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WILLIAM HICKSON,  
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY.

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*Pound in Lower Hutt District.*

PROCLAMATION.

By His Honor Isaac Earl Featherston Esquire Superintendent of the Province of Wellington in the Islands of New Zealand.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Provincial Council of Wellington Session III No. 8 intituled "An Act to amend and consolidate the law relating to Cattle Trespass and Impounding" it is enacted that the Superintendent of the said Province may from time to time by Proclamation declare any Pounds to be or cease to be Public Pounds within the meaning of the said Act and may in like manner appoint suspend remove and re-appoint keepers of such Pounds Now therefore I Isaac Earl Featherston Superintendent of the Province do hereby proclaim the Stockyard adjacent to White-wood's Hotel in the Lower Hutt District in the Province of Wellington aforesaid and appurtenant thereto to be a Public Pound within the meaning of the said Act and that Charles Hickling be the keeper thereof.

Given under my hand and issued under the public seal of the Province of Wellington at Wellington this Thirty-first day of December One thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

I. E. FEATHERSTON,  
Superintendent.

By His Honor's command,  
W. HICKSON,  
Provincial Secretary.

*Lower Rangitikei School District,  
No. 3.*

PROCLAMATION.

By His Honor Isaac Earl Featherston Esquire Superintendent of the Province of Wellington in the Islands of New Zealand.

WHEREAS by an Act of the second Session of the Provincial Council of Wellington No. 6 intituled "An Act to promote the establishment of Common Schools in the Province of Wellington" it is enacted that for the purposes of the said Act it should be lawful for the Superintendent by Proclamation to divide the Province into Districts and from time to time to sub-divide such Districts and to reunite any sub-divisions and also by Proclamation to declare that the said Act should come into operation within such District or sub-division at such time as he may appoint And whereas it is deemed expedient to proclaim that portion of the Province within the boundaries hereinafter set forth to be a District for the purposes of the said Act Now therefore I Isaac Earl Featherston Superintendent of the Province of Wellington in virtue of the power and authority vested in me in this behalf do hereby proclaim and declare that such portion of the said Province as is comprised within the following boundaries shall form and constitute a District for the purposes of the said Act to be called "The Lower Rangitikei School District No. 3" which said District shall be bounded as follows namely:—

On the North by the Northern Boundaries of Blocks Nos. IV and VI to the River Rangitikei thence Southerly by the

said River to the Tutuenui Stream thence by the boundary of the Lower Rangitikei District No. 2 to the South West Corner of Block No. LXXXIII thence by the Western Boundary of the said Block to Section No. 70 thence by the Southern and Western Boundaries of the said Section and by the Western boundaries of Sections Nos. 69 and 68 to the North West corner of the latter thence by the Northern boundaries of Section Nos. 68 and 67 to the South West corner of Block No. IV and thence by the North West boundary of the said Block to the starting point.

And also that the Act shall come into operation within such District on the day of the date hereof.

Given under my hand and issued under the public seal of the Province of Wellington at Wellington this Thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

I. E. FEATHERSTON,  
Superintendent.

By His Honor's command,  
W. HICKSON,  
Provincial Secretary.

*Proclaiming Pound at Taratahi.*

PROCLAMATION.

By His Honor Isaac Earl Featherston Esquire Superintendent of the Province of Wellington in the Colony of New Zealand.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Provincial Council of the said Province of Wellington Session III. No. 8 intituled "An Act to Amend and Consolidate the law relating to Cattle Trespass and Impounding" it is enacted that the Superintendent of the said Province may from time to time by Proclamation declare any Pounds to be or cease to be Public Pounds within the meaning of the said Act and may in like manner appoint suspend remove and re-appoint Keepers of such Pounds Now therefore I Isaac Earl Featherston Superintendent of the said Province do hereby proclaim and declare the Stock-yard of Thomas Ray situate at the Taratahi Plain in the Wairarapa District in the Province of Wellington aforesaid to be a Public Pound within the meaning of the said Act and that the said Thomas Ray be the Keeper thereof.

