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Land set apart for Selection.

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

WHEREAS by section seventy-seven of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, as amended by section twenty-two of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Amendment Act, 1910, it is, amongst other things, enacted that in no case shall any moneys be expended under the provisions of the said section seventy-seven in connection with any block of land unless that block is set apart for selection under that section pursuant to Proclamation in that behalf:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of every power and authority enabling me in this behalf, and for the purposes of the aforesaid Acts, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land described in the Schedule hereto as set apart for selection.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.
 Oamaru No. 5 Block (13,971 Acres).

Area.			Section	Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Eged on Plan
A.	R.	P.	3	I	Urutawa ..	L. 4369/18	Red.
1,778	0	0	1	V	" ..		
1,905	0	0	2	"	" ..		
1,598	0	0	3	"	" ..		
1,658	0	0	4	"	" ..		
1,408	0	0	5	"	" ..		
1,905	0	0	1	VI	" ..		
743	0	0	1	IX	" ..		
1,573	0	0	1	IX	" ..		
1,403	0	0	8	IV	Waioka ..		

As the same is delineated upon the plan marked as above mentioned, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above noted.

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 November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

H. D. BELL,
 For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks III and IV, Waitemata Survey District, Auckland Land District.

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

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.
LANDS PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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. 6 0 24	33 (Paremoremo Parish)	III, IV	Waitemata	L. & S. 1912/360	Red.
1 0 16	158 (Paremoremo Parish)	IV	Ditto..	Ditto..	Purple.
0 1 5	159 (Paremoremo Parish) (17426, blue)	"	"	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.
ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Road closed.	Passing through Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 14	159 (Paremoremo Parish) (17426, blue)	IV	Waitemata	L. & S. 1912/360	Green.

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the 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 November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land at Switzers taken for the Purposes of the Waimea-Switzers Railway.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Situated in County of
A. R. P. 3 0 32.2	Section 56	..	I Wakaia..	Southland.

In the Southland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 20757, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon edged 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 thirtieth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land at Kingston Crossing taken for the Purposes of the Waimea Plains Branch Railway.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Waimea Plains Branch Railway to take further land at Kingston Crossing, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land.	Being	Situated in Survey District of
A. R. P. 3 2 17	Reserve in Longridge Village (Plan 95)	Hokonui.

In the Southland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 20758, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon edged 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 thirtieth day of October, 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 Dannevirke County, at Mangatera.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

And whereas it has been certified by the Minister of Railways that such land is not required for railway purposes: And whereas such land is situated in Dannevirke 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 Dannevirke 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 0 12	Railway reserve (S.O. 409, green)	III	Tahoraiti	Dannevirke.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 20388, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, 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 fourth day of September, 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 Portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Maunganui Bluff-Te Puke Section) and for a Road Approach thereto.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Maunganui Bluff-Te Puke Section) and for a road approach thereto :

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 described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for a portion of the said line of railway hereinbefore specified, and for the road approach thereto as aforesaid.

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
FOR RAILWAY.					
A. R. P. 0 1 15.6	Section 37	12	II	Maketu ..	Green, edged green.
FOR ROAD APPROACH.					
0 3 19	Section 37 [16726 (12), blue]	12	II	Maketu ..	Burnt sienna, edged blue.

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 33298, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above.

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 November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Altering the Boundaries of Mangonui and Whangaroa Counties.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of November, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS in exercise of the powers conferred by section sixteen of the Counties Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), the Mangonui County Council and the Whangaroa County Council respectively did, by an instrument bearing date the twenty-second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, formally agree that the boundaries of the said counties shall be altered to the extent set forth in the said instrument and also in the Schedule hereto : And whereas it is expedient that such alteration of boundaries be approved by the Governor in Council, and that such altered boundaries be defined in terms of the said Act :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that, on and after the publication of these presents in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the boundaries of the Counties of Mangonui and Whangaroa respectively shall be those set forth under their respective headings in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

MANGONUI COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District bounded towards the north and north-east generally by the sea from Cape Maria van Diemen to a point in line with the western boundary of Section No. 73, Block III, Mangonui Survey District; thence towards the east generally by a right line across a road reserve to the north-western corner of the said Section No. 73; thence by that section, Motukahakaha No. 1 Block, Section No. 9, Block VII, Mangonui Survey District, and the northern and southern parts of Section No. 61 to Stony Stream; thence by Stony Stream to Old Land Claim No. 103 (J. Berghan) in Block XI, Mangonui Survey District; thence by the north-eastern boundary of the said old land claim to Section No. 1, Kohumaru Parish; thence by that section to the Wainui River, across that river, by the north-western portion of Section No. 114, the abutment of a road, Section No. 113, Kohumaru Parish, and Mangahoutoa Block to the road forming the eastern boundary of Section No. 68, Mangonui Parish; thence by the eastern side of the road forming the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 68, 67, 64, 63, Mangonui Parish, and forming the south-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 10 and 7, Block III, Maungataniwha Survey District, to the north-eastern boundary of Maungataniwha East Parish; thence by the north-eastern boundary of that parish to the Wainui River; thence towards the south-east generally by the northern boundary of Hokianga County as described in the First Schedule to the Counties Act, 1876, to the Herekino River, and by that river to the sea; and thence towards the south-west generally by the sea to Cape Maria van Diemen, the place of commencement.

WHANGAROA COUNTY.

All that area in the Auckland Land District bounded towards the north and north-east generally by the sea from a point in line with the western boundary of Section No. 73, Block III, Mangonui Survey District, to the mouth of the Takou River; thence towards the south-east generally by that river to the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 1, Block VIII, Kaeo Survey District; thence by Old Land Claims Nos. 7 and 8 to the eastern boundary of Old Land Claim No. 803; thence by the eastern and southern boundaries of the said Old Land Claim No. 803, and across a road to Section No. 1, Block XI, Kaeo Survey District; thence by Sections Nos. 1 and 2, Block XI aforesaid, Old Land Claim No. 28, Mokau Nos. 1 and 2 Blocks, and part of the original southern boundary of Whangaroa County as described in the Counties Act, 1886, through a State forest reserve in Blocks X and XI, Kaeo Survey District, to the road forming the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 15, Block X aforesaid; thence by the road forming the south-eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 15, 16, and 17 to the southernmost corner of the last-mentioned section; thence towards the south-west generally by Pupuke Parish to Mangonui County hereinbefore described; and thence towards the west generally by Mangonui County to the place of commencement:

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

Authorizing the Exchange of Portion of a Reserve in the Borough of Hamilton for other Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of November, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the First Schedule hereto forms portion of a reserve vested in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Hamilton, as an endowment in aid of the borough funds: And whereas the said borough is desirous of having the said land exchanged for an area of equal value, described in the Second Schedule hereto; and, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to give effect to such exchange:

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 exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the twelfth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that the land described in the First Schedule hereto may be exchanged for the land described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF PORTION OF RESERVE AUTHORIZED TO BE EXCHANGED.

ALL that area in the Borough of Hamilton, containing by admeasurement 21.23 perches, more or less, being part of Allotment 378A of the Town of Hamilton West. Bounded towards the north-west by Allotment 33, 287.81 links; towards the south-east by London Street, 270.6 links; and towards the south-west by other part of the said Allotment 378A, 98.06 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1913/1203, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND TO BE OBTAINED IN EXCHANGE THEREFOR.

ALL that area in the Borough of Hamilton, containing by admeasurement 10.67 perches, more or less, being part of Allotment 33 of the Town of Hamilton West. Bounded towards the north-east by other part of the said Allotment 33, 201.5 links; towards the south-east by Allotment 378, 70 links; and towards the south-west by Allotment 32, 190.76 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1913/1203, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

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

Consenting to an Alienation of Native Land subject to the Thermal Springs Districts Act.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of November, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by subsection two of section three of the Thermal Springs Districts Act, 1910 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is provided, *inter alia*, that where any Native land is or has been subject to any such Act, and has situated thereon or contiguous thereto any thermal or mineral spring, river, stream, lake, pool, geyser, or other thermal or mineral water, no alienation of that land shall be confirmed or effected by a Maori Land Board without the precedent consent of the Governor in Council:

And whereas application has been made, and the Waiariki District Maori Land Board recommends that the precedent consent of the Governor in Council should be granted to enable confirmation of an alienation of Korokoro No. 2B Block:

And whereas it is expedient that the precedent consent should be granted:

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, doth hereby consent to the confirmation of an alienation by way of mortgage of Korokoro No. 2B Block.

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

Consenting to an Alienation of Native Land subject to the Thermal Springs Districts Act.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of November, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by subsection two of section three of the Thermal Springs Districts Act, 1910 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is provided, *inter alia*, that where any Native land is or has been subject to any such Act, and has situated thereon or contiguous thereto any thermal or mineral spring, river, stream, lake, pool, geyser, or other thermal or mineral water, no alienation of that land shall be confirmed or effected by a Maori Land Board without the precedent consent of the Governor in Council:

And whereas application has been made, and the Waiariki District Maori Land Board recommends that the precedent consent of the Governor in Council should be granted to enable confirmation of an alienation of Te Anakiwi No. 4 Block:

And whereas it is expedient that the precedent consent should be granted:

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, doth hereby consent to the confirmation of an alienation by way of transfer of Te Anakiwi No. 4 Block.

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

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of November, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and thirty of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is provided that no instrument of alienation of Native land by way of mortgage or charge, other than a mortgage or charge in favour of a State Loan Department, shall be confirmed by a Board or the

Court without the precedent consent of the Governor in Council:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Approximate Area.	Provincial District.
Korokoro No. 2B ..	A. R. P. 1 0 25.4	Auckland.

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

Consenting to Land being taken for the Purposes of a Drill-shed in Block X, Mt. Fyffe Survey District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of November, 1913.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR 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 a building, 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 a drill-shed in Block X, Mt. Fyffe Survey District:

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 Area of the Piece of Land being taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 32	Section 287, Kaikoura Suburban	X	Mt. Fyffe	P.W.D. 33996	Eged red.

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

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

Consenting to stopping a Road in Block IX, New River Hundred, Southland County.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of November, 1913.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the above-in-part-recited Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the 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 Southland County Council stopping the road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Road permitted to be stopped.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 12 1 34	Sections 34, 35, 36, 37, and 38	IX	New River Hundred	P.W.D. 34273	Green.

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 office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

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

Declaring Oyster-fishery wherein Maoris only may take Oysters for their own Food.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this third day of November, 1913.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted by section seventeen of the Fisheries Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, declare any bay or portion of a bay, estuary, or tidal waters in New Zealand in the neighbourhood of any Maori pa or village, to be an oyster-fishery where Maoris only may take oysters for their own food at all times, irrespective of any of the provisions of the said Act; and may prescribe regulations for preventing the sale by Maoris of any oysters from such beds, and for protecting any such bay, estuary, or tidal waters from trespassers and the oysters therein from destruction:

And whereas it is desired to declare a portion of Kiakia Bay, in Kaipara Harbour, as hereinafter defined, to be an oyster-fishery where Maoris only may take oysters for their own food, and to prescribe regulations as aforesaid:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that part of the foreshore of Kiakia Bay, Kaipara Harbour, for a distance of fifty chains from Te Kopua Point, the boundaries of such area being marked by posts painted red and marked "Maori oyster boundary," to be an oyster-fishery where Maoris only may take oysters for their own food at all times, and doth hereby make the following regulations.

REGULATIONS.

1. No Maori shall sell any oysters taken from the oyster-fishery hereinbefore defined.

2. All oysters taken in pursuance of the provisions of this Order in Council shall be taken whole—i.e., they shall not be opened on the rocks, and the shells shall not be left on the rocks.

3. Any Maori committing a breach of the aforesaid regulation is liable to a fine not exceeding £20.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Waimatenui Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of November, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain :

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

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

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

JOHN HENRY ORR,
ABRAHAM FITCH,
GEORGE FREDERICK MOORE,
STANLEY CLIFFORD HARLING,
ALFRED WHITING,
GEORGE ALLEN UNDERWOOD, and
EMILE SCHEPENS

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

SCHEDULE.

WAIMATENUI DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, being Section 12, Block II, Tutamoe Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west and north-east by lines 1255 and 1026.6 links respectively ; towards the south-east by a line and by Section 11, Block II, Tutamoe Survey District, 1255 links ; and towards the south-west by the Raparapahoe Road, 1027.7 links : be all the aforesaid linkages more or less : as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 4015/5, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan 16740, blue.)

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Opotiki and Wairoeka Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of November, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time

to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain :

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the sixth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and three, certain powers were delegated to the Opotiki and Wairoeka Domain Board for a period of ten years :

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen :

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

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

JOHN CLARENDON ARTHUR,
JAMES MONTGOMERY BUTLER,
JOSEPH CARROLL,
JOHN WILLIAM GORDON,
HUBERT ROUGHTON HOGG,
ARTHUR PARKINSON, and
RICHARD VANSTONE

to be the Opotiki and Wairoeka Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act ; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the sixth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, at two o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Secretary's Office, Main Street, Opotiki, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

OPOTIKI AND WAIOEKA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 174 acres 1 rood, more or less, being Allotments Nos. 82, 83, 84, and 85, Parish of Wairoeka. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road 100 links wide, 4634 links ; towards the south-east by a public road, 2520 links ; towards the south-west by a public road, 5695 and 433 links ; towards the west by Allotment No. 81, Wairoeka Parish, 1370 links ; towards the north by Allotment No. 80 of the aforesaid parish, 3500 links ; and towards the west by the last-mentioned allotment and a public road, 2840, 170, and 640 links respectively.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, containing 125 acres, more or less, being Allotment No. 333, Parish of Wairoeka. Bounded towards the north-west by Allotment No. 340, Wairoeka Parish, by a drain reserve, and again by the aforesaid allotment, 3581 links ; towards the north-east by a public road 100 links wide, 4050 links ; towards the south by a public road 100 links wide, 5970 links ; and towards the south-west and west by a public road 100 links wide, 291 and 1698 links respectively.

Be all the aforesaid linkages more or less ; as the same are delineated on the plans marked L. and S. 1197/24A and 1197/24B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. (Auckland Plans 506 and 510, blue.)

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Taupiri Mountain Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of November, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain :

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the eighth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eleventh day of October, one thousand nine hundred and six, certain powers were delegated to the Taupiri Mountain Domain Board for a period of seven years :

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the seventh day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen :

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

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

RICHARD FRANCIS BOLLARD,
THOMAS TRISTRAM ALFRED ARTHUR WHITE,
ARTHUR HENRY WARING,
GERALD WILLIAM MILLER, and
WILLIAM ANTHONY LOVELL

to be the Taupiri Mountain Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the sixth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and Mr. A. H. Waring's office, Taupiri, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

TAUPIRI MOUNTAIN DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 162 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Allotment No. 481, Taupiri Parish. Bounded towards the north-west by Allotment No. 463, Taupiri Parish, 1654.3 links; towards the south-east by Allotments Nos. 454 and 453 of the aforesaid parish, 2943.6 links; towards the north-east by Allotment No. 453 aforesaid, 2475.7 links; again towards the south-east by a public road along the Mangawara Stream, 311, 401.3, 643.3, 330, 325.8, 297.9, 311, and 427.2 links; towards the south-west and south-east by Allotment No. 457 of the aforesaid parish, 862.7 and 1505 links respectively; again towards the south-east by Allotment No. 456 of the aforesaid parish, 606 and 2385 links; again towards the north-west by Allotment No. 445 of the aforesaid parish and the abutment of a public road, 4428.6 links; and towards the west generally by a public road, 141.7, 238, 221, 356.8, 239, 172.4, 187.7, and 282.5 links; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1270/24A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. (Auckland Plan 6644, blue.)

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Wharere Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of November, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain :

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the second day of October, one thousand nine hundred and six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fourth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and six, certain powers were delegated to the Wharere Domain Board for a period of seven years :

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen :

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

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

JOHN CAWTE,
JAMES EDWARD PURSLBY,
JOHN PHILLIPS,
ALBERT GEORGE BENNER,
JOHN ALVIS BALL,
ARTHUR CHARLES BALL, and
HUGH WILKINS

to be the Wharere Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Monday, the eighth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Schoolhouse, Pongakawa, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

WHARERE DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 51 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Section No. 7, Block II, Waihi South Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by a public road 200 links wide, 1256.3 links; towards the east and north by Section No. 7A, Block II, Waihi South Survey District, 854 and 388 links respectively; towards the north-east and north-west by a reserve for road, 200 and 400 links respectively; again towards the north-east by a public road 200 links wide, 927.9 links; towards the south-east by Section No. 9 of Block II aforesaid, 1601.4 links; towards the south by Section No. 8 of Block II aforesaid, 2484.8 links; and towards the west by a public road 100 links wide, 2266.9 links; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1476/9A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. (Auckland Plan 2589A, blue.)

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Rukuhia Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of November, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain :

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

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

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

WILLIAM POWER,
ROBERT LIVINGSTON,
WILLIAM DENIS HATTAWAY,
WILLIAM ERNEST BUTCHER,
WALTER THOMAS ASPLIN,
CHARLES BEALE HOBSON,
FRANK MELVILLE TUNNICLIFFE,
DANIEL ARCHIBALD MCKAY, and
ERNEST SMITH

to be the Rukuhia Domain Board, having the control of the land described in the said Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the sixth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, at eight o'clock p.m.,

as the time when, and the Town Hall, Piopio, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

RUKUHIA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 29 acres 3 roods, more or less, being Section 5, Block III, Totoro Survey District. Bounded towards the north generally by a road reserve 1 chain wide along the left bank of the Mokau River; towards the east generally by Section 1, Block III, Totoro Survey District, 606.2 links, and by the aforesaid road reserve; towards the south generally by the aforesaid road reserve: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1911/1505A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Millerton Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of November, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the sixth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and three, certain powers were delegated to the Millerton Domain Board for a period of ten years:

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen:

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

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

JOHN MENNIE STEWART,
GEORGE LAWN,
PETER FINLAY MCKAY,
CHARLES MOUNTFORD LINDOP, and
THOMAS SYDDALL WILLIAMS

to be the Millerton Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the sixth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, at half past six o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Athenæum, Millerton, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

MILLERTON DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 8 acres 2 roods 36 perches, more or less, being Sections 142 and 263 to 279, inclusive, of the Town of Millerton. Bounded towards the north-east by the Westport Coal Company's Reserve, towards the south-east by Rodney Street, towards the south-west by Seymour Street, and towards the north-west by Hardy Street; excepting the Millerton Road, 1 chain wide, which intersects the land included within the above-described boundaries: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1015/55A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the West Melton Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of November, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the twenty-eighth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the sixth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and three, certain powers were delegated to the West Melton Domain Board for a period of ten years:

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the twenty-seventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen:

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

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

CHARLES EDWARD WALKER,
JOHN FINCHAM,
EVAN McLENNAN,
ERNEST THAYER DAVIS, and
WILLIAM CALDER

to be the West Melton Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Monday, the fifteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the School, West Melton, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

WEST MELTON DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, being Reserve No. 3789 (in red), formerly part Rural Section 5916, situate in Block XI, Rolleston Survey District. Commencing at a point on the west side of the Rolleston - West Melton Road, the same being distant 1005 links south from the north-east corner of Rural Section 5916; thence bounded towards the east by the said road, 1007.4 links; thence towards the south, west, and north by other part of Rural Section 5916, 992.1 links, 1006.2 links, and 994.3 links respectively, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1264/34A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the St. Bathans Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of November, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the tenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and three,

and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fifteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and three, certain powers were delegated to the St. Bathans Domain Board for a period of ten years:

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen:

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

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

WILLIAM HANGER,
FRANCIS EAGLE,
ROBERT COWAN,
PATRICK THOMAS O'REGAN,
WILLIAM MCCONNOCHIE,
WILLIAM PYLE, and
OLUF MOEN

to be the St. Bathans Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Wednesday, the tenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and Mr. Pylo's office, at St. Bathans, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

ST. BATHANS DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 23 acres 1 rood 5 perches, more or less, being Section 25, Block II, St. Bathans Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Crown lands, 1080 links; towards the south-east by part of Section 23 of aforesaid block, 439 links; towards the east by part of said Section 23, 1032 links; towards the south by Section 26 of aforesaid block, 850 links; towards the south-west by a public road, 1854 links; and towards the north-west by Crown lands, 1115 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1395/10A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Alexandra Town Belt Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of November, 1913.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty-seven of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint any local authority to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the seventeenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and five, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and five, certain powers were delegated to the Alexandra Town Belt Domain Board for a period of seven years:

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the sixteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twelve:

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

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

THE ALEXANDRA BOROUGH COUNCIL

to be the Alexandra Town Belt Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Monday, the first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, at eight

o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Borough Council Chambers, Alexandra, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

ALEXANDRA TOWN BELT DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 157 acres, more or less, being Town Belt, Town of Alexandra. Bounded towards the north-east by Sections Nos. 1 and 2 (cemetery reserves), Block XXXVIII, of aforesaid town, 2200 links; towards the north-west by aforesaid Section No. 2, 500 links; again towards the north-east by Block VII, Leaning Rock Survey District, 5145 links; towards the south-east by the Manuherikia River, 1030 links; towards the south-west by the Town of Alexandra, 6600 links; again towards the south-east by the Town of Alexandra, 10050 links; again towards the south-west by the Clutha River, 1375 links; and again towards the north-west by Block VII, Leaning Rock Survey District, 11350 links: excepting out of the above-described boundaries part of Section No. 1, Block XIX, dam-site, Town of Alexandra, Crookhaven Street, Otago Central Railway Reserve, and four road-lines each 100 links wide, for which allowance has been made in the area: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 52295A, 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 as to Issue of Licenses to take Trout, Perch, and Tench.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this tenth day of November, 1913.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section eighty-three of the Fisheries Act, 1908, it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, make regulations for, amongst other things, providing for the issue of licenses to take fish or specified kinds of fish, the mode of applying for and conditions of such licenses, and the fee to be paid in respect thereto:

And whereas it is desirable to make a regulation to provide that no acclimatization society shall canvass for or issue licenses outside the boundary of its district:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations.

REGULATIONS.

1. ACCLIMATIZATION societies shall only issue licenses at places within the boundaries of their own district, and no society shall canvass or seek to induce any person outside its district to take a license from it.

2. Any society committing a breach of the above regulation is liable to a fine not exceeding £50.

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

Tuatara Lizard absolutely protected.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do by this notification declare that the lizard known as tuatara (*Sphenodon punctatum*) shall be protected absolutely throughout the said Dominion.

