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Laying out and taking a Road through Whakapaupakihi Nos. 1, 2, and 3 Blocks, Motu Survey District, Hawke's Bay Land District.

[L.S.] ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section three hundred and eighty-nine of the Native Land Act, 1909, I, Robert Stout, the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby lay out and take as a road the lands described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area 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. 3 0 38	Whakapaupakihi No. 1 Block	II	Motu..	L. & S. 1911/1275	Purple.
0 3 13	Whakapaupakihi No. 2 Block	"	" ..	Ditto ..	Red.
0 2 23	Whakapaupakihi No. 3 Block	"	" ..	" ..	"

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 Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Honourable Sir Robert Stout, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Chief Justice, Administrator of the Government 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 December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land reserved under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908.

[L.S.] ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

Now, therefore, I, Robert Stout, the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers contained in the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereunder shall be a scenic reserve under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and subject to the provisions thereof.

SCHEDULE.

PAHIATUA HILL SCENIC RESERVE EXTENSION.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 8.2 perches, more or less, being an area of closed road situated in Block XI, Mangahao Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the main road, 320 links; towards the north-east by a public road, 35.1 links; and towards the south-east by Subdivision No. 7 of the Pahiatua Native Reserve, 309.2 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

Also all that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 21.8 perches, more or less, being an area of closed road situated in Block XI, Mangahao Survey District. Bounded towards the south-west, north

west, and north-east by the main road, 120.9 links, 347 links, and 106.9 links; and towards the south-east by Subdivision No. 7, Pahiatua Native Reserve, 334.5 links and 91 links.

Be all the aforesaid linkages more or less, as the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 225/56, deposited at the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Honourable Sir Robert Stout, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Chief Justice, Administrator of the Government 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 December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land reserved under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908.

[L.S.] ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

Now, therefore, I, Robert Stout, the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers contained in the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereunder shall be a scenic reserve under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and subject to the provisions thereof.

SCHEDULE.

TURAKINA RIVER BANK.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre and 28 perches, more or less, being part of Section 13, Block XII, Mangawhero Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east and east generally by a public road, 309.8 links, 187.8 links, and 40 links; towards the south-east generally by other part of said Section 13; and towards the west by Section 18, Block XII aforesaid, 83.2 links and 364 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 460/28A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Honourable Sir Robert Stout, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Chief Justice, Administrator of the Government 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 December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking the Reservation over Portion of a Scenic Reserve in the Wellington Land District.

[L.S.] ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by Proclamation dated the tenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fifteenth day of the same month, certain land in the Wellington Land District was declared to be a reserve under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908:

And whereas the parcels of land described in the Schedule hereto (being parts of the land so set apart) are no longer suitable for scenic purposes by reason of the destruction of the forest thereon:

Now, therefore, I, Robert Stout, the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on me by section eight of the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910, do hereby revoke the Proclamation aforesaid in so far as it relates to the parcels of land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 23 perches, more or less, being part of Section 18, Block XII, Mangawhero Survey District, formerly part of Section 7, Pukeroa Village. Bounded towards the north-west by other part of Section 18, Block XII, Mangawhero Survey District, 130.8 links; towards the north-east and south-east by Section 13 of said Block XII, 122.7 links and 95.3 links respectively; and towards the south-west by the Turakina Valley Road, 158.1 links.

Also all that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 roods 5 perches, more or less, being Section 27, Block XII, Mangawhero Survey District (formerly part of Section 7, Pukeroa Village). Bounded towards the west and north-west by the Turakina Valley Road, 402.1 links and 243.7 links respectively; towards the east by Section 13, Block XII, Mangawhero Survey District, 183.3 links and 430.3 links; and towards the south by Section 1 of said block, 182.8 links.

Be all the aforesaid linkages more or less; as the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 460/28B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Honourable Sir Robert Stout, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Chief Justice, Administrator of the Government 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 December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking Portion of a Proclamation reserving Lands in the Wellington Land District for Scenic Purposes.

[L.S.] ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), and of every other power enabling me in that behalf, I, Robert Stout, the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the Proclamation dated the twenty-fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 59, on the thirtieth day of that month, declaring certain lands in the Town of Pongaroa to be a scenic reserve under the provisions of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1903, and the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1906, so far as it relates to the parcels of land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 18 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 3, Block XIII, Town of Pongaroa. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 4, Block XIII, Town of Pongaroa; towards the south-east by Section No. 6 of said Block XIII; towards the south-west by Section No. 2 of said block; and towards the north-west by the Taraingahuata Stream.

Also all that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 perches, more or less, being part of Section No. 1, Block XII, Town of Pongaroa. Bounded towards the north generally by the Taraingahuata Stream, towards the south-east by Section No. 5 of said Block XII, and towards the south-west by a closed road.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 326/15, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Honourable Sir Robert Stout, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Chief Justice, Administrator of the Government 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 December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking Portion of a Proclamation reserving Lands in the Auckland Land District for Scenic Purposes.

[L.S.] ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), and of every other power enabling me in that behalf, I, Robert Stout, the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the Proclamation dated the tenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 13, on the fifteenth day of that month, declaring certain islands in the Hauraki Gulf to be scenic reserves under the provisions of the said Act, in so far as it relates to the lands described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ISLANDS IN HAURAKI GULF.

Name.	Approximate Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
Motu Kakarikitahi (Rat Island) ..	6	0	0
Motu Kopake ..	24	0	0
Motu Oruhe (Goat Island) ..	160	0	0
Motu Rua (Rabbit Island) ..	56	0	0
Motu Wi (Double Island) ..	64	0	0

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Honourable Sir Robert Stout, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Chief Justice, Administrator of the Government 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 December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Allocating Land reserved and taken for a Railway to the Purposes of a Road at Dunsandel, in the County of Selwyn.

[L.S.] ISLINGTON, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land taken for the purposes of the Hurunui-Waitaki 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 Selwyn, 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 Selwyn 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 parcels of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block No	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 0 3 33	Rural Section 7629	VIII	Selwyn.
0 0 20·8	" 7629	"	"
1 0 10	" 8808	"	"

In the Land District of Canterbury; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 18620, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured blue, purple, and 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 twenty-ninth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking Part of a Proclamation taking Land for the Purposes of Waterworks in Block VIII, Waitemata Survey District, Parish of Takapuna.

[L.S.] ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

And whereas it is found that the piece of land described in the Schedule hereto, being part of the land taken for the purposes of waterworks in Block VIII, Waitemata Survey District, by a Proclamation made under the Public Works Act, 1908, dated the seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (hereinafter termed "the said Proclamation"), and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 89, pages 3338 and 3339, of the ninth day of the same month, is not required for the purpose for which it was taken: And whereas compensation in respect of the taking of the said land has not been paid or awarded:

Now, therefore, I, Robert Stout, the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of all other powers enabling me

in this behalf, do hereby revoke so much of the said Proclamation as affects the piece of land described in the Schedule hereto, being part of the land taken by the said Proclamation.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land not required for the Purposes of Waterworks.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 2 33.3	Allot. 89, Parish VIII of Takapuna (16975, blue)		Waitemata	P.W.D. 32866	Edged pink.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Honourable Sir Robert Stout, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Chief Justice, Administrator of the Government 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 December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks III, Tiffin, and XIV, Mikimiki Survey Districts, Wairarapa South County.

[L.S.] ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Robert Stout, the Administrator of the Government 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, proclaim as a road the land in Tiffin and Mikimiki Survey Districts 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 Areas of the Pieces of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 5 3 13.9	361, part Lot 8, D.P. 821	III	Tiffin ..	P.W.D. 32416	Red.
3 1 14.8	363, part Lot 9, D.P. 821	XIV	Mikimiki	Ditto..	"
0 0 16	362, part Lot 11, D.P. 821	"	"	" ..	"
2 3 20.3	361, part Lot 4, D.P. 821	III	Tiffin ..	" ..	Blue.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road hereby closed.	Passing through Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 1 16	363, part Lot 2, D.P. 821	XIV	Mikimiki	P.W.D. 32416	Green.
4 1 18.5	361, part Lot 4, D.P. 821	III	Tiffin ..	Ditto..	"
3 1 8	361, part Lot 8, D.P. 821	"	" ..	" ..	"
2 2 24.1	410 ..	XIV	Mikimiki	" ..	"
6 0 27	363, part Lot 9, D.P. 821	"	"	" ..	"
3 3 4.5	363, part Lot 10, D.P. 821	"	"	" ..	"

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 Honourable Sir Robert Stout, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Chief Justice, Administrator of the Government in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks XII and XIV, Tarras Survey District, Vincent County.

[L.S.] ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Robert Stout, the Administrator of the Government 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 Vincent County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Tarras 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 Areas of the Pieces of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 3 0 9.2	10	XII	Tarras..	P.W.D. 32688	Red.
1 3 4.8	11	"	" ..	Ditto..	"
3 0 24.2	S.G.R. 236r	XII and XIV	" ..	" ..	Blue.

SECOND SCHEDULE

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road closed.	Adjoining or passing through Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 7-8	18	XII	Tarras ..	P.W.D. 32688	Green.
3 2 14-1 2 0 24-5	10 and 12 4	" XIV	" .. " ..	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 Honourable Sir Robert Stout, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Chief Justice, Administrator of the Government 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 seventh day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Licensing Radford Henry Brodrick to use and occupy Parts of the Foreshore of New River Estuary as a Site for Boat-sheds.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of November, 1912.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE J. ALLEN PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"); Radford Henry Brodrick (hereinafter called "the licensee") has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the said Act to occupy parts of the foreshore and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto, in the New River Estuary, in order to erect and maintain two boat-sheds thereon; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fiftieth section of the said Act, has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department, at Wellington, marked M.D. 3960, showing the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied, and the manner in which it is proposed to erect the boat-sheds: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council: And whereas it is expedient that a license should be granted and issued to the licensee under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the object for which the said license is required by the licensee 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 licensee to use and occupy those parts of the foreshore, and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto, on which the boat-sheds are to be erected, as shown on the plan

so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining the said boat-sheds thereon, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore, and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto, necessary for the construction of the boat-sheds, as shown on plan marked M.D. 3960.

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

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

5. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned boat-sheds in good order and repair.

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

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

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

9. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensee 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 licensee in New Zealand.

10. The licensee shall be liable for any injury which the said boat-sheds, or either of them, may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on his part.

11. In case the licensee 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 boat-sheds for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Become bankrupt, or be in any manner brought under the operation of any law for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy; or
- (4.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions,—

then and in either of the said cases this Order in Council, and every right, power, or privilege, may be revoked and determined by the Governor in Council without any notice to the licensee or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensee, 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.

12. The erection of the boat-sheds, or either of them, shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensee of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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

Boundaries of Borough of New Plymouth altered.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1912.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council under the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, which said Order in Council is dated the twenty-sixth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and is published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-ninth day of that month, it is declared that, as on and from the second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, the area described in the Schedule to the said Order in Council, being a portion of the Town District of St. Aubyn, shall be included in the Borough of New Plymouth :

And whereas by paragraph (c) of section thirty of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1912, it is enacted that the remaining portion of the said Town District of St. Aubyn shall be included in the said Borough of New Plymouth, and shall form part of such ward of that borough as the Governor by Order in Council directs :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1912, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby direct and declare that the area described in the First Schedule hereto, being the portion of the Town District of St. Aubyn that has not been added to the Borough of New Plymouth, shall form part of the St. Aubyn - Moturoa Ward of the said borough, and that the boundaries of the said ward shall be those described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

AREA TO BE ADDED TO THE BOROUGH OF NEW PLYMOUTH.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District being Section No. 9 (Fitzroy District) and Section No. 3 (Grey District), both being situated in Block IV, Paritutu Survey District.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ST. AUBYN - MOTUROA WARD.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, situated in Blocks IV and V, Paritutu Survey District, bounded towards the north-west generally by the sea from a point on the seashore in line with Paritutu Trig. Station and peg No. XIII, as shown on plan No. 1036, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at New Plymouth, to the western side of Cutfield Road; towards the north-east by the said side of Cutfield Road to a point in line with the south-eastern side of Wallace Place; again towards the north-west by a right line to and by the south-eastern side of Wallace Place to the left bank of the Huatoki Stream, by that bank to a point in line with the northern side of Davy Street, by a right line to and by the said side of Davy Street to a point in line with the western boundary-line of Allotment No. 1141; again towards the north-east by a right line to and by the western boundary-lines of Allotments Nos. 1141, 1142, 1158, 1159, and 1160, by the abutment of Wakefield Street, by the western boundary-lines of Allotments Nos. 1183, 1184, 1201, and 1202, by the abutment of Bell Street, by the western boundary-lines of Allotments Nos. 1216, 1217, 1231, 1232, and 1233, by a right line across Shortland Street to and by the western boundary-line of Allotment No. 1252 to its southernmost corner; again towards the north-west by a right line to the southernmost corner of Allotment No. 1265, by the south-eastern boundary-lines of Allotments Nos. 1265 to 1274 (inclusive), the abutment of Gover Street, the south-eastern boundary-lines of Allotments Nos. 1928 to 1943 (inclusive), across and by the north-eastern side of Elliot Street to the southernmost corner of Subdivision No. 1 of Section E, Town Belt, by the south-eastern and north-eastern boundary-lines of the said Subdivision No. 1, a distance of 2713.6 links, to the north-west boundary-line of the said Section E, and by the last-mentioned boundary-line, a distance of 458.5 links, and its production to the right bank of the Henui Stream; again towards the north-east by the said right bank to the south-eastern boundary-line of Section No. 87 (Fitzroy Dis-

trict), Block V, Paritutu Survey District, by a line in continuation of the last-mentioned boundary-line to the left bank of the Henui Stream, and by that bank to the south side of Smith Road; towards the south-east generally by the south side of Smith Road and a right line in continuation of same to the south-eastern side of Avenue Road, by the said side of Avenue Road to the eastern side of Brookland Road, by the said side of that road to the north-western corner of Section No. 75 of the said Block V, by a right line across Brookland Road, and by the north-western boundary-line of Section No. 74 of Block V aforesaid to the south-western boundary-line of Subdivision D of Section No. 61 of the said Block V, by the south-western boundary-lines of the said Subdivision D and also of Subdivision B of the said Section No. 61, by the south-east boundary-line of part Subdivision G of the said Section No. 61, by right lines intersecting Original Section No. 60 of Block V aforesaid as shown on plan hereinafter referred to, by the north-eastern and south-western boundaries of Subdivision No. 19 in the said Section No. 60, by the abutment of a road, by the north-eastern, south-eastern, and south-western boundary-lines of Subdivision No. 11 in the said Section No. 60, by the southern boundary-line of Subdivision No. 10 in the said Section No. 60, by the south-western boundary-line of Subdivision No. 9 in Section No. 60 aforesaid to its westernmost corner, by a line in continuation of the north-west boundary-line of the last-mentioned subdivision to the north-east boundary-line of Section No. 59, Block V aforesaid, by the north-eastern and north-western boundary-lines of the said Section No. 59 to the eastern side of Doralto Road, by the said side of that road, by the said Section No. 59, by Sections Nos. 71 and 70 of Block V aforesaid to the easternmost corner of Subdivision A of Lot D of Section No. 57 of the said Block V, by the eastern boundary of the last-mentioned subdivision, by the eastern and north-western boundary-lines of part Lot D of the said Section No. 57, and by the north-western boundary-line of Lot C of the said Section No. 57 to Frankleigh Road, by a right line to the northernmost corner of Section No. 56 of Block V aforesaid, by the north-western boundary-line of that section, across Frankleigh Road, and by the north-western boundary-lines of Sections Nos. 826 and 824 in the said Block V to the southernmost corner of Section No. 825 of Block V aforesaid, by the south-western boundary-line of the last-mentioned section to its westernmost corner, by a right line to the easternmost corner of Section No. 41 in Block V aforesaid, by that section and Section No. 40 of the said Block IV to the eastern side of Elliot Road, by the eastern side of that road to a point in line with the southern boundary-line of Subdivision No. 25 in the said Section No. 40 as shown on plan hereinafter referred to, by a right line to and by the southern boundary-line of the last-mentioned subdivision and Subdivisions Nos. 7, 5, 23, and 22 to the north-eastern boundary-line of Section No. 38 (Grey District) of the said Block IV; towards the south-west by the said Section No. 38 and Section No. 24 of the said Block IV to the south side of the closed road forming the south-east boundary of Section No. 16 (Grey District), Block IV aforesaid; again towards the north-west generally by the south side of the said closed road and by a line in continuation of the same across Omata Road to a point in line with the north-east boundary-line of Section No. 17 of the said Block IV; again towards the north-east by a right line to and by that boundary-line to the easternmost corner of Section No. 9 (Fitzroy District) of the said Block IV; again towards the south-east by the south-eastern boundary-line of the last-mentioned section and Section No. 3 (Grey District) of the said Block IV; again towards the south-west by the south-western boundary-line of the said Section No. 3; again towards the south-east by the production of the north-western boundary-line of the last-mentioned section to the north-eastern boundary-line of Section No. 6 (Grey District), Block IV aforesaid; towards the south-west generally by the last-mentioned section to Barrett Road, across that road and by its western side to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary-line of Section No. 99, Town of Port Moturoa, by a right line to and by that boundary-line to Section No. 81, Spotswood Settlement, by that section and Section No. 36, Spotswood Settlement, to the middle of Hongihongi Stream, by a line along the middle of that stream to a point opposite the northernmost corner of Section No. 103, Spotswood Settlement, by a right line to the last-mentioned corner, and by the said Section No. 103 to Ngamotu Road, by a right line across that road to the north-eastern corner of Section No. 97, Spotswood Settlement, and by that section to its westernmost corner, by a right line bearing 328° 10', a distance of 2184 links, to peg No. XIII aforesaid; and again towards the south-east by a right line running through Paritutu Trig. Station to the sea, the place of commencement.

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

Consenting to stopping a Road in Block I, Lower Wanaka Survey District, Lake County.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1912.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

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

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the above-in-part-recited Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the Lake County Council stopping the road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of Road permitted to be stopped.	Passing through or abutting on Sections	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 0 23	38, 43, 44, 45	I	Lower Wanaka	P. W. D. 32144	Green.

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

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

Additional Rules of the Court under the Native Land Act, 1909.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1912.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, make such Rules of Court as are consistent with the said Act, for regulating the practice and procedure of the Native Land Court in all matters within its jurisdiction, and prescribing the fees payable in respect of the proceedings of that Court :

And whereas section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, provides, *inter alia*, that the Governor may, by Order in Council, on the recommendation of the Court, declare any Native to be a European. And whereas it is expedient that additional Rules of the Court should be made for the purposes aforesaid :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him as aforesaid, and of all other powers and authorities conferred upon him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the Rules of the Court following for the purposes aforesaid.

RULES OF COURT.

(a.) THESE rules shall form part of and be read together with the Rules of the Court made the 8th day of April, 1910.

Unless a contrary intention appears, all terms used in these rules have the same signification as when used in the Native Land Act, 1909, and the Rules of the Court aforesaid.

FORMS.

(b.) The forms prescribed by these rules for use in the proceedings of the Court are those set forth in the First Schedule hereto, and indicated by the corresponding number therein. The forms may be used with such modifications as the case may require, and if no form is prescribed by these rules then such form may be used as a Judge may direct or approve.

DECLARING A NATIVE TO BE A EUROPEAN.

193. An application by a Native to be declared a European shall be in form No. 73.

194. Every application shall be in duplicate, and shall be lodged with the Registrar of the district in which the applicant has resided for a period of not less than six months prior to the date of the application.

195. The Registrar of the district shall forward to the Under-Secretary, Native Department, the duplicate copy of each application, for the information of the Native Minister.

196. The applicant shall lodge with the Registrar a statutory declaration to the effect that he or she is qualified under paragraph (a) of subsection (4) of section 17 of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912. Such declaration shall be in form No. 74.

197. The applicant shall lodge with the Registrar a certificate setting out in detail all lands to which he or she has a registered title, either as owner or occupier. Such certificate shall be in form No. 75, and shall be certified to as being correct by an officer of the Land Transfer Department or a solicitor.

198. In the event of the applicant not having sufficient land for his adequate maintenance, then he or she shall obtain and lodge a declaration signed by a responsible person that the applicant is able to adequately maintain himself or herself by some special profession, trade, or calling, or that he or she has a sufficient income for adequate maintenance. Such declaration shall be in form No. 76.

199. Notification of applications shall be as provided for by Rules 11 to 16 of the Rules of the Court.

200. A recommendation of the Court may be in form No. 77, and the Registrar shall forward the original to the Under-Secretary, Native Department.

201. The fees set out in the Second Schedule are hereby prescribed as the fees to be paid in respect of the proceedings hereunder.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

[Form No. 73.]

APPLICATION BY A NATIVE TO BE DECLARED A EUROPEAN.
(Rule No. 193.)

To the Native Land Court.

I, _____, of _____, being a Native within the meaning of the Native Land Act, 1909, hereby apply to the Court for a recommendation for the issue of an Order in Council declaring me to be a European in terms of section 17 of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912.

I enclose the sum of three guineas (£3 3s.), being amount of fees payable on this application.

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____, 19 _____.

Applicant.

[Form No. 74.]

DECLARATION OF KNOWLEDGE OF ENGLISH AND POSSESSION OF EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS.

(Rule No. 197.)

In the matter of section 17 of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912 : and in the matter of an application by _____ of _____ :

I, _____, of _____, do solemnly and sincerely declare—

1. That I am acquainted with the English language.
2. That I am possessed of the following educational qualifications, which are equal to the Fourth Standard as prescribed by the Education Act, 1908. [Set out qualifications.]

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

Declared at _____, this _____ day of _____, 19 _____ before me—

Justice of the Peace,
[or Solicitor of the Supreme Court].

[Form No. 75.

CERTIFICATE AS TO LANDS HELD EITHER AS OWNER OR OCCUPIER.

(Rule No. 198.)

