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*Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks II, III, and VII, Halswell Survey District, Canterbury Land District.*

[L.s.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

### A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owners of the lands mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Halswell and Mount Herbert County Councils, being the local authorities in whose districts the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

### FIRST SCHEDULE.

#### LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Marked on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
4 2 28	565 33748	III, VII VII	Halswell	A-C	Red.
3 1 2	1403 35510			C-D	Yellow.
10 0 33	1443 18809 34551 13609 34555	"	"	D-R	Red.
0 0 1	906			R 2	"
0 0 18	1060	"	"	R 4	"
0 0 1	1060	"	"	R 7	"
0 0 7	1060	"	"	R 9	"
0 3 9	1060	"	"	R 11	"
0 0 1	1060	"	"	R 5	"
3 1 3	33748	III, VII VII	"	N-P	"
0 0 22	21719			L-M	"
0 0 3-6	696	"	"	R	Blue.

### SECOND SCHEDULE. ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road closed.	Passing through or adjoining Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Marked on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.					
17738x 17738 17737 17739		II II & III "	Halswell	F-R	Green.
905		III & VII			
1966		VII			
17741		"			
35510		"			
1443		"			
30 0 0 18809		"			
34551		"			
34552		"			
17739x		"			
13609		"			
2845		"			
34554		"			
34555		"			
906		"			
2608		"			
0 0 5 906		"	R 1	"	
0 0 1 1060		"	R 3	"	
0 0 7 1060		"	R 6	"	
0 0 1 1060		"	R 8	"	
0 0 6 1060		"	R 10	"	
0 2 21 1060		"	R 12	"	

All in the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan L. and S. 3279/100, marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the 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 twenty-ninth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Additional Land between Tuakau and Pokeno taken for the Purposes of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway (Whangarata Deviation).*

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway (Whangarata Deviation) to take further land between Tuakau and Pokeno, 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 Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Parish of	Situated in Survey District of	Situated in County of
A. R. P. 0 1 11.8	16	IV	Tuakau	Onewhero	Manukau.
0 2 3.5	Crown land	"	"	"	"
9 3 9	17	"	"	"	"
1 0 25.5	70	"	"	"	"
6 2 7.5	36	I	"	Maramarua	"
15 2 21	10 (S.O.16815, blue)	"	Mangatawhiri	"	"

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 20071, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured blue, yellow, red, and 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 twenty-third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. H. HERRIES,  
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks XVIII and XIX, Longwood Survey District, Wallace County.*

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owners and mortgagees of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Wallace County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Longwood Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 3 30	14	XVIII	Longwood ..	P.W.D. 33488	Pink.
2 1 1	6	XIX	" ..	Ditto ..	"
3 0 0	1	"	" ..	" ..	"
4 2 5	2	"	" ..	" ..	"
1 3 0	3	"	" ..	" ..	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road closed.	Adjoining or passing through Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 3 25	14	XVIII	Longwood ..	P.W.D. 33488	Green.
6 2 36	1	XIX	" ..	Ditto ..	"
4 1 32	2	"	" ..	" ..	"
4 1 27	3	"	" ..	" ..	"

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable 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 twenty-ninth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,  
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Defining the Middle-line of a Further Portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Gisborne Southwards).*

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS a portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway—namely, from Gisborne southwards for a distance of twenty-six miles (hereinafter termed "the said railway")—is a railway the construction of which was authorized by the Railways Authorization Act, 1910: And whereas the said railway has been partly constructed, and it has been determined to construct and maintain the further portion of the said railway described in the Schedule hereto:

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 one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and in pursuance and exercise of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the middle-line of the said further portion of the said railway shall be that defined and set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point in Section 1, Block XV, Waikohu Survey District, which point is also the termination of the railway as defined in a Proclamation dated the 5th day of October, 1912, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 79, page 3042, of the twenty-fourth day of the same month, and proceeding thence in a north-westerly direction and then south-westerly direction generally for a distance of 3 miles 1,150 links, and passing in, into, through, or over the following lands, &c., viz.—Section 1, Block XV, Sections 6, 3, and 5, Block XI, and Section 7, Block XV, all in Waikohu Survey District, and terminating at a point in the said Section 7, Block XV, Waikohu Survey District, about 400 links north-east of the Gisborne-Wharekopae Road, including all adjoining and intervening places, lands, reserves, roads, tracks, lakes, rivers, streams, and watercourses; all in the Land District of Hawke's Bay; as the same is delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 33597, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable 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 twenty-third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,  
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Laying out a Road in Blocks II and VI, Waimana Survey District, Whakatane County.*

[L.s.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twenty-two of the Urewera District Native Reserve Act, 1896, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby lay out the road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Road laid out.	Being Portion of	Situated in Blocks	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 24 1 39	Ruatoki No. 1 Block (17061, blue)	II & VI	Waimana	P.W.D. 33437	Red.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable 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 twenty-ninth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,  
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Incorporating the Bruce Land Settlement Association.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of May, 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 eighteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, has been entered into between George Bruce, vendor, of the one part, and James John Robertson, John Wilson, Abraham Morris Barnett, William Steel Barnett, and Thomas Sounness, purchasers, of the other part, for the purchase of the land therein described, and the said purchasers therein agreed to become incorporated as the Bruce Land Settlement Association: And whereas application has been made in the prescribed form for the issue of an Order in Council confirming the said agreement: And whereas the said application, together with the said agreement, was referred to the Board of Land Purchase Commissioners for its report, and the Board has reported that no roading is required in respect of the said land, and that the said agreement is fit and proper to be so confirmed:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the said Act, His Excellency the 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 eighteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

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

*Declaring Fraser Family Private Burial-ground under Section 2 of the Cemeteries Amendment Act, 1912.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented under section two of the Cemeteries Amendment Act, 1912 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), praying that the area described in the Schedule hereto, being a parcel of land wherein the bodies of deceased persons have been buried prior to the commencement of the said Act, be declared to be a private burial-ground to be called and known by the name of the "Fraser Family Private Burial-ground":

And whereas it is deemed expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers in that behalf vested in me by the said Act, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify that the area described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby declared to be a private burial-ground subject to the provisions of the said Act, to be called and known by the name of the "Fraser Family Private Burial-ground."

And I do further notify and declare that the lineal descendants of the late Duncan Fraser, formerly of "Pukehou," Parewanui, in the County of Rangitikei, and of his wife, the late Marjory Fraser, and the husbands or wives of any of the said lineal descendants of Duncan Fraser and of his wife, Marjory Fraser, shall be the only class of persons who may now or hereafter be buried in the said Fraser Family Private Burial-ground.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 2-2 perches, more or less, being old Allotment No. 13, Rangitikei District, as shown on Con-

veyance No. 32781 attached to Application No. 4381, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Wellington; together with the right-of-way thereto of 50 links width, containing 2 roods 28 perches, more or less, running from the main road to Bull's to the aforesaid cemetery.

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

H. D. BELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Revoking Appointment of Trustees.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the fourth section of the Cemeteries Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the appointment of

FARQUHAR COLIN CAMPBELL McLENNAN,  
WALTER WENTLE,  
WILLIAM SELLWOOD,  
ALFRED THOMAS WILLIAMS,  
ROBERT HASTIE, and  
JOHN McNEILL, and  
GEORGE HOGAN

as Trustees of the Mangawai Public Cemetery.

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

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

*Land temporarily reserved for Water-supply Purposes in Block V, Aparima Hundred, Southland Land District.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

Now, therefore, I, 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 upon me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Southland Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, for water-supply purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 484 acres 2 roods 10 perches, more or less, being Sections 6, 7, and 8, Block V, Aparima Hundred. Bounded towards the north-west by Sections 5, 4, and 3, Block V, Aparima Hundred, 10711.8 links; towards the east and north by Section 2 of said block, 2300.9 and 1397.2 links respectively; again towards the east by Section 1, the abutment of a road, and again by said Section 1, 3090.6 links; towards the south-east by Butler Road, 9910 links; and towards the south-west by Section 9, 6000.7 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L and S. 7274/17, 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-ninth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

*Land temporarily reserved as an addition to a Public Cemetery in the Taranaki Land District.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by the three-hundred-and-twenty-first section of the Land Act, 1908, it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or particular description, and whether the same has been

surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which in his opinion are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, 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 upon me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Taranaki Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, as an addition to a public cemetery.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 30.3 perches, more or less, being Section 13, Pukearuhe Town Belt, Block VI, Mimi Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Section 11 of the aforesaid town belt, police reserve, 100 links; towards the north-east by Section 14 of the aforesaid town belt, cemetery reserve, 189.7 links; towards the south-east by the Clifton Road, 84.6 links; and towards the south-west by Page Street, 197.8 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L and S. 1610/17, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

*Notifying Land in Auckland 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 Friday, the first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, as the time at which the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the price at which the said land shall be sold as that mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAIPA COUNTY.—MANGAPIKO PARISH.

*Rural Land.*

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
155	A. R. P. 37 0 0	£ s. d. 240 0 0

Altitude, 100 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level. Manuka, fern, and gorse country, about half undulating and half level, part swampy. Soil of medium quality; fairly watered by springs. Situated one mile from Pirongia Post-office by good road.

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

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided by section one hundred and fifty-four of the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Monday, the twenty-eighth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on renewable lease;

and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

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

Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
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	A. B. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
176	13 3 10	110 0 0	2 15 0	2 4 0
177	12 0 0	100 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0

Altitude, 100 ft. to 200 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and manuka land; practically all ploughable. Clay soil of inferior quality, on sandstone formation; water can only be obtained by sinking. Distant one mile from Albany, nine miles from Birkenhead, and five miles from Takapuna by dray-road.

178	17 2 0	140 0 0	3 10 0	2 16 0
180	14 2 20	140 0 0	3 10 0	2 16 0

Altitude, 100 ft. to 200 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and manuka land; all ploughable. Clay soil of inferior quality, on sandstone formation; water can only be obtained by sinking. Distant two miles from Albany, nine miles from Birkenhead, and four miles and a half from Takapuna by cart-road.

179	34 0 20	230 0 0	5 15 0	4 12 0
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Altitude, 100 ft. to 200 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and manuka land; all ploughable, except portion fronting Waikahikatea Stream, which is somewhat steep and broken. Clay soil of inferior quality, on sandstone formation; well watered by Waikahikatea Stream. Distant a mile and a half from Albany, nine miles and a half from Birkenhead, and six miles from Takapuna by dray-road, except one mile which is to be formed.

198	18 0 0	110 0 0	2 15 0	2 4 0
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Altitude, 250 ft. to 350 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken fern and manuka land. Clay soil of inferior quality, on sandstone formation; indifferently watered by springs. Distant two miles from Albany and four miles and a half from Takapuna by cart-road.

204	28 2 30	170 0 0	4 5 0	3 8 0
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Altitude, 300 ft. to 400 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken fern and manuka land. Clay soil of inferior quality, on sandstone formation; indifferently watered by small swamp. Distant two miles and a half from Albany, eleven miles and a half from Birkenhead, and six miles from Takapuna by cart-road, except two miles of the road to Albany and Birkenhead, which is to be formed shortly.

293	36 2 0	100 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0
294	30 2 0	80 0 0	2 0 0	1 12 0
295	29 0 20	80 0 0	2 0 0	1 12 0
296	28 0 0	80 0 0	2 0 0	1 12 0
297	24 3 30	70 0 0	1 15 0	1 8 0
298	25 2 10	70 0 0	1 15 0	1 8 0

Altitude, 100 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken fern and manuka land; about one-half to two-thirds of each section ploughable; fairly sheltered from south-westerly gales. Clay soil of inferior quality, on sandstone formation; indifferently watered by small swamps, but permanent water can be obtained by sinking. Distant a mile and a half from Albany by road to be formed, thence eight miles and a half by coach-road to Birkenhead.

299	30 1 30	100 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0
300	34 1 20	110 0 0	2 15 0	2 4 0
301	35 3 30	150 0 0	3 15 0	3 0 0

Altitude, 100 ft. to 350 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken fern and manuka country; about half each of Sections 299 and 300 and three-quarters of Section 301 easily ploughable; fairly sheltered from prevailing south-westerly winds. Clay soil of inferior quality, on sandstone formation; not well watered, but water obtainable by sinking. Distant two miles from Albany, ten miles and a half from Birkenhead, and six miles and a half from Takapuna by cart-road, except one mile which remains to be formed.

302	25 0 20	200 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0
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Altitude, 100 ft. to 200 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and manuka country; practically all ploughable. Clay soil

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
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of inferior quality, on sandstone formation; fairly well watered by small stream. Distant two miles from Albany, ten miles and a half from Birkenhead, and six miles from Takapuna by road, of which one mile remains to be formed.

303		A. B. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
		30 3 10	250 0 0	6 5 0	5 0 0

Altitude, 125 ft. to 225 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and manuka land, three-fourths of which is ploughable. Clay soil of inferior quality, on sandstone formation; indifferently watered by swampy streams, but water can be obtained by sinking. Distant two miles from Albany, ten miles and a half from Birkenhead, and six miles and a half from Takapuna by cart-road to within a mile of section; balance to be formed shortly. Section is fairly sheltered from south-westerly winds.