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

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Notifying Land in Wellington Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—PAHIATUA COUNTY.—
MANGAHAO SURVEY DISTRICT.
Rural Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
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	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
133	64 2 20	1,035 0 0

Situated on the right bank of the Mangahao River, near the Town of Ballance. The access is from Pahiatua, about seven miles distant by metalled road; from the main road the access is by partly formed road to river-bank, thence by ford to the section. Flat, river-bank land, subject to flood; mostly cleared, in grass. Alluvial soil of good quality, on shingle and papa formation.

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

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Notifying Land in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WHAKATANE COUNTY.—
WAIMANA PARISH.
Rural Land.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
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	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
182	88 0 0	110 0 0

Altitude, 20 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level. Broken to undulating country; about 10 acres mixed forest, balance fern land. Soil of fair quality of sandy nature, on sandstone formation; well watered by streams. Situated about four miles from Kutarere Post-office by good formed road.

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

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-twenty-sixth section of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New

Zealand, do hereby appoint Thursday, the fifteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, as the time at which the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TAURANGA COUNTY.—TOWN OF
MOTURIKI.
Town Land.

Lot.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
1	I	A. R. P.	£
2	"	0 0 32	50
3	"	0 0 32	40
4	"	0 0 32	40
5	"	0 0 32	40
6	"	0 1 0	40
7	"	0 1 0	40
8	"	0 1 0	40
9	"	0 1 0	40
2	II	0 0 31	25
3	"	0 1 0	35
4	"	0 1 0	40
5	"	0 1 0	40
6	"	0 1 0	35
7	"	0 1 0	40
8	"	0 1 0	35
9	"	0 1 0	40
10	"	0 1 0	35
11	"	0 0 32	50
12	"	0 0 32	40
13	"	0 0 32	40
14	"	0 0 32	40
15	"	0 0 32	45
1	IV	0 1 0	50
2	"	0 1 0	40
3	"	0 1 0	40
4	"	0 1 0	40
5	"	0 1 0	45
6	"	0 1 0	32
7	"	0 1 0	32
8	"	0 1 0	32
9	"	0 1 0	32
10	"	0 1 0	32
11	"	0 1 0	32
12	"	0 1 0	32
14	"	0 1 0	32
15	"	0 1 0	32
16	"	0 1 2	35
17	"	0 1 2	30
18	"	0 0 35	25
19	"	0 0 36-9	30
20	"	0 1 0	30
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5	"	0 1 2-5	30
6	"	0 1 0	28
7	"	0 1 5-75	30
8	"	0 1 11-25	33
9	"	0 1 16-75	35
10	"	0 1 22-25	40
11	"	0 0 25-5	25
12	"	0 0 34	25
13	"	0 1 0	25
14	"	0 1 0	25
17	"	0 1 0	25
18	"	0 1 0	30
19	"	0 1 8	29
20	"	0 1 8	29
21	"	0 1 8	29
22	"	0 1 8	29
23	"	0 1 8	29

Moturiki Township is situated on the eastern shore of Tauranga Harbour, at the present railway terminus. The

sections are generally level, or have easy slopes. Soil is of a sandy nature, covered with fern and manuka. The town lies generally 30 ft. above sea-level.

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

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in Taranaki Land District for Sale or Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
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WAITOMO COUNTY.—TANGITU SURVEY DISTRICT.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
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The improvements on the section consist of 81 acres felled and grassed, £193; 25 chains of fencing, £20 17s.; and hut, £15: total value, £228 17s. Of this amount £89 13s. 9d. must be paid by the successful applicant in cash, the balance of £139 3s. 3d. being included in the capital value.

The section is situated on the Kakara Road, about thirteen miles and a half distant from Waimiha Railway-station, eight miles of which is formed dray-road, and balance 6 ft. track and partly formed dray-road. The section lies well to the sun, and comprises easy sloping country, a good deal of which will be ploughable, and from which the bush and manuka has been cleared with the exception of about 60 acres; of this about 40 acres is still under heavy bush of tawa, rimu, matai, pukatea, &c., with a dense undergrowth of supplejacks, mahoe, raurekau, ferns, pongas, &c.; and the balance is under fern and manuka, through which there is a lot of rough feed. The soil is of good quality, on a papa formation, and the section is well watered.

OHURA COUNTY.—TANGITU SURVEY DISTRICT.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
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Situated on the Main Trunk Railway, between Ongarue and Waimiha Railway-stations. There is a sheep-proof fence between the railway-line and the section. Access from Ongarue, about four miles distant by dray-road; access also from Waimiha, about two miles and a quarter distant by road formed for wheel traffic. The section is more conveniently worked from the Waimiha end. Flat, easy, and steep country, a large proportion being undulating and ploughable. The forest is practically nil, the section being covered with fern, manuka, and tutu. The soil is of very indifferent quality, being a light pumiceous loam mixed with pumice, with outcrops of rhyolite rock; well watered. Elevation ranges from 650 ft. to 1,200 ft. above sea-level.

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

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—DANNEVIRKE COUNTY.—TAHORAITE SURVEY DISTRICT.—PART OF TAHORAITE BLOCK.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
1	VI	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
*2	"	103 0 0	1,850 0 0	46 5 0	37 0 0
3	"	115 0 0	1,840 0 0	46 0 0	36 16 0
3	"	127 0 0	2,150 0 0	53 15 0	43 0 0
5	"	101 0 0	1,820 0 0	45 10 0	36 8 0
6	"	103 0 0	1,950 0 0	48 15 0	39 0 0
7	"	112 0 0	2,390 0 0	59 15 0	47 16 0
8	"	93 0 0	1,850 0 0	46 5 0	37 0 0
9	"	104 0 0	2,180 0 0	54 10 0	43 12 0
10	"	101 0 0	2,110 0 0	52 15 0	42 4 0

* Weighted with £70, valuation for improvements consisting of three dwellinghouses, cow-shed, and yards.

DESCRIPTIONS OF SECTIONS.

Section 1.—Flat dairying country, about 600 ft. above sea-level. Good soil, on gravel formation; has been covered with mixed bush; now milled, and burnt and grassed. Eastern boundary fenced with post-and-wire fence, 43 chains, and there is 70 chains of internal fencing. Watered by the Tamaki River, which forms the western boundary. Distant from Dannevirke about four miles.

Section 2.—Similar to above, but has inferior soil; watered by small creek below terrace. Fenced on western boundary and part of eastern boundary, 76 chains, and there is 26 chains of internal fencing. There are four old buildings on this section. Distant about four miles from Dannevirke.

Section 3.—Similar to Section 2; watered by small creek below terrace. Part of western boundary is fenced for 33 chains, and there is 28 chains of internal fencing. Distant about three miles and a half from Dannevirke.

Section 5.—Flat dairying country; good soil, on gravel formation; bush land burnt and sown. Ring-fenced with exception of north-western boundary; has 40 chains of internal fencing. Distant about two miles and three-quarters from Dannevirke by formed road. There is no permanent water, but this can probably be obtained easily by sinking.

Section 6.—Similar country to Section 5. Fenced on road frontage and north-western boundary, while western and southern boundaries are stock-proof gorges; has 82 chains of boundary fencing and 60 chains of internal fencing. Distant about three miles from Dannevirke by formed road.

Section 7.—Good dairying land; flat terraces; bush land, milled, burnt, and sown; the greater portion of the section is on a low terrace, with good river-silt soil. There is about 10 chains of boundary fencing along road frontage, and about 10 chains of internal fencing. Distant from Dannevirke about three miles by formed road.

Section 8.—Good dairying land; river terraces; similar to Section 7. Divided into two by old river-bank; has 30 chains of internal fencing; well watered. Distant from Dannevirke four miles.

Section 9.—Similar to Section 8. Fenced along (or near) road frontage for 14 chains. Well watered. Distant from Dannevirke four miles.

Section 10.—Similar to Sections 8 and 9. Fenced near road frontage for 20 chains. Distant from Dannevirke three miles and a half.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

The land is situated some two miles and three-quarters from Dannevirke. The access is by metalled dray-road. The block was originally more or less heavily timbered, but is now cleared, and carrying native and exotic grasses. The altitude is some 500 ft. to 600 ft. above sea-level. Small patches of shelter-bush are to be found near north-eastern corner of Section 6, north-western corner of Section 7, and fringing the banks of the Manawatu River. The land may be described as flat terrace country, suitable for dairying. Some of the sections are well watered; in other cases water will have to be obtained by sinking. The soil is good to fair, and varies from a rich alluvial deposit to a light chocolate loam and gravel formation, on clay subsoil. The fencing is mostly old, and its value, which is small, is included in the capital values of the sections.

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

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—DANNEVIRKE COUNTY.—NORSEWOOD SURVEY DISTRICT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Cash Purchase: Total Price.			Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.			Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
23	XV	222	0	10	1,340	0	0	33	10	0	26	16	0
24	"	100	0	0	980	0	0	24	10	0	19	12	0
25	"	158	2	0	1,470	0	0	36	15	0	29	8	0
27	"	69	0	20	660	0	0	16	10	0	13	4	0

DESCRIPTIONS OF SECTIONS.

Section 23.—Altitude, 1,200 ft. to 1,900 ft. above sea-level. Formerly covered with heavy mixed forest, but nearly all the marketable timber has now been milled. Undulating to broken pastoral land, with fair to good soil, on stony formation; well watered. About 40 acres would be suitable for dairying purposes, the remainder being good healthy sheep-country. Within three miles of Umutaoroa Post and Telegraph Office, school, and creamery, and about eight miles from Mangatera Railway-station.

Section 24.—Altitude, 1,150 ft. to 1,300 ft. above sea-level. Formerly covered with heavy mixed forest, but nearly all the marketable timber has now been milled. Undulating pastoral land, with good soil, and well watered. This section will be very suitable for dairying when grassed, is all ploughable land, and has a good aspect. Distant three miles from Umutaoroa Post and Telegraph Office, school, and creamery, and about eight miles from Mangatera Railway-station, over good roads.

Section 25.—Altitude, 1,150 ft. to 1,300 ft. above sea-level. Formerly covered with heavy mixed forest, but nearly all the

marketable timber has now been milled. Undulating pastoral land, with good soil, and well watered. All except about 40 acres near Section 23 could be made suitable for dairying, and is ploughable when cleared. Situated two miles from Ruaroa Post-office, school, and creamery along a new road.

Section 27.—Altitude, 1,200 ft. above sea-level. Formerly covered with heavy mixed forest, but nearly all the marketable timber has now been milled. Undulating and level land, with good soil, and fairly well watered; could be made suitable for dairying. Situated a mile and a half from Ruaroa Post-office, school, and creamery along a good road.

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

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Opening Land in Wellington Land District for Sale or Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—KAITIHIKE COUNTY.—HUNUA SURVEY DISTRICT.—PART OF NORTH WAIMARINO BLOCK.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.			Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.			Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
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Situated in the North Waimarino Block, the access being from Manunui, which is about three miles distant by a formed bridle-track; also from Taumarunui by Tunakotikoti and Wanganui Valley Roads, partly dray-road and partly bridle-track. Broken and hilly country, all in fern, manuka, &c., with a few small flats. Soil is a light loam, on pumice and papa formation; well watered by small streams and springs. The elevation ranges from about 250 ft. to 1,000 ft. above sea-level.

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

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Opening National Endowment Land in Taranaki Land District for Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—WHANGAMOMONA COUNTY.—
MAHOE SURVEY DISTRICT.
Second-class Land.
(National Endowment.)

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.			Half-yearly Rental.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.

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Situating on the Marangoe Road. Access from Whangamomona Railway-station, about eighteen miles and a half distant—by dray-road for about fourteen miles and a half, and horse-track remaining distance; access also from Kohuratahi or Toi Road Railway-station, about eleven miles and a half distant. The section comprises fair to rough hilly and undulating country, with small flats along the main stream. The forest is medium to heavy, comprising tawa, rata, rimu, hinau, tawhero, kahikatea, black-birch, &c., with a dense undergrowth of karamu, mahoe, supplejacks, &c. The soil is of medium quality—vegetable mould, on a sandstone (with papa and shell rock) formation; well watered. Elevation ranges from 350 ft. to 1,200 ft. above sea-level.

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

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Opening Settlement Lands in Auckland Land District for Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—OTAMATEA COUNTY.—MATAKOE SURVEY DISTRICT.—BICKERSTAFFE SETTLEMENT.
Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.			Half-yearly Rental.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1	XV	341 0 0	2,400	0	0	54	0	0
2	"	253 0 0	1,020	0	0	24	18	7*
3	"	403 0 0	2,420	0	0	54	9	0
18	XVI	410 0 0	1,650	0	0	32	7	6†
19	"	404 0 0	2,030	0	0	37	2	6‡
20	"	67 0 20	290	0	0	8	13	3‡
21	"	20 2 0	200	0	0	4	10	0
22	"	24 0 0	250	0	0	5	12	6
23	"	24 0 0	250	0	0	5	12	6
24	"	15 2 0	150	0	0	3	7	6
25	"	24 0 0	250	0	0	5	12	6

* Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £385, payable in cash or in ten years by twenty half-yearly payments of £24 18s. 7d. Total half-yearly payment, £78 18s. 7d.

† Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £500, payable in cash or in ten years by twenty half-yearly payments of £32 7s. 6d. Total half-yearly payment, £86 16s. 6d.

‡ Interest and sinking fund on building valued at £75, payable in cash or in five years by ten half-yearly payments of £8 13s. 3d. Total half-yearly payment, £45 15s. 9d.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements included in the capital values of the sections consist of fencing, as below. The general value of the fencing is 12s. 6d. a chain. In the cases of boundary fences the value is divided equally between the adjoining

sections, while road and internal fences are given their full value: Section 1—289 chains of internal and road fencing, valued at £180 12s. 6d. Section 2—88 chains of boundary fencing, valued at £27 10s. Section 3—181 chains of boundary and 80 chains of internal and road fencing, valued at £106 10s. Section 18—135 chains of boundary and 221 chains of internal and road fencing, valued at £180. Section 19—80 chains of boundary and 170 chains of internal and road fencing, valued at £131. Section 20—48 chains of boundary and 30 chains of internal and road fencing, valued at £33 15s. Section 21—5 chains of boundary fencing, valued at £1 10s. Section 22—5 chains of boundary and 13 chains of internal and road fencing, valued at £9 10s. Section 23—9 chains of boundary and 21 chains of internal and road fencing, valued at £15 18s. 6d. Section 25—14 chains of boundary and 21 chains of internal and road fencing, valued at £17 10s.

The improvements which are not included in the capital value, but which must be paid for separately, comprise: Section 1—House of six rooms in good order, outbuilding, cow-shed, and yard, the whole valued at £385. Section 3—House of seven rooms and bathroom in good order, and small shed, the whole valued at £500. Section 18—Barn converted into a house of six rooms, valued at £75.

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

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Postmaster appointed to take and receive Statutory Declarations.

PURSUANT to the authority conferred upon me by the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that

Mrs. MARGARET RAE,

being a person holding the office of Postmaster under the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, at Utiku, is authorized to take and receive statutory declarations under the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

As witness my hand, this seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

Member of Otago Land Board appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 41 of the Land Act, 1908, been pleased to appoint

THOMAS ALEXANDER MUNRO

to be a member of the Land Board of the Land District of Otago.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Clerks of Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 12th November, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable ADAM KERSE

to be Clerk of the Magistrates' Court at Winton, on and from the 29th day of October, 1913, vice Constable G. A. McQuarrie, deceased; and

Constable JOHN CONNELL

to be Clerk of the Magistrates' Court at Clinton, on and from the 1st day of November, 1913, vice Constable A. Kerse, transferred.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Clerks of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 12th November, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HENRY SMITH

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Waipawa, on and from the 20th day of October, 1913, *vice* S. Tansley, retired;

ARTHUR EVAN DOBBIE

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wallace, on and from the 14th day of October, 1913, *vice* H. McN. G. Macfarlane, transferred; and

TIMOTHY O'ROURKE

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Otaki, *vice* R. M. Goldsman.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Auditor under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, licensed.

Friendly Societies Registry Office,
Wellington, 5th November, 1913.

IN pursuance of the 10th section of the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to license

JOHN WILLIAM JAMES HARDING,

of Hawera, to act as a Public Auditor under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909.

F. M. B. FISHER,
Minister in Charge.

Appointment of Inspector under Public Health Act and Officer under Sale of Food and Drugs Act.

Department of Public Health,
Wellington, 4th November, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

H. H. KEAY

to be an Inspector under the Public Health Act, 1908, and an Officer under the Sale of Food and Drugs Act, 1908.

R. HEATON RHODES,
Minister of Public Health.

Dismissal of Two Territorials from the New Zealand Defence Forces.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to dismiss the undermentioned from the New Zealand Defence Forces, under section 6 (b) of the Defence Act, 1909, they having been convicted by the Civil power of theft:—

Privates THOMAS HALLEN and HORACE HERBERT COUCHMAN, 7th (Wellington West Coast) Regiment.

Dated 20th October, 1913.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Dismissal of a Senior Cadet.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to dismiss

No. 53/1, Senior Cadet JOHN QUIGLEY,

from the New Zealand Defences Forces, under section 6 (b) of the Defence Act, 1909, he having been convicted by the Civil power of forgery. Dated 22nd October, 1913.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 10th November, 1913.

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

Name.	District.
GEORGE COLQUHOUN CARNIE	Hampden.
JAMES SHORT	Middlemarch.
WILLIE HARTLEY	Lumsden.

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 11th November, 1913.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointment in the Public Service:—

HAROLD CARR

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Gisborne, from the 17th November, 1913.

GEO. F. DIXON,
Acting Secretary.

By-law of the Hastings Borough Council confirmed under the By-laws Act, 1912.

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

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of By-law No. 5 made by the Hastings Borough Council on the 19th September, 1913.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION.

In pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the within-written by-law, and declare that the same came into force on the 3rd October, 1913.

Dated this 12th day of November, 1913.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Registrars of Births, Deaths, and Marriages appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 11th November, 1913.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointments in the Public Service.

GEO. F. DIXON,
Acting Secretary.

Name.	District.	Position.	Date of Appointment.
McLaren, John	Te Puke	Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages	15 Nov., 1913.
Scanlan, Vincent John	Porangahau	" " "	10 " "
Wylie, Mabel	Matata	" " "	15 " "

Authorizing the Laying-off of Plassey, Clive, Delhi, Nicholson, and Collinge Streets, in the Town of Hastings Extension No. 9, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

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

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Plassey, Clive, Delhi, Nicholson, and Collinge Streets in the Town of Hastings Extension No. 9, Hawke's Bay Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Ingmire, Percival, and Dormer Streets, in the Town of Finglas Extension No. 2, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 1st November, 1913.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Ingmire, Percival, and Dormer Streets, in the Town of Finglas Extension No. 2, Canterbury Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Notice fixing Closing-hours of Drapers and Clothiers', Fancy-goods', Ironmongers', Bootmakers', and General Storekeepers' Shops in the Borough of Alexandra under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of each of the (1) drapers and clothiers', (2) fancy-goods', (3) ironmongers', (4) bootmakers', and (5) general storekeepers' shops in the Borough of Alexandra, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops in the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: At 6 p.m. on all working-days, excepting the statutory half-holiday and Saturday, when the shops will be closed at 10 p.m.: And whereas the Alexandra Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of each of the drapers and clothiers', fancy-goods', ironmongers', bootmakers', and general storekeepers' shops within the Borough of Alexandra:

Now, therefore, I, William Ferguson Massey, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, do hereby direct that from and after the 17th day of November, 1913, all shops in each of the trades as above mentioned in the Borough of Alexandra shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

The statutory half-holiday is on Thursday from 1 p.m.
Dated at Wellington this 12th day of November, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Notice fixing Closing-hours of Chemists, Booksellers and Stationers' Shops in the Borough of Roxburgh under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the shops in the trade of chemist, bookseller and stationer, in the Borough of Roxburgh, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops in the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, at 8.30 p.m.; Thursdays, at 1 p.m.; Saturdays, 10 p.m.; and Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve at 11 p.m.: And whereas the Roxburgh Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the chemists, booksellers and stationers' shops within the borough:

Now, therefore, I, William Ferguson Massey, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, do hereby direct that from and after the 17th day of November, 1913, all shops in the combined trade of chemist, bookseller and stationer in the Borough of Roxburgh shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

Dated at Wellington this 12th day of November, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

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 sale of Lot 72B No. 3w, Parish of Matata, containing 125 acres 3 roods 15 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 10th day of November, 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 sale of Papamoa No. 2 Section 3D No. 1 Block, containing 85 acres, 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 1st day of November, 1913.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

Auckland Exhibition.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 30th October, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to declare the Auckland Industrial, Agricultural, and Mining Exhibition, 1913, to be held at Auckland, opening on the 1st December next, to be an Industrial Exhibition in accordance with section 46 of the Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks Act, 1911.

A. L. HERDMAN.

Ratification by the Republic of Nicaragua of the International Maritime Conventions relating to Collisions and Salvage.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 6th November, 1913.

A NOTIFICATION has been received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies that the Belgian Government have notified the deposit, on the 18th July last, of the Ratification by the Republic of Nicaragua of the International Maritime Conventions relating to Collisions and Salvage, signed at Brussels on the 23rd September, 1910.

F. M. B. FISHER.

Results of Elections of Trustees of Drainage Districts.

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

THE following results of election of trustees of drainage districts have been received from the Returning Officers, and are published in accordance with the provisions of the Land Drainage Act, 1908.

J. HISLOP,
Under-Secretary.

Makerua Drainage District, Counties of Horowhenua and Kairanga:

Harry Greig.
Joseph Liggins.
George Crow.

Sluggish River Drainage District, County of Manawatu:

Samuel Macauley.
William Amon.
George Kendall.
Jonathan Lucas.
Edwin Tallott.

*Notice to Mariners No. 114.***KARAMEA RIVER.—LIGHT MOVED.**

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 8th November, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the port light-staff at Karamea has been moved 18 chains due north of former position.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Chart No. 1896; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter x, page 330; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1913, page 411.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 126 of 1913.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 12th November, 1913.

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

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

VICTORIA.*Portsea Gas-buoy, South Channel, Port Phillip.*

REFERRING to General Notice to Mariners, dated 1st August, 1907, page 69, and to further notice No. 152, dated 16th August, 1913, mariners and others are hereby notified that the alteration of the above buoy from a fixed red light to a flashing red light will take place on 24th September instead of on 1st October as previously notified.

Light, Franklyn River.—Corner Inlet.

Mariners and others are hereby notified that on and after 1st November, 1913, an all-round fixed white light, visible 4 miles in clear weather, will be exhibited from a beacon erected on the south bank of the Franklyn River entrance.

