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Lands reserved under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.
SUMMIT ROAD.

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, 1095.5 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.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 sixteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land at Papatoetoe taken for the Purposes of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway.

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

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway to take further land at Papatoetoe, 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.

COUNTY OF MANUKAU.—PARISH OF MANUREWA.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of
A. R. P. 5 1 37.64 0 2 18.3 0 0 0 18	Lots 22 and 23 of Allot. 36 Lot 22 of Allotment 36 .. " 24 " " 36 .. (S.O. 17594, blue)	X	Otahuhu.

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 21533, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon edged red, blue, and yellow.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 sixteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land at Waipukurau taken for the Purposes of the Wellington-Napier Railway.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land.	Being Portion of	Situated in Borough of
A. R. P. 1 1 2.4	Lot 8, D.P. 2668, and part right-of-way, D.P. 1749, Section 244, Waipukurau Native Reserve 30N (S.O. 447, green)	Waipukurau.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 21577, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon bordered green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 sixteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land at Johnsonville taken for the Purposes of the Wellington-Foxton Railway.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Situated in Town District of
A. R. P. 0 0 20.28	Lot 47 of Section 11	XI	Belmont ..	Johnsonville.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 21694, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon edged red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 sixteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

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

And whereas it is further provided by section five of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, that in the case of any land so taken, purchased, or acquired for a Government work and not required for that purpose, the Governor may, on the recommendation of the Minister, and without complying with any other requirements of the aforesaid section thirty, by Proclamation declare such land to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908, and thereupon the land may be administered and disposed of under that Act accordingly:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto was taken for the purposes of a road: And whereas such road has been stopped, and it is desirable to declare the land contained therein to be Crown land: And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to declare such land to be Crown land:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the above-mentioned Acts, and of all other powers in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare the land described in the Schedule hereto

to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908, and that such land may be administered and disposed of under that Act accordingly.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land declared to be Crown Land.	Being Closed Road adjoining Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 8 3 22	9, Block III, Ohura Survey District (Taranaki R.D.)	VII	Ohura	P.W.D. 35670	Edged red.

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

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block XIII, Kaitawa Survey District, Hutt County.

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

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 8	Section 14	XIII	Kaitawa	P.W.D. 33907	Red.
0 0 17	" 14	"	Ditto	Ditto	"
0 0 27	Lot 1 on D.P. 893 (being part Sec. 12)	"	"	"	Sepia.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road closed.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 39	Section 14	XIII	Kaitawa	P.W.D. 33907	Green.
0 1 13	" 14				
1 0 13	Lot 1 on D.P. 893 (being part Sec. 12)				

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

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land set apart in Block XVI, Otamatea Survey District, for Post and Telegraph Purposes.

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

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is Crown land, and is required to be set apart for post and telegraph purposes:

And whereas by section twenty-one of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is enacted that whenever any Crown land is required to be set apart for any public work, the Governor may at any time, by Proclamation, set the same apart for such public work without complying with any of the provisions of that Act in respect of the taking or setting-apart of other lands for such purpose:

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 in me vested by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby set apart for post and telegraph purposes, and I also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the eighth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land set apart.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 1 0	Wellsford Railway-station Reserve (17591, blue)	XVI	Otamatea	P.W.D. 35117	Pink.

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

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for a Portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Gisborne Southwards).

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Gisborne Southwards):

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by section one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for a portion of the said line of railway hereinbefore specified.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Sheet No. of Plan	Situated in Block	Situated in	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 0 0 12	Section 1	12	XV	Waikohu S.D.	Pink.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 34326, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 sixteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for a Further Portion of the Catlins-Seaward Bush Railway (Portions of MacLennan and Tahakopa Sections), and for Road-diversions in connection therewith.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a further portion of the Catlins-Seaward Bush Railway (portions of MacLennan and Tahakopa Sections), and for road-diversions in connection therewith:

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by section one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for a further portion of the said line of railway hereinbefore specified, and for the road-diversions in connection therewith as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Piece of Land taken.	Being	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Sheet No. of Plan	Coloured on Plan
FOR RAILWAY.					
A. R. P. 0 2 7.7	Part Section 20	XV	Rimu	1	Red.
0 0 10.2	" " 20	"	"	1	"
1 2 2	" road ..	"	"	1	Green.
0 0 16.4	" Section 10	"	"	1	Red.
0 2 8.6	" " 10	"	"	1	"
3. 3 15	" road ..	"	"	2	Green.
0 0 24.3	" ..	"	"	2	"
1 2 37.9	" Section 16	"	"	2	Red.
1 0 15	" " 14	"	"	2	Blue.
0 1 18	" road ..	"	"	2	Green.
3 0 39.2	" Section 15	"	"	3	Red.
2 0 4	" " 15	"	"	3	"
4 1 25	" road ..	"	"	3	Green.
0 1 20.2	" " ..	XIV	"	3	"
2 2 21	" Section 12	"	"	4	Red.
0 3 4	" " 11	"	"	4	Blue.
1 1 8	" road ..	"	"	4	Green.
1 3 8.9	" Section 11	"	"	4	Blue.
0 3 34	" " 10	"	"	4	Red.
0 2 6	" road ..	"	"	4	Green.
1 2 38	" Section 10	"	"	5	Red.
1 2 23.3	" " 9	"	"	5	Blue.
2 0 17.6	" " 6	"	"	5	Red.
1 3 11.3	" " 1	"	"	5	Blue.
2 0 3.4	" " 2	"	"	5	Red.
2 1 9.7	" " 3	"	"	6	Blue.
2 0 36.9	" " 4	"	"	6	Purple.
0 0 12.9	" " 5	"	"	6	Blue.
0 1 6.5	" " 4	"	"	6	Purple.
0 0 39.3	" road ..	"	"	6	Green.
4 2 3	" Section 21	XIII	"	6	Red.
0 0 14	" road ..	"	"	6	Green.
0 0 25	" ..	"	"	6	"
0 0 5	" Section 21	"	"	6	Red.
0 0 8	" road ..	"	"	6	Green.
FOR ROAD.					
0 3 11.7	Part Section 20	XV	Rimu	1	Yellow.
0 0 16.7	" " 10	"	"	1	"
0 0 26.6	" " 11	"	"	2	Sepia.
0 0 6.5	" " 12	"	"	2	Yellow.
0 0 4	" " 12	"	"	2	"
0 0 19.8	" " 14	"	"	2	"
0 0 27.3	" " 15	"	"	2	Sepia.
0 0 20	" " 12	XIV	"	3	"
0 1 2	" 14q.r.	"	"	3	Yellow.
0 0 11.8	" " 12	"	"	4	Sepia.
0 1 35.9	" " 4	"	"	6	Yellow.
0 1 6.5	" " 5	"	"	6	Brown.

All in the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 35840, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Quarry in Block VII, Rangitaiki Upper Survey District.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under the Public Works Act, 1908, for the purposes of a quarry in Block VII, Rangitaiki Upper Survey District:

And whereas the Whakatane County Council has laid before the Governor a memorial, accompanied by a map, in duplicate, and also the statutory declaration, as required by the said Act :

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and the Counties 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 of the said quarry as from the date hereinafter specified, and shall vest in the Corporation of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Whakatane; and I do also hereby direct that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the fifteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken : 1 acre. Portion of Section No. 12, Rangitaiki Parish (16907, blue). Situated in Block VII, Survey District of Rangitaiki Upper.

Shown on plan P.W.D. 35834. Coloured on plan : Edged red.

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

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Alteration in the Name of the Woodville Central Agricultural and Pastoral Society.—Notice No. 1751.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this thirteenth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the Agricultural and Pastoral Societies Amendment Act, 1912, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby change the name of the society incorporated under the Agricultural and Pastoral Societies Act, 1908, under the style and title of the Woodville Central Agricultural and Pastoral Society to the Woodville Agricultural and Pastoral Association.

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

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and thirty of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is provided that no instrument of alienation of Native land by way of mortgage or charge, other than a mortgage or charge in favour of a State Loan Department, shall be confirmed by a Board or the Court without the precedent consent of the Governor in Council :

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

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

SCHEDULE.

WATOHU 1B No. 2 Block: Approximate area, 2 acres 1 rood 32 perches; Wellington Provincial District.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Declaring a Native to be a European.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, it is enacted that the Governor may by Order in Council, on the recommendation of the Native Land Court, declare any Native to be a European :

And whereas Maud Airini Tiakitai La Morte, of Crissoge, Napier, being a Native within the meaning of the Native Land Act, 1909, applied in the prescribed form for a recommendation of the Court that she might be declared a European: And whereas the said Court, having duly inquired into the said application, has recommended that an Order in Council be issued declaring the said Maud Airini Tiakitai La Morte to be a European: And whereas it is expedient that such declaration should be made :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority conferred on him by section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare the said Maud Airini Tiakitai La Morte to be a European.

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

Declaring a Native to be a European.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, it is enacted that the Governor may by Order in Council, on the recommendation of the Native Land Court, declare any Native to be a European :

And whereas Tuahine Renata, of Waimarama, being a Native within the meaning of the Native Land Act, 1909, applied in the prescribed form for a recommendation of the Court that she might be declared a European: And whereas the said Court, having duly inquired into the said application, has recommended that an Order in Council be issued declaring the said Tuahine Renata to be a European: And whereas it is expedient that such declaration should be made :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority conferred on him by section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare the said Tuahine Renata to be a European.

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

Declaring a Native to be a European.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, it is enacted that the Governor may by Order in Council, on the recommendation of the Native Land Court, declare any Native to be a European :

And whereas Charles Hamlin, of Hastings, being a Native within the meaning of the Native Land Act, 1909, applied in the prescribed form for a recommendation of the Court that he might be declared a European : And whereas the said Court, having duly inquired into the said application, has recommended that an Order in Council be issued declaring the said Charles Hamlin to be a European : And whereas it is expedient that such declaration should be made :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority conferred on him by section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare the said Charles Hamlin to be a European.

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

Declaring a Native to be a European.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, it is enacted that the Governor may by Order in Council, on the recommendation of the Native Land Court, declare any Native to be a European :

And whereas John Thomas Blake, of Hastings, being a Native within the meaning of the Native Land Act, 1909, applied in the prescribed form for a recommendation of the Court that he might be declared a European : And whereas the said Court, having duly inquired into the said application, has recommended that an Order in Council be issued declaring the said John Thomas Blake to be a European : And whereas it is expedient that such declaration should be made :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority conferred on him by section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare the said John Thomas Blake to be a European.

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

Revocation of an Order in Council under Section 296 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and ninety-six of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted that any Order in Council made under Part XVI of that Act, or under Part II of the Native Land Settlement Act, 1907, may be at any time revoked, either wholly or as to any part or parts of the land included therein, by the Governor by Order in Council ; and thereupon the land so subject to that Part of that Act shall, to the extent of that revocation, cease to be so subject : No land shall by reason of any such order of revocation cease to be subject to that Part of that Act at any time during the continuance of the term of any lease of

that land granted by a Maori Land Board under that Part of that Act (including in that term the term of any renewal to which the lessee is entitled) :

And whereas a parcel of land known as Tutaekuri No. 1c 13 Block has, by an Order in Council dated the eighteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eight, been brought under the provisions of Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909 : And whereas application has been made to revoke the said Order in Council in so far as it affects the said parcel of land :

And whereas the Tairarwhiti District Maori Land Board recommends accordingly : And whereas it is expedient so to do :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the said Order in Council in so far as it affects Tutaekuri No. 1c 13 Block ; and it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

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

Revocation of an Order in Council under Section 296 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and ninety-six of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted that any Order in Council made under Part XVI of that Act, or under Part II of the Native Land Settlement Act, 1907, may be at any time revoked, either wholly or as to any part or parts of the land included therein, by the Governor by Order in Council ; and thereupon the land so subject to that Part of that Act shall, to the extent of that revocation, cease to be so subject : No land shall by reason of any such order of revocation cease to be subject to that Part of that Act at any time during the continuance of the term of any lease of that land granted by a Maori Land Board under that Part of that Act (including in that term the term of any renewal to which the licensee is entitled) :

And whereas a parcel of land known as Tutaekuri No. 1c 2 and 1c 3 has, by an Order in Council dated the eighteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eight, been brought under the provisions of Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909 : And whereas application has been made to revoke the said Order in Council in so far as it affects the said parcel of land :

And whereas the Tairarwhiti District Maori Land Board recommends accordingly : And whereas it is expedient so to do :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the said Order in Council in so far as it affects Tutaekuri No. 1c 2 and 1c 3 Blocks ; and it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

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

Revocation of an Order in Council under Section 296 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and ninety-six of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted that any Order in Council made under Part XVI of that Act, or under Part II of the Native Land Settlement Act, 1907, may be at any time revoked, either wholly or as to any part or parts

of the land included therein, by the Governor by Order in Council; and thereupon the land so subject to that Part of that Act shall, to the extent of that revocation, cease to be so subject: No land shall by reason of any such Order of revocation cease to be subject to that Part of that Act at any time during the continuance of the term of any lease of that land granted by a Maori Land Board under that Part of that Act (including in that term the term of any renewal to which the lessee is entitled):

And whereas a parcel of land known as Mohaka No. 31 Block has, by an Order in Council dated the eighteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eight, been brought under the provisions of Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909: And whereas application has been made to revoke the said Order in Council in so far as it affects the said parcel of land:

And whereas the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board recommends accordingly: And whereas it is expedient so to do:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the said Order in Council in so far as it affects Mohaka No. 31 Block; and it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

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

Revoking Order in Council bringing certain Provisions of the Mining Act into Force within certain Parts of New Zealand.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of July, 1914.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the fifteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, it was declared that the provisions of the Mining Act, 1908, set out in the First Schedule hereto, and including all amendments thereof, should apply to prospecting and mining for and the storage of petroleum and other mineral oils and of natural gas within the districts described in the Second Schedule hereto:

And whereas it is expedient to revoke the said Order in Council except with respect to any rights granted thereunder:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the Mining Amendment Act, 1911, and of every other power and authority 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 revoke the above-recited Order in Council, provided that such revocation shall not affect a mineral prospecting warrant dated the fifth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, issued to Herbert Robins Cooke, marked Mines 1913/1774, and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Crown Lands at Auckland; and the provisions of such Order in Council shall continue to apply thereto accordingly.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

PROVISIONS OF MINING ACT APPLIED.

THE Mining Act, 1908. — Part II: Section 11, subsection (a); section 76 to 85, both inclusive; and section 165. Part V: Sections 261 to 276, both inclusive.

Regulations under Mining Act, 1908. — Nos. 1, 33, 91, 102, 147 to 150 (both inclusive).

SECOND SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District contained in Blocks 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, and 8, Paeroa Survey District, inclusive of any public reserve, endowment, or Native reserve situated within that area.

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

Regulations as to Registration of a Stock-breeders' Association Standard Mark.—Notice No. 1753.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this seventh day of July, 1914.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the Stock Act, 1908, and the Stock Amendment Act, 1913, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations with respect to the registration of a brand or mark as a stock-breeders' association standard mark; and doth declare that such regulations shall come into force on the date of their publication in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

REGULATIONS.

1. EVERY application by an incorporated society, under section 4 of the Stock Amendment Act, 1913, for the registration of a brand or mark as a stock-breeders' association standard mark shall be in the form in the Schedule hereto, and shall be made to the Secretary of the Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce at Wellington.

2. The fee payable for such registration shall be £1 ls., and such fee shall be forwarded with the application as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR THE REGISTRATION OF A STOCK-BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION STANDARD MARK.

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The Secretary, Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce, Wellington.

IN accordance with the provisions of section 4 of the Stock Amendment Act, 1913, we, the undersigned, President and Secretary respectively of [*Insert name of society*], incorporated under [*State title of Act under which incorporated*], hereby apply on behalf of the said for the registration of the brand [or mark] described below as a stock-breeders' association standard mark to be used on live-stock.

We certify that one of the objects of our society is the improvement of stock, and that the standard mark is to be used for the purpose only of indicating that the live-stock on which it is placed have attained a standard of merit fixed by the association [society].

Particulars of brand or mark:

, President.

, Secretary.

[SEAL.]

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

Regulations under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this thirteenth day of July, 1914.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913, and of all other powers him hereunto enabling, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the consent and advice of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations, to take effect on and from the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

REGULATIONS.

1. IN these regulations, if not inconsistent with the context, "The Act" means the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913:

"Improvements" means improvements as defined in section 2 of the Act:

"New lease" means a lease granted in pursuance of section 3 of the Act:

"Lessee" means any person entitled to a new lease:

"Notice" means notice given by causing the same to be personally served on any person, or by leaving the same at his usual place of abode or business, or by forwarding the same by post addressed to his usual or last known place of abode or business.

2. Every new lease shall, as nearly as may be, be in the form and contain the powers, reservations, provisions, conditions, covenants, and agreements set forth in the First Schedule hereto.

3. Every new lease shall be prepared by the Public Trustee at a fee of £3 3s. in addition to the stamp duty and registration fees, and the Public Trustee may require a deposit to be made of the amount of such fees and stamp duty at the time application is made for such new lease or at any time thereafter, and may at any time refuse to proceed with such new lease if such deposit when required is not made.

4. The Public Trustee and the lessee shall each execute the new lease in triplicate.

5. If any lessee elects not to accept a new lease the Public Trustee shall proceed to lease the land for a period of ten years computed from the expiration of the present lease, and the provisions of Regulation 19 regarding the rental and terms and conditions of such lease shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to leases issued hereunder.

6. Before any valuer appointed under the Act enters into the consideration of any matters referred to him under the Act he shall, in the presence of a Justice of the Peace, make and subscribe the following declaration, that is to say,—

"I, A. B., do declare that I am not interested in any of 'the said leases' within the meaning of that term as defined in section 2 of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913, and that I will faithfully and honestly and to the best of my skill and ability make the appraisements and valuations required under the provisions of the said Act. And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and under and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intitled the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908."

7. If any question arises as to the competency of a valuer to act under the provisions of the Act, the same shall be considered and determined by the Public Trustee, whose decision shall be final and conclusive.

8. In the event of the Public Trustee deciding that a valuer is incompetent to act within the meaning of the Act, or where for any reason the valuer appointed fails to act, the person or persons who appointed such valuer shall, within one month after being required by the Public Trustee by notice so to do, appoint another person to act as valuer in place of the valuer so decided to be incompetent or failing to act.

9. The remuneration of each valuer shall be such sum as is agreed upon between such valuer and the person or persons by whom he is appointed to act: Provided that in no case shall a valuer be entitled to receive a greater sum than is prescribed in the next following regulation.

10. No valuer appointed to act under the provisions of the Act (other than the valuer appointed by the Valuer-General) shall be paid at a higher rate than £3 3s. per diem for each and every day that he is actually engaged upon the duties entrusted to him in addition to his reasonable expenses and disbursements as approved by the Public Trustee.

11. No fees shall be payable to the valuer appointed by the Valuer-General in respect of any duties performed by him under the Act.

12. Before any valuer duly appointed by any lessee proceeds to determine the matters referred to him the lessee shall deposit with the Public Trustee a sum sufficient in the opinion of the Public Trustee to cover the remuneration of that valuer as agreed upon.

13. No fees shall be payable to the Native Land Court in respect of any proceedings for partition made in pursuance of section 15 of the Act.

14. In making partition orders under the Act the Native Land Court shall as far as practicable have regard to the wishes and views of the respective Native owners entitled to the land which is being partitioned.

15. Upon the making of a partition order under the Act the Native Land Court shall forthwith notify the respective Native owners interested therein and the Public Trustee of such order being made.

16. Upon the making of partition orders under the Act of lands other than unsettled reserves, such orders shall not be handed to the respective Native owners until the expiration of the new lease of the land comprised in such partition orders.

17. Where a partition order is issued in respect of any land under the Act the Public Trustee shall forthwith in the case of unsettled reserves, and in the case of other land within three calendar months prior to the expiration of the

new lease comprising such land, by notice in writing to such of the Native owners thereof as are under no disability, require such Native owners to state whether or not they desire the certificate of title in respect of such land to be issued to the Public Trustee instead of to themselves, and in the event of their desiring the certificate of title to issue to the Public Trustee then to notify the Public Trustee accordingly in the form set out in the Second Schedule hereto.

18. The Public Trustee shall before the expiration of the new lease (if any) transmit such form to the District Land Registrar, who shall upon the expiration of such new lease (if any) issue the certificate of title to the Public Trustee accordingly.

19. Upon the issue of the certificate of title to the Public Trustee he shall proceed to lease the land comprised therein at the highest rental that can be obtained therefor, and every such lease shall contain (*inter alia*) the powers, provisions, covenants, and agreements set out in the Third Schedule hereto, or such of them as the Public Trustee deems suitable and proper in the circumstances.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

New Lease under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee (who, unless the context requires a different construction, is with his successors and assigns hereinafter referred to as "the lessor") is the statutory owner in fee-simple of all that piece of land situated in the , containing acres roods and perches, be the same a little more or less, and being :

And whereas (who, unless the context requires a different construction, is with executors, administrators, and assigns hereinafter referred to as "the lessee") has under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913, become entitled to a new lease at the rent and subject to the covenants, conditions, and provisions hereinafter contained, expressed, or implied :

Now, the lessor doth hereby lease to the lessee all the said land (excepting and always reserving out of this demise unto the lessor all petroleum, mines, metals, minerals, coal, lignite, slate, or freestone in, upon, or under the demised land, with power to the lessor to work, win, use, possess, sell, and dispose of the same or any part thereof, excepting such as may be required by the lessee for the lessee's own use but not for sale or disposal, and with power also to the lessor to make roads through the demised land, and for the purposes aforesaid or any of them to erect or build houses and other convenient buildings on the demised land, paying compensation for damage done to the surface only, the amount of such compensation in case of disagreement to be ascertained and determined by arbitration as hereinafter mentioned), to be held by the lessee as tenant for the term of ten years computed from the day of one thousand nine hundred and , at the yearly rental of (reducible as hereinafter provided), payable in advance by equal half-yearly instalments of on the said days of and in each year during the said term, the first of such payments having been made on the day of , one thousand nine hundred and , subject to the provisions of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913, and to the following covenants, conditions, and restrictions. And the lessee doth hereby covenant with the lessor—

1. That the lessee shall and will during the said term pay the rent aforesaid in manner aforesaid free and clear from all deductions or abatements whatsoever, and shall and will pay all rates, taxes, charges, or assessments now made or hereafter during the said term assessed, charged, or imposed upon the demised premises, or upon the landlord or tenant in respect thereof, or upon any buildings or improvements thereof: Provided always that the lessee having well and faithfully observed, performed, and complied with all and singular the covenants, conditions, and agreements in these presents contained or implied and on the part of the lessee to be kept, observed, and performed (except the covenant to pay rent at the rate aforesaid), then for every half-year for which the lessee shall within fourteen days after the commencement thereof pay to the lessor an instalment of £ for such half-year's rent the lessor shall and will accept the same in full satisfaction and discharge of the instalment of rent for such half-year at the higher rate as hereinbefore provided.

2. That the lessee "will insure."

3. That the lessee will in the fourth and ninth years during the currency of this demise paint all the outside woodwork and ironwork belonging to the hereditaments and premises hereby demised or for the time being standing and being on the land hereby demised with two coats of proper oil colours in a workmanlike manner.

4. That the lessee "will cultivate."

5. That the lessee will also, once at least in every two years of the said term, cut and trim all fences on the said demised premises (including the inside of all boundary-fences), and will also grub up, eradicate, and destroy and keep the said demised premises free and clear of all gorse, sweetbrier, broom, twitch, rushes, and noxious weeds which shall be growing on any part of the said demised premises, save gorse that is properly growing in the line of fences; and will also at the lessee's own expense in every respect do all things necessary to comply with the provisions and requirements of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, or any statutory amendment or modification thereof, so far as the same may be applicable to the said demised premises or any part thereof, during the said term: Provided that if the lessee fails or neglects or refuses to carry out any of the requirements of this clause it shall be lawful for but not obligatory upon the lessor from time to time (without the necessity of giving or leaving any notice to the lessee, and without prejudice to any of the lessor's other rights under these presents), by himself, his agents or servants, into and upon the demised land to enter and then and there to cut up and eradicate or remove all or any of such noxious weeds and plants; and for that purpose the lessor, his agents and servants, shall have all necessary and incidental rights and powers, and all moneys expended by the lessor for that purpose shall be repayable to the lessor by the lessee on demand with interest thereon at eight pounds per centum per annum until repayment thereof, and until repaid may be recovered by distress in the same manner as if the same were rent in arrear.

6. That the lessee "will not without leave assign or sublet."

7. That the lessee will forthwith completely fence the boundaries of the demised land with a sufficient fence within the meaning of the Fencing Act, 1908, and also will at all times during the said term keep in good and substantial repair and condition all subdivisional or boundary fences now or hereafter erected upon or around the demised land; and also will not at any time call upon or compel the lessor to contribute to the cost of erecting, repairing, or maintaining any boundary-fence between the demised land and any adjoining land; and also will at all times indemnify the lessor from all liability under the Fencing Act, 1908, in respect of the erection, repair, or maintenance of boundary-fences between the demised land and any adjoining land: Provided always that nothing herein shall operate or be construed to deprive the lessee of any rights he may have against any person other than the Public Trustee under the last-mentioned Act: Provided, further, that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to lessen, limit, or restrict the lessee's liability under the covenant to keep in repair implied herein by law.

8. And it is hereby declared and agreed that throughout this lease, where any matter is agreed to be referred to arbitration, then such matter shall be determined by the written award of two arbitrators, one to be appointed by the lessor and the other by the lessee, and in case of their failure to agree, then by the written award of an umpire to be appointed in writing by such arbitrators before entering upon the consideration of the matters referred to them, and for the purposes of any such arbitration these presents shall be deemed to be a submission within the meaning of the Arbitration Act, 1908, and the provisions of that Act shall apply accordingly. The provisions of this clause shall not apply to any matter which under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913, or these presents is required to be decided by valuers.

9. And it is hereby agreed as follows:—

- (a.) All the abbreviated expressions hereinbefore contained as modified herein shall have the meaning given them by the Land Transfer Act, 1908.
- (b.) All powers, covenants, and provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, and its amendments which apply to or are implied or incorporated in leases of land under that Act shall apply to and be implied or incorporated in this lease, save as to any expressed modifications thereof made herein.
- (c.) This lease shall not confer or in any way be deemed to confer on the lessee any rights of renewal whatsoever.
- (d.) At the expiration of the term hereof the lessee shall be entitled to be paid the full value of the improvements upon the land hereby demised and existing at the expiration of the term hereof. For this purpose "improvements" means improvements as defined in section two of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913. The value of such improvements shall be ascertained by three valuers in accordance with the provisions of section seventeen of the last-mentioned Act.

Provided always that if and as often as the rent hereby reserved is in arrear and unpaid for the space of thirty days next after any of the days herein appointed for payment thereof, although no formal demand may have been made for payment thereof, or in case the lessee becomes bankrupt or insolvent or commits a breach of or infringes or fails to perform or observe any of the covenants, conditions, or agreements herein contained or implied and on the part of the lessee to be performed or observed, and the same continues for the period of thirty days, then and in any such case it shall be lawful for the lessor forthwith or at any time thereafter, and without any notice or demand, into and upon the demised premises or any part thereof in the name of the whole to re-enter, and the same to have again, re-possess, and enjoy; but such re-entry shall not prejudice the right of the lessor to recover any rent or other moneys then due or payable, or any right of distress, action, or suit that may have arisen under these presents or by law prior to such re-entry. And the lessee hereby accepts this lease to be held by the lessee as tenant, subject to the covenants, conditions, and restrictions above set forth, expressed or implied:

Provided always that no covenants shall be implied herein as against the lessor save that the lessor has not done or executed or been privy to any act or deed by means whereof the land hereby demised may have been charged or encumbered in any way whatever.

Dated this _____ day of _____, one thousand nine hundred and _____

Signed by the Public Trustee,
as lessor, and sealed with
his seal of Office in the pre-
sence of— THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE,
Lessor.

Signed by the above-named
_____, as lessee, in the
presence of— _____, Lessee.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

The West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913
To the Public Trustee, Wellington.

WE, the undersigned, being the Native owners named in a partition order bearing date the _____ day of _____, 19____, in respect of the land known as _____, hereby authorize and direct the District Land Registrar of the District of _____ to issue the certificate of title in respect of the said land to the Public Trustee instead of to ourselves, pursuant to the provisions of section 15 of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913.

THIRD SCHEDULE.

1. ALL petroleum, mines, metals, minerals, coal, lignite, slate, or freestone in, upon, or under the land hereby demised shall be excepted and reserved hereout unto the lessor, with power to him to work, win, use, possess, sell, and dispose of the same or any part thereof, except such as may be required by the lessee for the lessee's own use but not for sale or disposal, with power also to the lessor to make roads through the demised land, and for such purposes or any of them to erect or build houses or other convenient buildings, paying compensation for damage done to the surface only, the amount of such compensation in case of disagreement to be ascertained and determined by an arbitrator to be mutually appointed by the lessor and the lessee in accordance with the provisions of the Arbitration Act, 1908.

2. That the lessee shall and will during the term created duly and punctually pay the rent reserved to the lessor upon the days fixed therefor.

3. That the lessee will at his own expense repair, keep, and maintain all fences, ditches, drains, watercourses, bridges, gates, erections, and other things in, upon, or about the said demised premises, or hereafter to be constructed or erected, in good and substantial repair and condition, and in such repair and condition at the expiration or other sooner determination of the said term will deliver up the same.

4. That the lessee "will insure" within the meaning given to that term in the Seventh Schedule of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, except that such insurance shall be in the name of the lessor only and not in the joint names of the lessor and lessee.

