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*Vesting Exclusive Care and Control and Management of  
Drains in the Wairoa Road Board.*

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

WHEREAS the Council of the County of Manukau has by special order vested the control of certain drains in the Wairoa Road District in the Board of that road district:

And whereas that Road Board has made application for the issue of a Proclamation under section sixty-four of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, vesting the control of all such drains in the Board:

And whereas it is expedient to issue the Proclamation as requested:

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 authority vested in me by section sixty-four of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, do hereby proclaim and direct that any drains or drainage-works already constructed, or which may hereafter be constructed, within the Wairoa Road District, in the County of Manukau, shall from and after the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of the Wairoa Road Board.

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 fourteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

G. W. RUSSELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Approved in Council.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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*Land set apart for Selection.*

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

WHEREAS by section sixty-three of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is, amongst other things, enacted that in no case shall any moneys be expended under the provisions of the said section sixty-three in connection with any block of land, unless that block is set apart for selection under that section pursuant to Proclamation in that behalf:

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

*Hawkdun Block (National Endowment).*

RUNS 582 to 586 (inclusive), Maniototo County: Area, 56,790 acres.

As the same is delineated upon the plan marked L. and S. 5/94, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, 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 eighteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

F. H. D. BELL,  
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Revoking the Setting-apart of Land for Selection by Discharged Soldiers, under Ordinary Tenures, of Land in the Otago Land District.*

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section three of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the Proclamation made on the twentieth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and published in the *Gazette* of the twenty-second day of March then instant, setting apart the areas of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto, for selection by discharged soldiers, under the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—VINCENT COUNTY.—MID-WANAKA AND MID-HAWEA SURVEY DISTRICTS.—SUBDIVISIONS OF MOUNT BURKE RUN.—CROWN LAND.

	A.	R.	P.
SMALL grazing-run 579	Area, 7,080	0	0
„ 580	„ 6,760	0	0

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 eighteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

F. H. D. BELL,  
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Settlement Lands set apart for Disposal by Way of Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers, on Special Tenures, in the Auckland Land District.*

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

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section four of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the settlement lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby set apart and declared open for disposal by way of sale or lease to discharged soldiers, on special tenures, in the manner provided in the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—RODNEY COUNTY.—MAHURANGI SURVEY DISTRICT.—STREAMLANDS SETTLEMENT.

SECTION	Is	..	..	..	..	Area,	A.	R.	P.
„	2s	..	..	..	..	„	67	2	8
„	3s	..	..	..	..	„	71	3	29
„	4s	..	..	..	..	„	122	2	28
„	4s	..	..	..	..	„	101	0	0
„	5s	..	..	..	..	„	172	2	0
„	6s	..	..	..	..	„	94	0	0
„	7s	..	..	..	..	„	85	2	38
„	8s	..	..	..	..	„	360	0	0
„	9s	..	..	..	..	„	61	0	0
„	10s	..	..	..	..	„	98	0	0
„	11s	..	..	..	..	„	103	0	0
„	12s	..	..	..	..	„	130	0	0

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 eighteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

F. H. D. BELL,  
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Settlement Lands set apart for Disposal by Way of Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers, on Special Tenures, in the Auckland Land District.*

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

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section four of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the settlement lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby set apart and declared open for disposal by way of sale or lease to discharged soldiers, on special tenures, in the manner provided in the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TAPAPA SURVEY DISTRICT.—MATAMATA COUNTY.—TAPAPA SETTLEMENT.

SECTION	Is	..	..	..	..	Area,	A.	R.	P.
„	2s	..	..	..	..	„	100	1	20
„	3s	..	..	..	..	„	154	0	0
„	4s	..	..	..	..	„	129	0	0
„	5s	..	..	..	..	„	119	0	0
„	6s	..	..	..	..	„	98	0	0
„	7s	..	..	..	..	„	87	0	0
Sections	8s and 13s	..	..	..	..	„	128	3	11
Section	9s	..	..	..	..	„	110	0	0
„	10s	..	..	..	..	„	69	0	0

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 nineteenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

F. H. D. BELL,  
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VII, Maungataniwha Survey District, Mangonui County.*

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owner and mortgagee of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Mangonui County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Maungataniwha 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:—

A.	R.	P.
0	3	26
0	0	2:56

Coloured on plan: Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.
1	1	8
0	0	2:08
0	0	0:001

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Maungataniwha East Parish, Block VII, Maungataniwha Survey District. (S.O. 18568.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42172,

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 seventeenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,  
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for a Further Portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Otamarakau Section).*

[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 East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Otamarakau Section):

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of Pukehina Block
9	3	33	Section M. 4B; coloured red (sheet 8).
3	1	19	" coloured red (sheet 9).
4	3	31	" coloured sepia (sheet 9).

Situated in Block III, Waihi South Survey District. (S.O. 18770.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39532, 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 seventeenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,  
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Revoking Part of a Proclamation taking Land for a Further Portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Pongakawa and Otamarakau Sections), and for Road-diversions in connection therewith.*

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, it is enacted that if at any time after the issue or making of any Proclamation taking land under the Public Works Act, 1908, and before the payment or award of any compensation in respect of the taking thereof, it is found that the land or any part thereof is not required for the purpose for which it was taken, or that any error in form

or substance exists in or in relation to that Proclamation or the making or gazetting thereof, the Governor may, by a subsequent Proclamation gazetted, revoke the former Proclamation, either wholly or so far as he thinks necessary:

And whereas it is found that part of the land taken for a further portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Pongakawa and Otamarakau Sections), and for road-diversions in connection therewith, by a Proclamation made under the Public Works Act, 1908, dated the twentieth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen (hereinafter termed "the said Proclamation"), and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 4, pages 13 and 14, of the eleventh day of the following month, is incorrectly described:

And whereas compensation in respect of the taking of the said land has not been paid or awarded:

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 vested in me by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, do hereby revoke so much of the said Proclamation as affects the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land incorrectly described:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of Pukehina Block
9	3	33	Section M. 4, part 1; coloured red (sheet 8).
3	1	19	" part 1; coloured red (sheet 9).
4	3	31	" part 2; coloured sepia (sheet 9).

Situated in Block III, Waihi South Survey District. (S.O. 18770.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39532, 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 seventeenth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,  
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Ashburton County War Relief Fund Society incorporated under the War Funds Act, 1915.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twelve of the War Funds Act, 1915 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is provided that the Governor may, by Order in Council gazetted, incorporate a society possessing a war fund, or the trustees of such fund: And whereas application, in writing addressed to the Minister, has been made by the Ashburton County War Relief Fund Society (being a society possessing a war fund), praying for the incorporation of that society:

And whereas it is considered desirable to grant such application:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the society known as the Ashburton County War Relief Fund Society is hereby incorporated for the purposes of the said Act as from the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, and shall be known as the Ashburton County War Relief Fund Society.

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

*Declaring Portion of Waioeka to Matawai Road, in the Waikohu County, to be a County Road.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING  
IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of the Waioeka to Matawai Road, in the Hawke's Bay Land District, Waikohu County, commencing at a point near the south-western corner of Section 2, Block IX, Motu Survey District, at its junction with the Motu Valley Road, and running generally in a north-westerly direction through the said Section 2, and terminating at the north-western boundary of the said Section 2, on the boundary between the Waikohu and Opotiki Counties; being a distance of five miles and a half, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42238, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING  
IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Rimuputa Road, in the Taranaki Land District, Whangamomona County, commencing at its junction with Tahora Road, and proceeding thence generally in a north-easterly direction, adjoining or passing through Sections part 2, 1, and part 12, Block VI, Pouatu Survey District, and terminating in the said Section 12 at a point about five chains north of the boundary between Sections 1 and 12, Block VI aforesaid; being a distance of 1 mile 14.5 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42136, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red and marked A B.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING  
IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excel-

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

SCHEDULE

ALL that portion of Mangatoro Road, in the Taranaki Land District, Clifton County, commencing at a point about five chains north of its junction with Tongaporutu-Mangaroa Road, and proceeding thence generally in a north-easterly direction, adjoining or passing through Sections part 11, 9 E.R., 32, 34, Block IX, Mimi Survey District, and terminating at the north-eastern corner of the said Section 34; being a distance of 3 miles 5 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42205, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

*Declaring Portion of Te Kuiti - Mokau Road, in the Awakino County, to be a County Road.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING  
IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Te Kuiti - Mokau Road, in the Auckland Land District, Awakino County, commencing at a point in Section S.W. 2, Block V, Awakino East Survey District, about two miles west of Ngatarawa Road Junction, and proceeding thence generally in a north-easterly direction, passing through Blocks V, VI, II, and III, Awakino East Survey District, and terminating at Mangaotaki Bridge, in Karu-o-te-whenua B No. 2B No. 6, Block III aforesaid, being a distance of 7 miles 77 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 40105, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured black.

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

*Declaring Portion of Tongaporutu-Mangaroa Road, in the Clifton County, to be a County Road.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING  
IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of the Tongaporutu-Mangaroa Road, in the Taranaki Land District, Clifton County, commencing at the south-western corner of Section 8 in Block IX, Waro Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a north-easterly direction, adjoining or passing through the said Sec-

tion 8, Blocks IX and V, Waro Survey District, and part Section 9, Block V aforesaid, and terminating at the south-eastern corner of Section 5, Block V aforesaid; being a distance of two miles, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42204, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

*Extending Prohibition of Private Alienation of certain Native Land.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of six months the Order in Council made the twenty-ninth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and gazetted the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, prohibiting all alienations of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienations in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

MAKETU AND WAHAI SOUTH SURVEY DISTRICTS.

			Approximate Area.	
			A.	B. P.
PUKEHINA M Block, Section 1	..	..	684	1 0
" " 2	..	..	602	2 3
" " 3	..	..	300	1 18

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

*License authorizing the Devonport Borough Council to erect Electric Lines within Portion of the Borough of Takapuna.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, it is provided that no person shall lay, construct, place, put up, or use any electric line except under the authority of a license issued by the Governor in Council under that Act:

And whereas the Devonport Borough Council (hereinafter referred to as "the licensee") desires to erect electric lines along the route defined in the Schedule hereto, and hereinafter called "the said electric lines," and it is expedient accordingly to issue a license in respect thereof under the said section:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the said section, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in that 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, subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto, and to the regulations made under section two of the aforesaid Act, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* dated the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and hereinafter referred to as "the regulations," hereby authorize the licensee to erect and maintain the said electric lines for lighting, power, and heating purposes.

SCHEDULE.

1. THE ROUTE OF THE ELECTRIC LINES AUTHORIZED.

THAT route commencing in Wairoa Road, adjoining Narrow Neck Beach, in the Borough of Devonport, and proceeding

along the said road across the borough boundary, and along old Lake Road, in the Borough of Takapuna, to its junction with Lake Road. As the said route is more particularly indicated by red crosses on the plan marked P.W.D. 42186, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

2. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

The system of supply shall be as described in paragraph (1) (b) of clause 2 of the regulations.

The generating voltage shall be approximately 460 to 500 volts between the terminals.

3. DATUM TEMPERATURE.

For the purpose of calculating the stresses as provided in clause 12 of the regulations, the datum temperature shall be taken as 20 degrees Fahrenheit.

4. NOTICES *re* EXTENSIONS, ETC.

Records of results of tests (Regulation 37), and notices *re* commencement of work (Regulation 44) and *re* extensions and alterations (Regulation 49), should be sent to the Under-Secretary, Public Works Department, Wellington, and to the Telegraph Engineer of the district, or his deputy, at present stationed at Auckland.

5. CHARGES FOR ELECTRIC ENERGY.

The charge for electrical energy shall not exceed 9d. per unit for lighting purposes, and 4d. per unit for motor-power, heating, or cooking purposes; provided that "lighting purposes" shall include the operation of motor generators for lighting purposes.

6. DURATION OF LICENSE.

This license shall, unless revoked by three months' notice in writing from the Takapuna Borough Council to the licensee, or unless determined in accordance with the provisions hereinafter expressed, continue in force for a period of forty-two years from the date hereof. Upon the expiry of the said term, or upon the sooner determination of this license by revocation or otherwise, all rights hereby granted to the licensee shall thereupon cease and determine; but such expiration or determination shall not relieve the licensee of any liability theretofore incurred under this license.

7. REQUIREMENTS OF TAKAPUNA BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the licensee shall not be entitled to erect, maintain, or use any electric lines within the Borough of Takapuna, except subject to such conditions, not inconsistent with the provisions of this license and the regulations relating thereto, as may from time to time be agreed upon between the licensee and the Takapuna Borough Council.

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

*Licensing William Richard Lawrence to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark at Totara North, Whangaroa Harbour, as a Site for a Wharf.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), William Richard Lawrence, of Totara North (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the said Act to use and occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark at Totara North, Whangaroa Harbour, as shown on plans marked M.D. 1470 and 1471, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, in order to maintain a wharf thereon: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the said wharf will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plans marked M.D. 1470 and 1471 have, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved of by the Governor in Council: And whereas it is desirable that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensee for the term and subject to the conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of

all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto necessary for the maintenance of the said wharf, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

#### SCHEDULE.

1. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister of Marine as defined by the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark occupied by the said wharf as shown on plans marked M.D. 1470 and 1471.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council the licensee shall pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £2 in advance, dating from the 18th December, 1916, the first of such annual payments to be made on the licensee being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. All persons shall, at all reasonable times and upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the said wharf, and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

5. His Majesty or the Governor, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, and out of the said wharf without payment.

6. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom and maintain at his own cost suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels; provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

7. Any person authorized by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said wharf and view the state of repair thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensee in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such wharf, requiring him, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, he shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

8. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the licensee to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1908, or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

9. The ballast of all vessels loading at the said wharf shall be taken away by the licensee and deposited above high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister, or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

10. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue to be in force for fourteen years from the 18th December, 1916, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensee shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the written consent of the Minister first obtained.

11. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensee three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the licensee in New Zealand.

12. The licensee shall be liable for any injury which the said wharf may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on his part.

13. In case the licensee shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Become bankrupt, or be brought under the operation of any law for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy; or

(4.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions,—

then and in either of the said cases this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege may be revoked and determined by the Governor in Council without any notice to the licensee or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensee, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the license, rights, and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined.

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

*Licensing Frederick Waller and Edward Glenivet Elliott to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark at East Tamaki, Auckland Harbour, as a Site for a Wharf.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING  
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Frederick Waller and Edward Glenivet Elliott, of Auckland (hereinafter called "the licensees"), have applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark at East Tamaki, Auckland Harbour, in order to erect thereon a wharf in accordance with plan marked M.D. 4761, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington:

And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and it is desirable that a license should be granted and issued to the licensees under the said Act for the purposes aforesaid:

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 of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensees as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensees to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark on which the said wharf is to be erected, as shown on plan marked M.D. 4761 so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of maintaining the said structure thereon; such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensees upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

#### SCHEDULE.

1. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister of Marine as defined by the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark occupied by the said wharf, as shown on plan marked M.D. 4761.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council the licensees shall, on being supplied with a copy thereof, pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £1, in advance, dating from the date of this Order in Council, the first of such annual payments to be made on the licensees being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. All persons shall at all reasonable times, upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the said wharf, and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

5. His Majesty or the Governor, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, and out of the said wharf without payment.

6. The licensees shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom and maintain at their own cost suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels; provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

7. Any person authorized by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said wharf and view the state of repair thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensees in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such wharf, requiring them, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, they shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

8. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the licensees to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1908, or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

9. The ballast of all vessels loading at the said wharf shall be taken away by the licensees and deposited above high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

10. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue to be in force for fourteen years from the date hereof, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensees shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the written consent of the Minister first obtained.

11. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensees three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known registered office of the licensees in New Zealand.

12. The licensees shall be liable for any injury which the said wharf may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on the part of the licensees.

13. In case the licensees shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions herein-before set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Become bankrupt; or
- (4.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions,—

then and in either of the said cases this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege, may be revoked and determined by the Governor in Council without any notice to the licensees or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensees, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the license, rights, and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined.

14. The erection of the said wharf shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensees of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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

*Consenting to Stopping Portion of Road in Drury, Onewhero, and Awitu Survey Districts, Franklin County.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the above-mentioned Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the Franklin County Council stopping the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Pieces of Road permitted to be stopped.	Adjoining or passing through Section	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of
A. R. P.			
1 3 34.4	84, Waiuku East Parish ..	XIII	Drury.
2 0 1.4	83 " " ..	"	"
4 0 4.4	8 and 9, Puni Parish ..	"	"
2 1 5.6	7, Puni Parish ..	"	"
1 3 26.7	6 " " ..	"	"
2 0 21	5 " " ..	"	"
2 0 10	4 " " ..	XIV	"
1 3 11	W 3 " " ..	"	"
2 2 31.7	E 3 " " ..	"	"
1 1 21.2	42 " " ..	"	"
1 1 9.5	43 " " ..	"	"
	(S.O. 18744)		
1 0 10	44, Puni Parish ..	"	"
1 0 25.4	45 " " ..	"	"
1 0 22.3	46 " " ..	"	"
1 0 26.4	46 " " ..	"	"
1 0 34.4	57 " " ..	"	"
1 3 34.1	58 and part 59, Puni Parish ..	"	"
0 0 39	Part 59, Puni Parish ..	"	"
1 0 1.1	66, Puni Parish ..	"	"
1 0 21.1	67 " " ..	"	"
1 0 24.8	68 " " ..	"	"
1 0 21.8	69 " " ..	"	"
1 0 7.2	70 " " ..	"	"
0 3 12.8	3 of 71, Puni Parish ..	"	"
0 0 31.6	Part 71 " " ..	"	"
1 1 37.7	78A " " ..	II	Onewhero.
1 1 25.3	78B " " ..	II, III	"
2 1 0	78c " " ..	II, III	"
13 2 7.3	Part 78 " " ..	II	Onewhero.
12 3 20	" " " " ..	XIV	Drury.
9 2 37.7	2 of pt. 12 of pt. 78, Puni Ph. ..	II	Onewhero.
13 2 36	Part 12 of part 78 " " ..	III	"
	(S.O. 18745)	II, III	"
0 1 32	10-13 of 16, Town of Pakington ..	X	Awitu.
1 0 32	261, Town of Pakington ..	"	"
1 0 16	261 " " ..	"	"
0 1 30.8	10-13 of 11, Town of Pakington ..	"	"
0 3 34.8	5, 6, 7, Suburbs of Pakington ..	"	"
0 2 1.4	4 Sch. Edt., Suburbs of Pakington ..	"	"
0 3 35.2	14, 15, Suburbs of Pakington ..	"	"
0 2 14.8	16, 17 " " ..	"	"
0 1 38.5	13 of 1 " " ..	IX	Drury.
0 1 33.7	14 of 1 " " ..	"	"
0 1 24	15 of 1 " " ..	"	"
0 2 14.3	16 of 1 " " ..	"	"
1 0 20.8	17, 18 of 1 " " ..	"	"
1 3 32.9	19, 22 of 1 " " ..	"	"
0 1 19.8	23 of 1 " " ..	"	"
2 0 30.8	90, Waiuku East Parish ..	"	"
2 0 22.2	91 " " ..	"	"
0 1 31	92 " " ..	"	"
1 1 5	89 " " ..	IX & XIII	"
2 2 13.6	88 E.R. " " ..	XIII	"
2 0 2.9	87 E.R. " " ..	"	"
	(S.O. 18746)		

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41800, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

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



*Manaia Agricultural and Pastoral Association incorporated.—  
Notice No. 1837.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING  
IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Agricultural and Pastoral Societies Act, 1908, 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 incorporate the members of the Manaia Agricultural and Pastoral Association, and such persons as shall hereafter be admitted members of the said association agreeably to the rules of the said association and the provisions of the said Act, into a body corporate under the style and title of "The Manaia Agricultural and Pastoral Association."

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

*The Education Act, 1914.—Amendments in the Regulations  
for Training Colleges.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING  
IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Education Act, 1914, 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 amendment shown in the Schedule hereto in the regulations in force for training colleges; and doth prescribe that this Order shall come into force on the date of the first publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

CLAUSE 11 (1) (a) is hereby amended by adding the words "or have satisfactorily completed a two years' course of training at a kindergarten school under the control of a kindergarten association maintaining free kindergarten schools recognized by the Education Department for purposes of subsidy."

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

*Validating Biennial Election of Members of Takaka Town  
Board.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING  
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, pursuant to section twenty of the Town Boards Act, 1908, a general election of members of the Takaka Town Board should have been held on the twentieth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen:

And whereas no notice of such election was given as required by the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908, and consequently such election was not held on such day:

And whereas the Returning Officer thereafter appointed the seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, for the nomination of candidates for election as members of the said Board:

And whereas, in consequence of the retirement of one candidate, the number of candidates did not exceed the number of vacancies to be filled, and the Returning Officer did declare such candidates to be duly elected as members of the said Board:

And whereas it is expedient to validate the election of such candidates:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section twenty-four of the Local Elections and Polls Amendment Act, 1913, and by the Town Boards Act, 1908, and of every other power and

authority enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby validate the said election of the said candidates so declared to have been elected, and doth declare that the election of the said candidates 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 £750  
proposed to be raised by the Council of the County of Horowhenua.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING  
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Horowhenua County Council lately proposed to raise a loan of seven hundred and fifty pounds, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of road and bridge construction within the Hautere Road Deviation Special-rating District:

And whereas the special roll of the ratepayers, although prepared, completed, and deposited for public inspection, was not deposited before any steps were taken to raise the said loan, as required by section seventeen of the above-mentioned Act:

And whereas the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularity or defect, and it is expedient to validate the same:

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 validate the proceedings taken to raise the said loan in so far as the validity of these proceedings may be affected by the failure to deposit the special roll at the proper time; and doth hereby declare that the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

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

*Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £300  
proposed to be raised by the Council of the County of Horowhenua.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of May, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING  
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Horowhenua County Council lately proposed to raise a loan of three hundred pounds, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of constructing a bridge over the Makahika Stream in the Makahika Bridge Special-rating District:

And whereas the special roll of the ratepayers, although prepared, completed, and deposited for public inspection, was not deposited before any steps were taken to raise the said loan, as required by section seventeen of the above-mentioned Act:

And whereas the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularity or defect, and it is expedient to validate the same:

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 validate the proceedings taken to raise the said loan in so far as the validity of these proceedings may be affected by the failure to deposit the special roll at the proper time; and doth hereby declare that the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

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



Regulations made under the Census and Statistics Act, 1910.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by the Census and Statistics Act, 1910, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby make the following regulations prescribing additional matters in regard to which the Statistician shall collect statistics.

REGULATIONS.

