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Land reserved under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908.

[L.s.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers contained in the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereunder shall be a scenic reserve under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and subject to the provisions thereof.

SCHEDULE.

TEPURE RIVER BANK.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 acres 3 roods 30 perches, more or less, being Section 21, Block XII, Kaitieke Survey District. Bounded towards the north generally by a river-bank reserve 1 chain wide along Tepure River; towards the east by Crown lands, 440 links; towards the south-east and again towards the east by Main Trunk Road, 345 links and 29.1 links respectively; towards the south by Section 22, Block XII,

Kaitieke Survey District, 1086.3 links; and towards the south-west, west, and again towards the south-west by Main Trunk Road, 369.9 links, 230.2 links, and 100 links respectively: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 719/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
 Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block I, Lindhurst Hundred, Southland 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 owner and mortgagee of the land described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Southland County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land described in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Block	Situated in	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 1 25 5	13	I	Lindhurst Hundred	L. & S. 1913/664	Red.

In the Southland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the 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 sixth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

A. L. HERDMAN,
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Situated in County of
A. R. P. 0 0 35	Lot 5, D.P. 1098	R.S. 373	III	Waimairi.
0 2 1.1	Lot 4, D.P. 1098 (S.O. 123v)		Christ-church Ditto	"

All in the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 20261, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured purple 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 sixth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land taken for the purposes of the Midland Railway (Reefton-Inangahua Section), and it is considered desirable to allocate such land to the purposes of a road:

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Situated in County of
A. R. P. 0 2 17.7	Railway reserve (S.O. 398b)	VI	Reefton	Inangahua.

In the Nelson Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 20116, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirty-first 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 taken for a Further Portion of the Kaihu Valley Railway.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a further portion of the Kaihu Valley Railway:

And whereas all the conditions precedent required by law to be observed and performed prior to the taking of such land for the purposes hereinbefore specified have been observed and performed:

Now, therefore, I, 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 of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for a further portion of the said line of railway hereinbefore specified.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Sheet No. of Plan	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 1 14	Opunake No. 1	18	XIII	Tutamoe ..	Pink.
14 3 37	"	18	"	" ..	"
11 3 0	"	19	"	" ..	"
0 1 18	Opunake No. 2	19	"	" ..	Yellow.
4 0 22	"	19	"	" ..	"
	(3046A, red)				
12 0 21	Kaibu Valley Railway Company's Endowment	20	"	" ..	Pink.
3 1 32	Ditto	20	"	" ..	"
2 0 27	"	20	"	" ..	"
	(6138E, F, and G, blue)				

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 16822, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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 thirty-first 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 and taking a Road in Blocks XIV, Ngamatea, and II, Mangawhero Survey Districts, Wanganui County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section three hundred and eighty-nine of the Native Land Act, 1909, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby lay out and take as a road the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road laid out and taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 1 27.3	Maraetaua 3B	XIV	Ngamatea	P.W.D. 32249	Red.
6 0 29.8	" 3B	"	"	Ditto	"
2 0 16	Maraetaua 4B No. 2	II	Mangawhero	"	Purple.
0 0 9.4	Ditto	"	"	"	"
0 1 32	Wharepu Block	XIV	Ngamatea	"	"
0 1 37	"	"	"	"	"
0 3 7	Maraetaua 1B	"	"	"	Red.
0 1 30	" 1D	"	"	"	Yellow.
0 0 10.4	" 1F	"	"	"	Sepia.

All in the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable 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 thirty-first 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!

Proclaiming as Public Roads Road-lines laid out by the Native Land Court in Blocks VIII and IX, Whakatane Survey District, Whakatane County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section one hundred and seventeen of the Native Land Act, 1909, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as public roads the road-lines laid out by the Native Land Court in Blocks VIII and IX, Whakatane Survey District, and described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Roads proclaimed as Public Roads.	Being Portion of Section	Situated in Blocks	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 68 1 37	32, Rangitaiki Parish	VIII & IX	Whakatane	P.W.D. 33545	Red.
	(17141, blue)				

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 thirty-first 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!

Declaring Land taken for a Public Work, and not required for such Public Work, to be Crown Land.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it is provided by section thirty of the Public Works Act, 1908, that if it is found that any land held, taken, purchased, or acquired at any time under this or any other Act or Provincial Ordinance, or otherwise howsoever, for any public work, is not required for such public work, the Governor may, by an Order in Council publicly notified and gazetted, cause the same to be sold under the conditions therein mentioned;

And whereas it is further provided by section five of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, that in the case of any land so purchased, taken, or acquired for a Government work and not required for that purpose, the Governor

may, on the recommendation of the Minister, and without complying with any other requirements of the aforesaid section thirty, by Proclamation declare such land to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908, and thereupon the land may be administered and disposed of under that Act accordingly:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto was taken for defence purposes: And whereas the said land is not now required for defence purposes, and it is desirable to declare the same to be Crown land: And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to declare such land to be Crown land:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the above-in-part-recited Acts, and of all other powers in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare the land described in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908, and that such land may be administered and disposed of under that Act accordingly.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Pieces of Land declared to be Crown Land	Being	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 4 2 4	Portion of defence reserve	VI	Port Nicholson	P.W.D. 17711	Green.

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.

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 sixth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block X, Kaitawa Survey District, Hutt 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 lessees and mortgagees of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Hutt County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Kaitawa Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of the Pieces of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 11	Section 37 ..	X	Kaitawa ..	P.W.D. 30074	Red.
3 0 14	" 35 ..	"	" ..	Ditto..	"
0 0 0 7	" 34 ..	"	" ..	" ..	"
0 0 31	" 43 ..	"	" ..	" ..	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Pieces of Road closed.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 1 1	Section 35 ..	X	Kaitawa ..	P.W.D. 30074	Green.
0 1 1	" 35 ..	"	" ..	Ditto..	"

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

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block VIII, Paritutu Survey District, Taranaki 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 owner of the land described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Taranaki County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Paritutu Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece 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 1 7	Part 25 (Omata R.D.)	VIII	Paritutu..	P.W.D. 35535	Pink.

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

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Authorizing the Otago Harbour Board to reclaim Land in Koputai Bay, Otago Harbour.

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 it is provided by the one-hundred-and-fifty-eighth section of the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), that where a Harbour Board is desirous of executing or constructing any harbour-works upon lands vested in such Board, or upon lands of the Crown, of such a nature that the same could, but for this section, only be carried out and executed under the authority of a special Act, the Board may apply to the Governor in Council for a special order, and, if the Governor in Council thinks fit, such order may be made and granted:

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

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

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby authorize and empower the Board to reclaim certain land from the sea in Koputai Bay, Otago Harbour, as shown on plan marked M.D. 4069, such reclamation to be carried out and constructed in accordance with plan marked M.D. 4069, subject to the provisions of the said Act, the work to be completed within three years from the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

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

Consenting to Land being taken for the Development of the Lake Coleridge Water-power Scheme in Blocks X and XI, Christchurch Survey District, Waimairi County.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the Public Works Act, 1908, it is, in section fifteen thereof, *inter alia*, enacted that, except for the purpose of a railway or defence purposes, or for the purposes of any other work to be made under the authority of a special Act, nothing in this Act contained shall authorize the taking of any land occupied by any building, yard, garden, or vineyard, or in *bona fide* occupation as an ornamental park or pleasure-ground, without the previous consent of the Governor in Council:

And whereas part of the land described in the Schedule hereto is occupied by orchards, yards, gardens, or buildings, and the Minister of Public Works has recommended the Governor to issue an Order in Council under the said Act consenting to the taking of the said land for the purposes of the development of the Lake Coleridge Water-power Scheme in Blocks X and XI, Christchurch Survey District, Waimairi County:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the above-in-part-recited Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the land described in the Schedule hereto being taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land being taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 0 17.2	R.S. 145	.. X	Christchurch	P.W.D. 33553	Blue.
3 1 21.3	" 145	.. "	Ditto	Ditto	Green.
0 2 26.9	" 180	.. "	"	"	Yellow.
0 1 3.2	" 180	.. "	"	"	Green.
0 0 1	" 180	.. "	"	"	Blue.
0 1 39.2	Part Lot 23 of R.S. 180	.. "	"	"	Green.
2 1 2.7	R.S. 240	.. "	"	"	Blue.
0 1 4.2	" 240	.. "	"	"	Green.
0 3 21.5	" 215	.. "	"	"	Yellow.
0 0 1	" 111	.. "	"	"	Blue.
1 2 4.6	" 139	.. "	"	"	Yellow.
1 2 7.3	" 275	.. "	"	"	Green.
3 0 11.4	{ " 1773 " 1637 " 1637x }	* .. "	"	"	"
0 1 10	" 145	.. X & XI	"	"	"
0 0 29.2	" 145	.. XI	"	P.W.D. 33287	Blue.
0 0 38.3	" 145	.. X	"	Ditto	Neutral tint.
0 1 11.2	" 145	.. "	"	"	Blue.
0 1 1.6	" 145	.. "	"	"	Pink.
0 1 31.7	" 145	.. "	"	"	Neutral tint.
0 3 29	" 145	.. X	"	P.W.D. 33596	Yellow.

* Part Lots 2 and 3, D.P. 3343.

All in the Canterbury 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.

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

Declaring Portion of the Oio Road, in the Kaitieke County, to be a County Road.

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.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Wellington Land District, Kaitieke County, known as the Oio Road, commencing at the boundary between Section 18, Block III, and Section 9, Block VII, Kaitieke Survey District, and proceeding generally in a south-westerly direction for a distance of 62 chains or thereabouts along the frontage of Section 9, Block VII aforesaid; as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 33560, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Extension of Grendon Street, in the Borough of Maori Hill, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to certain Conditions as to the Building-line.

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 subsection one of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is, *inter alia*, provided that the said section shall not apply in any case where the local authority having control of a road or street by resolution declares that the provisions thereof shall not apply to any specified road or street, or to any specified part thereof, and such resolution is approved by the Governor in Council :

And whereas by subsection two of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is provided that such approval may be either absolute or subject to such conditions with respect to the building-line as the Governor in Council thinks fit to impose :

And whereas the Maori Hill Borough Council, the local authority having control of the portion of street described in the Schedule hereto, did by resolution declare that the provisions of the said section one hundred and seventeen should not apply to the said portion of street :

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved, subject to the conditions hereinafter mentioned :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the above-in-part-recited Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the said resolution, subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on either side of the said portion of street within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of street in the Borough of Maori Hill, known as the extension of Grendon Street, adjoining or passing through Sections 10 and 11, Block II, Upper Kaikorai District, being about 18 chains in length ; as the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 33338, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Hamilton Fire District constituted.

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 four of the Fire Brigades Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is provided that the Governor may by Order in Council, on the application of any Borough Council, declare the district within the jurisdiction of such Borough Council to be a fire district under the said Act : And whereas an application has been made by the Hamilton Borough Council in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, and it appears expedient to grant the said application :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare the Borough of Hamilton to be a fire district under the said Act.

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

Recreation Reserve in Southland Land District brought under Part II of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

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.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-sixth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the reserve for recreation in the Southland Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act ; and such reserve shall hereafter form part of Gore Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain by the Gore Domain Board.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 6.22 perches, more or less, being Allotment 20, part of railway reserve, Block I, Town of Gore. Bounded towards the north-east by Lot 21 of said railway reserve, 50 links ; towards the south-east and south-west by the railway reserve aforesaid, 73.05 links and 56.93 links ; and towards the north-west by Main Street, 72.72 links : be all the aforesaid linkages more or less : as the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1430/11A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Regulations under the Shearers' and Agricultural Labourers' Accommodation Act, 1908.

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.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the Shearers' and Agricultural Labourers' Accommodation Act, 1908, as amended by the Shearers' and Agricultural Labourers' Accommodation Amendment Act, 1912, 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 make the following regulations with respect to the accommodation to be provided by employers for the flaxmill workers and sawmill workers employed by them ; and doth hereby declare that the said regulations shall come into force as from the date of their publication in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

REGULATIONS.

General as to Accommodation for Flaxmill Workers and Sawmill Workers.

1. THE accommodation to be provided by employers in pursuance of the Acts hereinbefore referred to for flaxmill workers or for workers at sawmills, shall not in any case be deemed to be adequate unless it is in all respects in compliance with these regulations :

Provided that where the Inspector is satisfied that the sleeping or other accommodation provided by any employer before the coming into force of these regulations substantially meets the requirements of these regulations, he shall sanction the use by that employer of such accommodation for the workers employed by him.

2. The floor of every room in which any such workers are accommodated shall consist of flooring-boards (where practicable, to be of tongued-and-grooved timber), or of such other material as is approved by an Inspector, and shall be so constructed that except in the case of concrete flooring there shall, for the purposes of ventilation, be a clear space of not less than 6 in. in every part between the under-side of

every joist, sleeper-plate, stringer, or bearer on which such floor may be laid or supported and the upper surface of the ground. Such space shall be freely ventilated to the satisfaction of the Inspector.

3. The walls and ceilings of every such room shall be lined internally with match-lining (where practicable, to be tongued and grooved), and all external walls shall be so constructed as to effectually exclude wind and water.

4. The roof of every room that is not ceiled shall, if covered with iron, be lined with felt, paper, or sarking to the satisfaction of the Inspector.

5. (1.) Every sleeping-room shall be of such dimensions as will provide not less than 400 cubic feet of air-space and 45 square feet of floor-space for each person to be accommodated therein, and shall be not less than 8 ft. in height in any part. For the purposes of this regulation the Inspector may post up in a conspicuous place in any sleeping-room a notice specifying the maximum number of persons that may be accommodated therein; provided that not more than two persons shall be required to sleep in any one room.

(2.) Each bunk shall be provided with a spring mattress or a mattress of chaff, straw, or kapoc.

6. Separate rooms shall in all cases be provided for sleeping and for meals. No person shall be required or permitted to sleep in any room where food is usually kept, or in any place insufficiently shut off from such room.

7. Suitable heating appliances shall be provided in some convenient room to the satisfaction of the Inspector. Provision shall also be made for the washing and drying of workers' clothes.

8. Every room shall be provided with one or more windows in direct communication with the external air and so constructed as to permit of all sashes being moved and to permit of at least one-half of each window being opened, the opening portion to extend to at least 6 ft. 6 in. from the floor. The total area of the window or windows in each room shall be not less than one-tenth of the area of the floor of that room. Through ventilation shall be provided in each room by placing a window opposite the door or another window.

9. Sufficient and suitable privy and urinal accommodation shall be provided to the satisfaction of the Inspector or District Health Officer. Such accommodation shall, if not connected with a sewerage system, be not less than 50 ft. nor more than one hundred yards from the other accommodation buildings, nor less than fifty yards from the water-supply.

10. All waste-pipes from sinks, wash-basins, or other sanitary fittings shall consist of such materials and be so constructed as to ensure cleanliness and freedom from any smell or leakage.

11. There shall be provided, to the satisfaction of the District Health Officer or Inspector, an ample supply of clean and wholesome water for drinking, culinary, and washing purposes.

12. Where any sleeping-room has ceased to be occupied for any period exceeding twenty-eight days, it shall be thoroughly scrubbed or otherwise cleaned by the employer before it is again occupied. During occupation the sleeping-rooms shall be kept clean by the occupants. The employer shall during the period of occupation cause all other accommodation to be kept in a cleanly state to the satisfaction of the Inspector.

13. Suitable ambulance appliances, to the satisfaction of the District Health Officer, shall be provided at every flaxmill and at every sawmill.

14. (1.) Where the nature of the work necessitates the frequent removal of accommodation from one locality to another, temporary accommodation of a weatherproof type (but not necessarily in conformity in other respects with these regulations) may, with the precedent approval in writing of the Inspector, be provided to his satisfaction. Such approval shall not be granted in respect of a longer period than three months at one time.

(2.) In the case of flaxmill employees the Inspector shall not grant a permit for the use of temporary accommodation for more than two consecutive periods of three months each unless the accommodation is moved at least one hundred yards.

15. (1.) These regulations, so far as they relate to sleeping-accommodation, shall not apply in any case where the workers employed by any employer could, in the opinion of the Inspector, conveniently reside at a boarding-house situated not more than a mile from the place of employment, or in any case where such place of employment is within or within a mile of a borough or town district.

(2.) These regulations shall apply to the accommodation to be provided by contractors in pursuance of section 12 of the Shearers' and Agricultural Labourers' Accommodation Act, 1908, and the Shearers' and Agricultural Labourers' Accommodation Amendment Act, 1912, for the flaxmill workers and sawmill workers employed by them; and all

references herein to employers shall be deemed to include references to such contractors accordingly.