In the matter of section 17 of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912; and in the matter of an application by

I, of do hereby certify that I am the owner or occupier of the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto, and that the said lands are sufficient for my adequate maintenance.

Dated at this day of, 19 [Signature.]

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Area.	Value of Interest therein.	Remarks.
			[Note here whether owner or occupier; and, if occupied, term of lease.]

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct search of the Land Transfer Registers.

[Signature.]

[Form No. 76.

DECLARATION THAT THE NATIVE APPLYING TO BE DECLARED A EUROPEAN IS EARNING OR HAS SUFFICIENT INCOME FOR AN ADEQUATE MAINTENANCE.

(Rule No. 198.)

In the matter of section 17 of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912; and in the matter of an application by

I, of do solemnly and sincerely declare—

- That I am personally acquainted with
- That the said is engaged in [State special profession, trade, or calling, and whether employed by any other person or not.] Or That the said has an income of [State amount and source].
- That the said is earning in that special profession, trade, or calling not less than £ per annum.

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

Declared at this day of, 19, before me—

Justice of the Peace [or Solicitor of the Supreme Court].

[Form No. 77.

RECOMMENDATION OF COURT.

(Rule No. 200.)

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT, NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of section 17 of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912; and in the matter of an application thereunder by

WHEREAS at a sitting of the Court held at, on the day of, 19, before, Esquire, a Judge of the said Court, upon the hearing of an application of to be declared a European, the Court was satisfied as to the several matters of which by the said Act it is required to be satisfied, and that all the conditions and requirements of the said Act and Rules of Court made thereunder had been duly complied with and fulfilled.

Now, therefore, the Court doth recommend the issue of an Order in Council under section 17 of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, declaring the said to be a European.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court, the day of, 19.

Fee charged: Judge.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

FEES.

ON application under subsection (1), section 17, of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912	£ s. d.
Court's recommendation	3 3 0
	2 2 0

All fees herein payable by cash.

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

Consenting to an Order for Rehearing being made by the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court.

ROBERT STOUT, Administrator of the Government. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1912.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS subsection three, section fifty, of the Native Land Act, 1909, enacts that at any time and from time to time, on application made, *ex parte* or otherwise, by any person interested, the Chief Judge may, if he thinks fit, on being satisfied that the applicant has shown a *prima facie* case of error, whether of fact or law, in any final order of the Appellate Court, make an order for the rehearing, whether complete or partial, of the appeal or matter in which that order was made; and the Appellate Court shall thereupon rehear the same accordingly, and may affirm, annul, or vary its previous order:

And whereas subsection four of that section further enacts that no such order for rehearing shall be made without the precedent consent of the Governor in Council:

And whereas application has been made to His Honour the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court to make an order for the rehearing of an inquiry and decision by the Native Appellate Court under section thirty-seven of the Maori Land Claims Adjustment and Laws Amendment Act, 1907: And whereas it is expedient that such order for rehearing should be made:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by subsection four of section fifty of the Native Land Act, 1909, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the order for rehearing being made. And it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

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

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

ROBERT STOUT, Administrator of the Government. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1912.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Approximate Area.	Provincial District.
Kaiapoi, Section 139B	A. R. P. 15 3 5	Canterbury.

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

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1912.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Approximate Area.	Provincial District.
Motupihī, Subdivision 3A, Section 160	A. R. P. 55 2 13	Nelson.

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

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1912.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Approximate Area.	Provincial District.
Otaki, Sections 154 and 155	A. R. P. 0 1 27	Wellington.

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

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1912.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Approximate Area.	Provincial District.
Himitangi 3A 3A	A. R. P. 62 0 0	Wellington.

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

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1912.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Approximate Area.	Provincial District.
Opaekete Nos. 4 and 5 ..	A. R. P. 66 2 0	Wellington.

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

Prohibiting all Private Alienation of certain Native Land.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1912.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

Name of Block.	Area.			Provincial District.
	A.	R.	P.	
Mangamaire B No. 1 ..	544	0	0	Hawke's Bay.
" B No. 2 ..	1,150	0	0	"
" B No. 3 ..	560	0	0	"
" B No. 4 ..	620	0	0	"
" B No. 5 ..	1,260	0	0	"
" B No. 6 ..	380	0	0	"
" B No. 7 ..	980	0	0	"
" B No. 8 ..	1,310	0	0	"
" B No. 9 ..	400	0	0	"
" B No. 10 ..	410	0	0	"
" B No. 11 ..	410	0	0	"
" B No. 12 ..	1,100	0	0	"
" B No. 13 ..	1,220	0	0	"
" B No. 14 ..	420	0	0	"
" B No. 15 ..	240	0	0	"
" B No. 16 ..	696	0	0	"
Mangareia A ..	76	0	0	"
" B ..	718	0	0	"
" C ..	219	0	0	"
" D ..	73	0	0	"
" E ..	80	0	0	"
" F ..	80	0	0	"
" G ..	80	0	0	"

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

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

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1912.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Road declared a Government Road.	Adjoining or passing through Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 6 3 15	13, Otau Parish (16937, blue)	XI	Opaheke	P.W.D. 32749	Green.

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

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Declaring Portion of Ruaroa to Te Rehunga Road, in the Dannevirke County, to be a County Road.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1912.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Dannevirke County, Hawke's Bay Land District, known as Ruaroa to Te Rehunga Road, commencing at its junction with the Rokai-Whana Road, and proceeding in a south-westerly direction generally fronting Section 14, Block XV, Norsewood Survey District, and terminating at a point in the Native land about 10 chains south-west of the south-western boundary of the said Section 14, Block XV, Norsewood Survey District, being a distance of about 55 chains; as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 32758, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red, and marked A B.

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

Declaring Portion of the Opotiki to Motu Road (Pakihi Road), in the Opotiki County, to be a County Road.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1912.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, Opotiki County, known as Opotiki to Motu Road (Pakihi Road), commencing at the Motu Village at a point about 30 chains below the crossing of the Motu River, and proceeding thence in a northerly direction generally along the right bank of the Motu River to the southern boundary of Section 1, Block IV, Urutawa East Survey District; thence along the western boundaries of Sections 1 and 8, Block IV, Urutawa East Survey District, and along part of the western boundary of Section 2, Block II, Urutawa East Survey District, to a point about 20 chains north of the south-western corner of the said Section 2, being a distance of about four miles and a half, more or less: as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 32706, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Extending the 1912-13 Trout-netting Season in Lake Hawea.

ISLINGTON, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of November, 1912.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE J. ALLEN PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the twenty-second day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 83, of the twenty-ninth day of the same month, regulations were made providing that the season for netting trout in Lake Hawea shall extend from the first day of November in any year to the fifteenth day of March in the following year :

And whereas it is desirable that the 1912-13 season for netting trout in such lake should be extended :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Fisheries Act, 1908, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulation ; and doth hereby declare that such regulation shall have effect on and in the waters of Lake Hawea, in the Provincial District of Otago.

REGULATION.

THE 1912-13 season for netting trout shall extend from the 1st day of November, 1912, to the 30th day of April, 1913, both days inclusive.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Hungahunga Drainage District extended.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day of December, 1912.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, in accordance with the provisions of section three of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, a majority of the ratepayers in the area described in the First Schedule hereto, situated in the County of Matamata, have presented a petition to His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand praying that the land comprised in the said area be included in the Hungahunga Drainage District as constituted under the provisions of the said Act :

And whereas it is expedient to alter the boundaries of such drainage district in manner hereinafter appearing :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority contained in section three of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby alter the boundaries of the said Hungahunga Drainage District by including in such district the area of land described in the said petition and in the First Schedule hereto ; and doth hereby declare that the boundaries of the said drainage district, with such addition as herein provided for, shall be those described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

AREA INCLUDED IN THE HUNGAHUNGA DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District bounded towards the north-west by a right line from the Morrinsville-Rotorua Railway line at the crossing of the road at the Waharoa Railway-station to the north-western corner of Section No. 24A, Block XIV, Wairere Survey District ; thence by the north-western boundary of that section and the north-western boundaries of Sections Nos. 27 and 27A, Block X, Wairere Survey District, to and across the road at the northernmost corner of the last-mentioned section ; thence towards the east generally by the eastern side of the road forming the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 27A, 27, and 26, Block X aforesaid, and forming the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 25, 24, 23, 22, 21, 20, and 19, Block XIV, Wairere Survey District, and forming the south-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 18, 17, and 16, Block III, Tapapa Survey District, and Sections Nos. 15 and 14, Block II, to a point in line with the south-western boundary of the last-mentioned section ;

thence towards the south-west by a line across the said road, and by the south-western boundary of Section No. 14 aforesaid and its production to the Morrinsville-Rotorua Railway Reserve ; and thence by that railway reserve to the Waharoa Railway-station, the place of commencement.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

HUNGAHUNGA DRAINAGE DISTRICT (EXTENDED BOUNDARIES).

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District bounded towards the north-west by a right line from the Waitoa River at its intersection by the northern boundary of Block XVI, Waitoa Survey District, to the road forming the north-eastern boundary of Ngutumanga Block at right angles to that road ; thence towards the north-east generally by the last-mentioned road and the north-eastern boundary of the Ngutumanga Block to the railway-line ; thence across the railway-line and a road to Section No. 14, Block XVI, Waitoa Survey District ; thence by the north-western and north-eastern boundaries of the said Section No. 14 to its easternmost corner ; thence across a road and by the road running southward to the Waitoa - Te Aroha Road ; thence by that road in a south-westerly direction for a distance of 12 chains ; thence by a right line through Waihekau No. 3 Block to a point on the road which forms the northern boundary of Orongomairoa Block midway between the Waiwhero and Pirauui Streams ; thence by the last-mentioned road to the northernmost corner of Orongomairoa Block ; thence by the north-eastern side of the road forming the north-eastern boundaries of Orongomairoa and Hungahunga No. 2 Blocks to the road intersecting Section No. 1, Block V, Wairere Survey District ; thence again towards the north-west by the north-western side of the last-mentioned road intersecting the said Section No. 1 to the south-western corner of the north-western part of Section No. 2, Block VI, Wairere Survey District ; thence by the south-eastern boundaries of the north-western parts of Sections Nos. 2 and 3, Block VI aforesaid, the south-eastern boundary of the north-western part of Section No. 6, Block II, Wairere Survey District, the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 7, the south-eastern boundary of the north-western part of Section No. 9, the crossing of a road, and the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 12, Block II aforesaid, to the Waihou River ; thence again towards the north-east by the Waihou River to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary-line of Section No. 4, Block X, Wairere Survey District ; thence by a right line to the road at the northernmost corner of Section No. 27A, Block X, Wairere Survey District, and by the north-eastern side of the road forming the north-eastern boundary of the said Section No. 27A, and towards the east generally by the eastern side of the road forming the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 27 and 26, Block X aforesaid, and forming the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 25, 24, 23, 22, 21, 20, and 19, Block XIV, Wairere Survey District, and forming the south-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 18, 17, and 16, Block III, Tapapa Survey District, and Sections Nos. 15 and 14, Block II, to a point in line with the south-western boundary of the last-mentioned section ; thence towards the south-west by a line across the said road, and by the south-western boundary of Section No. 14 aforesaid and its production to the Morrinsville-Rotorua Railway Reserve, and thence by that railway reserve to the road intersecting Matamata North Block in a north-westerly direction ; thence by the south-western side of the said road and the south-western side of the road intersecting Section No. 1, Parish of Waitoa, and Section No. 1, Block VIII, Maungakawa Survey District, to the easternmost corner of Section No. 2, Block VIII aforesaid ; thence by the south-western side of the road forming the north-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 2, 3, and 4, Block VIII aforesaid, and the south-western side of the road intersecting Sections Nos. 5, 6, 7, and 8 of the said Block VIII to the junction of the last-mentioned road with the road running from the Waitoa River to the westernmost corner of the Orongomairoa Block ; thence again towards the north-west by the north-western side of the last-mentioned road to the road forming the north-western boundary of Orongomairoa Block ; thence by the north-western side of the said road forming the north-western boundary of the said Orongomairoa Block to the southernmost corner of Waihekau No. 4 Block ; thence again towards the south-west generally by the road forming the western boundary of that block and the road forming the south-western boundaries of Sections Nos. 39, 38, 37, Block XVI, Waitoa Survey District, and an education reserve ; thence by the road forming the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 34 to the easternmost corner of that section ; thence by the road forming the north-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 34, 33, and 32, Block XVI aforesaid, to the Waitoa River ; and thence by the Waitoa River to the place of commencement.

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

Incorporating the Quiltown Land Settlement Association.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Lawrence, this sixth day
of December, 1912.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section seven of the Land Settlement Finance Act, 1909 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is provided that, as soon as practicable after the complete execution of any agreement under the said Act, application in the prescribed form shall be made to the Governor, by or on behalf of the purchasers, for an Order in Council confirming the agreement in pursuance of the said Act: And whereas by sections eight and nine of the said Act it is further provided that upon receipt of such application the Minister of Finance shall refer the same, together with the agreement, to the Board of Land Purchase Commissioners for its report thereon; and if the Board reports that the agreement is fit and proper to be so confirmed the Governor may, if he thinks fit, by Order in Council confirm the agreement accordingly: And whereas under the provisions of the said Act an agreement, bearing date the fourteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, has been entered into between Ernest Henry Whiteman, vendor, of the one part, and George Allen, Alexandrina Whiteman, Thomas Watson (Alfred Allen Goldsack and Garland Stewart Campbell, as tenants in common in equal shares), and Henry Abbot, purchasers, of the other part, for the purchase of the land therein described, and the said purchasers therein agreed to become incorporated as the Quiltown Land Settlement Association: And whereas application has been made in the prescribed form for the issue of an Order in Council confirming the said agreement: And whereas the said application, together with the said agreement, was referred to the Board of Land Purchase Commissioners for its report, and the Board has reported that no roading is required in respect of the said land, and that the said agreement is fit and proper to be so confirmed:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the said Act, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby confirm the said agreement dated the fourteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

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

Regulations under Part I of the Public Service Classification and Superannuation Amendment Act, 1908, and its Amendments.—Teachers' Superannuation.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day
of December, 1912.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Part I of the Public Service Classification and Superannuation Amendment Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), and its amendments, and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the Orders in Council made under the said Act on the twenty-ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and the twenty-second day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and doth hereby amend the regulations made under the said Act by Order in Council dated the seventeenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eight, in the manner hereinafter appearing; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said powers, doth hereby make the further regulations hereinafter set forth.

REGULATIONS.

1. The regulations dated the 17th day of December, 1908, are hereby amended in manner following:—

- (i.) As to clause 25 thereof, by deleting the word "fiftieth," and substituting therefor the word "sixtieth."
- (ii.) As to clause 26 thereof, by deleting the word "forty," and substituting therefor the word "fifty"; and by deleting the word "twenty," and substituting therefor the word "thirty."
- (iii.) As to clause 41 thereof, by deleting the words "Statement of Receipts and Expenditure," in the heading of paragraph (5), and substituting therefor the words "Revenue Account."

2. Every contributor whose salary is for any reason temporarily stopped, or who for any period is on leave of absence without salary or at a reduced salary, and every contributor who is temporarily unemployed in the Education service but has not retired therefrom, shall, during the period in respect of which his salary is so stopped or reduced, or during the period of his temporary unemployment (as the case may be), in his discretion,—

- (a.) Continue to contribute to the fund in the same manner as if his salary had not been so stopped or reduced, or as if he were not for the time being unemployed in the Education service; or
- (b.) Cease to contribute to the fund: Provided that a contributor who ceases to contribute to the fund in pursuance of this paragraph shall, on the expiry of the period for which his salary is stopped or reduced as aforesaid, or on the expiry of the term of unemployment (as the case may be), contribute to the fund at not less than double the rate at which he would otherwise be obliged to contribute until he has paid the full amount due from him by way of arrears of contributions, and shall, in addition, pay an amount equal to 5 per centum per annum on all arrears for the time being remaining unpaid.

3. (1.) Every person who elects in terms of section 5 of the Public Service Classification and Superannuation Amendment Act, 1912, to become a contributor to the Teachers' Superannuation Fund shall be deemed to have become a contributor on the 1st day of January, 1906.

(2.) The length of his service prior to the said 1st day of January, 1906, shall be deemed to be the number of years completed by the contributor in the service of one or more of the following bodies, viz.:—

- (a.) An Education Board; or
- (b.) The governing body of a secondary school; or
- (c.) The managers of associated classes under Part VII of the Education Act, 1908; or
- (d.) The Education Department in the case of Inspectors of Schools, managers of industrial schools, or teachers of any schools under the control of the Education Department,—

whether such service was continuous or not.

(3.) The percentage of his salary to be contributed to the fund shall be at the rate determined by his age as on the 31st day of January, 1906, in accordance with section 5 of the Public Service Classification and Superannuation Amendment Act, 1908.

4. (1.) The sum to be paid by any such contributor into the fund as a condition of his becoming a contributor shall be the total amount of the contributions that would have been payable by him in respect of the period between the 1st day of January, 1906, and the date of his election, together with interest thereon at the rate of £5 per centum per annum.

(2.) Such sum may be paid in one amount or by instalments, as the contributor desires:

Provided that the total amount of the instalments paid at any date shall be not less than half the total amount of the ordinary contributions paid by the contributor in respect of the period from the date of his election to join the fund to the first-mentioned date.

(3.) Interest at the rate of £5 per centum per annum shall be payable as from the date of election to join the fund on all moneys payable under this regulation and for the time being remaining unpaid.

(4.) In the case of the retirement or the death of a contributor the unpaid balance of such moneys, together with the interest (if any) thereon, shall be a first charge on the benefits to which the contributor or those claiming under him may be entitled under the Act.

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

Regulations.—Manual and Technical Instruction.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this ninth day
of December, 1912.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT
IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Education Act, 1908, and the Education Amendment Act, 1910, and of all other powers and authorities him enabling in this behalf, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend, in the manner set forth in the Schedule hereto, the regulations relating to manual and technical instruction set forth in the Schedule to an Order in Council under the said Act, dated the thirteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and published in the *Gazette* of the sixteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, at page 625; and, with the like advice and consent, doth declare that this Order shall come into force on the date of the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

THE regulations hereinbefore referred to are hereby amended by inserting, after Regulation 46 (f) (relating to special and associated classes), the following additional regulation:—

46. (g.) In addition to the capitation payable under clauses 42, 46, or 46 (b) hereof, capitation at the rate of 3d. per hour-attendance will be paid on account of the attendances of students who are required by regulations made by an Education Board under section 18 of the Education Amendment Act, 1910, to attend continuation classes or technical classes; provided that no payment under this clause shall be made in respect of any student holding a free place under these regulations.

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

*Land temporarily reserved for a Public Recreation-ground in
Block I, Waikohu Survey District, Hawke's Bay Land
District.*

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

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

Now, therefore, I, Robert Stout, the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Hawke's Bay Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for a public recreation-ground.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 12 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Section 28, Block I, Waikohu Survey District, and bounded towards the north generally by the Waihuka River, by a public road, and by Section 8, Block I aforesaid, 685.1 links; towards the north-east by the Gisborne-Rotorua Railway, 593.5 links; towards the south-east by Section 21, Block I aforesaid, 1569.2 links; and towards the south-west by a public road, 100.1 links, and by Section 18 of Block I aforesaid, 1306.6 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1412/22A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, this tenth day of
December, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

*Land temporarily reserved as a Site for a Public Hall in
Block VIII, Waipoua Survey District, Auckland Land
District.*

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

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

Now, therefore, I, Robert Stout, the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Auckland Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, as a site for a public hall.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods, more or less, being Section 1A, Block VIII, Waipoua Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east and south-east by Section 1, Block VIII, Waipoua Survey District, 219.1 and 233.4 links respectively; and towards the south-west and north-west by a public road 100 links wide, 218.9 and 233.4 links respectively: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1607/13, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan 16525, blue.)

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, this tenth day of
December, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

*Lands temporarily reserved in Otekaikē Settlement, Otago Land
District.*

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

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

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

Now, therefore, I, Robert Stout, the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Acts, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands in the Otago Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes in the said Schedule specified at the end of the respective descriptions of the lands so intended to be temporarily reserved.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 15 acres 2 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Section 17A, Otekaikē Settlement. Bounded towards the north-west by a public road, 1060 links; towards the north-east by Section 69A (formerly portion of Section 17A) of aforesaid settlement, 375 links; again towards the north-west by said Section 69A, 200 links; again towards the north-east by part of Section 16A of aforesaid settlement, 702.3 links; towards the south-east by a road-line fronting the Otekaikē River, 1330 links; and towards the south-west by part of Section 23A of aforesaid settlement, 1525 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1912/741A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered green. For a public recreation-ground.

All that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 roods, more or less, being Section 69A (formerly portion of Section 17A), Otekaieke Settlement. Bounded towards the north-east by part of Section 16A of said settlement, 375 links; towards the south-east by part of aforesaid Section 17A, 200 links; towards the south-west by other part of aforesaid Section 17A, 375 links; and towards the north-west by a public road, 200 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1912/741A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For a site for a public hall.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, the eleventh day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Trustee for the Havelock (Hawke's Bay) Public Cemetery appointed.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the fourth section of the Cemeteries Act, 1908, I, Robert Stout, the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

ARCHIBALD MCLEAN

to be an additional Trustee to provide for the maintenance and care of the Havelock (Hawke's Bay) Public Cemetery, in conjunction with Joseph Bernard Chambers, Thomas Tanner, William Alexander Cowper, Hugh Campbell, William Alexander Couper Mackenzie, Lawrence Taylor Cooper, and Frederick Macaulay Gregorie, previously appointed.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, this tenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Appointing Member to fill Vacancy on Otorohanga Native Township Council.

ROBERT STOUT,
Administrator of the Government.