1. In addition to the matters specified in paragraphs (a) to (j) of section 21 of the Census and Statistics Act, 1910, and in any other regulations heretofore made under that Act, the Statistician shall, subject to that section, collect statistics in regard to stocks of—

- Tinplates.
- Galvanized plain sheets.
- Galvanized corrugated iron.
- Steel plates.
- Boiler-plates.
- Steel tees and angles.
- Steel bars (rounds, squares, and flats).
- Steel shafting.
- Iron bars (rounds, squares, and flats).
- Wire ropes.
- Copper sheets.
- Brass sheets.
- Copper tubes.
- Brass tubes.
- Hoop-iron (for wool and flax dumping).
- Hoop-iron (for tallow casks and meat companies' products).
- Conduit tubing for electrical purposes.

2. Every person holding stocks of the articles mentioned in the preceding regulation, or of any of these articles, shall on request, within such time or times as he may be required by the Statistician so to do, furnish particulars as to such stocks held by him on a date or dates to be specified by the Statistician.

3. In order to comply with the last preceding regulation, every such person shall fill up and supply to the Statistician, or to any officer authorized by him in writing, the particulars specified in the form set out in the Schedule hereto, in accordance with the instructions accompanying that form, and shall sign the form certifying to the correctness of the particulars entered therein.

SCHEDULE.

The Census and Statistics Act, 1910.

STOCKS OF THE UNDERMENTIONED COMMODITIES.

Name of person holding stocks :

Full postal address :

Particulars required as at [Date].

Item.	Unit of Quantity.	Gauges or Classes. [Specify.]	Sizes. [Specify.]	Quantity.
1. Tinplates .. .. . Quantities to be stated in boxes, to be described, showing gauge and size of contents.	Boxes			
2. Galvanized plain sheets .. .. . Quantities to be stated in hundredweights, showing gauge and sizes held.	Cwt.			
3. Galvanized corrugated iron .. .. . Quantities to be stated in hundredweights, showing gauges and sizes held.	Cwt.			
4. Steel plates .. .. . Quantities to be stated in tons, and description to cover ¼ in. and upwards, each description being separately stated.	Tons			
5. Boiler-plates .. .. . Quantities to be stated in tons, and description to cover ¾ in. and upwards, each description being separately stated.	Tons			
6. Steel tees and angles .. .. . Quantity to be stated in tons, giving sizes.	Tons			
7. Steel bars (rounds, squares, and flats) .. .. . Quantities to be stated in tons, and sizes to be shown separately.	Tons			
8. Steel shafting .. .. . Lengths and diameters to be shown.	Tons			
9. Iron bars (rounds, squares, and flats) .. .. . Quantities to be stated in tons, and sizes to be shown.	Tons			
10. Wire ropes .. .. . Sizes to be given separately, and length, description, and quality to be shown.	Feet			
11. Copper sheets .. .. . Quantities to be stated in pounds, stating gauge or thickness.	Lb.			
12. Brass sheets .. .. . Quantities to be stated in pounds, stating gauge or thickness.	Lb.			
13. Copper tubes .. .. . Quantities to be stated in feet, showing sizes and gauge.	Feet			
14. Brass tubes .. .. . Quantities to be stated in feet, showing sizes and gauge.	Feet			
15. Hoop-iron for wool and flax dumping .. .. . Quantities to be stated in hundredweights, gauge and width to be stated.	Cwt.			
16. Hoop-iron for tallow-casks and meat companies' products .. .. . Quantities to be stated in hundredweights, gauges and width to be stated.	Cwt.			
17. Conduit tubing for electrical purposes .. .. . Lengths and diameters and different classes to be specified.	Feet			

I declare that the information in this Schedule is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

[Signature of person furnishing the information.]

Date : , 191 .

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

G. W. RUSSELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Appointing a Member of the Thames Harbour Board.*

## LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS it is provided by the eleventh section of the Harbours Amendment Act, 1910, that if any constituent district or combined district fails at any election to elect the required number of representatives the Governor may, by Warrant under his hand, appoint such qualified persons as he thinks fit to be the representatives of that district in lieu of those who ought to have been elected; and the persons so appointed shall hold office in all respects as if they had been duly elected in conformity with the said Act:

And whereas one member of the Thames Harbour Board should have been elected by the electors of the County of Hinemuri: And whereas the County of Ohinemuri failed to elect a member:

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

SAMUEL JAMIESON LAUGHLIN

to be a member of the Thames Harbour Board as a representative of the electors of the County of Ohinemuri, to fill the vacancy caused by the before-mentioned failure to elect.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,  
Minister of Marine.

*Declaring a Road-line through Land in Te Miro Settlement, Auckland Land District, to be closed.*

## LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS a report has been received from the Surveyor-General, from which it appears that the road described in the Schedule hereto is unformed and unused, and that the said road intersects land acquired under the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and is not suitable to the subdivision of such land:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of section eighty of the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do by this notice hereby close the road hereinafter described; and I do hereby declare that the said road shall thereupon become subject to the said Act.

## SCHEDULE.

## TE MIRO SETTLEMENT.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road required to be closed:—

A.	R.	P.	
4	1	3 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	} Adjoining or passing through Maungakawa Block.
0	0	29·2	
1	3	30·2	
0	0	33·8	
0	0	18·7	
1	0	24·6	

Situated in Blocks II and VII, Cambridge Survey District. In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 21/36, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured green. (Auckland Plan No. 19512, blue.)

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this nineteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

F. H. D. BELL,  
For Minister of Lands.

*Lands temporarily reserved in the Auckland and Wellington Land Districts.*

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

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 Acts, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands in the Auckland and Wellington Land Districts described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes in the said Schedule specified at the end of the respective descriptions of the lands so intended to be temporarily reserved.

## SCHEDULE.

## AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods, more or less, being Sections 5 and 6, Block I, Patetonga Village. Bounded towards the north-west by Section 4, Block I, Patetonga Village; towards the north-east by Section 3 of the said Block I; towards the south-east by Tainui Street; and towards the south-west by a public road to the point of commencement. For an addition to a site for a public school.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 2 perches, more or less, being Section 13, Block XII, Kawhia North Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by E.R. Section 2 in the said Block XII, 335·3 links; towards the north-east by Section 6, Block XII aforesaid, 130·6 links; towards the south-east generally by portion of the aforesaid Section 2, and a public road, 189·2 and 250·8 links respectively: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 16/371, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan No. 19493.) For an endowment for primary education.

## WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 acres 3 roods, more or less, being Lots 1 and 2, Melling Settlement, part of Section 75, Hutt District, Block VIII, Belmont Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the Wellington-Wairarapa Railway, 1902 links; towards the north-east by Melling Street, 848·4 links; towards the south-east generally by a reserve 15 links wide along the bank of the Hutt River to the eastern side of the Ballast Railway, and thence by the bank of the Hutt River; and towards the south-west generally by other part of Section 75 aforesaid, 388·5 and 99·9 links, by the abutment of a stop-bank, 12·7, 14·8, and 29·3 links, again by other part of Section 75 aforesaid, 161·6 links, and by the abutment of Stilling Street, 100·5 links: save and excepting that portion of the ballast railway which crosses the above-described area: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 19341, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For Post and Telegraph purposes.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this nineteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

F. H. D. BELL,  
For Minister of Lands.

*Notifying the Proposed Exchange of National Endowment Land in the Hawke's Bay Land District for other Land.*

## LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by section sixteen of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, whenever he deems it expedient in the public interest so to do, to grant in fee-simple any area of national endowment land in exchange for the fee-simple of any other land which in his opinion is of approximately equal value, and on any such exchange to pay or receive by way of equality of exchange any sum not exceeding twenty-five per centum of the estimated value of the national endowment land so granted: Provided that the power thereby conferred shall be exercisable only on the recommendation of the Board of Land Purchase Commissioners under the Land for Settlements Act, 1908:

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to exchange the national endowment land described in the First Schedule hereto for the land described in the Second

Schedule hereto, which is of approximately equal value, and the owner of the land described in the Second Schedule has agreed to such exchange, and has agreed to accept from the Crown the sum of four pounds twelve shillings by way of equality of exchange, and such sum does not exceed twenty-five per centum of the estimated value of the national endowment land hereinbefore mentioned:

And whereas the Board of Land Purchase Commissioners has recommended that the said exchange should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the aforesaid powers and authorities, doth hereby declare that it is his intention to grant in fee-simple the area of national endowment land described in the First Schedule hereto in exchange for the fee-simple of the area of land described in the Second Schedule, and to pay the owner thereof the sum of money hereinbefore referred to by way of equality of exchange.

#### FIRST SCHEDULE.

##### DESCRIPTION OF NATIONAL ENDOWMENT LAND AUTHORIZED TO BE EXCHANGED.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement a total of 1,932 acres 2 roods 2 perches, more or less, being Section 1, Block I, Patoka Survey District, containing 614 acres 2 roods; Section 1, Block V, Patoka Survey District, containing 1,280 acres; and Section 2, Block X, Kuripapanga Survey District, containing 38 acres 0 roods 2 perches. As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 22/44A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

#### SECOND SCHEDULE.

##### DESCRIPTION OF LAND TO BE OBTAINED IN EXCHANGE THEREFOR.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 545 acres, more or less, being Lot 2 on plan No. 3283 deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Napier, situated in Blocks VI and X, Kuripapanga Survey District. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 22/44A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered green.

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

F. H. D. BELL,  
For Minister of Lands.

##### *Notifying the Proposed Exchange of Crown Land in the Hawke's Bay Land District for other Land.*

#### LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and forty-two of the Land Act, 1908, as amended by section seven-teen of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, whenever he deems it expedient in the public interest, to grant in fee-simple any area of Crown land which is subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, in exchange for the fee-simple of any other land, and on any such exchange to pay or receive by way of equality of exchange any sum not exceeding twenty-five per centum of the estimated value of the Crown land so granted:

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

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

#### FIRST SCHEDULE.

##### DESCRIPTION OF CROWN LAND AUTHORIZED TO BE EXCHANGED.

ALL that area of Crown land in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 24 acres 0 roods 33 perches, more or less, being part of Porangahau No. 1B 4B Block, Block XVI, Porangahau Survey District. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 22/738,

deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

#### SECOND SCHEDULE.

##### DESCRIPTION OF LAND TO BE OBTAINED IN EXCHANGE THEREFOR.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 24 acres 0 roods 33 perches, being part of Porangahau No. 1B 4C Block, Block XVI, Porangahau Survey District. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 22/738, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered green.

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

F. H. D. BELL,  
For Minister of Lands.

##### *Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of Portion of a Travelling-stock Reserve in Mangaone Survey District, Wellington Land District.*

#### LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms portion of a reserve heretofore duly set apart as a resting-place for travelling stock, being a purpose within Class II of the Second Schedule to the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908:

And whereas it is expedient that the purpose of the portion of the said reserve should be changed to a reserve for gravel purposes:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, aforesaid, declare my intention to change the purpose of the portion of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto from a resting-place for travelling stock to a reserve for gravel purposes.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres 0 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Section 77 (formerly portion of Section 8), Block V, Mangaone Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east, east, and south generally by Section 8, 195 links, and by a line along the middle of a stream and of the Ngatahaka Stream; towards the west generally by Section 9, 510 and 178.9 links, and by North No. 1 Road, 725 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/5/44, 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 eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

F. H. D. BELL,  
For Minister of Lands.

##### *Setting apart Allotments in a Kauri-gum Reserve for Selection.*

#### LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section twenty of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby set apart the lands described in the Schedule hereto (being portions of kauri-gum reserves) for disposal under the section of the Act mentioned.

#### SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—MANGONUI COUNTY.—BLOCK V  
OPOE SURVEY DISTRICT.

*Part of Opoë Kauri-gum Reserve.*

SECTION 9: Area, 50 acres.

*Part of Opoë Kauri-gum Reserve Extension.*

Section 31: Area, 62 acres 1 rood 23 perches.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

F. H. D. BELL,  
For Minister of Lands.

*Arrangements for First Election, &c., of the Huntress Creek Drainage Board.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 22nd May, 1917.

**H**IS Excellency has been pleased to appoint  
WILLIAM YOUNG, Esq.,

Clerk of the Opotiki County Council, to be the Returning Officer and person to prepare the electors roll for the purposes of the first election of the five members of the Board of Trustees of the Huntress Creek Drainage District as constituted under the Land Drainage Act, 1908; also to appoint Wednesday, the 20th day of June, 1917, to be the time, and the Opotiki County Council Office, Main Street, Opotiki, as the place, for holding the said first election; also to appoint Thursday, the 28th day of June, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to be the time, and the said Opotiki County Council Office, Main Street, Opotiki, to be the place, for holding the first meeting of the Board so elected.

G. W. RUSSELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 15th May, 1917.

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

HENRY THOMAS BLUNDELL, of Mangaiti, Te Aroha; and  
H. CORY WRIGHT, of Tairua,

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

G. W. RUSSELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Appointment of Fish Inspector for the Purposes of the Sale of Food and Drugs Act, 1908.*

Department of Public Health, Hospitals,  
and Charitable Aid,  
Wellington, 18th May, 1917.

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

MALCOLM MCALISTER

a Fish Inspector for the purposes of the Sale of Food and Drugs Act, 1908, for the City of Auckland. The appointment dates from the 1st day of May, 1917.

G. W. RUSSELL,  
Minister of Public Health.

*Member of Nireaha Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 15th May, 1917.

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

JOHN SPRING

to be a member of the Nireaha Domain Board, in the place of Joseph Bowyer, who has resigned.

F. H. D. BELL,  
For Minister of Lands.

*Inspector under the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, appointed.—  
Notice No. 1886.*

Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce,  
Wellington, 17th May, 1917.

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

DAVID THOMAS JACK

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, for the One Tree Hill Road District; the appointment to date as from the 9th May, 1917.

W. H. HERRIES,  
For Minister of Agriculture.

*Teacher's Certificate under the Education Act, 1914, cancelled.*

Education Department,  
Wellington, 17th May, 1917.

**I**T is hereby notified that the teacher's certificate under the Education Act, 1914, issued to

THOMAS BERNARD MOONEY,  
has been cancelled.

J. A. HANAN,  
Minister of Education

*Member of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 23rd May, 1917.

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

JOHN MARTIN SOUTH

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Hurunui, vice G. Renner.

J. A. HANAN,  
Minister of Justice.

*Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths appointed.*

Office of Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 23rd May, 1917.

**T**HE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointment in the Public Service:—

HENRY MAXWELL

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Dunedin, as from the 21st day of May, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,  
Secretary.

*Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths appointed.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd May, 1917.

**I**T is hereby notified that the undermentioned person has been appointed to be the Deputy of the Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district set opposite his name, viz. :—

Name.	District.
ROBERT TAIT KERSEL	.. Ngaruawahia (at Taupiri).
	W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

*Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd May, 1917.

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

Name.	District.
HERBERT JAMES KING WINSTONE	.. Rangiora.
BERNARD JAMES ARMSTRONG	.. Waverley.
CHARLES WARREN WILLIAMS	.. Ohaeawai.
RUPERT GARFIELD POULTON..	.. Wellington.
	W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

*Appointments, Promotions, Resignations, and Transfers of Officers of the Staff and Territorial Force.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 14th May, 1917.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, resignations, and transfers of the undermentioned officers of the Staff and Territorial Force:—

**STAFF.**

Lieutenant Edward Talbot Rowlings, N.Z. Staff Corps, is appointed Camp Adjutant, Narrow Neck Camp. Dated 13th March, 1917.

Honorary Lieutenant and Quartermaster George Albert Gibbs, R.A.M.C., attached to N.Z. Staff Corps, is granted the honorary rank of Captain and Quartermaster whilst employed with the New Zealand Military Forces. Dated 1st January, 1917.

## PERMANENT STAFF.

Staff Sergeant-Major Alfred George Baker is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant whilst employed as Signalling Instructor, N.Z. Expeditionary Force Training-camps. Dated 17th April, 1917.

## 9TH (WELLINGTON EAST COAST) MOUNTED RIFLES.

Lieutenant Harry Stuart Parnell McLernon to be Captain. Dated 26th April, 1917.

## NEW ZEALAND FIELD ARTILLERY.

Battery Sergeant-Major George Sandilands to be 2nd Lieutenant (temp.), F Battery. Dated 26th April, 1917.

## NEW ZEALAND GARRISON ARTILLERY.

*No. 8 Company (Westport).*

Lieutenant Alfred George Bryan, from the Unattached List (b), General List, to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1916.

## CORPS OF NEW ZEALAND ENGINEERS.

*New Zealand Railway Battalions.*

Lieutenant John Moultrie Ferriday performed the duties of Mortar Instructor, Field Artillery Reinforcements, Featherston Camp, from 5th March, 1917, and is confirmed in the appointment, with effect from that date.

## 1ST (CANTERBURY) REGIMENT.

*Coast Defence Detachment.*

2nd Lieutenant Reginald James Richards, from the Unattached List (b), to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 27th April, 1917.

## 2ND (SOUTH CANTERBURY) REGIMENT.

Captain Ernest Arthur George Holdgate, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength and absorbed into the Establishment, with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., Captain—as from 1st April, 1912 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 38, of 25th April, 1912). Dated 1st June, 1917.

## 3RD (AUCKLAND) REGIMENT (COUNTESS OF RANFURLY'S OWN).

*Coast Defence Detachment.*

2nd Lieutenant (on probation) Norman Stephenson Davies, posted to N.Z. Expeditionary Force Reinforcements from 11th October, 1915, to 19th May, 1917, returns to duty. Dated 19th May, 1917.

## 15TH (NORTH AUCKLAND) REGIMENT.

Major Alexander Main is appointed Area Officer, No. 17 Group, Auckland Military District. Dated 18th March, 1917.

## NEW ZEALAND MEDICAL CORPS.

Stuart Alexander Moore, M.B., B.S., M.D., to be Captain whilst doing duty with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 18th April, 1917.

Captain Walter John Henry Hislop, from the Reserve of Officers, to be Captain. Dated 24th April, 1917.

Arthur Leonard Singer, M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond., to be Captain (temp.) whilst doing duty with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 2nd February, 1917.

The undermentioned to be members of a special District Medical Board to act as emergency members. Dated 24th April, 1917.

Major Hamilton Andrew Hugh Gilmer, M.D.

Major William Edward Herbert, M.D.

Captain Walter John Henry Hislop, M.B., F.R.C.S., Eng.

Captain Leonard Arthur Line, M.B., B.S., N.Z.

Captain Charles Fulton Pattie, M.B., B.S., M.D.

Captain Walter Moray Shand, M.B., B.S.

Captain Henry Lionel Hughes Steele, M.R.C.S., Eng.

Captain Henry Hardwick-Smith, M.B., B.C., B.A., F.R.C.S., Eng.

Captain William Young, M.D., F.R.C.S., Eng.

The undermentioned are appointed members of a special District Medical Board. Dated 28th April, 1917.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sidney Alfred Gibbs, M.B., M.S., Edin.

Captain George Lyon, M.B., M.S., Aberd.

Captain (temp. Major) Russell Ian Ritchie, M.B., M.R.C.S., Eng.

Captain Francis Wiremu Brian Fitchett, M.B., M.S., Edin.

## NEW ZEALAND CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The undermentioned Chaplains to the Forces, 2nd Class, are posted to the Retired List, under the provisions of paragraphs 126 and 127, General Regulations, 1913, with per-

mission to retain their rank and wear the prescribed uniform, with effect from 3rd May, 1917:—

The Ven. Archdeacon William Calder.

The Reverend Percy Scott Smallfield.

The Reverend William Henry Wilson.

The undermentioned Chaplains to the Forces, 3rd Class, are posted to the Retired List, under the provisions of paragraphs 126 and 127, General Regulations, 1913, with permission to retain their rank and wear the prescribed uniform, with effect from 3rd May, 1917:—

The Reverend George MacMurray.

The Reverend Dr. Thaddeus O'Callaghan.

The Reverend George Wells-Smailes, Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, is posted to the Retired List, under the provisions of paragraph 127, General Regulations, 1913. Dated 3rd May, 1917.

The commissions granted the undermentioned Chaplains to the Forces, 4th Class, are cancelled, under the provisions of section 5 (a) of the Defence Act, 1909. Dated 3rd May, 1917.

Norman Cyril Wilmot Radcliffe.

Mark Henry Sutton.

Patrick Cleary.

## NEW ZEALAND ARMY NURSING SERVICE.

Beatrice Gubbins to be Staff Masseuse. Dated 15th January, 1917.

## UNATTACHED LIST (b).

2nd Lieutenant Reginald James Richards is transferred to the 1st (Canterbury) Regiment (Coast Defence Detachment). Dated 27th April, 1917.

George Victor Rogers to be 2nd Lieutenant (temp.), *vice* 2nd Lieutenant Forgie, on active service. Dated 29th March, 1917.

Sergeant Cecil George May to be 2nd Lieutenant (temp.). Dated 10th April, 1917.

Patrick Henry Roche to be 2nd Lieutenant (temp.). Dated 25th April, 1917.

## GENERAL LIST.

2nd Lieutenant Garth Galloway is granted the rank of Lieutenant (temp.) whilst employed in the N.Z. Expeditionary Force Training-camps. Dated 16th May, 1917.

Battery Quartermaster-Sergeant Joseph Henry McDougall, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 25th February, 1915.

Lieutenant Joseph Henry McDougall, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength and absorbed, with his original rank and seniority—viz., 2nd Lieutenant—as from 25th February, 1915. Dated 27th May, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant Sydney Percival Abbott resigns his commission. Dated 1st May, 1917.

## MEMORANDUM.

2nd Lieutenant Patrick James Cotton, Unattached List (b), General List, returns to duty with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with seniority as from 30th May, 1915 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 112, of 23rd September, 1915).

## ERRATUM.

With reference to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 35, of 30th March, 1916, Appointments of Officers to the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, under the heading "Reinforcements, New Zealand Rifle Brigade," delete the name of 2nd Lieutenant Norman Stephenson Davies, 3rd (Auckland) Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own), Coast Defence Detachment; and the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 11, of 25th January, 1917, Appointments of Officers proceeding on Active Service, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, under the heading "Infantry," delete the name of 2nd Lieutenant Harold Curtis Smith, Unattached List (b), General List.

J. ALLEN,  
Minister of Defence.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a road in Block XII, Waipū Survey District; and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Maungaturoto, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the

said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works at Wellington.

#### SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land required to be taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of	
1	0	10.5	Ohungarere No. 2;	coloured blue.
0	2	20.1	"	2 " purple.
1	2	39.3	"	3 " neutral tint.
2	0	35.6	Okahurewa, Sec. 3;	coloured red.
5	0	26	"	2 " yellow.
0	0	20.2	"	1 " neutral tint.

Situated in Block XII, Waipu Survey District. (S.O. 19485)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42160, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 18th day of May, 1917.

