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*Lands set apart for Lease as a Village Settlement in the Wellington Land District.*

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

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by the two-hundred-and-third section of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the allotments of Crown lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby set apart and declared open for lease as an addition to Ohakune Village Settlement.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WAIMARINO COUNTY.—KARIOI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
36	V	2	2	5
40	"	6	1	0
41	"	5	0	23
42	"	5	3	10

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, 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 seventh day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Declaring a Portion of Railway Reserve near Hokitika to be Crown Land.*

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

WHEREAS by section five of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, it is provided that in the case of any land taken, purchased, or acquired for a Government work, and not required for that purpose, the Governor may, on recommendation by the Minister by Proclamation, declare such land to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908, and thereupon the land may be administered and disposed of under that Act accordingly:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto has been, *inter alia*, reserved for a railway and road by a notice dated the seventeenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 44, of the twentieth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight: And whereas the said land is not now required for railway purposes, and the Minister has recommended that this Proclamation should be issued declaring such land to be Crown land:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by section five of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare the land described in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of
A. R. P. 8 3 35.9	Railway Reserve No. 25	IV	Mahinapua.

**ERRATUM.**—In the Proclamation appointing a trustee for the Oamaru Racecourse, dated the 14th January, 1913, and published in *Gazette* No. 3, of the 16th January, 1913, page 91, for "Jasper Gamblett Nicolls" read "Jasper Gauntlet Nicolls."

In the Westland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 19945, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, 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 fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. H. HERRIES,  
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Additional Land at Addington taken for the Purposes of the Hurunui-Waitaki Railway.*

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of
A. R. P. 1 1 0.8	Rural Section 145	X	Christchurch.

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 19967, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, 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 fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. H. HERRIES,  
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Additional Land near Tarukenga taken for the Purposes of the Thames Valley and Rotorua Railway.*

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

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Thames Valley and Rotorua Railway to take further land near Tarukenga, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of
A. R. P. 3 0 2	Section 8 ..	XV	Rotorua.
0 1 3	Crown land (16529, blue)	"	"

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 19702, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon edged red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, 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 fifth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. H. HERRIES,  
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Allocating Cost of taking Poll under Section 19 of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1910, Borough of Riccarton.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of February, 1913.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to the powers vested in him by section nineteen of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1910, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby direct that the Riccarton Borough Council shall defray all the costs incurred in connection with the taking of a poll under the said Act on the seventeenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, on the proposal to constitute the Borough of Riccarton.

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

*Camp Allowance to Post and Telegraph Linemen.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of February, 1913.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the eleventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fifteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and six, regulations were made under the authority of the Post Office Act, 1881, and the Electric Lines Act, 1884, *inter alia*, prescribing the allowance payable to linemen while in camp and away from home, except when travelling: And whereas it is desirable to amend such regulations in the manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, and of all other powers in that behalf enabling him, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke regulation numbered 907 in the Schedule to the aforementioned Order in Council, and in lieu thereof doth make the regulation set forth in the Schedule hereto; and doth order that such regulation shall be read as part of the regulations first herein mentioned, and shall have effect on and after the date of the publication of this Order in Council in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

## SCHEDULE.

907. AN allowance at a rate to be determined from time to time by the Minister (not exceeding 4s. a day) shall be payable to married linemen while in camp and away from home, except that when travelling they shall be paid the usual travelling-allowance only.

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

*Directing Sale of Railway Land under the Public Works Act, 1908.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of February, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the thirtieth section of the Public Works Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that if it is found that any land held, taken, purchased, or acquired at any time under this or any other Act or Provincial Ordinance, or otherwise howsoever, for any public work is not required for such public work, the Governor may, by Order in Council publicly notified and gazetted, cause the same to be sold under the conditions set forth in the said Act :

And whereas the parcel of land described in the Schedule hereto has been, *inter alia*, taken for the purposes of the Wellington-Napier Railway by a Proclamation dated the second day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 29, of the fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, a copy whereof was duly deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Napier :

And whereas the said parcel of land is not now required for the purposes of the said Wellington-Napier Railway, and the Minister of Railways has recommended that this Order in Council should be issued directing such parcel of land to be sold :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and direct the sale of the land described in the Schedule hereto.

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of railway land at Hastings, in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 0.1 perch, more or less, being Lot 7 of deposited plan No. 2575 in the office of the District Land Registrar at Napier.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of February, 1913.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such per-

sons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain :

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the sixteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the nineteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, the land described in the Schedule hereto was brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act :

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

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

JOHN LEYDON,  
WILLIAM STEED,  
FRANK REILLY,  
ANTON RENNER, and  
WILLIAM BENJAMIN HAGGER

to be the Waiharara Domain Board, having the control of the land described in the said Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and, doth hereby appoint Thursday, the sixth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, at four o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Town Hall, Waiharara, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

## SCHEDULE.

## WAIHARARA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 20 acres 3 roods 26 perches, more or less, being Section 8, Block V, Opoe Survey District, commencing at a point 1065646.7 links north and 707096 links west of Mount Eden. Bounded towards the south-west, north-west, and north-east by Opoe Kauri-gum Reserve Extension No. 2, bearing 333° 2' 1756.9 links, 42° 8' 432.9 links, 64° 11' 623.9 links, 118° 17' 346.8 links, and 163° 30' 1759.6 links respectively; and towards the south-east by road to Houhora, bearing 250° 20' 913.9 links: be all the aforesaid bearings and linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1416/24, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. (Auckland Plan 16416, blue.)

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

*Incorporating the Matamau Land Settlement Association.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of February, 1913.

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 thirtieth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, has been entered into between Thomas Henry Gordon Lloyd and Matthew Tansey, vendors, of the one part, and John Struthers and William Struthers, as tenants in common, Ralph Stewart and Andrew Lindsay McBride, as tenants in common, Henry Langabeer, Thomas Carr, William Vella, Julius Matrwig, junior, Herbert Vernon Brown, William Somerville, Martin Walsh, and Leonard James Bowden, purchasers, of the other part, for the purchase of the land therein described, and the said purchasers therein agreed to become incorporated as the Matamau 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 the sum of two hundred and eighty-three pounds is reasonably required to be expended by the said association as roading-money in order to form and metal the roads dedicated by the association, and to construct bridges, culverts, and other requisite appurtenances to these roads, 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 Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby confirm the said agreement dated the thirtieth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and doth hereby direct that the sum of two hundred and eighty-three pounds, as determined by the report of the Board of Land Purchase Commissioners, shall be expended by the said association as roading-money.

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

*Setting apart Land under the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fifth day of February, 1913.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by section three of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910, that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, set apart any Crown land for the purposes of the said Act:

And whereas by section forty-eight of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies (Empowering Act, 1912, certain land in the Nelson Land District, being Section 7, Block III, Kawatiri Survey District, was declared to be Crown land available for disposal under the Land Act, 1908, or the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910:

And whereas it is desirable that part of the said land, being the land described in the Schedule hereto, should be set apart for the purposes of the last-mentioned Act:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section three of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910, and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby set apart for the purposes of the said Act the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 3 roods, more or less, being portion of Section No. 7, Block III, Kawatiri Survey District. Bounded towards the north by the Orowaiti Road, towards the east by that portion of the said Section No. 7 fronting Domett Street, towards the south by Pakington Street, and towards the west by the other portion of Section No. 7 aforesaid adjoining Hospital Reserve; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1912/702, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

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

*Incorporating Portion of Heathcote County with the Christchurch Tramway District.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of February, 1913.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1906, as amended by the Christchurch Tramway District Amendment Act, 1910, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion

of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby direct that the portion of the County of Heathcote described in the Schedule hereto shall, from and after the date of the gazetting hereof, be incorporated with and form a portion of the Christchurch Tramway District as constituted by the said Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1906.

SCHEDULE.

ADDITION TO THE CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District bounded towards the north by the Christchurch Tramway District as described in the First Schedule to the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1906, and that described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 26, of the 24th March, 1904, page 894, from the road at the north-west corner of Rural Section No. 5833, Block XV, Christchurch Survey District, to the junction of Hill's Road with Opawa Road, and thence by the said Hill's Road to the eastern boundary-line of Rural Section No. 13922, Block XVI, of the said survey district; thence towards the east generally by the said eastern boundary-line, by the eastern and southern boundary-lines of Lot No. 1 on plan No. 2855, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Christchurch, to White's Road; thence across and by that road to the new Summit Road; thence towards the south-east by the new Summit Road, across same, and by the south-eastern boundary-line of Lot No. 1 on plan No. 2907, deposited in the office aforesaid, till it again meets the Summit Road, across and by that road to the road forming part of the south-western boundary of Rural Section No. 12607 in Blocks III and IV, Halswell Survey District; and thence towards the south-west generally by the Christchurch Tramway District as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 1, of the 12th January, 1911, page 8, and that described in the First Schedule aforesaid, to the place of commencement.

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

*Regulations relating to the Election of a Member of the Land Board under the Land Act, 1908.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of February, 1913.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty-one of the Land Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is enacted that the election of elective members of Land Boards shall take place in accordance with regulations made by the Governor by Order in Council gazetted: And whereas it is expedient to make regulations for the purpose aforesaid:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the regulations prescribing the method in which the election of elective members of Land Boards shall take place, made under section forty-one of the Land Act, 1908, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eleventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the following regulations for the said purpose; and doth hereby declare that such revocation and the regulations hereby made shall take effect on the day of the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

REGULATIONS.

*Procedure.*

1. An elective member of a Land Board shall be elected by the persons who, on the 1st day of January preceding the election, were the owners of any lease or license of or in respect of Crown lands situated within the land district of the Board.

2. For the purposes of these regulations "Crown lands" means Crown lands as defined by section 2 of the said Act, and includes—

- (a.) National endowment lands; and
- (b.) Land vested in the Crown under the Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1910.

*Roll.*

3. As soon as convenient after the 1st day of January in each year the Commissioner of Crown Lands for each land

district shall prepare a roll of all persons qualified as aforesaid to vote at the election of an elective member of the Land Board of such district.

4. Every such person shall have one vote, save that if two or more persons are the owners jointly or in common of any lease or license as aforesaid they shall have one vote between them; but no owner shall have more than one vote, whether he holds more than one lease or license or not.

#### Returning Officer.

5. For the purposes of every election the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the land district in which such election is to take place, or some officer of the Lands Department acting for him, shall be the Returning Officer.

#### Nominations.

6. As soon as practicable after the occurrence of an extraordinary vacancy in the office of an elective member, and not earlier than three months nor later than two months before the date of a vacancy by effluxion of time, the Returning Officer shall publish, in one or more newspapers circulating in the land district, a notice requesting nominations to fill such vacancy, and setting forth—

- (a.) The name of the member vacating his seat on the Board;
- (b.) The time up to which nominations may be received (being five o'clock in the afternoon of a day not earlier than twenty-one days nor later than thirty days after the notice);
- (c.) The manner in which nominations must be made (as prescribed by Regulation 7 hereof); and
- (d.) The form of nomination-paper as set forth in the First Schedule hereto.

7. No person shall be eligible as a candidate for election unless he is nominated in writing by at least two owners entitled to vote in terms of these regulations, and the nomination-paper, bearing the candidate's consent, is received by the Returning Officer before the nominations are closed.

8. Should only one nomination be received as aforesaid, the Returning Officer shall declare the candidate so nominated to be duly elected, provided he is otherwise eligible for election.

#### Eligible Candidates.

9. No member of the General Assembly, and no person who is for the time being carrying on business as a land agent, either by himself or jointly with any other person, shall be eligible for election.

#### Notification as to Election.

10. As soon as possible after nominations are closed as aforesaid the Returning Officer shall publish, in one or more newspapers circulating in the land district, a notice specifying—

- (a.) The full name of every duly nominated candidate;
- (b.) The day on which the poll will be held, being not less than twenty-one days after notification thereof;
- (c.) The hour at which the poll will be closed;
- (d.) The address to which voting-papers must be sent.

#### Voting-papers.

11. Voting-papers in the form set forth in the Second Schedule hereto shall be posted by the Returning Officer to each elector within the land district immediately after the publication of the notice prescribed in the preceding regulation.

12. Each voter shall indicate his vote by drawing a line through the names of all the candidates for whom he does not desire to vote, and shall then sign the voting-paper, and post and deliver the same to the Returning Officer in a closed and stamped envelope bearing on the outside the word "Voting-paper."

13. The voting-paper, if delivered to the Returning Officer, shall be delivered at the office of the Board, or other address fixed by the Returning Officer and notified by him as aforesaid, before or not later than 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the day of the poll, and, if posted to him, must be received by him not later than such time.

14. A voting-paper shall be informal in any of the following cases:—

- (a.) If it is not duly signed by the voter;
- (b.) If more than one candidate's name is left uncanceled;
- (c.) If the voter votes more than once at the same election;
- (d.) If it does not reach the Returning Officer before the close of the poll.

#### Scrutineers.

15. Each candidate may, by writing under his hand, appoint one scrutineer, who may be present at the examination of the voting-papers as hereinafter mentioned.

#### Declaration.

16. Each Returning Officer, his assistants, poll-clerks, and scrutineers shall, before entering upon their duties as such, make and sign the declaration set forth in the Third Schedule hereto.

#### Ascertaining Successful Candidate.

17. On the day after the day of the poll the Returning Officer, at a time previously notified to all candidates, shall cause to be opened and examined all the voting-papers duly delivered to him, or received by him through the post as aforesaid, and, after rejecting all informal voting-papers, shall ascertain the candidate who has received the greatest number of votes, and shall by notice exhibited in the office of the Board declare such candidate to be elected.

#### Disposal of Voting-papers.

18. The Returning Officer shall, immediately after counting the votes, seal up all voting-papers and transmit the same to the Clerk of the nearest Magistrate's Court, who shall keep the same for six months thereafter, and shall not open or permit to be opened such packet, except on the order of some Court of competent jurisdiction, and shall at the end of six months effectually destroy the same; and no person shall, save on the order of any such Court, open any such packet or destroy any of the contents thereof.

#### Equality of Votes.

19. If by reason of an equality of votes given for two or more candidates the election is not complete, the Returning Officer shall complete the election by lot in such manner as he thinks fit.

#### Result of Poll to be advertised.

20. Forthwith after the completion of the election the Returning Officer shall notify in the *Gazette*, and also by advertisement in a newspaper published in the district, the name of the person elected, the number of valid votes recorded for each candidate, the total number of valid votes recorded, and the total number of votes rejected as informal.

#### Disputes.

21. Any dispute as to the validity of the election of a member of a Land Board as aforesaid shall be determined by the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the land district, whose decision shall be final and conclusive.

### FIRST SCHEDULE.

#### NOMINATION-PAPER OF MEMBER OF LAND BOARD.

WE, [A. B., C. D., &c.], being lessees [or licensees] of Crown lands in the Land District of \_\_\_\_\_, and qualified as electors of the elective member of the Land Board of the same district, hereby nominate [Set out full Christian name and surname and address of the candidate the electors wish to nominate] as a candidate for election to the above-named Board at the election to be held on

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_.

A. B.  
C. D.

I hereby consent to be nominated as above, and hereby declare that I am not disqualified from holding office as a member of the said Land Board.

[Signature of nominated candidate.]

### SECOND SCHEDULE.

#### VOTING-PAPER.

Voting-paper for Use at Election to be held on the day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_, of Member of the Land Board of the Land District of \_\_\_\_\_.

#### CANDIDATES.

[Set out in alphabetical order of surnames the full name and address of every duly nominated candidate.]

#### DIRECTIONS.

The number of candidates to be elected is ONE.

The voter must draw a line through the name of every candidate except the one for whom he desires to vote, and only one name must be left uncanceled.

This voting-paper must be signed by the elector and delivered to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, \_\_\_\_\_, in a closed envelope before 4 o'clock in the afternoon of the day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_, or, if posted to him, must

be so posted in a stamped envelope as to reach him not later than such time.

The envelope must bear on the outside the word "Voting-paper."

My vote is hereby recorded as above, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 .

[Signature of Voter.]

### THIRD SCHEDULE.

#### DECLARATION.

I, [A. B.], Returning Officer for the \_\_\_\_\_ Land Board [or assistant to, or poll-clerk for, the Returning Officer for the \_\_\_\_\_ Land Board] [or scrutineer for C. D., a candidate at the present election of a member of the \_\_\_\_\_ Land Board], do solemnly and sincerely declare that I will, to the best of my skill and judgment, faithfully and impartially perform the duties of my said office, and will not, directly or indirectly, disclose any fact coming to my knowledge at such election regarding the state of the poll before the final declaration thereof by the Returning Officer, or make known for which candidate any voter has voted.

A. B.,

Returning Officer [or as the case may be].

Declared and signed before me, at \_\_\_\_\_, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 .

E. F.,

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

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

### Regulations for Post-Office Savings-Banks.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this seventh day of February, 1913.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Orders in Council dated the twenty-eighth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and three, the second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven, the eleventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and the twentieth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and three, the fifth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven, the sixteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and the twenty-eighth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and nine respectively, regulations were made under the authority of the Acts therein recited for the conduct of Post-Office Savings-Banks: And whereas it is expedient to revoke such regulations and to make others in lieu thereof:

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 Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, and of all other powers in that behalf enabling him, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the regulations made by the above-mentioned Orders in Council, and in lieu thereof doth make the regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto; and doth order that the regulations hereby made shall have effect from the date of the publication of this Order in Council in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

### SCHEDULE.

#### PRELIMINARY.

1. THESE regulations may be cited as the Post-Office Savings-Bank Regulations, 1913.

2. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires,—

The expression "Savings-Bank business" means the receipt of deposits at the Chief Post Office and at other Savings-Bank offices within each postal district, and the repayment of such deposits, and all business incidental to such receipt and repayment:

The expression "Savings-Bank office" means a post-office at which Savings-Bank business is transacted:

The expression "Savings-Bank year" means the twelve months ending on the 31st day of December in any year:

The expression "friendly, charitable, or provident society" means a friendly, charitable, or provident society legally registered in the manner required by the Acts in force relating to friendly, charitable, or provident societies, and includes a registered branch:

Words importing the singular number include the plural number, and conversely; and words importing the masculine gender include females; and the words "Post officer" mean the Postmaster of every Savings-Bank office, as well as any officer of the Post Office appointed to transact Savings-Bank business.

The words "Chief Post-office" mean the Post-office at Auckland, Blenheim, Christchurch, Dunedin, Gisborne, Greymouth, Hokitika, Invercargill, Napier, Nelson, New Plymouth, Oamaru, Thames, Timaru, Wanganui, Wellington, or Westport.

3. (1.) The following Post-offices shall be Savings-Bank offices:—

(a.) All post-offices which are Savings-Bank offices at the date of the coming into operation of these regulations.

(b.) All other post-offices which the Postmaster-General may hereafter appoint to be Savings-Bank offices.

(2.) The Postmaster-General may authorize and direct any of his officers to transact Savings-Bank business otherwise than at a post-office, and for the purpose of these regulations any place so appointed shall be included in the term "Savings-Bank office."

(3.) The Postmaster-General may at any time direct that any Savings-Bank office shall cease to be such.

(4.) Savings-Bank business shall be transacted at a Savings-Bank office on such days and during such hours as the Postmaster-General may direct.

#### AMOUNT OF DEPOSITS.

4. Deposits of one shilling, or of any number of shillings, or of pounds and shillings, shall be received from any depositor at the Post-Office Savings-Bank; but less than one shilling shall not be received, either by itself or as part of a larger sum, except in the case of Education Boards, School Committees, the manager of an industrial school in trust for an inmate, savings-banks under the Savings-banks Act, 1908, and legally constituted friendly, charitable, or provident societies, or of societies registered under the Trade-unions Act, 1908, or the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, the Coal-mines Act, 1908, or

any amendments thereof, or a corporate body not carried on for purposes of trade or profit, or such other non-mercantile societies as the Governor in Council specifies from time to time, or of the amount of a dividend warrant in respect of New Zealand consols lodged for credit of a Savings-Bank account by the Registrar of New Zealand Consols.

BY WHOM DEPOSITS MAY BE MADE.

5. Deposits may be made by and in the name of—

- (a.) A person of full age and not under legal disability;
- (b.) A married woman;
- (c.) An infant of the age of seven years and upwards.

6. Deposits may be made on behalf and in the name of an infant under seven years of age by one of the parents of such infant, or by any other person.

7. Deposits may be made on behalf and in the name of a person of unsound mind by the committee of his estate.

8. Deposits may be made in the joint names of two or more persons entitled to make a deposit.

9. Deposits may be made in the name of one or more persons as trustee or trustees for another person whose name shall also be entered in the title of the account.

10. Deposits may be made by the holder of a power of attorney on behalf and in the name of the person granting it.

11. Deposits may be made by the trustees, executors, or administrators of the estate of a deceased person.

12. Deposits may be made by the manager of an Industrial School as trustee for an inmate.

13. Deposits may be made by the trustees of any savings-bank established under the Savings-banks Act, 1908, or by the trustees of any legally constituted friendly, charitable, or provident society, or of societies registered under the Trade-unions Act, 1908, or the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, or the Coal-mines Act, 1908, or any amendments thereof, or any society, association, club, board, or other corporate body not carried on for purposes of trade or profit, or such other non-mercantile societies as the Governor in Council specifies from time to time.

14. Deposits may be made by Education Boards and School Committees appointed under the Education Act, 1908.

15. (a.) No depositor in the Savings-Bank shall make deposits to the credit of more than one account in such bank.

(b.) This regulation shall not apply to deposits made in the name of any person as trustee for another person also named in the title of the account.

(c.) This regulation shall not apply to a former inmate of an industrial school whose earnings may have been deposited by the manager of such school under the provisions of section 50 of the Industrial Schools Act, 1908.

(d.) This regulation shall not apply to friendly, charitable, or provident societies, or societies registered under the Trade-unions Act, 1908, or the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, or the Coal-mines Act, 1908, or any amendments thereof, or such other non-mercantile societies as the Governor in Council specifies from time to time.

See Appendix, section 77, subsection (6).

16. (1.) No person shall be entitled to any benefit from deposits standing to the credit of more

than one account in a Savings-Bank, except so far as such benefit is derived as a member of a legally constituted friendly, charitable, or provident society, or of societies registered under the Trade-unions Act, 1908, or the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, or the Coal-mines Act, 1908, or any amendments thereof, or a corporate body not carried on for purposes of trade or profit, or such other non-mercantile societies as the Governor in Council specifies from time to time, or as executor, administrator, or other personal representative of a deceased depositor, or as a former inmate of an industrial school on whose behalf deposits may have been made under the provisions of section 50 of the Industrial Schools Act, 1908, by the manager of such school.

(2.) In this regulation the term "Savings-Bank," without prefix, means the Post-Office Savings-Bank of New Zealand.

PROCEDURE ON MAKING DEPOSITS.

17. (1.) Subject to the provisions of these regulations, a depositor on making a first deposit, and whenever thereafter he is required so to do, shall specify his christian or fore name and surname, occupation, and residence to the Postmaster-General, and shall furnish a specimen of his signature, and shall also make and sign a declaration in the form No. 1 in the Third Schedule to the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908.

(2.) See Appendix, section 77, subsection (5).

18. (1.) When a first deposit is made on behalf and in the name of an infant under seven years of age, such declaration as aforesaid shall be made by the person making the deposit, and such person shall specify at the foot of such declaration the day of the month and year when the said infant will attain the age of seven years.

(2.) When deposits are made on behalf and in the name of an infant under seven years of age, so soon as such infant attains the age of seven years he shall, when required by the Postmaster-General, make such declaration as aforesaid.

19. When a first deposit is made on behalf of a person of unsound mind, such declaration as aforesaid shall be made by the committee of his estate, and in every such case the person making the deposit shall specify the capacity in which he acts.

20. When a first deposit is made in the name or names of a person or persons as trustee or trustees for another person whose name is also entered in the title of the account, such declaration as aforesaid shall be made by the trustee or trustees.

21. Where a first deposit is made by a savings-bank or a legally constituted friendly, charitable, or provident society, or by societies registered under the Trade-unions Act, 1908, or the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, or the Coal-mines Act, 1908, or any amendments thereof, or a corporate body not carried on for purposes of trade or profit, or by such other non-mercantile societies as the Governor in Council specifies from time to time, the following rules shall apply:—

(1.) Before making such deposit the trustees or officers of the society or body shall forward to the Postmaster-General—

(a.) A printed copy of the rules of the society or body.

(b.) An application signed by the said trustees or officers for authority to make deposits, specifying by what officers or members of the society or body it is proposed moneys deposited by the said society or body should be withdrawn from time to time, and bearing and containing all such signa-

tures and other information as the Postmaster-General may require.

The Postmaster-General may from time to time approve of the form of such application.

(c.) The person or persons by whom the deposits of the aforesaid societies or bodies are to be withdrawn shall make and sign a declaration in form No. 2 in the Third Schedule to the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908 (see Appendix), and shall also furnish a specimen of his or their signatures on the form provided, and such signatures shall be deemed sufficient for all purposes.

(2.) The trustees of a savings-bank, or of a friendly, charitable, or provident society, or of societies registered under the Trade-unions Act, 1908, or the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, or the Coal-mines Act, 1908, or any amendments thereof, or a corporate body not carried on for purposes of trade or profit, or of such other non-mercantile societies as the Governor in Council specifies from time to time, may, by direction in writing signed by them, from time to time amend their application so far as relates to the specification of the officers or members of the society by whom the deposits of the society may be withdrawn, and may strike out the names of any officers or members previously specified, and specify other officers or members in lieu thereof or in addition thereto. The Postmaster-General may from time to time approve of the form of such direction.

22. (1.) Every depositor shall enter the amount of each deposit made by him on the form of voucher supplied for the purpose by the Postmaster-General; he must also sign his name on the said voucher, and state thereon the address to which he desires that the acknowledgment hereinafter referred to may be transmitted.

Under no circumstances may a depositor enter any sum or make any entry whatever in the numbered book issued to him.

(2.) When a first deposit is made, a numbered book (in these regulations referred to as the "Depositor's Book") shall be handed to the depositor.

(3.) See Appendix, section 70, subsections (1), (2), and (3).

(4.) The acknowledgment of the Postmaster-General of the receipt of a deposit of one pound or more shall be signified by the Controller of the Post-Office Savings-Bank, or by such other officer as the Postmaster-General shall appoint for the purpose, and shall be in the following form:—

Depositor's Book No.

Savings-Bank Department,  
General Post Office, Wellington, N.Z.

The Postmaster having reported to the Postmaster-General the receipt by him of your deposit of the \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_, amounting to £ \_\_\_\_\_ : \_\_\_\_\_, that amount has been placed to the credit of your account in the books of this Department.

[N.B.—Should any alteration or erasure appear to have been made in this acknowledgment, or should it be inaccurate in any particular, it should be returned to the Controller, General Post Office, Wellington.]