5. That the lessee will bear, pay, and discharge all rates, taxes, charges, duties, assessments, outgoing, and impositions whatever (except land-tax) payable either by landlord or tenant, which now are or shall at any time during the said term hereby granted be assessed, charged, or imposed on or in respect of the said demised premises or any part thereof.

6. And also will at least once in every year of the said term open and keep clear the said ditches, drains, and water-courses.

7. And will also once at least in every year of the said term cut and trim on both sides all live fences fronting on the roads bounding the said demised premises.

8. And will also once at least in every year of the said term grub up, eradicate, and destroy any gorse, broom, sweetbrier, or other noxious weeds growing on the roads adjoining the said demised premises to the middle-line thereof.

9. And will also once at least in every year of the said term cut and trim all other fences on the said demised premises (including the inside of all boundary-fences), and will also grub up, eradicate, and destroy and keep the said premises free and clear of all gorse, sweetbrier, broom, twitch, rushes, Californian thistle, and noxious weeds growing on any part of the said demised premises, save gorse that is properly growing in the line of fences; and will at his own expense in every respect do all things necessary to comply with the provisions and requirements of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, or any statutory amendment or modification thereof, so far as the same may be applicable to the said demised premises or any part thereof, during the said term, without being entitled to any compensation in respect thereof or proportion of reasonable expenses as provided by the said Act: Provided that if the lessee fails or neglects to carry out any of the requirements of this clause, it shall be lawful for, but not obligatory upon, the lessor from time to time (without the necessity of giving or leaving any notice to the lessee, and without prejudice to all or any of the lessor's other rights hereunder), by himself, his agents or servants, into and upon the demised land and premises to enter and then and there to cut up and eradicate or remove all or any of such noxious weeds and plants, and for that purpose the lessor, his agents and servants, shall have all necessary and incidental rights and powers, and all moneys expended by the lessor for that purpose shall be payable on demand to the lessor by the lessee, with interest thereon at eight pounds per centum per annum until repayment thereof, or the same may be recovered by distress in the same manner as if the same were rent in arrear.

10. And also will forthwith erect on the boundaries of the said demised premises where no sufficient fence now exists good and sufficient fences according to the meaning of a sufficient fence in the Fencing Act, 1908.

11. And also will at all times cultivate, use, and manage all such parts of the said land as is now or hereafter broken up or converted into tillage in a proper and husbandlike manner, and will not impoverish or waste the same, but will keep the same in good heart and condition.

12. And will not remove from the said demised premises any buildings or fixtures now or hereafter to be erected thereon whether affixed to the freehold or not.

13. And also, if the lessee at any time makes default in performance of any of the covenants hereinbefore contained relating to the reparation of the said premises, it shall be lawful for the lessor or his agents (but without prejudice to the right of re-entry under the clause hereinafter contained) at all reasonable times to enter upon the said demised premises to view the state of repair, and the lessee will within one calendar month after receiving a notice in writing from the lessor or his agents to repair any portion of the said premises effect such repairs. And, further, that if the lessee makes default in effecting such repairs the lessor and his agents may enter upon the said demised premises and repair the same at the expense of the lessee, and recover the expense of such repairs by distress or otherwise as if the same had been rent in arrear reserved by these presents.

14. And that the lessee will not assign, underlet, or part with the possession of the said demised premises without the previous consent in writing of the lessor first had and obtained: Provided that such consent shall not be arbitrarily or unreasonably withheld to a respectable and solvent person.

15. Provided always, and it is hereby agreed and declared, that if the said rent hereby reserved, or any part thereof, is in arrear and unpaid on any of the days hereinbefore appointed for payment of the same (whether legally demanded or not), the lessor may immediately or at any time or times thereafter, without any notice or demand, enter and distrain on the said premises for the arrears of the said rent; and, further, that in case of the breach, non-observance, or non-performance of any covenant herein contained or implied and on the part of the lessee to be performed, other than and except the covenant to pay rent, or if the said rent or any part thereof is in arrear for twenty-one days (whether legally demanded or not), or if the lessee becomes bankrupt or insolvent within the meaning of any laws for the time being in force in New Zealand, then and in any such case it shall be lawful for the lessor to re-enter upon the said

demised premises, or any part thereof in the name of the whole, and determine the estate of the lessee both at law and in equity, without being obliged to await the expiration of any periods whatever other than the said period of twenty-one days, notwithstanding the provisions contained in the Land Transfer Act, 1908, or the Property Law Act, 1908, or any statutory amendment thereof; and thereupon this demise shall absolutely determine, without, however, releasing the lessee from liability for any such breach.

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

Regulations under the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this thirteenth day of July, 1914.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may by Order in Council make such regulations, not inconsistent with the said Act, as may be necessary for the effectual carrying-out of that Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following additional regulations to the regulations made on the third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

REGULATIONS.

1. THE following regulation shall be added at the end of Regulation 21 made on the said 3rd day of March, 1911:—

"(4.) In lieu of making any such break as aforesaid in the continuity of the payments in respect of purchase-money, the Board shall, if the purchaser so desires, apply the amount so paid in advance in part payment of future principal and interest or principal or interest, as the case may be, spread over the whole period of the instalments, and the periodical payments shall be correspondingly reduced for the remainder of the term over which such payments shall be payable."

2. Every worker who is desirous of making a disposition of his dwelling under section 15 of the said Act shall apply in writing to the Board for its consent to the proposed disposition, and such application shall be in the form W.D. 4A in the Schedule hereto, and shall specify the particulars indicated in that form.

3. Every application for such disposition shall be accompanied by a declaration by the proposed transferee, and shall be in the form W.D. 4B in the Schedule hereto.

4. If the Board shall consent to the application, then a certificate shall be endorsed on the original agreement or lease, as the case may be, evidencing the title of the transferee to the worker's dwelling in the form W.D. 4C in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

W.D. 4A.

APPLICATION TO TRANSFER INTEREST IN PURCHASE OR LEASE OF WORKER'S DWELLING.

To the Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings, Wellington.
I, [Name in full], of [Address], hereby apply to transfer to [Name in full], of [Address], [Occupation], my interest in the purchase or lease of the worker's dwelling situated on Section _____ Settlement, _____ District, and I propose to sell my interest in the said worker's dwelling to him [her] for the sum of £ _____ (this sum being made up of deposit £ _____; amount paid off principal, £ _____ and improvements, £ _____), subject to the approval of the Board. My reasons for desiring to transfer are _____.

[Signature of Seller.]

[Witness to signature.]

W.D. 4B.

DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION TO TRANSFER.

I, _____, do hereby declare—
(1.) That I am a worker within the meaning of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.

(2.) That no money or money's worth is being paid by me for goodwill.

(3.) That I am acquainted with all the obligations and conditions required to be fulfilled by the transferor of the above-named worker's dwelling, and I agree to accept a transfer of the agreement to purchase the said worker's dwelling (or a transfer of the lease of such worker's dwelling) and to fulfil all conditions under which it is issued.

(4.) I attach the necessary application for transfer, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

Declared at _____, this _____ day of _____, 191____, before me— _____, a Justice of the Peace [or Solicitor].

W.D. 4c.

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSFER.

WHEREAS _____, within named, has agreed with the consent of the Board to transfer to _____ of _____, all his right, title, estate, and interest in the property comprised in the within-written document :

Now it is hereby agreed that the said [Transferee] shall be substituted for the said [Transferor] wherever the latter's name appears in the above-written document, and the said [Transferee] shall be bound by and shall fulfil all agreements, stipulations, and conditions therein contained or implied therein on the part of the said [Transferor], and the said written document shall be read and construed henceforth as if the name of the said [Transferee] had been inserted herein throughout in place of the said [Transferor].

Dated the _____ day of _____, 191____.

Signed by the Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings in the presence of— _____

Signed by the said _____, in the presence of— _____

Signed by the said _____, in the presence of— _____

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

Third Schedule of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, extended to include Spiderwort.—Notice No. 1750.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this thirteenth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby extend the operation of the Third Schedule of the said Act by including the plant known as Spiderwort (*Lycyesteria formosa*); and it is hereby declared that this Order shall come into force on the day of the publication hereof in the *Gazette*.

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

Treasury Regulations relative to the Public Accounts.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on him by section three of the Public Revenues 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 revoke clauses eighty-four and one hundred and eighteen of the Treasury Regulations made on the twenty-seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the thirtieth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the following regulations; and

doth direct that the regulations hereby made shall form part of and be read with the aforesaid regulations, and shall come into force on the date of the gazetting thereof.

REGULATIONS.

84. VOUCHERS in respect of payments on account of salaries of new appointees, temporary officers, and officers claiming more than one month's salary at any time, interest, loan transactions, return of deposits, on account of unauthorized expenditure, or chargeable against the accounts of local bodies, shall be submitted to and passed by the Audit Office before being included in any requisition.

118. All salary and allowances payable to an imprestee or other officer must be drawn from the Treasury direct in the ordinary way, and must not be paid out of imprest, except in the case of travelling expenses and allowances authorized by the Public Service Regulations or by the Minister of his Department.

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

Validating Public Notification with reference to a Loan of £1,000 proposed to be raised by the Whangarei County Council.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Whangarei County Council lately proposed to raise a loan of one thousand pounds under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of forming, widening, metalling, and gravelling the main Whangarei-Kiripaka Road between Hutchinson's front gate, Huanui, and Kiripaka :

And whereas the special roll of the said Kiripaka Special Loan, though deposited for public inspection, was not deposited prior to the steps being taken under paragraph (e) of section sixteen, as required by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and the regulations made thereunder :

And whereas the period mentioned in the *Northern Advocate* newspaper for the lodgment of objections to the rating area exceeds the time-limit of seven days after the last day on which the roll was deposited prescribed by the above-mentioned Act and regulations :

And whereas the deposit of the special roll was not advertised on the first day of the deposit, as required by number two of the above-mentioned regulations :

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularities or defects, and that it is expedient to validate the said irregularities :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section one hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the said proceedings shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the said roll had been deposited in the proper order, and public notification thereof and of all matters in connection therewith given in the proper manner, and that the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularities aforesaid.

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £150,000 proposed to be raised by the Wanganui Harbour Board.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the Wanganui Harbour District and Empowering Act, 1913, the Wanganui Harbour Board was authorized, for the purposes specified in the said Act, to raise any sum not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand pounds in the manner prescribed by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, as notified by the said Act :

And whereas by section forty of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1913, further provision was made as to the raising of the said loan :

And whereas the Board has taken steps to raise the said loan of one hundred and fifty thousand pounds, to be called "the Wanganui Harbour Board Port Development Loan of £150,000" :

And whereas by section ten, subsection two, of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, it is provided that the first publication by the Chairman of any local authority taking a poll of the notice prescribed under that subsection, setting forth the date on which such poll shall be taken, shall be made not less than fourteen (14) days before the said date :

And whereas it is provided by section forty-one of the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908, that not less than fourteen (14) clear days before any poll on a proposal to be submitted to the electors entitled to vote thereon the Returning Officer shall give public notice thereof :

And whereas the first publication by the Chairman of the Board of the notice that a poll would be taken on the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, on the proposal to raise the said loan was made on the fifteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, being one day too late :

And whereas the Returning Officer at such poll gave public notice on the sixteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, being two days too late :

And whereas such poll was taken on the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, when one thousand five hundred and sixty-eight ratepayers voted in favour of such proposal and sixty-one ratepayers voted against the same, and such proposal was duly declared to be carried :

And whereas the form of voting-paper used at the said poll was in the form prescribed by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, but omitted to mention the day on which the poll would be taken, as required by that Act :

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers entitled to vote at such poll were not misled by such irregularities, and it is expedient to validate the same :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section one hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and section twenty-four of the Local Elections and Polls Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the said poll shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the first publication of such notice by the Chairman and the public notice by the Returning Officer of such poll had been made not less than fourteen days before the date of such poll, and as though the voting-paper used at the said poll was in the correct form and had stated the day on which the poll was to be taken ; and that the proceedings relative to such loan shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularities aforesaid.

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

Vesting a Reserve in the Alexandra Borough Council.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart as an endowment or for the use of the Corporation of the Borough of Alexandra : And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Alexandra :

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, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Alexandra, in trust, as an endowment or for the use of the Corporation of the said borough.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 15 acres 1 rood 23 perches, more or less,

being Section 1, Block XXXIX, Town of Alexandra. Bounded towards the north-east by Walton Street and a public road, 1914.6 links ; towards the south-east by said road, 1729.4 links ; towards the west by Sections 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, and 1, Block XXVIII, Town of Alexandra, 730.7 links ; towards the north by Deel Street, 124.9 links ; again towards the west by a street, 702.6 links ; towards the south by Skird Street, 300 links ; again towards the west by Section 12, Block XIV of aforesaid town, 137 links ; and towards the north-west by part of said Section 12 and Sections 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17 of said Block XIV, 522.9 links : be all the aforesaid linkages more or less : as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1913/1055A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Vesting Plantation Reserves in the Selwyn Plantation Board.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of July, 1914.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the parcels of land described in the Schedule hereto have been duly set apart for plantation purposes :

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said parcels of land in the Selwyn Plantation Board :

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, from and after the day of the date hereof, the parcels of land described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Selwyn Plantation Board, in trust, for plantation purposes.

SCHEDULE.

Area.	Being Portion of Rural Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 9 3 20	22671	VII	Fighting Hill	L. and S. 49135/c	Yellow.
8 0 9	22673, 27257	"	"	Ditto..	"
7 2 3	19357	"	"	" ..	"
7 2 3	19356	"	"	" ..	"
3 0 18	19354	"	"	" ..	"
8 1 1	27258, 19353, 81123	"	"	" ..	"
3 2 17	19353	"	"	" ..	"
8 0 39	19352, 31185, 27258	"	"	" ..	"
11 1 35	31119, 20311, 31370	"	"	" ..	"

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

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

Part of Waitangi-roto Stream to be a Sanctuary for Imported and Native Game.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Westland Land District, being that part of the Waitangi-roto Stream extending southerly and easterly from its confluence with the Waitangi-taona River for a distance of three miles, and the area included in lines running parallel to and 3 chains distant from the said part of the Waitangi-roto Stream on both sides of that stream.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Postmasters appointed to take and receive Statutory Declarations.

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

New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that the persons set out in the Schedule hereto, being persons holding the office of Postmaster under the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, at the places set opposite their names in the said Schedule, are authorized to take and receive statutory declarations under the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

PULHAM, JAMES BROOK	Aburoa.
WORTH, GEORGE	Coromandel.
KERR, JAMES	Eketahuna.
STRATFORD, DAISY MAY	Golden Downs.
MALLETT, THOMAS GARDINER	Kotare.
REID, JOHN	Matakitaki.
KEAR, FREDERICK	Millerton.
FLEMING, HUGH HENRY	Waipahi.
PURCELL, THOMAS	Wairoa.

As witness my hand, this twentieth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

Lands permanently reserved.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

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

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby permanently reserve the lands so temporarily reserved as aforesaid, and enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto, for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule, being the same purposes for which the said lands were so temporarily reserved as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	<i>Gazette.</i>
Auckland ..	Suburbs of Pipiroa ..	6	VI	A. R. P. 7 0 18	Site for a public school	1914. 25 Mar.	1914. No. 34, 2 April.
	Te Puru Township	1, 2, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27 6 and 7	II	2 1 36		Site for a public hospital	9 April	No. 39, 16 "
" ..	Puniu S.D.* ..	3	X	0 2 0	Public cemetery ..	30 "	No. 47, 7 May.
" ..	Takahue S.D.* ..	17	V	17 2 20	Site for a cottage hospital	11 May	No. 50, 21 "
Hawke's Bay	Town of Moturiki ..	Lot 10 of 1	..	4 0 0	Site for a public school	19 "	No. 55, 28 "
	Tauranga S.D.* ..	..	VII	4 0 0	Public cemetery ..	19 "	" 28 "
Taranaki	Tahoraite S.D.* ..	12	XII	4 0 0	Public cemetery ..	19 "	" 28 "
	Suburbs of Ohura ..	27 and 28	..	3 0 0	Site for a public school	19 "	" 28 "
Wellington	Ohura S.D.* ..	..	V	3 0 0	Site for a public school	19 "	" 28 "
	Town of Pongaroa ..	20 Suburban	..	1 0 0	Addition to a public cemetery	15 Mar.	No. 24, 19 Mar.
"	Piriaka Township ..	4	IX	0 1 0	Site for a public hall	23 April	No. 43, 30 April.
"	Wellington City	Lots 5 & 6, Te Aro Foreshore Lot 7, Te Aro Foreshore	..	0 0 25 0 1 1-9	Site for a police-station	11 May	No. 50, 21 May.
Westland ..	Punakaiki S.D.* ..	1500	I	5 2 16	Resting-place for travelling stock	25 Mar.	No. 34, 2 April.
" ..	Waiwhero S.D.* ..	1086	"	1 2 3	Gravel purposes ..	25 "	" "
" ..	" ..	1087	"	1 0 0	" ..	25 "	" "
" ..	Punakaiki S.D.* ..	1092	"	1 0 0	" ..	25 "	" "
" ..	" ..	1093	II	1 0 0	" ..	25 "	" "
" ..	" ..	1085	I	2 2 24	" ..	25 "	" "
" ..	" ..	1090	"	1 0 0	" ..	25 "	" "
" ..	" ..	1091	"	1 0 0	" ..	25 "	" "
" ..	Waiwhero S.D.* ..	971	"	6 2 9	Site for a public school	25 "	" "
Otago ..	Woodland S.D.* ..	2	VI	146 3 31	For the growth and preservation of timber	19 May	No. 55, 28 May.

Survey District.

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

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Appointing a Member of the Otago Harbour Board.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS it is provided by section seventeen of the Harbours Amendment Act, 1910, that the office of any member of a Harbour Board shall become vacant if, *inter alia*, he resigns his office by writing under his hand delivered to the Secretary or Chairman of the Board:

And whereas it is provided by subsection two of section eighteen of the said Act that when an elective member other than a representative of a constituent district vacates his office on the Board through the operation of the said section seventeen the Governor may, by Warrant under his hand, appoint some qualified person in his place:

And whereas George Barkentin Bullock, an elective member of the Otago Harbour Board, being a representative of the payers of harbour dues on ships, has resigned his office as a member of the Board, and it is desirable to appoint a qualified person as a representative of such payers of harbour dues in his place:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, doth hereby appoint

GEORGE ROBERT RITCHIE

to be a member of the Otago Harbour Board as a representative of the payers of harbour dues on ships, in the place of George Barkentin Bullock, resigned.

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

F. M. B. FISHER.

Land temporarily reserved as a Site for a Post-office in the Town of Mawaihakona, 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 a site for a post-office.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 11 perches, more or less, being Section 12, Town of Mawaihakona. Bounded towards the north-west by Hutt Road, 194.5 links and 9.3 links; towards the north-east by Tawai Road, 357.3 links; towards the south-east by Section 28, Town of Mawaihakona, 121.7 links; and towards the south-west by Section 11 of said town, 350 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. VI/3 (14), 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 sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Land temporarily reserved as a Site for a Public School in Paremoremo Parish, Auckland 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 Auckland Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, as a site for a public school.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing 7 acres 2 roods 1 perch, more or less, being Allotment 94, Paremoremo Parish. Bounded towards the north-west by Allotment 94A, Paremoremo Parish, 1318.5 links; towards the east and south-east by a public road, 497 and 973.6 links respectively; and towards the south-west by a public road along the Oteha Stream, 619.6 and 451.2 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. VI/6 (17), deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged purple. (Auckland Plan 17719, blue.)

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

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Opening National Endowment Lands in Wellington Land District for Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Waimarino County.—Whirinaki Survey District.—Ruaititi Block.

SECTION 5, Block XII: Area, 910 acres; capital value, £1,780; half-yearly rental, £35 12s.

Situated in the Ruaititi Block, the access being from Raetihi, which is about twenty miles distant by dray-road and bridle-track. The section comprises hilly and rough land, with a few small flats or patches of easy ground. Soil is of fairly good quality, on papa and sandstone formation. The forest is fairly heavy, and comprises tawhero on ridges, tawa, rimu, rata, miro, hinau, a few matai and kahikatea, with dense undergrowth of usual kind. Watered by streams. The elevation ranges from about 1,100 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level.

Patea County.—Taumatamahoe Survey District.—Whakaihuwaka Block.

Section 6, Block I: Area, 843 acres; capital value, £2,470; half-yearly rental, £49 8s.

Situated on Taunoka Road, in Whakaihuwaka Block, the access being by proposed bridle-track from the Wanganui River, about seven miles distant. Access also from Waitotara, about thirty-nine miles distant. There is a formed and partly metalled dray-road to within about four miles from the Whakaihuwaka Block. The section comprises about 200 acres of good easy country, with small flats and undulations; the remainder broken spurs with gorges between. Soil is of good quality, resting on papa formation. The forest is heavy, chiefly tawa; with mahoe, rewarewa, rata, a few pines, and a little tawhero and birch on ridges; with usual dense undergrowth. Well watered. Elevation ranges from 800 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level.

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

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Opening Town Lands in Wellington Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

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 town lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Wednesday, the twenty-third day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, at the rentals mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN LAND (NATIONAL ENDOWMENT).

Kaitieke County.—Township of Kakahi.

SECTION 7, Block III: Area, 1 rood; capital value, £50; half-yearly rental, £1 5s.

Weighted with £85, valuation for improvements consisting of a four-roomed house 24 ft. by 24 ft. by 10 ft.

Situated in Kakahi Township, about ten miles south of Taumarunui, the access being by formed dray-road from Kakahi Railway-station, about a quarter of a mile distant. Cleared land, with light soil of a volcanic nature on pumice formation.

Waimarino County.—Horopito West Township.

Section 2, Block XIII: Area, 1 rood; capital value, £85; half-yearly rental, £2 2s. 6d.

Section 10, Block XIII: Area, 1 rood; capital value, £45; half-yearly rental, £1 2s. 6d.

Situated in Horopito West Township, the access being from Horopito Railway-station, a few chains distant. All flat land; the bush has been felled and burned. The soil is of a light loamy nature, on grit formation. Elevation about 2,450 ft. above sea-level.

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

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Member of Marima Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 20th July, 1914.

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

FREDERICK WILLIAM PETERKEN

to be a member of the Marima Domain Board, in the place of Frederick Williams, left the district.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Inspectors of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 21st July, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable WILLIAM ARTHUR CALWELL,
Constable EDWARD JOHN ROWE, and
Constable CHARLES STEPHEN LE FEVRE

Inspectors under the Factories Act, 1908. The appointments are dated the 29th day of June, 1914, the 9th day of July, 1914, and the 9th day of July, 1914.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Inspectors of Manure Sterilizing appointed.—Notice No. 1752.

Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce,
Wellington, 21st July, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM JOHN SOUTER and
REDVERS BULLER STEWART

to be Inspectors of Manure Sterilizing in terms of the Stock Act, 1908, the appointments to date from 1st July, 1914.

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

Member of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 22nd July, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

LEONARD WRIGHT PETCHELL

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wallace, vice J. A. Adamson, deceased.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 21st July, 1914.

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

ROBERT HARRIS, Esq.,

of Parnell, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the Dominion of New Zealand.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Sheriff, Clerk of Magistrates' and Warden's Courts, Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 22nd July, 1914.

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

GUY NORMAN MORRIS

to be Sheriff for the District of Central Westland; Clerk of the Magistrates' and Warden's Courts, Reefton; Receiver of Gold Revenue and Mining Registrar as constituted under the Mining Act, 1908; as from 8th July, 1914, vice H. McN. G. Macfarlane, deceased.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

Clerk of Magistrates' Court and Registrar of Electors appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 21st July, 1914.

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

ALFRED ERNEST REYNOLDS

to be Clerk of the Magistrates' Court at Lyttelton and Registrar of Electors for the Electoral District of Lyttelton, as from the 6th July, 1914.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 13th July, 1914.

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

GUY NORMAN MORRIS

to be Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages for the District of Reefton, as from the 13th July, 1914.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

Officiating Ministers for 1914.—Notice No. 26.

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

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.
The Rev. JOHN PATERSON, M.A.

W. W. COOK,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Registrars of Births, Deaths, and Marriages appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 21st July, 1914.

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

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

Name.	District.	Position.	Date.
Ingpen, Francis Alfred Burdette	East Taieri.. ..	Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages	16th July, 1914.
Ross, Charles Ogilvie ..	Popotuna	"	14th " "
Whitmarsh, Irene Penelope ..	Wainui	"	16th " "

Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths appointed.

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

IT is hereby notified that

JESSIE BLANCHE NEWMAN

has been appointed to be the Deputy of the Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Wellington North.

W. W. COOK,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Appointments, Promotions, Resignations, Grant of Temporary Rank to and Transfers of Officers of New Zealand Staff Corps and Territorial Force.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 14th July, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, resignations, and grant of temporary rank to and transfers of the undermentioned officers of the New Zealand Staff Corps and Territorial Force:—

New Zealand Staff Corps.

The undermentioned Lieutenants are granted the temporary rank of Captain while employed as Adjutants:—

John Henry Grover.
William Cæsar Sarsfield Colclough.

3rd (Auckland) Mounted Rifles.

Captain Albert Edward Wilkinson is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 15th June, 1914.

New Zealand Garrison Artillery.

Lieutenant George Brooke Carter is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 1st May, 1914.

2nd (South Canterbury) Regiment.

Lieutenant Colin Ferrier is seconded, under the provisions of paragraph 139 of General Regulations, 1913.

5th (Wellington) Regiment.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 28th January, 1914:—

John Richard Hughes, *vice* Hawthorn, transferred to Reserve of Officers.
Edward Puttick, supernumerary to establishment.

2nd Lieutenant Leo Sigismund Cimino to be Lieutenant, *vice* Hughes, promoted. Dated 28th January, 1914.

16th (Waikato) Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant Eric John Freeland Fraser to be Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 26th August, 1913.

New Zealand Chaplains Department.

The Reverend Robert Ferguson, Chaplain to the Forces (4th Class), to be Chaplain to the Forces (3rd Class). Dated 15th May, 1914.

Unattached List (b).

The notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* dated 12th February, 1914, relative to the appointment of Major (on probation) James Robb, is cancelled, and the following substituted therefor:—

James Robb (formerly Major of the Junior Cadets) to be Major. Dated 19th January, 1914.

Captain Charles Ernest Clifton is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 17th June, 1914.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
Aeneas William Tolster O'Sullivan. Dated 17th June, 1914.

Alexander Knox Anderson. Dated 17th June, 1914.

Colin McGregor Littlejohn. Dated 17th June, 1914.

Joseph Atwill. Dated 24th June, 1914.

Philip Blakland Benham. Dated 24th June, 1914.

2nd Lieutenant Humphrey Churchill Money resigns his commission. Dated 2nd July, 1914.

2nd Lieutenant (on probation) Alfred Edward Caddick resigns his appointment. Dated 17th April, 1914.

Colour-Sergeant Cecil Francis Jellie to be 2nd Lieutenant (on probation). Dated 30th June, 1914.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 17th July, 1914.

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of by-laws made by the Waimate County Council on the 24th June, 1914.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION.

In pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the within-written by-laws, and declare that the same came into force on the 14th day of July, 1914.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1914.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Varied Notice fixing Closing-hours of Chemists' Shops in the Borough of Masterton under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the chemists' shops in the Borough of Masterton, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops within the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday at 8 p.m.; Saturday, 10 p.m.:

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

Now, therefore, I, William Ferguson Massey, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, do hereby direct that from and after the 27th day of July, 1914, all chemists' shops in the Borough of Masterton shall be closed on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday at 8 p.m., and Saturday at 10 p.m.

NOTE.—The statutory half-holiday is on Thursday from 1 p.m., but chemists' shops may open again from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. for the sale of medicine and surgical appliances.

The notice gazetted on the 18th day of August, 1910, fixing the closing-hours of all such shops in the Borough of Masterton is hereby varied accordingly.

Dated at Wellington this 21st day of July, 1914.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Officers appointed.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 18th July, 1914.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Post and Telegraph Department.

R. HEATON RHODES,
Postmaster-General.

NON-PERMANENT.