Special as to Flaxmills.

16. At any flaxmill where steam is used the employer shall, if so required by the District Health Officer and the Inspector by writing under their hands, provide a shower-bath, with a sufficient hot- and cold-water supply, for the use of the workers employed at such mill.

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

Revoking Order in Council licensing Mr. William Douglas Meiklejohn to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Rangitoto Island as a Site for a Wharf.

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 Order in Council dated the eleventh day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, His Excellency the Governor in Council did, in pursuance of the provisions of the Harbours Act, 1908, license Mr. William Douglas Meiklejohn, of Devonport, Auckland (hereinafter called "the licensee"), to use and occupy a part of the foreshore of Rangitoto Island, Auckland, in order to erect and maintain a wharf thereon in accordance with plan marked M.D. 3760, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, and upon and subject to the terms and conditions therein set forth: And whereas the said licensee desires that the said license shall be revoked:

Now, therefore, 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, and in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the Harbours Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby revoke and determine the said recited Order in Council of the eleventh day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and the rights and privileges thereby conferred.

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

Declaring Mayor Island to be a Sanctuary for Imported and Native Game.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

PURSUANT to the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare Mayor Island to be a sanctuary for the purposes of the said Animals Protection Act, and that no imported or native game shall be taken or killed on the said island.

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

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Trustee for the Highbank Public Cemetery appointed.

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 appoint

ELIJAH LAKE

to be a Trustee, in the place of Robert Charles, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Highbank Public Cemetery, in conjunction with Henry Ward, Charles William Smith, Arthur Thomas Lilley, Peter Drummond, jun., and George Leggett, previously appointed.

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

A. I. HERDMAN,
For Minister of Lands.

Lands permanently reserved.

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:

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

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

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

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 permanently reserve the lands so temporarily reserved as aforesaid, and enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto, for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule, being the same purposes for which the said lands were so temporarily reserved as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

First Column.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	Gazette.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.			
				A. R. P.		1913.	1913.
Auckland ..	Matamata Township	..	XXI	0 3 0	Addition to a site for a public school	17 April	No. 35, 24 April.
" ..	Whangape Parish	Allotment 130A	..	9 2 0	Site for a public school	22 "	No. 37, 1 May.
Taranaki ..	Mimi S.D.*	34	I	84 3 0	Growth and preservation of timber	17 "	No. 35, 24 April.
Wellington	Kaitieke S.D.*	15	XII	11 3 4	Metal purposes	11 "	No. 33, 17 "
"	Tararua S.D.*	76	VII	7 0 6	Public recreation-ground	23 "	No. 37, 1 May.
Canterbury	Selwyn S.D.* (Fyvie Settlement)	Reserve 3805	VI	1 0 32	Site for a public school	11 "	No. 33, 17 April.
"	Ditto	Reserve 3806	"	1 0 32	Gravel purposes	11 "	" 17 "
Southland..	Chatton S.D.*	70	XIV	5 2 3	Addition to a site for a public school	17 "	No. 35, 24 "

* Survey District.

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

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Cust and West Eyreton Public Cemetery appointed.

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 appoint

FRANK ALBERT SHEAT,
WILLIAM RALPH GARDNER, and
GEORGE FREDERICK WAYLAND

to be Trustees, in the place of Stephen Sheat, Edward Wolff, and David Garland, left the district, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Cust and West Eyreton Public Cemetery, in conjunction with John Smith, George Knight Crysell, Frederick George Horrell, Charles Davy Blackmore, and Frederick Henry Early, previously appointed.

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

A. L. HERDMAN,
For Minister of Lands.

Vesting Control of the Tunakore Bridge and Approaches in the Dannevirke County Council.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

And whereas it is expedient to make provision under the said Act for the purpose and in the manner hereinbefore set forth:

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 power and authority vested in me by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby direct that the bridge and approaches thereto as described in the Schedule hereto, and known as the Tunakore Bridge and approaches, shall, from and after the date of this Warrant, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of the Dannevirke County Council:

And, in further pursuance and exercise of the aforesaid powers and authorities, I do hereby fix and determine that the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the said bridge and the approaches thereto is to be provided and paid by the Dannevirke County Council out of the funds of the said Council.

SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge over the Tunakore River, in the Hawke's Bay Land District, Dannevirke County, situated on the Mangapuaka Road adjoining Section 11, Block VI, Mangatoro Survey District, together with the approaches thereto; as the site of the said bridge and approaches are shown by means of a red cross on the plan marked P.W.D. 33550, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Officers for the Purposes of Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908, appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 12th June, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 79 of the Fisheries Act, 1908, appointed

ERNEST HARDY JOHNSTON and
ROLAND GORDON JOHNSTONE

to be Officers for the purposes of Part II of that Act.

H. D. BELL.

Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 27th May, 1913.

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

Name.	District.
FRANK UNSWORTH	Lumsden.
ETHEL MAX SOWERBY	Waimangaroa.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Member of Hampden Bush Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 3rd June, 1913.

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

MARGARET HELEN ANN BUCHANAN

to be a member of the Hampden Bush Domain Board, in the place of John Jauncey Buchanan, deceased.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Wellington Land Board reappointed.

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

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

JOSEPH DAWSON

to be a member of the Land Board of the Land District of Wellington, as from the 16th day of June, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Crown Lands Ranger appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 29 (1) of the Land Act, 1908, been pleased to appoint

DOUGLAS MCLEAN McDONALD

to be a Crown Lands Ranger for the Land District of Canterbury, as from the 1st day of June, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Assistant Crown Lands Ranger appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 29 (1) of the Land Act, 1908, been pleased to appoint

CLAUDE FORBES WILLIAMS

to be an Assistant Crown Lands Ranger for the Land District of Canterbury, as from the 1st day of June, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees of the Waerenga Public Cemetery resigned.

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

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

ALEXANDER McRAE,
DANIEL BRUCE,
GERARD SAMPSON,
WALTER MATTHEWS, and
JOHN SMITH

as Trustees of the Waerenga Public Cemetery.

A. L. HERDMAN,
For Minister of Lands.

Chairman of Licensing Committee appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS HUTCHISON, Esq., S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committee for the District of Otago Central, *vice* W. R. Haselden, Esq., S.M.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Member of Licensing Committee appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY JELLYMAN

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wairau, *vice* E. F. Healy, resigned.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Officer for the Purposes of Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908, appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 31st May, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 79 of the Fisheries Act, 1908, appointed

HARRY ERNEST JONES

to be an Officer for the purposes of Part II of that Act.

F. M. B. FISHER.

Officers for the Purposes of Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908, appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 31st May, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 79 of the Fisheries Act, 1908, appointed

PHILIP TOMS,
HENRY WILLIAM MARTINDALE KENDALL,
CLAUDE GREENFIELD, and
WILLIAM SINCLAIR SUTHERLAND

to be Officers for the purposes of Part II of that Act.

F. M. B. FISHER.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

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

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

Name.	District.
FRANCIS ARTHUR LOW	Waipu.
CHARLES WILLIAM COOK	Wairau.
EDWARD JOHN ROCHE	Temuka.
WILLIAM ARNOLD BAIRD	Mauriceville.

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

Members of Public Service Stores Tender Board appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 10th June, 1913.

THE Public Service Commissioner has appointed the following officers to be members of the Stores Tender Board.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

Name.	Position.	Department.
Short, William Stonham	Assistant Under-Secretary	Public Works.
O'Neill, Felix Theophilus	"	Lands and Survey.
Orchiston, Joseph	Chief Telegraph Engineer	Post and Telegraph.
Mackay, John	Government Printer	Printing and Stationery.
Matthews, Charles Edward	Chief Clerk	Justice.
Souter, David	"	Mental Hospitals.

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

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 31st May, 1913.

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

Queen Alexandra's 2nd (Wellington West Coast) Mounted Rifles.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors. Dated 7th March, 1913.

Charles Henty.
Thomas Crosbie Sutherland.

Lieutenant John Hastings Chisholm to be Captain, *vice* Henty, promoted. Dated 7th March, 1913.

4th (Waikato) Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant Albert Edward Fear resigns his commission. Dated 1st March, 1913.

New Zealand Field Artillery.

The notice published in *New Zealand Gazette* dated 24th April, 1913, relative to the transfer of Captain Alexander Fowler Roberts to the Reserve of Officers is hereby cancelled.

Captain Alexander Fowler Roberts is transferred to the Unattached List (a). Dated 20th February, 1913.

2nd Lieutenant Henry Meredith Garner to be Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 12th February, 1913.

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

Lieutenant Reginald Henry Macdonald is transferred to the 16th (Waikato) Regiment. Dated 31st May, 1913.

2nd Lieutenant Wynne Peyton Gray is transferred to the 6th (Hauraki) Regiment. Dated 31st May, 1913.

David Reid Carpenter to be 2nd Lieutenant, on probation. Dated 31st May, 1913.

4th (Otago) Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant Patrick James Keligher to be Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 24th March, 1913.

6th (Hauraki) Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant Wynne Peyton Gray, from the 3rd (Auckland) Regiment ("Countess of Ranfurly's Own"), to be 2nd Lieutenant, with seniority next below 2nd Lieutenant Francis Symes Budd. Dated 31st May, 1913.

Lieutenant John Spraggon resigns his commission. Dated 5th March, 1913.

8th (Southland) Regiment.

Captain John Alexander Mackenzie is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 31st March, 1913.

Lieutenant Henry Patterson Young resigns his commission. Dated 13th May, 1913.

Sergeant Charles Edward Butcher to be 2nd Lieutenant, on probation. Dated 31st May, 1913.

10th (North Otago) Regiment.

Lieutenant Malcolm Francis is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 3rd May, 1913.

Sergeant Ralph Malcolm to be 2nd Lieutenant, on probation. Dated 31st May, 1913.

12th (Nelson) Regiment.

Lieutenant Donald Lloyd is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 8th March, 1913.

16th (Waikato) Regiment.

Lieutenant Reginald Henry Macdonald, from the 3rd (Auckland) Regiment ("Countess of Ranfurly's Own"), to be Lieutenant, with seniority next below Lieutenant Herbert Horatio Spencer Westmacott. Dated 31st May, 1913.

New Zealand Medical Corps.

Hugh Thomas Dyke Acland, F.R.C.S., Eng., to be Captain. Dated 31st May, 1913.

New Zealand Chaplain's Department.

The undermentioned to be Chaplains to the Forces, 4th Class :—

The Reverend William Frank Stent from the Unattached List (b), and to retain his original seniority in the New Zealand Chaplains' Department. Dated 31st May, 1913.

The Reverend Michael Bawden Harris. Dated 8th May, 1913.

The Reverend Ernest Albert Kirwood. Dated 13th May, 1913.

Unattached List (a).

Captain Charles Ernest Archibald is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, New Zealand Garrison Artillery. Dated 9th May, 1913.

Captain Alexander Fowler Roberts, from the New Zealand Field Artillery, to be Captain. Dated 20th February, 1913.

Unattached List (b).

Captain William George Wray is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 19th May, 1913.
2nd Lieutenant George Henry Paltridge resigns his commission. Dated 25th March, 1913.

The undermentioned are appointed (on probation) for service with the Senior Cadets, under the provisions of paragraph 88 (b), General Regulations, 1911, with the rank specified. Dated 31st May, 1913:—

Captains.

William Thomas.
John Smith Colhoun.

Lieutenants.

Erie Arthur Percy Cockroft.
Allan George Tait.

2nd Lieutenants.

Ewen Cameron.
James Sefton Hilson.
Oliver Sidney Ellis.
Frank Alwyn Taylor.
Herbert Frank Brock.
George Leonard Purchas Brookfield.
Alan Godfrey McGregor.
Frederick George Wilkinson.
Frank Lester Newall Tuck.
John Cruickshank Morrison.

New Zealand Army Motor Reserve of Officers.
(Canterbury Section.)

To be Major:—
Lieutenant Colonel William Nathaniel Carlon Bond, from Reserve of Officers, 8th (South Canterbury) Mounted Rifles. Dated 31st May, 1913.

To be Captains. Dated 31st May, 1913:—

Norton Francis.
Edgar Studholme.
John Grigg.
Frederick Villebois Lysaght.
William Percival Evans.
James Arthur Frostick.
John Mattries Barker.
Ronald Macdonald.
Thomas Maude.
George Baynton Starky.

To be Lieutenants. Dated 31st May, 1913:—

Norman Macleod Orbell.
Charles William Reid.
Captain Robert Macartney, from Retired List.
Smith Laughlin Patrick Free.
Bernard Tripp.
Guyon Alistair Macintosh Macdonald.
Thomas Leonard Cowlshaw.
Richard Arthur Dixon.
John Black.
William Henry Hayman.
Percy Lewis Hallenstein.
Arthur James Manchester.
George Alfred Maxwell.
Maurice George Louissou.
Percy Ashton Elworthy.
William Thomas Ritchie.
Herbert Elworthy.
Andrew Todd.
Albert Victor Richards.
Captain David McMillan, from Reserve of Officers, 1st Mounted Rifles (Canterbury Yeomanry Cavalry).
John Fletcher Best.

Memorandum.

James Harle Moore, Representative of the New Zealand Government in the Argentine, is granted the honorary rank of 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 31st May, 1913.

R. HEATON RHODES,
Acting Minister of Defence.

Arbor Day.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 2nd June, 1913.

WEDNESDAY, the 16th day of July next, will be observed as a public holiday in the Government offices throughout the Dominion, for the celebration of Arbor Day.

In order that the movement may be made as successful as possible, the Government hopes that the Mayors of various

municipalities and Chairmen of local bodies will place the matter prominently before the people of the Dominion, and do all they can to encourage the planting of public reserves and other available lands, both public and private, with trees suited to the locality.

A. L. HERDMAN,
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

Letters of Naturalization issued.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 3rd June, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue Letters of Naturalization, under the Aliens Act, 1908, in favour of the undermentioned persons:—

Name.	Occupation.	Residence.
Anderson, Otto Leonard	Painter	Wellington.
Erceg, Ivan	Labourer	Babylon.
Gay, Francis	"	Mangapapa.
Glucina, Mate	Farmer and fruit-grower	Waikumete.
Goldstone, Samuel	Tailor	Wellington.
Johnson, Andrew	Labourer	Rakaia.
Levy, Victor	Fancy-goods dealer	Pahiatua.
Maich, John	Labourer	Dargaville.
Maich, Mark Lewis	"	Te Kopuru.
Mucalo, Ivan	"	Awanui North.
Sumich, Mijo	"	Te Kopuru.
Veza, Ivan	Farmer	Herekino.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Plant declared to be a Noxious Weed by the Bay of Islands County Council.—Notice No. 1709.

Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce,
Wellington, 11th June, 1913.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Bay of Islands County Council has declared Bathurst Burr to be a noxious weed 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.

Consent under Section 298 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

IN pursuance of the power conferred upon the Native Minister by subsection (b) of section 298 of the Native Land Act, 1909, I, William Herbert Herries, Native Minister, acting on the recommendation of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board, do hereby consent to a lease of Maungarangi B No. 3d Block, containing 10 acres and 16 perches, situated in the Provincial District of Auckland, subject to the same restrictions and to the same requirements as to confirmation and otherwise as if the land was not subject to Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909.

As witness my hand, this 9th day of June, 1913.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

Consent under Section 298 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

IN pursuance of the power conferred upon the Native Minister by subsection (b) of section 298 of the Native Land Act, 1909, I, William Herbert Herries, Native Minister, acting on the recommendation of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board, do hereby consent to a lease of Maungarangi B No. 3f Block, containing 10 acres and 16 perches, situated in the Provincial District of Auckland, subject to the same restrictions and to the same requirements as to confirmation and otherwise as if the said land was not subject to Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909.

As witness my hand, this 9th day of June, 1913.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

Consent under Section 298 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

IN pursuance of the power conferred upon the Native Minister by subsection (b) of section 298 of the Native Land Act, 1909, I, William Herbert Herries, Native Minister, acting on the recommendation of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board, do hereby consent to a sale of Rakautatahi 1B Nos. 1A and 1B, containing 72 acres 3 roods 22 perches, situated in the Provincial District of Wellington, subject to the same restrictions and to the same requirements as to confirmation and otherwise as if the land was not subject to Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909.