304		35 0 4	110 0 0	2 15 0	2 4 0
305		31 0 0	100 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0
306		28 2 30	120 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0

Altitude, 125 ft. to 350 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken land, covered with fern and manuka; one-half of Section 304 and two-thirds each of Sections 305 and 306 ploughable; fairly sheltered from south-westerly winds. Clay soil of inferior quality, on sandstone formation; permanent water can only be obtained by sinking. Distant two miles from Albany, eleven miles from Birkenhead by cart-road to within a mile and a half of sections, and six miles and a half from Takapuna by main coach-road to within half a mile of sections.

307		28 2 20	150 0 0	3 15 0	3 0 0
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Altitude, 225 ft. to 350 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken fern and manuka country, two-thirds of which is ploughable. Soil inferior clay, on sandstone formation; indifferently watered, but water may be obtained by sinking. Distant six miles from Takapuna by main coach-road, two miles and a half from Albany, and eleven miles from Birkenhead, of which two miles remains to be formed.

308		25 1 10	200 0 0	5 0 0	4 0 0
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Altitude, 200 ft. to 250 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken fern and manuka land, of which one-half is ploughable. Soil inferior clay, on sandstone formation; indifferently watered, but water can be obtained by sinking. Distant three miles from Albany and eleven miles and a half from Birkenhead by road, of which two miles still requires formation, or six miles from Takapuna by main coach-road to within a short distance of section.

309		12 2 0	100 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0
310		14 1 30	120 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0
311		17 1 10	140 0 0	3 10 0	2 16 0
312		14 2 30	120 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0

Altitude, 100 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and scrub country; nearly all ploughable. Soil inferior clay, on sandstone formation; water can be obtained by sinking. Distant two miles and a half from Albany, eleven miles from Birkenhead, and five miles from Takapuna by dray-road.

314		17 0 0	140 0 0	3 10 0	2 16 0
315		21 2 30	180 0 0	4 10 0	3 12 0

Altitude, 100 ft. to 200 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and manuka land; mostly ploughable. Clay soil of inferior quality, on sandstone formation; water can be obtained by sinking. Distant two miles from Albany, ten miles and a half from Birkenhead, and six miles from Takapuna, about a mile of road being still unformed.

316		22 0 9	180 0 0	4 10 0	3 12 0
317		19 0 0	150 0 0	3 15 0	3 0 0
320		20 3 10	170 0 0	4 5 0	3 8 0
321		19 1 10	160 0 0	4 0 0	3 4 0

Altitude, 100 ft. to 200 ft. above sea-level. Undulating scrub and fern land; mostly ploughable. Soil inferior clay, on sandstone formation. Sections 316, 317, and 320 fairly watered by springs. Section 321 indifferently watered. Distant two miles from Albany, ten miles and a half from Birkenhead, and five miles from Takapuna by road formed to within a quarter of a mile of section.

318		15 3 8	130 0 0	3 5 0	2 12 0
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Altitude, 200 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and manuka land; mostly ploughable. Clay soil of inferior quality, on sandstone formation; indifferently watered by spring. Distant four miles and a half from Takapuna and two miles from Albany by fair road.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
319	..	A. R. P. 18 30	£ s. d. 150 0 0	£ s. d. 3 15 0	£ s. d. 3 0 0
322	..	14 2 0	120 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0
323	..	15 2 20	130 0 0	3 5 0	2 12 0
327	..	24 0 0	190 0 0	4 15 0	3 16 0

Altitude, 100 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and manuka country; mostly ploughable. Inferior clay soil, on sandstone formation. Section 327 fairly watered by springs; other sections indifferently watered, but water can be obtained by sinking. Distant a mile to a mile and a half from Albany, five miles to five miles and a half from Takapuna, and nine miles to nine miles and a half from Birkenhead by cart-road.

324	..	19 3 30	160 0 0	4 0 0	3 4 0
325	..	19 1 20	160 0 0	4 0 0	3 4 0
326	..	22 0 0	180 0 0	4 10 0	3 12 0

Altitude, 100 ft. to 200 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and scrub land; mostly ploughable. Soil inferior clay, on sandstone formation; fairly watered by springs. Distant two miles and a half from Albany and five miles and a half from Takapuna by cart-road to within half a mile of sections, balance to be formed.

These sections are specially suited for fruit-farming, as the soil, a heavy clay, though of inferior quality in its natural condition, may be greatly improved by a proper system of cultivation.

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

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in Wellington Land District for Sale or Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—PATEA COUNTY.—  
WEAKAIHUWAKA AND TARUAMOUKU BLOCKS.

Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
MOMAHAKI SURVEY DISTRICT.					
2	III	A. R. P. 887 0 0	£ s. d. 1,930 0 0	£ s. d. 48 5 0	£ s. d. 38 12 0
3	"	498 0 0	1,460 0 0	36 10 0	29 4 0
4	"	402 0 0	780 0 0	19 10 0	15 12 0
1	IV	1,530 0 0	3,520 0 0	88 0 0	70 8 0
7	"	968 0 0	2,230 0 0	55 15 0	44 12 0
8	"	1,473 0 0	3,580 0 0	89 10 0	71 12 0
TAUMATAMAHOE SURVEY DISTRICT.					
2	I	1,115 0 0	2,150 0 0	53 15 0	43 0 0
3	"	903 0 0	1,520 0 0	38 0 0	30 8 0

Situated on the watershed between the Wanganui and Waitotara Rivers. The altitude ranges from about 400 ft. to 2,100 ft. above sea-level. The soil is of good quality, resting mainly on papa formation, though there are outcrops of sandstone on one or two sections. The land is, generally speaking, rough and broken, and the streams are gorgy; but there is sufficient flat or easy land on each section for homestead-sites and horse-paddocks. The forest is heavy, comprising tawa, rata, hinau, a few rimus, tawhiro, and a little birch on the ridges; the undergrowth is thick, comprising karamu, supplejack, &c. The forest is of no value for milling purposes, but there is sufficient durable timber for fencing and general purposes. The block on the whole is well watered by branches of the Makakoho, Maungatainoka, and other streams. The access is from Waitotara, which is about thirty-five miles from the nearest point of the block. There is a formed and partly metalled dray-road to within about four miles of the block, the balance is a fair pack-track. It is proposed to construct a bridle-track along the Taunoka Road from Wanganui River near Te Mataha Rapid to end of road-formation. Horse-tracks have been cut by the surveyors when traversing the block. These tracks will be found useful until roads are formed, and selectors will be required to keep these pack-tracks open until other road-access is provided.

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

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

Opening National Endowment Land in Wellington Land District for Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—PATEA COUNTY.—MOMAHAKI SURVEY DISTRICT.—TE PARAPARA BLOCK.

Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
9	IV	A. R. P. 1,147 0 0	£ s. d. 3,010 0 0	£ s. d. 60 4 0

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

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

Opening National Endowment Lands in Auckland Land District for Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the national endowment lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Monday, the twenty-eighth day of July, 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 Act.

SCHEDULE.

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

Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
255	..	23 2 0	120 0 0	2 8 0
256	..	16 3 0	80 0 0	1 12 0
259	..	26 3 0	120 0 0	2 8 0

Altitude, 50 ft. to 200 ft. above sea-level. Undulating scrub and fern land. Soil of second-class quality, on clay subsoil. Sections 255 and 259 indifferently watered by springs. Section 256 not watered, but water can be obtained by sinking. Distant four miles from Albany by fair road.

260 | .. | 20 1 0 | 100 0 0 | 2 0 0  
Altitude, 50 ft. to 100 ft. above sea-level. Undulating scrub and fern land. Soil of second-class quality, on clay subsoil; well watered by stream. Distant four miles from Albany by fair road.

261	..	24 2 0	120 0 0	2 8 0
263	..	32 0 0	140 0 0	2 16 0
265	..	30 0 0	140 0 0	2 16 0
267	..	33 0 0	140 0 0	2 16 0

Altitude, 100 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level. Undulating scrub and fern land. Soil of second-class quality, on clay subsoil; well watered by stream. Distant four miles to four miles and a half from Albany—four miles by fair road, bridge and balance of road to be constructed.

262	..	38 3 0	150 0 0	3 0 0
264	..	59 1 0	240 0 0	4 16 0
266	..	72 1 0	230 0 0	4 12 0
268	..	52 1 0	170 0 0	3 8 0

Altitude, 100 ft. to 350 ft. above sea-level. Mostly undulating, with some broken land in Section 268; all covered with fern and manuka. Soil of second-class quality, on clay subsoil; fairly watered by small stream. Distant four miles and a quarter to five miles from Albany—four miles by fair road, balance good track.

269	..	32 1 0	120 0 0	2 8 0
270	..	38 2 0	140 0 0	2 16 0

Altitude, 150 ft. to 350 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken land, covered with fern and manuka. Soil of second-class quality, on clay subsoil; well watered by stream. Distant four miles and a half from Albany—four miles by fair road, balance track, to be formed as a road.

271 | .. | 56 2 0 | 160 0 0 | 3 4 0  
Altitude, 250 ft. to 500 ft. above sea-level. Broken fern and manuka country. Soil of second-class quality, on clay subsoil; fairly watered by small stream. Distant five miles and a quarter from Albany—four miles by fair road, balance good track.

272 | .. | 48 1 0 | 100 0 0 | 2 0 0  
Altitude, 300 ft. to 500 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken fern and manuka country. Soil of second-class quality, on clay subsoil; indifferently watered by swampy gullies. Distant five miles and a half from Albany—four miles by fair road, balance good track.

273	..	41 1 0	110 0 0	2 4 0
274	..	40 0 0	130 0 0	2 12 0

Altitude, 250 ft. to 400 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken land, covered with scrub and fern. Soil of second-class quality; fairly watered by small stream. Distant three miles and a half from Albany—three miles by fair road, balance to be formed shortly.

275 | .. | 34 0 0 | 150 0 0 | 3 0 0  
Altitude, 200 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and manuka country. Soil of second-class quality, on clay subsoil; well watered by stream. Distant three miles from Albany—two miles and three-quarters by fair road, balance as yet unformed.

276 | .. | 42 0 0 | 150 0 0 | 3 0 0  
Altitude, 300 ft. to 500 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken land, covered with fern and scrub. Soil of second-class quality, on clay subsoil; fairly watered by springs. Distant two miles and three-quarters from Albany by fair road.

277 | .. | 55 0 0 | 180 0 0 | 3 12 0  
Altitude, 200 ft. to 400 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and scrub land. Soil of second-class quality, on clay subsoil; indifferently watered by small springs. Distant three miles from Albany by fair road.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
278	..	51 2 0	150 0 0	3 0 0
279	..	61 1 0	170 0 0	3 8 0
280	..	52 2 0	120 0 0	2 8 0

Altitude, 300 ft. to 500 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken land, covered with fern and scrub. Soil of second-class quality, on clay subsoil. Sections 279 and 280 indifferently watered by springs and swampy gully. Section 278 not watered, but water can be obtained by sinking. Distant three miles and a quarter to three miles and three-quarters from Albany by fair road.

281	..	74 1 0	160 0 0	3 4 0
282	..	75 1 0	150 0 0	3 0 0
284	..	78 2 0	180 0 0	3 10 0

Altitude, 300 ft. to 500 ft. above sea-level. Broken land, covered with fern and scrub. Soil of second-class quality, on clay subsoil. Sections 281 and 284 fairly watered by swampy stream and springs. Section 282 indifferently watered by swampy springs. Sections 281 and 282 distant three miles and three-quarters to four miles from Albany—three miles and a half by fair road, balance track. Section 284 distant three miles and three-quarters from Albany—three miles and a half fair road, balance track.

285	..	89 1 0	220 0 0	4 8 0
286	..	86 3 0	270 0 0	5 8 0

Altitude, 200 ft. to 400 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken land, covered with scrub and fern. Soil of second-class quality, on clay subsoil. Section 285 fairly watered by swampy stream. Section 286 indifferently watered by swampy gullies. Distant three miles to three miles and a half from Riverhead by track, which will be formed as a road.

287	..	48 3 0	100 0 0	4 0 0
287A	..	35 1 0	160 0 0	3 4 0
288	..	32 1 0	150 0 0	3 0 0

Altitude, 200 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and manuka country. Soil of second-class quality, on clay subsoil; indifferently watered by swampy gullies. Distant two miles and a quarter to two miles and three-quarters from Riverhead by track, which will be formed as a road.

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

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

Water taken from a Stream at Hukerenui for the Purposes of  
the Kawakawa-Grahamtown Railway.

A NOTIFICATION.