W. FRASER,  
Minister of Public Works

#### Notice to Mariners.—No. 43 of 1917.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd May, 1917.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Marine Department, Brisbane; the Department of Navigation, New South Wales; the Department of Ports and Harbours, Melbourne; and the Hydrographic Office, London, are published for general information.

GEORGE ALLPORT,  
Secretary.

#### CENTRAL AMERICA.

CARIBBEAN COAST.—PANAMA.—COLON HARBOUR ENTRANCE.—WRECK MARKED BY LIGHT-BUOY.

(a.) WRECK.—*Position*: At a distance of 1.9 cables, 359° (N. 5° W. mag.), from the group flashing red light near the outer end of the west breakwater. Lat. 9° 23½' N., long. 79° 55½' W.

*Description*: Sunken wreck of the tug "Reliance," with two masts showing about 12 ft. above water.

(b.) LIGHT-BUOY.—*Position*: At a distance of about 40 yards, eastward, from the wreck.

*Description*: A light-buoy painted in black and red horizontal bands, exhibiting an *occulting red light every eight seconds*—thus, light 4 secs., eclipse 4 secs.

*Variation*.—4° E.

#### BRAZIL.

EAST COAST.—GARCIA D'AVILA.—LIGHT ESTABLISHED.

*Position*.—Lat. 12° 33' 50" S., long. 37° 59' 50" W., on Chart No. 2262.

*Abridged Description*.—Lt. alt. fl. W.R., ev. 5 secs., 73 ft., vis. 14 m.

*CHARACTERISTICS*.—*Character*: An *alternating flashing white and red light every five seconds*, showing white and red flashes alternately.

*Elevation*: 73 ft.

*Visibility*: 14 miles.

*Structure*: White tower.

GARAJUBA POINT.—REEF EASTWARD OF.

*Position (approximate)*.—At a distance of about 5 miles south-westward from Acu das Torres. Lat. 12° 38' 30" S., long. 38° 1' 30" W., on Chart No. 2262.

*Depth*.—Not stated.

*Remarks*.—The wreck of s.s. "Workman," with upper works showing, lies on this reef.

*Note*.—The reef is known as "Espera Reef," and it is to be indicated on the charts by the symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 ft.

#### AUSTRALIA.

EAST COAST.—APPROACH CHANNEL TO URANGAN JETTY, HERVEY BAY.

Notice is hereby given that navigation marks for the navigation by daylight of the approach channel to the new Government Jetty at Urangan, Hervey Bay, have been

established, and the following directions are issued for their use:—

After passing the fairway buoy, steer S.E. by E. ½ E. passing a red buoy lying off the Pearl Bank on the starboard hand. Two white skeleton towers will then be seen at Dayman Point; bring these into line on a bearing of S. 26° E., and keep them so, passing a black buoy near the intersection of the Woody Island Lighthouses on the port hand. Continue with the beacons in line, passing another red buoy on starboard hand and a second black buoy to port; when abreast the second black buoy the wharf will be plainly seen ahead distant about two miles.

The channel is not lighted for night navigation.

PORT OF NEWCASTLE, NEW SOUTH WALES.—FAIRWAY LEADING-MARKS.

The proposed alterations to the fairway leading-marks, which were advertised to take effect from the 1st May, 1917, have now been postponed until further notice.

The present fairway leading-marks will be maintained, and must be used until further notification is given.

VICTORIA.—SORRENTO JETTY LIGHT, PORT PHILLIP.

Mariners and others are hereby notified that the fixed green jetty light will be changed to a flashing light every three (3) seconds.

To enable masters of small vessels up to 7 ft. draught to make Sorrento Jetty at night, narrow sectors of white light will be shown to the northward between the buoys marking the entrance channel off Point King, and to eastward over a safe course from Canterbury Jetty to Sorrento.

On either side of the white sectors the light will show green on the starboard and red on the port side when approaching Sorrento Jetty by such channels.

GREEN LIGHT, WARRNAMBOOL HARBOUR.

Mariners are hereby notified that the fixed green light at the inner end of the site of the old Tramway Jetty (now demolished and removed) has been discontinued.

#### CHINA SEA.

SINGAPORE STRAIT.—PHILLIP CHANNEL AND APPROACH.—EXISTENCE OF WRECKS.

(1.) *Position*.—At a distance of about one mile north-westward from Cap Islet. Lat. 1° 3' 20" N., long. 103° 42' 20" E.

*Description*.—Sunken wreck with masts just showing above water.

(2.) *Position (approximate)*.—At a distance of about 2½ miles south-westward from Cap Islet. Lat. 0° 59' 54" N., long. 103° 41' 30" E.

*Description*.—Sunken wreck with mast showing about 8 ft. above water.

#### Notice to Mariners.—No. 46 of 1917.

CUVIER ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE SIGNALLING.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd May, 1917.

SEVERAL masters of oversea ships from Panama to Auckland have recently been making the mistake of thinking that Cuvier Island is a signal-station with telegraphic communication with the mainland; this is not so, as there is no telegraphic communication with the mainland.

They should instead, when coming to Auckland, communicate with Tiritiri Signal-station.

*Charts, &c., effected*.—Admiralty Charts Nos. 3565 and 1998; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapters ii and iv, pages 34 and 99.

GEORGE ALLPORT,  
Secretary.

#### Election of Member of Wellington Land Board.

I, GORDON HURRELL MORLAND McCLURE, Returning Officer for the election of a member of the Wellington Land Board, do hereby notify, in accordance with the provisions of section 41 of the Land Act, 1908, and the regulations made thereunder, that the only person nominated to fill the vacancy occurring on the said Board was Henry Thomas Ellingham, Esq., of Horokea.

I do therefore hereby declare the said HENRY THOMAS ELLINGHAM to be duly elected a member of the Wellington Land Board for a term of two years from the 5th day of June, 1917.

Dated at Wellington this 22nd day of May, 1917.

G. H. M. McCLURE,  
Returning Officer.

Mining Privileges struck off the Mining Register.—The Mining Act, 1908, and the Mining Amendment Act, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the mining privileges contained in the Schedule hereto have been struck off the Mining Register at Greymouth, under section 30, subsection (4), of the Mining Amendment Act, 1914.

JAMES McINDOE, Mining Registrar.

## SCHEDULE

No.	Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
15/1899	Branch water-race .. ..	North of Canoe Creek .. ..	Bridget Wafer.
29/1899	Water-race .. ..	Welshman's .. ..	Chew Ten, Chew Quay, and Moy Choy.
30/1899	Dam .. ..	" .. ..	Ditto.
60/1899	Extended claim .. ..	" .. ..	Young Marn and Loo Gee.
62/1899	Water-race .. ..	Dunganville .. ..	Thomas Grealish.
69/1899	Tail-race .. ..	Irishman's Track .. ..	Hop Yee Tong.
70/1899	Water-race .. ..	Stony Creek, Barrytown .. ..	Frederick H. Warren and Elizabeth Warren.
76/1899	" .. ..	Fagan's Creek .. ..	David Young.
89/1899	" .. ..	Bushen's Creek, Seven-mile, North Beach .. ..	Michael Fitzgerald and Peter McKeon.
123/1899	Dam .. ..	Patterson's Creek .. ..	Sew Toy.
124/1899	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
134/1899	" .. ..	Cameron's Terrace .. ..	William Byrne.
143/1899	Dam .. ..	Canadian Gully .. ..	Joseph Taylor.
144/1899	" .. ..	Gibson's Gully .. ..	"
182/1899	" .. ..	Rutherglen .. ..	Hans Gloy.
183/1899	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
190/1899	Tail-race .. ..	" .. ..	Robert and Martin Pascoe.
212/1899	Water-race .. ..	Dunganville .. ..	Albert Axelson.
234/1899	Ordinary claim .. ..	Manuka Flat .. ..	James Hayden.
240/1899	Water-race .. ..	Ten-mile Creek .. ..	The Brothers Gold - mining Company (Limited).
241/1899	" .. ..	" .. ..	Ditto.
257/1899	Tail-race .. ..	Dunganville .. ..	Fanny White.
260/1899	Water-race .. ..	Twelve-mile Beach .. ..	Richard Cox.
264/1899	" .. ..	Three miles and a half north of Canoe Creek .. ..	Henry J. Jeffrey.
265/1899	Ordinary claim .. ..	Orima .. ..	Solomon Kittlety and Henry Orwood.
11/1900	Dam .. ..	Nine-mile Creek .. ..	Oscar Egdén.
12/1900	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
23/1900	Residence-site .. ..	Eleven-mile Creek .. ..	Thomas Pattison.
24/1900	" .. ..	" .. ..	Thomas Coleman.
27/1900	Water-race .. ..	McLean's Creek, near Coal Creek .. ..	Alexander Anderson and William Fabling.
28/1900	Ordinary claim .. ..	Fiji Terrace .. ..	Alexander Anderson.
29/1900	" .. ..	" .. ..	William Fabling.
41/1900	Water-race .. ..	Stillwater .. ..	James Isdell.
42/1900	Tail-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
62/1900	Residence-site .. ..	Maori Gully .. ..	Martin Hogan.
76/1900	Tail-race .. ..	Stillwater Creek .. ..	William Fitzpatrick.
77/1900	Dam .. ..	Two-mile Creek, Cameron's .. ..	Hem Kee, Soo Two, and Gin Chun
78/1900	Tail-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
79/1900	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
81/1900	Dam .. ..	Cockabulla Creek .. ..	Ah Yong and Young Chun.
82/1900	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
87/1900	Dam .. ..	McLean's Creek .. ..	Wah Qunn.
88/1900	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
89/1900	Tail-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
114/1900	Water-race .. ..	Rutherglen .. ..	Abel Trickey.
115/1900	Dam .. ..	" .. ..	"
116/1900	" .. ..	" .. ..	"
150/1900	Tail-race .. ..	Stillwater .. ..	Ernest James Smith and Henry James Bignell.
175/1900	Dam .. ..	Fiji Terrace .. ..	Alexander F. Anderson.
179/1900	Water-race .. ..	Stony Creek .. ..	Robert Gregory and George Sinclair Robertson.
180/1900	Tail-race .. ..	Sulky Gully .. ..	Sue Jong, Chim Chin, and Low Hen.
184/1900	Water-race .. ..	70 chains west of Kaimata Railway-station .. ..	Frank Stace.
185/1900	" .. ..	Stony Creek .. ..	James Frederick White.
187/1900	Ordinary claim .. ..	Stillwater .. ..	James Isdell.
193/1900	Drainage area .. ..	Limestone Creek .. ..	Man Jam.
194/1900	Dam .. ..	" .. ..	"
"	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
209/1900	Tail-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
211/1900	Special dredging claim .. ..	Waimea Survey District .. ..	Arthur John Wickes.
"	" .. ..	Section 2, Block I, Waiwhero Survey District .. ..	Neil Dickson Hood.
214/1900	Tail-race .. ..	Maori Gully .. ..	Young Jim and Sue Yin.
229/1900	Water-race .. ..	Portuguese Creek, Mawheranui Survey District .. ..	Edmund Hodgkinson.
232/1900	" .. ..	Arnold Flat .. ..	Thomas Henry Feary.
234/1900	" .. ..	" .. ..	Alfred Hodgkinson.
236/1900	" .. ..	James's Creek .. ..	John A. Smith.
242/1900	Tail-race .. ..	Donegal's Terrace .. ..	Fook Chee, Shum Loo, and Shum Sing.
244/1900	" .. ..	Dunganville .. ..	John Patterson and Samuel Milligan.



MINING PRIVILEGES STRUCK OFF THE REGISTER—*continued.*

No.	Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
245/1900	Tail-race .. .. .	Dunganville .. .. .	Andrew Hackell and Oliver Johnston.
254/1900	Water-race .. .. .	Candlelight Gully .. .. .	James Robertson.
257/1900	Ordinary claim .. .. .	South of New River .. .. .	Andrew Graham.
259/1900	Water-race .. .. .	New River .. .. .	Samuel Milligan and John Patterson, jun.
268/1900	" .. .. .	Fagan's Creek .. .. .	Richard Clough.
270/1900	" .. .. .	Canoe Creek .. .. .	"
283/1900	Dam .. .. .	McLean's Creek .. .. .	Wah Qunn.
284/1900	Water-race .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
285/1900	Tunnel .. .. .	Dunganville .. .. .	Albert Axelson.
286/1900	Water-race .. .. .	North Beach, Greymouth .. .. .	The North Beach Gold-dredging Company (Limited).
287/1900	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	Ditto.
288/1900	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
296/1900	Ordinary claim .. .. .	North of Canoe Creek .. .. .	John Joseph Ryall.
307/1900	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	John Heffermann.
312/1900	Water-race .. .. .	Cameron's .. .. .	Patrick O'Boyle.
323/1900	" .. .. .	South Bank, New River .. .. .	John Jackson and John Tindale.
334/1900	Dam .. .. .	Stillwater Creek .. .. .	James Ryan.
343A/1900	Water-race .. .. .	Ten-mile Creek .. .. .	The Brothers Gold-mining Company (Limited).
359/1900	Extended claim .. .. .	North of Canoe Creek .. .. .	John Joseph Ryall and Joseph Heffermann.
372/1900	Water-race .. .. .	Deadman's River .. .. .	Henry J. Jeffrey.
373/1900	" .. .. .	South Beach .. .. .	Richard Clough.
374/1900	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
375/1900	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
376/1900	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
26/1901	Dam .. .. .	Cain's Creek .. .. .	William Fabling.
27/1901	" .. .. .	One mile and a half from Taylorville .. .. .	"
28/1901	Water-race .. .. .	Fiji Terrace .. .. .	"
40/1901	Ordinary claim .. .. .	Marsden .. .. .	John Yenotti.
49/1901	Residence-site .. .. .	Paroa .. .. .	Gardiner Gilbert.
52/1901	Water-race .. .. .	Waimoa Creek .. .. .	Ah Soon.
65/1901	" .. .. .	Manuka Creek .. .. .	Ah Fook.
79/1901	Tail-race .. .. .	Meehan's Flat .. .. .	Charles Gillon.
88/1901	Water-race .. .. .	Cobden .. .. .	Edmund Alexander Wickes.
89/1901	Dam .. .. .	Irishman's Flat .. .. .	Hop Yea Tong.
90/1901	Water-race .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
92/1901	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
114/1901	Residence-site .. .. .	Paroa Road .. .. .	Helen Jane Wilson.
124/1901	Water-race .. .. .	Ten-mile Creek .. .. .	Peter Evan Thompson.
125/1901	Dam .. .. .	Nine-mile Creek .. .. .	"
211/1901	Water-race .. .. .	Saltwater Creek .. .. .	James Harcourt.
212/1901	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
221/1901	Dam .. .. .	Three miles and a half from Marsden .. .. .	Dey Chung and Dey Baugh.
222/1901	Water-race .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
223/1901	Extended claim .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
224/1901	Tail-race .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
229/1901	Water-race .. .. .	Blackball .. .. .	Augustus Frederick Foot.
230/1901	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
250/1901	" .. .. .	Barrytown .. .. .	John Joseph Ryall and John Heffermann.
279/1901	Tail-race .. .. .	Three miles and a half east of Cameron's .. .. .	Chee Bak, Chee Ting, and Sue Chue.
281/1901	Dam .. .. .	Limestone Creek .. .. .	Young Hing and Loo Ching.
282/1901	Water-race .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
284/1901	Tail-race .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
34/1902	Residence-site .. .. .	Near Point Elizabeth .. .. .	Benjamin Hurst.
41/1902	Water-race .. .. .	Moa Flat .. .. .	William Endicott.
42/1902	Dam .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
43/1902	Residence-site .. .. .	Four miles north of Cobden .. .. .	John McMahon.
69/1902	Water-race .. .. .	Parnell Terrace .. .. .	James Harris.
79/1902	Residence-site .. .. .	Paroa .. .. .	David McGregor.
87/1902	" .. .. .	Kotuku .. .. .	James Francis Jack.
93/1902	Dam .. .. .	Marsden .. .. .	Young Fong.
94/1902	Water-race .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
129/1902	Residence-site .. .. .	Near Bell Hill .. .. .	John Jenkins.
130/1902	" .. .. .	Cameron's Terrace .. .. .	Sue Jong, Wong Kee, and Di Moy.
131/1902	Drainage-area .. .. .	Cameron's .. .. .	"
155/1902	Tail-race .. .. .	Maori Creek .. .. .	Chow Yum, Soi Hing, Tong Joe, and Young Saye.
189/1902	Water-race .. .. .	Half-mile north of Barrytown .. .. .	Patrick Warren.
190/1902	Dam .. .. .	Pakihi .. .. .	Robert Finlayson.
200/1902	Water-race .. .. .	New River .. .. .	Chow Yum, Soi Hing, Tong Joe, and Young Saye.
201/1902	" .. .. .	Two miles from Marsden .. .. .	George Henry Russell.
231/1902	Residence-site .. .. .	Kotuku .. .. .	John Wiseman.
232/1902	Water-race .. .. .	Stillwater Creek .. .. .	Charles Joseph Gibbs.
234/1902	Tail-race .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
249/1902	Dam .. .. .	Three miles from Marsden .. .. .	Thomas Isbester.
258/1902	Residence-site .. .. .	Meagher's Creek .. .. .	Cornelius O'Connor.
258/1902	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
259/1902	" .. .. .	Barrytown .. .. .	Thomas Poschich.
261/1902	Water-race .. .. .	Mosquito Creek .. .. .	Thomas Stephens.
263/1902	Dam .. .. .	Connolly's Gully .. .. .	Richard Norman Saunders.
264/1902	Water-race .. .. .	" .. .. .	"
4/1903	Residence-site .. .. .	Three-quarters of a mile north of Canoe Creek .. .. .	Mary Lalor.

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No.	Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
9/1903	Dam .. ..	Stillwater Creek .. ..	Charles Joseph Gibbs.
20/1903	Ordinary claim .. ..	No name .. ..	James McGlanehey.
268/1902	Special dredging claim .. ..	Sections 672 and 677, Block XVI, Greymouth Survey District	The Stony and Mosquito Leads Gold-mining and Dredging Com- pany (Limited).
59/1903	Water-race .. ..	Stony Creek .. ..	John Bane.
66/1903	" .. ..	Maori Gully .. ..	Richard Norman Saunders.
76/1903	Special site .. ..	Mawheranui Survey District .. ..	The Kells Sluicing Company (Li- mited).
78/1903	Extended claim .. ..	Buckley's Terrace .. ..	Henry Jeffrey, James Moore, Mar- garet Moore, John Geaney, and others.
98/1903	Tramway .. ..	Kotuku .. ..	James Francis Jack.
100/1903	Water-race .. ..	Maori Gully .. ..	John Hinnigan.
119/1903	" .. ..	Blackball Creek .. ..	Richard Henry Wessels.
121/1903	Tramway .. ..	Block XIV, Arnold Survey District	David Hugh Roberts.
179/1903	Water-race .. ..	Half-mile north of Canoe Creek .. ..	John Wafer.
185/1903	" .. ..	Te Kinga .. ..	William Arthur Lindop.
194/1903	Dam .. ..	Maori Gully .. ..	James Leonard Saunders.
196/1903	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	Daniel O'Drien.
197/1903	Dam .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..
201/1903	" .. ..	Marsden .. ..	Peter and Andrew Giffney.
203/1903	Water-race .. ..	Dunganville .. ..	James Ilton and James Tindale.
204/1903	" .. ..	Ghost Creek .. ..	" .. ..
205/1903	" .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..
208/1903	" .. ..	Meagher's Creek .. ..	Samuel Greer Vaughn.
209/1903	Dam .. ..	Three miles and a half north of Barry- town	" .. ..
219/1903	Water-race .. ..	Connolly's Gully .. ..	James Leonard Saunders.
220/1903	Water-race .. ..	Waimea Creek .. ..	" .. ..
221/1903	Drainage area .. ..	Marsden .. ..	Andrew Giffney and Peter Giffney.
222/1903	Water-race .. ..	Nelson Creek .. ..	John Ryan and Thomas Walsh.
228/1903	Dam .. ..	Saltwater Creek .. ..	Bang Hoy.
229/1903	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	Dey Yim.
230/1903	Tail-race .. ..	" .. ..	Yim Chong.
234/1903	Dam .. ..	Barrytown .. ..	James Walker Luther.
238/1903	Special dredging claim .. ..	North Beach, Cobden .. ..	Richard Henry Wessels.
13/1904	Extended claim .. ..	Maori Creek .. ..	Henry Tibbles.
17/1904	Tail-race .. ..	" .. ..	John Henry Tibbles.
26/1904	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	James Leonard Saunders.
35/1904	Residence-site .. ..	Cobden .. ..	Frank Angus.
61/1904	Dam .. ..	Half-mile south of Barrytown .. ..	Patrick Hillary and Fergus Kelly.
62/1904	Water-race .. ..	Barry's Terrace .. ..	" .. ..
69/1904	" .. ..	Kotuku .. ..	Joe Patterson.
72/1904	Dam .. ..	Welshman's Track .. ..	John Lin Tien and Joe Fook Sim.
119/1904	Residence-site .. ..	Barrytown .. ..	Bridget Wafer.
129/1904	Ordinary claim .. ..	Maori Creek .. ..	William Fletcher.
143/1904	Tramway .. ..	Moana .. ..	Richard Stratford.
163/1904	Dam .. ..	Manuka Flat .. ..	William Chapman, Richard Blake, John Pascoe, James Coumbe Pascoe, Robert Pascoe, and Mar- tin Pascoe.
165/1904	Water-race .. ..	Half-mile north of Lake Ryan, Cobden Survey District	William Yates.
167/1904	Special site .. ..	Lake Brunner .. ..	James Francis Jack.
175/1904	Extended claim .. ..	Sea-beach, near Barrytown .. ..	Magnus Mouat.
177/1904	Ordinary sea-beach claim .. ..	Near Barrytown .. ..	John Joseph and Denis Ryall.
178/1904	Dam .. ..	New River .. ..	Olaf Johnston.
204/1905	Water-race .. ..	McLean's Creek .. ..	Thomas Wisniewski.
19/1905	" .. ..	" .. ..	Ernest Gardiner.
26/1905	" .. ..	Maori Creek .. ..	John William Kelly.
56/1905	Dam .. ..	McLean's Creek .. ..	Ernest Gardener.
65/1904	Water-race .. ..	Moana .. ..	John W. Brownlee, John and Emil Nyberg.
66/1905	" .. ..	Rutherglen .. ..	John Pascoe.
91/1905	" .. ..	Marsden .. ..	John Yea Tong.
92/1905	Tail-race .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..
94/1905	Water-race .. ..	Coal Creek .. ..	Ernest Gardener.
95/1905	" .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..
121/1905	Dam .. ..	Cameron's .. ..	Wah Qun.
122/1905	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..
123/1903	Dam .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..
125/1903	Tail-race .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..
124/1905	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..
131/1905	Dam .. ..	Two-mile Creek, Cameron's .. ..	Sue Jong, Wong Kee, and Di Moy.
132/1905	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..
146/1905	" .. ..	Cameron's .. ..	Lee Tim and Young Yuon.
147/1905	Dam .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..
148/1905	Tail-race .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..
149/1905	Special site .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..
162/1905	Water-race .. ..	Two miles east of Cameron's .. ..	Patrick O'Boyle.
163/1905	Drainage area .. ..	Two-mile Creek, Cameron's .. ..	" .. ..
164/1905	Tail-race .. ..	Maori Gully .. ..	William Burns.
181/1905	Tunnel .. ..	Fiji Terrace .. ..	William Griffiths and Benjamin Williams.
189/1905	Water-race .. ..	Cameron's Track .. ..	Joseph William Hynes.
195/1905	Dam .. ..	One mile south-east of Paroa .. ..	Lee Willis.
196/1905	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..
202/1905	" .. ..	Maori Gully .. ..	Henry Orpwood.
204/1905	Dam .. ..	Riverton Terrace .. ..	" .. ..