As witness my hand, this 9th day of June, 1913.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

Consenting to the Assignment of a Lease under Section 311 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

WHEREAS by section 311 of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted that—

1. Except with the precedent consent of the Board, no lease or sublease of land leased by the Board under this Part of this Act, or under Part II of the Native Land Settlement Act, 1907, shall be capable of being assigned to any other person; nor, except with the precedent consent of the Board, shall any sublease of any land so demised, or any part thereof, be capable of being granted to any other person:

2. Except with the approval of the Native Minister, the consent of the Board shall not be given to any assignment or sublease in favour of a European:

3. Nothing in this section applies to any disposition by will or by operation of law:

And whereas a parcel of land known as Tutuotekaha No. 4 Block is leased to Porikapa Taepa: And whereas the said Porikapa Taepa is desirous of assigning his interest in the said lease to Henry Storey Hutchinson, of Mohaka: And whereas the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board, after due inquiry, has recommended that the approval of the Native Minister be granted accordingly:

Now, therefore, I, William Herbert Herries, Native Minister, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the said section 311 of the Native Land Act, 1909, do hereby approve of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board granting precedent consent to Porikapa Taepa to assign his interest in the lease of Tutuotekaha No. 4 to Henry Storey Hutchinson, of Mohaka.

As witness my hand, this 9th day of June, 1913.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

Tenders.

Public Works Department,
Wellington, 10th June, 1913.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders is published for general information.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

ERECTION OF TWO COTTAGES AT AWARUA WIRELESS STATION.

	Accepted.	£	s.	d.
Lister and Philpot, Invercargill	998	0	0
<i>Declined.</i>				
McKenzie, A., Bluff	1,005	18	6
Smith Bros., Invercargill	1,096	1	2
Arnott, E., Invercargill	1,177	0	0
Hamilton and Davey	1,388	0	0

Notice of Intention to take Land in Blocks IX, X, XIII, and XIV, Coleridge Survey District, for Road Purposes.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a road in Blocks IX, X, XIII, and XIV, Coleridge 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 Whakamatau, 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 Areas of the Pieces of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 37	R.S. 30100	XIII	Coleridge	P.W.D. 33552	Red.
2 3 9	" 30100	"	"	Ditto..	"
3 3 35	" 30101	"	"	" ..	"
10 1 15	" 30100	"	"	" ..	"
4 1 12	" 30101	XIII & XIV	"	" ..	"
6 3 18	" 30101	X & XIV	"	" ..	"
3 3 24	" 30103	X	"	" ..	"
2 2 8	" 29262	IX & X	"	" ..	"
0 1 15	" 29261	XIII	"	" ..	"
2 1 36	" 33974	XIV	"	" ..	"
0 2 4	" 33974	"	"	" ..	"

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 5th day of June, 1913.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Blocks IX and XIII, Coleridge Survey District, for the development of Lake Coleridge Water-power Scheme.

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 development of Lake Coleridge Water-power Scheme in Blocks IX and XIII, Coleridge 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 Whakamatau, 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 Areas of the Pieces of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 1 17	Rural Section 30100	IX	Coleridge	P.W.D. 33552	Red.
188 1 4	Rural Sections 30100, 29261	XIII	"	Ditto..	Red (bordered).

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 5th day of June, 1913.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Blocks X and XI, Christchurch Survey District, for the Development of the Lake Coleridge Water-power Scheme.

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 development of the Lake Coleridge Water-power Scheme in Blocks X and XI, Christchurch Survey District, and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the Public Works Office, at Christchurch, 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 Areas of the Pieces of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 2 0 17.2	R.S. 145 ..	X	Christchurch	P.W.D. 33553	Blue.
3 1 21.3	" 145 ..	"	Ditto ..	Ditto ..	Green.
0 2 26.9	" 180 ..	"	" ..	" ..	Yellow.
0 1 3.2	" 180 ..	"	" ..	" ..	Green.
0 0 1	" 180 ..	"	" ..	" ..	Blue.
0 1 39.2	Part Lot 23 of R.S. 180	"	" ..	" ..	Green.
2 1 2.7	R.S. 240 ..	"	" ..	" ..	Blue.
0 1 4.2	" 240 ..	"	" ..	" ..	Green.
0 3 21.5	" 215 ..	"	" ..	" ..	Yellow.
0 0 1	" 111 ..	"	" ..	" ..	Blue.
1 2 4.6	" 139 ..	"	" ..	" ..	Yellow.
1 2 7.3	" 275 ..	"	" ..	" ..	Green.
3 0 11.4	{ " 1773 } { " 1637 } { " 1637x }	"	" ..	" ..	"
0 1 10	" 145 ..	X & XI	" ..	" ..	"
0 3 29	" 145 ..	X	" ..	P.W.D. 33596	Yellow.

* Part Lots 2 and 3, D.P. 3343.

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 11th day of June, 1913.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Election of Member of Wellington Land Board.—Result of Poll.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 5th June, 1913.

PURSUANT to section 41 of the Land Act, 1908, and the regulations made thereunder, I, Thomas Noel Brodrick, Returning Officer for the election of a member to the Wellington Land Board, do hereby notify the result of the poll taken on the 4th day of June, 1913, for the election of a member to the Wellington Land Board, to be as follows:—

Candidate.	Votes polled.
Ellingham, Henry Thomas	827
Haycock, Thomas Owen	226
Number of valid votes	1,053
Number of votes rejected as informal	35

And I hereby declare the above-mentioned HENRY THOMAS ELLINGHAM, having received the greater number of valid votes, to be duly elected a member of the Wellington Land Board.

T. N. BRODRICK,
Returning Officer.

Officiating Ministers for 1913.—Notice No. 22.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 5th June, 1913.

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

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.
Mr. BENJAMIN PENNAR EVANS.

Methodist Church of New Zealand.
The Reverend JOSEPH BURTON SUCKLING.
Mr. JAMES WEIR.

F. W. MANSFIELD.
Registrar-General.

Supply of Night-duty Coats for Police Force.

Police Department,
Wellington, 6th June, 1913.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the tender of Messrs. Ross and Glendining (Limited), of Wellington, for the supply of night-duty coats for the Police Force, at £2 12s. per coat, has been accepted for a period of three years from the 27th May, 1913.

J. CULLEN,
Commissioner of Police.

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.

(P. 13/999.)
J. CULLEN,
Commissioner of Police.

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.

Notice to Mariners No. 23 of 1913.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 19th February, 1913.

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

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Port Adelaide and Port Pirie Rivers.

MASTERS of vessels, pilots, and others navigating the Port Adelaide River or the Port Pirie River are hereby cautioned that when dredgers are working at or near a fairway they are to look out specially for the breast chains, go at a moderate speed, and not let go an anchor so as to foul these chains.

The dredgers' anchors are placed close to the opposite bank, so that a vessel cannot touch them unless they get aground.

True Bearings.

Masters of vessels, pilots, and others are hereby informed that in future all BEARINGS given in "Notices to Mariners" will be TRUE, not magnetic, to be reckoned clockwise or to the right from N. 0° to 360°.

River Murray, Lake Alexandrina.—Point Sturt and Point Pomanda.

Masters and officers of vessels and others navigating the River Murray and Lakes are hereby informed that on and after the night of the 27th January, 1913, white lights will be exhibited from Point Sturt and Point Pomanda.

The lights will be of the "A.G.A." variety, and will be exhibited from iron posts 9 ft. high. These posts will be surrounded by a galvanized-iron fence, painted white.

The focal plane of the light on Point Sturt will be 200 ft., and that on Point Pomanda 55 ft., above mean river-level.

The lights will flash once in every three seconds, and will be visible in clear weather all round the horizon for a distance of about eight miles.

Notice to Mariners No. 64 of 1913.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 9th June, 1913.

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

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

BRAZIL.

RIO DE JANEIRO HARBOUR.—PASSAGEM ROCKS LIGHT.—COLOUR CHANGED.—The Brazilian Government has given notice that the colour of Passagem Rocks light, Rio de Janeiro Harbour, Brazil, has been changed from white to red.
Approx. position: Lat. 22° 50' 30" S., long. 43° 10' W.

IL MANOEL ISLET LIGHT-BUOY.—COLOUR OF LIGHT CHANGED.—The Brazilian Government has given notice that the colour of the light exhibited from the light-buoy moored eastward of Il Manoel Islet, Rio de Janeiro Harbour, Brazil, has been changed from red to white.
Approx. position: Lat. 22° 48' 30" S., long. 43° 9' 10" W.

SUMATRA.

EAST COAST.—RHIO STRAIT.—GREAT KARAS ISLAND.—REEF NORTH-WESTWARD.—The commander of the Netherlands man-of-war "Fret" reports a reef, drying at low water, about 440 yards long in a northeast-southwest direction and 44 yards wide off the north-western shore of Great Karas Island, Rhio Strait, east coast of Sumatra, in (approximately) latitude 0° 46' N., longitude 104° 18' 30" E.

H.O. Charts Nos. 797, 1170, and 1205.

B.A. Charts Nos. 1263 and 2757.

China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1906, page 603.

KUNDUR ISLAND.—BUOY CHANGED.—The Netherlands Government has given notice that the white conical buoy recently established to mark the shoal westward of Kundur Island, east coast of Sumatra, has been replaced by a black can buoy moored northward of the shoal in (approximately) latitude 0° 53' 40" N., longitude 103° 14' 26" E.

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

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

RHIO STRAIT.—DECREASED DEPTH ON SHOAL.—The Netherlands Government has given notice that the shoal southward of Pulo Awi, Rhio Strait, east coast of Sumatra, shown on the charts with the least depth of 2½ fathoms over it dries at low water.

Approx. position: Lat. 0° 57' 50" N., long. 104° 6' 42" E.

H.O. Charts Nos. 854B, 1170, 797, and 1205.

B.A. Chart 2757.

China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1906, page 606.

BANKA ISLAND.—MUNTOK.—BUOY TO BE MOVED.—The Netherlands Government has given notice that the white buoy with a ball topmark marking Karang-Hadje Reef, Muntok approach, Banka Island, will be moved and re-established on the northern side of the 2-fathom reef in (approximately) latitude 2° 5' 5" S., longitude 105° 6' 40" E.

H.O. Charts Nos. 854B, 826A, and 1170.

B.A. Charts Nos. 1263, 2757, 2149, 2597, and 3471.

China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1906, page 478.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

STRAIT OF GEORGIA.—FRASER RIVER LIGHT-VESSEL REPLACED ON STATION.—GAS AND WHISTLE BUOY WITHDRAWN.

—Information has been received from the agent of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Victoria, British Columbia, that about 3rd April, 1913, the gas and whistle buoy showing an intermittent red light, temporarily marking the station of Fraser River Light-vessel, off the sandheads at the mouth of the Fraser River, would be withdrawn and a two-masted light-vessel, painted red, established in its place. The light-vessel will show 2 faced white lights, one from each masthead at the same height, and during thick weather will sound a diaphone fog-alarm giving 1 blast of 3 seconds' duration every 30 seconds.

Approx. position: Lat. 49° 6' 17" N., long. 123° 18' 15" W.

WASHINGTON.

ROSARIO STRAIT.—CYPRESS ISLAND.—ROCK TO WESTWARD.—The master of the British steamer "Lord Darby" reports that on 4th April, 1913, at 3 a.m., his vessel struck an obstruction (presumably a rock) estimated to be 12 ft. to 15 ft. below the surface (5 ft. to 8 ft. at mean lower low water), about 300 yards 270° from the southern end of Strawberry Island, west coast of Cypress Island, Rosario Strait, Washington.

Pending an examination, a depth of 5 ft., marked P.D., has been placed on the charts in the assigned position.

Approx. position: Lat. 48° 33' 40" N., long. 122° 44' 20" W.

CHINA SEA.

BANKA ISLAND.—NORTH-EAST COAST.—CHANGE IN BUOYAGE.—The Netherlands Government has given notice that the white conical buoy marking Malan Tate (Fokke Reef), north-east coast of Banka Island, has been moved and re-established in the position of Karang Merah (Sullivan Reef) light-buoy, which has been withdrawn.

Approx. position: Lat. 2° 1' 30" S., long. 106° 16' 42" E.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO BAY.—SAN PABLO BAY.—GAS AND BELL BUOY REPLACED ON STATION.—GAS-BUOY WITHDRAWN.—Notice is given that lower mid-channel gas and bell buoy, painted in perpendicular stripes, has been replaced on its station in San Pablo Bay, California, and the temporary gas-buoy withdrawn.

CHILE.

MAGELLAN STRAIT.—FIRST NARROWS.—MENDEZ POINT LIGHT.—FURTHER INFORMATION.—The Chilean Government has given notice that the light recently established on Mendez Point, First Narrows, Magellan Strait, is an unwatched flashing white light showing 1 group of 2 flashes every 6 seconds—thus, flash 0.3 second, eclipsed 0.9 second; flash 0.3 second, eclipsed 4.5 seconds.

The light is shown 93 ft. above the sea from a lantern with a white-and-red horizontally striped roof, surmounting a white cylindrical iron tower 7½ ft. high, enclosed by a wooden fence 6½ ft. high, in the form of a square, painted white and red in horizontal bands.

The light is visible 13 miles over an arc of 194° from 240° to 46°.

Approx. position: Lat. 52° 32' 15" S., long. 69° 34' 40" W.

DIRECTION HILL LIGHT.—INTENDED CHANGE IN CHARACTERISTIC.—The Chilean Government has given notice that the characteristic of Direction Hill light, Magellan Strait, will be changed from flashing white every 3 seconds to flashing white every 10 seconds—thus, flash 1 second, eclipsed 9 seconds.

ENGLISH REACH.—RUPERT ISLAND.—LIGHT ESTABLISHED.—FURTHER INFORMATION.—Information has been received that the light recently established on the north-eastern side

of Rupert Island, English Reach, Strait of Magellan, is an unwatched *flashing white* light every 3 seconds—thus, flash 0.3 second, eclipsed 2.7 seconds.

The light is exhibited 62 ft. above the sea from a cylindrical iron tower painted red and white in horizontal bands, and is visible 12 miles over an arc of 181° between the bearings 136° and 315°.

The height of the tower from base to focal plane is 7½ ft.
Approx. position: Lat. 53° 39' 36" S., long. 72° 12' 5" W.

WASHINGTON.

COLUMBIA RIVER ENTRANCE.—CHANGE IN RANGE-LIGHTS.—On 1st March, 1913, the entrance range-lights, Columbia River, Washington, were changed as follows:—

The front light was moved 220 yards 259°, and its characteristic changed from fixed to *flashing white* every 2 seconds—thus, flash 0.2 second, eclipsed 1.8 seconds.

The characteristic of the rear light was changed from fixed to *intermittent white* every 2 seconds—thus, light 1 second, eclipsed 1 second.

The luminous power of both lights has been increased from 170 to 3,000 candles.

Approximate position of front light: Latitude 46° 15' 37" N., longitude 123° 57' 56" W.

PUGET SOUND.—SEATTLE HARBOUR.—LIGHT ESTABLISHED.—On 15th March, 1913, an *intermittent* light every minute, showing *white* and *red* alternately—thus, *white* light 15 seconds, eclipsed 15 seconds; *red* light 15 seconds, eclipsed 15 seconds—was established 94 ft. above the sea on the cupola of the tower on Coleman Dock, Seattle Harbour, Puget Sound.

The light has a 6th-order illuminating apparatus, with an electric incandescent lamp, giving a luminous power of 1,000 candles for the *white* and 400 candles for the *red* light.

This light is maintained by the Coleman Dock Company.

CALIFORNIA.

ST. GEORGE REEF LIGHT-STATION.—FOG-SIGNAL TO BE CHANGED.—About 1st July, 1913, the steam fog-whistle at St. George Reef Light-station, California, will be replaced by a first-class siren, which will sound 1 group of 2 blasts every 30 seconds—thus, blast 2 seconds, silent 3 seconds; blast 2 seconds, silent 23 seconds.

Approx. position: Lat. 41° 50' 10" N., long. 124° 22' 29" W.

CAPE MENDOCINO.—BLUNTS REEF LIGHT-VESSEL WITHDRAWN FROM STATION.—RELIEF LIGHT-VESSEL.—On 27th March, 1913, Blunts Reef Light-vessel No. 83, moored 1½ miles 242° from Blunts Reef, sea-coast of California, and 4½ miles 265° 30' from Cape Mendocino Lighthouse, was temporarily withdrawn from her station and the station was marked by Relief Light-vessel No. 76.