WHEREAS by subsection (1) of section 13 of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is enacted that the Minister of Public Works may from time to time impound, divert, and take away any water from any stream or running water, or may purchase or acquire any right or interest therein for the purpose, *inter alia*, of supplying water for the use of any railway:

And whereas it is desirable to impound, divert, and take away from a stream running through the section numbered 39 situated in Block X, Hukerenui Survey District, as much water as will flow through a pipe having a diameter of three inches, for the purpose of supplying water for the use of the said Kawakawa-Grahamtown Railway:

Now, therefore, I, William Fraser, Minister of Public Works for the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every power and authority enabling me in this behalf, do hereby notify and declare that so much of the waters of the said stream which flows through the said section numbered 39 situated in Block X, Hukerenui Survey District, in the Provincial District of Auckland and Dominion of New Zealand, as will flow through and can be diverted by means of a line of iron pipes having a diameter of three inches inserted in the said stream within the said section numbered 39, is hereby taken for the purposes of the Kawakawa-Grahamtown Railway, and will hereafter be impounded and diverted for those purposes.

Dated at Wellington this 30th day of May, 1913.

W. FRASER,  
Minister of Public Works.

*Member of Auckland Land Board reappointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 31st May, 1913.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 43 of the Land Act, 1908, been pleased to reappoint

WILLIAM JOHNS

to be a member of the Land Board of the Land District of Auckland. Appointment to date from the 5th day of May, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands

*Members of Rangataua Town Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 31st May, 1913.

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

ROBERT ADDISON and  
ROBERT DOUGLAS WALLACE

to be members of the Rangataua Town Domain Board, in the place of Henry Fritz Fraser, resigned, and George William Shemmings, left the district.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Lands.

*Cadet in the Department of Labour appointed.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 2nd June, 1913.

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

JOHN BURGESS

to be a Cadet in the Department of Labour, as from the 17th day of February, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY,  
Minister of Labour.

*Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 2nd June, 1913.

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

ROBERT MACGREGOR GOLDSMAN

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Otaki, *vice* T. O'Rourke.

A. L. HERDMAN,  
Minister of Justice.

*Coroner resigned.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 2nd June, 1913.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

JAMES SHINER BOND, Esq., J.P.,

of Hamilton, of his appointment as a Coroner for the Dominion of New Zealand.

A. L. HERDMAN,  
Minister of Justice.

*Official Visitor appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 2nd June, 1913.

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

ALFRED HARRY TRIPE, Esq.,

to be an Official Visitor to H.M. prison at Waipa.

A. L. HERDMAN,  
Minister of Justice.

*Member of the Egmont National Park Board appointed.*

Department of Tourist and Health Resorts,  
Wellington, 28th May, 1913.

**I**T is hereby notified for public information that

HENRY KITCHINGMAN, Esq.,

has been appointed a member of the Egmont National Park Board by the Opunake Town Board as its representative, in terms of the Egmont National Park Act, 1900.

R. HEATON RHODES,  
Minister of Tourist and Health Resorts.

*Appointment of Territorial Force Officers.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 5th June, 1913.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the appointments of the undermentioned Territorial Force Officers, dated 31st May, 1913.

*New Zealand Army Motor Reserve of Officers.*

Major Arthur Meilziner Myers, M.P., Reserve of Officers, 3rd (Auckland) Regiment ("Countess of Ranfurly's Own"), to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

*Auckland Section.*

To be Captains:—

Charles Rhodes.  
Henry Horton.  
Neville Newcomb.  
James Buchanan Macfarlane.  
Alfred Seymour Bankart.  
Arthur Cleave.

To be Lieutenants:—

Alan St. Clair Brown.  
Charles Edmund Kusabs.  
Charles Rutherford Orr Walker.  
John Candlish Allen.  
James Clayworth Hardie.  
James Alexander Peacock.  
Bertram Dawson.

R. HEATON RHODES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Dismissal of Territorials from the New Zealand Defence Forces.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 5th June, 1913.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to dismiss, under section 6 (b) of the Defence Act, 1909, Gunner Edgar Stanley Hale, New Zealand Field Artillery; Gunner William Thomas Crocker, New Zealand Garrison Artillery; and Lance-Corporal George Ferguson Gray, Corps of New Zealand Engineers, from the New Zealand Defence Forces; they having been convicted by the civil power of theft. Dated 9th April, 1913.

R. HEATON RHODES,  
Acting Minister of Defence.

*Officers appointed.*

Public Service Commissioner's Office, Wellington, 2nd June, 1913.

**T**HE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointments in the Public Service.

A. J. H. BENGE,  
Secretary.

Name.	Position.	Department.	Place.	Date of Appointment.
Clark, Donald George ..	Deputy Commissioner of Taxes	Land and Income Tax	Wellington.	1st May, 1913.
Kendall, Thomas Dick ..	Local Deputy Public Trustee ..	Public Trust ..	Dunedin.	1st June, 1913.
Smyth, George Alexander ..	" ..	" ..	Christchurch	"
Warren, Edward Frederick	" ..	" ..	Auckland ..	"



*Results of Biennial Elections of Members of Fire Boards by Fire-insurance Companies.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 28th May, 1913.

THE following result of the biennial elections of members of Fire Boards by fire-insurance companies have been reported to the Minister of Internal Affairs, and are notified in accordance with the rules made under the Fire Brigades Act, 1908.

H. D. BELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Auckland Fire Board :*

Bartholomew Kent.  
Thomas Samuel Jacka.  
Horace Walker.

*Christchurch Fire Board :*

John Frederick Grierson.  
William Bertie McKenzie.  
Arthur Langdon Parsons.

*Dannevirke Fire Board :*

Thomas Percy Bayntun Ching.  
Henry Montague Didsbury.  
John James Jaffray Mallard.

*Dunedin Fire Board :*

Thomas Chalmer.  
William Isaac Bolam.  
Henry Donald Stronach.

*Feilding Fire Board :*

Ernest Edward Hammond.  
Henry Ernest Kempthorne.  
John James Jaffray Mallard.

*Gisborne Fire Board :*

George Laurence Evans.  
George Thorne George.  
Stanley Sydney McPherson Dean.

*Greymouth Fire Board :*

John James Jaffray Mallard.  
Arthur Langdon Parsons.  
Jacob Theodore Skoglund.

*Hastings Fire Board :*

Thomas Percy Bayntun Ching.  
Henry Montague Didsbury.  
William Graham Bell.

*Hawera Fire Board :*

John Paton.  
Francis Peacock Corkill.  
Harry Stocker.

*Hokitika Fire Board :*

John Frederick Grierson.  
John James Jaffray Mallard.  
Arthur Langdon Parsons.

*Lawrence Fire Board :*

James Buchan.  
Joseph Skottowe Webb.  
Hector Faulkner Monro Mercer.

*Maori Hill Fire Board :*

William Isaac Bolam.  
Henry Donald Stronach.  
James Reynolds Cameron.

*Masterton Fire Board :*

William Ernest Albert Gill.  
Charles Rooking Carter Robieson.  
Charles Robert Smith.

*Milton Fire Board :*

Thomas Chalmer.  
Joseph Skottowe Webb.  
Henry Robert Law.

*New Plymouth Fire Board :*

John Paton.  
Francis Peacock Co-kill.  
Edward Percy Webster.

*Oamaru Fire Board :*

Thomas Chalmer.  
Joseph Skottowe Webb.  
John Stuart Hjslop.

*Palmerston North Fire Board :*

Ernest Edward Hammond.  
Henry Ernest Kempthorne.  
John James Jaffray Mallard.

*Petone Fire Board :*

Ernest Edward Hammond.  
Henry Ernest Kempthorne.  
Charles Robert Smith.

*Rotorua Fire Board :*

Herbert Percy Kissling.  
Lancelot William Dolling Andrews.  
Charles Edgar Palmer.

*Timaru Fire Board :*

James Charles Cooper.  
Charles Simon Fraser.  
John Frederick Grierson.

*Whangarei Fire Board :*

William Floyd Harrop.  
Norman Theodore Williams.  
Frank Hawthorne Pope.

*Plants declared to be Noxious Weeds by the Collingwood County Council.—Notice No. 1708.*

Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce,  
Wellington, 28th May, 1913.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Collingwood County Council has declared foxglove and pennyroyal to be noxious weeds within the meaning of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, in the district under its jurisdiction.

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

*Notice of Intention to take Land in Block XVI, Mangaone Survey District, for Road Purposes.*

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 1 29	84, Rangitumau Block, R. Dist.	XVI	Mangaone	P.W.D. 33594	Pink.

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 30th day of May, 1913.

W. FRASER,  
Minister of Public Works.

*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.

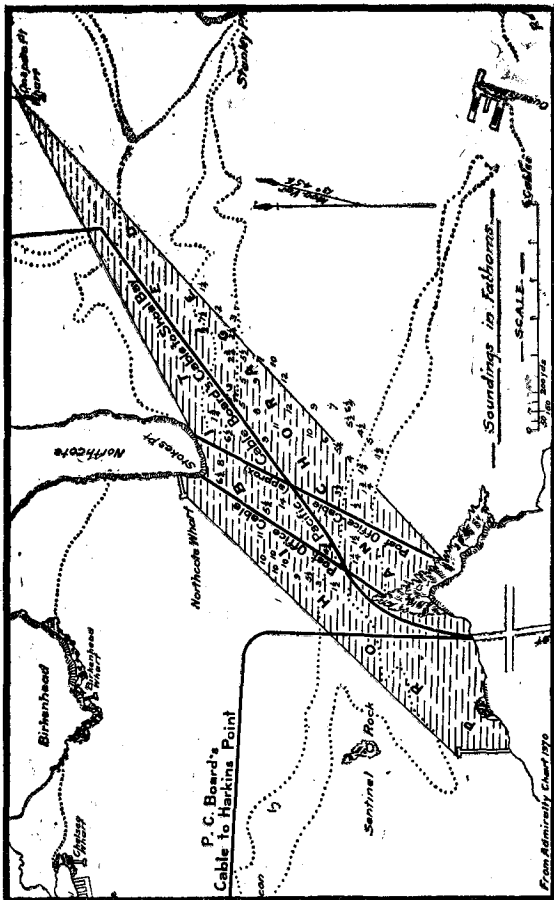
Notice to Mariners No. 43 of 1913.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—PROHIBITED ANCHORAGE.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 31st May, 1913.

IN reference to Notice to Mariners No. 121 of 1912 *re* the caution against anchoring over the cable-ground off Stokes Point, it is hereby notified that the chartlet published in the above-mentioned notice does not correctly show the position of the cable owing to its not being correctly laid on the agreed position. The cable authorities have also asked for an extension of the prohibited anchorage area as given in the previous notice.

The following plan shows the amended correct position of the cable and the extension of the prohibited anchorage area:—



Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Chart No. 1970; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter ii, page 39.

GEORGE ALLPORT,  
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 61 of 1913.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—PROTECTED ANCHORAGES FOR YACHTS.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 2nd June, 1913.

THE Auckland Harbour Board has notified that the following mentioned areas have been set aside as protected yacht anchorages, viz.:—

*Area No. 1: Judges and Mechanics Bays.*—The area enclosed by a line running north true for 2.1 cables from Resolution Point (position marked by a small black buoy); from this buoy by a line N. 79° W. true 6.4 cables to another black buoy; thence by a line S. 2° E. to Mechanics Bay Reclamation Wall.

*Area No. 2: St. Mary's Bay, Ponsonby.*—The area enclosed by a line running from a position one cable westward of the base of the Freeman's Bay Reclamation, N. 17° E. true 3.3 cables (position marked by a small black buoy); from this buoy by a line running N. 69° W. 3.5 cables; from this position by a line running S. 47° W. true to bathing-house on Shelly Beach.

*Area No. 3: Stanley Bay.*—That area of Stanley Bay to the eastward of and enclosed by the east side of the Stanley Bay Wharf; thence by a line from the N.E. corner of the landing-stage at the end of Stanley Bay Wharf S. 74° E. true to the S.W. corner of Sheerleg's Wharf, Calliope Dock; and thence by the embankment to the shore.

*Area No. 4: Devonport.*—The area enclosed by a line starting from a position approximately 120 ft. east of the base of H.M.C.S. "Iris" Wharf; thence to the eastern mooring-buoy of cable steamer; thence by a line S. 73° E. true to the northern corner of the vehicular landing-stage, Victoria Wharf; and thence by a line N. 14° E. true to the shore.

No. 4 area (shown above) takes the place of that reserved some years ago between Devonport Wharf and North Head, and the latter is therefore cancelled.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 1970 and 1896; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter ii, page 39; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac, 1913," page 380.

GEORGE ALLPORT,  
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 63 of 1913.

PORT NICHOLSON.—LIGHTS ON SEATOUN AND KARAKA BAY WHARVES.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 4th June, 1913.

THE Wellington Harbour Board have notified that on and after the 9th June, 1913, a *fixed red* light will be shown (except on moonlight nights) at the north end of Seatoun Wharf up till 11 p.m.

The light will be 17 ft. above high water, and should be visible at a distance of about two miles. It bears 203° (S. 7° W. mag.) from Somes Island light.

