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

FIRST SCHEDULE.
LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 3 36.3	Old Land Claim 55 (17515, blue)	VIII	Omapere	L. & S. 1913/1544	Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.
ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Road closed.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 0 28.7	Old Land Claims 52 and 55 (17515, blue)	VIII	Omapere	L. & S. 1913/1544	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 March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Hurunui-Waitaki Railway to take further land at Riccarton, 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 Allotment	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Situated in Borough of
A. R. P. 0 1 0.75	11, D.P. 1676, R.S. 163 (S.O. 163v, red)	XI	Christchurch	Riccarton.

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 21232, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

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

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land near Conical Hill taken for the Purposes of the Waitaki-Bluff Railway (Waipahi-Heriot Burn Branch).

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Waitaki-Bluff Railway (Waipahi-Heriot Burn Branch) to take further land near Conical Hill, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Situated in County of
A. R. P. 7 3 38	Crown Land ..	VIII	Waipahi	Clutha.
7 0 8	" ..	"	"	"
0 1 5	" ..	"	"	"
9 2 5	Sections 18 and 19 ..	"	"	"
1 3 0	Section 17 ..	"	"	"
15 3 0	Road Reserve ..	"	"	"
0 0 25	Section 17 ..	"	"	"
4 3 25	Road Reserve ..	"	"	"
	(S.O. 7436 to 7439.)			

All in the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 21169, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green and 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 eleventh day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Altering Messrs. Archibald Bros.' License to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore on the Whau Creek, in Auckland Harbour.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this third day of March, 1914.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the twentieth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 9, of the twenty-ninth day of the same month, Messrs. David Archibald, James Alexander Archibald, John Archibald, Alexander Ernest Archibald, and Frank Herbert Archibald, of Auckland, trading under the style or title of "Archibald Bros.," were licensed to use and occupy a part of the foreshore on the Whau Creek, in Auckland Harbour, shown on plan marked M.D. 4205:

And whereas it is desirable to alter clause three of the conditions contained in the Schedule to the said Order in Council, by altering the annual rent to be paid:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the power conferred upon him by the Harbours Act, 1908, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the annual rent to be paid under the said Order in Council shall be reduced from £10 to £5 as from the date of such Order.

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

Certain Species of Birds indigenous to New Zealand not to be deemed protected.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Animals Protection Act, 1908, as amended by the Animals Protection Amendment Act, 1910, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby suspend the operation of section ten of the said Animals Protection Amendment Act, 1910, for the period ending on the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, with respect to the species of birds indigenous to New Zealand mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

KEA, or mountain-parrot.
Hawks of all species.
Shags of the following species: Black shag (*Phalacrocorax sulcirostris*), white-throated shag (*Phalacrocorax brevirostris*), sea-shag (*Phalacrocorax novae-hollandiae*, *Phalacrocorax carbo*).

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

Kaikoura County Council declared a Leasing Authority under the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Kaikoura County Council is a body of persons having power to lease land held in trust set apart or reserved for public purposes, and has requested the Governor in Council to declare it to be a leasing authority within the meaning of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in compliance with such request,

and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred by the above-mentioned Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the Kaikoura County Council is a leasing authority within the meaning of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

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

Changing the Purpose of a Ferry Reserve in New River Hundred, Southland Land District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart as a ferry reserve, being a purpose within Class I of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 :

And whereas it is expedient that such land shall be appropriated for gravel purposes, being a purpose within the said Class I :

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 fourth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that the said land shall, from and after the date hereof, be appropriated for gravel purposes, under Class I of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 3 roods, more or less, being Section 58, Block XVI, New River Hundred. Bounded towards the north by the Oreti River ; towards the east by the said Oreti River ; towards the south by a road, 920 links ; and towards the west by a road, 320 links : be all the aforesaid linkages more or less : as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1913/943, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Changing the Purpose of a Reserve in Tauhoa Parish, Auckland Land District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart as a reserve for public buildings for the inhabitants of the County of Rodney, being a purpose within Class I of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 :

And whereas it is expedient that such land shall be appropriated for a public cemetery, being a purpose within the said Class I :

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 fourth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that the said land shall, from and after the date hereof, be appropriated for a public cemetery, under Class I of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing 1 acre 2 roods, more or less, being Allotment 202, Tauhoa Parish. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 277.5 links ; towards the south-east by a public road, 568.8 links ; towards the south-west by Allotment 103a, Tauhoa

Parish, 304 links ; and towards the north-west by Allotment 102 of the aforesaid parish, 481.4 links : be all the aforesaid linkages more or less : as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1913/1196, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan 6341, blue.)

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

Declaring a Portion of Miharo Street, Rangataua Township, in the Waimarino County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Wellington Land District Waimarino County and Rangataua Township, known as Miharo Street, commencing at the junction with Pivari Street, and proceeding generally in a north-westerly direction fronting Sections 1, 7, 9, 11, 13, and part 15, Block V, Rangataua Township, and terminating at a point about 40 links west of the boundary between Sections 13 and 15, Block V, Rangataua Township, being a distance of 9 chains, more or less ; as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 35112, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring Portion of Putikituna Road, in the Whangamomona County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Putikituna Road, in the Whangamomona County, Taranaki Land District, commencing at a point about 1 mile 40 chains south-east of the junction with Kohuratahi Road, and proceeding thence in a south-easterly direction generally adjoining part Section 4, Block XIV, Pouatu Survey District, and terminating at the junction with Vera Road, being a distance of 1 mile 12 chains, more or less ; as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 35111, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red and marked A-B.

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

Declaring Portion of Moki Road, in the Clifton County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Moki Road, in the Taranaki Land District, Clifton County, commencing at a point near the north-east corner of Section 1, Block III, Upper Waitara Survey District, and proceeding thence in an easterly direction generally adjoining part said Section 1 and Section 10, E.R., and railway reserve, Block III, Upper Waitara Survey District, and terminating at its junction with May Road, being a distance of 1 mile 35 chains, more or less; as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 35092, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red and marked A-B.

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

Declaring Portion of Tangitu Road, in the Clifton County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Tangitu Road, in the Taranaki Land District, Clifton County, commencing at the crossing of the Waitara River near the south-western corner of Section 6, Block XI, Upper Waitara Survey District, and proceeding thence in a north-easterly direction generally, adjoining said Section 6 and part Section 2, Block XI, Upper Waitara Survey District, and terminating at a sharp bend on the western boundary of the said Section 2, being a distance of 2 miles 55 chains, more or less; as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 35091, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red and marked A-B.

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

Declaring Portion of Whareongaonga to Main Road, in the Cook County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting

by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Whareongaonga to Main Road, in the Cook County, Hawke's Bay Land District, commencing at its junction with the Gisborne-Morere Road, in Whareongaonga C Block, Block VIII, Nuhaka North Survey District, and proceeding thence in an easterly direction generally, passing through portion of Whareongaonga C Block, Block V, Paritu Survey District, and terminating at a point in the said Whareongaonga C Block, Block V, Paritu Survey District, about 9 chains south-east of Trig. A, and about 30 chains west of its intersection with the southern boundary of Whareongaonga B Block, Block V, Paritu Survey District, being a distance of 1 mile 76 chains, more or less; as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 35023, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red and marked A-B.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Green Point Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING 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, by Order in Council gazetted, appoint any local authority to be the Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of any public domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the thirtieth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fifth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, 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

THE CAMPBELLTOWN BOROUGH COUNCIL

to be the Green Point Domain Board, having the control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Tuesday, the seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, at a quarter past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Borough Council Office, Campbelltown, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

GREEN POINT DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 32 acres 3 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Section 52, Block IV, Campbelltown Hundred. Bounded towards the north-east by a reservation along the Bluff Harbour, 1570 links, the crossing of a railway reserve, 100 links, and again by a reservation along the Bluff Harbour, 1420 links; towards the east by a reservation west of Section 76, 150 links, and by a reservation along the Bluff Harbour, 1800 links: towards the south by a road, 461.4 links, the crossing of a railway reserve, 100.6 links, and again by a road, 671.6 links; and towards the south-west by the main Bluff Road, 1094.4 links and 2553.2 links: excepting out of the land above described the area occupied by the Invercargill-Bluff Railway: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 50329/57, 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 Kaiwaka Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such 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 February, one thousand nine hundred and six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fifteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and six, the appointment of the Kaiwaka Domain Board was revoked :

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

HENRY THOMAS BAGNALL,
THOMAS BAGNELL HUGH RYAN,
BERT McCULLOUGH,
WILLIAM STEWART, and
WILLIAM THOMAS SARAH

to be the Kaiwaka 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 twenty-fifth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, at six o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Hakaru Dairy Factory, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

KAIWAKA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 6 acres 1 rood 13 perches, more or less, being Section No. 125, Parish of Kaiwaka. Bounded towards the north by a public road; towards the east by a public road; and towards the south and west by Hakaru No. 1 Kauri-gum Reserve: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 52100A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 2 roods, more or less, being the southern part of Allotment No. 56 of Section No. 1 of small lots near

the Village of Panmure. Bounded towards the north-east by the middle portion of Allotment No. 56, 600 links; towards the south-east by a road-line, 252 links; towards the south-west by Allotment No. 43, 600 links; and towards the north-west by Allotment No. 51, 252 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same are delineated on the plan drawn upon conveyance numbered 232692, Auckland and thereon edged red.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing 1 rood 17-12 perches, more or less, being Section 79 of Section 2, Village of Panmure. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 100 links; towards the south-east by Section 45, 357 links; towards the south-west by Section 64, 100 links; and towards the north-west by Section 78, 357 links: all of Section 2, Village of Panmure: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1357/38, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan 17192.)

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

Withdrawing Land from the Operation of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty-six of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council gazetted, may, on the recommendation of the Land Board, declare that any land comprised in a kauri-gum reserve shall, from a date to be specified in the Order, cease to be subject to the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908, and on and after the date so specified, the land to which the Order relates shall become subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908:

And whereas the Land Board of the Auckland Land District has duly passed a resolution recommending that the portion of the Puketotara Kauri-gum Reserve described in the Schedule hereto be excepted from the operations of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section forty-six of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the portion of the Puketotara Kauri-gum Reserve, described in the Schedule hereto, shall, from the nineteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, cease to be subject to the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District situated in Blocks X, Kerikeri Survey District, and I, Kawakawa Survey District, Bay of Islands County, containing 1,500 acres, more or less, being part of Puketotara Kauri-gum Reserve, set apart by Order in Council dated 18th March, 1901, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 31, of 28th March, 1901, page 757. Bounded towards the north generally by the Puketotara River, the abutment of a public road, and Section No. 9 of Block X, Kerikeri Survey District; towards the east generally by the Whiringarau Stream; and by Wiroa or Waihana Block to a point in line with the production of the north-eastern boundary of Section No. 3, Block I, Kawakawa Survey District; towards the south-west by a line the production of the north-eastern boundary of Section 3 aforesaid, across a public road, and by Section 3 aforesaid; towards the south-east by Section 3 aforesaid; towards the north-east by the said Section 3 to a point distant 1400 links from a road on its south-eastern boundary; again towards the south-east by a line parallel to the aforesaid road; towards the south by a public road; and towards the west generally by the Waimate-Kaeo Road: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. VI/4(1), deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

Withdrawing Land from the Operation of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty-six of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council gazetted, may, on the recommendation of the Land Board, declare that any land comprised in a kauri-gum reserve shall, from a date to be specified in the Order, cease to be subject to the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908, and on and after the date so specified the land to which the Order relates shall become subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908 :

And whereas the Land Board of the Auckland Land District has duly passed a resolution recommending that the Lucas Creek Kauri-gum Reserve described in the Schedule hereto be excepted from the operations of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation :

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section forty-six of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the Lucas Creek Kauri-gum Reserve, described in the Schedule hereto shall, from the nineteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, cease to be subject to the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1,071 acres, more or less, being Sections 173, 176, 177, 179, 180, and 204 of the Parish of Paremoremo, and known as the Lucas Creek Kauri-gum Reserve, set apart by Order in Council dated the 20th day of December, 1898, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 93, of the 21st December, 1898.

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

Withdrawing Land from the Operation of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of March, 1914.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty-six of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor, by Order in Council gazetted, may, on the recommendation of

the Land Board, declare that any land comprised in a Kauri-gum reserve shall, from a date to be specified in the Order, cease to be subject to the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908, and on and after the date so specified the land to which the Order relates shall become subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908 :

And whereas the Land Board of the Auckland Land District has duly passed a resolution recommending that the portion of the Otaika Kauri-gum Reserve Extension No. 2 described in the Schedule hereto be excepted from the operations of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation :

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section forty-six of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the portion of the Otaika Kauri-gum Reserve Extension No. 2 described in the Schedule hereto shall, from the nineteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, cease to be subject to the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District situated in Block IV, Tangihua Survey District, containing 31 acres 3 roods 33 perches, more or less, being portion of Otaika Kauri-gum Reserve Extension No. 2, set apart by Order in Council dated 25th September, 1899, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 79, of 28th September, 1899. Bounded towards the north-east by a road reserve, 900.8 links; across the Whangarei-Maungakarama Road, 100.9 links; towards the north-west by the said road, 100.9 links; again towards the north-east by Allotment 87, Parish of Maungatapere, 1270.2 links; towards the south-east and south-west by Otaika Kauri-gum Reserve Extension No. 2, 1616.6 and 1321.2 links respectively; towards the north-west by the Whangarei-Maungakarama Road aforesaid, 22.9 and 452.9 links; towards the south-west by the crossing of the said road, 124.6 links, and the Otaika Kauri-gum Reserve Extension No. 2, 991.7 links; and towards the north-west by the said Kauri Gum Reserve, 1073.2 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: save and excepting part of the Whangarei-Maungakarama Road which intersects the above-described land: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 5525/84, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan 16833, blue.)

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

Notifying the Proposed Exchange of Crown Land in the Canterbury Land District for other Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by section eleven of the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, whenever he deems it expedient for the purposes of scenery-preservation, to grant in fee-simple any area of Crown land in exchange for the fee-simple of any other land which in his opinion is of approximately equal value; and that such exchange may be made under the provisions of section one hundred and forty-two of the Land Act, 1908 :

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to exchange the Crown land described in the First Schedule hereto for the land described in the Second Schedule hereto, and the owner of the land described in the Second Schedule has agreed to such exchange :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the aforesaid powers and authorities, doth hereby declare that it is his intention to grant in fee-simple the area of Crown land described in the First Schedule hereto in exchange for the fee-simple of the land described in the Second Schedule.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF CROWN LAND AUTHORIZED TO BE EXCHANGED.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 19 acres 2 roods 20 perches, more or less, being a closed road, situated in Blocks VI and VII, Halswell Survey District, and bounded northward by parts of Rural Sections Nos. 13631 and 13595, a distance of 2560 links, also by part of Rural Section No. 13595 and Rural Section No. 34243, a public road, Rural Sections Nos. 18310, 34325, 1266, 1267, 1452, and part Rural Section No. 1060, for a distance of 16173 links; eastward by a public road, 210 links;

southward by Rural Sections Nos. 1183, 33950, 23403, 22040, 23402, and 34303, for a distance of 15902.5 links, and also by part Rural Section No. 19681, for a distance of 2900 links; and westward by a public road, 102 links: be all the aforesaid linkages a little more or less: save and excepting there-out a piece of Crown land containing 2 roods which is included in the above-described boundaries: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 693/32A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND TO BE OBTAINED IN EXCHANGE THEREFOR.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 3 roods 36 perches, more or less, being part of Rural Section No. 13609, situated in Block VII, Halswell Survey District, and bounded eastward by Rural Sections Nos. 22306, 34958, and 21719, 10955 links; westward by a public road, 1116 links; and northward by part of Rural Section No. 13609, 468.5 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less:

Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 36 acres 3 roods, more or less, being parts of Rural Sections Nos. 13609, 34555, 906, and 1060, situated in Block VII, Halswell Survey District, and bounded eastward by Rural Sections Nos. 21719, 35273, 28012, and 1410, 3772.4 links; south-eastward by Rural Section No. 1182, 790.3 links; and westward generally by a public road, 5392 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less:

As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 693/32B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

F. M. B. FISHER,

For Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

Notifying Lands in Hawke's Bay 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 Saturday, the thirtieth day of May, 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

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—COOK COUNTY.—TOWN OF BUCKLEY.

Town Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	VI	0 1 0	75 0 0
2	"	0 1 0	100 0 0
3	"	0 1 0	50 0 0
4	"	0 1 0	80 0 0
5	"	0 1 0	50 0 0
6	"	0 1 0	80 0 0
7	"	0 1 0	50 0 0
8	"	0 1 0	80 0 0
9	"	0 1 0	50 0 0
10	"	0 1 0	80 0 0
11	"	0 1 0	50 0 0
12	"	0 1 0	80 0 0
13	"	0 1 0	50 0 0
14	"	0 1 0	80 0 0
15	"	0 1 0	50 0 0
16	"	0 1 0	80 0 0
17	"	0 1 0	50 0 0
18	"	0 1 0	80 0 0
19	"	0 1 0	100 0 0
6	IX	0 1 0	50 0 0
7	"	0 1 0	50 0 0
8	"	0 1 0	50 0 0
9	"	0 1 0	50 0 0
10	"	0 1 0	50 0 0

Sections 1 to 19, Block VI, all good, flat business-sites, situated in the centre of the town, and on the main road. Sections 6 to 10, Block IX, consist of flat land in grass, and are good building-sites.

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

W. F. MASSEY,
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 Friday, the first day of May, 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.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
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VILLAGE LAND.

Bay of Islands County.—Waiomio Village.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	III	0 1 0	3 0 0
1	VI	0 1 28	20 0 0
5	VII	4 1 31	13 10 0

Section 1, Block III.—Level land in grass, but subject to flood; alluvial soil; no permanent water on section.

Section 1, Block VI.—Level and undulating manuka country; soil generally heavy clay, with some manuka.

Section 5, Block VII.—Undulating to hilly manuka land; soil heavy clay.

Foregoing lots are distant 12 to 45 chains from Kawakawa Post-office.

SUBURBAN LAND.

Suburbs of Waiomio.

25	15 0 15	30 0 0
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Section 25, Suburbs of Waiomio.—Undulating to hilly manuka land; soil heavy clay; watered by spring. Situated three-quarters of a mile from Taurarere Railway-station by good metalled road.

Opotiki County.—Suburbs of Opotiki.

5A	6 2 14	165 0 0
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Except a small portion in north-east corner, the section is low-lying, and covered with rushes; subject to floods, and traversed by a lagoon about 60 links in width. Section has a frontage of about 50 links to Duke Street; about half a mile from Opotiki Post-office.

RURAL LAND.

Otamatea County.—Omaru Parish.

E 47	25 3 0	13 0 0
Weighted with £10, valuation for fencing.		
E 48	29 0 0	15 0 0
Weighted with £6, valuation for fencing.		

Altitude, 500 ft. to 650 ft. above sea-level. Broken fern and manuka country; gum land; soil inferior clay on slate formation; fairly watered by small stream. Distant 10 miles by cart-road from either Ruawai or Tokatoka. There is one small dry kauri on Section 48.

Otamatea County.—Marerethi Parish.

78A	2 2 16	10 0 0
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Altitude, 10 ft. to 60 ft. above sea-level. About 1 acre swampy flat, subject to flood; balance undulating clay hills, covered with fern and manuka. Soil of good quality on flat, fair on hills, resting on sandstone formation; well watered by stream. Distant eleven miles and a half from Mangapai, of which distance ten miles is by cart-road, balance unformed.

Waitemata County.—Waiwera Parish.

267	0 2 1	40 0 0
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Altitude, 80 ft. to 100 ft. above sea-level. Undulating fern and scrub land; brown loamy soil of fair quality, on sandstone formation; no water on section. Distant 8 chains from Arkles Bay Wharf by good metalled road.

Section	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
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Rodney County.—Pakiri Parish.

20 | . . . | A. R. P. | £ s. d.
 53 0 0 | 110 0 0
 Altitude, 10 ft. to 80 ft. above sea-level. Mostly level land, covered with fern, scrub, and old kauri workings, with some swamp. Soil brown loam of good quality, on clay subsoil; well watered by stream and swamp. Distant seven miles from Pakiri by formed road, of which two miles is metalled.

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

W. F. MASSEY,
 Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in Nelson Land District for Sale or Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided by section one hundred and fifty-four of the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Tuesday, the twelfth day of May, 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.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—MURCHISON COUNTY.—HOPE SURVEY DISTRICT.—STATION CREEK BLOCK.

Second-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.
4	X	968 0 0	1,090	0 0	27	5 0	21	16 0
11	VI	962 0 0	820	0 0	20	10 0	16	8 0
12	VII	1,116 0 0	790	0 0	19	15 0	15	16 0

DESCRIPTION OF SECTIONS.

Section 4, Block X.—The altitude varies from 1,020 ft. to 2,200 ft. About 400 acres open land in good rough feed; the remainder is in heavy birch bush. The section rises steeply from the Buller River for some 15 chains, and then runs back into easy flat-topped ridges and basins with good feed throughout the year. All is pastoral country, and there is no swamp. The soil is fair to good, on a conglomerate formation. There is a site for a homestead alongside the Buller Road. The south-west corner of the section is about five miles from the Glenhope Railway-station by dray-road.

Section 11, Block VI.—Altitude varies from 1,100 ft. to 2,300 ft. The section is undulating and nearly all in heavy birch bush. The formation is a stiff clay with some fair soil at the back of the section. The lower slopes are very cold and inferior. There is a homestead-site on Station Creek about 15 chains from its mouth. All is pastoral country, and is well watered. The south-west corner of the section is about seven miles distant by dray-road from Glenhope Railway-station. Access by the Buller dray-road, and by a road to be formed up Station Creek.

Section 12, Block VII.—Altitude varies from 1,400 ft. to 2,500 ft. The section is all undulating pastoral country, and well watered; about 300 acres in manuka and scrub, the remainder being in birch bush. The soil is inferior, and the formation is a stiff clay. The south-west corner is about eight miles and a half from the Glenhope Railway-station,

more than seven miles and a half of which is by a dray-road, the remaining distance being by a road to be formed up Station Creek.

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

W. F. MASSEY,
 Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale or Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided by section one hundred and fifty-four of the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Monday, the twenty-fifth day of May, 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.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

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

Whangaroa County.—Whangaroa Survey District.