Relief Light-vessel No. 76 shows lights and sounds fog-signals having the same characteristics as those of Light-vessel No. 83, except that each of the two lights is shown from three lens lanterns encircling the masthead at a height of 46 ft. above the water and visible 12 miles.

Approx. position: Lat. 40° 26' 9" N., long. 124° 30' 14" W.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VANCOUVER ISLAND.—BARKLEY SOUND.—EASTERN CHANNEL.—CHANNEL ROCKS.—GAS AND WHISTLE BUOY TO BE ESTABLISHED.—About 1st May, 1913, and without further notice, a gas and whistle buoy, painted black, and showing an *intermittent white* acetylene light, will be established on the eastern side of Channel Rocks, Barkley Sound, Vancouver Island, British Columbia, in (approximately) latitude 48° 49' 12" N., longitude 125° 12' 50" W.

BRAZIL.

EAST COAST.—RIO DE JANEIRO HARBOUR.—MOORING-BUOYS ESTABLISHED.—Information has been received that the following buoys have been established in Rio de Janeiro Harbour, Brazil:—

A large red mooring-buoy, 1,380 yards 76° from the centre of Rat Island.

A large red mooring-buoy, 1,320 yards 96° from the centre of Rat Island.

A mooring-buoy, 540 yards 44° from the centre of Rat Island.

The large red buoys are in the fairway and constitute a menace to vessels entering the harbour at night.

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN.

SOLOMON ISLANDS.—MALAITA ISLAND.—BANK REPORTED NORTHWARD OF.—Position: At a distance of about 9 miles, south-eastward from the south-west extreme of Gower Island. Lat. 8° 4' S., long. 160° 42' E. Depth: 17 fathoms was obtained, but there is probably less water. Remarks: The bank appeared to be about one mile in extent.

CHINA SEA.

SUMATRA, EAST COAST.—BERHALA STRAIT.—EXISTENCE DOUBTFUL OF SHOAL IN APPROACH.—Former Notice: No. 1664 of 1912. Position: At a distance of 19.6 miles, 119° (S. 62° E. mag.), from the centre of Berhala Island. Lat. 1° 1' 15" S., long. 104° 41' 20" E., on Chart No. 1789. Details: A search for this reported 4½-fathom shoal having failed to find it in the assigned position, the shoal has been marked "E.D." on the charts. Variation: 1° E.

ENGLAND, SOUTH COAST.

PLYMOUTH SOUND.—DREDGING IN PROGRESS.—Position: Dial on breakwater, lat. 50° 20' N., long. 4° 8¾' W. Details: Dredging is in progress, and will be continued during the summer months, in the vicinity of the mooring-buoys near the breakwater. One dredger is at work at present, but an additional one will be employed in May. Both dredgers will work day and night. The dredgers will each carry a red flag by day, and exhibit a red light by night. As the mooring-chains will extend a considerable distance from the dredgers, all vessels should give them a wide berth, and should, when passing them, proceed at a slow speed.

Note.—The note on Chart No. 1967 has been amended to read "Dredging in progress (1913)."

UNITED STATES, PACIFIC COAST.—SAN FRANCISCO BAY ENTRANCE.

SAN FRANCISCO LIGHT-VESSEL No. 70.—REPLACED ON STATION.—Former Notice: No. 36 of 1913. Position: Lat. 37° 45' N., long. 122° 41½' W. Remarks: The characteristics of this light-vessel are as given in the List of Lights. The relief light-vessel has been withdrawn.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA, SOUTH-WEST COAST.

CAPE LEEUWIN.—CAUTION WITH REGARD TO CURRENTS.—Position: Cape Leeuwin, lat. 34° 22' S., long. 115° 8' E. Caution: The following paragraph should be added to the cautionary note with regard to currents in the offing between Cape Leeuwin and Swan River, now given on the charts and in the Sailing Directions—"Moreover, currents of considerable velocity have been experienced at all seasons of the year setting towards the land in the vicinity of Cape Leeuwin."

NORTH ATLANTIC OCEAN.

BAY OF BISCAY.—DERELICT REPORTED.—Position: Lat. 47° 0' N., long. 6° 39' W. Date sighted: On the 5th April, 1913. Description: Derelict about 100 ft. in length. Remarks: This derelict is dangerous to navigation, as it lies in the track of shipping crossing the bay.

Merchant Ships crossing the North Atlantic.

The Board of Trade, in co-operation with the principal N. Atlantic steamship lines, are sending out the "Scotia" for the purpose of ice obser. off the E. coast of North America to the N. of the steamship routes. The "Scotia" is fitted with wireless apparatus, and will communicate the results of her obsers. to the land stations on the coast of Newfoundland and Labrador for transmission to the Meteorological Office and the steamship lines. The "Scotia" will also be prepared to transmit to any vessel within range a similar report containing particulars of the nature of the ice obser., the direction and rate of its drift, the weather conditions at the ship, &c. For the purpose of making these reports a code has been prepared and copies may be obtained by the master of any merchant vessel carrying wireless tel. engaged in the N. Atlantic trade, on application to the Assistant Secretary, Marine Department, Board of Trade, London, S.W.

TASMANIA.

The colour of the diamond-headed beacon on Fulham Point, near the entrance to Norfolk Bay, has been changed from white to red.

Chart affected: No. 809.

Marine Board Office, Hobart, 23rd May, 1913. J. ADAMS, Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 65 of 1913.

Marine Department, Wellington, N.Z., 10th June, 1913. THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Port Officer, Melbourne, Victoria, are published for general information.

GEORGE ALLPORT, Secretary.

VICTORIA.

Measured Mile.—Port Phillip Bay.

REFERRING to General Notice to Mariners dated 1st August, 1907, page 91, and to subsequent notice No. 112, dated 25th July, 1912, mariners and others are hereby notified that the rear or shore beacons have now been established, and the measured mile completed.

The front and rear beacons, which come into line on a bearing from seaward of N. 48 deg. E. magnetic, and mark the extremities of the mile, are each surmounted by a triangle, painted white, those on shore being inverted and so arranged that their vertices appear to make contact with those in front when running the course which bears S. 42 deg. E. magnetic, about 1½ miles from the shore, in 9 fathoms of water.

As the north-western beacon now serves the purpose of the red buoy formerly used to mark the low-water rock off Quiet Corner, such red buoy has now been removed.

Entrance to Port of Gippsland Lake.

Mariners and others are hereby notified that the bar at the entrance to the Port of Gippsland Lakes has shoaled to 8 ft. at low water.

Extreme caution should be exercised by strict compliance with "Wait Tide" signals and navigating the entrance under favourable weather conditions only.

Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 142, dated 13th inst., mariners and others are hereby further notified that the master of the s.s. "Queenscliff" reports a depth of 11 ft. low water on the bar, on a line slightly westward of the flagstaff in line with the outer end of Western Pier. The bar may therefore be navigated under moderate sea conditions by vessels of reasonable draught by crossing on the above-mentioned line, but immediately after crossing the bar mariners should haul to the eastward to usual fairway marks to clear broken water and obstructions off Western Pier end.

C. W. MACLEAN,
Port Officer.

Melbourne, 14th May, 1913.

Notice to Mariners No. 66 of 1913.

Re BUOY IN SUMNER ESTUARY.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 10th June, 1913.

THE Lyttelton Harbour Board have notified that the buoy in the entrance to the estuary to the Avon and Heathcote Rivers between Shag Rock and the Tramway Viaduct (see Notice No. 108 of October, 1910) has disappeared, and that the sandbank which it marked has also scoured away.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Chart No. 1999; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter viii, page 236.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 67 of 1913.

LIGHT ON MARO TIRI (CHICKENS).

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 11th June, 1913.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 45 issued by this Department on the 14th April last, in regard to the unwatched acetone acetylene light exhibited from the

eastern extreme of the outer Maro Tiri Islands (Chickens), notice is hereby given that the exact height of the focal plane above mean sea-level has now been obtained by levelling, and is found to be 480 ft., which is 80 ft. higher than stated in the notice referred to.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2543, 3565, and 1912; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter ii, page 32; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1913, page 224.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

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

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 11th June, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registration of the Wellington Shipwrights' Society Industrial Union of Workmen, registered number 44, situated at Wellington, is hereby cancelled as from the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

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

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.

Agricultural and Pastoral Statistics.

Registrar-General's Office, Wellington, 5th June, 1913.

THE following table gives the average actual yields of field crops for the season 1912-13:—

District.	Bushels, per Acre.					Lb., per Acre.				Tons, per Acre.		
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Maize.	Peas.	Rye-grass.	Cocks-foot.	Red Clover.	White Clover.	Pota-toes.	Turnips.	Man-golds.
Auckland ..	28.36	35.94	51.99	48.17	15.08	355.44	148.55	160.00	..	6.63	16.45	24.01
Taranaki ..	36.43	41.02	54.47	30.00	45.05	509.13	76.37	..	..	6.55	20.28	35.87
Hawke's Bay ..	28.36	46.26	49.92	40.40	44.57	479.94	192.66	..	..	5.68	9.13	39.98
Wellington ..	32.49	37.01	34.77	..	28.03	349.06	143.95	..	..	6.90	14.94	22.65
Nelson and Marlborough ..	27.70	33.45	33.35	..	24.97	304.88	170.26	199.77	..	6.20	8.57	16.83
Canterbury ..	26.56	31.74	36.43	..	26.21	398.34	264.98	156.72	..	6.61	12.54	23.64
Otago ..	28.46	38.17	34.98	..	26.09	409.71	205.22	108.07	..	5.27	10.58	13.55
Southland ..	28.59	35.75	22.76	..	28.00	551.09	191.42	..	..	6.70	12.09	24.25
Averages for the Dominion	27.28	35.12	36.75	47.43	25.83	462.93	238.37	155.43	..	6.29	12.25	23.69

F. H. MACHATTIE,
Acting Government Statistician.

Minister's Decisions under Customs Duties Act.

Department of Trade and Customs, Wellington, 11th June, 1913.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Hon. the Minister of Customs has decided to interpret the Customs Duties Act in relation to the undermentioned articles as follows:—

NOTE.—“Not otherwise enumerated” appears as n.o.e.; “other kinds” as o.k.; “articles and materials suited only for, and to be used solely in, the fabrication of goods in the Dominion” as a. & m.s. Articles marked thus † are revised decisions.

Record.	Goods.	Classification under Tariff, and Item No.	Rate of Duty.	
			General Tariff.	Preferential Surtax on Foreign Goods.
13/671	Air-compressor, for starting Diesel oil-engine, being unsuitable for other purposes* A. & m.s., viz. :—	As part of oil-engine (385) ..	Free.	20 per cent.
13/732	Locomotive furnace, “Galloway Hill” patent	As a. & m.s. (482)	Free.	
13/577	Bicycles, accessories for, viz. :— Chassis for side-car of motor-cycle ..	As manufactured articles of metal n.o.e. (183) ..	20 per cent.	10 per cent.
13/806	Bolt, hook, with bent end in lieu of head ..	As bolts (365)	Free.	
13/821	Bricks for flooring bakers' ovens, dimensions 9 in. by 9 in. by 3 in., invoiced as soft red sole-tiles	As bricks, other than firebricks (445)	Free.	
13/385(4)	Clamps used in oil-boring, for holding casing tubes in position	As manufactured articles of metal n.o.e. (183)	20 per cent.	10 per cent.
13/588	Cranes, parts of, viz. :— Wheels for carriage of travelling electric crane, with projection rolls in centre of tires and flanges on each side (claimed as locomotive wheels)	As parts of cranes (175)	20 per cent.	10 per cent.
13/542	Electric appliances, viz. :— Vulcanite cleats for holding electric wire (claimed as insulating material)	As electric appliances n.o.e. (176)	20 per cent.	10 per cent.
13/712	Engine, oil, kerosene-gas producer for, being a carburettor	As part of oil-engine (385) ..	Free.	20 per cent.
13/847	Fur-skins, articles made up from, viz. :— Coat Muff and boa Toque	As apparel (88 or 94). As furs (90) As hat (91) .. .. .	.. .. . 25 per cent. 25 per cent.	.. .. .
13/793	Glass “pin-cushions,” for the manufacture of leaded lights, being small squares of plain bent glass	As glass, other kinds, n.o.e. (322) ..	Free.	
†13/304(2)	Gluten meal	As gluten flour (502)	Free.	
13/304(2)	Health food, sold as containing 90 per cent. of gluten	As gluten flour (502)	Free.	
13/679	Machine tools, metal-workers', viz. :— “Odell” stropping machine	As metal-workers' machine tool (379)	Free.	
13/898	Machinery n.o.e., viz. :— Brushmakers' fibre-mixing machine ..	As machinery n.o.e. (182)	20 per cent.	10 per cent.
13/641	“Ensign” lacing machine, used in manufacture of boots, for tightening uppers on last	As machinery n.o.e. (182)	20 per cent.	10 per cent.
13/622	“Malto Dextrine”	As glucose (13)	1d. the lb.	
13/931	Ornaments, soapstone	As articles made from stone (246) ..	25 per cent.	12½ per cent.
19/1	Pollard	As grain, ground or in any way manufactured, n.o.e. (216)	1s. the 100 lb.	2½d. the 100 lb.
13/872	Scientific apparatus, viz. :— Calibrating machine, including standard speedometer, for testing speedometers	As scientific apparatus (280) ..	Free.	
13/718(2)	Coil tester, the “Simpson,” for testing electric coils			
13/819	Draught indicator, used in connection with gas-retort flues, to measure volume of air passing through chimney			
13/825	Sirens, “Acme” (claimed as ship-chandlery n.o.e.)	As manufactured articles of metal n.o.e. (183)	20 per cent.	10 per cent.
13/860	Spoons, tinned	As hardware n.o.e. (178)	20 per cent.	10 per cent.
13/727	Steel grit for counter-weights	As n.o.e. (483)	Free.	

* The decision on “Gas-engine starter (air-compressors)” on page 118 of Decisions still stands, as this air-compressor was suitable for general purposes.

Minister's Order No. 1044.]

W. B. MONTGOMERY,
Secretary of Customs.

Vital Statistics.

GOVERNMENT STATISTICIAN'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of May, 1913:—

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the undermentioned Boroughs, during the Month of May, 1913.

BOROUGH.	ESTIMATED POPULATION, JANUARY, 1913.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGH.	DEATHS IN BOROUGH REGISTERED IN MAY, 1913.									Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, May, 1913.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1912.
			Males.			Females.			Total Deaths.				
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.					
Auckland	47,562	95	4	3	27	3	..	24	61	1.28	11.25		
Birkenhead	2,035	4	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	0.49	5.62
Devonport	7,441	10	..	..	3	..	..	1	4	0.54	6.42
Newmarket	3,070	3	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	0.33	3.72
Grey Lynn	9,317	22	..	..	..	1	..	4	5	0.60	8.53
Mount Eden.. .. .	9,981	23	1	..	3	..	..	5	9	0.90	12.26
Northcote	1,521	4	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	1.31	4.70
Mount Albert	7,669	19	..	1	..	..	1	5	7	0.91	5.65
Totals Auckland and sub-urban boroughs	87,596	180	5	5	34	4	1	41	90	1.08	9.73		
Population of other suburbs*	21,514												
Total population of Greater Auckland	109,110												
Wellington	66,138	149	1	1	21	..	1	19	43	0.65	9.48		
Karori	1,524	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5.82
Onslow	1,941	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6.37
Miramar	1,725	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5.31
Eastbourne	595	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1.68	5.14
Totals Wellington and sub-urban boroughs	71,923	163	1	1	21	..	1	20	44	0.61	9.13		
Population of other suburbs*	969												
Total population of Greater Wellington	72,892												
Christchurch	54,948	116	4	1	16	3	..	18	42	0.76	10.63		
Woolston	3,657	7	..	..	1	..	..	4	5	1.87	8.96
New Brighton	1,939	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7.62
Sumner	1,948	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	1.03	6.96
Spreydon	3,520	12	..	..	..	..	1	3	4	1.14	10.47
Riccarton	3,010	8	1	..	1	1	..	..	3	1.00	..
Totals Christchurch and sub-urban boroughs	69,022	149	5	1	19	4	1	26	56	0.81	10.34		
Population of other suburbs*	14,650												
Total population of Greater Christchurch	83,672												
Dunedin	48,859	93	4	1	24	2	..	22	53	1.08	11.28		
Maori Hill	2,276	5	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.44	6.16
Mornington	4,891	5	..	..	..	1	..	4	5	1.02	7.85
St. Kilda	4,435	19	..	..	..	3	..	1	4	0.90	7.85
West Harbour	2,033	4	1	..	1	..	..	2	4	1.97	5.91
Green Island.. .. .	1,976	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.51	10.80
Totals Dunedin and suburban boroughs	64,470	129	5	1	26	6	..	30	68	1.05	10.43		
Population of other suburbs*	2,511												
Total population of Greater Dunedin	66,981												

* These remaining suburbs do not lie within borough boundaries, and particulars respecting them have not been obtained for the Vital Statistics. Closely correct annual statements of population outside boroughs are not obtainable.