Given under my hand and issued under the Public Seal of the Province of Wellington at Wellington this Tenth day of January One thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven.

I. E. FEATHERSTON,  
Superintendent.

By His Honor's command,  
W. HICKSON,  
Provincial Secretary.

*Appointment of Constable a Castle Point.*

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 28th Dec., 1866.

HIS HONOR the Superintendent has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK HODGES,

to be Constable at Castle Point. Appointment to date from the 15th December, 1866.

W. HICKSON,  
Provincial Secretary.

*Tenders for Educational Reserves.*

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Provincial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, 9th January, 1867.

TENDERS will be received at this Office until Friday, the 1st February next, from persons desirous of Leasing the undermentioned Educational Reserves for a period of 14 years.

Further particulars can be ascertained on application at this Office.

The highest, or any tender, not necessarily accepted.

W. HICKSON,  
Provincial Secretary.

	A.	R.	P.
Rangitikei, part of Section No. 31, Agricultural Reserve	214	0	0
Hutt, Section 19, Upper Mungaroa Block	40	0	0
Do. Section No. 20 do.	40	0	0
Wai-nui-o-mata, Section No. 39.100	0	0	0
Wairarapa, Town Section No. 61, Featherston	1	0	0
Do. Town Sec. No. 62 do.	1	0	0
Do. do. " 104 do.	1	0	0
Do. do. " 162 do.	1	0	0
Do. do. " 188 do.	1	0	0
Do. do. " 244 do.	1	0	0
Do. do. " 212 do.	1	0	0
Do. do. " 328 do.	1	0	0
Do. Suburban Sec. 248 do.	10	0	0
Do. do. No. 250 do.	10	0	0
Do. Rural Sec. " 157 do.	30	0	0
Do. do. " 468 do.	48	0	0
Do. do. " 38 Block 35	0	0	0
Do. do. " 37 do.	20	0	0
Do. do. " 9 Mania 41	8	22	
Do. do. " 14 do.	90	0	0
Do. do. " 128 ton	76	0	0
Do. do. " 135 do.	42	0	0
Do. do. " 19 ton	35	0	0
Do. do. " 110 do.	110	0	0
Do. do. " 102 do.	110	0	0
Do. do. " 104 do.	40	0	0
Do. do. " 60 Block	40	0	0

*Entitled to Crown Grants.*

I, DAVID LEWIS, a Commissioner duly appointed by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, intituled "The Lost Land Orders Act, 1861," to hear and decide claims for Crown Grants of Lands for which the original Land Orders have been lost or destroyed, report that the claims of William Barnard Rhodes, of Wellington; Alexander Nairne, of Camberwell, in England; John Luscombe, of Chudleigh, in England; having been referred to me by command of the Governor, I do hereby decide that the aforesaid claimants are entitled to Crown Grants of the land referred to in the annexed Schedule.

## SCHEDULE.

Names of Claimants.	Commissioner's Decision.
William Barnard Rhodes ..	Entitled to a Crown Grant of allotment No. 78, part of Rural Section No. 1, Harbour District.
Alexander Nairne ..	Entitled to a Crown Grant of sections in the city of Wellington Nos. 765, 832, 848, and 969; Rural Section No. 52, Ohariu District; and to three other selections of Rural Land (100 acres each), upon the conditions described in the report of the New Zealand Company's Commissioner, No. 1409.
John Luscombe ..	Entitled to a Crown Grant of the section No. 383, and part of No. 93, on the plan of the City of Wellington.

Dated at Wellington,

this fifteenth day of November, 1866.

DAVID LEWIS,

Lost Land Orders Commissioner.

*Native Land Court.*

## NOTICE

Native Land Court Office,

Auckland, December 14, 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Crown Grants to the undermentioned persons for the undermentioned pieces of Land in the Province of Wellington are now in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds, at Wellington, ready for issue to the Grantees, or persons authorised in writing by them to receive them.

A. J. DICKEY,

Chief Clerk.