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No.	Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
21/1906 37/1906	Water-race .. .. Special dredging claim .. ..	Seventeen-mile Beach .. .. New River .. ..	James Bourke, sen. Gilbert Cunningham, Ernest Wilson, Norman Douglas Mabin, and Alexander Doig.
81/1906	Branch race .. ..	" .. ..	Catherine Saunders, John Mailer, Alexander Cowan, John Powers Smith, Robert Martin, Sheddan Brugh, James Sheddan, and John Charles Short.
84/1906 85/1906	Branch water-race .. ..	" .. ..	Ditto.
122/1906	Tail-race .. ..	Marsden .. ..	Chow Yum, Soi Hing, Tong Joe, and Young Saye.
139/1906 11/1907	Special site .. .. Residence-site .. ..	Rotomana .. .. Junction of the Dunganville and Maori Tracks .. ..	Ernest Gardener. John Powers Smith.
14/1907 26/1907	" .. .. Tail-race .. ..	North Beach, Cobden .. .. Cockabulla Creek .. ..	Rudolph and Sydney Lousich. Ah Hee and Ah Shun.
38/1907	Special site .. ..	" .. ..	"
39/1907	Dam .. ..	" .. ..	"
40/1907	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
44/1907	Ordinary claim .. ..	One mile above Maori Gully .. ..	James de Morenci Leo Greene.
50/1907	Dam .. ..	" .. ..	"
51/1907	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
60/1907	Dam .. ..	New River .. ..	Catherine Saunders, John Mailer, Alexander Cowan, James Powers Smith, Robert Martin, Sheddan Brugh, James Sheddan, and John Charles Short.
61/1907	Water-race .. ..	Maori Gully .. ..	Joseph Lloyd and James Andrews.
62/1907	Drainage area .. ..	" .. ..	"
78/1907	Special claim .. ..	Canoe Creek .. ..	William Robert Kettle and Charles Kettle.
95/1907	Tail-race .. ..	One mile and a half north of Canoe Creek .. ..	James Bourke, jun.
97/1907	Water-race .. ..	Dunganville .. ..	Allan Pugh.
104/1907	Extended claim .. ..	Parnell Terrace .. ..	Herbert Farrissey.
105/1907	Water-race .. ..	Barrytown .. ..	"
120/1907	Tail-race .. ..	Marsden .. ..	Joe Lin Tie and Joe Fook Sim.
18/1908	Extended claim .. ..	McLean's Creek .. ..	Gilbert Filshie Stewart.
54/1908	Residence-site .. ..	Welshman's .. ..	John Ferris Martin.
124/1908	Water-race .. ..	Moana .. ..	Archibald Edwin Anderson.
125/1908	" .. ..	Maori Creek .. ..	Edward and Allan Garland.
24/1909	Dam .. ..	One mile and a half east of Paroa Station .. ..	George and Henry Williams.
6/1909	Residence-site .. ..	Paroa .. ..	William Edward Blauche.
54/1909	Extended claim .. ..	Cameron's Flat .. ..	John McDonald.
75/1909	Water-race .. ..	Wallsend .. ..	John Noble.
112/1909	Special claim .. ..	Seven-mile .. ..	Edward Morrison.
115/1909	Special site .. ..	Maori Gully .. ..	The Maori Gully Sluicing Company (Limited)
76/1909	Residence-site .. ..	Barrytown .. ..	Donald McGregor.
118/1909	Water-race .. ..	Nine-mile Creek .. ..	Edward Morrison.
119/1909	" .. ..	" .. ..	"
120/1909	" .. ..	" .. ..	"
121/1909	" .. ..	" .. ..	"
122/1909	Dam .. ..	" .. ..	"
123/1909	" .. ..	" .. ..	"
7/1910	Residence-site .. ..	South Beach .. ..	Joseph Bushfield Shriver.
30/1910	Special site .. ..	Poerua .. ..	William Meates; Pietro Buttola; P. A. Buttola; William Burke; John, Hugh, and Francis O'Fla- herty.
51/1910	Dam .. ..	Marsden .. ..	Wong Hick and Wong Fen.
52/1910	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
55/1910	Tramway .. ..	Grey-Paroa Road .. ..	The Westland Brick Company (Li- mited).
60/1910	Water-race .. ..	Deep Creek .. ..	Noel Peat and Allan Macfarlane.
61/1910	" .. ..	" .. ..	Patrick McCormack and John Mc- Guire.
70/1910	Special site .. ..	Poerua .. ..	Noel Peat and Allan Macfarlane.
72/1910	Water-race .. ..	" .. ..	Richard Hall and John Hogan.
74/1910	" .. ..	" .. ..	James John Rowe and Hjalmer Oqvist.
76/1910	Sawmill area .. ..	Haupiri .. ..	Thomas Mills.
107/1910	Residence-site .. ..	North Brunner .. ..	George Smith.
108/1910	" .. ..	" .. ..	Frank Bassano.
109/1910	" .. ..	" .. ..	Fosbery Nancarrow.
110/1910	" .. ..	" .. ..	Frank Cameron.
144/1910	Water-race .. ..	Cameron's .. ..	Alexander Waugh.
145/1910	Dam .. ..	" .. ..	"
146/1910	" .. ..	" .. ..	"
26/1911	Special claim .. ..	Riverton Terrace .. ..	The Maori Gully Sluicing Company (Limited).
27/1911	Special site .. ..	" .. ..	Ditto.
28/1911	Tail-race .. ..	" .. ..	"
29/1911	Extended claim .. ..	Nine-mile Beach .. ..	Con Warren.
38/1911	" .. ..	Twelve-mile Beach .. ..	Joseph Power.
74/1911	Dam .. ..	James's Terrace .. ..	Alexander Leebody.
75/1911	" .. ..	" .. ..	"

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No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
51288	10/1/95	Extended claim	North Beach, Cobden	James Currie.
51298	11/1/95	"	Barrytown	Maxwell Walsh.
55623	1/2/95	"	Saltwater Creek	James Gordon and Henry Seebeck.
55641	14/2/95	"	Barrytown	James G. W. Sutherland.
55642	19/2/95	"	Cameron's	Bernard Gallagher.
885	25/2/95	Residence-site	Barrytown	Stephen Tyther.
55651	26/2/95	Extended claim	Tipperary Terrace	Evan Henry Lewis, John Morris, and James Harris.
55657	28/2/95	"	North Beach	Alonzo Wisdom, William Petherbridge, and James Hornsby.
55658	28/2/95	"	Barrytown	Clement Cargill.
55659	28/2/95	"	Paparoa	Patrick Bourke and Joseph Devlin.
55661	28/2/95	"	Stillwater	Patrick Moore and Patrick Moore.
886	1/3/95	Residence-site	Paroa	John Neilson.
55673	8/3/95	Extended claim	Marsden	Chew Quay, Chew Ten, and Mow Choy.
55680	14/3/95	Tunnel	Fiji Creek	John Reeves.
55698	28/3/95	"	Fiji Flat	George Henderson, Henry Routledge, and James Noonan.
55699	28/3/95	Extended claim	"	Ditto.
887	11/4/95	Residence-site	South Beach	Robert Gordon.
55715	11/4/95	Extended claim	Fiji Terrace	George McMillan, John Junk, and Joe Wittal.
55718	11/4/95	Tailing-site	"	"
55719	17/4/95	Extended claim	Paparoa	Patrick Kearins and Patrick O'Boyle.
55735	29/4/95	Tunnel	Limestone Track	John Ferris Martin.
55748	10/5/95	Extended claim	Barrytown	Arthur Hill, Charles Cox, and Raymond Poschich.
55759	23/5/95	"	Fiji Terrace	Joseph and Charles Baxter.
55762	27/5/95	Tailing-site	Sulky Gully	Graham Henderson.
55777	27/6/95	Extended claim	Nemona	James Finn.
55785	5/7/95	"	Fuchsia Creek	Thomas Flannagan.]
890	18/7/95	Residence-site	South Beach	James Dillon.
58613	25/7/95	Extended claim	Cameron's	Elizabeth Jane Keenan.
58614	25/7/95	"	"	John Collins, Alexander Simpson, and Robert Evans.
58617	25/7/95	Special site	"	John Collins.
58618	"	Extended claim	Woodman's Terrace	Joseph Devlin, Patrick Bourke, Walter Rodgers, Richard Rodgers.
58619	25/7/95	"	Stillwater Creek	Benjamin Roberts and Percival Tomkies.
58620	25/7/95	"	Langdon's Creek	John Allen and Frederick Nyberg.
58634	8/8/95	"	Fletcher's Creek	William Muncaster, Tom Dalzell, John Southward, and Henry Routledge.
58636	8/8/95	"	North Beach	Thomas Gunn.
58637	8/8/95	Tunnel	Sulky Creek	George Denison, William Hunter, John and James Arbuckle.
58638	8/8/95	Extended claim	South Beach	Henry Elliot.
58641	8/8/95	"	Manuka Flat	George Befton.
58648	17/8/95	Tunnel	Dunganville	John Jackson and John Tundale.
58649	22/8/95	Extended claim	South Beach	Richard Spencer.
58654	22/8/95	"	Ten-mile Creek	Andrew Perry and William Wick.
58665	14/9/95	"	North Beach	Joseph Robert Davis.
58668	14/9/95	Tunnel	Unknown Creek	Joseph Grigg, senior and junior.
58669	14/9/95	Extended claim	Manuka Flat	"
58670	14/9/95	Drainage area	Unknown Creek	"
58682	26/9/95	Extended claim	Pascoe's Creek	John Frederick Fenwick, Joseph A. Stokes, George and Jeremiah Griffiths.
58685	26/9/95	Tailing-site	Barrytown	Evan Henry Lewis, John Morris, and James Harris.
58686	26/9/95	Extended claim	"	Ditto.
58689	"	"	Liddy's Creek	Catherine Nelson.
892	26/9/95	Residence-site	Barrytown	Andrew McNeil.
893	26/9/95	"	"	Christian Nelson.
61401	2/10/95	Extended claim	Irish Creek	Ah Kee and Ah Wan.
61414	11/10/95	"	Seven-mile Beach	James Bourke, jun., and Henry Coom.
61425	22/10/95	"	Razorback Terrace	Henry Joseph Jeffery.
61428	24/10/95	Tunnel	New River Flat	John Jackson, Benjamin Tindale, Joseph King, and John Tindale, jun.
61430	24/10/95	Extended claim	Limestone Flat	Richard Boddy.
61447	24/10/95	"	Manuka Flat	John Hughes.
61452	24/10/95	"	Barrytown	Patrick Callinan.
61456	14/11/95	"	Canoe Creek	Elizabeth Skelton.
894	22/11/95	Residence-site	South Beach	John Neall.
61468	25/11/95	Extended claim	Nemona	Francis Dixon.
61471	21/11/95	"	"	Abraham Kingston.
62407	9/1/96	"	Cameron's	John and Thomas Flanagan.
62408	9/1/96	"	South Beach	John Spencer.
62413	12/12/95	"	Cameron's	Kin Gee, Kin Yok, Kin Chun, and Sim Kin.
62427	20/1/96	"	Sawyer's Creek	Peter Gibson.
62472	27/2/96	Tunnel	Stillwater	James Isdell and Robert Glen.
62473	27/2/96	Double-area claim	"	"
62475	27/2/96	Tramway	Langdon's	The Julian Gold-mining Company (Limited).
62476	27/2/96	Machine-site	"	"
62482	"	Extended claim	Parry's Terrace	Leong Hung.
62499	16/3/96	Tunnel	Brunnerton	Patrick Molnery.
65307	16/3/96	Extended claim	Wellshman's	Michael Kirwan and Frank McGowan.
65309	"	Tunnel	Stillwater	Edward and Michael Moore.
65311	31/3/96	"	Cameron's Terrace	Jerome Kester.
65318	16/3/96	Extended claim	Sulky Gully	Samuel Kean and James Wells.
898	23/4/96	Residence-site	Barrytown	John Ryall.
65338	14/5/96	Extended claim	Daffon's Terrace	John and Thomas Henderson.
65362	18/5/96	"	Barrytown	Abel Trickey and James Walsh.
6367	23/5/96	Tramway	Rutherglen	John Walsh.
65368	23/5/96	Tailing-site	"	"

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No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
65386	28/5/96	Extended claim	Larrikin's Terrace	William E. Hawkins and Frederick Shury.
6592	11/6/96	"	Barrytown	Raymond Poschich, jun.
65398	11/6/96	"	2½ miles north of Barrytown	Patrick Callanan and John O'Regan.
404	11/6/96	Machine-site	Meagher's Creek	Stephen Tyther, Jane Ryall, and Denis Ryall.
67710	6/5/96	Extended claim	South Beach	Robert Delaney.
67711	28/5/96	"	Manuka Flat	Joe George.
67712	28/5/96	Tunnel	Fiji Terrace	Henry and George McKenzie.
67713	11/6/96	Extended claim	"	"
67718	25/6/96	Tunnel	Armstrong's Terrace	Nathaniel Pascoe.
67719	25/6/96	Extended claim	"	"
67739	9/7/96	"	Barrytown	Richard Clough.
67746	25/6/96	"	Donegal's Terrace	Young Hee, Young Marn, Young Hang, Soo Cheong, Ah Chong, Fook Chee, Shum Loo, and Shum Sing.
67749	25/6/96	Tailing-site	"	Ditto.
67758	9/7/96	Extended claim	2½ miles north of Barrytown	Thomas Bessant.
67759	9/7/96	"	Barrytown	The Barrytown Gold-mining Company (Limited) and Andrew McKay, Greymouth.
67765	9/7/96	"	Saltwater Creek	James Gordon.
67770	9/7/96	"	Barrytown	John Ryall and Denis Ryall.
67774	25/6/96	Tunnel	New River	John Jackson, Joseph George, William Kittlety, Archibald Brown, Thomas Hanrahan, and Charles Theirs.
67775	25/6/96	Special site	"	Ditto.
67778	25/6/96	Extended claim	Rutherglen	Henry Kayler.
67805	23/7/96	Special site	Liverpool Creek	George Williams and George McCracken.
67807	23/7/96	Tunnel	"	George Williams, sen., and George Williams, jun.
67808	23/7/96	Tunnel	South side of Liverpool Creek	George Williams and George McCracken.
67809	23/7/96	Extended claim	Ditto	"
67810	23/7/96	"	North side of Liverpool Creek	George Williams, sen., and George Williams, jun.
67820	23/7/96	"	Four-mile Creek	B. J. Blewitt and J. Blewitt.
67821	23/7/96	"	Eight-mile Creek	John Milne and John Theirs.
67822	23/7/96	Tunnel	"	"
67837	13/8/96	Extended claim	4½ miles north of Barrytown	Evan Henry Lewis, William Henry Lewis, John Morris, and James Harris.
67836	13/8/96	"	Ditto	Ditto.
67838	13/8/96	Double-area claim	Wall's Creek	Edward Moore.
67841	27/8/96	Extended claim	Sulky Gully	William Clark Boase, Andrew Hamilton, William Hamilton, and Henry Little.
67857	"	"	North Beach	John McMahon.
67877	"	"	New River	Yee Ching, Yin Quong, Loo Mock, Yin Sing, Yee Chee, and Loo Hung.
67979	25/9/96	Tailing-site	"	Ditto.
67876	25/9/96	Extended claim	"	John Jackson, Joseph George, John Tindale, Archibald Brown, Thomas Hanrahan, Charles Theirs.
67892	25/9/96	"	Stillwater	Henry Routledge and Thomas Jones.
71805	8/10/96	"	Seven-mile, North Beach	Alonzo Wisdom.
71809	10/10/96	"	Darkies Terrace	Martin Parker.
71813	15/10/96	Tailing-site	Irishman's Creek	F. J. Hinkley and Henry Ramsay.
71814	8/10/96	Tunnel	"	"
71823	23/10/96	Special site	Stillwater	Michael Roche and Bernard McGuire.
71828	22/10/96	Extended claim	4½ miles north of Barrytown	Evan Henry Lewis, William Henry Lewis, John Morris, and James Harris.
71843	"	"	South Beach	Edmond Power.
899	8/10/96	Residence-site	Barrytown	Mary Davies.
2601	3/12/96	"	Fiji Terrace	Robert Stewart.
71875	14/12/96	Extended claim	Buckley's Terrace	John Edwards.
71892	21/12/96	"	Near Barrytown	Henry J. Jeffrey, William Hefferman, George Lennon, John Lewis.
71905	7/1/97	"	2 miles north of Barrytown	George William Reeves and John Martin.
71937	25/1/97	Tailing-site	Eight-mile Creek	Fanny White.
71932	14/1/97	Extended claim	Dunganville	Ernest Larcombe and John McFie.
71917	14/1/97	"	Marsden Road	Cum Young, Mee Young, and Wye Tung.
71927	14/1/97	Tailing-site	Eight-mile Creek	John Jackson and Archibald Brown.
71941	28/1/97	Extended claim	Logan's Terrace	John Jackson, John Tindale, and John King.
71982	1/3/97	"	Eight-mile Creek	Soo Loop, Soo Fong, Soo Jem, and Soo Mee.
71983	1/3/97	Tailing-site	"	Fanny White.
71984	1/3/97	Tail-race	"	"
71987	1/3/97	Extended claim	"	Soo Mee, Sun Sing, Ah Yean, and Lin Shung.
74030	13/4/97	"	Stillwater Creek	W. H. Heley, A. G. Tomkies, R. T. Rayner, and C. A. Radcliffe.
74041	22/4/97	Tailing-site	Dunganville	Robert Stewart.
74048	28/4/97	Extended claim	Four-mile Creek	Peter Dafforn.
2602	19/3/97	Residence-site	Marsden Road	Frank McGowan.
2603	24/4/97	"	Barrytown	William Duncan.
74060	10/5/97	Extended claim	Irishman's Creek	Ah Hou, Yep Mung, Yep Moo, and Chow Tye.
74068	13/5/97	"	New River	Loo Soo, Loo Gee, Loo Ling, Loo Dun.
74072	13/5/97	"	Marsden	Thomas Brown.
74065	10/5/97	Ordinary claim	Buckley's Creek	John O'Regan.
2605	12/5/97	Residence-site	North Beach, Cobden	Amelia Murfitt and J. H. Wilson.
74083	21/5/97	Extended claim	Marsden Road	Ling Wah, Chew Ten, Joe Kong.
74089	26/5/97	"	Old Marsden Road	William O'Kane.
2606	9/6/97	Residence-site	Blackball Track	Jeremiah O'Donnell.
74101	14/6/97	Extended claim	Dunganville	James Glennhy.
2607	14/6/97	Residence-site	Barrytown	Peter Cargill.