(5.) Such acknowledgment shall be conclusive evidence of the fact and amount of the deposit. In the case of a deposit of less than one pound the entry in the depositor's book shall be conclusive evidence of title in the same manner as an acknowledgment by the Postmaster-General of a deposit of one pound or more, and it shall not be necessary to transmit any acknowledgment of a deposit of less than one pound.

In order to allow a reasonable time for the receipt of such acknowledgment, the entry in the depositor's book shall be evidence of title for six weeks from the date of the lodgment of the de-

posit; and if such acknowledgment has not been received by the depositor through the post within one month from the date of his deposit, and the depositor has before or upon the expiry thereof demanded the said acknowledgment from the Postmaster-General, the entry in his depositor's book shall be evidence of title during another term of one month and, *toties quoties*.

(6.) If the sum mentioned in any acknowledgment is not identical with the sum actually deposited by a depositor, or the sum entered in such depositor's book or any other particulars are incorrect, he shall at once, by letter addressed to the Controller of the Post-Office Savings-Bank, call the attention of the Postmaster-General to the discrepancy.

23. (1.) No charge shall be made for a depositor's book except where expressly provided by these regulations.

(2.) Every depositor's book shall be deemed to be the property of the Postmaster-General, and shall be delivered up as and when required by the Postmaster-General.

WITHDRAWALS.

24. (1.) Subject to the provisions of these regulations, any depositor wishing to withdraw the whole or part of the sum deposited by him may be required to give at least seven days' previous notice in the following form to the Chief Postmaster of the postal district in which the account is kept:—

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL FROM SAVINGS-BANK ACCOUNT No.

To the Chief Postmaster,  
I HEREBY give notice that I wish to withdraw the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ pounds \_\_\_\_\_ shillings \_\_\_\_\_ pence (\* ) from my account, numbered \_\_\_\_\_ as above; and I request that a warrant may be issued, payable to and addressed to me at \_\_\_\_\_

FOR USE OF CHIEF OFFICE ONLY.	
Signature examined by ..	Date-stamp
Posted in ledger by .....	of
Warrant No.....	Issuing Office.
For £ .....	Issued by .....
Checked by .....	

Signature of Depositor: }	Date :
Address: †	
Occupation: }	

If the Depositor cannot write, his mark must be affixed in the presence of a witness, and attested by the signature of that witness.

\* If the account is to be closed, the words "and interest" must be inserted, and the deposit book forwarded to the chief office with this notice.  
† Only to be furnished when depositor desires Warrant to be delivered at private residence instead of at office where Warrant payable.  
NOTE.—Interest on the amount withdrawn ceases on the first day of the calendar month in which the Warrant is issued.

(2.) A printed copy of such form may be obtained at any Savings-Bank office.

(3.) In such form the depositor shall specify the number of his book, the sum he wishes to withdraw, his occupation and residence, and the post-office at which he wishes to receive his money.

(4.) On receipt of this notice a warrant for the amount required, payable at the office named therein, shall be sent by the Chief Postmaster to the applicant by post.



(5.) Such warrant shall be in the following form:—

S.B. WARRANT No	To the POSTMASTER at	the sum of pounds Pay the sum of shillings and pence on production of his Deposit-book, and on his satisfying you that he is entitled to the same, and charge the amount to this office. <i>Chief Postmaster.</i>	Date-stamp of Issuing Office.	
	Date-stamp of Paying Office.			
Depositor's Book.	No.	£	s.	d.
			Initials of Paying Officer.	
			WITHDRAWAL RECEIPT. I HEREBY acknowledge the receipt of the above-named sum.	
			Signature.	

(6.) The warrant shall be presented at the post-office named therein, together with the depositor's book.

(7.) The paying officer shall enter the amount repaid in the depositor's book, and attest the entry with his initials and the dated stamp of his office.

(8.) The paying officer shall take a receipt on the warrant for the sum therein specified from the person therein named, or any person authorized by him (as provided by these regulations) to receive the said sum; and such receipt shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the sum specified in the warrant.

25. (1.) An application for the withdrawal of money deposited by or in the name of an infant may be made by such infant if of the age of seven years or upwards.

(2.) The warrant issued on such application shall be made out in the name of such infant, and his receipt shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the sum specified in such warrant.

(3.) Where it is proved to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General that any sums in the name of an infant under the age of seven years are urgently needed for the maintenance, education, or benefit of such infant, or that from any other circumstances it is expedient to pay such sums or any part thereof, the Postmaster-General may pay such deposit or any part thereof to any person who may satisfy the Postmaster-General that he will apply such money for the benefit of such infant; and the receipt of such person shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for sums so paid.

26. (1.) An application for the withdrawal of money deposited in the name of a person of unsound mind shall be made either by the Public Trustee or by the committee of the estate of such person.

(2.) The warrant issued on such application shall be made out in the name of the said Public Trustee or committee, as the case may be; and the receipt given by either shall be a good discharge to the

Postmaster-General for the sum specified in such warrant.

(3.) Where a depositor is of unsound mind, and no committee of his estate has been appointed, or claim made by the Public Trustee, the Postmaster-General may, when it is proved to his satisfaction that it is just and expedient so to do, pay the deposits standing in the name of the depositor, or any part thereof, to any person whom he shall judge proper to receive the same; and the receipt of such person shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the sum so paid.

27. (1.) An application to withdraw money deposited in the joint names of two or more persons shall be made by all such persons, or by the survivor among such persons.

(2.) The Postmaster-General may require proof of survivorship to his satisfaction.

(3.) The warrant issued on such application shall be made out in the names of the applicants, and their receipt shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the sum stated in the warrant.

28. (1.) An application to withdraw money deposited in the name or names of one or more persons as trustee or trustees for another person shall be made jointly by all the persons named in the title of the account, or by the survivor among such persons.

(2.) The Postmaster-General may require proof of survivorship to his satisfaction.

(3.) The warrant issued on such application shall be made out in the names of the applicants, and their receipt shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the sum stated in the warrant.

29. Where a depositor named in a trust account has become of unsound mind or bankrupt, the Postmaster-General may in his discretion pay the deposits to the other person or persons named in such account with or without the concurrence of the Public Trustee, or of the committee of the estate or Official Assignee in Bankruptcy (if any) of the depositor who has become of unsound mind or bankrupt, and the receipt of such person or persons shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the sum so paid.

30. (1.) An application to withdraw money deposited in the name of a savings-bank or of a legally constituted friendly, charitable, or provident society, or of a society registered under the Trade-unions Act, 1908, or the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, or the Coal-mines Act, 1908, or any amendments thereof, or a corporate body not carried on for purposes of trade or profit, or of such other non-mercantile society as the Governor in Council specifies from time to time, may be made by any person or persons for the time being recognized by the Postmaster-General as entitled to withdraw such money.

(2.) The Postmaster-General may in his discretion require proof to his satisfaction of the identity of the applicants, and of their authority to withdraw the deposits of the society or body.

(3.) The application must be signed by a majority of the trustees of a society or body in those cases where there are more than two trustees.

(4.) The warrant issued on such application shall be made out in the names of such persons as are mentioned therein and entitled for the time being to withdraw the deposits of the society or body, and the receipt of such persons shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General.

31. (1.) An application to withdraw any money deposited by any duly appointed Education Board or School Committee shall be made by the person

or persons for the time being recognized by the Postmaster-General as entitled to withdraw such money.

(2.) The Postmaster-General may in his discretion require proof to his satisfaction of the identity of the applicants, and of their authority to withdraw the deposits of the Education Board or School Committee.

(3.) The warrant issued on such application shall be made out in the names of the applicants, and their receipt shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the sum stated in the warrant.

32. (1.) A warrant shall be presented by the person named therein, or by a person duly authorized by him to receive the sum specified in the warrant.

(2.) An authority to receive the amount payable on a warrant must be given either by power of attorney duly executed in the presence of a witness, or by an order signed in the presence of one or other of the following persons, that is to say:—

- (a.) Any responsible officer of the Postmaster-General, other than the paying officer.
- (b.) A minister of any religious denomination.
- (c.) A Governor, Judge of the Supreme Court, Stipendiary Magistrate, Mayor, or Justice of the Peace.
- (d.) A notary public or solicitor of the Supreme Court.
- (e.) The medical attendant of the person named in the warrant.
- (f.) Any person or class of persons for the time being approved by the Postmaster-General in that behalf.
- (g.) Where the person named in the warrant is abroad, the power of attorney must be executed in the presence of a notary public, or of the British consular authority, or the order signed in the presence of a responsible postal officer, or some constituted authority of the place in which such person is residing.
- (h.) Where the person named in the warrant is on active service in the army or navy, the power of attorney must be executed or the order signed in the presence of a commissioned officer of his regiment or ship.
- (i.) Where the person named in the warrant is at sea, the power of attorney must be executed or the order signed in the presence of the master or officer in charge of his vessel.

(3.) Any such order as last aforesaid should be in the form approved by the Postmaster-General, which form may be obtained at any Savings-Bank Office.

(4.) Such order may be signed by a minor if he has attained the age of seven years.

(5.) Any document signed by a minor in accordance with this regulation shall be valid and binding upon him, as if being of full age he had signed such document.

(6.) Where a power of attorney, or any such order as in this regulation mentioned, authorizes payment to be made to one or more persons, trading under any style or firm, or to a body corporate, any member of such firm or any officer of such body corporate may present the warrant; and the signature of such member in the name of the firm, or of such officer signing as such, shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the sum specified in the warrant.

33. When a warrant is lost in its transit through the Post-office and is not delivered to the depositor, a duplicate thereof shall be issued by the Chief Postmaster free of charge; but if it is lost by the

depositor or is destroyed after due delivery by post or otherwise a charge of one shilling shall be made for the duplicate.

#### PAYMENT BY TELEGRAPH.

34. (1.) A depositor wishing to obtain payment of the whole or part of a sum standing to his credit in the Savings-Bank, on the day on which he gives notice of withdrawal, may apply for such payment at any Savings-Bank office (which is also a telegraph-office) within the district in which his account was opened.

(2.) Such application shall be in the form approved by the Postmaster-General, a printed copy of which may be obtained at any such Savings-Bank office.

(3.) In such form the depositor shall specify the several particulars which are required to be specified in an ordinary notice of withdrawal.

(4.) Such application shall be made between such hours as are appointed for the transaction of Savings-Bank business at each office.

35. On receipt of an application for payment by telegraph, the Postmaster shall, provided that a specimen signature of the depositor has been lodged with the Postmaster, and if he is satisfied that a sufficient amount is standing to the credit of the depositor in the Savings-Bank to allow of payment of the required amount, and upon receipt by him of the sum of sixpence, or, if sent as "Urgent," one shilling, for the cost of the telegram to and reply from the Chief Postmaster of the district, send a telegram (hereinafter referred to as a "telegram of withdrawal") on the form approved by the Postmaster-General to the said Chief Postmaster, stating the name of the depositor, the number of his book, the name of the district, and the amount required.

36. The following rules shall apply to a telegram of withdrawal:—

- (1.) It shall be written by the Postmaster at the office of origin.
- (2.) It shall be repeated from office to office to ensure accuracy.
- (3.) It shall bear upon it postage-stamps representing the fee payable.
- (4.) Such stamps shall be cancelled by the dated stamp of the office of origin, as in the case of an ordinary telegram.

37. (1.) If the Postmaster shall receive from the Chief Postmaster of his district, in reply to the telegram of withdrawal, a telegram (hereinafter called a "telegram of advice") authorizing him to pay the sum required, or any smaller sum, he shall issue a warrant, and the sum named therein shall be paid to the depositor or to any person authorized by him to receive the same, in accordance with these regulations.

(2.) A telegram of advice shall be repeated from office to office to ensure accuracy.

38. The following rules shall apply to such payments:—

- (1.) The person requiring payment shall produce evidence to the satisfaction of the Postmaster that he is the person entitled to receive the amount stated in the warrant.
- (2.) Such person must sign a receipt on the warrant, which receipt shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the sum specified therein.
- (3.) The amount paid shall be entered in the depositor's book in the manner prescribed by these regulations in relation to payment by warrant.

39. Should the funds at the disposal of a Postmaster be insufficient to meet a withdrawal by telegraph at a place where there is no agency of the bank at which the Government account is kept, the Postmaster-General may direct that payment be made by cheque, and shall not be liable for or entertain any claim for exchange charge on such cheque if negotiated at any place, or at any bank other than that upon which it is drawn.

#### ALTERATION IN TITLE OF TRUST ACCOUNT.

40. (1.) Where deposits have been made in the name of one or more persons as trustee or trustees for another person whose name is also entered in the title of the account, upon the application of such last-named person the Postmaster-General may, in case he should think it just or expedient so to do, remove the name of the trustee or names of the trustees, if there be more than one, from the title of the account, and may substitute the name or names of another or others in the place thereof, or may enter the account in the name of the person on whose behalf the deposits were made.

(2.) Where the name of a new trustee or names of new trustees, if there are more than one, is or are substituted, such trustee or trustees or the person on whose behalf the deposits were made, if the account is to remain open in the name of that person solely, shall make the declaration required upon the making of a first deposit.

(3.) In any case provided for by this regulation the receipt of the persons named in the title of the account, as altered in manner provided by this regulation, shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for any sums standing to the credit of the account.

#### PAYMENT OF DEPOSITS OF DECEASED DEPOSITORS.

41. The Postmaster-General may require proof to his satisfaction of the decease of a depositor.

42. (1.) Where the whole amount due to a depositor at the time of his decease does not exceed one hundred pounds (exclusive of interest for the current year), and probate of the will of such depositor, or letters of administration of his estate and effects, is or are not produced within such time as the Postmaster-General thinks reasonable, the Postmaster-General may, without requiring probate of the will or letters of administration of the estate and effects of the deceased depositor, in his discretion pay or distribute the amount so due as aforesaid to or among any of the persons herein-after described or indicated, that is to say:—

- (a.) Any person who has paid the funeral expenses of the depositor;
- (b.) Creditors of the depositor;
- (c.) The widow or widower of the depositor;
- (d.) The persons entitled to the effects of the depositor according to the statutes of distribution;
- (e.) The person entitled to take out probate or letters of administration;
- (f.) Any person undertaking to maintain the children of the depositor;
- (g.) The Public Trustee.

(2.) In making such payment and distribution as aforesaid, the Postmaster-General shall have regard to the rules of law regulating the distribution of the estate of intestates, but he may, nevertheless, when he considers that injustice, hardship, or inconvenience would result from adherence to such rules, make such payment and distribution otherwise than in accordance with such rules.

(3.) The receipt of any of the persons mentioned in this regulation shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the sum paid, and any such receipt may be signed by any widow, widower, or next-of-kin above the age of sixteen years, notwithstanding that she or he has not attained the age of twenty-one years.

43. (1.) Subject to the provisions of the succeeding subclause (2), in case any depositor dies leaving any sum of money in the Post-Office Savings-Bank which (exclusive of interest for the current year) exceeds the sum of one hundred pounds, the same shall only be paid to the executor or administrator on the production of the probate of the will or letters of administration to the Chief Postmaster of the postal district, who, after satisfying himself as to their authenticity, will forward either the original document or an attested copy or extract to the Controller of the Post-Office Savings-Bank at Wellington for the decision of the Postmaster-General. But in any case within the terms of this and the last two preceding regulations, the Postmaster-General may require such additional evidence as to death or identity of the deceased depositor or next of kin or otherwise as he shall be advised or require.

(2.) Where the Public Trustee is executor or administrator, or is by law authorized to administer the estate of any deceased depositor under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, or any amendment thereof, payment of the deposit and interest thereon (if any) may be made to the Public Trustee upon production to the Controller of the Post-Office Savings-Bank of a certificate under the hand of the Public Trustee and sealed with his corporate seal, certifying that he has taken out probate or letters of administration or is authorized to administer, and stating the date when such probate or letters of administration were granted, or when and how he became authorized to administer, and the name, residence, and occupation of the deceased depositor.

44. (1.) Subject to the provisions of these regulations, a depositor of the age of twenty-one years or upwards may nominate any person to receive any sum due to such depositor at his decease: Provided that the depositor in a trust account or a joint account, or the trustee, treasurer, or other officer of a friendly, provident, charitable, or other non-mercantile society, or of a trade-union, may not nominate any person to receive the whole or any portion of the sum at credit of an account open in the name of such society or trade-union, or in the joint names of a trustee or another person or persons at the time of his decease.

(2.) Every such nomination shall be in writing, and shall be signed by the depositor in the presence of a witness, and shall be sent by post or otherwise to the Controller of the Post-Office Savings-Bank during the lifetime of the depositor.

(3.) Every such nomination shall be in the authorized form, which may be obtained from the Chief Postmaster, or in some other form to be approved by the Postmaster-General.

(4.) Every such nomination shall be registered by the Postmaster-General and returned to the depositor.

(5.) (a.) Any such nomination may be revoked by the depositor by writing under his hand, signed in the presence of a witness.

(b.) Any such revocation shall be sent by post or otherwise to the Controller of the Post-Office Savings-Bank during the lifetime of the depositor, and shall be registered by the Postmaster-General in like manner as in the case of a nomination.

(6.) A nomination may relate to the whole of the deposits standing in the name of a depositor, or to part only of such deposits.

(7.) A nomination may be in favour of one person or of several persons, and in the latter case may direct that specific sums shall be paid to one or more of the persons named in the nomination, or that the persons named in such nomination may take the deposits in specified shares, or may give directions to both effects.

(8.) No person who witnesses the signature of a depositor to a nomination shall take any benefit under such nomination.

(9.) Where the Postmaster-General, after the expiration of one month from the date of decease of a depositor, has no notice of the claim of any creditor of the depositor, the Postmaster-General shall pay the persons named in any nomination made by such depositor, and in force at the time of his death, according to the directions of such nomination, and the receipt of any person so named shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the sum so paid.

(10.) Where, on the death of a depositor who has made a nomination, the Postmaster-General has notice of a claim of any creditor against the estate of such depositor, and such estate, apart from the amount nominated, is not sufficient to satisfy such claim, the Postmaster-General may, in his discretion, apply the amount nominated in or towards the satisfaction of such claim; but subject as aforesaid any payment made by the Postmaster-General to the nominee shall be a valid payment, and the receipt of the nominee shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the sum so paid.

(11.) Where any person nominated to receive any sum on the death of a depositor is an infant under the age of twenty-one years, and it is proved to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General that funds are urgently needed for the maintenance, education, or benefit of such infant, the Postmaster-General may pay the sum mentioned in the nomination, or any part thereof, to any person who may satisfy the Postmaster-General that he will apply such money for the benefit of such infant, and the receipt of such person shall be a good discharge to the Postmaster-General for the amount so paid.

(12.) The death of the person nominated in the lifetime of the depositor making the nomination shall operate as a revocation of the nomination in favour of such person.

(13.) (a.) Subject to the provisions of these regulations, the marriage of a depositor shall operate as a revocation of any nomination made by such depositor before such marriage.

(b.) Where the Postmaster-General has paid money to a nominee in ignorance of the fact that the person making the nomination has married subsequently to the nomination, the receipt of the nominee shall be a valid discharge to the Postmaster-General.

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

45. (1.) Rate of interest. See Appendix, section 77, subsection (1).

(2.) Calculation of interest. See Appendix, section 78.

(3.) Interest-earning limit. See Appendix, section 77, subsection (2).

46. Every depositor shall once in each year, on the anniversary of the day on which he made his

first deposit, and at any other time when required by the Postmaster-General, forward his book to the Chief Postmaster of the district in which his account is kept, in a cover to be obtained at any Savings-Bank office, in order that the entries in the said book may be compared with the entries in the records of the Postmaster-General, and that the interest due to the depositor may be inserted in his book.

47. (1.) If any depositor loses his book, and desires a new one, application must be made by him to the Chief Postmaster of the postal district in which his account is kept, stating the circumstances, and enclosing stamps or a postal note of the value of one shilling.

(2.) Upon receiving such application the Chief Postmaster may, if he thinks fit, issue a new depositor's book to the applicant.

(3.) The Postmaster-General may pay any sum in respect of any amount in the Post-Office Savings-Bank, without the production of the depositor's book, where he is satisfied that the depositor or other claimant is entitled to receive such sum.

48. If a depositor's book becomes dilapidated through ill-usage, the depositor may be required to make application for a new one, and pay a fee of one shilling therefor.

49. (1.) Where a first deposit is made by a person who cannot write, his mark must be affixed to the statutory declaration in the presence of a witness, who must certify that such declaration has, before being made by the depositor, been first clearly read over to him in the presence and hearing of the witness.

(2.) Where the depositor cannot write, any authority to receive the amount payable on a warrant must be executed or signed by the depositor in accordance with the provisions of this regulation as to the making of the statutory declaration by a person who cannot write, as far as such provisions are applicable.

(3.) Where the person to whom a warrant is made payable cannot write, he must, when he presents the warrant for payment, affix his mark to the receipt at the foot of the warrant in the presence of some person who is known to the paying officer, and who can identify the person applying for the money as the person named in the warrant.

50. Where a first or any other deposit is made in error, the Postmaster-General may return the same and cancel all proceedings taken in respect thereof, or may take such other steps as may be necessary to give effect to the intention of the parties.

51. Declarations, depositors' books, acknowledgments, notices of withdrawal, warrants, and all documents and correspondence passing between the Postmaster-General and any depositor or other person in relation to Savings-Bank business shall be transmitted by post free of postage.

52. Upon payment of a fee of one shilling a Home Savings-Bank may be issued to any person who is a depositor in the Savings-Bank, and such depositor's account shall be charged with the sum of two shillings, which charge shall be released in the event of the Home Savings-Bank being returned in good condition.

53. Payment of a Savings-Bank warrant may, upon application by the depositor to the Chief Postmaster of the district in which the account is open, and upon payment of a fee of one shilling, be transferred from the Savings-Bank office upon

which it was drawn in the first instance to any other Savings-Bank office in the same district.

54. The currency of a warrant for the repayment of Savings-Bank deposits is limited to three months; if unpaid at the end of such period the amount thereof shall be treated as paid to and redeposited by the depositor.

55. (1.) Upon payment of a fee of one shilling a depositor whose account in the Savings-Bank has been open for three months may have it transferred from the postal district in which it is open to any Savings-Bank office in any other postal district, by giving notice in the following form and forwarding his Savings-Bank book to the Chief Postmaster of the district from which he desires his account transferred, who will, on receipt thereof, close the account and transfer the balance at credit thereof, inclusive of interest up to the end of the calendar month last preceding the date of transfer, to the Savings-Bank office named by the depositor.

NOTICE TO TRANSFER SAVINGS-BANK ACCOUNT.

DATE OF TRANSFER.	DEPOSITOR'S BOOK.	
OFFICE DATE-STAMP.		No.
		AMOUNT TRANSFERRED.
		£            s.            d.
	<i>For use of Chief Office.</i>	

TO THE CHIEF POSTMASTER,

I, THE undersigned, do hereby authorize and direct you to transfer the balance of deposits to credit of the above-described account, together with any interest accrued thereon, to the Post-Office Savings-Bank at .....

I enclose herewith the deposit-book.

Witness my hand, this ..... day of ....., 19 ..

DEPOSITOR'S { Signature: .....  
Occupation: .....  
New Address: .....

Witness to Signature: .....

(2.) The certificate of the amount due to the depositor, when received at the office of the Postmaster to which an account is thus transferred, with the depositor's book, shall be shown in a new account to be opened with the said depositor.

56. The Postmaster-General may, if he sees fit, transfer the account of a depositor although it may not have been open three months, where he is satisfied that there are special circumstances which warrant his doing so.

57. For regulations made by Postmaster-General relating to the transfer of a Savings-Bank account from the Post-Office Savings-Bank of New Zealand to the Government Savings-Bank of Great Britain or that of any British possession or foreign country with which a reciprocal arrangement to that effect has been made, or *vice versa*, see Appendix.

58. The Postmaster-General may authorize the acceptance of deposits for credit of Savings-Bank accounts open in postal districts other than that in which the deposits are tendered; but the period during which deposits may be so lodged by any individual depositor shall not exceed three months from the date of the first deposit so made in any

one district, after the expiration of which period no further deposits may be made in the same postal district for a further period of three months, unless the account in the meantime is transferred thereto. The depositor may, however, make deposits in other postal districts, subject to the same limitation of time.

59. The Postmaster-General may authorize withdrawals by transfer to be made from Savings-Bank accounts open in districts other than that in which application is made for repayment; but the period within which withdrawals may be so made in any one district is limited to three months from the date of the first withdrawal so made from an account.

60. Disputes. See Appendix, section 76.

61. (1.) When a depositor applies for payment of the balance of money deposited and of interest, and desires the account to be closed, the depositor's book must be given up. Should a new account be afterwards opened, it will be necessary that a new depositor's book be issued, and that these regulations should be strictly conformed to.

(2.) If any person who is, or has been, a depositor, and has received a depositor's book, applies for a copy of the whole or any portion of the entries in his account, the same shall be supplied to him on payment of a fee of one shilling.

62. If a depositor opens an account and closes it again within a period of one month from the date on which he opened it, he shall be charged a fee of one shilling.

63. Names of depositors or amounts deposited or withdrawn not to be disclosed. Exception.— See Appendix, section 73.

64. When a female depositor marries she shall submit a certificate of such marriage to the Chief Postmaster of the district in which her account is open, or, where such certificate is not readily obtainable, she shall furnish evidence of her marriage by means of a statutory declaration. She must also sign her married name upon the declaration made when her account was opened, and upon a specimen signature slip.

DESTRUCTION OF SAVINGS-BANK USED BOOKS AND FORMS.

65. (1.) The period of time for which the documents hereinafter described shall be retained in the custody of the Postmaster-General is as follows:—

	Years.
Deposit slips for deposits made in the Post-Office Savings-Bank	6
Ledger summaries	5
Withdrawal notices from the Post-Office Savings-Bank	7
Receipts for withdrawals from the Post-Office Savings-Bank	7
Advices of paid Savings-Bank warrants	1
Depositors' books relating to closed accounts in the Post-Office Savings-Bank	3
Filled Savings-Bank Journals	7
Statements rendered with accounts, and copies thereof	7

(2.) After the expiration of the period named in each case the respective documents shall be burnt, in the presence of two officers, to be deputed by the Secretary of the Post and Telegraph Department to supervise their destruction.

66. Any person committing a breach of any of the foregoing regulations is liable for each offence to a penalty not exceeding fifty pounds.

## APPENDIX.

## REGULATIONS MADE BY POSTMASTER-GENERAL.

(See *Gazette*, 31st October, 1907.)*Transfer of Account to other Government Savings-Bank.*

1. (1.) The amount at credit of an account which has been open for a period of not less than three months may, upon the application of the depositor, be transferred from the Post-Office Savings-Bank of New Zealand to the Government Savings-Bank of Great Britain or that of any British possession or foreign country with which a reciprocal arrangement to that effect has been made, provided that the total amount standing to the credit of the account, inclusive of interest, does not exceed the maximum sum which may be deposited under the law of the country to which such transfer is desired.