WHEREAS the Otorohanga Native Township is a Native township duly incorporated under the Native Townships Local Government Act, 1905:

And whereas a vacancy has arisen in the Council of the said township, and it is expedient that the same should be filled:

Now, therefore, I, Robert Stout, the Administrator of the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section nine of the Native Townships Local Government Act, 1905, do hereby appoint

HENRY BENNER, Esquire, of Otorohanga,

to be a member of the Otorohanga Native Township Council, vice Thomas George Hosking, Esquire, resigned.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, this sixth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

Vaccination Districts constituted.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in the Governor by the Public Health Act, 1908, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing vaccination districts known as Taupo, Te Kuiti, Mangaroa-Mangapehi, Taumarunui, Owango, Raetihi, and Ohakune Districts, and do proclaim and declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said districts is

hereby divided anew into eleven vaccination districts, the names and boundaries whereof shall be the same as are set forth in a Proclamation bearing date the fifteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, made under the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 79, of the twenty-fourth day of the same month, page 3039.

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

R. HEATON RHODES,
Minister of Public Health.

Vaccination Districts constituted.

ISLINGTON, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in the Governor by the Public Health Act, 1908, I, John Poynder Dickson-Poynder, Baron Islington, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby abolish the existing vaccination districts known as Kaitaia and Hokianga Districts, and do proclaim and declare that the territory heretofore comprised within the said districts is hereby divided anew into three vaccination districts, the names and boundaries whereof shall be the same as are set forth in a Proclamation bearing date the eighth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, made under the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 78, of the seventeenth day of the same month, page 2977.

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

R. HEATON RHODES,
Minister of Public Health.

Cadet appointed.

Valuation Department,
Wellington, 5th December, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS HENRY CROSBIE

to be a Cadet in the Valuation Department, as from the 1st November, 1912.

W. F. MASSEY,
Prime Minister.

Trustees of a Drainage District appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 5th December, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased, in terms of section 10 of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, to appoint

JOHN EDWARD BURNS,
JOHN WILLIAM MATHERS,
FREDERICK WILLIAM LEONHARD WILKIE,
THOMAS WYLLIE,
JAMES WYLLIE,

to be Trustees of the Sefton-Ashley Drainage District.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Officer in Lands and Survey Department dismissed.

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

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to dismiss from the public service

HUGH MACKAY CRAWFORD,

lately a Clerk in the Nelson District Office of the Department of Lands and Survey.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Member of Utiku Domain Board appointed.

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

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

JOHN GILCHRIST

to be a member of the Utiku Domain Board, in the place of Albert Henry Read, who has resigned.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Beekeeper appointed.—Notice No. 1675.

Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce,
Wellington, 9th December, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

DAISY ROSALIND HART

(at present a temporary officer of this Department) to be a Beekeeper in the Civil Service of the Government of New Zealand (Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce); the appointment to date from 1st December, 1912.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Agriculture and of Industries
and Commerce.

Inspectors of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 10th December, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT LLOYD,
FREDERICK MOORHOUSE,
PERCIVAL JOHN NORWOOD, and
THOMAS WATSON

to be Inspectors under the Factories Act, 1908. The appointments are dated the 7th day of December, 1912.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Member of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 6th December, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE ARMSTRONG

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Ellesmere, *vice* J. Henderson, deceased.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Sittings of Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 11th December, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

THE COURTHOUSE, METHVEN,

to be a place wherein a Magistrate's Court shall be held under the provisions of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1908, in lieu of the Public Hall, Methven, previously appointed.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Visiting Justices appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 9th December, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

ERNEST CARGILL CUTTEN, Esq., S.M., and
FRANCIS VERNON FRAZER, Esq., S.M.,

to be Visiting Justices to H.M. Prisons at Auckland and Fort Cautley.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Stipendiary Magistrate appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 11th December, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to appoint

JOSEPH WILLIAM POYNTON, Esq.,

to be a Stipendiary Magistrate within the Dominion of New Zealand, to exercise the ordinary and extended jurisdiction of the Magistrate's Court; the appointment to take effect from the 1st day of January, 1913.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

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

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 30th November, 1912.

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

3rd (Auckland) Mounted Rifles.

Captain Henry Jolly to be Major. Dated 19th November, 1912.

6th (Manawatu) Mounted Rifles.

2nd Lieutenant David William Stewart Morrison to be Lieutenant, *vice* Hastings, promoted. Dated 9th November, 1912.

11th (North Auckland) Mounted Rifles.

2nd Lieutenant John Henry Willenbrock is transferred to the 16th (Waikato) Regiment. Dated 14th November, 1912.

New Zealand Field Artillery.

Lieutenant Erima Harry Northcroft to be Captain, to complete establishment. Dated 14th November, 1912.

New Zealand Garrison Artillery.

2nd Lieutenant Lawrence Frederic Corson is transferred to the 1st (Canterbury) Regiment (Coast Defence Detachment). Dated 11th November, 1912.

Robert Gordon Slyfield to be 2nd Lieutenant (on probation). Dated 15th November, 1912.

New Zealand Signal Corps.

2nd Lieutenant Joseph Holdsworth Smith to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd November, 1912.

1st (Canterbury) Regiment.

(Coast Defence Detachment.)

2nd Lieutenant Lawrence Frederic Corson, from the New Zealand Garrison Artillery, to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 11th November, 1912.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants (on probation). Dated 11th November, 1912:—

Sergeant Harry Marshall Wright.
Roland Wallace Guy.

9th (Wellington East Coast) Regiment.

(2nd Battalion.)

Captain James Osburne-Lilly to be Major, to complete establishment. Dated 5th October, 1912.

11th Regiment (Taranaki Rifles).

Corporal Clarence Cecil Gilbert to be 2nd Lieutenant (on probation). Dated 18th November, 1912.

13th (North Canterbury and Westland) Regiment.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants (on probation). Dated 22nd November, 1912:—

Sergeant Hyde Horatio Herring.
Sergeant John McKnight.

14th (South Otago) Regiment.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 13th November, 1912:—

Robert Leiper Martin Duthie.
Hugh Liddon Richards, to complete establishment.

16th (Waikato) Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant John Henry Willenbrock, from the 11th (North Auckland) Mounted Rifles, to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 14th November, 1912.

New Zealand Chaplains Department.

The Reverend Charles Hilgrove Gossett, Chaplain, 4th Class, to be Chaplain, 3rd Class. Dated 29th August, 1912.
The Reverend Herbert Reeve to be Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class. Dated 25th November, 1912.

Unattached List (b).

(Senior Cadets.)

The undermentioned resignations are accepted :—

Major Angus Sutherland Murray Polson. Dated 20th November, 1912.
2nd Lieutenant Allan Howard Emerson. Dated 17th October, 1912.
2nd Lieutenant George Henry Burtenshaw. Dated 19th October, 1912.
2nd Lieutenant Gordon Hope Allan. Dated 26th October, 1912.

The undermentioned are appointed 2nd Lieutenants (on probation), for service with the Senior Cadets, under the provisions of paragraph 88 (b), General Regulations, 1911 :—

George Frederick Charles Hosking. Dated 24th October, 1912.
Frederick Arthur Ruck. Dated 11th November, 1912.
Austin Robert McIvor. Dated 13th November, 1912.
Alec Melles. Dated 13th November, 1912.
Arthur Just. Dated 13th November, 1912.
Claude Wilfred Batten. Dated 16th November, 1912.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Formation of a Coast Defence Detachment, Lyttelton, approved.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 28th November, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, under section 6 (a) of the Defence Act, 1909, of the formation of a Coast Defence Detachment of the 1st (Canterbury) Regiment, consisting of four infantry companies, with headquarters at Lyttelton. The establishment of officers will be as follows :—

Lieutenant-Colonel (1).
Majors (2).
Captains (3).
Lieutenants (4).
2nd Lieutenants (4).

Dated 11th November, 1912.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Formation of an Honorary Reserve Corps approved.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 28th November, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with section 6 (a) of the Defence Act, 1909, of the formation of the undermentioned Honorary Reserve Corps :—

The King's Empire Veterans,

with headquarters at Auckland. Dated 5th November, 1912.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Acceptance of Services of a Defence Rifle Club.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 30th November, 1912.

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

Wellington Old Navals' Defence Rifle Club,

with headquarters at Wellington, Wellington Military District. Date of acceptance, 30th November, 1912.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of a Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 28th November, 1912.

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

Captain JOHN LILLIE GILLIES, Retired List,

he having a total rank and commissioned service to the 28th August, 1911, entitling him thereto of twenty-two years and fifty-two days.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of a Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 28th November, 1912.

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

Captain ROBERT GEORGE COX, 3rd (Auckland) Regiment ("Countess of Ranfurly's Own"),

he having a total rank and commissioned service to the 31st October, 1912, entitling him thereto of twenty years two hundred and fifty-eight days.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of a Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 28th November, 1912.

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

Chaplain (2nd Class) the Reverend WALTER STANLEY BEAN, New Zealand Chaplains Department,

he having a total service to the 23rd September, 1912, entitling him thereto of twenty years and four days.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Special Order made by the Council of the Borough of Hastings.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 11th December, 1912.

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

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Finance.

HASTINGS BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Special Order to borrow the Sum of £20,000, and making a Special Rate to provide Interest and other Charges on such Loan of £20,000.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, the Local Bodies' Loans Act Amendment Act, 1908, and the Municipal Corporations Act, 1910, and any amendments to same, the Hastings Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That whereas in the month of December, 1886, the Council of the Borough of Hastings as then existing obtained the sanction of the ratepayers of the said borough to the raising of a loan of £25,000 for the purpose of carrying out a scheme for the drainage of the said borough, on the security of a special rate, which special rate was by the Hastings Borough Loan Validation and Empowering Act, 1894, declared to be a valid special rate of 1s. 6d. in the pound sterling leviable on the rateable value of all rateable property within the Borough of Hastings: And whereas the said Council applied to the Government Insurance Commissioner for a loan of £18,000 to be applied in paying off an advance of £18,000 on the hypothecation of debentures issued for the sum of £25,000, and an advance of £18,000 was made by the said Commissioner to the said Council, and by the said Act the issue of the said loan to the extent of £18,000—that is, 18 debentures for the

sum of £1,000 each—was declared valid, and the said loan was declared validly charged on the said special rate of 1s. 6d. in the pound sterling: And whereas by the said Act the said Council was authorized to raise for the purposes above described or similar purposes a further special loan of £7,000, and the said loan of £7,000 was duly and validly raised and charged pursuant to the authority conferred by the said Act on the said special rate: And whereas by three several Orders in Council gazetted on the 9th day of April, 1908, 11th day of March, 1909, and the 22nd day of December, 1909, the boundaries of the Borough of Hastings as existing at the date of the said Act and of the raising of the said two loans were altered, and the areas described in the respective Schedules to the said Orders in Council were excluded from the said borough and included in the County of Hawke's Bay: And whereas by the effect of three separate agreements dated the 29th day of June, 1908, the 23rd June, 1909, and the 15th day of June, 1910, respectively, and each of them expressed to be made between the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Hastings, of the one part, and the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Hawke's Bay, on the other part, it was declared that in the aggregate the sum of £4,481 9s. 4d. was the part of the said loan of £25,000 which was probably appropriable to the area of the said Borough of Hastings excluded under the terms of the said Orders in Council from the Borough of Hastings and included within the County of Hawke's Bay, and that the county did assume liability in respect of the said sum of £4,481 9s. 4d. as the amount properly payable by the said county in respect of the liability created by the said loan: And whereas the Council of the said borough is desirous of raising by special order the sum of £20,000 to be applied in payment off of the sum of £20,000, part of the sum of £20,519 10s. 8d., the proportion appropriable to the said borough of the said special loans:

Now, the Council of the Borough of Hastings, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon it by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, the Local Bodies' Loans Act Amendment Act, 1908, and the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1910, and of every other power and authority it thereunto enabling, doth hereby resolve by way of special order to borrow the sum of £20,000 for the purpose of paying off the sum of £20,000, part of the said sum of £20,519 10s. 8d. above mentioned; and that the said sum of £20,000 raised under this special order shall be repayable on the 1st day of August, 1937, and shall be charged on the special rate hereinafter mentioned; and that, for the purpose of securing the repayment of the said special loan of £20,000 and the interest, sinking fund, and other charges of the said loan, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 5/16 of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value on the unimproved basis of all rateable property in the Borough of Hastings comprising the whole of the said borough; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of the said loan, and be payable yearly on the 31st day of May in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-five years, or until the said loan is fully paid off.

Made by special order passed at a special meeting of the Council of the Borough of Hastings held on the 3rd day of October, 1912, and confirmed at a special meeting of the said Council held on the 7th day of November, 1912; and sealed with the common seal of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Hastings, in the presence of—

J. GARNETT,
Mayor.
W. H. COOK,
Town Clerk.

Special Order made by the Council of the County of Hawke's Bay.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 11th December, 1912.

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

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Finance.

HAWKE'S BAY COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order.—Raising and securing Special Loan of £4,481 9s. 4d.

WHEREAS in the month of December, 1886, the Council of the Borough of Hastings as then existing obtained the sanc-

tion of the ratepayers of the said borough to the raising of a loan of £25,000 for the purpose of carrying out a scheme for the drainage of the said borough on the security of a special rate, which special rate was by the Hastings Borough Loan Validation and Empowering Act, 1894, declared to be a valid special rate of 1s. 6d. in the pound sterling, leviable on the rateable value of all rateable property within the Borough of Hastings: And whereas the said Council applied to the Government Insurance Commissioner for a loan of £18,000, to be applied in paying off an advance of £18,000 on the hypothecation of debentures issued for the sum of £25,000, and an advance of £18,000 was made by the said Commissioner to the said Council, and by the said Act the issue of the said loan to the extent of £18,000—that is, 18 debentures for the sum of £1,000 each—was declared valid, and the said loan was declared validly charged on the said special rate of 1s. 6d. in the pound sterling: And whereas by the said Act the said Council was authorized to raise, for the purposes above described or similar purposes, a further special loan of £7,000, and the said loan of £7,000 was duly and validly raised and charged pursuant to the authority conferred by the said Act and the said special rate: And whereas by three several Orders in Council gazetted on the 9th day of April, 1908, 11th day of March, 1909, and the 22nd day of December, 1909, the boundaries of the Borough of Hastings as existing at the date of the said Act and of the raising of the said two loans were altered, and the areas described in the respective Schedules to the said Orders in Council were excluded from the said borough and included in the County of Hawke's Bay: And whereas by the effect of three separate agreements, dated the 29th day of June, 1908, the 23rd June, 1909, and the 15th day of June, 1910, respectively, and each of them expressed to be made between the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Hastings, of the one part, and the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Hawke's Bay, of the other part, it was declared that in the aggregate the sum of £4,481 9s. 4d. was the part of the said loan of £25,000 which was properly appropriable to the area of the said Borough of Hastings excluded under the terms of the said Orders in Council from the Borough of Hastings, and included within the County of Hawke's Bay, and that the county did assume liability in respect of the said sum of £4,481 9s. 4d. as the amount properly payable by the said county in respect of the liability created by the said loan: And whereas the Council of the said county is desirous of raising by special order the sum of £4,481 9s. 4d., to be applied by the said county in payment off of the said sum of £4,481 9s. 4d., the proportion appropriable to the said county of the said special loans:

Now, the Council of the County of Hawke's Bay, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon it by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, the Local Bodies' Loans Act Amendment Act, 1908, and the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1910, and of every other power and authority it thereunto enabling, doth hereby resolve by way of special order to borrow the sum of £4,481 9s. 4d. for the purpose of paying off the said sum of £4,481 9s. 4d., part of the said two special loans of £18,000 and £7,000; and that the said sum of £4,481 9s. 4d. shall be repayable, together with interest thereon at the rate of £4 10s. per centum per annum, by twenty half-yearly instalments of £280 14s. 7d. on every 1st day of February and 1st day of August until such twenty half-yearly instalments shall have been duly paid, the first of such instalments to be paid on the 1st day of February, 1913, and the last on the 1st day of August, 1922; and that such instalments shall be charged on the special rate hereinafter mentioned; and that, for the purpose of securing the repayment of the said special loan of £4,481 9s. 4d. and the interest and other charges on the said loan, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 9/16 of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value of all rateable property in those parts of the County of Hawke's Bay which are described in the said three Orders in Council above referred to as excluded from the said Borough of Hastings and included in the said County of Hawke's Bay; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of the said loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of ten years, or until the said loan is fully paid off.

Dated this 14th day of October, 1912.

Passed at a special meeting of the Hawke's Bay County Council held on the 9th day of September, 1912, and confirmed at a special meeting of the said Council held on the 14th day of October, 1912.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Hawke's Bay was hereunto affixed

by order of the said Council this 14th day of October, 1912, in the presence of—

MASON CHAMBERS,
Chairman.
A. H. FERGUSON,
Clerk.

We hereby certify that the foregoing special order has been duly made.

MASON CHAMBERS,
Chairman.
A. H. FERGUSON,
Clerk.

Resolution made by the Council of the Borough of Hokitika.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 6th December, 1912.

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

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF HOKITIKA.
Special Rate, £3,000 Loan.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by section 4 of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, the Hokitika Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £3,000, authorized to be raised by the Hokitika Borough Council for the purchase of a site for and the erection of abattoirs for the Borough of Hokitika and district, the said Hokitika Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1d. in the pound upon the unimproved value of all rateable property comprised in the Borough of Hokitika; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off; such loan to bear interest at 3½ per centum per annum, and such interest and principal to be repayable by half-yearly instalments of £2 10s. 6d. for each £100 of the said loan.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was passed at a meeting of the Hokitika Borough Council held on the 29th day of November, 1912.

2nd December, 1912. ALF. A. ANDREWS,
Town Clerk.

Resolution made by the Council of the Borough of Sumner.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 9th December, 1912.

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

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Finance.

SUMNER BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Resolution making and levying a Special Rate to provide Interest and Sinking Fund on Sumner Drainage Loan, 1912, £2,600.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and more particularly the power conferred upon it by section 69 of the Public Health Act, 1908, and in pursuance of all other Acts and powers enabling it in that behalf, the Sumner Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest and sinking fund and other charges on a loan of £2,600, authorized to be raised by the said Borough Council, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of constructing a permanent outlet to Sumner Creek, and construction of concrete invert from Heverden Avenue to Colenso Street (which said work has been recommended by the District Health Officer and approved by the Minister of Public Health, by section 69 of the Public Health Act, 1908), the Sumner Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 7/32 of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the Borough of Sumner (upon the basis of the unimproved value); and that such

special rate shall be an annually 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 for a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I, Henry James Marriner, Mayor of the Borough of Sumner, do hereby certify that the above resolution was duly made and passed at a meeting of the Sumner Borough Council held on the 3rd day of December, 1912.

HENRY J. MARRINER,
Mayor.

The common seal of the Sumner Borough Council was hereto affixed at the offices of and pursuant to a resolution of the Sumner Borough Council, in the presence of—

HENRY J. MARRINER,
Mayor.
S. R. WRIGHT,
Town Clerk.

Resolutions made by the Council of the Borough of Wanganui East.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 6th December, 1912.

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

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Finance.

WANGANUI EAST BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Resolution making a Special Rate.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and the amendments thereof, the Wanganui East Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £3,000, authorized to be raised by the Wanganui East Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the following public works, namely:—

1. To provide for additions and improvements to the town hall: £200.
2. To provide for lamps in the streets of the borough, and for the connection of same with the gas-mains: £400.
3. The formation, metalling, and kerbing of footways within the borough: £2,400,—

the said Wanganui East Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 3d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Wanganui East Borough, comprising the whole of the Borough of Wanganui East; 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 days of May and November in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Wanganui East was affixed to the above-written resolution by order of the Council of such Borough, this 25th day of November, 1912, by and in the presence of—

A. BURTON,
Mayor.

W. HOLLOWAY,
Town Clerk.

WANGANUI EAST BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Resolution making a Special Rate.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and the amendments thereof, the Wanganui East Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and sinking fund and other charges on a loan of £4,000, authorized to be raised by the Wanganui East Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the following public works, namely:—

1. The providing of a complete system of drainage for that portion of the Wanganui East Borough being the special-rating area hereinafter described, including in such system of drainage the laying of drainage-pipes in the streets within the said special-rating area, and the providing of all appliances, plant, and things necessary or convenient for the efficient working and use of the said drainage system or incidental thereto:

2. The providing of a water supply or service for the said special-rating area, and the laying of mains for the purpose of such supply from the water-main in the Wanganui Borough to the said special-rating area, and of all plant, appliances, and things necessary or convenient in connection therewith;
3. The reticulation of water throughout the said special-rating area, including in such reticulation the laying of pipes in the streets within the said special-rating area, and the providing of all appliances, plant, and things necessary or convenient thereto or for the efficient working thereof, and the connection of such pipes with the mains.—

the said Wanganui East Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 5d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the special-rating area, comprising that part of the Wanganui East Borough comprised within the following boundaries—namely, commencing at a point of the Wanganui River on the prolongation of the north-east side of Puna Street; thence by the said street and the north-east boundaries of Land Transfer deposited plans 2360, 1305, and 1704 in a straight line to the eastern corner of Lot 62 on the last-mentioned plan; thence by a continuation of the said straight line to the intersection with the north-west boundary of Section 78; thence by the said boundary to the north corner of Section 78; thence by the eastern boundary of Section 78 to the No. 3 Line; thence with the No. 3 Line to the north-east corner of Lot 1 on the Land Transfer deposited plan 1320; thence by the east boundary of the said lot to the Matarawa Stream; thence by the Matarawa Stream to the No. 3 Line; thence along the No. 3 Line to the Turoa Road; thence by the south-west side of the Turoa Road to the eastern corner of Lot 18 on Land Transfer deposited plan 1981; thence by the south-east boundary of the said lot to the south corner of the said lot; thence by the south-west boundary of Lots 18, 17, 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2 of the said plan to the No. 3 Line; thence by the No. 3 Line to its junction with the River-bank Road; thence by the River-bank Road to its junction with Georgetti Road; thence to a point on the Wanganui River left bank directly opposite the said junction; thence by the said left bank of the Wanganui River to the point of commencement—which special-rating area is situate in Block I, Ikitara Survey District. And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st days of May and November in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Wanganui East was affixed to the above-written resolution by order of the Council of such borough this 25th day of November, 1912, by and in the presence of—

A. BURTON,
Mayor.

W. HOLLOWAY,
Town Clerk.

Resolution made by the Purimu Road Board.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 6th December, 1912.