Also that on and after the 9th June a *fixed green* light will be shown (except on moonlight nights) at the north end of Karaka Bay Wharf up till 11 p.m.

The light will be 15 ft. above high water, and should be visible at a distance of about two miles. It bears 208° (S. 12° W. mag.) from the Somes Island light.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Chart No. 1423; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter v, page 142.

GEORGE ALLPORT,  
Secretary.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that John Charles Snelling, formerly of 6 Crusoe Road, Mitcham, in the County of Surrey, England, now of 10 Crieff Road, Wandsworth, Surrey aforesaid, has made application for restoration of the patent granted to him for an invention for "An improved machine for producing slabs for building purposes," numbered 26249, and bearing date the 22nd July, 1908, which expired on the 22nd July, 1912, owing to the non-payment of the prescribed renewal fee.

Any person may, on or before the 17th June, 1913, give notice at the Patent Office of opposition to the restoration.

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

J. C. LEWIS,  
Registrar.

*Unclaimed Property.*

Police Department,  
Wellington, 31st May, 1913.

THE unclaimed property described hereunder, and now in the possession of the police at the stations named, will, unless claimed by the 21st June, 1913, be sold thereafter by public auction:—

*Auckland.*—Umbrellas, purses, articles of jewellery and clothing, &c.

*Hamilton.*—Umbrella, cape, brooch.

*Napier.*—Bicycles, purses, watch, articles of jewellery, clothing, &c.

*Wanganui.*—Bicycles, umbrellas, purses, articles of clothing, &c.

*Wellington.*—Bicycles, umbrellas, watches, purses, articles of jewellery and clothing, &c.

*Greymouth.*—Articles of clothing, tools, &c.

*Christchurch.*—Bicycles, watches, purses, articles of jewellery and clothing, &c.

*Ashburton.*—Bicycle, umbrellas, articles of clothing.

*Timaru.*—Bicycles, umbrellas, purses, articles of clothing.

*Dunedin.*—Bicycles, umbrellas, purses, articles of jewellery, clothing, &c.

*Invercargill.*—Bicycles, purses, articles of clothing, &c.

J. CULLEN,  
Commissioner of Police.

(P. 13/999.)

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

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 4th June, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 22 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, the registrations of the industrial associations and unions mentioned in the Schedule below will, unless cause to the contrary is shown, be cancelled at the expiration of six weeks from the date hereof.

JOHN LOMAS,  
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

**SCHEDULE.**

THE New Zealand Federated Boot-manufacturers' Industrial Association of Employers, registered number 243, situated at Auckland.

The Federated Cooks and Stewards of New Zealand Industrial Association of Workers, registered number 344, situated at Wellington.

The Auckland Boot-manufacturers' Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 145, situated at Auckland.

The Auckland Clothing-manufacturers' Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 162, situated at Auckland.

The Waikato Builders and Contractors' Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 527, situated at Hamilton.

The Kaipara Steamship Company (Limited) Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 704, situated at Helensville.

The Ford Shipping Line (Limited) Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 725, situated at Auckland.

The Gisborne Master Tailors' Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 597, situated at Gisborne.

The Wellington Timber-merchants' Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 588, situated at Wellington.

The Nelson Builders and Contractors' Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 600, situated at Nelson.

The Timaru Butchers' Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 562, situated at Timaru.

The Southland Master Tailors' Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 332, situated at Invercargill.

The United Clerks of Auckland Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 795, situated at Auckland.

The Hamilton Carters' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 558, situated at Hamilton.

The Taranaki Painters and Decorators' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 793, situated at Stratford.

The Wellington Journalists' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 850, situated at Wellington.

The Wellington Butter, Creamery, and Cheese Factories Employees' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 613, situated at Palmerston North.

The Wellington Stonemasons' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 638, situated at Wellington.

The Wellington Wool and Grain Store Employees' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 740, situated at Wellington.

The Westland Tailoring Trade Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 754, situated at Greymouth.

The Christchurch Wholesale Grocery Warehouse Employees' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 828, situated at Christchurch.

*Notice of Date of Examinations.*

Education Department,  
Wellington, 30th April, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned examinations will be held on the dates specified in each case:—

Intermediate Competitive (Education Board Senior Scholarship Examination): On or about 18th November, 1913, and following days.

Intermediate Non-competitive, for Senior Free Places in Secondary Schools and District High Schools and for the First Examination of Pupil-teachers: On or about 18th November, 1913, and following days.

Junior National Scholarship: On or about the 27th and 28th November, 1913.

Junior Free Place (including the examination for Junior Free Places in Technical Schools): On or about the 27th and 28th November, 1913.

Teachers' Certificate Examinations, Class C and Class D: On or about the 5th January, 1914, and following days.

NOTE.—The Civil Service Junior (Public Service Entrance) Examination being now confined exclusively to candidates desirous of entering the Public Service, Scholarship candidates who are required by the various scholarship regulations to take this examination will now enter as Intermediate Competitive candidates.

Entries for Junior National Scholarships and Junior Free Places and for the First Examination of Pupil-teachers must be made through the principals or head teachers of the schools attended, and will be received by Secretaries of Education Boards not later than the 15th September, 1913. Junior Scholarship and Junior Free Place entries received after that date can be accepted only with the consent of the Education Department, which, if satisfied in any special case that there has been reasonable ground for the delay, may allow not more than seven days of grace.

Late entries for the First Examination of Pupil-teachers can be accepted only under conditions applicable to the Intermediate Examination.

Entries for the Intermediate Competitive and Non-competitive Examinations will be received by the Inspector-General of Schools, Wellington, until the 15th September, 1913, or, with a late fee of £1, until the 22nd September, 1913.

Entries for the Teachers' C and D Certificate Examinations will be received by the Inspector-General of Schools, Wellington, until the 15th October, 1913, or, with a late fee of £1 in addition to the ordinary fee, until the 31st October, 1913.

For Scholarship and Free Place entries, and for entrance to the First Examination of Pupil-teachers, no entrance fee is payable.

All entries must be made on the proper forms, which may be obtained after 1st July from the office of any Education Board or of the Education Department.

GEORGE HOGBEN,  
Inspector-General of Schools.

*Notice of Date of Examinations.—Public Service Examinations.*

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 30th April, 1913.

Extract from regulations made by the Public Service Commissioner, dated 1st April, 1913, section 172: "The syllabus and procedure for the Civil Service Junior and Senior Examinations are adopted and shall remain in force for all Entrance Examinations during the year 1913, and for all Senior Examinations until February, 1914."

NOTICE is hereby given of the intention to hold Public Service examinations—viz., the Public Service Entrance Examination (heretofore known as the Civil Service Junior Examination) and the Public Service Senior Examination (heretofore known as the Civil Service Senior Examination), as follows:—

Public Service Entrance Examination: On or about 18th November, 1913, and following days.

Public Service Senior Examination: On or about 5th January, 1914, and following days.

No entrance fee will be payable for the Public Service Entrance Examination or the Public Service Senior Examination.

Entries for the Public Service Entrance Examination and the Public Service Senior Examination must be addressed "The Inspector-General of Schools, Wellington," and be sent so as to reach him on or before the 8th September, 1913, and 15th October, 1913, respectively. No application received after the date herein specified will be considered, and the provision heretofore existing in regard to late entries is abolished.

All entries must be made on the proper forms which may be obtained at any time after the 1st July from the office of the Public Service Commissioner, or of the Education Department, or of any Education Board.

D. ROBERTSON,  
Public Service Commissioner.

## CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

*Lands in Auckland Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 27th May, 1913.  
 NOTICE is hereby given that the leases and licenses of the undermentioned lands having been forfeited by resolution of the Auckland Land Board, the said lands have thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

## SCHEDULE.

## AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease or License No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Lessee or Licensee.	Reason for Forfeiture.
O.R.P. ..	3723	29	VIII	Motatau ..	H. W. Coe ..	Non-fulfilment of conditions.
" ..	4058	8	V	Waitoa ..	William McKay ..	"
" ..	4365	1	"	Waihou ..	B. Vlatkovich ..	Selector's request.
R.L. ..	138	11	"	Tautari Village ..	T. H. Chapman ..	"
" ..	726	24	IV	Aroha ..	William Barrett ..	Non-fulfilment of conditions.
" ..	666	7	III	" ..	S. N. Thompson ..	"
" ..	642	55	XV	Ohinemuri ..	Percy Browne ..	"
O.R.P. ..	4087	5A	"	Maramarua ..	James Kirkup ..	Selector's request.
" ..	4129	1A	XI	Takahue ..	G. H. Gibson ..	Non-fulfilment of conditions.
" ..	3738	30	VIII	Motatau ..	H. G. Coe ..	"
" ..	3695	267	..	Waiotahi Parish ..	D. D. Underwood ..	"

W. F. MASSEY,  
 Minister of Lands.

*Lands in Otago Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 27th May, 1913.  
 NOTICE is hereby given that the leases and licenses of the undermentioned lands having been forfeited by resolution of the Otago Land Board, the said lands have thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

## SCHEDULE.

## OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease or License No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
L.I.P. ..	1340s	55	III	Marewhenua Settlement	Katherleen Bedford	Non-payment of rent.
O.R.P. ..	426	34	XIV	Rimu ..	Albert Rogers ..	Non-improvement.
R.L. ..	9	{ 20 3	{ IV VI }	Lower Hawea..	Mungo Allison ..	"

W. F. MASSEY,  
 Minister of Lands.

*Land in Otago Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 27th May, 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.	Allotment.	Settlement.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
R.L. ..	141s	31A	Conical Hills ..	Lily McKellar ..	Non-residence.

W. F. MASSEY,  
 Minister of Lands.

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

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

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned Crown land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act, on or after Thursday, the 11th day of September, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—KAWHIA NORTH SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
2	XVI	18	3	0

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Otago Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Dunedin, 2nd June, 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 the said Act on or after Thursday, the 11th September, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

An estimated area of 10 acres of land fronting Section 21, Block III, Woodland Survey District.

E. H. WILMOT,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or selection; and applications will be received at this office and at the Courthouse, Woodville, on Tuesday, 22nd July, 1913, up to 4 o'clock p.m.

Applicants will have to appear personally before the Land Board at the Courthouse, Woodville, at 10 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 23rd July, 1913, to answer any questions the Land Board may ask; but if any applicant so desires, he may be examined by the Land Board of the land district in which he resides.

The ballot for the sections for which there is more than one applicant will be held at the Courthouse, Woodville, on Thursday, 24th July, 1913, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Preference will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years been twice unsuccessful at former ballots.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—WOODVILLE COUNTY.—WOODVILLE SURVEY DISTRICT.—AHUATURANGA BLOCK.

*First-class Land.*

Section.	Block.	Area.			Cash Purchase: Total Price.			Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.			Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1	VIII	138	3	23	2,480	0	0	62	0	0	49	12	0
2	"	147	2	38	2,630	0	0	65	15	0	52	12	0
3	"	156	3	23	2,800	0	0	70	0	0	56	0	0
4	"	96	2	22	1,720	0	0	43	0	0	34	8	0
5	"	108	2	0	3,350	0	0	83	15	0	67	0	0
6	"	41	1	28	1,440	0	0	36	0	0	28	16	0
7	"	37	1	23	1,300	0	0	32	10	0	26	0	0
8	"	48	3	2	1,700	0	0	42	10	0	34	0	0
9	"	46	1	10	1,610	0	0	40	5	0	32	4	0
10	"	52	1	4	1,720	0	0	43	0	0	34	8	0
11	"	62	2	27	2,060	0	0	51	10	0	41	4	0
12	"	56	0	0	1,890	0	0	47	5	0	37	16	0

DESCRIPTIONS OF SECTIONS.

Section 1.—About 25 acres of rich flat land in the south-west and north-west portions of the section; remainder undulating and hilly country. The whole area is well grassed, chiefly native grasses, with English grass and rushes on the flat country. Distance from Woodville Township, four miles.

Section 2.—About 20 acres of flat land in English grass and rushes; the remainder undulating and hilly, in good native and English grasses. Distance from Woodville, three miles and a quarter.

Section 3.—About 50 acres of flat land in English grass, rushes and raupo, requiring draining; remainder undulating and hilly country, in good English and native grasses. Distant from Woodville, two miles and a half.

Section 4.—About 40 acres of flat land near north and west boundary of section in English and native grass and rushes. Some of the flat requires draining. Remainder of section undulating and hilly country, in good grasses. Distance from Woodville, two miles.

Section 5.—About 20 acres undulating and hilly country, in good grass, chiefly native; remainder is flat land, in English grass and rushes, but wet in winter. Distance from Woodville, one mile and a half.

Section 6.—Rich flat land, in English grass and rushes. Distance from Woodville, three miles and a half.

Section 7.—Rich flat land, in English grass and rushes, similar to Section 6. Distance from Woodville, three miles and a half.

Section 8.—All rich flat land, part wet in winter. Section is in English grass and rushes. Distance from Woodville, three miles.

Section 9.—All flat land, in English grass and rushes. Distance from Woodville, two miles and a quarter.