8 & 9 | VII | 47 3 29 | 40 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 0 16 0
 Altitude, 5 ft. to 250 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to hilly scrub land, with self-sown danthonia in places. Soil inferior clay, on clay subsoil; poorly watered by swampy creek, liable to fail in summer. Distant one mile and a half from Whangaroa by cart-road partly metalled.

Ohinemuri County.—Waitoa Survey District.

11 | V | 295 2 0 | 190 0 0 | 4 15 0 | 3 16 0
 Altitude, 200 ft. to 500 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken land, covered with fern and scrub. Soil of inferior second-class quality, on clay subsoil; fairly watered by small streams. Distant five miles from Tahuna by formed road.

Ohinemuri County.—Piako Survey District.

2 | XII | 347 2 13 | 180 0 0 | 4 10 0 | 3 12 0
 Altitude, 50 ft. to 370 ft. above sea-level. Broken fern and manuka country, with patches of mixed forest in gullies; a few acres of good level land on banks of Torehape Stream, but liable to flood. Soil generally of inferior quality, on clay subsoil; well watered by Torehape Stream. Situated twelve miles from Waikaka Landing on the Piako River, three miles and a half by tramway and balance by good formed road.

10 | XVI | 494 2 0 | 560 0 0 | 14 0 0 | 11 4 0
 Weighted with £97 10s., valuation for improvements consisting of 30 acres grassing and 50 chains fencing.

Altitude, 200 ft. to 1,200 ft. above sea-level. Broken country; about 47 acres in grass and fern; balance mixed forest comprising rata, tawa, kohekohe, rimu, &c., with dense undergrowth of nikau, supplejack, bush ferns and shrubs. Soil of fair second-class quality, on sandstone formation; well watered by streams. Distant five miles from Waikaka or twenty miles from Ohinewai, by formed road in each case.

Whakatane County.—Rotoma Survey District.

6 | III | 592 0 0 | 480 0 0 | 12 0 0 | 9 12 0
 Weighted with £45, valuation for 75 chains fencing.

Altitude, 300 ft. to 700 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken land; about 150 acres fern and manuka; balance light mixed forest comprising tawa, manuka, rewarewa, hinau, tawhero, &c., with thick undergrowth of scrub and vines. Soil of a sandy nature, on pumice-cement formation; well watered by two small streams. Situated fourteen miles from Matata by formed road.

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.—Pirongia Survey District.

		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
2	XI	133	0	16	190	0	0	4	15	0	3	16	0

Altitude, 200 ft. to 450 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken fern and scrub country. Soil of fair second-class quality, on clay subsoil; well watered by streams and springs. Distant nine miles by formed road from either Otorohanga or Pirongia.

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

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands

Opening Lands in Marlborough 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 eleventh day of May, 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.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—MARLBOROUGH COUNTY.—WAKAMARINA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
3	II	A. R. P. 768 0 0	£ s. d. 1,000 0 0	£ s. d. 25 0 0	£ s. d. 20 0 0
4	"	733 C 0	940 0 0	23 10 0	18 16 0
5	"	304 0 0	500 0 0	12 10 0	10 0 0
6	"	228 0 0	630 0 0	15 15 0	12 12 0
7	"	511 0 0	660 0 0	16 10 0	13 4 0
1	III	844 0 0	1,300 0 0	32 10 0	26 0 0
2	"	340 0 0	730 0 0	18 5 0	14 12 0
3	"	440 0 0	750 0 0	18 15 0	15 0 0

Section 3, Block II.—The flats and lower slopes of about 240 acres have been cleared of milling-timber, only a little tawa, hinau, and birch being left; the balance is, for the most part, rough and steep, and is covered with birch. The section is well watered. Altitude, from 250 ft. to 2,873 ft. About two miles and three-quarters from Timatanga Post-office.

Section 4, Block II.—About 200 acres in the front is fair country, cleared of milling-timber, and a small portion of the cleared area has been burnt; the balance is rough and precipitous, covered with birch and scattered rimu. The section is well watered. Altitude, 250 ft. to 2,873 ft. About three miles from Timatanga Post-office.

Section 5, Block II.—About half of this section has been cleared of milling-timber; the river-flats are fair; and the gullies are fair, although stony in places; punga and tawa very thick in parts; the balance of the land is steep and the bush is principally birch, with a few rimu. Well watered. Altitude, 275 ft. to 2,000 ft. About four miles from Timatanga Post-office.

Section 6, Block II.—About 170 acres of this section has been burnt, 24 acres of which has been sown in grass; balance covered with birch and a few rimu. Altitude, from

275 ft. to 1,700 ft. About three miles from Timatanga Post-office.

Section 7, Block II.—About 160 acres has been milled; soil is fair on river-flats, but towards the northern boundary the land is cold and precipitous. Bush is principally birch and rimu. Altitude, 300 ft. to 2,700 ft. About four miles from Timatanga Post-office.

Section 1, Block III.—The milling-timber has been removed from about 200 acres. There is a good deal of flat land of fair quality, and the southern spurs, although steep, will make good grazing-country; but those on the north-west are cold. Well watered. The remaining bush is mostly birch and rimu. Altitude, 400 ft. to 2,500 ft. About six miles from Timatanga Post-office.

Section 2, Block III.—The greater portion of this section has been milled; the timber remaining in the centre of the section is mostly tawa, hinau, and birch, with a little miro; and the balance birch, with scattered rimu. There is a considerable extent of comparatively flat land, but the ridge to the south is very steep, and runs up to an altitude of 1,800 ft. About four miles from Timatanga Post-office. Section is well watered.

Section 3, Block III.—The milling-timber has been removed from about 200 acres; the timber remaining on the section is birch and tawa, with a few scattered rimu. There are good flats along the Kaiuma and Opouri road frontages; but the land to the east is cold and very steep, although there are good patches in the gullies. Well watered. Altitude, 400 ft. to 2,000 ft. About five miles from Timatanga Post-office.

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

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands

Opening National Endowment Land in Auckland Land District for Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY.—RUSSELL SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
7, 8, 9, 10, 11	XII	A. R. P. 1,026 0 15	£ s. d. 650 0 0	£ s. d. 13 0 0

Weighted with £113 10s., valuation for improvements consisting of 25 acres grass, partly overgrown, four-roomed house, fencing, and draining.

Altitude, 1 ft. to 750 ft. above sea-level. About 40 acres flat, and drainable swamp; remainder level to hilly land, three-fifths of which is covered with fern and scrub, and the balance with mixed forest comprising rimu, rata, tanekaha, puriri, taraire, towai, rewarewa, kohekohe, &c., with medium undergrowth of karamu, hangehange, kohutuhue, mahoe, kiekie, nikau, punga, &c. Soil of inferior clay and rubbly nature, on sandstone formation; well watered by streams. Fronts upper end of Whangaruru Harbour; seven miles from Waikare by partly formed horse-track, or the same distance from Helena Bay by rough track. Whangaruru has a monthly steam-service from Auckland.

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

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands

Vesting the Control of the New Hutt Road and Closing the Old Hutt Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by the tenth section of the Hutt Railway and Road Improvement Act, 1903, it is enacted that the Governor shall by notice in the Gazette declare that the new Hutt Road shall be under the control of such local authority or local authorities as he thinks fit:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act and of every other power and authority enabling me in this behalf, do hereby declare that the new Hutt Road as described in the First Schedule hereto shall hereafter be under the control of the Wellington City Council, and I further notify that those portions of the old Hutt Road not included in the new Hutt Road, and deemed to be closed in pursuance of the said section ten of the said Act, are described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land comprising the New Hutt Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Situated in	Shown on S.O. Plan No. 223, Sheet No.	Shown on Plan No. W.R. 19885, Sheet No.	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.							
1 0 1-3	Railway land and road reserve	XIII	Belmont	Borough of Petone	1	1	Sienna.
0 0 12	Railway land, road reserve, and bed of Korokoro Stream	"	"	"	1	1	"
1 0 39	Railway land and road reserve	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 0 4	Railway land, formerly Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 0 28-5	Road reserve	"	"	"	1	1	Green.
0 0 24	Railway land, formerly Wellington Harbour	XII	"	County of Makara	1	1	Sienna.
0 1 16	Railway land and road reserve	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 0 3	Railway land, formerly Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 1 34	Railway land and road reserve	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 0 1	Railway land, formerly Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 1 26-5	Road reserve	"	"	"	1	1	"
1 0 30-5	" and railway land	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 1 35-5	Railway land, formerly Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 0 14	Road reserve	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 0 10	Railway land, formerly Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 0 0-2	Railway land, formerly part of Section 19	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 0 37	Road reserve	"	"	"	1	1	Green.
0 0 9	"	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 0 19-3	Railway land, formerly part of Section 19	"	"	"	1	1	Neutral tint.
0 1 5-12	Road reserve	"	"	"	1	1	Green.
0 0 8-1	"	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 0 11-2	"	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 0 1-4	"	"	"	"	1	1	"
0 2 16-6	Railway land, formerly part of Section 18	"	"	"	1	1	Pink.
0 0 21	Road reserve	"	"	"	2	2	Sienna.
0 3 10	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 0 15	Road reserve	"	"	"	2	2	"
1 2 0	"	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 1 32	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 0 1	Road reserve	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 0 25	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 0 0-6	Road reserve	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 1 8	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 3 18	Road reserve	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 0 4	"	"	"	"	2	2	"
1 3 0	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 1 39	Ditto	"	"	"	3	3	"
0 2 27	Road reserve	"	"	"	3	3	"
0 1 11-9	Railway land, formerly part of Section 15	"	"	"	3	3	Sienna, edged neutral tint.
0 0 36-1	Road reserve	"	"	"	3	3	Sienna, edged red.
2 0 9	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	3	3	Sienna.
0 1 26	Ditto	"	"	"	3	3	"
0 1 36	Road reserve	"	"	"	3	3	"
0 1 9-8	Railway land, formerly part of Section 14	"	"	"	3	3	Sienna, edged neutral tint.
0 0 16-5	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	3	3	Sienna.
0 1 21	Road reserve	"	"	"	4	4	"
3 2 0	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	4	4	"
0 0 12	Road reserve	"	"	"	4	4	"
0 0 37	"	"	"	"	4	4	"
0 0 17-2	"	"	"	"	4	4	Neutral tint.
0 1 13-76	Railway land, formerly part of Section 13	"	"	"	4	4	Yellow.
1 2 35-5	Road reserve	"	"	"	4	4	Green.
0 0 24-8	Crown land, formerly Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	4	4	Pink.

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A. R. P.							
0 2 1-2	Road reserve	XII	Belmont ..	County of Makara	4	4	Neutral tint.
0 2 17-9	"	"	" ..	"	4	4	Green.
0 0 37-7	"	"	" ..	"	4	4	Neutral tint.
0 3 13	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	" ..	"	4	4	Sienna.
0 3 0	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	4	4	"
0 1 10	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	" ..	"	4	4	"
0 0 9-6	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	4	4	Sienna, edged red.
0 1 11	"	"	" ..	"	4	4	Green.
0 0 10-8	"	"	" ..	"	4	4	Neutral tint.
0 0 0-1	"	"	" ..	"	4	4	Green.
0 0 17-5	"	"	" ..	"	4	4	"
0 0 14	"	"	" ..	"	4	4	"
0 0 3-4	"	"	" ..	"	4	4	Neutral tint.
0 0 1-8	"	"	" ..	"	4	4	"
0 1 36-2	Railway land, formerly part of Section 11	"	" ..	"	4	4	Blue.
0 1 1	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	5	5	Sienna.
2 2 33	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	" ..	"	5	5	"
0 2 12	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	5	5	"
1 0 14-7	"	"	" ..	"	5	5	Green.
0 0 34-1	Railway land, formerly part of Section 11	"	" ..	"	5	5	Yellow.
0 0 16-9	Railway land, formerly road reserve	"	" ..	"	5	5	"
0 0 16-8	Railway land, formerly part of Section 10	"	" ..	"	5	5	Blue.
0 0 4-1	Railway land, formerly road reserve	"	" ..	"	5	5	"
0 3 18-2	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	5	5	Green.
0 0 1-5	"	"	" ..	"	5	5	Sienna.
1 1 34	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	" ..	"	5	5	"
0 2 7	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	5	5	"
0 0 4-8	Railway land, formerly road reserve	"	" ..	"	5	5	"
0 0 19-5	Ditto	"	" ..	"	5	5	"
0 0 0-03	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	5	5	Sienna, edged neutral tint.
0 0 0-2	Railway land, formerly road reserve	"	" ..	"	5	5	Sienna, edged pink.
0 0 5	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	5	5	Sienna.
0 1 16-8	Railway land, formerly part of Section 9	"	" ..	"	5	5	Green.
0 0 24-9	Railway land, formerly road reserve	"	" ..	"	5	5	"
0 0 0-18	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	5	5	Blue.
0 0 0-4	Railway land, formerly road reserve	"	" ..	"	5	5	Pink.
0 1 27-5	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	5	5	Neutral tint.
1 0 35	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	" ..	"	6	6	Sienna.
1 0 22	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	6	6	"
0 0 24	Crown land, road reserve, and bed of Ngahauranga Stream	XI, XII	" ..	"	6	6	"
0 1 7	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	XI	" ..	"	6	6	"
1 0 0	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	6	6	"
0 0 7	"	"	" ..	"	6	6	"
0 0 2	Railway land, formerly part of Section 8	"	" ..	"	6	6	"
0 1 16-8	Road reserve	XII	" ..	"	6	6	Neutral tint.
0 2 12	"	"	" ..	"	6	6	Green.
0 0 10-2	"	XI	" ..	"	6	6	"
0 0 5-4	"	"	" ..	"	6	6	Neutral tint.
0 1 34	Railway land, formerly part of Section 8	"	" ..	"	6	6	Pink.
0 0 0-23	Railway land, formerly part of Section 7	"	" ..	"	7	7	Sienna.
1 1 8	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	7	7	"
1 2 17	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	" ..	"	7	7	"
0 0 9	Road reserve	"	" ..	Borough of Onslow	7	7	"
0 0 0-5	"	"	" ..	"	7	7	"
0 1 9	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	" ..	"	7	7	"
1 0 11	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	7	7	"
1 2 0	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	" ..	"	7	7	"
0 0 1	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	7	7	"
1 1 3	"	"	" ..	"	8	8	"
1 3 13	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	" ..	"	8	8	"
0 0 22	Road reserve	"	" ..	"	8	8	Green.
0 0 15-6	Railway land, formerly part of Section 5	"	" ..	"	8	8	Sienna, edged yellow.
0 0 1-8	Ditto	"	" ..	"	8	8	Sienna.
0 0 0-3	"	"	" ..	"	8	8	"

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A. R. P. 0 0 11-6	Railway land, formerly part of Section 5	XI	Belmont	Borough of Onslow	8	8	Sienna, edged green.
0 0 27-5	Road reserve	"	"	"	8	8	Green.
0 0 24-7	"	"	"	"	8	8	Neutral tint.
0 0 10-07	"	"	"	"	8	8	Green.
0 2 14	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	8	8	Sienna.
1 0 20	Road reserve	"	"	"	8	8	"
0 0 13	"	"	"	"	8	8	"
0 0 32-9	Railway land, formerly part of Section 4	"	"	"	8	8	Sienna, edged blue.
0 1 7-1	Ditto	"	"	"	8	8	Sienna.
0 0 10-5	Road reserve	"	"	"	8	8	Green.
0 0 33-23	"	"	"	"	8	8	"
0 0 34	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	9	9	Sienna.
2 1 39-2	Road reserve	"	"	"	9	9	"
0 0 6-65	"	"	"	"	9	9	Green.
0 0 1-34	Railway land, formerly part of Section 4	"	"	"	9	9	Pink.
0 2 33-6	Railway land, formerly part of Section 3 and part of Westminster Street	"	"	"	9	9	Sienna, edged green.
0 0 18-2	Railway land, formerly part of Section 3	"	"	"	9	9	Sienna, edged pink.
0 1 7-6	Railway land, formerly part of military reserve	"	"	"	9	9	Sienna, edged green.
0 0 19-4	Railway land, formerly part of Section 3	"	"	"	9	9	Sienna, edged yellow.
0 2 18-9	Railway land, formerly part of military reserve	"	"	"	9	9	Green.
0 0 19-6	Railway land, formerly part of Section 3	"	"	"	9	9	Yellow.
0 1 20-4	Crown land, formerly Wellington Harbour	"	"	"	9	9	Sienna.
1 2 26	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	"	"	City of Wellington	10	10	"
1 1 26	Road reserve	"	"	"	10	10	"
0 3 27	"	XI and VI	Belmont Port Nicholson	"	11	11	"
0 2 22	Crown land and Wellington Harbour	XI and VI	Belmont Port Nicholson	"	11	11	"
0 0 14-5	Railway land	VI	"	"	11	11	"
0 0 19-5	"	"	"	"	11	11	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Old Hutt Road deemed to be closed.	Being through or on Frontage of Section No.	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Situated in	Shown on S.O. Plan No. 223, Sheet No.	Shown on Plan No. W.R. 19385, Sheet No.	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 8-9	17	XII	Belmont	County of Makara	2	2	Green.
0 0 3-5	17	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 0 1-3	17	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 0 17-9	17	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 0 1-2	17	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 0 8	17	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 0 28	17	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 0 3-2	17	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 0 0-9	16	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 0 8-9	16	"	"	"	2	2	"
1 1 32-3	16	"	"	"	2	2	"
0 1 35-7	16	"	"	"	3	3	"
0 0 9-07	15	"	"	"	3	3	"
0 0 23-1	15	"	"	"	3	3	"
0 3 38-4	15	"	"	"	3	3	"
0 3 22-5	14	"	"	"	3	3	"
0 1 24	14	"	"	"	3	3	"
0 1 21-1	14	"	"	"	3	3	"
0 1 25-6	10	"	"	"	5	5	Neutral tint.
0 0 6-88	7	XI	"	"	7	7	Yellow.
1 0 24	7	"	"	"	7	7	Green.
0 0 39-36	6	"	"	Borough of Onslow	7	7	"
0 1 15-2	6	"	"	"	7	7	"
0 1 0	6	"	"	"	7	7	Yellow.
0 3 6-4	6	"	"	"	7	7	Green.
0 0 13-76	6	"	"	"	7	7	Yellow.
0 0 0-07	3	"	"	"	9	9	Neutral tint.
0 0 21-5	2	"	"	City of Wellington	10	10	Blue.
0 3 30-5	2	"	"	"	10	10	Green.
0 0 6-4	2	"	"	"	11	11	Neutral tint.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventeenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

Vesting a Reserve in the Weber Public Library.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto was heretofore permanently reserved as a site for a mechanics' institute, and subsequently vested in the Weber County Council in trust for the said purpose: And whereas by section twenty of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1912, the vesting of the said land in the Weber County Council was revoked, and the Governor authorized to vest the said land in the Weber Library Committee, to be held by it in trust for library purposes, when the said committee had been duly constituted a body corporate under the Libraries and Mechanic's Institute Act, 1908:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section twenty of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1912, and of every other power and authority enabling me in this behalf, do hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become and is hereby vested in the Weber Public Library in trust for library purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods, more or less, being Lot 1 of Section 40, Block V, Weber Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road for a distance of 100 links; towards the south-east by Lot 2 of the said Section 40 for a distance of 514.8 links; towards the south-west by Sections 54 and 53, Block V, Weber Survey District, for a distance of 100 links: and towards the north-west by Section 39 of said block for a distance of 514.8 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1912/72, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

F. M. B. FISHER,
For Minister of Lands.

Trustee for the Waimate Public Cemetery appointed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

The Rev. JOHN AWDRY JULIUS

to be a Trustee in the place of the Rev. McKenzie Gibson, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Waimate Public Cemetery, in conjunction with Andrew Carter, Alfred Garland, John Foley, Arthur James Manchester, and John Black, previously appointed.

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

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Torere Public Cemetery appointed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

GEORGE JAMES ALLEN,
MONTAGUE GOLDSBURY,
ALFRED COLLARD, and
ALFRED JAMES ISDALE

to be trustees in the place of Frederick William Beechey, David Wilkie, David Wilkie, sen., and David McCracken,

to provide for the maintenance and care of the Torere Public Cemetery, in conjunction with Robert Campbell, previously appointed.

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

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Land temporarily reserved as an Addition to a Public Cemetery in the Town of Pongaroa, Wellington Land District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Wellington Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, as an addition to a public cemetery.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Suburban Section 20, Town of Pongaroa. Bounded towards the north-west and north-east by Suburban Section No. 15, 400 links and 250 links respectively; towards the south-east by Suburban Section No. 18, 400 links; and towards the south-west by Urupa Street, 250 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 46900/25, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

F. M. B. FISHER,
For Minister of Lands.

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

Government Buildings,
Wellington, 28th February, 1914.

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

THOMAS GARRICK, of Taihape,

to be an Officer for the purposes of Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908, for the Wellington Acclimatization District.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Member of Whatawhata Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 14th March, 1914.

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

JAMES SUTTON

to be a member of the Whatawhata Domain Board, in the place of Ferdinand Story.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Hastwell Domain Board resigned.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 14th March, 1914.

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

ROBERT CLIVE FOWLER

as a member of the Hastwell Domain Board.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Public Health, Hospitals, and Charitable Aid Department.

Department of Public Health, Hospitals, and
Charitable Aid,
Wellington, 12th March, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

LESLIE H. WHETTER, M.B. Ch.B.,

to be a Public Vaccinator under the Public Health Act, 1908, for the District of Inglewood.

R. HEATON RHODES,
Minister of Public Health.

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

Department of Public Health,
Wellington, 10th March, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK SWINDELLS, Registered Plumber,

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.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 18th March, 1914.

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.
DUNCAN MALCOLM McINTOSH	Ohakune.
WALTER EDWARD GUNDY	Pukekohe.
ALBERT EDGAR SANDERS.. ..	Catlin's.

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.

NOTICE.—JOHN AINSLIE, Esquire, of Jeparit, Victoria, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Victoria, has this day been appointed by His Honour the Chief Justice a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in Victoria, under the 47th section of the Judicature Act, 1908, for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington, this 12th day of March, 1914.

