, 1912.
J. S. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that a second and final dividend of 2½d. in the pound, making in all a total dividend of 5s. 8½d., is now payable on all proved and accepted claims in the estate of ALBERT EDWARD BURGESS, of Stratford, Boot and Shoe Importer. Promissory notes, if any, to be produced for indorsement prior to payment of dividend.

Stratford, 10th May, 1912.
ALFRED COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE SMITH, of Wanganui, Fishmonger, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Monday, the 27th day of May, 1912, at 10 o'clock a.m.

13th May, 1912.
W. RODWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

DIVIDENDS as under are now payable at my office, Perry Street, Masterton, on all proved accepted claims:—

Henry Claude Bertie Corbett, of Masterton, Tobacco: 6d. in the pound (second and final, making 4s. 6d. in all).

William Pauling, of Masterton, Tailor: 2s. 1½d. in the pound (first and final).

Promissory notes must be produced for indorsement of dividend.

Masterton, 6th May, 1912.
W. B. CHENNELLS,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that **LUCY HARRIETT TOOMER**, wife of **Albert Frederick Toomer**, of Tuam Street, Christchurch, Boot-manufacturer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, on Thursday, the 16th day of May, 1912, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

9th May, 1912. **J. EVANS**,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that statements of accounts and balance sheets in respect of the undermentioned estates, together with the report of the Audit Office thereon, have been duly filed in the above Court; and I hereby further give notice that at the sitting of the said Court, to be holden on Wednesday, the 29th day of May, 1912, I intend to apply for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 14th day of May, 1912.

Darby, Henry.	Heasley, W. J.
Oliver, L. M.	May, H. E.
Selwood, Tom.	White, A. J. W.
Mora, P. B. J.	Gill, E. P.
Dickie, Jeanie.	Gill, C. S.
Whall, James.	Crump, F.
Charlett, L. P.	N.Z. Wholesale Club (Limited).
Matthews, H. C.	Glasson, H. A.
Greer, D. G.	Din, M.
Oldman, W. L.	Dickinson, William.
Darracott, E. J.	Haigh, Robert.
Lander, H. C.	Dabourn, G. H.
Hunter, G. C.	Platt, T. H.
Darroch, Robert.	

J. EVANS,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that **ROBERT WOOD**, of Temuka, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at the Courthouse, Temuka, on Thursday, the 16th day of May, 1912, at 11 o'clock.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Timaru, 8th May, 1912.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

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

5314. **ROBERT KAY**.—Part Allotments 88, 88A, 92, Parish Ngaroto, containing 52 acres 3 roods. Occupied by **William Henry Brough**. Plan 6985.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of May, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

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

5052. **ISAAC WATTS**.—Lots 4, 5 of 16, Section 7, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 1 rood. Occupied by **W. Rutherford and Mrs. Squires**. Plan 6764.

5277. **FREDERICK HERBERT GOODMAN**.—Lot 53 of part of Allotment 12, Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 12 07 perches. Unoccupied. Plan 7623.

5296. **THOMAS NAPIER**.—Lots 9, 10 of Lots 5 and 8 of Allotment 190, Parish of Takapuna, containing 2 acres 2 roods 27 1 perches. Unoccupied. Plan 7564.

5321. **ARTHUR EDWARD BABER and WILLIAM FLOYD HARROP**.—Part Allotment 19, Section 14, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 2 roods 30 4 perches. Occupied by **Mary Elizabeth Baber, Eleanor Primrose Baber, and Edith Baber**. Plan 7649.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of May, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein-after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 18th day of June, 1912.

EMILY WOOD.—Section 1600, Town of New Plymouth. Unoccupied. No. 1257.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of May, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

A. V. STURTEVANT,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a discharge of Mortgage 17260, in favour of **LEONARD STOREY**, over Agricultural Section 37, and part of Agricultural Section 40, Turiroa District, all the land in Lease No. 2893 and in certificates of title, Vol. 16, folios 97 and 98, and evidence of the loss of the said mortgage having been lodged, I hereby give notice that I will register the said discharge, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Napier, this 13th day of May, 1912.

F. ASPINALL,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein-after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 17th day of June, 1912.