Name.	Place.	District.	Date.
POSTMASTER AND TELEGRAPHIST.			
<i>Railway Officer.</i>			
Boyle, Daniel	Mangatainoka	Wellington	2 June, 1914.
POSTMASTER.			
<i>Railway Officer.</i>			
Anderson, Emil Percy	Whenuakura Railway	Wanganui	20 April, 1914.
POSTMASTER AND TELEPHONIST.			
<i>Railway Officer.</i>			
Cortissos, Albert Edward	Lauder	Dunedin	19 May, 1914.
POSTMASTERS.			
Braidwood, Kathleen Doris	Hukawai	Greymouth	25 April, 1914.
Coventry, Benjamin	Awarata	Auckland	1 Mar., "
Hart, William	Te Hapara	Gisborne	7 May, "
Lugton, Richard Porteous	Maraetai	Auckland	14 April, "
McCurdy, John	Waikiwi	Invercargill	1 Mar., "
McKenzie, Annie	Greenvale	"	4 May, "
Munro, John Talbot	Te Waitere	Auckland	18 " "
Neill, Redmond Barry	Ashburton Gorge	Christchurch	1 April, "
O'Brien, William Arthur	Waahirakau	Auckland	13 May, "
Richardson, Ethel Mary	Newland	Christchurch	17 April, "
Sigley, George Thomas	Awa-iti	Nelson	6 " "
Walker, Leonie	Waitahuna West	Dunedin	2 Feb., "
Whyte, Isabella	Longslip	Oamaru	1 May, "
POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS.			
Alsop, Arthur Amos	Bainesse	Wellington	1 May, 1914.
Chong, Albert Joseph	Ratapiko	New Plymouth	16 April, "
Cleave, Robert Samuel	Kerikeri	Auckland	18 Mar., "
Fitzpatrick, Matthew Joseph	Waitiri	Dunedin	1 May, "
Gall, Adam	Ohinewai	Auckland	8 April, "
Gillies, Victoria	Longridge	Invercargill	1 Jan., "
Godkin, John	Taurakawa	New Plymouth	16 April, "
Grattan, Ida Vashti Crago	Karetu	Auckland	14 May, "
Greensill, Jean	Wharehunga	Blenheim	1 " "
Grieve, Robert	Mimihau	Invercargill	22 April, "
Gwyn, Mary	Tautuku	Dunedin	27 " "
Hassall, Norma Gladys	Maungatapere	Auckland	1 " "
Hearn, George	Rangitata Island	Timaru	29 " "
Hetherington, William	Spring Grove	Nelson	1 May, "
Hunter, Eric Douglas	West Melton	Christchurch	15 Mar., "
King, William Allan	Kaiwairai	Wellington	20 May, "
McDonald, Donald	Tawataia	"	4 April, "
McKenzie, Frances Adelaide	Hunua	Auckland	6 " "
Marshall, Ella Mary Marriott	Duvauchelle	Christchurch	7 May, "
Mills, Frederick Arthur	Oroua Downs	Wellington	1 Mar., "
Pearson, Charles James John	Rukuhia	Auckland	1 April, "
Sheehan, Julia Ann	Georgetown	Oamaru	21 " "
Turner, Ethel May	Eastown	Wanganui	22 Mar., "
TELEPHONISTS.			
Adamson, Fanny Lilian	Taipa	Auckland	13 May, 1914.
Allison, William	Raukokore	Thames	25 April, "
Bonser, Ellen Mary	Fabian's Valley	Blenheim	18 May, "
Brockett, Agnes	Wharua	Oamaru	13 " "
Clarke, Alexander	Whareora	Auckland	8 " "
Copeland, Ethel May	Patetere	"	12 " "
Cowan, Peter Mackay	Ngahinapouri	"	18 " "
Fiven, John James	The Lake	Nelson	1 " "
Forbes, Robert George	St. Martin's	Christchurch	11 " "
Haase, Horace Ashton	Waitapu Wharf	Nelson	20 April, "
Hamlin, Lucy Isabel	Okoroire	Auckland	2 May, "
Haylock, Dorothy Lucy	Awamarino	"	6 " "
Hocking, Phillis Bennetts	Arthurton	Invercargill	13 " "
Jones, David	Tahere	Auckland	11 " "
Jones, Ethel Mary	Glenroy	Christchurch	8 " "
Judge, Ada Bessie	Tawai	Timaru	23 April, "
Kelly, John	Pipitoua	Auckland	26 May, "
McDonald, Kenneth	Taiaroa	Dunedin	1 " "
Maxwell, Morris Richard	The Lake	Nelson	24 April, "
Morey, Ernest Bernard	Maungakohatu	Auckland	11 May, "
Nelson, John Samuel	Kelcher's	Timaru	8 April, "
Pannell, Charles	Lynton Downs	Christchurch	25 " "
Pelvin, Annie	Tawai	Timaru	23 Mar., "
Robson, Lydia Frances	Paparata Valley	Auckland	6 April, "
Spencer, Dudley Willis	Cameron's	Greymouth	15 May, "
Timbers, Arthur Dobson	Oparure	Auckland	3 April, "
Walker, Ernest	Horsham Downs	"	8 " "

Offices opened and closed, &c.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 18th July, 1914.

THE following particulars of offices opened and closed, &c., are published for general information.

R. HEATON RHODES,
Postmaster-General.

OFFICES.

Office.	District.	Date.
POST-OFFICES OPENED.		
Hukawai	Greymouth	25 April, 1914.
Te Hapara (reopened)	Gisborne	7 May, ..
Te Waitere	Auckland	18 " "
Waahirakau	"	13 " "
POST-OFFICES CLOSED.		
Golden Point	Dunedin	11 March, 1914.
Haurahi	Invercargill	28 April, ..
Muka	Auckland	9 March, ..
Opouriao	Thames	25 April, ..
Taonui	Wellington	11 " "
MONEY-ORDER OFFICES AND POST-OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS OPENED.		
Kai Iwi	Wanganui	8 June, 1914.
Ngongotaha	Auckland	8 " "
Rotherham	Christchurch	8 " "
Te Kinga	Greymouth	1 " "
Tuamarina	Blenheim	24 May, ..
POSTAL-NOTE (ISSUING) OFFICES OPENED.		
Maraetai	Auckland	24 June, 1914.
Robin Hood Bay	Blenheim	16 " "
Te Hapua	Auckland	1 " "
MONEY-ORDER OFFICES AND POST-OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS CLOSED.		
Exhibition, Auckland	Auckland	25 April, 1914.
Rangiriri	"	1 February, 1913.
POSTAL-NOTE OFFICE CLOSED.		
Rangiriri	Auckland	1 February, 1913.
TELEPHONE BUREAUX OPENED.		
Cameron's	Greymouth	15 May, 1914.
Kairuru	Nelson	2 June, ..
Kaiwairai	Wellington	20 May, ..
Ngahinapouri	Auckland	18 " "
Pipitoua	"	26 " "
Waerenga	"	30 " "
Wairahi	"	29 " "
TELEPHONE-OFFICES OPENED.		
Cameron's	Greymouth	15 May, 1914.
Kairuru	Nelson	2 June, ..
Kaiwairai	Wellington	20 May, ..
Ngahinapouri	Auckland	18 " "
Pipitoua	"	26 " "
Wairahi	"	29 " "

DESIGNATION CHANGED.

Description.	Office.		District.	Date.
	From	To		
Post, telephone, and bureau ..	Te Kapa	Mahurangi	Auckland ..	16 May, 1914.

Applications invited for the Position of Palæontologist to the Mines Department, Wellington.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, N.Z., 9th July, 1914.

APPLICATIONS, to be addressed to the Secretary to the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, New Zealand, will be received up till noon on the 30th November, 1914, for the position of Palæontologist to the Mines Department, Wellington.

Applicants must give full particulars of education, age, health, and experience, and must—

- (a.) Have a good knowledge of geology;
- (b.) Have performed original work in connection with palæontology.

A knowledge of one or more foreign languages is desirable. The chief duties will be—

- (1.) To classify the fossil collections of the Geological Survey;
- (2.) To specialize in some branch of New Zealand palæontology, preferably in connection with the Cretaceous and Tertiary fauna or flora;
- (3.) To assist field geologists in determination of fossils, &c.; and
- (4.) To perform any necessary fieldwork in connection with general palæontological work.

Salary, £345; maximum, £400. Professional Division. Deductions to be made for superannuation, and appointment to be subject to the Public Service Act, 1912.

A. J. H. BENGES,
Secretary.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 17th July, 1914.

THE following notices, received from the Chairman of the Havelock North Town Board, are published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Finance.

HAVELOCK NORTH TOWN BOARD.

I HEREBY give notice that on the 15th day of July, 1914, a poll of the ratepayers of the Havelock North Town District was duly held and taken upon the proposal of the Havelock North Town Board to raise a special loan of £19,425, under the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of providing the said district with a sewage system, a high-pressure water-supply, and an electric light and power installation, and for the purpose of paying and defraying the cost of raising the said loan.

At such poll the number of votes recorded was as follows: 87 for the proposal; 1 against the proposal.

Wherefore I declare the said proposal to be carried.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1914.

MASON CHAMBERS,
Chairman, Havelock North Town Board.

W. H. COMPLIN,
Returning Officer.

HAVELOCK NORTH TOWN BOARD.

I HEREBY give notice that on the 15th day of July, 1914, a poll of the ratepayers of the Havelock North Town District was duly held and taken upon the proposal of the Board to borrow by special loan the sum of £1,750, under the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of providing offices and buildings for the said Board, and of purchasing the lands necessary for such buildings, and of paying and defraying the cost of raising the said loan.

At such poll the number of votes recorded was as follows: 87 for the proposal; 1 against the proposal.

Wherefore I declare the said proposal to be carried.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1914.

MASON CHAMBERS,
Chairman, Havelock North Town Board.

W. H. COMPLIN,
Returning Officer.

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

IN pursuance of the power conferred upon the Native Minister by subsection (b) of section 298 of the Native Land Act, 1909, I, William Herbert Herries, Native Minister, acting on the recommendation of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board, do hereby consent to a sale of Papamoa No. 2, Section 3d No. 2 Block, containing 85 acres, situated in the Provincial District of Auckland, subject to the same restrictions and to the same requirements as to confirmation and otherwise as if the land was not subject to Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909.

As witness my hand this 10th day of July, 1914.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

Revoking Prohibition of Money-order and Postal Correspondence for Peter Grant, Christchurch.

THE Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand being satisfied that the person whose name and address are shown in the Schedule hereunder is no longer engaged in receiving money as the consideration for an assurance or agreement implied to pay money on events relating to horse-races, hereby rescinds the order made on the 30th day of April, 1913, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 8th day of May, 1913, so far as it forbids that any money-order in favour of the said person shall be issued, and that any postal packet addressed to the said person (either by his own or any fictitious or assumed name) shall be registered, forwarded, or delivered by the Post Office of New Zealand; and orders that such money-

orders shall be issued and that such postal packets shall be registered, forwarded, and delivered in the usual course.

SCHEDULE.

PETER GRANT, Christchurch.

Dated this 14th day of July, 1914.

R. HEATON RHODES,
Postmaster-General

Defining River and Extended-river Limits for Ohiwa River.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 189 of the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, I, Francis Marion Bates Fisher, Minister of Marine, do hereby define the Ohiwa River limits within which restricted-limits steamships and ships propelled by gas, oil, fluid, electricity, or any mechanical power other than steam, and to which restricted-limits certificates are issued, may ply to be those set forth herein, and I do divide such limits into river and extended-river limits.

River Limits.—Inside the bar of Ohiwa River.

Extended-river Limits.—For a distance of three miles from the bar of the river.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 21st day of July, 1914.

F. M. B. FISHER.

Applications invited for the Position of Inspector of Offices and Relieving Officer for the Lands and Survey Department.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 22nd July, 1914.

1. APPLICATIONS will be received up till noon on the 29th day of August, 1914, from officers of the Lands and Survey Department, for the position of Inspector of Offices and Relieving Officer for the Lands and Survey Department.

2. Applications must be made on forms obtainable from the Permanent Head of the Lands and Survey Department, or from Commissioners of Crown Lands.

3. Applicants must have a thorough knowledge of the general and the commercial work of the Department, including a knowledge of all the work connected with Land Revenue.

4. The position will be graded in the Clerical Division. Salary, £385; maximum, £425.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

Applications invited for the Positions of Clerk (2), Legal Branch, Public Trust Department.

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

1. APPLICATIONS will be received by the undersigned up till noon on the 8th August, 1914, from officers of the Public Service, for the positions (2) of Clerk, Legal Branch, Public Trust Office, Wellington.

2. Applications must be made on forms obtainable from the Permanent Head, Public Trust Department, or from this office.

3. Applicants must have been admitted as solicitors, or be qualified for admission as solicitors.

4. The positions will be graded in the Professional Division, Class E. Minimum salary, £210; maximum, £300 per annum.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.

NOTICE.—JAMES JOSEPH BUTLER, Esquire, of Childers, in the State of Queensland, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Queensland, has this day been appointed by His Honour the Chief Justice a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in Childers, Queensland, 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 16th day of July, 1914.

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

Notice by the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II), and its Amendments.

To the owner of the following land, that is to say: All that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 36 acres, more or less, being Allotment 19, Parish of Waiheke, County of Eden. Bounded on the north-east by a line, 1375 links; on the south-east by Allotments 17 and 18, 2270 links; on the south-west by Allotment 20, 2920 links; and on the north-west by a road, 100 links wide. The land was Crown-granted to one CORRIE PALMER, described as a Farm Servant, of Wade, Auckland, who cannot now be traced.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee has instituted inquiries and has been unable to find the owner of the above-described land or any agent of such owner in New Zealand: Now, the Public Trustee hereby calls upon such owner, within six months of the date of the publication of this notice in this *Gazette*, to establish to the satisfaction of the Public Trustee his title to the said land; and if he fails or neglects so to do, the Public Trustee will exercise the powers and authorities granted to him in and by the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II).

Dated this 13th day of July, 1914.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

Notice by the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II), and its Amendments.

To the owner of the following lands, that is to say: All those parcels of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing together by admeasurement 91 acres, more or less, being, firstly, the south-eastern portion of Allotment 8, Parish of Ruatangata, bounded as follows—on the north-east by a road 100 links wide, 363 links; on the south-east by other part Section 9, 3480 links; on the south-west by Allotment 7, 351 links; and on the north-west by other part Allotment 8, 3480 links. And, secondly, the north-western portion of Lot 9 of the said Parish of Ruatangata, bounded on the north by other part Allotment 9, 1100 links; on the south-east by other part Allotment 9, 5440 links; on the south-west by a road, 1870 links; and on the north-west by Allotment 7, 5750 links. The said lands were Crown-granted to one THOMAS LIDDELL, of Auckland, Cabinet-maker, whose whereabouts are not now known.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee has instituted inquiries and has been unable to find the owner of the above-described land or any agent of such owner in New Zealand: Now, the Public Trustee hereby calls upon such owner, within six months of the date of the publication of this notice in this *Gazette*, to establish to the satisfaction of the Public Trustee his title to the said land; and if he fails or neglects so to do, the Public Trustee will exercise the powers and authorities granted to him in and by the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II).

Dated this 21st day of July, 1914.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies Department,
Wellington, 14th July, 1914.

THE Star of Melrose Lodge, situated at Devonport, is registered as a branch of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 27th day of May, 1914.

ROBT. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Bank Statements.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New Zealand, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1914.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. .. .	963,853	0	0
Bills in circulation	.. .. .	48,943	13	6
Balances due to other Banks	.. .. .	16,735	2	8
Government deposits	.. .. .	3,341,386	6	1
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. .. .	6,927,299	19	8
Bearing interest	.. .. .	5,466,530	15	1
Total average liabilities		£16,764,748	17	0

ASSETS.

Coined gold and silver and other coined metal	£	s.	d.
.. .. .	2,460,979	17	8
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. .. .	66,565	16 1
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. .. .	128,405	0 10
Balances due from other Banks	.. .. .	3,375	1 10
Landed property	.. .. .	138,049	4 5
Amount of all other securities—			
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. .. .	952,266	4 6
2. Colonial Government securities	.. .. .	718,681	0 0
3. Other funded securities	.. .. .	
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. .. .	8,868,426	2 3
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. .. .	480,753	16 11
Total average assets		£13,817,502	4 6

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th June, 1914:—

4 per cent. guaranteed stock, £1,000,000.

"A" Preference shares issued to the Crown under Bank of New Zealand Act, 1903, £500,000.

"B" Preference shares issued to the Crown under Bank of New Zealand Act, 1913, £250,000.

Ordinary shares, £905,481.

Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders on "A" preference shares, 10 per cent. per annum.

Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders on ordinary shares (12 per cent. per annum, and bonus 3 per cent. per annum), 15 per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last dividend declared to the shareholders on preference shares, £50,000.

Amount of the last dividend declared on ordinary shares, £75,000.

Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £1,601,608.

Dated at Wellington this 9th day of July, 1914.

W. CALLENDER, General Manager.
A. McLENNAN, for Accountant.

GENERAL ABSTRACT showing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Australasia, within the Dominion of New Zealand, taken from the several weekly statements, during the Quarter from the 1st April to 30th June, 1914.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	.. .. .	142,266	15	4
Bills in circulation	.. .. .	17,897	4	4
Balances due to other Banks	.. .. .		
Government deposits	.. .. .		
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest	.. .. .	1,561,095	18	8
Bearing interest	.. .. .	682,985	5	7
Total average liabilities		£2,404,245	3	11

ASSETS.

Coined gold and silver and other coined metals	£	s.	d.
.. .. .	723,701	14	8
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	.. .. .	458	4 1
Notes and bills of other Banks	.. .. .	28,943	0 10
Balances due from other Banks	.. .. .	
Landed property	.. .. .	14,650	16 3
Amount of all other securities—			
1. Notes and bills discounted	.. .. .	200,659	8 6
2. Colonial Government securities	.. .. .	
3. Other funded securities	.. .. .	
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	.. .. .	2,899,586	18 0
5. Securities not included under the above heads	.. .. .	5,356	0 9
Total average assets		£3,873,856	3 1

Amount of the capital stock paid up at this date, £2,000,000.

Rate of the last dividend and bonus declared to the shareholders, 14 per cent. dividend and bonus 12s. per share, equal to 17 per cent. per annum.

Amount of the last dividend and bonus declared, £170,000.

Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £2,720,100.

Dated at Wellington this 13th day of July, 1914.

ROBT. B. SMITH, Inspector.
R. SWANSTON, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the National Bank of New Zealand (Limited), in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1914.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation .. ..	..	256,520	0	0
Bills in circulation .. ..	..	11,998	0	0
Balances due to other Banks ..	..	58,295	0	0
Government deposits .. ..	..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest .. ..	..	2,195,189	0	0
Bearing interest .. ..	..	1,669,187	0	0
Total average liabilities		£4,191,189	0	0

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals .. ..	..	871,688	0	0
Gold and silver in bullion or bars ..	..	136,287	0	0
Notes and bills of other Banks ..	..	57,389	0	0
Balances due from other Banks ..	..	11,301	0	0
Landed property .. ..	..	167,876	0	0
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted ..	..	276,910	0	0
2. Government securities (New Zealand or otherwise) .. ..	..	40,000	0	0
3. Other funded securities .. ..	..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) ..	..	3,316,334	0	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads .. ..	..	11,609	0	0
Total average assets		£4,889,394	0	0

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th June, 1914, £750,000.
 Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 12 per cent. per annum for half-year.
 Amount of the last dividend declared, £45,000.
 Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £595,756.
 Dated at Wellington this 8th day of July, 1914.

D. W. DUTHIE,
Acting General Manager.

STATEMENT of the amount of the average Liabilities and Assets of the Union Bank of Australia (Limited), at Branches in the Dominion of New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1914.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation .. ..	..	146,602	0	0
Bills in circulation .. ..	..	11,801	0	0
Balances due to other Banks ..	..	3,487	0	0
Government deposits .. ..	..	25	0	0
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest .. ..	..	2,142,466	0	0
Bearing interest .. ..	..	1,285,569	0	0
Total average liabilities		£3,589,950	0	0

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals .. ..	..	642,468	0	0
Gold and silver in bullion or bars ..	..	881	0	0
Notes and bills of other Banks ..	..	43,300	0	0
Balances due from other Banks ..	..	1,220	0	0
Landed property .. ..	..	51,600	0	0
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted ..	..	184,393	0	0
2. Government securities (New Zealand or otherwise) .. ..	..	..	..	..
3. Other funded securities .. ..	..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) ..	..	4,001,442	0	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads .. ..	..	125,953	0	0
Total average assets		£5,051,257	0	0

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th June, 1914, £2,000,000.
 Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 10 per cent. per annum, and bonus of 2 per cent. for half-year, together equal to 14 per cent. per annum.
 Amount of the last dividend declared, £105,000.
 Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £1,679,426 19s. 11d.
 Dated at Wellington this 6th day of July, 1914.

R. A. HOLMES, Inspector.
T. P. FOTHERINGHAM, Chief Clerk.

STATEMENT of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New South Wales, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 29th June, 1914.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation .. ..	..	182,080	10	0
Bills in circulation .. ..	..	12,816	5	3
Balances due to other Banks ..	..	7,361	13	11
Government deposits .. ..	..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest .. ..	..	1,809,909	9	6
Bearing interest .. ..	..	1,692,694	8	3
Total average liabilities		£3,704,862	6	11

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals .. ..	..	540,579	4	11
Gold and silver in bullion or bars ..	..	19,731	1	4
Notes and bills of other Banks ..	..	3,093	6	2
Balances due from other Banks ..	..	33,030	10	11
Landed property .. ..	..	133,068	10	4
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted ..	..	183,651	10	3
2. Colonial Government securities ..	..	167,705	19	0
3. Other funded securities .. ..	..	55,014	2	11
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) ..	..	3,015,840	2	6
5. Securities not included under the above heads .. ..	..	109,802	3	3
Total average assets		£4,255,516	11	7

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 29th June, 1914, £3,500,000.
 Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 10 per cent.
 Amount of last dividend declared, £175,000.
 Amount of the reserved profits after declaring such dividend, £2,450,000.

Dated at Wellington this 9th day of July, 1914.
 B. M. MOLINEAUX, Inspector.
 F. MALFROY, Inspector's Accountant.

GENERAL ABSTRACT showing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Commercial Bank of Australia (Limited), within the Dominion of New Zealand, taken from the several weekly statements, during the Quarter from the 1st April, 1914, to the 30th June, 1914.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation .. ..	..	8,486	6	1
Bills in circulation .. ..	..	1,797	9	4
Balances due to other Banks ..	..	..	..	..
Government deposits .. ..	..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest .. ..	..	62,759	2	8
Bearing interest .. ..	..	10,039	0	4
Total average liabilities		£83,101	18	5

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals .. ..	..	43,110	5	11
Gold and silver in bullion or bars ..	..	..	..	..
Notes and bills of other Banks ..	..	4,678	1	8
Balances due from other Banks ..	..	..	..	..
Landed property .. ..	..	20,000	0	0
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted ..	..	1,308	18	10
2. Government securities (New Zealand or otherwise) .. ..	..	..	..	..
3. Other funded securities .. ..	..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) ..	..	38,036	16	6
5. Securities not included under the above heads .. ..	..	81	13	0
Total average assets		£107,215	15	11

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th June, 1914: Ordinary, £95,649 preference, £2,117,350.
 Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders (preference only), 3 per cent.
 Amount of the last dividend declared, £31,760 5s.
 Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £7,689 15s. 8d.
 Dated at Wellington this 7th day of July, 1914.

E. P. YALDWYN, Manager.
J. GRAY, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the undermentioned BANKS in the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND for the QUARTER ended 30th JUNE, 1914.

BANKS.	Notes in Circulation.		Bills in Circulation.		Balances due to other Banks.		Government.		Deposits.		Total Liabilities.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Bank of New Zealand	963,853	0 0	48,943	13 6	16,735	2 8	3,341,386	6 1	6,927,299	19 8	5,466,530	15 1
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	146,602	0 0	11,801	0 0	3,487	0 0	25	0 0	2,142,466	0 0	1,285,569	0 0
Bank of New South Wales	182,080	10 0	12,816	5 3	7,361	13 11	..	..	1,809,909	9 6	1,692,694	8 3
Bank of Australasia	142,266	15 4	17,897	4 4	..	..	..	..	1,561,095	18 8	682,985	5 7
National Bank of New Zealand, Limited	256,530	0 0	11,998	0 0	58,295	0 0	..	..	2,195,189	0 0	1,669,187	0 0
Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited	8,486	6 1	1,797	9 4	..	..	..	..	62,759	2 8	10,059	0 4
Totals	1,699,808	11 5	105,253	12 5	85,878	16 7	9,341,411	6 1	14,698,719	10 6	10,807,025	9 3

ASSETS.

BANKS.	Coin and Silver		Notes and Bills of other Banks.		Balances due from other Banks.		Landed Property.		Notes and Bills discounted.		Colonial Government Securities.		Other Funded Securities.		Debts due to Banks, exclusive of Debts abandoned as bad.		Securities not included under other Heads.		Total Assets.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Bank of New Zealand	2,460,979	17 8	66,565	16 1	128,405	0 10	3,875	1 10	138,049	4 5	982,266	4 6	718,681	0 0	8,868,426	2 3	480,753	16 11	13,817,502	4 6
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	642,469	0 0	881	0 0	49,300	0 0	1,230	0 0	51,600	0 0	184,393	0 0	..	..	4,001,442	0 0	125,953	0 0	5,051,257	0 0
Bank of New South Wales	540,879	4 11	13,781	1 4	3,093	6 2	283,080	10 11	133,068	10 4	183,651	10 3	167,705	19 0	3,015,840	2 6	109,802	3 3	4,255,516	11 7
Bank of Australasia	728,701	14 8	458	4 1	28,943	0 10	..	..	14,650	16 3	200,659	8 6	..	..	2,899,586	18 0	5,356	0 9	2,873,856	3 1
National Bank of New Zealand, Limited	871,688	0 0	136,287	0 0	57,389	0 0	11,301	0 0	167,876	0 0	276,910	0 0	40,000	0 0	3,316,334	0 0	11,609	0 0	4,889,394	0 0
Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited	43,110	5 11	..	..	4,678	1 8	..	..	20,000	0 0	1,308	18 10	..	..	38,036	16 6	81	13 0	107,215	15 11
Totals	5,282,527	3 2	217,923	1 6	265,808	9 6	48,926	12 9	525,244	11 0	1,799,189	2 1	926,386	19 0	55,014	2 11	22,139,665	19 3	739,555	13 11

CAPITAL AND PROFITS.

BANKS.	Capital paid up.		Rate per Annum of Last Dividend.		Amount of Last Dividend declared.		Amount of Reserved Profits at Time of declaring each Dividend.	
	£	s. d.	per cent.	per annum	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Bank of New Zealand— 4 per cent. stock guaranteed by the Government of N.Z. ... "A" Preferred shares subscribed for by the Government of N.Z. "B" Preferred shares subscribed for by the Government of N.Z.	1,000,000	0 0	Ten per cent.	per annum	..	..	50,000	0 0
Capital payable by shareholders	250,000	0 0	Twelve per cent.	per annum, and bonus three per cent. per annum, equal	..	..	75,000	0 0
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	905,481	0 0	Fifteen per cent.	per annum	..	..	105,000	0 0
Bank of New South Wales	2,000,000	0 0	Ten per cent.	per annum, and bonus two per cent. for half-year, equal	..	..	175,000	0 0
Bank of Australasia	3,500,000	0 0	Fourteen per cent.	per annum	..	..	170,000	0 0
National Bank of New Zealand, Limited	2,000,000	0 0	Ten per cent.	per annum	..	..	45,000	0 0
Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited— Ordinary Preference	750,000	0 0	Equal	seventeen per cent. per annum, and bonus twelve shillings per share, equal	..	..	31,760	5 0
	95,649	0 0	Twelve per cent.	per annum for half-year	..	..	..	..
	2,117,350	0 0	Three per cent.	per annum	..	..	..	..

The Treasury, Wellington, 16th July, 1914.

G. F. C. CAMPBELL.

Tenders.

Mines Department, Wellington, 18th July, 1914.

THE following successful and unsuccessful tenders for the cartage of State coal in Wellington for the period ending 30th April, 1915, are published for general information.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Mines.

	Approximate Tonnage.	Accepted.		Declined.			
		D. Andrews.		J. Keir.		Munt, Cottrell, and Co.	
		Rate per Ton, Loose.	Rate per Ton, Trimmed, where marked*.	Rate per Ton, Loose.	Rate per Ton, Trimmed, where marked*.	Rate per Ton, Loose.	Rate per Ton, Trimmed, where marked*.
From Taranaki Street Wharf, or No. 16 Jervois Quay, to—	Tons.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Depot, Victoria Street	15,000	0 6½	..	0 10	..	1 0	..
Harbour Board Power-house*	Uncertain	0 7	0 10	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 6
Government Printing Office .. .. .	..	0 6	..	1 0	..	1 3	..
Wellington Hospital .. .. .	..	2 6	..	2 6	..	3 0	..
Corporation Power-house, Victoria Street*	..	0 6	0 10	0 10	1 0	1 0	1 6
Corporation Electric Light Power-house, Harris Street*	..	0 6	0 10	0 10	1 0	1 0	1 6
Wellington Meat Export Company, Waterloo Quay*	..	0 8	1 0	1 0	1 3	1 3	1 9
Wellington Gas Company .. .. .	..	0 7	..	1 0	..	1 3	..
H.M. Gaol, Mount Cook .. .. .	..	2 6	..	3 0	..	3 6	..
Fresh Food and Ice Company, Dixon Street (in bin)	..	..	2 3	2 6	..	3 0	..
Lambton Station (trucks), shovelled in	..	0 10	..	2 6	..	3 0	..
Staples and Co. .. .. .	..	..	..	2 3	..	3 0	..
Newtown Brick Company .. .. .	..	2 6	..	3 6	..	3 6	..
From Queen's Wharf, and 12 and 14 Jervois Quay, to—							
Depot, Victoria Street	Uncertain	0 7½	..	0 10	..	1 0	..
Harbour Board Power-house* .. ..	..	..	0 11	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 6
Government Printing Office .. .. .	..	0 10	..	1 0	..	1 3	..
Wellington Hospital .. .. .	..	2 6	..	2 6	..	3 0	..
Corporation Power-house, Victoria Street*	..	..	0 10	0 10	1 0	1 0	1 6
Corporation Electric Light Power-house, Harris Street*	..	..	0 10	0 10	1 0	1 0	1 6
Wellington Meat Export Company* ..	..	..	0 9	1 0	1 3	1 3	1 9
Wellington Gas Company (Limited) ..	..	0 8	..	1 0	..	1 3	..
H.M. Gaol, Mount Cook .. .. .	..	2 6	..	3 0	..	3 6	..
Fresh Food and Ice Company, Dixon Street (in bin)	..	..	2 3	2 6	..	3 0	..
Lambton Station (trucks), shovelled in ..	..	0 10	..	2 6	..	3 0	..
From Glasgow Wharf, and others to the north of Railway Wharf, to—							
Staples and Co.	Uncertain	1 9	..	2 3	..	2 9	..
Wellington Hospital .. .. .	..	2 6	..	3 0	..	3 6	..
Wellington Gas Company .. .. .	..	0 9	..	1 3	..	1 6	..
Corporation Power-house, Victoria Street*	..	..	0 11	1 0	1 3	1 3	1 9
Corporation Electric Light, Harris Street*	..	..	0 11	1 0	1 3	1 3	1 9
Wellington Meat Export Company* ..	..	..	0 10	0 10	1 0	1 0	1 6
Candle Company, Kaiwarra .. .. .	..	2 6	..	3 0	..	3 6	..
Soap Works, Kaiwarra (Newton, J., and Son)	..	2 6	..	3 0	..	3 0	..
Cable and Co., Kaiwarra .. .. .	..	2 0	..	3 0	..	3 0	..
Fresh Food and Ice Company (in bin)	..	..	2 3	3 0	..	3 6	..
From Depot, Victoria Street, to—							
Mount Cook Gaol	300	2 6	..	3 0	..	3 6	..
Terrace Gaol	25	3 0	..	4 3	..	4 6	..
Wellington Hospital	600	2 6	..	3 0	..	3 6	..
Government Printing Office	100	1 0	..	1 0	..	1 3	..
Lambton Station (trucks)	25	1 0	..	1 9	..	3 0	..
Harbour Board Power-house	Uncertain	0 9	..	1 3	..	1 6	..
Wellington Meat Export Company .. ..	..	0 9	..	1 3	..	1 6	..
Staples and Co.	400	2 0	..	2 6	..	3 0	..
Newtown Building Company	600	2 6	..	3 6	..	3 6	..
Candle Company, Kaiwarra	450	2 6	..	3 6	..	3 6	..
Newton and Son, Kaiwarra	200	2 6	..	3 6	..	3 0	..
Cable and Co., Kaiwarra	50	2 0	..	3 6	..	3 0	..
Luke and Co.	25	0 10	..	1 0	..	1 3	..
Robertson and Co. .. .. .	..	0 10	..	1 0	..	1 3	..
Trevor Bros. .. .. .	..	3 0	..	1 0	..	1 3	..
Laundry (Victoria)	150	2 3	..	2 6	..	3 6	..
Tonks, E.	50	2 0	..	2 6	..	3 6	..
Champion Company	300	2 6	..	2 6	..	3 6	..
Corporation Power-house, Victoria Street*	Uncertain	..	0 11	0 9	1 0	1 0	1 6
Corporation Electric Light Power-house, Harris Street*	..	..	0 11	0 9	1 0	1 0	1 6
H. Hill .. .. .	..	2 6	..	2 9	..	3 6	..
Fresh Food and Ice Company, Dixon Street	700	..	2 0	2 6	..	3 6	..