G. S. CLARK,
Deputy Registrar, Supreme Court.

By-laws of the Hutt County Council confirmed under the By-laws Act, 1910.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 13th March, 1914.

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of by-laws made by the Hutt County Council on the 9th December, 1913.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION.

In pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the above-written by-laws, and declare that the same came into force on the 8th January, 1914.

Dated this 13th day of March, 1914.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Special Order made by the One Tree Hill Road Board, County of Eden, making By-laws.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 13th March, 1914.

THE following special order, made by the One Tree Hill Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Road Boards Act, 1908.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

ONE TREE HILL ROAD BOARD.

BY-LAWS OF THE BODY CORPORATE UNDER THE NAME OF "THE INHABITANTS OF THE ONE TREE HILL ROAD DISTRICT," MADE AND ENACTED BY THE ONE TREE HILL ROAD BOARD.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Road Boards Act, 1908, and its amendments, the Public Health Act, 1908, and its amendments, and by all, or any other statutes it thereunto enabling, the Road Board of the One Tree Hill Road District doth hereby make and enact the following by-laws (which shall come into force on being gazetted), namely:—

*PART I.**Title.*

1. The Short Title of this by-law shall be "The One Tree Hill By-law No. 1, 1914."

Interpretation.

2. In the interpretation of this by-law the following words and phrases shall have the meanings hereby assigned to them, unless there is something in the subject-matter or in the context inconsistent with such meaning:—

"Approved" means approved by the officer appointed by the Board for the inspection of the work or matter whereto the context relates:

"By-laws" shall mean all by-laws of the Board for the time being in force made under the provisions of any Act enabling the Board to make by-laws, including by-laws made by the Board in its capacity as a local Board of Health:

"Board" or "Road Board" shall mean the One Tree Hill Road Board:

"Drain" shall mean every drain or sewer neither vested in the Board nor maintained by the Board:

"Drainage area" shall mean and include the area shown on the plan to be seen at the Board's office:

"Drainage Inspector," see "Inspector":

"Inspector" shall mean the officer appointed by the Board for the inspection of the work or matter to which the context relates:

"Occupier" shall include the person for the time being in charge of any premises:

"Sewer" shall mean every sewer or drain vested in the Board or under the control of or maintained by the Board:

"Clerk" shall mean the Clerk of the Corporation or the Acting-Clerk for the time being:

Words importing the singular number include the plural number, and words importing the plural number include the singular number, and words importing the masculine gender include females.

Notices.

3. Any notice required to be sent or signed by or on behalf of the Board may be sent or signed by the Chairman, or the Clerk, or any other person acting for or on behalf of the Board.

4. Any application or notice which is required to be served upon or delivered to the Board may be delivered at the office of the Board, addressed to the Board, the Chairman, or the Clerk.

5. Any notice or other document which is hereby required to be served or given or sent by or on behalf of the Board to any person shall be deemed to have been duly served, given, or sent if delivered to such person personally, or to his attorney, solicitor, or agent, or left at his residence or place of business, or posted at a post-office in the district, addressed to such person at his or her last-known place of abode, or to the last-known place of abode of such attorney, solicitor, or agent.

Inspectors.

6. The Board may from time to time appoint an Inspector or Inspectors, whose duty shall be to see that its by-laws are duly observed, and to investigate and report any breaches thereof to the Board.

7. All Inspectors and other officers appointed by the Board under or for the purpose of any repealed by-law, and holding office at the time this by-law comes into operation, shall be deemed to have been appointed under this by-law.

Application of By-law.

8. Except as to such sections or part of this by-law as are declared to be limited or are by necessary implication limited in their application to particular areas or districts, this by-law shall apply to the whole of the district.

Breaches.

9. Any person who does or omits, or causes to be done or omitted, or knowingly permits or suffers to be done or omitted, any act, matter, or thing, or who causes or know-

ngly permits or suffers any condition of things to exist contrary to any provision contained in this by-law, shall be deemed to have committed a breach of such provision and be liable accordingly.

Penalty.

10. Any person committing a breach of any provision of this by-law shall be liable to a penalty of such amount as the Court inflicting the same shall think proper, but in no case exceeding £10, as provided by the Road Boards Act, 1908, section 122.

Copies of By-law.

11. The Board shall have this by-law printed, and shall supply a copy thereof to any person requiring the same on payment of the sum of 1s.

Date.

12. This by-law shall come into force on being gazetted.

Licenses.

13. The following provisions shall, unless otherwise specified, apply to all licenses granted by the Board under this by-law:—

- (a.) Before any such license shall be granted an application in the prescribed form by the person applying for such license, and giving all such information as may be required by or provided for in any such form, shall be delivered at the office, and the fee payable in respect of such license shall be deposited with such application. Every such application shall be signed by the applicant.
- (b.) Every such license shall, when issued, be in the prescribed form and signed by the Clerk, and shall remain in force until the thirty-first day of March next after the issue thereof, and may be renewed on application at the office and payment for renewal fee not later than the thirty-first day of March in each year.
- (c.) Every such license shall be registered in a book to be kept by the Clerk in the appointed form.
- (d.) If in the opinion of the Board it is proved that the holder of any license or the person applying for any license is from any cause unfit to be the holder of such license, the Board may cancel, refuse, suspend, or revoke the same.

PART II.

DRAINAGE.

Drains to carry away Sewage, &c., to be provided.

1. All property within the drainage area shall be provided with suitable and sufficient drains to carry away the whole of the sewage, refuse water, and household wastewater to a sewer, and it shall be the duty of every owner or occupier of property, and of every person on behalf of whom any buildings shall be erected, added to, altered, or repaired, to cause the provisions of this by-law to be complied with.

Application for Connection.

2. The owner or occupier of any property desiring to have the same connected with the sewer shall make application at the Road Board's office in Form 2 in the Schedule hereto.

Inspector to point out Position for Connection.

3. On receipt of such application the Inspector shall visit and inspect the applicant's property, and point out the position and line in which the connection shall be made.

Sewers, &c., beneath Public Streets.

4. The Board only may make connection with sewers and lay drainpipes beneath public streets, footpaths, and public places, and such connection shall be made at the sole cost of the applicant. Before making such connection the applicant shall deposit with the Board the amount of the estimated cost thereof.

Expense of Maintenance of above to be borne by Board.

5. The expense of keeping in repair the drainpipes and traps mentioned in section 2 will be borne by the Board, but if any of such pipes or traps shall be choked by the placing or allowing to remain therein of any substance other than ordinary sewage, the owner or occupier of the property drained by such pipes shall defray the cost incurred by the Board of clearing the pipe so choked. Where two or more properties are drained by one pipe the Board shall determine by whom and in what proportion the cost of removing such obstruction shall be paid. In no case shall two or more premises be allowed to be drained by one common pipe unless a special permit has first been obtained from the Board.

Pipes, &c., to remain the property of Board.

6. Notwithstanding the payments enumerated in the preceding sections, all drainpipes, traps, and other fittings provided by the Board (in consideration of such payments), and all drainpipes beneath public streets and footpaths, shall remain the property of the Board, and no person shall have any claim to the same.

Notice of Intended Connections.

7. No person shall connect any drain, pipe, water-closet, urinal, trap, cesspool, or other fitting with any drainpipe communicating or intended to communicate with any sewer unless he shall have previously given the Clerk forty-eight hours' notice in writing of his intention to do so, such notice to be on Form 2 in Schedule hereto.

Notice of Intended Removals.

8. No person shall remove or make any alteration in any drainpipe, soil-pipe, water-closet, urinal, trap, or other sanitary fitting communicating with any sewer unless he shall have previously given the Clerk forty-eight hours' notice in writing of his intention to do so.

Authorized Plumbers and Drain-layers only to be Employed.

9. No person shall be allowed to do any plumbing work in connection with the drainage of any property unless he shall have applied to be and shall have been licensed by the Board as an "authorized plumber," and shall have engaged to conform to and comply with these regulations. The application to be made on Form 4, and the license shall be in Form 1 of the Schedule hereto. All plumbers and drain-layers shall be licensed annually under this by-law. No person shall be allowed to lay any drains, or remove or alter or make any connection with the drains of any property, unless he shall have been licensed by the Board as an "authorized drain-layer and connector," obtained the necessary permit, and shall have engaged to conform to and comply with these regulations.

9A. Applicant for drain-layer's license not having held a license previously may be granted a provisional license until such time as the Inspector shall be satisfied that he is competent, when a drain-layer's license will then be issued.

9B. Each defective drain laid by a licensed drain-layer shall count a black mark against his license. Three such marks shall render his license liable to be cancelled at the discretion of the Engineer, and the said drain-layer shall be debarred from holding a further license within the district governed by these by-laws.

Inspection of Drainage Works.

10. Any and all work connected in any way with the drainage of any premises shall be executed in every respect in accordance with this by-law, all such work shall be inspected by the Inspector, and every facility shall be offered for such inspection. No underground or enclosed work shall on any account be covered up or concealed from view until the same has been duly tested and passed by the Inspector, twenty-four hours' notice to be given.

Defective Drainpipes, &c.

11. Any drain, pipe, trap, water-closet, urinal, sink, or other fitting laid, used, or constructed otherwise than in accordance with these regulations, or which shall in the opinion of the Inspector be or become of bad or defective quality, shall, upon notice in writing from the Inspector, be removed or repaired in the manner and within the time fixed by the Inspector; and the Board may, should it think fit, on failure by the person liable to perform such removal or repair, remove or repair the said defective fitting, and charge the owner or occupier of the premises with the cost incurred.

Construction of House-drains.

12. No house-drain shall be less than 4 in. internal diameter, and every such drain shall be constructed of glazed stoneware or cast-iron pipes of the best quality; no soft-burnt, cracked, crooked, or distorted pipes shall be used; right-angled junctions will not be allowed; curves shall be formed by proper bend-pipes, having inspection-eye of approved make. A disconnecting trap of an approved make, complete with ventilating shaft, shall be fixed at the street boundary of each drain or at such point as the Board's Inspector deems necessary.

13. As far as possible all house-drains shall be laid in straight lines; where changes of direction occur such shall be made by the construction of an inspection-chamber or by an approved bent-pipe as directed by the Inspector. The pipes must be laid with true gradients, the inclination as steep as circumstances will conveniently permit; if possible, not less than 1 in 40 for 4 in. pipes, and 1 in 60 for 6 in. pipes. All pipe-trenches shall be carefully cut in the solid ground and well rammed, and all pipes laid as follows:—

Pipes to be Laid in Concrete.

14. All earthenware pipes shall be carefully laid and bedded on a concrete bed 4 in. thick up to the shoulders, and jointed in 2 to 1 cement mortar. The concrete must be put in carefully round them, and rammed to fill in everything tight. Also, after the cement joint has been made, a scraper must be used inside to remove any mortar that has squeezed in, and the joints left perfectly level. All gully-traps and disconnecting traps must have at least 4 in. of concrete under and around them, and be well bedded in it up to their top.

Drainpipes beneath Buildings.

15. As far as possible no drainpipe shall pass beneath any building. Where, however, this is unavoidable the pipe must be of cast-iron, lead-jointed; or, if of stoneware, the pipe must be bedded in and surrounded with good cement concrete 4 in. in thickness. In every such case the pipe shall be ventilated in the manner directed by the Inspector by a suitable shaft or opening at each end.

Ventilating-shaft, &c.

16. On the sewer side of every disconnector trap a ventilation-shaft shall, if required by the Board, be furnished, having a diameter of 4 in. Such connection shall be made on the top of the drain by means of a vertical branch. No part of such shaft shall be placed inside any building. Such shaft shall be carried to a height not less than 3 ft. above the highest point of the highest roof within a radius of 50 ft. in a horizontal direction from the shaft. A cap or cowl of an approved pattern shall be fixed on the top thereof. The outlet of the ventilation-shaft shall be placed as far away as possible, not being less than 6 ft., measured in any direction, from any window or chimney-top. Where underground every such ventilation-shaft shall be of stoneware drainpipes laid in a workmanlike and efficient manner and to the satisfaction of the Inspector, or of cast-iron pipe with lead or rust joints. To a height of 6 ft. above the surface of the ground the shaft shall be of cast iron, not less than $\frac{3}{4}$ in. in thickness, similarly jointed, or of screwed wrought-iron piping; thence to its outlet it may be made of cast iron, screwed wrought-iron pipe, 6 lb. lead or galvanized iron of not less than 22 B.W.G. The connection between the stoneware and the vertical pipe shall be made with cement, which together with all other joints shall be perfectly airtight. If galvanized iron is used the pipes shall be in long lengths, with double lapped and soldered longitudinal joints, and the transverse joints shall be not less than 2 in. in length, slipped or socketed and soldered. The connection between the galvanized-iron pipe and the cast-iron portion of the shaft shall be of lead run in and caulked, the portion of the galvanized-iron pipe inside the socket of the cast-iron pipe being strengthened by a galvanized-iron band, 3 in. wide, of 22 B.W.G. soldered to it. Putty shall not under any circumstances be used for jointing any ventilation-pipes. No angular joints or elbows shall be used below the eaves-level. This shaft shall be properly constructed and supported, and carried in as direct a manner as possible. Where any ventilating-pipe passes through the soffit or eaves of any building it shall be encased by a galvanized-iron sleeve of not less than 22 B.W.G.

Ventilating-pipes.

17. At the head of every house-drain, and at the end of every branch drain if it exceeds 15 ft. in length, a ventilating-pipe with approved top to be provided, carried up at least 3 ft. above the eaves of the most suitable adjacent building or to the ridge of the roof, as may be directed. No communication whatever will be allowed with the interior of any building, except by means of a proper trap, in addition to that fixed by the Board at the boundary, and duly ventilated by a pipe carried up to a sufficient height. Pipes used solely as ventilating-pipes and situated wholly outside buildings may be of cast iron or lead. Where one such pipe only is fixed upon a line of drain its internal diameter shall be not less than 4 in.; where more than one pipe is fixed upon the same line of drain the internal diameter of each pipe shall not be less than 3 in. Ventilation-pipes shall be carried up without angles or horizontal lengths 3 ft. at least above the eaves or better to 3 ft. above the ridge of the highest adjacent building, as may be directed by the Inspector. Rain-water pipes shall not be used as ventilators. As far as possible all ventilating-pipes shall be placed outside buildings.

Soil-pipes not to be placed within Buildings.

18. Soil-pipes shall not be fixed inside any building, but shall be placed outside the walls thereof, and the connection with the closet inside shall be made as short and straight as possible. Every soil-pipe shall be ventilated by being carried up above the roof of the building. No soil-pipe shall

be less than 4 in. internal diameter, and no connection thereof for ventilation shall be less than 4 in. internal diameter. Every soil-pipe shall be of cast iron or lead.

Waste and Discharge Pipes.

19. Waste or overflow pipes from sinks, baths, wash-tubs, urinals, or other sanitary fittings must be brought outside the house by the shortest and straightest route, and there discharged over a properly ventilated disconnector-trap. All waste-pipes exceeding 10 ft. in length must be fitted with an anti-siphon vent-pipe. All discharge-pipes to be trapped to the satisfaction of the Inspector. All waste-pipes must have a siphon-trap of the same area fitted close under the intake of waste.

Grease-trap.

20. In case of hotels, boardinghouses, restaurants, and eating-houses there shall be provided, in addition to the above requirements, a suitable grease-trap.

No wood will be allowed to be built around sinks unless well bedden around with red-lead putty and to the satisfaction of the Inspector.

Sinks, &c., inside Buildings in Cellars.

21. No sink, gully, water-closet, urinal, bath, lavatory, wash-house, or other appliance for domestic, trade, or manufacturing purpose, necessitating drainage therefrom, will be allowed inside buildings, in cellars or basements, unless absolutely necessary, and for which a special permit has been granted by the Board. In all such cases the outlet-pipe shall be trapped, and shall discharge into an open shaft outside the building, which shall communicate with the drain leading to the sewer by a properly ventilated trap. Special means shall, if required, be provided to ensure a proper supply of water to the said traps.

Removal of Subsoil Water.

22. Subsoil water may, at the option of the Board, be drained away by means of lines of earthenware drainpipes with open joints laid round the building. Such pipes shall not communicate direct with any sewer or drain used for conveying sewage, but shall discharge into an open shaft which shall communicate with the sewer by a proper ventilating-trap.

Inlets to Drains, &c., to be protected with Gratings.

23. All inlets to drains or openings for ventilation shall be efficiently protected by proper gratings of ample area. The aggregate area of the apertures in any grating covering a ventilation opening shall be not less than the sectional area of the pipe or drain to which such grating is fixed.

Drains to be Self-cleaning.

24. Every drain shall be so arranged as to be self-cleaning, in order that it may remain at all times free from deposit. Where this cannot be effected without flushing proper flushing apparatus shall be provided in the manner directed by the Inspector.

Construction of Water-closets.

25. The seats of all water-closets shall be so constructed as to be easily removable, in order that every part of the closet may be inspected with facility. The trap of every water-closet shall be provided with a ventilating-pipe at least 2 in. in diameter. Should the closet be situated in a detached building the ventilating-pipe may be abandoned, provided that the closet is on the same line of drain as the terminal ventilator, and not more than 12 ft. from such terminal ventilator. The ventilating-pipe shall be composed of drawn-lead piping whilst inside any building. On the outside of such building drawn-lead or 22 B.W.G. galvanized iron may be used to carry the pipe 3 ft. along the eaves of such building or into such portion of main ventilator or soil-pipe (situated outside the building) as may be directed by the Inspector.

Supply-cisterns.

26. No water-closet shall be directly connected with the borough water-supply or any other water-supply, but shall be supplied by a separate cistern of approved construction containing and delivering at each flush not less than 3 gallons nor more than 4 gallons, fitted with an efficient ball-cock, and an overflow-pipe discharging into the open air. The service-pipe from the cistern to the closet to be not less than $1\frac{1}{4}$ in. diameter; the bottom of the cistern to be at least 5 ft. above the closet-seat.

Sample of Closets, Sinks, &c.

27. Sample of closets, sinks, &c., may be seen at the Board's yard, and no closet other than those shown may be used unless a sample of the closet has been previously submitted to and approved by the Board.

Rain-water Pipes not to Communicate direct with Drainpipes.

28. Rain-water pipes shall not communicate directly with any drainpipe, but must discharge over an open gully provided with proper trap and ventilator, or into an open channel leading to such trap and ventilator.

No Pipe from Water-mains to connect directly with Closets, Drains, &c.

29. No pipe leading from the borough water-mains, or from any service-pipe connected therewith, shall on any pretext be connected directly with any closet, urinal, trap, drain, or sewer. Where water-supply is required the water-pipe must in all cases deliver with a free outfall into an open cistern above the highest water-level of such cistern, and such water-pipe shall be provided with a high-pressure stop-cock on the supply-pipe to the cistern.

Board Officer may enter Premises.

30. Any officer of the Board acting under the Board's authority may enter at all reasonable hours into any house or property connected with the sewers in order to examine whether the drains and fittings in such house and property are in proper order. Any person refusing such admission, or in any way hindering such officer in the execution of his duty, shall be guilty of an offence, and liable on conviction to a penalty as hereinafter mentioned.

Notice requiring Owner to fix Closet.

31. Immediately upon the completion of the connection between any property and the sewers the owner or occupier of the said property shall, whenever required by notice to do so, construct a proper water closet or closets in accordance with this by-law, and immediately thereafter shall, if required, empty, cleanse, and fill in all cesspits and other receptacles for sewage-matter, and remove all privies and earth-closets and old drains on the said property to the satisfaction of the Inspector.

Ventilation to be kept free from Obstruction.

32. All openings for ventilation made in accordance with these regulations or by order of the Inspector shall at all times be kept open and free from obstruction. Every occupier shall at all times see that all openings to the drains on his premises, whether for ventilation or otherwise, and all taps and other fittings are at all times in good order, clean, and free from obstruction.

For the compelling the providing of Water-closets and removal of Privies.

33. Owners of every dwelling shall, upon notification in writing, provide water-closets—

(a.) Whenever there shall be a sewer within 100 ft. from any property on which buildings are or may be erected, and in which building any persons dwell or are employed, or which building is constructed or being constructed, or being adapted for human habitation, or with a view to persons being employed therein, then and in every such case it shall be lawful for the Board, by notice in writing, to require the owner of such building to provide and affix a water-closet for the same. An owner served with a notice as aforesaid shall cause a water-closet to be provided and affixed in such building or outside the same (but on the private property whereon such building is erected or may be erected), such water-closet to be constructed in accordance in every respect with the provisions of this part of the by-law relating to water-closets, and to have all works, fixtures, and appliances of every kind required by the said part of the by-law, and to be connected with the said sewer by a drain, and in manner in every respect as required by the said part of the by-law.

(b.) In any case where a sewer is constructed in a public street, or through private property at the sole expense of any person or persons, then it shall not be lawful for any person to connect with the said sewer until a proportionate part of the cost of the sewer has been paid to the Board, the proportionate part above referred to being fixed in all cases by the Board. The said proportionate part received by the Board shall be held for the purpose of rebate to the person or persons originally constructing the sewer. Inspection pipes or chambers to be fixed where directed by the Inspector.

(c.) Within the time within which any water-closet is required by this section to be provided and affixed as aforesaid, it shall be the duty of the owner of every property to cause to be removed from his property every privy or earth or other such closet not being a water-closet in accordance with this by-law being thereon.

(d.) After a water-closet shall have been provided for any building erected on property (whether already or to be hereafter provided) it shall be unlawful for the owner of such property or any other person to construct, erect, set up, or provide any privy, or earth, or other such closet on the said property; and, in addition, the owner of such property shall be held to be guilty of a breach of this by-law on every day for which any such privy, earth, or other closet not in accordance with this subsection remains upon such property after such owner shall have been served with a notice in writing under the hand of the Clerk of the existence of such closet.

Obstructing Officer of Board.

34. Any person who shall obstruct any officer or other person employed by the Board in the performance of anything which such officer or other person is or may be required or authorized to do by or under this by-law shall be deemed to have committed a breach of this by-law.

Licenses.

35. All applications for licenses under this by-law shall be granted or otherwise by the Road Board. All such applications to be submitted at least three days before the sitting of the Board, and the applicant shall produce to the Board certificates from an appointed Board of Examiners that he has passed the ordinary examination in practical and theoretical plumbing.

SPECIAL AREAS.