Section 10.—All flat land, in English grass and rushes; wet in winter. Distance from Woodville, two miles.

Section 11.—All flat land, in English grass and rushes. Distance from Woodville, 1 mile 5 furlongs.

Section 12.—All flat land, in English grass and rushes; wet in winter. About 20 acres of light bush and scrub in the north-west corner useful for firewood. Distance from Woodville, one mile and a half.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements included in the capital value of the land consist of: Section 1—share in 40 chains of boundary fencing valued at £20; Section 2—share in 72 chains of boundary fencing valued at £36; Section 3—share in 60 chains of boundary fencing valued at £30; Section 4—share in 48 chains of boundary fencing valued at £24; Section 5—share in 40 chains of boundary fencing valued at £20; Section 6—share in 9 chains of boundary fencing valued at £4 10s.; Section 7—share in 9 chains of boundary fencing valued at £4 10s.; Section 8—share in 14 chains of boundary fencing valued at £7; Section 9—share in 30 chains of boundary fencing valued at £15; Section 10—share in 14 chains of boundary fencing valued at £7; Section 11—share in 14 chains of boundary fencing valued at £7; Section 12—share in 16 chains of boundary fencing valued at £8.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

The Ahuaturanga Block is situated a mile and a half from Woodville, and is subdivided into twelve holdings ranging in area from about 37 acres to 157 acres. The Woodville-Masterton Railway runs through the whole length of the block, the country to the south-west and west of the line being composed entirely of rich flat country in grass and rushes; and that to the south-east and east of the line, comprising for the most part good hill land, well grassed, with lesser areas of flat land also in grass and rushes. In all cases the existing fences have been adopted as boundary of sections, and are in the most suitable positions for that purpose. The block was originally all bush-clad land. The bush, with the exception of some 20 acres of scrub and light bush in the north-west corner of the block, and of value as firewood only, has since been felled and burnt, and the ground surface sown in English and exotic grasses.

The block is capable of great improvement by stumping, draining, and ploughing on the flat portions. Provision has been made for the formation of the necessary roads and drains, which will undoubtedly greatly improve the land and which will also be of great advantage and benefit to the surrounding country. The opening-up and closer settlement of this block should materially assist the dairying industry, which has of recent years rapidly developed in Woodville and the surrounding districts.

The block is well watered and the soil good, especially on the flats, where a rich loamy soil is to be found overlying a clay formation.

R. T. SADD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Timber in Wellington Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 2nd June, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the right to cut and remove the timber on the undermentioned forest reserve will be offered for sale by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 30th July, 1913, under the provisions of the State Forests Act, 1908, and the timber regulations thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 42, Block XI, Ongo Survey District. Area, 323 acres. Situated on left bank of Rangitikei River, south-east of Hunterville, about six miles south of Livingstone Township.

Timber.	Estimated Quantity, in Sup. Feet.	Upset Price.
Totara .. ..	323,000	} £ s. d. 500 0 0
Matai .. ..	193,800	
Rimu, miro ..	403,750	
Kahikatea ..	355,300	
Total.. ..	1,275,850	

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The right to cut and remove the timber will be sold generally in accordance with the provisions of the State Forests Act, 1908, the timber regulations made thereunder, and the following conditions, and may contain such additional conditions as the Commissioner in his discretion considers necessary in the interests of the Crown or of the public.

2. The quantities of the various timbers set forth in the above Schedule are approximate only, and are furnished for the information of intending purchasers, who are expected, previous to the sale, to make their own estimate of the quantity of timber. No contract for purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the licensee be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, and kind than as stated herein, nor shall any extra sum be claimed by the Crown if for any reason the quantity of timber is found to be in excess of that stated herein.

3. The successful bidder shall purchase the whole of the timber, and shall, on the fall of the hammer, pay in cash a deposit of 10 per centum of the amount bid, together with £1 ls. license fee, and shall also deposit seven promissory notes, each for one-seventh of the balance of purchase-money, each payable on demand, and indorsed by two persons to be approved by the Commissioner. These promissory notes will be presented, the first at an interval of six months from the date of sale, and the others at subsequent intervals of six months, but they may be presented for payment at earlier dates if more than a due proportion of timber is found to be cut, or should any breach of the conditions occur, or if in the opinion of the Commissioner the interest of the Crown is jeopardized.

4. The purchaser shall have the right to cut all timber thereon during a period of four years from the date of sale. The license shall be only for the cutting and removal of the timber, and shall give no right to the use of the land. The purchaser shall, however, have the option of obtaining a grazing license until the expiration or sooner determination of his milling license, at a rent of £25 per annum. In the event of his not accepting this offer of license to graze, the Crown reserves the right to dispose otherwise of same, with right of ingress, egress, and regress.

5. The timber shall be cut in a face, and the Crown reserves the right of following up the mill-workings by felling and grassing such areas as from time to time will have been cleared of milling-timber. Sufficient timber shall be left for fencing and general farming purposes.

6. The licensee shall not put, throw, or place, or allow to be put, thrown, or placed, into any river, stream, or watercourse, or into any place where it may be washed into any river, stream, or watercourse, any sawdust or other sawmill refuse.

7. If the timber is unsold at auction the right to cut it at the upset price will remain open for application until further notice.

8. The lot will be sold generally in accordance with the area and boundaries as shown on the sale map at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington.

9. No compensation will be given nor shall any be claimed for any error, discrepancy, or misdescription whatever in respect of the lot or in these conditions.

Full particulars may be ascertained and copies of the timber regulations obtained at this office.

T. N. BRODRICK,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Wellington Land District for Sale or Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 4th June, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or selection; and applications will be received at this office and at the Olympia Theatre, Pahiatua on Wednesday, 16th July, 1913, up to 4 o'clock p.m.

Applicants will have to appear personally before the Land Board at the Olympia Theatre, Pahiatua, on Thursday, 17th July, 1913, at 10 o'clock a.m., to answer any questions the Land Board may ask; but if any applicant so desires, he may be examined by the Land Board of the land district in which he resides.

The ballot for the sections for which there is more than one applicant will be held at the Olympia Theatre, Pahiatua, on Thursday, 17th July, 1913, at the conclusion of the examination of applicants.

Preference will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years been twice unsuccessful at former ballots.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—PAHIATUA COUNTY.—MANGAHAO SURVEY DISTRICT.—MANGATAINOKA BLOCK.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.		Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.		Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.	
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
13	IV	138 1 30	1,670	0 0	41 15	0	33 8	0
14	"	60 2 17	1,030	0 0	25 15	0	20 12	0
15	"	60 0 0	1,200	0 0	30 0	0	24 0	0
16	"	60 0 0	1,200	0 0	30 0	0	24 0	0
17	"	60 0 0	1,200	0 0	30 0	0	24 0	0
18	"	60 0 0	1,200	0 0	30 0	0	24 0	0
19	"	62 0 0	1,310	0 0	32 15	0	26 4	0
20	"	48 2 0	1,030	0 0	25 15	0	20 12	0
21	"	54 3 0	1,140	0 0	28 10	0	22 16	0
22	"	67 2 30	1,560	0 0	39 0	0	31 4	0
23	"	78 3 0	1,490	0 0	37 5	0	29 16	0
24	"	78 0 28	1,400	0 0	35 0	0	28 0	0
25	"	75 0 0	1,360	0 0	34 0	0	27 4	0
26	"	75 2 29	1,060	0 0	26 10	0	21 4	0
28	"	133 1 0	1,470	0 0	36 15	0	29 8	0
139	III	88 3 10	1,600	0 0	40 0	0	32 0	0
140	"	74 2 30	1,050	0 0	26 5	0	21 0	0
141	"	65 0 0	1,360	0 0	34 0	0	27 4	0
142	"	76 2 0	1,700	0 0	42 10	0	34 0	0
143	"	78 0 0	1,800	0 0	45 0	0	36 0	0
144	"	62 0 0	1,250	0 0	31 5	0	25 0	0
145	"	58 2 0	1,170	0 0	29 5	0	23 8	0

The Mangatainoka Block is situated in the fork of the Manawatu and Mangahao Rivers, about seven miles from Woodville, a mile and a half from Mangatainoka Railway-station, and four miles and a half from Pahiatua. Elevation, about 250 ft. above sea-level. All old bush land of first-class quality, now in grass and suitable for dairy-farming; somewhat overgrown with rushes in places. Water is obtainable on every section, and many are well watered. Lots 14 to 24 and 142 to 145 are almost flat; the remaining allotments consist chiefly of easy spurs, though parts of Lots 139 and 140 are flat. About 15 acres of Lot 142 and 27 acres of Lot 143 are in bush.

The improvements included in the capital values of the sections consist of fencing, as follows: Section 13, about 124 chains; Section 14, 21½ chains; Section 18, about 26 chains; Section 19, about 23 chains; Section 20, 15½ chains; Section 21, 36½ chains; Section 22, about 65 chains; Section 23, about 44 chains; Section 24, 23½ chains; Sec-

tion 26, about 20 chains; Section 28, 77½ chains; Section 139, 58½ chains; Section 140, about 66 chains; Section 141, 13½ chains; Section 142, about 29 chains; Section 143, about 58 chains; Section 144, about 46 chains; and Section 145, 7½ chains.

The improvements which are not included in the capital value, but which must be paid for separately, consist of—Section 22, wooden hut, valued at £15.

T. N. BRODRICK,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

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

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Friday, the 25th day of July, 1913, for leases of the undermentioned lands, under the provisions of the Acts quoted in each case.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

*Under Section 130, Land Act, 1908.*

WAITOMO County.—17 acres; Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District, adjoining Kinohaku East No. 4c No. 2 Block. Term, five years. Minimum annual rental, £1 15s.

Otamatea County, Tokatoka Survey District.—Cleared portions of Sections 4, 5, 6, Block XII. Approximate area, 350 acres. Term, year to year. Minimum annual rental, £25.

NOTE.—The leases of the above are liable to resumption at any time in the event of the lands being required by the Crown.

*Under the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.*

(Term in each case, fourteen years.)

Hokianga County, Punakitere Survey District.—Block XIII, township reserve; 121 acres. Minimum annual rental, £4.

Matamata County, Selwyn Settlement, Patetere Survey District.—Section 33, Block XI; 10 acres. Minimum annual rental, 5s.

Otamatea County, Raupo Town.—Lots 12, 13, 14, municipal reserves; 3 acres. Minimum annual rental, £2.

Whangarei County, Waikiekie Parish.—Section 49, domain reserve; 56 acres. Minimum annual rental, £5.

Otamatea County, Pahi Town.—Lots 1 and 2, old post-office site; 1 acre. Minimum annual rental, £1.

Waitomo County, Maungamangero Survey District.—Section 14, Block VI; 55 acres; cattle-camping reserve. Minimum annual rental, £7. Lessee to provide accommodation for travelling stock at ordinary rates.

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 Land in Hauraki Mining District for License.*

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for license under the Regulations for the Occupation of Pastoral Lands, in Hauraki Mining District; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 28th July, 1913.

The ballot for the land, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, 31st July, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—COROMANDEL COUNTY.

37½ ACRES in Block VII, Otama Survey District. Weighted with £31 15s. for improvements, comprising 9 acres felled and grassed and 22 chains fencing.

Altitude, 20 ft. to 250 ft. above sea-level. One-third undulating land, balance broken; about 5 acres manuka forest; 9 acres felled and grassed; remainder scrub land. Soil fair to very poor, on slate formation. Distant two miles and a quarter from Whitianga by cart-road. The only available water is brackish, being subject to tidal influences.

*Term of License.*

Term, twenty-one years, with conditional right of renewal. All applications are subject to the approval of the Land Board; and applicants who are landless within the meaning of the Land Act shall have preference at the ballot, if one is necessary.

Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Village-homestead Allotment in Wellington Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 30th April, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village-homestead allotment is open for selection on renewable lease, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, on the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 25th June, 1913.

Applicants will have to appear personally before the Land Board at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at 10 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 26th June, 1913, to answer any questions the Land Board may ask.

The ballot for the allotment, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at the conclusion of the examination of applicants.

Preference will be given to landless married applicants with children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years been twice unsuccessful at former ballots.

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WAIMARINO COUNTY.—  
OHAKUNE VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

*First-class Land.*

Section.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
34	A. R. P. 15 0 0	£ s. d. 130 0 0	£ s. d. 2 12 0

Situated in the Ohakune Village Settlement, on the main road to Ohakune Railway-station, which is about three-quarters of a mile distant by formed and metalled road. Flat land, of good quality, resting on clay and grit. The forest, which is light, consists of small rimu, matai, miro, tawa, &c., with the usual undergrowth. All milling-timber has been cut out. Elevation, about 2,100 ft. above sea-level.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The land enumerated above is first-class land, and is a village-homestead allotment, open for selection on renewable lease for periods of sixty-six years, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act").
2. The rental stated above shall be the price at which the land shall be open for selection.

3. Applications for a lease shall be made in manner as provided in Part I of the said Act; and all such applications shall be made to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Wellington; and a lease will be issued in accordance with the provisions of Part I aforesaid.