The beacon is near the outer edge of the mangroves, and about 1½ miles below Bowen Wharf.

C. W. MACLEAN,
Port Officer.

Melbourne, 3rd October, 1913.

PORT OF GEELONG.—MOORABOOL PIER.

[No. 6 of 1913.]

Notice to Pilots, Exempt Masters, and Others.

REFERRING to notice of 21st April, 1913, No. 4, it is hereby notified that on and after 1st November, 1913, the two red pier-head lights will be again exhibited on Moorabool Pier.

GEO. A. MOLLAND,
Harbourmaster.

Geelong, 29th September, 1913.

International Arrangements for the Protection of Industrial Property, &c.

Patent Office,
Wellington, 8th November, 1913.

THE following is a translation of an official notice in "La Propriété Industrielle," the monthly organ of the International Bureau of the Union for the Protection of Industrial Property, 31st August, 1913.

J. C. LEWIS,
Registrar of Patents.

INTERNATIONAL UNION.

Accession of the British Colonies of Ceylon, Trinidad, and Tobago to the Arrangement of Madrid of the 14th April, 1891, concerning the repression of false indications of origin on merchandise, revised at Washington, the 2nd June, 1911.

IN compliance with a communication received from the British Legation at Berne, the Swiss Federal Council has addressed, under date the 1st August, 1913, to the contracting countries of the Union for the Protection of Industrial Property a notification informing them of the accession of the Colony of Ceylon and of that of Trinidad and Tobago to the Arrangement of Madrid of the 14th April, 1891, concern-

ing the repression of false indications of origin of merchandise, revised at Washington the 2nd June, 1911.

These colonies have already joined the Union for the Protection of Industrial Property.

No special date having been indicated of the coming into force of the aforesaid arrangement so far as it concerns these colonies, the provisions of Article 16 (revised) of the principal Convention will apply, under the terms of which the accession takes effect one month after the date of the notification made by the Swiss Government to the other Unionist countries. As a result the arrangement in question will come into force, so far as it concerns the colonies mentioned above, on the 1st September next.

Officiating Ministers for 1913.—Notice No. 89.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 10th November, 1913.

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

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

The Reverend **WILLIAM TYE, B.A.**

Baptists.

The Reverend **WILLIAM WALLACE.**

Salvation Army.

Lieutenant-Colonel **ALBERT E. POWLEY.**

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

Examination in Drawing only.

Education Department,
Wellington, 18th June, 1913.

IT is hereby notified that candidates for teachers' certificates, pupil-teachers, probationers, students of technical schools, or other persons may, upon making application in due form, be examined in drawing only either at the Intermediate Examination of November, 1913, or at the Teachers' Certificate Examination of January, 1914, and may take at such examination one or more of the branches of Drawing as prescribed for general candidates in each case; that is, at the Intermediate Examination either Drawing I or Drawing II, or both these branches, and at the Teachers' Certificate Examination Drawing I, or Drawing II, or Drawing III, or any group thereof.

For an entry in Drawing only at the November (Intermediate) examination a fee of 2s. 6d. for each branch taken, or of 5s. for both branches together, is payable, except in the case of pupil-teachers and probationers for the time being in the service of an Education Board, or of senior free-place candidates who require this subject only to complete a senior free-place qualification. By such persons no entrance fee is payable.

For the January (Teachers' Certificate) examination the entrance fee (pupil-teachers and probationers as before expected) will be 5s. for one or two branches of Drawing, and 7s. 6d. for the three branches taken together.

Passing in any branch of Drawing at the certificate examination of January under the circumstances herein stated will exempt a candidate from further examination in the same branch under the requirements for a teacher's certificate. A similar exemption will also be granted to successful candidates at the November examination who pass the examination in Drawing I or Drawing II with credit, obtaining not less than 60 per cent. of the maximum marks assignable in each case.

Applications on the forms provided, accompanied by a bank receipt for the necessary fee, are required to be made to the Inspector-General of Schools, Wellington, not later than the 15th September for the November examination, and not later than the 15th October for the January examination.

Forms of application to be examined will be obtainable at the offices of Education Boards or from the Education Department after the 1st July.

G. HOGBEN,
Inspector-General of Schools.

Tenders.

Public Service Stores Tender Board, Wellington, 11th November, 1913.

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

J. MACKAY,
Chairman.

500 REELS OF CREAM LAID PAPER.

		<i>Accepted.</i>		
Brown and Stewart, Auckland	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2½d. per lb. less 2½ per cent.
		<i>Declined.</i>		
J. Dickinson and Co., Sydney	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2½d. per lb. nett.
A. Cowan and Son (Limited), Wellington	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2½d. per lb. nett.
Storer, Meek, and Co. (Limited), Wellington	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2½d. per lb. nett.

CARTAGE FROM FAIRLIE TO THE HERMITAGE.

		<i>Accepted.</i>		£ s. d.
The Mount Cook Motor Company, Fairlie..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	7 10 0 per ton. *
		<i>Declined.</i>		
R. Scarlett, Fairlie	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	6 5 0 per ton. †
D. Chisholm, Fairlie	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	6 6 0 per ton. †
J. Smith, Fairlie	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	7 10 0 per ton. †

SUPPLY OF FORAGE AT AUCKLAND, CHRISTCHURCH, DUNEDIN, AND NELSON.

Name of Tenderer.	Oats, Crushed, per Bushel.	Oats, Whole, per Bushel.	Oaten-sheaf Chaff, per Cwt.	Bran, per 100lb.	Beans, Crushed, per Bushel.	Carrots, per Cwt.	Clover Hay, per Cwt.	Wheaten Straw, per Cwt.	Green Feed, per Bundle.
AUCKLAND.									
<i>Accepted.</i>									
R. and R. Duder	s. d. 3 0	s. d. 2 10	s. d. 5 6	s. d. 4 9	s. d. 4 9	s. d. 2 0	s. d. 5 9	s. d. 3 6	s. d. 0 2
<i>Declined.</i>									
J. J. Craig (Limited)	3 2	3 0	6 0	5 0	3 3	3 0	5 0	3 5	0 2½
Bogue and Sons	3 5	3 5	6 6	5 3	6 6	4 6	6 0	4 6	0 3
W. Gunson	3 2	3 2	6 9	4 9	5 6	3 0	6 6	4 0	0 3
A. W. Page	3 3	3 3	6 9	6 6	5 9	3 0	6 6	4 9	..
CHRISTCHURCH.									
<i>Accepted.</i>									
R. Geddis	2 7	2 6	3 9	5 0 (sack)	4 6	2 6 (sack)	4 0	1 9	0 1½
DUNEDIN.									
<i>Accepted.</i>									
J. Lindsay and Co.	2 3	2 2	4 0	4 3	4 6	3 0	3 6	1 9	0 6
<i>Declined.</i>									
H. F. Moss (Limited)	2 5	2 5	4 3	4 9	10 0	3 0	3 9	2 3	1 9
Fraser and Co.	2 6	2 4	4 4½	4 6	10 0 (per cwt.)	3 3	3 9	2 0	0 1½
NELSON.									
<i>Accepted.</i>									
Neale and Haddow	3 2	3 0	5 1	5 3	4 9	3 0	4 3 (in tons) 4 9 (less)	2 0 (in loads)	..

* The offer of the Mount Cook Motor Company is for a weekly service, including the carriage of perishable goods formerly provided for under a separate contract.
† Tenders for cartage in two lots.

Population of the Dominion.

RETURN of the Estimated Population of the Dominion of New Zealand on the 30th September, 1913.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Population (excluding Maoris and residents of Cook and other Pacific Islands), 30th June, 1913	559,688	506,030	1,065,718
Increase during September quarter, 1913—			
By Births	3,509	3,452	6,961
By Arrivals	5,386	3,681	9,067
	8,895	7,133	16,028
Decrease during September quarter, 1913—			
By Deaths	1,542	1,160	2,702
By Departures	3,594	1,981	5,575
	5,136	3,141	8,277
Net increase during September quarter, 1913	3,759	3,992	7,751
Estimated population (exclusive of Maoris, &c.) on 30th September, 1913	563,447	510,022	1,073,469
Maori population, Census, 1911	26,475	23,369	49,844
Population of Cook and other Pacific Islands, Census, 1911	6,449	6,149	12,598
Total estimated population of the Dominion on 30th September, 1913..	596,371	539,540	1,135,911

Deceased Persons' Estates.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE for Management during the Month of October, 1913.

No.	Name of Deceased.	New Zealand Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
1	Anderson, Eric Edward	Eketahuna	Russia	30 Sept. or 1 Oct., 1913	Intestate.
2	Ball, Robert	Dunedin .. ..	.. ..	12 Sept., "	Testate.
3	Brice, John	Christchurch .. ..	.. ..	27 April, "	.. ..
4	Campbell, Colin	Mangawai	Scotland	30 Aug., "	Intestate.
5	Carroll, John .. ..	.. ..	United States of America	20 July, "	"
6	Cashman, Patrick	Ashburton	Ireland	1 Sept., "	"
7	Cheong Pah, or Pah Cheong, or Tah Leong Che, or Joe Pah, or John Pah, or Chong Park, or John Park	Auckland	China	25 Aug., "	"
8	Cockin, Bertha	Wanganui	England	6 Oct., "	"
9	Cooke, Edward Ernest	Northcote .. ..	.. ..	10 July, "	"
10	Coutts, George	Auckland	Scotland	7 Sept., "	Testate.
11	Crawford, John Craig	Romahapa .. ..	.. ..	16 Aug., "	Intestate.
12	Cronin, James	Osamaru .. ..	.. ..	17 Dec., 1912	"
13	Currie, John Hunt	Ross	Port Louis	20 Sept., 1913	Testate.
14	Darton, Annie	Lawrence	Victoria	4	"
15	Dickenson, Joseph	Middlemarch	England	19 June, "	Intestate.
16	Dixon, Isaac	Napier	"	9 Oct., "	Testate.
17	Dodd, Jacob	Kuaotunu .. ..	.. ..	8 July, "	Intestate.
18	Dow, Robert	Te Puke	Scotland	13 Sept., "	"
19	Duncan, Robert	Mataura .. ..	.. ..	22 Aug., "	"
20	Edwards, Henry	Mataikuna	England	16	"
21	Elliott, Albert Henry	Albany	"	9 Sept., "	"
22	Firth, John	Christchurch .. ..	.. ..	Between 25 Jan. and 18 April, 1913	"
23	Fletcher, Hugh	Gisborne .. ..	.. ..	16 Oct., "	"
24	Flint, Geo.	Pirinoa .. ..	.. ..	14 July, "	"
25	Greenland, Sydney	Thames	England	26 Aug., "	"
26	Hamerton, Robert Chisenhall	Wellington	"	5 Sept., "	Testate.
27	Harris, George	Auckland	"	2	Intestate.
28	Heley, Margaret	Dunedin	Ireland	23	Testate.
29	Hobbs, Frederick William	Christchurch .. ..	.. ..	30 June, "	Intestate.
30	Hollis, Reuben	Westport	"	10 Oct., "	Testate.
31	Hope, John Henry; or Meenaghan, John	Wellington	Ireland	24 Sept., "	Intestate.
32	Jackson, John Amer	Nelson	England	22	Testate.
33	Johnston, Euphemia	Roslyn	Scotland	28	"
34	Jordan, Thomas	Invercargill .. ..	.. ..	19 Oct., 1911	"
35	Keddell, Frank William	Greymouth .. ..	.. ..	22 July, 1913	"
36	Kemp, Charles Ford	Palmerston North .. ..	.. ..	20 Sept., "	Intestate.
37	Kent, Samuel	Wellington	Ireland	8	Testate.
38	Kershaw, James	Nelson	England	11 Oct., "	"
39	King, James	Waipiro Bay	"	4 Sept., "	Intestate.
40	Kronberg, Chas. or Karl; or Kronsborg, Chas.	Kaihu	Sweden	10	"
41	Little, John	Masterton	England	21 Aug., "	"
42	Livingstone, Jessie	Swanson .. ..	.. ..	23 Dec., 1912	"
43	Mailer, James	Chaslans	Scotland	16 Aug., 1913	"
44	McClellan, Frederick	Ahaura	Ireland	16 Sept., "	Testate.
45	McDermott, John Joseph	Greymouth	"	21 June, "	Intestate.
46	McGrath, James	Ohaupo .. ..	.. ..	4 May, 1883	"
47	Mitchell, Charles John	Nelson	England	19 Sept., 1913	Testate.
48	Mitchell, William	Te Kopuru	Scotland	15 April, "	Intestate.
49	Nelson, James Ferguson	Wellington .. ..	.. ..	— Oct., 1911	Testate.
50	Neves, William	Deep Creek .. ..	.. ..	28 Aug., 1913	Intestate.
51	O'Donnell, Hugh	Wanganui East	Ireland	26 Sept., "	"
52	Phillips, Arthur Harry	Auckland .. ..	.. ..	17	"
53	Pilmer, Rosa	Wellington .. ..	.. ..	24 July, "	"
54	Pipson, Chas. Robert	Dunedin .. ..	.. ..	13 Sept., "	Testate.
55	Pryor, Harryet	Ross	England	30 Aug., "	Intestate.
56	Randall, Frederick	Henderson .. ..	.. ..	4 Oct., "	"
57	Ritz, Karl	Hastings	Vienna, Austria.. ..	14	Testate.
58	Salter, William	Wanganui	Isle of Wight	27 July, "	"
59	Shaw, Ada Elizabeth	Nelson .. ..	.. ..	28 Sept., "	Intestate.
60	Smith John	Christchurch	Scotland	10 Oct., "	"
61	Smith, Noel Douglas	Auckland	England	29 Sept., "	"
62	Smyth, James	Waikino	Ireland	7 Aug., "	"
63	Stock, Arthur	Wellington	England	28 Sept., 1901	Testate.
64	Strong, Elsie Edith Kate.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	9 Oct., 1913	Intestate.
65	Thompson, William	Rotorua .. ..	.. ..	25 Aug., "	"
66	Vrede, Barbara	Ross	Shetland Islands	1	"
67	Ward, John Brewster	Timaru	England	20 Sept., "	Testate.
68	Wasley, Thomas	Auckland	"	30 Aug., "	Intestate.
69	Watts, Fanny Constant	Christchurch	"	29 Sept., "	Testate.
70	Webster, Julia Agnes	Winchester	Ireland	6 May, 1906	Intestate.
71	Wightmore, Hannah	Gisborne	England	19 Jan., 1913	Testate.
72	Wild, Frank Waller .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	16 Oct., "	Intestate.
73	Williams, May	Dunedin	Scotland	24 Sept., "	Testate.
74	Wilson, James	Christchurch	Ireland	2 Oct., "	"
75	Wilson, Thomas	Glenorchy	Scotland	8 April, "	Intestate.

Dated the 12th day of November, 1913.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

Vital Statistics.

GOVERNMENT STATISTICIAN'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of October, 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 October, 1913.

BOROUGH.	ESTIMATED POPULATION, JANUARY, 1913.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGH.	DEATHS IN BOROUGH REGISTERED IN OCTOBER, 1913.									Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, October, 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	115	6	3	13	3	2	11	38	0.80	11.25		
Birkenhead	2,035	7	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	1.47	5.62
Devonport	7,441	17	1	..	2	..	1	..	4	0.54	6.42		
Newmarket	3,070	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	0.33	3.72
Grey Lynn	3,317	24	2	..	1	..	..	1	4	0.48	8.53
Mount Eden	9,981	28	..	..	2	1	..	3	6	0.60	12.26
Northcote	1,521	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.65	4.70
Mount Albert	7,669	20	..	..	1	..	..	4	5	0.65	5.65
Totals Auckland and sub-urban boroughs	87,596	215	9	3	22	4	3	21	62	0.71	9.73		
Population of other suburbs*	21,514												
Total population of Greater Auckland	109,110												
Wellington	66,138	128	1	..	24	1	2	31	59	0.89	9.43		
Karori	1,524	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5.32
Onslow	1,941	6	1	..	..	1	..	1	3	1.55	6.37
Miramar	1,725	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.58	5.31
Eastbourne	595	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5.14
Totals Wellington and sub-urban boroughs	71,923	142	2	..	24	2	2	33	63	0.88	9.13		
Population of other suburbs*	969												
Total population of Greater Wellington	72,892												
Christchurch	54,948	103	3	2	28	4	1	23	61	1.11	10.63		
Woolston	3,657	8	1	..	1	..	1	2	5	1.37	8.96		
New Brighton	1,939	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.52	7.62
Sumner	1,948	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6.96
Spreydon	3,520	11	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	0.28	10.47
Riccarton	3,010	11	..	..	3	..	..	1	4	1.33	..
Totals Christchurch and sub-urban boroughs	69,022	141	4	2	33	5	2	26	72	1.04	10.34		
Population of other suburbs*	14,650												
Total population of Greater Christchurch	83,672												
Dunedin	48,859	99	1	1	12	7	1	25	47	0.96	11.28		
Maori Hill	2,276	4	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	0.88	6.16
Mornington	4,891	6	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	0.41	7.85
St. Kilda	4,435	21	..	..	..	..	..	4	4	0.90	7.85
West Harbour	2,033	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.49	5.91
Green Island	1,976	3	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	1.01	10.80
Totals Dunedin and suburban boroughs	64,470	137	1	3	13	7	1	33	58	0.90	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 each of the four centres.

		Death-rates per 1,000 of Population.	
Auckland City	0.80		
and seven suburban boroughs	0.71		
Wellington City	0.89		
and four suburban boroughs	0.88		
Christchurch City	1.11		
and five suburban boroughs	1.04		
Dunedin City	0.96		
and five suburban boroughs	0.90		

Including the suburbs, the rate at Christchurch is the highest, and at Auckland the lowest.

Compared with October, 1912, the results are,—

		1912.	1913.
Auckland and suburbs	0.86	0.71	
Wellington and suburbs	0.75	0.88	
Christchurch and suburbs	0.82	1.04	
Dunedin and suburbs	1.12	0.90	

The total births in the four chief cities and their suburban boroughs amounted to 635, against 683 in September—a decrease of 48. The deaths in October were 255—a decrease of 61 as compared with last month. Of the total deaths males contributed 116, females 139. Fifty of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 22.22 per cent. of the whole number; 34 of these were under one year of age.

There were 92 deaths of persons of 65 years and upwards in the four chief cities and their suburban boroughs, as against 121 in September. The following table shows the classification:—

Age.	Auckland.		Wellington.		Christchurch.		Dunedin.		Total.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
65	..	2	..	1	2	..	1	1	3	4
66	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	2
67	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
68	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	2
69	..	2	..	..	1	2	1	..	2	4
70	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	2	1
71	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
72	1	2	2	..	3	..	..	1	6	3
73	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	4	3
74	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	..	2	2
75	1	..	..	1	4	..	..	..	5	1
76	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	2	2	4
77	..	..	1	..	1	1	2	1	4	2
78	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
79	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	1	1	3
80	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
81	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
82	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	1	2
83	..	..	1	1	..	2	..	..	1	3
85	..	..	2	1	1	1	..	3	3	5
87	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	2	1
89	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
91	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Totals ..	9	9	8	9	21	12	6	18	44	48

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

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.	
I.—GENERAL DISEASES.									
(a.) Epidemic Diseases.									
1. Typhoid fever	1	..	..	..	..	1
6. Measles	2	1	3
8. Whooping Cough	5	1	..	1	..	2	..	9
9. Diphtheria	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
10. Influenza	1	..	1	..	..	2
(b.) Other General Diseases.									
28. Phthisis	4	..	3	..	2	..	6	15
28. Tuberculosis	2	..	3	..	4	..	..	9
29. Acute Phthisis	1	..	..	..	..	1

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Centres registered during October, 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.									
<i>(b.) Other General Diseases—continued.</i>									
29. Acute Tuberculosis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
30. Tubercular Meningitis	1	2	..	1	..	1	..	1	6
31. Tuberculosis of Intestines	1	..	..	1
31. Tubercular Peritonitis	1	..	..	1
37. Syphilis	2	..	..	2
40. Cancer of Stomach, Liver, &c.	2	..	3	..	2	..	3	10
41. " Colon, Intestines, &c.	3	..	1	..	1	..	1	6
42. " Cervix, Uterus	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	3
43. " Breast	1	..	..	..	3	4
44. " Face	1	1
45. " Other Organs	1	..	1	..	4	..	..	6
47. Rheumatism	1	..	..	..	..	1
50. Diabetes	4	..	..	..	1	5
55. Hæmophilia	1	..	..	..	..	1
56. Alcoholism	2	..	..	2
II.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.									
61. Meningitis	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	4
63. Sclerosis	1	..	..	..	..	1
64. Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy	1	..	1	..	3	..	2	7
65. Brain Softening	1	1
66. Hemiplegia	1	..	..	..	1	2
69. Epilepsy	1	..	..	..	..	1
72. Chorea Insaniens	1	1
74. Brain-disease, &c.	1	..	1	..	..	2
III.—DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.									
78. Endocarditis	1	..	..	1
79. Heart-disease	7	..	10	..	12	..	7	36
80. Angina Pectoris	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	3
81. Arterio Sclerosis	1	..	..	..	1	..	2	4
81. Cerebral Endarteritis	1	..	..	1
82. Thrombosis	2	..	..	..	1	3
82. Embolism	1	..	..	1
84. Lymphatism	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
IV.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.									
90. Bronchitis	1	..	1	1	..	..	2	5
91. Broncho-pneumonia	1	..	..	2	..	1	1	5
92. Pneumonia	2	2	1	2	..	..	2	..	9
94. Pulmonary Congestion	2	..	..	..	2
V.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.									
102. Gastric Ulcer	2	..	..	..	1	3
103. Gastric Hæmorrhage	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	3
104. Gastro Enteritis (under 2 years)	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
109. Strangulated Hernia	1	..	..	1
110. Hæmorrhage from Bowels	1	1
113. Cirrhosis of Liver	1	..	..	..	1	2
117. Peritonitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
VI.—NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.									
120. Bright's Disease	1	..	..	..	1	2
120. Nephritis	1	..	1	..	1	3
120. Uræmia	1	..	..	..	..	1
122. Pyelonephritis	1	..	..	..	..	1
124. Cystitis	1	..	..	1
VII.—THE PUERPERAL STATE.									
137. Puerperal Septicæmia	1	..	1	..	..	2
VIII.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.									
142. Gangrene of Leg	1	1
IX.—DISEASES OF THE BONES AND OF THE ORGANS OF LOCOMOTION.									
147. Septic Arthritis	1	..	..	1
X.—MALFORMATIONS.									
150. Congenital Malformations	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
XI.—DISEASES OF INFANCY.									
151. Marasmus, &c.	1	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	5
151A. Premature Birth	1	..	1	..	3	..	2	..	7
152. Birth Accidents	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3

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

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.	
XII.—OLD AGE.									
154. Senility	2	..	3	..	5	..	3	13
XIII.—VIOLENCE.									
155. Suicide by Poisoning	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
157. " Hanging	1
159. " Shooting	1	..	..	..	..	1
165. Accident—Poisoning	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
167. " Scalding	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
168. " Suffocation in Fire	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
169. " Drowning	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
175. " Collision with Car	1	..	..	1
175. " Thrown from Cycle	1	..	..	1
185. " Fractured Collar-bone	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
185. " Broken Neck	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
186. " Hæmorrhage	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
XIV.—ILL-DEFINED CAUSES.									
188. Cardiac, Syncope	1	..	1	..	..	2
189. Heart-failure	1	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	19	43	6	57	13	59	12	46	255

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 October, 1913.