In the above table are given the deaths and death-rates for each of the four cities, for the suburban boroughs severally, and for each city with its suburban towns.

Deaths occurring at hospitals, of persons not residents of the borough wherein the hospital is situated, have been allotted in each case to the borough where the disease was contracted, and not to that in which the death actually took place.

The inclusion of the suburban boroughs tends to lower the rate at Auckland, Wellington, and Dunedin, but to raise it at Christchurch.

	Death-rates per 1,000 of Population.	
Auckland City	1.28	
and seven suburban boroughs		1.03
Wellington City	0.65	
and four suburban boroughs		0.61
Christchurch City	0.76	
and five suburban boroughs		0.81
Dunedin City	1.03	
and five suburban boroughs		1.05

Including the suburbs, the rate at Dunedin is the highest, and at Wellington the lowest.

Compared with May, 1912, the results are,—

	1912.	1913.
Auckland and suburbs	0.86	1.03
Wellington and suburbs	0.72	0.61
Christchurch and suburbs	0.94	0.81
Dunedin and suburbs	0.68	1.05

The total births in the four chief cities and their suburban boroughs amounted to 621, against 605 in April—an increase of 16. The deaths in May were 258—an increase of 27 as compared with last month. Of the total deaths, males contributed 124, females 134. Forty-one of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 15.89 per cent. of the whole number; 30 of these were under one year of age.

There were 90 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards in the four chief cities and their suburban boroughs, as against 76 in April. The following table shows the classification:—

Age.	Auckland.		Wellington.		Christchurch.		Dunedin.		Total.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
65	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3
66	1	1	..	..	1	2	..	2	2	5
67	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
68	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	1
69	..	..	1	1	..	2	..	1	1	4
70	1	2	..	1	..	..	1	3	2	6
71	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1
72	..	3	..	..	..	1	2	1	2	5
73	..	1	1	1	1	..	1	1	3	3
74	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
75	..	1	2	..	1	1	..	..	3	2
76	1	..	..	1	..	..	3	2	4	3
77	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	1
78	2	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	5	..
79	..	1	..	1	2	..	1	..	3	2
81	1	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	3	2
82	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..
83	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	1
84	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
85	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	2
86	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
88	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	2	1
93	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
95	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals ..	13	17	7	8	9	9	16	11	45	45

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Centres registered during May, 1913.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGH.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
I.—GENERAL DISEASES.									
<i>(a.) Epidemic Diseases.</i>									
4. Malaria	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
8. Whooping Cough	1	1
9. Diphtheria	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
<i>(b.) Other General Diseases.</i>									
28. Phthisis	2	..	4	..	3	..	7	16
28. Tuberculosis	1	..	..	..	..	1
30. Tubercular Meningitis	1	..	..	..	..	1
32. Psoas Abscess	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
32. Tubercular Disease of Spine	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
34. Tuberculosis of Kidneys	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Centres registered during May, 1913—continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
I.—GENERAL DISEASES—continued.									
(b.) Other General Diseases—continued.									
39. Cancer of Tongue	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
40. " Liver, Stomach, &c.	5	..	..	..	7	..	4	16
41. " Intestines, Rectum	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	6
42. " Uterus	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	3
43. " Breast	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	3
44. " Face	1	..	..	..	1	2
45. " Other Organs	3	3
47. Rheumatic Pericarditis	1	..	1
50. Diabetes	1	..	..	..	..	1
54. Anæmia	1	..	1	2
55. Ptomaine Poisoning	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
55. Toxæmia	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
56. Alcoholism	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
II.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.									
61. Meningitis	1	1	..	2	1	1	..	..	6
62. Locomotor Ataxia	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
63. Ascending Paralysis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
63. Congenital Paralysis	1	..	1
64. Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy	4	..	1	..	2	..	3	10
66. " Paralysis	1	..	..	..	..	1
67. General Paralysis of Insane	1	1
68. Insanity, Melancholia	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
71. Convulsions	2	..	2
74. Cerebral Tumour	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	3
74. Acute Hydrocephalus	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
76. Otitis Media	1	..	..	..	1
III.—DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.									
79. Heart-disease	11	..	5	..	12	..	9	37
80. Angina Pectoris..	1	..	..	..	2	3
81. Arterio-sclerosis..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
81. Aneurism	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
IV.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.									
89. Acute Bronchitis	1	1	..	..	2
90. Chronic Bronchitis	2	..	1	..	1	..	2	6
91. Broncho-pneumonia	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	3
92. Pneumonia	4	1	4	..	2	..	1	12
93. Pleurisy	1	..	..	1
94. Congestion of Lungs	1	1
96. Asthma	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
98. Abscess of Lung..	1	1
V.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.									
102. Gastric Ulcer	1	..	..	..	1	2
103. Gastritis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
104. Enteritis (under 2 years).. .. .	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3
105. " (2 years and over)	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
109. Intestinal Obstruction	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	3
110. Ischiorectal Abscess	1	1
113. Cirrhosis of Liver	1	..	..	1
115. Jaundice	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
117. Peritonitis	1	1
VI.—DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.									
120. Bright's Disease	4	..	1	..	2	..	1	8
120. Uramia	1	1
122. Pyonephritis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
126. Enlarged Prostate	1	..	..	..	..	1
126. Hypertrophy of Prostate..	1	..	..	1
126. Prostatitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
132. Salpingitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
VII.—PUERPERAL STATE.									
138. Puerperal Eclampsia	1	1
X.—MALFORMATIONS.									
150. Patent foramen ovale	1	..	..	..	1
150. Hydrocephalus	1	..	..	..	1

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Centres registered during May, 1913—continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
XI.—DISEASES OF INFANCY.									
151. Marasmus, &c.	3	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	6
151A. Premature Birth	1	..	..	..	2	..	5	..	8
152. Atelectasis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
152. Umbilical Hæmorrhage .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
152. Difficult Labour.. ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
XII.—OLD AGE.									
154. Senility .. ..	..	7	..	3	..	1	..	6	17
XIII.—VIOLENCE.									
156. Suicide by Coal-gas .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
157. " Strangulation.. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Firearms .. ..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	3
160. " Cutting-instruments .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2
166. Accident—Suffocated in a Burning House .. ..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2
167. " Burns, Scald .. ..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
169. " Drowned .. ..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	3
170. " Shot .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
175. " Collision with Cab .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
184. Manslaughter	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
185. Accident—Fracture of Spine .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
186. " Concussion of Spine .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
186. " Concussion of Brain .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
186. " Suffocation by Vomiting .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
186. " Suffocation by Regurgitation of Food into the Larynx during Sleep .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
XIV.—ILL-DEFINED CAUSES.									
188. Syncope .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
189. Heart-failure .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	15	75	3	41	11	45	12	56	258

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the undermentioned Boroughs, during the Month of May, 1913.

BOROUGHS.	ESTIMATED POPULATION, JANUARY, 1913.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGHS.	DEATHS IN BOROUGHS REGISTERED IN MAY, 1913.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, May, 1913.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1912.
			Males.			Females.					
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.			
Thames	3,704	5	..	..	3	..	..	1	4	1.08	8.68
New Plymouth	7,545	33	2	..	5	1	..	4	12	1.59	13.75
Napier	10,883	33	3	..	13	3	..	3	22	2.02	10.71
Gisborne	9,230	58	4	..	5	3	..	4	16	1.73	12.87
Wanganui	13,295	30	..	..	4	..	..	3	7	0.53	7.60
Palmerston North	11,615	44	..	..	3	..	..	3	3	0.26	8.58
Masterton	5,548	14	1	..	1	..	..	3	5	0.90	7.74
Petone	6,966	14	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	0.14	9.45
Blenheim	4,010	11	..	..	1	..	..	3	4	1.00	11.44
Nelson	8,419	15	2	1	4	1	..	1	9	1.07	10.93
Greymouth	5,560	9	..	..	5	..	..	8	13	2.34	9.71
Hokitika	2,363	6	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	1.27	14.88
Lyttelton	4,151	10	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.24	8.43
Timaru	11,942	32	..	..	6	1	1	4	12	1.00	9.21
Oamaru	5,371	16	1	..	3	..	..	3	7	1.30	12.07
Invercargill	13,486	45	2	1	5	1	..	7	16	1.19	10.77
Invercargill South	1,523	4	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	1.97	11.56

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 9th June, 1913.

F. H. MACHATTIE,
Acting Government Statistician.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 10th 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 Wednesday, the 24th day of September, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.—CENTRE HILL SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
15	V	281	3	0

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

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

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village-homestead allotments are open for selection on renewable lease, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908; and applications will be received at this office on Wednesday, the 30th July, 1913, up to 4 o'clock p.m.

The ballot for the allotments for which there is more than one applicant will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at 3 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, the 31st July, 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.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WAIMARINO COUNTY.—HOROPITO WEST VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Capital Value.			Half-yearly Rental.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
16	..	5	0	0	80	0	0	1	12	0
9	XVI	3	2	0	80	0	0	1	12	0
16	X	4	1	10	70	0	0	1	8	0

Situated in the Horopito West Village Settlement on the Main Trunk line, the access being from Horopito Railway-station, which is about half a mile distant. Sections 16 and 9 are reached by a partly formed and metalled road, Section 16, Block X, by an unformed road and also by cleared and partly formed road a distance of one mile and a quarter. All flat land, with fairly good soil of a volcanic nature, on shingle and grit formation. The forest comprises rimu, matai, kahikatea, with usual undergrowth. All the trees on Section 16, Block X, are dead. Elevation, about 2,460 ft. above sea-level.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The lands enumerated above are first-class lands, and are village-homestead allotments, 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 rentals stated above shall be the prices at which the lands shall be open for selection.

3. Applications for leases 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 leases 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 ls.), 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, and plans and forms of application obtained, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington.

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 11th 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 18th day of September, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—PUNIU SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
2	VI	2	3	34

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.—TAKAHUE 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.—TAKAHUE 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 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	II	A. R. P. 26 2 38
10A	"	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.

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.

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.
2	XVI	A. R. P. 18 3 0

H. M. SKEET,
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. BULLIARD,
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.

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. BULLIARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Rawene, Hokianga.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 7th June, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Rawene, Hokianga, on the 9th day of July, 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.

[Auckland, 1913-42.]

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.
APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
24	Peri Paraihe and Te Wauo Tawhana	Awaroa 2.
25	Kahi Tipene	" 2.
26	Karora Kahuitara and Rui Ngarare	Horotiu A 4.
27	Heremia te Wake	Karaka.
28	Wiremu Toi Tamati Riki	Kokohuia 1A.
29	Mata Hohua	" B.
30	Panihi Hapeta and Ruku Hori	Mangamuka West 3y
31	Rekene Pehi and Hone Mete Rewi	Mangapupu A No. 1.
31A	Reihana Makarini	Mangapupu.
31B	Wiremu Hauraki	" A 3.
32	Hori Rakete	Mangawhero G.
33	Raiha Rikihana	Mata.
34	Reihana Nutana	Mataraua.
35	T. Kamira	Matihetihe.
36	Peata Paurini Wikitera	Moetangi B 2 No. 1.
37	Tamati Hare	Motukaraka (Wharau).
38	Hami Maioha (V. H. Reed)	Omapere 1A.
39	Te Waipouri and Tamati Waipouri	Paihia 1G.
40	Tamati Waipouri and others (M. J. Larnach)	" 1G.
41	Mini Tana	Pakanae 5 (Ramaroa Pakanae).
42	Wiremu Hauraki	" 5B.
43	Arama Katete	Papua D.
44	Mihaka Karauna	Pikinga.
45	Tohu Karaka	Pikiparia.
46	Hone Hare	Piriti.
47	Taipari Heihei	Pukahu.
48	Pani te Whawhai	Rangihamama.
49	Matiu Wiripo and Pirini Ritete	Rotokakahi 3p 3G.
50	Te Weera Eruera	Taraire.
51	Hohopa Mete	Tauteihiihi 2B.
52	Ruri Huri	Utakura 1B 2M.
53	Te Ruhi Whautere	" 1B 2M.
54	Wiremu Ngawhau	" 2B 1C.
55	Romana Paehangi and others	Waima North A 17.
56	Arapera Toe	Waihou A 2 (1B).
57	Harata Kaipara, Kaipara Hiri	" A 4.
58	Harata Kaipara	" A 4, Section 1.
59	Pencha Honeri	" A 5.
60	Keti Hohaia	Waima 2.
61	Hori Kapu	" 2.
62	Riki Noho	Waima North 5.
63	Rewi Werekake	Waima South A.
64	Nganiho Makara	" A.
65	Warihau Horomona	" B.
66	Annie M. J. Bryers (Parr and Blomfield)	" C.
67	"	" F.
68	Paraki Mete	" F.
69	Tupoto Pita (Parr and Blomfield)	" G.
70	Hatamaria Rangitahi	" G.
71	Were Puru	" G.
72	Hatamaria Rangitahi and others	" G.
73	Ani Tanaha	" I.
74	Rekene Pehi and others	" 2.
75	Ngamako Hoone Iraia	Waimamaku B.
76	Riria Rewiri	" B 2A.
77	Taoho Rewiri and Reupena Tuoro	" B 2B.
78	Marama P. Rata	" B 2C 3.
79	Reupena Tuoro	" B 2E.
80	"	" B 2F.
81	Hori Tuoro and Hana Tuoro	" B 2F.
82	Rina Barnes	Waipoua A 2.
83	Iehu Moetara	" 2A 1.
84	Tiipi te Kamana and Iha Tiopira	" 2B.
85	Taoho Rewiri	" 2B 2B.
86	Ihaka Ngakuru	Wairau (Wahi Tapu).
87	Hemo Rewiri and Iehu Moetara	" North 3.
88	Reupena Tuoro	" North 3E.
89	Te Pepene	" 4A.
90	Ira Hone Anihana	Waircia.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
91	Harata Rapana	Wairere 1D.
92	Haora Makiri	" 2F 4.
93	T. Kamira	Wairoa.
94	Keita Toia	Waiwhatawhata 1A B.
95	Peri Paraihe]	Warawara.
96	Neta Kanara	" (Wairaka).
97	A. Ngawaka	Whakakoro A.
98	Raiha Tamaho (Earl and Kent)	" F 5C.
99	Te Utana	Whakanekeneke 4.
100	Takiura T. Tia Pakeke and Hone T. Tia Pakeke	Whakarapa.
101	Rena Wharewaka	"
102	Maraea Peita (or Butler) and others	"
103	Raiha Tamaho and others	Whakarawerua.
104	Reihana Ruka	Whawharu 2B.
105	Topia Makiha	" C.
106	Heremia te Wake	Whirinaki 2B.
107	Te Tana H. Riwahi	" 3A 5.
108	Pereri Iehu Ngawaka	" 3B.
109	Maru Papita	" 4.
110	Te Whango Timi and others	" 4C.
111	Henare Riiwhi and others	" 4E G.
112	Karora Kahuitara	" 4G.
113	Mihaka Hapati	" 5F.
114	Wiremu H. Rawiri	" 5S.
115	Penehio Tui Pehiriri	" 6 (Te Papua).

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
116	Hoone Mete Reewi] ..]	Mangapupu A 1, A 2, and B 1	For amendment of boundaries.
117	Kaia Perepe and others	Matuku	For cancellation of partition.
118	Wiremu Rikihana	Opanaki 2k 2y	"
119	Wikitera R. Ngaruhe	Paihia 1D and 1C	For amendment of boundaries.
120	Arama Houao	Touwai	"
121	W. Hapimana	Whakanekeneke	For cancellation of partition.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
122	The Hon. the Minister of Lands	Uwhango Titirangi Whakaau Rangiputa Te Huahua Matataiki Manawatawa Matai Te Tewha Te Rongoroa Tihiputa Rangai	For inquiry and report by the Native Land Court as to what persons shall be included in the instruments of title to these blocks.