4. Each applicant shall state his or her residence, occupation, and condition in life (namely, whether married or single), and will be required to make the prescribed declaration.

5. Each applicant shall pay the first half-year's rent, together with the lease and registration fee (£1 1s.), immediately the application has been approved or declared successful at the ballot; also the rent for the period elapsing between the date of the lease and the due date of such half-yearly payment.

6. All rent must be paid half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st days of January and July in each year, as provided in section 180 of the said Act; and the first half-year's rent is payable as before provided.

7. Improvements and residence on the land comprised in each lease shall be as provided in Part III of the said Act. The provisions of section 162, and all other provisions of the said Act with respect to substantial improvements, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations. The provisions of section 159, and all other provisions of the said Act in respect of compulsory residence, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations.

8. No lessee shall divide, sublet, or transfer the land held by him under these regulations, except under and subject to the provisions of Part I of the said Act.

9. No lessee shall apply for or hold more than one allotment, and such allotment shall be held for his or her sole use and benefit, and not for the use or benefit of any other person whomsoever.

10. All the provisions of the said Act, so far as applicable, shall extend and apply to the lands affected by these regulations, and to the applications and leases to be made and issued thereunder, and generally to the interests created, and the persons whose rights, liabilities, or interests are thereby affected; and the mention of any particular provision of the said Act shall not be deemed to exclude any other provision of the said Act applicable to the particular case.

Full particulars may be ascertained, forms of applications obtained, and plans seen at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington.

T. N. BRODRICK,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Tongaporutu Domain, Taranaki Land District, for Lease by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
New Plymouth, 28th April, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned domain will be offered for lease by public auction, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, on Wednesday, 11th June, 1913, at 11 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—TONGAPORUTU VILLAGE.—  
TONGAPORUTU DOMAIN.

Section.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term.
23	A. R. P. 4 1 24	£ s. d. 4 0 0	14 years.

*Terms and Conditions of Lease.*

1. Lease fee, £1 1s., and half-year's rent shall be paid upon the fall of the hammer.
2. Possession will be given on the day of sale.
3. The lease shall be for the term specified, but shall be subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.
4. The rent shall be paid half-yearly in advance.
5. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease, except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
6. The lessee shall not be allowed to fell, cut down, or destroy in any way any tree or shrub that may be upon the reserve, and he must prevent stock from trespassing on the portion of the reserve containing bush.
7. The lessee will at all times during the said term keep in good repair and condition, to the satisfaction of the Com-

missioner of Crown Lands, all hedges, fences, and gates in, upon, and about the said land, and shall so yield them up at the expiration of the term.

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

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

10. The public shall at all times have the free right of ingress and egress over the land comprised in the lease for *bona fide* recreation, but no person shall trespass with dog or firearms on the said land.

11. No buildings shall be erected on any portion of the domain.

Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.

G. H. BULLARD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Settlement Land in Southland Land District for Selection.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 30th April, 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 the Land for Settlements Act, 1908; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m., on Wednesday, 25th June, 1913.

The ballot for the section, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, at 10 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, 26th June, 1913.

Preference will be given to landless applicants with children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years been twice unsuccessful at former ballots.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.—WAIAU SURVEY DISTRICT.—OTAHU SETTLEMENT.  
*Second-class Land.*

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
24	IV	A. R. P. 69 3 36	£ s. d. 60 0 0	£ s. d. 1 7 0

Flat land, descending towards Waiau River on the west in two high terraces; soil slightly shingly. Improvements, which go with the land, consist of half-value of 69½ chains of fence on northern boundary. Situated about four miles from Clifden Post-office and five miles from Eastern Bush Post-office.

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

*Land in Taranaki Land District to be disposed of under Section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
New Plymouth, 26th March, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on or after Thursday, the 3rd day of July, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—MAPARA SURVEY DISTRICT.  
SECTION 7, Block XII. Area, 35 acres.

G. H. BULLARD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.



*Land to be disposed of under Section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 12th March, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on or after Monday, the 16th day of June, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—  
ORETI HUNDRED.

Section.	Block.	Area.
200	VIII	A. R. P. 13 3 5

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

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

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

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale or selection under the provisions of the said Act on Tuesday, the 24th day of June, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
5	V	Opoee .. .. .	A. R. P. 176 3 24
7	IV	Rangauuu .. .. .	95 0 0
9	"	" .. .. .	134 0 0

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land to be disposed of under Section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
New Plymouth, 28th April, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on and after Thursday, the 21st day of August, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—MAPARA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
Part 1	XII	A. R. P. 50 0 0 (approx.).

G. H. BULLARD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Auckland Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 26th March, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be dealt with in accordance with the provisions of the said Act on or after Monday, the 30th day of June, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WHAREORINO SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
6A 10A	II "	A. R. P. 26 2 38 4 3 38

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 19th March, 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 the said Act on or after Tuesday, the 24th day of June, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—ROTOITI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
7	I	A. R. P. 645 0 0

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 5th May, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Monday, the 25th day of August, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—ORAHIRI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
3A	V	A. R. P. 164 0 0

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 12th March, 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 by public auction on or after Friday, the 27th day of June, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TE KURI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
12	III	A. R. P. 1 1 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, 14th April, 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 the said Act, on or after Monday, the 21st day of July, 1913.

**SCHEDULE.**

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TAKARUE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
32	VI	A. R. P. 77 1 27

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land for Disposal under Section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
New Plymouth, 26th March, 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 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on or after Friday, the 11th day of July, 1913.

**SCHEDULE.**

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—TOTORO SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
7	IV	A. R. P. 6 2 26

G. H. BULLARD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 26th March, 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 the said Act on or after Monday, the 30th day of June, 1913.

**SCHEDULE.**

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TAKARUE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
2	XIII	166 acres.

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land to be disposed of under Section 138 of the Land Act, 1908.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
New Plymouth, 16th April, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of, under section 138 of the said Act, on or after Friday, the 1st day of August, 1913.

**SCHEDULE.**

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—OPAKU SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
17	IX	A. R. P. 116 3 30

G. H. BULLARD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 26th May, 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 the said Act, on or after Thursday, the 4th day of September, 1913.

**SCHEDULE.**

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TAUHOA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
Forest reserve .. .. .	X	A. R. P. 1,525 0 0

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Taranaki Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
New Plymouth, 26th May, 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 the said Act, on or after Thursday, the 4th day of September, 1913.

**SCHEDULE.**

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
5	VII	Omona .. .. .	A. R. P. 2,761 0 0
5	VIII	" .. .. .	3,270 0 0

G. H. BULLARD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in the Auckland Land District open for Sale or Selection under the Land Act, 1908.*

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

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be open for sale or selection under the said Act on or after Tuesday, the 24th day of June, 1913.

**SCHEDULE.**

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—PIRONGIA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
155, Mangapiko Parish	IV	A. R. P. 37 0 0

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Southland Land District to be disposed of under Section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 5th May, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on or after Friday, the 8th day of August, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—FOREST HILL HUNDRED.

Section.	Block.	Area.
350	XVI	A. R. P. 199 1 0

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Nelson, 5th May, 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 the said Act on or after Friday, the 8th day of August, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
3	V	Hope .. ..	A. R. P. 122 0 0

F. A. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands

Village-settlement Allotment in Auckland Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village-homestead allotment is open for selection on renewable lease, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, on the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 28th July, 1913.

The ballot for the allotment, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, the 31st July, 1913.

Preference will be given to landless married applicants with children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years been twice unsuccessful at former ballots.

The allotment is described for the general information of intending applicants, 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.—RAGLAN COUNTY.—MANGATI VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.  
(National Endowment.)

Section.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
8	A. R. P. 1 0 24	£ s. d. 25 0 0	£ s. d. 0 10 0

Altitude, 30 ft. above sea-level. Level land, covered with grass, pennyroyal, and ragwort; low-lying, and subject to flood. Soil of first-class quality, on clay subsoil; well watered by Mangati Stream. Situated in Mangati Village, about twenty-nine miles from Ngaruawahia and about eleven miles from Te Akau deep-water landing by formed cart-road in each case.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE OF LANDS IN MANGATI VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

1. The land enumerated above is first-class land, and is a village-homestead allotment, open for selection on renewable lease for periods of sixty-six years under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act").

2. The rental stated above shall be the price at which the land shall be open for selection.

3. Applications for a lease shall be made in manner as provided in Part I of the said Act; and all such applications

shall be made to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Auckland; and the lease will be issued in accordance with the provisions of Part I aforesaid.

4. Each applicant shall state his or her residence, occupation, and condition in life (namely, whether married or single), and will be required to make the prescribed declaration.

5. The successful applicant shall pay the first half-year's rent, together with the lease and registration fee (£1 1s.), immediately the application has been approved or declared successful at the ballot; also the rent for the period elapsing between the date of the lease and the due date of such half-yearly payment.

6. The rent must be paid half-yearly, in advance, on the 1st days of January and July in each year, as provided in section 180 of the said Act; and the first half-year's rent is payable as before provided.

7. Improvements and residence on the land comprised in the lease shall be as provided in Part III of the said Act. The provisions of section 162, and all other provisions of the said Act with respect to substantial improvements, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations. The provisions of section 159, and all other provisions of the said Act in respect of compulsory residence, shall apply accordingly to lessees under these regulations.

8. No lessee shall divide, sublet, or transfer the land held by him under these regulations, except under and subject to the provisions of Part I of the said Act.

9. No lessee shall apply for or hold more than one allotment, and such allotment shall be held for his or her sole use and benefit, and not for the use or benefit of any other person whomsoever.

10. All the provisions of the said Act, so far as applicable, shall extend and apply to the lands affected by these regulations, and to the applications and leases to be made and issued thereunder, and generally to the interests created, and the persons whose rights, liabilities, or interests are thereby affected; and the mention of any particular provision of the said Act shall not be deemed to exclude any other provision of the said Act applicable to the particular case.

Further particulars may be ascertained, forms of application obtained, and plans seen at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland.

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Taranaki Scholarship Endowment Land for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
New Plymouth, 27th May, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserve will be offered for lease by public auction for a term of twenty-one years, with a perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years, at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, the 16th July, 1913, under the provisions of the Taranaki Scholarships Endowment Act, 1910, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—OPAKU SURVEY DISTRICT.

Rural Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
7	XV	A. R. P. 23 0 0	£ s. d. 0 12 6

The section comprises rough spurs, with a small flat of about half an acre, and is covered with a fairly heavy forest. Soil is of papa formation, and the section is well watered.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A half-year's rent at rate offered, lease and registration fees, £1 1s., to be paid on fall of hammer.

2. Term of lease is twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for successive terms of twenty-one years.

3. Rent of renewal lease to be fixed by arbitration. If lessee does not desire new lease at end of any term, land to be leased by auction. The incoming lessee to pay the value of the improvements, which is to be handed over to outgoing lessee, less any sums due to the Crown.

4. No transfer or sublease allowed without consent.

5. Lessee to cultivate and improve land, and keep it clear of weeds. Creeks, drains, and watercourses to be kept open.

6. Interest at rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrear.

7. Buildings on land to be insured.
8. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
9. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

Form of lease, which is under section 2 (3) of the Taranaki Scholarships Endowment Act, 1910, and section 5 (g) of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908, may be perused and full particulars obtained at this office.

G. H. BULLARD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Education Reserves in Taranaki Land District for Lease by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
New Plymouth, 27th May, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserves will be offered for lease by public auction for a term of twenty-one years, with a perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years, at this office at 11 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, the 16th July, 1913, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

EDUCATION RESERVES.

TOWN OF NEW PLYMOUTH.

Section.	Area.			Upsert Annual Rental.	
	A.	R.	P.	£	s. d.
566	0	1	0.8	6	0 0
567	0	1	0.8	6	0 0
569	0	1	0.8	6	0 0
570	0	1	0.8	6	0 0

SECOND-CLASS RURAL LAND.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Upsert Annual Rental.
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*Patea County.—Opaku Survey District.*

Section.	Block.	Area.			Capital Value.		Upsert Annual Rental.			
		A.	R.	P.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.		
9	VIII	732	0	0	370	0	0	18	10	0

Situated on the Ngarahu Road. Access from Waverley, thirty miles distant, *via* Okotuku, Mataimoana, and Ahoroa Roads. The first two are formed dray-roads, while the latter is being widened. The Ngarahu Road is unformed. The section comprises rough ridges and spurs, except at the extreme northern end, where the country is a little easier. A homestead-site would be difficult to find. The section is covered with a fairly heavy forest of tawa, rata, scattered rimu, &c., and a dense undergrowth of karamu, supplejacks, &c. The soil is of papa formation, and the section is well watered.