(2.) Such application shall be made in the authorized form, which may be obtained at any savings-bank, and shall be accompanied by the depositor's book, or by other evidence, to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General, of the title of the applicant to the deposits to which the application relates.

(3.) There shall be paid by depositors to the Postmaster-General for the transfer of their accounts a fee regulated by the rate of exchange between New Zealand and the country to which the transfers are to be made.

*Transfer from the Savings-Bank of Great Britain or that of any British Possession or Foreign Country.*

2. (1.) Where application is made to the Postmaster-General to accept transfer to the Post-Office Savings-Bank of New Zealand of any sum standing to the credit of a depositor in the Government Savings-Bank of Great Britain or that of any British possession or foreign country with which a reciprocal arrangement to that effect has been made, the Postmaster-General may place such sum to the credit of that depositor's account in the Post-Office Savings-Bank.

(2.) Subject to the provisions of the Post Office Act, 1900, and its amendments, in so far as they relate to the conduct of the Post-Office Savings-Bank, and of these regulations, sums transferred to the Post-Office Savings-Bank of New Zealand from the Government Savings-Bank of Great Britain or of any British possession or foreign country shall for all purposes be treated as deposits made in the Post-Office Savings-Bank.

## EXTRACT FROM THE POST AND TELEGRAPH ACT, 1908.

*Appointment and Conduct of Post-Office Savings-Bank.*

69. The Postmaster-General may from time to time appoint post-offices to be offices of the Post-Office Savings-Bank for the purposes of this Act, and may authorize and direct Post officers to receive deposits, and to repay such deposits together with the interest accrued thereon:

Provided that, except in the case of the savings-banks and societies mentioned in section seventy-seven hereof, no deposit of less than one shilling or a multiple of one shilling shall be received.

70. (1.) The Post officer receiving a deposit shall, at the time when he receives it, enter the amount thereof in the depositor's book, and attest the entry by his initials and the dated stamp of his office.

(2.) He shall also report the amount of such deposit to the Chief Postmaster under whose control he is, and the Chief Postmaster shall report the same to the Postmaster-General, who shall acknowledge the same to the depositor.

(3.) The acknowledgment of the Postmaster-General, signified in the prescribed manner by the officer whom he appoints for that purpose, shall be forthwith transmitted by post to the depositor by that officer; and such acknowledgment shall be conclusive evidence of the fact and amount of the deposit:

Provided that in the case of a deposit of less than one pound the entry in the depositor's book shall be conclusive evidence of title in the same manner as an acknowledgment by the Postmaster-General of a deposit is evidence of title under this subsection, and it shall not be necessary to transmit any such acknowledgment in the case of such a deposit.

71. (1.) A depositor desiring to withdraw any money from his account may be required to give at least seven days' previous notice in the prescribed form to the Chief Postmaster of the postal district in which the account is kept, and in such notice shall specify the amount to be withdrawn and the Post-Office Savings-Bank office at which he desires the payment to be made.

(2.) Upon receipt of such notice the Chief Postmaster shall forward to the depositor a warrant in the prescribed form authorizing the payment to be made in terms thereof.

(3.) Forthwith upon the expiration of such notice (or earlier if the Postmaster-General thinks fit) the depositor, upon presentation of his deposit-book and the aforesaid warrant at the Post-Office Savings-Bank office where the amount to be withdrawn is payable, shall be entitled to receive payment thereof.

(4.) Subject to regulations, the payment may be arranged by electric telegraph.

72. Any depositor whose account has been opened in any Post-Office Savings-Bank office in any postal district for at least three months may in the prescribed manner transfer his account from that office to any Post-Office Savings-Bank office in another postal district.

73. The officers engaged in the receipt or payment of deposits shall not disclose the name of any depositor, nor the amount deposited or withdrawn, except to the Postmaster-General or to such of his officers as are appointed to assist in carrying this division of this Act into operation:

Provided that nothing in this section shall be deemed to exempt any officer from disclosing in evidence any matters in obedience to the process of any Court of justice, or on an examination before any person having authority to take evidence in any proceeding under any law for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy or to old-age pensions.

74. All deposits shall be paid into the Post Office Account, and all sums withdrawn by depositors, or by parties legally authorized to claim on account of depositors, shall be paid to them out of the said account.

75. If at any time the funds paid into the Post Office Account under this Part of this Act, and the interest arising therefrom, are insufficient to meet the lawful claims of all depositors, it shall be the duty of the Minister of Finance to issue the amount of such deficiency out of the Consolidated Fund without further appropriation than this Act, and to report such deficiency to Parliament.

76. If any dispute arises between the Postmaster-General, or any person acting on his behalf, and

any depositor or any person claiming in right of such depositor, the matter in dispute shall be referred to arbitration, and for that purpose this section shall be deemed to be a submission within the meaning of the Arbitration Act, 1908, and the reference shall be deemed to be to two arbitrators.

*Interest to be allowed.*

77. (1.) The interest payable to depositors shall be at a rate per annum to be from time to time determined by the Minister of Finance, not exceeding, in the case of each depositor,—

- (a.) On so much of his deposit as does not exceed three hundred pounds, a rate of five per centum; and
- (b.) On so much thereof as exceeds three hundred pounds and does not exceed six hundred pounds, a rate of four per centum:

Provided that in the case of savings-banks under the Savings-Bank Act, 1908, and legally constituted friendly, charitable, or provident societies, and such other non-mercantile societies as the Governor from time to time by Order in Council prescribes, the aforesaid limit of six hundred pounds shall not apply.

(2.) Except in the case of the aforesaid savings-banks and societies, no interest shall be allowed to any depositor on more than six hundred pounds.

(3.) Every person to whom the aforesaid limitation of interest-bearing deposits applies shall, before opening an account in the Post-Office Savings-Bank, make and deliver to the Post officer at the office where the first deposit is made a statutory declaration in the form numbered (1) in the Third Schedule hereto, or to that effect.

(4.) Every savings-bank or other society claiming to be exempt from the aforesaid limitation of interest-bearing deposits shall, before opening an account in the Post-Office Savings-Bank, make by its trustee or other responsible officer, and deliver as aforesaid, a statutory declaration in the form numbered (2) in the Third Schedule, or to that effect.

(5.) Any such declaration shall be exempt from stamp duty, and may be made before and taken by any person who is empowered by law to take statutory declarations, or any Post officer who is authorized to receive deposits.

(6.) Every person who, in breach of any such declaration as aforesaid,—

At any time possesses or is directly or indirectly interested in interest-bearing deposits exceeding in the whole the sum of six hundred pounds, whether in his own name or the name of any other person, and whether in the same account or in different accounts,—

is liable to the punishment imposed by law on any one making a false declaration, and is also liable under this Act to a fine of not less than ten nor more than one hundred pounds, besides the forfeiture of all interest paid or payable in excess of the prescribed limit.

78. (1.) Interest shall in the case of each deposit be computed from the first day of the month next following the day on which a complete pound, either in one sum or in several sums of less amount, has been deposited, and, as to moneys withdrawn, shall cease on the first day of the month in which they are withdrawn:

Provided that when any such deposit is duly made on the first day of any month interest for that month shall be computed and allowed in respect of such deposit.

(2.) Interest shall be calculated to the thirty-first day of December in every year, and shall then be added to and become part of the principal money.

(3.) Interest shall in no case be payable on any sum less than a pound or a multiple of a pound.

79. The moneys paid into the Post Office Account under this Part of this Act, and the interest accruing thereon, or such part thereof as the Governor in Council directs, shall be from time to time invested in the manner prescribed in the Public Revenues Act, 1908, for the investment of moneys lying to the credit of the Post Office Account.

*General.*

80. The Postmaster-General may from time to time enter into reciprocal arrangements with any Government Savings-Bank authority either in Great Britain or in any British possession or foreign country for the transfer of sums standing to the credit of depositors in such Government Savings-bank to the Post-Office Savings-Bank in New Zealand, or from the Post-Office Savings-Bank in New Zealand to such Government Savings-bank, and may make regulations under the authority of this Act to give effect to transfers authorized in pursuance of this section.

81. The Governor in Council may from time to time make regulations for—

- (a.) Superintending, inspecting, and regulating the mode of keeping the accounts of depositors in the Post-Office Savings-Bank;
- (b.) Prescribing with respect to depositors' accounts the mode of making deposits and withdrawing moneys, and the notice to be given in the case of withdrawals;
- (c.) Prescribing the time for which deposit-books, deposit-slips, withdrawal notices, warrants, receipts, and all other books, forms, and documents relating to the Post-Office Savings-Bank shall be retained in the custody of the Postmaster-General, and the mode in which they shall thereafter be destroyed or otherwise disposed of;
- (d.) The nomination by a depositor, not being under twenty-one years of age, of any person or persons to whom any sum or sums payable to such depositor at his decease (including any accrued interest payable to the representative of the depositor) is or are to be paid at such decease;
- (e.) The revocation of such nomination, and for the payment of the specified amount to any nominee so nominated;
- (f.) The payment or transfer of sums in the Post-Office Savings-Bank which belong to persons appearing to be minors or of unsound mind, or form part of the estate of any person appearing to be deceased;
- (g.) Evidence being given relative to the amounts deposited or withdrawn by persons to whom pensions have been granted under the Old-age Pensions Act, 1908, or by claimants for pensions under that Act;
- (h.) All other matters incidental to carrying this Part of this Act into execution.

82. (1.) An annual account of all deposits received and paid by the Post-Office Savings-Bank, and of interest paid thereon, and of the expenses incurred in carrying this Part of this Act into operation, during each year ending on the thirty-first day of December, together with a statement of the total amount due at the close of the year to all depositors in the Post-Office Savings-Bank, shall, not later than the thirty-first day of March in every

year, be laid by the Postmaster-General before Parliament if sitting, or if not, then within fourteen days from the commencement of the next ensuing session.

(2.) All expenses incurred as aforesaid, including all sums payable to depositors, shall, without further appropriation by Parliament, be paid out of the moneys received under the authority of this Part of this Act and available for that purpose.

THIRD SCHEDULE.

DECLARATION ON OPENING SAVINGS-BANK ACCOUNT.

Form No. 1.

(Under the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908.)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly and sincerely declare,—  
1. That I am desirous of opening an account with the Post-Office Savings-Bank at \_\_\_\_\_ on my own behalf [or, as the case may be, as trustee for \_\_\_\_\_], and I am aware that, whatever my deposits may amount to, I am not entitled to interest on more than £600.

2. That the total amount of all interest-bearing deposits belonging to me, or in which I am directly or indirectly in any way interested on my own behalf [or, as the case may be, as trustee for the said \_\_\_\_\_], whether in my own name or the name of any other person (otherwise than as member of a society to which the limit of interest-bearing deposits does not apply), does not now exceed, nor shall at any time hereafter exceed, the sum of £600.

And I make this solemn declaration under the provisions of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908.

C.D.

Declared at \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, by the said \_\_\_\_\_, before me, E.F., a Justice of the Peace for New Zealand [or a solicitor of the Supreme Court, or authorized Post officer at (town), or as the case may be].

Form No. 2.

(Under the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908.)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly and sincerely declare,—  
1. That I am [trustee, or other responsible officer, as the case may be] of the [name of society].

2. That the said society is desirous of opening an account with the Post-Office Savings-Bank at \_\_\_\_\_

3. That under section 77 of the above-mentioned Act the said society is exempt from the limitation of interest-bearing deposits.

4. That the moneys to be deposited in the said account are the exclusive property of the said society, and that at no time will any moneys be deposited which are not the exclusive property of the said society.

And I make this solemn declaration under the provisions of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908.

C.D.

Declared at \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, by the said \_\_\_\_\_, before me—E.F., a Justice of the Peace for New Zealand [or a solicitor of the Supreme Court, or authorized Post officer at (town), or as the case may be].

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

*Extending Time for Preparation of Valuation List of Borough of New Plymouth.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this eleventh day of February, 1913.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that the valuation list of the Borough of New Plymouth cannot be completed by or within the time mentioned in the Rating Amendment Act, 1910:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers vested in him by the Rating Act, 1908, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby extend the time for completing the preparation of such valuation list until the fifteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and doth also extend the time during which such valuation list shall be open for inspection, and during which objections thereto may be made, until the fifteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

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

*Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of a Reserve in the Town of Levin, Wellington Land District.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, aforesaid, declare my intention to change the purpose of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto from a site for public buildings to a site for a drill-shed.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 10 perches, more or less, being Section 16, Block II, Town of Levin. Bounded towards the north-west by Section 13 of said town, 190.7 links; towards the north-east by Section 15, 181.9 links; towards the south-east by Oxford Street, 193 links; and towards the south-west by Essex Street, 152.2 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1912/538, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-third day of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

H. D. BELL,  
For Minister of Lands.

*Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of Portion of a Reserve in the Town of Porangahau, Hawke's Bay Land District.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, aforesaid, declare my intention to change the specific purpose of the portion of the reserve described in Part II of the Schedule hereto from that named in Part I of the said Schedule to that named in Part III of the said Schedule.



SCHEDULE.

PART I.

*Description and Purpose of Original Reserve.*

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being part of Section 214, Town of Porangahau. Bounded towards the north-east by Section 177, a distance of 100 links; towards the south-east by Abercromby Street, a distance of 250 links; towards the south-west by a public road, a distance of 100 links; and towards the north-west by other portion of Section 214, a distance of 250 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1912/338A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Set apart as a site for a telegraph-station or other purposes of the General Government by notification in *Gazette* No. 69, of the 31st day of December, 1874.

PART II.

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

All that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 20.2 perches, more or less, being part Lot 3 of Section 214, Town of Porangahau. Bounded towards the north-east by Lot 2 of said Section 214, a distance of 100 links; towards the south-east by Abercromby Street, a distance of 126.29 links; towards the south-west by a public road, a distance of 100 links; and towards the north-west by other portion of Lot 3 of Section 214 aforesaid, a distance of 126.29 links, to the starting-point: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1912/338B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

PART III.

*Intended Purpose.*

For police purposes.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-third day of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

H. D. BELL,  
For Minister of Lands.

*Opening Settlement Lands in Taranaki Land District for Selection.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the settlement lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Wednesday, the sixteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, at the rentals mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—TARANAKI COUNTY.—PARITUTU SURVEY DISTRICT.—SPOTSWOOD SETTLEMENT.

*First-class Land.*

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.			Half-yearly Rental.		
			£	s	d.	£	s	d.
105, 106	IV	A. R. P. 0 1 35	60	0	0	1	7	0
107, 27	"	2 1 8	80	0	0	1	16	0
28, 29	"	0 2 28	60	0	0	1	7	0
30, 34	"	1 1 15	80	0	0	1	16	0
31	"	1 1 5	90	0	0	2	0	6
32	"	1 0 32	80	0	0	1	16	0
33	"	1 1 12	90	0	0	2	0	6
35	"	2 3 10	120	0	0	2	14	0
37	"	1 0 26	50	0	0	1	2	6
43	"	1 1 39	70	0	0	1	11	6
70	"	5 0 0	250	0	0	5	12	6
74	"	5 0 0	250	0	0	5	12	6
101	"	0 1 0	30	0	0	0	13	6
102	"	0 1 0	30	0	0	0	13	6

Section 74 is weighted with £13 10s., valuation for improvements consisting of 4 chains fencing, £1; half-cost 30 chains fencing, £7 10s.; well, £3; and trees, £2.

Spotswood Settlement lies between the main South Road and Port Moturoa, about two miles and a quarter from New Plymouth, and extends from half a mile to about two miles from the Breakwater. The sections comprise rolling, undulating, and flat land, the bulk of which is under good grass; a portion of a few sections towards the sea-coast is sandy, with a growth of lupins. The quality of most of the land is good, being generally a sandy loam, on a kind of free-clay formation. The climate is mild, and at certain periods bracing, and the rainfall plentiful. Improvements included in capital value of sections consist of: Section 70—fencing, valued at £1 12s.; Section 74—fencing, valued at £1 4s.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

*Notifying Lands in Southland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-twenty-sixth section of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Wednesday, the twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, as the time at which the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

*Rural Land.*

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.		
		A. R. P.	£	s.	d.
8	VII	13 1 36	135	0	0

Partly covered with light scrub and stumps, and partly cleared. Soil good, though wet in places. A good outfall drain has recently been cut. Access by good metal road to within 40 chains, thence by formed road. Situated about a mile from school and post-office, a mile and a half from Linds Bridge Railway-station, and six miles and a half from Invercargill.

3	VIII	13 0 18	150	0	0
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Weighted with £45 10s., as valuation for improvements consisting of fencing, stumping, cultivation, ditching, and drain-ploughing.

Six acres stumped, drained, and cultivated; balance light scrub and stumps. Soil good. Ring-fenced. Access by good metal road. Situated about a mile from school and post-office, a mile and three-quarters from Linds Bridge Railway-station, and six miles from Invercargill.

9	IX	13 1 36	105	0	0
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Covered with light bush and scrub, fit for firewood and fencing. Good outfall drain. Soil good, although wet prior to cutting of outfall drain. Access by good metal road to within a mile, thence by formed road. Situated a mile and a half from school and post-office, two miles from Linds Bridge Railway-station, and seven miles from Invercargill.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

*Extra Aide-de-Camp appointed.*

Government House,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel J. HUGH BOSCAWEN  
extra Aide-de-Camp on his staff.

By His Excellency's command,  
GAVIN M. HAMILTON,  
Private Secretary.

*Consul for Chili at Auckland appointed.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 8th February, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that he has been informed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies that the King's Exequatur empowering

JOSEPH JAMES CRAIG, Esq.,

to act as Chilian Consul at Auckland has received His Majesty's signature.

H. D. BELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Member of Hawke's Bay Land Board resigned.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1913.

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

ROBERT McDUFF BIRRELL

as a member of the Hawke's Bay Land Board.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

*Members of the Committee for the Awamoko Portion of the Waitaki Islands appointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 7th February, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of clause 2 of the rules and regulations for the management of the Awamoko portion of the Waitaki Islands, dated 5th January, 1899, approved of

JOHN KING (re-elected),  
DAVID GEDDES (re-elected), and  
PATRICK FLEMING (re-elected)

acting on the committee for the care and management of the said portion of the said islands, these persons having retired and having been re-elected in accordance with the said rules and regulations; to act in conjunction with John Wall and Alexander Duncan Wills, previously appointed.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

*Receiver of Land Revenue, Westland Land District, appointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 7th February, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 25 of the Land Act, 1908, been pleased to appoint

FRANCIS ERNEST DUNCAN

to be Receiver of Land Revenue for the Land District of Westland, in the place of Adam Duncan Alexander Macfarlane, transferred.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

*Members of Spreydon Domain Board resigned.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 7th February, 1913.

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

DANIEL McNICOL and  
DAVID HENRY WAUGH

as members of the Spreydon Domain Board.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

*Members of Uawa Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 7th February, 1913.

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

PERCIVAL CUMMING ELLIOTT,  
GEORGE MORTIMER COLEBROOK, and  
HAROLD WEEKS,

to be members of the Uawa Domain Board, in the place of George Williams and Wellwood Reeves, resigned, and William Alfred Tullock, left the district.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

*Member of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE WHITE

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Waipawa.

A. L. HERDMAN,  
Minister of Justice

*Chairmen of Licensing Committees appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FRANK O'BRIEN LOUGHNAN, Esq., S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wairau, *vice* R. S. Florance, Esq., S.M.; and

EDWARD RAWSON, Esq., S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Raglan and Waikato, *vice* F. O'B. Loughnan, Esq., S.M.

A. L. HERDMAN,  
Minister of Justice.

*Justices of the Peace resigned.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 9th February, 1913.

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

HERBERT ERNEST ROUNTREE, Esq., of Hamilton, and  
CHARLES FREDERICK CARTER, Esq., of Palmerston N.,

of their appointments as Justices of the Peace for New Zealand.

A. L. HERDMAN,  
Minister of Justice.

*Registrars of the Supreme Court appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FRANK O'BRIEN LOUGHNAN, Esq., S.M.,

to be Registrar of the Supreme Court at Blenheim, on and from the 23rd day of January, 1913, *vice* R. S. Florance, Esq., S.M., and

EDWARD RAWSON, Esq., S.M.,

to be Registrar of the Supreme Court at Hamilton, on and from the 15th day of January, 1913, *vice* F. O'B. Loughnan, Esq., S.M.

A. L. HERDMAN,  
Minister of Justice.

*Clerical Cadet appointed.*

Public Works Department,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

SYDNEY CARLTON MCCARTHY

to be a Clerical Cadet in the Public Works Department, as from the 1st August, 1912.

W. FRASER,  
Minister of Public Works.

*Officer dismissed.*

Post and Telegraph Department, General Post Office,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to dismiss

ARCHIBALD DUNCAN DERBIE,

lately a Letter-carrier in the Post and Telegraph Department at Invercargill.

R. HEATON RHODES.

*Port Health Officer appointed.*

Department of Public Health,  
Wellington, 8th February, 1913.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

SYDNEY TAYLOR CHAMPTALOUF, Esq., M.B., Bach. Surg.  
1906, B.Sc. (Publ. Health) 1909, Univ. Edin.,

to be a Port Health Officer, under section 9 of the Public Health Act, 1908, for the Port of Dunedin.

R. HEATON RHODES,  
Minister of Public Health.

*Notice respecting Proposed Alteration in Boundaries of Borough of Mataura.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 8th February, 1913.

**P**URSUANT to section 118 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that a petition, in accordance with regulations, signed by not less than one-fourth of the electors of the area described in the Schedule hereto, has been presented to him, praying that the said area may be excluded from the Borough of Mataura and included in the County of Southland. All persons affected are hereby called upon to lodge any written objections to, or petitions against, the proposed alteration within one month from the first publication of this notice. Such objections or petitions are to be addressed and forwarded to the Minister of Internal Affairs, Wellington.

## SCHEDULE.

AREA PROPOSED TO BE EXCLUDED FROM THE BOROUGH OF MATAURA AND TO BE INCLUDED IN THE COUNTY OF SOUTH-LAND.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District bounded towards the north by a right line due east from the north-west corner of Section No. 34, Block VII, Township of Mataura, to the right bank of the Mataura River; thence towards the south-east by that bank to the southernmost corner of Section No. 60 of the said Block VII; thence towards the south-west by the south-west boundary-line of the said Section No. 60 and its production to the north-west side of Selbourne Street; thence again towards the south-east by the said side of that street to the north-east side of Dacre Street; thence again towards the south-west by the said side of Dacre Street and its production to the Waimumu Stream; and thence towards the west generally by that stream to the place of commencement.

Also all that area in the Southland Land District bounded towards the east by Sections Nos. 16, 23, 37, 34, and 35 of Block I, Tuturau Survey District, from the north-west corner of the first-mentioned section to the south-west corner of the last-mentioned section; thence towards the south by the crossing of Boundary Road and by Sections Nos. 11 and 1 of Block III of the said district to the south-eastern side of Wyndham Road; thence towards the north-west generally by the said side of Wyndham Road, by the southern side of Clyde Street and its production to Section No. 22, Block XVII, Mataura Bridge Township, by the north-western and north-eastern boundaries of the said Section No. 22, by the north-western boundary-lines of Sections Nos. 21 and 20 of the said Block XVII to Crawford Road, by the crossing of that road, by the north-western boundary-lines of Sections Nos. 30 and 55 of the said Block XVII to Doctor Road, by the crossing of that road, by the north-western boundary-lines of Sections Nos. 56, 57, 72, 71, and 68 of the said Block XVII, by the south-western and north-western boundary-lines of Section No. 69 of the said Block XVII, by the north-western boundary-line of Section No. 70 of the said Block XVII, and by the crossing of Boundary Road to the place of commencement.

H. D. BELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Special Order made by the Council of the Borough of Napier.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

**T**HE following special order, made by the Napier Borough Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908.

W. FRASER,  
Acting-Minister of Finance.

## NAPIER BOROUGH COUNCIL.

*A Special Order making a Special Rate as Security for a Special Loan.*

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, the Napier Borough Council hereby by way of special order resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £15,000, authorized to be raised by the Napier Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the construction and installation of works for electric lighting and power and electric tramways in the Borough of Napier, or for any one or more of those objects, the said Napier Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1½d. in the pound upon the rateable value on the basis of the annual value of all rateable property of the Borough of Napier, comprising the whole of the said borough; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 30th day of June and the 31st day of December in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-two years or thereabouts—that is to say, till the 30th day of June, 1944, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Made by special order passed at a special meeting of the Napier Borough Council held on the 4th day of December, 1912, and confirmed at an ordinary meeting held on the 15th day of January, 1913.

M. MURRAY,  
Town Clerk.

*Resolution made by the Council of the County of Clutha.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 7th February, 1913.