BOROUGH.	ESTIMATED POPULATION, JANUARY, 1913.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGH.	DEATHS IN BOROUGH REGISTERED IN OCTOBER, 1913.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, October, 1913.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1913.
			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	12	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	1.08	8.68
New Plymouth	7,545	39	1	..	5	..	1	1	8	1.06	13.75
Napier	10,883	31	2	..	7	1	..	2	12	1.10	10.71
Gisborne	9,230	63	..	1	4	..	..	2	7	0.76	12.87
Wanganui	13,295	40	3	..	7	..	..	5	15	1.13	7.60
Palmerston North	11,615	30	2	..	6	..	1	6	15	1.29	8.58
Masterton	5,548	15	1	1	..	..	1	3	6	0.54	7.74
Petone	6,966	11	..	1	1	1	..	3	6	0.86	9.45
Blenheim	4,010	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11.44
Nelson	8,419	22	..	..	7	1	..	12	20	2.38	10.93
Greymouth	5,560	15	1	..	5	..	..	4	10	1.80	9.71
Hokitika	2,363	7	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	0.85	14.88
Lyttelton	4,151	12	..	3	..	1	..	1	5	1.20	8.43
Timaru	11,942	31	3	..	5	1	1	4	14	1.17	9.21
Oamaru	5,371	22	..	1	4	..	1	3	9	1.68	12.07
Invercargill	13,486	30	3	2	3	1	..	7	16	1.19	10.77
Invercargill South	1,523	5	..	..	..	1	..	1	2	1.31	11.56

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

MALCOLM FRASER,
Government Statistician.

Te Makarini Scholarships, held at Te Aute College, Hawke's Bay.

TWO scholarships of the yearly value of £35, tenable for two years, are offered for competition. One of these scholarships, to be called the senior scholarship, is open to all Maori boys not over sixteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination: the other, to be called the junior scholarship, is open to all Maori boys under fourteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination who have attended a Native school or schools under the control of the Education Department, and whose attendance at school during the previous year is considered by the Inspector of Native Schools to have been satisfactory. The scholarships are open to Maori boys on the conditions laid down in the regulations of the Trustees of the Te Makarini Scholarships Fund, as printed in the Appendix to the

Native Schools Code, 1908. The examination will be held at convenient centres on the 8th and 9th of December, 1913.

Candidates must, either directly or through their teachers, send notice to the Inspector of Native Schools, Education Department, Wellington, of their intention to present themselves for examination. Such notice must be posted so as to reach the Department not later than the 30th of September, 1913.

Copies of the regulations and forms of notice may be obtained from teachers of Native schools and boarding institutions, the Secretaries to Education Boards, or the Secretary for Education, Wellington

W. W. BIRD,
Inspector of Native Schools.
Education Department,
Wellington, 12th July, 1913.

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 11th October, 1913, and for the corresponding period, 1912:—

WHANGAREI-KAWAKAWA SECTION.

				1913.			1912.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	1,257	614	1,871	1,224	702	1,926
2nd Class	..	..	..	4,262	4,226	8,488	4,238	5,256	9,494
Total	..	..	..	5,519	4,840	10,359	5,462	5,958	11,420
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	26	..	..	55
GOODS,—				1913.			1912.		
				No.	No.		No.	No.	
Drays	..	..	..	2	3		556	350	
Cattle	..	..	..	97	8		9	4	
Calves	..	..	..	7	18		3	2	
Sheep	..	..	..	65	972		40	28	
Pigs	..	..	..	23	..		..	..
Total	..	..	..	194	1,001		608	384	
				Tons.	Tons.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Chaff, Lime, &c...	..	..	..	132	312		578 18	674 8 4	
Wool	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Firewood	..	..	..	222	114		106 0 4	78 11 9	
Timber	..	..	..	2,843	2,414		2,529 13 10	2,069 8 3	
Grain	..	..	..	535	489		47 4 9	42 3 0	
Merchandise	..	..	..	616	643		83 0 0	63 10 10	
Minerals	..	..	..	10,190	8,014		..	..
Total	..	..	..	14,538	11,986		£3,344 17 2	£2,928 2 2	
PARCELS, ETC.,—				1913.			1912.		
				No.	No.		No.	No.	
Parcels	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Horses	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Dogs	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Total	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
REVENUE,—				1913.			1912.		
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Passengers	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Goods	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Rents and Commission	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Total	..	..	..	..	..		£3,344 17 2	£2,928 2 2	

KAIHU SECTION.

				1913.			1912.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	28	102	130	39	106	145
2nd Class	..	..	..	829	818	1,647	732	930	1,662
Total	..	..	..	857	920	1,777	771	1,036	1,807
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
GOODS,—				1913.			1912.		
				No.	No.		No.	No.	
Drays	..	..	..	2	..		308	317	
Cattle	..	..	..	2	..		4	2	
Calves	..	..	..	..	..		1	3	
Sheep	..	..	..	..	..		10	16	
Pigs	..	..	..	..	68		..	..
Total	..	..	..	4	68		323	338	
				Tons.	Tons.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Chaff, Lime, &c...	..	..	..	228	36		94 14 10	93 4 3	
Wool	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Firewood	..	..	..	13	24		26 5 7	28 13 9	
Timber	..	..	..	682	92		209 6 3	91 17 3	
Grain	..	..	..	69	62		12 8 5	3 15 2	
Merchandise	..	..	..	114	106		23 0 6	26 4 8	
Minerals	..	..	..	65	..		..	..
Total	..	..	..	1,176	320		£365 15 7	£248 15 1	
PARCELS, ETC.,—				1913.			1912.		
				No.	No.		No.	No.	
Parcels	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Horses	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Dogs	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Total	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
REVENUE,—				1913.			1912.		
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Passengers	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Goods	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Rents and Commission	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Total	..	..	..	..	..		£365 15 7	£248 15 1	

GISBORNE SECTION.

				1913.			1912.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	538	402	940	441	498	939
2nd Class	..	..	..	2,412	1,892	4,304	2,349	1,928	4,277
Total	..	..	..	2,950	2,294	5,244	2,790	2,426	5,216
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	7
GOODS,—				1913.			1912.		
				No.	No.		No.	No.	
Drays	..	..	..	3	3		662	577	
Cattle	..	..	..	32	60		14	5	
Calves	..	..	..	1	..		..	1	
Sheep	..	..	..	390	60		37	52	
Pigs	..	..	..	14	29		..	..
Total	..	..	..	440	152		713	635	
				Tons.	Tons.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Chaff, Lime, &c...	..	..	..	36	20		446 18 2	428 1 6	
Wool	..	..	..	5	4		..	..
Firewood	..	..	..	144	12		80 11 6	72 16	
Timber	..	..	..	708	200		809 7 4	533 3 1	
Grain	..	..	..	452	291		123 16 7	23 9 10	
Merchandise	..	..	..	328	181		55 11 6	50 4 4	
Minerals	..	..	..	2,649	2,316		..	..
Total	..	..	..	4,322	3,024		£1,516 5 1	£1,107 15 2	
PARCELS, ETC.,—				1913.			1912.		
				No.	No.		No.	No.	
Parcels	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Horses	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Carriages	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Dogs	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Total	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
REVENUE,—				1913.			1912.		
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Passengers	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Goods	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Rents and Commission	..	..	..	..	..		..	..
Total	..	..	..	..	..		£1,516 5 1	£1,107 15 2	

NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

				1913.			1912.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	18,708	44,406	63,114	19,165	44,874	64,039
2nd Class	..	..	..	111,666	292,614	404,280	114,271	275,222	389,393
Total	..	..	..	130,374	337,020	467,394	133,436	319,996	453,432
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	13,031	..	..	12,120

				1913.		1912.	
GOODS,—				No.	No.	No.	No.
Drays	..	..	..	151	102	..	..
Cattle	..	..	..	12,598	11,835	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	942	765	..	..
Sheep	..	..	..	50,962	51,914	..	..
Pigs	..	..	..	2,935	2,555	..	..
Total	..	..	..	67,588	67,171	..	..

				1913.		1912.	
REVENUE,—				£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Passengers	..	..	..	54,757	3 7	54,464	12 6
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	..	..	..	9,182	17 1	8,488	10 10
Goods	..	..	..	77,099	4 9	68,439	14 3
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	1,796	11 1	1,490	7 8
Rents and Commission	..	..	..	6,019	8 5	5,709	0 7
Total	..	..	..	£148,855	4 11	£138,592	5 10

SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

				1913.			1912.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	12,945	54,468	67,413	13,258	51,076	64,334
2nd Class	..	..	..	60,118	187,004	247,122	62,330	188,266	250,596
Total	..	..	..	73,063	241,472	314,535	75,588	239,342	314,930
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	7,016	..	..	6,830

				1913.		1912.	
GOODS,—				No.	No.	No.	No.
Drays	..	..	..	103	108	..	..
Cattle	..	..	..	4,924	4,915	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	579	320	..	..
Sheep	..	..	..	40,217	67,162	..	..
Pigs	..	..	..	2,370	2,548	..	..
Total	..	..	..	48,193	75,053	..	..

				1913.		1912.	
REVENUE,—				£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Passengers	..	..	..	32,326	13 11	32,596	16 8
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	..	..	..	6,938	17 2	6,697	10 1
Goods	..	..	..	56,065	8 2	59,524	14 3
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	2,205	17 3	2,490	17 2
Rents and Commission	..	..	..	3,685	13 8	3,535	18 4
Total	..	..	..	£101,222	10 2	£104,845	16 6

WESTLAND SECTION.

				1913.			1912.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	1,235	1,880	3,115	1,009	1,770	2,779
2nd Class	..	..	..	8,018	13,298	21,316	7,835	13,898	21,733
Total	..	..	..	9,253	15,178	24,431	8,844	15,668	24,512
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	215	..	..	196

				1913.		1912.	
GOODS,—				No.	No.	No.	No.
Drays	..	..	..	11	2	..	..
Cattle	..	..	..	217	100	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	..	3	..	..
Sheep	..	..	..	1,667	1,502	..	..
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	..	1,895	1,607	..	..

				1913.		1912.	
REVENUE,—				£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Passengers	..	..	..	1,775	1 11	1,725	9 8
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	..	..	..	368	7 1	328	13 4
Goods	..	..	..	7,898	9 7	8,064	14 1
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	825	18 3	333	7 0
Rents and Commission	..	..	..	314	13 7	291	10 2
Total	..	..	..	£11,182	10 5	£10,743	14 3

WESTPORT SECTION.

				1913.			1912.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	37	208	245	66	180	246
2nd Class	..	..	..	1,930	4,674	6,604	2,019	5,506	7,525
Total	..	..	..	1,967	4,882	6,849	2,085	5,686	7,771
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	25	..	..	55
Goods,—				1913.	1912.				
				No.	No.	PARCELS, ETC.,—			
Drays	..	..	..	..	..	No.			
Cattle	..	..	..	6	1	545			
Calves	..	..	..	2	..	2			
Sheep	..	..	..	199	215	..			
Pigs	..	..	..	..	4	15			
Total	..	..	..	207	220	Total			
				..	..	562			
				..	..	626			
				Tons.	Tons.	REVENUE,—			
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	..	156	60	£ s. d.			
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	419 14 2			
Firewood	..	..	..	588	666	85 4 10			
Timber	..	..	..	132	106	7,422 2 7			
Grain	..	..	..	222	212	8,390 0 8			
Merchandise	..	..	..	447	309	515 0 5			
Minerals	..	..	..	53,031	61,402	79 4 4			
Total	..	..	..	54,576	62,755	Total			
				..	..	£8,516 19 5			
				..	..	£9,613 1 5			

NELSON SECTION.

				1913.			1912.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	188	342	530	193	336	529
2nd Class	..	..	..	2,926	4,132	7,058	2,764	4,126	6,890
Total	..	..	..	3,114	4,474	7,588	2,957	4,462	7,419
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	81	..	..	25
Goods,—				1913.	1912.				
				No.	No.	PARCELS, ETC.,—			
Dray	..	..	..	..	..	No.			
Cattle	..	..	..	24	1	382			
Calves	..	..	..	..	1	2			
Sheep	..	..	..	241	370	..			
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	41			
Total	..	..	..	265	372	Total			
				..	..	425			
				..	..	484			
				Tons.	Tons.	REVENUE,—			
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	..	108	168	£ s. d.			
Wool	..	..	..	4	2	555 6 0			
Firewood	..	..	..	450	174	534 14 1			
Timber	..	..	..	255	255	94 6 7			
Grain	..	..	..	953	578	101 1 1			
Merchandise	..	..	..	311	363	3,303 19 1			
Minerals	..	..	..	811	792	1,066 11 9			
Total	..	..	..	2,892	2,332	Total			
				..	..	£2,206			
				..	..	£1,952 7 10			

PICTON SECTION.

				1913.			1912.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	613	1,700	2,313	615	1,616	2,231
2nd Class	..	..	..	1,867	4,468	6,335	1,923	4,532	6,455
Total	..	..	..	2,480	6,168	8,648	2,538	6,148	8,686
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	42	..	..	44
Goods,—				1913.	1912.				
				No.	No.	PARCELS, ETC.,—			
Drays	..	..	..	3	..	No.			
Cattle	..	..	..	15	19	470			
Calves	..	..	..	5	..	25			
Sheep	..	..	..	896	816	1			
Pigs	..	..	..	7	..	60			
Total	..	..	..	926	835	Total			
				..	..	556			
				..	..	421			
				Tons.	Tons.	REVENUE,—			
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	..	1,878	954	£ s. d.			
Wool	..	..	..	18	11	620 9 1			
Firewood	..	..	..	114	78	663 2 9			
Timber	..	..	..	108	252	101 1 10			
Grain	..	..	..	900	909	1,835 4 7			
Merchandise	..	..	..	445	429	882 9 5			
Minerals	..	..	..	1,311	590	110 16 3			
Total	..	..	..	4,774	3,228	Total			
				..	..	£2,287 13 3			
				..	..	£1,825 1 3			

LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.

	1913.			1912.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
PASSENGERS,—						
1st Class	124	144	268	127	128	255
2nd Class	163	160	323	225	164	389
Total	287	304	591	352	292	644
Season Tickets						
GOODS,—						
	1913.	1912.		1913.	1912.	
	No.	No.		No.	No.	
Drays .. .. .	..	..		479	470	
Cattle	9	22		10	8	
Calves .. .. .	..	..		1	1	
Sheep	176	104		7	12	
Pigs .. .. .	..	..		..	..
Total	185	126		497	491	
CHAFF, LIME, &c.—						
	Tons.	Tons.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Chaff, Lime, &c. ..	..	..		95 13 3	100 19 11	
Wool	3	6		65 7 7	64 4 1	
Firewood .. .. .	..	..		176 5 11	146 6 7	
Timber	27	29		2 12 0	0 2 3	
Grain	204	88		2 10 0	2 10 0	
Merchandise	133	142				
Minerals	88	103				
Total	455	368		£342 8 9	£314 2 10	

Railway Department, 10th November, 1913.

H. DAVIDSON,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1913-14.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 11th October, 1913.

Section.	Miles open for traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period, Average to Date.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Whangarei-Kawakawa	58	3,344 17 2	23,300 17 11	1,963 11 8	16,843 2 1	72.29	746 1 10	539 6 3
Kaihu	17	365 15 7	2,439 3 0	488 9 10	3,471 15 3	142.34	266 9 3	379 5 5
Gisborne	32	1,516 5 1	10,312 14 4	1,080 19 4	7,085 17 4	68.71	598 10 2	411 4 7
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,092	148,855 4 11	1,055,419 12 2	111,216 10 3	778,541 9 9	73.77	1,794 18 7	1,324 1 0
Total	1,199	154,082 2 9	1,091,472 7 5	114,749 11 1	805,942 4 5	73.84		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Lines and Branches	1,366	101,222 10 2	770,098 4 4	85,968 12 0	592,569 2 10	76.95	1,046 19 7	805 12 6
Westland	141	11,182 10 5	77,982 5 5	7,054 8 6	50,125 19 10	64.28	1,027 2 7	660 4 5
Westport	36	8,516 19 5	66,584 2 10	4,004 17 1	30,519 6 2	45.84	3,434 18 0	1,574 8 2
Nelson	61	2,206 2 10	16,252 3 6	1,780 1 8	13,244 11 1	81.49	494 15 11	403 4 7
Picton	48	2,287 13 3	17,459 14 6	2,975 0 9	16,869 5 0	96.62	675 10 6	652 13 7
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	342 8 9	2,745 18 3	675 2 11	3,903 8 4	142.15	..	..
Total	1,652	125,758 4 10	951,122 8 10	102,458 2 11	707,281 13 3	74.35		
Grand total	2,851	279,840 7 7	2,042,594 16 3	217,207 14 0	1,513,173 17 8	74.08		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Section.	Miles open for traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period, Average to Date.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Whangarei-Kawakawa	58	2,928 2 2	20,110 3 9	2,212 9 2	15,757 2 6	78.35	643 18 5	540 10 10
Kaihu	17	248 15 1	2,048 16 2	298 9 7	2,440 16 5	119.13	223 16 5	266 12 11
Gisborne	32	1,107 15 2	7,846 2 7	910 14 9	6,602 2 0	84.14	459 19 7	387 0 11
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,083	138,592 5 10	1,010,224 15 2	101,640 0 10	699,913 17 10	69.28	1,740 12 5	1,205 19 0
Total	1,190	142,876 18 3	1,040,229 17 8	105,061 14 4	724,713 18 9	69.67		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,366	104,845 16 6	801,936 19 0	84,865 15 5	564,776 11 10	70.43	1,095 18 10	771 16 9
Westland	141	10,743 14 3	75,974 19 7	6,700 0 10	53,060 17 9	69.84	1,000 13 7	698 17 6
Westport	36	9,613 1 5	68,460 2 7	4,485 12 9	30,292 0 3	44.25	3,531 13 5	1,562 14 0
Nelson	61	1,952 7 10	14,266 14 9	1,939 10 9	12,752 7 1	89.39	521 14 2	466 6 7
Picton	48	1,825 1 3	15,903 3 3	2,075 19 9	14,429 12 7	90.73	615 6 0	558 5 10
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	314 2 10	2,784 7 1	571 17 7	3,114 3 0	111.84	..	..
Total	1,652	129,294 4 1	979,326 6 3	100,638 17 1	678,425 12 6	69.27		
Grand total	2,842	272,171 2 4	2,019,556 3 11	205,700 11 5	1,403,139 11 3	69.48		

Railway Department, 10th November, 1913.

H. DAVIDSON,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of TRAFFIC on ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1913, to 11th October, 1913.

All Sections.				First-class Passengers.		Second-class Passengers.		Total.	Season Tickets.
				S.	R.	S.	R.		
1913	..	..	..	245,987	746,020	1,412,432	3,954,156	6,358,595	148,022
1912	..	..	..	252,809	718,892	1,406,124	3,750,876	6,128,701	139,867
Increase	..	..	..	..	27,128	6,308	203,280	229,894	8,155
Decrease	..	..	..	6,822	..	..	..	..	..

All Sections.				Parcels.	Horses.	Carriages.	Dogs.	Total.	Drays, &c.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.
				No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1913	..	..	..	643,848	9,921	1,376	29,769	684,914	1,670	125,606	14,012	3,081,355	64,317	3,286,960
1912	..	..	..	630,122	10,002	1,421	31,961	673,506	1,617	110,367	12,810	2,612,678	63,990	2,801,462
Increase	..	..	..	13,726	..	..	..	11,408	53	15,239	1,202	468,677	327	485,498
Decrease	..	..	..	..	81	45	2,192	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

All Sections.				Chaff, Lime, &c.	Wool.	Firewood.	Timber.	Grain.	Merchandise.	Minerals.	Total.
				Tons c.	Tons c.	Tons c.	Tons c.	Tons c.	Tons c.	Tons c.	Tons c.
1913	..	..	..	145,343 0	28,793 0	71,100 0	376,682 2	584,065 0	465,581 11	1,581,615 4	3,253,179 17
1912	..	..	..	124,186 0	27,916 12	62,220 0	377,066 12	699,369 19	444,251 2	1,558,694 19	3,293,705 4
Increase	..	..	..	21,157 0	876 8	8,880 0	..	..	21,330 9	22,920 5	..
Decrease	..	..	..	..	..	..	384 10	115,304 19	..	..	40,525 7

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION of RAILWAYS, ROLLING-STOCK, ETC., to 31st March, 1913, as furnished by Public Works Department and by Greymouth and Westport Harbour Boards respectively.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.			Cost of Unopened Lines.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Whangarei-Kawakawa ..	572,438	0	0	116,397	0	0
Kaihu ..	68,281	0	0	20,289	0	0
Gisborne ..	332,268	0	0	223,666	0	0
North Island Main Lines and Branches ..	13,641,054	0	0	533,547	0	0
South Island Main Lines and Branches ..	13,511,641	0	0	418,777	0	0
Westland ..	1,715,702	0	0	627,508	0	0
Westport ..	586,239	0	0	60,019	0	0
Nelson ..	531,117	0	0	22,801	0	0
Picton ..	574,424	0	0	48,104	0	0
Lake Wakatipu Steamer Service	40,254	0	0	..	..	..
In Suspense—						
Surveys, North Island ..	..	..	..	32,802	0	0
Miscellaneous, North Island ..	..	..	..	5,169	0	0
Surveys, South Island ..	..	..	..	5,636	0	0
Miscellaneous, South Island ..	..	..	..	5,168	0	0
P.W.D. Stock of Permanent-way ..	..	..	..	100,680	0	0
W.R.D. Stock of A.O.L. Stores ..	37,802	0	0	..	..	..
Totals ..	£31,611,220	0	0	£2,220,563	0	0

Railway Department, 10th November, 1913.