*Whangamomona County.—Mahoe Survey District.*

Section.	Block.	Area.			Capital Value.		Upsert Annual Rental.			
		A.	R.	P.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.		
3	III	732	0	0	550	0	0	27	10	0

Situated on the Okara Road, which is formed from the Whangamomona Road end to within about a mile of the section. Access from Whangamomona, about fourteen miles distant, *via* the main Ohura Road, which is formed for dray traffic and partly metalled; the Kohuratahi Road, which is formed and metalled; the Putikituna Road, which is formed as a dray-road for about a mile, the rest being formed track; and thence *via* the Okara Road, which is formed track for about a mile and a half. The section comprises fairly good grazing-country, with fairly rough ridges and spurs at the back, and is covered with a heavy forest of tawa, rata, towhai, rimu, kahikatea, hinau, and scattered totara, &c., and a dense undergrowth of supplejacks, karamu, &c. The soil is of papa formation, and the section is well watered.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Capital Value.		Upsert Annual Rental.			
		A.	R.	P.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.		
1	IX	895	0	0	570	0	0	28	0	0

Situated on the Tirohanga Road. Access from Whangamomona, about seventeen miles distant, *via* the Whangamomona Road, which is formed as a dray-road for five miles, and is being formed for a further seven miles; thence up the Tirohanga Road, which is formed track for about a mile, the balance being unformed. The section comprises mixed country, from fair to rough, with gorgy creeks, and is covered with a fairly heavy forest of tawa, rata, towhai, rimu, hinau,

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Upsert Annual Rental.
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with scattered totara on ridges and spurs, and a heavy undergrowth of supplejacks, tree ferns, &c. The soil is of papa formation, and the section is well watered.

*Whangamomona County.—Upper Waitara Survey District.*

Section.	Block.	Area.			Capital Value.		Upsert Annual Rental.			
		A.	R.	P.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.		
6	XVI	570	0	0	290	0	0	14	10	0

Situated on the Mangare Road. Access from Whangamomona, about three miles distant, two miles being dray-road, and the balance formed track now being widened for dray traffic. The section comprises some very rough country, with high ridges and spurs and deep and gorgy gullies. The section is covered with a heavy forest of tawa, rata, rimu, kahikatea, towhai, &c., with birch on the high ridges, and a dense undergrowth of supplejacks, karamu, &c. The soil is of papa formation, and the section is well watered.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A half-year's rent at rate offered, and lease and registration fees, £2 2s., to be paid on fall of hammer.
2. Term of lease is twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for successive terms of twenty-one years.
3. Rent of renewal lease to be fixed by arbitration. If lessee does not desire new lease at end of any term, land to be leased by auction. The incoming lessee to pay the value of the improvements, which is to be handed over to outgoing lessee, less any sums due to the Crown.
4. No transfer or sublease allowed without consent.
5. Lessee to cultivate and improve land, and keep it clear of weeds. Creeks, drains, and watercourses to be kept open.
6. Interest at rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrear.
7. Buildings on land to be insured.
8. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
9. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.
10. *Improvements on Rural Lands.*—Licensee is required to improve the land within one year to the value of 10 per cent. of the capital value; within two years, to the value of another 10 per cent. of the capital value; and thereafter, but within six years, to the value of another 10 per cent. of the capital value. In addition to the foregoing, and within six years, improvements are also to be effected to the value of £1 for every acre of first-class land and 10s. for every acre of second-class land.

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

G. H. BULLARD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Small Grazing-run in Hawke's Bay Land District for Lease.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Napier, 20th May, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-run is open for lease for a term of twenty-one years, with right of renewal, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, 10th July, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—Wairoa County.—Waitara Survey District.

*Second-class Pastoral Land.*

Run.	Area.			Half-yearly Rent.		
	A.	R.	P.	£	s. d.	
107	5,817	0	0	37	10	0

Rough and undulating country, covered with fern and scrubby manuka. A belt of about 10 chains wide, which extends along the top and sides of the range on the south-east boundary, and the tops of most of the hills and spurs, are covered with Native grasses. The soil is of a light pumiceous nature. Fronts Mohaka River. Situated forty-seven miles from Napier and nineteen miles from Te Pohue by formed dray-road, with the exception of three miles of bridle-track.

R. T. SADD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Reserves in Taranaki Land District for Lease by Public Tender.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
New Plymouth, 27th May, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for leases of the undermentioned reserves will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 23rd July, 1913, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF HAWERA.

Lot.	Section.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Term.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	
16, 17	19	0 2 16	5 0 0	3 years.
28, 29, 30	19	0 2 38	7 0 0	5 "
9	37	5 3 32.4	30 0 0	5 "

The lots comprise flat land, all in grass.

*Terms and Conditions of Lease.*

1. Six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 ls. lease fee, must accompany each tender.
2. There are no restrictions or limitations as to the number of sections which one person may lease, and no declaration is required. Residence is not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, nor for any other cause.
3. Possession will be given on the date of acceptance of tender, except in the case of the southern half of Lot 9, possession of which will be given on 1st October, 1913.
4. The lease of Lots 16 and 17 shall be subject to termination by one month's notice, and the leases of the other lots to

twelve months' notice, in the event of the land being required by the Government.

5. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance.
6. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease without consent.
7. The land shall not be cropped nor broken up, except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
8. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbriar on the land comprised in the lease; and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, sweetbriar, broom, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

9. The lease will be liable to forfeiture if the lessee fails to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to be fulfilled.

10. The Post and Telegraph Department reserves the right to store telegraph material on Lots 16 and 17.

11. The lessee of Lot 9 will at all times during the said term keep all boundary-fences, subdivision-fences, hedges, gates, and water-troughs (two) now erected or which may hereafter be erected on the said land or on the boundaries thereof in good repair, order, and condition, and so yield up the same at the expiration or sooner determination of the said term.

12. The lessee of Lot 9 will properly cut and trim at least once in every year all live hedges which may be growing upon the said land, or any of the boundaries thereof, at the proper season so as to prevent seeding or spreading.

Tenders should be addressed "The Commissioner of Crown Lands, New Plymouth," and marked on the outside "Tender for Reserve."

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

G. H. BULLARD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICE.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wellington.*

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 4th June, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Wellington on the 25th day of June, 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, 1913-17.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Transfer .. ..	26 May, 1913 ..	Lots 1 and 2, Block 401, part of Rangitoto 3B 4E	Tiripa Tawhe te Ruruku to R. N. Woodman.
2	Lease .. ..	24 " 1913 ..	Orakauhamu No. 26B	Haimona Turi or Patete to C. F. Hart.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
3	Mereana Rameka (by her agent, H. W. Katene)	Anatoki, Block VI, Part 3 of 12.
4	" " "	Takaka, Section 36, Block IX.
5	Pirihira Ngamiro	Waiotetuta No. 2.

## APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Person under Disability.
87	Reupena Toare (by his agents, C. R. Parata and Co.)	Whitiatara .. .. .	Tamaheni Reupena.
88	The Public Trustee .. .. .	Ngakaroro 3B No. 2 and other lands	Tuhera Kiriona (insane).

## APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Child.	Name of Existing Trustee
89	Rea Hiporaiti (by her solicitors, Maginnity and Son)	Okoha .. .. .	Turia Hemi Whiro ..	William Smith.
*90	Tini Kerei Tataroa (by his agent, J. H. W. Uru)	Kaiapoi, Section 68 ..	..	..

\* This is an application for an order of the Court appointing new trustees in lieu of Matana Piki and Tare Wi Teihoka, both deceased, appointed by Arapata Koti, deceased, as trustees in respect of his interest under Deed of Settlement dated the 25th November, 1880.

## APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
91	The Chief Surveyor, Wellington .. .. .	Okurupatu A 3, Sub. 2E No. 2A .. .. .	£ s. d. 7 11 8
92	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 2B .. .. .	6 16 3
98	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 2B 2 .. .. .	2 4 11
94	" " " " .. .. .	Okurupatu B, No. 4B No. 1 .. .. .	50 7 0
95	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 2 .. .. .	35 15 9
96	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 2A .. .. .	11 7 9
97	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 2B .. .. .	18 2 1
98	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 2C .. .. .	11 2 5
99	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 2D .. .. .	4 18 5
100	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 2E .. .. .	4 18 5
101	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 2F .. .. .	4 18 5
102	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 3 .. .. .	28 18 0
108	" " " " .. .. .	Pahaoa 3B No. 1 .. .. .	4 14 8
104	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 2 .. .. .	20 16 11
105	" " " " .. .. .	Mangatainoka 2BH No. 2E 1 .. .. .	14 18 6
106	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 2E 2 .. .. .	14 18 6
107	" " " " .. .. .	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki 4E 3, Section 2A No. 1 ..	6 6 11
108	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 2 .. .. .	6 18 11
109	" " " " .. .. .	Te Whiti South No. 1A .. .. .	12 19 8
110	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 1B .. .. .	16 0 9
111	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 1C .. .. .	32 6 7
112	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 1D .. .. .	16 17 4
113	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 1E .. .. .	22 5 3
114	" " " " .. .. .	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki 4E 2B, Sub. 6A ..	10 7 5
115	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 6B .. .. .	5 6 10
116	" " " " .. .. .	Ohau 3A 1B No. 1 .. .. .	7 10 2
117	" " " " .. .. .	" " " " 2 .. .. .	47 14 10

## APPLICATION FOR ORDER VESTING PORTION OF LAND IN SATISFACTION OF SURVEY LIEN.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount of Survey Lien.
118	William Saxon Charlesworth .. .. .	Waimakaira No. 1B .. .. .	£ s. d. 13 13 6

## APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
119	Henare Whakatau Uru .. .. .	Kataraina Uru.
120	Maui Pomare .. .. .	Kuini Wi Thompson.
121	Hoani Pitini Morera (by his agents, C. R. Parata and Co.)	Mereana Pitini Morera.
122	Morison and McLean (solicitors for the Public Trustee)	Rangihamu Eruera.
123	Emā te Puni .. .. .	Rangiwahia te Puni.

APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
124	Matene Rabaruhi (by his solicitors, Bunny and Ayson)	Thomas Freeman or Tamati Pirimona.

MATTER REFERRED TO THE COURT UNDER SECTION 49 OF THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895.

No.	Name of Appellant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
125	The Chief Judge of the Native Land Court	Wharekauri No. 10	For inquiry and report as to the nature of the boundaries laid down on partition.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXCHANGES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
126	{ Pirihiira Patete .. .. . Kaaro Wirihana .. .. .	Okoha Native Landless. Edgecombe Native Landless.
127	{ John Stirling .. .. . Elizabeth Stirling .. .. .	Jacobs River Hundred, Block XXV, Section 66. " " " 25.

APPLICATION FOR REHEARING UNDER SECTION 28 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.	Nature of Decision affected by Application.
128	Maui Pomare (by his solicitors, Chapman, Skerrett, Wylie, and Tripp)	Makareta Retimana	Decisions given on the 22nd November, 1912, appointing successors to the interests of the deceased.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 140 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.	Nature of Application
129	Ngahiraka Enoka (by her solicitors, Bunny and Ayson)	Hemi Enoka	For an order of the Court awarding the applicant, being the widow of deceased, an estate for life in such part of the real estate and an absolute interest in such part of the personal estate of the said deceased as the Court may deem necessary for her adequate maintenance.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 11 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1912.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
130	The Hon. Minister of Lands	Sections 52, 53, and 54, Block I, Ohika Survey District	For an inquiry to be made by the Court to ascertain what persons shall be included in the title.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 10 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1912.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
131	J. H. Prosser	Kahotea No. 2B	That the Court lay a road-line to afford access to the block.
132	H. J. Jillett (by his solicitors, Menteth and Ward)	Takapuwhia North A No. 1	Ditto.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
183	Ratima Maaka .. ..	Otawhao No. 59 and Okuru-patu 2A	For an order directing the Public Trustee to pay to applicant as trustee for Turuki Karaitiana the sum of £100, being part of purchase-money in respect of the said blocks.
184	Tutua Teone and others .. ..	Otari Nos. 3, 4, and 5 .. ..	For an order directing the Public Trustee to pay out compensation moneys held by him in respect of Pero T-one, deceased, and Raita Kautarewa, deceased.

## MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

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

## REGULATION No. 48.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Oahurangi Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui on Wednesday, the 25th day of June, 1913, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Agnes O'Neill, of Palmerston North, at the price of £2 5s. an acre.”

Dated at Wanganui this 29th day of May, 1913.

J. B. JACK,  
President.

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

## REGULATION No. 48.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Parapara 2A 2A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui on Wednesday, the 25th day of June, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Henry Waldo Collier for the sum of £623.”

Dated at Wanganui this 29th day of May, 1913.

J. B. JACK,  
President.

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

## REGULATION No. 48.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Nukumaru 1A No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui on Thursday, the 26th day of June, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That part of the above land, containing fifty-six acres, be sold to Meriel Handley at the price of £1,422.”

Dated at Wanganui this 29th day of May, 1913.

J. B. JACK,  
President.

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

## REGULATION No. 48.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Taharoa A, Section 6D, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Mercer on Tuesday, the 24th day of June, 1913, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to the Crown at the Government valuation.”

Dated at Auckland this 30th day of April, 1913.