To regulate the drainage from all dwellings or other buildings which are situated in such a position or at such a level as will not permit the drainage therefrom to be conducted into any existing sewer.

Septic Tank to be provided.

(a.) Any person or persons who shall erect any dwelling or other building shall at his or their expense build a septic tank to provide for the treatment of such drainage.

(b.) The tank shall be constructed according to the plans attached to this by-law, or to such other plan as may be approved by the Board in writing.

(c.) No such person or persons will be permitted to dispose of sewage-matter in any other manner than by septic-tank treatment.

No Bath or Surface Water to drain into Septic Tank.

(d.) Where a septic tank or tanks are installed, no storm-water, bath, roof, or surface water will be permitted to drain into such septic tank or tanks.

(e.) The sewage and house water (from water-closets, wash-tubs, and sinks) only shall drain into the septic tank or tanks.

Position of Tank to be determined by Board.

(f.) Such septic tank shall be built in such position and portion of the allotment as may be directed by the Board.

Disposal of Effluent.

(g.) The effluent from the tank shall be led into the sea if the allotment has a water-frontage, or into some natural watercourse in the event of the allotment not having a water-frontage; or in the absence of a natural watercourse thereon, then the effluent shall be disposed of by means of filtration with field-tiles or an approved artificial filter-bed.

(h.) No effluent will be permitted to run into a natural watercourse which runs through an adjoining owner's property, unless the effluent has been first passed through an artificial filter-bed, and such effluent shall be led from the filter-bed into such watercourse by means of first-class earthenware glazed pipes of approved size.

Septic Tanks.

(i.) In the case of owners having septic tanks, so long as the same shall act satisfactorily to the Board or its Engineer their connection with the drainage-system will not be required; but the Board reserves to itself the right at any time, in case the septic tank shall not be acting satisfactorily to the Board or its Engineer, to call upon the owner to discontinue the use of such septic tank and to connect with the drainage-system.

Maintenance.

(j.) All drains, septic tanks, and filter-beds constructed under this by-law shall be kept in perfect working-order by the owner, tenant, or other person responsible for same, at their sole cost and expense, and to the satisfaction of the Drainage Inspector.

SCHEDULES.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

SPECIFICATION FOR PIPE-LAYING.

All pipes shall be double-glazed stoneware, truly cylindrical, and of uniform bore and thickness. The diameter of a pipe shall mean its internal diameter, and shall not be less than the size specified. They shall be thoroughly sound, well burnt and glazed, perfectly straight, and free from blisters, scabs, cracks, and other imperfections.

Concrete.

Concrete shall be composed of not less than one part of hydraulic lime to three parts of gravel and two parts of sand, or five parts of fine scoria-ash. These materials must be thoroughly mixed whilst dry, and then shall be turned over three times whilst being wetted from the rose of a watering-can.

Sand.

Sand shall be sharp, coarse, and entirely free from all impurities and dirt, and shall be washed if necessary.

Gravel.

Gravel for concrete shall be perfectly clean, and free from soil, clay, dust, or other impurities; must be screened, and shall be washed if necessary. None shall be used that cannot be passed in any direction through a $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. ring.

Cement.

Cement of approved brands and quality only shall be used.

Mortar.

Mortar shall consist of one part of Portland cement to two of sand. It shall be thoroughly mixed with as much clean water as is necessary to form a thick paste, and none but freshly made mortar shall be used.

Laying and Jointing.

Trenches for pipes shall be cut straight and true, and shall be evenly graded before the pipes are laid; they shall be of such widths as to allow of the pipes being properly jointed, and have 3 in. of concrete all round, to permit of a thorough inspection.

The pipes shall be laid straight and true to line and grade. The spigots shall in every case be fitted close home in the socket, and the space between the spigot and the faucet shall be concentric and well filled with cement mortar. After each pipe is joined, the interior shall be thoroughly well cleaned out before another length is laid.

Tapered pipes shall in all cases be used where different sized pipes are connected.

Stoppers.

All provisional junctions and access openings to siphons shall have plugs set in and covered by approved puddle clay, and shall be left airtight.

Roots.

Where roots exist, their ingress into the pipes must be prevented by surrounding the joint with 3 in. of concrete.

Wet Ground.

In wet or soft ground a layer of concrete, broken metal, or gravel must be spread under the pipe of sufficient thickness to ensure a good and sound foundation.

Filling over Pipes.

The filling round pipes shall be carefully packed and consolidated. The filling over pipes shall be inserted in layers not exceeding 12 in. in thickness, and each layer shall be carefully rammed.

Where trenches are made in streets, the surface of roadways and footpaths shall be left in a condition satisfactory to the Inspector.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

SPECIFICATION FOR PLUMBERS.

Cast-iron Pipes.

Cast-iron pipes for soil and ventilation to be not less than $\frac{3}{8}$ in. thick, except in the cases provided for, and to be large enough in the socket to allow of $\frac{3}{8}$ in. caulking all round.

Lead Pipes and Traps.

Lead soil-pipes, wastes, traps, vents, bends, &c., to be drawn pipes (not seamed), approved and stamped by the Inspector, and to be formed of lead weighing not less than 6 lb. per superficial foot.

Joints.

Joints in cast-iron pipes to be made with a ring or two of spun yarn, and then soft lead run in and caulked. Joints between lead and cast iron to be made in a similar manner, but to have a brass ferule soldered on to end of lead first. All lead to lead joints in any portion of main building to be wiped-soldered. All bedded joints for water-closets to be made with genuine red and white lead putty. Joints for cast-iron pipes of $\frac{3}{8}$ in. thickness shall be made of lead as above, or of such other material as the Inspector shall approve.

Waste-pipes.

Waste or overflow pipes from baths, wash-tubs, cisterns, and sinks shall be of 6 lb. lead; but where, in the opinion of the Board's Inspector, a heavier weight may be required, his instructions shall be complied with.

WORK TO BE EXECUTED BY LICENSED DRAIN-CONNECTORS ONLY.

It shall not be lawful for any person, other than a licensed drain-connector under this by-law, to execute any of the work hereinafter specified:—

- (a.) To lay any private drain.
- (b.) To alter, reconstruct, extend, repair, open up, or remove any private drain.
- (c.) To connect any private drain with another private drain or sewer.
- (d.) To disconnect any private drains from another private drain or sewer.
- (e.) To affix, repair, or remove any disconnecting-trap or gully-trap or other trap in connection with a private drain.

WORK TO BE EXECUTED BY LICENSED PLUMBERS ONLY.

It shall not be lawful for any person other than a licensed plumber, duly licensed under this by-law, to execute any of the work hereinafter specified:—

- (a.) To affix or repair any cistern in connection with a water-closet.
- (b.) To connect any cistern with, or disconnect any cistern with, any water-closet.
- (c.) To affix, or repair, or remove any basin or pan of or belonging to any water-closet.
- (d.) To affix, repair, or remove any ventilation-pipe in connection with a water-closet, or do any other work relating to the ventilation of traps in connection with water-closets.
- (e.) To connect a water-closet with, or disconnect a water-closet from, the soil-pipe thereof.
- (f.) To lay, or set up, or repair, or remove the soil-pipe of or belonging to any water-closet.
- (g.) The trapping or any work in connection with trapping water-closets.
- (h.) Any work in connection with the laying-on of the water to and the trapping and ventilating the traps of urinals.
- (i.) The affixing, repairing, or removing of lead and other safes under closets, baths, sinks, and other conveniences.
- (j.) The affixing, repairing, or removal of overflow of waste-pipes connected with baths, sinks, and sanitary conveniences or appliances of any description.
- (k.) The affixing, setting-up, repairing, or removal of the ventilation-shafts required under this by-law, and the caps or cowls thereof, and connection of the said shafts with their disconnection from drains.
- (l.) Any plumbing-work in connection with any sanitary convenience or appliance required to be provided, affixed, or set up by virtue of this part of the by-law.

DIVISION OF WORK AS BETWEEN LICENSED DRAIN-CONNECTORS AND PLUMBERS IN CERTAIN CASES.

The licensed drain-connector shall lay the private drains to the point where the connection is to be made with the soil-pipe of a water-closet. This connection shall be made by the licensed plumber. The licensed drain-connector shall put in the junction and lay all stoneware pipes required for the ventilation-shafts referred to in this by-law, and the plumber shall make the connection.

LICENSED PLUMBERS, AND DRAIN-CONNECTORS.

For every license issued there shall be paid to the Board's Clerk the sum of twenty shillings per year, ending 31st March

in each year, unless the license shall be applied for after the 31st December, in which case the fee shall be ten shillings for the period ending 31st March next ensuing; or should the applicant be a journeyman the fee shall be five shillings for the year, or two shillings and sixpence for the period between the 31st December and 31st March.

HOUSE CONNECTION.

The Board will, when requested so to do in writing by any ratepayer, undertake and carry out the work of private house connection, excepting plumbing-work. The cost of such connection shall be estimated by the Engineer or other official appointed by the Board for that purpose, and shall be prepaid by the ratepayer to the Board when lodging his request. The Board will charge only the actual cost of making the connection, and if on the completion of the work the amount deposited with the Board shall be insufficient the deficiency shall at once be paid to the Board by the ratepayer. Any surplus will be refunded.

SCHEDULE FORM No. 1.

ONE TREE HILL ROAD BOARD.

Part of By-law No. .

No. License (Plumber or Drain-contractor).

MR. , of , is hereby appointed a licensed for the purposes of the above by-law for the year ending 31st March, 19 .

Dated this day of , 19 .

..... Clerk.

SCHEDULE FORM No. 2.

ONE TREE HILL ROAD BOARD.

Part of By-law No. , 19 .

Application for Connection with Sewer.

To the Clerk, One Tree Hill Road Board.

I HEREBY apply that the proposed drains on my property, situate in Road [Street], One Tree Hill, be connected with a sewer to carry away sewage, refuse-water, and household waste from the buildings now erected on such property, such connection to be at my sole cost and expense.

Dated , 19 .

..... Owner or Occupier of said Property.

SCHEDULE FORM No. 3.

ONE TREE HILL ROAD BOARD.

Part of By-law No. , 19 .

Notice of Intention to connect Drain with Sewer.

To the Clerk, One Tree Hill Road Board.

I HEREBY give you notice of my intention to [remove] or [alter] connected with sewer in Street.

Dated , 19 .

..... Owner or Occupier of the Property.

Name of Licensed Drainer:

SCHEDULE FORM No. 4.

ONE TREE HILL ROAD BOARD.

Part of By-law No. , 19 .

Application for a Plumber's or Drain-connector's License.

To the Chairman and Members, One Tree Hill Road Board.

I, of Street, do hereby apply, under the provisions of the above by-laws, for a license as a

Dated this day of , 19 .

..... Applicant.

I, Robert Haldane Makgill, District Health Officer for the District of Auckland, hereby approve of these by-laws.

R. H. MAKGILL,
District Health Officer.

The common seal of the inhabitants of the One Tree Hill Road District was affixed to the foregoing by-laws this 23rd day of January, 1914, in the presence of—

[SEAL.]

E. A. CRAIG,
Chairman.
T. H. ROWE,
Member.
WM. HOGG,
Clerk.

I hereby certify that the foregoing by-laws were duly made by the One Tree Hill Road Board by special order, the resolution in respect of which was passed at a special meeting of

the said Board convened for that purpose on the 19th day of December, 1913, and confirmed at a subsequent meeting of the said Board held on the 23rd day of January, 1914; and that all public notifications, notices, deposits, and other requirements of the Road Boards Act, 1908, and its amendments, and the Public Health Act, 1908, and its amendments, have been duly complied with in respect of such special order.

Dated this 24th day of January, 1914.

WM. HOGG,
Clerk to the Board.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Westerra Terrace and Thornhill Crescent, in the Town of Cashmere Extension No. 9, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 14th March, 1914.

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 Westerra Terrace and Thornhill Crescent, in the Town of Cashmere Extension No. 9, 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 Hairdressers and Tobacconists' Shops in the Borough of Frankton, under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the hairdressers and tobacconists' shops in the Borough of Frankton, 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, 8.30 p.m.; Tuesdays, 8.30 p.m.; Wednesdays, 1 p.m.; Thursdays, 8.30 p.m.; Fridays, 8.30 p.m.; Saturdays, 11 p.m.;

And whereas the Frankton Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the hairdressers and tobacconists' shops within the Borough of Frankton:

Now, therefore, I, Francis Henry Dillon Bell, acting for and on behalf of the Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, do hereby direct that from and after the 23rd day of March, 1914, all such shops in the Borough of Frankton shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

Dated at Wellington this 18th day of March, 1914.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Labour.

Plant declared to be a Noxious Weed by the Inangahua County Council.—Notice No. 1730.

Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce,
Wellington, 16th March, 1914.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Inangahua County Council has, by special order, declared foxglove to be a noxious weed within the meaning of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, in the district under its jurisdiction.

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

Officiating Ministers for 1914.—Notice No. 9.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 16th March, 1914.

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

Baptists.

The Reverend D. B. FORDE CARLISLE.

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

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 February, 1914.

No.	Name of Deceased.	New Zealand Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
1	Alexander, Margaret	Christchurch ..	Scotland ..	31 Jan., 1914	Testate.
2	Ansell, James Broughton	Waimate ..	England ..	3 Feb., "	Intestate.
3	Anstiss, James George	Christchurch ..	" ..	20 " "	Testate.
4	Baldon, George	Auckland ..	" ..	10 Jan., "	Intestate.
5	Bailey, Thomas, or Thomas Johnson	Whangarei ..	" ..	17 Feb., "	"
6	Ball, James	Auckland ..	" ..	7 Jan., "	Testate.
7	Barnett, George	Waitekauri ..	" ..	3 Dec., 1913	Intestate.
8	Blakeway, Betsy, or Bessy	Upper Riccarton ..	Wales ..	28 May, 1908	"
9	Brady, Philip	Wellington ..	Ireland ..	15 Jan., 1914	Testate.
10	Bryant, Rowland, or Rowlan Hill..	Auckland ..	" ..	27 July, 1913	Intestate.
11	Clarke, Elizabeth	Christchurch ..	Ireland ..	3 Feb., 1914	"
12	Cresswell, George	" ..	" ..	26 Jan., "	Testate.
13	Davidson, John Alexander Murray	Tauranga ..	Jamaica ..	21 " "	"
14	Davies, Evan	Ashburton ..	Wales ..	21 Dec., 1913	Intestate.
15	Dobie, James Murray	Gisborne ..	Scotland ..	25 Jan., 1914	"
16	Duggan or Douglas, Margaret	Oamaru ..	Ireland ..	21 " "	"
17	Fawcett, William Robert	Dunedin ..	England ..	19 Dec., 1913	Testate.
18	Forster, William Lothian	Maungaturoto ..	" ..	23 Sept., "	Intestate.
19	Gaze, Henry John	Christchurch ..	" ..	29 Jan., 1914	Testate.
20	Gerke, August	Kimbolton ..	Germany ..	3 Feb., "	"
21	Glass, Robert	Waipa ..	Ireland ..	19 Nov., 1913	Intestate.
22	Gordon, George	Dunedin ..	Scotland ..	4 Feb., 1914	Testate.
23	Gyde, William John	Inglewood ..	England ..	6 " "	"
24	Hall, Clara Lucy	Lower Hutt..	" ..	3 " "	"
25	Hamilton, Thomas Milburn	Nelson ..	England ..	22 Dec., 1913	"
26	Haye, Carl	Greymouth ..	Germany ..	18 Jan., 1914	"
27	Hayton, Robert	Cambridge ..	England ..	1 " "	"
28	Henry, George Stuart	Wellington ..	" ..	24 " "	"
29	Hodgson, William	Cheviot ..	" ..	1 " "	"
30	Hofmeister, Sarah Margaret	Christchurch ..	England ..	11 Aug., 1913	Intestate.
31	Homer, Percy	Wellington ..	" ..	3 Feb., 1914	Testate.
32	Isaacs, Henry Isaac	" ..	" ..	10 " "	"
33	Jennings, William	Pakiri ..	" ..	13 Dec., 1913	Intestate.
34	Kight, Bridget Delia, or Ford	Wellington ..	England ..	1 Feb., 1914	"
35	Lankow, John Gottlieb Hartwig	Nelson ..	Germany ..	25 Jan., "	Testate.
36	Leese, Alice Ada	Wellington ..	" ..	19 " "	Intestate.
37	Longman, Alexander	Christchurch ..	Scotland ..	25 Nov., 1913	Testate.
38	Mackay, William Stewart	Clevedon ..	England ..	28 " "	Intestate.
39	McGee, John	Dunedin ..	" ..	5 " "	Testate.
40	McGee, Mary, or Mary Costello	Fairfield ..	Ireland ..	27 " "	Intestate.
41	McKenzie, William	Porangahau ..	Scotland ..	7 Dec., "	"
42	McMillan, Mary	Opoho ..	" ..	24 July, 1897	"
43	McTague, Hugh	Beaconsfield ..	Ireland ..	18 Nov., 1913	"
44	Marchell, Albert	Hawera ..	England ..	24 Jan., 1914	"
45	Metcalf, Henry	St. Albans ..	" ..	30 Sept., 1913	"
46	Muir, James Thomas	Wanganui ..	" ..	21 Jan., 1914	Testate.
47	Murray, Catherine Wakelin	Wellington ..	Scotland ..	6 " "	"
48	Osbaldiston, Janet Marion	Devonport ..	New South Wales	14 July, 1913	Intestate.
49	Pearson or Pierson, Peter George..	Nelson ..	Belgium ..	9 " 1887	Testate.
50	Plimmer, Henry	Wellington ..	" ..	1 Sept., 1910	"
51	Pockett, George Edward	Auckland ..	England ..	17 Nov., 1913	Intestate.
52	Rix, William	Wellington ..	" ..	8 Feb., 1914	Testate.
53	Robinson, James Edward	" ..	" ..	30 Dec., 1913	"
54	Rogers, James	Christchurch ..	" ..	25 July, "	Intestate.
55	Ross, Alexander	Dunedin ..	Ireland ..	28 Jan., 1914	Testate.
56	Sanders, Ellen Jane	Christchurch ..	England ..	20 Dec., 1913	Intestate.
57	Shadrach, William John	Motunau ..	" ..	30 Nov., "	"
58	Shirley, Elizabeth	Napier ..	England ..	24 Jan., 1914	Testate.
59	Simmons, Alma	Takapuna ..	" ..	4 " "	Intestate.
60	Skinner, Thomas Henry	Whangarei ..	" ..	7 Aug., 1911	"
61	Smith, Thomas	Tolago Bay ..	" ..	4 Nov., 1913	"
62	Stevenson, James	Wanganui East ..	" ..	26 Jan., 1914	"
63	Taylor, Kate	Inglewood ..	England ..	12 Feb., "	Testate.
64	Tonry, Michael	Bush Creek ..	Ireland ..	6 Jan., "	Intestate.
65	Upjohn, James Thomas	Upper Mangorei ..	England ..	29 Dec., 1913	"
66	Wells, Robert	Timaru ..	Scotland ..	5 Feb., 1914	"
67	Westwood, Edward	Palmerston North ..	" ..	19 June, 1913	"

Dated the 11th day of March, 1914.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

Immigration and Emigration Returns.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of FEBRUARY, 1914, showing the Places from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES FROM AND TO DIFFERENT PLACES.

Countries.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES				
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	
United Kingdom	205	214	59	63	541	162	175	22	21	380
Queensland .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Victoria	306	173	26	24	529	241	187	31	22	481
New South Wales	1,193	816	73	83	2,165	1,235	835	92	77	2,239
Western Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Australia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tasmania	198	78	7	10	293	59	34	7	8	108
Fiji	31	12	10	4	57	33	7	1	..	41
Other British possessions	42	14	1	4	61*	36	13	3	1	53†
Pacific Islands	18	10	4	3	35‡	41	7	1	..	49§
Other foreign ports	27	8	..	1	36||	39	19	..	1	59¶
Totals, February, 1914	2,020	1,325	180	192	3,717	1,846	1,277	157	130	3,410
Totals, February, 1913	2,090	1,467	252	248	4,057	1,478	970	128	90	2,666

The excess of the arrivals in New Zealand over the departures therefrom during the month of February, 1914, was therefore 307 persons.

* From Canada, 49; Cape Town, 12. † For Canada. ‡ From Sandwich Islands, 10; Society Islands, 9; Friendly Islands, 3; Navigator Islands, 13. § For Sandwich Islands, 7; Society Islands, 24; Friendly Islands, 13; Navigator Islands, 5. || From San Francisco. ¶ For San Francisco, 28; Monte Video, 27; Teneriffe, 3; Rio de Janeiro, 1.

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.*

Ports.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
Auckland	1,170	110	778	502	1,280	1,099	88	722	465	1,187
Wellington	1,425	195	887	733	1,620	1,503	131	943	691	1,634
Invercargill	750	67	535	282	817	521	68	338	251	589
Totals, February, 1914	3,345	372	2,200	1,517	3,717	3,123	287	2,003	1,407	3,410
Totals, February, 1913	3,557	500	2,342	1,715	4,057	2,448	218	1,606	1,060	2,666
Chinese: Arrivals—					Chinese: Departures—					
At Auckland			Males.	Females.	From Auckland			Males.	Females.	
.. Wellington			19	..	.. Wellington			14	..	
Total arrivals			6	1	Total departures			19	..	
			25	1				33	..	

* It is important to mention that, in the returns from which this table is made up, immigrants to the Dominion are all counted at the first port of arrival, and emigrants at the final port of departure.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 16th March, 1914.

MALCOLM FRASER,
Government Statistician.

Applications invited for the Position of Inspector, Land and Income Tax Department, Wellington. Applications invited for the Position of Designing Engineer Public Works Department.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 12th March, 1914.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 12th March, 1914.