H. DAVIDSON,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 11th November, 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 19th day of February, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WHANGAREI COUNTY.—
HUKERENUI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
11	VI	9	0	0

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Milling-timber in the Nelson Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 11th November, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned timber will be offered for sale by public auction at this office at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 8th December, 1913, in terms of the Land Act, 1908, and the Timber Regulations thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Sections 14, 15, and 16, Block X, Wai-iti Survey District.

	£ s. d.		
166,701 sup. ft. of rimu, at 6d. per 100 ft. ..	41	13	6
2,360 „ white-pine, at 6d. per 100 ft. ..	0	11	9
6,660 „ matai, at 2s. per 100 ft. ..	6	13	0
21,093 „ birch, at 1s. per 100 ft. ..	10	11	0
17,140 „ miro, at 6d. per 100 ft. ..	4	5	9

213,954 sup. feet Upset price: £63 15 0

The sections are situated fifteen miles and a half from Wakefield Post-office and railway-station—fourteen miles by good dray-road, balance by unformed road.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

- The right to cut and remove the timber will be generally in accordance with the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Timber Regulations made thereunder.
- The purchaser shall pay the purchase-money as follows: 10 per cent. on the fall of the hammer, together with £1 ls. (license fee), half of the balance in three months and the other half in six months.
- The purchaser shall have the right to cut the timber under license during the period of six months from date of sale.
- The licensee shall not put, throw, or place, or allow to be put, thrown, or placed in any river, stream, or watercourse, or into any place where it may be washed into a stream, river, or watercourse, any sawdust or refuse.
- In the event of the timber not being disposed of at auction, applications may be received and dealt with at any time within six months from the above date of sale (unless previously formally withdrawn); provided, however, that the amount offered is not less than the upset price stated herein.
- No compensation will be given, nor shall any be claimed, for any error, discrepancy, or misdescription whatever in respect to the timber, or in these conditions.
- The attention of intending purchasers is directed particularly to clauses 9, 17, 18, 22, and 27 of the Timber Regulations, copies of which may be obtained on application.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 3rd November, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for a lease for five years of the undermentioned land will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 9th December, 1913, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAITEMATA PARISH.

Section.	Approximate Area.	Minimum Annual Rental.	
		£	s. d.
16A	A. R. P. 57 0 0	20	0 0

Fronting Tamaki River near its mouth. The access is from St. Heliers Bay, about three miles distant, by a good metalled road except about 25 chains unformed. Mostly level land, with soil of black loam and sand; not watered. Half in rough grass; remainder tea-tree scrub, toitoi, &c.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

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

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Taranaki Land District for Disposal under the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 3rd November, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on or after Thursday, the 12th day of February, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—MAPARA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
28	XI	327	0	0

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Ohauti Settlement, Auckland Land District, for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 6th October, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908; and applications will be received at this office and at Tauranga, on Monday, 17th November, 1913, up to 4 o'clock p.m.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TAURANGA COUNTY.—OTANE-WAINUKU SURVEY DISTRICT.—OHAUITI SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

Section	Area.			Capital Value.		Half-yearly Rental.	
	A.	R.	P.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
10	141	2	32	1,200	0 0	27	0 0
11	136	3	8	1,000	0 0	22	10 0
14	133	0	16	1,100	0 0	24	15 0
15	218	1	18	800	0 0	18	0 0
16	356	3	0	1,700	0 0	38	5 0
18	191	0	0	400	0 0	9	0 0
19	229	0	0	1,200	0 0	27	0 0
20	236	0	0	650	0 0	14	12 6
21	390	3	0	1,800	0 0	40	10 0
22	371	0	0	1,900	0 0	42	15 0
23	356	2	0	2,000	0 0	45	0 0
24	306	0	0	1,650	0 0	37	2 6
25	158	0	0	750	0 0	16	17 6
26	428	0	0	2,350	0 0	52	17 6
27	180	0	0	800	0 0	2	17 9*

* Interest and sinking fund on building valued at £25, payable in cash or in five years by half-yearly instalments of £2 17s. 9d. Total half-yearly payment, £55 15s. 3d.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements included in the capital values of the sections consist of: Section 10—58 chains post and wire fence, and 100 acres cleared and grassed, the whole valued at £165. Section 11—48 chains of fencing, and 60 acres grassing, the whole valued at £123. Section 14—36 chains of fencing, and 100 acres grassing, the whole valued at £139. Section 15—Grassing valued at £27 10s., and half-share, valued at £5, in 22 chains of boundary fencing. Section 16—78 chains of fencing, grassing, and stockyards, the whole valued at £270. Section 19—30 chains of fencing, and grassing, the whole valued at £140. Section 20—12 chains of fencing, and grassing, the whole valued at £52. Section 21—95 chains of fencing, and grassing, the whole valued at £235. Section 22—106 chains of fencing, and grassing, the whole valued at £366. Section 23—48 chains of fencing, and grassing, the whole valued at £430. Section 24—Grassing valued at £150, and half-share, valued at £8, in boundary fencing. Section 25—40 chains of fencing, and grassing, the whole valued at £315. Section 26—140 chains of fencing, and grassing, the whole valued at £692. Section 27—40 chains of fencing, and grassing, the whole valued at £305.

The improvements which are not included in the capital value, but which must be paid for separately, comprise: Section 26—Iron hut, 10 ft. by 14 ft., valued at £25.

DESCRIPTION OF SECTIONS.

NOTE.—The value of improvements, such as fencing, grassing, &c., given in is each case included in total capital value of the section.

Section 10.—141 acres 2 roods 32 perches. Seven miles from Tauranga by good formed road. Open land; 100 acres grass, 42 acres tea-tree, scrub, and fern; level to undulating. Soil good quality, sandy nature. 58 chains post-and-wire fence, £35; 100 acres cleared and grassed, £130.

Section 11.—136 acres 3 roods 8 perches. Seven miles and a half from Tauranga by good formed road. 60 acres grass, 10 acres rough grass, 67 acres tea-tree, scrub, and fern. Partly level; balance undulating to broken. Soil good quality, sandy nature. 48 chains fencing, £33; 60 acres grass, £90.

Section 14.—133 acres and 16 perches. Seven miles and a half from Tauranga by good formed road. 20 acres good grass, 80 acres surface-sown grass, 33 acres fern and tea-tree scrub; undulating to broken. Soil good quality, sandy nature. 36 chains fencing, £29; 100 acres grass, £110.

Section 15.—218 acres 1 rood 18 perches. Seven miles from Tauranga—six miles and a half formed road; balance rough track, to be formed into road. 25 acres grass land, fairly level; about 60 acres rough feed; balance tea-tree, scrub, and fern; 10 acres mixed bush. Section undulating to broken. Soil of fair quality, of sandy nature. Bush comprises tawa, pukatea, tawhero, mangao, &c. Grassing valued at £27 10s. 22 chains boundary-fencing (half), £5.

Section 16.—356 acres 3 roods. Eight miles from Tauranga—six miles formed road; balance track, to be formed into road shortly. 40 acres bush (tawa, pukatea, hinau, rewarewa, mangao, manuka, &c.); 120 acres broken, partly surface sown; 196 acres undulating to level. Soil good quality, sandy nature. Stock-yards, £30; grassing, £200; fencing (78 chains), £40.

Section 18.—191 acres. Seven miles from Tauranga—six miles and a half formed road; balance track, to be formed into road shortly. 10 acres rough grass, balance fern and tea-tree scrub. Section undulating to broken. Soil fair quality, sandy nature.

Section 19.—229 acres. Seven miles and a half from Tauranga—six miles and a half formed road; balance rough track, to be formed into road. 80 acres grass, 149 acres fern and scrub; undulating to broken. Soil good quality, sandy nature. Grassing, £120; and fencing (30 chains), £20. General quality of section good.

Section 20.—236 acres. Eight miles from Tauranga—six miles and a half formed road; balance rough track, shortly to be formed into road. 35 acres good grass, balance fern and tea-tree scrub; section undulating to broken. Soil fair quality, sandy nature. Grassing, £45; fencing (12 chains), £7.

Section 21.—390 acres 3 roods. Eight miles from Tauranga—six miles formed road; balance track, to be formed into road shortly. 50 acres bush (tawa, pukatea, rewarewa, kohekohe, &c.), 140 acres fern and thick scrub, 200 acres surface-sown grass. Soil good quality, sandy nature. Grassing, £200; fencing (95 chains), £35.

Section 22.—371 acres. Eight miles and a half from Tauranga—six miles formed road; balance track, shortly to be formed into road. 20 acres bush (tawa, pukatea, hinau, rewarewa, &c.), 100 acres fern and tea-tree scrub, balance surface-sown grass; section undulating to broken. Soil good quality, sandy nature. Grassing, £313; fencing (106 chains), £53.

Section 23.—356 acres. Ten miles from Tauranga—six miles formed road, balance bridle-track. 30 acres bush (tawa, pukatea, rewarewa, mangao, &c., and few rimu), balance surface-sown grass; section is undulating. Soil good quality, of sandy nature. Grassing, £407; fencing (48 chains), £23.

Section 24.—306 acres. Three miles from Oropi by rough road. Eleven miles from Tauranga—six miles formed road, balance bridle-track. 60 acres felled and grassed, 50 acres tea-tree scrub, balance surface-sown grass; 110 acres fairly level, balance undulating to broken. Soil good quality, sandy nature; 10 acres tawa bush. Grassing, £150; boundary-fencing (half), £8.

Section 25.—158 acres. Two miles and a half from Oropi by rough dray-road; ten miles and a half from Tauranga—six miles formed road, balance bridle-track. 40 acres tea-tree scrub, balance felled and grassed; section undulating to level. Soil good quality, sandy nature. Grassing, £295; fencing (40 chains), £20.

Section 26.—428 acres. Three miles from Oropi by rough dray-road, or eleven miles from Tauranga—six miles formed, balance bridle-track. 128 acres level to undulating, 300 acres undulating to broken; all felled and grassed. Soil good quality, sandy nature. Grassing, £642; fencing (140 chains), £50. This section contains an iron hut, 10 ft. by 14 ft., valued at £25, which is payable by the incoming tenant either in cash or by ten half-yearly instalments (interest and sinking fund) of £2 17s. 9d.

Section 27.—180 acres. Three miles from Oropi by rough dray-road, or ten miles and a half from Tauranga—six miles formed, balance bridle-track. 16 acres bush land (rimu, hinau, miro, tawa, rata), 50 acres fern and thick scrub; balance felled and grassed. Soil good quality, sandy nature. Grassing, £285; fencing (40 chains), £20.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

The Ohauti Settlement, formerly the property of Messrs. Revell and Rowe, is situated near the Town of Tauranga, in the Bay of Plenty, the nearest portion of the property being seven miles from Tauranga Post-office. Tauranga may be reached either by steamer from Auckland direct or by rail and road via Rotorua or Waihi. A branch road from the main Rotorua-Tauranga Road runs through the estate, and is known as the Ohauti-Tauranga Road.

The land on the settlement lends itself to close cultivation, as a rule, and is of fair to good quality, comprising terraces,

easy slopes, and flats, the latter being very suitable for such crops as turnips, oats, and maize. The climate being mild, cattle do well, and there are large and regular stock sales both at Tauranga and Te Puke. Each of the sections has a considerable area of grass fit for immediate stocking. The settlement is throughout well watered by streams running into the Waimapu River, and also by springs.

The sections at the southern end of the estate are within two miles of the Oropi sawmill, and ample areas of bush are at hand for fencing and other purposes.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Lands in Heatherlea Settlement, Wellington Land District,
for Selection on Renewable Lease.*

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908; and applications will be received at this office, and at the Courthouse, Levin, on Tuesday, 18th November, 1913, up to 4 o'clock p.m.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—HOROWHENUA COUNTY.—
HEATHERLEA SETTLEMENT.
First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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MOUNT ROBINSON SURVEY DISTRICT.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
22	XIV	41	2	30	1,700	0	0	38	5	0
23	"	44	0	18	1,770	0	0	39	16	6
* 24	"	34	2	33	1,460	0	0	32	17	0
25	"	40	3	27	1,620	0	0	36	9	0
† 26	"	35	0	17	1,400	0	0	31	10	0
27	"	34	1	11	1,320	0	0	29	14	0

* Weighted with £4, valuation for improvements.

† Weighted with £21, valuation for improvements.

WAIOPEHU SURVEY DISTRICT.

* 49	II	24	2	23	970	0	0	21	16	6
50	"	30	2	13	1,160	0	0	26	2	0
51	"	30	2	5	1,160	0	0	26	2	0
52	"	48	3	26	1,960	0	0	44	2	0
53	"	27	2	1	1,070	0	0	24	1	6
54	"	5	0	0	190	0	0	4	5	6
55	"	5	0	0	190	0	0	4	5	6
56	"	5	0	0	190	0	0	4	5	6
57	"	5	0	0	200	0	0	4	10	0
58	"	27	2	0	1,100	0	0	24	15	0
59	"	47	2	15	1,920	0	0	43	4	0
60	"	23	1	33	930	0	0	20	18	6
61	"	28	1	30	1,140	0	0	25	13	0
62	"	28	2	2	1,180	0	0	26	11	0
63	"	5	0	0	210	0	0	4	14	6
64	"	5	0	0	210	0	0	4	14	6
65	"	5	0	0	210	0	0	4	14	6
66	"	5	0	0	210	0	0	4	14	6
67	"	5	0	0	210	0	0	4	14	6
68	"	5	0	0	210	0	0	4	14	6

* Weighted with £10, valuation for improvements.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements which are included in the capital values of the sections comprise:—

Block XIV, Mt. Robinson Survey District.

Section 22—42 chains of boundary fencing, valued at £28 10s. Section 23—54 chains internal and boundary fencing, valued at £45 12s. 6d. Section 24—31 chains of boundary and plantation fencing, valued at £58 11s. Section 25—57 chains of internal and boundary fencing, valued at £18 15s. 6d. Section 26—63 chains of boundary and internal fencing, valued at £31 10s. Section 27—35 chains of boundary fencing, valued at £12 5s.

Block II, Waiopahu Survey District.

Section 49—55 chains of boundary and internal fencing, valued at £38 16s. Section 50—26 chains of boundary fencing, valued at £17 4s. Section 51—36 chains of boundary fencing, valued at £17 8s. Section 52—21 chains of boundary fencing, valued at £4 4s. Section 54—5 chains of boundary fencing, valued at £4. Section 55—5 chains of boundary fencing, valued at £4. Section 56—5 chains of

boundary fencing, valued at £4. Section 57—5 chains of boundary fencing, valued at £4. Section 59—38 chains of boundary and internal fencing, valued at £13 15s. Section 62—24 chains of boundary fencing, valued at £27. Section 63—5 chains of boundary fencing, valued at £4.

The improvements which are not included in the capital values of the sections, but which must be paid for separately, comprise:—

Block XIV, Mt. Robinson Survey District.

Section 24—Building partly on section and partly on Sorensen Road, valued at £4. Section 26—Small cottage and cow-shed, valued at £21.

Block II, Waiopahu Survey District.

Section 49—Small building, valued at £10.

DESCRIPTIONS OF SECTIONS.

Sections 22, 24, 26, 27, Block XIV, Mount Robinson.—Situating on the Heatherlea Road, about three to four miles from Levin and from a mile and a quarter to two miles from a dairy factory. They comprise undulating and flat old bush land, the soil being of a good character resting on a sandstone formation. Suitable for small dairy-farms.

Sections 23 and 25, Block XIV, Mount Robinson.—Situating at the end of Sorensen Road, about three miles and a half from Levin and two miles and a half from a dairy factory. Flat and undulating old bush land in grass, the soil being of good character resting on a sandstone formation. Suitable for small dairy-farms.

Sections 49, 50, and 51, Block II, Waiopahu.—Situating on Arapaepae Road, about two miles and a half to three miles from Levin and from half a mile to one mile from a dairy factory. Flat and undulating old bush land in grass, the soil being of a good character resting on a sandstone formation. Suitable for small dairy-farms.

Sections 52, 53, 58, 59, Block II, Waiopahu.—Situating on the Fairfield Road, about two miles to two miles and a half from Levin and from one mile and a half to two miles from a dairy factory. Flat and undulating land, the soil being of a good character resting on a sandstone formation. Suitable for small dairy-farms.

Sections 54, 55, 56, 57, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, Block II, Waiopahu.—Situating on the Rosslyn Road, about from one mile and a half to two miles from Levin, the larger sections being about one mile and three quarters to two miles from a dairy factory and suitable for small dairy-farms. The small sections consist for the most part of flat land, the larger sections being undulating. The five-acre lots afford workers in the locality a good chance of making homes for themselves. The soil is good, resting on a sandstone formation. Some of the sections are still partly in bush.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

Heatherlea Settlement is situated to the north of the Town of Levin, on the railway between Wellington and Palmerston North. The distance from Levin Post-office ranges from a mile and a half to three miles and a half. There are dairy factories within from half a mile to two miles and a half of the settlement. The land is of good quality, resting upon a sandstone formation, and is generally flat, with undulations in places. Most of the sections are watered by streams; water may also probably be obtained on the sections at depths of from 12 ft. to 25 ft. The whole of the land, with the exception of the clumps of bush, was originally covered with tawa, pukatea, rimu, matai, and mahoe bush; but it has been cleared and laid down in English grass for many years, and much of the timber now remaining is in an advanced state of decay. Existing fences and other improvements are shown on the sale plan. The altitude varies from 130 ft. to 160 ft. above sea-level.

Section 52, Block II, Waiopahu Survey District, is offered subject to the right on the part of the Government of ingress, egress, and regress, for the purpose of removing gravel from the hillock thereon.

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

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 1st October, 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 8th day of January, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, containing 1,890 acres, more or less, and situated in Block III, Kongahu Survey District. Bounded towards the north and west by a school reserve; again towards the north and west by Section 3; again towards the north by a road, by Sections 5 and 6, by another road, and again by Section 6; towards the east and again towards the north by W. M. Jenkin's renewable lease; towards the east generally by a road, a gravel reserve, and again by a road; towards the south by a cemetery reserve; towards the south-east generally by the road along the edge of Lake Hanlan; towards the south by Section 6; towards the west generally by Sections 19, 22, and 21; again towards the south by the last-mentioned section; and towards the south-west by the road along the right bank of Glass Eye Creek: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 13/265A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing 557 acres, more or less, and situated in Block XIV, Oparara Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Sections 14 and 13; towards the east generally by a road; towards the south-west and south-east by Section 27; again towards the south-west and south-east generally by the road along the right bank of Granite Creek; towards the south by Sections 5 and 3; again towards the south-east by Section 2; towards the west generally by Sections 15, 1, and 2; and towards the north and again towards the north-west by other part of the forest reserve first above mentioned: excepting two small portions of Section 6 which are included within the above-described boundaries: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 13/265B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 543 acres, more or less, being Section 5, Block V, Kongahu Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section 8, towards the east by a public road, towards the south by Sections 1 and 10, and towards the west by Sections 4 and 3; excluding the roads which intersect the above-described area: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 13/265C, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 21st October, 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 29th day of January, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—MANGONUI COUNTY.—TARAHUE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
4A	IV	A. R. P. 15 0 0

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Hawke's Bay Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 14th October, 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 22nd day of January, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.
20	I	Waikohu ..	A. R. P. 5 0 16

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Marlborough Land District for Disposal under Section 129 of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 26th August, 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 129 of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 4th day of December, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—GORE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
26	I	A. R. P. 345 0 0

W. H. SKINNER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 7th October, 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 15th day of January, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—MAPARA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Approximate Area.
34	XII	A. R. P. 17 0 0

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, 8th September, 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 December, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TAURANGA COUNTY.—VILLAGE OF ATUAROA.

Lot.	Section.	Area.
6	I	A. R. P. 0 1 0
5	II	0 1 0
3	III	0 1 2-75
14	VII	0 1 0

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 18th August, 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, 27th November, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

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

Section.	Block.	Area.
359 and 360	XVI	A. R. P. 321 3 16

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 2nd September, 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 Thursday, the 4th day of December, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—MAPARA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Approximate Area.
8	VII	A. R. P. 448 0 0

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 7th October, 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 15th day of January, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.—TOWN OF CALCIUM.

Section.	Block.	Area.
13	II	A. R. P. 9 2 16

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Hokitika, 22nd October, 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 29th day of January, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

GRAVEL Reserve adjoining Lot 1 of Section 94, Block XIV, Wataroa Survey District. Area, 3 roods.

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

Land in Hawke's Bay Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 14th October, 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 22nd day of January, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Locality.	Area.
4	IX	Ngatapa	A. R. P. 33 3 32

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Marlborough Land District for Disposal under the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 28th October, 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 and after Thursday, the 5th day of February, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	District.	Approximate Area.
24	I	Gore	A. R. P. 149 0 0

W. H. SKINNER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Marlborough Land District for Disposal under Section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 19th August, 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 section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on or after Thursday, the 27th November, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	District.	Approximate Area.
21	I	Orieri	A. R. P. 176 0 0
25	"	Gore	180 0 0

W. H. SKINNER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Hokitika, 9th October, 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, 22nd January, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

6 ACRES 3 roods 18 perches in Block IV, Mahinapua Survey District. Formerly part Railway Reserve No. 25.

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

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Temuka.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Temuka on the 21st day of November, 1913, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wellington, 1913-42.]

E. A. WELCH,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
71	W. Mihaka (for Makarini Kaopo)	Arowhenua 881, Subdivision 7A.
72	Tini Terikatene	Kaipoi, Section 75.

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Particulars of Adoption.
96	Kereopa Harawira and Tewhe Harawira ..	Notice by Kereopa Harawira and Tewhe Harawira of the adoption by them of Ani Teruatatura Harawira, daughter of Haimona Harawira and Eliza Harawira, deceased.

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE OF LAND.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
97	{ Tini Hinewetea Huria Hopere Uru and Marakaia Uru	{ Kaipoi, Section 176. Rapaki 875, Section 1.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Shortland, Thames.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Shortland, Thames, on the 2nd day of December, 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, 1913-55.]