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

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Finance.

PURIMU ROAD BOARD.

Resolution striking Special Rate.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and in accordance with the provisions contained in section 4 of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, the Purimu Road Board hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the principal, interest, and other charges on a further loan of £450, being 10 per centum of the original loan of £4,500 raised for the purpose of acquiring land, forming roads, and erecting bridges, &c., within the Purimu Road District, the said Purimu Road Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1/24 of a penny in the pound on the rateable value of all the rateable property within the Purimu Road District, for a period of thirty-six years and a half; 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-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Purimu Road Board was hereto affixed in the presence of—

ROBERT JOHN FLEMING,
Chairman.

ROBERT JAMES SIDWELL,
Clerk.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution passed by the Purimu Road Board on the 27th day of November, 1912.

ROBT. J. SIDWELL,
Clerk, Purimu Road Board.

Resolution made by the Council of the County of Ohura.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 10th December, 1912.

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

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Finance.

OHURA COUNTY COUNCIL.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and the amendments thereof, the Ohura County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £2,835, authorized to be raised by the Ohura County Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of metalling the Harvey-Tokirima Road from Paorae to the Roto Road, the said Ohura County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 3¼d. in the pound sterling upon the rateable value of all the rateable property of the Harvey-Tokirima Special-rating District, with the exception of Section 15, Block IX, Section 17, Block XIII, and Section K No. 2c No. 2, over which half-rate will be struck.

The special-rating district comprises all properties situated within the following boundaries: Commencing at the north-western boundary of Section 16, Block IX, Ohura Survey District; thence by the western boundary of the said Section 16 and Section 27, Block IX, Ohura Survey District, to the Tokirima Road; thence northerly by the Tokirima Road to the southern boundary of Section 15, Block X, Ohura Survey District; thence in a south-easterly direction by the said Section 15, Block X, Ohura Survey District, to the corner of Section 11, Block X, Ohura Survey District; thence in a northerly direction by the eastern boundaries of Sections 15, 14, 13, Block X, Ohura Survey District, to the southern boundary of Section Mangaroa A No. 2 Block; thence in an easterly direction by the said Section Mangaroa A No. 2 Block to the Mangaroa Stream; thence by the Mangaroa Stream to the Ohura River; thence in a southerly direction by the Ohura River to the north-eastern corner of Section 14, Block XIV, Ohura Survey District; thence south along the block-line by Section part K No. 1 Section 2c No. 1, and K No. 1 Section 2c No. 4, to the north-eastern corner of Section 19, Block XIV, Ohura Survey District; thence west by the said Section 19 to the Ohura River; thence south by the Ohura River to the north-eastern corner of Section 4, Block II, Heao Survey District; thence in a north-westerly direction by the said Section 4, Block II, Heao Survey District, to the north-eastern corner of Section 9, Block II, Heao Survey District; thence in a north-westerly direction by the said Section 9, Block II, Heao Survey District, to the Kokopuiti Road; thence in a south-westerly direction along the Kokopuiti Road to its junction with the Puhī Road; thence along the Puhī Road to the most southerly corner of Section 26, Block XIII, Ohura Survey District; thence in a north-western direction by Sections 26, 24, 13, 15, and 16, Block XIII, Ohura Survey District, to the Ohura Road; thence along the Ohura Road in a northerly direction to the junction with the Paorae Road; thence by the said Paorae Road to the place of commencement; and including the following sections—Section 15, Block IX, Ohura Survey District; Sections 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, and 23, Block XIII, Ohura Survey District; Sections 11 and 9, Block X, Ohura Survey District; Sections 2, 6, 8, 12, 5, 7, Block II, Heao Survey District; Sections 10, 24, 21, 22, 17, 2, 3, 11, 4, 12, 13, 6, 7, 9, 27, 28, 26, 18, 14, 25, Block XIV, Ohura Survey District; and Section Ohura South K No. 2c No. 2.

And that 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 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 Ohura County Council held on the 30th day of November, 1912.

Dated at Mangaroa this 4th day of December, 1912.

JOHN F. McCLENAGHAN,
County Clerk.

Resolution made by the Council of the Borough of Petone.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 10th December, 1912.

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

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Finance.

PETONE BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Resolution making Special Rate.—The Petone Drainage Loan of £40,000.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, the Petone Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £40,000, authorized to be raised by the said Petone Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of providing a sewage drainage system for the Eastern Petone Special Sewage Area, and for making advances to ratepayers to enable them to connect their premises with the said sewage system, such advances to be repaid with interest by instalments to the Council, the said Petone Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1½d. in the pound upon the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all the rateable property in the Eastern Petone Special-rating Area as set out and defined by a resolution of the Council passed on the 13th day of June, 1912, and as shown on the duly authenticated roll of the aforesaid areas; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 30th day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period not exceeding forty-one years, to be computed from the date of the raising of the loan, or until the loan is fully paid off.

We hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution passed by the Petone Borough Council at a meeting of the Council held on the 26th day of November, 1912.

J. W. McEWAN,
Mayor.

W. J. GARDNER,
Town Clerk.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 9th December, 1912.

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

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF WAIKOUAITI.

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

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Waikouaiti was taken on the 4th day of December, 1912, on the proposal of the Waikouaiti Borough Council to borrow the sum of £8,000 for water-supply purposes.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 121. The number of votes recorded against the proposal was 75.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 4th day of December, 1912.

NEIL STEWART,
Mayor.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 9th December, 1912.

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

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Finance.

WANGANUI BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Notice under Section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908.

I HEREBY publicly notify that at the poll taken on the 20th day of November, 1912, on the proposal of the Wanganui Borough Council to borrow the sum of £20,000 for the following purposes—that is to say, the constructing and establishing in the Borough of Wanganui of a destructor for the burning or destroying of refuse in the said borough, and in connection or conjunction with such destructor the establishing or installing of an electric lighting and power plant or system, including in such plant or system the laying, putting up, erecting, or constructing of electric lines for the purpose of lighting and supplying motive power or any other purpose connected with electricity, and all matters and things incidental to or connected therewith—the following votes were recorded:—

	Borough Council Chambers.	Keith Street.	Wesleyan Schoolroom, Aramoho.	Total.
For the proposal	142	21	12	175
Against the proposal	335	53	74	462
Informal	7	2	2	11

I therefore declare the proposal lost.

Dated this 25th day of November, 1912.

C. E. MACKAY,
Mayor.

Subsidies to Public Libraries.

Education Department,
Wellington, 14th October, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sum of £4,000 has been voted by Parliament for distribution to public libraries.

The distribution will take place on the 3rd February, 1913, and no claim will be entitled to consideration that shall not have been sent in in due form and received by the Secretary for Education, Wellington, on or before the 25th January, 1913.

1. A library to be entitled to a subsidy must be public in the sense of belonging to the public, and of not being under the control of an association, society, or club whose membership is composed of a section of the community only, and if within a borough it must be open to the public free of charge. The receipts for the year from subscriptions and donations must not have been less than £2, exclusive of moneys received from endowments, or from Government, or from Borough or County Councils, or for special building purposes, or as rent, hire, or consideration for the use of any room, or building, or land belonging to the institution, in respect of none of which will subsidy be allowed. The net proceeds of concerts, lectures, or other entertainments on behalf of the current expenses of the library will be regarded as voluntary contributions. A subsidy will not be given to more than one library in the same town.

2. In the division of the vote a nominal addition of £25 will be made to the amount of the income of each library derived from subscriptions, donations, and rates, and the vote will be divided according to the amounts thus augmented; but no library will receive credit for a larger income than £75—that is, in no case will the augmented amount on which distribution is based exceed £100.

3. The whole of the subsidy must be expended without delay in the purchase of books for the library.

4. Application to share in the distribution must be by means of a statutory declaration by the Chairman, or Secretary, or Treasurer of the institution on behalf of which it is made, and must be accompanied by a statement of the receipts and expenditure of the institution for the year ending on the 31st day of December, 1912; and such declaration must be on the form provided for the purpose, which form shall be as follows:—

DECLARATION.

I, [Name], of [Place of abode], [Occupation], do solemnly and sincerely declare that I am Chairman [or Secretary, or Treasurer] of the [Name of institution]; that during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 1912, the receipts of the aforesaid institution for the maintenance of the library only were as follows: From rates levied by a local governing body under Part I of the Libraries and Mechanics' Institutes Act, 1908, or the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, pounds shillings and pence; from the subscriptions of members, pounds shillings and pence; and from voluntary contributions other than members' subscriptions, pounds shillings and pence; that the library is public in the sense of belonging to the public, and is not under the control of an association, society, or club whose membership is composed of a section of the community only; that the information hereinafter furnished by me in the appendix hereto is correct in every particular; that the abstract of accounts is a true statement of the receipts and expenditure of the institution for the year herein specified; that the whole of the subsidy received during the year was expended in the purchase of books for the library; [and that by the rules of the library it is open to the public free of charge].

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

[Signature.]

Declared at _____, this _____ day of _____, 191____,
before me— _____, Justice of the Peace [or Solicitor,
or Notary Public].

[Here affix and cancel a stamp at 2s. 6d.]

[NOTE.—The words relating to last year's subsidy and to free admission may be struck out if they are not applicable. The words in brackets are not part of the form, but indicate matter to be inserted or substituted.]

Copies of the form of application may be obtained from the Secretary for Education, Wellington, and from the Secretary of any Education Board.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Education.

Meetings of Westland Land Board.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 5th December, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has, in pursuance of section 48 (a) of the Land Act, 1908, approved of the meetings of the Westland Land Board being held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Hokitika, at 2 o'clock p.m. on the third Wednesday in each month during the year 1913.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Grants Road, in the Town of Marchwiell Extension No. 4, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 9th December, 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 Grants Road, in the Town of Marchwiell Extension No. 4, Canterbury Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Members of Police Force transferred to the Civil Service.

Police Department,
Wellington, 6th December, 1912.

HIS Excellency the Administrator of the Government has been pleased to transfer

WILLIAM MCGILL

from the position of Editor of the *Police Gazette* in the Police Force to the position of Editor of the *Police Gazette* in the Police Department; and

AMOS MUGGERIDGE

from the position of Storekeeper in the Police Force to the position of Storekeeper in the Police Department, under the provisions of section five of the Public Service Classification and Superannuation Amendment Act, 1911; the transfers to take effect from the 1st November, 1912.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Notice to Mariners No. 141 of 1912.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 30th November, 1912.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Hydrographic Office, Washington, United States, America, and from the Board of Trade, London, are published for general information.

F. M. B. FISHER.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

LAMA PASSAGE.—NAPIER POINT.—BEACON ERECTED.—A beacon, consisting of a square concrete base surmounted by a white pole 20 ft. high, carrying a slatwork drum, has been erected on Napier Point, Lama Passage, Campbell Island, British Columbia.

Approximate position on H.O. Chart No. 1765: Latitude 52° 7' 54" N., longitude 128° 9' 10" W.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS.—HOUSTON-STEWART CHANNEL.—LIGHT TO BE MOVED.—About 1st October, 1912, the intermittent white acetylene light recently established on Koya Point, eastern entrance of Houston-Stewart Channel, Queen Charlotte Islands, British Columbia, will be moved and re-established on the summit of the middle rock of the Danger Group.

Further notice will be given when the light is moved.

Approximate position on H.O. Chart No. 1584: Latitude 52° 11' 36" N., longitude 130° 57' 45" W.

H.O. Charts Nos. 527, 904, and 1584.

U.S. Coast Survey Charts Nos. U and 7002.

H.O. Light List, Vol. 1, 1912, No. 1631a.

List of Lights on the Pacific Coast, 1912, No. 460, page 76.

H.O. Publication No. 96, The Coast of British Columbia, 1907, page 570.

VANCOUVER ISLAND.—CLAYOQUOT SOUND.—TEMPLAR CHANNEL.—LENNARD ISLAND LIGHT-STATION.—TELEPHONE INSTALLED.—CAUTION.—For the protection of shipping, a telephone line has been established connecting Lennard Island Light-station with the Government telegraph-office at Tofino, Clayoquot Sound, Vancouver Island, British Columbia. This telephone line consists of a land line from the lighthouse to a small cove at the north-eastern end of Lennard Island, distant $\frac{1}{2}$ mile 57° from the lighthouse, a cable from this cove to a small cove on the western side of Low Peninsula, distant about $\frac{3}{4}$ mile 75° from the south-eastern extremity of Village Island, and a land line over Low Peninsula to Tofino.

Caution.—Mariners are warned not to anchor in the vicinity of the cable.

Approximate position of Lennard Island light: Latitude 49° 6' 40" N., longitude 125° 55' 45" W.

BURRARD INLET.—VANCOUVER HARBOUR.—BURNABY SHOAL.—LIGHT AND FOG-BELL ESTABLISHED.—An unwatched fixed red incandescent electric light and a fog-bell operated by electricity have been established on a wooden platform buoy or float, surmounted by a steel tripod, moored on the northern edge of Burnaby Shoal, near the red spar buoy, Vancouver Harbour, Burrard Inlet, British Columbia.

Approximate position on H.O. Chart No. 1408: Latitude 49° 17' 38" N., longitude 123° 5' 54" W.

An electric cable, used in operating the light and fog-bell, is laid from the shore at Brockton Point to the float.

Mariners should give the float a good berth and should not anchor in the vicinity of the cable.

If damage is done, the cost of repairs will be collected from the colliding vessel.

VANCOUVER ISLAND.—JUAN DE FUCA STRAIT.—SHERRINGHAM POINT.—LIGHT ESTABLISHED.—The Canadian Government has given notice that a 3rd-order, dioptric, flashing white light of 55,000 candle-power showing 1 group of 3 flashes every $7\frac{1}{2}$ seconds—thus, flash, $\frac{1}{2}$ second, eclipsed $1\frac{1}{2}$ seconds; flash $\frac{1}{2}$ second, eclipsed $1\frac{1}{2}$ seconds; flash $\frac{1}{2}$ second, eclipsed $3\frac{1}{2}$ seconds—has been established on Sherringham Point, south-west coast of Vancouver Island, British Columbia.

The light is exhibited 72 ft. above high water from a white, hexagonal, reinforced-concrete tower stiffened by six flying buttresses, surmounted by a red, circular, iron lantern, standing 60 ft. back from the extremity of the point, and is visible 14 miles from all points of approach by water. The height of the tower from base to vane is 64 ft. The illuminant is petroleum vapour burned under an incandescent mantle. A rectangular wooden dwelling, painted white, with red roof, stands about 200 ft. in rear of the lighthouse. A wooden boat-house, similarly coloured, stands about 100 ft. north-eastward of the lighthouse.

Approx. position: Lat. 48° 22' 20" N., long. 123° 55' 45" W.

STRAIT OF GEORGIA.—NANAIMO HARBOUR APPROACH.—SNAKE ISLAND.—BUOY REPLACED BY BELL-BUOY.—The Canadian Government has given notice that the red nun

buoy marking the southern end of the reef, south-eastward of Snake Island, Nanaimo Harbour approach, British Columbia, has been replaced by a bell-buoy.

The buoy is moored $\frac{3}{4}$ mile 146° from the southern extremity of Snake Island.

Approx. position: Lat. $49^\circ 12' 14''$ N., long. $123^\circ 53' 2''$ W.
H.O. Charts Nos. 527, 903, and 1278.

U.S. Coast Survey Charts Nos. U, 7002, 6400, and 6300.

H.O. Publication No. 96, The Coast of British Columbia, 1907, page 235.

ARGENTINA.

PLATA RIVER.—GAVIOTA BANK.—LIGHT-BUOY DISCONTINUED.—Information has been received that light-buoy B 4, moored off the north-western end of Gaviota Bank, Plata River, has been discontinued.

Approx. position: Lat. $35^\circ 4' 25''$ S., long. $57^\circ 10' 35''$ W.

PILOT-VESSEL ESTABLISHED.—The German Government has given notice that a pilot-vessel has been established 1 mile 67° from Recalada Light-vessel, Plata River, Argentina.

The vessel is a black three-masted schooner, with a raised fore-castle and deck houses, and is marked ESTACIONARIO DE PRACTICOS on each bow and the stern, and ALMIRANTE BARRAZA on each side.

Approx. position: Lat. $35^\circ 10' 10''$ S., long. $56^\circ 25' 10''$ W.

H.O. Charts Nos. 1130, 1132, 616, and 930.

H.O. Publication No. 88, East Coast of South America, 1904, page 573.

URUGUAY.

PLATA RIVER.—PUNTA NEGRA.—INTENDED LIGHT.—The Government of Uruguay has given notice that a light is to be established on Punta Negra, Plata River, Uruguay.

The work of constructing the tower is now in progress.

Further notice will be given.

Approx. position: Lat. $34^\circ 54' 54''$ S., long. $55^\circ 15' 30''$ W.

ENGLISH BANK LIGHT-VESSEL.—RADIOGRAPH STATION ESTABLISHED.—The Government of Uruguay has given notice that a radiograph station, call letters U P Y, range 27 miles, has been established for public service on English Bank Light-vessel, Plata River.

Approx. position: Lat. $35^\circ 6' 30''$ S., long. $55^\circ 56' 30''$ W.

MONTEVIDEO.—CHANGE IN BUOYAGE.—WRECKS REMOVED.—The commanding officer of H.B.M.S. "Active" reports the following information concerning the buoys at Montevideo, Uruguay:—

The lights on the three light-buoys moored 650 yards 356° , 920 yards 32° , and 1,280 yards 35° from the light on the head of the East Breakwater have been changed from fixed to *flashing red*.

The light-buoy formerly moored 750 yards 38° from the same light has been discontinued.

A black can buoy has been established 350 yards 100° from Punta del Rodeo, about 200 yards southward of Low Rocks.

Piedras Blancas Light-buoy is located about 540 yards 335° from its former position and 1,300 yards 201° from the flag-staff at the entrance to Cibil Dock. The wreck 2,060 yards 245° from the light on the head of the East Breakwater has been removed and the two black buoys marking it withdrawn.

SUMATRA.

EAST COAST.—BERHALA ISLAND.—LIGHT ESTABLISHED.—FURTHER INFORMATION.—Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 37 (3006) of 1912, the Netherlands Government has given further notice that the *flashing white* light, visible 14 miles, recently established on the southernmost rocky islet south of Berhala Island, east coast of Sumatra, shows 1 flash every 15 seconds—thus, flash 3 seconds, eclipsed 12 seconds.

The light is a dioptric acetylene-gas light shown from a white, skeleton, iron tower 69 ft. high, and is visible over an arc of 270° from 237° to 147° .

Approx. position: Lat. $0^\circ 52' 12''$ S., long. $104^\circ 24' 20''$ E.

KUNDUR ISLAND.—BUOY TO BE CHANGED.—Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 19 (1425) of 1912, the Netherlands Government has given further notice that the white conical buoy recently established to mark the shoal westward of Kundur Island, east coast of Sumatra, will be replaced by a black can buoy moored northward of the shoal in (approximately) latitude $0^\circ 53' 40''$ N., longitude $103^\circ 14' 26''$ E.

H.O. Charts Nos. 529, 1170, and 797.

China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1906, page 135.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO BAY.—SAN PABLO BAY DREDGED CHANNEL.—BUOYS TO BE REPLACED.—BUOY TO BE TEMPORARILY DIS-

CONTINUED.—Notice is given that about 25th September, 1912, San Pablo Dredged Channel Buoys Nos. 1 and 3, San Pablo Bay, California, which were temporarily discontinued during dredging operations, will be re-established to mark the newly dredged channel.

Buoy No. 1 will be moored about 950 ft. 293° and buoy No. 3 650 ft. 298° from the former position. Bearings will be published later.

About 1st October, 1912, San Pablo Dredged Channel buoy No. 9, marking the northern side of the dredged channel, will be temporarily withdrawn to facilitate dredging operations.

SAN PABLO BAY.—PETALUMA CREEK.—BUOY ESTABLISHED.—Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 34 (2751) of 1912, further notice is given that on 16th September, 1912, Petaluma Creek buoy 2, a third-class nun, was established to mark the turn in the new dredged channel at the entrance to Petaluma Creek, San Pablo Bay, California, on the bearings:—

Pinole Point, north tangent, $141^\circ 45'$.

East Brother Island Lighthouse, 173° .

Petaluma Point, north tangent, 270° .

PETALUMA CREEK LIGHT.—COLOUR AND NUMBER TO BE CHANGED.—About 1st November, 1912, the colour of Petaluma Creek light No. 2, San Pablo Bay, California, will be changed from red to *white*, and the luminous power increased from 42 to 170 candles. The colour of the structure will be changed from red to *black*, and the number from 2 to 1.

This light marks the port side of the new dredged channel and is located on the following corrected bearings:—

Pinole Point, left tangent, $139^\circ 30'$.

East Brother Island Lighthouse, $182^\circ 45'$.

Petaluma Point, tangent, $304^\circ 45'$.

RINCON POINT.—BUOYS DISCONTINUED.—Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 39 (3158) of 1912, further notice is given that on 15th October, 1912, the red-and-black horizontally striped nun buoy and the red-and-black horizontally striped gas-buoy marking the rocks off Rincon Point, San Francisco Bay, California, were permanently discontinued, the rocks having been removed to a depth of 35 ft.

Approximate position of Rincon Point: Latitude $37^\circ 47' 30''$ N., longitude $122^\circ 23' 8''$ W.

POINT VINCENTE GAS AND WHISTLE BUOY.—CHARACTERISTIC OF LIGHT CHANGED.—On 8th October, 1912, the characteristic of the light exhibited from Point Vicente Gas and Whistle Buoy, sea-coast of California, was changed from intermittent white every 20 seconds to *flashing white* every 10 seconds—thus, flash 2 seconds, eclipsed 8 seconds.