Application 1419. **JAMES HUGHES**.—4 acres 3 roods 8 perches, comprising Town Sections 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, and 91 on the plan of the Township of Hampden. Occupied by **Samuel K. Ritchie and Frederick Parkinson**.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of May, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

F. ASPINALL,
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 17th June, 1912.

Application 4492 (Plan A/3015). **JAMES HIGGIE, WILLIAM REID KELLICK, and ADRIAN HIGGIE**.—426 acres 1 rood 37 perches, Sections 53, 54, and 59, and parts of Sections 56, 112, and 113, left bank, Wanganui River, Block VI, Ikitara Survey District. Occupied by **Annie Higgie, Leonard Higgie, John Selby Morton, and Alexander Donald Mackintosh**.

Application 4499 (Plan A/3016). **THE MATIPO LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY (LIMITED)**.—28 acres 2 roods 1 3 perches, part of Section 232, right bank, Wanganui River, Block V, Westmere Survey District. Occupied by **Elizabeth Jane Barns**.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 15th day of May, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

APPPLICATION having been made for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the name of THOMAS HOWARD, of Westport, Carpenter, for Section 629, Town of Westport, certificate of title, Vol. 2, folio 169, and evidence having been lodged with me as to the loss of the original certificate, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional certificate as requested at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at Nelson, this 10th day of May, 1912.

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

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

1482. JOHN ALLCOCK.—101 acres 2 roods 33 perches, Section 31, Moutere District. Occupied by Applicant. Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of May, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

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

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

SECTION 266, SUBSECTION (4).

TAKE notice that the name of the Co-operative Saw-milling Company of Taranaki (Limited) has been struck off the Register, and the company has been dissolved.

Dated 8th day of May, 1912, at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at New Plymouth.

A. V. STURTEVANT,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Ben Nevis Sluicing Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration: 13th March, 1907.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Dunedin; P. H. Power.
Nominal capital: £2,750.
Amount of capital subscribed: £2,750.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,750; and levy, 6s. 6d. per share, £893 15s.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 2,750.
Number of shares allotted: 2,750.
Amount paid per share: £1.
Amount called up per share: £1.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 8.
Present number of shareholders: 15.
Number of men employed by company: 6.
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 161 oz. 3 dwt. 5 gr.; value, £629 6s. 6d.
Total quantity and value produced since registration: 1,584 oz. 17 dwt. 5 gr.; £6,060 9s. 1d.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £929 12s. 7d.
Total expenditure since registration: £7,021 8s. 7d.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
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: £10.
Amount of debts considered good: £10.
Amount of debts owing by company: £706 14s. 10d.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Pierce Herbert Power, of Dunedin, the Manager of the Ben Nevis Sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1911; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the *Justices of the Peace Act, 1908*.

P. H. POWER,
Manager.

Declared at Dunedin, this 30th day of January, 1912, before me—H. W. Bundle, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 389

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Cardrona Dredging Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration:
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Alexandra; George Rivers, Secretary.
Nominal capital: £2,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £2,000.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,000.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 2,000.
Number of shares allotted: 2,000.
Amount paid per share: £1.
Amount called up per share: £1.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 19.
Present number of shareholders: 17.
Number of men employed by company: 8.
Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: £1,528 16s.
Total quantity and value produced since registration: £1,870 15s. 2d.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £1,639 1s. 8d.
Total expenditure since registration: £3,351 0s. 5d.
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
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: £630 0s. 5d.
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, George Rivers, of Alexandra South, the Secretary of the Cardrona Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1910; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the *Justices of the Peace Act, 1908*.

GEORGE RIVERS,
Secretary.

Declared at Alexandra, this 13th day of May, 1912, before me—Edward Marslin, J.P. 400

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Name of company: Cardrona Dredging Company (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration:
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Alexandra; George Rivers, Secretary.
Nominal capital: £2,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £2,000.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,000.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 2,000.
Number of shares allotted: 2,000.
Amount paid per share: £1.
Amount called up per share: £1.
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 19.
 Present number of shareholders: 14.
 Number of men employed by company: 8.
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 619 oz. 17 dwt. 13 gr.; £2,430 1s. 4d.
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: £4,360 16s. 6d.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £1,663 3s. 5d.
 Total expenditure since registration: £5,014 3s. 10d.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash in bank: £155 18s. 9d.
 Amount of cash in hand: £2 10s. 4d.
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of debts owing by company: £214 11s.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, George Rivers, of Alexandra South, the Secretary of the Cardrona Dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1911; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

GEORGE RIVERS,
 Secretary.