1. APPLICATIONS, to be made on forms obtainable from this office, will be received up till noon on the 9th April, 1914, from officers of the Public Service, for the position of Inspector in the Land and Income Tax Department, Wellington (two vacancies).
2. Applications must be forwarded through the head of the Department, addressed to the Secretary to the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, and must embrace a statement of education and experience, particulars of age, &c.
3. Applicants must be qualified accountants (by examination).
4. The position will be graded in the Clerical Division. Salary £260, rising to £315.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

1. APPLICATIONS will be received up till noon on the 28th March, 1914, for the position of Designing Engineer.
2. Applications must be forwarded to the Secretary to the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, and must embrace a statement of education and experience, particulars of age, &c.
3. Applicants are required to state qualifications and experience for designing engines and boilers, also steel, timber, and concrete (plain and reinforced) bridges, retaining-walls, culverts, and miscellaneous structures.
4. The position will be graded in Classes C and B, Professional Division. Minimum £420, rising by four annual increments of £20 to £500.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

*Applications invited for the Position of District Health Officer,
Department of Public Health, Auckland.*

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 13th March, 1914.

1. APPLICATIONS will be received up to noon on the 31st March, 1914, for the position of District Health Officer, Department of Public Health, Hospitals, and Charitable Aid at Auckland.
2. Applications must be addressed to the Secretary to the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, and must embrace a statement of education and experience, particulars of age, &c.
3. Applicants must be duly qualified medical practitioners and the holders of diplomas in public health or other equivalent qualifications in sanitary and bacteriological science.
4. Preference will be given to applicants under thirty-five years of age.
5. Duties will be defined later by the Chief Health Officer, Department of Public Health.
6. The position will be graded in Classes B and A, Professional Division. Minimum, £500; maximum, £700.
7. The successful applicant will not be permitted to engage in private practice, and the appointment will be subject to the provisions of the Public Service Act, 1912.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

*Applications invited for the Position of Ranger, Public
Trust Office.*

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 18th March, 1914.

- APPLICATIONS will be received up till noon on the 8th April, 1914, for the position of Ranger, Public Trust Office.
2. Applications must be addressed to the Secretary to the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, and must embrace a statement of education and experience, particulars of age, &c.
 3. Applicants must not be more than forty-five years of age.
 4. Applicants must have had farming experience and have a knowledge of—
 - (a.) The business and methods of agriculture.
 - (b.) The market prices of the main staple items of agricultural produce.
 - (c.) The raising, feeding, and value of live-stock.
 - (d.) Noxious weeds and the effect of their growth as upon the land.
 - (e.) Farm draining, roading, fencing; and of the suitability and condition of farm buildings.
 - (f.) The value of farming improvements generally.
 - (g.) The value of country lands and of the prospect of their increasing in value with improved management, or their liability to deteriorate from neglect or bad farming, or from other local drawbacks.
 5. Applicants must be judges of—
 - (a.) The carrying-capacity of land and its suitability for sheep-farming, dairying, or cropping.
 - (b.) The rental values of farm lands.
 6. Applicants must have some aptitude for clerical work and correspondence.
 7. The Ranger's district will comprise the following counties:—
Clifton, Taranaki, Egmont, Stratford, Whangamomona, Waimate West, Eltham, Hawera, Patea, Waitotara, Wangaehu, Rangitikei, Waimarino, and Kaitieke; and his headquarters will be Hawera.
 8. Salary, £300 per annum, General Division.
 9. Appointment to be subject to the Public Service Act, 1912.
 10. Particulars of duties may be seen at any branch of the Public Trust Office.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

*Public Service Stores Tender Board.—Supply and Delivery
of Provisions to Government Steamers and Clothing to Training-ship "Amokura," at Wellington.*

Wellington, 13th March, 1914.

WRITTEN tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to 5 p.m. on Thursday, the 26th March, 1914, at the office of the Public Service Stores Tender Board, Wellington, for the supply of groceries and meat

to the Government steamers at Wellington for the period from the 1st April to the 31st December, 1914, and for the supply of clothing, &c., to the training-ship "Amokura," at Wellington, for the year ending the 31st March, 1915. Tenders to be marked, "Tender for Supplies, Government Steamers." Copies of condition of supply and forms of tender may be obtained from the Secretary, Marine Department, Customhouse, where the samples of clothing, &c., may also be seen.

Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of £25. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. MACKAY, Chairman.

*Public Service Stores Tender Board.—Supply and Delivery
of Aluminium Cable, Bolts, &c.*

Wellington, 13th March, 1914.

THE time for receiving tenders for the aluminium cable, bolts, &c., advertised in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 19th February, 1914, is extended to 5 p.m. on Wednesday, the 6th May, 1914.

J. MACKAY,
Chairman.

*Public Service Stores Tender Board.—Supply and Delivery of
Mail-bags.*

Wellington, 16th March, 1914.

TENDERS for the supply and delivery of mail-bags for the period ending the 31st March, 1915, will be received at the office of the Chairman up to 5 p.m. on Monday, the 6th April, 1914. Tenders must be addressed to the Chairman, Public Service Stores Tender Board, Wellington, and be accompanied by a bank cheque for £25. They must be marked on the outside "Tender for mail-bags." Delivery of the bags is to be made as shown in the Conditions of Tender, and the successful tenderer will be required to give the security required by the conditions for the due performance of the contract. Particulars and conditions of tendering and specifications may be obtained at the offices of the Controller of Stores, Post and Telegraph Department, Wellington; the District Storekeeper, Post and Telegraph Department, Christchurch; or the Chief Postmasters at Auckland and Dunedin, where samples may be seen.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. MACKAY,
Chairman.

*Election of Members of the Public Service Superannuation
Board.*

Public Service Superannuation Office,
Wellington, 19th March, 1914.

IN accordance with the regulations made under the provisions of the Public Service Classification and Superannuation Act, 1908, the official count of votes polled at the election held on the 2nd day of March, 1914, for three members of the Public Service Superannuation Board, to represent contributors belonging to Departments other than the Post and Telegraph Department and the Police Force, took place at the Board-room, Wellington, on Wednesday, the 18th day of March, 1914. The following is the number of votes recorded for each candidate:—

Bishop, Helyar Wedderburn	2,505
Allport, George	2,417
Macdonald, John William	2,340
Fraser, Malcolm	2,219
Haszard, Henry Douglas Morpeth	992

I hereby declare Messrs. H. W. Bishop, G. Allport, and J. W. Macdonald to be duly elected members of the Board for the ensuing three years.

Messrs. H. E. Combs and H. A. R. Huggins, being the only candidates nominated to represent the contributors belonging to the Post and Telegraph Department, have been declared duly elected for the ensuing three years.

Mr. J. W. Ellison, being the only candidate nominated to represent the contributors belonging to the Police Force, has been declared duly elected for the ensuing three years.

WILLIAM M. WRIGHT,
Returning Officer.

Result of an Election under the Government Railways Act, 1908.—Government Railways Superannuation Fund Board.

New Zealand Government Railways,
Head Office, Wellington, 19th March, 1914.

THE following is the result of the fourth ordinary election of the elective members of the Government Railways Superannuation Fund Board, constituted under the Government Railways Act, 1908:—

NORTH ISLAND.

First Division.

Isaacs, Arthur Michael	485
Casey, Eugene	425
Keogh, Patrick	161
Informal	12

SOUTH ISLAND.

First Division.

Moir, Ernest Park Unopposed.

Second Division: Both Islands.

Wilson, William Thomas	2024
Lee, Martin	2000
Gaines, Peter	1999
Dwyer, Daniel	1646
Dash, Ernest John	1628
Puttick, John Pryor	1385
Hampton, Richard	1347
Kennedy, Samuel	1077
Gregory, George Willis	795
Kelly, Charles George	780
Carr, Patrick Cornelius	738
Watson, Thomas Cameron	679
Holmes, Charles Edward	638
Carlyle, Oliver Thomas	583
Informal	321

I hereby declare the following duly elected to act as members of the Government Railways Superannuation Fund Board:—

- Robert Michael Isaacs, Representative of First Division, North Island.
- Ernest Park Moir, Representative of First Division, South Island.
- William Thomas Wilson, Martin Lee, and Peter Gaines, Representatives of Second Division.

R. W. McVILLY,
Returning Officer.

Result of an Election under the Government Railways Act, 1908.—Railway Boards of Appeal.

New Zealand Government Railways,
Head Office, Wellington, 19th March, 1914.

THE following is the result of the fifth ordinary election of the elective members of the Railway Boards of Appeal for the North Island and South Island respectively, constituted under the Government Railways Act, 1908:—

NORTH ISLAND.

FIRST DIVISION.

Hutchings, Arthur William	556
Ryan, Charles Philip	533
Informal	2

SECOND DIVISION.

Traffic and Stores.

Dwyer, Daniel	592
Barry, Patrick John James	331
Callender, Charles William Brett	186
Informal	6

Locomotive Running.

Whisker, Alexander Unopposed.

Maintenance.

Churchouse, James Llewellyn	312
Geraghty, Lawrence	275
McGlone, Robert	146
Informal	5

Workshops Branch.

McKenzie, David	267
Kelly, Charles George	231
Whitburn, Joseph Henry	207
Holmes, Charles Edward	86
Williams, George Edgar	50
Informal	10

SOUTH ISLAND.

FIRST DIVISION.

Ennis, William Oliver	298
Dobbie, Edward	191
Taylor, Alexander Robert	170
McPherson, John Goodlet	157
Brady, Francis Patrick	38
Stewart, George Gordon	21
Informal	4

SECOND DIVISION.

Traffic and Stores.

Gaines, Peter	605
McTigue, Thomas	273
Informal	4

Locomotive Running.

Martin, George Frederick Unopposed.

Maintenance.

Dash, Ernest John	466
Puttick, John Pryor	341
Wilks, Samuel Henry	124
Informal	5

Workshops.

Jones, John Henry Unopposed.

I hereby declare Arthur William Hutchings, Daniel Dwyer, Alexander Whisker, James Llewellyn Churchouse, and David McKenzie duly elected to act as members of the North Island Appeal Board; and William Oliver Ennis, Peter Gaines, George Frederick Martin, Ernest John Dash, and John Henry Jones duly elected to act as members of the South Island Appeal Board.

R. W. McVILLY,
Returning Officer.

Election of Member of Auckland Land Board.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 11th March, 1914.

IN accordance with the provisions of section 41 of the Land Act, 1908, and the regulations made thereunder, I, Harry May Skeet, Commissioner of Crown Lands, as Returning Officer for the election of a member of the Auckland Land Board, do hereby declare the result of the poll taken on the 10th day of March, 1914, to be as follows:—

Keegan, Patrick	182
Powell, Henry Charlton	233
Trounson, James	1,871

Total number of valid votes 2,286
Number of votes rejected as informal 205

And I do hereby declare that JAMES TROUNSON, having received the greatest number of valid votes, is duly elected a member of the Auckland Land Board as from the 17th day of March, 1914.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands,
Returning Officer.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

The Treasury, New Zealand,
Friendly Societies Office,
Wellington, 7th March, 1914.

THE Star of Egmont Lodge, No. 12, situated at Eltham, is registered as a branch of the Independent Order of Oddfellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 9th day of March, 1914.

A. T. TRAVERSI,
Deputy Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

The Treasury, New Zealand,
Friendly Societies Office,
Wellington, 9th March, 1914.

THE Star of Ellerslie Lodge, No. 100, situated at Ellerslie, is registered as a branch of the Independent Order of Oddfellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 9th day of March, 1914.

A. T. TRAVERSI,
Deputy Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

The Treasury, New Zealand,
Friendly Societies Office,
Wellington, 9th March, 1914.

THE Aroha Lodge, No. 11, situated at South Invercargill, is registered as a branch of the Independent Order of Oddfellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 9th day of March, 1914.

A. T. TRAVERSI,
Deputy Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Notice to Mariners No. 28 of 1914.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 13th March, 1914.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Marine Department, Brisbane, is published for general information.

B. W. MILLIER,
For Secretary.

TORRES STRAIT, EAST COAST OF AUSTRALIA.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after 1st April, 1914, the work of erecting lighthouses on the undermentioned islands and reefs in Torres Strait will be undertaken by the Commonwealth Government, and mariners are warned that camp-fires, lights, &c., may be seen showing from any of the following places during the erection of the lighthouses:—Clerke Island, Piper Island, Chapman Island, Tih Tih Reef, Heath Reef, Dhu (d) Reef, Coquet Island.

Charts affected: Nos. 3088, 2920, 2919, 2764, 2921, and 2922; "Australia Directory," Vol. II.

JOHN MACKAY,
Portmaster.
Marine Department,
Brisbane, 23rd February, 1914.

Notice to Mariners No. 31 of 1914.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 16th March, 1914.

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

B. W. MILLIER,
For Secretary.

ENGLAND, EAST COAST.—RIVER THAMES ENTRANCE.

Tongue Light-vessel.—Alteration in Daymark.

Position.—Lat. $51^{\circ} 30\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $1^{\circ} 23\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

Details.—The light-vessel which has hitherto carried the lantern at the masthead as a daymark will, until further notice, carry a ball at the masthead.

Charts affected.—No. 1607, North Foreland to the Nore; No. 1610, North Foreland to Orfordness; No. 1406, Dover and Calais to Orfordness and Scheveningen; No. 2675c, English Channel, eastern sheet.

Publications.—"List of Lights," Part I, 1913, No. 211; "North Sea Pilot," Part III, 1905, page 337.

Mouse Sand.—Extended to the Southward.

Position.—Barrow buoy, No. 17, lat. $51^{\circ} 31\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $1^{\circ} 3' E$.

Details.—Mouse sand has recently extended to the southward, and at the present time there is a low-water depth of only 16 ft. at a distance of about half a mile westward from Barrow buoy No. 17, and on a line between that buoy and Mouse light-vessel.

Remarks.—Pending a resurvey of the locality, mariners are cautioned to keep to the southward of the line mentioned above.

ENGLAND.—SOUTH COAST.

Plymouth Sound.—Sunken Obstruction to be placed.

Position.—Drake's Island, lat. $50^{\circ} 21\frac{1}{4}'$ N., long. $4^{\circ} 9\frac{1}{4}'$ W.

Details.—A line of concrete blocks, 100 yards in length, will shortly be placed on the flat south-westward of Drake's Island. The extremities of the line of blocks will be marked by beacons, each consisting of a staff with triangular topmark, situated as follows: North-eastern beacon, at a distance of 375 yards, 219° (*S. 56^{\circ} W. mag.*), from Drake's Island flagstaff; south-western beacon, at a distance of 100 yards, 219° (*S. 56^{\circ} W. mag.*), from the north-eastern beacon.

Remarks.—Boats must not attempt to pass between these beacons even at high water.

Variation.— $17^{\circ} W$.

MALACCA STRAIT.—PENANG HARBOUR.

Prye River Approach.—Wreck marked by Light-vessel and a Buoy.

(a.) Wreck:—

Position.—At a distance of $7\frac{1}{10}$ cables, 304° (*N. 57^{\circ} W. mag.*), from the harbour mark on the south side of the entrance to Prye River. Lat. $5^{\circ} 22\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $100^{\circ} 21\frac{3}{4}' E$.

Description.—Sunken wreck of the "Colleen."

(b.) Light-vessel:—

Position.—Over position of wreck.

Description.—Lighter carrying a red flag by day and a red light over a white light (vertical) by night.

(c.) Buoy:—

Position.—At a short distance westward from the wreck.

Description.—A green wreck-buoy.

Variation.— $1^{\circ} E$.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.—NORTH-WEST COAST.

Port Walcot Approach.—Amended Details of Shoal.

Position.—At a distance of $13\frac{8}{10}$ miles, 339° (*N. 21^{\circ} W. mag.*), from Depuch Island summit. Lat. $20^{\circ} 25\frac{1}{2}' S$., long. $117^{\circ} 39\frac{1}{4}' E$.

Depth.— $1\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms, sand and coral bottom.

Remarks.—The shoal consists of 2 heads 1 cable apart.

Variation.—Nil.

CHINA SEA.—BATAN ISLANDS.

North Island.—Breakers reported South-westward of.

Position.—At a distance of $2\frac{7}{10}$ miles, 229° (*S. 50^{\circ} W. mag.*), from the summit of North Island. Lat. $21^{\circ} 1\frac{1}{2}' N$., long. $121^{\circ} 55\frac{1}{4}' E$.

Remarks.—A note, "Breakers reported (1913)," has been placed against the above position on the charts.

Variation.— $1^{\circ} W$.

LINGA ARCHIP.—MUJU ISL.—A fl. white lt. is to be ex. in $0^{\circ} 32\frac{1}{2}' S$., $104^{\circ} 1\frac{3}{4}' E$., on Muju Isl., and the lt.-buoy on Speke Rk. is then to be withdrawn. Jan.

SURABAYA STRAIT.—W. FAIRWAY.—The f. red and f. green lts. of the lt.-buoys in the W. fairway are to be replaced by fl. red and fl. green lts. Jan.

WASHINGTON.

JUAN DE FUCA STRAIT.—CLALLAM BAY.—CLALLAM REEF.—BELL-BUOY TO BE ESTABLISHED.—About 15th January, 1914, Clallam Reef Bell-buoy 1 will be established in 10 fathoms of water off the end of Clallam Reef, Clallam Bay, Juan de Fuca Strait, Washington, on the bearings—

Slip Point Lighthouse 123°
Rocky Point, in middle of bay, right tangent 243°

PUGET SOUND.—ADMIRALTY INLET.—POINT HUDSON LIGHT.—CHARACTERISTIC CHANGED.—On 1st January, 1914, the characteristic of Point Hudson Light, Admiralty Inlet, Puget Sound, Washington, was changed from fixed red to intermittent white, of about 300 candle-power, every $7\frac{1}{2}$ seconds—thus, light 3.8 seconds, eclipsed 3.7 seconds.

The new light is an incandescent electric light, exhibited 24 ft. above high water and 20 ft. above the ground from the top of a white iron post.

Approx. position: Lat. $48^{\circ} 7' N$., long. $122^{\circ} 44' 53" W$.

JAVA.

NORTH COAST.—SURABAYA.—LIGHT ESTABLISHED.—The Netherlands Government has given notice that a flashing white dioptric acetylene light every 3 seconds—thus, flash 1 second, eclipsed 2 seconds—has been established on the head of the dam on the eastern side of the entrance to the Kalimas River, Surabaya, north coast of Java.

The light is exhibited 49 ft. above the sea from a white skeleton iron tower, and is visible 11 miles.

Approx. position: Lat. $7^{\circ} 11' 51" S$., long. $112^{\circ} 44' 12" E$.

URUGUAY.

MONTEVIDEO.—LIGHT-BUOYS ESTABLISHED AND MOVED.—BUOYS DISCONTINUED.—NON-EXISTENCE OF SHOAL.—The following information concerning the Port of Montevideo, Uruguay, has been received from the Director of the Hydrographic Office, Department of Public Works, Republic of Uruguay:—

The light and whistle buoy marking the axis of the entrance channel is located about 200 yards northward of its charted position, and 2.65 miles, $181^{\circ} 45'$, from the flashing red light on the head of the East Breakwater.

A black gas-buoy, showing a flashing white light, is moored southward of Redonda Rock, and 1.57 miles, $329^{\circ} 15'$, from the same light.

A red gas-buoy, showing a flashing red light, is moored southward of Teja Rock, and 1.8 miles, $343^{\circ} 15'$, from the same light.

The light-buoy, showing a *flashing green* light, marking Sarina (Sabina) Rock is located 80 yards south-south-eastward of the rock, and 1 mile, 339' 30", from the same light.

Buoys Nos. 1 and 2 have been discontinued.

A *fixed red* light is exhibited on the north-western end of the West Breakwater.

The 2½-fathom shoal, located 3.72 miles, 154° 30', from East Breakwater light, does not exist.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO BAY APPROACH.—SAN FRANCISCO LIGHT-VESSEL.—STATION BUOY TO BE ESTABLISHED.—About 1st March, 1914, San Francisco Light-vessel station-buoy, a first-class can, painted red and marked $\frac{LV}{SP}$, will be established in 18 fathoms of water about 335 yards, 250°, from San Francisco Light-vessel, San Francisco Bay approach, California.

SAN FRANCISCO BAY.—OAKLAND HARBOUR SOUTH JETTY LIGHT DESTROYED.—PROVISIONAL LIGHT.—On 17th January, 1914, Oakland Harbour South Jetty Light, San Francisco Bay, California, was destroyed. This light structure will be rebuilt as soon as practicable, but until further notice a provisional *fixed red* post lantern light, of about 11 candle-power, will be exhibited 16 ft. above the water from a dolphin erected in 2 fathoms of water about 150 ft., 108°, from the position of the old beacon.

Approximate position of South Jetty light, latitude 37° 47' 53" N., longitude 122° 19' 50" W.

SAN FRANCISCO BAY APPROACH.—SAN FRANCISCO LIGHT-VESSEL REPLACED ON STATION.—RELIEF LIGHT-VESSEL WITHDRAWN.—Notice is given that on 9th January, 1914, San Francisco Light-vessel was replaced on her station in the approach to San Francisco Bay, California, and Relief Light-vessel No. 76 was withdrawn.

No change has been made in the characteristic of the light or fog-signal or in the general appearance of the station vessel.

Approx. position: Lat. 37° 45' 3" N., long. 122° 41' 30" W.

SAN FRANCISCO BAY.—SAN PABLO BAY CARQUINEZ STRAIT LIGHT-STATION.—FOG-SIGNAL MOVED.—On 1st January, 1914, the fog-siren at Carquinez Strait Light-station, San Pablo Bay, California, was moved about 200 yards, 246°, to the outer end of Mare Island Dike No. 9, without other change.

Approximate position of Carquinez Strait light: Latitude 38° 4' 9" N., longitude 122° 14' 35" W.

SUISUN BAY.—AVON WHARF.—ESTABLISHMENT OF FOG-SIGNAL POSTPONED.—Notice is given that the establishment of the fog-bell operated by machinery on Avon Wharf, Suisun Bay, California, has been postponed until further notice.

SAN FRANCISCO BAY APPROACH.—SAN FRANCISCO LIGHT-VESSEL WITHDRAWN FROM STATION.—RELIEF LIGHT-VESSEL.—On 3rd January, 1914, San Francisco Light-vessel, San Francisco Bay approach, California, was temporarily withdrawn from her station, and the station was marked by Relief Light-vessel No. 76.