	Approximate Tonnage.	Accepted.		Declined.			
		D. Andrews.		J. Keir.		Munt, Cottrell, and Co.	
		Rate per Ton, Loose.	Rate per Ton, Trimmed, where marked*.	Rate per Ton, Loose.	Rate per Ton, Trimmed, where marked*.	Rate per Ton, Loose.	Rate per Ton, Trimmed, where marked*.
From Queen's Wharf, and 12 and 14 Jervois Quay, to—	Tons	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Staples and Co. . . . .	..	1 9	..	2 3	..	3 0	..
Newtown Brick Company .. ..	..	2 6	..	3 6	..	3 6	..
From Clyde Quay Wharf to—							
Depot, Victoria Street	1,900	0 10	..	1 1	..	1 6	..
Harbour Board Power-house* ..	Uncertain	..	1 0	1 3	1 6	1 6	2 0
Wellington Hospital .. ..	..	2 6	..	2 6	..	3 6	..
Wellington Gas Company (Limited) ..	..	0 8	..	1 0	..	1 6	..
H.M. Gaol .. ..	..	2 6	..	3 0	..	4 0	..
Victoria Laundry .. ..	..	2 6	..	3 0	..	3 6	..
Champion Company .. ..	..	2 6	..	2 9	..	3 6	..
Newtown Brick Company .. ..	..	2 6	..	3 6	..	3 6	..
Wellington Meat Export Company* ..	..	..	1 0	1 3	1 6	1 6	2 0
Fresh Food and Ice Company, Dixon Street (in bin)	..	..	2 6	2 6	..	3 6	..
Staples and Co. .. ..	..	2 0	..	2 3	..	3 6	..
From Railway Wharf, to—							
Depot, Victoria Street	5,500	0 11	..	1 3	..	1 6	..
Harbour Board Power-house* ..	..	0 6	0 10	0 10	1 0	1 0	1 6
Lambton Station (trucks) shovelled in	Uncertain	0 9	..	1 6	..	2 6	..
Government Printing Office .. ..	..	0 7	..	1 0	..	1 3	..
H.M. Gaol, Mount Cook .. ..	..	2 6	..	3 6	..	3 6	..
Staples and Co. .. ..	..	1 9	..	2 0	..	2 9	..
Wellington Hospital .. ..	..	2 6	..	2 6	..	3 6	..
Wellington Gas Company .. ..	..	1 0	..	1 3	..	1 6	..
Corporation Power-house, Victoria Street*	..	..	1 1	1 0	1 3	1 3	1 9
Corporation Electric Light Power-house, Harris Street *	..	..	1 1	1 0	..	1 3	1 9
Wellington Meat Export Company* ..	..	..	0 11	0 10	1 0	1 0	1 6
Candle Company, Kaiwarra .. ..	..	2 6	..	3 0	..	3 6	..
Soap Works, Kaiwarra .. ..	..	2 6	..	3 0	..	3 0	..
Cable and Co., Kaiwarra .. ..	..	2 0	..	3 0	..	3 0	..
Fresh Food and Ice Company (in bin)..	..	..	2 6	3 0	..	3 6	..
From Glasgow Wharf, and others to the north of Railway Wharf, to—							
Depot, Victoria Street	Uncertain	0 11	..	1 3	..	1 6	..
Harbour Board Power-house* ..	..	0 6	0 10	0 10	..	1 0	1 6
Lambton Station (trucks) .. ..	..	0 9	..	1 6	..	2 6	..
Government Printing Office .. ..	..	0 7	..	1 0	..	1 3	..
H.M. Gaol, Mount Cook .. ..	..	2 6	..	3 6	..	3 6	..

FIREWOOD.

From Thorndon Station to—	60 trucks	Per Cord on Truck.		Per Cord on Truck.		Per Cord on Truck.	
		s. d.	10 6 a truck	s. d.	14 0	s. d.	7 6
Depot, Victoria Street	10 6	..	14 0	..	7 6	..

	Per Day.		Per Week.		Per Day.		Per Week.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1 horse, man, and dray	0 14 6	4 7 6	0 16 0	..	1 2 6	4 10 0	..	
2 horses, man, and dray	0 19 0	5 14 0	1 2 0	..	1 7 6	5 0 0	..	
1-2 horse lorry	1 1 0	6 6 0	1 10 0	..	2 0 0	8 0 0	..	
Extra leaders	0 5 0	1 10 0	0 3 0	..	0 5 0	1 0 0	..	
Motor-lorry (state capacity) ..	..	..	..	..	3 0 C†	18 0 0	..

† 4 tons.

Notice to Mariners No. 72 of 1914.

NEW RIVER HARBOUR.—SOUTH ISLAND.—ERECTION OF BEACONS.

Marine Department, Wellington, N.Z., 14th July, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that beacons are to be erected on the sandhills at the entrance to New River Harbour, about one and a half miles inside the Bar, abreast Bombay Rock on the starboard hand entering the harbour. They will be triangular in shape, and painted white. The lower one will stand about 25 ft. above high-water level.

Vessels after rounding Point Island will pick the beacons up and keep them in line bearing 98° (N. 79° E. magnetic). This course to be steered until abreast the pilot-station, when the buoys will be picked up.

The bearing of these beacons will be subject to variation according to the shifting of the channel.

These beacons will be opened for use on and after Monday, 27th July, 1914.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Chart No. 2553; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter ix, page 275.

GEORGE ALLPORT, Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 73 of 1914.

WAIRAU HARBOUR CLOSED FOR TRAFFIC.

Marine Department, Wellington, N.Z., 17th July, 1914.

THE Wairau Harbour Board have notified that the Wairau Bar will be closed against all traffic on and after 20th July until further notice, pending completion of training-wall and opening-out in Boulder Bank.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2054, 3629, and 1212; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter vi, page 168.

GEORGE ALLPORT, Secretary.

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD ENTERED for DUTY* for EXPORTATION from NEW ZEALAND from 1st APRIL, 1857, to 31st MARCH, 1914.

PRODUCE OF THE GOLDFIELDS IN		DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1914.		ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION TO THE 31st DECEMBER, 1913.		TOTAL ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION FROM NEW ZEALAND TO THE 31st MARCH, 1914.	
County or Borough.	District.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Oz.	£	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
County of Thames ..	Auckland	942	3,358				
" Ohinemuri ..		6,526	23,197				
" Coromandel ..		..	..	
" Piako ..		..	..	
Borough of Thames ..		35,947	139,803				
Great Barrier Island ..		..	..	
		43,415	165,858	5,823,841	22,203,539	5,867,256	22,369,397
	Wellington ..	..	..	188	706	188	706
County of Marlborough	Marlborough ..	293	1,140	92,484	360,189	92,777	361,229
County of Collingwood	Nelson	..	..		
" Waiimea ..		..	..	
" Takaka ..		..	..	
		..	..	1,730,402	6,860,415	1,730,402	6,860,415
County of Buller ..	West Coast	1,110	3,942				
" Inangahua ..		19,091	75,651				
" Grey ..		3,175	13,291				
" Westland ..		2,742	11,098				
Borough of Kumara ..		..	..	
" Hokitika ..	..	..			
" Ross ..	792	3,169					
		26,910	107,151	5,840,380	23,209,639	5,867,290	23,316,790
	Canterbury ..	..	..	99	387	99	387
County of Taieri ..	Otago	175	710				
" Tuapeka ..		4,332	17,283				
" Vincent ..		5,642	22,636				
" Maniototo ..		2,796	10,954				
" Waihemo ..		236	872				
" Waitaki ..		1,084	4,268				
" Lake ..		241	979				
" Wallace ..		808	3,232				
" Waikouaiti ..		..	..	
" Bruce ..		356	1,425				
" Clutha ..		..	..	
" Fiord ..		..	..	
" Southland ..		6,854	27,684				
" Stewart Island	..	..			
		22,524	90,043	7,394,776	29,415,414	7,417,300	29,505,457
Unknown ..		68	263	2,142	8,254	2,210	8,517
Totals ..		93,210	364,455	20,884,312	82,053,543	20,977,522	82,422,998

* Duty payable on gold exported, the produce of the North Island, 2s 3d. per oz.; duty payable on gold exported, the produce of the South Island, 3d. per oz.; duty payable on gold exported, contained in jewellers' and dentists' swappings, free. *Vide* sections 1 and 2 of the Gold Duty Act, 1908, section 16 of the Mining Amendment Act, 1910, and section 2 of the Gold Duty Amendment Act, 1912.

COMPARATIVE RETURN for the QUARTERS ended 31st MARCH, 1914 and 1913.

District of	Quarter ended 31st March, 1914.		Quarter ended 31st March, 1913.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
Auckland ..	43,415	165,858	47,205	188,464
Wellington ..	..	..	..	..
Marlborough ..	293	1,140	267	1,026
Nelson ..	..	..	167	664
West Coast ..	26,910	107,151	21,033	81,152
Canterbury ..	..	..	..	..
Otago ..	22,524	90,043	21,814	87,353
Unknown ..	68	263	84	340
Totals ..	93,210	364,455	90,575	361,999

Customs Department,
Wellington, 22nd July, 1914.

W. B. MONTGOMERY,
Comptroller of Customs.

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS. — Traffic Returns for the period ending 20th June, 1914, and for the corresponding period, 1913:—

WHANGAREI SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1914.			1913.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	1,312	720	2,032	1,284	690	1,974
2nd Class	5,331	4,716	10,047	4,938	7,338	12,276
Total	6,643	5,436	12,079	6,222	8,028	14,250
Season Tickets			55			23
GOODS,—	1914.	1913.				
	No.	No.				
Drays .. .. .	..	1				
Cattle	237	52				
Calves	38	..				
Sheep	2,255	..				
Pigs	18	3				
Total	2,548	56				
	Tons.	Tons.				
Chaff, Lime, &c... ..	66	54				
Wool .. .. .	..	..		
Firewood	240	162				
Timber	2,894	3,147				
Grain	378	473				
Merchandise	503	572				
Minerals	9,175	9,416				
Total	13,256	13,824				
PARCELS, ETC.,—	1914.	1913.				
	No.	No.				
Parcels	637	354				
Horses	22	14				
Carriages	1	4				
Dogs	83	58				
Total	743	430				
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				
Passengers	809 2 2	821 10 7				
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	112 10 10	82 19 8				
Goods	2,355 14 9	2,410 14 1				
Miscellaneous	60 10 11	34 1 5				
Rents and Commission	58 12 2	37 11 3				
Total	£3,396 10 10	£3,386 17 0				

KAIHU SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1914.			1913.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	66	104	170	25	74	99
2nd Class	947	1,136	2,083	897	978	1,875
Total	1,013	1,240	2,253	922	1,052	1,974
Season Tickets			1			..
GOODS,—	1914.	1913.				
	No.	No.				
Drays .. .. .	..	..		
Cattle	2	1				
Calves .. .. .	..	..		
Sheep .. .. .	..	9				
Pigs .. .. .	..	..		
Total	2	10				
	Tons.	Tons.				
Chaff, Lime, &c... ..	6	..				
Wool .. .. .	..	..		
Firewood	60	54				
Timber	792	570				
Grain	28	43				
Merchandise	119	117				
Minerals	89	..				
Total	1,094	784				
PARCELS, ETC.,—	1914.	1913.				
	No.	No.				
Parcels	189	146				
Horses	2	7				
Carriages .. .. .	..	1				
Dogs	11	25				
Total	202	179				
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				
Passengers	125 2 6	103 8 9				
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	20 17 7	23 18 8				
Goods	219 9 11	151 19 10				
Miscellaneous	4 14 3	3 0 8				
Rents and Commission	6 11 6	8 16 6				
Total	£376 15 9	£291 4 5				

GISBORNE SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1914.			1913.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	623	342	965	528	402	930
2nd Class	2,181	1,770	3,951	2,501	1,916	4,417
Total	2,804	2,112	4,916	3,029	2,318	5,347
Season Tickets			15			10
GOODS,—	1914.	1913.				
	No.	No.				
Drays	5	1				
Cattle	33	68				
Calves .. .. .	..	10				
Sheep	932	6,006				
Pigs	74	62				
Total	1,044	6,147				
	Tons.	Tons.				
Chaff, Lime, &c... ..	108	186				
Wool	23	32				
Firewood	90	270				
Timber	559	634				
Grain	325	295				
Merchandise	226	165				
Minerals	1,033	1,664				
Total	2,364	3,246				
PARCELS, ETC.,—	1914.	1913.				
	No.	No.				
Parcels	374	365				
Horses	1	8				
Carriages	1	4				
Dogs	88	58				
Total	414	435				
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				
Passengers	428 8 11	455 10 7				
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	76 3 1	72 18 8				
Goods	655 10 4	869 1 7				
Miscellaneous	54 13 11	113 18 2				
Rents and Commission	48 17 6	33 3 8				
Total	£1,263 13 9	£1,544 12 8				

NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

PASSENGERS,—	1914.			1913.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	18,408	52,234	70,642	18,518	50,998	69,516
2nd Class	121,609	381,160	502,769	121,380	376,980	498,310
Total	140,017	433,394	573,411	139,898	427,928	567,826
Season Tickets			14,987			13,219

GOODS,—	1914.		1913.		PARCELS, ETC.,—	1914.		1913.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		No.	£ s. d.	No.	£ s. d.
Drays	134		121		Parcels	42,573		39,851	
Cattle	11,779		10,721		Horses	711		687	
Calves	3,025		951		Carriages	70		94	
Sheep	120,612		219,342		Dogs	2,669		2,641	
Pigs	4,883		5,814		Total	46,023		43,273	
Total	140,433		236,949						
Chaff, Lime, &c. ..	8,172	10,284			REVENUE,—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Wool	755	745			Passengers	67,862	1 0	64,498	0 5
Firewood	5,550	6,450			Parcels, Luggage, and				
Timber	23,328	22,176			Mails	9,325	17 6	8,665	12 5
Grain	26,704	20,013			Goods	77,143	15 6	75,723	8 4
Merchandise	26,642	26,428			Miscellaneous	1,718	1 3	1,315	6 4
Minerals	57,269	57,933			Rents and Commission	2,078	8 2	1,840	16 6
Total	148,420	144,029			Total	£158,131	3 5	£152,043	4 0

SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

PASSENGERS,—	1914.			1913.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	12,688	59,600	72,288	12,369	61,812	74,181
2nd Class	62,218	223,284	285,502	62,980	278,062	340,042
Total	74,906	282,884	357,790	75,349	339,874	415,223
Season Tickets			8,197			7,726

GOODS,—	1914.		1913.		PARCELS, ETC.,—	1914.		1913.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		No.	£ s. d.	No.	£ s. d.
Drays	127		105		Parcels	44,747		42,611	
Cattle	4,047		4,052		Horses	697		720	
Calves	407		255		Carriages	106		121	
Sheep	308,357		316,821		Dogs	1,812		1,884	
Pigs	2,933		3,066		Total	47,362		45,336	
Total	315,871		324,299						
Chaff, Lime, &c. ..	8,482	10,358			REVENUE,—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Wool	4,064	4,280			Passengers	36,551	11 0	38,428	10 5
Firewood	2,574	2,402			Parcels, Luggage, and				
Timber	15,131	14,241			Mails	6,692	10 2	6,351	14 6
Grain	55,354	52,973			Goods	69,082	13 7	67,861	1 8
Merchandise	39,036	37,503			Miscellaneous	2,867	4 8	2,281	5 0
Minerals	67,033	67,278			Rents and Commission	1,645	15 11	1,460	17 6
Total	191,674	189,040			Total	£116,839	15 4	£116,333	9 1

WESTLAND SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1914.			1913.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	1,090	2,102	3,192	1,063	2,060	3,123
2nd Class	8,209	12,264	20,473	8,382	21,176	29,559
Total	9,299	14,366	23,665	9,445	23,236	32,681
Season Tickets			382			184

GOODS,—	1914.		1913.		PARCELS, ETC.,—	1914.		1913.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		No.	£ s. d.	No.	£ s. d.
Drays	8		7		Parcels	2,229		2,118	
Cattle	168		241		Horses	14		33	
Calves	1		5		Carriages	3		1	
Sheep	1,169		1,469		Dogs	88		181	
Pigs			2		Total	2,334		2,333	
Total	1,346		1,724						
Chaff, Lime, &c. ..	162	428			REVENUE,—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Wool	12	2			Passengers	1,906	17 7	2,025	0 11
Firewood	536	458			Parcels, Luggage, and				
Timber	10,923	8,961			Mails	339	14 1	356	5 0
Grain	768	890			Goods	9,581	1 3	8,583	13 3
Merchandise	1,330	1,600			Miscellaneous	344	13 11	412	4 2
Minerals	39,102	33,454			Rents and Commission	135	10 8	129	11 1
Total	52,833	45,793			Total	£12,307	17 6	£11,506	14 5

WESTPORT SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1914.			1913.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	43	214	257	38	160	198
2nd Class	1,903	3,838	5,791	2,114	6,270	8,384
Total	1,946	4,102	6,048	2,152	6,430	8,582
Season Tickets .. .. .	..	..	76	..	..	28

Goods,—	1914.		1913.		PARCELS, ETC.,—	1914.		1913.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		No.	No.	No.	No.
Drays	1	..	..	..	Parcels	555	..	557	..
Cattle .. .. .	..	..	7	..	Horses .. .. .	..	..	2	..
Calves .. .. .	..	..	..	..	Carriages .. .. .	..	..	12	..
Sheep	340	..	286	..	Dogs	12	..	12	..
Pigs .. .. .	..	..	..	..	Total	567	..	571	..
Total	341	..	293	..					

REVENUE,—	1914.			1913.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	379	8	9	458	16	..
Parcels, Luggage, and	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mails	78	7	2	69	2	3
Goods	8,492	16	10	9,120	6	11
Miscellaneous	538	0	6	667	6	5
Rents and Commission	48	1	5	44	11	7
Total	£9,536	14	8	£10,360	3	4

NELSON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1914.			1913.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	204	320	524	161	322	483
2nd Class	2,967	4,932	7,899	2,937	7,388	10,325
Total	3,171	5,252	8,423	3,098	7,710	10,808
Season Tickets .. .. .	..	..	71	..	..	38

Goods,—	1914.		1913.		PARCELS, ETC.,—	1914.		1913.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		No.	No.	No.	No.
Drays .. .. .	..	..	..	..	Parcels	436	..	414	..
Cattle	10	..	4	..	Horses	5	..	6	..
Calves .. .. .	..	..	1	..	Carriages	3	..	2	..
Sheep	644	..	783	..	Dogs	45	..	59	..
Pigs	4	..	..	..	Total	489	..	481	..
Total	658	..	788	..					

REVENUE,—	1914.			1913.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	594	9	5	652	10	8
Parcels, Luggage, and	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mails	121	9	1	101	14	10
Goods	1,317	10	4	1,206	6	8
Miscellaneous	125	6	11	115	18	9
Rents and Commission	62	17	5	52	9	1
Total	£2,221	13	2	£2,129	0	0

PICTON SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1914.			1913.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	692	1,412	2,110	621	2,660	3,281
2nd Class	1,979	4,356	6,335	1,999	11,290	13,289
Total	2,677	5,768	8,445	2,620	13,950	16,570
Season Tickets .. .. .	..	..	39	..	..	59

Goods,—	1914.		1913.		PARCELS, ETC.,—	1914.		1913.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		No.	No.	No.	No.
Drays	5	..	4	..	Parcels	459	..	351	..
Cattle	22	..	15	..	Horses	7	..	8	..
Calves	2	..	10	..	Carriages	3	..	4	..
Sheep	6,413	..	5,664	..	Dogs	82	..	67	..
Pigs	26	..	..	..	Total	551	..	430	..
Total	6,468	..	5,693	..					

REVENUE,—	1914.			1913.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	615	13	3	1,028	10	4
Parcels, Luggage, and	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mails	94	6	10	94	2	4
Goods	1,706	17	10	1,524	14	11
Miscellaneous	196	0	2	198	0	6
Rents and Commission	34	18	7	27	6	6
Total	£2,647	11	8	£2,812	14	7

LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.

	1914.			1913.						
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.				
PASSENGERS,—										
1st Class	67	232	299	74	123	202				
2nd Class	149	342	491	184	608	792				
Total	216	574	790	258	736	994				
Season Tickets			3							
		1914.	1913.			1914.	1913.			
		No.	No.			No.	No.			
GOODS,—				PARCELS, ETC.,—						
Drays .. .. .		..	..	Parcels .. .. .	..	470	431
Cattle		21	10	Horses .. .. .	..	9	4		
Calves .. .. .		..	..	Carriages .. .. .	..	2	1
Sheep		524	394	Dogs .. .. .	..	13	14		
Pigs .. .. .		..	..	Total .. .. .	..	494	450
Total		545	404							
		Tons.	Tons.	REVENUE,—						
		Tons.	Tons.	£ s. d.						
Chaff, Lime, &c. .. .		6	..	Passengers	191	5	5	107	2	6
Wool		7	15	Parcels, Luggage, and	65	13	8	62	2	11
Firewood		6	..	Mails	186	0	0	200	11	9
Timber		45	114	Goods	0	9	6	4	3	3
Grain		192	146	Miscellaneous	17	15	9	19	0	0
Merchandise		105	100	Rents and Commission						
Minerals		140	189	Total	£461	4	4	£393	0	5
Total		501	564							

H. DAVIDSON,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department, 20th July, 1914.

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1914-15.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 20th June, 1914.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period, Average to Date.			
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.	
NORTH ISLAND,—									
Whangarei	74	£ 3,396 10 10	£ 10,795 9 7	£ 2,542 2 6	£ 6,988 1 7	64-73	£ 694 15 2	£ 449 14 7	
Kaihu	20	376 15 9	1,296 0 8	470 15 11	1,251 5 5	96-55	316 8 1	305 9 5	
Gisborne	32	1,263 13 9	3,586 12 0	1,706 3 6	3,468 5 3	96-70	485 13 9	469 13 2	
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,092	158,131 3 5	494,542 16 11	132,618 3 0	358,766 9 9	72-55	1,962 10 0	1,423 13 7	
Total	1,218	163,168 3 9	510,220 19 2	137,337 4 11	370,474 2 0	72-61			
SOUTH ISLAND,—									
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,366	116,839 15 4	387,274 8 10	93,095 11 4	254,367 18 8	65-68	1,228 10 10	806 18 6	
Westland	144	12,307 17 6	35,846 13 6	7,191 4 4	20,403 10 6	56-92	1,078 14 5	613 19 11	
Westport	36	9,536 14 8	25,844 4 2	4,544 12 11	12,742 19 6	49-31	3,110 17 7	1,533 17 7	
Nelson	61	2,221 13 2	7,471 10 3	2,051 13 9	5,696 19 2	76-28	530 15 3	404 17 10	
Pictou	48	2,647 11 8	8,037 2 8	2,691 13 11	6,295 10 5	78-33	725 11 6	568 7 0	
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	461 4 4	1,650 13 1	472 6 8	1,367 19 8	82-88	..	..
Total	1,655	144,014 16 8	466,124 12 6	110,047 2 11	300,874 17 11	64-55			
Grand total	2,873	307,183 0 5	976,345 11 8	247,384 7 10	671,348 19 11	68-76			

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

NORTH ISLAND—									
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Whangarei	58	3,386 17 0	10,566 15 9	2,606 13 4	7,250 14 2	68-62	789 9 5	541 14 5	
Kaihu	17	291 4 5	1,154 16 1	587 6 1	1,449 0 4	125-48	294 7 3	369 7 2	
Gisborne	32	1,544 12 8	4,735 12 10	1,220 5 10	2,847 13 5	60-13	641 5 9	385 12 5	
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,092	152,043 4 0	475,422 17 8	111,271 15 4	319,527 15 1	67-21	1,886 12 0	1,267 19 5	
Total	1,199	157,265 18 1	491,880 2 4	115,686 0 7	331,075 3 0	67-31			
SOUTH ISLAND,—									
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,366	116,383 9 1	371,557 5 0	83,023 9 6	250,119 17 1	67-32	1,178 13 7	793 9 0	
Westland	141	11,506 14 5	33,357 0 2	7,503 11 10	20,389 9 2	61-13	1,025 3 2	626 12 6	
Westport	36	10,360 3 4	28,924 16 9	4,735 8 1	12,751 4 6	44-08	3,431 14 0	1,534 17 5	
Nelson	61	2,129 0 0	7,696 4 8	1,753 11 7	5,939 10 10	77-17	546 14 6	421 18 9	
Pictou	48	2,812 14 7	8,800 18 2	2,162 9 4	6,196 5 6	70-41	794 10 6	559 7 9	
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	393 0 5	1,211 0 0	651 19 8	1,777 19 3	146-82	..	..
Total	1,652	143,585 1 10	451,547 4 9	99,830 10 0	297,174 6 4	65-81			
Grand total	2,851	300,850 19 11	943,427 7 1	215,516 10 7	628,249 9 4	66-59			

H. DAVIDSON,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department, 20th July, 1914. •

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of TRAFFIC on ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1914, to 20th June, 1914.

All Sections.	First-class Passengers.		Second-class Passengers.		Total.	Season Tickets.
	S.	R.	S.	R.		
1914	111,100	358,672	627,200	2,015,098	3,112,070	67,960
1913	107,638	355,346	622,378	1,975,844	3,060,706	63,769
Increase	3,462	3,326	4,822	39,754	51,364	4,191
Decrease .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..

All Sections.	Parcels.	Horses.	Carriages.	Dogs.	Total.	Drays, &c.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.
1914	307,224	5,232	618	15,071	328,145	805	54,595	11,965	1,838,550	43,779	1,949,694
1913	293,559	4,664	639	15,060	313,922	742	53,578	6,010	2,330,605	47,543	2,438,478
Increase	13,665	568	..	11	14,223	63	1,017	5,955	..	..	..
Decrease .. .. .	..	..	21	..	..	..	..	..	492,055	3,764	488,784

All Sections.	Chaff, Lime, &c.		Wool.		Firewood.		Timber.		Grain.		Merchandise.		Minerals.		Total.	
	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.	Tons	c.		
1914	56,080	0	18,298	16	27,544	0	158,057	6	297,850	7	216,242	14	674,392	3	1,448,465	6
1913	70,334	0	17,786	12	30,478	0	155,916	18	297,923	6	221,963	8	673,132	6	1,467,534	10
Increase .. .. .	..	..	512	4	..	..	2,140	8	..	..	..	..	1,259	17	..	..
Decrease	14,254	0	..	..	2,934	0	..	..	72	19	5,720	14	..	..	19,069	4

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION of RAILWAYS, ROLLING-STOCK, ETC., to 31st March, 1914, as furnished by Public Works Department and by Greymouth and Westport Harbour Boards respectively.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.			Cost of Unopened Lines.		
	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Whangarei	582,325	0	0	153,061	0	0
Kaihu	68,281	0	0	28,699	0	0
Tauranga .. .. .	..	..	..	145,904	0	0
Gisborne	337,339	0	0	322,092	0	0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	13,987,793	0	0	622,133	0	0
South Island Main Lines and Branches	13,677,921	0	0	498,809	0	0
Westland	1,313,809	0	0	567,984	0	0
Westport	587,258	0	0	75,350	0	0
Nelson	535,364	0	0	23,931	0	0
Picton	584,203	0	0	55,901	0	0
Lake Wakatipu Steamer Service	42,589	0	0	..	..	..
In Suspense—	..	..	..	31,558	0	0
Surveys, North Island .. .. .	..	..	..	5,169	0	0
Miscellaneous, North Island .. .. .	..	..	..	6,129	0	0
Surveys, South Island .. .. .	..	..	..	5,168	0	0
Miscellaneous, South Island .. .. .	..	..	..	83,601	0	0
P.W.D. Stock of Permanent-way .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
W.R.D. Stock of A.O.L. Stores	38,205	0	0	..	..	..
Totals	£32,355,087	0	0	£2,625,489	0	0

Railway Department, 20th July, 1914.