Declared at Alexandra, this 13th day of May, 1912, before me—Edward Marslin, J.P. 401

AUCKLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Auckland Grammar School Act, 1899, it is hereby notified that E. ROBERTON, Esq., M.D., has been reappointed a Senate's member of the Auckland Grammar School Board.

W. WALLACE KIDD,
 Returning Officer.

Auckland, 8th May, 1912. 390

AUCKLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Auckland Grammar School Act, 1899, it is hereby notified that Mr. ALFRED KIDD has been re-elected a member of the Auckland Grammar School Board by the members of the General Assembly of the Provincial District of Auckland.

W. WALLACE KIDD,
 Returning Officer.

Auckland, 8th May, 1912. 391

BYRON BROWN (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company held at Otaki on the 12th day of December, 1911, the following special resolution of the company was confirmed:—

"That the whole of the assets of the company, including the book debts, be sold to Mr. Byron Paul Brown, of Otaki, merchant, for the sum of £7,000.

"That the company be wound up voluntarily, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908, and that the said BYRON PAUL BROWN be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.

"That the Liquidator be directed to sell and transfer the whole of the assets of the said company, including the book debts, to the said Byron Paul Brown for the consideration above mentioned."

BYRON BROWN,
 Liquidator.

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BYRON BROWN (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the members of BYRON BROWN (LIMITED) will be held at the registered office of the company, at Otaki, on Friday, the 31st day of May, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive the account of the Liquidator, showing the manner in which the winding-up of the company has been conducted and the assets disposed of.

BYRON BROWN,
 Liquidator.

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THE COUNTY OF MATAMATA.

THE MOTOR REGULATION ACT, 1908.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that the Matamata County Council has, by resolution passed on the 1st day of April, 1912, decided that Part II of the Motor Regulation Act, 1908, be brought into force in the County of Matamata on and after the 11th day of May, 1912.
 Dated at Cambridge, this 1st day of April, 1912.
 By order of the Matamata County Council.

S. LEWIS,
 Clerk.

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RAGLAN COUNTY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL ORDER MAKING BUILDING BY-LAW.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon it by the Public Health Act, 1908, the Public Health Amendment Act, 1910, the Counties Act, 1908, and its amendments, and of every other power (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Council of the County of Raglan doth hereby ordain as follows:—

1. In this by-law, unless the context shall require a different construction,—

"Council" shall mean the Council of the County of Raglan;

"County" shall mean the Raglan County;

"House" includes hotel, boardinghouse, and any building in which human beings dwell or are intended to dwell.

The erection of a dwellinghouse shall be deemed to include the erection for the purpose of a dwellinghouse of any building pulled down to within 5 ft. of the ground, or the conversion into a dwellinghouse of any building not originally constructed for human habitation, or the conversion into more than one dwellinghouse of a building originally constructed as one house only, or an addition to a house (so far as such addition is concerned), or the procuring of an existing house or of any other building or part of a dwelling intended to be re-erected and used as a dwellinghouse or part of a dwellinghouse, and placing the same upon any site within the county.

Words in the singular number shall include the plural, and vice versa, and any reference to a person shall extend and apply to a corporation.

The ground upon which any dwellinghouse is erected, together with the whole curtilage thereof enclosed within the boundary fences, walls, or lines of the premises, shall be deemed to be the site of such house within the meaning of these by-laws.

2. No person shall, after this by-law comes into force, erect a dwellinghouse in the county upon any site—

- (a.) With a less frontage than 66 ft. to some public road;
- (b.) Of a less area than a quarter of an acre.

It shall be sufficient compliance with clause (a) of this paragraph if such site shall have an uninterrupted frontage to the sea or to a river or tidal creek of not less than 66 ft.

3. No person shall, after this by-law comes into force, erect a shop, or shop and dwellinghouse combined, in the county upon any site—

- (a.) With a less frontage than 40 ft. to some public road;
- (b.) Of a less area than one-sixth of an acre.

Provided, however, that the external walls of such shops shall be constructed of non-combustible material other than corrugated iron.