123 Matter referred to the Court for inquiry and action under section 5, subsection 1 (a), of the Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1911, concerning Whakanekeneke Block.

APPLICATION UNDER SUBSECTION (c) OF SECTION 24 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
124	Atama Hapakuku	Paihia No. 1F	To inquire into the rights of Hone Anihana and others to the land, and also if compensation should be paid by the aforesaid Hone Anihana to Atama Hapakuku and others for his removal of four houses from the land.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXCHANGES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
125	{ Hori Harimana	Paibia 1G.
	{ Peri te Huhu	Paengatai.
126	{ Te Wano Kohu	Matuku C 2B.
	{ Huru Titore	Whirinaki 5K 6E and H.
127	{ Hemo Kereama	Hauturu 1B.
	{ Henare Matini	Paibia 2c 2.
128	{ Hori Tuoro	Puha A and Whataipu A.
	{ Te Hana Tuoro	Wairau 3A.
129	{ Hori Tuoro	Tongariro 2C.
	{ Te Hana Tuoro	Waimamaku 2B E.
130	{ Wiremu Paati	Tongariro 2D.
	{ Tamati Kingi	" 1c.
131	{ Ani Tanaha	Utakura 2D 3 No. 1B.
	{ Wi Hapeta	Whataipu A.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS AND FOR DEFINED PORTIONS OF LAND IN LIQUIDATION OF SURVEY FEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Date from which Interest is calculated.	Amount.
132	Chief Surveyor, Auckland ..	Karaka	18 February, 1913	£ s. d. 32 13 0
		Pahekeheke A	7 October, 1912	21 6 8
133	" " ..	" B 1	7 " 1912	34 16 3
		" B 2A	7 " 1912	20 18 0
		" B 2B	7 " 1912	28 16 2
134	" " ..	Pakanae 5A	29 April, 1911 ..	50 3 5
		" 5B	29 " 1911 ..	19 17 1
135	Nene Puru	Papua C		18 10 6
136	Chief Surveyor, Auckland ..	Poieke	10 June, 1912 ..	7 10 9
137	Tamati Hare	Puha B 3		13 14 1
138	Chief Surveyor, Auckland ..	Tauteihiihi 2A 1 ..	20 March, 1912	4 13 11
139	" " ..	" 2A 2	20 " 1912	8 5 10
140	" " ..	" 2B 1	20 " 1912	7 9 6
141	" " ..	" 2B 2	20 " 1912	4 18 8
142	" " ..	" 2B 3	20 " 1912	15 13 3
143	" " ..	" 2B 4	20 " 1912	13 11 5
144	" " ..	" 2B 5	20 " 1912	17 0 2
145	Meri Waiti	Utakura 1B 2R ..	20 " 1912	20 11 9
146	Percy Ward	" 2B 1C	20 " 1912	86 4 0
147	Chief Surveyor, Auckland ..	" 2D 6	5 September, 1910	23 0 5
148	" " ..	Waipoua 2A 3A ..	2 August, 1911	23 12 10
		" 2A 3B	2 " 1911	27 12 1
		Wairau North 1B 1 ..	31 January, 1911	2 8 0
		" 1B 2	31 " 1911	6 3 9
		" 1B 3	31 " 1911	9 7 1
		" 1B 4	31 " 1911	9 6 11
		" 1B 5	31 " 1911	3 19 6
		" 1B 2A	31 " 1911	7 13 11
149	" " ..	" 1B 2B	31 " 1911	7 0 4
		" 1B 2C	31 " 1911	9 13 6
		" 1B 2D	31 " 1911	9 10 1
		" 1B 2E	31 " 1911	10 8 10
		" 1B 2F	31 " 1911	11 0 1
		" 1B 2G	31 " 1911	10 6 0
		" 1B 2H	31 " 1911	6 2 4
		" 4B 1	31 " 1911	3 12 7
		" 4B 2	31 " 1911	5 2 9
150	" " ..	Whakakoro A	26 October, 1911	27 18 6
151	" " ..	" B	26 " 1911	7 6 7
152	" " ..	" D	26 " 1911	25 18 1
153	" " ..	" E	26 " 1911	21 3 7
154	" " ..	" F 1	26 " 1911	27 17 6
155	" " ..	" F 2	26 " 1911	16 12 8
156	" " ..	" F 3	26 " 1911	20 11 0
157	" " ..	" F 4	26 " 1911	11 11 10
158	" " ..	" F 5	26 " 1911	66 8 8
		Whakanekeneke 1 ..	11 February, 1911	19 8 0
		" 2	11 " 1911	8 11 9
		" 3	11 " 1911	26 12 6
		" 4	11 " 1911	9 4 10
159	" " ..	" 5	11 " 1911	8 1 3
		" 6	11 " 1911	2 17 0
		" 7	11 " 1911	9 11 0
		" A	11 " 1911	35 17 3
		" B	11 " 1911	6 14 0
		" C	11 " 1911	47 18 9
160	Tamati Hare	Whataipu A	11 " 1911	84 4 4
				9 15 0

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Nuhaka.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 5th June, 1913.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Nuhaka on the 20th day of June, 1913, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Gisborne, 1913-15.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	De Lautour, Barker, Stock, and Matthews.	Opoho No. 4c.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Palmerston North.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 9th June, 1913.
 NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Palmerston North on the 11th 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, 1913-18.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
48	Harata te Kuru and Hemi Kireka Rapaea Arapata te Kuru and Hoani te Kuru Harata te Kuru, Hemi Kireka Rapaea, Arapata te Kuru, and Hoani te Kuru	Mangamaire B No. 12. " B No. 13. Porangahau 1B No. 40, Sections 1, 2, and 3.

APPLICATION FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
49	A. L. D. Fraser (for the Dannevirke Racing Club)	Tahoraiti No. 17.

Sitting of the Native Appellate Court at Wellington.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 10th June, 1913.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Appellate Court sitting at Wellington on the 27th day of June, 1913, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Wellington, 1913-20.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPEAL.

No.	Name of Appellant.	Name of Land.	Decision in respect of which Appeal is made.
1	Tamihana Heta (by his solicitor, C. B. Morison)	Awapatiki 2A No. 2 ..	Decision given on the 20th day of March, 1907, on partition of block.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTIONS 57, 58, AND 59 OF THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
2	Tamihana Heta and others (by their solicitor, C. B. Morison)	Awapatiki No. 2A ..	For inquiry and determination as to the extent of the respective shares of the applicants.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wellington.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 10th June, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Wellington on the 28th 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, 1913-19.]

E. A. WELCH, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
135	Lease	24 August, 1912 ..	Wairewa, Block III,	Hohepa te Paro and others to Henry
136	.. ..	24 October, 1912 ..	Section 8B (part)	Tipi Karetai and others.
137	Transfer	18 November, 1912 ..	Wairewa, Block III,	Riria te Rongopatahi and others to
138	Lease	31 December, 1912 ..	Sections 1 and 2	Robert Ferguson.
139	Transfer	23 November, 1912 ..	Whenuanui, Section 6	Ramari Rona and others to Balfour
140	Lease	23 .. 1912 ..	Te Hora, Section 32A	Clouston.
141	Transfer	21 .. 1912 ..	No. 4 (part)	Watene Hemi and another to Mariane
142	Lease	21 .. 1912 ..	Anamahanga No. 1 ..	Wratt.
143	Transfer	29 January, 1913 ..	.. No. 1 ..	Titi Hohaia Pake and others to C. H.
144	Lease	29 .. 1913 ..	.. No. 2 ..	Gullyery.
145	.. ..	9 April, 1913 ..	Mangamaunu No. 5,	Iritana Whakapaki and others to C. H.
146	.. ..	31 July, 1912 ..	Section 2 (part)	Gullyery.
147	.. ..	28 December, 1912 ..	Wairewa, Block IV,	Harete Tamati to H. W. G. Beau-
148	Transfer	24 April, 1913 ..	Section 7	champ.
149	.. ..	21 December, 1912 ..	Wairewa, Block III,	Rawiri Ropata to Thomas Thompson.
150	Lease	28 April, 1913 ..	Sections 7 and 8	Makareta Rapatini and others to
151	.. ..	17 May, 1913 ..	Wairewa, Block III,	George L. Columbus.
152	.. ..	14 March, 1913 ..	Sections 6 and 7	Huriana Ropata and others to Thomas
153	Transfer	5 and 6 March, 1913	Kaiapoi Bush Parcel,	Thompson.
154	Lease	24 April, 1913 ..	Section 155	Whakamaui Pihawai and others to
155	Transfer	4 June, 1913 ..	Rangitoto 3B 4c ..	Pita Timuaki Tainui.
			Longwood, Block II,	Hahi Kawharu to Elsie M. Woodman.
			Section 9A	Catherine Ann Gregg and others to
			Oamaru 2A No. 1 ..	John T. Simpson.
			Kekerione 1J ..	Taituha Pata to Karira Tahuaroa.
			Awapatiki No. 1A 1A	Pahi Pomare to Inia Tuhata.
			Waikouaiti, Block XII,	Maui Pomare to Percy R. A. Cox.
			Section 79A	Teone Rena Mamaru and another to
			Kaiapoi, Section 132A	G. J. L. Kerr.
			(part)	Ruiha Karaitiana to Taituha Hape.
			Port Levy, Section 1A	Hone Tare Tikao to Harriett Jane
			(part)	Fleming.

APPLICATION FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
156	Tiria Tewiata (by her agent, R. Nikora)	Haruatai No. 3A.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
175	The Chief Surveyor, Wellington	Puketotara 334 and 335, Section 3A..	£ s. d.
176	" " " "	" " 3B, Section 1 ..	18 18 11
177	" " " "	" " 3B " 2A ..	16 3 4
178	" " " "	" " 3B " 2B ..	21 11 4
179	" " " "	" " 7A ..	11 1 0
180	" " " "	" " 7B No. 1 ..	11 15 4
181	" " " "	" " 7B No. 2 ..	3 14 2
182	" " " "	" " 7B No. 3 ..	7 1 7
183	" " " "	" " 7C No. 1 ..	19 15 5
184	" " " "	" " 7C No. 2 ..	10 18 3
185	" " " "	" " 7C No. 3 ..	8 19 9
186	" " " "	" " 7C No. 4 ..	1 6 3
			8 1 7

APPLICATION FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
187	Ropata Ranapiri (by his solicitors, Stafford and Treadwell) ..	Meropa Tima.

188 This is an application by Ropata Ranapiri to the Court to hear and determine who are the persons entitled to receive the amounts awarded under the provisions of section 11 of the Thermal Springs Districts Act, 1910, to the undermentioned Natives, now deceased, as compensation for their undivided interests in the Rotorua Township (otherwise Pukeroa-Oruawhata), as in the said Act provided, and to issue letters of administration accordingly, viz.,—

						£	s.	d.
Taratoa Ranapiri	..	..	..	..	..	31	6	8
Pareuhirangi Ranapiri	..	..	..	..	..	31	6	8

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
189	Amiria Gage	Kaituna, Block XII, Sub-division 2c No. 1A	For an order directing the Public Trustee to pay to the applicant, as trustee for Kiti Hemi or Haka-raia, the sum of £2 10s., being a portion of the share of the said minor in the purchase-money for the said block.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES

Sitting of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board at Rotorua.

Waiariki Maori Land Board Office, Rotorua, 6th June, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board will be held at Rotorua on the 24th day of June, 1913, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, to hear and determine the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by me, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

JAS. W. BROWNE, President.

SCHEDULE.

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

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.					
1	1912/131	Lease ..	..	Tarewa No. 10 ..	Ekana Tiaki and others to J. H. Taylor (George Urquhart).
2	1912/132	Transfer ..	..	Owhatiura South No. 4, Section 2B	Te Wiremu Matene and others to J. H. Taylor (George Urquhart).
3	1912/233	Lease ..	13 July, 1912 ..	Lot 60A No. 2A, Parish of Rangitaiki	Makuini te Tau and others to Tame Ngaheu (Neumegen and Mowlem).
4	1912/237	Transfer ..	7 June, 1912 ..	Town of Richmond, Lot 100	Te Hoepo Ngarepo and Huka Ngarepo to Harry William Burt (Neumegen and Mowlem).
5	1912/239	.. ..	..	Rangatira No. 5	Kahui te Kerehi to Thomas Balfour Noble (George Urquhart).
6	1912/302	.. ..	13 May, 1912, and 22 June, 1912	Ngatipahiko B No. 3c No. 7	Heketua Pikoko and Keita Pikoko to Henry Albert Alexander (Hill and Fleming).
7	1912/349	Lease ..	4 November, 1912	Rotoiti No. 4 (part) ..	The proprietors to Mita Makiha and Kerei Hori Taiawhio (W. A. Carter).
8	1912/359	.. ..	16 .. 1912 ..	Section 129, Parish of Matata	Te Whai Warbrick and another to David Harold Potter (R. M. Tolhurst).
9	1913/27	Transfer ..	22 January, 1913 ..	Maungarangi B No. 1N ..	Te Kura Wharepohue and another to Thomas Hawkins Smith (Hill and Fleming).
10	1913/32	Lease ..	..	Oruanui A ..	Erueti Tarakainga to Sidney Robert Palmer and others (Rhodes and Hampson).
11	1913/47	.. ..	..	Lot 29J, Rangitaiki ..	Hataraka Kerekeha and others to Manuhiri Tiaki.
12	1913/57	Transfer ..	5 October, 1912 ..	Waotu South C No. 6c ..	Winia Hoana and others to Fanny Elizabeth Barnett (Parr and Blomfield).
13	1913/58	.. ..	5 September, 1912 ..	.. No. 13 ..	Hanita Tatona and others to Frederick Charles Barnett (Parr and Blomfield).
14	1913/73	.. ..	18 December, 1912 ..	Whangamata No. 2B No. 2A No. 1	Hapimana Kohina and others to Frederick George Dalziell (Rhodes and Hampson).
15	1913/74	.. ..	22 May, 1912 ..	Whangamata No. 2B No. 2A No. 2	Te Ataarangi and others to Frederick George Dalziell (Rhodes and Hampson).
16	1913/81	Deed of gift ..	29 November, 1912 ..	Papamoa No. 2 Section 9 (part)	Hone te Atirau to John Atirau Asher.

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

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
NEW APPLICATIONS.					
17	1913/101	Transfer ..	..	Maungarangi B No. 1B ..	Te Kahiwi te Tuhi and Wikitoria Ngaku to Thomas Hawkins Smith (Hill and Fleming).
18	1913/102	" ..	20 January, 1913 ..	" B No. 6B ..	Parekamoa Taraipine and Tame Paora to Thomas Hawkins Smith (Hill and Fleming).
19	1913/103	" ..	4 February, 1913 ..	" B No. 7B ..	Te Mapu Tohiariki and Pare te Roto to Thomas Hawkins Smith (Hill and Fleming).
20	1913/113	Lease ..	1 April, 1913 ..	Whangaparaoa No. 2c ..	Hunia Matiu and Mereana Matiu to Alfred Ernest Kemp and Hayward Francis Kemp (W. A. Carter).
21	1913/115	Transfer ..	27 December, 1912 ..	Lot 220, Town of Richmond	Mihirini Waata and others to Janet Richard Hodge (O. J. Hodge).
22	1913/116	" ..	14 November, 1912 ..	Te Puke No. 2c No. 2 ..	Pohe Hori and others to Jane Elizabeth Lemon (O. J. Hodge).
23	1913/119	" ..	31 March, 1913 ..	Kaitao Rotohokahoka No. 3c No. 1	Tatai te Purei to Henry Puller Ford (George Urquhart).
24	1913/120	Transfer of lease	24 February, 1913 ..	Tihiotonga A ..	Raharuhi Pururu to Charles Douglas Tod (George Urquhart).
25	1913/122	Transfer ..	7 October, 1912 ..	Allotment 11, Section 1, Town of Opotiki	Turakia te Roihe and others to James Bishop (Rhodes and Hampson).
26	1913/126	" ..	28 April, 1913 ..	Rotohokahoka D South No. 11	Waireti te Aohinga to Robert Alexander Jackson (George Urquhart).
27	1913/147	Lease ..	17 .., 1913 ..	Pukehina M, Section 5 ..	Parekitauranga Ngawhika and others to Donald Grant.
28	1913/107	Transfer ..	23 November, 1912 ..	Whakamaru-Maungaiti F No. 1	Kumeroa te Timi to Richard Henry Phelan (Earl and Kent).
29	1913/160	Lease ..	— May, 1913 ..	Rotoiti No. 5B ..	Incorporated owners to Andrew Brown (George Urquhart).
30	1913/161	Transfer ..	15 .., 1913 ..	Kaitao-Rotohokahoka 3A 4	Wharawhara Tautau and Te Wharenui Tautari to William George Butcher (George Urquhart).
31	1913/162	" ..	19 .., 1913 ..	Utanga No. 6 ..	Te Wharetutaki Rotohiko to Meri Meremena (George Urquhart).
32	1913/163	Gift ..	..	Lot 44, Whakarewarewa	Tame Wikitari to Rauoriwa Mareti and Rangiriri Mareti (Rhodes and Hampson).
33	1913/166	Lease ..	29 March, 1913 ..	Okoheriki 2c 11 ..	Natives to D. W. Steele.
34	1913/167	Transfer ..	24 May, 1913 ..	Waitaha 1B, Section 3 ..	" G. W. Brown.
35	1913/168	" ..	4 June, 1913 ..	Kaitao-Rotohokahoka 3c No. 2	" J. B. Krairs.
36	1913/169	" ..	4 .., 1913 ..	Waotu North 2A, Section 1	" J. H. Moore.
36A	1913/170	" ..	28 April, 1913 ..	Lot 82, Town of Richmond	Eruera Hori Karaka to W. C. Savage.