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No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
2608	14/6/97	Residence-site	Barrytown	Clement Cargill.
2609	14/6/97	"	"	Ellen Cargill.
74113	24/6/97	Extended claim	Marsden	Loo Chee and Ah Ching.
74150	19/7/97	"	Ten-mile Creek	William Wick and Andrew Perry.
74158	22/7/97	"	Irishman's Creek	Sue Yick and Ah Shun.
74160	22/7/97	Tailing-site	"	"
74171	2/8/97	Extended claim	4 miles north of Barrytown	Raymond Poschich and George Lennon.
74188	9/8/97	Tramway	Rutherglen	Richard Blake.
74192	9/8/97	Extended claim	Sullivan's Flat	William Anderson, John and Alexander Anderson.
74211	19/8/97	"	Rosana Flat	Diedrich Grimmelmann.
74182	6/8/97	"	Canoe Creek	Timothy Carey.
74216	26/8/97	"	"	John Martin.
74245	15/9/97	"	Parry's Terrace	Leong Hung.
74247	15/9/97	"	1 mile from Darkies Terrace	Benjamin Hurst.
82603	28/10/97	"	New River	Andrew Graham and Patrick O'Brien.
82605	28/10/97	"	Cockabulla Creek	Ye Lok and Ye Fok Wah.
82607	28/10/97	"	Eight-mile Creek	"
82647	20/11/97	"	Barrytown Road	Frank Stace, David Bett Hood, John C. Truscott, John Rowe, William Arnett, and Christian Nelson.
82653	25/11/97	"	Dunganville Road	Henry Martyn and George H. Russell.
2611	24/1/97	Residence-site	Barrytown Road	Jane Ryall.
82716	19/1/98	Extended claim	Dunganville	Kum Young, Soo Dick Kee, See Ye Kin.
82724	7/2/98	Tunnel	Four-mile Creek	Peter Daform.
82758	11/2/98	Extended claim	Old Marsden Road	William Goard.
2612	26/1/98	Residence-site	"	"
82772	28/2/98	Tunnel	Fiji Terrace	Thomas Knott and James Tourell.
82773	28/2/98	Extended claim	Mosquito Creek	Kong Kee, Kong Loy, Kong Un, and Chow Kin.
82783	"	"	"	Mee Sing.
82792	"	"	New River	Fauk Dun and Lou Kum.
82841	6/5/98	"	Barrytown	Patrick Hillary and Fergus Kelly.
82843	9/5/98	Tramway	New River	J. D. Gillies.
82873	6/6/98	Tailing-site	North Beach	James Davidson.
406	11/5/98	Machine-site	"	"
82879	10/6/98	Extended claim	Four-mile Creek	Patrick Lofters.
82890	25/6/98	"	Canoe Creek	James W. G. Sutherland.
82900	4/7/98	"	Fiji Terrace	William Griffiths, John Teasdale, and William Griffiths, jun.
2615	7/7/98	Residence-site	Herbert's Track	Osmond Butler.
89125	12/7/98	Tunnel	Dunganville	Sarah McFie, John McFie, and Ethel McFie.
89147	25/7/98	Extended claim	South Beach	Robert Hunter.
89151	26/7/98	"	South of Barrytown	James Moore, Richard Scully, Thomas George Davies, and James Joseph Moore.
89165	4/8/98	"	Blue Jacket Terrace	Charles Smith and Hugh Burnside.
89180	10/8/98	"	Saltwater Creek	Abel Webber.
89181	10/8/98	"	Hall's Flat	Frank Martin.
89184	11/8/98	"	Ten-mile Creek	James Bourke, Herbert Lee, and Robert H. Free.
89187	12/8/98	Tailing-site	Barrytown-Brighton Road	Euphemia McKay.
89188	12/8/98	"	Brighton Road	"
89195	22/8/98	"	Maori Creek	Sarah McFie, John and Ethel McFie.
89193	20/8/98	Dam	Welshman's	Benjamin Roberts.
89194	20/8/98	Tail-race	"	"
89190	12/8/98	Extended claim	Sulky Gully	Frank Wills and William King.
89198	24/8/98	Tunnel	Heathdale	Joseph Grigg.
89199	24/8/98	Extended claim	"	"
2617	31/8/98	Residence-site	4 miles north of Barrytown	James Harris.
89221	6/9/98	Extended claim	Meagher's Creek	Hugh Burnside, John Warren, Robert and William Scott, Stephen Tyther, and A. Anderson.
89222	6/9/98	"	New River Flat	Look Ham, Loo Gee, and Ah Hing.
89239	14/9/98	"	Nemona	Edmund Cronin.
89241	14/9/98	Tailing-site	North Beach	James Isdell.
89245	20/9/98	Extended claim	Sulky Gully	Ah Tom, Sue Jong, Chim Shin, and Low Hen.
89247	20/9/98	Tunnel tail-race	New River	Olaf Johnston and Andrew E. Hackell.
89248	20/9/98	Extended claim	Sulky Gully	Sue Shim.
89283	4/10/98	"	Ten-mile Creek	Frank Pratt.
89264	29/9/98	Tailing-site	North Beach	James Charles Duncan.
89265	29/9/98	"	"	"
89268	30/9/98	Dredging claim	Maori Point	Henry Jones, sen., and Henry Jones, jun.
89291	11/10/98	Extended claim	Donegal Terrace	James Finn.
89297	25/10/98	"	Ten-mile Creek	Thomas Hannam.
89320	8/11/98	Tailing-site	"	The Brothers Gold-mining Company (Limited).
89325	23/11/98	Extended claim	Donegal's Flat	Peter Giffney and Andrew Giffney.
89330	2/12/98	"	Fagan's Creek	Patrick Hillary, Richard Walsh, and Thomas Burns.
89338	6/12/98	"	Wall's Creek, Stillwater	Louis Stewart and James Callaghan.
89352	23/11/98	Machine-site	Fagan's Creek	John Smith.
89364	6/1/99	Extended claim	"	Magnus Mouat.
89365	6/1/99	"	Stony Creek	Annie Wilson.
89360	6/1/99	Residence-site	Fourteen-mile Creek	"
92902	9/2/99	Extended claim	Riverton Gully	James Costigan, John Hogan, Thomas Costigan, Lawrence and James Costigan.
92903	9/2/99	"	"	Edward McGuire, Timothy Saunders, David Watson, John Kennedy, and Bernard McGuire.
92941	15/5/99	Prospecting dredging claim	Near Brunner Railway Tunnel	The Mawhera Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

## Exports.—Weekly.

**R**ETURN of PRINCIPAL EXPORTS of NEW ZEALAND PRODUCE from the Dominion during the Week ended Tuesday, 22nd May, 1917.

NOTE.—These figures are subject to alteration. They represent the entries from the ports received at Head Office, Wellington, up to 5 p.m. on Tuesday. \* Goods exported are credited as far as possible to each district of production (as per list appended to return for week ended 31st August, 1915, *New Zealand Gazette* No. 103, page 3117), whether exported through the port for such district or not. † Figures relating to the export of gold will not be available until the cessation of hostilities.

Districts.*	Butter.	Cheese.	Frozen Meats.			Gold.†
			Lamb.	Mutton.	Other.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland .. .. .	395	23	..	..	80	..
Kaipara .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tauranga .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gisborne .. .. .	..	..	164	31,357	4,431	..
New Plymouth .. ..	273	..	..	3,258	5,475	..
Waitara .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Patea .. .. .	..	..	..	2,370	..	..
Wanganui .. .. .	..	..	..	10,049	7,806	..
Wellington .. .. .	..	..	..	..	8,866	..
Napier .. .. .	681	..	..	10,683	5,783	..
Wairau (including Picton) ..	..	3,639	..	..	..	..
Nelson .. .. .	2,238	..	..	..	..	..
Westport .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth .. .. .	1,840	..	..	..	..	..
Hokitika .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton .. .. .	1,807	..	2,319	9,105	12,589	..
Timaru .. .. .	..	..	11,171	10,662	8,359	..
Oamaru .. .. .	..	..	..	279	..	..
Dunedin .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invercargill .. .. .	153	56	..	..	..	..
Totals .. .. .	7,387	3,718	13,654	77,763	53,389	..

Districts.*	Grain and Pulse.	Hides and Skins.	Kauri-gum.	Phormium (including Tow).	Tallow.	Timber.	Wool.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland .. .. .	119	..	376	9	271	368	11,590
Kaipara .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tauranga .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1,421	..
Gisborne .. .. .	..	1,164	..	..	5,005	878	65,463
New Plymouth .. ..	..	..	..	..	2,879	..	..
Waitara .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1,000	..	53,978
Patea .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3,080	..	..
Wanganui .. .. .	..	4,827	..	..	5,097	266	..
Wellington .. .. .	431	19,175	..	45,163	1,892	..	1,224
Napier .. .. .	..	1,853	..	..	7,371	..	69,007
Wairau (including Picton) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nelson .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westport .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	863	..
Hokitika .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton .. .. .	..	3,157	..	..	9,317	..	23,970
Timaru .. .. .	..	..	..	..	5,187	..	1,684
Oamaru .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3,786	..	7,551
Dunedin .. .. .	..	371	..	..	..	1,043	..
Invercargill .. .. .	..	2,600	..	601	..	42	17,293
Totals .. .. .	550	33,147	376	45,773	44,885	4,881	251,760

Customs Department,  
Wellington, 23rd May, 1917.

W. B. MONTGOMERY,  
Comptroller of Customs.



## Balance-sheets of Savings-banks for 1916-17

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 9th May, 1917.

THE following balance-sheets of the Auckland, New Plymouth, Hokitika, Dunedin, and Invercargill Savings-banks, having been approved by His Excellency the Governor, are published as required by section 17 of the Savings-banks Act, 1908.

A. M. MYERS,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

## Auckland Savings-bank Balance-sheet.

RECEIPTS and Payments of the Auckland Savings-bank for the year ending 31st March, 1917:—

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
Balance, 1st April, 1916	..	247,607	4	0
Deposited during the twelve months	..	1,395,329	3	4
Interest added during the twelve months	..	1,756	12	1
Interest added, 31st March, 1917	..	69,172	5	7
Interest on mortgages and debentures	..	87,185	7	11
Interest on deposit with Bank of New Zealand	..	8,370	4	9
Mortgages repaid	..	68,420	0	0
Debentures repaid	..	55,300	0	0
		<u>£1,933,140</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>8</u>

PAYMENTS.		£	s.	d.
Repaid depositors	..	1,202,716	19	0
Interest credited depositors	..	70,928	17	8
Advanced on mortgage	..	116,790	0	0
Advanced on debentures	..	201,800	0	0
Charges	..	9,756	16	9
Building account	..	258	4	6
Mortgagors' rates and insurance premiums	..	214	11	3
Donations to Patriotic Funds—				
"North Sea Relief"	..	250	0	0
"Auckland Provincial Aeroplane"	..	100	0	0
"Belgian Relief"	..	500	0	0
Donation to Elam School of Art	..	200	0	0
Deposit with Bank of New Zealand (working account)	..	329,625	8	6
		<u>£1,933,140</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>8</u>

J. MUIR BARR, Acting Manager.  
JAMES W. WATTS, Acting Accountant.  
G. S. KISSLING,  
W. WALLACE BRUCE, } Auditors.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above statement of the receipts and payments of the Auckland Savings-bank, and to the best of our belief it contains a true and correct account of all the transactions of the bank during the twelve months, and that the balance of cash amounts to £329,625 8s. 6d.

JOHN JENKIN, Vice-President.  
JAS. J. HOLLAND,  
ROBERT FARRELL,  
GRAVES AICKIN,  
ALFRED J. BANKART, } Trustees.  
P. M. MACKAY,  
A. J. ENTRICAN,  
C. HUDSON,

## ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

Assets.		£	s.	d.
Invested on mortgage	..	1,086,865	0	0
New Zealand Government debentures	..	380,000	0	0
Auckland Harbour Board debentures	..	142,500	0	0
Auckland City Council debentures	..	111,430	0	0
Grey Lynn Borough debentures	..	28,200	0	0
Newmarket Borough debentures	..	900	0	0
Devonport Borough debentures	..	8,000	0	0
New Plymouth Borough debentures	..	10,000	0	0
Remuera Road Board debentures	..	13,900	0	0
Mount Albert Road Board debentures	..	16,000	0	0
Mount Wellington Road Board debentures	..	5,000	0	0
Waitemata County Council debentures	..	10,300	0	0
Mount Eden Borough Council Debentures	..	19,600	0	0
Interest due, 31st March, 1917	..	22,542	4	0
Mortgagors' rates, insurance premiums, &c., due 31st March, 1917	..	214	11	3
Bank premises	..	20,000	0	0
Deposit with Bank of New Zealand (working account)	..	329,625	8	6
		<u>£2,205,077</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>9</u>

## Liabilities.

	£	s.	d.	
Amount due 59,354 depositors	..	2,043,974	11	11
Reserved Surplus Profits Fund	..	100,000	0	0
Investment Fluctuation Account	..	50,000	0	0
Balance	..	11,102	11	10
		<u>£2,205,077</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>9</u>

J. MUIR BARR, Acting Manager.  
JAMES W. WATTS, Acting Accountant.  
G. S. KISSLING,  
W. WALLACE BRUCE, } Auditors.

We hereby certify that to the best of our belief the above is a true and correct statement of the assets and liabilities of the Auckland Savings-bank on the 31st March, 1917.

JOHN JENKIN, Vice-President.

JAS. J. HOLLAND,  
ROBERT FARRELL,  
GRAVES AICKIN,  
ALFRED J. BANKART, } Trustees.  
P. M. MACKAY,  
A. J. ENTRICAN,

## New Plymouth Savings-bank Balance-sheet.

RECEIPTS and Expenditure of the New Plymouth Savings-bank for the year ending 31st March, 1917:—

RECEIPTS.		£	s.	d.
To Bank and cash balance, 31st March, 1916	..	4,149	12	6
Post Office Savings-bank	..	1,565	5	7
Bank of New Zealand, Deposit Account	..	700	0	0
Depositors	..	14,196	12	11
Interest credited depositors	..	1,155	18	6
Mortgages paid off	..	2,004	5	4
Interest on mortgages and deposits	..	1,855	19	9
		<u>£25,627</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>7</u>

EXPENDITURE.		£	s.	d.
By Bank and cash balances, 31st March, 1917	..	4,372	15	9
Post Office Savings-bank	..	1,614	9	7
Bank of New Zealand, Deposit Account	..	700	0	0
Depositors	..	11,564	15	0
Interest credited depositors	..	1,155	18	6
Loans advanced on mortgages	..	5,760	0	0
Management charges	..	459	15	9
		<u>£25,627</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>7</u>

## PROFIT AND LOSS.

	£	s.	d.	
To Interest credited to depositors	..	1,155	18	6
Management charges	..	459	15	9
Balance	..	4,210	0	9
		<u>£5,825</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>
By Balance, 31st March, 1916	..	3,865	14	2
Interest on mortgages and deposits	..	1,855	19	9
Interest accrued to 31st March, 1917	..	496	12	2
		<u>2,352</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>
Less interest accrued to 31st March, 1916	..	392	11	1
		<u>1,960</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>10</u>
		<u>£5,825</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>

## ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

Assets.		£	s.	d.
By Deposit, Post Office Savings-bank	..	1,614	9	7
Deposit, Bank of New Zealand	..	700	0	0
Bank credit, balance, and cash in hand	..	4,372	15	9
Securities (including reserves)	..	31,350	0	0
Office furniture	..	19	10	3
Accrued interest	..	496	12	2
		<u>£38,553</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9</u>

<i>Liabilities.</i>	£	s.	d.
By Depositors' credit balances ..	34,343	7	0
Balance, Profit and Loss Account ..	4,210	0	9
	<u>£38,553</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9</u>

PAUL C. MORTON, Manager.  
 H. WESTON, Vice-President.  
 W. L. NEWMAN,  
 A. SHUTTLEWORTH,  
 DANL. BERRY,  
 R. COOK,  
 G. W. BROWNE, } Trustees.

I certify that I have examined the books and vouchers of the New Plymouth Savings-bank for the year ended 31st March, 1917, also deeds of mortgage and insurance policies; and certify that the above balance-sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the bank's affairs as disclosed by the books of the trustees. All my requirements as Auditor have been complied with.

C. T. MILLS, F.P.A. (N.Z.).

*Hokitika Savings-bank Balance-sheet.*

RECEIPTS and Payments of the Hokitika Savings-bank for the year ending 31st March, 1917:—

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
Cash in banks on 31st March, 1916—			
On fixed deposit .. .. .	26,007	3	7
On open account .. .. .	1,282	3	6
Amount lodged by depositors .. .. .	29,315	2	6
Interest credited during period .. .. .	63	18	0
Interest credited 31st March, 1917 .. .. .	2,313	0	6
Interest on mortgages .. .. .	3,037	7	11
Interest from banks on fixed deposit .. .. .	872	3	3
Interest from New Zealand Government debentures and bonds .. .. .	366	13	10
Mortgages repaid .. .. .	5,479	16	3
	<u>£68,737</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>4</u>

PAYMENTS.

	£	s.	d.
Repaid depositors .. .. .	25,933	3	1
Interest credited depositors .. .. .	2,376	18	6
Charges .. .. .	455	14	10
Invested on mortgage .. .. .	10,312	5	5
Invested in war bonds .. .. .	10,000	0	0
Grant to national war funds .. .. .	105	0	0
Cash in Bank of New South Wales .. .. .	6,914	4	8
Cash in Bank of New Zealand .. .. .	24	15	7
Cash in Bank of New Zealand on fixed deposit .. .. .	6,900	0	0
Cash in National Bank of New Zealand (Limited) on open account .. .. .	15	7	3
Cash in National Bank of New Zealand (Limited) on fixed deposit .. .. .	5,700	0	0
	<u>£68,737</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>4</u>

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

*Assets.*

	£	s.	d.
Amount invested on mortgage .. .. .	45,048	2	4
Bank premises and office furniture .. .. .	205	0	0
New Zealand Government debentures and war bonds .. .. .	15,000	0	0
Cash in Bank of New South Wales .. .. .	6,914	4	8
Cash in Bank of New Zealand on open account .. .. .	24	15	7
Cash in Bank of New Zealand on fixed deposit .. .. .	6,900	0	0
Cash in National Bank of New Zealand (Limited) on open account .. .. .	15	7	3
Cash in National Bank of New Zealand (Limited) on fixed deposit .. .. .	5,700	0	0
	<u>£79,807</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>

Balance, excess of assets over liabilities .. £12,469 0 2

*Liabilities.*

	£	s.	d.
Amount due depositors (1,075 in number) .. .. .	67,338	9	8
Balance .. .. .	12,469	0	2
	<u>£79,807</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>

WM. WILSON, Manager.

Audited and found correct.

J. H. WILSON, Auditor.

We certify that we have examined the foregoing statements of receipts and payments, and of the assets and liabilities, of the Hokitika Savings-bank, and that to the best of our belief the said statements are true and correct, the cash balance (deposited in the various banks as above) being £19,554 7s. 6d.

H. L. MICHEL, Vice-President.

J. S. LANG,  
 J. MANDL,  
 J. D. LYNCH,  
 D. J. EVANS,  
 C. EVANS,  
 ANDREW CUMMING,  
 GEORGE PERRY,  
 W. E. WILLIAMS, } Trustees.

*Dunedin Savings-bank Balance-sheet.*

RECEIPTS and Payments of the Dunedin Savings-bank for the year ending 31st March, 1917:—

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
Balance from last year .. .. .	3,951	14	0
Lodged by depositors .. .. .	109,313	12	7
Interest on loans .. .. .	7,680	5	11
Loans repaid .. .. .	5,828	18	11
Insurance premiums .. .. .	123	8	5
Bank interest .. .. .	879	3	0
Debenture interest .. .. .	91	0	6
Fines .. .. .	1	0	0
Rents .. .. .	134	3	4
Valuation fees .. .. .	6	6	0
	<u>£128,009</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>8</u>

PAYMENTS.

	£	s.	d.
Withdrawn by depositors .. .. .	61,994	19	7
Charges .. .. .	1,019	4	11
Insurance premiums .. .. .	134	6	10
Loans granted .. .. .	35,787	11	4
Trustees' fees .. .. .	117	0	0
Fixed deposits .. .. .	4,000	0	0
Debentures .. .. .	2,800	0	0
Valuation fees .. .. .	6	6	0
Building account .. .. .	13	10	0
Balance .. .. .	22,136	14	0
	<u>£128,009</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>8</u>

G. L. DENNISTON, Vice-President.  
 FRED. SMITH, Manager.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above statement of receipts and payments of the Dunedin Savings-bank, have compared the same with the books of the bank, and to the best of our knowledge and belief it contains a true and correct account of all transactions of the bank. We have also seen securities for the investments, have taken out the depositors' ledger balances, and compared the cash account with the bank pass-book.

WILLIAM BROWN AND CO., } Auditors.  
 R. C. MOODIE,

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

*Assets.*

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Fixed deposits .. .. .	18,000	0	0			
Accrued interest .. .. .	357	17	6			
	<u>18,357</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>6</u>			
Cash in bank .. .. .	22,151	13	6			
Less outstanding cheque .. .. .	14	19	6			
	<u>22,136</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>0</u>			
Debentures .. .. .	3,600	0	0			
Accrued interest .. .. .	42	2	0			
	<u>3,642</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>			
Loans on mortgage .. .. .	158,695	12	5			
Accrued interest .. .. .	2,284	7	9			
	<u>160,980</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>			
Insurance premiums owing .. .. .	13	19	4			
Rents accrued .. .. .	20	0	0			
Land and building .. .. .	3,214	0	0			
	<u>£208,364</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>0</u>			

<i>Liabilities.</i>	£	s.	d.
Due to 3,432 depositors .. ..	188,805	10	9
Property Suspense Account .. ..	646	15	9
Debenture Premium Account .. ..	377	6	2
Assets in excess of liabilities .. ..	18,535	0	4
	<u>£208,364</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>0</u>

G. L. DENNISTON, Vice-President.  
FRED. SMITH, Manager.

We have seen the securities of the above assets, and compared the depositors' ledger balances.

WILLIAM BROWN AND CO., } Auditors.  
R. C. MOODIE,

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

31st March, 1917—	£	s.	d.
To Interest credited to depositors .. ..	6,386	2	5
Charges, including rent of office, manager's salary, and trustees' fees .. ..	1,236	4	11
Land and building written off .. ..	100	0	11
Balance .. ..	18,535	0	4
	<u>£26,257</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>7</u>

31st March, 1916—	£	s.	d.
By Balance .. ..	16,801	13	8
31st March, 1917—	£	s.	d.
By Interest on loans .. ..	8,127	11	7
" on deposits .. ..	944	0	6
" on debentures .. ..	126	0	6
" cancelled .. ..	27	2	4
Rents .. ..	230	0	4
Fines .. ..	1	0	0
	<u>9,455</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>11</u>
	<u>£26,257</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>7</u>

By Balance .. ..	£18,535	0	4
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G. L. DENNISTON, Vice-President.  
FRED. SMITH, Manager.

Audited and found correct.

WILLIAM BROWN AND CO., } Auditors.  
R. C. MOODIE,

*Invercargill Savings-bank Balance-sheet.*

RECEIPTS and Payments of the Invercargill Savings-bank for the year ending 31st March, 1917:—

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.
Cash on hand, 1st April, 1916 .. ..	26,542	5	2
Amount lodged by depositors .. ..	82,910	12	9
Interest added during the year .. ..	37	9	4
Interest added, 31st March, 1917 .. ..	2,053	14	0
Interest received on mortgages, &c. .. ..	2,789	12	7
Interest received on deposits .. ..	697	5	7
Mortgages repaid .. ..	1,875	0	0
	<u>£116,905</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>5</u>

PAYMENTS.

	£	s.	d.
Repaid depositors .. ..	71,904	6	7
Interest credited to depositors .. ..	2,091	3	4
Invested on mortgage .. ..	9,100	0	0
Cash in National Bank of New Zealand (Ltd.)	14,252	15	9
Deposits in National Bank of New Zealand (Ltd.) .. ..	16,500	0	0
Deposits in Post Office Savings-bank .. ..	1,600	0	0
Cash in hand .. ..	360	5	8
Auditors' fees, 1916 .. ..	21	0	0
Paid Trustees attending meetings .. ..	34	0	0
Office rent .. ..	75	0	0
Charges Account .. ..	400	0	0
Bank-books, deposit forms, and advertising .. ..	16	10	9
Stamps and stationery .. ..	10	0	0
Fuel and light .. ..	15	0	0
Office cleaning .. ..	15	0	0
Legal costs .. ..	0	6	8
Clerical assistance .. ..	3	10	0
Sundry expenses (rates and insurance) .. ..	7	0	8
Southland War Funds Association for patriotic purposes .. ..	500	0	0
	<u>£116,905</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>5</u>

R. H. BRODRICK, Manager.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above statement of the receipts and payments of the Invercargill Savings-bank, and that to the best of our knowledge and belief it contains a true and correct statement of all the transactions of the bank during the year, and that the balance in the banks and cash in hand amounts to £32,713 1s. 5d.

LEARY, CUTHBERTSON, & WEBB, } Auditors.  
JAS. E. HANNAH & SONS,

HENRY WILSON, Vice-President.

ROBT. TAPPER,  
JOHN MATHESON,  
C. J. BROAD,  
WILLIAM A. OTT,  
P. L. GILKISON, } Trustees.