Approx. position: Lat. $33^\circ 44' 15''$ N., long. $118^\circ 24' 50''$ W.

H.O. Charts Nos. 527 and 1006.

U.S. Coast Survey Charts Nos. U, 5002, 5100, and 5143.

List of Lights on the Pacific Coast, 1912, page 10, No. 14.

U.S. Coast Pilot, Pacific Coast, 1909, pages 36 and 44.

WASHINGTON.

PUGET SOUND.—TACOMA.—LIGHT AND FOG-SIGNAL TO BE ESTABLISHED.—About 1st December, 1912, an *intermittent white* incandescent electric light, of about 300 candle-power, every 5 seconds—thus, light 3 seconds, eclipsed 2 seconds—will be established on the point on the eastern side of the entrance to the city waterway, Tacoma, Puget Sound, Washington, on the bearings—

City Hall, left tangent, 215° .

High School, right tangent, 302° .

The light will be exhibited 25 ft. above the water from a white skeleton frame structure.

On the same date a fog-bell, which will sound 2 strokes in quick succession every 10 seconds, will be established at the station.

Approx. position: Lat. $47^\circ 15' 42''$ N., long. $122^\circ 26' 5''$ W.

CAPE FLATTERY LIGHT-STATION.—INTENDED CHANGE IN FOG-SIGNAL.—About 1st May, 1913, the fog-whistle at Cape Flattery Light-station, Washington, will be replaced by a first-class compressed-air siren which will sound 2 blasts every minute—thus, blast 5 seconds, silent interval 15 seconds; blast 3 seconds, silent interval 37 seconds.

Mariners are notified that irregularities in the characteristic of the steam-whistle may be expected during the month of April.

Approx. position: Lat. $48^\circ 23' 30''$ N., long. $124^\circ 44' 6''$ W.

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN.

SOLOMON ISLANDS.—FLORIDA ISLAND.—TULAGI HARBOUR RANGE-LIGHTS.—FURTHER INFORMATION.—The following information has been received concerning the lights recently established on the range-beacons leading into Tulagi Harbour, Florida Island, Solomon Islands.

The front beacon carries an unwatched *fixed red* light, elevated 29 ft. above the sea, and is visible 10 miles.

The rear beacon carries an unwatched *fixed white* light, elevated 29 ft. above the sea, and is visible 10 miles.

RURA SURA ISLAND.—CORRECTED POSITION OF ROCK.—ROCK REPORTED.—Information has been received that the 6-foot rock in Rura Sura Island Anchorage, Solomon Islands, is located 700 yards 350° from the R.C. Mission-station.

The 6-foot rock a short distance northward of this position should be expunged from the chart and the reef extended about 200 yards to the southward.

A rock, with a least depth of 6 ft. over it, has been discovered 560 yards 24° from the same station.

H.O. Chart No. 825A.

B.A. Charts Nos. 214, 1469, and 97.

Pacific Islands, Vol. I, 1908, page 279.

RED SEA.

DAEDALUS REEF LT.—About 18th Jan., 1913, this F. *white* lt. (24° 55½' N., 35° 51½' E.) is to be replaced by an occ. *white* lt. every 20 secs.—lt. 8 secs., ecl. 4 secs.; lt. 4 secs., ecl. 4 secs. Oct.

SUEZ BAY.—ETULEH SHOALS LT.-BUOY.—This lt.-buoy (29° 55½' N., 32° 30¼' E.) now exh. a F. *red* lt. Sept.

(For Suez Canal, see "Mediterranean," "Egypt.")

NEW ZEALAND.

Admiralty charts that have received *large* corrections: No. 2185. New Zealand, South Isl., Nelson anchorages. Sept.

INDIAN OCEAN.

On 12th Aug., 1912, S.W. breakwater lt., occ. *red* (6° 57¼' N., 79° 50¾' E.) temp. showed F. *red* until further notice, on account of damage to the apparatus. Oct.

THE SANDHEADS.—CORRECTIONS TO ADMIRALTY PUBLICATIONS.—1. Pilots Ridge Lt.-v. (20° 51½' N., 87° 52' E.) has only 1 mast, and not 3 masts as is now shown on the charts and stated in the Admiralty publications. 2. Upper Gaspar Lt.-v. (21° 31¼' N., 88° 2¼' E.) has only 1 mast, and not 3 masts as is now stated in the List of Lts. and in the Sailing Directions. The charts show this lt.-v. correctly. 3. Matla Lt.-v. (20° 57' N., 88° 34' E.) has only 1 mast, and not 3 masts as is now shown on the charts and stated in the Admiralty publications. Oct.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO.

PANKA PT. LT.-BUOY.—This lt.-buoy, *white*, exh. an occ. *white* lt., has been moved 8 cables 9° (N. 8° E. mag.) on account of the extension of the bank srd. of it, and now lies in 6° 50½' S., 112° 33¼' E., 5.4 miles 32° (N. 31° E. mag.) from pyta on Banjulegi Hill. Oct.

BATAVIA.—A radio-tel. station, open daily from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. for international communication, excepting on Thursdays, when it is open from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m., and on Sundays and holidays from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.; the call sig. is W E L, is est. in 6° 10' S., 106° 50½' E., in the Marine Department at Weltevreden. Oct.

The fl. *white* lt. of the lt.-buoy, in 6° 3' 57" S., 106° 52' 43" E., on N.-ern. side of Van Dorth Shoal, should not be relied on, as the lt.-buoy is again under trial. Note.—"Exper." has been charted against this buoy. Oct.

Notice to Mariners No. 143 of 1912.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 6th December, 1912.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Port Officer, Melbourne, Victoria, is published for general information.

F. M. B. FISHER.

VICTORIA.

Temporary Light.—Wilson's Promontory.

IN connection with the alteration to the Wilson's Promontory light, as referred to in Notice to Mariners No. 110, dated 10th June, 1912, it is hereby notified that, during the work of alteration to the permanent lighting apparatus, a temporary fourth-order fixed light will be exhibited from a skeleton wooden tower in front of the lighthouse, upon a date to be hereafter given.

It is hereby further notified that, upon the present light being discontinued, lightkeepers will require to exercise greater watchfulness in maintaining the light, hence the receiving and transmission of night signals from vessels as stated in Notice to Mariners No. 85, dated 4th July, 1911, cannot be guaranteed.

C. W. MACLEAN,
Port Officer.

Melbourne, 4th November, 1912.

Notice to Mariners No. 144 of 1912.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—MOTUKOREHO CHANNEL.—NEW WHARF AND LIGHT AT KOHIMARAMA.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 7th December, 1912.

THE Auckland Harbour Board have notified that a wharf has been built at Pipimea Head, Kohimarama, and a 75 candle-power *white fixed* light has been placed on the end at a height of 20 ft. 6 in. from high-water spring tides.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Chart No. 1896; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter ii, page 42.

F. M. B. FISHER.

Examination-sheds appointed.

CUSTOMS.—In exercise of the powers in me for this purpose vested by the Customs Law Act, 1903, I, Francis Marion Bates Fisher, the Minister of Customs, do hereby revoke and annul the undermentioned Minister's Orders:—

Minister's Order.		Date of Gazette in which published.
No.	Date.	
95	23rd October, 1876 ..	26th October, 1876.
336	4th July, 1889 ..	11th July, 1889.
533	14th February, 1896 ..	27th February, 1896.
669	1st October, 1901 ..	3rd October, 1901.
1024	16th October, 1912 ..	24th October, 1912.

And do hereby appoint that the undermentioned buildings at the Port of Napier shall be places where goods may be deposited for examination on the landing thereof, namely:—

Wharf Shed A, abutting on to the wharf at the Pilot Reserve.

Wharf Shed B, situated on Iron-pot Quay, Port Ahuriri.

Wharf Shed E, situated at root of breakwater.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this 9th day of December, 1912.

F. M. B. FISHER,
Minister of Customs.

Minister's Order No. 1026.]

Notice of Intention to take Land in D'Urville Island for Scenic Purposes.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, and the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910, to take land described in the Schedule hereto for scenic purposes. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at French Pass, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land to be taken.	Being Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 53 0 0	21	XI	D'Urville ..	P.W.D. 31926	Red.

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 10th day of December, 1912.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 11th December, 1912.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned persons have been appointed to be the Deputies of the Registrars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the district set respectively opposite their names, viz. :—

Name.	District.
ALFRED ORR MARTIN	Brunner.
ALBERT LESLIE SMITH	Malvern.
JAMES WYLLIE MCLEAN.. .. .	Whakatane.

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General

Officiating Ministers for 1912.—Notice No. 42.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 11th December, 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 :—

Methodist Church of Australasia in New Zealand.
The Reverend S. J. MOGRIDGE.

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

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 6th day of December, 1912.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 40 acres, more or less, being the southern portion of Allotment 9, in the Parish of Parahaki, in the County of Marsden. Bounded towards the north-east by Allotments 15 and 16, 960 links; towards the south-east by Allotment 8, 4416 links; towards the south-west by a road, 800 links; and towards the north-west by other portion of Allotment 9, 4900 links.

The Census and Statistics Act, 1910.—Agricultural and Pastoral Statistics.

Office of the Registrar-General, Wellington, 10th December, 1912.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Census and Statistics Act, 1910, the Department of Agriculture collected through the post returns of the areas under grain (for threshing only) and root crops in the various districts for the current season (1912-13), and the following table gives the result of the compilation made therefrom. The figures may be taken as a fairly accurate estimate of the areas under the respective crops.

M. FRASER,
Government Statistician.

GRAIN, ROOT, AND OTHER CROPS SOWN OR INTENDED TO BE SOWN THIS SEASON, 1912-13.
SUMMARY OF PROVINCIAL DISTRICTS.—RETURNS COLLECTED OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER, 1912.

District.	For Threshing only.					Intended to be cut for Seed.			Sown or intended to be Sown this Season.			
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Maize.	Peas	Rye-grass.	Cocks-foot.	Clover.	Pota-toes.	Turnips.	Man-golds.	Rape.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Auckland	751	9,111	1,216	3,961	165	3,940	3,069	710	3,155	44,856	1,213	11,124
Taranaki	204	2,907	457	129	63	357	539	16	474	17,329	1,902	5,068
Hawke's Bay	451	7,879	2,060	330	221	4,112	1,183	53	904	16,406	460	22,075
Wellington	3,098	17,212	1,585	203	579	3,878	2,819	258	1,675	23,252	1,339	27,942
Marlborough	688	6,646	8,754	11	6,783	435	1,580	871	574	4,148	506	7,960
Nelson	3,559	9,172	3,121	26	548	558	408	387	823	10,838	237	8,342
Canterbury	147,658	162,852	12,422	22	10,705	18,097	21,472	9,796	8,678	93,987	3,344	73,369
Otago— Otago portion	30,002	76,751	6,665	1	541	11,876	1,536	907	4,286	97,571	10,262	80,574
Southland portion	3,453	94,256	1,206	..	44	19,778	1,401	37	2,911	131,353	63	20,701
Totals	189,869	386,786	37,486	4,683	19,649	63,031	34,007	13,035	23,480	439,740	19,326	257,155

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 9th November, 1912, and for the corresponding period, 1911:—

WHANGAREI-KAWAKAWA SECTION.

PASSENGERS.—	1912.			1911.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	1,117	716	1,833	1,055	630	1,685
2nd Class	4,306	4,908	9,214	3,538	4,838	8,376
Total	5,423	5,624	11,047	4,593	5,468	10,061
Season Tickets			66			31
Goods,—	1912.	1911.		1912.	1911.	
	No.	No.		No.	No.	
Drays	4	..		423	223	
Cattle	136	86		15	14	
Calves	2	..		3	3	
Sheep	35	111		22	32	
Pigs	29	..		..	..
Total	206	147		463	272	
Chaff, Lime, &c... ..	Tons.	Tons.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Wool	384	18		648 7 3	605 2 6	
Firewood	138	84		94 5 6	80 15 11	
Timber	2,377	1,007		2,164 9 9	1,910 6 10	
Grain	341	459		22 10 4	220 18 1	
Merchandise	740	572		44 2 11	34 3 1	
Minerals	7,922	8,884				
Total	11,902	10,974		£2,973 15 9	£2,851 6 5	
PARCELS, ETC.,—						
Parcels						
Horses						
Carriages						
Dogs						
Total						
REVENUE,—						
Passengers						
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails						
Goods						
Miscellaneous						
Rents and Commission						
Total						

KAIHU SECTION.

PASSENGERS.—	1912.			1911.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	44	86	130	17	42	59
2nd Class	798	936	1,784	886	872	1,758
Total	842	1,072	1,914	903	914	1,817
Season Tickets			0			0
Goods,—	1912.	1911.		1912.	1911.	
	No.	No.		No.	No.	
Drays .. .. .	..	1		445	454	
Cattle	2	3		5	7	
Calves .. .. .	..	..		..	2	
Sheep .. .. .	..	..		5	11	
Pigs .. .. .	..	..		..	..
Total	2	4		455	474	
Chaff, Lime, &c... ..	Tons.	Tons.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Wool	114	..		100 1 1	93 18 4	
Firewood	42	42		30 3 7	33 4 5	
Timber	235	592		177 5 7	161 9 0	
Grain	65	44		7 5 1	6 3 11	
Merchandise	191	92		6 4 0	5 0 0	
Minerals	24	..				
Total	672	776		£320 19 4	£299 15 8	
PARCELS, ETC.,—						
Parcels						
Horses						
Carriages						
Dogs						
Total						
REVENUE,—						
Passengers						
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails						
Goods						
Miscellaneous						
Rents and Commission						
Total						

GISBORNE SECTION.

PASSENGERS.—	1912.			1911.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	506	450	956	480	492	972
2nd Class	3,367	4,856	8,223	3,430	4,386	7,816
Total	3,873	5,306	9,179	3,910	4,878	8,788
Season Tickets			4			11
Goods,—	1912.	1911.		1912.	1911.	
	No.	No.		No.	No.	
Drays	4	2		793	543	
Cattle	57	38		6	4	
Calves .. .. .	..	2		6	3	
Sheep	1,315	240		54	35	
Pigs	26	2		..	..
Total	1,402	284		859	585	
Chaff, Lime, &c... ..	Tons.	Tons.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Wool	42	66		578 14 10	533 5 10	
Firewood	251	269		91 2 1	58 12 8	
Timber	6	12		694 1 6	719 14 0	
Grain	224	278		19 4 10	186 6 7	
Merchandise	424	565		46 4 5	37 9 3	
Minerals	274	320				
Minerals	1,620	2,086				
Total	2,841	3,596		£1,429 7 8	£1,535 8 4	
PARCELS, ETC.,—						
Parcels						
Horses						
Carriages						
Dogs						
Total						
REVENUE,—						
Passengers						
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails						
Goods						
Miscellaneous						
Rents and Commission						
Total						

NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

PASSENGERS,—	1912.			1911.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	18,422	62,678	81,100	19,308	56,736	76,044
2nd Class	113,397	314,896	428,293	106,475	280,576	387,051
Total	131,819	377,574	509,393	125,783	337,312	463,095
Season Tickets			13,086			10,924

GOODS,—	1912.		1911.		PARCELS, ETC.,—	1912.		1911.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Drays	92		101		Parcels	45,773		40,882	
Cattle	12,187		11,604		Horses	965		943	
Calves	618		792		Carriages	97		113	
Sheep	56,602		58,370		Dogs	2,040		2,018	
Pigs	3,449		5,266		Total	48,875		43,956	
Total	72,948		76,133						

REVENUE,—	1912.			1911.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	57,747	0	0	56,184	2	8
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	9,206	16	9	8,775	8	8
Goods	71,839	8	1	71,765	18	5
Miscellaneous	1,458	6	1	1,055	10	7
Rents and Commission	2,084	14	0	1,916	15	5
Total	£141,836	4	11	£139,697	10	9

SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

PASSENGERS,—	1912.			1911.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	14,360	59,934	74,294	14,093	56,678	70,771
2nd Class	62,641	281,454	344,095	62,005	265,942	327,947
Total	77,001	341,388	418,389	76,098	322,620	398,718
Season Tickets			7,028			5,227

GOODS,—	1912.		1911.		PARCELS, ETC.,—	1912.		1911.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Drays	89		86		Parcels	48,378		44,602	
Cattle	4,228		4,794		Horses	1,028		1,073	
Calves	225		507		Carriages	114		106	
Sheep	48,845		54,095		Dogs	1,342		1,409	
Pigs	2,506		2,379		Total	50,862		47,190	
Total	55,893		61,861						

REVENUE,—	1912.			1911.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	38,325	2	6	36,855	19	6
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	6,934	18	7	6,642	2	0
Goods	53,527	1	3	49,542	1	7
Miscellaneous	1,880	10	9	1,594	9	1
Rents and Commission	1,683	19	5	1,551	6	8
Total	£102,351	12	6	£95,685	18	10

WESTLAND SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1912.			1911.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	1,027	2,256	3,283	1,102	1,742	2,844
2nd Class	8,568	20,414	28,977	8,409	15,756	24,165
Total	9,595	22,670	32,260	9,511	17,498	27,009
Season Tickets			348			211

GOODS,—	1912.		1911.		PARCELS, ETC.,—	1912.		1911.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Drays	2		2		Parcels	2,240		2,206	
Cattle	343		270		Horses	61		77	
Calves	13		37		Carriages	3		5	
Sheep	1,085		909		Dogs	67		54	
Pigs					Total	2,371		2,342	
Total	1,441		1,218						

REVENUE,—	1912.			1911.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	2,070	5	5	1,826	11	7
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	380	8	6	448	3	1
Goods	8,489	6	3	7,323	10	9
Miscellaneous	378	3	7	394	16	11
Rents and Commission	111	18	7	211	0	4
Total	£11,430	2	4	£10,144	2	8

WESTPORT SECTION.

				1912.			1911.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	48	134	182	37	82	119
2nd Class	..	..	..	2,305	5,450	7,755	2,195	5,478	7,673
Total	..	..	..	2,353	5,584	7,937	2,232	5,560	7,792
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	63	..	..	47
				1912.	1911.				
Goods,—				No.	No.	PARCELS, ETC.,—			
Drays	..	..	..	..	2	No.			
Cattle	..	..	..	5	..	623			
Calves	..	..	..	1	..	4			
Sheep	..	..	..	109	93	..			
Pigs	..	..	..	..	35	7			
Total	..	..	..	115	130	Total			
				Tons.	Tons.	£ s. d.			
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	..	60	48	Passengers			
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	467 7 6			
Firewood	..	..	..	576	714	Parcels, Luggage, and			
Timber	..	..	..	171	210	Mails			
Grain	..	..	..	200	212	77 2 7			
Merchandise	..	..	..	371	343	Goods			
Minerals	..	..	..	65,906	58,012	8,818 4 2			
Total	..	..	..	67,284	59,539	Miscellaneous			
						579 1 9			
						Rents and Commission			
						45 3 11			
						Total			
						£9,986 19 11			
						£8,956 4 3			

NELSON SECTION.

				1912.			1911.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	154	392	546	168	228	396
2nd Class	..	..	..	2,914	5,042	7,956	2,472	3,486	5,958
Total	..	..	..	3,068	5,434	8,502	2,640	3,714	6,354
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	170	..	..	111
				1912.	1911.				
Goods,—				No.	No.	PARCELS, ETC.,—			
Drays	..	..	..	1	..	No.			
Cattle	..	..	..	1	1	543			
Calves	..	..	..	..	2	10			
Sheep	..	..	..	66	125	..			
Pigs	..	..	..	4	2	25			
Total	..	..	..	72	130	Total			
				Tons.	Tons.	£ s. d.			
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	..	186	72	Passengers			
Wool	..	..	..	3	10	660 7 9			
Firewood	..	..	..	210	234	Parcels, Luggage, and			
Timber	..	..	..	341	372	Mails			
Grain	..	..	..	490	648	103 15 0			
Merchandise	..	..	..	312	289	Goods			
Minerals	..	..	..	772	662	1,038 18 9			
Total	..	..	..	2,814	2,287	Miscellaneous			
						72 9 9			
						Rents and Commission			
						82 10 4			
						Total			
						£1,958 1 7			
						£1,712 2 9			

PICTON SECTION.

				1912.			1911.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	657	1,880	2,537	575	1,762	2,337
2nd Class	..	..	..	2,106	6,812	8,918	2,177	6,998	9,175
Total	..	..	..	2,763	8,692	11,455	2,752	8,760	11,512
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	15	..	..	33
				1912.	1911.				
Goods,—				No.	No.	PARCELS, ETC.,—			
Drays	..	..	..	4	3	No.			
Cattle	..	..	..	21	42	395			
Calves	..	..	..	..	2	28			
Sheep	..	..	..	600	546	4			
Pigs	..	..	..	..	15	69			
Total	..	..	..	625	608	Total			
				Tons.	Tons.	£ s. d.			
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	..	1,146	1,398	Passengers			
Wool	..	..	..	77	161	716 2 11			
Firewood	..	..	..	108	126	Parcels, Luggage, and			
Timber	..	..	..	137	136	Mails			
Grain	..	..	..	632	511	105 3 10			
Merchandise	..	..	..	452	1,263	Goods			
Minerals	..	..	..	1,603	403	1,117 12 4			
Total	..	..	..	4,155	3,998	Miscellaneous			
						94 18 9			
						Rents and Commission			
						88 7 9			
						Total			
						£2,122 5 7			
						£2,134 9 10			

LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.

PASSENGERS,—	1912.			1911.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	147	666	813	106	130	236
2nd Class	237	322	559	248	172	420
Total	384	988	1,372	354	302	656
Season Tickets			11			9

GOODS,—	1912.		1911.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Drays .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Cattle	12	..	19	..
Calves .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Sheep	188	..	215	..
Pigs .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Total	200	..	234	..

CHAFF, LIME, &c.	1912.		1911.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Chaff, Lime, &c. . . . .	..	..	..	24
Wool	2	..	1	..
Firewood .. .. .	..	..	30	..
Timber	35	..	37	..
Grain	114	..	68	..
Merchandise	138	..	146	..
Minerals	108	..	85	..
Total	392	..	391	..