**T**HE following resolution, made by the Clutha County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendment.

W. FRASER,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

## CLUTHA COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Resolution made by the Council of the County of Clutha.*

WHEREAS the Clutha County Council has been authorized by the ratepayers to borrow £3,000 for the purpose of grading and metalling the Owaka Valley Road, within the Owaka Valley Special-rating District, and the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Board has finally granted the application for such loan at the rate of £5 1s. per centum per annum: And whereas the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office Superintendent is unable to advance such loan—namely, £3,000—at the said rate of interest, but can advance the same at the rate of £5 2s. 10d. per centum per annum:

Now, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and section 4 of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, the Clutha County Council hereby resolves that, for the purpose of providing moneys sufficient to cover the increased payments in respect of such loan—namely, £3,000—the said Clutha County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of ¾d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Owaka Valley Special-rating District, comprising a portion of Catlins Riding, in the County of Clutha, the boundaries of which district are as follows:—

Commencing at a point where the north-eastern boundary of Section 7, Block VIII, Glenomaru Survey District, joins the Owaka River; thence by the eastern boundaries of Sections 7 and 12; thence by the southern boundary of the said Section 12 to its junction with Section 108; thence by the eastern and south-eastern boundary of the said Section 108, and by a road-line on the south-east boundary of Section 108 to the eastern boundary of Section 81; thence by the eastern boundary of the said Section 81; thence by the southern boundaries of Sections 81 and 80, all in Block VIII, Glenomaru Survey District; thence in a northerly direction on the block-line between Block VIII, Glenomaru Survey District, and Block I, Catlins Survey District, to the south-east corner of Section 55, Block I, Catlins Survey District; thence by the southern boundaries of Sections 55, 54, 53, and 52 to the eastern boundary of Section 62; thence by the eastern boundary of the said Section 62 in a southerly direction to the block-line between Blocks I and VIII, Catlins Survey District; thence in a westerly direction along the said block-line on the southern side of Sections 62, 61, and 60 to the

block-line between Blocks I and VII, Catlins Survey District; thence by the said block-line in a northerly direction to the south-east boundary of Section 2, Block VII, Catlins Survey District; thence by the northern boundary-line of a road running along the southern boundaries of Sections 2, 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25, Block VII, and along the southern boundaries of Sections 10 and 8, Block V, Catlins Survey District, to the Catlins River; thence by the said Catlins River (upstream) on the west side of Blocks V and VI, Catlins Survey District, to the western boundary of Run 129, thence by the western boundary of Run 129, all in Catlins Survey District, to the block-line between Blocks VIII, Warepa Survey District, and VI, Catlins Survey District; thence by the said block-line in a westerly direction to the block-line between Blocks VIII, Warepa Survey District, and X, Kuriwao Survey District; thence by the said block-line in a northerly direction to a road-line on the north-west corner of Section 10, Block VIII, Warepa Survey District; thence by the southern boundary-line of the said road through Sections 10, 9, 8, 7, and P.R.I. and the northern boundary of Section 2, Block VIII, and Section 18, Block IX, all in Warepa Survey District, and part of Section 23, Block IV, Catlins Survey District, to a point on the northern boundary of the said Section 23; thence by the eastern boundaries of Sections 23, 44, and 49 to Trig. E; thence by the northern boundaries of Sections 54 and 55 to a road-line; thence by the western side of the said road-line on the eastern side of Section 55, all in Block IV, Catlins Survey District, to the block-line between Blocks IV and II, Catlins Survey District; thence by the said block-line in a northerly direction to the northern boundary of Section 20, Block II, Catlins Survey District; thence by the northern and eastern boundaries of the said Section 20 to a road-line at the south-east corner of the said Section 20; thence by the southern boundary-line of the said road-line, along the northern boundary of part Sections 14, 15, 16, and 17, Block II, Catlins Survey District; thence by a road on the eastern boundary of Section 17 to the northern boundary of Section 41, thence by the northern boundaries of Sections 41, 34, 43, 29, and 33, all in Block II, Catlins Survey District; thence by the southern boundary of a road-line on the northern boundary of Section 28, and through Section 31, Block IX, Glenomaru Survey District, to the Owaka River; thence by the southern side of the Owaka River, through Blocks IX and VIII, Glenomaru Survey District, to the point of commencement.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable 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 such loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above resolution is a true copy of a resolution passed at a special meeting of the Clutha County Council held on the 31st day of January, 1913.

A. McDONALD,  
County Clerk.

*Resolution made by the Tamaki West Road Board.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 8th February, 1913.

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

W. FRASER,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

TAMAKI WEST ROAD BOARD.

*Resolution making Special Rate.*

In pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, the Tamaki West Road Board hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a special loan of £500, authorized to be raised, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of forming, making, and laying out bowling-greens, croquet-lawns, tennis-lawns, and cricket-grounds, erecting stand or pavilion, and making other improvements to the St. Helier's Recreation Reserve, and contingencies and expenses in connection therewith, the Tamaki West Road Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of 3/20 of a penny in the pound sterling to be levied upon the rateable valuations (on the basis of the capital value) of the rateable

property in that portion of the Road District of Tamaki West shown on a plan deposited in the Land Transfer Office at Auckland, under No. 410; 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 May in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of ten years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

We hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly passed at a meeting of the Tamaki West Road Board held on the 31st day of January, 1913.

G. F. CAMPBELL,  
Chairman.  
ALEX. BELL,  
Clerk.

*Resolution made by the Council of the County of Matamata.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

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

W. FRASER,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

MATAMATA COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Resolution making Special Rate.*

In pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Counties Act, 1908, the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, and all other Acts in that behalf enabling it, and in particular the powers vested in it by section 15 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and subclause (2) of section 4 of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, and with the consent of the ratepayers of the Buckland Road Special-rating Area, testified by a petition signed by not less than three-fourths of the ratepayers of the said district the capital value of whose properties as it appears on the valuation roll of the said district is collectively greater than the capital value of the properties of the ratepayers who did not so consent, the Matamata County Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the special loan of £2,000, authorized to be raised by the said Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of constructing a piece of road commencing at a point on the boundary of Section 3 of Part 3, Whitehall Estate, Block XI, Cambridge, and terminating at a point opposite Section 136, Matamata Settlement, Block VII, Cambridge, the Matamata County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1d. and 3/16 of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property in the Buckland Road Special-rating Area, in the Matamata County, comprising Lots 3, 4, 5, 4/5 of 122A, 7A, 7B, 8A, 9, 10, 10A, 12A, 16, 16A, 43B, 48, and part Lots 1, 3A, 4A, 6A, of Hinuera No. 8, and Section 1 of Part 3, Whitehall Estate, of Cambridge Survey District, and Sections 121, 122, 123, 134, 135, 136, 137, 137A, and 138, Matamata Settlement, Tapapa Survey District; 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 July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a resolution passed at a properly constituted meeting of the Matamata County Council held on the 3rd day of February, 1913.

S. LEWIS,  
County Clerk.

*Resolution made by the Council of the Borough of Inglewood.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

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

W. FRASER,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

INGLEWOOD BOROUGH COUNCIL.

*Extract from the Minutes of Proceedings of the Inglewood Borough Council at an Ordinary Meeting of such Council held on the 5th day of February, 1913, at 7.30 p.m.*

Moved by His Worship the Mayor.—In pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local

Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, and all other Acts in that behalf enabling it, the Inglewood Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the special loan of £3,500, authorized to be raised by the said borough, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of acquiring a site and erecting thereon a town hall, the Inglewood Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound on the rateable property of the Inglewood Borough Council; 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 January in each year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-five years, or until the loan is fully paid off.—Seconded by Councillor Jos. Gibbs, and carried.

The common seal of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Inglewood was hereto affixed at the office of and pursuant to a resolution of the Inglewood Borough Council, in the presence of—

G. W. BENNETT,  
Mayor.  
W. OGIER,  
Clerk.

We hereby certify that the above is a true copy and a correct extract from the minutes of proceedings of the Inglewood Borough Council at the meeting above mentioned.

G. W. BENNETT,  
Mayor.  
W. OGIER,  
Clerk.

*Resolution made by the Council of the Borough of Waitara.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

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

W. FRASER,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

WAITARA BOROUGH COUNCIL.

*Ten per Cent. Additional Loan.—Rebuilding Waitara Bridge, £500.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the following resolution was duly passed at a meeting of the Waitara Borough Council held on the 5th day of February, 1913:—

That, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, and the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and its amendments, and in particular the powers given by the Waitara Harbour Board and Borough Empowering Act, 1910, the Waitara Borough Council hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £500, authorized to be raised by the Waitara Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Acts and amendments, for the following purpose—viz., for rebuilding the Waitara Bridge as provided by the said Waitara Harbour Board and Borough Empowering Act, 1910 (being 10 per cent. additional on Waitara Bridge Loan of £7,000, as that amount is insufficient to complete the works)—the said Waitara Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{2}{49}$  of a penny in the pound upon the capital value of all rateable property within the Borough of Waitara; 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 August and February in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a resolution passed at a properly constituted meeting of the Waitara Borough Council held on Wednesday, the 5th day of February, 1913.

C. H. TATE,  
Town Clerk.

*Resolutions made by the Ellerslie Town Board.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

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

W. FRASER,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

ELLERSLIE TOWN BOARD.

*Copy of Resolutions passed at a Meeting held on 28th January, 1913, restricting Special Rates to cover Interest and a Sinking Fund on Proposed Loans.*

(1.) Drainage Loan, £12,000.

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 Ellerslie Town Board hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £12,000, authorized to be raised by Ellerslie Town Board, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, for the drainage of the district, and for the purchase of the Government septic tank and drainage system in the Lawry Settlement, the said Ellerslie Town Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the Ellerslie Town District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of April and the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

(2.) Water-main Extension Loan, £2,000.

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 Ellerslie Town Board hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £2,000, authorized to be raised by the Ellerslie Town Board, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, for the purpose of extending its water-mains, the said Ellerslie Town Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{1}{7}$  of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the Ellerslie Town District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of April and the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

(3.) Main Road Improvement Loan, £2,500.

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 Ellerslie Town Board hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £2,500, authorized to be raised by the Ellerslie Town Board, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, for the purpose of improving Panmure Road, and roads adjacent thereto, hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{1}{5}$  of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the Ellerslie Town District, and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of April and the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

(4.) Recreation-ground Loan, £500.

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 Ellerslie Town Board hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £500, authorized to be raised by the Ellerslie Town Board, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, for the purpose of forming the reserve into a recreation-ground, the said Ellerslie Town Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{1}{25}$  of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the Ellerslie Town District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of April and the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

(5.) Lighting Loan, £150.

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 Ellerslie Town Board hereby resolves as follows: That for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £150, authorized to be raised by the Ellerslie Town Board, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its

amendments, for the purpose of lighting-extensions and upkeep, the said Ellerslie Town Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the Ellerslie Town District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of April and the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

W. H. GAVIN,  
A. HEWSON,  
S. SOMERFIELD, } Members.  
O. SLYE,  
JOHN WM. CARR, Clerk.

Seal of Board affixed and signed by—

28th January, 1913. GEO. WILKINSON,  
Chairman.

*Resolution made by the Council of the Borough of Te Aroha.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 12th February, 1913.

THE following resolution, made by the Te Aroha Borough Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908.

W. FRASER,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

TE AROHA BOROUGH COUNCIL.

*Resolution made by the Council of the Borough of Te Aroha.*

WHEREAS the Te Aroha Borough Council has been authorized by the ratepayers to borrow £5,000 for the purpose of constructing and improving the various and several streets in the Te Aroha Borough, and the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Board has finally granted the application for such loan at the rate of  $4\frac{1}{2}$  per centum per annum: And whereas the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office Superintendent is unable to advance part of such loan—namely, £1,000—at the said rate of interest, but can advance the same at the rate of £5 2s. 10d. per centum per annum:

Now, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and section 4 of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, the Te Aroha Borough Council hereby resolves that, for the purpose of providing moneys sufficient to cover the increased payments in respect of such part of such loan—namely, £1,000—the said Te Aroha Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of  $\frac{1}{4}$ d. upon the rateable value (on basis of annual value) of all the rateable property of the Borough of Te Aroha, comprising the whole of the Borough of Te Aroha; and such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such part of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of July and the 1st day of January in each and every year during the currency of such part of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until such loan is fully paid off.

We hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a resolution passed at a properly constituted meeting of the Te Aroha Borough Council held on the 5th day of February, 1913.

R. L. SOMERS,  
Mayor.

Te Aroha, 6th February, 1913. F. W. WILD,  
Town Clerk.

*Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

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

W. FRASER,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

NAPIER BOROUGH COUNCIL.

In the matter of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and the Acts amending the same.

WE, William Plowman, of Napier, Deputy Mayor of Napier, and Arthur Ward Lascelles, of Napier, Returning Officer, hereby give notice that on the 4th day of February, 1913, a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Napier was duly

held and taken on the proposal of the Council of the said borough to raise a special loan of £2,500 for the following purposes, the amount applicable to each such purpose being set opposite the statement of each such purpose respectively, namely:—

Laying out, reclaiming, and improving, and erecting buildings on the Sir Donald McLean Memorial Park	£ 1,250
Laying out, reclaiming, and improving, and erecting buildings on the William Nelson Park	1,250
	£2,500

and that at such poll the number of votes recorded was as follows: For the proposal, 202; against the proposal, 138; majority for the proposal, 64; informal, 6.

Wherefore we declare the said proposal to be carried.

Dated the 6th day of February, 1913.

W. PLOWMAN,  
Deputy Mayor.  
A. WARD LASCELLES,  
Returning Officer.

NAPIER BOROUGH COUNCIL.

In the matter of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and the Acts amending the same.

WE, William Plowman, of Napier, Deputy Mayor of Napier, and Arthur Ward Lascelles, of Napier, Returning Officer, hereby give notice that on the 4th day of February, 1913, a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Napier was duly held and taken on the proposal of the Council of the said borough to raise a special loan of £12,000 for the purpose of completing the construction of drainage-works in and for the Borough of Napier now in progress, and that at such poll the number of votes recorded was as follows: For the proposal, 241; against the proposal, 96; majority for the proposal, 145; informal, 7.

Wherefore we declare the said proposal to be carried.

Dated the 6th day of February, 1913.

W. PLOWMAN,  
Deputy Mayor.  
A. WARD LASCELLES,  
Returning Officer.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

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

W. FRASER,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

LYTTELTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Lyttelton taken on the 5th day of February, 1913, on the proposal of the Lyttelton Borough Council to borrow the sum of £13,000 for the purchase and development of the Diamond Harbour Estate, under the Lyttelton Borough Extension Act, 1911, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 250, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 216; informal, 12.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 6th day of February, 1913.

MALCOLM J. MILLER,  
Mayor.

*Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

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

W. FRASER,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

ELLERSLIE TOWN BOARD.

*Notice of Results of Polls on Proposals to raise Loans.*

IN the terms of section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers in the Ellerslie Town District was taken on the 25th day of

January, 1913, on the proposals to borrow £17,150 for the following purposes: Drainage, £12,000; main road improvements, £2,500; water-main extensions, £2,000; recreation-ground, £500; lighting, £150.

The number of votes recorded for the drainage loan of £12,000 was: For the proposal, 77; against the proposal, 60; informal, 4.

The number of votes recorded for the road-improvements loan of £2,500 was: For the proposal, 70; against the proposal, 69; informal, 2.

The number of votes recorded for the water-main extensions loan of £2,000 was: For the proposal, 90; against the proposal, 45; informal, 6.

The number of votes recorded for the recreation-ground loan of £500 was: For the proposal, 85; against the proposal, 52; informal, 4.

The number of votes recorded for the lighting loan of £150 was: For the proposal, 96; against the proposal, 39; informal, 6.

I therefore declare that the whole of the five proposals were carried.

Dated this 27th day of January, 1913.

GEORGE WILKINSON,  
Chairman.

*Varied Notice fixing Closing-hours of all Shops, excepting Tobacconists' and Hairdressers', in the Borough of Stratford, under the Shops and Offices Act, 1908.*

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the shops in the Borough of Stratford, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all shops, excepting tobacconists' and hairdressers', within the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 5.30 p.m.; on Thursday, 12.30 p.m.; on Saturday, 9 p.m., with the exception of the week preceding Christmas Eve, when fancy-goods shops may close at their own option:

And whereas the Stratford Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all shops within the Borough of Stratford:

Now, therefore, I, William Ferguson Massey, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, do hereby direct that, from and after the 17th day of February, 1913, all shops, excepting tobacconists' and hairdressers', in the Borough of Stratford shall be closed on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday at 5.30 p.m., and on Saturday at 9 p.m., excepting that during the week preceding Christmas Eve fancy-goods shops may close at their own option. The weekly half-holiday for shops in the borough is at present on Thursday from 1 o'clock.

The notice gazetted on 30th March, 1905, fixing the closing hours of all shops is hereby cancelled.

Dated at Wellington this 5th day of February, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Labour.

*Bonus for the Production of Quicksilver.*

Mines Department,  
Wellington, 18th April, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given that a bonus of fourpence (4d.) per pound will be paid on the production of the first one hundred thousand pounds weight (100,000 lb.) of good marketable retorted quicksilver, free from all impurities, from any mine in New Zealand, on the following conditions, that is to say:—

1. That at least one-third of the quantity is produced on or before the 31st March, 1914, and the remaining two-thirds on or before the 31st March, 1915.

2. No bonus will be payable until the whole of the one hundred thousand pounds (100,000 lb.) of quicksilver has been produced as stipulated to the satisfaction of an officer to be appointed by the Minister of Mines, and on whose certificate alone the bonus will be paid.

3. In the event of more than one person producing the required quantities of quicksilver before the dates named, inquiry will be made by the officer above referred to, when, if it is found that each applicant is equally entitled to a bonus, the amount will be divided in proportion to the quantities produced by each applicant, but in no case shall any bonus be paid until at least one hundred thousand pounds (100,000 lb.) of quicksilver has been produced in the aggregate.

JAMES COLVIN,  
Minister of Mines.

*Government Insurance Department Agency opened at Midhurst.*

Government Insurance Department,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

AN Agency for the above Department (Life and Accident Branches) will be opened at

THE POST-OFFICE, MIDHURST,  
as from the 24th February, 1913.

J. H. RICHARDSON,  
Commissioner.

*Government Insurance Department Agency opened at Mount Somers.*

Government Insurance Department,  
Wellington, 6th February, 1913.

AN agency of the above Department (Life and Accident Branches) will be opened at

THE POST-OFFICE, MOUNT SOMERS,  
as from the 16th February, 1913.

J. H. RICHARDSON,  
Commissioner.

*Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 8th February, 1913.

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 districts set respectively opposite their names, viz. :—

Name.	District.
Edward Nathan Falek .. ..	Manuherikia.
John Caird .. ..	Ohakune.
John Davies .. ..	Ohaeawai.
Robert Barbour McKay .. ..	Invercargill.

W. W. COOK,  
Deputy Registrar-General.

*Officiating Ministers for 1913.—Notice No. 5.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand passed in the eighth year of the reign of His late Majesty King Edward VII, and intitled the Marriage Act, 1908, the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

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

The Reverend ERIC DUDLEY RICE.  
The Reverend THOMAS FISHER.

*Presbyterian Church of New Zealand*

Mr. ROBERT ASHTON,  
The Reverend SAMUEL BUCHANAN,  
The Reverend JAMES LEBURN PATULLO.

*Lutheran Church.*

The Reverend HAMUERA TE PUNGA.

*Seventh-day Adventists.*

Mr. CECIL KENNETH MEYERS,  
Mr. WILLIAM HENRY PASCOE,  
Mr. WALTER JOHN WESTERMAN.

W. W. COOK,  
Deputy Registrar-General.

*Conscience-money received.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 10th February, 1913.

THE Minister of Finance directs me to acknowledge the receipt of the sum of 8s. 5d., forwarded to the Railway Department as "conscience-money" to the New Zealand Government.

G. F. C. CAMPBELL,  
Secretary to the Treasury.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

*Land in Otago Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 7th February, 1913.

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease No.	Section.	Block.	Locality.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
R.L.	156	10	XIV	Glenorchy Town	Godfrey Groves	Non-residence.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

*Education Reserves in Auckland Land District for Lease by Public Tender.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 29th January, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserves are open for lease by public tender, for a term of twenty-one years, with right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years; and tenders will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, up till 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 25th day of March, 1913, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908. Tenderees must be marked on the envelope "Tender for Education Reserve."

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

East Taupo County: Section 7, Block XIV, Paeroa Survey District; 56 acres 2 roods 15 perches.—Level to undulating pumice land on Rotorua-Taupo coach-road; fairly well watered by small creek. Minimum annual rental, £1.

Hokianga County: Section 3, Block XIV, Punakitere Survey District; 398 acres.—Hilly to broken bush land, well watered by streams; sandy clay soil; seventeen miles and a half from Kaikohe. Access by cart-road, and two miles pack-track. Minimum annual rental, £16.

Rotorua County, Mamaku Village: Sections 3 to 8, Block X; 6 acres.—Undulating to level bush land, no water; half a mile from Mamaku Station. Minimum annual rental, £4 10s.

Bay of Islands County: Section 4, Block VII, Waiomio Village; 5 acres.—Undulating to hilly clay land on Kawakawa-Taumarere Road, three-quarters of a mile from Kawakawa Station by metalled road. Minimum annual rental, £1.

Whangarei County: Section 32, Mangapai Parish; 36 acres.—Level to undulating open land, two miles from Mangapai by cart-road; well watered. Minimum annual rental, £2.

Mangonui County: Section 4, Block XIII, Tarawara; 53 acres and 33 perches.—Level to undulating land of sandy nature, eleven miles from Waihopo by cart-road. Minimum annual rental, £1 10s.

Rotorua County: Section 1A, Block X, Waihi South Survey District; 2,020 acres.—Undulating to broken land, fourteen miles from Matata by formed road; soil of sandy pumice nature. Minimum annual rental, £25.

*Abstract of Terms and Conditions of Lease.*

1. Six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £2 2s. lease fee, which includes stamp duty and cost of registration, must accompany tender.

2. Immediate possession will be given.

3. Term of lease, twenty-one years, with right of renewal for further similar terms, at rentals based on fresh valuations, under the provisions of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

4. Rent payable half-yearly, in advance, on 1st days of January and July in each year, subject to penalty at the rate of 10 per centum per annum for any period during which it remains in arrear.

5. Lessee to maintain in good substantial repair all buildings, drains, and fences; to keep clear all creeks, drains, ditches, and watercourses; to trim all live hedges; and

yield up all improvements in good order and condition at the expiration of his lease.

6. Lessee not to transfer, sublet, or subdivide without the consent of the Land Board.

7. Lessee to keep the land free from noxious weeds, rabbits, and vermin.

8. Lessee not to use or remove any gravel without the consent of the Land Board.

9. Lessee not to carry on any noxious, noisome, or offensive trade upon the land.

10. Lessee not to make improvements without the consent of the Land Board.

11. Lessee not to take more than three crops in succession, one of which must be a root crop; after the third crop the land to be left in pasture for at least three years; at least two-thirds of the area cropped to be left in pasture at the expiration of the term; penalty for breach, £5 per acre.

12. Lessee not entitled to any compensation for improvements; but if the lease is not renewed upon expiration, the new lease offered for disposal by public competition will be subject to payment by the incoming tenant of valuation for buildings and improvements effected by the original lessee with the consent of the Board; failing disposal, the land and buildings to revert to the Crown without compensation.

13. Lease liable to forfeiture for non-payment of rent within six months after due date, or for breach of conditions.

14. Land Board may resume not more than 5 acres for school-site upon reduction of rent and compensation for crops.

15. Lessee to have no right to any milling-timber, minerals, or kauri-gum, all rights to which, together with rights of access for the purpose of working the same, are reserved by and on behalf of the Crown.

16. Lessee to keep buildings insured.

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.

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MAGISTRATES' COURTS. TABLE showing the NUMBER of PERSONS brought before the several MAGISTRATES' COURTS in New Zealand during the Year ending 31st December, 1912, &c.—continued.

Table with columns: Courts, Arrested or summoned, Discharged for want of evidence, Dismitted on the merits, Committed for sentence, Committed for trial, Summary convictions, Classification of Summary Convictions (Against the Person, Against Good Order, Revenue Acts, etc.), and Excluding Multiple Charges (Distinct Arrests, Distinct Summary Convictions, etc.). Rows include Wellington Provincial District, Marlborough Provincial District, and Nelson Provincial District.







Leeston— Arrest	6	6	1	8	1	7	4	27	1	6	45	43	2	6	39	2	6
Summons	56	54	2	49	2	5	1	5	1	2	41	2	2	41	39	2	6
Little River— Arrest	16	15	1	15	1	4	1	17	1	15	31	27	4	15	14	1	15
Summons	36	32	4	27	3	1	1	3	1	4	25	22	3	25	22	3	15
Lyttelton— Arrest	229	219	10	214	10	2	2	59	3	18	208	198	10	203	183	10	203
Summons	163	157	6	109	5	2	2	51	4	10	148	142	6	100	95	5	100
Methven— Arrest	35	35	1	34	1	1	1	3	1	1	31	31	1	31	31	1	31
Summons	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Oxford— Arrest	50	44	6	30	6	2	2	7	2	2	38	33	5	29	24	5	29
Summons	27	27	1	27	1	1	1	22	1	2	22	22	1	22	22	1	22
Rangiora— Arrest	91	90	1	69	1	4	1	22	1	4	84	83	1	67	66	1	67
Summons	4	4	2	4	2	1	1	14	1	1	4	4	1	4	4	1	4
Southbridge— Arrest	27	25	2	24	2	1	1	14	1	1	22	21	1	21	20	1	21
Summons	21	21	1	21	1	1	1	8	1	1	18	18	1	18	18	1	18
South Rakai— Arrest	27	26	1	25	1	1	1	8	1	1	25	24	1	24	23	1	24
Summons	32	32	4	27	4	3	3	48	1	3	27	27	4	24	24	4	24
Temuka— Arrest	170	166	4	142	4	8	8	48	1	3	151	147	4	132	128	4	132
Summons	460	447	13	402	10	5	5	38	2	38	353	344	9	338	331	7	338
Timaru— Arrest	464	453	11	351	9	1	1	114	4	8	420	410	10	335	327	8	335
Summons	77	74	3	68	2	5	5	37	1	5	58	57	1	55	54	1	55
Waimate— Arrest	157	152	5	113	3	2	2	37	1	1	133	28	5	104	101	3	104
Summons	8	8	1	7	1	3	3	4	1	6	6	6	2	6	6	1	6
Alexandra— Arrest	25	23	2	11	1	2	2	4	1	23	23	21	2	11	10	1	11
Summons	5	5	2	5	2	1	1	1	1	5	5	5	1	5	5	1	5
Arrowtown— Arrest	17	17	2	15	2	1	1	10	1	16	16	16	1	15	15	1	15
Summons	10	10	2	8	2	8	8	32	5	10	10	10	5	8	8	5	10
Balclutha— Arrest	79	73	6	56	6	10	10	32	5	65	65	60	5	51	46	5	51
Summons	11	11	3	10	3	1	1	3	1	11	11	11	1	10	10	1	10
Black's— Arrest	15	12	3	11	3	2	2	3	1	12	12	11	1	10	10	1	10
Summons	70	68	2	66	2	4	4	14	1	67	67	65	2	66	64	2	66
Campbelltown— Arrest	47	42	5	37	4	1	1	10	1	45	45	40	5	41	37	4	41
Summons	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	1	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Clinton— Arrest	18	15	3	14	3	1	1	3	1	15	15	12	3	14	11	3	14
Summons	15	15	1	15	1	1	1	1	1	14	14	14	1	14	14	1	14
Clyde— Arrest	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Summons	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Otago Provincial District—







MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

TABLE II.—Showing the NUMBER of CIVIL CASES HEARD, the AMOUNTS SUED FOR, and the AMOUNTS AWARDED in the several Magistrates' Courts in New Zealand for the Year ending 31st December, 1912.