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

<i>Assets.</i>	£	s.	d.
To Amount invested on mortgages, &c. .. ..	51,384	5	6
Current account National Bank of New Zealand (Limited) .. ..	14,252	15	9
Deposits in National Bank of New Zealand (Limited) .. ..	16,500	0	0
Deposits in Post Office Savings-bank .. ..	1,600	0	0
Cash in hand .. ..	360	5	8
Bank furniture account .. ..	53	9	10
	<u>£84,150</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>9</u>
To Balance .. ..	£6,147	12	7
	<u>£90,297</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>16</u>
	<u>£84,150</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>9</u>

R. H. BRODRICK, Manager.

We do hereby certify that to the best of our knowledge and belief the above is a true and correct statement of the assets and liabilities of the Invercargill Savings-bank on the 31st March, 1917.

HENRY WILSON, Vice-President.

ROBT. TAPPER,  
JOHN MATHESON,  
C. J. BROAD,  
WILLIAM A. OTT,  
P. L. GILKISON, } Trustees.

*Public Service Stores Tender Board.*

Wellington, 15th May, 1917.

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

J. ORCHISTON,  
Chairman.

1,000 POLES, IRONBARK, NATURAL ROUND, 20 FT., 8 IN. AT BOTTOM TO 6 IN. AT TOP.

<i>Accepted.</i>	£	s.	d.
S. Brown (Limited), Wellington .. ..	575	0	0

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*Declined.*

	£	s.	d.
J. A. Redpath and Sons (Limited), Christchurch	604	3	4
P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. ..	729	3	4
J. W. Wallace and Co., Wellington .. ..	770	16	8
Richardson, McCabe, and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. ..	783	6	8
W. Smith and Co. (Limited), Invercargill .. ..	850	0	0

500 POLES, IRONBARK, SQUARE HEWN, 25 FT., 8 IN. BY 8 IN. AT BOTTOM TO 6 IN. BY 6 IN. AT TOP.

<i>Accepted.</i>	£	s.	d.
S. Brown (Limited), Wellington .. ..	700	0	0

<i>Declined.</i>		
P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. ..	£	s. d.
W. Smith and Co., Invercargill .. ..	712	10 0
J. A. Redpath and Sons (Limited), Christchurch ..	725	0 0
J. A. Redpath and Sons (Limited), Christchurch ..	756	5 0
J. W. Wallace and Co., Wellington .. ..	825	0 0
Richardson, McCabe, and Co. (Limited), Wellington ..	841	13 4
200 IRONBARK POLES, NATURAL ROUND, 28 FT., 9 IN. AT BOTTOM TO 7 IN. AT TOP.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
S. Brown (Limited), Wellington .. ..	207	10 0
<i>Declined.</i>		
J. A. Redpath and Sons (Limited), Christchurch ..	235	0 0
P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. ..	240	0 0
W. Smith and Co., Invercargill .. ..	267	10 0
J. W. Wallace and Co., Wellington .. ..	240	0 0
Richardson, McCabe, and Co. (Limited), Wellington ..	276	13 4
400 IRONBARK POLES, SQUARE HEWN, 30 FT., 9 IN. BY 9 IN. AT BOTTOM TO 7 IN. BY 7 IN. AT TOP.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. ..	886	13 4
<i>Declined.</i>		
W. Smith and Co. (Limited), Invercargill .. ..	895	0 0
J. A. Redpath and Sons (Limited), Christchurch ..	990	0 0
S. Brown (Limited), Wellington .. ..	925	0 0
Richardson, McCabe, and Co. (Limited), Wellington ..	998	6 8
J. W. Wallace and Co., Wellington .. ..	1,000	0 0
100 POLES, IRONBARK, SQUARE HEWN, 30 FT., 10 IN. BY 10 IN. AT BOTTOM TO 8 IN. BY 8 IN. AT TOP.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. ..	277	10 0
<i>Declined.</i>		
S. Brown (Limited), Wellington .. ..	280	0 0
W. Smith and Co., Invercargill .. ..	282	10 0
J. A. Redpath and Sons (Limited), Christchurch ..	312	10 0
Richardson, McCabe, and Co. (Limited), Wellington ..	319	3 4
J. W. Wallace and Co., Wellington .. ..	320	0 0
100 POLES, IRONBARK, 25 FT., 9 IN. BY 9 IN. AT BOTTOM TO 7 IN. BY 7 IN. AT TOP.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. ..	200	0 0
<i>Declined.</i>		
J. W. Wallace and Co., Wellington .. ..	222	10 0
W. Smith and Co. (Limited), Invercargill .. ..	227	10 0
100 POLES, IRONBARK, 25 FT., 8 IN. BY 8 IN. AT BOTTOM TO 6 IN. BY 6 IN. AT TOP.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. ..	152	10 0
<i>Declined.</i>		
J. W. Wallace and Co., Wellington .. ..	175	0 0
W. Smith and Co. (Limited), Invercargill .. ..	178	15 0
100 POLES, IRONBARK, 25 FT., 7 IN. BY 7 IN. AT BOTTOM TO 5 IN. BY 5 IN. AT TOP.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. ..	110	8 4
<i>Declined.</i>		
W. Smith and Co. (Limited), Invercargill .. ..	132	10 0
J. W. Wallace and Co., Wellington .. ..	135	0 0
100 POLES, IRONBARK, 28 FT., NATURAL ROUND, 8 IN. AT BOTTOM TO 6 IN. AT TOP.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. ..	98	15 0
<i>Declined.</i>		
J. W. Wallace and Co., Wellington .. ..	117	10 0
W. Smith and Co. (Limited), Invercargill .. ..	121	5 0
2,000 IRONBARK POLES, NATURAL ROUND, 20 FT., 7 IN. HEART TIMBER AT BOTTOM AND 5 IN. HEART TIMBER AT TOP.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
J. A. Redpath and Sons (Limited), Christchurch ..	1,191	13 4
<i>Declined.</i>		
J. W. Wallace and Co., Wellington .. ..	1,283	6 8
S. Brown (Limited), Wellington .. ..	1,375	0 0

Richardson, McCabe, and Co. (Limited), Wellington ..	£	s. d.
P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. ..	1,441	13 4
P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. ..	1,616	13 4
W. Smith and Co. (Limited), Invercargill .. ..	1,775	0 0
100 MILES RUBBER-INSULATED WIRE, 1/18, 1 RED, 1 BLACK.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. ..	2,800	0 0*
* Delivered from Australia.		
<i>Declined.</i>		
Richardson, McCabe, and Co. (Limited), Wellington ..	2,397	10 0
P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. ..	2,474	3 4
E. W. Cardale, Wellington .. ..	2,585	0 0
Tolley and Sons (Limited), Wellington .. ..	2,750	0 0
F. W. Markmann, Wellington .. ..	3,763	15 0
Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. ..	3,000	0 0
8,000 COMBINERS, GALVANIZED IRON, 14 IN.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
F. W. Markmann, Wellington .. ..	216	13 4
<i>Declined.</i>		
Taylor and Oakley (Limited), Christchurch .. ..	245	0 0
W. Carrick Wedderspoon, Christchurch .. ..	254	3 4
2,000 YARDS DUCK, PROOFED COTTON DRAB.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
Charles W. Budd, Wellington .. ..	297	18 4
<i>Declined.</i>		
F. W. Markmann, Wellington .. ..	137	10 0*
J. E. Butler (Limited), Wellington .. ..	154	3 4*
.. ..	162	10 0*
P. R. Russell and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. ..	163	14 3†
* 1,000 yards only. † 935 yards only.		
UNIFORM CAPS FOR SENIOR MESSENGERS.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
C. Hill and Sons, Wellington .. ..	0	7 0
<i>Declined.</i>		
A. Levy, Wellington .. ..	0	8 0
UNIFORM CAPS FOR MESSENGERS.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
C. Hill and Sons, Wellington .. ..	0	6 6
<i>Declined.</i>		
A. Levy, Wellington .. ..	0	7 6
Jones and Ashdown (Limited), Wellington .. ..	0	7 6
UNIFORMS FOR SENIOR MESSENGERS.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
Jones and Ashdown (Limited), Wellington .. ..	3	5 0
<i>Declined.</i>		
A. Levy, Wellington .. ..	3	2 0
.. ..	3	5 0
H. G. Bedell (Limited), Wellington .. ..	3	4 6
L. and J. W. Blake (Limited), Wellington .. ..	4	12 6
UNIFORMS FOR MESSENGERS.		
<i>Accepted.</i>		
Jones and Ashdown (Limited), Wellington .. ..	3	2 0
<i>Declined.</i>		
A. Levy, Wellington .. ..	3	2 0
H. G. Bedell (Limited), Wellington .. ..	3	2 6
L. and J. W. Blake (Limited), Wellington .. ..	4	7 6

Officiating Ministers for 1917.—Notice No. 19

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 22nd May, 1917.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

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

The Reverend WHAREHUA MAKEREWITI.  
WAEWAE RUTUPAHI.

Congregational Independents.

The Reverend HENRY CHARLES GEORGE.

W. W. COOK,  
Registrar-General.

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METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the month of April, 1917. Observations taken 9 a.m.

Altitude of Observatory, 8 ft.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected in inches to Lat. 45°.	From Self-registering Instruments for Twenty-four Hours previously.						Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.	Direction of Wind.	Rainfall, in Points (100 to 1 inch).
		Max. Temp. in Shade.	Min. Temp. in Shade.	Mean Temp. in Shade.	Solar Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation	Veloc. Wind in Miles.			
1	29.537	Fah. 68.0	Fah. 62.5	Fah. 65.2	Fah. 136.0	F h. 58.0	510	10	W	..
2	29.527	67.0	59.7	63.3	111.0	54.6	281	0	N.W.	..
3	29.892	68.3	45.1	56.7	122.0	33.0	91	0	Calm	..
4	30.131	66.2	46.2	56.2	120.0	35.4	151	10	N.W.	3
5	30.155	64.7	59.3	62.0	125.0	54.2	300	10	N.	2
6	30.182	65.2	60.8	63.0	106.0	56.8	283	10	N.	..
7	30.435	66.4	61.9	64.2	111.0	56.7	256	9	N.	..
8	30.367	72.2	53.2	62.7	127.0	45.0	89	8	N.	..
9	30.188	70.2	61.4	65.8	141.0	56.8	232	9	NNW	..
10	30.066	67.2	63.2	65.2	123.0	59.3	288	10	NNW	129
11	30.164	68.9	58.2	63.5	133.0	55.5	239	10	S.	8
12	30.348	61.9	58.8	60.3	82.0	55.5	159	10	Calm	1
13	30.270	68.0	60.0	64.0	111.0	53.0	34	10	N.	2
14	30.046	69.7	64.0	66.8	114.0	59.2	291	10	N.W.	81
15	29.982	66.9	63.9	65.4	110.0	59.7	530	10	N.	16
16	29.928	65.3	60.3	62.8	90.0	55.8	311	10	NNW	3
17	29.867	63.3	51.2	57.2	109.0	39.3	258	0	N.	23
18	30.150	66.0	52.3	59.2	119.0	47.8	209	9	S.	24
19	30.504	58.3	51.5	54.9	122.0	48.0	417	9	S.	..
20	30.481	59.4	44.1	51.7	118.0	31.9	97	8	S.E.	..
21	30.494	61.2	49.4	55.3	115.0	40.7	182	8	Calm	..
22	30.374	66.8	43.6	55.2	118.0	31.0	53	7	Calm	..
23	30.372	60.3	53.6	56.9	115.0	47.1	234	5	S.E.	17
24	30.131	60.2	47.1	53.6	119.0	35.1	90	10	Calm	60
25	29.978	61.0	52.6	56.8	103.0	49.1	65	10	S.	13
26	29.956	56.2	44.2	50.2	94.0	31.7	148	9	Calm	..
27	30.048	64.2	46.2	55.2	128.0	32.1	49	0	Calm	..
28	29.919	66.8	49.7	58.2	115.0	38.8	23	10	N.	..
29	29.613	65.0	58.0	61.5	130.0	55.0	315	7	N.	88
30	29.657	64.8	49.9	57.3	126.0	46.3	291	10	S.	16
*	30.092	65.0	54.4	59.7	116.4	47.4	216	7.9	..	486
†	30.044	62.7	51.2	56.9	106.7	43.9	230	..	..	4.02

\* Means, &c. † Means previous years.

DIRECTION OF WIND.

N.	N.E.	E.	S.E.	S.	S.W.	W.	N.W.	Calm.
12	..	..	2	5	..	1	3	7

NOTE.—A cloudy and showery month, with barometric pressure, temperatures and rainfall well above the mean of previous years. Total bright sunshine, 114 hours 48 minutes, and four sunless days. Frost was recorded on the grass on three mornings. Mean earth-temperature at 1 ft. was 60.5°, and 62.5° at 3 ft. Mean dew-point, 52.6°; mean elastic force of vapour, 0.397 in.; and mean relative humidity, 77 per cent. of saturation.

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE.

MEANS AND TOTALS FROM THE CHIEF STATIONS.

April, 1917.

Altitude above Sea-level.	Name of Station and Observer.	Absolute Mean Temp. Air in Shade.	Extremes.		Total Rainfall (100 Points to the Inch).	Days with Rain (1 Point or more).
			Mean Max. Temp.	Mean Min. Temp.		
Ft. 125	NORTH ISLAND. AUCKLAND .. F. A. F. Burnett	Deg. 62.5	Deg. 66.9	Deg. 58.2	Points. 931	Dys. 24
46	TE AROHA .. G. F. McGirr	56.6	69.8	47.4	489	15
925	ROTORUA .. S. R. Edwards	59.0	67.0	51.0	450	..
340	WAIHI .. P. A. Clifford	59.6	68.1	51.8	859	23
..	TAURANGA .. C. J. Butcher	60.1	68.3	52.0	597	20
160	NEW PLYMOUTH .. W. W. Smith	60.5	68.5	52.4	738	20
250	MOUMAHAKI .. T. W. Lonsdale	58.5	66.6	50.4	368	14
2080	TAHARU .. A. R. Fennin	55.8	63.1	48.6	572	12
100	PALMERSTON NORTH .. J. E. Vernon	58.7	66.9	50.6	463	13
186	GREYTOWN .. W. C. Davies	57.7	66.7	48.8	269	13
377	MASTERTON .. Wm. Hood	59.7	70.0	49.5	334	13
70	GREENMEADOWS, NA-PIER .. T. B. McBreen	63.2	71.2	55.2	225	7
10	WELLINGTON ..	59.7	65.0	54.4	486	16
34	SOUTH ISLAND. NELSON .. J. R. Dart	Deg. 59.7	Deg. 66.9	Deg. 52.5	Points. 327	11
1220	HANMER SPA .. Miss M. Stewart	54.5	64.3	44.8	343	9
25	CHRISTCHURCH .. H. F. Skey	56.5	64.1	48.8	263	12
42	LINCOLN .. L. J. Wild	56.3	65.8	46.8	150	11
..	RAKAI .. Miss A. Hardy	56.1	65.1	47.2	282	9
130	TIMARU .. Caretaker of Domain	55.0	62.8	47.2	146	8
200	WAIMATE .. F. Akhurst	54.4	62.8	46.1	165	8
300	DUNEDIN .. D. Tannock	53.7	60.8	46.7	102	14
245	GORE .. H. Dolamore	51.9	60.9	42.9	189	13
12	HOKITIKA .. F. T. Sandford	56.9	63.3	50.6	1111	19
12	INVERCARGILL .. L. Lennie	51.6	60.0	43.2	282	17

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1917.

The rainfall during April was abundant in the Auckland Province and in all districts with a westerly aspect. A deficiency occurred in Hawke Bay and also on the east coast and southernmost districts of the South Island.

The principal disturbances were of the westerly type, with lowest atmospheric pressure passing southwards of New Zealand. Of these, one ruling between the 1st and 2nd, and another between the 13th and 17th, were somewhat intense, and resulted in stormy conditions in many parts of the Dominion.

Minor depressions of this character also passed on the 5th, 8th, and 28th.

From the 22nd to the 26th, although an anticyclone was centered in the south, relatively low pressure ruled to the northwards, causing high easterly winds and considerable rainfall in the northernmost districts.

The weather generally was changeable, but temperatures were mild, except towards the close of the month, when very cold conditions brought a reminder of approaching winter.

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NEW ZEALAND RAINFALL FOR APRIL, 1917.

(NOTE.—Late returns for stations appear at end of table.)

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
<b>NORTH ISLAND.</b>		
(A.) NORTH-EAST ASPECT—NORTH CAPE TO EAST CAPE.		
Mangonui .. .. .	742	13
Pakarakā, Ohaeawai .. .. .	..	..
Waimatenui .. .. .	1701	17
Tahunakura, Bay of Islands .. .. .	..	..
Pūhipūhi Plantation, Whakapara, Whangarei .. .. .	1194	12
Apōnga .. .. .	947	22
Ruatangata .. .. .	992	15
Wairau Falls, Power Station .. .. .	784	15
Whangarei .. .. .	852	18
Whangarei Heads .. .. .	..	..
Mount Eden, Auckland .. .. .	938	24
Kaukapakapa, Auckland .. .. .	886	19
Cuvier Island .. .. .	464	19
Rocky Bay, Waiheke .. .. .	701	18
Tairua .. .. .	1039	16
Turua, Thames .. .. .	647	18
The Domain, Paeroa .. .. .	582	10
Karaka .. .. .	784	17
Riverside, Clevedon .. .. .	943	15
Morrinsville .. .. .	413	8
Whakarewarewa, Rotorua .. .. .	576	18
Waioapu .. .. .	488	19
Ruatōki .. .. .	560	12
Opotiki .. .. .	383	7
Maraehako, Opotiki .. .. .	537	11
Strathmore, Opotiki .. .. .	..	..
Mautotara, Te Araroa .. .. .	1224	16
Raukokore, Thames .. .. .	1080	15
Te Kaha .. .. .	..	..
Pakira Station, Cape Runaway .. .. .	..	..
(B.) NORTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE MARIA VAN DIEMEN TO CAPE EGMONT.		
Rangitīhi .. .. .	..	..
Kaitiaki .. .. .	549	10
Herekino North .. .. .	813	12
Umawera, Hokianga .. .. .	1100	13
Waōku, Taheke .. .. .	2032	23
Te Karāe, Broadwood .. .. .	..	..
Wekaweka .. .. .	1488	21
Rangiahua, Hokianga Harbour .. .. .	1282	18
Kohukohu .. .. .	1086	15
Keretōki Station, Waimatenui .. .. .	1610	11
Matakōhe, Kaipara .. .. .	800	6
Mangarata, Dargaville .. .. .	836	7
Terawhātī, Pakotai .. .. .	..	..
Holensville .. .. .	822	17
Onehunga .. .. .	635	20
Mangere School, Auckland .. .. .	748	20
Waiuku, Auckland .. .. .	766	14
Onewhero .. .. .	612	16
Kawhia .. .. .	765	15
Turangaomoana, Matamata .. .. .	515	20
Taupo .. .. .	412	11
Taharua Station, East Taupo .. .. .	708	18
Otewa, Waitomo County .. .. .	369	9
Putake, Waitomo .. .. .	763	20
Waitomo Caves .. .. .	715	15
Te Kuiti .. .. .	543	13
Mangakōhi, Piopio .. .. .	768	6
Puketitī, Piopio .. .. .	689	8
Hamilton, Waikato .. .. .	439	19
State Farm, Waerenga .. .. .	669	14
Glen Murray .. .. .	585	20
Ngaruawahia .. .. .	535	13
"Waitere," Kibikihi .. .. .	..	..
Putaruru .. .. .	393	10
Waiatua, Kaitieke, Raurimu .. .. .	..	..
Mangaotaki (550 ft.) .. .. .	881	8
Paekaka, Paemako .. .. .	722	12
Okoke .. .. .	743	15
Purangi .. .. .	703	15
Ngatimarū, Tarata .. .. .	815	13
Riversdale, Inglewood (817 ft.) .. .. .	1132	19
Inglewood .. .. .	1000	16
Upper Mangorei (1,000 ft.) .. .. .	1404	22
(C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGMONT TO CAPE PALLISER.		
Opunake .. .. .	455	20
Riverlea, Kaponga .. .. .	676	12
Eltham .. .. .	672	16
Rawhitiroa, Mata, Eltham .. .. .	605	10

New Zealand Rainfall for April, 1917—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
<b>NORTH ISLAND—continued.</b>		
(C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGMONT TO CAPE PALLISER—continued.		
Stratford (1,020 ft.) .. .. .	755	19
Ohawe, Hawera .. .. .	732	14
Hawera .. .. .	741	14
Patea .. .. .	616	13
Mataimoana .. .. .	723	14
Oruamatua, Moawhango .. .. .	670	7
Whangamomona .. .. .	718	13
Taumarunui .. .. .	598	9
Okahukura .. .. .	703	14
Manunui .. .. .	..	..
Tokaanu .. .. .	796	15
Raurimu (1,920 ft.) .. .. .	454	7
Ohakune .. .. .	652	10
Raetihi .. .. .	601	9
Horopito .. .. .	633	11
Waiouru .. .. .	517	10
Mangaporau .. .. .	..	..
Newtonlees, Kaitoke, Wanganui .. .. .	563	11
Parikino, Wanganui River .. .. .	..	..
Maungakaretu, Mangamahū .. .. .	..	..
Marybank, Wanganui .. .. .	473	13
Belmont, Tayforth, Wanganui .. .. .	495	9
Waitahinga, Kai Iwi .. .. .	602	11
Wanganui .. .. .	405	8
Ruanui .. .. .	..	..
Dalvey, Turakina .. .. .	407	11
Erehon Station, Moawhango .. .. .	474	10
Hunterville .. .. .	450	11
"The Ratas," Hunterville .. .. .	627	11
Waituna West, Feilding .. .. .	513	12
Thoresby, Marton .. .. .	440	12
Halcombe .. .. .	..	..
Waitatapia, Bull's .. .. .	379	11
Glen Oroua .. .. .	492	9
Foxton .. .. .	455	8
Ngahiwa, Himatangi .. .. .	460	11
Feilding .. .. .	381	13
Komako .. .. .	589	10
Kairanga .. .. .	525	10
Fitzherbert West, Palmerston North .. .. .	..	..
Arapeti, Tokomaru .. .. .	734	11
Otaki .. .. .	559	15
"Tiroroa," Hautere Cross .. .. .	..	..
Kapiti Island .. .. .	620	17
Waikanae .. .. .	662	11
Pahautanni .. .. .	462	10
Khandallah .. .. .	643	15
Opau, North Makara .. .. .	591	15
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER		
East Cape .. .. .	414	12
Waitakaro .. .. .	543	9
Pakihiroa .. .. .	752	12
Tolaga Bay .. .. .	356	14
Waihau, Tolaga Bay .. .. .	305	14
Kaharoa, Waimata Valley .. .. .	232	15
Motu .. .. .	..	..
Koranga Valley .. .. .	440	15
Otoko .. .. .	314	13
Waitahoata, Whatatutu .. .. .	266	8
Te Karaka .. .. .	263	13
Puha, Poverty Bay .. .. .	..	..
Glenroy Station, Gisborne .. .. .	253	15
Waihuka, Gisborne .. .. .	247	10
Ormond .. .. .	235	9
Patutahi, Gisborne .. .. .	225	8
Whakapunake .. .. .	430	14
Strathblane, Hangaroa .. .. .	..	..
Muriwai .. .. .	357	10
Tahora, Gisborne .. .. .	..	..
Tiniroto, Gisborne .. .. .	..	..
Gisborne .. .. .	213	12
Morere .. .. .	457	10
"Pihanga," Ruakituri Valley, Napier .. .. .	306	11
Mangaone Valley, Tangitere .. .. .	973	16
Portland Island .. .. .	245	11
Kaihunahuna, Wairoa .. .. .	..	..
Spring Hill, Mohaka .. .. .	..	..
Puketitiri .. .. .	..	..
Tarawera .. .. .	372	13
Tutira Lake .. .. .	257	10
Eskdale, Hedgeley .. .. .	379	12
Riverbank, Rissington, Napier .. .. .	378	12
Napier .. .. .	237	8
Wahine, Sherenden, Hastings .. .. .	..	..