H. DAVIDSON.
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

RETURN of REVENUE collected at the GENERAL POST OFFICE and in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND for the Quarter ended 30th June, 1914.

	POSTAL REVENUE.						TELEGRAPH REVENUE.						Total Post and Telegraph Revenue.																				
	Private Box and Bag Rents.		Money-order Commission.		Stamps sold, and credited to Stamp Revenue.		Postal-note Commission.		Miscellaneous Receipts (Postal).		Total Postal.			Telegrams.		Telephone Exchanges.		Miscellaneous Telegraph.		Total Telegraph.													
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.								
General Post Office	74	7	3	..	..	..	184	17	2	259	4	5	..	..	..	417	11	6	430	8	11	689	13	4						
Auckland	1,295	7	7	37,724	9	2	703	10	4	3	9	10	39,821	8	2	18,355	12	9½	27,283	5	1	74	12	6	45,713	10	4½	85,584	18	6½
Blenheim	47	7	0	1,490	10	6	41	14	5	0	5	0	1,586	17	11	1,471	3	0	1,558	1	3	2	17	2	3,082	1	5	4,618	19	4
Christchurch	427	11	4	19,669	1	1½	287	1	3½	0	14	0	20,392	12	1	9,173	6	10	15,473	1	5	50	5	3	24,696	13	6	45,089	5	7
Dunedin	340	18	1	13,590	10	5	246	0	9	0	14	0	14,241	4	6	6,777	0	11	12,072	17	4	21	17	11	18,871	16	2	33,113	0	8
Gisborne	115	17	9	2,849	1	10	58	11	11	0	7	0	3,039	7	9	2,620	1	10½	3,782	5	5	1	18	6	6,404	5	9½	9,443	13	6½
Greymouth	108	15	7	2,249	3	3	41	4	9	0	2	6	2,401	6	0	1,635	16	3	1,062	3	11	1	16	0	2,699	16	2	5,101	2	2
Hokitika	19	12	9	448	3	0½	14	13	4½	0	0	6	488	11	4	595	18	10	347	18	10	0	5	9	944	3	5	1,427	14	9
Invercargill	161	11	10	6,457	19	10	146	4	2	0	6	10	6,779	18	11	4,036	15	0½	4,560	9	9	17	1	5	8,614	6	2½	15,394	5	1½
Napier	229	15	8	7,382	8	10½	163	13	6	0	14	6	7,823	2	3½	5,988	3	11½	9,053	10	11	13	1	9	15,054	16	7½	22,877	18	11
Nelson	99	12	10	1,931	4	0	56	0	11	0	6	8	2,091	18	11	1,997	7	7	1,782	1	11	3	0	6	3,782	10	0	5,874	8	11
New Plymouth	102	11	2	3,806	6	8	79	11	10	0	4	6	3,998	2	7	2,237	2	11	2,406	4	8	10	10	8	4,653	18	3	8,652	0	10
Oamaru	49	6	6	1,820	5	10½	45	2	7	0	0	2	1,917	4	4½	1,498	5	7	1,069	9	6	2	1	9	2,569	16	10	4,487	1	2½
Thames	155	3	7	4,013	13	4½	119	3	9½	0	2	0	4,309	8	9	2,413	16	1½	1,643	0	10	20	17	9	4,077	14	8½	8,387	3	5½
Timaru	100	6	2	6,057	19	2	70	1	1	0	2	6	6,234	18	7	2,698	12	2½	3,501	11	6	9	14	4	6,209	18	0½	12,444	16	7½
Wanganui	261	11	2	11,494	6	6½	200	15	10	0	15	8	11,992	8	9½	5,518	13	8½	6,778	9	7	28	4	7	12,325	7	10½	24,317	16	8
Wellington	812	5	10	37,125	7	4½	443	10	9	4	2	4	38,463	18	8½	16,387	7	6½	23,295	18	9	73	14	6	39,757	0	9½	78,220	19	6
Westport	83	16	9	1,137	3	3½	30	4	9½	0	1	6	1,252	4	1	970	15	4	434	14	9	2	16	11	1,408	7	0	2,660	11	1
Totals 2nd quarter in 1914	4,485	18	10	159,247	14	4	2,697	6	1	197	6	8	167,088	18	2	84,376	0	6	116,118	2	10	752	8	9	201,246	12	1	368,335	10	3
Totals 2nd quarter in 1913	4,283	0	9	155,597	10	11	2,440	14	0½	175	8	5	162,934	15	9½	77,738	18	4½	102,236	18	4	627	16	7	180,603	13	3½	343,538	9	1

F. V. WATERS, Acting-Secretary.

General Post Office, Wellington, 21st July, 1914.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER, AMOUNT, &c., of MONEY-ORDER and SAVINGS-BANK TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1914.

Postal Districts.	Money-order				MONEY-ORDERS.				SAVINGS-BANKS.				Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits.	
	Of Quarter.		At End of Quarter.		Issued.		Paid.		Number of Deposits.	Number of Withdrawals.	Amount of Deposits.	Amount of Withdrawals.		Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals.
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.						
..	220	£ 228,435 14 10	45,071	£ 227,640 18 1	214	4,537	3,092	35,108	663,692 3 4	£ 619,449 17 8	8	44,242 5 8	..	
..	16	11,501 16 6	1,230	10,824 10 9	16	282	185	1,751	47,431 9 11	34,971 19 6	6	12,459 10 5	..	
..	71	79,503 13 11	15,410	80,013 18 11	71	2,631	1,670	25,329	518,333 6 7	440,319 10 9	9	78,013 15 10	..	
..	69	66,616 13 3	16,026	72,819 9 9	66	1,831	1,265	16,480	358,884 4 10	316,977 14 2	2	41,906 10 8	..	
..	21	23,895 1 11	1,694	10,815 15 11	21	626	491	4,497	81,771 5 4	78,277 17 6	6	3,493 7 10	..	
..	17	21,766 14 11	2,060	11,512 10 6	17	386	278	1,806	49,655 10 10	35,928 0 4	4	13,727 10 6	..	
..	8	4,816 11 1	574	2,505 2 4	8	88	61	372	15,033 2 2	9,907 8 11	5	5,185 13 3	..	
..	33	31,871 1 10	5,041	22,425 15 10	31	808	539	5,223	125,216 15 3	115,464 11 5	5	9,752 3 10	..	
..	47	51,168 14 5	5,778	34,071 3 3	42	1,306	757	7,828	171,733 12 10	140,131 1 4	4	31,602 11 6	..	
..	26	22,642 7 5	3,121	18,469 1 1	26	457	267	4,494	73,215 1 9	60,624 12 2	2	12,590 9 7	..	
..	18	22,214 13 8	2,725	17,323 3 9	18	544	384	3,326	76,920 18 6	78,530 18 4	4	..	1,609 19 10	
..	11	12,296 4 1	1,066	5,768 5 7	11	263	203	1,578	50,393 18 10	42,048 3 5	5	8,545 15 5	..	
..	29	35,932 12 3	3,459	16,858 0 6	23	712	461	3,140	88,510 18 4	70,204 12 11	11	13,306 5 5	..	
..	16	24,699 15 6	2,738	13,262 4 0	16	725	440	7,025	126,032 0 9	88,447 14 4	4	37,584 6 5	..	
..	56	64,849 19 7	7,426	36,144 19 5	54	1,337	962	8,785	168,788 11 4	164,434 1 4	4	4,354 10 0	..	
..	97	145,373 10 10	31,037	170,811 9 0	98	4,159	2,930	35,953	624,014 16 7	542,252 9 8	8	81,762 6 11	..	
..	20	16,749 2 6	1,334	8,067 1 9	19	264	209	1,205	29,394 15 5	31,329 17 5	5	..	1,935 2 0	
Totals 2nd quarter in 1914	775	859,334 8 6	145,790	759,333 10 5	765	20,956	14,194	159,063	3,264,382 12 7	2,869,300 11 2	2	394,982 1 5	..	
Totals 2nd quarter in 1913	755	822,081 2 11	139,116	723,049 1 0	736	22,253	14,234	147,817	3,018,565 11 9	2,818,438 8 10	10	200,127 2 11	..	

F. V. WATERS, Acting-Secretary.

General Post Office, Wellington, 21st July, 1914.

STATEMENT OF TELEGRAPH BUSINESS within the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1914.

Postal Districts.	Number of Offices open at End of Quarter	Ordinary Telegrams, including Paid Government Telegrams.		Urgent Ordinary Telegrams.		Press Telegrams.*		Bureau Communications.		Total.											
		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.										
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.								
Auckland	592	885,914	11,931	0	4	22,036	1,408	9	9	15,095	713	12	2½	171,796	4,299	10	6	594,841	18,355	12	9½
Blenheim	86	27,939	837	13	7	1,111	80	4	5	475	107	13	0	20,147	445	12	0	49,672	1,471	3	0
Christchurch	230	167,648	5,224	5	6	8,014	549	16	2	6,507	948	19	1	106,087	2,451	6	1	288,256	9,173	6	10
Dunedin	231	136,248	4,246	18	5	4,762	327	17	6	8,249	381	6	4½	69,393	1,820	18	7½	218,652	6,777	0	11
Gisborne	38	38,671	1,266	10	3½	2,425	173	6	5	1,305	232	13	8	27,264	947	11	6	69,665	2,620	1	10½
Greytown	38	33,255	1,107	3	11	1,098	78	0	6	942	191	6	2½	9,579	259	5	7½	44,874	1,635	16	3
Hokitika	50	10,173	318	19	3½	342	25	0	4	521	96	8	6½	7,239	155	10	8	18,275	595	18	10
Invercargill	188	59,969	1,804	3	11	1,413	94	14	7	1,835	279	10	6	66,146	1,858	6	0½	129,363	4,036	15	0½
Napier	94	90,853	2,645	1	5	5,245	306	11	10	3,301	364	10	4	111,824	2,672	0	4½	211,223	5,988	3	11½
Nelson	95	39,248	1,236	12	7	1,804	106	4	3	18,834	160	2	4½	17,837	494	8	4½	77,723	1,997	7	7
New Plymouth	82	42,465	1,236	6	10	1,980	126	18	5	1,032	235	2	5	26,297	577	15	3	71,774	2,237	2	11
Oamaru	51	18,536	809	2	0	608	32	11	9	549	151	12	0	13,746	504	19	10	33,439	1,498	5	7
Thames	72	54,791	1,627	14	8	2,329	150	2	7	833	129	6	1½	21,084	506	12	9	79,037	2,413	16	1½
Timaru	73	38,093	1,125	1	7	1,260	75	10	2	1,741	190	14	8	43,708	1,307	5	9½	84,802	2,698	12	2½
Wanganui	132	104,564	3,223	19	9½	5,795	326	0	8	3,234	369	0	7	68,434	1,599	12	8	182,027	5,518	13	8½
Wellington	223	239,391	10,440	5	6½	16,809	1,086	12	5	51,015	892	0	0	168,294	3,958	9	7	535,509	16,387	7	6½
Westport	51	20,255	623	3	5	976	76	15	11	519	91	9	9	5,704	179	6	3	27,454	970	15	4
Totals 2nd quarter in 1914	2,326	1,563,013	49,767	3	1	78,007	5,034	17	8	115,987	5,535	7	10	954,579	24,028	11	11	2,716,586	84,376	0	6
Totals 2nd quarter in 1913	2,222	1,491,207	47,207	19	2½	73,316	4,791	6	9	106,727	4,807	18	7	733,400	20,931	13	10	2,464,650	77,738	18	4½

* The bulk of Press telegrams are forwarded as "Collect" on delivery.

General Post Office, Wellington, 21st July, 1914.

F. V. WATERS, Acting-Secretary.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER, AMOUNT, &c., of POSTAL-NOTE TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 30th June, 1914.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	No. of Postal-note Offices open at the End of the Quarter.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES SOLD.										Total Amount of Postal Notes sold, including Commission.	Commission on Postal Notes sold.				
		At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/0	At 2/6	At 3/0	At 5/0	At 10/0	At 15/0	At 20s.	Total.						
Auckland ..	265	12,535	7,392	20,122	24,445	19,548	30,365	20,796	6,898	15,708	157,749	£ 48,710	s. 8	d. 10	£ 703	s. 10	d. 4
Blenheim ..	22	741	435	1,256	1,854	1,198	1,645	1,203	402	1,036	9,265	2,935	8	11	41	14	5
Christchurch ..	80	3,590	2,048	6,112	6,531	5,157	9,264	7,457	2,601	6,609	49,369	17,375	10	9½	237	1	3½
Dunedin ..	90	4,338	2,386	7,248	8,228	5,933	10,326	7,934	2,786	5,125	54,304	17,048	2	9	246	0	9
Gisborne ..	22	1,100	614	1,480	1,944	1,494	2,284	1,666	580	1,612	12,774	4,225	14	11	58	11	11
Greymouth ..	18	761	443	1,049	1,181	1,086	1,540	1,262	499	1,016	8,837	2,934	3	9	41	4	9
Hokitika ..	12	216	144	449	396	303	539	469	144	425	3,085	1,078	7	4½	14	13	4½
Invercargill ..	51	2,367	1,339	4,055	4,857	3,989	6,424	4,433	1,733	3,018	32,215	10,116	4	2	146	4	2
Napier ..	60	3,191	1,788	5,145	5,464	4,230	6,398	4,773	1,792	3,865	36,646	11,484	6	6	163	13	6
Nelson ..	32	976	616	1,836	1,786	1,634	2,176	1,721	588	1,208	12,541	3,856	9	11	56	0	11
New Plymouth	32	1,358	864	2,458	2,492	1,976	3,188	2,325	938	2,013	17,512	5,666	19	10	79	11	10
Oamaru ..	14	793	370	1,144	1,255	952	1,752	1,545	514	1,114	9,439	3,236	12	1	45	2	7
Thames ..	35	2,213	1,481	3,559	4,222	3,080	4,686	3,649	1,309	2,593	26,792	8,257	6	3½	119	3	9½
Timaru ..	16	1,033	640	1,976	2,129	1,428	2,732	2,238	851	1,793	14,820	5,080	17	7	70	1	1
Wanganui ..	65	3,351	1,922	6,050	6,555	4,715	8,200	6,110	2,151	4,907	43,961	14,269	7	4	200	15	10
Wellington ..	118	6,876	3,800	11,629	13,685	10,409	18,961	13,092	4,436	12,014	94,902	32,134	9	3	443	10	9
Westport ..	23	551	349	781	944	963	1,146	988	334	646	6,652	2,076	10	3½	30	4	9½
Totals 2nd qr. in 1914	955	45,990	26,631	76,349	87,468	68,090	111,626	81,611	28,396	64,702	590,863	190,487	0	7	2,697	6	1
Totals 2nd qr. in 1913	917	41,125	24,973	71,765	76,616	60,292	100,237	75,084	26,153	57,763	534,008	172,146	4	6½	2,440	14	0½

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES PAID.										Total Amount of Postal Notes paid.		
	At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/0	At 2/6	At 3/0	At 5/0	At 10/0	At 15/0	At 20s.	Total.			
Auckland ..	11,968	7,684	22,245	21,627	15,498	26,825	22,015	7,565	15,992	151,419	£ 47,506	s. 15	d. 6
Blenheim ..	242	145	479	442	314	623	481	143	418	3,287	1,094	14	6
Christchurch ..	4,165	2,559	7,846	7,599	6,003	10,397	9,044	3,349	7,914	58,876	20,582	2	0
Dunedin ..	5,363	3,284	9,461	9,325	6,713	11,816	9,562	3,496	6,827	65,847	20,817	2	6
Gisborne ..	389	226	614	581	473	766	653	230	600	4,532	1,531	17	6
Greymouth ..	320	186	536	534	471	704	639	281	617	4,288	1,544	4	0
Hokitika ..	91	43	166	140	118	264	196	76	216	1,310	496	11	6
Invercargill ..	1,352	696	2,378	2,360	1,754	3,072	2,873	1,098	1,949	17,532	5,892	14	0
Napier ..	2,104	1,145	4,011	3,312	2,345	4,012	3,245	1,163	2,510	23,847	7,365	13	6
Nelson ..	595	377	1,090	956	835	1,297	1,126	413	954	7,643	2,562	15	6
New Plymouth ..	734	497	1,404	1,375	1,107	1,786	1,465	536	1,269	10,173	3,402	6	0
Oamaru ..	250	153	503	498	331	683	605	234	483	3,740	1,317	18	6
Thames ..	672	414	1,217	1,125	889	1,448	1,431	516	1,151	8,863	3,075	16	6
Timaru ..	623	308	1,171	1,108	799	1,682	1,521	518	1,292	9,022	3,291	4	0
Wanganui ..	1,634	1,004	3,164	3,059	2,169	4,010	3,427	1,220	2,902	22,589	7,714	2	6
Wellington ..	14,692	7,199	18,833	31,922	27,270	40,370	21,986	6,981	19,157	188,410	56,716	16	6
Westport ..	186	117	314	275	245	387	470	143	348	2,485	907	12	0
Totals 2nd qr. in 1914 ..	45,380	26,037	75,432	86,238	67,334	110,142	80,739	27,962	64,599	583,863	186,120	6	6
Totals 2nd qr. in 1913 ..	39,946	24,428	70,243	74,597	58,973	97,975	74,255	25,663	56,924	523,004	166,816	15	6

STATEMENT showing DISCOUNT-STAMP TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th June, 1914.

Postal District.	Discount-stamps sold.	Discount-stamps redeemed.	Unsold Discount-stamps on Hand on 30th June, 1914.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland	4 5 0	3 16 0	11 10 0
Blenheim .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	3 0 0
Christchurch	7 15 0	6 18 0	23 5 0
Dunedin .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	30 0 0
Gisborne .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	7 0 0
Greymouth .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	5 0 0
Hokitika .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	12 10 0
Invercargill .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	2 10 0
Napier .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	3 10 0
Nelson .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	11 15 0
New Plymouth .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	12 15 0
Oamaru .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	4 0 0
Thames .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	5 0 0
Timaru .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	5 0 0
Wanganui .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	5 0 0
Wellington	188 0 0	179 2 0	102 0 0
Westport .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	2 0 0
Totals 2nd quarter, 1914	200 0 0	189 16 0	245 15 0
Totals 2nd quarter, 1913	241 15 0	215 14 0	315 15 0

General Post Office,
Wellington, 21st July, 1914.

F. V. WATERS,
Acting-Secretary.

Conscience-money received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 21st July, 1914.

THE Minister of Finance directs me to acknowledge the receipt of one shilling in penny stamps by the Collector of Customs, Timaru, from some person unknown, as conscience-money to the New Zealand Government, being "a small amount owing for Customs duty."

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

Declaration of Result of Poll for the Election of a Member of the Land Board of the Southland Land District.

I, GORDON HURRELL MORLAND McCLURE, Returning Officer for the Southland Land Board, do hereby declare the result of the poll taken on the 16th day of July, 1914, for the election of a member of the Land Board for the Land District of Southland to be as follows:—

Candidates.	Votes polled.
King, James	676
Mackley, John Charles	441
Total number of valid votes polled	1,117
Total number of votes rejected as informal	104

I therefore declare JAMES KING, who has received the greatest number of votes, to be duly elected member of the Land Board for the said Land District.

Dated at Invercargill this 16th day of July, 1914.

G. H. M. McCLURE,
Returning Officer.

Result of Election of Members of a River District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 21st July, 1914.

THE following result of the election of members of the Waimatuku River District has been received from the Returning Officer, and is published in accordance with the provisions of the River Boards Amendment Act, 1913.

J. HISLOP,
Under-Secretary.

Waimatuku River District, Counties of Southland and Wallace:

- Lower Subdivision—
 - John S. Brown.
 - Henry Oswald Dawson.
 - John Rance.
- Middle Subdivision—
 - Charles Allan Henderson.
 - Alexander McKenzie.
 - Robert McNeill.
- Upper Subdivision—
 - Thomas A. Buckingham.
 - John Lindsay.
 - Peter C. C. McLeish.

Notice of Date of Examinations under the Control of the Inspector-General of Schools.

Education Department,
Wellington, 17th April, 1914.

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

Intermediate Competitive (Education Board Senior Scholarship Examination): On or about 17th November, 1914, and following days.

Intermediate Non-competitive, for Senior Free Places in Secondary Schools and District High Schools and for the First Examination of Pupil-teachers: On or about 17th November, 1914, and following days.

Junior National Scholarship: On or about the 26th and 27th November, 1914.

Junior Free Place (including the examination for Junior Free Places in Technical Schools): On or about the 26th and 27th November, 1914.

Teachers' Certificate Examinations, Class C and Class D: On or about the 5th January, 1915, and following days.

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

Entries for Junior National Scholarships and Junior Free Places, and for the First Examination of Pupil-teachers, must be made through the principals or head teachers of the schools attended, and will be received by Secretaries of Education Boards not later than the 15th September, 1914. Junior Scholarship and Junior Free Place entries received after that date can be accepted only with the consent of the Education Department, which, if satisfied in any special case that there has been reasonable ground for the delay, may allow not more than seven days of grace.

Entries for the Senior Board Scholarship Examination and for the First Examination of Pupil-teachers will be received by Secretaries of Education Boards until the 15th September, 1914. For all other Intermediate Examinations (Senior Free Place, Drawing only, &c.) entries must be sent direct to the Inspector-General of Schools, Wellington, so as to reach his office by the same date. The time for recognizing entries for these examinations will be extended to 22nd September, 1914, on payment of a late fee of £1; otherwise, no entrance fee is payable in respect of these examinations.

The provision heretofore existing whereby candidates other than those for Education Board Senior Scholarships were permitted to take Scholarship papers in the Intermediate Examinations is abolished.

Entries for the Teachers' C and D Certificate Examinations will be received by the Inspector-General of Schools, Wellington, until the 15th October, 1914, or, with a late fee of £1 in addition to the ordinary fee, until the 31st October 1914.

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

GEORGE HOGBEN,
Inspector-General of Schools.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in Wellington Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 21st July, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for leases of the undermentioned lands will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 16th September, 1914, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and the Land Act, 1908, and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

RESERVES.

Pohangina County.—Township of Pohangina.

SECTIONS 4, 17, Block VII: Area, 2 roods; upset annual rental, £1 5s.; term, seven years.

Situated in Pohangina Township, the access being from Ashhurst Railway-station, which is about nine miles distant by metalled road. Flat land in grass, with good soil of sandy nature.

Sections 4, 17, Block VI: Area, 2 roods; upset annual rental, £1 5s.; term, ten years.

Sections 6, 15, Block VIII: Area, 2 roods; upset annual rental, £1 5s.; term, ten years.

Situated in Pohangina Township, the access being from Ashhurst Railway-station, which is about nine miles distant by metalled road. Flat grassed land, with soil of good quality, on sand and shingle formation.

Kairanga County.—Township of Bunnythorpe.

Sections 1357, 1359: Area, 1 acre; upset annual rental, £1 4s. 6d.; term, fourteen years.

Situated in Bunnythorpe Township, the access being from the Bunnythorpe Railway-station, which is about 12 chains distant by a formed dray-road to within a few chains from north-east corner of Section 1359. All flat land, grassed, and logged up, intersected by a small stream. Soil is of an alluvial nature, on sand and shingle formation.

Pahiatua County.—Township of Scarborough.

Section 11, Block XIII: Area, 1 rood; upset annual rental, 15s.; term, fourteen years.

Situated in Scarborough Township, the access being from Pahiatua Railway-station, which is about 20 chains distant by metalled road. Flat land in grass, with portion of frontage to Victoria Street planted with macrocarpa trees. Soil is of a clay nature, on shingle formation.

Horowhenua County.—Township of Shannon.

Section 289: Area, 1 rood; upset annual rental, £1 5s.; term, ten years.

Situated on north side of Vance Street, in Shannon Township. The access is from Shannon Railway-station, which is about 25 chains distant by metalled street. Level land in grass, with soil of good quality.

Rangitikei County.—Torere Village Settlement.

Section 33: Area, 1 acre; upset annual rental, £2; term, seven years.

Situated in Torere Village Settlement, about one mile from Utiku. The access is from Utiku or Taihape by a formed metalled dray-road. Flat land, cleared and stumped; with soil of good loam, on papa formation.

Eketahuna County.—Township of Brownston.

Section 5, Block VII: Area, 2 roods 20 perches; upset annual rental, 11s.; term, seven years.

Situated in Brownston Township (known locally as Hukanui), about 20 chains from Hukanui store and post-office. Access is from Hukanui Railway-station by formed dray-road. Flat and undulating land, felled and grassed. Soil is of fair quality, rather stony, on shingle formation.

Waimarino County.—Manganui Survey District.

Section 35, Block XIV: Area, 23 acres; upset annual rental, £2 6s.; term, five years.

Situated in the Marton No. 3 Block, at junction of Mangatururu Stream with the Manganui-a-te-ao River, the access being from Raetibi, which is about eleven miles distant. There are flats on each side of the stream, and the bush has been destroyed by fires.

CROWN LAND.

Akitio County.—Suburbs of Pongaroa.

Section 15: Area, 8 acres and 12 perches; upset annual rental, £5; term, seven years.

Situated in Suburbs of Pongaroa. Flat and low undulating land in grass. The manuka scrub has been felled. Soil poor to fair, on papa formation.

Kaitieke County.—Suburbs of Kaitieke.

Section 4: Area, 52 acres; upset annual rental, £8; term, ten years.

Section 5: Area, 72 acres; upset annual rental, £9; term, ten years.

Section 6: Area, 50 acres 2 roods; upset annual rental, £5; term, ten years.

Situated in Township of Kaitieke, which is about nine miles from Raurimu Railway-station, in the centre of a pastoral district, the access being by a formed and partly metalled road. Section 4 is all in fern and manuka; there are patches of bush and scrub on Sections 5 and 6.

Rangitikei County.—Mangaweka South Township.

Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, Block I: Area, 3 acres and 2 perches; upset annual rental, £3; term, five years.

Situated in Mangaweka South Township, on main road near railway-station. All flat sections, felled and in grass.

Levin Borough.—Township of Levin.

Sections 7, 12, Block III: Area, 2 roods; upset annual rental, £1; term, ten years.

Situated on Devon Street, in Levin Township, about 30 chains from the post-office by good metalled street. Flat land in grass, with soil of good quality, on gravel formation.

Section 3, Block I: Area, 1 rood; upset annual rental, £1 15s.; term, ten years.

Sections 9, 10, Block III: Area, 2 roods; upset annual rental, £3 10s.; term, ten years.

Section 3, Block IV: Area, 1 rood; upset annual rental, £1 15s.; term, ten years.

Section 6, Block XII: Area, 1 rood; upset annual rental, £1 15s.; term, ten years.

Section 1, Block XIII: Area, 1 rood 38 perches; upset annual rental, £4; term, ten years.

Sections 17, 20, Block XVIII: Area, 2 roods; upset annual rental, £4; term, ten years.

Situated in Levin Township. All level lands, in grass; with soil of good quality, on shingle formation. The town water-main passes frontages.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Tenders must be accompanied by marked cheque or post-office order for six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 1s. lease fee.

2. There are no restrictions or limitations as to the number of sections which one person may lease, and no declaration is required. Residence and improvements are not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, nor for any other cause.

3. The leases shall be for the term specified.

4. The rent shall be paid half-yearly in advance.

5. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease without the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

6. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbrier on the land comprised in the lease, 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.

7. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee fails to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to have been fulfilled.

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

T. N. BRODRICK,

Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,

Wellington, 22nd July, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned village-homestead allotments are open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and amendments; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 23rd September, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—FIRST-CLASS LAND (NATIONAL ENDOWMENT).

Waimarino County.—Horopito West Village Settlement.

SECTIONS 7 and 8, Block IX: Area, 4 acres 3 roods 29 perches; capital value, £105; half-yearly rent, £2 2s.

Weighted with £5, valuation for fencing.

Situated in Horopito West Village Settlement, the access being from the Horopito Railway-station, which is about a quarter of a mile distant by a partly formed surveyed road. All flat land, with soil of a light volcanic nature on grit formation. The bush has been burned, and only dead trees are standing. Elevation, 2,460 ft. above sea-level.

Sections 1 and 2, Block XVI: Area, 2 acres; capital value, £125; half-yearly rent, £2 10s.

Situated in the Horopito West Village Settlement, the access being from the Horopito Railway-station, which is about half a mile distant by a formed and partly metalled road. Flat land, felled, with soil of a fairly good volcanic nature on grit and shingle formation. The elevation is about 2,460 ft. above sea-level.

Waimarino County.—Kakahi Village Settlement.

Section 29, Block I: Area, 32 perches; capital value, £20; half-yearly rent, 8s.

Section 30, Block I: Area, 32 perches; capital value, £20; half-yearly rent, 8s.

Section 31, Block I: Area, 32 perches; capital value, £20; half-yearly rent, 8s.

Section 32,* Block I: Area, 32 perches; capital value, £20; half-yearly rent, 8s.

*Weighted with £250, valuation for improvements consisting of a six-roomed house.

These lots are situated in the Kakahi Village, the access being from the Kakahi Railway-station, which is about a quarter of a mile distant by a formed dray-road. All flat land in grass, with soil of a light volcanic nature on pumice formation.