PARCELS, ETC.,—	1912.		1911.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Parcels	499	..	399	..
Horses	13	..	18	..
Carriages	5	..	6	..
Dogs	10	..	18	..
Total	527	..	436	..

REVENUE,—	1912.			1911.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	276	19	11	180	8	10
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	68	0	5	69	12	2
Goods	152	2	11	159	1	10
Miscellaneous	0	13	9	0	12	0
Rents and Commission .. .. .	..	..	..	2	10	0
Total	£497	17	0	£412	4	10

Railway Department, 9th November, 1912.

H. DAVIDSON,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1912-13.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 9th November, 1912.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period, Average to Date.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Whangarei-Kawakawa	58	£ 2,973 15 9	£ 23,083 19 6	£ 1,978 14 7	£ 17,735 17 1	76·88	£ 646 15 0	£ 496 18 2
Kaihu	17	320 19 4	2,869 15 6	321 18 1	2,762 14 6	116·58	226 10 6	264 1 8
Gisborne	32	1,429 7 8	9,275 10 3	865 11 2	7,467 18 2	80·51	475 4 0	382 11 7
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,089	141,886 4 11	1,152,061 0 1	102,392 17 1	802,306 14 11	69·64	1,735 16 10	1,208 17 0
Total	1,190	146,560 7 8	1,186,790 5 4	105,559 0 11	830,272 19 8	69·96		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,366	102,351 12 6	904,288 11 6	88,424 8 10	653,201 0 8	72·23	1,080 12 10	780 11 10
Westland	141	11,430 2 4	87,405 1 11	6,718 11 8	59,779 9 5	68·39	1,007 6 7	688 18 11
Westport	36	9,986 19 11	78,447 2 6	4,121 4 5	34,413 4 8	43·87	3,541 0 5	1,553 7 5
Nelson	61	1,958 1 7	16,224 16 4	1,268 13 6	14,021 0 7	86·20	506 8 4	437 12 10
Piiton	48	2,122 5 7	18,025 8 10	2,332 8 5	16,762 1 0	92·99	610 4 9	567 9 4
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	497 17 0	3,282 4 1	628 11 4	3,742 14 4	114·03	..	..
Total	1,652	128,346 18 11	1,107,673 5 2	103,493 18 2	781,919 10 8	70·59		
Grand total	2,842	274,907 6 7	2,294,463 10 6	209,052 19 1	1,612,192 10 4	70·26		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period, Average to Date.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Whangarei-Kawakawa	58	£ 2,851 6 5	£ 20,402 4 7	£ 2,221 2 11	£ 16,355 15 9	80·17	£ 602 2 2	£ 482 13 10
Kaihu	17	299 15 8	2,272 15 7	324 11 7	2,966 2 8	130·51	217 5 0	283 10 7
Gisborne	23	1,535 8 4	8,537 15 8	527 15 7	5,154 19 9	60·38	603 4 3	364 4 3
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,075	139,697 10 9	1,067,050 2 11	89,028 7 2	712,640 17 4	66·79	1,612 19 7	1,077 5 2
Total	1,173	144,384 1 2	1,098,262 18 9	92,101 17 3	737,117 15 6	67·12		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,357	95,685 18 10	836,236 18 1	77,727 14 9	590,346 0 4	70·60	1,005 16 10	710 1 6
Westland	141	10,144 2 8	94,146 13 8	6,302 13 1	50,961 10 10	54·13	1,085 0 5	587 6 6
Westport	31	8,956 4 3	73,237 11 6	4,072 3 4	32,995 11 1	45·05	3,839 1 5	1,729 12 0
Nelson	48	1,712 2 9	14,287 11 3	1,623 6 8	12,553 19 7	87·87	483 13 10	425 0 10
Piiton	48	2,134 9 10	15,487 0 6	1,993 2 0	15,764 1 0	101·79	534 0 8	543 11 9
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	412 4 10	3,325 16 1	431 19 4	3,166 6 2	95·20	..	..
Total	1,625	119,045 3 2	1,036,721 11 1	92,150 19 2	705,787 9 0	68·08		
Grand total	2,798	263,429 4 4	2,134,984 9 10	184,252 16 5	1,442,905 4 6	67·59		

Railway Department, 7th December, 1912.

H. DAVIDSON,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of TRAFFIC ON ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1912, to 9th November, 1912.

All Sections.	First-class Passengers.		Second-class Passengers.		Total.	Season Tickets.
	S.	R.	S.	R.		
1912	289,291	848,084	1,606,758	4,396,016	7,140,149	160,668
1911	275,572	783,910	1,488,230	3,986,294	6,534,006	145,816
Increase	13,719	64,174	118,528	409,722	606,143	14,852
Decrease .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..

All Sections.	Parcels.	Horses.	Carriages.	Dogs.	Total.	Drays, &c.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.
1912	730,234	12,137	1,653	35,602	779,626	1,811	127,359	13,669	2,721,523	70,004	2,934,366
1911	664,619	11,768	1,548	35,080	713,015	1,678	119,862	13,680	2,384,843	69,916	2,589,979
Increase	65,615	369	105	522	66,611	133	7,497	..	336,680	88	344,387
Decrease .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	..	..	..

All Sections.	Chaff, Lime, &c.		Wool.		Firewood.		Timber.		Grain.		Merchandise.		Minerals.		Total.	
	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.		
1912	137,896	0	31,675	12	69,686	0	431,580	16	778,503	5	498,972	14	1,764,049	12	3,712,363	19
1911	130,682	0	30,319	16	74,286	0	444,899	19	609,429	17	479,112	11	1,681,983	17	3,450,714	0
Increase	7,214	0	1,355	16	..	..	..	..	169,073	8	19,860	3	82,065	15	261,649	19
Decrease .. .. .	..	..	..	..	4,600	0	13,319	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION of RAILWAYS, ROLLING-STOCK, &c., to 31st March, 1912, as furnished by Public Works Department and by Greymouth and Westport Harbour Boards respectively.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.			Cost of Unopened Lines.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Whangarei-Kawakawa	564,745	0	0	71,373	0	0
Kaihu	67,918	0	0	8,534	0	0
Gisborne	203,596	0	0	265,280	0	0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	13,116,727	0	0	531,495	0	0
South Island Main Lines and Branches	13,277,297	0	0	369,930	0	0
Westland	1,709,057	0	0	541,304	0	0
Westport	525,251	0	0	99,092	0	0
Nelson	408,382	0	0	119,391	0	0
Picton	557,817	0	0	26,969	0	0
Lake Wakatipu Steamer Service	33,032	0	0	..	..	..
In Suspense—	..	..	..	..	..	..
Surveys, North Island .. .. .	..	..	..	30,009	0	0
Miscellaneous, North Island .. .. .	..	..	..	5,169	0	0
Surveys, South Island .. .. .	..	..	..	6,526	0	0
Miscellaneous, South Island .. .. .	..	..	..	5,168	0	0
P.W.D. Stock of Permanent-way .. .. .	..	..	..	102,850	0	0
W.R.D. Stock of A.O.L. Stores	17,267	0	0	..	..	..
W.R.D. Deposit Account for Permanent-way Material	25,000	0	0	..	..	..
Totals	£30,506,089	0	0	£2,183,090	0	0

Railway Department, 7th December, 1912.

H. DAVIDSON,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

Deceased Persons Estates.

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

No.	Name of Deceased.	New Zealand Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
1	Allinson, John	Mount Algidus Station	England	19 Oct., 1912	Intestate.
2	Avery, John Porter	Rocky Point	"	25 July, "	"
3	Baker, Emma	Amberley	"	13 Sept., "	Testate.
4	Ballard, John	Auckland	"	27 Oct., "	Intestate.
5	Burston, James	Gisborne	England	6 Nov., "	"
6	Christian, Eaisn	Whakataki	Ceylon	"	"
7	Christiansen, Peter Christian, or Sondberg, Peter Christian	Papakura	Denmark	15 Nov., "	"
8	Coote, William	Taumarunui	England	3 Oct., "	"
9	Crockett, John Lamb	Invercargill	Ireland	27 Mar., "	Testate.
10	Crossley, Benjamin	Hokianga	"	16 Oct., "	Intestate.
11	Davis, or Davies, Charles	Waimangaroa	"	17 Nov., "	"
12	Dayman, Frank Scott	Wellington	"	20 Oct., "	"
13	Dooley, Thomas	Waipori	Ireland	6 Nov., "	"
14	Drummond, George Alexander	Ngaio	"	1 " "	Testate.
15	Hedley, Matilda Florence	Taphui	"	18 Oct., "	"
16	Johnstone, Graham	Whatawhata	"	19 Nov., 1908	Intestate.
17	Hearsley, Mary Veronica, or Maria	Wellington	Ireland	22 Oct., 1912	"
18	Keppel, Margaret Mary	Outram	"	5 Sept., "	"
19	Leathwick, Mary Ann	Christchurch	England	16 Nov., "	Testate.
20	Lelievre, Justine Rose	Akaroa	France	30 Sept., "	"
21	Mace, Fancy Sarah	Masterton	England	16 " "	Intestate.
22	Marriner, Mary	Rawene	"	16 Oct., "	Testate.
23	Matheson, Catherine	Konini	Scotland	21 " "	Intestate.
24	McDonald, John	Auckland	Ireland	30 April, "	"
25	McKay, Neil	Ruaroa	Victoria	2 Nov., "	"
26	McKenzie, Alexander	Palmerston North	Scotland	14 " "	"
27	McKinnon, John	Arapawanui	"	13 " "	Testate.
28	McLean, Mary	Papanui	"	29 Oct., "	"
29	McLoughlin, Jane	Lower Kaikorai	"	17 July, "	Intestate.
30	McMillan, Catherine	Dunedin	Scotland	25 Sept., "	"
31	Moxham, James	Oamaru	"	16 Aug., "	"
32	Muir, Rachel, or Rachael	Belleknowes	Scotland	14 Nov., "	Testate.
33	Neary, William	Frankton Junction	England	30 Aug., "	Intestate.
34	Park, Agnes Margaret	Invercargill	"	29 Oct., "	"
35	Pasco, John Harris	Queenstown	England	16 " "	Testate.
36	Payne, Valentine Alfred	Wellington	Australia	14 Nov., "	Intestate.
37	Pedersen, or Petersen, Peter	Pohouui	Norway	14 Oct., "	"
38	Rae, or Rea, William	Westport	Scotland	22 Nov., "	"
39	Sammon, Michael	Evans Flat	Ireland	25 Sept., "	"
40	Sanson, James	Darfield	England	15 Nov., "	Testate.
41	Sigley, Joseph Robert	Awakino	"	21 Sept., "	Intestate.
42	Sykes, Ernest Charles Edward	Titirangi	England	22 " "	Testate.
43	Tamara, Takura	Paeroa	"	3 Nov., 1911	Intestate.
44	Thomasen, Soren	Taoroa	Denmark	23 Aug., 1912	"
45	Vile, or Kum, Kate	Westport	"	17 Sept., "	"
46	Vollheide, Christian John	Greymouth	Germany	13 Oct., "	Testate.
47	Wallace, Andrew	Fendalton	Scotland	17 Nov., "	"
48	Ward, George Pullen	Toiro	England	24 Aug., "	"
49	Whittaker, Albert Roy	Auckland	"	17 Mar., "	Intestate.
50	Wiglestein, Francis, or Brown, Wm.	Bungtown	Sweden	14 Sept., "	"
51	Wingrove, John	Stratford	England	24 Oct., "	Testate.

Dated the 11th day of December, 1912.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee

The Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks Act, 1911.—Application for Restoration of Lapsed Patent under Section 22.

NOTICE is hereby given that Charles Henry Edmund Hope-Johnstone, formerly of Aramoho, Wanganui, New Zealand, Factory-manager, but now residing at Tuhikaramea, Auckland, New Zealand, Farmer, has made application for the restoration of the patent granted to him for an invention for "An improvement in preparing milk for food," numbered 23412, and bearing date the 1st September, 1907, which expired on the 1st September, 1911, owing to the non-payment of the prescribed renewal fee.

Any person may, on or before the 17th December, 1912, give notice at the Patent Office of opposition to the restoration.

Such notice must be in duplicate, in the prescribed form, set forth the particular grounds of objection, and be accompanied by a stamp for the fee of 10s.

J. C. LEWIS,
Registrar.

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

Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 9th December, 1912.

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

Eaves, John, late of Racecourse Hill, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, clerk. Filed on 1st October, 1912.

Warner, Leah, late of Dannevirke, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, widow. Filed on 2nd October, 1912.

Sheehan, Edmond, late of Bealey Flat, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, labourer. Filed on 2nd October, 1912.

McRae, Alexander, late of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, seaman. Filed on 2nd October, 1912.

Gray, Nicholas, late of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, ship's cook. Filed on 2nd October, 1912.

Mack, Minnie, late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, widow. Filed on 3rd October, 1912.

Denton, Joseph, late of Tapuae, in the Provincial District of Auckland, labourer. Filed on 8th October, 1912.

Burrows, C. E., late of Christchurch, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, sailor. Filed on 9th October, 1912.

Martin, W. H., late of Otira, in the Provincial District of Westland, miner. Filed on 9th October, 1912.

Finlay, Philip, late of Runanga, in the Provincial District of Westland, miner. Filed on 12th October, 1912.

Sutherland, James (also known as Sutherland, James Campbell), late of Lyell, in the Provincial District of Westland, carpenter. Filed on 15th October, 1912.

Dougan, Mark, late of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, linesman. Filed on 17th October, 1912.

Dean, John or Ivan, late of Kaikohe, in the Provincial District of Auckland, labourer. Filed on 17th October, 1912.

Johnson, Richard Elijah (or Johnson, Richard), late of Wanganui, in the Provincial District of Wellington, grocer. Filed on 17th October, 1912.

Lade, Vincent, late of Taumarunui, in the Provincial District of Auckland, butcher's assistant. Filed on 18th October, 1912.

Delaney, Frederick John, late of Abosso, Gold Coast Colony, West Africa, clerk. Filed on 19th October, 1912.

Cogle, Lawrence, late of Bealey Flat, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, miner. Filed on 19th October, 1912.

Taylor, Albert, late of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, accountant. Filed on 19th October, 1912.

Coad, Cornelius, late of Hihitaki, in the Provincial District of Wellington, bushman. Filed on 21st October, 1912.

Belt, George Jefferson, late of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, storeman. Filed on 21st October, 1912.

Kershaw, L. M., late of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland, married woman. Filed on 23rd October, 1912.

Hickey, Patrick, late of Raru, in the Provincial District of Westland, miner. Filed on 24th October, 1912.

Wilson, William John, late of Morningside, in the Provincial District of Auckland, old-age pensioner. Filed on 24th October, 1912.

Bourke, Mary Jane (also known as Walsh, Jane), late of Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, widow. Filed on 24th October, 1912.

London, Thomas, late of Waipukurau, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, gardener. Filed on 26th October, 1912.

Stewart, Christina, late of Mangonui, in the Provincial District of Auckland, widow. Filed on 26th October, 1912.

Parker, C. A., late of Waipiro Bay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, hospital nurse. Filed on 26th October, 1912.

Drew, Thomas, late of Rotorua, in the Provincial District of Auckland, guide. Filed on 1st November, 1912.

Addison, E. J., late of Thames, in the Provincial District of Auckland, married woman. Filed on 1st November, 1912.

Dalton, Thomas, late of Christchurch, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, dairyman. Filed on 1st November, 1912.

Delaney, J. C. V., late of Hastings, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, married woman. Filed on 1st November, 1912.

Foster, Maria, late of Christchurch, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, married woman. Filed on 1st November, 1912.

Climo, E. A., late of Opunake, in the Provincial District of Taranaki, laundress. Filed on 1st November, 1912.

Burnet, M. G. A., late of Woodville, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, farmer. Filed on 1st November, 1912.

McClue, J. D., late of Dunedin, in the Provincial District of Otago, bootmaker. Filed on 1st November, 1912.

Tarr, S., late of Te Arai, in the Provincial District of Auckland, labourer. Filed on 1st November, 1912.

Bourke, William, late of Brisbane, in the State of Queensland, labourer. Filed on 4th November, 1912.

Davidson, Louisa, late of Mosgiel, in the Provincial District of Otago, widow. Filed on 4th November, 1912.

Stott, John, late of Nelson, in the Provincial District of Nelson, engine-driver. Filed on 5th November, 1912.

Avery, John P., late of Rocky Point, in the Provincial District of Otago, labourer. Filed on 6th November, 1912.

Wiglestein, Francis (also known as Brown, William), late of Bangtown, in the Provincial District of Otago, miner. Filed on 7th November, 1912.

Lauder, Alexander, late of Bluff, in the Provincial District of Otago, engineer. Filed on 11th November, 1912.

Emery, Charles, late of Wakefield, in the Provincial District of Nelson, coachbuilder. Filed on 11th November, 1912.

Keppel, M. M., late of Outram, in the Provincial District of Otago, housekeeper. Filed on 13th November, 1912.

McLoughlin, Jane, late of Lower Kaikorai, in the Provincial District of Otago, domestic. Filed on 20th November, 1912.

Moxham, James, late of Oamaru, in the Provincial District of Otago, bootmaker. Filed on 20th November, 1912.

McKay, Neil, late of Rua Roa, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, bushfeller. Filed on 21st November, 1912.

Matheson, Catherine, late of Konini, in the Provincial District of Wellington, widow. Filed on 22nd November, 1912.

Allinson, John, late of Coalgate, in the Provincial District of Canterbury, shearer. Filed on 23rd November, 1912.

McMillan, Catherine, late of Dunedin, in the Provincial District of Otago, widow. Filed on 26th November, 1912.

Corfield, Henry, late of Rawene, in the Provincial District of Auckland, settler. Filed on 29th November, 1912.

Anderson, Alexander, late of Mangonui, in the Provincial District of Auckland, labourer. Filed on 4th December, 1912.

Crossley, Benjamin, late of Umawera, in the Provincial District of Auckland, labourer. Filed on 4th December, 1912.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

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

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 11th December, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registration of the Otago Lithographers' Industrial Union of Workers, registered No. 355, situated at Dunedin, is hereby cancelled as from the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

F. W. ROWLEY,
Deputy Registrar of Industrial Unions.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

The Treasury, New Zealand,
Friendly Societies Office,
Wellington, 9th December, 1912.

THE Loyal Ponsonby Lodge, No. 8274, situated at Auckland, is registered as a branch of the Auckland District of the New Zealand Branch of the Manchester Unity Independent Order of Oddfellows Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 9th day of July, 1912.

ROBT. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in Otago Land District forfeited.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease No.	Sections.	Block.	Survey District.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
L.I.P.	1491	9, 26, 32, 37-40, 48-50, 63-68	II	Martin's Bay	Samuel Simmonds	Non-payment of rent.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Lands in Otago Land District forfeited.

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

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

SCHEDULE.
OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	License No.	Sections.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
O.R.P. ..	364	4, 7, 23, 28, 36, 44 to 47, 51, 60, 61, 62, 69 1, 2, 3, 24 .. 1, 2, 3, 8, 13, 14, 15 ..	II III IX	Martin's Bay ..	George Lublin Tacon	Non-payment of rent.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Village Land for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 10th December, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Napier, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Friday, 17th January, 1913, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—DANNEVIRKE COUNTY.—
VILLAGE OF MATAMAU.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Term of Lease.	Upset Annual Rental.
26	X	A. B. P. 3 3 8	10 years	£ s. d. 2 10 0

Situated within a short distance of the Matamau Railway-station. Flat and broken land, which has been cleared of bush, logged, and grassed. The soil is of alluvial character on shingle formation.

Terms and Conditions of Lease.

- One half-year's rent, together with £1 ls. lease fee, must be paid on fall of the hammer.
- No declaration is required. Residence and improvements are not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, nor for any other cause.
- Possession will be given on the date of sale, from which date the rent will commence.
- The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance.
- All rates, taxes, charges, and assessments whatsoever to be paid by the lessee.
- The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease, except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
- All persons duly authorized in that behalf shall have free right of ingress, egress, and regress for such purposes as the Commissioner of Crown Lands may deem expedient.
- The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbriar on the land; and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, sweetbriar, broom, ragwort, or other noxious weeds or plants as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
- The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and he shall prevent their increase or spread to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
- The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee shall fail to fulfil any of the conditions of the lease within thirty days after the date upon which the same ought to be fulfilled.

The land is described for the general information of intending bidders, who are recommended, nevertheless, to make a personal inspection, as the Department is not responsible for the absolute accuracy of any description.

Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Runs in Westland Land District classified.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners appointed to classify and report upon pastoral runs in Westland Land District have reported to His Excellency the Administrator of the Government that the runs enumerated in the Schedule hereto have been classified by them as therein noted.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

SCHEDULE.

CLASS B.—PASTORAL AGRICULTURAL LANDS.

Being Lands adapted in Part for Pasturage and in Part for Agricultural Purposes, but suitable for Subdivision in Areas not exceeding 5,000 Acres.

RUN No. 429, Greenstone.—All that parcel of land in the Westland Land District, containing by estimation 7,450 acres, being 4,950 acres of national endowment land and 2,500 acres of Crown land, situated in the Hohonu Survey District, and bounded as follows: Starting at Trig. B.K. on the Marsden Road, and running thence generally in an easterly direction along the southern boundary of Run 621 about 4 miles 10 chains, and Run 623 about 60 chains; thence due south by western boundary of the aforesaid Run 623 about 70 chains, and the western boundary of Section 2442 a distance of 6073.9 links, across a road 117.4 links, and again by Section 2442, 3527.9 links; thence due west by the northernmost boundary of the Hohonu Water-race Reserve No. 956, 436.4 links, and continuing in the same direction along the northern boundary of Section 2482, 1996.8 links, across a road 215.3 links, and by the northern boundary of Section 2481, 5537.6 links, and across a road 103.8 links; thence generally in a southerly direction along the western side of Clifton Road a distance of 11296 links; thence generally westerly and northerly about 100 chains by Little Hohonu River about 75 chains, by Greenstone main road, and about two miles along the northern bank at the Big Hohonu River to the bridge on the Marsden Road; and thence generally in a northerly direction by the eastern side of the Marsden Road about three miles and a half to commencing-point: save and excepting all roads and reserves situated within the above boundaries.