APPLICATIONS FOR PRECEDENT CONSENT TO ALIENATIONS UNDER SECTION 209 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
37	1913/164	Gift ..	Whakarewarewa, Lot 3B No. 1, No. 1 Reserve	Natives to Rauoriwa Mareti and Rangiriri Mareti (Rhodes and Hampson).
38	1913/165	Sale ..	Lot 72B No. 3W, Parish of Matata ..	Natives to Maata Rangitukehu (Rhodes and Hampson).

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
39	1913/156	Lot 3, Town of Whakatane ..	Hetaraka Merito and others to Edward Clay (Rhodes and Hampson).

APPLICATIONS TO RECOMMEND THE HON. THE NATIVE MINISTER TO CONSENT TO ALIENATIONS UNDER SECTION 298 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.				
40	1912/333	Lease ..	Matata, Lot 72B No. 3g ..	Huhana te Herewaka to Albert John Rhodes (Rhodes and Hampson).
41	1913/92	" ..	" ..	Huhana te Herewaka to Hori Pawa (George Urquhart).
42	1913/104	Sale ..	Maungarangi B No. 7A ..	Tame te Roto and others to Thomas Hawkins Smith (Hill and Fleming).
43	1913/114	" ..	" B No. 1s ..	Te Tumū Patukohu and others to Thomas Hawkins Smith (Hill and Fleming).
44	1913/159	" ..	Wharawhara No. 2 ..	Rehe Matataia and others to Colin McNaughton (O. J. Hodge).

Meeting of the Tokerau District Maori Land Board.

Auckland, 4th June, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Tokerau District Maori Land Board will be held at Auckland on Tuesday, the 24th day of June, 1913, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, and such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

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

WALTER DINNIE, President.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	1152	Transfer ..	..	Kopironui B 2E ..	Mere Paora to Arthur Southey Baker.
2	1153	" ..	25 January, 1913 ..	Maimaru D, Section 3A ..	Poroa Timoti Busby to Arthur G. Quartley.
3	1154	" ..	14 April, 1913 ..	Paihia 3B No. 1C ..	Anaru Ngawaka and others to J. Harrison and W. Henry.
4	1155	" ..	14 " 1913 ..	Paihia 3B No. 1B ..	Maraea Naru to J. Harrison and W. Henry.
5	1156	" ..	29 October, 1912 ..	Opanake 1c North No. 2 ..	Meri te Rore and others to G. G. K. Trounson.
6	1160	Gift ..	6 March, 1913 ..	Motatau No. 5N ..	Tamati Wiremu to Hera Patu.
7	1168	Sale ..	5 May, 1913 ..	Mareikura A 2A 2B ..	Ruahuihui W. Pou to Nathanie Clotworthy.
8	1169	Transfer ..	..	Piritaha 2c No. 2 ..	Riwhia Makoare to A. J. M. Moore.
9	1170	Sale ..	..	Ururua 2D No. 2 ..	Hira Hakuene and others to Ruth Rendell.
10	1171	" ..	..	Waikoukou No. 2 (part)..	Mere P. Tuhaere and others to James H. Brathwaite.
11	1172	" ..	4 January, 1913 ..	Herepoho ..	Tamati Hapimana to Arthur Thayer Close.
12	1173	Transfer ..	15 May, 1913 ..	Kaihu 2B 3 Block ..	Pouaka te Awha to Michael Baker and others.
13	1174	" ..	26 April, 1913 ..	Opanake 2K, E Block ..	Maria Rikihana to John Tuohy.
14	1175	Sale ..	..	Ururua 1B (west portion)	Rere Arama and another to Ruth Rendell.
15	1176	Transfer ..	30 April, 1913; 1 May, 1913	Awapuku No. 4 ..	Heta Aperahama and others to George Thomas.
16	1177	" ..	1 May, 1913 ..	" No. 5 ..	Marama Aperahama to George Thomas.
17	1179	" ..	14 March, 1913 ..	Makarau 3A No. 1 ..	Hara Wiremu and another to Thomas Manuell.
18	1181	Lease ..	10 May, 1913 ..	Whatitiri No. 12i ..	Irirangi H. Manihera and others to Sidney H. Kay.
19	1182	Transfer ..	24 " 1913 ..	Ngaropa Block ..	Erana Honetana and others to Horace D. Eccles.
20	1183	" ..	17 December, 1912 ..	Maungaturoto D ..	Ere Kaikou and others to Arthur C. Hingston.
21	1184	" ..	20 May, 1913 ..	Kohewhata No. 66 ..	Hori Puriri to Frank Skinner.
22	1185	" ..	24 April, 1913 ..	Papakauri C ..	Atareria Whakarei and others to Thomas Dixon.
23	1186	Lease ..	26 " 1913 ..	Taraire No. 1N ..	Tamati Kingi to Frank Thomas Goodhue.
24	1187	Transfer ..	21 May, 1913 ..	Tuhuna No. 25 ..	Marama Tahere and others to Winnie Alison.
25	1188	Lease ..	26 April, 1913 ..	Taraire No. 2L ..	Tamati Kingi and others to Frank Thos. Goodhue.
26	1189	" ..	18 December, 1912 ..	Matawaia, Section 1B ..	Wiremu Karaka and others to Mary Edwards.
27	1190	Transfer ..	22 April, 1913 ..	Kahikatoa No. 2B ..	Maraea Hou and others to Stanley Edwards.
28	1191	" ..	10 February, 1913 ..	Taraire No. 2Y ..	Mere Tihema to John Julius Lindvart.
29	1192	" ..	15 April, 1913 ..	Taraire 1w, Section 2 ..	Hami Tahere to Catherine Blomfield.
30	1193	" ..	31 May, 1913 ..	Konoti B 1, S.E. B 1 ..	Himiona Popata to Mabel I. Sefton.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 18 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1912.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Block.
31	1161	Parata Minarapa	Puhipuhi No. 4A No. 1.
32	1164	Wiri Nehua and another	Ruapekapeka No. 1D South.
33	1165	Neha Toki and others	" No. 1D North.
34	1180	Pane Henare and another	Kaikou A No. 2.

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

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
35	1166	Sale	Muriwhenuatika No. 1c	Native owners to R. D. Campbell.
36	1167	Lease	Motorua Island	David Forsyth.
37	1178	"	Ongarahu A	" Daniel Lyons and John Lyons.

Meeting of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board to be held at Gisborne on Tuesday, the 1st day of July, 1913, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

[T. 1913-6.]

Gisborne, 6th June, 1913.

R. N. JONES, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF LEASES.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Maori Lessor.	Term of Lease.	Area proposed to be leased.
176	512	William Innocent Petchell (Rees Bros. and Bright)	Awapuni A 2 No. 1 ..	Raiha Taketake	Yrs. ..	A. R. P. 7 3 11
177	532	Ernest Ferdinand Krause (Hei and Dawson)	Hauomatuku 3B 3 ..	Mere Roihi .. .. .	.. ..	8 1 0
178	515	Raiha Ferris (Chrisp and Coleman)	Kaiti 313 No. 2F 2F ..	Wiremu Iretoro and others	21	14 2 24
179	516	Charles John Boland (Chrisp and Coleman)	Mangaheia 2A 1 ..	Pango Rangi and Tepora Tamararo	21	500 0 0
180	522	Rapata Manuera and Hoera Tamatatai (Nolan and Skeet)	Marangairoa 1B 2 ..	Kuratu Ngatai and another	21	722 0 0
181	526	James Henry Roberts (Sandeman and Lynch)	Tutaekuri 1c 7 ..	Maki te Kuru and others..	21	468 0 0
182	529	John McAndrew (De Lautour, Barker, and Co.)	Whakaki No. 1 ..	Wirihana Hote .. .. .	.. ..	100 0 0
183	506	Charles Ernest Tylden (Nolan and Skeet)	Wharekahika ..	Hirini Waiti and others ..	21	..
184	509	Herbert Bartlett (Nolan and Skeet)	Whareongaonga C 12	Harawira Taipiha and another	21	140 0 0
185	530	Ditto	No. 3 Ditto	Mere Moana and others ..	21	140 0 0

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS (OTHER THAN LEASES).

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
186	533	Transfer	16 April, 1913 ..	Hauomatuku 4B ..	Mere Roihi to Tiemi Morete (Hei and Dawson).
187	534	"	16 .. 1913 ..	" 8D 1 ..	Mere Roihi and others to Tiemi Morete (Hei and Dawson).
188	513	"	23 May, 1913 ..	" 9D 3 ..	Hemaima Morete to Henry Stevenson (Rees Bros. and Bright).
189	503	"	10 March, 1913 ..	Kahaatureia A ..	Arapata Parata to Myra Powdrell (Nolan and Skeet).
190	518	"	20 May, 1913 ..	" A ..	Apikara Hiraka to Myra Powdrell (Nolan and Skeet).
191	535	"	28 .. 1913 ..	Kaiti 135A ..	Katarina Takawhaki to George Thomas Wildish (Hei and Dawson).
192	514	"	12 .. 1913 ..	" 282B ..	Wi Matangi to Robert Harper (Chrisp and Coleman).
193	536	"	7 .. 1913 ..	Kourakuhi 2E 1D 2 ..	Kahukaraiti te Rure to Charles Ernest Smiter (Hei and Dawson).
194	519	"	20 .. 1913 ..	Makaheia ..	Mere Tipuna and others to William Goldstone (Nolan and Skeet).

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

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
195	520	Transfer ..	10 ¹ / ₂ May, 1913 ..	Mangahauini No. 2B ..	Puhinga Whatahoro to David John Barry (Nolan and Skeet).
196	531	.. ..	28 March, 1913 ..	Mangatokerau 1A 1 ..	Rahia Tautau to Dora Spencer (H. Hei).
197	521	.. ..	12 May, 1913 ..	Manukawhitikitiki C ..	Rutu Tawhiao and others to Frederick Thomas Hall (Nolan and Skeet).
198	523	.. ..	23 .. 1913 ..	Poutaka No. 2 ..	Waata Puihi and Panapa Waata to Albert James Elliott Harvey (Sandeman and Lynch).
199	524	.. ..	25 February, 1913 ..	Pouriuri C ..	Irimana Waipara to William Clark (Nolan and Skeet).
200	537	.. ..	3 May, 1913 ..	Puhatikotiko 2A 2 ..	Tangi Hau to Whereri Mete (Hei and Dawson).
201	517	.. ..	4 June, 1913 ..	Puketapu C 1 ..	Pimia Aata to Jane Gibson (Chrisp and Coleman).
202	525	.. ..	9 May, 1913 ..	Tokomaru K 4B ..	Hataraka Karaka and another to Mary Emily White (Nolan and Skeet).
203	538	.. ..	2 June, 1913 ..	Tuawhatu 1A 1B ..	Tiopira Pohango to Mere Whaki (Hei and Dawson).
204	527	.. ..	29 April, 1913 ..	Waharera ..	Miriama Kapene and others to James Goldstone (Sandeman and Lynch).
205	528	.. ..	12 February, 1913 ..	Waiaranga No. 3 ..	Mere Whariki to Lilian Mary Williams (Nolan and Skeet).
206	539	.. ..	8 March, 1913 ..	Waituhi 2c ..	Te Taawhi Paraone to Alice Jones (Hei and Dawson).

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
207	540	Kaiata No. 2D	That a lease of the said land be granted to John Bentham Morris (Hei and Dawson).
208	544	Mangatuna 2G	That a lease of the said land be granted to Rua Tautau (Hei and Dawson).
209	510	Paokahu 3C	That a lease of the said land be granted to Edwin Claude Bolton (J. H. Kane).
210	511	" 3G	Ditto.
211	541	Tuawhatu 1A 2	That a lease of the said land be granted to Karepa Kautuku (Hei and Dawson).

MISCELLANEOUS APPLICATION.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
212	543	Waihirere and Waihirere No. 2 ..	Application under section 335 for precedent consent of Governor in Council to a proposed mortgage.

Meetings of Owners under Part XIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, postponed.

KAITAIA AND KAIKOHE.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that the meetings of owners advertised on pages 1837, 1838, 1839, 1840, and 1841 of the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 43, of 29th May, 1913, to be held at Kaitaia and Kaikohe on the 19th instant are postponed to the 2nd and 8th July, 1913, respectively.

W. DINNIE,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

In Bankruptcy.

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

Cartier, E., of Auckland, Agent: Second and final, 10s. 3¹/₂d. in the pound.
 Clarke, John, of Waitara, Jeweller: First and final, 8s. 9¹/₂d. in the pound.
 Ducker, Frank, of Ohiwa, Storekeeper: First and final, 5s. 10¹/₂d. in the pound.

Farrow, O. E., of Auckland, Builder: First, 2s. 6d. in the pound.

Fischer and Co., of Takapuna, Butchers: Second and final, 2s. 2d. in the pound.

Freeman, Reginald, of Auckland, Commercial Traveller: First, 2s. in the pound.

Hansard, G. A., of Auckland, Auctioneer: First and final, 2s. 11¹/₂d. in the pound.

Hunter and Ward, of Kawhia, Butter-factory Proprietors: First and final, 1s. 4d. in the pound.

McLisky and Hunt, of Auckland, Contractors: First and final, 3¹/₂d. in the pound.

Shepherd, S., of Parnell, Baker: Second and final, 1s. 11¹/₂d. in the pound.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.
Auckland, 31st May, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES LESLIE MACGREGOR, of Hamilton, Land Agent, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Government Buildings, Hamilton, on Wednesday, the 18th day of June, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock.

Auckland, 7th June, 1913. W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM JOHN COX, of Gisborne, Provision Merchant, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 18th day of June, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock.

Gisborne, 5th June, 1913. JOHN COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends as mentioned hereunder are now payable at my office, Broadway, Stratford. Promissory notes, if any, to be produced for indorsement prior to payment of dividend.

Towler, Harry, of Whangamomona, Tailor: First and final dividend of 7s. 7d. in the pound.

Burgess, Albert Edward, of Stratford, Boot and Shoe Importer: Third and final dividend of 1d. in the pound.

Jakes, Henry, of Whangamomona, Stablekeeper: First and final dividend of 7d. in the pound.

Franzen, Elias Fredrick, of Midhirst, Storekeeper: Third and final dividend of 3½d. in the pound.

Stratford, 7th June, 1913. ALFRED COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HARRY EVA, of Awapuni, Horse-trainer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 16th day of June, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock.

Palmerston North, 9th June, 1913. G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANK COOK, of Greymouth, Hairdresser, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 13th day of June, 1913, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Greymouth, 5th June, 1913. C. W. COOKE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

Estate of L. P. Nicolson, Farmer.

A FIRST and final dividend of 4s. 3d. in the pound on all accepted proved claims is now payable at my office.

Christchurch, 10th June, 1913. J. EVANS,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALBERT BROOK, of Clinton, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Law Courts Buildings, on Wednesday, the 11th day of June, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

Dunedin, 2nd June, 1913. T. D. KENDALL,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANCIS JAMES MOLONEY, of Clyde Street, Invercargill, Carpenter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 13th day of June, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

Invercargill, 2nd June, 1913. CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 12th day of July, 1913.