New Zealand Rainfall for April, 1917—continued.

New Zealand Rainfall for April, 1917—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
NORTH ISLAND—continued.		
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER—continued.		
Mokopeka, Hastings ..	249	11
Frimley, Hastings ..	324	10
Whanawhana, Hastings ..	359	11
Maraekakaho, Hastings ..	255	11
Te Mata, Havelock North ..	293	13
Te Roto, Poukawa ..	213	10
Pukehou, Te Aute ..	251	13
Gwavas, Tikokino ..	305	17
Aramoana, Waipawa ..	323	11
Rangitapu, Waipawa ..	324	10
Mount Vernon, Waipawa ..	270	11
Norsewood ..	..	..
Waimarama, Hawke's Bay ..	210	9
Mangakuri ..	..	..
Waipukurau ..	216	5
Motuotaraia, Wanstead ..	301	8
Makaretu ..	429	11
Oruawhara, Takapan ..	340	10
Tangarewa Station, Takapau ..	316	7
Ormondville ..	466	14
Dannevirke ..	..	..
Umutaoroa (top end) ..	841	14
Porangahau ..	215	3
Pourerere ..	..	..
Woodbank, Wimbledon ..	457	13
Pine Grove, Dannevirke ..	380	10
Mangatainoka ..	410	10
Pahiatua ..	..	..
Makuri, Pahiatua ..	..	..
Eastry, Tane, Eketahuna ..	317	11
Tawataia, Eketahuna ..	347	13
Nireaha, Eketahuna ..	..	..
Eketahuna ..	340	11
Castlepoint ..	263	10
Annedale, Te Nui ..	268	11
Ditton, Masterton ..	391	13
Bush Grove, Masterton ..	388	10
Marangai ..	386	9
Erings, Masterton ..	407	13
Hikurangi College, Clarendon ..	363	8
Waihakeke, Carterton ..	258	14
Martinborough ..	254	11
Featherston ..	311	10
Summit ..	593	14
Waiweta ..	483	13
Wainuiomata Reservoir ..	686	16
Whiteman's Valley, Silverstream ..	567	12
Lower Hutt ..	537	12
Western Hutt ..	612	13
Whangai Moana, Pirinoa ..	334	10
Karori Reservoir ..	633	16
Seafoun ..	363	14
Somes Island ..	342	12

SOUTH ISLAND.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
(E.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO KAIKOURA.		
Collingwood ..	1138	14
Paturau, via Collingwood ..	696	11
Bainham ..	1301	13
Parapara ..	1010	14
Motuoka ..	367	14
Stanley Brook, Nelson ..	262	9
Aporo, Nelson ..	..	..
"Harakeke," Central Moutere ..	320	8
Upper Sherry River ..	238	9
Highfield, Kohatu ..	242	8
Tophouse ..	421	10
Brightwater ..	385	10
Hope, Nelson ..	..	..
Port Hardy, French Pass ..	880	10
Stephen Island ..	448	8
The Brothers ..	427	7
Cape Campbell ..	115	9
Picton ..	..	..
Freezing-works, Picton ..	..	..
Endeavour Inlet ..	779	10
Manaroa, Pelorus Sound ..	619	9
Waitata Bay, Pelorus Sound ..	..	..
"Te Aruhe," Pelorus Sound ..	..	..
Hartley Hills, Hillersden ..	231	6
Ugbrooke, Blenheim ..	..	..
Robin Hood Bay ..	429	11
Seddon ..	144	6
"Chancet," Ward ..	152	7

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
SOUTH ISLAND—continued.		
(E.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO KAIKOURA—continued.		
Mirza Downs, Flaxbourne ..	..	..
Timara Station, Renwicktown ..	235	9
Kaituna, Marlborough ..	292	7
Spring Creek, Blenheim ..	263	9
Avondale Station, Blenheim ..	..	..
Hapuku ..	326	11
(F.) WEST ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO PUYSEGUR POINT.		
Farewell Spit ..	751	10
Karamea, Westport ..	583	17
Millerton ..	..	..
Westport ..	584	23
Warwick Junction ..	317	15
Reefton (643 ft.) ..	646	14
Moana ..	623	15
Greymouth ..	676	18
Lake Hochstetter, Greymouth ..	..	..
Otira ..	1112	17
Otira (1,255 ft.) ..	1135	17
Ross, Westland ..	..	..
Okura ..	..	..
Puysegur Point ..	523	22
(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS.		
Hanmer Springs Nursery ..	375	9
Culverden ..	..	..
Riverside Farm, Amuri ..	193	9
Highfield, Amuri ..	187	7
Keinton Combe, Waiuu, Amuri ..	280	6
Waiuu ..	196	5
Mackenzie, Cheviot ..	..	..
Gore Bay, Cheviot ..	168	5
Oxford East ..	186	8
Amberley ..	225	10
Mount Whitnow, Woodgroove ..	195	11
Singletree, Alford Forest ..	258	7
Mount Somers ..	194	8
Bealey ..	252	11
Arthur's Pass ..	1443	19
Rhodes Convalescent Home, Cashmere Hills ..	257	10
Islington ..	241	8
Governor's Bay ..	249	9
New Brighton ..	178	9
Otahuna, Tai Tapu ..	188	10
Little River ..	181	10
Hikuraki Bay, Little River ..	154	8
Pigeon Bay ..	100	6
Coalgate ..	198	10
Hororata ..	194	8
Akaroa ..	129	7
Mount Torlesse, Springfield ..	166	5
Methven ..	232	8
Rudstone, Methven ..	207	8
Kisselton, Lake Coleridge ..	..	..
Lake Coleridge Homestead ..	..	..
Double Hill ..	252	11
Winchmore, Ashburton ..	252	7
Brackley, Mayfield ..	182	6
Ashburton ..	307	8
Fairview, Springburn ..	177	8
Staveley ..	277	7
Evandale, Mount Somers ..	121	6
Lynnford, Hinds ..	314	11
Coniston, Ashburton ..	350	8
Mount Peel, Rangitata ..	..	..
Peel Forest ..	243	7
Kapunatiki, Rangitata ..	220	8
The Heights, Geraldine ..	256	13
Waitui, Geraldine ..	183	10
Orari Gorge ..	283	11
Orari Estate, Orari ..	230	11
Balmoral ..	250	10
Braemar ..	232	7
"Foyers," Fairlie ..	161	6
Lambrook, Fairlie ..	129	8
"Craigieburn," Kimbell ..	321	9
Mary Burn Station, Mackenzie Country ..	213	9
Godley Peaks, Te Kapo, Mackenzie Country ..	365	9
Rhoborough Downs, Lake Pukaki, Mackenzie Country ..	..	..
Athlone, Albury ..	175	10
Warstah, Albury ..	..	..



New Zealand Rainfall for April, 1917—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
<b>SOUTH ISLAND—continued.</b>		
<i>(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS—continued.</i>		
Kakahu Bush, Geraldine ..	156	6
Pleasant Point ..	135	5
Te Pah Farm, Seadown ..	143	7
Smithfield ..	149	7
Timaru Reservoir ..	127	7
Benmore Station, Omarama ..	267	9
Otiake ..	227	5
Borton's Siding ..	165	6
Livingstone ..	186	8
Arnzmore, Windsor ..	..	..
Totara Station, near Oamaru ..	..	..
Duntroon ..	171	5
Pukeuri, Oamaru ..	172	8
Oamaru ..	176	7
Steward Settlement, Oamaru ..	183	9
Trotter's Creek, Hillgrove ..	159	12
Kauroo Hill, Maheno ..	154	11
Balruddery, Kauroo Hill, Maheno ..	141	8
Bushey Park, Palmerston South ..	183	15
Opoho, Dunedin (383 ft.) ..	73	9
Burnside, Dunedin ..	129	14
Fish-hatchery, Portobello ..	110	14
Whare Flat ..	255	13
Mosgiel ..	116	9

<i>(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT.</i>		
Paerau ..	178	8
Great Moss Swamp, via Patearoa ..	70	4
Eweburn Nursery, Ranfurly ..	162	9
Waipata ..	165	6
Naseby ..	187	5
Kokonga ..	144	4
Gladbrook Station, Middlemarch ..	115	12
Mount Pisa Station, Cromwell ..	..	..
Maungawera, Otago ..	258	10
Luggate, Cromwell ..	250	9
Manorburn Dam ..	161	9
Queenstown ..	260	5
"Craigroy," Arrowtown ..	..	..
Poolburn, Central Otago ..	..	..
Moa Creek ..	114	5
Little Valley ..	..	..
St. Bathans ..	267	10
Blackstone Hill ..	226	10
Clyde ..	168	7
Roxburgh ..	53	4
"Fruitvale," Ettrick ..	..	..

New Zealand Rainfall for April, 1917—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
<b>SOUTH ISLAND—continued.</b>		
<i>(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT—continued.</i>		
Sunnyvale Orchard, Island Block ..	57	8
Balcutha ..	195	9
Owaka ..	286	11
Tapanui Nursery ..	125	9
Waikawa Valley ..	321	12
Wharuarimu ..	354	14
Uplands, Waimahaka ..	310	18
Roslin Estate, Woodlands ..	284	14
Balfour ..	120	14
Dipton ..	105	7
Bluff ..	..	..
Nightcaps ..	184	12
Rannock, Orawia ..	..	..
Otautau ..	221	14
Riverton ..	140	..
Manapouri ..	140	9

(I.) ISLANDS.		
Centre Island ..	456	16
Stewart Island ..	237	19
Half-moon Bay, Stewart Island ..	229	14
Niue Island ..	..	..
Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Islands ..	..	..
Aitutaki Island, Cook Islands ..	..	..
Mangala, Cook Islands ..	..	..
Chatham Island ..	..	..

LATE RETURNS.		
Waoku, March, 1917 ..	713	17
Mangarata, March, 1917 ..	185	8
Waiuku, March, 1917 ..	153	5
Puketiti, Piopio, March, 1917 ..	274	3
Hamilton, February, 1917 ..	663	19
Mangaotaki, March, 1917 ..	161	6
Porangahau, March, 1917 ..	94	4
Whangai Moana, March, 1917 ..	84	4
Staveley, March, 1917 ..	490	8
Balmoral, March, 1917 ..	124	4
Maryburn Station, March, 1917 ..	171	5
Kokonga, March, 1917 ..	108	4

ERRATA.		
Aponga, February, 1917 ..	1556	18

Appointment of Chairman, North Island and South Island Railway Boards of Appeal.

Head Office,  
Wellington, 24th May, 1917.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointment:—

**HELLYAR WEDDERBURN BISHOP,**

Stipendiary Magistrate, to act as a member of the North Island and South Island Railway Boards of Appeal, and to be Chairman of the said Boards as constituted under the Government Railways Act, 1908.

**W. H. HERRIES,**  
Minister of Railways.

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 situated in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, containing by admeasurement 3 roods 3 perches, more or less, being Lots 2, 5, and 48 on D.P. No. 90, part R.S. 59, Woodville, being the land described in title, Vol. 9, folio 269, Hawke's Bay Registry.

The title was registered in the name of ALFRED CHARLES FLETCHER, of Wanganui, Butcher, who cannot now be traced.

**W**HEREAS 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), and its amendments.

Dated this 17th day of May, 1917.

**FRED. FITCHETT,**  
Public Trustee.

**CROWN LANDS NOTICE.**

*Pastoral Run in Canterbury Land District for License by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 30th April, 1917.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for license by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, on Friday, 15th June, 1917, at 11 o'clock a.m.

**SCHEDULE.**

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

Term, Twenty-one Years from 1st March, 1918.

*Amuri County.—Severn, Alma, and Percival Survey Districts.—North St. Helen's Run.—Class A.*

**RUN 246:** Area, 78,250 acres; upset annual rental, £500. Weighted with £1,886, valuation for improvements consisting of 60 miles 15 chains of boundary and internal fencing valued at £1,811, a hut, and a bridge over the River Yarra.

Nearly all mountainous pastoral country, ranging from 2,700 ft. to 6,350 ft. Tussock and native grasses grow up to about 4,000 ft., above which is mostly bare rock and shingle. Well watered by numerous rivers and creeks. Accessible from Hanmer, about nine miles by dray-road.

Plans and full particulars may be obtained from this office.

**W. H. SKINNER,**  
Commissioner of Crown Lands

## NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Kakahi.*

Registrar's Office, Aotea District, Wanganui, 18th May, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Kakahi on the 18th day of June, 1917, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wanganui, 1917-11.]

A. H. MACKAY, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Kuini Kahupounamu .. .. .	Te Waimanu.
2	Paterini te Au .. .. .	Kaimanawa No. 3B 2B.
3	Waaka Tamaira .. .. .	Taurewa No. 4 West A.

## APPLICATION FOR DETERMINATION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
4	Kingi Poni .. .. .	Waimanu.

## APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
5	Patatai te Hanairo .. .. .	Hanairo te Aue, otherwise Nini te Hanairo.
6	Morehu H. Downs .. .. .	Pikitu Pakau.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Normanby.*

Registrar's Office, Aotea District, Wanganui, 22nd May, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Normanby on the 31st day of May, 1917, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wanganui, 1917-12.]

A. H. MACKAY, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
378	Wiremu Ngapaki .. .. .	Haututu Reserve (Otonga), Grant No. 6822.
379	Tini Paeroke Clements .. .. .	Mangati.
380	Tawhanga Eruera .. .. .	Mimi (part) 23D.
381	Tauhanga Eruera .. .. .	Ngatirahira No. 4S, Section 53, Block VI, Waitara S.D., Grant No. 5248.
382	George Stockman and Mable Marsh (C. R. Stead) .. .. .	Ngatirahira 8E, Subdivision 3 of Section 53, and south-east part of Sub. 2 of Section 53.
383	Tawhanga Eruera .. .. .	Otaraoa B 2, Sub. B.D., Waitara East, Grant 5209.

## APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Person under Disability.
384	Rangimoeki Mohi Rahui (Currie and Jack)	Ouri 1C, Grant 3668	Ngakahia Mare.

## MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

*Sitting of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board at Rotorua.*

Waiariki Maori Land Board Office, Rotorua, 19th May, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board will be held at Rotorua on the 11th day of June, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, to hear and determine the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by me, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

T. H. WILSON, President.

## SCHEDULE.

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

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.					
1	1913/288	Lease	13 September, 1913..	Kenana 2B ..	Kararahi Pirika and others to O. J. Hodge (O. J. Hodge).
2	1914/61	Transfer	11 October, 1913 ..	Maungarangi B No. 3B ..	Te Kahakore te Pohoi and others to T. H. Smith (George Urquhart).
3	1914/79	Lease	21 March, 1914 ..	Kenana 2B ..	Ngamaha te Hui and others to O. J. Hodge (O. J. Hodge).
4	1914/292	Transfer	15 August, 1914 ..	Waiparapara No. 2 ..	Nenehira Taiamai and others to H. H. Vercoe.
5	428	..	1 December, 1914 ..	Lot 53, Matata (part) ..	Kerena te Whatapapa to R. E. Grieve (P. A. Harron).
6	429	..	19 March, 1915 ..	Waimana 1B 5 ..	Erueti Tamaikoha and others to J. Wardlaw (P. A. Harron).
7	443	..	2 February, 1915 ..	Maungarangi B 2B ..	Manukura Maiha to T. H. Smith (M. H. Hampson).
8	795	..	29 ,, 1916 ..	Rangitaiki 29s (part) ..	Takotohiwi te Roro Wi Keepa and others (P. A. Harron).
9	796	Lease	29 ,, 1916 ..	Whakatane Township, Lot 25	Akukahata Hira Kingi and others to F. S. Canning (P. A. Harron).
10	782	..	13 November, 1915	Maungarangi B 3D ..	Makete te Moui to M. H. Graham (O. J. Hodge).
11	838	Transfer	6 March, 1916 ..	Rangitaiki 41B 3 ..	Ani Meriti Rihara and others to T. Paterson (Fleming and Suckling).
12	862	..	24 August, 1915 ..	Waimana 1B 6 ..	Te Kapo Keehi to Erueti Peene (P. A. Harron).
13	863	..	3 May, 1916 ..	.. 1C 3 ..	Paora Kingi and others to J. Wardlaw (P. A. Harron).
14	865	..	10 August, 1915 ..	.. 260A 27 ..	Wiripene Titirahi and others to W. C. Forsdick (P. A. Harron).
15	867	Lease	13 March, 1916 ..	Rangitaiki 30C 2B ..	Hiira Waaka to Dalgety and Company (P. A. Harron).
16	882	Transfer	11 November, 1915	Matata 72B 3V (part) ..	Kauri Hepeta to Mary Reid (Hampson and Davys).
17	901	..	15 May, 1916 ..	Te Koutu 1A 2 ..	Wira Marino and others to Rinaha Matene (Hampson and Davys).
18	908	Mortgage	4 ,, 1916 ..	Mangorewa-Kaharoa 6E 3 No. 2F	Te Rakato Hamiora and another to L. Rogan (Hampson and Davys).
19	913	Transfer	24 December, 1915 ..	Ngatipahiko B 3C 6A ..	Wharehuia Eri and another to E. J. McCracken (O. J. Hodge).
20	914	..	24 ,, 1915 ..	.. B 3C 6C 1 ..	Wharehuia Eri and another to E. J. McCracken (O. J. Hodge).
21	997	..	10 July, 1916 ..	Rangitaiki 30B 2B ..	Tango Kokiri to A. G. Orsler (P. A. Harron).
22	998	..	8 May, 1916 ..	Waimana 1B No. 6 ..	Riini Tauhia to Erueti Peene (P. A. Harron).
23	1000	..	12 August, 1916 ..	Rangitaiki 30B No. 2A 2c	Wati Temana and others to D. W. Kirk (P. A. Harron).
24	1001	..	26 May, 1916 ..	.. 31D ..	Kararania Ueke to G. A. Sykes (P. A. Harron).
25	1003	..	7 July, 1916 ..	Waimana, Lot 266 A 3 ..	R. te Hura and others to T. Davies (P. A. Harron).
26	1006	..	18 April, 1916 ..	Haehaenga - Ohinemutu No. 2	Eketu Ngahuruhuru to C. A. Clarke (George Urquhart).
27	1020	..	11 July, 1916 ..	Kenana 2B No. 4 ..	H. te Tunui and others to O. J. Hodge (O. J. Hodge).
28	1074	Lease	2 May, 1916 ..	Lot 29, Subsection of Opo-tiki	Hariata Parekamaru to J. Carroll (Kirk and Neumegen).
29	1076	Transfer	8 August, 1916 ..	Rangitaiki 38B 3B No. 2 (part)	Akahika Hariata and others to Parekahu Nuku (Fleming and Suckling).

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

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
<i>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS—continued.</i>					
30	1078	Lease	10 June, 1916	Rangitaiki 41A No. 3	M. W. Titiaho and others to A. Paterson (Fleming and Suckling).
31	1079	"	5 July, 1916	" 38A 2G	Take Tunui and another to W. Waaka and another (Fleming and Suckling).
32	1081	Transfer	8 August, 1916	" 43B No. 4	Peraniko Wharepapa and others to T. Paterson (Fleming and Suckling).
33	1168	Lease	23 December, 1916	Whakapoungakau No. 13B	Wiremu Matene and others to H. Bertram (Hampson and Davys).
34	1176	Transfer	23 " 1916	Matata 72B No. 1 (part)	Maka Oheu to A. J. Rhodes (Hampson and Davys).
35	1189	"	22 October, 1916	Rangitaiki, Lot 28B No. 2A No. 1	Pine Tuhimata and others to Tunoa Roihana (T. M. Lawson).
36	1210	Lease	19 September, 1916	Karangi A No. 5B	Matatu te Para and others to J. E. Newton (O. J. Hodge).
37	1212	Transfer	31 October, 1916	Maungarangi B 3D	Makeke te Kou to M. H. Graham (O. J. Hodge).
38	1215	"	11 November, 1914	Matata 72B 3v No. 3	Kauri Hepeta to M. Reid (Hampson and Davys).
39	1224	Mortgage	14 December, 1916	" Lot 5	Topia Rotohiko to Van Dyke (Hampson and Davys).
40	1227	Transfer	8 " 1915	Waimana No. 1c No. 1A No. 3B	Paora Kingi to Maraea Netana and others (P. A. Harron).
<i>NEW APPLICATIONS.</i>					
41	1241	Lease	6 February, 1917	Pukerau No. 2	P. Ngarepo to K. Tapsell (Ben Keys).
42	1242	Transfer	26 " 1917	Waotu South A 1, Section 1	T. Pirihiira to G. W. Barnett (Hampson and Davys).
43	1257	Conveyance	10 April, 1917	Lot 63, Matata	Mere Tahei and another to Lucilla Rogan (Hampson and Davys).
44	1258	Lease	14 " 1917	Rotomahana-Parekarangi 2E 1	Mere Mihi te Ata and others to Te Perenara (Hampson and Davys).
45	1262	Transfer	27 December, 1916	Kawaha 5M	Te Roto Ihaka to M. H. Hampson (Hampson and Davys).
46	1263	"	"	Taheke-Papakainga No. 7	Te Aratukutuku Keepa and others to A. McClarke (Hampson and Davys).
47	1264	"	16 April, 1917	Rangitaiki 43B 5	Aperahama Hona and others to Agnes Paterson (Fleming and Suckling).
48	1265	"	24 October, 1916	Lot 29, Subsection of Opotiki	Hariata Parekaramu to Kapoto Reweti and another (Neumegeen and Kirk).
49	1266	"	10 February, 1917	Lot 72B 3B 7, Matata	Rewiri Taane to George Powell (Fleming and Suckling).
50	1284	"	16 January, 1917	Taheke 3A	Hataraka Mataia and others to H. Bertram (Hampson and Davys).
51	1285	"	16 " 1917	" 3B	Rauparaha Mataia to H. Bertram (Hampson and Davys).
52	1286	"	22 December, 1916	Taheke - Papakainga 6B No. 1	Aratukutuku Keepa to E. W. Paynton (Hampson and Davys).
53	1287	"	22 March, 1917	Te Koutu 3D	H. H. Marino to G. A. Hampson (Hampson and Davys).
54	1295	"	13 " 1917	Kawaha 5F	Rotorua Hororiri and others to A. W. Gillies (George Urquhart).
55	1296	"	9 May, 1917	Waiteti No. 2, Section 1B No. 1	Eketu Ngahuruhuru to T. W. Hughes (George Urquhart).
56	1297	Lease	29 November, 1916	Ohuki No. 1c	Heni Tamati and others to A. Skinner (George Urquhart).
57	1298	Transfer	1 August, 1916	Rangiuru 2B 3A	Te Kahiwi te Tuhi to H. A. Alexander (George Urquhart).
58	1299	Lease	13 April, 1917	Rangitaiki 29K No. 2	Hihia Pateoro and others to William Phillips (Fleming and Suckling).
59	1302	"	28 October, 1916	" 28B No. 15	Pea Wi Keepa to B. Chaytor and another (Fleming and Suckling).
60	1303	Transfer	9 May, 1917	Okohoriki 2D 3A	Paewhenua Aokahira and another to B. Hamilton (Hampson and Davys).
61	1304	"	16 January, 1917	Kopaeara No. 6	Rauparaha Mataia and others to Rihitihiuia (Hampson and Davys).
62	1305	Lease	8 May, 1917	Mangorewa-Kaharoa 6B 3 No. 2B	Pia te Kura and others to Amos (Hampson and Davys).