Name of Grantee.	Block.	Area.	Locality.
Hemi Parai ...	Te Aro Pa	A. B. P. 0 0 24	Te Aro Pa
Te Waka Houtipu ...	"	0 1 0	"
Te Teira Whakatore ...	"	0 0 22 $\frac{1}{2}$	"
Mohi Ngaponga ...	"	0 1 17	"
Tiki Te Waka and others ...	"	0 0 19	"
Hakarara Te Poho o Te Rangi ...	"	0 0 14	"
Ihikiera Te Waikapoariki ...	"	0 0 13	"
Tare Tahua ...	"	0 0 25	"
Heta Manurua ...	"	0 0 9	"
Pumipi Te Rangau ...	"	0 0 5	"
Teretiu Paora ...	"	0 0 9	"
Nakora Oroti, and another ...	"	0 0 7	"
Mata Pekamu Tuhata ...	"	0 0 6	"
Ahipane Marangai ...	"	0 0 27	"
Te Keene Te Rangi ...	"	0 0 15	"

*Return of Lands Sold and Deposits received in the Province of Wellington, from the 1st to the 30th November, 1866.*

District.	Purchaser.	Land selected or applied for.	Contents.	Payment.			Remarks.
				Cash.	Naval and Military Land Orders.		
			A. R. P.	£ S. D.	A. R. P.		
Wellington .....	Richard Hagan .....	In the Whaketiki Valley, Hutt .....	100 0 0	50 0 0			
	Edward Morgan .....	" " " " .....	100 0 0	50 0 0			
	David Carrick .....	" " " " .....	100 0 0	50 0 0			
	Isaac Wilkins .....	" " " " .....	100 0 0	50 0 0			
	George Perkins .....	" " " " .....	100 0 0	50 0 0			
	Peter Wilkie .....	" " " " .....	100 0 0	50 0 0			
	William Mowbray .....	" " " " .....	80 0 0	40 0 0			
Manawatu .....	George Wood .....	Remainder of Section No. 81, Wai-nui-o-mata .....	34 0 0	17 0 0	.....	Balance after survey.	
	Clark Dunn .....	Town Sections 45, 65, 66, 91, 111, & Suburban Section 1 Foxton, and Rural Section 62, Moota .....	32 1 6	153 10 0	.....	Purchased at Auction,	
	James Russell .....	Town Section 46, and Suburban Sections 320, 321 and 322 Foxton, and Rural Section 61 Moota .....	79 1 10	179 0 0		" "	
	John Halley .....	Town Sections 48 and 72, Foxton .....	0 3 72	5 0 0		" "	
	Robert Kirk .....	" " 49 & Suburban Sections 323 & 353 Foxton .....	6 1 19	4 5 0		" "	
	William London .....	" " 50 " " .....	0 2 0	2 0 0		" "	
	William Bethwaite .....	" " 51, 53 and 55 Foxton .....	1 2 0	54 10 0		" "	
	William Lind .....	" " 56 " " .....	0 2 0	12 0 0		" "	
	William Clougher .....	" " 58 " " .....	0 1 21	1 0 0		" "	
	John Plimmer .....	" " 59 and Suburban Section 307, Foxton .....	6 0 17	2 13 0		" "	
	John Beck .....	" " 60, 64, 68, 69, 71, 93 & 102 Foxton and Rural Section 80, Karere .....	6 1 38	109 10 0		" "	
	A. Lemon .....	Town Section 62, Foxton .....	0 2 0	10 0 0		" "	
	Francis Robinson .....	" " 63 and Rural Sections 411, 419, 420, 424, 425, 426, 468, 469, 470, 471 & 474 Foxton, and Rural Sections 52, 54 & 55 Moota .....	1588 3 22	250 0 0		" "	
	Henry Wright .....	Town Sections 67 and 70 Foxton .....	1 0 0	24 0 0		" "	
	Joseph Burne .....	" " 72, 94, 103 & Suburban Sections 3, 4, 306 and 324, Foxton .....	12 1 4	10 19 0		" "	
	Carried Forward .....		2,451 0 4	1175 7 0			

Return of Lands (Continued.)