5192. THOMAS PREECE.—Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 62, 63, 64, and part Lot 61 of Allotment 110 of East Tamaki Farms, containing 51 acres and 8 perches, together with right-of-way. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 7435.

5482. WILLIAM HAMILTON HUME.—Allotments 41, 41A, and part Allotment 43, Parish of Pukete, containing 103 acres 1 rood 13 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 8184.

5488. WILLIAM ROBERT KELSHER PULLING.—Part Lot 1 of Allotments 6 and 7 of Section 7, Suburbs of Auckland (situated at corner of Upper Queen Street and East Street), containing 6.2 perches. Occupied by Mrs. Young and Mr. Hannam. Plan 8218.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 9th day of June, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 6, folio 164, for Allotments 10 and 115, Township of Stratford Extension, in favour of GEORGE PALMER, of Kaikoura, Carpenter (now of Auckland), and application having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional certificate at the expiration of fourteen days from the 13th day of June, 1913.

Dated this 7th day of June, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

A. V. STURTEVANT,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 12th July, 1913.

Application 4594 (Deposited Plan 2681). JAMES PATERSON and JOHN GUTHRIE WOOD AITKEN.—1 acre and 31.1 perches, parts Sections 136 and 138, City of Wellington. Occupied by tenants.

Application 4590 (Plan, provisional, No. 1179). EMILIE CLARA SPRING.—1 rood 6.8 perches, part Section 10, Ohiro Registration District. Occupied by Applicant.

Application 4595 (Plan, provisional, No. 1198). ALICE ELIZABETH TATUM.—24.8 perches, part Section 151, City of Wellington. Occupied by tenants.

Application 4597 (Plan, provisional, No. 1204). HENRY CAVENDISH BUTLER and IMLAY BAILEY GEORGE SAUNDERS.—14 acres 1 rood 37 perches, part Section 227, right bank Wanganui River. Occupied by Applicants and Joseph Charles Brooks and John Bowler.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 12th day of June, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

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

11704. CARL DICKENS BERG.—21 acres 3 roods, Rural Section 4868, Block V, Christchurch Survey District. Unoccupied.

11782. WILLIAM HAYWARD and WILLIAM HAYWARD, THE YOUNGER.—1 rood 0.5 perch, Town Section 264, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicant.

11790. SAMUEL STONE.—140 acres 1 rood 17 perches, Rural Sections 6555 and 10421, Block XII, Rangiora Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

11795. CHARLES HILL.—3 roods, part of Rural Section 41, City of Christchurch. Occupied by George Pritchard.

11830. HUGH LEAF WILSON.—1 rood 3.6 perches, part Rural Section 243F, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 10th day of June, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 266, subsection (4), of the above Act, that the under-mentioned company has been struck off the Register for the District of Otago.

1912/15. The Taieri Co-operative Stores (Limited).

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies, at Dunedin, this 10th day of June, 1913.

J. MURRAY,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 266, subsection (3), of the above Act, that the under-mentioned company will, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, and unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register and dissolved.

1901/26. The Enterprise Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies, at Dunedin, this 5th day of June, 1913.

J. MURRAY,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266.

The South Canterbury Dairy 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 9th day of June, 1913.

P. G. WITHERS,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266.

The Commercial Restaurant 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 9th day of June, 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.

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

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

AT an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of the above-named company duly convened and held at Auckland on the 21st day of May, 1913, it was resolved:—
“That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the shareholders that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that same be wound up voluntarily.”

And at the same meeting A. M. PICKFORD, Accountant, of Auckland, was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.

Dated this 4th day of June, 1913.

437 J. WIELAERT,
Chairman.

PALMERSTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE OF ONE-QUARTER OF A PENNY IN THE POUND, PASSED BY THE PALMERSTON BOROUGH COUNCIL ON THE 21ST DAY OF MAY, 1913.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, the Palmerston Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of one thousand five hundred pounds (£1,500) authorized to be raised by the said Palmerston Borough, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of partly paying the liability lawfully incurred in the erection of the Coronation Hall and Municipal Offices, the said Palmerston Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-quarter of a penny in the pound sterling on the capital value of all rateable properties within the Borough of Palmerston; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years (36½), or until the loan is fully paid off.

R. W. WHEELER, Mayor.
SYDNEY BECK, Councillor.
W. B. GALLOWAY, Town Clerk.

The common seal of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Palmerston was hereunto affixed in attestation that the foregoing is a true copy of the resolution passed by the Palmerston Borough Council at a meeting duly convened and held on the 21st day of May, 1913.

438 R. W. WHEELER, Mayor.
SYDNEY BECK, Councillor.
W. B. GALLOWAY, Town Clerk.

CAMBRIDGE BOROUGH COUNCIL.

COPY OF RESOLUTION re LOAN OF £3,800 FOR GAS, WATER, AND DRAINAGE EXTENSIONS.

COUNCILLOR Lewis proposed, Councillor Potts seconded, That, in view of the provisions of section 2 of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Amendment Act, 1912, and acting under the powers and provisions of section 3 of the said Act, the Cambridge Borough Council, for the purpose of providing for the increased charges required to be paid on the final £1,000 of the £3,800 loan for gas, water, and drainage extensions, and ten per cent. margin thereon, hereby makes and levies a special rate of three-sixteenths of one penny in the pound on the annual rateable value of all rateable property within the Borough of Cambridge: such special rate to be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and to be payable at same date and for a similar term, and to be in addition to the special rate of threepence and eleven-sixteenths of one penny in the pound which was struck as security for the said loan on the 24th day of November, 1911.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of resolution passed by the Cambridge Borough Council at a properly constituted special meeting of the Council held on the 7th day of May, 1913, a full Council being present.

MERVYN WELLS,
Mayor.

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MARTINBOROUGH TOWN BOARD.

NOTICE OF RESULT ON PROPOSAL TO RAISE A LOAN.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, we hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Martinborough Town District was taken on the 4th day of June, 1913, on the proposal to raise a loan of £4,500 for the purpose of installing electric light within the town district.

The number of valid votes recorded for the proposal was 84. The number of valid votes recorded against the proposal was 10.

We therefore declare the proposal to be carried.

Dated at Martinborough this 5th day of June, 1913.

A. O. CONSIDINE,
Chairman.

F. McALLUM,
Returning Officer.

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FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT, 1909.

NOTICE OF ORDER DISPENSING WITH CONSENTS OR CONDITIONS FOR AMALGAMATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the North Westland District of the New Zealand Branch of the Manchester Unity Independent Order of Oddfellows Friendly Society, Register No. 312 (13), whose registered office is at Bridge Street, Reefton, desires to amalgamate with the Westland District of the New Zealand Branch of the Manchester Unity Independent Order of Oddfellows Friendly Society, Register No. 312 (9); and that on the 12th day of July, 1913, the trustees of the first-named society intend to apply to the Registrar that the following consents and conditions prescribed by the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, for an amalgamation may be dispensed with, namely:—

- (1.) The assent of five-sixths in value of members: as the expense and inconvenience of carrying out such condition are unnecessary and are not justified by the circumstances.
- (2.) The written consent of every person for the time being receiving or entitled to any relief, annuity, or other benefits: as the rights of such persons are not affected.

WILLIAM SLOAN,
THOMAS LANDER,
JOHN McLEAN,
Trustees.

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FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT, 1909.

NOTICE OF ORDER DISPENSING WITH CONSENTS OR CONDITIONS FOR AMALGAMATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Westland District of the New Zealand Branch of the Manchester Unity Independent Order of Oddfellows Friendly Society, Register No. 312 (9), whose registered office is at Greymouth, desires

to amalgamate with the North Westland District of the New Zealand Branch of the Manchester Unity Independent Order of Oddfellows Friendly Society, Register No. 312 (13); and that on the 12th day of July, 1913, the trustees of the first-named society intend to apply to the Registrar that the following consents and conditions prescribed by the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, for an amalgamation may be dispensed with, namely:—

- (1.) The assent of five-sixths in value of members: as the expense and inconvenience of carrying out such condition are unnecessary and are not justified by the circumstances.
- (2.) The written consent of every person for the time being receiving or entitled to any relief, annuity, or other benefits: as the rights of such persons are not affected.

G. E. PERKINS,
B. LYONS,
J. W. STUBBS,
Trustees, Westland District.

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ARAMOHO SYNDICATE (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that this company, by special resolution passed at a meeting held on 15th May, 1913, and confirmed at a meeting held on the 6th June, 1913, it was resolved that the company be wound up voluntarily; and that Mr. C. P. Brown be appointed Liquidator to carry out a scheme of subdivision.

Dated this 6th day of June, 1913.

WRAY & BROWN,
Solicitors to the Company.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the shareholders of the Akitio Totara Sawmilling Company (in Liquidation) will be held at Palmerston North, at the office of Barraud and Abraham (Limited), on Thursday, the 26th day of June, 1913, at 2.45 in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the statement of accounts of the winding-up of the company and the report of the Liquidators.

Dated at Palmerston North this 6th day of June, 1913.

L. A. ABRAHAM,
H. M. SIMMONDS, } Liquidators.

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THE SMART BROS. TIMBER COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the Smart Bros. Timber Company (Limited) held at the registered office of the company, High Street, Blenheim, on the 30th day of May, 1913, the following extraordinary resolution was submitted and carried, namely:—

"Whereas it is proved to the satisfaction of the company that, by reason of its liabilities, it cannot continue its business, it is advisable that the company be wound up, it is hereby resolved that the company be wound up voluntarily."

Mr. E. J. HARVEY was appointed Liquidator.

E. J. HARVEY,
Secretary.

Blenheim, 2nd June, 1913.

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WAVERLEY TOWN DISTRICT.

NOTICE OF RESULT OF POLL ON PROPOSAL TO RAISE A LOAN.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers was taken on the 28th day of May, 1913, upon the proposal of the Waverley Town Board to raise a special loan of £13,400, under the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, for the following purposes:—

(a.) To acquire site, purchase of land and buildings (including the property known as "Dickie's Flourmill," with machinery therein and thereon), water-rights, rights of way and easements, plant, machinery, for the installation of an electric lighting and power undertaking, and motive power and other uses and purposes, within and without the Township of Waverley, and to construct waterworks (including water-tower) within the meaning of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and its amendments (including reticulation), within and without the Township of Waverley, engineering and contingencies (including compensation, if any, for land injuriously affected).—£12,200.

(b.) To construct and provide drainage and sewerage and septic-tank system within and without the Township of

Waverley, to acquire site, and purchase of land, rights of way and easements, engineering and contingencies (including compensation, if any, for land injuriously affected).—£1,200.

In the alternative, and if the consent of the ratepayers is not obtained to the above proposal, the Town Board proposes to raise by way of special loan as before mentioned the sum £12,200 for the purpose of (a) before mentioned. The said special loan to carry interest at the rate of £5 per centum per annum, with sinking fund £1 per annum, for the period of 36½ years. The Board proposes to pledge as security for the said loan of £13,400, and interest thereon and sinking fund, special rate of 4½d. in the pound, the same to be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, or until the same be paid off, on the rateable value (on the basis of unimproved value) of the whole of the rateable property in the Waverley Town District.

If the proposal for the loan of £13,400 be not carried, the proposal for the loan of £12,200 be carried, the Board proposes to strike a special rate of 4½d. in the pound on the said rateable value as security for the latter loan and sinking fund. It is proposed that the preliminary expenses in connection with the raising of the loan and the interest and sinking fund for the first year to be paid out of the loan.

The number of votes for the proposals (a) and (b) was 78. The number of votes against the proposals (a) and (b) was 92. Informal, 7.

I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

The number of votes for the proposal (a) was 89. The number of votes against proposal (a) was 81. Informal, 8.

I therefore declare the proposal (a) was carried.

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

R. P. PALMER,
Chairman.

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CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY BOARD.

ST. MARTINS TRAMWAY.

In the matter of the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1906, and the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908.

WE hereby give notice that on the 8th day of May, 1913, a proposal was submitted by the Christchurch Tramway Board to a poll of ratepayers of the Christchurch Tramways District for raising a special loan of £15,000, to be expended in tramway construction and equipment within the Christchurch Tramways District, exclusive of the Riccarton-Sockburn Subdistrict.

The number of votes recorded for and against the proposal was as follows: For, 211; against, 73.

And we declare the said proposal to be carried.

Dated this 9th day of May, 1913.

GEORGE T. BOOTH,
Chairman, Christchurch Tramway Board.
GEORGE W. HULME,
Returning Officer.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that at a general meeting of the shareholders of A. Walshaw and Company (Limited) held at the office of Messieurs Russell and Anthony, Cathedral Square, Christchurch, solicitors to the company, on the 4th day of June, 1913, it was resolved that the company be wound up voluntarily; and notice is also hereby given that ALFRED WALSHAW, of Christchurch, Draper, has been duly appointed Liquidator of the said company.

Dated at Christchurch this 9th day of June, 1913.

RUSSELL & ANTHONY,
Solicitors to the Company, Christchurch.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned PETER MCGREGOR and EDWARD GORDON HENDERSON, carrying on business as Painters, Paperhangers, &c., at Mornington, Dunedin, under the style or firm of "McGregor & Henderson," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said PETER MCGREGOR, who will continue to carry on the said business under his own name.

Dated at Dunedin this 12th day of June, 1913.

EDWARD GORDON HENDERSON.
PETER MCGREGOR.

Witness to signatures of Peter McGregor and Edward Gordon Henderson—C. C. Chalmers, Solicitor, Dunedin. 449

OHAKUNE BOROUGH COUNCIL.

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

WE, Thomas Hanna Kiely, of Ohakune, Mayor of the Borough of Ohakune, and Edwin Gill Allsworth, of Ohakune, Returning Officer, hereby give notice that on the 14th day of February, 1913, a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Ohakune was duly held and taken on the proposals of the Council to raise a special loan or loans amounting to £31,771 for the following purposes:—

Street improvements, £10,000. For the proposal 117, against 23; informal votes, 4.

High-pressure water-supply, £7,840. For the proposal, 110; against, 28; informal votes, 6.

Electric-light power, £7,826. For the proposal, 112; against, 27; informal votes, 5.

Sanitary drainage, £5,455. For the proposal, 107; against, 33; informal votes, 4.

Municipal buildings, £650. For the proposal, 105; against, 33; informal votes, 6.

Therefore we declare the whole of the proposals carried.

Dated this 17th day of February, 1913.

T. H. KIELY,
Mayor.

E. G. ALLSWORTH,
Returning Officer.

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In the matter of the Legislature Act, 1908; and in the matter of the McDougall Trust Estate Act, 1913, being a proposed Private Estate Bill intituled "An Act to vary and declare the interests taken by the Children of one Duncan McDougall under the last Will of the said Duncan McDougall."

NOTICE is hereby given that Ellen McDougall, of Pirinoa, in Wairarapa District (Widow of the above-named Duncan McDougall, late of the same place, Sheep-farmer), and James Duncan McDougall, of the same place, Station Manager; John Archibald McDougall, of Martinborough, Sheep-farmer; Samuel Dugald McDougall, of Spotswood, North Canterbury, Marine Engineer; Euphemia McDougall, of Pirinoa aforesaid, Spinster; Ellen McDougall, of Martinborough, Sheep-farmer; William Rutherford McDougall, of Wairoa, Hawke's Bay, Shepherd; and Ramsay McDougall, of Gordonton, Waikato, Farmer (the seven surviving children of the said Duncan McDougall), intend within one month after publication of this notice to apply by petition to the General Assembly of New Zealand at its next session for the passing of the above-mentioned proposed Private Estate Bill.

The objects to be effected by the said Private Estate Act are to vary and declare the interests taken by the above-named children of the said Duncan McDougall under the will of the said Duncan McDougall, such declaration being to the effect that each of the said children shall be deemed to have taken on their respectively attaining the age of twenty-one years and to have now for all purposes vested interests in the real and personal estate of the said Duncan McDougall as tenants in common in equal shares not liable to be devested by the death of any or either of them during the lifetime of the said Ellen McDougall (the widow), subject, however, to the life interest of the said Ellen McDougall (the widow) as defined in the said will.

A copy of the said petition and copies of the Bill will be deposited in the Examiner's Office either before or within fourteen days after the commencement of the next ensuing session of Parliament.

Dated at Pirinoa this 11th day of June, 1913.

J. D. McDOUGALL,
One of the above-named intending Petitioners.

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THE NEW ZEALAND OFFICIAL YEAR-BOOK, 1912.

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