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

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
<i>NEW APPLICATIONS—continued.</i>					
63	1306	Transfer ..	14 May, 1917 ..	Kaitao-Rotohokahoka 1L 2	Himipiri te Wheoro and others to H. J. M. Wientges (Hampson and Davys).
64	1307	..	14 .. 1917 ..	Whakarewarewa 1B 2B No. 1	Himipiri te Wheoro and others to H. J. M. Wientges (Hampson and Davys).
65	1308	..	23 .. 1917 ..	Waiherowhero No. 10 ..	Winia Petera and others to W. G. S. Bridle (Hampson and Davys).
66	1309	..	2 April, 1917 ..	.. No. 4 ..	Parete te Korowhiti and others to W. G. S. Bridle (Hampson and Davys).
67	1310	..	27 March, 1917 ..	Kaitao-Rotohokahoka 1C (part)	Te Riri Rotohiko to W. G. S. Bridle (Hampson and Davys).
68	1311	..	28 December, 1916 ..	Kaitao-Rotohokahoka 1L 1	Amareta Rangirauaka to F. M. Boora (Hampson and Davys).
69	1312	..	16 April, 1917 ..	Owhatiura South 6B 2 ..	P. Paurini and another to W. G. Vaughan (George Urquhart).
70	1313	..	16 .. 1917 ..	Ngapuna 1D 3C ..	P. Paurini and another to W. G. Vaughan (George Urquhart).
71	1314	..	1 December, 1916 ..	Taheke-Papakainga No. 16	Honeri Waata to M. Kirikau (George Urquhart).
72	1315	..	6 .. 1916 ..	Haumingi No. 7 ..	Taiatini Eruini and others to F. A. Gainsford (George Urquhart).
73	1316	..	9 March, 1917 ..	Korokoro 1B 1 ..	M. Clayton to A. M. M. K. Montgomery (George Urquhart).
74	1317	..	9 May, 1917 ..	Turanga-a-Hikanui No. 1	Mereana Rangikawhiti to A. M. M. K. Montgomery (George Urquhart).
75	1318	..	15 .. 1917 ..	Rotohokahoka D North 2B (east part)	Te Ahu Moko to L. W. Hughes (George Urquhart).
76	1319	..	15 .. 1917 ..	Rotohokahoka D North 2B (west part)	Te Ahu Moko to L. W. Hughes (George Urquhart).
77	1320	..	16 April, 1917 ..	Owhatiura 2B 3 ..	P. Paurini and others to G. W. Vaughan (George Urquhart).
78	1321	Lease ..	19 March, 1917 ..	Rangitaiki 30C 2B 4 (south part)	Mereana Hemi and another to Dalgety and Company (P. A. Harron).
79	1322	..	25 .. 1917 ..	Rangitaiki 30C 2B No. 3	Hiira Waaka to Dalgety and Company (P. A. Harron).
80	1323	..	.. ..	.. 38B 1 ..	Rihimona Repua and another to J. F. Skipper (P. A. Harron).
81	1325	Transfer ..	19 July, 1916 ..	Waimana 260A, Sections 8 and 9	K. Rangitakia to Tunoa Roihana (P. A. Harron).
82	1326	..	.. ..	Waimana 260A, Section 28	E. Matutaera and others to Tunoa Roihana (P. A. Harron).
83	1327	..	28 March, 1917 ..	.. 266A No. 3 ..	Keita Hoani to Janet Purnell (Buchanan and Purnell).
84	1328	..	28 April, 1917 ..	Kawaha 3J 2 ..	Paora Ngakauika and another to George Urquhart (George Urquhart).
85	1329	Agreement, sale and purchase	28 .. 1917 ..	Pukehuia M 4B ..	Tamihana Otimi to D. Grant (George Urquhart).
86	1330	Transfer ..	15 May, 1917 ..	Kawaha 3J 1 ..	W. P. Haerehuka to George Urquhart (George Urquhart).
87	1332	..	7 March, 1917 ..	Rangitaiki 29F (part) ..	Tupararahi Tamaiwhara to Te Rore Wi Keepa (Fleming and Suckling).
88	1331	Lease ..	12 February, 1917 ..	.. 29F (part) ..	H. Wi Keepa and others to Te Rore Wi Keepa (Fleming and Suckling).
89	1333	..	3 November, 1915 ..	Rangiuru 2B 13 ..	Arama Karaka Parewhakaangi to M. H. Graham (O. J. Hodge).
90	1334	..	23 December, 1916 ..	Papamoia 2, Section 6B 2B	Tuihana Popata to A. J. Collins (O. J. Hodge).
91	1337	Transfer ..	22 March, 1917 ..	Omataroa 1B 2A ..	Te Kani Paapu and another to G. Powell (L. Buddle).
92	1338	Lease ..	3 .. 1917 ..	Rangitaiki 29U No. 4 (part)	Huhana Herewaka and another to E. A. Norman (L. Buddle).
93	1339	Transfer ..	20 February, 1917 ..	.. 30B 2B ..	Tanira Kihī to W. H. Sisam (L. Buddle).
94	1340	..	11 May, 1917 ..	Maungarangi B 1D ..	Te Kura Wharepohue and others to M. H. Graham (O. J. Hodge).
95	1342	Mortgage ..	21 December, 1916 ..	Rangitaiki 30C 1D ..	Tunohopu te Teira to H. Bertram (Hampson and Davys).
96	1343	Transfer ..	15 March, 1917 ..	Waiherowhero No. 6 ..	K. Kirimatao to W. G. S. Bridle (Hampson and Davys).
97	1344	..	16 .. 1917 ..	Rotohokahoka D South 15	E. Ngahuruhuru to D. W. Steele (Hampson and Davys).
98	1345	..	10 May, 1917 ..	Parawai 2D ..	Tamaki Takerei and others to M. H. Hampson (Hampson and Davys).

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

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.				
99	887	Lease ..	Mangatawa 7B ..	Natives to C. L. Sheath (George Urquhart).
100	953	" ..	Ngatipabiko B No. 3 No. 10 ..	W. T. Nelson (O. J. Hodge).
101	996	Transfer ..	Waimana No. 1B No. 4 ..	Roa Rangitahi (P. A. Harron).
102	1131	" ..	Maungarangi B No. 1F ..	M. H. Graham (O. J. Hodge).
103	1228	Sale ..	Matata, Lot 72B 3R No. 2 ..	Hunia Haare (P. A. Harron).
104	1351	" ..	Karangi A 4A ..	J. E. Newton (O. J. Hodge).
105	1252	" ..	Rangiuuru 2B 17B ..	John Mark (O. J. Hodge).
106	1272	Lease ..	Whakamaru-Maungaiti West 5208C No. 2 ..	L. Dingle.
107	1283	Transfer ..	Matata 72B No. 1 (part) ..	A. J. Rhodes (Hampson and Davys).
108	1293	Sale ..	Waitaia No. 1c ..	T. Moiri (George Urquhart).
109	1294	" ..	Rangiuuru 2B No. 17 ..	H. A. Alexander and another (George Urquhart).
110	1324	" ..	Rangitaiki 23B 2 A No. 1 ..	Tunoa Roihana (P. A. Harron).
111	1335	" ..	Te Puke 1c 2B ..	A. P. Baker (O. J. Hodge).
112	1336	" ..	Rangiuuru 2A 9C ..	Hugh Graham (O. J. Hodge).

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 96 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1913.

No.	Record No.	Name of Block.	Nature of Application.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
113	960	Puketawhero B, Section 15 ..	Application that land be revested in the Native owners.
114	961	" B, " 16 ..	" "
115	962	" B, " 17 ..	" "

APPLICATION FOR CONSENT OF BOARD TO PARTITION OF VESTED LAND.

No.	Record No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Block.
ADJOURNED APPLICATION.			
116	602	Arama Karaka Hutuha and others ..	Owhatiura South No. 1, Section 2.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
117	1914/108	Tihoi No. 2B ..	Karawhira Kapu and others to Alister McClean Thomson.
118	908	Mangorewa-Kaharoa No. 6E 3 No. 2F ..	Natives to L. Rogan (Hampson and Davys).
119	1039	Omataroa No. 1B No. 2 ..	Maata Rangitukehu to Bank of Australasia (Fleming and Suckling).
120	1223	Matata, Lot 5 ..	Topia Rotohiko to Van Dyke (Hampson and Davys).
121	1341	Rangitaiki 30C 1d ..	Tunohopu te Teira and others to Herbert Bertram (Hampson and Davys).

APPLICATIONS TO RECOMMEND THE HON. THE NATIVE MINISTER TO CONSENT TO ALIENATION UNDER SUBSECTION (2) OF SECTION 3 OF THE THERMAL SPRINGS DISTRICTS ACT, 1910.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.				
122	1191	Sale ..	Korokoro 1B No. 4 ..	Natives to F. A. Whitaker (George Urquhart).
123	1192	Lease ..	Taheke 2B ..	Natives to A. Wallace (George Urquhart).
124	1291	Sale ..	Mourea-Papakainga No. 3 ..	Natives to Arthur Wallace (George Urquhart).
125	1292	Lease ..	" ..	Natives to W. G. Vaughan (George Urquhart).

## MISCELLANEOUS APPLICATION.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
ADJOURNED APPLICATION.			
126	981	Matata, Lot 5 .. ..	The Board will consider and determine the objections which have been made against the proposed sale of the said land to Topia Rotohiko.

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

## REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whangara E is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whangara on Saturday, the 16th day of June, 1917, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the Whangara E Block be leased to Ann Fraser, wife of Thomas Fraser, of Gisborne, sheep-farmer, for a term of twenty-one years, without right of renewal or compensation for improvements at a rental equal to 5 per cent. on the present Government up-to-date valuation for the first ten years, and thereafter for the remaining eleven years at 5 per cent. on the amount of a Government valuation to be made in 1927—any improvements effected by the lessee during the first ten years to be excluded from the valuation to be made in 1927.”

Dated at Gisborne this 14th day of May, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,  
President.

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

## REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that meetings of the respective owners of the following blocks of land—namely, Hereheretau B Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, and 7—are summoned and will be respectively held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wairoa on Wednesday, the 27th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering in regard to each block the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the said land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Gisborne this 14th day of May, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,  
President.

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

## REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that meetings of the respective owners of the following blocks of land—namely, Tutaekuri Nos. 1A, 1B, 1C 2, 1C 4A and 1C 4C, 1C 5A, 1C 5B, 1C 6, 1C 13, 1C 15, 1C 16, 1C 17, 1C 18A, and 1C 18B—are summoned and will be respectively held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Wairoa on Wednesday, the 27th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering in regard to each block the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the said land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Gisborne this 14th day of May, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,  
President.

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

## REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Kaikou 3, Lot 18, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whangarei on Friday, the 8th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the

forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to John Alexander Finlayson, of Purua, Whangarei, farmer, for the price of £1 10s. per acre.”  
Dated at Auckland this 18th day of May, 1917.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.

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

## REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungapohatu North will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whangarei on Friday, the 8th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be revested in the Native owners.”

Dated at Auckland this 18th day of May, 1917.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.

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

## REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Makarau 2c will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Helensville on Friday, the 8th day of June, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to James Byrt Jordan (the younger), of Kaukapakapa, farmer, for £1,295, being the amount of the Government valuation thereof.”

Dated at Auckland this 18th day of May, 1917.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.

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

## REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Wairiki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Iwiroa No. 2c will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kaha on Wednesday, the 13th day of June, 1917, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Tunoa Roihana shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 19th day of May, 1917.

T. H. WILSON,  
President.

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

## REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Wairiki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungaroa No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kaha on Wednesday, the 13th day of June, 1917, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Waikura Tautuhiorongo and Herewini Piripi shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 19th day of May, 1917.

T. H. WILSON,  
President.



## BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT THOMAS DAGG, of Auckland, Salesman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 24th day of May, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock.

16th May, 1917. W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALEXANDER TUCKER, of Auckland, Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 25th day of May, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock.

18th May, 1917. W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HEREMAIA MAIKA, of Bainesse, Male Aboriginal Native, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 1st day of June, 1917, at 2 o'clock.

19th May, 1917. G. J. SCOTT,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of JAMES WILLIAM DALTON, of Featherston, bankrupt.

A FIRST and final dividend of 2s. 6d. in the pound is now payable at the office of the Deputy Official Assignee, Perry Street, Masterton, on all proved and accepted claims.

21st May, 1917. T. R. ALLEN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Christchurch.*

NOTICE is hereby given that GUSTAVUS WALLEN, of Christchurch, Salesman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 96 Gloucester Street, Christchurch, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of May, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock.

12th May, 1917. T. D. KENDALL,  
Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Christchurch.*

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES HENDERSON, of Rolleston, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 96 Gloucester Street, Christchurch, on Friday, the 25th day of May, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock.

16th May, 1917. T. D. KENDALL,  
Official Assignee.

## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

EVIDENCE of the loss of lease registered in Vol. 78, folio 291, of the Register-book, from THE WAIARIKI DISTRICT MAORI LAND BOARD to ERNEST JOHN SWANN and GEORGE WILLIAM VAUGHAN, of Section Eleven (Rotohokahoka F Block), on plan No. 7245, Block XXI, Rotorua Survey District, having been lodged with me, and application made to issue a provisional lease, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue a provisional lease accordingly at the expiration of fourteen days from the 24th May, 1917.

Dated the 16th day of May, 1917, at the Lands Registry Office at Auckland.

THOS. HALL,  
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same before the 26th day of June, 1917.

1547. JOHN FREDERICK BARBER.—Part of Section 216 of the City of Nelson, containing 38.8 perches. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 21st day of May, 1917, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

R. H. BOURKE,  
District Land Registrar.

## ADVERTISEMENTS.

JACKSON and Company (Limited), in pursuance of the powers conferred by section 220, subclause (b), and by section 168, of the Companies Act, 1908, hereby resolves that the company be wound up voluntarily; and that Messrs. ROWLEY AND GILL be hereby appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding-up.

Dated the 21st day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

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FRANK B. INNES.  
C. A. INNES.  
ETHEL J. INNES.

## ALHAMBRA PICTURE COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, an extraordinary general meeting of the ALHAMBRA PICTURE COMPANY (LIMITED), in Liquidation, will be held at 106 Victoria Arcade, Queen Street, Auckland, on Friday, the 8th of June, 1917, at 4 p.m., for the purpose of having laid before the meeting the accounts of the Liquidator showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and property of the company disposed of, and of hearing an explanation thereof given by the Liquidator. The company will be asked to declare, by extraordinary resolution, how the books, accounts, and documents of the company and of the Liquidator are to be disposed of.

Dated this 22nd day of May, 1917.

338 STANLEY G. CHAMBERS, Liquidator.

## NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

SLOANE AND Co.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, carrying on business as Stock-dealers at Whangarei, under the style or firm of "Sloane & Co.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 15th day of May, 1917.

Dated this 15th day of May, 1917.

HENRY BERNARD SLOANE.

Witness to signature of Henry Bernard Sloane—Hugh C. Rishworth, Solicitor, Whangarei.

GEORGE COURTNEY.

Witness to signature of George Courtney—Hugh C. Rishworth, Solicitor, Whangarei.

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## HAMILTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Hamilton Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of one thousand pounds, authorized to be raised by the said Hamilton Borough Council for the purpose of completing the undertaking of forming and grading, metalling, and sanding streets in the Claudelands Special-rating Area, for which a loan of ten thousand pounds was previously raised by the said Hamilton Borough Council, the said Hamilton Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-eighth of a penny in the pound upon the rateable (unimproved) value of all rateable property of the Claudelands Special-rating Area, comprising all that area in the Borough of Hamilton mentioned and described in an Order in Council of His Excellency the Governor of New Zealand under the provisions of the Municipal Corporations Act,

1908, dated the twenty-sixth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-ninth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, whereby the said area was declared to be included in the Borough of Hamilton as from the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twelve; 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 April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being the period from the date hereof to the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of a resolution passed at a duly constituted meeting of the Hamilton Borough Council held on the 16th day of March, 1917, and confirmed at a meeting of the Council held on the 20th day of April, 1917.

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E. J. DAVEY, Town Clerk.

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: New Golden Run Dredging Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 21st November, 1907.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: 69 High Street, Dunedin; Henry Turner.

Nominal capital: £8,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £8,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £8,000.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £8,000.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 8,000.

Number of shares allotted: 8,000.

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: 3.

Present number of shareholders: 20.

Number of men employed by company: 13.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 415 oz. 6 dwt.; £1,614 7s. 10d.

Total quantity and value produced since registration: 8,030 oz. 6 dwt.; £31,074 14s. 11d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £3,525 18s. 5d.

Total expenditure since registration: £34,233 1s. 5d.

Total amount of dividends declared: £3,200.

Total amount of dividends paid: £3,200.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash in bank: Nil.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.

Amount of debts considered good:

Amount of debts owing by company: £1,906 13s. 1d.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): £275 15s. 2d.

I, Henry Turner, the Manager of the New Golden Run 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, 1916; 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. TURNER.

Declared at Dunedin this 18th day of May, 1917, before me—H. C. Campbell, J.P. 341

### MASTERTON COUNTY.

#### RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Masterton County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £1,100, authorized to be raised by the Masterton County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for constructing an additional reservoir and filter-bed, restoring the existing mains to their full delivering-capacity, and

paying off the outstanding liability amounting to £265 10s. 7d. on the original loan, all in connection with the Lansdowne High-pressure Water-supply, the said Masterton County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-sixth of a penny in the pound on the capital rateable value of the Lansdowne Water-supply District described in the special order made by the Masterton County Council on the 8th day of June, 1905, and confirmed on the 13th day of July following, constituting the said district, and in the special order made on the 16th day of May, and confirmed on the 13th day of June, 1911, enlarging the said district; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of February and the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I certify that the foregoing resolution was passed at a duly convened and constituted meeting of the Masterton County Council held on the 8th day of May, 1917.

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F. G. MOORE, County Clerk.

### NEW ZEALAND INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).

#### TRUSTEE, EXECUTOR, AND AGENCY BRANCH.

In the matter of the New Zealand Insurance Company Trust Act, 1916.—Schedule, as at 30th November, 1916.

I, CHARLES FREDERICK THOMAS, Manager, do

solemnly and sincerely declare:—

1. That the liability of the members is limited.
2. That the capital of the company is £1,500,000, divided into 150,000 shares of £10 each.
3. That the number of shares issued is 150,000.
4. That calls to the amount of £3 per share have been made, under which the sum of £450,000 has been received.
5. That the amount of all moneys received on account of estates is £90,600 2s. 7d.
6. That the amount of all moneys paid on account of estates is £83,712 2s. 9d.
7. That the amount of the balance held to the credit of estates under administration is £6,887 19s. 10d.
8. That the liabilities of the company at the close of its financial year (to wit, the 30th day of November last) were—  
Debts owing to sundry persons by the company, viz.:  
On judgment, nil.  
On specialty, nil.  
On notes or bills, nil.  
On simple contracts, £56,584 14s. 11d.  
On estimated liabilities, £270,924 4s. 11d.
9. That the assets of the company on that day were—  
Government securities, New Zealand, £71,481 8s.  
Government securities, British and British Dependencies, £235,189 6s. 8d.  
Bills of exchange and promissory notes, nil.  
Cash at bankers, £94,968 10s. 4d.  
Other securities, £1,041,929 1s. 6d.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

C. F. THOMAS.

Declared at Auckland this second day of May, 1917, before me—Geo. W. Ravenhill, J.P. 343

THE Partnership heretofore existing between ISAAC LEVY and JACK COHEN, carrying on business at Auckland as Pawnbrokers, under the style of "J. Cohen & Co.," has been dissolved by mutual consent. JACK COHEN will pay all liabilities of the firm, and is entitled to receive all moneys due to it. Dated the 17th day of May, 1917.

I. H. LEVY.  
JACK COHEN.

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### MANGAMAHU MOTOR COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the following special resolution was passed on 16th May, 1917:—

"That the Mangamahu Motor Company (Limited) be wound up voluntarily; and that EDWIN MARTELL SILK, of Wanganui, Accountant, be appointed Liquidator."

All claims against the company must be lodged with the Secretary not later than 31st May, 1917.

E. M. SILK, Liquidator.  
Wanganui, 19th May, 1917. 345

## GREENHILL QUARRIES (LIMITED).

In compliance with subsection (6) of section 168 of the Companies Act, 1908; and in compliance with subsection (b) of section 220 of the Companies Act, 1908; and in compliance with section 223 of the Companies Act, 1908.

IT was resolved, as a special resolution of the members of the Greenhill Quarries (Limited), that, as the company had sold its plant and ceased to carry on operations, it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily, under provisions of the Companies Act, 1908; and that STANLEY GEORGE CHAMBERS, of Auckland, Public Accountant, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up.

ROBT. BURNS,  
Chairman.

Witness—

C. Cammell, Ironmonger,  
18 Trinity Street, Ponsonby.

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