4. No person shall erect, or suffer, permit, or allow to remain erected, any building on any land within the county whereby the site of any such dwellinghouse as is mentioned in clause 2 hereof shall—

- (a.) Have its frontage to a public road, or to the sea, or to a river or tidal creek reduced to less than 66 ft.;
- (b.) Have its area reduced to less than a quarter of an acre.

5. No person shall sell, lease, deal with, or dispose of any land upon which any such dwellinghouse or shop, or shop and dwellinghouse as is mentioned in clause 2 hereof, shall be erected in such manner that the minimum frontage or minimum area as prescribed by this by-law for the site of such dwellinghouse or shop shall be diminished or reduced.

6. Nothing in this by-law contained shall apply to any allotment of land shown on a plan of subdivision deposited in any Lands or Deeds Registration Office or approved by the Raglan County Council prior to the passing of the Public Health Amendment Act, 1910.

7. If the Council is satisfied upon due inquiry that a full compliance with all or any of these by-laws or any provisions thereof would injuriously affect the course and operation of business, or be attended with great loss and inconvenience to any person, or would work a wrong, then and under such circumstances the Council may on special application in any particular case, and upon such terms and conditions as it shall in each particular case see fit to impose,—

- (a.) Relax or modify the strict observance of or compliance with any provision of these by-laws; or
(b.) Dispense with the observance of or compliance with any provision of these by-laws.

8. It shall be the duty of every person applying to the Council to exercise the powers in the last clause mentioned to produce clear evidence in support of such application, and of the grounds upon which he makes the same, in order that the Council may be fully satisfied of the merits of such application.

9. The penalty for any breach of this by-law shall be a fine not exceeding £5, and in the case of a continuous breach an additional fine not exceeding £5 for every day on which the breach is continued after the first day.

This by-law shall be in force from the 16th day of May, 1912.

The above resolution was duly passed by the Raglan County Council as a special order at a special meeting of the said Council held on the 20th day of March, 1912, and confirmed at a special meeting held on the 8th day of May, 1912.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Raglan has hereunto been affixed this 8th day of May, 1912, in the presence of—

CAMPBELL JOHNSTONE,
Chairman.
FRANK ANNANDALE,
Councillor.
H. MARSLAND,
Clerk.

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THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Brunner Collieries (Limited), a company duly incorporated in England, intends to commence business in New Zealand, and that its place of business will be at Stillwater, near Greymouth.

Dated this 7th day of May, 1912.

D. E. THORNTON,
Attorney of the Company.

Sargent and Chalk, Solicitors, Greymouth. 396

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between JOHN FREDERICK BAILEY, PHILIP MILBURN, and JOSEPH BAILEY, carrying on business at Dunedin as Advertising Agents, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will be carried on in future by the said PHILIP MILBURN alone in the same style.

Dated this 12th day of April, 1912.

JOHN FREDERICK BAILEY.
PHILIP MILBURN.
JOSEPH BAILEY.

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I, JOHN BRUCE BAIRD, B.Sc., Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery (Univ. of Glasgow), member Royal Col. Surg. (England), Licentiate Royal Col. Phys. (London), now residing in Masterton, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 13th June next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar-General.

J. B. BAIRD.

Dated at Masterton, 13th May, 1912. 398

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the Atlas Brush Company (Limited).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of the above-named company duly convened and held at Auckland on the 30th day of April, 1912, it was resolved, "That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the shareholders that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that the same be wound up voluntarily." And at the same meeting A. M. PICKFORD, Accountant, of Auckland, was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.

Dated this 6th day of May, 1912.

J. C. WILSON,
Chairman.

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I, BERTRAM CHARLES ALEXANDER LEEPER, L.R.C.P.I. L.M., L.R.C.S.I. L.M. (Rotunda), now residing in Ti-tree, Hawke's Bay, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 8th June next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Napier.

BERTRAM C. A. LEEPER,
L.R.C.P.S.I. L.M. (Rotunda).

Dated at Ti-tree Point, 4th May, 1912. 402

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the New Zealand Wholesale Club (Limited), (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 2nd day of August, 1911, an extraordinary resolution was passed by the shareholders of the above company that it having been proved to the satisfaction of the company that it could not, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, it was advisable to wind up the same.

The voluntary Liquidators of the company are Messrs. A. TYREE and H. J. MARRINER, both of Christchurch, Merchants.

RUSSELL AND ANTHONY,
403 Solicitors to the Liquidators, Christchurch.

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