Run No. 27A, Cook River.—All that parcel of land in the Westland Land District, containing by estimation 5,360 acres, being 700 acres of national endowment land and 4,660 acres of Crown land situated in the Gillespies and Karangarua Survey Districts, and bounded as follows: Starting at Trig. J.D. on the main South Road, and running thence south-west across the Cook River and along the main South Road, 120 chains; thence in a south-easterly direction along the main South Road, 60 chains; thence generally in a south-westerly direction along the main South Road, 100 chains; thence in a north-westerly direction along the northern boundary of Run 60 and Boyd's Creek to high-water mark about six miles; thence along the coast-line and across the mouth of the Cook River about a mile; thence in an easterly direction to the western corner of Native Reserve 14, 15 chains; along the south-western boundary of the aforesaid reserve, 1080 links; thence along the south-eastern boundary of the said reserve to the river-bank about 11 chains; thence

along the northern bank of the Cook River about three miles and three-quarters; thence along road reserve fronting Section 215 about 20 chains; thence along the river-bank last aforesaid about two miles and three-quarters to road reserve fronting Section 216, and about 20 chains along the said reserve to the point of commencement.

Run No. 36, Oinemaka River.—All that parcel of land in the Westland Land District, containing by estimation 16,125 acres, being 10,400 acres of national endowment land and 5,725 acres of Crown land, situated in Paringa, Bruce Bay, Abbey Rocks, and Mount Douglas Survey Districts, and bounded as follows: By a line commencing at Trig. Station K.E. on the sea-coast, and running thence in a north-easterly direction along the coast to the northern extremity of Weld Town Reserve for a distance of about 5 miles 70 chains; thence southerly by the western boundary of Weld Town Reserve for a distance of 123½ chains, and the watershed of the Mahitahi and Oinemaka Rivers to a point on the main South Road, and across the road to a point on the boundary of Run 80 for a distance of about 5 miles 40 chains; thence in a south-westerly direction along the northern boundary of Run 80 to its junction with Run 20 for a distance of about 3 miles 50 chains; thence in a north-westerly direction by the north-east boundary of Run 20 to Trig. K.F. for a distance of about 4 miles 20 chains; thence by Crown land and national endowment land for a distance of about 3 miles 50 chains to its commencement; save and excepting all roads and reserves situated within the above boundary.

Run No. 27B, Cook River.—All that parcel of land in the Westland Land District, containing by estimation 22,300 acres, being 7,000 acres of national endowment land and 15,300 acres of Crown land, situated in the Gillespie's, Waiho, Karangarua, and Mount Cook Survey Districts, and bounded as follows: Starting at Trig. J.D. on the main South Road and running generally in an easterly direction along the northern banks of the Cook and Fox Rivers about five miles and a quarter; thence due east about 34 chains to the south-eastern corner of Section 885; thence along the southern boundaries of Sections 841 and 842, 2372 links; thence north-east by the eastern boundary of the last-mentioned section, 3281·4 links; thence generally northerly and easterly by the main South Road about 115 chains; thence due north across the road and by the eastern boundary of Cattle-resting Reserve 338, 33 chains, and on to the northern bank of the right-hand branch of Clearwater River about 3 chains; thence generally in a westerly direction along the northern bank of the Clearwater River three miles and three-quarters; thence in a northerly direction about 3 chains to the south-eastern corner of Section 2497; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of that section 1750 links, along the northern boundary of the said section in a westerly direction 4571·4 links, and generally south and east along the western boundary to the south-western corner of the said Section 2497, 3043·8 links, and continuing therefrom to the northern bank of the Clearwater River a distance of about 3 chains; thence along the northern bank of the Clearwater River in a westerly direction about two miles and a quarter; thence in a northerly direction about 3 chains to the south-eastern corner of Section 2477, and along the eastern boundary of that section 3851·3 links, and in a westerly direction along the northern boundaries of Sections 2477 and 2476 about 70 chains; thence in a north-easterly direction by Run 444 about 120 chains; and thence generally in an easterly and southerly direction by Runs 443 and 17 about eight miles; thence generally in westerly and south-westerly directions to a point about 20 chains to the north-west of Mount Fox about three miles and a half; thence by Run No. 97 in a south-easterly direction about two miles; thence westerly and south-westerly by Runs 445 and 98 about six miles and a quarter; thence by Run 60 generally in a north-westerly direction about three miles and three-quarters; thence generally in north-easterly and northerly directions about 140 chains, and in a south-westerly direction about 70 chains to Trig. J.B., and along the boundary of the said Run 60 a distance of about 20 chains to a point on the main South Road, and by the said road in a north-easterly direction about 100 chains, in a north-westerly direction 60 chains, and by the said road and across the Cook River in a north-easterly direction 120 chains to the point of commencement; save and excepting therefrom sections numbered 939, 940, 941, and 942, and road reserve fronting same, and all roads within the aforesaid boundaries.

Run No. 18, Karangarua River.—All that parcel of land in the Westland Land District, containing by estimation 18,200 acres, being 9,000 acres of national endowment land and 9,200 acres of Crown land, in the Bruce Bay and Karangarua Survey Districts, and bounded as follows: Starting at the confluence of the Copland and Karangarua Rivers, and running thence along the north bank of the Copland River in an easterly direction two miles and three-quarters; thence due north about 170 chains; thence generally

in a westerly direction 130 chains; thence in a northerly direction about 60 chains; thence in a north-easterly direction about 100 chains; thence in a north-westerly direction to a point on the eastern boundary of Section 2574 about two miles and a half; thence in a southerly direction along the eastern boundary of the above section about 140 chains, and continuing in the same direction across McDonald's Creek to the north-eastern corner of Section 2575, 1030 links, and continuing in a southerly direction along the eastern boundary of the last-mentioned section 7775·6 links, along the southern boundary in a westerly direction 2090 links, and across a road to the centre of the Karangarua River in a north-westerly direction about 100 chains; thence generally in a north-easterly direction and passing between Toitoi and Ewe Islands about two miles to a point on the right bank of the Karangarua River; thence in a north-westerly direction along the said bank about a mile; thence in a north-easterly direction along the boundary of Run 60 about 20 chains; thence north-westerly to the north-eastern corner of Renewable Lease 222 about two miles and three-quarters; thence along the south-eastern boundary of the said renewable lease to a point on the bank of the Karangarua River about 40 chains; thence north-westerly along the right bank of the said river about 65 chains; thence in a south-westerly direction across the Karangarua River to the north-eastern corner of Ferry Reserve 232 about 40 chains, and along the south-eastern boundary to the most southerly point of that reserve 4523 links; thence along the south-western boundary to the north-western corner of the said reserve 5761 links, and on to the left bank of the Karangarua River about 2 chains; thence along the said left bank of the Karangarua River generally in a south-westerly direction to high-water mark about 70 chains; thence along the sea-coast in a southerly direction about 65 chains; thence in a south-easterly direction to the northern corner of Cattle-resting Reserve No. 334 about 4 chains, and continuing in a south-easterly direction along the north-eastern boundary to the eastern corner of the said reserve, 54 chains; thence in a south-westerly direction along the south-eastern boundary to the southern corner of the said reserve, 44 chains; thence generally in a south-easterly direction along the boundary of Run 26 to a point on the main South Road at a gravel reserve about 230 chains; and thence along that road generally north-easterly about 90 chains to the southern corner of Section 2500; thence along the south-western boundary of that section to the western corner, 3843·4 links; thence north-easterly along the north-western boundaries of Sections 2500, 2499, and 908 to the northern corner of the latter section 5135·3 links, and thence south-easterly along the north-eastern boundary of the said Section 908 to the western corner of Section 1962 about 9 chains; thence in a north-easterly direction along the north-western boundary of the said Section 1962 to the northern corner of the said section 2200 links, and continuing about 2 chains in the same direction; thence in a southerly direction along a road reserve fronting the eastern boundaries of Section 1962 and Native Reserve 829 about 45 chains; thence generally in a southerly direction along the left-hand bank of the Karangarua River about 285 chains; thence in a westerly direction across a road reserve and along the southern boundaries of Section 2505 and Education Endowment Reserve 120 about 150 chains; thence southerly and in a south-westerly direction along the eastern boundary of Run 26 about 180 chains; thence generally in an easterly direction along the northern boundary of Run 117 to the left-hand bank of the Karangarua River about three miles and a half; thence down left bank and across said river about 30 chains to point of commencement; save and excepting part of Section 908, and all roads and reserves within the aforesaid boundaries.

Run No. 75, Haast River.—All that parcel of land in the Westland Land District, containing by estimation 4,450 acres, being 4,450 acres of Crown lands situated in Okuru and Mataketake Survey Districts, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point in the centre of the Haast River at a distance of about 20 chains in continuance with the north-west boundary of Section 2519; and thence generally in a south-easterly direction for about 500 chains along the centre of the Haast River up-stream; thence in a south-westerly direction for about 20 chains to the south bank of the Haast River; thence generally in a north-westerly direction along the south bank for about 140 chains; thence in a south-westerly direction across reserves and along the boundary of Section 2625 for about 20 chains; thence generally in a south-easterly direction for about 140 chains along the southern boundary of said Sections 2625 and 2626; thence in a south-westerly direction for about 80 chains along the north-eastern boundary of Run 74; thence in a north-westerly direction for about 75 chains; thence north-west along the northern boundary of Run 351 for 200 chains;

thence in a north-westerly direction, 225 chains; thence north-easterly for about 80 chains; thence south-easterly for about 130 chains along the south-western boundary of Sections 2519, 2520, 2521; thence easterly for about 40 chains along the southern boundary of Section 2522; thence north-easterly for about 50 chains along the boundary of the aforesaid section to bank of the Haast River; thence in a north-westerly direction for about 170 chains along the bank of the Haast River down-stream; thence in a north-easterly direction for about 20 chains to the starting-point: save and excepting reserves within the above boundaries.

Runs 95 and 476 (grouped), Axius River and Waitoto River Runs.—All that parcel of land in the Westland Land District, containing by estimation 34,000 acres of Crown land, in Arawata, Turnbull, Jackson, and Mount Castor Survey Districts, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point known as "the Cairn" on Cairn Ridge, and running in a southerly direction along the western boundary of Run 46 equidistant 11 chains from the bush-line for a distance of 5 miles 40 chains; thence westerly by Crown land to the junction of the right- and left-hand branches of the Te Naihi or Axius River for a distance of about 40 chains; thence generally in a south-westerly direction by Crown land along the western side of the Te Naihi or Axius River to Glacier Creek; thence along Glacier Creek to its source; and thence in a direct line to the source of the Drake River for a distance of about 2 miles 70 chains; thence along the right-hand bank of the Drake River to a point 10 chains below the bush-line, a distance of about 3 miles 60 chains; thence generally in a southerly direction following the bush-line and 10 chains equidistant therefrom to Beauty Ridge for a distance of 10 miles 60 chains; thence in a general westerly and northerly direction to the south-easternmost point of Runs 25 and 448 (grouped) 10 chains equidistant from bush-line for a distance of about 8 miles 20 chains; thence in a northerly direction along the western boundary of Runs 25, 448 (grouped) and 10 chains equidistant from the bush-line to the south-western boundary of Run 24 for a distance of about 3 miles 75 chains; thence in a general north-easterly direction along the southern and south-east boundary of Run 24 to the starting-point for a distance of about nine miles.

Run No. 74, Haast River.—All that parcel of land in the Westland Land District, containing by estimation 9,680 acres of Crown land in the Mataketake and Clarke Survey Districts, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point in the centre of the Haast River due north of Trig. R.T., Thomas Bluff, being the most easterly point of Run No. 75, and running in an easterly direction up the centre of the Haast River to Trig. R.Q. for a distance of about 8 miles 20 chains; thence continuing up the centre of the river to Nisson Bluff for a distance of about 3 miles 60 chains; thence continuing up the river for 1 mile 55 chains; thence in a south-westerly direction 20 chains to left-hand bank of River Haast; thence by Crown land for a distance of about a mile; thence in a general westerly direction by Crown land being equidistant 10 chains from the bush-line to the most southerly corner of Run 75 for a distance of 15 miles 60 chains; thence in a north-easterly direction along the south-east boundary of Run 75 to river-bank, 55 chains; thence to starting-point for a distance of 20 chains: save and excepting Sections 2585, 2586, 2587, and all reserves and roads within the above boundaries.

Run No. 19, Mahitahi River.—All that parcel of land in the Westland Land District, containing by estimation 17,210 acres, being 5,000 acres of national endowment land and 12,210 acres of Crown land, situated in the Bruce Bay and Mount Douglas Survey Districts, and bounded as follows: Starting at the south-western corner of Weld Town Reserve running generally in a southerly direction along the eastern boundary of Run 36 about five miles and a half; thence in a south-easterly direction by the eastern boundary of Run 80 about 210 chains; thence generally in an easterly direction to Lennie's Creek about 70 chains, and continuing in an easterly direction along the left bank of that creek and Morse River and across the Mahitahi River at its confluence with the said Morse River about 170 chains; thence generally in an easterly direction along the right bank of the Mahitahi River to a creek about 200 chains; thence generally north-westerly to the western boundary of Run 94 about 45 chains; thence in a north-westerly direction about 270 chains by the same boundary in a westerly direction about 100 chains; thence generally north-westerly to the boundary of Run 43 about 170 chains; thence north-westerly along the western boundary of Run 43 to the main South Road about 210 chains, across the road, and continuing in the same direction along the Papakeri Creek to Lake Kini about 90 chains; thence due west to the right bank of the Mahitahi River about 150 chains; thence in a south-westerly direction about 8 chains to the north-western corner of Section 2457, and continuing along the north-eastern boundary of that section in a south-easterly direction to the north-eastern corner thereof, 7959.6 links; thence in a south-westerly direction along the eastern boundaries of

Sections 2457 and 2458, 56 chains, to the north-western corner of Section 2444; thence in a south-easterly direction across a road 100 links, and along the north-eastern boundaries of Sections 2445 and 2446, 10064 links, along the north-eastern boundary of Section 2447, 2891 links, across the main South Road, 171.2 links, and again by the north-eastern boundary to the north-eastern corner of the same section, 1485 links; thence in a south-westerly direction by the eastern boundaries of Sections 2447 and 2449 to the south-eastern corner of the latter section 11134 links, continuing in the same direction across Mulvany Road 714.8 links, and the eastern boundaries of Sections 2450 and 2451 to the south-eastern corner of the latter section, 7896 links; and thence in the same direction 980 links, and south 424.3 links, across Flagstaff Road to the north-eastern corner of Section 2452; thence again south-west by the eastern boundary of the said section, 2609 links, and south-east by the eastern boundary of Section 2459, 7392 links; thence south-westerly by the south-eastern boundary to the southern corner of Section 2459, 2062.8 links, across road reserve to the right bank of the Mahitahi River about 6 chains; thence generally north-westerly along the said river-bank about 30 chains; thence in a westerly direction across the Mahitahi River and a road reserve about 30 chains, and along the southern boundary to the south-western corner of Cattle-resting Reserve 332, 6440 links; thence due north along the western boundary of the last-mentioned reserve 3500 links, across the Mahitahi-Haast Road about 150 links, and along the western boundary of Ferry Reserve 231 about 72 chains; thence due east along the northern boundary of the said reserve to the north-eastern corner 2625 links, and in the same direction across a road reserve to the left bank of the Mahitahi River about 1 chain, and thence in a southerly direction along the river-bank to the Mahitahi-Haast Road about 70 chains; thence in a north-easterly direction across the Mahitahi River to a point on the right bank of that river opposite the southern corner of Section 847 about 40 chains; and thence generally northerly by the right bank of the Mahitahi River about 300 chains; thence across the Mahitahi River and a road reserve, and in a north-westerly direction to the southern corner of Native Reserve 777 about 35 chains; thence in the same direction along the western boundary of the said reserve, 780 links; thence south-westerly along the southern boundary of Native Reserve 731, 500 links, continuing in the same direction to the south-eastern corner of the Weld Town Reserve about 35 chains; thence in a westerly direction along the southern boundary of the Weld Town Reserve 62 chains to the point of commencement: save and excepting all roads and reserves contained within the above boundaries.

H. D. M. HASZARD,
ANDREW CUMMING,
M. POLLOCK,
Commissioners.

Pastoral Run in Southland Land District classified.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners appointed to classify and report upon a pastoral run in Southland Land District have reported to His Excellency the Administrator of the Government that the run enumerated in the Schedule hereto has been classified by them as therein noted.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

SCHEDULE.

CLASS A.—PASTORAL LANDS.

Being Lands suitable exclusively for Pasturage, and not capable of being used with Profit in Areas of a Carrying-capacity of less than 5,000 Sheep.

RUN No. 396: Area, 7,300 acres.—Situating in the Takitimo Survey District, Wallace County, and bounded towards the north and north-west by Sections 46, 45, and 44; towards the south-west by Section 52; towards the north-west and north-east by Sections 52, 53, 42, 49, 42A, 41, 43, 47, 48; towards the south and south-east by Sections 48, 47, 43, 41, 42A, 49; towards the north-east by Section 21; towards the north and north-west generally by the Mararoa River; towards the west by the Waiuu River; towards the south-west and south by the Whare Creek; towards the east by Crown land and Section 126; all of Takitimo Survey District: excepting out of the land herein described Section 100, Educational Reserve.

G. H. M. McCLURE,
JAMES KING,
D. KING,
Commissioners.

Land to be disposed of under Section 140 of the Land Act, 1908.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Invercargill, 11th October, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto will be disposed of under the provisions of section 140 of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 23rd day of January, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—TOWN OF WAIKAKA.

Section.	Block.	Area.
1	IX	A. R. P. 2 3 11

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 25th November, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of to the holders of adjoining land, under the provisions of section 131 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 28th day of February, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
24	X	Whangamoia	A. R. P. 50 0 0

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Land in Auckland Land District for Disposal under Parts II and III of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 15th October, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under Parts II and III of the said Act on or after Friday, the 18th day of January, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TUTAMOE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
7	VIII	A. R. P. 215 1 27

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 19th November, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under section 128 of the said Act on or after Friday, the 28th day of February, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WHANGAPE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
41A	II	A. R. P. 14 3 24

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Southland Land District for Sale or Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 13th November, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or selection under the provisions of the said Act; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 26th day of February, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

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

Southland County.—Oteramika Hundred.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
8 XI	199 2 8	500 0 0	12 10 0	10 0 0

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Southland County.—Mokoreta Survey District.

5 XII	999 3 24	1,000 0 0	25 0 0	20 0 0
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G. H. M. McCLURE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 6th November, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land is open for sale or selection; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 12th day of February, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—WOODVILLE COUNTY.—TAHORAITE 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.
11 | XVI |		A. R. P. 164 0 0 |	£ s. d. 1,350 0 0 |	£ s. d. 33 15 0 |	£ s. d. 27 0 0 |

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Nelson Land District for Disposal under Section 326 of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 17th September, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 9, Block III, Lewis Survey District, containing 511 acres, will be subdivided and opened for selection on renewable lease on or after Thursday, the 19th day of December, 1912.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Otago Land District for Disposal under the Provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 6th November, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on Tuesday, the 11th day of February, 1913.

SCHEDULE.
OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.
OPTIONAL SYSTEM.
First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
CLUTHA COUNTY.—WOODLAND SURVEY DISTRICT.					
26	III	A. R. P. 23 0 15	£ s. d. 60 0 0	£ s. d. 1 10 0	£ s. d. 1 4 0

RENEWABLE LEASE.
Second-class Land.

Section	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
BRUCE COUNTY.—CLARENDON SURVEY DISTRICT.—OTAGO MINING DISTRICT.				
69	VI	A. R. P. 52 0 34	£ s. d. 30 0 0	£ s. d. 0 12 0
Weighted with £7 10s., valuation for hut.				
VINCENT COUNTY.—LOWER HAWEA SURVEY DISTRICT.—OTAGO MINING DISTRICT.				
9, 10, 12, 24A	IV	416 3 32	210 0 0	4 4 0

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 3rd December, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for license by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Blenheim, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 23rd January, 1913, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—SOUNDS COUNTY.—GORE SURVEY DISTRICT.
Class A.

Run No.	Area.	Term.	Upset Annual Rental.
94	A. R. P. 1,590 0 0	21 years ..	£ s. d. 87 10 0

Weighted with £749, valuation for improvements consisting of house, outbuildings, approaches and garden, water-supply, wool-shed, yards, fencing, slip for launch, and pasture or surface sowing.

LOCALITY AND DESCRIPTION.

Known as Cape Jackson Run; all hill country, most of which is covered by kohikohi and other light bush and scrub, mixed with a dense growth of kiekie in places. The soil is fairly good, and good healthy sheep-country, and will carry grass well. The south-eastern end is high and rough, but there is a fair proportion of native and exotic grasses towards the cape where the scrub has been burnt off. Height from sea-level to about 900 ft. There is little or no flat land; the access is by sea; landing can generally be effected

in calm weather. Possession will be given on 1st March, 1913.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS.

The Crown reserves a right to resume such portion of Run No. 94 as may be found necessary for lighthouse purposes, together with a right of access thereto.

On any such resumption the rent payable under the license shall be abated proportionately on an area basis, and the licensee shall be entitled to compensation (assessed by arbitration) for permanent improvements effected by him on the land so resumed.

W. H. SKINNER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 4th December, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned pastoral run will be offered for license by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, at 11 a.m. on Thursday, the 27th day of February, 1913, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Pastoral Run under Part VI of the Land Act, 1908.

Run No. 396, Class A, Wallace County: Area, 7,300 acres; upset annual rental, £80; term, twenty-one years from 1st March, 1914. (National endowment.)