W. H. BOWLER,  
President.

## BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Hamilton.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given that statements of accounts and balance-sheets in respect of the undermentioned estates, together with the report of the Audit Office thereon, have been duly filed in the above Court; and I hereby further give notice that at next sitting of the said Court to be holden on Monday, the 16th day of June, 1913, or as soon thereafter as application may be heard, I intend to apply for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 30th day of May, 1913.

Grant, Lewis Alexander, Taumarunui, Sawmiller and Boardinghouse-keeper.

Lewis, William Richard, Te Aroha, Butcher.

Russell, George Thomas, Te Kuiti, Bush Contractor.

Perreau, John Frederick, Te Kuiti, Bush Contractor.

Russell and Perreau, Te Kuiti, Bush Contractors.

Taylor, Thomas, Ngaruawahia, Labourer.

Brown, Sydney David, Tauhei, Morrinsville, Milker and Painter.

Shepherd, Charles Samuel, Te Rapa, Farmer.

Aley, Frederick Thomas, Waikino, Carpenter.

Bissett, George, Frankton, Labourer.

Hunt, Thomas, Rotorua, Labourer.

Nicholson, James Holmes, Waikino, Carter.

Tyler, Louisa Agnes Emily, Hamilton, Widow.

Franklin, William R., Te Kuiti, Solicitor.  
Catchpole, Sydney Herbert, Waihi, Drapers' Assistant.  
Rangeley, Edward, Waihi, Furniture Dealer.  
Ford, William Fitzsimmons, Te Kuiti, Bootmaker.  
Gordon, Thomas Herbert, Waihi, Miner.  
Foley, Robert Henry, Rotorua, Labourer.  
Twiname, Francis Alexander, Huntly, Timber Merchant.  
Hindman, John Henry, Hamilton, Saddler.  
Wright, Samuel Cooper, Frankton Junction, Aerated-water Manufacturer.

Hollick, Henry Bramwell, Rotorua, Wine and Spirit Merchant.

Earby, George, Ngaruawahia, Settler.

Greig, Adrian and Emily, Waihi, Miner and Boarding-house-keeper.

Greig, Adrian, Waihi, Miner.

Greig, Emily, Waihi, Boardinghouse-keeper.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Palmerston North.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given that CHARLES M. WILKINS, of Bulls, Plumber, was this day adjudged bankrupt on creditors' petition; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Feilding, on Monday, the 9th day of June, 1913, at 1 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Palmerston North, 24th May, 1913.



*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Blenheim.*

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT GRIERSON DOYLE, of Seddon, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 9th day of June, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon.

R. WANDEN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Blenheim, 29th May, 1913.

*In Bankruptcy.*

A DIVIDEND on all accepted proved claims in the following estate is now payable at my office, 84 Hereford Street, Christchurch:—

Jacques, William: First and final of 3s. 4½d. in the pound.

J. EVANS,  
Official Assignee.

Christchurch, 2nd June, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that RICHARD ROBERTSON, of Waikouro, Bushman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 9th day of June, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Invercargill, 29th May, 1913.

**LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.**

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

2987. WILLIAM SMITH, of Gore, Railway Surfaceman. —1 rood, Lot 8, Block IX, Clinton, part of Section 31, Block I, Invercargill Hundred. Occupied by George Elliot.

Diagram may be inspected at this office. Dated this 2nd day of June, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

W. W. DE CASTRO,  
District Land Registrar.

**PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.**

**THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266.**

The Observer Publishing Company (Limited).

TAKE 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 30th day of May, 1913.

P. G. WITHERS,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that Grotjan and Company Proprietary (Limited), a company duly incorporated in the State of Victoria of the Commonwealth of Australia, proposes to carry on business in New Zealand, and that the office or place of business of the company in New Zealand where legal process of any kind may be served upon it, and to which notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered, is at 152 Lichfield Street, Christchurch.

Dated this 23rd day of May, 1913.

W. G. DUDFIELD,  
Attorney for the said Company.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,  
TARANAKI DISTRICT.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and of the Taranaki Fisheries Supply Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the Supreme Court was, on the 9th day of May, 1913, presented to the Honourable Mr. Justice Edwards, a Judge of the Supreme Court, by J. B. MacEwan and Company (Limited), a duly incorporated company registered at Wellington, and a creditor of the said company. And the said petition is directed to be heard before a Judge of the said Court at New Plymouth on Friday, the 20th day of June, 1913, at 10 a.m. in the forenoon, or on the first day thereafter when there shall be a sitting of the Court at New Plymouth, and at the same hour; and any creditor or contributory of the said company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

DAVID HUTCHEN,  
Solicitor, Devon Street, New Plymouth  
(Agent for FINDLAY, DALZIELL, and  
COMPANY, Wellington, Solicitors for  
the Petitioner).

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**ROMAN CATHOLIC ARCHBISHOP EMPOWERING BILL, 1913.**

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to the General Assembly of New Zealand in the ensuing session of Parliament by His Grace Francis Redwood, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Wellington (hereinafter called the "promoter"), for leave to bring in a Private Bill, the Short Title of which is as above, to effect the following objects:—

1. To give to the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Wellington for the time being power to sell the trust properties described in the Schedule hereto, and to apply the proceeds to the purchase of other property to be held on the same trust, or to the improvement of the property so held, and to mortgage such property for effecting improvements thereto, or to other property held on the same trusts.

*Schedule.*

First, all that piece or parcel of land containing 2 roods, more or less, being part Section 257, Featherston Town; secondly, all that piece or parcel of land situate in the Borough of Carterton, containing 8 acres 3 roods 12 perches, being the section numbered 26 on the plan of the said borough.

Printed copies of the proposed Bill will be deposited at the office of the Examiner of Standing Orders, Parliament Buildings, Wellington, on the 11th day of June, 1913, from and after which date the said copies may be inspected by all persons at those offices.

Dated this 9th day of May, 1913.

J. W. CARD,  
Solicitor to the Promoter, Featherston.

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**UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.**

The Frank Harris Granite Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the company held at the company's registered office at Auckland, in New Zealand, on the 28th May, 1913, the following extraordinary resolution, within the meaning of the Companies Act, 1908, was passed:—

"That it is proved to the satisfaction of the company that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same."

It was also then resolved, "That WILLIAM ROBERT PATERSON, of Auckland, Public Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the company."

Dated at Auckland this 28th day of May, 1913.

W. C. SOMERS,  
Chairman.

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**A**PPPLICATION having been made to the Westland Land Board for the issue of a copy of Lease in Perpetuity No. 206, of Section 8, Block XXIV, Runanga Township, whereof JOHN McCORMACK is the registered lessee, and evidence of the loss of the original lease having been lodged, I hereby give notice that I will issue a new lease unless objection be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days after the publication of this notice.

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

District Lands Office,  
Hokitika, 23rd May, 1913. 426

**PUBLIC NOTICE.**

A. W. SMITH AND SON.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned ALFRED WILLIAM SMITH and ALFRED EDWIN SMITH, carrying on business at Christchurch as Motor Importers and Engineers, under the style of "A. W. Smith and Son," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. A. W. Smith has retired from the business, but all moneys payable to the firm up to the 31st day of May, 1913, must be paid to him the said Alfred William Smith at the firm's office as heretofore, and he will pay and discharge all liabilities of the firm up to that date.

The business as from the 1st day of June, 1913, will be carried on by Mr. ALFRED EDWIN SMITH on his own account at the same premises, Nos. 107-113 Worcester Street, Christchurch.

Dated this 1st day of June, 1913.

A. W. SMITH.  
ALFRED E. SMITH.

Witness to both signatures—Ashley G. Cooper, Accountant,  
Christchurch. 427

**T**HE Partnership heretofore subsisting between CHARLES MARTIN BURRELL and LESLIE JOSHUA SIGLEY, Plumbers and Tinsmiths, Wanganui, under the style of "Burrell and Sigley," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from to-day's date.

Dated at Wanganui this 30th day of May, 1913.

C. M. BURRELL.  
LESLIE J. SIGLEY.

Witness to both signatures—H. M. Douglas, Solicitor,  
Wanganui. 428

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between ERNEST JOHN RAND, CHARLES EDWARD WALKER, and HENRY BLACKMAN, carrying on business as "Rand, Walker, and Co.," has been dissolved by mutual consent.

The said ERNEST JOHN RAND and CHARLES EDWARD WALKER will continue to carry on the said business, and will receive all moneys due to the said firm and will discharge all liabilities of the said firm.

Dated at Wellington this 30th day of May, 1913.

HENRY BLACKMAN.  
E. J. RAND.  
CHAS. E. WALKER.

Witness to all signatures—Ernest C. Levvey, Solicitor,  
Wellington. 429

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and of Gruar, Morton, Sample (Limited).

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the Supreme Court was, on the 31st day of May, 1913, presented to His Honour Mr. Justice Cooper, a Judge of the Supreme Court, by GEORGE HENRY SAMPLE, of Hamilton, Ironmonger, a contributory and shareholder of the said company; and the said petition is directed to be heard before a Judge of the said Court on the 16th day of June, 1913, at Judges' Chambers, Supreme Court House, Hamilton, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and any creditor or contributory of the said company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

4th June, 1913.

BURTON AND HAMMOND,  
Of Gribble's Buildings, Victoria Street, Hamilton,  
Solicitors for Petitioner. 430

**IN LIQUIDATION.**

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and of the Halloysite Supply Company (Limited), (in Liquidation).

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the above-named company will be held at the office of the undersigned, Dominion Buildings, Queen Street, Hastings, on Monday, the 30th day of June, 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having the account of the Liquidator showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of laid before such meeting, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.

Dated at Hastings this 31st day of May, 1913.

W. McCULLOCH,  
Liquidator. 431

**MEDICAL REGISTRATION.**

**I**, GEOFFREY STUART MOORE, Lic. Soc. Apoth. 1899, Mem. R. Coll. Surg. 1902, Lic. R. Coll. Phys. Lond. 1902, now residing in Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 4th July next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar-General.

GEOFFREY STUART MOORE.

Dated at Wellington, 4th June, 1913. 432

**PETITION FOR WINDING-UP.**

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of the Taungata Land Company (Limited).

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the Supreme Court was on the 29th day of May, 1913, presented to His Honour Sir Robert Stout, K.C.M.G., the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, by Frank Meadowcroft, agent; Henry Walter Kersley, draper; William Mackay, bookseller; Walter Elias Woods, butcher; John Hart Owen, company manager; Henry Mainland, builder; Josias Alexander Chancellor McEldowney, warehouseman; and Esther Bell George, married woman; all of Wellington, creditors of the said company. And the said petition is directed to be heard before a Judge of the said Court, at Wellington, on Friday the 13th day of June, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. And any creditor or contributory of the said company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition shall be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

D. M. FINDLAY,  
Of Lambton Quay, Wellington,  
Solicitor for the Petitioners. 433

**GISBORNE BOROUGH COUNCIL.**

**RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—THE GISBORNE EXTENSION OF ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER LOAN, 1913 OF £15,000.**

**I**N pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, the Gisborne Borough Council hereby 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 said Gisborne Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of extension of the electric light and power scheme, the said Gisborne Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-sixth of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property of the Borough of Gisborne, comprising the whole of the Borough of Gisborne as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* Number 48, of the 9th June, 1904, folio 1490; 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 years from the 6th day of May, 1913, or until the 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 Gisborne Borough Council held on the 27th day of May, 1913.

JAMES R. KIRK,  
Mayor.  
R. D. B. ROBINSON,  
Town Clerk. 434

CASTLEPOINT COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

WHEREAS the Castlepoint County Council has been authorized by the ratepayers to borrow £900 for the purpose of rebuilding the Hangman's Bridge, and the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Board has provisionally approved the application for such loan at the rate of 3½ per centum per annum: And whereas the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office Superintendent is unable to advance such loan (namely, £900) at the said rate of interest, but can advance the same at the rate of 4½ (four and a half) pounds per centum per annum:

Now, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1908, and section 4 of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, the Castlepoint County Council hereby resolves: That, for the purpose of providing moneys sufficient to cover the increased payments in respect of such loan (namely, £900), the said Castlepoint County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one forty-fifth part of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property comprised within the whole of the County of Castlepoint; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of February and the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until such loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was passed by the Castlepoint County Council at a special meeting held on the 17th day of May, 1913.

H. SUTTON,  
County Clerk.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Castlepoint County was hereunto affixed this 17th day of May, 1913, in the presence of—

H. H. S. RYDER, Chairman.  
ALEXR. G. PILMER, Councillor.  
H. SUTTON, Clerk.

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THE RIVERSIDE DAIRY COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the shareholders of the above-named company will be held in Dr. Collins's Surgery, Hobson Street, Wellington, on Friday, the 20th day of June, 1913, at 5 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Liquidator's account of the liquidation and hearing any explanation he may desire to give.

Dated at Wellington this 4th day of June, 1913.

PETHERICK AND MACHELL,  
Solicitors for the Liquidator.

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