E. P. EARLE,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
31	Heeni Hirini	Akeake.
32	Eruera Anihana	Amooterangi 4c.
33	Rikirangi Tuinga	Awaiti 1B 2B.
34	Te Whakaata Turia	" 1B 2B 3.
35	Ropata Ngatai and others	Harataunga 2 East.
36	Makoare te Ahoroa and Wiremu Pita Taurua (F. P. Burgess) ..	Huruhuru 2.
37	Tame Matahaere (Earl and Kent)	Kaikahu 1B.
38	Herewini Rawiri and Ngahua Hohepa (F. P. Burgess) ..	Kakati.
39	Te Rata Hohepa	"
39A	Haora Tareranui (T. A. Moresby)	Karaka 2.
40	Ngamana Honana (Earl and Kent)	Kohika.
41	Mihitaurangi Hawira	Kopuarahi 2.
42	Taumaha Aperahama (Porritt and Mueller)	" 2.
43	Reti Hoani (Earl and Kent)	" 3A 2.
44	Hihiri Rawiri (Earl and Kent)	" 3A 2.
45	"	" 3A 2.
46	Hetiraka Matahaere (Earl and Kent)	" 3A 2.
47	Te Ropi Paraone	" 3B 2.
48	Tutewana te Anuroa	" 3B 2A.
49	Rhipera Peneti	" 3C 2.
50	Pirimona Watene	Kopururui 1B.
51	Hihiri Rawiri (Earl and Kent)	" 3A.
52	Tainui Ngakai (Earl and Kent)	" 3C 5.
53	Te Awhimate Kipa	" 2B 2.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
54	John Barlow Gilmore	Maoro.
55	Rikirangi Tiunga	"
56	Pene Anihana	Makumaku 1.
57	Herewini Tamaiwhiua and Ngahui Hohepa	Marutuahu.
58	Heta Aherata Hamiora	Mataitai 1A 2B.
59	Te Kipa Toa to Whetuiti (Earl and Kent)	Maukoro 2B.
60	Hera Puna (Earl and Kent)	Moehau 1E.
61	Wharara Meneta	" 1G 5.
62	Peke Tupaea	" 1G 5.
63	Kihana Watana (Parr and Blomfield)	Ngaruere.
64	Pirimona Watene	Ngataipua East 2E.
65	Matahou to Waru	Okauia 3C.
66	Rikihana Winika	" 4E.
67	"	" 4E.
68	Eto Mokena	" 4E.
69	Maihi to Poria	" 4E.
70	Tira Horomona	Pakirarahi 2A.
71	"	" 2B.
72	Pokaihaku to Anini	" 2B.
73	Morehu Marumaru	Papaaroa 1.
74	Hamiora Mangakahia (F. P. Burgess)	" 1.
75	Ruiha Akinihia (J. St. Clair)	" 1D.
76	Hira Aperaniko (Parr and Blomfield)	" 2.
77	Te Rare (E. Clendon)	Patata B.
78	Himi Kemara	Patata 2.
79	Ngawiki Potae (T. A. Moresby)	Piraurahi 6.
80	Harai Haira	Raeotepapa North E.
81	Wani Epiha (T. A. Moresby)	" South 3.
82	Te Reiti Watana	Rurunui 1, 2, 3.
82A	Haora Pareranui (T. A. Moresby)	Tairahi.
82B	"	" No. 2.
83	Rihi Kahurerewai (Earl and Kent)	Tautiti 2A.
84	Paora Tiunga	Tiritiri 2B.
85	Rikirangi Tiunga	" 2B 1B.
86	Mei Moka Pepene	Tupanaki 2.
87	Herohere Meri (P. Gilchrist)	Waiharakeke East 1C 2B.
88	Hohepa Mataitaua	Waihoanga 3.
89	Tukukino Hunia and Ngahipi Kiniwe (Porritt and Mueller)	Waihou S.D. 6, Block XII.
90	"	" 2, " XII.
91	Neha Potiki (Parr and Blomfield)	Waikanae 4A 2.
92	Ihimaera Rawhirawhi	Waiomu 3B 2B.
93	Hohi Rota	Wairahaki 1B.
94	Hone Anihana	Whakapapakau.
95	Taiwiwi to Taniwha	" C.
96	Hohepa Mataitaua	Wharekawa 4B 1C.
97	Hone Anihana	" 5B North 5.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
98	W. H. Hazard	Hoetainui North 2C ..	For cancellation of partition.
99	Neha Honana and others (Earl and Kent)	Kohika	
100	Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Manaia 1B and 2B Sections C and D	"
101	Te Wani Epiha	Raeotepapa South 3 ..	"

APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATION.

No.	Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Names of Parties.
102	George Crosby (T. A. Moresby)	Pakikau-o-Whai ..	Memorandum of lease	12 November, 1905	Merea Wikiriwhi and Rihi Kahurerewai to George Crosby.

MATTER REFERRED TO THE COURT FOR INQUIRY IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER IN COUNCIL UNDER SECTION 15 OF THE NATIVE LAND COURT ACT, 1894.

No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Matter for Inquiry
103	Te Awaiti No. 2	For inquiry by Court as to who are the owners of the block, and to determine the relative interests of the said owners.

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.
		Ahuroa 1c ..	13 May, 1913 ..	£ s. d. 10 1 5
		" 1E 1 and 5 ..	13 " 1913 ..	6 7 0
		" 1E 2 ..	13 " 1913 ..	2 18 6
		" 1E 3 ..	13 " 1913 ..	2 8 5
104	Chief Surveyor, Auckland ..	" 1E 4 ..	13 " 1913 ..	2 0 11
		" 1E 7 ..	13 " 1913 ..	13 12 5
		" 1F 1 ..	13 " 1913 ..	2 13 10
		" 1F 2 ..	13 " 1913 ..	10 11 4
		" 1F 3 ..	13 " 1913 ..	12 11 6
105	" " ..	Aroha V 5A 1A ..	13 February, 1913 ..	2 2 10
106	" " ..	Awaiti 1J 2B 2 ..	15 March, 1913 ..	29 0 9
		" 4 ..	15 " 1913 ..	21 8 10
107	" " ..	Hikutatia 1B and 1B 1A ..	12 June, 1913 ..	25 18 2
		" 1B 1B ..	12 " 1913 ..	23 19 5
		" 1B 1C ..	12 " 1913 ..	27 10 2
108	" " ..	Horahia-Opon 5A ..	26 February, 1913 ..	4 4 6
109	" " ..	" 5B 1 ..	26 " 1913 ..	6 10 9
		Kaiwaha 1 ..	14 August, 1912 ..	4 5 9
		Kopuarahi 3A 2 ..	12 June, 1913 ..	15 2 0
		" 3B 2A ..	12 " 1913 ..	8 10 6
110	" " ..	" 3B 2B ..	12 " 1913 ..	8 10 6
		" 3B 2C ..	12 " 1913 ..	8 10 6
		" 3C 2 (Native ptn.) ..	12 " 1913 ..	11 1 0
		" 3D 2 ..	12 " 1913 ..	4 5 0
111	" " ..	Moechau 2B 4C 1A ..	9 December, 1912 ..	21 0 9
		" 2B 4C 1B ..	9 " 1912 ..	31 14 3
112	" " ..	Ngataipua East 2B ..	11 May, 1911 ..	12 8 0
		" 2C ..	11 " 1911 ..	7 17 7
		" 2D ..	11 " 1911 ..	3 17 5
		" 2E ..	11 " 1911 ..	12 6 2
		Okauia 3A 1 ..	30 September, 1912 ..	19 0 3
		" 3A 2 ..	30 " 1912 ..	27 1 5
		" 3A 3 ..	30 " 1912 ..	25 10 7
		" 3B ..	30 " 1912 ..	7 5 0
113	" " ..	" 3C ..	30 " 1912 ..	18 6 0
		" 4A ..	30 " 1912 ..	16 10 6
		" 4B ..	30 " 1912 ..	17 17 9
		" 4C ..	30 " 1912 ..	16 19 6
		" 4D ..	30 " 1912 ..	19 11 11
		" 4E ..	30 " 1912 ..	72 2 7
		Raeotepapa South 1 ..	1 February, 1913 ..	26 15 1
		" 2 ..	1 " 1913 ..	23 18 6
		" 3 ..	1 " 1913 ..	33 8 2
		Raeotepapa North A 1 ..	1 " 1913 ..	2 3 1
		" A 2 ..	1 " 1913 ..	10 5 1
114	" " ..	" B 1 ..	1 " 1913 ..	21 12 7
		" C 1 ..	1 " 1913 ..	5 17 4
		" C 2 ..	1 " 1913 ..	6 18 1
		" D ..	1 " 1913 ..	27 10 4
		" E ..	1 " 1913 ..	8 7 11
		" F ..	1 " 1913 ..	7 3 9
		" G ..	1 " 1913 ..	12 4 11
115	" " ..	Raupoiiti 3 ..	6 March, 1913 ..	18 12 3
		Taurarahi A ..	24 July, 1913 ..	30 14 6
		" B ..	24 " 1913 ..	34 18 8
116	" " ..	" C ..	24 " 1913 ..	24 11 0
		" D ..	24 " 1913 ..	25 18 8
		" E ..	24 " 1913 ..	13 12 9
		" F ..	24 " 1913 ..	9 5 9
117	" " ..	Waikaka C 2B 2 ..	26 March, 1913 ..	6 7 0

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land proposed to be exchanged.
118	{ Paora Tiunga (Parr and Blomfield) Enoka Huitoroa	.. Mangamutu 2. .. Kopuraruwai 3C 1B.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
119	Taiwiwi te Taniwha ..	Pahemata te Taki.
120	Te Hibi Rawiri (Earl and Kent)	Takataka te Hibi.
121	Tete Paraone	Tame Paraone.

431 Notice is hereby given that the plans of the lands set out in the Schedule hereunder will be exhibited at the sitting of the Native Land Court at Shortland, Thames, on the 2nd of December, 1913, for public inspection.

E. P. EARLE,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

Te Amo-o-te-rangi (Plan No. 8740). Waitakaruru 2A (Plan No. 8346).

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Opotiki.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Opotiki on the 1st day of December, 1913, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

E. P. EARLE,
Registrar.

[Auckland, 1913-56.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
252	Harriet Bond Smith	Opape 1.
253	"	" 12.

APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
254	Timi Meke Rapata	Whakaipo Watene.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Port Chalmers.

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 12th November, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Port Chalmers on the 26th day of November, 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.

E. A. WELCH,
Registrar.

[Wellington, 1913-43.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	Lease	15 July, 1911 ..	Section 81, Block 1, Moeraki, and part Section 22, Block 16, Moeraki	Paani Porete to Robert Cameron.
2	Sale	27 April, 1912 ..	Section 68, Block 12, Waikouaiti	Tare Taniera Matiu to Hoani Matiu.
3	"	"	Section 68, Block 12, Waikouaiti	Hoani Matiu and another to A. S. Orbell.
4	Lease	25 July, 1912 ..	Section 25, Block 12, Waikouaiti	Tiopira Tura to Hera Erihana.
5	Sale	25 " 1912 ..	Ditto	"

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.

ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.

7	Hohepa Karetai and others	Tautuku A.
8	H. D. Maire and others	" B.
9	Peti Haimona Kahuti and others (by their agent, Tame Parata)..	Waikouaiti Block 12, Section 22.

NEW APPLICATIONS.

10	Horiwla Erihana	North Harbour and Blueskin Section 56, Block 6.
11	"	Otago Heads.
12	"	Taiari A.
13	Tame Parata (for Hana Topi)	Waikouaiti Block 12, Section 42.
14	Tamati te Wahia	" 12, " 84.
14A	T. M. Erihana	" 12, " 101.

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE OF LAND.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
38	{ Hohepa Karetai (administrator of the estate of Tiki Ropatini, deceased) Maiharanui Maopo	Waiwhakahaeketupapaku. Te Paomoaki.

APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
39	Margaret Taiaroa	Te Oti Kerei Taiaroa.
40	Hohepa Karetai (by his agents, C. R. Parata and Co.) ..	Hone Ropatini.

Order winding up a Body Corporate.—Rule 90.—The Native Land Act, 1909.

IN THE NATIVE LAND COURT OF
NEW ZEALAND.

In the matter of the body corporate called or known as "The Proprietors of Whakataki No. 10B." At a sitting of the Court held at Greytown on the 15th October, 1913, before Thomas Henry Wilson, Esquire, Judge.

UPON reading the application of Ropata Heketa Manihera, Waata Paraone, and other members of the said

body corporate, and on being satisfied that it will be to the mutual benefit of the members of the said body corporate, the Court doth hereby order that the said body corporate shall be and the same is hereby wound up.

As witness the hand of the Judge and the seal of the Court.

[L.S.]

T. HENRY WILSON,
Judge.

Fees charged : 20s. paid.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 11th November, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board to be held at Wellington on Tuesday, the 25th day of November, 1913, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

At the conclusion of local business the Board will adjourn to Masterton and Hastings.

C. T. H. BROWN,
President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	1913/526	Lease ..	8 May, 1913 ..	Puketotara 9B and 9C ..	Rakiwhata Peeti and others to James Henry Simmons, jun. (Young and Tripe).
2	1913/530	Agreement to lease	10 April, 1913 ..	Belmont, Block XI, Section 8, Subdivision 15	Raniera Erihana and another to David Pressly Matthews (the Public Trustee).
3	1913/531	Transfer ..	7 October, 1913 ..	Tahoraiti 2A, Section 15	Whaingakau Kuiti and another to Laura Marian Giesen (Fitzherbert and McCarter).
4	1913/532	.. ..	4 June, 1913 ..	Oringi Waiaruhe 1B 3 and 4, Section A	Karaitiana Wirihana and another to Elizabeth Helen Young (Fitzherbert and McCarter).
5	1913/533	.. ..	7 and 10 June, 1913	Moutoa, Section 72 ..	Hana Pineaha and others to Robert Nimmo.
6	1913/534	Mortgage ..	19 September, 1913	Ngatarawa 1A No. 3 ..	George Winiata Keepa to Roka Tukotahi (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
7	1913/535	Lease ..	27 .. 1913	Te Aute 3E No. 1 ..	Te Nahu Watene to Colin Kinross White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
8	1913/536	Transfer ..	7 October, 1913 ..	Omahu 2A No. 1 ..	Porokoru Kaweka to Elizabeth Blake (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
9	1913/537	.. ..	3 .. 1913 ..	Ngatarawa 2E No. 5 ..	Reupena Mete Kingi and others to Emma Jane Glazebrook (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
10	1913/538	.. ..	16 .. 1913 ..	Karamu A No. 1 and Karamu B No. 2	Wiremu Tewi to Ripeka Kuini Tomoana (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—continued.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
11	1913/539	Transfer ..	28 April, 1913 ..	Pukemapou A ..	Retia Pareihe and others to Colin Kinross White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
12	1913/540	Mortgage ..	8 October, 1913 ..	Muhunoa No. 3A No. 1E No. 1, Subdivisions 4, 9, and 12E	Kipa Roera to Ethamy Miller (Quick, Ward, and Wylie).
13	1913/541	Transfer ..	17 .., 1913 ..	Porangahau 1A 3A, Lot 3	Amiria Nepe and another to Constance Ruth McLean (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
14	1913/542	.. ..	6 May, 1913 ..	Patangata 4B No. 3 ..	Maraea Hokokakahu and another to Andrew Duncan Priest (Dolan, Hallett, and Co.).
15	1913/544	.. ..	9 ¹ / ₂ July, 1913 ..	Otuarumia B 6A No. 4c ..	Mātara Mātewai to Carl Fredsberg (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
16	1913/545	Lease ..	28 December, 1913 ..	Ngatarawa 2E No. 2 ..	Pene Hakiwai to Thomas Roe (Ebbett and Banks).
17	1913/546	Transfer ..	24 October, 1913 ..	Rotopounamu 1c No. 1 ..	Rangi Manaena to Richard Gregory (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
18	1913/550	.. ..	.. ..	Patangata 4A No. 2c ..	Ropoama Pareihe to Makere Pareihe (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
19	1913/551	Lease ..	.. ..	Omahu 1B No. 3 ..	Miriama Peraniko and others to Charles Codd (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
20	1913/552	Transfer ..	5 ¹ / ₂ September, 1913	Hutt, Section 16, Allotment M	Mere te Puni and others to George Herbert Scoules (Bunny and Ayson).
21	1913/553	Mortgage ..	.. ..	Himatangi 2A No. 1 ..	Roore Pitihira to Barbara Ellen Johnston (Webb and Holmden).
22	1913/554	Lease ..	.. ..	.. 2A No. 1 ..	Roore Pitihira to James Davey (Webb and Holmden).
23	1913/555	.. ..	20 October, 1913 ..	Taharaiti 1G No. 3 ..	Ngahua Tamihana and others to Angelina Englebretsen (Fitzherbert and McCarter).
24	1913/557	Transfer ..	23 September, 1913	Himatangi 5A No. 1c ..	Amiria Nepe to George Barnes (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
25	1913/558	.. ..	13 and 26 September, 1913	Mangatainoka 1BC No. 2	Wharepuni Hetariki and others to John Ignatius Fox (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
26	1913/559	Lease ..	9 October, 1913 ..	.. 1BC No. 2	Maihi Hangina to Thomas Inge Rayner (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
27	1913/560	Transfer ..	29 September, 1913	Omahu 2c No. 1 ..	Olive Broughton to Edward Renata Broughton (Bunny and Ayson).
28	1913/561	.. ..	8 July, 1913 ..	Waiohiki 2A, Section 1 ..	Rawiri Tareahi to Arapera Raupa (Dolan, Hallett, and Co.).
29	1913/562	Lease ..	16 September, 1913	.. 2A, Section 2 ..	Nirai Runga to Arapera Raupa (Dolan, Hallett, and Co.).
30	1913/563	Transfer ..	3 October, 1913 ..	Otawhao A 3, Section 5 ..	Te Nahu Watene to Mabel Etta Wood (Dolan, Hallett, and Co.).
31	1913/566	.. ..	29 .., 1913 ..	Himatangi No. 4A ..	Ieni Ropiha and another to Ernest Chapman (Cooke and Beale).
32	1913/567	.. ..	29 .., 1913 ..	.. No. 4A ..	Ramari Roiri and another to Ernest Chapman (Cooke and Beale).
33	1913/568	.. ..	24 .., 1913 ..	Patangata 4A No. 5D ..	Rawiri Turi to John Green (H. F. Norris).
34	1913/571	.. ..	7 July, 1913 ..	Omahu 1B No. 1B ..	Tiriti Haukore and another to Hedley Codd (Cotterill and Humphries).
35	1913/572	Lease ..	30 June, 1913 ..	Karamu H No. 8 ..	Tamati Nikera to Arthur William Allen (Cotterill and Humphries).
36	1913/573	Transfer ..	25 September, 1913	Tuhirangi No. 4 ..	Hiha Ngarangione to Frederick Thomas Kelly (Cotterill and Humphries).
37	1913/574	.. ..	25 .., 1913	Waiohiki 1c No. 2 ..	Pani Karauria to William Robertson Maxwell (Cotterill and Humphries).
38	1913/576	.. ..	6 November, 1913	Aorangi 3G 2B No. 5 (part)	Nere Henerieta te Rama (by her trustee, Te Rama Apakura) to Ema Heni te Aweawe (Hankins and Lockhart Fitzherbert).
39	1913/577	Mortgage ..	5 .., 1913	.. 3G 2B No. 5 ..	Ema Heni te Aweawe to Herbert Nicol Watson (Hankins and Lockhart Fitzherbert).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
40	1913/578	Lease ..	1 November, 1913..	Aorangi 3G 2B No. 6 (part) (southern moiety)	Nere Henerieta te Rama, by her trustee, Te Rama Apakura, to John Pearce Morecombe (Hankins and Lockhart Fitzherbert).
41	1913/579	.. ..	13 October, 1913 ..	Aorangi 3G 2B No. 6 (part) (northern moiety)	Ena Heni te Aweawe to John Pearce Morecombe (Hankins and Lockhart Fitzherbert).
42	1913/580	Mortgage ..	5 November, 1913..	Ditto	Ena Heni te Aweawe to John Herbert Hankins and Walter Rutherford (Hankins and Lockhart Fitzherbert).
43	1913/581	Transfer ..	4 .. 1913..	Turanganui No. 3A ..	Retini Tamihana to George Busch (Gawith and Logan).
44	1913/582	.. ..	7 .. 1913..	Te Wera-a-Whaitiri Nos. 3A and 3B	Whakaangi te Rangipuataata te Arohatai and others to William Munro (R. Ward Tate).
45	1913/583	.. ..	7 .. 1913..	Te Wera-Whaitiri No. 3C	Whakairi Mita and others to William Munro (R. Ward Tate).
46	1913/584	Lease ..	7 .. 1913..	Hinewaka No. 2B ..	Hine Katarangi Kaninamu and another to Henry Mason (R. Ward Tate).
47	1913/585	.. ..	31 October, 1913 ..	Te Wera-Whaitiri No. 4A	Wikitoria te Noera and others to Frances McGregor (R. Ward Tate).
48	1913/586	Transfer ..	24 September, 1913..	Wainuioru No. 1B ..	Wi te Harawira and others to Isabel Morison (R. Ward Tate).
49	1913/587	Lease ..	6 October, 1913 ..	Te Wera - a - Whaitiri 2C No. 2 (part) and 2D (part)	Horian Kingi to Robert McGregor (R. Ward Tate).
50	1913/588	Transfer ..	1 November, 1913..	Waikoukoutawanui 6D (part) and 7F (part)	Whakaangi te Rangipuataata te Arohatai to Whakairi Mita and others (R. Ward Tate).
51	1913/589	.. ..	1 .. 1913..	Waiko uko utawanui 6D (part)	Whakaangi te Rangipuataata te Arohatai and others to Whakaangi te Rangipuataata te Arohatai and others (R. Ward Tate).
52	1913/590	Lease ..	2 September, 1913..	Rauoterangi A ..	Mere Makirangi to William Hughes Field (Field and Luckie).
53	1913/591	.. ..	1 and 3 November, 1913	Himatangi No. 1H ..	Makareta Raimapaha and another to Otho Barber (Field and Luckie).
54	1913/592	.. ..	9 October, 1913 ..	Hutt, Section 36, Sub. 3	Arthur Piti Porutu to Winifred Mason (D. R. Hoggard).
55	1913/593	.. ..	24 .. 1913 ..	Manawatu - Kukutauaki 4C 5A, Section 2A	Makuini Karihana te Whena to Loeta Constance Drake (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
56	1913/594	Transfer ..	8 November, 1913..	Pukehou 4G No. 6 ..	Tereturu Hamahona to Ethelwynne Beatrice Simcox (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
57	1913/595	.. ..	4 .. 1913..	Tahoraiti 2A, Section 7 (part)	Edward Bibby and another to Marjory Stevens and another (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
58	1913/596	Lease ..	29 September, 1913..	Wakapua 2A, Section 2 ..	Ngaere Peronara and others to Martha Mary Taylor (George H. Harper).
59	1913/597	.. ..	24 .. 1913..	Pukekaraka C (part) ..	Mohi Winterburn and others to Martha Mary Taylor (George H. Harper).
60	1913/598	Mortgage ..	8 November, 1913..	Pukehou 5L No. 1B ..	Wiremu Otene te Umakaihau Taipua to Ossian John George D'Ath (George H. Harper).
61	1913/598	Agreement for sale and purchase	25 October, 1913 ..	Manawatu Kukutauaki 4B No. 2B	Wiremu Toka to Parakipane King (George H. Harper).
62	1913/600	Transfer ..	10 .. 1913 ..	Waitutuma No. 1A No. 3A	Wi te Tau (Wi Kingi te Tau or Wiremu Kingi) to Sarah Sutherland (A. R. Bunny).
63	1913/601	Mortgage ..	— August, 1913 ..	Manawatu - Kukutauaki 3 No. 1A 16, 17, and part 15	Patihona Takai te Marama to Byron Brown (Kirk and Rapley).
64	1913/602	Transfer ..	8 November, 1913..	Pukengaki 1A No. 1 ..	Waina Rangitakaiwaho to Emily Mana Swanson (Izard and Weston).
65	1913/603	.. ..	31 October, 1913 ..	.. No. 7C ..	Tamahau Kingi and another to Janet Wright Jury (Izard and Weston).
66	1913/604	Mortgage ..	8 November, 1913..	Ngarara West A, Section 22 (part)	Ngaruatapuke to Maria Matilda Edwards (Field and Luckie).
67	1913/605	.. ..	10 .. 1913..	Ngarara West A, Section 78 (part)	Hira Parata to Field and Luckie (Field and Luckie).
68	1913/606	Transfer ..	20 October, 1913 ..	Mairiirikapua No. 1D ..	Matenga Mōrakaia to Robina Isabella Thompson (W. G. Beard).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
69	1913/607	Transfer ..	14 October and 4 November, 1913	Okurupatu B 3B No. 1 ..	Tore Karaitiana and others to William Lamb Cameron (W. G. Beard).
70	1913/608	" ..	Ditto ..	" B 3B No. 2 (part)	Ditto.
71	1913/609	" ..	17 October, 1913 ..	" B 3B No. 2 (part)	Inia Heketa Manihera and another to William Lamb Cameron (W. G. Beard).
72	1913/610	" ..	3 November, 1913..	" B 3B No. 2 (part)	Te Komihana Karaitiana to William Lamb Cameron (W. G. Beard).
73	1913/611	" ..	20, 21, and 25 October, 1913	" B 3B No. 2 (part)	Frederick Matthews and Ihakara Karaitiana, as trustees, and others to William Lamb Cameron (W. G. Beard).
74	1913/612	" ..	8 October, 1913 ..	Okurupatu B 4B No. 1, Subdivision G	Ruihi Akitu Watene and another to Gerald Mawley (W. G. Beard).
75	1913/613	Lease ..	27 " 1913 ..	Okurupatu B 4B No. 1, Subdivision C	Ihipara Patuwai and another, as trustees, to Gerald Mawley (W. G. Beard).
76	1913/614	" ..	25 " 1913 ..	Okurupatu B 4B No. 1, Subdivision D	Aporo Horomona, as trustee, to Gerald Mawley (W. G. Beard).
77	1913/615	Transfer ..	6 November, 1913..	Okurupatu A No. 3, Subdivision 2g No. 2	Wi Tinitara Hanita and others to Grace Shaw (W. G. Beard).
78	1913/616	" ..	11 October, 1913 ..	Okurupatu A No. 3, Subdivision 2b 6 No. 1	Erina Koronini and others to Elizabeth Brown (W. G. Beard).
79	1913/614	" ..	30 " 1913 ..	Mangatainoka 1bc No. 2A	Hare Pine Takirangi to Robert Beatson Ross (Blakiston and Blakiston).
80	1913/618	" ..	8 November, 1913..	Section 153, Subdivision 6A, Township of Sandon	Te One Himiona and another to David Whisker (John Graham).
81	1913/619	" ..	8 " 1913..	Taonui Ahuaturanga 2B No. 6 and 2B No. 7	Akuhata Himiona to Te One Himiona (John Graham).