Courts.	Plaints entered.		Cases tried.*		
	Number.	Total Amount sued for.	Number.	Total Amount claimed.	Total Amount recovered.
<i>Auckland Provincial District.</i>					
Ahipara .. .. .	16	£ 210 17 6	17	£ 217 14 4	£ 197 8 1
Auckland .. .. .	6,594	80,809 18 10	3,831	45,143 0 2	41,732 6 2
Cambridge .. .. .	144	1,400 17 6	108	1,092 5 3	1,045 4 11
Coromandel .. .. .	43	593 2 2	28	616 10 11	347 3 3
Dargaville .. .. .	303	2,908 14 10	293	2,528 19 11	2,108 12 8
Gisborne .. .. .	1,221	13,656 17 7	800	8,347 17 11	6,728 16 5
Hamilton .. .. .	773	12,513 0 9	520	7,622 11 3	6,853 10 0
Helensville .. .. .	249	2,180 12 6	223	2,131 7 10	1,908 10 10
Hikurangi .. .. .	30	121 17 7	25	100 18 6	88 19 8
Houhora .. .. .	95	873 13 10	90	833 10 1	816 3 0
Huntly .. .. .	53	721 1 11	42	445 3 11	302 2 8
Kaeo .. .. .	39	374 11 5	21	223 3 0	202 12 8
Kaikohe .. .. .	66	1,045 15 6	40	503 6 9	466 10 11
Kaitiaki .. .. .	84	918 6 7	68	927 14 1	672 3 3
Kawakawa .. .. .	69	849 16 3	81	1,138 2 9	905 2 8
Kawhia .. .. .	180	1,926 6 1	158	1,787 2 8	1,382 12 9
Kohukohu .. .. .	16	331 16 8	11	311 10 9	111 0 3
Mangonui .. .. .	117	849 0 2	102	747 0 11	605 10 11
Matamata .. .. .	62	524 14 8	61	520 10 1	520 10 1
Matiere .. .. .	65	352 16 2	36	209 6 1	194 16 0
Maungaturoto .. .. .	77	793 7 8	57	585 3 2	454 16 1
Mercer .. .. .	47	445 0 3	31	200 7 7	196 7 7
Mercury Bay .. .. .	28	293 7 11	25	266 18 1	210 14 1
Morrinsville .. .. .	60	792 6 11	67	737 18 0	666 17 2
Ngaruawahia .. .. .	228	2,954 3 5	145	2,109 4 2	1,984 11 0
Onehunga .. .. .	187	1,522 5 3	134	742 16 9	634 0 11
Opotiki .. .. .	304	2,435 17 4	246	2,034 15 6	1,664 2 8
Otauhu .. .. .	49	254 1 5	43	229 17 8	124 16 11
Otorohanga .. .. .	77	678 4 5	57	522 11 9	490 15 9
Paeroa .. .. .	194	2,084 13 5	135	1,421 9 2	1,058 11 5
Papakura .. .. .	74	1,352 0 8	68	551 10 6	352 0 0
Paparoa .. .. .	74	318 3 3	74	318 3 3	227 0 5
Port Awanui .. .. .	170	935 16 8	81	798 13 5	568 3 11
Pukekohe .. .. .	74	1,175 19 7	65	1,097 13 1	373 0 1
Raglan .. .. .	21	143 15 8	17	143 2 3	133 4 6
Rawene .. .. .	223	1,919 17 8	181	1,716 19 7	1,461 11 4
Rotorua .. .. .	430	3,518 14 7	353	2,930 16 8	2,003 1 0
Russell .. .. .	5	49 8 4	6	48 15 0	38 15 0
Taumarunui .. .. .	379	3,770 15 3	341	3,835 18 0	2,805 13 7
Taupo .. .. .	33	278 2 8	27	167 15 8	162 11 2
Tauranga .. .. .	164	2,507 1 0	112	1,358 7 4	1,278 0 7
Te Aroha .. .. .	79	1,041 2 8	68	948 10 3	392 18 8
Te Awamutu .. .. .	125	1,591 9 0	103	1,339 5 2	950 13 6
Te Kuiti .. .. .	444	4,916 19 1	266	2,888 6 6	2,434 14 7
Te Puke .. .. .	81	1,169 12 6	35	838 15 8	637 9 5
Thames .. .. .	179	1,873 11 9	142	1,270 10 0	1,038 15 7
Tolaga Bay .. .. .	78	570 3 5	82	511 14 4	303 15 7
Waihi .. .. .	177	1,275 2 5	114	879 13 2	870 4 2
Waimate North .. .. .					
Waipiro Bay .. .. .	179	1,470 16 8	103	890 0 11	877 10 11
Waipu .. .. .	17	147 15 3	11	98 4 0	92 6 3
Waiuku .. .. .	19	184 8 0	12	201 3 10	81 9 8
Warkworth .. .. .	32	523 16 10	23	385 4 1	238 8 7
Wellsford .. .. .	2	3 2 7	3	13 2 7	9 10 7
Whakatane .. .. .	230	2,707 5 0	167	1,619 1 1	1,255 0 8
Whangarei .. .. .	456	4,012 5 8	260	3,019 1 9	2,569 9 10
Whangaroa .. .. .	147	2,096 13 5	112	1,347 8 8	1,276 6 9
<i>Taranaki Provincial District.</i>					
Eltham .. .. .	290	2,425 16 2	203	2,183 3 11	1,600 18 11
Hawera .. .. .	705	7,254 15 4	432	4,666 9 4	4,394 1 0
Inglewood .. .. .	202	1,820 14 11	175	1,960 7 5	1,677 6 8
Mania .. .. .	99	1,452 6 2	58	802 14 6	666 4 9
New Plymouth .. .. .	620	7,626 13 2	402	4,668 4 3	4,154 14 8
Opunake .. .. .	120	1,115 10 3	139	1,552 14 6	987 5 3
Patea .. .. .	131	1,134 1 10	89	847 6 8	772 17 9
Stratford .. .. .	747	7,925 0 3	526	4,913 14 0	4,722 9 10
Waitara .. .. .	182	1,791 4 9	102	963 8 6	843 16 5
<i>Hawke's Bay Provincial District.</i>					
Dannevirke .. .. .	398	6,857 17 8	268	3,597 11 10	2,936 9 0
Hastings .. .. .	922	9,489 17 10	573	5,642 3 4	5,190 0 8
Napier .. .. .	1,733	12,712 11 8	1,396	8,815 10 3	7,901 6 7
Ormondville .. .. .	45	586 14 0	40	432 4 10	294 11 6
Porangahau .. .. .					
Waipawa .. .. .	267	3,260 16 0	173	2,048 1 5	1,712 5 3
Wairoa .. .. .	333	4,728 19 4	323	4,804 1 8	2,808 15 5
Woodville .. .. .	126	1,459 4 2	175	1,738 17 0	1,421 11 0

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## MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

TABLE II.—Showing the NUMBER of CIVIL CASES HEARD, &c., in the several Magistrates' Courts—  
*continued.*

Courts.	Plaints entered.		Cases tried.*		
	Number.	Total Amount sued for.	Number.	Total Amount claimed.	Total Amount recovered.
<i>Wellington Provincial District.</i>					
Bull's .. .. .	37	£ 483 7 2	21	£ 176 15 2	£ 118 16 2
Carterton .. .. .	85	881 2 0	60	683 17 1	639 16 8
Eketahuna .. .. .	98	990 17 11	75	772 18 11	595 1 7
Featherston .. .. .	209	1,247 2 10	189	909 2 8	859 2 6
Feilding .. .. .	619	6,439 6 9	474	4,073 3 7	3,703 17 9
Foxton .. .. .	134	694 19 4	126	716 10 9	365 14 2
Greytown .. .. .	137	1,438 2 2	102	847 8 7	775 10 3
Hunterville .. .. .	84	815 6 8	102	815 6 8	494 14 1
Kimbolton .. .. .	20	204 4 2	24	223 13 0	68 2 3
Levin .. .. .	336	2,684 18 7	264	2,127 4 1	1,962 6 1
Lower Hutt .. .. .	314	2,018 3 5	234	1,414 17 5	1,369 10 8
Mangaweka .. .. .	106	969 13 8	90	815 1 4	581 8 7
Martinborough .. .. .	133	1,259 13 1	85	720 17 2	710 0 3
Marion .. .. .	361	3,141 8 11	246	1,864 12 9	1,537 5 4
Masterton .. .. .	540	5,342 3 8	374	4,252 14 2	2,819 17 10
Ohakune .. .. .	423	4,092 19 6	304	2,671 13 0	2,145 1 2
Otaki .. .. .	116	1,350 4 9	81	1,394 15 8	932 6 6
Pahiatua .. .. .	172	2,279 13 6	120	1,747 11 1	1,324 9 11
Palmerston North .. .. .	1,217	14,093 0 11	735	8,250 0 9	7,311 17 0
Petone .. .. .	118	770 1 11	68	571 4 1	561 9 1
Pongaroa .. .. .	39	189 16 5	12	45 15 3	45 15 3
Raetihi .. .. .	149	1,206 18 1	106	939 16 0	728 16 8
Taihape .. .. .	396	3,868 8 0	265	2,348 14 4	1,976 17 8
Upper Hutt .. .. .	64	553 19 6	73	479 17 4	412 7 8
Wanganui .. .. .	1,968	19,432 7 11	1,081	10,958 4 9	8,722 19 8
Waverley .. .. .	83	792 19 5	61	545 4 5	490 8 11
Wellington .. .. .	5,696	82,846 11 4	3,139	49,325 14 5	44,137 6 11
Whareama .. .. .	1	22 1 0	1	22 1 0	..
<i>Marlborough Provincial District.</i>					
Blenheim .. .. .	557	5,040 15 8	483	3,104 13 5	2,892 18 7
Havelock .. .. .	61	386 6 2	42	330 2 4	173 9 6
Kaikoura .. .. .	159	1,481 19 6	120	1,174 13 1	227 15 2
Pieton .. .. .	70	590 16 4	49	361 8 2	335 15 11
<i>Nelson Provincial District.</i>					
Ahaura .. .. .	20	227 8 2	11	215 10 5	67 17 11
Brightwater .. .. .	53	457 16 1	31	330 18 7	321 8 7
Brunnerton .. .. .	54	278 4 4	34	182 19 5	174 13 6
Charleston .. .. .	5	60 3 6	2	48 2 4	48 2 4
Cheviot .. .. .	62	453 3 6	39	183 8 1	126 0 3
Collingwood .. .. .	14	229 19 3	8	92 4 3	23 13 1
Culverden .. .. .	41	457 5 11	37	458 11 1	392 15 1
Denniston .. .. .	51	281 6 6	49	263 0 1	250 9 7
Granity .. .. .	30	366 15 0	19	285 11 11	277 8 5
Karamea .. .. .	38	373 5 5	28	224 13 3	204 11 8
Lyell .. .. .	4	16 3 7	4	16 3 7	0 16 1
Motueka .. .. .	109	651 16 3	76	384 17 5	382 11 7
Murchison .. .. .	46	859 1 8	23	764 3 2	520 6 9
Nelson .. .. .	667	6,621 0 9	346	3,454 2 3	3,105 16 9
Reefton .. .. .	165	1,254 10 4	122	874 13 8	782 19 4
Seddonville .. .. .	28	147 19 11	16	110 13 0	27 8 5
Takaka .. .. .	66	591 7 10	78	669 1 3	460 14 0
Westport .. .. .	855	6,591 16 3	554	4,244 5 3	3,899 8 2
<i>Westland Provincial District.</i>					
Goldsborough .. .. .	664	4,807 1 5	430	3,079 7 8	2,901 10 0
Greymouth .. .. .	240	1,451 3 9	206	1,268 19 2	847 0 1
Hokitika .. .. .	42	357 19 3	20	242 16 9	216 11 9
Kumara .. .. .	6	52 2 7	4	45 13 7	45 13 7
Okarito .. .. .	14	123 7 4	8	87 11 1	36 15 7
Ross .. .. .	1	34 0 3	1	34 0 3	34 0 3
<i>Canterbury Provincial District.</i>					
Akaroa .. .. .	51	470 17 7	41	421 13 11	356 6 5
Amberley .. .. .	46	544 19 2	33	476 16 9	381 8 9
Ashburton .. .. .	366	3,435 3 9	230	1,873 4 1	1,693 18 1
Chatham Islands .. .. .	28	429 10 3	18	315 3 8	171 18 8
Christchurch .. .. .	5,755	53,611 1 0	3,110	36,056 1 0	33,718 12 1
Darfield .. .. .	54	362 15 2	40	292 12 4	259 6 6
Fairlie .. .. .	76	237 2 3	68	218 6 5	189 7 5
Geraldine .. .. .	103	505 2 7	87	278 6 3	276 1 10
Kaiapoi .. .. .	103	903 3 11	62	585 16 1	511 15 11
Leeston .. .. .	75	446 1 4	43	277 16 11	246 3 11
Little River .. .. .	31	282 14 6	25	176 16 5	126 15 5
Lyttelton .. .. .	52	366 15 7	35	264 1 11	245 10 2
Methven .. .. .	52	970 8 9	52	970 8 9	761 7 6

\* Including cases where the amount is paid into Court and accepted in discharge of the debt, also cases where judgment is by default, confessed, or consented to in Court.



MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

TABLE II.—Showing the NUMBER of CIVIL CASES HEARD, &c., in the several Magistrates' Courts—*continued.*

Courts.	Plaints entered.		Cases tried.*		
	Number.	Total Amount sued for.	Number.	Total Amount claimed.	Total Amount recovered.
<i>Canterbury District—continued.</i>					
Oxford .. .. .	74	£ 510 7 0	55	£ 338 12 5	£ 279 3 1
Rangiora .. .. .	207	2,395 1 10	120	1,302 3 0	1,039 18 5
Southbridge .. .. .	30	132 9 1	25	112 11 0	112 11 0
South Rakaia .. .. .	25	141 8 2	28	143 10 7	121 18 9
Temuka .. .. .	164	1,070 5 9	151	877 9 5	774 13 5
Timaru .. .. .	985	8,417 12 9	747	6,179 2 2	4,925 17 7
Waimate .. .. .	258	2,013 4 3	143	1,417 18 1	928 18 1
<i>Otago Provincial District.</i>					
Alexandra .. .. .	73	565 10 6	44	391 0 7	389 0 7
Arrowtown .. .. .	3	20 0 0	2	15 7 0	15 7 0
Balclutha .. .. .	129	1,215 17 0	78	787 3 2	403 8 6
Black's .. .. .	19	111 19 1	14	77 3 5	75 0 1
Campbelltown .. .. .	150	570 7 3	92	417 7 4	386 14 1
Clinton .. .. .	30	175 4 2	19	104 3 2	80 19 8
Clyde .. .. .	30	170 10 8	13	86 0 3	84 0 3
Cromwell .. .. .	40	345 16 6	34	302 0 6	220 2 1
Dunedin .. .. .	3,780	33,335 9 8	1,916	17,606 13 0	16,048 2 8
Gore .. .. .	400	3,219 10 10	251	2,250 2 3	2,011 11 9
Hampden .. .. .	11	298 14 10	9	269 9 4	245 19 4
Hawkesbury .. .. .	15	304 2 9	15	296 17 1	116 16 11
Hyde .. .. .	1	5 12 2	..	..	..
Invercargill.. .. .	1,719	17,581 9 4	997	10,804 16 2	9,993 12 10
Kaitangata .. .. .	23	144 1 4	18	87 8 7	67 19 4
Kurou .. .. .	59	689 0 6	38	479 0 11	476 15 11
Lawrence .. .. .	79	378 0 4	50	224 16 5	198 6 11
Lumsden .. .. .	40	392 2 8	30	314 8 4	272 0 0
Macrae's .. .. .	4	24 5 7	2	13 5 9	13 5 9
Middlemarch .. .. .	11	29 15 2	8	22 9 4	10 13 11
Milton .. .. .	63	473 13 5	64	484 17 11	483 7 11
Mosgiel .. .. .	64	486 19 2	41	259 2 0	259 2 0
Naseby .. .. .	25	201 16 5	11	98 6 6	87 16 11
Oamaru .. .. .	503	4,186 3 3	313	2,506 1 5	2,126 1 0
Orepuki .. .. .	200	1,125 19 8	149	847 2 9	835 14 9
Otautau .. .. .	227	1,507 18 6	108	904 6 3	841 0 3
Outram .. .. .	55	754 6 4	41	566 3 3	556 3 3
Owaka .. .. .	70	529 19 0	57	387 12 9	358 7 8
Palmerston.. .. .	60	528 10 9	43	279 0 6	276 11 10
Patearoa .. .. .	5	37 18 11	2	65 11 0	49 1 0
Pembroke .. .. .	9	144 5 1	5	30 5 1	25 16 2
Port Chalmers .. .. .	47	365 12 6	37	403 19 8	258 2 8
Queenstown .. .. .	46	582 13 11	36	535 12 8	437 1 11
Riverton .. .. .	121	904 12 0	89	760 15 0	642 16 10
Roxburgh .. .. .	23	277 10 7	15	201 7 11	196 2 11
St. Bathans .. .. .	3	29 10 10	2	12 6 2	12 6 2
Stewart Island .. .. .	3	12 4 6	1	7 11 6	..
Tapanui .. .. .	59	445 18 6	49	340 7 0	319 0 2
Waikaia .. .. .	19	253 2 6	13	155 18 6	134 2 0
Winton .. .. .	191	1,354 4 1	213	1,483 10 4	1,137 4 1
Wyndham .. .. .	76	949 19 11	36	427 19 6	390 19 0
Totals .. .. .	57,079	592,942 13 6	36,815	420,073 0 6	331,020 3 4

\* Including cases where the amount is paid into Court and accepted in discharge of the debt, also cases where judgment is by default, confessed, or consented to in Court.

TABLE III.—Showing SUMMARY of CIVIL CASES HEARD during the Year ending 31st December, 1912, in which MAORIS were concerned.

Courts.	Plaints entered.		Cases tried.*		
	Number.	Total Amount sued for.	Number.	Total Amount claimed.	Total Amount recovered.
In which Europeans were plaintiffs and Maoris defendants	4,143	£ 39,242 13 1	3,122	£ 29,827 8 4	£ 26,585 13 7
In which Maoris were plaintiffs and Europeans defendants	117	1,909 8 8	82	1,054 5 2	700 17 3
In which Maoris only were concerned .. .. .	197	3,329 6 4	156	2,288 11 6	1,152 19 10
Totals .. .. .	4,457	44,481 8 1	3,360	33,170 5 0	28,439 10 8

\* Including (in addition to cases fought out) cases where the amount is paid into Court and accepted in discharge of the debt, also cases where judgment is by default, confessed, or consented to.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

The Treasury, New Zealand,  
Friendly Societies Office,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

THE Loyal Morven Lodge, No. 9178, situated at Morven, is registered as a branch of the South Canterbury District of the Manchester Unity Independent Order of Oddfellows Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 11th day of February, 1913.

ROBT. E. HAYES,  
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Land Surveyors' Examination, March, 1913, Australia and New Zealand.

The Surveyors' Board of New Zealand,  
Wellington, 8th February, 1913.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Surveyors' Board, in conjunction with the Australian Surveyors' Boards, will conduct an examination of candidates for licenses to survey, commencing at 10 a.m. on Monday, 31st March, 1913, at Wellington.

Candidates are notified that their applications, on the proper form, must reach the Secretary of the Board at least thirty days before the date of the examination, and that the examination fee of £1 1s. must be paid, at least seven days before the date of the examination, to the Secretary of the Board, from whom examination regulations, application forms, and other particulars may be obtained.

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

CROWN LANDS NOTICES—continued.

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Lands in Maori Hill Settlement for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 11th February, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 25th March, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.—WAIAU SURVEY DISTRICT.—MAORI HILL SETTLEMENT.

Mixed Agricultural and Pastoral Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.			Half-yearly Rental.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
4	XI	176 2 4	1,590	0	0	35	15	6
5	"	116 3 10	1,050	0	0	23	12	
6	"	307 1 13	3,720	0	0	83	14	0
7	"	252 3 21	2,340	0	0	52	13	0
10	"	301 1 2	2,500	0	0	56	5	0
11	"	440 0 19	4,170	0	0	93	16	6
12	"	568 0 14	2,690	0	0	60	10	6
13	"	291 3 18	2,840	0	0	63	18	0
14	"	449 1 18	3,600	0	0	81	0	0
15	"	464 3 13	2,940	0	0	66	3	0

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements which are included in the capital values of the sections consist of: Section 4—224 chains boundary and subdivisional fencing, valued at £86 13s. 1d. Section 5—203 chains boundary and subdivisional fencing, valued at £91 10s. 9d. Section 6—238 chains boundary and subdivisional fencing, valued at £78 9s. 3d. Section 7—204 chains boundary fence, valued at £80 2s. Section 10—142 chains boundary and subdivisional fencing, valued at £91 17s. Section 11—126½ chains boundary and subdivisional fencing, valued at £70. Section 12—154 chains boundary and subdivisional fencing, valued at £84 1s. 3d. Section 13—283 chains boundary and subdivisional fencing, valued at £96 0s. 6d. Section 14—124½ chains boundary and subdivisional fencing and hut, valued at £70 7s. Section 15—79 chains boundary and subdivisional fencing, valued at £30 13s. 10d.

DESCRIPTION OF SECTIONS.

Section 4.—Altitude, 140 ft. to 395 ft. About 100 acres flat, balance ridgy land which was formerly bush, now in English grass. Soil on flats a free loam, on gravel or sandstone formation; on ridges land lighter, but carries good grass; well watered.

Section 5.—Altitude, 150 ft. to 460 ft. About 55 acres fairly flat, balance hilly. Soil good dark loam, on gravel or sandstone formation; English grass on flats, and flax, native and surface-sown grass on the ridges; well watered.

Section 6.—Altitude, 160 ft. to 456 ft. About 50 acres flat; balance easy sloping hill, not broken. Soil dark rich loam; well watered.

Section 7.—Altitude, 150 ft. to 582 ft. Mostly hilly country; tops of ridges roomy and fit for ploughing; a large proportion was bush, but is now in English grass; splendid grass country. Soil rich dark loam; water in gullies.

Section 10.—Altitude, 150 ft. to 360 ft. About 107 acres flat, and balance hilly, but not broken. Soil good; well watered.

Section 11.—Altitude, 160 ft. to 450 ft. An area of about 38 acres is bush land of very good quality, the remainder being open land, with about 35 acres flat ground and the rest easy hilly country. Soil is good, dark, and loamy; well watered.

Section 12.—Altitude, 200 ft. to 570 ft. About 108 acres standing bush; soil good. 185 acres, originally bush, have been cleared and sown; remainder undulating to hilly land, ridges being flat and roomy.

Section 13.—Altitude, 160 ft. to 500 ft. About 65 acres of the northern portion is excellent land, although somewhat broken; the southern portion is open flax country, and lying well to the sun. Soil good, black loam; tops of ridges roomy, and contain good land; well watered.

Section 14.—Altitude, 180 ft. to 470 ft. About 67 acres light bush; soil good. The balance is open flax country; soil good, dark loam; well watered.

Section 15.—Altitude, 200 ft. to 460 ft. About 25 acres bush, in three patches; the remainder low open ridges. Soil good; well watered.

DESCRIPTION OF SETTLEMENT.

The settlement was originally part of Merrivale Estate, which is well known in the southern districts for its productiveness and sheep-carrying capacity. The land, generally speaking, is of good quality, varying from undulating and ridgy land to deep rich river-flats, and is admirably suited for either dairying, sheep-farming, or mixed farming. Originally the land was densely covered with flax, and in parts there was good mixed bush. There is still a fair area in flax, which is now being milled, and much of the bush has been felled; and this land, as well as most of the open land, has been surface-sown, with excellent results. Altitude, from 140 ft. to 582 ft. The settlement is well watered, and situated from four miles to seven miles and three-quarters from Tuatapere Railway-station, and is distant by good gravel road about three miles from Orawia Village and dairy factory. Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, and 10 have frontage to a good gravel road, and access to the remaining sections will be provided at an early date.

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of section 128 of the Land Act, 1908, on or after Wednesday, the twenty-first day of May, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
33	X	Umutoi	A. R. P. 3 2 16

T. N. BRODRICK,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Southland Land District for Sale or Selection.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 4th February, 1913.

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 Part III of the said Act on or after Wednesday, the 21st day of May, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—OTERAMIKA SURVEY DISTRICT.

*Second-class Land.*

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
80	III	270	2	0
89	"	290	0	0

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

*Land in Auckland Land District for Disposal under Part III of the Land Act, 1908.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 24th December, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned section will be disposed of under Part III of the said Act on or after Wednesday, the 9th day of April, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WHANGAPE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
11	II	19	0	0

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Crown Land in Auckland Land District for Disposal under Section 326 of the Land Act, 1908.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 4th January, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of by sale or selection on or after Monday, the 21st day of April, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—NEWCASTLE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
102, Pukete Parish	XVI	Approx. 50 acres.

H. M. SKEET,  
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, 16th December, 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 holder of the adjoining land, under the provisions of section 131 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 21st day of March, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
8	XV	Maruia .. ..	A. R. P. 17 0 0

F. A. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Wellington Land District for Sale by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 29th January, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction at this office on or after Wednesday, the 30th day of April, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—PAHIATUA COUNTY.—MANGA-HAO SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Rural Land.</i>			
Part 89 133	III	A. R. P. 18 2 26	£ s. d. 400 0
	"	64 2 20	1,300 0 0

T. N. BRODRICK,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 29th January, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, 25th March, 1913, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Village of Waioimio.—Village Land.</i>			
10, 11, 12, 13	V	A. R. P. 1 0 12	£ s. d. 7 10 0
19, 20	"	0 2 0	2 0 0
1	VI	0 1 28	20 0 0
21, 22	"	0 2 0	3 0 0
3	VII	5 0 0	15 0 0
5	"	4 1 31	13 10 0

Altitude, 30 ft. to 130 ft. above sea-level. Manuka country; level and undulating, except Sections 19 and 20, Block V, which are fairly steep, and Section 5, Block VII, which is undulating to hilly. Soil generally heavy clay, with some alluvial on Section 1, Block VI. Distant 34 to 70 chains by cart-road from Kawakawa Railway-station.

*Town of Russell.—Town Land.*

5 and 14 I 1 0 10.1 35 0 0  
Altitude, 20 ft. to 50 ft. above sea-level. Hillside; clay soil; fronts Queen Street and Prospect Street. About a quarter of a mile from Russell Wharf.  
Weighted with £50, for improvements comprising clearing gorse, fencing, excavation for site for house, forming paths, garden, &c.

6	XIII	0 1 2	30 0 0
7	"	0 1 2	30 0 0
8	"	0 0 37	30 0 0

Undulating and steep hillside, covered with manuka and fern. Lots 6 and 7 will require excavating to make room for buildings. Soil clay to clayey loam. Situated about 12 chains from Russell Wharf by good road.

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Auckland Land District for Disposal by Public Auction under the Land Act, 1908.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 24th December, 1912.

IT is hereby notified in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned section will be offered for sale by public auction on or after Monday, the 21st day of April, 1913.

## SCHEDULE.

## AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—KOMAKOBAU PARISH.

Lots	Section	Area.
7 and 8	148	A. R. P. 39 1 31

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

## Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 29th January, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, 25th March, 1913, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

## SCHEDULE.

## AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—MATAMATA SETTLEMENT.—MATAMATA TOWNSHIP.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
7	V	A. R. P. 0 1 0	£ s. d. 65 0 0

Altitude, about 200 ft. above sea-level. Level land, in old grass. Soil of a light sandy nature. Fronts Tower Road; 27 chains from Matamata Railway-station by well-formed road.