Manunui Town District.—Kaitieke County.—Manunui Village Settlement.

Section 54, Block II: Area, 1 acre and 8-8 perches; capital value, £30; half-yearly rent, 12s.

Situated in Manunui Village Settlement, the access being from Manunui Railway-station, which is about a quarter of a mile distant by a formed dray-road. Easy sloping ground in grass, with soil of good quality on clay formation.

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

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

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

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 21 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 24th August, 1914.

The ballot, in case there is more than one applicant for either section, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, on Thursday, the 27th August, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

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

SCHEDULE.

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

First-class Land.

SECTION 27: Area, 180 acres; capital value, £800; half-yearly rental, £18.

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

Section 23: Area, 356 acres 2 roods; capital value, £2,000; half-yearly rental, £45.

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

Terms of lease may be seen and forms of application obtained at this office.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned education reserves will be offered for lease by public auction at this office on Friday, 25th September, 1914, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—EDUCATION RESERVES.

Section.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.	Section.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
<i>Whangarei County.—Town of Grahamtown.</i>					
69-70	A. R. P. £ s. d.	3 0 0	282	A. R. P. £ s. d.	2 5 0
72	0 2 2	1 5 0	291	0 3 35	1 10 0
74	0 3 32	2 3 0	292	1 0 0	0 15 0
179	0 1 38	1 5 0	342/344,	9 3 23	1 10 0
188	0 2 0	1 15 0	346,		
277	1 0 0	1 10 0	350/353		
280	0 2 23	1 10 0	388A	5 1 38	12 0 0
281	1 0 0	2 5 0			

Whangarei County.—Suburbs of Grahamtown.

2	10 0 20	5 0 0	28, 29	22 0 19	1 12 0
6	12 3 0	3 0 0	34	11 3 14	1 10 0
7	10 0 12	4 10 0	40	10 0 0	4 0 0
8	10 0 0	5 0 0	42	10 1 30	4 3 0
12	10 0 0	3 10 0	45	8 2 0	1 0 0
18	13 2 28	10 10 0	46	12 1 0	1 10 0
24	15 1 0	2 5 0	51	10 3 0	4 10 0

Situated from one mile and a half to three miles from Onerahi Wharf, Whangarei Harbour. The soil is mostly of a light semi-volcanic nature, resting on blue-rock formation. A few of the sections are swampy. The sections are not watered, as a rule, and are at present covered to a great extent with tea-tree scrub, fern, &c. The elevation ranges from 20 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level. A full description of any section or group of sections will be forwarded on application.

Hokianga County.—Town of Rawene.

111, 112	0 0 33-5	0 15 0	116, 117	0 0 25-9	0 10 0
113, 114	0 1 19-9	1 0 0	121, 122	0 0 21-7	0 10 0

Undulating land, covered with scrub. From half to three-quarters of a mile from Rawene Wharf, Hokianga River.

Eden County.—Suburbs of Auckland.

Section 237A of 16: Area, 1 rood 28-75 perches; upset annual rent, £4.

Fairly level land in grass, close to the Orakei Bridge, Remuera.

Subdivision of Lot 83, Section 16.

1	0 1 10	18 0 0	14	0 1 4	8 0 0
2	0 1 12	22 0 0	15	0 1 4	8 0 0
3	0 1 14	22 0 0	16	0 1 4	8 0 0
4	0 1 15	18 0 0	17	0 1 4	4 0 0
5	0 1 4	10 0 0	18	0 1 4	3 0 0
6	0 1 4	12 0 0	19	0 1 4	4 0 0
7	0 1 4	10 0 0	20	0 1 4	2 10 0
8	0 1 4	12 0 0	21	0 1 4	2 10 0
9	0 1 4	8 0 0	22	0 1 4	2 10 0
10	0 1 4	10 0 0	23	0 1 4	2 10 0
11	0 1 4	8 0 0	24	0 2 15	4 0 0
12	0 1 4	10 0 0	25	0 3 0	7 0 0
13	0 1 4	8 0 0			

Sections 1 to 4 front Victoria Avenue, Remuera; remaining sections front new road, to be formed shortly, connecting Victoria Avenue and Orakei Road.

ABSTRACT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £2 2s. lease fee, which includes stamp duty and cost of registration, must be paid on the fall of the hammer.
2. Immediate possession will be given.
3. Term of lease, twenty-one years, with right of renewal for further similar terms, at rentals based on fresh valuations, under the provisions of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.
4. Rent payable half-yearly, in advance, on 1st days of January and July in each year, subject to penalty at the rate of 10 per centum per annum for any period during which it remains in arrear.
5. Lessee to maintain in good substantial repair all buildings, drains, and fences; to keep clear all creeks, drains, ditches, and watercourses; to trim all live hedges; and yield up all improvements in good order and condition at the expiration of his lease.
6. Lessee not to transfer, sublet, or subdivide without the consent of the Land Board.
7. Lessee to keep the land free from noxious weeds, rabbits, and vermin.
8. Lessee not to use or remove any gravel without the consent of the Land Board.
9. Lessee not to carry on any noxious, noisome, or offensive trade upon the land.
10. Lessee not to make improvements without the consent of the Land Board.
11. Lessee not entitled to any compensation for improvements; but if the lease is not renewed upon expiration the new lease offered for disposal by public competition will be subject to payment by the incoming tenant of valuation for buildings and improvements effected by the original lessee with the consent of the Board; failing disposal, the land and buildings to revert to the Crown without compensation.
12. Lease liable to forfeiture for non-payment of rent within six months after due date, or for breach of conditions.
13. Lessee to keep buildings insured.
14. Lessees of subdivisions of Lot 83, Section 16, and of Section 237A of 16, Suburbs of Auckland, will be required to build a dwellinghouse (to be approved by the Land Board) within three years from the date of selection.

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

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Marlborough Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 22nd July, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 21 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, that the under-mentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 10th August, 1914.

Applicants will have to appear in person before the Land Board at the District Lands and Survey Office, Blenheim, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, 11th August, 1914, to answer any questions that may be asked; but if any applicant so desires he may be examined by the Land Board of the district in which he resides.

The ballot, in case there is more than one applicant for either section, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Blenheim, on Tuesday, 11th August, 1914, at the conclusion of the examination of applicants.

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

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Marlborough County.—Mount Olympus Survey District.—Hillersden Settlement.

SECTION 7, Block IX: Area, 226 acres 2 roods; rent per acre per annum, 7s. 10d.; half-yearly rent, £44 2s.

NOTE.—Payment for broken period from 11th August, 1914, to 31st December, 1914, amounting to £34 11s. 1d., will also have to be paid.

Improvements which go with the section consist of plantation and fencing, valued at £291 10s.

Part of Hillersden Settlement. Situated about twenty-five miles from Blenheim. Level section, varying in quality from very good to light soil. A portion of section is occupied by a small lake, which has served in the past as a reservoir for water-power used in driving flax-mill machinery. This dam and reservoir will no longer be required, and the area of lake can be reduced considerably by breaking away dam.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Kaikoura County.—Greenburn Survey District.—Lynton Downs Settlement.

Section 8, Block I: Area, 156 acres; rent per acre per annum, 3s. 9d.; half-yearly rent, £14 17s.

NOTE.—Payment for broken period from 11th August, 1914, to 31st December, 1914, amounting to £11 12s. 9d., will also have to be paid.

Improvements which go with the section consist of boundary and internal fencing, valued at £87 10s.

Part of Lynton Downs Settlement. Situated about twelve miles from Kaikoura. All low limestone hills, most of which is ploughable land. About 17 acres flat; stony in places.

Terms of lease may be seen and forms of application obtained at this office.

H. G. PRICE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserve in Nelson Land District for Lease by Public Auction

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 8th June, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserve will be offered for lease by public auction at this office at 11 o'clock a.m. on Friday, 31st July, 1914, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—MURCHISON COUNTY.—MARUIA SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTION 11, Block IV: Area, 63 acres 1 rood 14 perches; upset annual rental, £2; term of years, twenty-one.

Occupies a commanding position near the confluence of the Maruia and Buller Rivers, eight miles from Murchison by main Murchison-Maruia Valley Road. Undulating and hilly land, covered with standing bush which fires have been through. Has a fair soil and is well watered.

Terms and Conditions of Lease.

1. One half-year's rent, together with £1 1s. lease fee, to be paid on the fall of the hammer.
2. No declaration is required. Residence and improvements are not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, or for any other cause.
3. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance.
4. All rates, taxes, charges, and assessments whatsoever to be paid by the lessee.
5. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease, except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
6. The lessee shall have the right to use the land comprised in the lease for grazing purposes only.
7. The section shall always be available for the accommodation of travelling stock at a charge per night not exceeding for sheep, 1d. each for the first hundred, and ½d. each over that number; for calves up to twelve months old, 3d. each; for cattle 6d. each, and for horses 1s. each.
8. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbrier on the land comprised in the lease; 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.
9. The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and he shall prevent their increase or spread to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
10. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee fails to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to have been fulfilled.

Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 25th May, 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 and after Thursday, the 3rd September, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—GORE SURVEY DISTRICT.
SECTION 21, Block I: Area, 85 acres.

H. G. PRICE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserves in Taranaki Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 1st July, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for leases of the undermentioned reserves will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 5th August, 1914, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and amendment.

Possession will be given one month from the date of acceptance of tender.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF HAWERA.

Lot.	Section.	Area.	Minimum Annual Rental.	Term.
28, 29, 30	19	A. R. P. 0 2 38	£ s. d. 0 15 0	3 years.
Sub. A of 9	37	3 0 0	9 0 0	"
" B "	37	2 3 32.4	8 0 0	"

The lots comprise flat land, all in grass.

Terms and Conditions of Lease.

1. Six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 ls. lease fee, must accompany each tender.

2. The leases shall be for the term stated, and shall be subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.

3. There are no restrictions or limitations as to the number of sections which one person may lease, and no declaration is required. Residence is not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, or on account of the aforesaid possible resumption, or for any other cause.

4. The lessee shall pay all rates, taxes, and assessments that may become due and payable.

5. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance.

6. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease without the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

7. The land shall not be cropped nor broken up except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

8. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbrier on the land comprised in the lease, 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.

9. The lessees of the subdivisions of Lot 9 shall at all times during the term of the lease keep all boundary-fences, subdivision-fences, hedges, gates, and water-troughs now erected or which may hereafter be erected on the said land, or on the boundaries thereof, in good repair, order, and condition, and so yield up the same on the expiration or sooner determination of the said lease; and they shall properly cut and trim at least once in every year all live hedges which may be growing upon the land or any of the boundaries thereof, at the proper season, so as to prevent seeding or spreading.

10. The lease will be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee fails to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within twenty-one days after the date on which the same ought to have been fulfilled.

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

Full particulars may be ascertained at this office and at the post-office, Hawera.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 12th May, 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 131 of the said Act on or after Friday, the 14th day of August, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

WAITOMO COUNTY.—ORAHIBEI SURVEY DISTRICT.
SECTION 8A, Block IX; 39 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, 7th July, 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 15th day of October, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—OKURA PARISH.
SECTION 47: Area, 1 acre 1 rood 24 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, 12th May, 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 14th day of August, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—PIRONGIA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.
10	X	A. R. P. 47 0 0
5	XIII	50 0 0

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 13th July, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned milling-timber will be offered for sale by public auction in fourteen lots at this office at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 8th September, 1914, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Timber Regulations thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Lot 1.

Section 1, Block XIV, Manganui Survey District.

AREA of milling-timber: About 90 acres.
Timber: Matai, 117,000 sup. ft.; rimu, miro, 810,000 sup. ft.; kahikatea, 225,000 sup. ft.; total, 1,152,000 sup. ft.
Upset price: £580.

Lot 2.

Section 5, Block XV, Manganui Survey District.

Area of milling-timber: About 176 acres.
Timber: Matai, 176,000 sup. ft.; rimu, miro, 2,112,000 sup. ft.; kahikatea, 176,000 sup. ft.; total, 2,464,000 sup. ft.
Upset price: £1,276.

These two lots are situated in the Waimarino Small Farm Settlement Block, about five to six miles north of Raetihi Township.

Lot 3.

Sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 21, Block XVI, Manganui Survey District.

Area of milling-timber: About 440 acres.
Timber: Matai, 572,000 sup. ft.; rimu, miro, 3,124,000 sup. ft.; kahikawaka, 154,000 sup. ft.; kahikatea, 792,000 sup. ft.; total, 4,642,000 sup. ft.
Upset price: £2,410.

Lot 4.

Parts Sections 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and Part Township Reserve, Block XVI, Manganui Survey District.

Area of milling-timber: About 180 acres.
Timber: Matai, 198,000 sup. ft.; rimu, miro, 1,116,000 sup. ft.; kahikawaka, 72,000 sup. ft.; kahikatea, 378,000 sup. ft.; total, 1,764,000 sup. ft.
Upset price: £887.

These two lots are situated immediately to the west and south of Horopito Township on the Main Trunk Railway.

Lot 5.

Sections 14, 15, 16, Block XI, Manganui Survey District.

Area of milling-timber: About 600 acres.
Timber: Rimu, miro, 13,680,000 sup. ft.; hinau, rata, 60,000 sup. ft.; matai, kahikawaka, 180,000 sup. ft.; maire, 220,000 sup. ft.; total, 14,140,000 sup. ft.
Upset price: £7,380.

Lot 6.

Sections 17, 18, 19, Block XI, Manganui Survey District.

Area of milling-timber: About 600 acres.
Timber: Rimu, miro, 10,720,000 sup. ft.; hinau, rata, 180,000 sup. ft.; matai, kahikawaka, 170,000 sup. ft.; maire, 120,000 sup. ft.; total, 11,190,000 sup. ft.
Upset price: £5,800.

Lot 7.

Sections 2, 3, Block X, 20, 21, 22, 23, Block XI, Manganui Survey District.

Area of milling-timber: 1,198 acres.
Timber: Rimu, miro, 15,290,400 sup. ft.; hinau, rata, 420,000 sup. ft.; matai, kahikawaka, 60,000 sup. ft.; maire, 249,700 sup. ft.; total, 16,020,100 sup. ft.
Upset price: £8,290.

Lot 8.

Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, Block XI, Manganui Survey District.

Area of milling-timber: 800 acres.
Timber: Rimu, miro, 12,340,000 sup. ft.; hinau, rata, 530,000 sup. ft.; matai, kahikawaka, 140,000 sup. ft.; maire, 250,000 sup. ft.; total, 13,260,000 sup. ft.
Upset price: £7,010.

Lot 9.

Sections 6, 7, 8, Block XI, Manganui Survey District.

Area of milling-timber: 600 acres.
Timber: Rimu, miro, 10,140,000 sup. ft.; hinau, rata, 100,000 sup. ft.; matai, kahikawaka, 80,000 sup. ft.; maire, 160,000 sup. ft.; total, 10,480,000 sup. ft.
Upset price: £5,430.

Lot 10.

Parts of Sections 9, 10, 11, 12, Block XI, Manganui Survey District.

Area of milling-timber: About 630 acres.
Timber: Rimu, miro, 9,835,000 sup. ft.; hinau, rata, 126,000 sup. ft.; matai, kahikawaka, 116,000 sup. ft.; maire, 263,500 sup. ft.; total, 10,340,500 sup. ft.
Upset price: £5,505.

Lot 11.

Parts of Sections 9, 10, 11, 12, Block XI, and Sections Part 9 and 18, Block XII, Manganui Survey District.

Area of milling-timber: 527 acres.
Timber: Rimu, miro, 6,420,500 sup. ft.; hinau, rata, 34,000 sup. ft.; matai, kahikawaka, 905,000 sup. ft.; maire, 170,400 sup. ft.; total, 7,529,900 sup. ft.
Upset price: £4,383.

These seven lots are situated in Marton No. 4 Block, to the west of the Pokako Station, on Main Trunk Railway, from which they are distant from one mile and a half to five miles.

Lot 12.

Section 18, Block III, Makotuku Survey District.

Area of milling-timber: About 140 acres.
Timber: Heart matai, 168,000 sup. ft.; rimu, miro, 1,274,000 sup. ft.; kahikatea, 182,000 sup. ft.; total, 1,624,000 sup. ft.
Upset price: £850.

Lot 13.

Section 21, Block III, Makotuku Survey District.

Area of milling-timber: About 190 acres.
Timber: Heart matai, 228,000 sup. ft.; rimu, miro, 2,071,000 sup. ft.; kahikatea, 171,000 sup. ft.; total, 2,470,000 sup. ft.
Upset price: £1,306.

Lot 14.

Section 23, Block III, Makotuku Survey District.

Area of milling-timber: About 144 acres.
Timber: Heart matai, 158,400 sup. ft.; rimu, miro, 1,440,000 sup. ft.; kahikatea, 100,800 sup. ft.; total, 1,699,200 sup. ft.
Upset price: £904.

These three lots are situated in the Clifton No. 2 Block, on the left bank of the Makotuku Stream, and are distant about four to five miles from Raetihi, via the Makotuku Valley Road, &c.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

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

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

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

The number of promissory notes and their proportion to balance of purchase-money shall be as follows:—

Lot as numbered above.	Number of Promissory Notes to be deposited.	Proportion of each Promissory Note to balance of Purchase-money.
1	3	One-third.
2	5	One-fifth.
3	7	One-seventh.
4	5	One-fifth.
5	11	One-eleventh.
6	11	"
7	11	"
8	11	"
9	11	"
10	11	"
11	9	One-ninth.
12	5	One-fifth.
13	5	"
14	5	"

4. The purchasers shall have the right to cut and remove all timber on the land comprised in the licenses for the terms stated below. The licenses shall be for the cutting and removal of the timber, and shall give no right to the use of the land:—

Lot 1: Term, two years from date of sale. Lot 2: Term, three years from date of sale. Lot 3: Term, four years from date of sale. Lot 4: Term, three years from date of sale. Lot 5: Term, six years from date of sale. Lot 6: Term, six years from date of sale. Lot 7: Term, six years from date of sale. Lot 8: Term, six years from date of sale.

Lot 9: Term, six years from date of sale. Lot 10: Term, six years from date of sale. Lot 11: Term, five years from date of sale. Lot 12: Term, three years from date of sale. Lot 13: Term, three years from date of sale. Lot 14: Term, three years from date of sale.

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

6. The license shall be subject to any rights of tramway already granted or that may hereafter be granted over the lands comprised therein; and the Land Board may authorize the laying-down and working of tram-lines through any lot by other persons than the licensee.

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

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

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

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

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

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

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

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of the Land Act, 1908, the State Forests Act, 1908, and the regulations thereunder, that the undermentioned milling-timber will be offered for sale by public auction at this office at 12 o'clock noon sharp on Wednesday, 19th August, 1914, subject to the terms and conditions as stated herein.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.
HOKIANGA COUNTY.

Lot 1.

Part Block XVI, Maungataniwha Survey District.—Lots 11 and 12, Omahuta State Forest.

2,503 GREEN and 16 dry kauri-trees, containing about 5,694,536 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

83 totara-trees, containing about 48,352 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

562 rimu-trees, containing about 483,818 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

46 kahikatea-trees, containing about 69,000 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brands, thus: → or $\frac{\Delta}{FR}$ on Lot 11, and 1 or $\frac{\Delta}{FR}$ on Lot 12.

Upset price: £11,720. Each bid to be not less than £100 (subject to Condition 11).

Terms for payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: Three years (subject to Condition 12).

Lot 2.

Part Block XVI, Maungataniwha Survey District.—Lots 14, 15, Omahuta State Forest.

3,723 green and 32 dry kauri-trees, containing about 9,160,858 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

67 totara-trees, containing about 48,603 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

530 rimu-trees, containing about 521,378 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

81 kahikatea-trees, containing about 117,932 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brands, thus: X or $\frac{\Delta}{FR}$ on Lot 14, and V or $\frac{\Delta}{FR}$ on Lot 15.

Upset price: £21,280. Each bid to be not less than £100 (subject to Condition 11).

Terms for payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: Four years (subject to Condition 12).

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Lot 3.

Sections 3 and Part 14, Block III, Tutamoe Survey District, and Crown Lands, Part Block III, Tutamoe Survey District.

217 green and dry and 11 felled kauri-trees, containing about 583,877 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brands, thus: Section 3, V; Section 14, I; Crown land, X.

Upset price: £590. Each bid to be not less than £10 (subject to Condition 11).

Terms for payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: One year.

COROMANDEL COUNTY.

Lot 4.

Part Blocks III and VI, Whitianga Survey District.—Whenuakite Watershed.

321 green and 10 dry kauri-trees, containing about 845,914 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brand, thus: A.

Upset price: £2,115. Each bid to be not less than £25.

Terms for payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: One year.

About 14 isolated kauri-trees (unbranded), as approximately shown on plan, not included in this sale (subject to Condition 5).

Lot 5.

Part Blocks VI and VIa, Whitianga Survey District.

127 green and dry kauri-trees, containing about 329,586 sup. ft. (standing measurement).

Distinguishing brand, thus: A.

Upset price: £824. Each bid to be not less than £15.

Terms for payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: One year.

TERMS FOR PAYMENT.

Lot 1.—One-fifth in cash on fall of hammer, together with timber-cutting license fee, £1 ls.; one-fifth in seven months; one-fifth in fourteen months; one-fifth in twenty-one months; and one-fifth in twenty-eight months thereafter.

Lot 2.—One-fifth in cash on fall of hammer, together with timber-cutting license fee, £1 ls.; one-fifth in nine months; one-fifth in eighteen months; one-fifth in twenty-seven months; and one-fifth in thirty-six months thereafter.

Lot 3.—Half in cash on fall of hammer, together with timber-cutting license fee, £1 ls.; and half in six months thereafter.

Lot 4.—Half in cash on fall of hammer, together with timber-cutting license fee, £1 ls.; and half in six months thereafter.

Lot 5.—Half in cash on fall of hammer, together with timber-cutting license fee, £1 ls.; and half in six months thereafter.

All instalment payments shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum as from the date of sale, and with the interest added shall be secured by "on demand" promissory notes endorsed by two approved sureties, such bills to be completed and lodged with the Commissioner of Crown Lands within fourteen days after notifying the purchaser to complete.

CONDITIONS.

1. Intending purchasers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relating to the sale.

2. The right is reserved to the Commissioner of Crown Lands to withdraw from sale any or all of the above lots of timber either before or during the time of the sale.

3. The aforementioned quantities, qualities, and kinds as to the said timber shall be taken as sufficiently accurate for the purpose of this sale, and no contract for purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the successful purchaser be entitled to any abatement in price by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, and kind than as stated hereon, or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber, nor shall any extra sum be claimed by the Crown if the said quantity of timber is found to be in excess of that stated hereon.

4. All timber on each lot, whether standing, felled, or in logs, shall remain the property of the Crown until all the instalments are paid.

5. Offers from the successful bidder will be considered for the purchase of the 14 isolated kauri-trees mentioned in Lot 4.

6. In all lots the quantities stated are standing measurements, and only those trees bearing the special distinguishing brands shown in each lot are included in this sale.

7. Should any dispute arise as to boundaries, the decision of the Commissioner of Crown Lands shall be final.

8. In the event of any of the above lots not being disposed of, applications may be received and dealt with at any time within six months from the above date of sale (unless previously formally withdrawn), providing, however, that the amount offered is not less than the upset prices stated herein.

9. No extension of time for removal of timber will be allowed purchasers who bleed, or permit bleeding of, kauri-trees included in this sale, unless full payment of purchase-money is first made.

10. In lots where terms of payment may have been arranged, any breach of the foregoing conditions of sale will render the "on demand" promissory notes liable to be presented for immediate payment.

11. The right is retained to the Commissioner of Crown Lands to decrease during the time of sale the advance in bid on each lot.

12. The highest or any bid not necessarily accepted, and all lots herein described are submitted for sale subject to the final approval of the successful bidder by the Minister of Lands or the Commissioner of State Forests, as the case may be.

13. In the event of a bidder purchasing two or more adjoining lots, the Commissioner of Crown Lands may, at his discretion, during the time of sale, increase the time for removal of timber.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 14th July, 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 22nd October, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 23 and 25, Block IV, Mimi Survey District: Area, 416 acres.

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 14th July, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the education reserve described in the Schedule hereto will be offered for lease by public auction at this office at 11 o'clock a.m. on Friday, the 21st August, 1914, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—WENDON SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 13 and 14, Block IV: Area, 13 acres 0 roods 20 perches; upset annual rental, £3 6s.

Weighted with £151 18s., valuation for improvements consisting of buildings and fencing.

Open land, subject to floods, which have stripped off most of the soil and left deposits of gravel. Situated about a mile and a quarter from Waiparu Railway-station by good gravelled road.

Abstract of Conditions.

1. Possession will be given on the date of sale, and the term of the lease will commence from the 1st January, 1915.
2. A half-year's rent at the rate offered, and rent for the broken period between date of sale and 1st January, 1915, 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.

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

Pastoral Runs in Canterbury Land District for License by Public Auction.—14,300 Acres.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 14th July, 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, Christchurch, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 19th August, 1914, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

RUN No. 106, Ashburton County: Area, 7,200 acres; upset annual rental, £400; improvements (approximate value), £261; term of license, fourteen years.

Run No. 107, Ashburton County: Area, 7,100 acres; upset annual rental, £325; improvements (approximate value), £95; term of license, fourteen years.

DESCRIPTION OF RUNS.

Run 106.—Situated about twelve miles from Mount Somers Railway-station, up the southern branch of the Hinds River. High pastoral country; the slopes are good tussock land.

Run 107.—Situated about seven miles from Mount Somers Railway-station. High pastoral country, running up to 4,500 ft. above sea-level.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS.

Residence on the runs is compulsory, and is to commence within one year and to be continuous until the expiration of the lease or license; but residence may be dispensed with after ten years, under certain conditions.

The lessee or licensee of Run 107 shall have the right to take water from the stream at the south-west corner of Run 106 (marked A B on plan).

The licensee of each run shall, during the second and every succeeding year of the term of his license, plant with suitable trees, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands, an area of at least one acre upon some part of his run. The number of trees so planted upon every acre shall be at least one thousand. The areas so planted shall be securely fenced in with a rabbit- and stock-proof fence; all failures and losses shall from time to time be replanted as may be found necessary; and the plantation shall be protected, trimmed, and maintained during the term of the license to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

The value of the improvements on the runs must be paid before the licensees will be let into possession.

Immediate possession will be given.

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

C. R. POLLEN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 12th May, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that Section 22, Block XI, Tadmor Survey District, containing 22 acres, will be disposed of under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, on or after Friday, the 14th day of August, 1914.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 2nd June, 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 10th day of September, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—COROMANDEL SURVEY DISTRICT.
BLOCK XV: Area, 400 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, 8th June, 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 17th day of September, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—MAUNGAMANGERO SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 31 and 32, Block VII: Area, 21 acres.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 1st June, 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, 10th September, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—TAUTUKU SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTION 23, Block XII: Area, 172 acres 3 roods 27 perches.

R. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 10th June, 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 17th day of September, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

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

SECTION 5, Block VIII: Area, 65 acres 2 roods 19 perches.

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 15th June, 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 section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on and after Thursday, 24th September, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—WAIKAKA SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 36 and 36A, Block VI: Area, 29 acres 1 rood 21 perches.

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

Education Reserves in the Town of Gore, Southland Land District, for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 22nd June, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that leases of the undermentioned sections will be offered for sale by public

auction at the Courthouse, Gore, at 3.30 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 19th August, 1914, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF GORE.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
Allotment 1 of 23	XVI	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
" 2 "	"	0 1 11	5 0 0
" 3 "	"	0 1 13	4 0 0
" 4 "	"	0 1 22	4 0 0
" 5 "	"	0 1 31	4 0 0
" 6 "	"	0 0 32	2 0 0
" 7 "	"	0 0 32	2 0 0
" 8 "	"	0 0 29	2 10 0
" 9 "	"	0 1 7	1 10 0
" 10 "	"	0 1 7	1 10 0
" 11 "	"	0 1 29	1 10 0
" 12 "	"	0 0 30	2 0 0
" 13 "	"	0 0 32	2 0 0
" 14 "	"	0 0 39	2 0 0
" 16 "	"	0 0 39	2 0 0
" 1 of 12	"	0 1 12	1 10 0
" 2 "	"	0 1 20	1 10 0
" 3 "	"	0 1 29	1 10 0
" 4 "	"	0 1 1	1 10 0
" 5 "	"	0 1 1	1 10 0
" 6 "	"	0 1 16	1 10 0
" 7 "	"	0 1 5	1 10 0
" 8 "	"	0 1 5	1 10 0
" 9 "	"	0 1 5	1 10 0
" 10 "	"	0 1 5	1 10 0
" 11 "	"	0 0 34	1 0 0
" 12 "	"	0 1 0	1 10 0
" 13 "	"	0 1 0	1 10 0
" 14 "	"	0 1 0	1 10 0
" 15 "	"	0 1 0	1 10 0
" 16 "	"	0 1 0	1 10 0
" 17 "	"	0 1 9	1 10 0
" 18* "	"	0 3 9	5 0 0

* Weighted with £60, valuation for house, stable, and fencing.

Good building-sites, situated 18 to 40 chains from Gore Railway-station and post-office.

Abstract of Conditions of Lease.

1. A half-year's rent at the rate offered, valuation for improvements, lease and registration fees (£2 2s.) to be paid on the fall of the hammer.
2. The term of the lease is twenty-one years, without right of renewal.
3. At the end of the term lease to be offered at auction for further term of twenty-one years at rent to be fixed by arbitration, the incoming lessee to pay the value of improvements, which is to be handed over to the outgoing lessee.
4. No transfer or sublease allowed without consent of Land Board.
5. Interest at rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrear.
6. Consent of Land Board to be obtained before erecting any building or cutting up or subdividing the allotments.
7. Lease will be registered under the Land Transfer Act.
8. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions violated.