Relief Light-vessel No. 76 shows a light and sounds fog-signals having the same characteristics as those of the station-vessel, except that the light is *fixed white*, shown from three lens lanterns of 170 candle-power each, encircling the mast-head at a height of 46 ft. above the water, and visible 12 miles.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

HARO STRAIT.—DISCOVERY ISLAND LIGHT-STATION.—CHANGE IN FOG-SIGNAL.—The Canadian Government has given notice that on 1st January, 1914, and without further notice, the steam fog-horn at Discovery Island Light-station, Haro Strait, British Columbia, would be replaced by a compressed-air diaphone, which will sound *1 blast of 5 seconds* duration every *minute*—thus, blast *5 seconds*, silent interval *55 seconds*.

The new fog-alarm building is a square, white, wooden building, with a gable roof, standing about 50 ft. northward of the old one.

The horn is elevated about 45 ft. above high-water mark.

Approx. position: Lat. 48° 25' 20" N., long. 123° 13' 42" W.

VANCOUVER ISLAND.—EAST COAST.—SAANICH INLET.—FINLAYSON ARM.—BEACON ROCK.—BEACON ERECTED.—A beacon, consisting of a steel spindle surmounted by a triangle, has been erected by the Portland Cement Construction Company, on Beacon Rock, Finlayson Arm, Saanich Inlet, Vancouver Island, British Columbia.

Approx. position: Lat. 48° 32' 44" N., long. 123° 32' 15" W.

SOUTH-WEST COAST.—BARKLEY SOUND.—UCLUELET ARM.—BEACON ERECTED.—A beacon consisting of a square concrete base, 5 ft. high, surmounted by a staff carrying a white-washed wooden slatwork ball 8 ft. in diameter, the top of the ball being 15 ft. above high water, has been established on a rock off the Indian village in Ucluelet Arm, Barkley Sound, south-west coast of Vancouver Island.

Approx. position: Lat. 48° 56' 14" N., long. 125° 31' 20" W.

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SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN.—NEW HEBRIDES.

Bougainville Strait, Western Approach.—Non-existence of Reef.

Position on charts.—Lat. 15° 42' S., long. 166° 1' E.

Description.—Reef with a depth of 4½ fathoms, marked "Cheyne, 1853, E.D."

Remarks.—This reef was not seen by H.M.S. "Prometheus" in 1906, and the German surveying vessel H.I.M.S. "Planet," in 1910, obtained a sounding of 1,857 fathoms, fine grey sand and clay, in this position. The reef is therefore considered not to exist, and has been expunged from the Admiralty charts, the sounding above referred to being inserted in lieu.

SOLOMON ISLANDS.—BUKA ISLAND.—KING ALBERT STRAIT.—BEACONS DISAPPEARED.—BEACONS ESTABLISHED.—The commander of the German man-of-war "Condor" reports that the beacons recently established in King Albert Strait, Solomon Islands, no longer exist.

The following beacons have been erected:—

Beacon A, in (approximately) latitude 5° 26' 39" S., longitude 154° 38' 44" E.

Beacon B, in (approximately) latitude 5° 26' 43" S., longitude 154° 39' 16" E.

Beacon C, in (approximately) latitude 5° 26' 30" S., longitude 154° 39' 52" E.

Beacon 1, in (approximately) latitude 5° 26' 33" S., longitude 154° 39' 30" E.

Beacon 2, in (approximately) latitude 5° 26' 24" S., longitude 154° 39' 57" E.

NEW ZEALAND.—SOUTH ISLAND.

Otago Harbour Approach.—Caution with regard to Current.

Position.—Tairaroa Head, lat. 45° 46½' S., long. 170° 45' E.

Caution.—Mariners are warned that between Moeraki and Tairaroa Head a southerly set may be experienced after heavy north-easterly weather.

Remarks.—A note to the above effect has been placed on the charts.

CHINA, EAST COAST.—YANG TSE KIANG.

Wusung River Approach.—Alteration in Position of Quarantine Beacon.

New Position.—On Chung pao sha (Bush I), at a distance of 4 cables, 114° (S. 63° E. mag.), from its former position.

Chung pao sha, lat. 31° 26' N., long. 121° 33' E.

Description.—Mast surmounted by a black spherical cage.

Remarks.—The above-mentioned change has been rendered necessary owing to the washing-away of the western end of Chung pao sha.

YANGTZE RIVER.—SOUTH CHANNEL.—EXPERIMENTAL SUBMARINE BELL-BUOY WITHDRAWN.—The Chinese Government has given notice that the experimental submarine bell-buoy moored in the approach to the South Channel, Yangtze River entrance, China, would be withdrawn about 22nd December, 1913.

NEW EDITIONS OF CHARTS.

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN, FIJI.—No 1757, Nukulau Island to Namuka Island.

Wanganui Inlet.—Correction to Charts.

Position.—Lat. 40° 34½' S., long. 172° 33¼' E.

Correction.—The name of this inlet should be altered to "West Haven Inlet" on the undermentioned charts.

Remarks.—The Pilot, as amended by the Supplement, 1911, is correct.

No. 2616. New Zealand, South Isl., Cape Foulwind to D'Urville Isl. Dec.

Notice to Mariners No. 32 of 1914.

OTAGO HARBOUR ENTRANCE LEADING LIGHTS.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 18th March, 1914.

THE Otago Harbour Board have notified that on and after 20th March, 1914, the bearing of the entrance leading lights to Otago Harbour will be altered to 180° ½ (S. 18° E. magnetic) when the rear *white light beacon* erected on the Otago Peninsula will be moved 330 ft., 84° (N. 65° ½ E. magnetic), from its present position to a new position.

Vessels entering the harbour will now do so on a line westwards of the present line.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2411 and 2532; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter viii, page 253; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1914, page 341, and plan facing page 342.

B. W. MILLIER,
For Secretary.

Regulations under the Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks Act, 1908.

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 13th March, 1914.

I, FRANCIS MARION BATES FISHER, Minister of Customs, do hereby revoke the regulations made under the Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks Act, 1889, dated the 31st December, 1889, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the 9th January, 1890, and do hereby make the following regulations under section 96 of the Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks Act, 1908, that is to say,—

1. Goods prohibited to be imported for having applied to them forged trade-marks, false trade descriptions, or marks, names, or descriptions otherwise illegal, which upon examination are detected by the officers of Customs, are to be detained by them without the requirement of previous information.

2. In giving information with a view to detention an informant must fulfil the following conditions, namely:—

(a.) He must give to the Collector of Customs of the port of expected importation notice in writing stating—

The number of packages expected, as far as he is able to state the same;

The description of the goods by marks or other particulars sufficient for their identification;

The name of the importing ship;

The manner in which the goods infringe the Act;

The expected day of the arrival of the ship.

(b.) He must give the Collector such security by bond or otherwise as the Collector deems necessary to reimburse the Minister for all expenses and damages which may be incurred by reason of the examination of such goods, or of the detention thereof, or of any subsequent proceedings which may arise therefrom. The bond or other security may be general or special, and in such form as the Minister may prescribe, and shall, except by special permission of the Collector, be given prior to the examination or detention of any such goods.

3. If the required security is not duly given, or if upon examination of such goods the Collector is satisfied that there is no ground for their detention, they may be delivered.

4. The notice referred to above shall be in the form contained in the Schedule hereto, or in such other form as the Minister may from time to time order and direct.

SCHEDULE.

NOTICE.

The Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks Act, 1908.

To the Collector of Customs at the Port of

I HEREBY give you notice that the undermentioned goods, that is to say,* , are about to be imported into your port, on or about the day of next, in the† from ; that such goods are liable to detention and forfeiture, being‡ ; that Mr. , of , and Mr. , of , are prepared to become my sureties in such bond as may be required before detention of the goods; and I request that the said goods may be detained and dealt with accordingly.

Dated at , this day of , 19
A. B. [or Agent for].

* Describe the goods, number of packages, marks used, and any other particulars necessary for their identification.

† Name of ship.

‡ State how the goods infringe the Act, and, if the infringement is one as to a forged trade-mark protected in the United Kingdom, or in a British Possession, or Foreign State, state the Possession or State, or, if the infringement is one as to place or country of origin, state the name of the place or country falsely used.

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

Minister's Order No. 1076.]

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Land in the Cheviot Estate, Canterbury Land District, for Sale by Public Auction.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 18th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 287 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Friday, 19th June, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—CHEVIOT COUNTY.—CHEVIOT SURVEY DISTRICT.—CHEVIOT ESTATE.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
20	IX	A. R. P. 7 1 20	£ s. d. 88 10 0

Situated in Gore Bay, four miles and a half from Mackenzie Township by good metalled road. About four acres are in native grass, and the rest has been cultivated and laid down in English grass. Good soil on limestone formation.

TERMS OF SALE.

The buyer may pay for the land in cash, or one-half of the purchase-money will be allowed to remain for five years at 5 per cent. The terms are: (1.) Cash—One-fourth of the purchase-money on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown-grant fee (£1), within thirty days thereafter. (2.) Deferred payment—One-fourth of the purchase-money, with Crown-grant fee (£1), on the fall of the hammer, and one-fourth within thirty days thereafter; balance in five years from date of sale, with interest, payable half-yearly, at 5 per cent. per annum. In case of default in payment of purchase-money or interest, the Crown will resume possession of the land.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 16th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Monday, the 29th day of June, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—HOKIANGA COUNTY.—WAOKU SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTION 41, Block IX: Area, 48 acres.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 16th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Monday, the 29th day of June, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

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

SECTIONS 188 and 189: 100 acres 1 rood 39 perches.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 16th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Monday, the 29th day of June, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—HOBSON COUNTY.—TUTAMOE SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTION 11A, Block XV: 6 acres.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Milling Timber for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Hokitika, 16th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the timber standing upon the undermentioned reserve will be offered for sale by public auction at this office on Wednesday, the 22nd day of April, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., under the provisions of section 27 of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

RESERVE 155, Block III, Kanieri Survey District. Upset price of timber, £30.

Terms and Conditions of Sale.

1. The purchase-money in full must be paid on the fall of the hammer.
2. The purchaser will have the right to cut and remove the timber up to 30th June, 1915, and any timber not removed before that date will revert to the Crown.
3. The purchaser will have the right to lay all necessary tramways.

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

Education Reserves in Otago Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 14th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned education reserves will be offered for lease by public auction at this office on Wednesday, the 29th day of April, 1914, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and its amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
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Town of Oamaru.

		A. R. P.	£	s.	d.
20	XLVI	0 1 0	3	0	0

Weighted with £6 5s., valuation for fencing.
Undulating section, situated in Ahn Street, opposite North School. Good building-site. Watered by town supply.

Town of Palmerston.

		A. R. P.	£	s.	d.
16	XVII	0 1 0	1	10	0

Weighted with £80, valuation for ornamental plantation, tennis-court, fencing, and entrance-gates.
A level section, in Copinsha Street. Good building-site. Served by town water-supply.

Town of Waihola.

		A. R. P.	£	s.	d.
14	IV	0 0 37	0	10	0
3	XVII	0 1 0	0	15	0
*1	XXV	0 1 0	0	10	0

*Weighted with 15s., valuation for fencing.
These sections are situated close to Waihola Railway-station, and are good building-sites. A creek runs through Section 14. Section 3 is undulating, and Sections 14 and 1 are level.

Town of Clyde.

		A. R. P.	£	s.	d.
19	X	0 1 0	1	0	0

Weighted with £1, valuation for fencing.
Level section; land light and shingly. Within a few chains of Clyde Railway-station.

NORTH HARBOUR AND BLUESKIN SURVEY DISTRICT.

Dunedin City.

		A. R. P.	£	s.	d.
51	VII	10 0 9	5	0	0

Weighted with £10 12s., valuation for fencing.
Situated about a mile from the tram terminus at Normanby. Rough, steep, unploughable land; suitable for grazing; well watered. Access difficult.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

1. With the exception of the leases of Sections 14, Block IV, and 1, Block XXV, Town of Waihola, possession will be given on 1st May, 1914, and the term of the leases will commence on 1st July, 1914. With respect to the leases of Sections 14,

Block IV, and 1, Block XXV, Town of Waihola, possession will be given on 28th July, 1914, and the term of the leases will commence on 1st July, 1915.

2. A half-year's rent at the rate offered, rent for the broken period between the date of possession and the commencement of the term of lease, lease and registration fees, and valuation for improvements to be paid on the fall of the hammer.

3. The term of the lease is twenty-one years, without right of renewal.

4. At the end of term lease to be offered by auction for further term of twenty-one years at rent to be fixed by arbitration, the incoming lessee to pay the value of the improvements, which is to be handed over to the outgoing lessee.

5. No assignment or sublease without consent.

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

7. Consent of the Land Board to be obtained before subdividing, erecting any buildings, or effecting other improvements.

8. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions violated.

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Education Reserves in Otago Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 14th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned education reserves will be offered for lease by public auction at this office on Wednesday, the 29th day of April, 1914, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and its amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
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Kauroo Survey District.

		A. R. P.	£	s.	d.
13 and 14	I	199 1 8	79	12	0

Weighted with £17 2s., valuation for fencing.
Situated about fourteen miles south-west of the Town of Oamaru, and about six miles from Maheno Railway-station. The land is nearly all ploughable, is well watered, and the soil is good. Access by good but unformed road.

Clarendon Survey District.

		A. R. P.	£	s.	d.
1 of 47	VI	30 0 0	3	0	0

Weighted with £6 16s., valuation for fencing.
Fair land, nearly level near northern boundary, but some what steep and broken at the southern end, where it breaks into the Akatore Creek. Some bush in the gullies. Situated about six miles from Taieri Mouth and about fourteen miles from Waihola Railway-station. About two miles from a school and post-office.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Possession will be given on the 1st May, 1914, and the term of the lease will commence from the 1st July, 1914.

2. A half-year's rent at the rate offered, and rent for the broken period between the 1st May, 1914, and the 30th June, 1914, lease and registration fees, and valuation for improvements to be paid on the fall of the hammer.

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

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

5. No assignment or sublease without consent.

6. Lessee to improve the land and keep it clear of all weeds.

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

8. Consent of the Land Board to be obtained before subdividing, erecting any building, or effecting other improvements.

9. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

Department of Lands and Survey,
Invercargill, 4th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for license by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, the 29th day of April, 1914, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SUBDIVISIONS A and B, being part of Section 132, Blocks III and IV, Forest Hill Hundred, and Section 5, Blocks VI and VII, Lindhurst Hundred, Southland County, Class B (Otago University Endowment). Area, 5,847 acres; term, fourteen years from 1st April, 1915; upset annual rental, £65; possession 1st April, 1915.

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

New dwellinghouse, shed, wool-shed, subdivisional and boundary fences, all valued at £300.

Description of Run.

The total area of the run is 5,847 acres, of which 1,150 acres are undrained swamp land abutting on the Hedgehope, Colledge, and Titipua Streams; this is capable of improvement by draining; 1,050 acres are undulating, ploughable downs in tussock, and the balance of the area, some 3,647 acres, consists of gravelly downs in fern and stunted manuka.

There is ample access, but most of the streams are unbridged, and the homestead is situated four miles from Hedgehope Railway-station, mostly by gravelled road.

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

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

Pastoral Runs in Otago Land District for License by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 10th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral runs will be offered for license by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin, at 11 o'clock a.m., on Wednesday, the 29th day of April, 1914, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 7, Block I, Kaitangata Survey District, Bruce County (Class B); area, 139 acres 3 roods 30 perches; term, twenty-one years; upset annual rental, £2 10s.

Run 424B, Southland County (Class B); area, 2,780 acres; term, five years; upset annual rental, £25; valuation for improvements, £272.

Run 515, Tuapeka County (Class A); area, 4,550 acres; term, fourteen years; upset annual rental, £140; valuation for improvements, £223 4s.

Possession will be given on day of sale.

Locality and Description of Runs.

Section 7, Block I, Kaitangata District.—Situated about four miles from the Town of Milton. Land mostly in poor bush, somewhat steep and broken, and with a southerly aspect.

Run 424B.—Situated about twenty miles from Waikaia, near the head of the Waikaia River. Access partly by road and partly by unformed track. Formerly bush country, now well grassed, but unsafe in winter. General elevation about 2,000 ft.

Run 515.—Situated near Coal Creek, about five miles from the Town of Roxburgh, from which place the run has access by the main road and also by an unformed stock-road. The country is mostly summer country, the greater part being at an altitude of 800 ft. to 4,500 ft. above sea-level, and is well grassed and watered. The run has a good easterly aspect, and is sheltered from the south-west wind. Fenced as shown on plan.

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 2nd March, 1914.

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 18th day of June, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WHANGAREI COUNTY.—MAUNGA-TAPERE PARISH.

3 acres (approx.) adjoining Section 129.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Land in Hauraki Mining District, Auckland Land District, for License.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 9th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for license under the regulations for the occupation of pastoral lands in Hauraki Mining District, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 27th April, 1914. The ballot for this land, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 27th April, 1914. Preference at the ballot will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—THAMES COUNTY.—THAMES SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block IX, 358 acres.

Formerly part of timber reserve. Undulating land. When cleared will make good sheep-country. About five miles from Puriri on Neavesville Road.

Term of License.

Term twenty-one years, with conditional right of renewal. All applications are subject to the approval of the Land Board.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Southland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 10th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction for cash at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, at 11 a.m. on Friday, 17th April, 1914, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

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

Suburban Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Upset Price.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
6, 7, and 9 (grouped)	XXVI	4	0	3	8	0	9
10, 11, 12, 13	"	4	0	0	8	0	0
6, 7, 8, 9, 10	XXVIII	5	0	0	10	0	0

Flat land, subject to floods. Soil on shingle interspersed with some old flood channels.

Terms of Sale.

One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown grant fee (£1), within thirty days thereafter; otherwise the part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit shall be forfeited and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void. Title will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1908.

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 21st January, 1914.

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 30th day of April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—ROTORUA COUNTY.—ROTOITI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
3	IV	A. R. P. 270 0 0

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Education Reserves in Southland Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 20th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Education Reserves will be offered for lease by public auction for terms of twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years, at this office on Friday, the 17th April, 1914, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908:—

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—EDUCATION RESERVES.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
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Wallace County.—Jacob's River Hundred.

Part	Block.	Area.	£	s.	d.
Part 19	V	70 3 9	17	15	0

Weighted with £29 2s. 8d., valuation for fencing.
Rich loamy soil. 50 acres cleared and cultivated; balance in bush. Situated four miles from school and five miles from dairy factory and railway.

Southland County.—Town of Dipton.

1 to 10	Block.	Area.	£	s.	d.
1 to 10	XVI	42 1 7	19	0	0

Weighted with £78, valuation for cottage and fencing.
Good warm soil, all under cultivation. Situated a quarter of a mile from school and one mile from Dipton Railway-station.

Southland County.—Mabel Hundred.

35	Block.	Area.	£	s.	d.
35	II	58 3 0	29	7	6

Weighted with £52 10s., valuation for fencing.
Flat land, all under cultivation. Situated two miles and a half from Woodlands Railway-station, dairy factory, and school by gravel road.

Southland County.—Waikaka Survey District.

14	Block.	Area.	£	s.	d.
14	VIII	13 3 30	2	2	0

Swampy land, in its natural state. Situated six miles from Mataura by metal road.

Southland County.—Wyndham Survey District.

4 and 5	Block.	Area.	£	s.	d.
4 and 5	X	439 0 25	11	18	0

Weighted with £33 12s., valuation for rabbit-proof fencing.
Hilly land covered with bush. Situated four miles from Glenham.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Possession will be given on the 1st May, 1914, and the term of the lease will commence from the 1st July, 1914.
2. A half-year's rent at the rate offered, and rent for the broken period between the 1st May, 1914, and the 30th June, 1914, lease and registration fees, and valuation for improvements to be paid on the fall of the hammer.
3. Term of lease is twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years.
4. Rent of renewal lease to be fixed by arbitration. If lessee does not desire new lease at end of any term, land to be leased by auction. The incoming lessee to pay the value of the improvements, which is to be handed over to outgoing lessee.
5. No assignment or sublease without consent.
6. Lessee to improve the land and keep it clear of all weeds

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

8. Consent of the Land Board to be obtained before subdividing, erecting any building, or effecting other improvements.

9. Lease will be registered under the Land Transfer Act.

10. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

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

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

Land in Tautari Village, Auckland Land District, for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 9th February, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and amendments; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 23rd March, 1914.

The ballot for the section, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, 26th March, 1914.

Preference will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WEST TAUPO COUNTY.—TAUTARI VILLAGE.

First-class Land.

Section.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
11	A. R. P. 1 0 0	£ s. d. 10 0 0	£ s. d. 0 4 6

Weighted with £37 for improvements, consisting of small iron house 24 ft. by 12 ft., and 17 chains fencing.

Altitude, about 250 ft. above sea-level. Level land, in old grass. Soil light loam, of medium quality; no water on section. Distant fourteen miles from Kihikihī by formed cart-road.

The value of the improvements must be paid immediately the applicant has been declared successful.

Full particulars may be ascertained and terms of lease seen at this office.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Otago Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 23rd February, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and its amendments; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, the 12th May, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—CLUTHA COUNTY.—RIMU SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.—National Endowment.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
21	XIV	A. R. P. 186 0 15	£ s. d. 100 0 0	£ s. d. 2 0 0

Weighted with £1 10s., valuation for improvements, consisting of bushfelling.

The land, although steep and broken in places, would afford good grazing after being cleared. It contains a good deal of heavy bush, and also a fair proportion that would not be difficult to clear. The road leading to the section has been formed and partly metalled as far as the eastern boundary of Section 16, and from there to the south-west corner of Section 36 it has been felled and logged up. Distant about two miles from Kahuika school and post-office, and about three miles from Puketiro Railway-siding.

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

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Wellington Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 9th February, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and amendments; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 25th March, 1914.

The ballot for the section, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, 26th March, 1914.

Preference will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—MAKARA COUNTY.—BELMONT SURVEY DISTRICT.—PAPARANGI SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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		A. R. P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
31	XII	6 0 0	300	0	0	6	15	0

Weighted with £231 for improvements, consisting of a four-roomed house with two brick chimneys, washhouse, stable, fowlhouses, about 36 chains of fencing, excavations, and tracks.

Situated on the Aurora Road, the access being from the Johnsonville Railway-station, which is about one mile distant by good metalled dray-road. Easy undulating land in grass, with good homestead-site near road-frontage. Soil is of good quality on rotten-rock formation. Elevation ranges from about 600 ft. to 800 ft. above sea-level.

The value of the improvements must be paid immediately the applicant has been declared successful.