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

## Land in Hawke's Bay Land District for Disposal under Section 326 of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Napier, 4th January, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned Crown land will be open for sale or selection under the provisions of the said Act; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Napier, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 9th day of April, 1913.

## SCHEDULE.

## HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—TARAMARAMA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.
1	II	A. R. P. 140 2 0	£ s. d. 350 0 0

ROBT. T. SADD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

## Lands in Southland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 14th January, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, at this office at 11 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, the 23rd day of April, 1913, under the provisions of the said Act.

## SCHEDULE.

## SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—TOWN OF MAKAREWA.

## Rural Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
8	VII	A. R. P. 13 1 36	£ s. d. 135 0 0
3	VIII	13 0 18	150 0 0
9	IX	13 1 36	105 0 0

Section 3, Block VIII, is weighted with £45 10s., as valuation for improvements consisting of fencing, stumping, cultivation, ditching, and drain-ploughing.

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

## Lands in Auckland Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 13th January, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Friday, the 28th day of February, 1913, for leases of the undermentioned lands, under the provisions of the Acts quoted in each case.

## SCHEDULE.

## AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Under the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

TAURANGA County, Tahawai Parish, Section 76, landing reserve: Area, 80 acres; minimum annual rental, £8. Weighted with £11 5s., valuation for firewood, to be paid within one month of acceptance of tender. Term of lease, fourteen years.

Coromandel County, Ahirau Domain, Section 17, Block V, Harataunga Survey District: Area, 16½ acres; minimum annual rental, £1; term of lease, seven years.

Under Section 130 of the Land Act, 1908.

Waikato County, recreation reserve round Ohinewai Lake, Taupiri Parish (excluding Section 49 thereof): Area, 165 acres; minimum annual rental, £5; term of lease, five years.

Waikato County, recreation reserve, Section 41, Taupiri Parish: Area, 13 acres; minimum annual rental, £1; term of lease, five years.

Mangonui County, scenery reserve, Section 32, Block VI, Takahue Survey District: Area, 78 acres; minimum annual rental, £2 10s.; term of lease, five years.

Otamatea County, timber reserve, S.W. 19, Wairau Parish: Area, 60 acres; minimum annual rental, £2 5s.; term of lease, five years.

Eden County, Prescott Settlement, Penrose Junction: Area, 52 acres; minimum annual rental, £12 10s.; term of lease, five years.

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease, as given, without right of renewal.
2. The lessee shall have no right to compensation, either for improvements put on the land or on account of the aforesaid resumption, or for any other cause; but he may, on the expiration or sooner determination of the lease, remove all buildings or fences erected by him, but not otherwise.
3. The lessee shall not sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of his interest in the lease without the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
4. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of all noxious weeds on the land, and he shall with all reasonable dispatch remove, or cause to be removed, all noxious weeds or plants as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
5. The lessee shall not be entitled to cut or make use of any timber on the land, and shall take all reasonable steps to preserve such timber from destruction by fire or otherwise.
6. The lessee shall discharge all rates, taxes, charges, and other assessments that may become due and payable.
7. Rental payments in arrear for two calendar months shall render the lease liable to termination; or a breach of covenant in the lease, expressed or implied, shall entitle the Crown to re-enter and determine the lease.
8. Tenders to be indorsed on the outside "Tender for Lease," and to be accompanied by the first half-year's rent at the rate tendered, and lease fee £1 1s.
9. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Full particulars may be ascertained on application at this office.

H. M. SKEET,  
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 undermentioned 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.

(National Endowment.)

Run No.	County.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
396	Wallace	A. R. P. 7,300 0 0	£ s. d. 80 0 0

Term, twenty-one years from 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.

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

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.

Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale or Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 27th January, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or selection 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, 25th March, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAITEMATA COUNTY.—  
PAREMOROMO PARISH.

Second-class Land.

Section.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
237	A. R. P. 18 1 18	£ s. d. 140 0 0	£ s. d. 3 10 0	£ s. d. 2 16 0
238	16 0 10	130 0 0	3 5 0	2 12 0
239	16 3 26	140 0 0	3 10 0	2 16 0
240	18 1 0	150 0 0	3 15 0	3 0 0
241	24 0 1	160 0 0	4 0 0	3 4 0
242	25 2 4	155 0 0	3 17 6	3 2 0
243	25 0 20	125 0 0	3 2 6	2 10 0
244	21 2 35	90 0 0	2 5 0	1 16 0
245	26 3 20	110 0 0	2 15 0	2 4 0
246	23 3 30	100 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0
247	24 0 20	95 0 0	2 7 6	1 18 0
248	22 3 9	115 0 0	2 17 6	2 6 0
249	21 0 18	130 0 0	3 5 0	2 12 0
250	16 2 33	115 0 0	2 17 6	2 6 0
251	21 0 14	130 0 0	3 5 0	2 12 0
252	23 1 10	125 0 0	3 2 6	2 10 0
253	19 0 13	90 0 0	2 5 0	1 16 0
254	29 3 2	120 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0

Altitude, 50 ft. to 250 ft. above sea-level. Sections 237, 238, 239, 240, 249, 250, and 251 gently undulating land; remainder of sections of a steeper and more broken character; with the exception of a few acres on the back sections, Nos. 244, 245, 246, 253, and 254, the land can be ploughed. The block is part of a well-worked-out gumfield, soil being

of a clay formation, and suitable for fruit and poultry or strawberry farms; watered by small swamps and springs; water can also be obtained by sinking. Situated within a mile of Riverhead Wharf and Post-office, and four miles from Kumeu Railway-station by formed cart-road.

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Westland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Hokitika, 4th February, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction at the Seddon Hall, Moana, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Friday, the 14th day of March, 1913, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

MOANA VILLAGE.

Village Land.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
2	A. R. P. 1 2 30	£ s. d. 15 0 0	22	A. R. P. 0 1 5	£ s. d. 7 10 0
3	0 3 27.8	10 0 0	23	0 1 5	8 10 0
4	1 3 37.5	15 0 0	24	0 1 5	8 10 0
5	1 0 22.7	10 0 0	25	0 1 5	7 10 0
6	0 3 10.7	8 0 0	26	0 1 5	7 10 0
7	0 2 9.3	15 0 0	27	0 1 4	7 10 0
8	0 3 28.5	25 0 0	28	0 1 8	8 0 0
9	0 2 36.8	20 0 0	29	0 1 0	7 10 0
10	0 3 32.9	30 0 0	30	0 1 0	7 10 0
11	0 3 30.9	25 0 0	31	0 1 0	7 10 0
12	0 2 5	15 0 0	32	0 1 0	7 10 0
13	0 1 5	7 10 0	33	0 1 0	7 10 0
14	0 1 5	7 10 0	34	0 1 0	7 10 0
15	0 1 5	7 10 0	35	0 1 0	7 10 0
16	0 1 5	7 10 0	36	0 1 0	7 10 0
17	0 1 5	7 10 0	37	0 1 0	7 10 0
18	0 1 5	7 10 0	38	0 1 0	7 10 0
19	0 1 5	7 10 0	55	0 1 32.6	13 10 0
20	0 1 5	7 10 0	56	0 1 7.3	7 10 0
21	0 1 5	7 10 0			

Moana Village is situated on the hillside overlooking Lake Brunner, a favourite tourist resort, and adjoining the Moana Railway-station, on the Greymouth-Otira Railway line. The sections are covered with bush, varying from light scrub to heavy mixed bush.

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

National Endowment Land in Otago Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Dunedin, 4th February, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is 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, Dunedin, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 10th day of March, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—LAKE COUNTY.—TOWN OF GLENORCHY SURVEY DISTRICT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
10	XIV	A. R. P. 3 3 20	£ s. d. 10 0 0	£ s. d. 0 4 0

Open, flat land of fair quality. Good building-site. Water could be obtained by sinking. Situated at the head of Lake Wakatipu, about thirty miles from Queenstown.

E. H. WILMOT,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale or Selection.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 4th February, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are offered for sale or selection under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 25th day of March, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—HOKIANGA COUNTY.—WHANGAPE SURVEY 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.*

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
11   VIII	185 3 0	560 0 0	14 0 0	11 4 0

Altitude, 30 ft. to 450 ft. above sea-level. About half river-flat, balance undulating to hilly. About 20 acres fern and manuka; balance medium to heavy mixed forest comprising kahikatea, rimu, rata, totara, tawa, taraire, tanekaha, kohekohe, rewarewa, &c., with thick undergrowth of kohutuhutu, mahoe, koihere, nikau, punga, kiekie, supplejack, toikiwi, &c. Soil alluvial and rubbly loam, of good quality, on sandstone formation; well watered by streams. Situated about ten miles from Whangape—five miles by tidal water, balance by 10 ft. formed road and rough track.

*Second-class Land.*

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
10   VIII	203 0 29	210 0 0	5 5 0	4 4 0

Altitude, 30 ft. to 450 ft. above sea-level. Level to hilly land; about half mixed forest comprising kahikatea, rimu, rata, totara, tawa, taraire, tanekaha, kohekohe, rewarewa, &c., with thick undergrowth of kohutuhutu, mahoe, koihere, nikau, punga, kiekie, supplejack, toikiwi, &c.; balance burnt kauri-workings, manuka, and fern. Soil a sandy clay and clay, of fair quality, on sandstone formation; well watered by Rotokakahi and small streams. Situated nine miles and a half from Whangape—five miles by tidal water, balance 10 ft. formed road and rough track.

	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
9   VIII	192 2 0	180 0	4 10	3 12 0

Altitude, 30 ft. to 600 ft. above sea-level. About 40 acres flat, balance hilly to broken land. About 40 acres mixed forest comprising rimu, rata, totara, towai, tawa, taraire, rewarewa, kohekohe, &c., with thick undergrowth of kohutuhutu, koihere, mahoe, punga, nikau, supplejack, kiekie, &c.; balance of section burnt kauri-workings, now in manuka, fern, and toikiwi. Soil clayey loam and clay on sandstone formation; well watered by stream. Situated about six miles and a half from Whangape—five miles by tidal water, balance 10 ft. formed road.

8A   VIII	175 0 0	400 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0
8B   VIII	173 1 24	390 0 0	9 15 0	7 16 0

Altitude, 50 ft. to 250 ft. above sea-level. Fairly level and undulating country, covered with heavy mixed forest comprising rimu, rata, tawa, kahikatea, pukatea, taraire, mahoe, towai, with heavy undergrowth of nikau, supplejack, and small ferns. Soil of first-class quality on sandstone formation; fairly well watered by streams and river. Situated about six miles and a half from Whangape, five miles of which is by tidal water, balance 10 ft. formed road. Section 8B has also access from Whakarapa, ten miles, eight miles of which is by formed road, balance Native track.

H. M. SKEET,  
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	Whangamoa .. ..	A. R. P. 50 0 0

F. A. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Hawke's Bay Land District for Disposal under Section 326 of the Land Act, 1908.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Napier, 17th December, 1912.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned Crown lands will be disposed of by public auction on Friday, the 21st day of March, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.	Upset Price.
2	XI	Opoiti ..	A. R. P. 150 1 15	£ s. d. 190 0 0
5	VIII	Pohui ..	50 2 0	90 0 0

R. T. SADD,  
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.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

*Notice of Adoption under Part IX of the Native Land Act, 1909.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

IT is hereby notified that an order of adoption, as set out in the Schedule hereunder, has been made by the Native Land Court, under the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1909.

E. A. WELCH,  
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

Adopting Parent.	Adopted Children.	Date of Order.
Te Rina Hoani	Te Kawaurukuroa Hanita and Muacetangata Hanita	9th October, 1911.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Auckland.*

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 10th February, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Auckland on the 27th day of February, 1913, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Auckland, 1913-13.]

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
57	Tata te Aho (James Hally) .. .. .	Au-o-Waikato A 2b.
58	Te Kerenga Rangiwarea and Hauti Tahatika James Hally) .. .. .	" A 2c.
59	Paora Tiunga .. .. .	Kopuraruwai 3c, Section 1.
60	Rhipeti Patawhira .. .. .	Onewhero, Lot 78.
61	Mamae te Kata (James Hally) .. .. .	Pakarau Pa B 2.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Hastings.*

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 11th February, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Hastings on the 26th day of February, 1913, to hear and determine the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Wellington, 1913-4.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.		
1	Mere Kirita and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Te Aute No. 4a.
2	Rangi Parahi .. .. .	Te Awaateatua No. 7.
3	Hera te Rori (by her solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	" No. 2.
4	Raniera te Huango, trustee for Te Rangi Hone (by his solicitor, T. W. Lewis) .. .. .	Hikutoto South No. 1.
5	Tutura Hamana and others .. .. .	Ipuotaraia No. 1.
6	Henare Matua (by his solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	" No. 2.
7	Ani Matenga and another (by their solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	" No. 4c.
8	Raniera Erihana, for Kataraina Hokomata .. .. .	Kakirawa No. 2.
9	Horomona Koko (by his solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Kakirawa 2B No. 2v.
10	Joseph Satterthwaite (by his solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Karamu B.
11	Paerikiriki Otene (by his solicitor, T. W. Lewis) .. .. .	" A Y.
12	Rangi Parahi .. .. .	Korongata Rahui.
13	Wiremu Tutere .. .. .	Mangaorapa.
14	Hirani Ahitana .. .. .	Mangaorapa No. 1.
15	Remuera Hemi te Urupu (by his solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Mangareia.
16	A. E. Simson (by her solicitor, T. W. Lewis) .. .. .	Mangatainoka 1A No. 1 East.
17	Morehu Te Hira and Raniera te Huango (by their solicitor, T. W. Lewis) .. .. .	Matahiwi No. 1.
18	Raniera Erihana (for Warihia Ihukino and Te Paea Tiaho) .. .. .	Moteo.
19	Noho Apirana and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Ngatarawa 2c No. 1.
20	Wi Hakuwai (by his solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	" 2E No. 2.
21	Warihia Ihukino and another (by their solicitor, T. W. Lewis) .. .. .	Omahaki A.
22	Ahera Hohepa (by his solicitor, E. J. W. Hallett) .. .. .	Omahu 1B No. 2.
23	Eru Mete and another .. .. .	" 3C B No. 2.
24	E. R. Broughton (agent for the applicant) .. .. .	" No. 4A.
25	Raniera Erihana, for Rahira Karaka .. .. .	" No. 4C.
26	Wi Hakuwai (by his agent, E. R. Broughton) .. .. .	" No. 2B.
27	(Paerikiriki Otene and another (by their solicitor, T. W. Lewis) .. .. .	" No. 3C B.
28	Ratana Whataupoko .. .. .	Otarata No. 2A.
29	Rehu Matiu .. .. .	Otawhao A No. 4, Subdivisions 4 and 5.
30	Noho Apirana and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Otuarumia C No. 2A.
31	Mere Pori (by her solicitor, T. W. Lewis) .. .. .	Patangata No. 2F.
32	Penamene (by his solicitor, E. J. W. Hallett) .. .. .	" No. 3B.
33	Raniera Erihana, for Warihia Ihukino and Te Paea Tiaho .. .. .	Pirau No. 2.
34	Rupuha te Hianga (by his solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Porangahau 1B No. 4c.
35	Hori Tupaea .. .. .	Poukawa No. 1.
36	Te Rangi Tohitu .. .. .	Pukekura West.
37	Urupene Puhara (by his solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Pukerowhitu No. 2.
38	Tiria Hori .. .. .	Rakautatahi No. 1F.
39	Eketere Rautahi and others (by their solicitors, Fitzherbert and Robertshawe) .. .. .	Tahoraiti No. 1A.
40	Fitzherbert and Robertshawe (on behalf of Miriama Heketa and another) .. .. .	" No. 1E.
41	Hare Pine Takirirangi .. .. .	" No. 1H.
42	Te Mana Tawhai and others .. .. .	" No. 2K.
43	Piripi Maki (for Riria Waipu) .. .. .	Tikokino Nos. 13, 15, 16, and 17.
44	Atarete te Kore and another (by their solicitors, Cotterill and Humphries) .. .. .	" No. 15A.
45	Cotterill and Humphries (solicitors for Manahi Pukerua) .. .. .	No. 15B.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS—*continued.*

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
<b>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS—<i>continued.</i></b>		
46	Matana Eriha (on behalf of Hoera Rangiwhakaewa .. .. .)	Tiratu.
47	Pirihira (by her agent, Te Whatuiapiti) .. .. .	"
48	Findlay, Dalziell, and Co. (agents on behalf of Cotterill and Humphries, solicitors for Rupuha te Hianga and another)	Waikopiro 3B No. 2A.
49	Ditto .. .. .	" 3B No. 2c.
50	Urupene Puhara and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Waitapuke.
51	Meri Kirita .. .. .	Whakawiringa.
52	Nepata Kuare .. .. .	Wharerangi No. 8.
53	Rangi Parahi .. .. .	Whenuakura No. 8.
54	" .. .. .	" Nos. 8 and 11.
<b>NEW APPLICATIONS.</b>		
55	Tuahine Renata (by his solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Te Apiti No. 2D.
56	" .. .. .	" No. 2E.
57	Kaninamu Hona and others .. .. .	Eparaima H No. 1.
58	Tuahine Renata (by his solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Kairakau No. 2.
59	Hine Tauraraia .. .. .	Karamu B.
60	John T. Blake and another (by their solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Ngatarawa 2E No. 2.
61	Tirita Haukore and another (by their solicitors, Cotterill and Humphries)	Omahu 1B No. 1.
62	Mary Groome (by her solicitor, T. W. Lewis) .. .. .	Otarata No. 2F.
63	Rihimona te Ngaero and others .. .. .	Otawhao A 3, Section 48.
64	Hami Whakahoia and another (by their solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Otuarumia B 6A, Section 4.
65	G. P. Donnelly and others (by their solicitor, T. W. Lewis) .. .. .	" A No. 2B.
66	Totaea Paraone and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	" B 6A, Section 5B.
67	Hori Tupaea and another (by their solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Paeroa.
68	Ahitana Topi and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Patangata No. 1.
69	" .. .. .	" No. 4.
70	Urupene Puhara (by his solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Pukerowhitu No. 2.
71	Ngamihi Tuhoha and another .. .. .	Puninga No. 4B.
72	Tamahine Tangitangi and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Raukawa No. 2.
73	Manahi Paewai and others (by their agent, L. Peeti) .. .. .	Tahoraiti No. 1H.
74	Ahitana Topi and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Tapairu No. 4.
75	Morehu Turoa (by her solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	Waipuka 2G No. 4.
76	Nereta Paraone (by her solicitor, D. Scannell) .. .. .	" 3B No. 1A.
77	Warhia Ihukino and another .. .. .	Wharerangi No. 2.
78	Tirita Haukore and another (by their solicitors, Cotterill and Humphries)	" No. 8.

## APPLICATIONS FOR DEFINITION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
157	Hata Kani and others .. .. .	Arapawanui.
158	" .. .. .	"
159	" .. .. .	"
160	Apirana Tukotahi .. .. .	"
161	Rihi te Awa and others .. .. .	Heruotureia.
162	" .. .. .	"
163	" .. .. .	Te Kuta.
164	" .. .. .	"
165	Hata te Kani and others .. .. .	"
166	Apirana Tukotahi and another .. .. .	Pakuratahi.
167	Apirana Tukotahi .. .. .	Purahotangihia.
168	Rihi te Awa and others .. .. .	Taraoteruahina.
169	" .. .. .	"
170	" .. .. .	Tutira.
171	Apirana Tukotahi .. .. .	"
172	Rihi te Awa and others .. .. .	Waowaototara.
173	" .. .. .	"
174	" .. .. .	Purahotangihia.
175	Iraia Karauria and another (by their solicitor, T. W. Lewis) .. .. .	Pukahu.

## APPLICATIONS FOR EXCHANGES OF LAND.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
176	{ Mepera Makuaierangi Erihana .. .. .	Waipuka 3c No. 2b, Section 3.
	{ Horiana Turoa Mataira .. .. .	Poukawa No. 3 and Poukawa Lake.
177	{ William Kinross White .. .. .	Te Aute 2A No. 2B, Section 1.
	{ Hori Tupaea and Ehau Tupaea .. .. .	Paeroa.
178	{ Merehana Erihia .. .. .	Poukawa Lake.
	{ Mepera Makuaierangi Erihana .. .. .	Waipuka 3c No. 2b, Section 3.
179	{ Harata te Kuru and Hemi Kireka Rapaea .. .. .	Mangamairi B No. 12.
	{ Arapata te Kuru and Hoani te Kuru .. .. .	" B No. 13.
	{ Harata te Kuru, Hemi Kireka Rapaea, Arapata te Kuru, and Hoani te Kuru	Porangahau 1B No. 40, Sections 1, 2, and 3.



APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
180	Rochfort and Son, Surveyors, Napier	Patangata 4A, Section 1 .. ..	£ s. d. 10 15 7
		" 4A, Section 6 .. ..	10 0 0
181	The Chief Surveyor, Napier	Te Aute 2A No. 2B, Section 2A .. ..	4 6 2
		" 2A No. 2B, Section 2B .. ..	4 6 2
		" 2A No. 2B, Section 2C .. ..	4 6 2
182	" "	Hikutoto South No. 3A .. ..	4 6 0
183	" "	Ipuotaraia No. 2C .. ..	11 18 0
		Ipuotaraia No. 4A .. ..	2 3 2
		" No. 4B .. ..	4 6 8
184	" "	" No. 4C .. ..	3 4 3
		" No. 4D .. ..	3 6 3
		" No. 4E .. ..	3 9 3
		" No. 4F .. ..	3 0 2
		Kakewahine No. 2A .. ..	12 4 2
		" No. 2B .. ..	9 12 9
185	" "	" No. 2C .. ..	1 8 0
		" No. 2D .. ..	4 7 1
		" No. 2E .. ..	2 3 7
		" No. 2F .. ..	2 3 7
		Kakiraawa 2B No. 2A .. ..	0 7 1
		" 2B No. 2B .. ..	0 3 1
		" 2B No. 2C .. ..	0 7 7
		" 2B No. 2D .. ..	0 8 2
		" 2B No. 2E .. ..	0 6 9
		" 2B No. 2F .. ..	1 6 9
		" 2B No. 2G .. ..	0 7 11
		" 2B No. 2H .. ..	0 9 4
		" 2B No. 2J .. ..	0 13 1
186	" "	" 2B No. 2K .. ..	0 10 6
		" 2B No. 2L .. ..	1 13 1
		" 2B No. 2M .. ..	1 1 3
		" 2B No. 2N .. ..	9 9 2
		" 2B No. 2O .. ..	5 7 8
		" 2B No. 2P .. ..	10 2 5
		" 2B No. 2Q .. ..	2 13 6
		" 2B No. 2R .. ..	4 13 10
		" 2B No. 2S .. ..	12 7 3
		" 2B No. 2U .. ..	4 15 8
		" 2B No. 2W .. ..	8 16 1
		" 2B No. 3 .. ..	0 6 3
187	" "	Mangangarara No. 2A .. ..	53 6 10
		" No. 2B .. ..	53 6 11
		Ngatarawa 1A No. 3A .. ..	16 11 10
		" 1A No. 3B .. ..	5 12 5
188	" "	" 1A No. 3C .. ..	5 9 8
		" 2A No. 3A .. ..	1 14 5
		" 2A No. 3B .. ..	3 14 2
189	" "	Otawhao A No. 50A .. ..	4 19 9
		Poukawa No. 2A .. ..	6 15 9
190	" "	" No. 2B .. ..	8 5 8
		" No. 2C .. ..	8 18 4
		" No. 2D .. ..	4 17 5
		Tapairu No. 16A .. ..	6 3 8
191	" "	" No. 16B .. ..	1 11 7
		" No. 16C .. ..	1 11 11
		" No. 16D .. ..	3 2 10
192	" "	Tikokino No. 14A .. ..	15 15 0
		Waikopiro 2B No. 2A .. ..	20 1 6
193	" "	" 2B No. 2B .. ..	19 7 9
		" 2B No. 2C .. ..	29 5 2
		Waipuka 3A No. 1A .. ..	1 14 5
194	" "	" 3A No. 1B .. ..	24 17 5
		" 3A No. 1C .. ..	23 6 11
		Whawhakanga A No. 1 .. ..	2 13 3
195	" "	" C No. 2 .. ..	9 7 6
		" E .. ..	0 5 6
		" F .. ..	79 4 4

APPLICATIONS FOR ORDERS OF THE COURT DIRECTING THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE TO PAY OUT CERTAIN MONEYS HELD BY HIM.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
207	Raniera te Huango	Tikokino No. 1	Application under section 29 of the Naive Land Act, 1909, for an order directing the Public Trustee to pay to him the sum of £79 0s. 6d., as trustee for Te Rangī Hone.
208	Raniera te Huango (by his solicitor, T. W. Lewis)		Ditto.



## APPLICATIONS FOR ORDERS OF THE COURT DIRECTING THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE TO PAY OUT CERTAIN MONEYS HELD BY HIM

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
217	Hemara te Whetu .. ..	Aorangi 3G 2C.. ..	Applying under section 184 of the Native Land Act, 1909, for an order directing the Public Trustee to pay him, as trustee for Ani Ratima, Teo Rangatira, and Wehe te Tue, the sum of £52, being portion of the purchase-money for the block.
218	A. W. Bishop .. ..	Waitutuma .. ..	Applying under section 29 of the Native Land Act, 1909, for an order directing the Public Trustee to pay to him, for services rendered, the sum of £35 out of the £500 held by him on behalf of Ahitana Matenga.

## APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Person under Disability.
219	Kawana Tamati and others (by their solicitor, A. M. Salek)	Puketotara Nos. 334 and 335, Section 3A	Kawana Tamati, Te Panau Tamati, and Hine Taepa.
220	Ditto .. ..	Puketotara Nos. 334 and 335, Section 3B No. 1	Ditto.
221	" .. ..	Puketotara Nos. 334 and 335, Section 3B No. 2A	"
222	" .. ..	Puketotara Nos. 334 and 335, Section 3B No. 2B	"
223	The Public Trustee .. ..	Ruanui No. 1, Ngaurekehu A No. 3, Raketapauma No. 1H, and Iwitekai B No. 1	Rapera Waiata.

## MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

*Sitting of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board at Rotorua.*

Waiariki Maori Land Board Office, Rotorua, 7th February, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board will be held at Rotorua on the 25th day of February, 1913, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, to hear and determine the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by me, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

JAS. W. BROWNE, President.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS UNDER SECTION 218 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Application.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.					
1	1912/119	Transfer .. ..	.. ..	Rangitaiki 1A, Section 5	Hunia Tarewa and others to Mary Reid.
2	1912/131	Lease .. ..	.. ..	Tarewa No. 10 .. ..	Ekana Tiaki and others to J. H. Taylor.
3	1912/132	Transfer .. ..	.. ..	Owhatiura South No. 4, Section 2B	Te Wiremu Matene and others to J. H. Taylor.
4	1912/216	" .. ..	22 July, 1912 .. ..	Kaitao-Rotohokahoka No. 1E	Kepa Ehau and others to George French and Patrick Joseph MacLoughlin.
5	1912/233	Lease .. ..	13 ,, 1912 .. ..	Lot 60A No. 2A, Parish of Rangitaiki	Makuini Te Tau and others to Tame Ngaheu.
6	1912/237	Transfer .. ..	7 June, 1912 .. ..	Town of Richmond, Lot 100	Te Hoepo Ngarepo and Huka Ngarepo to Harry William Burt.
7	1912/239	" .. ..	.. ..	Rangatira No. 5 .. ..	Kahui te Kerehi to Thomas Balfour Noble.
8	1912/296	Lease .. ..	30 ,, 1911 .. ..	Section 1, Block VII, and Section 1, Block IV (part), Waihi South Survey District	Parehamoa Taraipine and Te Aopango Taraipine to Thomas Hannon (Rhodes, Hampson, and Buddle).
9	1912/297	Sale .. ..	22 April, 1912 .. ..	Rotoiti No. 4 (part) .. ..	Te Marearea and Te Kaiatotea to William Boyle Bennett and George Urquhart (George Urquhart).
10	1912/302	Transfer .. ..	13 May, 1912, and 22 June, 1912	Ngatipahiko B No. 3C No. 7	Heketua Pikoko and Keita Pikoko to Henry Albert Alexander (Hill and Fleming).
11	1912/349	Lease .. ..	4 November, 1912	Rotoiti No. 4 (part) .. ..	The Proprietors to Mita Makiha and Kerei Hori Taiawhio (W. A. Carter).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS UNDER SECTION 218 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Application.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
<i>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS—continued.</i>					
12	1912/353	Lease ..	15 November 1912 ..	Lot 30c No. 6, Parish of Rangitaiki	Herewini Waata to William Phillips (W. A. Carter).
13	1912/354	„ ..	12 October, 1912 ..	Tahora No. 2A E 1, Section 2	Paruru Tamaikoha and others to Frederick Ansel Tiffen (George Urquhart).
14	1912/356	„ ..	19 „ 1912 ..	Okere No. 1 and Kaitao Rotohokahoka 3c 4	Morehu Raina to John Herbert Hankins (George Urquhart).
15	1912/357	Deed of settlement	12 „ 1912 ..	Ditto ..	Ditto.
16	1912/359	Ditto ..	16 „ 1912 ..	Section 129, Parish of Matata	Te Whai Warbrick and another to David Harold Potter (R. M. Tolhurst).
17	1912/361	Transfer ..	„ ..	Kawaha No. 5N No. 3c	Te Wiremu Matene and Wirimena te Rangikino to Meri Meremena (George Urquhart).
18	1912/364	Sale ..	„ ..	Rangitaiki, Lot 1A No. 1	Ema Himone and others to Mary Reid (Rhodes and Hampson).
19	1912/365	„ ..	„ ..	„ Lot 1A No. 2	Hoha Hemara and others to Mary Reid (Rhodes and Hampson).
20	1912/366	„ ..	„ ..	„ Lot 1A No. 3	Aukaka Pene Rangitikei and others to Mary Reid (Rhodes and Hampson).
21	1912/367	„ ..	„ ..	„ Lot 1A No. 5	Erueti Matutaera and others to Mary Reid (Rhodes and Hampson).
<i>NEW APPLICATIONS.</i>					
22	1912/374	Transfer ..	7 December, 1912 ..	Whakapoungakau 1B, Section 31.	Hohepa te Rake and others to William Henry Smith (Rhodes and Hampson).
23	1912/375	„ ..	7 „ 1912 ..	Kaitao Rotohokahoka No. 1x.	Anaha te Rahui and others to John Stewart (Rhodes and Hampson).
24	1912/376	Lease ..	6 „ 1912 ..	Kaitao Rotohokahoka No. 2d (part)	Pua Raharuhi and another to William Ewart Gladstone Hudson-Hobden (George Urquhart).
25	1912/381	Transfer ..	14 „ 1912 ..	Taheke Papakainga No. 1 (part).	Kiri Timotuha and another to Frederick Earl (Rhodes and Hampson).
26	1912/382	„ ..	16 „ 1912 ..	Rauotehuia B No. 2B1 ..	Ropata Kereti and another to Robert King (Rhodes and Hampson).
27	1913/1	„ ..	23 „ 1912 ..	Waotu North No. 2j No. 1	Manahi te Rauawa and others to Isabella Barnett (Rhodes and Hampson).
28	1913/6	„ ..	15 July, 1912 ..	Lot 284, Parish of Waio-tahi	Arihia Takurua to R. T. Abbott (Rhodes and Hampson).
29	1913/8	„ ..	19 December, 1912 ..	Kawaha No. 5N No. 3c ..	Te Wiremu Matene to Meri Meremena (George Urquhart).
30	1913/9	„ ..	9 January, 1913 ..	Rotohokahoka D South No. 1	Ngapuia and others to Thomas William Hughes (George Urquhart).
31	1913/10	„ ..	11 „ 1913 ..	Kawaha No. 5N No. 3A No. 3	Tukau Henare Mete to Horbert Ross McDonald (George Urquhart).
32	1913/11	„ ..	10 „ 1913 ..	Kawaha No. 1c ..	Henare Werahiko and others to Mere Meremena (George Urquhart).
33	1913/14	„ ..	6 December, 1912 ..	Matanuku No. 2B No. 2..	Tamihana Tungahoa and others to Walter George Barnett and Thomas Jones (Earl and Kent).
34	1913/17	Lease ..	„ ..	Section 1, Block 7, and Section 1, Block 4, Waihi South S.D. (part)	Te Porarere and others to Thomas Hannon (Rhodes, Hampson, and Buddle).
35	1913/25	Transfer ..	17 September, 1912 ..	Pakuri ..	Rira Ihaka to Herman B. Coupe (Rhodes and Hampson).
36	1913/26	Lease ..	5 February, 1913 ..	Kokohinau No. 3s ..	Huhana te Herewaka to Hori Pawa (T. J. Fleming).
37	1913/27	Transfer ..	22 January, 1913 ..	Maungarangi B No. 1N ..	Te Kura Wharepohue and another to Thomas Hawkins Smith (Hill and Fleming).
38	1913/28	„ ..	25 October, 1913 ..	„ B No. 1E ..	Mereana Ngaamo and another to Thomas Hawkins Smith (Hill and Fleming).
39	1913/29	„ ..	28 January, 1913 ..	„ B No. 1H ..	Te Rata te Kura and another to Thomas Hawkins Smith (Hill and Fleming).
40	1913/30	„ ..	22 „ 1913 ..	„ B No. 6A ..	Paora Paruhi and another to Thomas Hawkins Smith (Hill and Fleming).

## APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS UNDER SECTION 218 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909—continued.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Application.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
NEW APPLICATIONS—continued.					
41	1913/32	Lease ..	..	Oruanui A ..	Erueti Tarakainga to Sidney Robert Palmer and others (Rhodes and Hampson).
42	1913/33	" ..	..	" B ..	Wiremu Warena to Sidney Robert Palmer and others (Rhodes and Hampson).
43	1913/34	Transfer ..	26 November, 1912 ..	Kaitao Rotohokahoka No. 1B No. 4	Kepa Ehu and others to John McDowell (Rhodes and Hampson).
44	1913/35	" ..	26 " 1912 ..	Ditto No. 1B No. 3 ..	Ihohepa te [Rahui] to John McDowell (Rhodes and Hampson).
45	1913/36	" ..	..	Kawaha No. 5N No. 3A No. 1	Mere te Wehi Amohau to Meri Meremana (George Urquhart).
46	1913/37	" ..	5 February, 1913 ..	Kaitao Rotohokahoka No. 1v	Kirimatao Pahiriko and others to Lionel Wilfred Hughes (George Urquhart).
47	1913/38	" ..	9 December, 1912 ..	Kaitao Rotohokahoka 3F No. 1	Ngatipehi Ngahana to Thomas William Hughes (George Urquhart).
48	1913/39	" ..	..	Ditto 1J No. 1B ..	Renati Rangihonohono and another to Caroline Newton Lee and Alice Rachel Lewis (George Urquhart).
49	1913/40	" ..	20 December, 1912 ..	Kawaha No. 5N No. 3E..	Wiki Pokaihau and another to Meri Meremana (George Urquhart).
50	1913/41	" ..	16 January, 1913 ..	Kaitao Rotohokahoka 1J No. 2	Taiporutu te Mapu and another to Thomas William Hughes (George Urquhart).
51	1913/42	" ..	17 " 1913 ..	Rotohokahoka D South No. 4 ..	Mereana Wikiriwhi te Thomas William Hughes (George Urquhart).
52	1913/43	" ..	13 December, 1912 ..	Ditto No. 10B ..	Ngatipehi Ngahana and another to Thomas William Hughes (George Urquhart).
53	1913/44	" ..	13 " 1912 ..	Ditto No. 10A ..	Ngawaka Ieni and another to Thomas William Hughes (George Urquhart).
54	1913/45	" ..	9 " 1912 ..	Kaitao Rotohokahoka No. 3H	Tiakiawa Tahuri and others to Philip Newman (George Urquhart).
55	1913/46	" ..	1 February, 1913 ..	Waitepuia No. 4 ..	Eruera Karaka and others to Ethel Ann Kelly (O. J. Hodge).
56	1913/47	Lease ..	..	Lot 29J Rangitaiki ..	Hataraka Kerekaha and others to Manuhiri Tiaki.
57	1913/50	" ..	16 December, 1912 ..	Ngatipahiko B No. 3C No. 12	Ngatoko Aperahama to John Anderson Brown.

## APPLICATION TO RECOMMEND THE HON. THE NATIVE MINISTER TO CONSENT TO ALIENATION UNDER SECTION 298 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATION.				
58	1912/333	Lease ..	Matata, Lot 72B No. 3G	Huhana te Herewaka to Albert John Rhodes (Rhodes and Hampson).

## Meeting of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board.

Gisborne, 8th February, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board to be held at Gisborne on Tuesday, the 4th day of March, 1913, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

It is hereby notified, for the general information of parties, that, unless reason is shown to the contrary, the Board will dismiss, on the ground of non-prosecution, any of the applications hereinafter referred to as "Adjourned Applications" which are not brought on for consideration at the meeting.

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E. N. JONES, President.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF LEASES.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Maori Lessor.	Term of Lease.	Area proposed to be leased.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.						
1	276	Peacocke and Co. (Limited) (Nolan and Skeet)	Hauomatuku No. 8B..	John Morris and William Morris	3	15 0 0
2	284	Charles Wellwood Reeves (Nolan and Skeet)	Kourateuhi 1c 3 and 1c4	Ereti Amaru and others ..	10	21 2 16
3	1911/244	Henare McClutchie (de Lautour, Barker, and Co.)	Mangawhariki No. 1..	Henry McClutchey and others	21	..
4	1911/245	Eru Kemara (de Lautour, Barker, and Co.)	.. No. 1..	Wiremu Kingi Hauraki and others	21	..
5	1911/248	Keti Makinare (de Lautour, Barker, and Co.)	.. No. 1..	Ihipera Makinare and others	21	..
6	1911/249	Makere Wahanui (Nolan and Skeet)	.. No. 1..	Erueti Tarakihi and others	21	..
7	1911/250	Were Warihi (Nolan and Skeet)	.. No. 1..	Hemi te Rapu and others..	21	..
8	1911/246	Benjamin McClutchie (de Lau- tour, Barker, and Co.)	.. No. 2..	Hanara Tautuhi and others	21	..
9	1911/251	Ruira Travers and Hirini Tuae- hine (Nolan and Skeet)	.. No. 2..	Hemora Moana and others	21	..
10	1911/252	Ruira Travers and Ruta Tangi- tati (Nolan and Skeet)	.. No. 3..	Hemi Whakarara and others	21	..
11	1911/253	Materoa Reedy (Nolan and Skeet)	.. No. 7..	Eruera Moeke and others..	21	..
12	1911/254	Piniha Tamaauahi (Nolan and Skeet)	.. No. 7..	Keepa Wharekura and others	21	..
13	1911/255	Hirini Tuahine and Horomona Kerehi (Nolan and Skeet)	.. No. 7..	Riwai Toma and others ..	21	..
14	1911/198	Renata Ngata (Nolan and Skeet)	Marangairoa No. 2B ..	Heni Morete and others ..	42	490 0 0
15	1910/17	George Gillespie Boyd (Nolan and Skeet)	Omaewa 1c 2 ..	Raana Haenga and others	30	2 2 16
16	240	Edward Currie (J. H. Kane) ..	Paokahu 3c ..	Tangaroa Ruru and others	21	58 2 0
17	1911/163	Audley Cowper Wood (Nolan and Skeet)	Wharekahika ..	Hori Mahue and others ..	21	2,000 0 0
18	1911/164	Violet Wood (Nolan and Skeet)	.. ..	Waiheke Tureia and others	21	2,000 0 0
19	1911/165	Arthur William Henderson (Nolan and Skeet)	.. ..	Manahi Parapara and others	21	2,000 0 0
20	1911/174	Charles Ernest Tylden (Nolan and Skeet)	.. ..	Hare Kapakapa and others	21	1,200 0 0
21	1911/200	George Henry Maddox (Nolan and Skeet)	.. ..	Himiona Apanui and others	21	1,200 0 0
22	36	Sadie Jane Pasley (Nolan and Skeet)	.. ..	Paora Totoro and others ..	21	2,000 0 0
23	37	Gilbert Kennedy Pasley (Nolan and Skeet)	.. ..	Potene Tuhivai and others	21	2,000 0 0
24	1911/182	Brian Gerald Mahoney and Re- weti Kohere (de Lautour, Barker, and Co.)	.. ..	Henare Ahuriri and others	21	2,000 0 0
25	241	Ditto ..	.. ..	Riwai Rangihuna and others	21	2,000 0 0
26	1911/273	Roka Tiereti (de Lautour, Barker, and Co.)	.. ..	Watene te Akau and others	21	1,200 0 0
27	1911/341	Mabel Marshall (de Lautour, Barker, and Co.)	.. ..	Turuhira Tuhivai and others	21	..
28	317	William Andrew Martin (H. Hei)	.. ..	Manahi Parapara and others	21	600 0 0
29	318	" ..	.. ..	Ihaka Takaroki and others	21	750 0 0
30	319	Eru Kara (H. Hei) ..	Whareongaonga C 3 ..	Rawhira Hohepa ..	21	12 2 0
31	234	Wi Kaipuke and Roha Matutaera (Chrisp and Coleman)	.. C 4 ..	Hirini Kemara and others	21	550 0 0
32	208	Hector Bruce McAra (Rees Bros. and Bright)	.. C 7 ..	Tiaki Pohatu and Renata Pohatu	42	17 0 0
33	1911/197	George Easterbrooke (H. J. Finn)	Whareongaonga C 12 No. 1	Tiripa Puku ..	27	21 2 16
NEW APPLICATIONS.						
34	419	Mita Hamiora and Whakahoro Ratapu (Hei and Dawson)	Hangaroa-Matawai B4	Proprietors of Hangaroa- Matawai B 4	21	2,988 0 0
35	415	Stewart Crarer (Nolan and Skeet)	Te Rewa No. 2 ..	Miria Hoepo and others ..	16	28 1 13
36	392	Joseph Edward Daulton, Wil- liam Charles Daulton, and George Michael Daulton (de Lautour, Barker, and Co.)	Te Ruaohinetu No. 2c	Heni Kara or Materoa ..	21	1 0 0
37	390	James Henry Roberts (Nolan and Skeet)	Tutaekuri 1c No. 8 ..	Hiria Kopu and Ritihana Kopu	21	556 2 0
38	403	Poverty Bay Golf Club (Nolan and Skeet)	Waiohiorore A, B, and C (part)	Wetini Rikirangi and others	10	128 1 33
39	391	Roka Tiereti (de Lautour, Barker, and Co.)	Wharekahika ..	Te Pare Pariohe and others	21	..

## APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATION (OTHER THAN LEASE).

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
<b>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.</b>					
40	99	Transfer ..	12 March, 1912 ..	Kahaatureia 2A ..	Ema Mete to Myra Powdrell (Nolan and Skeet).
41	367	Mortgage ..	20 November, 1912 ..	Kaiti Nos. 106 and 131	Celia Kathleen McKay to Gisborne Permanent Land, Building, and Mutual Investment Society (Chrisp and Coleman).
42	156	Transfer ..	15 May, 1912 ..	Kauhauroa 4D ..	Pamariki Kaiora and Ramari Kaiora to Edward Daniel Oldham (Nolan and Skeet).
43	286	" ..	24 August, 1912 ..	Mangaone 2A 6 ..	Mini Keita to Samuel Kirkpatrick (Chrisp and Coleman).
44	1911/278	" ..	8 September, 1911 ..	Manukawhitikitiki A 1 ..	Merihi Ngore to Frederick Thomas Hall (Nolan and Skeet).
45	1911/279	" ..	4 " 1911 ..	" A 1 ..	Horiana Tupeka to Frederick Thomas Hall (Nolan and Skeet).
46	1911/93	" ..	18 March, 1911 ..	Moutere No. 2, Subdivision 2	Te Peka and others to George Edward Ormond (Nolan and Skeet).
47	1911/94	" ..	30 " 1911 ..	Moutere No. 2, Subdivision 3	Tika Otene to George Edward Ormond (Nolan and Skeet).
48	1911/95	" ..	18 " 1911 ..	Ditto ..	Hori Teihi and others to George Edward Ormond (Nolan and Skeet).
49	345	" ..	26 August, 1912 ..	Ngaruetepe 3B 1 ..	Wairakau to Arthur William Hague (Chrisp and Coleman).
50	1911/280	" ..	29 May, 1911 ..	Nukutaurua 2D ..	Mohi Tuamotu and others to George Edward Ormond (Nolan and Skeet).
51	191	" ..	17 June, 1912 ..	Opoho No. 3B ..	Mana Mete and others to Mary Vaughan (de Lautour, Barker, and Co.).
52	1911/322	" ..	8 April, 1911 ..	Orangitirohia 7C ..	William Downs and others to Phillip Henry Summerfield (Sandeman and Lynch).
53	186	" ..	20 " 1912 ..	" 12E 7 ..	Horiana Nohoroa, <i>alias</i> Nohoroa Taura, to Arthur Robert Falconer (A. R. Falconer).
54	231	" ..	25 July, 1912 ..	Papakorokoro 2A 2 ..	Mihi te Oarini Maukau to David Alexander Kirkpatrick (Chrisp and Coleman).
55	148	" ..	10 February, 1912 ..	Pouawa No. 3A ..	Rutene Takina and others to Ralph Manley Gore (Nolan and Skeet).
56	16	" ..	18 January, 1911 ..	Pourewa Island ..	Tiopira Tahoro and others to Jessie Edith Loisel (Nolan and Skeet).
57	1911/109	Mortgage ..	15 March, 1911 ..	Ranginui 3B 1 and Rangai-ohinehau 4B 2	Horiana Matuakore to Henry White (Chrisp and Coleman).
58	364	Transfer ..	20 July, 1912 ..	Rotokautuku 5B ..	Benjamin Cotton Milner to Ralph Kemp (de Lautour, Barker, and Co.).
59	151	" ..	22 November, 1911 ..	Tarewauru A 2F 1 ..	Himiona Tipuna to Margaret Ann Parker (Nolan and Skeet).
60	308	" ..	26 July, 1912 ..	Te Rewa No. 6 ..	Wiremu Kopu and Paea Hineaka to Florence Stuart Hamlin (Nolan and Skeet).
61	173	" ..	14 " 1908 ..	Waiomoko 1B 1 ..	Kamari Kahure and others to Kenneth Campbell (Nolan and Skeet).
62	1911/13	" ..	25 June, 1910 ..	Whakaongaonga 2E ..	Huruhuru Nikora and Oriwia Tipiko to George Henry Lysnar (G. H. Lysnar).
63	266	" ..	17 August, 1912 ..	Whauraurangi 4B ..	Eparaima Hoera to Ganie Carrington (Chrisp and Coleman).
<b>NEW APPLICATIONS</b>					
64	416	Transfer ..	12 December, 1912 ..	Kaiti 207 ..	Himiona Katipa to Reginald Gerard Hallamore (Hei and Dawson).
65	401	" ..	12 " 1912 ..	" 295 ..	Merania Ngarangione and others to William Andrew Martin (Nolan and Skeet).
66	425	" ..	20 " 1912 ..	" 313 2C 2A ..	Wiremu Wharekino and others to Raiha Ferris (Chrisp and Coleman).
67	422	" ..	20 " 1912 ..	" 313 2D 5 ..	Wiremu Wharekino to Raiha Ferris (Chrisp and Coleman).
68	424	" ..	" ..	" 313 2F 2C ..	Haua Takina to Raiha Ferris (Chrisp and Coleman).
69	423	" ..	21 December, 1912 ..	" 313 2F 2E ..	Heta te Kani and Hinehou to Kani to Raiha Ferris (Chrisp and Coleman).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS (OTHER THAN LEASES)—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
NEW APPLICATIONS— <i>continued.</i>					
70	399	Transfer ..	25 January, 1913 ..	Okaunga E 2 ..	Meroana Hone to William Clark (Nolan and Skeet).
71	400	" ..	28 " 1913   ..	" [E 2 ..	Eruera te Kura to William Clark (Nolan and Skeet).
72	411	" ..	4 February, 1913 ..	" F ..	Eruera te Kura to John Clark, jun. (Nolan and Skeet).
73	404	" ..	13 December, 1912 ..	Poutaka No. 5 ..	Pamariki Kaiora and others to Harry Lionel Harker (de Lautour, Barker, and Co.).
74	397	" ..	1 August, 1912 ..	" No. 17 ..	Mikaera Tautahanga, <i>alias</i> Tautahanga Arapata, to Koita Mitira (W. Cooper).
75	417	" ..	24 January, 1913 ..	Puhatikotiko 2A 2 ..	Ani Poaka and others to Whereri Mote (Hei and Dawson).
76	408	" ..	3 February, 1913 ..	Ranginui 3E 3 ..	Rina Rangiroemoana to Jessie Ada Pyke (H. J. Finn).
77	412	" ..	20 November, 1912 ..	Repongaere 4H 2B ..	Marara to Kahukaone to David Peter Cameron (Nolan and Skeet).
78	413	" ..	22 January, 1913 ..	Te Rato 3c 2 ..	Rawhira Kiriuhuru and others to Peta Rawiri (Nolan and Skeet).
79	398	" ..	2 November, 1912 ..	Taringamotuhia No. 1 ..	Eroti Matete and others to Rowi Takataka (Nolan and Skeet).
80	406	" ..	17 July, 1912   ..	Tokomaru K 4B ..	Arapeta to Hau and another to Mary Emily White (Nolan and Skeet).
81	414	" ..	5 February, 1913 ..	Waihua 1c 4 ..	Mini Turetahi and others to Tuharote Pohatu (Nolan and Skeet).
82	396	" ..	14 October, 1912 ..	Waiomoko 1c ..	Rawiri Kahure and others to William Hawker Williams (Kirk, Burnard, and Sievwright).
83	407	" ..	3 February, 1913 ..	Waipapa No. 25 ..	Homi Kiwhi to Ropitini te Kahika (Cooper and Mitchell).
84	426	" ..	31 January, 1913 ..	Waituhi 1B ..	Matenga Mini Kerekere to Rongowhakaata Halbert (Rees Bros. and Bright).
85	418	" ..	27 " 1913 ..	" 2c ..	Tuteari Kingi to Alice Jones (Hei and Dawson).
86	429	" ..	6 September, 1912 ..	Papatu A No. 8 ..	Pita Turangi to Frank Harris (Nolan and Skeet).

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
ADJOURNED APPLICATION.			
87	350	Kaiti 336 ..	That the said land be leased to Patrick James Henry.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
88	410	" 313 2A 3D 5 ..	That the said land be sold to Cornelius Neenan for the sum of £20.
89	409	" 313 2c 2c ..	That the said land be sold to Cornelius Neenan for the sum of £400.
90	421	Kauhauroa 4c ..	1. That the said land be sold to Haami Kaata. 2. That the said land be leased to Haami Kaata.
91	395	Rotokautuku 6x 2 ..	That the said land be leased to Herbert Charles Beach.
92	402	Tutuotekaha No. 2 ..	That the said land be leased to Tiemi Wirihana.
93	428	Waimata South No. 2 ..	That the said land be sold to such person or persons as shall be nominated at the meeting.
94	427	" East No. 2 ..	Ditto.

## APPLICATIONS TO BOARD TO CONFIRM RESOLUTIONS PASSED BY ASSEMBLED OWNERS UNDER PART XVIII.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Resolution.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
95	1911/76	Whareongaonga C 1 ..	That a lease be granted to Herbert Palmerston Bushnell for twenty-one years at 2s. 6d. per acre, and with the right to a renewal for a further twenty-one years or with the right to compensation for improvements.
96	1911/83	" C 5 ..	That a lease be granted to Thomas Bartlett, jun., for twenty-one years at 5 per cent. on the Government value, and with the right to a renewal for a further twenty-one years.
97	1911/73	" C 8 ..	That a lease be granted to Wiremu Karauria for twenty-one years at 2s. per acre, and with the right to a renewal for a further twenty-one years, or with the right to compensation for improvements.
98	1911/80	" C 10 ..	Ditto.
NEW APPLICATION.			
99	108	Rangaiohinehau 4B 1 ..	That the whole block, containing 109 acres 1 rood and 10 perches, be sold to Tiemi Wirihana for the sum of £875.