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 15th June, 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 Thursday, the 24th September, 1914.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—OMONA SURVEY DISTRICT.
SECTION 14, Block VII: Area, 132 acres.

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Te Puke.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Te Puke on the 4th day of August, 1914, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
[Wairariki, 1914-9.]

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 18th July, 1914.

H. S. KING,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Eruera Hori Karaka	Maketu No. 3.
2	Te Rauhea Paraone	Section 80, Block X, Tauranga Survey District.
3	Porokoru te Kiwi	Tumu Kaituna No. 11b, Section 2.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
4	Ethel Anne Kelly (Rhodes and Hampson)	Waitepuia No. 3 ..	For cancellation of the partitions of this block.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wairoa.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Wairoa on the 7th day of August, 1914, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
[Gisborne, 1914-29.]

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 18th July, 1914.

HAROLD CARR,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
696	Taare Hemara	Tutaekuri No. 1c 5.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Palmerston North.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Palmerston North on the 4th day of August, 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.
[Wellington, 1914-17.]

Registrar's Office, Wellington, 22nd July, 1914.

L. A. TEUTENBERG,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Hare Rakena te Aweawe and others	Carnarvon, Section 387A.
2	P. H. Taipua and others	Himatangi 2A No. 7c.
3	Riripeti Ngamura	Haruatai Mill-site.
4	Miriama Matakatea	Horowhenua XIb 41 North A No. 2.
5	Hone Reweti and others	Koputara.
6	Huirua Ngapaki	Ngarara West A, Section 31c.
7	Himiona te Oha	Piritaha No. 9c.
8	Te Ara-o-Rehua	Sandon No. 149.
9	Ngaoka Penehira (Sandilands and Elliott)	Taonui-Ahuaturanga 1f No. 1A.
10	G. Cootes and others	Whakarangirangi No. 4B.
11	Tanguru Paki	Puketotara 334 and 335 No. 2A 2.
12	.. .. .	Horowhenua 3a 2, Subdivision 8.

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW TRUSTEE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Minors.	Name of Present Trustee.
27	Hori Cootes	Wahaotemarangai	Huria, Katarina, Raniera and Rangi Cootes	James Cootes.

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Minor.
28	Riria Peene (W. S. Park)	Horowhenua XIb 36 1E 1A	Kingi Kingi Wirihana and Ngahuia Kingi Wirihana.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXCHANGES OF LAND.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
29	Piripi te Apatu Mohi Heremia	Ohau No. 3, Section 26B.
	Perenara Mohi Heremia	" 3, " 11A.
30	Te Rohi Maaka Mohi Heremia	" 3, " 26B.
	Perenara Mohi Heremia	" 3, " 11A.

APPLICATIONS FOR ORDERS OF ADOPTION.

No.	Applicant.	Names of Parents of Child.	Name of Child.
31	Iharaira Hi	Matchaere Tukeka and Ria Perenara	Heni Matchaere.
32	"	Te Umu Miritana and Hariata te Umu	Te Rohe te Umu and Pohotiraha te Umu.

APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARINGS UNDER SECTION 28 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
33	Tereturu Hamahona (Geo. H. Harper)	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 7D 2D 69E	To rehear the partition of the said block made by Judge Gilfedder on the 30th January, 1914, at Otaki.
34	Ditto	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 7D 2D 47	Ditto.
35	"	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 7D 2D 55c	"
36	"	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 7D 2D 64	"
37	"	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 7D 2D 60A	"

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 17 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1912.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Nature of Application.
38	Hone Makimereni (John McMillan)	Applying for a recommendation for the issue of an Order in Council declaring applicant to be a European.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
39	Chief Surveyor	Himatangi 2A 7A No. 1	£ s. d. 17 17 10
		" 2A 7A No. 2	19 18 3
		" 2A No. 7B	4 5 7
		" 2A No. 7C	6 6 0
40	"	Hutt, Section 16, Subdivision 15	7 6 6
		" " 16 " 16	7 6 6
41	"	Katihiku No. 2B	9 2 6
42	"	" No. 2C	4 11 0
		Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4D 1 No. 3c, Section 1.. 4D 1 No. 3c, " 2..	6 12 3 12 4 10

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
			£ s. d.
		Manawatu-Kukuta uaki 4E 3 No. 1A	12 14 10
		" 4E 3 No. 1B	6 10 4
		" 4E 3 No. 1C	18 13 6
43	Chief Surveyor	" 4E 3 No. 1D	24 1 8
		" 4E 3 No. 1E	2 14 10
		" 4E 3 No. 1F	0 13 4
		" 4E 3 No. 1G	0 13 4
		" 4E 3 No. 1H	0 7 3
		" 4E 3 No. 1J	1 6 1
44	"	" 4E 4D No. 1	3 12 4
		" 4E 4D No. 2	8 14 5
		Matakarapa No. 1	12 12 7
		" No. 2	15 15 6
45	"	" No. 3	1 19 1
		" No. 4	21 19 11
		" No. 5	0 7 2
		" No. 6	31 1 4
		Muhunoa 3A 1E No. 1, Subdivision 12A	7 14 0
		" 3A 1E No. 1, " 12B	7 12 6
46	"	" 3A 1E No. 1, " 12C	14 0 8
		" 3A 1E No. 1, " 12D	6 7 6
		" 3A 1E No. 1, " 12E	7 1 3
		" 3A 1E No. 1, " 12F	8 8 4
		" 3A 1E No. 1, " 12G	5 4 0
47	"	" 3A 1F No. 1	9 5 3
		" 3A 1F No. 2	9 5 3
48	"	Ngarara West B No. 7, Subdivision 2A	8 4 11
		" B No. 7, " 2B	8 4 11
		" B No. 7, " 2C	8 4 11
49	"	Te Oroi No. 1	42 14 8
		" No. 2	83 14 6
50	"	Otaki, Town Sections 131 and 133A	4 11 6
51	"	" " 131 and 133B	4 11 6
		" " 177, 178, 179, 186, and 187	9 3 0
52	"	Pukehou No. 5L No. 1A..	14 2 6
		" No. 5L No. 1B..	14 2 6
53	"	Taumanuka 2A, Section 1	2 6 3
		" 2A, " 2	8 7 3
54	"	" 3B, " 1	4 6 3
		" 3B, " 2	6 7 10
55	"	" 3C, " 1	2 0 0
		" 3C, " 2	5 7 0
56	"	" 3D, " 1	4 5 11
		" 3D, " 2	4 6 0
57	"	" 3G, " 1	4 12 8
		" 3G, " 2	4 12 8
58	"	" 3H, " 1	4 12 8
		" 3H, " 2	4 12 8
59	"	Tuahiwi No. 42	5 16 6
60	"	Waioetetata No. 2A	20 2 9
		" No. 2B	10 3 10
		" No. 2C	10 3 10
61	"	Waipoua A	30 10 6
		" B	30 10 6
		Waiohau No. 1A	2 4 2
62	"	" No. 1B No. 1	3 18 0
		" No. 1B No. 2	4 17 6
		" No. 1B No. 3	5 17 2
63	"	Ngarara West A, Section 31A	5 18 6
		" A " 31B	8 16 3
		" A " 31C	5 18 6
		Hanganosihou 1A	4 13 9
64	"	" 1B	4 13 9
		" 1C	4 19 9
		" 1D	4 13 9
		" 1E	4 13 9
		Pukehou 4D 1A	8 8 0
65	"	" 4D 1B	19 6 4
		" 4D 1C	13 18 10
		" 4D 1D	13 18 10
66	"	" 4E 3A	8 13 11
		" 4E 3B 1	6 9 7
		" 4E 3B 2	2 19 4
67	"	" 4D 2A	3 1 7
		" 4D 2B	4 1 1
		" 4D 2C	4 12 9
		Aorangi 3A 3A	1 4 0
		" 3A 3B	1 4 0
68	"	" 3A 3C	2 5 0
		" 3A 3D	3 6 0
		" 3A 3E	5 8 0
		" 3A 3F	17 16 2

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Tokerau Maori Land Board.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Tokerau Maori Land Board will be held at Kaikohe on Monday, the 10th day of August, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, and such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

Anukland, 15th July, 1914.

[Tokerau 2.]

T. H. WILSON,
President.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.					
1	717	Transfer ..	20 April, 1912 ..	Taraire 1w 2 ..	Te Hau Hepata and others to Catherine Blomfield.
2	780	.. ..	16 July, 1912 ..	Pakia 1A ..	Waata Tahana to M. A. Bryers.
3	781	.. ..	14 " 1912 ..	Pakanae 2, Section 5 ..	" ..
4	894	.. ..	18 September, 1912	Kohewhata 47 ..	Wiremu Wi Paru to Henare and Pera Wahapu.
5	915	.. ..	23 April, 1912 ..	Punakitere 4G ..	Hauraki Wahia and others to Rachel W. Elliot.
6	959	.. ..	10 July, 1912 ..	Waiwhariki, Section 1D 5	Erana H. Ripia and others to R. M. Rikitini.
7	1039	.. ..	6 September, 1912	Mangapupu 5 ..	Native owners to A. L. Phillips.
8	1040	.. ..	10 " 1912	" B 3 ..	" ..
9	1080	.. ..	21 January, 1913 ..	Matawaia 6B ..	Ani Kiekie and others to A. W. Edwards.
10	1087	.. ..	11 February, 1913 ..	Mangamuka West 3D ..	Karanga Puhī to Thomas Finlayson.
11	1172	.. ..	4 January, 1913 ..	Herepoho ..	Tamati Hapimana to A. T. Close.
12	1208	.. ..	31 May, 1913 ..	Kohewhata, Section 25 (part)	Paraone Komene to A. G. Quartley.
13	1235	Lease ..	14 June, 1913 ..	Taraire 2L ..	Ani Tamati and others to Alfred E. Cartier.
14	1249	Transfer ..	10 February, 1913 ..	Tuhuna 14 ..	Arapeta Hami Pia to Winnie Alison.
15	1250	Lease ..	25 July, 1913 ..	Kohewhata 71 and 72 ..	Rameka Kere Peia and others to Ernest Alison.
16	1251	.. ..	28 " 1913 ..	Taraire 1F 1B (part) ..	Mareta Kere and others to Ernest Alison.
17	1259	.. ..	25 " 1913 ..	Pikiparia 4D ..	Rihi Minarapa and others to Thomas F. Hartley.
18	1301	Transfer ..	22 September, 1913	Kohewhata 12 ..	Mikara Takiwira and another to Mary Ann Alison.
19	1304	.. ..	16 " 1913	Waima North A No. 6A ..	Mita Rekene Hohepa to Herbert Rogers.
20	1352	Lease ..	.. ..	Tuhuna 38 ..	Rutu Tepana and others to Sydney Halcombe.
21	1361	Sale of timber	12 July, 1913 ..	Whakatere Manawakaiaia B 49	Kaa Taupaki and others to Easson (Limited).
22	1362	Lease ..	.. ..	Motatau 3A (part) and 4B	Puhi Tia and others to Nau Paraone.
23	1371	Sale ..	10 December, 1913 ..	Wainui 2 ..	Ihimaera Pawa to Tamati Pera and others.
24	1374	.. ..	29 November, 1913	Tuhuna Nos. 37 and 38 ..	Arapeta Hami Pia to M. A. Alison.
25	1383	.. ..	4 August, 1913 ..	Waimamaku B 2F ..	Mina Reupena and others to Hori Patutaka Tuoro.
26	1384	.. ..	1 December, 1913 ..	Te Karaka ..	Heta Rauiri and others to W. C. Irvine.
27	1388	.. ..	2 February, 1914 ..	Otarihau 2B 2D ..	Hamana to Carl Schrader.
28	1408	Lease ..	8 December, 1913 ..	Kohewhata, Section 61 ..	Kahi te Hau to Winnie Alison.
29	1409	.. ..	6 " 1913 ..	" " 69 ..	Hone Ngapera and others to Winnie Alison.
30	1413	.. ..	11 February, 1914 ..	Epurua B ..	Ho Paraha and others to Wiremu Karaka.
31	1417	.. ..	.. ..	Punakitere 2B 4E ..	Ngawata Reihana and another to Victor Cartier.
32	1418	.. ..	.. ..	" 2B 7H ..	Hone Ngapua Tuhirangi and others to Victor Cartier.
33	1419	.. ..	.. ..	" 2B 7J ..	Rameka Kere and others to Victor Cartier.
34	1420	.. ..	.. ..	Tuhuna 31 ..	Rangi Karama and others to W. E. Harris.
35	1421	.. ..	11 February, 1914 ..	Rangaunu 15 (part) ..	Pehimana Wi Paora to Arthur Holt.
36	1422	.. ..	11 " 1914 ..	Te Mania A ..	Rui K. te Haara and others to A. C. Hingston.
37	1435	.. ..	12 December, 1913 ..	Waima N.A. No. 17 (part)	Remana to Paehangi and others to T. N. Brocas.
38	1439	.. ..	.. ..	Part Tuhuna ..	Native owners to J. C. Spedding.
39	1440	.. ..	.. ..	Kotuku B 2 ..	Kuini Pekama and others to J. Martin.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—continued.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
<i>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS—continued.</i>					
40	1523	Transfer	2 April, 1914	Taiharuru A.	J. Bryers to F. A. Hardy.
41	1529	"	8 May, 1914	Taiwhatiwhati 1E	Iha Tiopira to M. A. Bryers.
42	1540	"	20 April, 1914	Waima South E 10	Tamati te Rangi to E. G. Burns.
43	1541	"	3 " 1914	Mangamuka East 1B 3B	Karena Kiwa to Annie Mander.
44	1542	"	27 February, 1914	Karawa 3J	Kaka Wi te Hikairo to A. T. Close.
45	1543	"	27 " 1914	Rarakareao B (part)	Patari Kaire to H. D. Dickeson.
46	1544	"	27 " 1914	Karawa 3B 1	Patari Kaire to A. T. Close.
47	1552	"	27 May, 1914	Maungakawakawa 5E	Rukipi Tari and another to F. T. Glasgow and J. O'Brien.
48	1559	"	29 " 1914	Onemaroke B 1	Tuhingaia and another to Mate Alach.
49	1560	Lease	27 " 1914	Punakitere 4W	Native owners to Florence M. Laing.
50	1561	Transfer	29 " 1914	Onemaroke A	Kingi Hohua and another to Mate Alach.
51	1562	Lease	27 " 1914	Maungakawakawa 13M	Hami Tahere and others to J. H. Kneebone.
52	1563	"	27 " 1914	" 13G	Ditto.
53	1564	Gift	27 " 1914	Mangamuka East G 3	Rihari Mete to Mete Rihari Mete.
54	1567	Transfer	21 " 1914	Oropa 2	Rahere te Kero and others to H. D. Eccles.
55	1570	"	21 " 1914	Motatau 3F 4	Riki Reihana and others to Nau Paraone.
56	1572	"	21 " 1914	" 4U	Hori Tahua Paraone and others to Nau Paraone.
57	1573	"	21 " 1914	" 4Y	Riri Maihi Kawiti to Nau Paraone.
58	1574	Lease	28 " 1914	Wharepoko 2H	Native owners to Florence M. Laing.
59	1576	Transfer	25 " 1914	Taraire 1D 1B 3	Tane Hokaia and others to Kate C. Deakin.
60	1580	"	4 June, 1914	" 1F 1E	Rameka Kere and others to W. J. Herlihy.
61	1585	Lease	2 May, 1914	Whirinaki 2C 2C	Ngapini Wati and others to Alfred Andrews.
62	1587	"	9 June, 1914	Punakitere 2B 7E	Pene Pipa and others to Richard Ryan.
63	1588	"	9 " 1914	Tuhuna 7	Pene Tuwhare and others to P. D. Crowley.
<i>NEW APPLICATIONS.</i>					
64	1590	Transfer	18 April, 1913	Whenuanui 3 and 7	Poihaere Rawhiti to Harriet Brady.
65	1591	"	14 December, 1913	Whakataha 1A 4	Huri Ihaia to H. E. Mountain.
66	1598	"	17 June, 1914	Te Punga	Mere Eru Hetaraka to A. A. and H. S. Wilson.
67	1601	"	3 July, 1914	Patiki 1	Herepete Rapihana and others to A. Logan and T. H. Williams.
68	1603	"	31 December, 1913	Taikarawa D	Te Arahī Hohepa to Nita Kendall.
69	1607	"	5 June, 1914	Ahipara 49B 1	Tuoi Kerehoma to Thomas S. Houston.
70	1609	"	8 " 1914	Ahuorongoa 2	Hohepa Tawhai and others to Harold Montrose Webster.
71	1610	"	8 July, 1914	Taraire 1H	Mikara Takiwira to F. T. Glasgow and J. O'Brien.
72	1613	"	"	Taraire 1F 1B (part)	Ngareta Meremeneta and another to Annie Goodison.
73	1614	"	12 June, 1914	Kohewhata 45	Hori Tane and others to John Julius Lindvart.
74	1615	"	"	Te Pupuke L 1A	Natives to T. H. Hayes.
75	1616	"	24 January, 1914	Herepoho A (part)	Wiremu Hapimana and others to Alfred Faithful.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
76	74	Waingarara	Sale to George Davis and Florence Davis.
77	1355	Maungakawakawa 13	Lease to H. J. Kneebone and R. Kirkwood for a term of fifty years at a rental of 5 per cent. on Government valuation; or 1s. 6d. per acre per annum for first twenty-five years and 3s. per acre for balance of term.
78	1481	" 13N	(1.) Sale to C. C. Sheath for the sum of £2 10s. per acre. (2.) Lease to C. C. Sheath for a term of fifty years at a rental of 2s. 6d. per acre for first twenty-five years and 5s. per acre for balance of term.
79	1526	Motatau 5H	Lease to Alice Maud Verner for a term of fifty years at a rental of 1s. 6d. per acre for first twenty-five years and 3s. per acre for balance of term.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
80	1527	Motatau 5c	Lease to R. Ryan and others at a rental of 1s. 6d. per acre per annum for first twenty-five years and 3s. per acre per annum for balance of term.
81	1528	Mataraua C 2	Lease to Oliver Robertson for a term of fifty years at an annual rental of 2s. per acre for first twenty-five years and 5 per cent. on Government valuation for balance of term.
82	1531	Motatau 5k	Lease to William J. Herlihy for a term of fifty years at an annual rental of 1s. 6d. per acre for first twenty-five years and 3s. per acre for balance of term.
83	1532	„ 5E	Lease to Patrick Daniel Crowley for a term of fifty years at an annual rental of 2s. per acre for first twenty-five years and 4s. per acre for balance of term.
84	1554	Urupukapuka 2	Sale to Charles Frederick Baker for the sum of £1 per acre.
85	1557	Taupo 23A	Sale to Taupo Wharf at Government valuation.
86	1586	Punakitere 2B 4A	Lease to Richard Ryan for a term of twenty-one years at rental of 3s. per acre, with right of renewal for further twenty-one years at rental of 5 per cent. on Government valuation (unimproved).
87	1589	Omahuta 3c 1	Revesting in Native owners.
88	1510	Ounuwhao 1B 1	Lease to Thomas Henry Wells for twenty years at an annual rental of £19.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
89	1597	Waima South E 19	Sale to Rehe Pehi Noho and others at Government valuation.
90	1600	Motukiore C	Sale to Frederick Robert Phillips at £2 per acre.
91	1602	Ounuwhao 1B 4	Sale to Donald Finlayson and L. B. Marriner at £1 12s. 9d. per acre.
92	1606	Tautehere 2B	Proposal to re-vest land in Native owners.
93	1608	Pakanae 5A	Sale to Alfred Andrews at 15s. per acre.
94	1611	Parahirahi A 3A 1	Sale to the Crown at Government valuation.
95	1612	„ A 3B 1	„
96	1617	Mimitu-Ruarei No. 16.	Lease to Donald Laing for a term of forty years at a rental of 1s. per acre for first twenty years and 2s. per acre for next twenty years.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 96 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1913.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
97	1592	Maka Mitikakau	Omahuta 3B.
98	1593	Taka Otene and others	„ 3C 2.
99	1594	Jane Clendon	„ 3A.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Wharaurangi No. 3 Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne on Thursday, the 27th day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be leased to Robert Milton Bell, of Mangapapa, storekeeper, for a period of fifteen years at a rent of £1 10s. per acre or at 5 per cent. on the Government value, whichever is the greater.”

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Pipiwahakao 2B 4E Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne on Thursday, the 27th day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be leased to Wetini Rikirangi for a term of twenty-one years at a rental equivalent to 5 per cent. of the present Government valuation.”

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakaongaonga No. 2E Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne on Thursday, the 27th day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said Whakaongaonga No. 2E Block or any portion thereof be sold to George Henry Lysnar, of Gisborne, at the present capital valuation.”

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Ranginui 3B 2 Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne on Thursday, the 27th day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a lease of the Ranginui 3B 2 Block be granted to Honiana Matuakore, of Waingake, aboriginal Native, for a term of twenty-one years at a yearly rental equivalent to £5 per centum of the present Government valuation, with a right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at a yearly rental of £5 per centum on the then Government

valuation, less the value of all improvements effected by the lessee, or to compensation for all such improvements falling renewal as aforesaid."

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Wharekahika No. 9 is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Araroa on Saturday, the 22nd day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the said land be leased to Arthur William Henderson, of Te Araroa, sheep-farmer, for a term of twenty-one years at a rental equal to 5 per centum per annum of the present Government valuation of the said land, together with the right to a renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at a rental equal to 5 per centum per annum of the then Government improved valuation of the said land, or with the right to compensation for improvements in the event of renewal not being taken. Lease to contain the usual covenants."

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Wharekahika No. 13 is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Araroa on Saturday, the 22nd day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the said land be leased to Arthur William Henderson, of Te Araroa, sheep-farmer, for a term of twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per centum per annum of the present Government valuation of the said land, together with the right to a renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at a rental equal to 5 per centum per annum of the then Government improved valuation of the said land, or with the right to compensation for improvements in the event of renewal not being taken. Lease to contain the usual covenants."

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Taumataomanu No. 2B Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Araroa on Saturday, the 22nd day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a lease of the said land be given to Mere Katene Heihi, of Waiapu, for a term of twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per centum per annum of the present Government valuation of the said land, together with the right to a renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at a rental equal to 5 per centum per annum of the then Government unimproved valuation of the said land, or with the right to compensation for improvements in the event of the renewal not being taken. Lease to contain the usual covenants."

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Mautotara No. 2 Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Araroa on Saturday, the 22nd day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the Mautotara No. 2 Block be sold to Everard Hannam Henderson at the Government capital value thereof."

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Papatarata A is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Araroa on Saturday, the 22nd day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the Papatarata Block be leased by the Tairawhiti District Maori Land Board under Part XVI for twenty-one years with right of renewal to the person decided upon by the assembled owners at a rental equal to 5 per cent. on the Government valuation."

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Papatarata B is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Araroa on Saturday, the 22nd day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the Papatarata Block be leased by the Tairawhiti District Maori Land Board under Part XVI for twenty-one years with right of renewal to the person decided upon by the assembled owners at a rental equal to 5 per cent. on the Government valuation."

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Herenga L No. 3k Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 15th day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the said land be leased to George Kirk, of Port Awanui, storekeeper, for a term of twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per centum per annum of the present value of the said land, with the right to a renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per centum per annum of the then Government unimproved valuation of the said land, or with the right to compensation for improvements."

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners

of Pohautea Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 15th day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the following proposed alienation of the land be agreed to: That the said land be leased to John Hope, of Rangitukia, schoolmaster, for a period of twenty-one years at a rental of 5s. per acre with right to a renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at a rent equivalent to 5 per centum on the then Government valuation (unimproved) thereof.”

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Pohautea Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 15th day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a lease of the said land be given to Tame Manuera, of Waiapu, settler, for a term of twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per centum per annum of the present capital value of the said land, together with the right to a renewal for a further period of twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per centum per annum of the Government unimproved valuation for the said land, or with the right to compensation for improvements. Lease to contain the usual covenants.”

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tikapa-o-Hinekopeka No. 3A Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 5th day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a lease of the said block of land be given to Ahipene te Maro Paku for a term of twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per centum per annum of the present Government valuation of the said land, together with the right to a renewal for a further period of twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per centum per annum of the then unimproved valuation of the said land, or with right to compensation for improvements in the event of renewal not being taken. Lease to contain the usual covenants.”

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tikapa-o-Hinekopeka No. 3B Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 15th day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a lease of the said block of land be given to Ahipene te Maro Paku for a term of twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per centum per annum of the present Government valuation of the said land, together with the right to a renewal for a further period of twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per centum per annum of the then unimproved valuation of the said land, or with right to compensation for improvements in the event of renewal not being taken. Lease to contain the usual covenants.”

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waipiro No. 5A Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Waipiro Bay on Thursday, the 20th day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said block be leased for a period of twenty-one years at a rental of 5s. 5d. per acre with a right of renewal for a further period of twenty-one years at a rental of 7s. per acre to William Hall, of Tokomaru Bay, sheep-farmer.”

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waipiro No. 5C Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Waipiro Bay on Thursday, the 20th day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said block be leased for a period of twenty-one years at a rental of 5s. 5d. per acre, with a right of renewal for a further period of twenty-one years at a rental of 7s. per acre, to William Hall, of Tokomaru Bay, sheep-farmer.”

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. N. JONES,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Wairariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Ohauti No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Wednesday, the 26th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the said land by way of sale to Herbert James Rowe shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Wairariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakamarama No. 1c No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Wednesday, the 26th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Wairariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakamarama No. 1A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Wednesday, the 26th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakamarama No. 1c No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Wednesday, the 26th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakamarama No. 1c No. 3B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Wednesday, the 26th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakamarama No. 1b No. 2B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Wednesday, the 26th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakamarama No. 1b No. 2c will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Wednesday, the 26th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Poripori No. 1c No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Wednesday, the 26th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in

the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Poripori No. 1c No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Wednesday, the 26th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Poripori No. 2A No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Wednesday, the 26th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Poripori No. 2A No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Wednesday, the 26th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki Lot 43A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Saturday, the 29th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the said land by way of lease to Puroku Tunui shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki Lot 43B will be held, in pursuance of Part

XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Saturday, the 29th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the said land by way of lease to Puroku Tunui shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki Lot 31c will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Saturday, the 29th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the said land by way of lease to Parekohai Hoani shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki Lot 28B No. 2B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Saturday, the 29th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the said land by way of lease to Te Keepa Karanema shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki Lot 28B No. 5 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Saturday, the 29th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the said land by way of lease to Mark James Flood shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki Lot 40A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Saturday, the 29th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the said land by way of lease to Puroku Tunui shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki Lot 40B will be held, in pursuance of Part

XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Saturday, the 29th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the said land by way of lease to Puroku Tunui shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tahora No. 2A, Section 3, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Saturday, the 29th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whirinaki No. 1, Section 4B No. 1A, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Murupara on Monday, the 14th day of September, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land at the Government valuation shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakapoungakau No. 8 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu on Wednesday, the 19th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation by way of sale to Wiremu Kingi Atetini shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Okere No. 1B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu on Wednesday, the 19th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of part of the said land by way of lease to Percy Vivian Owen shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Kawaha No. 3L No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part

XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu on Wednesday, the 19th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the said land by way of lease to Frances Marie St. Clair shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of July, 1914.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Papahawa 2b will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui on Wednesday, the 19th day of August, 1914, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the said land be sold to Emerson James Wilson, of Wanganui, farmer, at a price of £104."

Dated at Wanganui this 20th day of July, 1914.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Sub. 1 of Section 361, Carnarvon (Poutu), will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Bulls on Friday, the 21st day of August, 1914, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Marjorie Fraser at the price of £20 per acre or the Government valuation."

Dated at Wanganui this 20th day of July, 1914.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Section 358, Carnarvon, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Bulls on Friday, the 21st day of August, 1914, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Marjorie Fraser at the price of £20 per acre or the Government valuation."

Dated at Wanganui this 20th day of July, 1914.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Subdivision 2 of Section 361, Carnarvon (Poutu), will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Bulls on Friday, the 21st day of August, 1914, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Marjorie Fraser at the price of £20 per acre or the Government valuation."

Dated at Wanganui this 20th day of July, 1914.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of

Papahawa No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui on Wednesday, the 19th day of August, 1914, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Emerson James Wilson, of Wanganui, farmer, at the price of £750."

Dated at Wanganui this 20th day of July, 1914.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Papahawa No. 4b will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui on Wednesday, the 19th day of August, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Emerson James Wilson, of Wanganui, farmer, at the price of £667."

Dated at Wanganui this 20th day of July, 1914.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Papahawa No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui on Wednesday, the 19th day of August, 1914, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Emerson James Wilson, of Wanganui, farmer, at the price of £413."

Dated at Wanganui this 20th day of July, 1914.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Awarua 3D 3 No. 9 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taihape on Tuesday, the 18th day of August, 1914, at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Daniel Addis at a price equal to the Government valuation of the owners' interest in the said land."

Dated at Wanganui this 20th day of July, 1914.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Ruatangata 2G 1A No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui on Tuesday, the 18th day of August, 1914, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the block of land called or known by the name of Ruatangata 2G 1A No. 1, containing 101 acres 2 roods and 26 perches, be sold to William Roals Clark, of Rongotea, farmer, at the present Government valuation."

Dated at Wanganui this 20th day of July, 1914.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Ohotu 4B 1 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui on Wednesday, the 19th day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That Ohotu 4B 1, containing by estimation 217 acres 2 roods, be leased to Charles Boyd Duncan, of Wanganui, farmer, for a term of twenty-one years, computed from the date of confirmation by the Board of this resolution, at the yearly rental of 5s. per acre.”