Full particulars may be ascertained and terms of lease seen at this office.

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 14th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned small grazing-runs are open for lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, 2nd April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—WAIBOA COUNTY.—MAUNGAHARURU AND PUKETAU SURVEY DISTRICTS.

Second-class Pastoral Land.

Run No.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
102	2,390 0 0	4,690 0 0	93 16 0
103	3,000 0 0	4,420 0 0	88 8 0
104	3,050 0 0	4,090 0 0	81 16 0
105	3,830 0 0	6,230 0 0	124 12 0
106	1,370 0 0	3,250 0 0	65 0 0

DESCRIPTION OF RUNS.

Run 102. Altitude from about 700 ft. to 1,800 ft. Hilly and undulating pastoral country with big flats along the Esk River, growing manuka scrub, fern, and tutu, with some improved bush along the western boundary; intersected by deep gorge streams; generally light soil; well watered; plenty of dry totara on the ground for fencing, &c.; about 220 acres of burnt areas sown in grass this season. Distant thirty-four miles from Napier—twenty-nine miles by dray-road, remainder by unformed road. The right to take timber required for bridges, &c., is reserved by the Crown.

Run 103. Altitude about 600 ft. to 1,700 ft. Comprises a sandstone ridge known as the Gorge Range running from west to east, and breaking off to the north in cliffs with fair flats at the foot, and ridges and undulating land to the south, and big flats along the Esk River; about 100 acres of improved country suitable for a homestead-site in the north-west corner, growing manuka scrub and fern; generally light pumicy soil; fairly well watered; the north and south boundaries are stock-proof streams; about 310 acres of burnt areas sown down in grass this season. Distant thirty-two miles from Napier—twenty-nine miles by dray-road, remainder unformed road.

Run 104. Altitude from 800 ft. to 1,600 ft.; broken and undulating pastoral country growing manuka scrub, fern, and tutu; generally light pumicy soil; well watered; intersected by deep gorge streams; fenced on the north boundary to the Ohurakura Stream; about 300 acres of the burnt area has been sown down in grass this season. Distant twenty-eight miles from Napier by coach-road.

Run 105. Altitude from 400 ft. to 1,300 ft.; hilly and undulating pastoral country with flats along the Esk River, Ohurakura Stream, and old Taupo Road, growing manuka scrub, fern, and tutu, with a few small patches of light bush; the northern portion of the run is cut off from the southern portion on the road, where there is a good homestead-site, by a deep gorge, stock being able to cross only near the west boundary and about half a mile up from the Esk River; generally light pumicy soil; fairly well watered; about 12 acres sown down in grass this season. There is a small whare on the ground to the north-east of Trig P. Distant twenty-one miles from Napier, via the Esk River—eighteen miles by dray-road, remainder by pack-road till the new road is formed.

Run 106. Altitude from 150 ft. to 1,000 ft.; broken, hilly pastoral country with good flat for homestead-site on the north boundary road; growing manuka scrub both dwarf and tall variety, fern, and tutu, with native grass in patches; fair soil; fairly well watered. Distant eighteen miles from Napier by dray-road, via the Esk River.

R. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

National Endowment Land in Horopito West Township, Wellington Land District, for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 9th February, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 25th March, 1914.

The ballot for the section, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, 26th March, 1914.

Preference will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WAIMARINO COUNTY.—HOROPITO WEST TOWNSHIP.

Town Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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		A. R. P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
11	V	0 2 0	45	0	0	1	2	6

Weighted with £10 10s. for improvements.

Situated in the Horopito West Township, the access being from the Horopito Station on the Main Trunk Railway, which is about a quarter of a mile distant by a formed and metalled road. All flat land, felled and in grass. Soil is of a fairly good volcanic nature, on shingle and grit formation. Elevation about 2,460 ft. above sea-level. The improvements comprise clearing and stumping and a shed.

The value of the improvements must be paid immediately the applicant has been declared successful.

Full particulars may be ascertained and terms of lease seen at this office.

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Hokitika, 29th January, 1914.

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, 7th May, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL those areas formerly reserved for railway purposes and declared to be Crown lands by Proclamation dated 4th day of March, 1913, and published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 19, of 6th March, 1913, page 756, as follows:—

All that area (save and except any land at present occupied by the Greymouth-Otira Railway) in Otira and Turiwhare Survey Districts, containing about 1,064 acres, more or less, commencing at the Taipo River and extending along the southern side of the Teremakau Valley to the Otira River, a distance of 13 miles 26 chains, and having a width of 10 chains.

Also all that area in Turiwhare and Kanieri Survey Districts, containing 436 acres, more or less, commencing at a point on the boundary of Native Reserve No. 30 on the north side of Kawhaka Creek; thence along the Kawhaka Valley to the summit of the saddle; thence down the Waimea Valley and along the northern slopes of Mount Turiwhare to Rangariri Creek, and continuing along the south side of the Teremakau Valley to the Taipo River, a distance of 18 miles 12 chains, and having a width of 3 chains.

Also all that area in Waimea Survey District, containing 24 acres, more or less, commencing at a point on the southern boundary of Native Reserve No. 30, the same being at the intersection of the railway and road reserve along the coast, and extending southerly and easterly to the southern boundary of Native Reserve No. 30, a distance of one mile, and having a width of 3 chains.

As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 32681, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow, red, and green respectively.

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, 23rd February, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned Crown lands will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 28th day of May, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—COOK COUNTY.—BUCKLEY TOWNSHIP.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Upset Price.
		A.	R.	P.	
		A.	R.	P.	£
1	VI	0	1	0	75
2	"	0	1	0	100
3	"	0	1	0	50
4	"	0	1	0	80
5	"	0	1	0	50
6	"	0	1	0	80
7	"	0	1	0	50
8	"	0	1	0	80
9	"	0	1	0	50
10	"	0	1	0	80
11	"	0	1	0	50
12	"	0	1	0	80
13	"	0	1	0	50
14	"	0	1	0	80
15	"	0	1	0	50
16	"	0	1	0	80
17	"	0	1	0	50
18	"	0	1	0	80
19	"	0	1	0	100

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 13th January, 1914.

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 and its amendments on or after Thursday, the 16th day of April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Matamata County.—Putaruru Village.

SECTION 11, Block V: 1 rood 9 perches.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 19th January, 1914.

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 Friday, the 24th April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—CATLIN'S SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
61	IV	312	1	24
6	VI	208	1	0
20	VIII	110	0	2

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 19th February, 1914.

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 28th day of May, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—CHEVIOT COUNTY.—CHEVIOT SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
20	IX	7	1	20

C. R. POLLEN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 20th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Friday, the 24th April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 20, Pakiri Parish, 53 acres.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 26th January, 1914.

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 30th April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Section 23, Block I, Kongahu Survey District.
13 acres 2 roods.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 22nd December, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Tuesday, the 24th March, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

AN estimated area of 1 acre at the southern extremity of Section 11, Block I, Upper Taieri Survey District.

E. H. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 22nd December, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Tuesday, the 24th day of March, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Waipa County, Waipa Parish: Section 45, 9 acres.

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, 19th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance 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 Friday, the 24th April, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

BLOCK XI, Mapara Survey District.—Part Township Reserve, Tangitu: Area, 53 acres (approximate).

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 2nd February, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 25th March, 1914.

The ballot for the section, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., on Thursday, 26th March, 1914.

Preference will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.—JACOB'S RIVER HUNDRED.

Second-class Land (National Endowment).

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
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		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
32 & 33	XVIII	36 3 14	20 0 0	0 8 0

Weighted with £1 12s. valuation for ditching and scrubbing.

Land all flat and swampy; soil peaty, with heavy vegetable subsoil; situation fair; fronts Riverton-Orepuki railway-line. Distance from Colac Railway-station, school, and post and telegraph office, one mile; and distant from Riverton six miles.

The valuation for improvements must be paid immediately the applicant has been declared successful at the ballot.

Terms of lease may be seen, forms of application obtained, and full particulars ascertained at this office.

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

Reserves in the Town of Pirongia East, Auckland Land District, for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 2nd March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for leases of the undermentioned lands for terms of fourteen years will be received at this office up till 4 o'clock p.m. on Friday, 17th April, 1914, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAIIPA COUNTY.—TOWN OF PIRONGIA EAST.—MARKET SQUARE.

Section.	Area.	Minimum Annual Rental.
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
177	1 0 0	0 10 0
184	1 0 0	0 10 0
256	1 0 0	0 10 0
263	1 0 0	0 10 0

Situated at the junction of Kawhia and Pirongia—Te Awamutu Roads, close to school, post-office, &c.

CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The lease shall be for the term stated, and shall be subject to resumption at twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Crown.

2. The lessee shall have no right to compensation either for improvements put on the land, or on account of the aforesaid possible resumption, or for any other cause; but he may, on the expiration or sooner determination of the lease, remove all buildings or fences erected by him, but not otherwise.

3. The lessee shall not sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of his interest in the lease without the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

4. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of all noxious weeds on the land, and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all noxious weeds or plants as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

5. The lessee shall discharge all rates, taxes, charges, and other assessments that may become due and payable.

6. 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.

7. Tenders to be endorsed on the outside "Tender for Lease," and to be accompanied by the first half-year's rent, at the rate tendered, and lease fee £1 1s.

8. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenderers may tender for a lease of all the sections, or for any number of them.

Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Education Reserves in Southland Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 20th January, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned Education reserves will be offered for lease by public auction, for terms of twenty-one years without right of renewal, at this office on Friday, 17th April, 1914, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—EDUCATION RESERVES.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
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Southland County.—Invercargill Hundred.

Part	Block	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
55	V	16	0	0	12	0	0
Weighted with £10 13s. 6d., valuation for fencing. Heavy swamp land, adjoining a school and situated two miles from Mill Road.							

Southland County.—Waikawa Survey District.

Section	Block	Area	Rental
16	II	7 0 22	2 0 0
Weighted with £60 10s., valuation for cottage, garden, and fences.			

With exception of $\frac{1}{2}$ -acre, section is in natural state (bush). Adjoins school, and is about half a mile from Waikawa.

Southland County.—Town of Limehills.

Section	Block	Area	Rental
11	XIX	0 2 0	1 0 0
Weighted with £1, valuation for fencing.			
16	VI	2 1 19	2 5 0
Weighted with £4, valuation for fencing.			
18	XVII	0 1 0	0 10 0
Weighted with 10s., valuation for fencing.			

Southland County.—Town of Winton.

Section	Block	Area	Rental
12	XVIII	0 0 33	1 5 0
Weighted with £1 15s., valuation for fencing.			
15	XVII	0 1 0	1 0 0
Weighted with £3 12s., valuation for fowlhouse and fencing.			
15	XX	0 1 0	1 5 0
Weighted with 10s. 6d., valuation for fencing.			

Southland County.—Town of Gore.

Section	Block	Area	Rental
12	XX	0 1 18	1 10 0
Weighted with £81, valuation for cottage, cow-byre, and fencing.			

Southland County.—Town of Lumsden.

Section	Block	Area	Rental
4	VII	0 1 0	1 0 0
Weighted with £40, valuation for washhouse, stable, and fencing.			
15	XII	0 1 0	0 10 0
Weighted with £40, valuation for byre, chaffhouse, fencing, &c.			

Section	Block	Area	Rental
4	XII	0 1 0	1 5 0
Weighted with £3, valuation for fencing.			

Section	Block	Area	Rental
6	XII	0 1 0	0 15 0
Weighted with £3, valuation for fencing.			

Wallace County.—Town of Waimatuku.

Section	Block	Area	Rental
5 and 6	III	0 2 0	0 10 0
Weighted with £7 2s. 6d., valuation for cow-byre and fencing.			

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Abstract of Conditions of Lease.

1. Possession will be given on 1st May, 1914, and the term of the lease will commence from 1st July, 1914.

2. A half-year's rent at the rate offered, and rent for the broken period between the 1st May, 1914, and the 30th June, 1914, lease and registration fees, and valuation for improvements, to be paid on the fall of the hammer.

3. The term of the lease is twenty-one years without right of renewal.

4. At the end of term lease to be offered by auction for further term of twenty-one years at rent to be fixed by arbitration, the incoming lessee to pay the value of the improvements, which is to be handed over to the outgoing lessee.

5. No assignment or sublease without consent.

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

7. Consent of the Land Board to be obtained before subdividing, erecting any buildings, or effecting other improvements.

8. Lease will be registered under the Land Transfer Act.

9. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions violated.

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

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

Land in Auckland Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 9th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Friday, the 17th day of April, 1914, for a lease for ten years of the undermentioned land, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—OTAMATEA COUNTY.—WAIRAU PARISH.

Section	Area.	Minimum Annual Rental.
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Section	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
S. 134 and S.E. 135	81	0	0	4	0	0

Situated on main Waipu—Maungaturoto Road, two miles and a half from Maungaturoto. All undulating land, covered with tea-tree scrub and bush tea-tree. Fairly well watered by springs.

Terms and Conditions of Lease.

1. The lease shall be for grazing purposes only, and shall be for the term stated, but subject to resumption by six months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Crown.

2. The lessee shall have no right to compensation, either for improvements put on the land or on account of the aforesaid possible resumption, or for any other cause; but he may, on the expiration or sooner determination of the lease, remove all buildings or fences erected by him, but not otherwise.

3. The lessee shall not sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of his interest in the lease without the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

4. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of all noxious weeds on the land, and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all noxious weeds or plants as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

5. The lessee shall not be entitled to cut or make use of any timber on the land, and shall take all reasonable steps to preserve such timber from destruction by fire or otherwise.

6. The lessee shall discharge all rates, taxes, charges, and other assessments that may become due and payable.

7. Rental payments in arrear for two calendar months shall render the lease liable to termination; or a breach of covenant in the lease, expressed or implied, shall entitle the Crown to re-enter and determine the lease.

8. Lessee must provide accommodation for travelling stock at specified rates.

9. Tenders to be endorsed on the outside "Tender for Lease," and to be accompanied by the first half-year's rent, at the rate tendered, and lease fee (£1 1s.).

10. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Full particulars may be ascertained on application at this office.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Auckland.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 11th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Auckland on the 31st day of March, 1914, 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, 1914-18.]

E. P. EARLE,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
27	Anaru Wiapo	Hanerau.
28	Atareira Tikitiki	" 2.
29	Anaru Wiapo	" 3.
30	Hori Manukau and Heretina Manukau	Hukatere.
31	Hori Manukau	" B 2B.
32	Henare Wharara Toka	Kaitara 2.
33	Wiremu Rewharewha	" 2A.
34	Makereta Kerei Mu	" 2E.
35	Rawiri Kepa te Awe	" 3B 2.
36	Pene Perepe	" 3C.
37	Atareria Tikitiki	" 3C 2.
38	Rawiri K. te Awe	Komiti.
39	Anaru Wiapo	" 1A 2A.
40	Kawhi Kena	" 1A.
41	Rata Wiapo	" 1A 2A.
42	Pera Mohi Kaiwaru	" 2A 3.
43	Wiremu Watene Tautari	Kopironui B 2.
44	Kooti Reweti	" B 2B.
45	Kooti Reweti (F. G. Massey)	" B 2B.
46	Hoana Hoterene and Heni Hoterene (Earl and Kent)	" B 2C.
47	Hori Kiingi	Makarau.
48	"	" 2.
49	Rere Arama and Hariata Whareiti (Oliphant and Oliphant)	" 2.
50	Te Rau Hoterene and others	Maramatawhana A.
51	Arapera Keepa (Parr and Blomfield)	" "
52	Eruini H. Kemara	Matakohe 257.
53	Ngapera Pita and others	Motairehe 1.
54	Kiri Tenetahi	Motururu (Pane Tiki).
55	Tatana Hemana (G. E. L. Alderton)	Nukuroa 1F 3.
56	Eriapa Poata Uruamo and Titiata Uruamo	Ongarahu A.
57	Nereana E. Uruamo and others	" "
58	Rere Arama	Orakei 1 Reserve.
59	Wiremu Watene (Earl and Kent)	" 1 Reserve.
60	Puti Rau Hoterene	" 1F and 3F.
61	Merea Kingi and Wiremu Watene Tautari	" 2B.
62	Mere Paora (G. W. Basley)	" 3B.
63	Merea King and Wiremu Watene Tautari	" 4.
64	Hikiera Taierna (Earl and Kent)	" 5.
65	Ngahina Pura	Oruawhara A 1.
66	Akuira Hone Eruera	" B.
67	Anaru Wiapo	Otamatea K.
68	"	Otairi.
69	Karena Pihema	" B.
70	Karaka Eramiha Paikea	" B.
71	Rata Wiapo and others	Otamatea-K.
72	Rawiri Keepa te Awe	Otara 2.
73	Hare Pomare	" 3A.
74	Te Kiri Tenetahi	Otioro and Topuni B
75	Naiti Wiapo and Rata Wiapo	" 1A.
76	Hare Pomare	" 2.
77	Paratene Hemana	" and Topuni D,
78	Rahui te Kiri	Pakiri 1.
79	Ihapera Wenei and Meri Hare Kepa	Paparoa.
80	Erana Wereta Pou	Pohoatua 2.
81	Hori Manukau and Taike Manukau	Pouto 1.
82	Maraea Pihema	Pouto 2E 4A.
83	Piripi Ihimara (Earl and Kent)	" 2E 7B.
84	Waru Mate (J. M. Melville)	Puatahi 3.
85	Hare Pomare	Raekau 2.
86	Karaka Eramiha Paikea	Topuni A 2.
87	Tuohu ara Parani Temarae and others	Tuhirangi A.
88	Heni Mate and Maraina Paora	" "
89	Waru Takerei	" "
90	Amene Taierna	Ururua 1A 1 and 2.
91	Mere Paora	" 1C.
92	Hikiera Taierna (Earl and Kent)	" 2D 2.
93	Ruth Rendell (J. M. Melville)	" 2D 2.
94	Raiha Paerimu	Waitakere 1.
95	Hami Timoti and Ngatitu Timoti	Whenuanui 3.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
96	Karewini Paenganui and others	Kaitara 3c.
97	G. A. Martin	Kareu 1A and B.
98	Kooti Reweti (Earl and Kent)	Kopironui B.
99	Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Nukuroa 2.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTIONS 120 AND 121 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
100	Anaru Wiapo	Otamatea K.
101	Anaru Wiapo	Otara 4A.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXCHANGES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
102	Mikaera Miru	Otamatea 2.
	Henare Wharara Toka	Oruawharo D.
103	Reweti Paenganui	Otamatea.
	Atareria Tikitiki	Otara 4A.
104	Ripeka Paenganui	Poutu 2E 3B.
	Hare Kepa te Awe	Otara 1B.
105	Ripeka Paenganui	Otamatea.
	Atareria Tikitiki	Otara 4A.
106	Takerei Pihema	"
	Reweti Paenganui	Hanerau.
107	Karena Pihema	Otamatea K, Hanerau 3.
	Rata Wiapo and Hurikino Wiapo	Otairi B.
108	Kiri Perekara	Hanerau 3.
	Karena Pihema	Otioro 1B.
109	Mihi Horui	Hanerau 2.
	Atareria Tikitiki	Otamatea B.
110	Mihi Horni	Kaitara 3c 2.
	Karewini Paenganui	Otamatea B.
111	Parekara Moetarau	Hanerau 1.
	Anaru Wiapo	Opekapeka F.
112	Parekara Moetarau	Hanerau 3.
	Anaru Wiapo	Opekapeka F.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Date from which Interest is calculated.	Amount.
113	Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Hanekau B 2A	27 August, 1913	£ s. d. 20 11 10
		" B 2B	27 " 1913	5 16 1
114	" "	Hukatere B 1B	28 January, 1913	51 6 0
		" B 2B	28 " 1913	65 1 8
		" B 3B	28 " 1913	38 19 1
		Komiti 1A 1	25 April, 1913	13 19 3
		" 1A 2A	25 " 1913	26 2 7
		" 1A 2B	25 " 1913	15 11 0
		" 1A 2C	25 " 1913	8 4 8
		" 1A 2D	25 " 1913	10 17 5
		" 1A 2E	25 " 1913	7 3 7
115	" "	" 1A 2F	25 " 1913	14 9 2
		" 1B 2	25 " 1913	87 13 0
		" 2A 1	25 " 1913	27 15 11
		" 2A 2	5 " 1913	11 19 4
		" 2A 3	25 " 1913	44 13 2
		" 2B	25 " 1913	84 19 5
		" 3	25 " 1913	Tapu.
		" 4	25 " 1913	Tapu.
		" 5	25 " 1913	Tapu.
		Puriri Pt. (Native Reserve)	25 " 1913	Reserve.
116	" "	Kopironui B 2A	4 March, 1913	25 5 1
		" B 2B	4 " 1913	19 4 9
		" B 2D 1	4 " 1913	3 13 4
		" B 2D 2	4 " 1913	7 17 10
		" B 2E	4 " 1913	19 11 1
117	" "	Makarau 2	3 February, 1913	87 1 11
118	" "	Nukuroa 1c	4 December, 1912	21 14 1
		" 1E	4 " 1912	15 3 9
119	" "	" 1F 1	2 May, 1913	36 6 9
		" 1F 2	2 " 1913	28 8 0
		" 1F 3	2 " 1913	43 6 8
		" 1G	2 " 1913	29 3 4

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Date from which Interest is calculated.	Amount.
				£ s. d.
120	Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Otara 1A	6 June, 1912	11 3 6
		" 1B	6 " 1912	7 15 6
		" 2A	6 " 1912	8 11 6
		" 2B	6 " 1912	4 3 6
		" 3B	6 " 1912	6 14 6
		" 4A	6 " 1912	8 4 6
		" 4B	6 " 1912	6 14 6
		Otiro and Te Topuni A1 ..	4 December, 1912 ..	12 1 10
121	" "	" A2	4 " 1912	15 16 3
		" A3	4 " 1912	4 5 7
		" B	4 " 1912	12 11 8
		" D	4 " 1912	23 7 6
122	" "	Pohoatua 2B	7 April, 1913	5 2 6
		" 2C	7 " 1913	5 2 6
		" 2D	7 " 1913	5 2 6
		" 2E	7 " 1913	5 2 6
123	" "	Tuparekura 1A	28 June, 1912	24 0 5
124	" "	Ururu 2B	17 December, 1912 ..	9 12 11
		" 2C 1	17 " 1912	5 12 2
		" 2C 2	17 " 1912	4 5 2
125	Gerald A. Jackson	Whenuanui 1	"	2 14 2
126	"	" 3	"	5 5 0
127	"	" 6	"	10 12 11
128	"	" 7	"	15 0 0

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 29 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
129	Nia Hira	Paihawanui	For an order directing payment of some moneys to the applicant (trustee) on behalf of Apihai te Kawau Pateoro in this land.