MISCELLANEOUS APPLICATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Resolution.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
100	114	Puateroku No. 1 .. .. .	That the Board recommend the Governor to consent to the alienation thereof to Amiria Willis under section 330.
101	386	Puninga No. 9 .. .. .	That the Board grant its precedent consent to the transfer of lease from Kepa Wirihana to James Torrie in terms of section 311.
102	385	„ No. 10 .. .. .	Ditto.
103	1911/110	Ranginui 3B 1 and Rangaiohine-hau 4B 2	That the Board recommend the Governor to consent to the alienation thereof to Henry White under section 230.
104	216	Tokomaru B 9E .. .. .	That the Board recommend the Governor to revoke the Order in Council dated the 30th day of August, 1909.
105	317	„ G 2 .. .. .	Ditto.
106	262	Tutuotekaha No. 4 .. .. .	That the Board grant its precedent consent to the transfer of lease from Porikapa Taepa to Henry Storey Hutchison in terms of section 311.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Paengaroa No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Friday, the 7th day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed sale of the timber growing on the said land to Gammons, Tauranga (Limited), shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Lot 589, Parish of Te Papa, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Friday, the 7th day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed sale of the timber growing on the said land to Gammons, Tauranga (Limited) shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Kumi No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Raukokore on Saturday, the 15th day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed sale of part of the said land to James Isaac Cato shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Kumi No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Raukokore on Saturday,

the 15th day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed sale of part of the said land to William Grice Sherrat shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whangaparaoa No. 3B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Raukokore on Saturday, the 15th day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed lease of part of the said land to Thomas Percy Bayntum Ching shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whangaparaoa No. 3B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Raukokore on Saturday, the 15th day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed lease of part of the said land to Charles M. Turell shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whangaparaoa No. 3B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Raukokore on Saturday, the 15th day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed lease of part of the said land to Neil Galbraith shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whangaparaoa No. 3B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Raukokoro on Saturday, the 15th day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed lease of part of the said land to George McGregor shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Okoheriki No. 2c No. 10 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed sale of the timber growing on the said land to Duncan William Steele shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Okoheriki No. 2c No. 12 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed sale of the timber growing on the said land to Duncan William Steele shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Okoheriki No. 2c No. 8 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed sale of the timber growing on the said land to Duncan William Steele shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waerenga East No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu on Monday

the 3rd day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed lease of the said land to Ethel Rose Vaughan shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rotohokahoka D North No. 9 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu on Monday the 3rd day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed sale of the said land to Thomas William Hughes shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangatira No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taupo on Wednesday, the 4th day of February, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed sale of the said land to H. D. Dansey shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of January, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki No. 1A No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 18th day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed sale of the said land to Mary Reid shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waitepua will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Maketu on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed lease of part of the said land to Ethel Anne Kelly shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Wairiki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Pukaingataru B No. 26 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed sale of the said land to Tiawhi Ratete shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Wairiki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Pukaingataru B No. 27 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed sale of the said land to Tiawhi Ratete shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Wairiki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Pukaingataru B No. 5 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Maketu on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed lease of the said land to John Anderson Brown shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of February, 1913.

JAS. W. BROWNE,  
President.

*Maori Lands for Sale by Public Auction.*

Office of the Aotea District Maori Land Board, Wanganui, 4th February, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of the Native Land Act, 1909, and the regulations thereunder, that the lands described in the First Schedule hereto will be offered for sale by public auction at the Native Office, Wanganui, at 2 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 26th February, 1913, on the terms and conditions set out in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LANDS FOR SALE.

Lot.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price per Acre.
<i>Subdivision A of Nukumarū No. 2.—Nukumarū Survey District.</i>			
1	IX	A. R. P. 86 0 0	£ s. d. 27 0 0
<i>Subdivision B of Nukumarū No. 2.—Nukumarū Survey District.</i>			
2	IX	86 0 0	26 10 0

LOCALITY AND DESCRIPTION.

These lands are situated at Nukumarū—half a mile from the main North Road by good metalled road, and about a mile and three-quarters from railway-station. The land is

of excellent quality, in grass, all ploughable except gully faces, permanently watered, and eminently suitable for dairying.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. THE lands are offered at the upset prices shown opposite to each section described in the First Schedule hereto. The terms of the contract for sale of the lands being sold are summarized in clause 13 hereof.
2. The highest bidder shall be the purchaser of each lot. In the event of any lots not being disposed of at first offering, the Board may put any of them up again either separately or in groups. Any lot not disposed of at the auction sale shall remain open for selection at the upset price.
3. In the event of any disputed bid, the lot in dispute may be put up again at the last undisputed bid.
4. Each purchaser, immediately after the sale, shall sign an agreement to complete his contract for purchase according to these conditions, and shall pay to the Board's representative a fee of £3 3s. for the preparation of his contract of purchase, together with the cost of stamping and registering the same. The contract of sale will be prepared by the Board. One or more sections may, at the option of the purchaser, be included in one contract of sale.
5. The successful bidder will be required, within fourteen days from the date on which the contract of sale shall be tendered to him by the Board for execution, sign the same in triplicate. In the event of his failure to do so, the Board may forfeit the purchase-money paid by him, and again offer the land for sale at the upset price, freed from any obligations to the defaulting purchaser.
6. The bidding shall be advanced by such sum as the auctioneer may agree to accept, and no bidding shall be retracted.
7. The Board reserves the right to withdraw from sale any lot or lots at any time prior to the auction.
8. The purchaser shall be required, before obtaining his contract of sale, to make a declaration as required by Part XII of the Native Land Act, 1909, that he is not the owner or occupier of 3,000 acres of third-class land or its equivalent in other classes of land.
9. The lands are offered under the Native Land Act, 1909, and the regulations made thereunder, and purchasers shall be deemed to be acquainted with the provisions thereof, and be bound thereby as effectually as if such provisions were embodied herein.
10. Both lots are subject to slight alteration of area on completion of survey. The fact that any area stated may require to be altered shall be no ground for rescission of the contract.
11. If, from any cause whatever, the Board shall be unable to give the purchaser possession of the land purchased, the purchaser shall be entitled to a refund of the deposit paid by him, but without interest, and no damages shall be claimed by him for the Board's failure to give possession.
12. Possession shall be given one week after date of sale.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS.

*Summary of Conditions of Contract of Purchase.*

13. (a.) The purchaser shall, immediately after the sale, pay to the representative of the Board a sum equal to 10 per cent. of the purchase-money as part payment thereof. The balance of the purchase-money to be paid in ten equal half-yearly instalments.
- (b.) The purchaser to pay interest on unpaid purchase-money at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum. Interest to be payable on the 1st July and 1st January of each year, and to run from the signing of the contract of sale or date when possession given.
- (c.) Purchaser shall, at the end of five years, upon payment of balance of purchase-money, be entitled to a transfer of the fee-simple of the land.
- (d.) Residence and improvements to conform with sections 250 to 257 of the Native Land Act, 1909.
- (e.) A copy of the contract for sale can be inspected at the post-offices Kai Iwi and Waitotara, at the Board's office, Wanganui, and at the office of the Under-Secretary, Native Department, Wellington.

INSTRUCTIONS TO APPLICANTS.

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

Full particulars may be obtained at the office of the Under-Secretary for Native Affairs, Wellington, and at the office of the Aotea District Maori Land Board, Wanganui.

J. B. JACK,  
President, Aotea District Maori Land Board.

**BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.**

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Hamilton.*

NOTICE is hereby given that DAVID BOMFREY MORRISON, of Hamilton, Restaurant Proprietor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse on Tuesday, the 18th day of February, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 11th February, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN DRUMMOND, of Matawai, Mill Hand, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 12th day of February, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock.

JOHN COLEMAN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Gisborne, 3rd February, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN CONRAD DENDER, of Gisborne, Pork-butcher, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 10th day of February, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock.

JOHN COLEMAN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Gisborne, 6th February, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE HENRY DERBY and WILLIAM DERBY, both of Stratford, Sawmillers, trading together under the name of "Derby Bros.," were this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 19th day of February, 1913, at 3.15 o'clock.

ALFRED COLEMAN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Stratford, 7th February, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHANNES CHRISTENSEN, of Stratford, Creamery Manager, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 21st day of February, 1913, at 3.30 o'clock.

ALFRED COLEMAN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Stratford, 10th February, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE ADOLPHUS HENRY TOMSON, of Ohakune, Sawmill Hand, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at Mr. A. W. Gould's office, Ohakune, on Tuesday, the 18th day of February, 1913, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

W. RODWELL,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 5th February, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES EDWARD BLACKBURN, of Ohakune, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at Mr. A. W. Gould's office, Ohakune, on Tuesday, the 18th day of February, 1913, at 11.30 o'clock a.m.

W. RODWELL,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 5th February, 1913.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Blenheim.*

NOTICE is hereby given that ARTHUR ERNEST GUTHRIE, of Redwoodtown, Carpenter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 20th day of February, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock.

R. WANDEN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Blenheim, 10th February, 1913.

**LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.**

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 85, folio 153, of the Register-book, in favour of DONALD ALEXANDER McLEAN, of Whitianga, Bush-manager, for Lots 28 and 29 of Karamurama Block, having been lodged with me, and application made to issue a provisional certificate of title, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue a provisional certificate of title accordingly at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

Dated the 5th day of February, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office at Auckland.

THOS. HALL,  
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 15th day of March, 1913.

3653. WILLIAM VOSPER.—Allotment 185, Parish of Pukekura, containing 56 acres and 34 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 3284A.

5345. DENIS MORONEY.—Allotments 132, 133, and 198, Parish of Karamu, containing 673 acres and 15 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 7660.

5366. JOHN THOMAS MCKERRAS.—Part Allotment 34, Parish of Pukekohe, containing 63 acres and 39.5 perches. Occupied by Elizabeth McKerras and Frederick Hyde. Plan 8208.

5420. GEORGE WINSTONE, the Younger, and WILLIAM PERCY WINSTONE.—Southern part, Allotment 10, Section 13, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 102 acres 1 rood 39 perches. Unoccupied. Plan 7875.

5421. FRANCIS QUIN.—Part Allotment 317, Parish of Mangapiko, containing 31 acres 3 roods. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 8025.

5434. WILLIAM BOWMAN and FRANK PERCY WEIR.—Part Allotment 49, Parish of Opahoko, containing 165 acres and 12 perches. Occupied by Applicants. Plan 8057.

5436. DORA ULRICH.—Allotments 11 and 12, Town of Grahams town, containing 3 roods 3.6 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plans 4506 and 6776.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,  
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 13th day of March, 1913.

Application 1429. GEORGE HOUSE.—321 acres and 31.4 perches, comprising parts of Blocks 29, 30, 73, Puketapu Crown-grant District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 6th day of February, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

F. ASPINALL,  
District Land Registrar.

**A**PPPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the name of ALEXANDER DAVIDSON, of Napier, Commission Agent, for Section 3, Block III, Kumeroa Village, being all the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 20, folio 44, and evidence having been lodged with me of the loss of the original certificate, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 27th February, 1913.

Dated this 8th day of February, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

F. ASPINALL,  
District Land Registrar.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 14th day of March, 1913.

Application 4572 (Deposited Plan No. 2616). HARRY OCTAVIUS TULLY.—60 acres and 17 perches, Sections 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, Township of Carterton. Occupied by George William Deller.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of February, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,  
District Land Registrar.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the publication hereof.

WILLIAM PYLE.—Parts of Sections 16, 17, and 18, Block XXXV, City of Dunedin. Occupied by Tenants. No. 5092.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 6th day of February, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

C. E. NALDER,  
District Land Registrar.

## PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

### THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

#### SECTION 266, SUBSECTION (4).

**T**AKE notice that the name of the TERMINUS HOTEL COMPANY (LIMITED) has been struck off the Register, and the company has been dissolved.

Dated this 5th day of February, 1913, at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at New Plymouth.

A. V. STURTEVANT,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

### NOTICE.

#### THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266, SUBSECTION (3).

**T**AKE notice that the companies enumerated in the Schedule hereunder will, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the companies dissolved.

#### Schedule.

The Greymouth Timber and Land Company (Limited).  
The Grey Valley Timber Company (Limited).  
Given under my hand, at Hokitika, this 1st day of February, 1913.

WM. PHILIP MORGAN,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

### NOTICE.

#### THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266.

The ELECTRICAL INVENTIONS SYNDICATE (LIMITED).

**T**AKE notice that the name of the above company will, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, unless cause be shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Given under my hand, at Christchurch, this 7th day of February, 1913.

P. G. WITHERS,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

In the matter of the NEW DAY DAWN AND NORFOLK MINES (LIMITED).

**N**OTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company duly convened and held at 8 Laurence Pountney Hill, Cannon Street, E.C., on Monday, the 25th November, 1912, the following special resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company also duly convened and held at 8 Laurence Pountney Hill, Cannon Street, E.C., on Tuesday, the 10th day of December, 1912, the following special resolutions were duly confirmed, viz. :—

“1. That the New Day Dawn and Norfolk Mines (Limited) be wound up voluntarily.

“2. That Mr. W. BARTON, of 8 Laurence Pountney Hill, Cannon Street, London, E.C., be and is hereby appointed the Liquidator to conduct the winding-up.”

Dated the 10th day of December, 1912.

C. BRUGGEMEYER,  
Chairman, 8 Laurence Pountney Hill, Cannon Street, London, E.C.

W. J. McCORMICK,  
184 Attorney in New Zealand for W. Barton, the Liquidator.

### NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between JOHN JAMES WARD, JOHN WILLIAM CHARLES WARD, NORMAN JAMES WARD, and BERTIE ARNOLD WARD, all of Blenheim, in the Provincial District of Marlborough, carrying on business as Builders and Contractors at Blenheim aforesaid under the style or firm of “Ward and Sons,” has been dissolved by mutual consent as from 30th day of April, 1912, so far as concerns the said NORMAN JAMES WARD, who retires from the said firm.

All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by the said JOHN JAMES WARD, JOHN WILLIAM CHARLES WARD, and BERTIE ARNOLD WARD, who will continue to carry on the said business in partnership under the style or firm of “Ward and Sons.”

Dated this 1st day of February, 1913.

N. J. WARD.

Witness to the signature of Norman James Ward—W. T. Churchward, Solicitor, Blenheim.

J. J. WARD.  
J. W. WARD.  
B. A. WARD.

Witness to the signatures of John James Ward, John William Charles Ward, and Bertie Arnold Ward—N. Paton, Clerk, Blenheim. 190

### NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

**T**HE Partnership lately subsisting between us, under the style of “A. R. Atkinson and Bennett,” has been dissolved by mutual consent as from 31st January. All debts due to the late firm are payable to Mr. ATKINSON, whose receipt alone will be a sufficient discharge.

Dated at Wellington the fifth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

A. R. ATKINSON.  
A. A. BENNETT.

## WELLINGTON CITY COUNCIL.

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of the Public Works Act, 1908, the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and their amendments, the Wellington City Empowering Act, 1897, the Wellington City Empowering Act, 1899, and the Wellington City Empowering Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the City of Wellington proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, to execute a certain public work—namely, the widening of Willis Street, in the City of Wellington—and for the purpose of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, subject to the following leases: (1) Heath to Kate Isaacs, Registered No. 7292; (2) sublease, Kate Isaacs to Robert Hunt, Registered No. 90487; (3) memo. of lease, Kate Isaacs to Hyman Radutsky, Registered No. 10146, and to all other existing leases and tenancies.

And notice is hereby further given that a plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the public office of the Town Clerk to the said Council, in the Town Hall, Cuba Street, in the said city, and is there open for inspection, without fee, by all persons during ordinary office hours; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or the taking of such land should, if they have well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of the said land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Wellington City Council, addressed to the Town Clerk at his said office.

## Schedule.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land to be taken.	Being Part of	Coloured on Plan	Situate in
A. R. P. 0 0 1.41	Lot 7, D.P. 1886 (part Section 205, City of Wellington)	Red ..	City of Wellington.

In the Land District of Wellington; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan above mentioned.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 12th day of February, 1913.

194 JNO. R. PALMER,  
Town Clerk.

## GOODFELLOW (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that at extraordinary general meetings of the above company held respectively on the 18th day of December, 1912, and the 9th day of January, 1913, the following special resolution was duly passed:—

“That the sale or transfer to the Waikato Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited) of the business property undertaking and assets of this company be carried out upon the terms of an agreement dated the 5th day of December, 1912, and made between this company of the one part and WILLIAM GOODFELLOW and THOMAS LEONARD HAMES (as trustees for and on behalf of the Waikato Co-operative Dairy Company, Limited) of the other part; and that if and when such sale or transfer shall be finally carried out and completed steps be taken to wind up the affairs of this company, which shall then go into voluntary liquidation, the purpose and object of such sale or transfer and of such winding-up being the reconstruction of this company and in order to more effectually change the name and extend the objects of this company.”

“That Mr. THOMAS LEONARD HAMES be Liquidator of the company.”

195 W. GOODFELLOW,  
Chairman.

## NOTICE OF SPECIAL RESOLUTION WINDING UP COMPANY.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the WEST COAST FARMERS' TRADING ASSOCIATION (LIMITED).

AT an extraordinary meeting of the above-named company duly convened and held at Hawera on the 21st day of January, 1913, the following resolution was duly

passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 5th day of February, 1913, the same resolution was duly confirmed as a special resolution, viz.:—

“That the West Coast Farmers' Trading Association (Limited) be voluntarily wound up, and that W. G. WHITE be appointed Liquidator.”

Dated at Hawera this 11th day of February, 1913.

W. G. WHITE,  
Chairman.

Witness—E. W. McCarter, Solicitor, Hawera. 196

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and of the LITTLE VALLEY SLUICING COMPANY (LIMITED).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-mentioned company held at No. 6 Empire Buildings, Princes Street, Dunedin, on Tuesday, 7th January, 1912, at 8 p.m., the following extraordinary resolution was duly proposed and carried:—

“That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the shareholders that the company cannot continue its business by reason of its liabilities, and it is advisable to wind up the same.”

The meeting thereupon appointed Mr. R. M. RUTHERFORD, of 134 Princes Street, Dunedin, Liquidator, to wind up the company.

Dated at Dunedin this third day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

197 JAMES H. WALKER,  
Chairman.

## APPLICATION FOR LICENSE FOR A WATER-RACE.

UNDER THE MINING ACT, 1908.

To the Warden of the Otago Mining District; at Roxburgh.

PURSUANT to the Mining Act, 1908, the undersigned, Joseph Henry Haughton, of Roxburgh, Farmer, hereby applies for a license for a water-race as specified in the Schedule hereto, the course whereof has been duly marked out for the purpose.

Precise time of marking out privilege applied for: 9 a.m. on 31st January, 1913.

Date and number of miner's right: 8th October, 1912; No. 95251.

Address for service: Care of J. Burton, Mining Agent, Roxburgh.

Dated at Roxburgh this 1st day of February, 1913.

## Schedule.

Locality of the race and of its starting and terminal points: Commencing at a point at a small spring in the south-west corner of Section 4, Block III, Teviot Survey District, being applicant's private land, and terminating near his residence.

Length and intended course of race: 30 yards; due north.

Points of intake: One.

Estimated time and cost of construction: One day; £2.

Mean depth and breadth: 1 in. pipes.

Number of heads to be diverted: Tenth part of a head.

Purpose for which water is to be used: Domestic and irrigation.

Proposed term of license: Forty-two years.

J. H. HAUGHTON,  
(By his Registered Agent, Jabez Burton),  
Applicant.

Precise time of filing the foregoing application: 11.15 a.m. on 3rd February, 1913.

Time and place appointed for the hearing of the application and all objections thereto: Thursday, 13th March, 1913, at 10 a.m., in the Warden's Court, Roxburgh.

Objections must be filed in the Registrar's office and notified to applicant at least three days before the time so appointed.

199 F. JEFFERY,  
Mining Registrar.

## MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, GILBERT VERE BOGLE, Bachelor in Medicine and Bachelor in Surgery, now residing in Waipukurau, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 3rd March next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Napier.

G. V. BOGLE.

Dated at Waipukurau, 1st February, 1913. 200

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Crewe Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 7th September, 1902.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted and name of Secretary: Alexandra; C. E. Richards.  
 Nominal capital: £5,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £2,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £2,000.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £3,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 5,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 5,000.  
 Amount paid per share: £1.  
 Amount called up per share: £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 18.  
 Present number of shareholders: 20.  
 Number of men employed by company when dredging: 14.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 1,485 oz. 8 dwt. 18 gr.; £5,699 16s. 2d.  
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: 10,669 oz. 12 dwt. 12 gr.; £41,079 9s. 3d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £3,692 4s. 5d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £34,088 4s. 5d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £8,625.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £8,625.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in bank and on deposit: £1,240 12s. 11d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Gold on hand, 13 dwt. 2 gr.; value, £49 17s. 9d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: £75.  
 Amount of debts considered good: £75.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £368 0s. 2d.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Charles Edward Richards, of Alexandra, the Secretary of the Crewe Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1912; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

C. E. RICHARDS,  
Secretary.

Declared at Alexandra this 5th day of February, 1913, before me—Edward Marslin, J.P. 185

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Island Block Gold-dredging and Sluicing Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 26th February, 1900.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; James Brown.  
 Nominal capital: £60,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £24,030.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £12,030.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £12,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 60,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 25,000.  
 Amount paid per share: £1 on 12,030.  
 Amount called up per share: £1 on 12,030.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 970.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 30.

Present number of shareholders: 112.

Number of men employed by company when dredging: 8.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 286 oz. 18 dwt. 6 gr.; £1,117 13s. 5d.

Total quantity and value produced since registration: 8,092 oz. 8 dwt. 15 gr.; £31,540 3s. 9d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £1,559 7s. 7d.

Total expenditure since registration: £33,692 3s. 9d.

Total amount of dividends declared: £2,403.

Total amount of dividends paid: £2,403.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash in bank: Nil.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company: £51 11s. 9d.

Amount of debts considered good: £51 11s. 9d.

Amount of debts owing by company: £155 9s. 3d.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, James Brown, of Dunedin, the Secretary of the Island Block Gold-dredging and Sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1912; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

JAS. BROWN,  
Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin this 21st day of January, 1913, before me—H. C. Campbell, J.P. 186

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Kia Ora Victoria Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 10th August, 1901.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Beach Street, Port Chalmers; James H. Gray.  
 Nominal capital: £9,100.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £9,100.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £5,915.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 9,100.  
 Number of shares allotted: 9,100.  
 Amount paid per share: 13s.  
 Amount called up per share: 13s.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 29.  
 Present number of shareholders: 35.  
 Number of men employed by company when dredging: 16.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 2,420 oz. 15 dwt.; £9,725 7s. 2d.  
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: 25,844 oz. 10 dwt.; £104,665 2s. 9d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £6,666 19s. 6d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £72,955 8s. 5d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £37,537 10s.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £37,503 15s.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: £33 15s.  
 Amount of cash in bank and on deposit: £304 17s.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: Current accounts for month.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, James Gray, of Port Chalmers, the Secretary of the Kia Ora Victoria Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1912; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

JAMES H. GRAY,  
Secretary.

Declared at Port Chalmers this 18th day of January, 1913, before me—E. Godfred, J.P. 187

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Confidence Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 12th July, 1912.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Beach Street, Port Chalmers; James H. Gray.  
 Nominal capital: £2,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £1,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £975.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 2,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 2,000.  
 Amount paid per share: £1.  
 Amount called up per share: £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: £25.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 13.  
 Present number of shareholders: 13.  
 Number of men employed by company when dredging: 8.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 114 oz. 19 dwt. 3 gr.  
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: £436 17s. 3d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £1,072 19s. 9d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £1,072 19s. 9d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in bank and on deposit: £151 18s. 3d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company:  
 Amount of debts considered good:  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £276 1s. 1d.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any):

I, James Gray, of Port Chalmers, the Secretary of the Confidence Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1912; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

JAMES H. GRAY,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Port Chalmers this 18th day of January, 1913,  
 before me—E. Godfred, J.P. 188

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Koputai Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 9th January, 1906.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Beach Street, Port Chalmers; James H. Gray.  
 Nominal capital: £3,500.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £3,200.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,200.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £300.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 3,500.  
 Number of shares allotted: 3,500.  
 Amount paid per share: £1.  
 Amount called up per share: £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 33.  
 Present number of shareholders: 47.  
 Number of men employed by company when dredging: 7.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 940 oz. 5 dwt. 10 gr.; £3,697 11s. 3d.  
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: 9,048 oz. 7 dwt. 5 gr.; £35,535 3s. 1d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £2,762 0s. 9d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £25,079 12s. 4d.

Total amount of dividends declared: £13,825.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £13,810.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: £15.  
 Amount of cash in bank and on deposit: £468 9s. 2d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by the company: Current accounts for month.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, James Gray, of Port Chalmers, the Secretary of the Koputai Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1912; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

JAMES H. GRAY,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Port Chalmers this 18th day of January, 1913,  
 before me—E. Godfred, J.P. 189

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Roxburgh Amalgamated Mining and Sluicing Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 2nd March, 1889.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; John Davie.  
 Nominal capital: £30,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £29,152 10s.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £13,121 5s. 6d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £15,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 30,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 29,152.  
 Amount paid per share: 18s. 6d.  
 Amount called up per share: 18s. 6d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 825.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.  
 Present number of shareholders: 169.  
 Number of men employed by company: 14.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced since last statement: 538 oz. 15 dwt.; £2,032 2s. 11d.  
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: 28,723 oz. 5 dwt. 12 gr.; £107,611 9s. 9d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £1,911 8s. 3d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £88,690 4s. 10d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £32,429 16s. 4d.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £32,429 16s. 4d.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in bank and on deposit: £528 4s. 1d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £90 5s. 6d.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, John Davie, of Dunedin, the Secretary of the Roxburgh Amalgamated Mining and Sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1912; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

JOHN DAVIE,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin this 31st day of January, 1913,  
 before me—Eardley C. Reynolds, J.P. 192

## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Manuherikia Gold-dredging Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 1st August, 1899.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; Andrew Hamilton.  
 Nominal capital: £12,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £12,000.



Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £6,000.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which cash has been paid: £6,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 12,000  
 Number of shares allotted: 12,000.  
 Amount paid per share: £1.  
 Amount called up per share: £1.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.  
 Present number of shareholders: 166.  
 Number of men employed by company when dredging: 9 when working full time.  
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 779 oz. 0 dwt. 13 gr.; £2,964 12s. 6d.  
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: 18,608 oz. 12 dwt. 5 gr.; £71,331 9s. 6d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £2,990 6s. 4d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £41,457 3s. 3d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: £34,200.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: £34,181 5s.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: £18 15s.  
 Amount of cash in bank and on deposit: £1,341 5s. 6d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £31 8s.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Andrew Hamilton, of Dunedin, the Secretary of the Manuherikia Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1912; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

A. HAMILTON,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin this 15th day of January, 1913, before me—S. C. Hercus, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, 193

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Poerua Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 20th October, 1910.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: 202-204 Manchester Street, Christchurch; W. J. LeCren.  
 Nominal capital: £60,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £19,788.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £13,313 2s. 6d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £14,012 10s. 6d.; £13,313 2s. 6d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Vendors, £28,000.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 60,000.  
 Number of shares allotted: 47,788.  
 Amount paid per share: 13s. 6d. on contributing, £1 on vendors'.  
 Amount called up per share: 13s. 6d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: £699 8s.  
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 33.  
 Present number of shareholders: 184.  
 Number of men employed by company: 24.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Nil.  
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: Nil.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £8,148 12s. 11d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £13,901 6s. 4d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in bank: Overdraft of £637 14s. 2d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: £1 19s. 10d.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.

Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: £965 0s. 2d.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): £247 1s. 1d.

I, William Jaumard LeCren, Secretary of the Poerua Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1912; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

W. J. LECREN,  
 Secretary.

Declared at Christchurch this 10th day of February, 1913, before me—Kenneth Matheson, J.P. 198

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