APPLICATIONS IN TERMS OF SECTION 341 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909, THAT MEETINGS OF ASSEMBLED OWNERS BE SUMMONED.

No	Record No.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.	Name of Land.	Proposed Resolution for Consideration.
82	1913/543	Sale or lease ..	Kakawahine No. 1c ..	(1.) That the land be sold to George Priest at a price not less than the Government valuation. (2.) That the land be leased to George Priest at a rental of not less than 5 per cent. on the Government valuation, for a term of twenty-one years (Dolan, Hallett, and Co.).
83	1913/556	Lease ..	Pencarrow Survey District, Block V, Section 22 (part)	That the land be leased to Herbert Ernest Leighton for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of £90 (O. and R. Beere).
84	1913/564	Sale ..	Whakakoro No. 2 ..	That the land be sold to Elizabeth Margaret Menzies at a price equal to the Government valuation (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
85	1913/565	Sale or lease ..	Himatangi No. 4c ..	(1) That 300 acres, the portion of the block lying to the south-east, adjoining Himatangi 4b, be sold to Earnest Chapman, at the Government valuation; or (2) that the land be leased to Ernest Chapman for the term of forty-two years at 5 per cent. on the Government valuation (Cooke and Beale).
86	1913/570	Lease ..	Omahu No. 1A ..	That the land be leased to Hedley Codd for the term of five years at a rental of 8s. per acre, or £5 per centum on the Government valuation for the time being, whichever is the greater (Cotterill and Humphries).
87	1913/575	Sale ..	Pirau No. 2 ..	That the land be sold to Frederick Thomas Kelly at £10 per acre, or at the Government valuation of the land (Cotterill and Humphries).

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
88	1913/534	Ngatarawa 1A No. 3 ..	George Winiata Keepa to Roka Tukotahi (Carlile, McLean, Seannell, and Wood).
89	1913/540	Muhunoa No. 3A No. 1b No. 1, Subdivisions 4, 9, and 12a	Kipa Roera to Ethany Millen (Quick, Ward, and Wylie).

APPLICATIONS TO RECOMMEND HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR TO CONSENT TO MORTGAGES UNDER SECTION 230 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909—continued.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
90	1913/553	Himatangi 2A No. 1	Roore Pitihira to Barbara Ellen Johnston (Webb and Holmden).
91	1913/577	Aorangi 3G 2B No. 5	Ema Heni te Aweawe to Herbert Nicol Watson (Hankins and Lockhart Fitzherbert).
92	1913/580	„ 3G 2B No. 6 (part), (northern moiety) ..	Ema Heni te Aweawe to John Herbert Hankins and Walter Rutherford (Hankins and Lockhart Fitzherbert).
93	1913/598	Pukehou 5L No. 1B	Wiremu Otene te Umakaihau Taipua to Ossian John George D'Ath (G. H. Harper).
94	1913/601	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 3 No. 1A, 16, 17, and part 15	Patihona Takai te Marama to Byron Brown (Kirk and Rapley).
95	1913/604	Ngarara West A, Section 22 (part)	Ngaruatapuke to Maria Matilda Edwards (Field and Luckie).
96	1913/605	„ A, Section 78 (part)	Hira Parata to Field and Luckie (Field and Luckie).

APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO TRANSFER OF LEASE UNDER SECTION 311 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
97	1913/569	Rakautatahi No. 1F No. 1	Harawira Tamihana to Renata te Nii (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rakaiketeroa B Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne on Friday, the 28th day of November, 1913, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the Rakaiketeroa B Block be leased to Edna Gardner Manuel, of Te Karaka, wife of David Moses Manuel, for a period of twenty-one years at a rent of £5 per centum per annum on the Government valuation, with a right to renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of £5 per centum on the then Government valuation, less the value of all improvements effected by the lessee.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Kaiti No. 60 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne on Friday, the 28th day of November, 1913, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the Kaiti No. 60 Block be sold to Robert Harper at the present Government valuation.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Torechana No. 19 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne

on Friday, the 28th day of November, 1913, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a lease of the Torechana No. 19 Block be granted to Harawira te Ua, of Gisborne, aboriginal Native, for a term of twenty-one years at a rental equivalent to £5 per centum of the present Government valuation, with a right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at a rent of £5 per centum on the then Government unimproved valuation, or to compensation for all improvements effected by the lessee failing such renewal.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Pipiwahakao No. 1B 2 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne on Friday, the 28th day of November, 1913, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the Pipiwahakao No. 1B 2 Block be sold to William Clark, of Te Arai, sheep-farmer, at a price not less than the present Government official valuation of the said land.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Pipiwahakao No. 1E 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne on Friday, the 28th day of November, 1913, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the Pipiwahakao No. 1E 3 Block be sold to William Clark, of Gisborne, at a price not less than the present Government capital value of the said land.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tutaekuri No. 1c5 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wairoa on Wednesday, the 3rd day of December, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a lease of the Tutaekuri No. 1c 5 Block be granted to Charles Hamlin, of Hastings, farmer, for a term of twenty-one years at a rental of not less than £5 per centum on the present Government valuation, with a right to a renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at £5 per centum on the then unimproved Government valuation, and with a right to compensation for improvements.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whareraurakau No. 1 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wairoa on Wednesday, the 3rd day of December, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the Whareraurakau No. 1 Block be sold to Ann McFarlane Mossman, wife of Henry Albert Mossman, of Hastings, agent, at a price being the Government value thereof fixed under the valuation of Land Act, 1908.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Ohiwa Native Reserve will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wairoa on Wednesday, the 3rd day of December, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a lease of the Ohiwa Native Reserve be granted to Iriheka Rangī, of Frasertown, sheep-farmer, for a term of twenty-one years at a rental of not less than £5 per centum on the present Government valuation, with a right to a renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at £5 per centum on the then Government unimproved valuation, with right to compensation for improvements.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tarapatiki Native Reserve will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wairoa on Wednesday, the 3rd day of December, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the Tarapatiki Native Reserve shall be leased to Paora Tamihana, of Wairoa, farmer, for the term of twenty-one years at a rental equal to £5 per centum on the present unimproved Government valuation of the land, with a right to a renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at

a rental equal to £5 per centum on the then unimproved value of the land, or with the right to compensation for improvements.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Hereheretau B 9 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wairoa on Wednesday, the 3rd day of December, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the Hereheretau B 9 Block will be sold to Harry Skilton at a price to be agreed upon between the vendors and the purchaser at the said meeting.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Hereheretau B 9 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wairoa on Wednesday, the 3rd day of December, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the Hereheretau B 9 Block be sold to Winifred Ellen Taylor, of Nuhaka, married woman, at the present Government valuation.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Hereheretau B 10 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wairoa on Wednesday, the 3rd day of December, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the Hereheretau B 10 Block be sold to Lucy Whitehead, *nee* Powdrell, of Patea, married woman, at the present Government valuation.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Hereheretau B 11 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wairoa on Wednesday, the 3rd day of December, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the Hereheretau B 11 Block be sold to Lucy Whitehead, *nee* Powdrell, of Patea, married woman, at the present Government valuation.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION NO. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Nuhaka No. 2F 2 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wairoa on Wednesday, the 3rd day of December, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a lease of the Nuhaka No. 2F 2 Block be granted to Ihaka Whaanga, of Nuhaka, for the term of twenty-one years at a rental of five per centum on the present capital value of the land, with the right to a renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at a rental of five per centum on the then unimproved value of the land, or with the right to compensation for improvements.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION NO. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Moutere No. 1, Subdivision 2, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Nuhaka on Monday, the 8th day of December, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the Moutere No. 1 Subdivision 2 Block, or part thereof, be sold to George Edward Ormond, of Mahia, sheep-farmer, for not less than the Government valuation for the same.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION NO. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Moutere No. 2 Subdivision No. 3 Block, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Nuhaka on Monday, the 8th day of December, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the Moutere No. 2 Subdivision 3 Block, or part thereof, be sold to George Edward Ormond, of Mahia, sheep-farmer, for not less than the Government valuation of the same.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION NO. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Ohuia Nos. 3 and 4 Blocks will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wairoa on Wednesday, the 3rd day of December, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the Board lease the land or any part thereof, under the provisions of Part XVI, to such person or persons as the owners may select.”

Dated at Gisborne this 8th day of November, 1913.

R. N. JONES,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDERICK BOUGHTON ATKINSON, of Whakatane, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 17th day of November, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 7th November, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANK FARRELL, of Hamilton, Taxi-cab Driver, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Tuesday, the 18th day of November, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 10th November, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that VALENTINE BILSKI, of Inglewood, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Inglewood, on Wednesday, the 19th day of November, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

J. S. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

New Plymouth, 7th November, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that MICHAEL HEISEY KING, of Raurimu, Sawmiller, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 18th day of November, 1913, at 3 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Palmerston North, 4th November, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY EDWIN MANNING, of Wellington, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt on creditors' petition; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 11th day of November, 1913, at 11 o'clock a.m.

A. SIMPSON,
Official Assignee.
Wellington, 6th November, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS GEORGE REES, of Westport, Carpenter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 14th day of November, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

W. T. SLEE,
Official Assignee.
Westport, 7th November, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that MICHAEL HALLINAN, of Brunnerton, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 20th day of November, 1913, at 11.30 o'clock a.m.

C. W. COOKE,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Greymouth, 10th November, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT SPRAY, of Dunedin, Restaurant Keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Law Courts Buildings, Stuart Street, Dunedin, on Tuesday, the 18th day of November, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

T. D. KENDALL,
Official Assignee.
Dunedin, 8th November, 1913.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that MARY NICOLL, formerly of Glenham, Farmer, now of Fortrose, wife of Thomas Nicoll, of Fortrose, Baker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 11th day of November, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Invercargill, 1st November, 1913.

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 13th day of December, 1913.

5397. SUSAN JANE WAYTE.—Allotment 24, Section 1, Town of Tauranga, containing 22.4 perches, situated at corner of Willow Street and Hamilton Street. Occupied by Edward Daines. Plan 8704.

5398. JOHN HARRIS McCAW.—Allotment 337, Section 2, Town of Tauranga, containing 1 rood, fronting Seventh Avenue. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 8572.

5419. JAMES CLEGG.—Lot 146 and part Lot 141 of Allotment 14, Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 33 perches, fronting London Street, Ponsonby. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 8006.

5498. ELIZABETH BOND.—Part Lot 3 of Allotment 5, Section 2, Parish of Takapuna, containing 6.6 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 8848.

5559. ALEXANDER MUIR.—Lots 17 and 18, Section 2, Foley's Township at Otahuhu, being part of Fairburn's Claim 269a, containing 1 rood 24.6 perches, fronting Pratt Street. Occupied by William Haslip. Plan 8580.

5579. BENJAMIN JAMES OWEN and EDWARD PETER CAPPER.—Allotment 4, Parish of Kahawai, containing 144 acres 2 roods 30 perches. Unoccupied. Plan 8670.

5612. ANDREW CASEY.—Parts Allotments 63, 69, 70, 72, and 73, Parish of Karaka, containing 745 acres 2 roods 16 perches, situated near Paerata. Parts occupied by Daniel Jamieson and William Henry Caddy, and part unoccupied. Plan 7497.

5619. PERCY HUNT.—Allotments 122 and 123, Parish of Karamu, containing 431 acres 2 roods 13 perches. Occupied by John Deloitte Wright and the Applicant. Plans 8401 and 8851.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 11th day of November, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 15th day of December, 1913.

Application 4593 (Plan, provisional, 1195). HERBERT GEORGE CADDY, JOSEPH SOLER, and CYRIL PALMER BROWN.—1 acre 1 rood 29.6 perches, part Section 22, right bank, Wanganui River. Unoccupied.

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

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 1c, folio 226, comprising Sections 15, 16, and 17, Village of Bronte, whereof GEORGE JONES, formerly of the City of Wellington, Boilermaker, but now of Petone, Settler, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue such provisional certificate at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson, this 10th day of November, 1913.

W. JOHNSTON,
District Land Registrar.

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

1502. FREDERICK WILLIAM TURNER, of Thorpe, Farmer.—Area, 81 acres 3 roods, Section 92, Square 6. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 11th day of November, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

W. JOHNSTON,
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 from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

11812. CHARLES RALPH CAMPBELL, the Younger.—83 acres 1 rood 13 perches, part of Rural Section 7549, Block XI, Stonyhurst Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

11813. LOUIS HAMILTON CAMPBELL.—676 acres 1 rood 11 perches, Rural Sections 10845, 10846, 11250, 11251, 11252, 12265, 12435, 12886, and part of Rural Sections 7549 and 12657, Blocks IX, XI, XII, and XV, Stonyhurst Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

11814. NORMAN DUGALD FERRIER CAMPBELL.—54 acres and 18 perches, Rural Sections 10628 and 11164, Blocks XI and XIV, Stonyhurst Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

11904. FREDERICK MAURICE WARREN.—33 2/10ths perches, part of Town Sections 903, 905, City of Christchurch. Occupied by tenants.

11912. ALFRED JAMES INWOOD and JOHN SEYMOUR INWOOD.—92 acres 3 roods 39 perches, part of Rural Section 5867, Block VI, Southbridge Survey District. Occupied by Alfred James Inwood.

11917. ALEXANDER PEEBLES McDONALD.—41 acres 1 rood 17 perches, part of Rural Section 1432, Blocks VI and X, Halswell Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

11919. JOHN FISHER.—8 1/10th perches, part of Rural Section 206, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicant.

11923. CHARLES RALPH CAMPBELL, the Younger.—18 acres 3 roods 17 perches, part of Rural Section 7549, Block XI, Stonyhurst Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of November, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE PARACALE GOLD-DREDGING COMPANY
(LIMITED).

I, JOHN MURRAY, Assistant Registrar of Companies, do hereby give notice that an affidavit, a copy of which is hereunder given, by Matthew Henderson, Chairman of the Paracale Gold-dredging Company (Limited), has been lodged with me, and that, unless notice of objection be lodged with me within sixty days of this date, I shall proceed to declare the said company to be dissolved in manner provided by the Companies Act, 1908.

J. MURRAY,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

Signed at Dunedin this 1st day of November, 1913.

THE PARACALE GOLD-DREDGING COMPANY
(LIMITED).

AFFIDAVIT ON APPLICATION FOR DISSOLUTION OF COMPANY.

I, MATTHEW HENDERSON, of Milburn, Merchant, Chairman of the Paracale Gold-dredging Company (Limited), incorporated under the Companies Act, 1908, do hereby make oath and say—

■ That the nominal capital of the said company is £9,000, in 9,000 shares of £1 each.

That the shares have been fully paid up.

That the company has no assets, and has ceased to carry on business.

And I do hereby apply for declaration of dissolution of such company.

MATTHEW HENDERSON.

Sworn before me at Milton this 23rd day of October, 1913—Donald Reid, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (3).

TAKE notice that the companies enumerated in the Schedule hereunder will, unless cause to the contrary be shown within three months from this date, be struck off the Registers and the said companies dissolved:—

- 1902/15. The Wayby Co-operative Dairy Company (Limited).
- 1903/43. The Wellington Park Stud Company (Limited).
- 1906/14. The Hokianga Newspaper Company (Limited).
- 1906/51. The Kapowai Gold-mining Company (Limited).
- 1906/57. The Whakatane Dairy Company (Limited).
- 1906/61. The Reliance Gold-mining Company (Limited).
- 1908/2. The Oceanic Fish Company (Limited).
- 1908/8. The Phoenix Gold-mining Company (Limited).
- 1908/23. The West Coast Milling Company (Limited).
- 1909/28. The North Kaipara Co-operative Society (Limited).
- 1909/76. The Imperial Gold-mining Company (Limited).
- 1910/37. The Auckland Rubber Sub-purchasing Syndicate (Limited).
- 1910/52. Taberner & Co. (Limited).
- 1910/74. Milford Sound Tangiwai Company (Limited).
- 1910/75. The Ao-tea-roa Stamping-machine Company (Limited).
- 1912/5. The Te Kuiti Gas Company (Limited).
- 1912/8. The Rosse Trevor Rubber Recovery Company (Limited).

Given under my hand at Auckland this 5th day of November, 1913.

WM. G. FLETCHER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that Michelin Tyre Company (Limited), a company duly incorporated in England under the Imperial Companies Acts, intends to commence and carry on business in New Zealand, and that the office where legal process of any kind may be served upon the company and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered is at the offices of Messrs. Duncan, Cotterill, & Stringer, Cathedral Square, Christchurch.

Dated this 31st day of October, 1913.

A. J. GABRIEL,
Attorney for the Company.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership business formerly carried on at Greymouth by GERALD JOSEPH PEROTTI, and FRANCIS ARTHUR BELL, and EDWARD JOHN CHAPMAN as Builders and Joiners, under the name of "Bell, Chapman, & Co.," has been dissolved. All liabilities of the late firm will be discharged by the said EDWARD JOHN CHAPMAN, who will also receive all debts owing to the late firm.

Dated at Greymouth this 30th day of October, 1913.

G. PEROTTI,

For Executors and Trustees in the Estate of
the late Gerald Joseph Perotti.

EDWARD J. CHAPMAN,

For Myself and Francis Arthur Bell.

Sargent & Chalk, Solicitors, Greymouth.

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THE GOLDEN BED DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, that a general meeting of the members of the above company will be held in the Dunedin Stock Exchange Room, Princes Street, Dunedin, on Thursday, the 27th day of November, 1913, at 5 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of having the accounts laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanations that may be given by the Liquidator.

Dated at Dunedin the 4th November, 1913.

EDWARD TRYTHALL,

Liquidator.

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NORWICH UNION FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY
(LIMITED).

A COMPANY DULY INCORPORATED IN GREAT BRITAIN.
HEAD OFFICE: NORWICH, ENGLAND.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the office or place of business in Dunedin and Invercargill of the above company where legal process of any kind may be served upon it, and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered, is at No. 105 High Street, Dunedin, and Matheson's Buildings, Dee Street, Invercargill, respectively.

Dated this fourth day of November, 1913.

J. S. HISLOP,

Attorney for Otago and Southland.