Possession will be given on the 1st March, 1914.

The following provisional valuation of improvements is published for the information of intending purchasers, but must be taken as approximate only, as the final valuation has to be made in accordance with section 244 of the Land Act, 1908, at least three months before the expiry of the present licenses:—

Run No. 396.—Three miles boundary-fences, half-cost, £72; one mile subdivisional fences, £48: total, £120.

Locality and Description of Run.

The run is situated in the Takitimo Survey District. About 4,000 acres are hilly and mountainous country, being fairly well grassed with silver and snow tussock; the balance (3,300 acres) is flat, undulating, and hilly, covered with stunted fern and tutu, and is of little value in its present state, but is capable of improvement by cultivation and the sowing of grasses. Height above sea-level varies from 900 ft. to 4,600 ft. Situated about thirty-nine miles from Tuatapere Railway-station and thirty-two miles from Mossburn Railway-station by fair roads.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 18th November, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for license by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 9th January, 1913, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

Class A.

PASTORAL Run No. 242, Block III, Teviotdale Survey District, Waipara County; 445 acres 1 rood; upset annual rental, £112; term of lease, ten years.

Weighted with £24, for about 60 chains of old fencing.

The run consists of deep gullies and wide spurs, which could be ploughed. Portion has been roughly grassed, and in its present state would pasture about 440 sheep, but with cultivation would carry more.

C. R. POLLEN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Town Lands in Westland Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Hokitika, 13th November, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Hokitika, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 17th day of December, 1912.

The ballot for the sections for which there is more than one applicant will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Hokitika, on Wednesday, the 18th day of December, 1912, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.—BOROUGH OF RUNANGA.
Town Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
4	I	0 0 32	70 0 0	1 15 0

Weighted with £100, valuation for improvements consisting of a house, clearing, and fencing.

*1	X	0 1 1	80 0 0	2 0 0
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Weighted with £1, valuation for clearing.

*2	X	0 1 1	70 0 0	1 15 0
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Runanga is situated adjacent to the State Coal-mine, four miles from Greymouth, with which it is connected by railway. The whole of the streets in the township have been formed and gravelled.

* National endowment land.

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

Village-homestead Allotments in Runanga Village Settlement, Westland Land District, for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Hokitika, 26th November, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village-homestead allotments are open for selection on renewable lease, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1913.

The ballot for the allotments for which there is more than one applicant will be held on Wednesday, the 15th day of January, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.—BOROUGH OF RUNANGA.—
WESTLAND MINING DISTRICT.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT
LAND.—RUNANGA VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.
First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
18	XL	0 1 0	30 0 0	0 12 0
19	"	0 1 0	30 0 0	0 12 0
1	XLIII	0 1 1	30 0 0	0 12 0

Weighted with £2, valuation for improvements consisting of clearing.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

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

Lands in Otago Land District for Disposal under the Provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 22nd October, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on Tuesday, the 11th day of February, 1913.

SCHEDULE.
OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.
OPTIONAL SYSTEM.

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

Clutha County.—Glenomaru Survey District.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
21 & 22	V	133 2 0	70 0 0	1 15 0	1 8 0
33	VI	141 0 35	90 0 0	2 5 0	1 16 0
39	"	226 2 3	120 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0

Clutha County.—Rimu Survey District.

20	XIV	206 3 0	140 0 0	3 10 0	2 16 0
21	"	186 0 15	100 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0
29	"	176 2 24	190 0 0	4 15 0	3 16 0

RENEWABLE LEASE.

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

Tuapeka County.—Glenkenich Survey District.—Otago Mining District.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
30	IV	40 3 36	130 0 0	2 12 0

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Lake County.—Upper Wakatipu Survey District.—Otago Mining District.

27	I	47 2 27	30 0 0	0 12 0
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Vincent County.—Lower Wanaka Survey District.—Otago Mining District.

17A, 20, 21, 22	II IV	861 0 0	870 0 0	17 8 0
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Clutha County.—Glenomaru Survey District.

*46, 47, 48, 49	II	140 1 10	80 0 0	1 12 0
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* National endowment land.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Tuapeka County.—Greenvale Survey District.—Heriot Village Settlement.

(Village-homestead Allotments.)

42	IV	1 0 26	10 0 0	0 4 0
54	"	1 2 12	35 0 0	0 14 0
55	"	2 3 4	55 0 0	1 2 0
56	"	2 3 28	50 0 0	1 0 0
57	"	2 3 19	45 0 0	0 18 0
58	"	2 3 39	40 0 0	0 16 0
59	"	2 1 4	45 0 0	0 18 0
60	"	2 1 16	50 0 0	1 0 0
19	IX	2 1 25	40 0 0	0 16 0.

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Appeal withdrawn.

IN THE NATIVE APPELLATE COURT
OF NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of an appeal by Ruihi Hakaraia and Herewini Rutura from the decision of the Native Land Court dated the 22nd day of March, 1911, granting succession to Teietu Hoera, *alias* Teietu Werokino, deceased, in Waitara, Section 1, Block I, and Waitara, Section 15, Block I.

NOTICE is hereby given that, with leave of the Chief Judge, the above appeal has been withdrawn by the appellants.

Dated at Wanganui this 6th day of December, 1912.

A. H. MACKAY,
Registrar.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Rawene.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 3rd December, 1912.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Rawene on the 18th day of December, 1912, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Auckland, 1912-65.]

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.
 APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
429	{ Hone Wepiha Puti	Puba B 1. Wairere 2A.

Sitting of the Native Appellate Court at Rotorua.

Registrar's Office, Wanganui, 9th December, 1912.
 NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Appellate Court will be held at Rotorua on the 18th December, 1912, to hear and determine the application set forth in the Schedule hereto. All persons interested are hereby notified to attend at the time and place aforesaid.
 Wanganui, 1912-25.]

A. H. MACKAY, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 208 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909, THAT NATIVE LAND MAY BE HELD AS EUROPEAN LAND.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Uru te Angina	Rakautaua 1A No. 1.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Shortland.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 3rd December, 1912.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Shortland on the 18th day of December, 1912, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Auckland, 1912-66.]

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
414	Ria Keepa	Okauia 4E	For cancellation of the partitions of the block.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS AND FOR AN ORDER VESTING A DEFINED PORTION OF LAND IN SATISFACTION OF SURVEY CHARGES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Date from which Interest is calculated.	Amount.
415	Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Te Awaiti 1J 2A 2	5 March, 1912	£ s. d. 23 7 9
		Okauia 3A 1	30 September, 1912	19 0 3
		" 3A 2	30 " 1912	27 1 5
		" 3A 3	30 " 1912	25 10 7
		" 3B	30 " 1912	7 5 0
416	" "	" 3C	30 " 1912	18 6 0
		" 4A	30 " 1912	16 10 6
		" B	30 " 1912	17 17 9
		" C	30 " 1912	16 19 6
		" D	30 " 1912	19 11 11
		" E	30 " 1912	72 2 7

APPLICATION FOR ORDER DIRECTING PAYMENT BY THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
417	Earl and Kent, solicitors	Mangawhero 1c No. 2A	For an order directing the Public Trustee to pay to George Scotcher £52 out of money held for Tokohau te Hihi.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that PETER HANSEN, of Northcote, near Auckland, Carpenter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 10th day of December, 1912, at 2.30 o'clock.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 3rd December, 1912.

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 endorsement prior to receiving dividend.

Fischer and Co., of Takapuna, Butchers: First, 4s. in the pound.

Flemming, R. S., of Ngaurawahia, Cycle Agent: Second and final, 1s. 9½d. in the pound.

Gillanders, D., of Pollok, Farmer: First and final, 3s. 1½d. in the pound.

McGuire and Anderson, of Tauranga, Plumbers: First, 6s. 8d. in the pound.

Owen, S. R., of Parua Bay, Storekeeper: First, 4s. in the pound.

Riggs, A. F., of Auckland, Builder: First and final, 1s. 0½d. in the pound.

Whitaker, J., of Ellerslie, Horse-trainer: First and final, 1s. 0½d. in the pound.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 9th December, 1912.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ELIZABETH ALICE CAPON, of Rakaurua, Boardinghouse-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 16th day of December, 1912, at 11.30 o'clock a.m.

JOHN COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Gisborne, 5th December, 1912.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HORACE GEORGE MARTIN WEBER, of Napier, Organist, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Napier, on Thursday, the 19th day of December, 1912, at 11 o'clock a.m.

E. B. BURDEKIN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Napier, 9th December, 1912.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following dividends are now payable at my office on all proved and accepted claims in the undermentioned estates:—

H. W. B. Littlewood, of Ohakune, Carrier: First dividend of 2s. in the pound.

T. L. Collins, of Castlecliff, Builder: First and final of 1s. 2d. in the pound.

W. RODWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 4th December, 1912.

In Bankruptcy

DIVIDENDS on all accepted proved claims in the following estates are now payable at my office, 84 Hereford Street, Christchurch:—

Whitehouse, Charles: First and final of 2s. in the pound.

Jennings, C. W.: First and final of 4s 4d. in the pound.

Beker, E. J.: First and final of 11s. 5d. in the pound.

Gardiner, H. J.: First and final of 16s. 9d. in the pound.

J. EVANS,
Official Assignee.

Christchurch, 5th December, 1912.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD ROSE, of River-ton, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 13th day of December, 1912, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Invercargill, 9th December, 1912.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 107, folio 151, of the Register-book, in favour of JOHN BARCLAY, of Auckland, in New Zealand, Carrier, Lot 1, on plan No. 1973, of Allotments 18 and 20 of Section 8 of the Suburbs of Auckland, having been lodged with me, and application made to issue a provisional certificate of title, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue a provisional certificate of title accordingly at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 5th day of December, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office at Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the name of HUHANA PANGA for Lot 2 of Section 115, Tutakara Native Reserve, part Mangatainoka J No. 1 Block, being all the land in certificate of title, Vol. 57, folio 221, Wellington Registry, and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate of title as requested on the 30th day of December, 1912.

Dated this 12th day of December, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the 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 13th day of January, 1913.

Application 4503 (Plan 941). SARAH ANNE RHODES, JOHN DUNCAN, and WILLIAM BARTON.—104 acres 1 rood 11-1 perches, parts Sections 1, 2, and 3, Harbour Registration District. Occupied by Sarah Anne Rhodes.

Application 4536 (Plan A/3111). ST. PETER'S WELLINGTON SCHOOL SOCIETY.—14-4 perches, part Section 10, Ohiro District. Occupied by Applicants.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th day of December, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

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

1490. E. BUXTON AND CO. (LIMITED).—6·8 perches. Part of Section 226A, Nelson. Occupied by Applicants.

Diagram may be inspected at this office. Dated this 9th day of December, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

W. JOHNSTON,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a re-entry by JOHN SMITH, of Morton Mains, Farmer, as lessor under Memorandum of Lease No. 5021, affecting Lot 48, plan 158, and closed road, and being part of Block 40, Lothian Hundred, of which FREDERICK THOMPSON, of Kamahi, Farmer, is the registered lessee, I hereby give notice that I will register the re-entry as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 5th day of January, 1913.

Dated this 29th day of November, 1912, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

W. W. DE CASTRO,
District Land Registrar.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

COUNTY NOTIFICATION.

REGULATION OF MOTORS.—VINCENT COUNTY COUNCIL.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Vincent County Council held at the Council Chambers, Clyde, on the 27th day of November, 1912, the following resolution was passed, viz. :—

“That the Vincent County Council, being the registering authority under the provisions of the Motor Regulation Act, 1908, for the district of the County of Vincent, hereby resolves that Part II of the Motor Regulation Act, 1908, shall be brought into operation within the said district on and after the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.”

Further, “That a fee of ten shillings be charged upon the registration of any motor having not less than four wheels, and a fee of five shillings upon motors having less than four wheels.”

JOHN S. DICKIE,
Clerk, Vincent County Council.

Clyde, 28th November, 1912. 792

OAMARU HARBOUR BOARD.

1876 LOAN OF £65,000.

ALL outstanding bonds of this loan are redeemable on 1st February, 1913, and will be paid on presentation at any branch of the National Bank of New Zealand (Limited). Interest will cease from above-mentioned date.

C. A. LA ROCHE,
Secretary.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the ADELPHI PICTURE THEATRE COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the company held on the 16th day of October, 1912, it was resolved :—

“That the company voluntary liquidates.”

And such resolution was duly confirmed at a meeting of the company held on the 31st day of October, 1912; and EDWIN ABBOTT PHELPS, of Wellington, Warehouseman, ALBERT JAMES ABBOTT, of Wellington, Warehouseman, and SYDNEY GEORGE NATHAN, of Wellington, Agent, were appointed Liquidators.

Wellington, 30th November, 1912.

E. A. PHELPS
A. J. ABBOTT
S. GEORGE NATHAN } Liquidators.

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STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and PAYMENTS under the Otago Presbyterian Church Board of Property Act, 1906, for the year ended 30th September, 1912 :—

RESERVE No. 5.

		Receipts.	£	s.	d.
1911.	By Balance	.. ..	179	6	0
1912.	By Rents	.. ..	945	13	9
	Transfer from Ecclesiastical Fund	.. ..	595	4	1
	Refund books	.. ..	1	13	6
	city and drainage rates	.. ..	19	2	6
	arbitration fees	.. ..	16	2	6
			<u>£1,757</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>

		Payments.	£	s.	d.
1912.	To Professors' salaries, &c.	.. ..	1,200	0	0
	Audit fee	.. ..	1	1	0
	Insurance books	.. ..	1	4	0
	Bank charge, current account	.. ..	0	10	0
	Legal charges	.. ..	0	10	6
	Rates	.. ..	19	2	6
	Convener telephone	.. ..	3	3	1
	Cartage	.. ..	1	7	0
	Printing and advertising	.. ..	7	16	2
	Blackboard	.. ..	3	1	0
	Books purchased	.. ..	43	15	5
	Assessment, Aged Fund	.. ..	18	0	0
	Arbitration fees	.. ..	32	5	0
	Commission	.. ..	47	5	9
			<u>1,379</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>5</u>
	Balance	.. ..	<u>£378</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>11</u>

E. and O.E.

FRED. SMITH,
Factor.

Dunedin, 30th September, 1912. Audited and found correct—A. W. M. MOODIE, Auditor. Dunedin, 21st October, 1912. 795

STATEMENT of RECEIPTS and PAYMENTS under the Otago Presbyterian Church Board of Property Act, 1906, for the year ended 30th September, 1912 :—

RESERVE No. 10.

		Receipts.	£	s.	d.
1911.	By Balance	.. ..	19	13	6
1912.	By Rents	.. ..	1,519	5	2
	First Church rent	.. ..	10	0	0
	Sale Allotment 1, Warrington	.. ..	100	0	0
			<u>£1,648</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>8</u>

		Payments.	£	s.	d.
1912.	To Grants for churches	.. ..	1,244	2	5
	sites	.. ..	39	0	0
	First Church account, Otago Daily Times	.. ..	10	0	0
	Audit	.. ..	4	4	0
	Land-tax	.. ..	110	12	1
	Assessment, Synod expenses	.. ..	5	0	0
	Bank charge, current account	.. ..	0	10	0
	Commission	.. ..	75	19	3
			<u>1,489</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9</u>
	Balance	.. ..	<u>£159</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>11</u>

E. and O.E.

FRED. SMITH,
Factor.

Dunedin, 30th September, 1912. Audited and found correct—A. W. M. MOODIE, Auditor. Dunedin, 21st October, 1912. 796

WAIKOHU COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of the Counties Act, 1908, and the Public Works Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Waikohu County Council proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, to take land for road purposes through the

Tapuihikitea B Block, and for such purpose the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken; and notice is hereby further given that a plan of the lands so required to be taken is deposited in the public office of the Clerk to the said Council, situate at Te Karaka, and is open for inspection without fee by all persons during ordinary office hours.

All persons affected by the taking of such lands, who have any well-grounded objections to the taking of the said lands, must state their objections in writing, and send the same, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the County Clerk at the Council Chambers, Te Karaka.

Schedule.

Approximate Area of Parcel of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Coloured on Plan	Situate in the
A. R. P. 1 2 23	Tapuihikitea B ..	Pink	Waikohu S.D., Block XVI

GEO. WARREN,
County Clerk.

Dated this 3rd day of December, 1912. 797

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,
HAMILTON JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

No. 10.—In Divorce.

Between FLORA SMITH, Petitioner, and KENNETH KENNEDY SMITH, Respondent.

To KENNETH KENNEDY SMITH, formerly of Wellington, in New Zealand, Jeweller, but now of parts unknown.

WHEREAS FLORA SMITH, of Rotorua, in New Zealand, claiming to have been lawfully married to you on the 6th day of March, 1901, has filed her petition against you in our said Court, praying for a dissolution of her marriage with you, wherein she alleges that you the said KENNETH KENNEDY SMITH did on or about the 23rd day of March, 1904, wilfully desert your said wife without just cause, and have for a period of five years and upwards, namely, from that date down to the present time, continued to desert your said wife without just cause: And whereas by order of this Honourable Court dated the 19th day of November, 1912, it was decreed that this abstract should be advertised by publishing same in one issue of the *New Zealand Gazette*:

Now take notice that unless within twenty-eight days from the publication in the said *New Zealand Gazette* of the said abstract you do file in our said Court at Hamilton an answer to the said petition, the said Court will at its sittings to be held at the Supreme Court House at Hamilton, commencing on the 10th day of February, 1913, proceed to hear the said charge and to pronounce sentence therein notwithstanding your absence. And further take notice that before filing the said answer you must enter an appearance in person or by your solicitor at the Registry of the said Court at Hamilton aforesaid, and that if you do not enter such an appearance you will not be allowed to address the Court either in person or by counsel at any stage of the proceedings.

Dated at Hamilton the 4th day of December, 1912.

H. J. DIXON,
Deputy Registrar.

The abstract was extracted by George Urquhart, of Rotorua, solicitor for the petitioner.

The petitioner's address for service is at the office of Campbell Larnach MacDiarmid, Solicitor, Hamilton.

A copy of the said petition may be inspected at the Supreme Court Office at Hamilton aforesaid, or at the office of George Urquhart. Any friends of the above respondent are requested to forward this advertisement to him. 798

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between JOHN KNIGHT and FREDERICK TIDD COSTALL, carrying on business as Farmers and Graziers at Aponga, near Whangarei, under the style or firm of "Knight and Costall," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 14th day of November, 1912.

All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by JOHN KNIGHT, who will continue to carry on the business in his own name.

Dated this 6th day of December, 1912.

JOHN KNIGHT,
F. T. COSTALL.

Witness to both signatures—Hugh C. Rishworth, Solicitor, Whangarei. 799

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between THOMAS JAMES and FREDERICK EDWIN LONGDIN, trading at Colombo Street, Christchurch, as T. JAMES AND CO., Sewing-machine and Cycle Vendors, has been dissolved as from the 20th day of November, 1912. Dated this 20th day of November, 1912.

T. JAMES,
F. E. LONGDIN.

Witness—J. Mawson Stewart, Public Accountant, Christchurch. 800

In the matter of the GUARDIAN, TRUST, AND EXECUTORS COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND (LIMITED).

I, ERNEST GERARD, the Managing Director of the Guardian, Trust, and Executors Company of New Zealand (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare:—

1. That the liability of the members is limited.
2. That the capital of the company is £100,000, divided into 20,000 shares of £5 each.
3. That the number of shares issued is 2,390.
4. That calls to the amount of two pounds eleven shillings and sixpence per share have been made, under which the sum of £6,154 5s. has been received.
5. That the amount of all moneys received on account of estates on the 1st day of July last is £4,175 8s. 1d.
6. That the amount of all moneys paid on account of estates on that day is £2,906 12s. 7d.
7. That the amount of the balance held to the credit of estates under administration on that day is £1,268 15s. 6d.
8. That the liabilities of the company on the 1st day of July last were nil.
9. That the contingent liabilities of the company on deposits on the 1st day of July last were £525.
10. That the assets of the company on that day were £1,898 3s. 1d.
11. That the first annual license was issued on the 10th day of March, 1911.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intitled the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

E. GERARD.

Declared at Auckland this 7th day of October, 1912, before—C. J. Sturge, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Dominion of New Zealand.

In accordance with the provisions of the Guardian, Trust, and Executors Company Amendment Act of 1911, No. 17, I have examined this statement with the books of the company, and I hereby certify it to be correct.

Auckland, 4th December, 1912.

ALEXR. GRIERSON, C.A. Eng. and Wales,
F.P.A. (N.Z.),

801 Auditor appointed by the Auditor-General.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: New Day Dawn and Norfolk Mines (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand: 23rd December, 1907; 16th June, 1908.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney or Attorneys: Tararu, Thames; William John McCormick.

Where mine is situated: Tararu Creek, Thames.

Nominal capital: £100,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £71,227 13s. 4d.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand

Nil.

Price paid to vendors of mine—

(a.) In fully paid-up shares: £5,550.

(b.) In partly paid-up shares, credited as £54,207 paid up:

Nil.

(c.) In cash: £661 5s. 7d.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 100,000.

Number of shares on New Zealand Register: Nil.

Amount paid per share (New Zealand Register): Nil.

Amount called up per share (New Zealand Register): Nil.

Number and amount of calls in arrear (New Zealand Register): Nil.

Number of forfeited shares on New Zealand Register sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders on New Zealand Register: Nil.

Number of men employed by company in New Zealand: 13.

Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: £908 14s. 9d.
 Total quantity and value produced since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £1,899 13s. 9d.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining operations in New Zealand since last statement: £2,358 2s. 1d.
 Total expenditure since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £11,886 11s. 8d.
 Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand: Nil.
 Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: £133 13s. 6d.
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WM. JOHN McCORMICK,
 Attorney.

Declared at Thames this 6th day of December, 1912,
 before me—Archibald Burns, J.P. 802

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Dated this 3rd day of December, 1912.

GEO. W. HUTCHISON,
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