Dated at Wanganui this 20th day of July, 1914.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tawhitinui Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui on Monday, the

17th day of August, 1914, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be leased to Reti Rangiwhakateka, of Tawhitinui, for forty-two years at a rental equal to £5 per cent. on the Government valuation of the said land (less the value of improvements effected by Rangiwhakateka) for the first twenty-one years, and at a rental equal to £5 per cent. on the then Government unimproved value for the second twenty-one years.”

Dated at Wanganui this 20th day of July, 1914.

J. B. JACK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Otiranui No. 1E Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wanganui on Monday, the 17th day of August, 1914, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Wanganui this 20th day of July, 1914.

J. B. JACK,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Northern District.

In the matter of the Bankruptcy Act, 1908; and in the matter of CARL FRITHIOF OLSEN, trading as “The Agra Dairy Company,” of Auckland, Butcher Merchant, a debtor.

BY an order of the above-named Court dated this 14th day of July, 1914, I have been appointed Receiver and Manager of the estate of the above-named CARL FRITHIOF OLSEN, and his business and property have passed into my possession.

Claims, with full particulars attached, should be forwarded to me forthwith.

Auckland, 14th July, 1914.
W. S. FISHER,
Receiver.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that a second dividend in the undermentioned estate is now payable at my office, in Broadway, Stratford. Promissory notes, if any, to be produced for indorsement prior to payment of dividend.

Hyde, William, Jeweller, of Eltham, second dividend of 3s. in the pound on all proved and accepted claims.

ALFRED COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Stratford, 15th July, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, Wanganui District.

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES EDWARD STEWART, of Wanganui East, Baker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Public Trust Office, on Thursday, the 23rd day of July, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

T. R. SAYWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Wanganui, 14th July, 1914.

In Bankruptcy.

Estate of J. C. TREGURTHA.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 2s. 6½d. in the pound is now payable at my office on all proved accepted claims.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Palmerston North, 6th July, 1914.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that PERCIVAL NORTH KEELING, of Palmerston North, Clerk, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 20th day of July, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Palmerston North, 8th July, 1914.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS HIRST, of Feilding, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Feilding, on Thursday, the 16th day of July, 1914, at 1.30 o'clock.

G. J. SCOTT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Palmerston North, 6th July, 1914.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS KELLY, of Patara, Sawmill Hand, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 22nd day of July, 1914, at 11 o'clock a.m.

C. W. COOKE,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Greymouth, 13th July, 1914.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES ADAMS SIMPSON, of Invercargill, Engineer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 24th day of July, 1914, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Invercargill, 16th July, 1914.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificate of title, Volume 214, folio 109, of the Register-book, in favour of ARTHUR LEWIS BURRETT, of Auckland, Builder, and MALENA MAY BURRETT, his Wife, for part of Lot 12 on a plan deposited in the Land Registry Office at Auckland under No. 467, and Lot 2 on a plan deposited as aforesaid under No. 8844, which said parcel of land is portion of Allotment 11 of Section 14 of the Suburbs of Auckland, having been lodged with me, and application made to issue a provisional certificate of title, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue a provisional certificate of title accordingly at the expiration of fourteen days from the 23rd day of July, 1914.

Dated the 20th day of July, 1914, at the Lands Registry Office at Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, and its amendment, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 24th day of August, 1914.

5489. ROBERT HENRY WYNYARD, MONTAGUE HARRISON WYNYARD, and JAMES GLADWIN WYNYARD.—Part Allotment 5, Section 21, City of Auckland, containing 10.5 perches, situated at corner of Durham Street and Federal Street. Unoccupied. Plan 8517.

5528. HAROLD COOP.—Lots 7, 8, 11, 12, and 13 of Allotment 90, Parish of Waikomiti, containing 26 acres 3 roods 23.3 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 8394.

5574. ARTHUR LEOPOLD RAVEN, JOSEPH PENFOUND GROSSMANN, WALTER POWELL, THOMAS HOSKING, and RICHARD COCK.—Lots 5 and 6 of Lots 5 and 8 of Allotment 190, Parish of Takapuna, containing 10 acres 2 roods 10 perches, situated at the corner of Rangitoto Terrace and Sea View Road. Unoccupied. Plan 8614.

5592. NATHAN ALFRED NATHAN, ERNEST DAVID BENJAMIN, DAVID LAURENCE NATHAN, and LAETITIA NATHAN.—Allotments 27, 28, 29, and 30, and part Allotment 35, Section 29, City of Auckland, containing 2 acres and 19 perches, fronting Karangahape Road. Occupied by David Laurence Nathan, Laetitia Nathan, and Mrs. Skene. Plan 8696.

5636. LUCY ELIZABETH SCHMITT.—Part Urungahau Block, containing 40 acres and 26.4 perches, situated at Clevedon. Occupied by Frederick Earl. Plan 8889.

5690. ALEXANDER COCHRAN (THE YOUNGER).—Part Allotment 60, Parish of Waikomiti, containing 41 acres 3 roods 32 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 9082.

5704. FELIX MCGUIRE and JOHN LIVINGSTONE.—Allotments 51 and 95 and part Allotment 50, Parish of Titirangi, containing 84 acres 3 roods 21.1 perches, fronting Mount Albert—Onehunga Road, Vincent Road, and Richardson Road, Mount Albert. Occupied by Applicants. Plans 9147 and 9148.

5731. WILLIAM JAMES MUNRO.—Lot 15 of Allotment 14, Section 7, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 16.8 perches, fronting Great North Road. Occupied by Mrs. Burrow. Plan 9266.

5744. THE GRUAR HARDWARE COMPANY (LIMITED).—Lot 3 of Allotment 96, Town of Hamilton West, containing 13.8 perches, fronting Victoria Street. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 9077.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 21st day of July, 1914, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of occupation, Provisional Register, Volume 16, folio 76, Poverty Bay Registry, comprising Allotments numbered 54, 55, and 56, Block XV, Hangaroa Survey District, whereof CHARLES SEYMOUR MCFARLANE, of Gisborne, Gentleman, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made for the issue of a provisional certificate of occupation for same, I hereby give notice of my intention, at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the Gazette containing this notice, to issue such provisional certificate unless good cause be shown to the contrary.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Gisborne, this 18th day of July, 1914.

R. STONE FLORANCE,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the name of THE KAITAWA CO-OPERATIVE DAIRY COMPANY (LIMITED) for part Section 19, Block XII, Mangahao Survey District, and being all the land in certificate of title, Volume 77, folio 234, and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate of title, as requested, on the 6th day of August, 1914.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1914, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the name of FLORENCE BRYANT, late of Strathfield, New South Wales, Widow, for part Section 10, Hutt District, and being all the land in certificate of title, Volume 43, folio 104, and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate of title, as requested, on the 6th day of August, 1914.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1914, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, and its amendment, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 20th day of August, 1914.

No. 703. HENRY DUNSTAN VAVASOUR.—14,430 acres 2 roods 22 perches, Sections 156, 157, and Sections 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, Block II, and part of Sections 6, 7, 16, and 18, Block II, and part of Section 48 of Square 28, Omaka District; Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 23, 27, 28, 30, part of Sections 5, 30, 31, 171, and part of Sections 6 and 7, Block I, Wakefield Downs District; and part of Section 4, Block I, Awatere District; and part of Sections 17 and 23, Opawa District. Occupied partly by Applicant, Edric George Arthur Hille, Samuel Munson Neville, Richard Marfell, Richard Alfred Marfell, Hugh Campbell, and Frederick William Hille. Plans Nos. 619, 620, 621, 622, and 633.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 21st day of July, 1914, at the Lands Registry Office, Blenheim.

F. W. BROUGHTON,
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, and its amendment, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

3013. WILLIAM BENJAMIN SCANDRETT.—1 rood 8 perches, Section 12 and part of Section 11, Block LVI, Town of Invercargill. Occupied by Mrs. Margaret Little, Albert Rogers, and John Jackson respectively.

3014. DAVID MITCHELL.—10 acres 1 rood 3 perches, Section 21, Block I, Hundred of Campbelltown. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 20th day of July, 1914, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

W. W. DE CASTRO,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in favour of ARTHUR MEIKLE, at one time of Tukurau, a minor, now deceased, for Section 8, Block V (as to an undivided moiety thereof), Town of East Gore, being the land contained in certificate of title, Volume 29, folio 140, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I shall issue a provisional certificate of title as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice in the Gazette.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, the 18th day of July, 1914.

W. W. DE CASTRO,
District Land Registrar.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266.

THE INTERNATIONAL PETROLEUM AND MINERAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (LIMITED).

TAKE notice that the name of the above company will at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, unless cause be shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the company will be dissolved.

Given under my hand, at Christchurch, this 20th day of July, 1914.

P. G. WITHERS,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266.

- (1.) BUNCE AND COMPANY (LIMITED).
- (2.) AUSTIN AND GRAHAM (LIMITED).

TAKE notice that the names of the above companies have been struck off the Register, and the companies have been dissolved.

Given under my hand, at Christchurch, this 17th July, 1914.

P. G. WITHERS,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

H. SIMONSEN PROPRIETARY (LIMITED).

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that the situation and locality of the office or place of business of H. Simonsen Proprietary (Limited) is at Number 51 Security Chambers, Queen Street, in the City of Auckland.

DICK RADCLYFFE,
Attorney for the Company in New Zealand.

Bell, Gully, Bell, & Myers, Solicitors, Wellington. 630

AT an extraordinary meeting of shareholders of the Auckland Sewing Machine Company held on 15th July, 1914, the following resolution was passed:—

“That it having been proved to its satisfaction that the company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same; and that E. G. PINKER, Accountant, Auckland, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.”

E. G. PINKER, Liquidator.

Auckland, 17th July, 1914. 653

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between MAURICE GEORGE NEWBOULD, CHARLES KENNETH PAGE EDEN, and FREDERICK HUBERT ROBJOHNS, carrying on business at Napier and elsewhere in New Zealand as Engineers, under the style or firm of “The Australasian General Engineering Company,” has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the fifteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen. The said business will in future be carried on by the said MAURICE GEORGE NEWBOULD and CHARLES KENNETH PAGE EDEN alone, who will receive and pay the debts owing to or by the said Partnership business.

Dated this 2nd day of July, 1914.

CHARLES KENNETH PAGE EDEN,
MAURICE GEORGE NEWBOULD
(by his Solicitor, H. J. FERGUSON).

Witness to the signature of Maurice George Newbould and Charles Kenneth Page Eden—J. G. Dunn, Solicitor, Napier.

FREDERICK H. ROBJOHNS.

Witness to the signature of Frederick Hubert Robjohns—Cecil Duff, Solicitor, Napier. 654

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between THOMAS MCGREGOR and MARGARET MCGREGOR, carrying on business at Hastings, Hawke's Bay, as Boardinghouse-keepers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on

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by the said THOMAS MCGREGOR, who will receive all debts due to and who will pay all liabilities owing by the late firm.

Dated this 9th day of July, 1914.

T. MCGREGOR,
M. MCGREGOR.

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In the matter of the Motueka Fruitgrowers' Co-operative Society (Limited), (in Liquidation), and the Companies Act of New Zealand, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that a final meeting of the Motueka Fruitgrowers' Co-operative Society (Limited), (in Liquidation) will be held in the Anglican Schoolroom in High Street, Motueka, on Wednesday, the fifth day of August, 1914, at half past two in the afternoon, for the following business:—

1. To receive and pass the accounts of the winding-up.
2. To provide for the disposal of the books of account of the society.
3. To dissolve the society.

Dated at Motueka this 16th day of July, 1914.

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WILLIAM JAQUES, Liquidator.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Waikaka Deep Lead Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 16th June, 1913.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: 15 Stock Exchange Buildings, Dunedin; Robert Arthur Mathewson.

Nominal capital: £6,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £6,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £6,000.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 6,000.

Number of shares allotted: 6,000.

Amount paid per share: £1.

Amount called up per share: £1.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.

Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 13.

Present number of shareholders: 14.

Number of men employed by company: 16.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 980 oz. 18 dwt.; £3,839.

Total quantity and value produced since registration: 980 oz. 18 dwt.; £3,839.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £3,544 12s. 6d.

Total expenditure since registration: £9,409 12s. 6d.

Total amount of dividends declared: £300.

Total amount of dividends paid: £300.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash in bank: Nil; deposit G.P.O., £500.

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: £203 12s. 8d.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Robert Arthur Mathewson, of Dunedin, the Manager of the Waikaka Deep Lead Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 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.

R. A. MATHEWSON,
Manager.

Declared at Dunedin this 16th day of July, 1914, before me—Hugh Hitchens, J.P. 657

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Talisman Consolidated (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand: 1904.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney or Attorneys: Karangahake and Auckland; Harry Stansfield. Where the mine is situate: Karangahake. Nominal capital: £345,000. Amount of capital subscribed: £345,000. Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand: Nil. Price paid to vendors of mines—
 (a.) In fully paid-up shares:
 (b.) In partly paid-up shares, credited as £1 paid-up:
 (c.) In cash:
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 345,000. Number of shares on New Zealand Register at 28th February, 1914: 255,557. Amount paid per share (New Zealand Register): Fully paid. Amount and number of calls in arrear (New Zealand Register): Nil. Number of forfeited shares on New Zealand Register sold, and money received for same: Nil. Number of shareholders on New Zealand Register at 28th February, 1914: 1,275. Number of men employed by company in New Zealand: 320. Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Fine gold and silver, 163,506 oz. 17 dwt.; £224,297 12s. 9d. Total quantity and value produced since registration of office of company in New Zealand to 28th February, 1914: 2,698,197 oz. 2 dwt.; fine gold and silver, £1,846,370 2s. 9d. Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining operations in New Zealand since last statement: £102,393 15s. 6d. Total expenditure since registration of office of company in New Zealand to 28th February, 1914: £959,729 9s. 7d. Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand to 28th February, 1914: £879,284 7s. 6d. Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: £13,928 12s. 4d. Amount of cash in hand in New Zealand: £47 0s. 5d. Amount of debts directly due to company in New Zealand: Nil. Amount of such debts considered good: Nil. Amount of liabilities of company in New Zealand: Nil.

I, Harry Stansfield, of Karangahake, in New Zealand, the Attorney of the Talisman Consolidated (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as on the 28th day of February, 1914, being the date of the last balance-sheet; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

H. STANSFIELD,
 Attorney.

Declared at Karangahake this 16th day of July, 1914,
 before me—J. Kitching, J.P. 664

WAIKOHU COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—RAKAUROA LOAN, £1,300.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, and amendments thereof, the Waikohu County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and sinking fund on a loan of £1,300, authorized to be raised by the Waikohu County Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of widening 6½ miles of the present Rakau-roa-Tahora eight-foot road to a fourteen-foot dray-road, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one and nine-sixteenths pence in the £1 upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Rakauroa Special-rating Area, comprising Section 4, Block II, Ngatapa S.D.; Section 2, Block VI, Ngatapa S.D.; half area of Section 7, Block III, Ngatapa S.D.; half area of Section 6, Block III, Ngatapa S.D.; Section 5, Block VI, Ngatapa S.D.; Section 6, Block VI, Ngatapa S.D. 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 July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years (thirty-six and a half), or until the loan is fully paid off. It is proposed to pay the cost of raising the loan out of loan-moneys.

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

E. M. HUTCHINSON,
 Chairman.
 GEO. WARREN,
 Clerk.

At Te Karaka this tenth day of July, 1914.

I, George Warren, County Clerk, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution passed at a duly constituted meeting of the Waikohu County Council held on Friday, the 10th day of July, 1914.

GEO. WARREN,
 658 County Clerk.

ELTHAM COUNTY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL ORDER AUTHORIZING RAISING OF LOANS.

1. IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by section 16 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and with the consent of the ratepayers of the special-rating area in the Eltham County hereinafter described, testified by a petition signed by not less than three-fourths of the ratepayers in the said special-rating area the capital values of whose properties as appearing in the valuation roll of the said county is collectively greater than the capital values of the properties of the ratepayers who did not so consent, the Eltham County Council hereby resolves by way of special order as follows:—

For the purpose of forming and metalling the Clifford Road from the Eltham Borough boundary westward for a distance of fifteen chains, more or less, and the whole length of Temp-lar Street (Chiselhurst), the Eltham County Council hereby authorizes the raising of a loan of £450 at not exceeding 5½ per cent. per annum, with the addition of a sinking fund of 1½ per cent. per annum, for a period of seven years, and declares that the cost of raising the said loan and the first year's interest on the loan shall be payable out of the moneys so raised.

Special-rating Area.

Allotments 21 to 32, both inclusive, of Sections 5, 6, and 7, Sub. 2 of Section 6, and balance of Section 5; Allotments 33 to 36, both inclusive, of Section 11; all situate in Block X, Survey District of Ngaere.

2. In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by section 16 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and with the consent of the ratepayers of the special-rating area in the Eltham County hereinafter described, testified by a petition signed by not less than three-fourths of the ratepayers in the said special-rating area the capital values of whose properties as appearing in the valuation roll of the said county is collectively greater than the capital values of the properties of the ratepayers who did not so consent, the Eltham County Council hereby resolves by way of special order as follows:—

For the purposes of erection of the Whenuakura Bridge (on bridge-site, Rawhitiroa Road, Omona Riding) and widening of the Karewa Track formation to 12 feet for a distance of one and a half miles, more or less, the Eltham County Council hereby authorizes the raising of a loan of £500 at 5½ 12s. 2d. per centum per annum for a period of 36½ years, and declares that the cost of raising the said loan and the first year's interest on the loan shall be payable out of the moneys so raised.

Special-rating Area.

Section 1, Block VIII, Section 4, Block VII, and Sections 9 and 10 of Block XI, Omona Survey District.

3. In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by section 24 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Eltham County Council hereby resolves by way of special order as follows:—

For the purpose of erection of a ferro-concrete bridge exceeding 30 feet in span across the Patea River, on Rawhitiroa Road, within the Eltham and Omona Ridings of the County of Eltham, the Eltham County Council hereby authorizes the raising of a loan of £1,000 at 5½ 12s. 2d. per centum per annum for a period of 36½ years, and declares that the cost of raising the said loan and the first year's interest on the loan shall be payable out of the moneys so raised.

The loan shall be raised on the security of a bridge rate on the following special-rating area, namely: The whole of

the rateable property in the Eltham and Omona Ridings of the County of Eltham.

Certificate.

The foregoing resolutions were respectively adopted at a special meeting of the Eltham County Council held on the 13th day of June, 1914, and respectively confirmed at a special meeting of the said Council held on the 15th day of July, 1914.

W. J. TRISTRAM,
County Clerk.

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HAWKE'S BAY COUNTY COUNCIL.

HOSPITAL LOAN.—RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in them by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Hawke's Bay County Council do hereby resolve as follows:—

“That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,859 9s. 6d., authorized to be raised by this Council, under section 41, subsection (10), of the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909, as this Council's contribution towards the amount of the estimated capital expenditure for building purposes of the Hawke's Bay Hospital and Charitable Aid Board for the financial year ending the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, this Council do hereby make and levy a special rate of an hundredth part of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property within the County of Hawke's Bay; the said special rate to be an annually recurring rate during the term or currency of the said loan, and to be payable on the first day of August in each year during that term (being a period of ten years from the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen), or until the loan is fully paid off. The rate of interest on the said loan to be five pounds (£5) per centum per annum.”

L. Frank Lindsay Gordon, Chairman of the Hawke's Bay County Council, do hereby certify that the above resolution was duly made and passed at a special meeting of the said Council held on the 13th day of July, 1914. In proof thereof the common seal of the Hawke's Bay County Council was duly affixed this 17th day of July, 1914, in the presence of—

FRANK L. GORDON,
Chairman of the Hawke's Bay County Council.
A. H. FERGUSON,
Clerk to the Hawke's Bay County Council.

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COUNTY OF AWATERE.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Awatere County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £2,000, authorized to be raised by the Awatere County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for building bridges and approaches to same, the said Awatere County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of six-seventeenths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of a special-rating area being part of the Upper Awatere and Flaxbourne Ridings, comprising Glenlee and Penkridge Runs, part Run 109, Gladstone Run, Gladstone Pastoral Run 118, Upcot Run, Upcot Run 116, part Middlehurst Run 120, Middlehurst Run, Langridge Run, Langridge part Run 117; Sections 51 to 66, Blocks II and III, Barefell; Sections 17 to 37, Block XIV, Upcot; part Middlehurst Run 120, part Fairfield Run; Sections 17 to 20, Block II; Secs. 1, 2, 111, 112, Block XI, Barefell; Sections 1 to 6, Barefell; Runs 1 to 4, 12 to 13, Muller Run, part Fairfield Run; part Pastoral Run 119, Molesworth. And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of September and the 1st day of March in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I certify that the foregoing resolution was duly passed at a regularly constituted meeting of the Awatere County Council held on 11th June, 1914, and confirmed at a meeting held on 9th July, 1914.

GEO. HORN,
County Clerk.

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HAVELOCK NORTH TOWN BOARD.

COPY OF RESOLUTION PASSED AT A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE HAVELOCK NORTH TOWN BOARD HELD AT THE BOARD'S OFFICE ON THE 15TH DAY OF JULY, 1914.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Havelock North Town Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £19,425, authorized to be raised by the Havelock North Town Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the construction, installation, and carrying-out of a sewage system throughout the Havelock North Town District, including the acquisition of any lands, buildings, and plant that may be necessary; and to supply the said town district with a high-pressure water-supply, including the acquisition of any land, buildings, and plant that may be necessary; and also to supply the said town district with an electric light and power installation, including the acquisition of any land, buildings, and plant that may be necessary, the said Havelock North Town Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of twopence in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Havelock North Town District, comprising the whole of the Havelock North Town District. And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 33 years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the resolution passed at a special meeting (duly called and constituted for that purpose) by the Havelock North Town Board on the 15th day of July, 1914.

MASON CHAMBERS,
Chairman, Havelock North Town Board.
Havelock North, 15th July, 1914. 662

HAVELOCK NORTH TOWN BOARD.

COPY OF RESOLUTION PASSED AT A SPECIAL MEETING HELD AT THE BOARD'S OFFICE ON THE 15TH DAY OF JULY, 1914.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Havelock North Town Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £1,750, authorized to be raised by the Havelock North Town Board, under the above-mentioned Act, to provide for the construction, erection, and completion of offices and buildings for the Havelock North Town Board, and to provide the purchase-money necessary for the purchase of one acre one rood thirty-nine perches, more or less, within the said district, being Lots 8, 9, 10 shown on a plan deposited in the Land Transfer office at Napier, under Number 1910, such lands or parts thereof being intended for a site for such offices and buildings as aforesaid, the Havelock North Town Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-sixth of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Havelock North Town District, comprising the whole of the Havelock North Town District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of August in each year and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 33 years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the resolution passed at a special meeting (duly called and constituted for that purpose) by the Havelock North Town Board on the 15th day of July, 1914.

MASON CHAMBERS,
Chairman, Havelock North Town Board.
Havelock North, 15th July, 1914. 663

THE PATENTS, DESIGNS, AND TRADE-MARKS ACT, 1911.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR RESTORATION OF LETTERS PATENT.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is intended, so soon as the necessary formal documents are received from the United States of America, to apply to the Registrar of Patents for the restoration of Letters Patent No. 27029 in respect of an invention for "Controlling-mechanisms for progressively movable electric switches and other devices," and for the restoration of Letters Patent No. 27259 in respect

of an invention for "Automatic telephone systems," both the said letters patent having been granted to the American Automatic Telephone Company, a corporation of the State of New York having offices in the States of Ohio and New York, United States of America.

Dated at Wellington the 17th day of July, 1914.

665 BELL, GULLY, BELL, & MYERS,
Solicitors for the Intending Applicants.

BOROUGH OF LYTTTELTON.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND FOR THE PURPOSE OF ADDITIONS TO GASWORKS FOR THE BOROUGH OF LYTTTELTON.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, and the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and the Acts amending the same, to execute a public work—to wit, to erect additions to the gasworks for the Borough of Lyttelton; and in order to execute such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken.

Notice is hereby further given that a plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited at the office of the Lyttelton Borough Council at Lyttelton, and is there open for inspection during office hours, and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Clerk of the Lyttelton Borough Council at Lyttelton.

Schedule.

Approximate Area of the Land to be taken.	Being Sections	Situated in the Borough of	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
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In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated in the plan coloured red as above mentioned, and deposited, as directed by the said Lyttelton Borough Council, in the office of the said Lyttelton Borough Council at Lyttelton.

As witness my hand, at Lyttelton, this 12th day of July, 1914.

666 J. R. WEBB,
Mayor of the Borough of Lyttelton.

PATEA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Patea County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £760, being 10 per cent. on the loan of £7,645, authorized to be raised by the Patea County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for metalling a portion of Ball Road, Hursthouse Road, Petch Road, Hurley Road, Makino Road, and Wilford Road, the said Patea County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-twentieth of a penny in the pound (1/20th of a ld.) upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Ball Road Special-rating District as gazetted on pages 1468 and 1469 of the *New Zealand Gazette*, 1911; 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 October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half years (36½ years), or until the loan is fully paid off.

Description of boundaries: Ball Road Special-rating District.

G. V. PEARCE,
Chairman.
SAMUEL BLAKE,
Councillor.
E. C. HORNER,
Clerk.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly passed at a special meeting of the Council on Monday, 13th July, 1914.

667 E. C. HORNER,
Clerk.

WAIPA COUNTY COUNCIL.

COPY OF RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE *re* LOAN OF £4,000 FOR MANGAPIKO RIDING.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Waipa County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £4,000, authorized to be raised by the Waipa County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of erecting a bridge over the Mangapiko River, near Te Awamutu, and metalling certain roads in the Mangapiko, the said Waipa County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of five thirty-seconds of a penny in the £1 upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Mangapiko Riding; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of August 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.

We hereby certify that the above resolution was duly passed at a meeting of the Waipa County Council held on Tuesday, the 14th day of July, 1914.

JOHN FISHER,
Chairman.
CHAS. BOWDEN,
Clerk.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between JOHN GUTHRIE WOOD AITKEN and GEORGE WILSON, under the style of "Aitken, Wilson, & Co.," Merchants, at Customhouse Quay, Wellington, has, so far as concerns the said Messrs. Aitken and Wilson, been dissolved by mutual consent as from the first day of July, 1914.

All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by the said Mr. GEORGE WILSON at 42 Customhouse Quay, Wellington.

Dated the first day of July, 1914.

JOHN G. W. AITKEN,
GEO. WILSON.

Witness to both signatures—Henry Hall, Solicitor, Wellington. 669

In the matter of the Munden and Muir Electrical Announcer Company (Limited).

AN extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company, duly convened, was held at the registered office of the company, Dispensary Building, corner Princes Street and Moray Place, Dunedin, on the 7th day of January, 1914, when the following special resolution was duly passed, namely:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily; and that WILLIAM EDWIN CHARLES REID, of Dunedin, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

At the extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company duly convened for the 4th day of February, 1914, no quorum being present, such meeting was adjourned until the 11th day of February, 1914, when the foregoing resolution was duly confirmed.

Dated 20th July, 1914.

H. H. S. WHITE,
Chairman.

Witness—D. Cooke, Solicitor, Dunedin. 670

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,
OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND DISTRICT.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the Outram Societies Hall Company (Limited).

Friday, the seventeenth day of July, 1914.

UPON the petition of John Neill, of Outram, in the Provincial District of Otago and Dominion of New Zealand, Storekeeper, a contributory of the above-named company, filed on the fourteenth day of May, 1914, preferred unto a Judge of the Supreme Court; and upon hearing John Bartholomew Callan, the Younger, of counsel for the petitioner; and upon reading the said petition, two affidavits of the said petitioner respectively sworn on the fourteenth day of May, 1914, and filed on the fourteenth and twentieth days of May, 1914, respectively verifying the said petition, an affidavit of John Grant, of Outram aforesaid, Secretary of the above-named company, sworn on the twenty-fifth day of May, 1914, and filed on the twenty-sixth day of May, 1914, an affidavit of the said John Bartholomew Callan, the Younger, sworn on the nineteenth day of May, 1914, and

filed on the twentieth day of May, 1914, and a further affidavit of the said John Bartholomew Callan, the Younger, sworn on the seventeenth day of July, 1914, and filed on the same day, with the exhibits thereto—namely, the *Otago Daily Times*, the *Tairi Advocate*, and the *Gazette*, each containing an advertisement of the said petition—this Court doth order that the Outram Societies Hall Company (Limited) be wound up by this Court under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908.

By the Court.

(L.S.)

THOS. E. ROBERTS,
Deputy Registrar.

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MOUNT EDEN BOROUGH COUNCIL.

SPECIAL ORDER.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a special meeting of the Mount Eden Borough Council held on 1st day of June, 1914, it was resolved by way of special order,—

That this Council borrow the sum of £4,200, being one-tenth of the amount of the original loan of £42,000 borrowed for the permanent formation, metalling, and improvement of the streets and roads in the borough, and for the erection of suitable buildings to be used as municipal buildings on land already acquired by the Council, which is found insufficient to complete the undertakings in respect of which it was raised; and that such further sum of £4,200 be used for the purpose of completing the undertakings for which the loan of £42,000 was raised. The loan is for a period terminating on the 1st day of March, 1949, with interest at the rate of £4 10s. per centum per annum, payable half-yearly, and with a sinking fund of one per centum. The security for the loan is the special annually recurring rate of sixpence in the pound on the annual value of all rateable property in the borough made as security on the original loan of £42,000.

And that the said resolution was submitted for confirmation at a special meeting of the Council held at the Council Chambers, Mount Eden, on the 1st day of July, 1914, and duly confirmed.

6th July, 1914.

OLIVER NICHOLSON,
Mayor.

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