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GREY COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of the Public Works Act, 1908; and in the matter of the proposal of the Grey County Council to take certain lands within the County of Grey for the purposes of constructing a road from Totara Flat to Waipuna known as Waipuna Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Grey County Council proposes to take, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of a public work—to wit, the constructing of a road from Totara Flat to Waipuna known as Waipuna Road. And notice is hereby further given that a plan showing the lands required to be taken, together with the names of the owners and occupiers of such lands so far as they can be ascertained, is deposited in the public office of the said County Council situated in Gresson Street, Greymouth, and is open for public inspection without fee by all persons during ordinary office hours; and that all persons affected by the taking of the said lands shall, if they have any well-grounded objections to the taking of such lands, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty (40) days from the first publication of this notice to the said County Council, addressed to the County Chairman at the offices of such County Council situate in Gresson Street, Greymouth.

Schedule.

Firstly, all that piece of land containing two (2) acres two (2) roods thirty-five (35) perches, being part of Section 37A,

Block XV, Mawheraiti Survey District, as shown and coloured pink on the above-mentioned plan deposited in the said offices of the said Grey County Council.

Secondly, all that piece of land containing three (3) roads fourteen (14) perches, being part of Section 197, Block XV, Mawheraiti Survey District, as shown and coloured pink on the above-mentioned plan deposited in the said offices of the said Grey County Council.

Dated at Greymouth this 6th day of November, 1913.

M. PHILLIPS,
County Clerk.

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CHRISTCHURCH CITY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF RESULT OF POLL.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, we hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the City of Christchurch taken on the 30th day of October, 1913, on the proposal of the Christchurch City Council to borrow the sum of forty-two thousand pounds (£42,000) for the purpose of widening certain streets, &c., and providing buildings for and additions to public libraries in Linwood, St. Albans, Waltham, and Addington, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 680, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 1,509.

We therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Dated this 31st day of October, 1913.

H. HOLLAND,
Mayor.

G. W. HULME,
Substitute Returning Officer.

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RANGITIKEI COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—LOAN OF £120.— WARREN ROAD.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £120, authorized to be raised by the Rangitikei County Council, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of metalling about forty chains of the east end of the Warren Road, and the cost of raising the loan to be paid out of the loan, the said Rangitikei County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of three-tenths of a penny (3/10d.) in the pound sterling upon the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property of the Warren Road Special-rating District, comprising Section CCLXXVIII, Section Part XLIV, 160 acres (northern portion), Section Part XLV, 30 acres (northern portion), and Section Part CCLXXVII, 140 acres (south-eastern portion), all being situate in Block XII, Wangaehu Survey District, and more particularly shown on the plan attached to the ratepayers' consent to such loan and thereon bordered red; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable on the 1st day of May in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off, the interest and repayment on such loan being together at the rate of £5 12s. 2d. per centum per annum.

It is hereby certified that the foregoing resolution was duly made and passed at a special meeting of the Rangitikei County Council held on Saturday, the 1st day of November, 1913.

Dated at Marton this 1st day of November, 1913.

R. K. SIMPSON,
Chairman.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Rangitikei was hereunto affixed in the presence of—

HAROLD H. RICHARDSON,
County Clerk.

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RANGITIKEI COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—LOAN OF £850.— UTIKU BRIDGE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £850, authorized to be raised by the Rangitikei County Council, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of the construction of a bridge over the Hautapu River at Utiku, the said Rangitikei County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of eleven-twentieths of a penny (11/20d.) in the pound sterling upon the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property of the Utiku Bridge Special-rating District, comprising all that area situate within the County of Rangitikei, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the westernmost corner of Section 1, Block I, Township of Potaka, situated in Block III, Hautapu S.D.; thence in a south-easterly direction by the south-west boundary of said Section 1, across Rupe Street, and by the south-west boundaries of Sections 1, 32, and 31, Block III, of the said Potaka Township, and across main road to the north-west corner of Section 2, Block VII, Potaka Township; thence in a south-westerly direction generally by the north-west boundaries of Sections 2 and 3, and across Tara Street, and by the north-west boundaries of Sections 4 and 5 to the south-west corner of said Section 5; thence in an easterly direction by the south boundary of said Section 5, across the railway and Torea Street, and by the south boundaries of Sections 11 and 16, Block VI, Potaka Township, and the production of such boundary to the east bank of the Hautapu River; thence in a southerly direction by the eastern bank of the said Hautapu River to its confluence with the Rangitikei River; thence in an easterly direction by the north bank of the Rangitikei River to the east boundary of the Awarua 3B No. 2c Block; thence in a northerly direction by the said boundary to the southern boundary of Section 8, Block VII, Hautapu S.D.; thence in a westerly direction by the southern boundary of said Section 8 to the south-east corner of Section 6; and thence in a northerly direction by the eastern boundaries of Sections 6 and 5 to the south boundary of Section 28, Block III, Hautapu S.D.; thence in an easterly direction by the south boundaries of Sections 28 and 41 to the south-east corner of Section 41; thence in a northerly direction by the east boundary of Section 41 to the Puhirua Road, and by the said road to the north-east corner of Section 25; thence in a westerly direction by the northern boundaries of Sections 25, 24, 23, 22, and 21 to the Wairanu Road; thence in a southerly direction by the said road to the easternmost corner of Section 4; thence in a south-westerly direction by the south-east boundary of Section 4 and such boundary produced to the east bank of the Hautapu River; thence in a northerly direction by the said east bank to a point opposite the production of the north-west boundary of Section 10, Block II, Township of Potaka; thence in a westerly direction by the said line of production and the north-west boundaries of Sections 10, 9, 8, and 1, Block II, across road and railway and road, and by the north-west boundaries of Sections 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, and 1, Block I, Township of Potaka, to point of commencement.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of May in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off, the interest and repayment on such loan being together at the rate of £5 12s. 2d. per centum per annum.

It is hereby certified that the foregoing resolution was duly made and passed at a special meeting of the Rangitikei County Council held on Saturday, the 1st day of November, 1913.

Dated at Marton this 1st day of November, 1913.

R. K. SIMPSON,
Chairman.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Rangitikei was hereunto affixed in the presence of—

HAROLD H. RICHARDSON,
County Clerk.

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PIGEON BAY ROAD BOARD.

THE following resolution was passed at a meeting of the Pigeon Bay Road Board held on Monday, third day of November, 1913:—

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by section 4 of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, the Pigeon Bay Road Board hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £1,000, authorized to be raised by the Pigeon Bay Road Board, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, for road from Menzies Bay to Summit

Road, the said Pigeon Bay Road Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1/20 of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Pigeon Bay Road Board District; and that such rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 31st day of March and the 30th day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

EBENEZER HAY,
Chairman.
G. H. SALE,
Clerk.

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TE AWAMUTU TOWN BOARD.

RESOLUTION.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, and the New Zealand Statute-guaranteed Advances Amendment Act, 1912, the Te Awamutu Town Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £20,000, authorized to be raised by the Te Awamutu Town Board, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the construction of waterworks for the supply of water, including the purchase of all necessary land, plant, and materials (£18,000), and for the formation, construction, and metalling of streets (£2,000), the said Te Awamutu Town Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny and five-sixteenths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Te Awamutu Town District, comprising the whole of such district; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of November in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

A. S. WALLACE,
Chairman.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly passed at a special meeting of the Te Awamutu Town Board duly constituted and held on the 31st day of October, 1912.

DUDLEY BOCKETT,
Town Clerk.

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STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Consolidated Goldfields of New Zealand (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand: 22nd January, 1896.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney or Attorneys: Head Office, London; New Zealand Office, Reefton, N.Z.; Alfred Winter Evans.
Where mines are situate: Westland Mining District, New Zealand.
Nominal capital: £250,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £242,378.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand: Nil.
Price paid to vendors of mines—
(a.) In fully paid-up shares: £17,378.
(b.) In partly paid-up shares, credited as £1 paid up: Nil.
(c.) In cash: £43,416 13s. 4d.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 225,000.
Number of shares on New Zealand Register: 67,800.
Amount paid per share (New Zealand Register): £1.
Amount called up per share (New Zealand Register): £1.
Number and amount of calls in arrear (New Zealand Register): Nil.
Number of forfeited shares on New Zealand Register sold and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders on New Zealand Register: 208.
Number of men employed by company in New Zealand: 60.
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 4,795 oz.; £17,899 3s. 5d.
Total quantity and value produced since registration of office of company in New Zealand: 128,670 oz. 16 dwt.; £536,915 8s. 3d.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining operations in New Zealand since last statement: £24,854 10s. 5d.
Total expenditure since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £716,017 14s. 3d.

Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand: £12,398 10s. 6d.
Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: Nil.
Amount of cash in hand in New Zealand: Nil.
Amount of debts directly due to company in New Zealand: £66 19s. 11d.
Amount of such debts considered good: £66 19s. 11d.
Amount of liabilities of company in New Zealand: £16,482 11s. 2d.

I, Alfred Winter Evans, of Reefton, Attorney of the Consolidated Goldfields of New Zealand (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as on the 31st day of December, 1912, being the date of the last balance-sheet; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

A. WINTER EVANS,
Attorney.

Declared at Reefton this 31st day of October, 1913, before me—H. P. Lawry, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 918

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Progress Mines of New Zealand (Limited).
When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand: 8th December, 1896.
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney or Attorneys: Head Office, London; New Zealand Office, Reefton, N.Z.; Alfred Winter Evans.
Where mines are situate: Reefton.
Nominal capital: £275,000.
Amount of capital subscribed: £275,000.
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand: Nil.
Price paid to vendors of mines—
(a.) In fully paid-up shares: £200,000.
(b.) In partly paid-up shares credited as £1 paid up: Nil.
(c.) In cash: Nil.
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 275,000.
Number of shares on New Zealand Register: 22,653.
Amount paid per share (New Zealand Register): £1.
Amount called up per share (New Zealand Register): £1.
Number and amount of calls in arrear (New Zealand Register): Nil.
Number of forfeited shares on New Zealand Register sold, and money received for same: Nil.
Number of shareholders on New Zealand Register: 79.
Number of men employed by company in New Zealand: 100.
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 3,510 oz. 11 dwt.; £20,875 5s. 5d. (includes £8,332 13s. 4d., value of concentrates sold).
Total quantity and value produced since registration of office of company in New Zealand: 393,755 oz. 9 dwt. 2 gr.; £1,199,369 19s. 5d.
Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining operations in New Zealand since last statement: £21,358 11s. 7d.
Total expenditure since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £946,484 13s. 5d.
Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand: £5,385 14s. 9d.
Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: Nil.
Amount of cash in hand in New Zealand: Nil.
Amount of debts directly due to company in New Zealand: £94 12s. 6d.
Amount of such debts considered good: £94 12s. 6d.
Amount of liabilities of company in New Zealand: £340 16s. 8d.

I, Alfred Winter Evans, of Reefton, Attorney of the Progress Mines of New Zealand (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as on the 31st day of December, 1912 (being the date of the last balance-sheet); and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

A. WINTER EVANS,
Attorney.

Declared at Reefton this 31st day of October, 1913, before me—H. P. Lawry, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 914

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company : Blackwater Mines (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand : 25th March, 1907.
 Whether in active operation or not : In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney or Attorneys : Head Office, London ; New Zealand Office, Reefton, N. Z. ; Alfred Winter Evans.
 Where mines are situate : Westland Mining District, New Zealand.
 Nominal capital : £250,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed : £50,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand : Nil.
 Price paid to vendors of mines—
 (a.) In fully paid-up shares : £200,000.
 (b.) In partly paid-up shares, credited as £1 paid up : Nil.
 (c.) In cash : Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided : 250,000.
 Number of shares on New Zealand Register : 27,233.
 Amount paid per share (New Zealand Register) : £1.
 Amount called up per share (New Zealand Register) : £1.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear (New Zealand Register) : Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares on New Zealand Register sold, and money received for same : Nil.
 Number of shareholders on New Zealand Register : 107.
 Number of men employed by company in New Zealand : 100.
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement : 6,628 oz. 3 dwt. ; £29,749 19s. 2d. (includes concentrates, £2,170 9s. 5d.).
 Total quantity and value produced since registration of office of company in New Zealand : 77,332 oz. 11 dwt. ; £313,907 13s. 4d.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining operations in New Zealand since last statement : £31,086 11s. 5d.
 Total expenditure since registration of office of company in New Zealand : £234,425 9s. 6d.
 Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand : £4,948 4s.
 Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand : Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand in New Zealand : Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to company in New Zealand : £330 8s. 6d.
 Amount of such debts considered good : £330 8s. 6d.
 Amount of liabilities of company in New Zealand : £1,582 13s. 10d.

I, Alfred Winter Evans, of Reefton, Attorney of the Blackwater Mines (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as on the 31st day of December, 1912 (being the date of the last balance-sheet); and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

A. WINTER EVANS,
 Attorney.

Declared at Reefton this 31st day of October, 1913, before me—H. P. Lawry, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 915

EPSOM ROAD BOARD.

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 at a poll of the rate-payers of the Epsom Road District in the County of Eden taken on the 30th day of October, 1913, on the proposal of the Epsom Road Board to borrow the sum of £55,000 for drainage-works, the following votes were recorded: For the proposal, 96; against the proposal, 57.

As the number of valid votes recorded in favour of the proposal exceeds three-fifths of the total number of valid votes recorded at the poll, I declare the said proposal carried.

Dated this 31st day of October, 1913.

W. READ BLOOMFIELD,
 Chairman of the Epsom Road Board.

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BOROUGH OF MATAURA.

RESOLUTION BY MATAURA BOROUGH COUNCIL, DATED 28TH OCTOBER, 1913, MAKING A SPECIAL RATE IN CONNECTION WITH MATAURA BRIDGE LOAN OF £700, 1913.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, and the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and its amendments, and in particular by section 15 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and by section 119 of the Public Works Act, 1908, and by virtue of a Warrant dated the seventh day of October, 1913, issued under the hand of His Excellency the Governor under the provisions of the said section 119 of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Mataura Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest and sinking fund and other charges on the loan of seven hundred pounds (£700), authorized to be raised by the said Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the following purpose—to reconstruct the bridge over the Waikana Stream in Kana Street, Mataura, together with the approaches thereto, and protection-works damaged by the flood of 29th March, 1913—the said Mataura Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-sixth of a penny in the pound on the unimproved value of all rateable property in the Borough of Mataura, payable yearly on the first day of July in each year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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

JOHN LOWDEN,
 Mayor.

J. F. MENZIES,
 Town Clerk.

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

JOHN LOWDEN,
 Mayor.

J. F. MENZIES,
 Town Clerk.

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HILLSIDE DRAINAGE BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of five thousand pounds (£5,000) to be raised for the purpose of constructing, deepening, and widening various drains in the Hillside Drainage District, authorized to be raised by a poll of ratepayers of the said Board taken on the 26th day of September, 1913, the said Hillside Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny in the pound on the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the Hillside Drainage District; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate, and be payable half-yearly on the first days of December and June in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly made and passed at a properly constituted meeting of the Hillside Drainage Board held on Saturday, 4th October, 1913.

T. B. INSOLL,
 Clerk.

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THE ROGER CONNELL AUTOMATIC TYRE INFLATER COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of shareholders will be held at the office of the company, 146 Hereford Street, Christchurch, on Tuesday, the 11th day of November, 1913, at 10 a.m., for the purpose of receiving and adopting the Liquidator's report and accounts.

H. W. CANDY,
 R. F. SIMES, } Liquidators.

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THE REWA DAIRY COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, that a general meeting of members of the above company will be held at my office, Hunterville, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of December, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before the company showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and for the purpose of passing an extraordinary resolution disposing of the books, documents, and accounts of the company.

Dated this 1st day of November, 1913.

W. HAYDON MACLEAN,
Liquidator.

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COUNTY OF EGMONT.

RESOLUTION MAKING AND LEVYING A SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and amendments thereof, and the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, the Egmont County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

"That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £50 (such sum being ten per centum additional of the original loan of £335), authorized to be raised by the Egmont County Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of defraying a portion of the cost of forming, metalling, and improving the unmetalled part of that portion of the Oeo Road which lies between the Skeet Road and a point near the southern boundary of Section II, Block 13, Kaipokonui Survey District, being a length of eighty (80) chains, more or less, the said Egmont County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one thirty-eighth (1/38th) of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the special-rating area; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of January in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The rate of interest to be 4½ per centum."

Special-rating Area.

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Section 30 ..	Block 9, Kaipokonui S.D.,	261 2 11	4,445
Part Section 1 ..	" 13, "	270 0 0	4,407
Section 2 ..	" 13, "	314 0 0	5,160
Part Section 3 ..	" 13, "	160 0 0	2,475
Section 4 ..	" 13, "	250 0 0	4,420
South pt. Sec. 31 ..	" 9, "	75 2 10	1,227
Part Section 1 ..	" 13, "	50 0 0	816
Part Section 3 ..	" 13, "	160 0 0	2,475
Sec. 6 and east half of Sec. 7 ..	" 13, "	140 0 0	2,650
			£28,075

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a special order made by the Council of the County of Egmont at a special meeting of the said Council held on the twelfth day of September, 1913, and confirmed at a subsequent ordinary meeting of the said Council held on the tenth day of October, 1913.

W. C. DUDLEY,
County Chairman.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Egmont was hereto affixed by Walter Carew Dudley, the County Chairman, acting by direction and on behalf of the said Council, this tenth day of October, 1913, in the presence of—

G. E. W. ROGERS,
County Clerk.

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RODNEY COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of powers vested in it in that behalf by the Counties Act, 1908, the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, and the amendments thereof, the Rodney County Council resolves as follows:—

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That, for the purpose of paying the interest and other charges on a loan of £2,000, authorized to be raised by the Rodney County Council by vote of the ratepayers of the Omaha Special Road Loan District, for forming and metalling the road from Big Omaha to Pakiri via Leigh, the Rodney County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one halfpenny in the pound upon the capital value of all the Omaha Special Road Loan District, comprised of all the area within the following boundaries: Commencing at the south-eastern angle of Section 120, Omaha Parish; thence proceeding by the southern boundary of that section, by the western boundaries of the said Sections 120 and 121, by a portion of the western boundary of Section 122, to the south-eastern angle of Section 68; thence by the southern boundaries of Sections 68, 67, and 41A; thence by the western boundary of the said Section 41A, continuing by a portion of the southern boundary of Section 104 to the south-western angle of that section; thence by a portion of the western boundary of Section 104 to the south-eastern angle of Section 110; thence by the southern boundaries of Sections 110 and 111, by the western boundaries of the said Sections 111 and 112, and a portion of the western boundary of Section 113. All the aforesaid sections are in Omaha Parish. On reaching the south-eastern corner of Section 102A, Pakiri Parish, proceeding thence by the southern boundary of that section to its conjunction with the eastern boundary of Section 94; thence by that road at the south-east corner of the said Section 94; thence by that road to the north-east corner of Section 101, all Pakiri Parish; thence continuing by another road to the south-western boundary of Section 55, Pakiri Parish; thence by the western boundary of the last-named section to its north-west corner, from thence by a right line to the south-east corner of the State forest reserve, the said right line running through Pakiri No. 1 Blocks X and VI, Pakiri Survey District; thence by the south-east boundary of the said State forest reserve to the sea; and thence by the sea to the commencement-point. Such area being portions of Block land II, Rodney Survey District, Blocks XV, XI, X, VII, and VI, Pakiri Survey District. And that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and to be payable yearly upon the last Friday in January in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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WELLINGTON HARBOUR FERRIES (LIMITED).

AT a meeting of the shareholders of the above-named company held on 21st October, 1913, the following special resolution was carried:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily."

At an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders held on 5th November, 1913, this resolution was confirmed, and Messrs. F. G. Dalziel and E. G. F. Zohrab were appointed Liquidators.

E. G. F. ZOHRAH,
924 For the Liquidators.

THE ARAHIWI SAWMILLING COMPANY (LIMITED).
(A PRIVATE COMPANY.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the following special resolution was passed at a general meeting of the above-named company held on October 13th and duly confirmed on November 1st:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. RICHARD ENGLISH, of Hamilton, be appointed Liquidator."

HORACE S. W. KING, Secretary.
Putaruru, 7th November, 1913. 925

MARTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest and sinking fund and other charges on the loan of one thousand five hundred pounds (£1,500), authorized to be raised by the said Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the following purpose—to pay off the loan of £1,500 authorized to be raised by the Marton Borough Council, under the provisions of the Municipal Corporations Act,

1900, and the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1901, and their amendments, for the purpose of the erection of a town hall and fire-brigade station in the Borough of Marton—the said Marton Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of two elevenths ($\frac{2}{11}$ ths) of a penny in the pound on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Borough of Marton, payable half-yearly in equal instalments on the first day of October and April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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

J. H. MILES,
Mayor.

A. H. KNIGGE,
Town Clerk.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership business of Butchers and Bakers carried on at Morven, South Canterbury, by JOSEPH TANGNEY and JEREMIAH TANGNEY, under the style or firm of "Tangney Brothers," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the first day of November, 1913. The business will in future be carried on by JOSEPH TANGNEY, under the present style or name of "Tangney Brothers."

Dated this 8th day of November, 1913.

JOSEPH TANGNEY,
JEREMIAH TANGNEY.

Witness—S. I. Fitch, Solicitor, Waimate.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between ROBERT LYALL CHRISTIE and WILLIAM NICHOL WILSON, carrying on business as Engineers at Gore, under the style or firm of "R. L. Christie & Co.," as from the first day of October, 1913, so far as concerns the said WILLIAM NICHOL WILSON, who retires from the said firm.

Dated at Gore this tenth day of November, 1913.

ROBERT LYALL CHRISTIE,
WILLIAM NICHOL WILSON.

Witness to both signatures—W. F. Inder, Solicitor, Gore.

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IN LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the Bay of Plenty Co-operative Land Company (Limited), (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the Bay of Plenty Co-operative Land Company (Limited) held at the Canterbury Employers' Association Rooms, Cashel Street, Christchurch, on the 22nd day of October, 1913, the following resolution was passed:—

"That the assets of the company having been realized, the company go into voluntary liquidation; and that OSCAR W. B. ANDERSON, Public Accountant and Auditor, Secretary of the Company, be appointed Liquidator of the company."

And was confirmed as a special resolution at a meeting called for that purpose and held at the company's office, Cathedral Square, Christchurch, on November 5th, 1913.

Dated at Christchurch this 6th day of November, 1913.

OSCAR W. B. ANDERSON,
Liquidator.

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