APPLICATION FOR INJUNCTION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
130	Peraniko Wi Karaka ..	Otamatea E (Aotearoa) ..	For an order restraining Te Reweti Paenganui from using the Aotearoa Hall.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 27 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
131	Chief Judge, Native Land Court	Hatoi	Decision, dated 9th August, 1907, appointing successors to Eria Uruama, alias Eria Marepa.

APPLICATIONS TO ASSESS THE AMOUNT OF COMPENSATION PAYABLE TO NATIVE OWNERS FOR LAND TAKEN UNDER THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1908.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area taken.	Purpose for which taken.
132	Assistant Under-Secretary, Public Works Department, Wellington	Otamatea 1	A. R. P. 0 2 18	A public road.
133	County Clerk, Hobson County Council, Dargaville	{ Paerata 1	1 0 4	
		{ " 2	3 1 22	

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
134	Joseph Patrick Stanaway	Henry Joseph Stanaway.
135	Hemaima Hauraki Paora and Ema Iwingaro Hira (Earl and Kent)	Paramena Tukukainga.

APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
136	Ani Rewiri	Netana Hohaia.
137	Hare Pomare	Pera Mohi (Kaiwaru).
138	Te Raraku Hami Tawaewae	Pohi Reweti, <i>alias</i> Taemai Rewiti Tawaewae.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Taupo, Auckland.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 12th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Taupo on the 20th day of March, 1914, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Auckland, 1914-19.]

E. P. EARLE,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
280	Pitiroi Mohi and others	Rangatira No. 8B.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Sitting of the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board.

Auckland, 14th March, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board will be held at Auckland on Monday, the 30th day of March, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, and such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATION.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
NEW APPLICATION.					
1	6174	Transfer ..	19 February, 1914 ..	Lots 9, 11, 11A, 13, and part 10, Papakura (Takaanini's Grant)	Mahia Takaanini to Elizabeth Muir.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Ohura South C No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Friday, the 3rd day of April, 1914, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to Henry Valder at £1 10s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland this 18th day of March, 1914.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Kinohaku West E 1F No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Friday, the 3rd day of April, 1914, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to the Crown at a price equal to the Government valuation.”

Dated at Auckland this 18th day of March, 1914.

W. H. BOWLER,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALBERT LEON FAIL, of Gisborne (late of Hastings), trading as "Fail Bros., Coopers," was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 25th day of March, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock.

JOHN COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Gisborne, 13th March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, Wanganui District.

NOTICE is hereby given that ARTHUR EDWARD WILLIAMS, of Rangataua, General Grocer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 18th day of March, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

T. R. SAYWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 5th March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, Wanganui District.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM HACKETT, of Mosstown, Blacksmith, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Wanganui, on Friday, the 20th day of March, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

T. R. SAYWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 9th March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, Wanganui District.

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT WILLIAM STEWART ORR, of Wanganui, Salesman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Wanganui, on Friday, the 20th day of March, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

T. R. SAYWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Wanganui, 11th March, 1914.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN HENRY PICKARD ALLEN, of Makuri, Saddler, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 20th day of March, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock.

J. D. WILSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Pahiatua, 10th March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that WONG WEY KEE, of Masterton, Grocer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office at Masterton on Saturday, the 14th day of March, 1914, at 12 o'clock noon.

W. B. CHENNELLS,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Masterton, 11th March, 1914.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that REINHOLD SCHOLTZ, of Wakefield, Coachbuilder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 19th day of March, 1914, at 3 o'clock.

W. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Nelson, 13th March, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends on all proved claims in the undermentioned estates are now payable at my office, Crawford Street, Dunedin. Promissory notes (if any) to be produced for endorsement prior to receiving dividends:—

McDougall, Peter, of Pembroke, Storekeeper: First dividend of 1s. 6d. in the pound.

Burk, J. O., of Cromwell, Hotelkeeper: First dividend of 4s. in the pound.

T. D. KENDALL,
Official Assignee.

Dunedin, 10th March, 1914.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN CRISP, of Palmerston South, Solicitor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Palmerston South, on Friday, the 20th day of March, 1914, at 2 o'clock p.m.

T. D. KENDALL,
Official Assignee.

Dunedin, 16th March, 1914.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that COLIN DAVIS, of 158 Teviot Street, Invercargill, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 17th day of March, 1914, at 11 o'clock a.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Invercargill, 10th March, 1914.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of the outstanding duplicate of Memorandum of Lease No. 6914, affecting Sections 1 to 12, Block XLI, Town of Patea, whereof CHARLES DIAMOND, of Stratford, Hotelkeeper, is the registered lessee, and application having been made to me for the issue of provisional memorandum of lease, I hereby give notice of my intention to issue such provisional lease at the expiration of fourteen days from the 19th day of March, 1914.

Dated this 16th day of March, 1914, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

A. V. STURTEVANT,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 30th day of April next.

CHARLES EDWARD SCRIVENER.—Section 1435 and part of Section 909, Town of New Plymouth. Section 1435 (occupied by Ellen Smith) and part Section 909 (occupied by William Henry Broome). No. 1306.

FRANCIS GEORGE PARTINGTON SCRIVENER, ROBERT ARTHUR SCRIVENER, and CHARLES EDWARD SCRIVENER.—Part of Section 1436, and Sections 2025, 2026, and part of Section 2027, Town of New Plymouth. Unoccupied. No. 1307.

FRANCIS GEORGE PARTINGTON SCRIVENER.—Part Section 909 (occupied by John Waddle), and part of Section 1412 (occupied by Applicant), Town of New Plymouth. No. 1308.

FRANCIS GEORGE PARTINGTON SCRIVENER.—Section 85, Hua and Waiwakaiho District. Occupied by H. H. Olson. No. 1308.

ROBERT ARTHUR SCRIVENER.—Part of Section 909, Town of New Plymouth. Occupied by E. B. Davies, A. Mattovich, and V. Sisarich. No. 1309.

ARTHUR OCTAVIUS WELLS.—Section 788, Grey District. Occupied by Applicant. No. 1310.

HAROLD HENRY OLSON.—Section 151A, Hua and Waiwakaiho District. Occupied by Applicant. No. 1311.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 16th day of March, 1914, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

A. V. STURTEVANT,
District Land Registrar.

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

11953. SARAH LOUISA HORRELL.—3 acres and 8 perches, part of Rural Section 6415, Block X, Mairaki Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

11954. ELIZABETH HORRELL, SARAH LOUISA HORRELL, and LOUISA MAY WALKER.—67 acres and 2 perches, part of Rural Section 6415, Block X, Mairaki Survey District. Occupied by Frederick George Horrell.

11955. FREDERICK GEORGE HORRELL.—247 acres 2 roods 7 perches, Rural Section 8349 and part of Rural Section 6415, Block X, Mairaki Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

11958. EDITH ELLMERS.—1 acre 2 roods, part of Rural Section 371, Block XII, Rangiora Survey District. Occupied by Applicant.

11963. ROBERT MANSON.—19 acres 3 roods 22 perches, Rural Section 2846, Blocks V of the Teviotdale and VIII of the Grey Survey Districts. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 16th day of March, 1914, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

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

No. 5128. THOMAS JONES.—1 rood 20 perches, Section 10 and part Section 11, Block X, Town of Oamaru. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 16th day of March, 1914, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

C. E. NALDER,
District Land Registrar.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

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

1890/3. The Henley Public Hall Company (Limited).

1907/14. Shetland Consolidated Sluicing Company (Limited).

1908/19. The Australasian Advertising Company (Limited).

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies, at Dunedin, this 16th day of March, 1914.

J. MURRAY,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the situation and locality of the office or place of business of THE BRISTOL AND DOMINIONS PRODUCERS' ASSOCIATION (LIMITED) is at No. 113 Customhouse Quay, in the City of Wellington.

Dated this 2nd day of March, 1914.

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THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

THE Totara Leather Company (Limited), a company incorporated in England, hereby gives notice that the office of the company in New Zealand, where legal notice of any kind may be served on the company, is situate at Karamu, Hastings, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay.

Dated this 2nd day of March, 1914.

For and on behalf of the Totara Leather Company (Limited).

C. D. LIGHTBAND,
Attorney for the Totara Leather Company
(Limited).

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the New Zealand Crown Mines Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the New Zealand Crown Mines Company (Limited), a company incorporated in Great Britain, proposes to commence and carry on business in New Zealand, and that the office or place of business in New Zealand where legal process of any kind may be served upon the company and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered is at Shortland Street, Auckland.

Dated at Auckland this 5th day of March, 1914.

295 RUSSELL AND CAMPBELL,
Solicitors for the Company.

WHAKATANE COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE AS SECURITY FOR A 10-PER-CENT. LOAN OF £110 OVER THE TANEATUA BRIDGE SPECIAL-RATING AREA.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £110, being an additional 10 per centum on the loan of £1,100 raised for the erection of the Taneatua Bridge, the construction of approaches and protection to the bridge, authorized to be raised by the Whakatane County Council under the above-mentioned Act, for completion of the said approaches and protection to the said bridge, the said Whakatane County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one twenty-eighth of one penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property in the special-rating district to be called "The Taneatua Bridge Special-rating District"; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and shall be payable annually on the 1st day of April 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 above resolution was duly passed at an ordinary meeting of the Whakatane County Council held on the 14th day of January, 1914, and confirmed at an ordinary meeting held on the 16th February, 1914. The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Whakatane County was hereto affixed in the presence of—

307 H. O. GARAWAY,
County Clerk.

WAIMEA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION LEVYING SPECIAL RATE OVER STOKE WATERWORKS RESERVE SPECIAL-RATING AREA.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of eight hundred pounds sterling (£800), authorized to be raised by the Waimea County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of purchasing land for a waterworks reserve at Stoke, the said Waimea County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-eighth of one penny in the pound ($\frac{1}{8}$ of 1d.) upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Stoke Waterworks Reserve Special-rating Area (No. 5), comprising all that land situated within the following boundaries:—

Starting at the south-western corner of Section 62; thence in a south-easterly direction along the south-west boundary of the said Section 62 and of 61 and 56 to the southern corner of the said Section 56; thence in a north-easterly direction along the south-east boundary of Sections 56, 55, and 54 to a point on the boundary of the said Section 54, in line with a prolongation of the north-east boundary of a road intersecting Section 66; thence in a south-easterly direction along the north-east side of the said road to its intersection with the south-east boundary of Section 66; thence in a north-easterly direction along the south-east boundary of the said Section 66 and of Section XVI to the eastern corner of the said Section XVI; thence across a public road and along the north-east side of the said road to the south corner of Section XV; thence in a north-easterly direction along the south-east boundary of Section XV and of Sections 47, 44, and part 42 to its intersection with a public road; thence across the said road and in a north-westerly direction along

the north-east side of the said road to its intersection with the south-east side of a public road on the western corner of Section 10; thence in a north-easterly direction along the south-east side of the said public road to its intersection with a public road on the north-east boundary of Section 6; thence in a north-westerly direction along the north-east boundary of the said Section 6 and Section 11 to the east corner of Section 12; thence in a south-westerly direction along the north-west side of a public road to the eastern corner of Section 19; thence by the north-east boundary of the said Section 19 and of Sections 82, 83, 84, and 85 to the sea; thence by Tasman Bay to the starting-point: the whole of the said sections being within the district of Suburban South in the Land District of Nelson.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and payable yearly on the first day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I certify the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution passed by the Waimea County Council at its meeting held at Nelson on Thursday, the 5th day of March, 1914.

S. BLOMFIELD,
County Clerk.

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WESTERN TAIERI LAND DRAINAGE BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that at a special meeting of the Western Taieri Land Drainage Board held in the Board's office, Mosgiel, on Monday, the twenty-third day of February, 1914, the following resolution was carried:—

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Taieri Land Drainage Act, 1910, the Taieri Land Drainage Act, 1912, the Land Drainage Act, 1908, and the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Western Taieri Land Drainage Board hereby resolves as follows: That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,850, authorized to be raised by the Western Taieri Land Drainage Board, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of repairing the damage caused by flood in August, 1913, the said Western Taieri Land Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate on all the rateable land within the Western Taieri Land Drainage District, as follows, namely:—

- On all lands in Class "A," twopence per acre;
- On all lands in Class "B," one and five-sixths pence per acre;
- On all lands in Class "C," one and two-thirds pence per acre;
- On all lands in Class "D," one and one-half pence per acre;
- On all lands in Class "E," one penny per acre;
- On all lands in Class "F," three-farthings per acre.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of July and the first day of January in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Dated at Mosgiel this 24th day of February, 1914.

W. E. McLEAN,
Clerk.

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WAITOTARA COUNTY COUNCIL.

TEN-PER-CENT. LOAN.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Waitotara County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £400, being 10 per centum on a loan of £4,000 authorized to be raised by the Waitotara County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of forming the Ahu Ahu Valley Road, the said Waitotara County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one farthing in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Ahu Ahu Special-rating District, as gazetted on page 59 of the *New Zealand Gazette*, 1912, in connection with the original Ahu Ahu Special-rating District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable in one sum on the 1st 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.

Description of boundaries: The whole of the Ahu Ahu Road Special-rating District.

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

W. RITCHIE,
Chairman.
A. S. DYMCK,
Clerk.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly passed at a meeting of the Waitotara County Council duly constituted and held on the 2nd day of March, 1914.

A. S. DYMCK,
Clerk, Waitotara County Council.

BALCLUTHA BOROUGH COUNCIL.

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, and all other Acts in that behalf enabling it, the Balclutha Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest and sinking fund and other charges on a loan of five hundred pounds (£500), authorized to be raised by the borough under the above-mentioned Acts for the purpose of completing the construction of new and strengthening existing protective embankments to protect the borough from river-floods, the said Balclutha Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-eighth 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 Balclutha; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of June during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36 years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly passed at a special meeting of the Balclutha Borough Council held on the 10th day of February, 1914.

F. J. RAMSAY,
Town Clerk.

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RICCARTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to section 39 of the Rating Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Riccarton taken on the 27th day of February, 1914, on the proposal that the system of rating in the said borough be on the unimproved value.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was .. 188
The number of votes recorded against the proposal was .. 61
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I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 5th day of March, 1914.

JOHN REYNOLDS,
Mayor.

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MASTERTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

I HEREBY give notice of the result of two loan proposals which were placed before the ratepayers of the above borough on the fifth day of March, 1914.

(1.) To raise a special loan of £16,500 for the purpose of augmenting and extending the water-supply of the borough. The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 234; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 120; majority for, 114.

(2.) To raise a special loan of £10,000 for the purpose of erecting municipal buildings. The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 184; the number of votes against the proposal, 170; majority for the proposal, 14.

I therefore declare both proposals carried.

JAS. M. CORADINE,
Mayor.

J. ARCHER,
Town Clerk.

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STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Success Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 25th May, 1910.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Dunedin; W. E. C. Reid.

Nominal capital : £10,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed : £10,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash : £8,000.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any) : £8,000.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid : £2,000.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided : 10,000.
 Number of shares allotted : 10,000.
 Amount paid per share : £1.
 Amount called up per share : £1.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear : Nil.
 Number of shares forfeited : Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares, and money received for same : Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company : 7.
 Present number of shareholders : 136.
 Number of men employed by company : Average 11.
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year : 1,540 oz. 6 dwt. ; £6,046 2s. 9d.
 Total quantity and value produced since registration : 3,706 oz. 17 dwt. ; £14,608 17s. 9d.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement : £5,880 2s. 5d.
 Total expenditure since registration : £24,648 6s. 3d.
 Total amount of dividends declared : Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid : Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil.
 Amount of cash in bank : £353 4s. 10d.
 Amount of cash in hand : £25.
 Amount of debts directly due to company : Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good : Nil.
 Amount of debts owing by company : £417 13s. 4d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any) : Nil.

I, William Edwin Charles Reid, of Dunedin, the Secretary of the Success Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st January, 1914; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

W. E. C. REID,
 Secretary.

Declared at Dunedin this 11th day of March, 1914, before me—D. Cooke, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 314

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company : Tallaburn Hydraulic Sluicing Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration : 3rd December, 1904.
 Whether in active operation or not : In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager : Miller's Flat, Otago ; Jessie Bennet.
 Nominal capital : £1,200.
 Amount of capital subscribed : £1,200.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash : £1,200.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any) : Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid : Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided : 12 of £100 each.
 Number of shares allotted : 12.
 Amount paid per share : £100.
 Amount called up per share :
 Number and amount of calls in arrear : Nil.
 Number of shares forfeited : Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same : Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company : 7.
 Present number of shareholders : 9.
 Number of men employed by company : 4.
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during preceding year : 128 oz. 13 dwt ; £495.
 Total quantity and value produced since registration : 1,277 oz. ; £4,914.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year : £495 5s.
 Total expenditure since registration : £6,243 17s. 3d.
 Total amount of dividends declared : £1,380.
 Total amount of dividends paid : £1,380.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends : Nil.
 Amount of cash in bank : Nil.

Amount of cash in hand : Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to company : Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good : Nil.
 Amount of debts owing by company : £220 7s. 4d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any) : £160.

I, Jessie Bennet, of Miller's Flat, Otago, the Secretary of the Tallaburn Hydraulic Sluicing Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1913; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

J. BENNET,
 Secretary.

Declared at Miller's Flat this 5th day of February, 1914, before me—E. Johns, J.P. 320

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned HENRY GEORGE LUMSDEN and CHARLES RENE WILSON, in the business of Stationers, under the style of "Lumsden and Co.," at Newmarket, Auckland, is dissolved as from the 9th day of March, 1914.

Dated at Auckland this 11th day of March, 1914.

HENRY GEORGE LUMSDEN.

Witness to the signature of Henry George Lumsden—H. Shrewsbury, Solicitor, Auckland.

CHARLES RENE WILSON.

Witness to the signature of Charles Rene Wilson—Adelina Wilson, Gentlewoman, Avondale. 315

THIS is to give notice that the Commonwealth and Dominion Line (Limited), a joint-stock company duly incorporated in Great Britain in accordance with the laws of Great Britain, proposes to commence and carry on business in Napier, New Zealand, under Part IX of the Companies Act, 1908, as from the second day of April now next ensuing; and that Captain Richard Todd, of Napier, has been appointed Attorney in New Zealand for the said company; and that a certified copy of the power of attorney appointing him, together with sufficient evidence of the incorporation of the said company, has been deposited in the office of the Supreme Court at Napier; and that the office or place of business of the said company will be on the premises known as Number 18 Emerson Street, Napier.

Dated at Napier this 11th day of March, 1914.

COTTERILL & HUMPHRIES,

316 Solicitors for the said Company.

T. E. CLARK (LIMITED). (IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION).

TAKE notice that a general meeting of the above company will be held at Hobsonville on Wednesday, the 8th day of April, 1914, at three p.m. o'clock, for the purpose of considering the Liquidator's accounts and report of the winding-up of the company.

A. W. L. ROSE,

317 Liquidator.

THE LITTLE VALLEY SLUICING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, that a general meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at the office of J. H. Walker, Esq., 177 Princess Street, Dunedin, on Monday, the 30th day of March, 1914, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, 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, accounts, and documents of the company and Liquidator.

Dated the 12th day of March, 1914.

R. M. RUTHERFORD,

318 Liquidator.

NOTICE OF FINAL MEETING.

THE METALLIC SIGN AND PLATING 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 and creditors of the above-named company will be held at my office, 326 Lambton Quay, Wellington, N.Z., on Tuesday, the 7th day of April, 1914, at 5.15 p.m., for the purpose of having an account laid before them 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 also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.

Dated this eighteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

319 Wm. C. STEPHENS,
Liquidator.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned ROBERT DANIEL McIVER and GEORGE CUTHBERT MAYNE, carrying on business at Kaikoura as Solicitors, under the style or firm of "McIver & Mayne," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the fourteenth day of March, 1914; the business will be carried on by the undersigned ROBERT DANIEL McIVER in his own name, who will receive and pay all debts due to and by the said late firm respectively.

Dated this sixteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

R. D. McIVER.

Witness to the signature of the said Robert Daniel McIver
—Chas. H. Willis, J.P., Land-valuer, Kaikoura.

G. C. MAYNE.

Witness to the signature of the said George Cuthbert Mayne
—Chas. H. Willis, J. P., Land-valuer, Kaikoura. 321

SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF, NEAR SUMNER,
CHRISTCHURCH

UNDER THE CONTROL AND SUPERVISION OF THE EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT.

Director: MR. J. E. STEVENS.

FOR Deaf Children of sound intellect. The pupils are taught to understand and use ordinary speech. The full charge for board and education is £40 a year, but less is accepted from parents who cannot afford to pay this amount. In case of necessity admission is free.

By the Education Act it is compulsory for deaf children to come under instruction at the age of six, and to continue until the age of twenty-one unless the Education Department previously grants exemption. Though a child is, as a rule, best fitted to begin the school course at the age of six, advice should be obtained as soon as any sign of deafness is observed.

The following classes of deaf children are admitted to the School for the Deaf (sound intellect being always a necessity):—

1. Children born deaf, or who have lost their hearing before learning to speak.
2. Children who can hear a little, but are too deaf to be taught in a public school.
3. Children who have lost their hearing after having learned to speak.

The Act imposes upon every parent, teacher of a school (either public or private), constable, or officer of a charitable or kindred institution who is aware of the place of residence (either temporary or permanent) of a deaf child, and the householder in whose house any such child resides, an obligation to send notification of the fact to the Minister of Education, giving the name, age, and address of the child; and any neglect or failure to comply with this provision involves liability to a fine.

Information and advice may be obtained from the Director, or from

THE SECRETARY FOR EDUCATION,
Wellington.

GEOLOGICAL AND MINING PUBLICATIONS.

THE following Works, published under the authority of the Government, are now on sale at the Stationery Department, Wellington, and will be transmitted at the published price to any address in the Dominion:—

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