District.	Purchaser.	Land selected or applied for.	Contents.	Payment.		Remarks.
				Cash.	Naval and Military Land Orders.	
			A R P.	£ S. D.	A. R. P.	
		Brought Forward .....	2451 0 4	1175 7 0		
Manawatu .....	Archibald P. Stuart .....	Town Section 81, and Suburban Section 24, Foxton .....	1 2 38	22 10 0		Purchased at Auction.
	George M. Snelson .....	" " 82 " " 2 " .....	1 2 32	2 10 0		" "
	Jas. Mitchell, sen. ....	" " 92 " " " .....	0 3 8	17 10 0		" "
	John Mushet .....	" " 95 and 106, and Suburban Section 8, Foxton .....	2 0 12	96 10 0		" "
	George Mernery .....	" " 100 " " 26 " .....	1 1 22	43 0 0		" "
	William Jno. Port .....	" " 104 and 105 " " " .....	0 1 28	5 0 0		" "
	Gibbs W. Jordan .....	" " 107 & 120 Foxton, & Suburban Section 226 Palmerston .....	5 2 16	9 0 0		" "
	Adam Stuart .....	" " 108 Foxton, and Rural Section 390, Palmerston .....	61 3 15	92 0 0		" "
	Philip Jenkins .....	" " 109 " " 57, Moota .....	12 3 36	58 10 0		" "
	John A. Allen .....	" " 110 " and Town Section 266, Palmerston .....	1 0 36	45 0 0		" "
	John Mowlem .....	" " 112 " and Rural " 391 " .....	74 1 15	101 10 0		" "
	John McKelvie .....	" " 113 " " " 406 " and .....				" "
		Rural Sections 74 and 78 Karere .....	33 1 10	9 0 0		" "
	Robert Waters .....	Town Sections 114 and 119 Foxton .....	0 1 23	20 0 0		" "
	John Knowles .....	" " 115 and 116 " .....	0 3 4	77 0 0		" "
	Alexander Gray .....	" " 117 and Suburban Section 25, Foxton .....	1 2 0	6 0 0		" "
	Walter Staff .....	" " 118 " " 354, " .....	2 0 30	45 10 0		" "
	J. Joseph & J. E. Nathan .....	" " 98 & 101 Foxton, Town " 111, 114, 115, 117, 118, 119, 120, 318, 319, 320, 321 & Suburban Section 317, Palmerston .....	40 1 21	33 6 0		" "
	Edward W. Mills .....	Town Section 99, and " " 5 & 305, Foxton... ..	6 1 19	13 19 0		" "
	F. J. Knox, jun. ....	" " 52, and " " 6, " .....	1 2 32	23 10 0		" "
	J. Harding and D. Lewis .....	Suburban Sections 42 and 43, Foxton .....	2 0 0	2 16 0		" "
	John Batten Smith .....	" " 87 and 88, " .....	11 3 4	53 0 0		" "
	John Tiffen Stewart .....	" " 90 " .....	6 2 0	21 10 0		" "
	George Dear .....	" " 318 Foxton, and Rural Sections 58 and 64 Moota .....				" "
		and 68 Karere .....	72 1 0	164 0 0		" "
	Henry Wilson .....	Suburban Sections 326, 327, 328, 329, 351, 352, Foxton .....	18 1 36	59 0 0		" "
	G. H. Engels .....	Rural Section 422, Foxton .....	12 2 0	26 0 0		" "
		Carried Forward .....	2825 1 1	2,222 18 0		

Return of Lands (Continued.)

District.	Purchaser.	Land selected or applied for.	Contents.		Payment.			Remarks.	
					Cash.	Naval and Military Land Orders.			
			A.	R. P.	£	s.	D.		
		Brought Forward .....	2825	1 1	2222	18	0		
Manawatu .....	W. Wintergill .....	Rural Section 423, Foxton .....	33	1 0	34	0	0		Purchased at Auction.
	George Nye .....	" " 427 and 428, Foxton .....	180	2 0	210	10	0		" "
	Edwin Stafford .....	" " 458 and 459 " .....	31	0 38	5	0	0		" "
	James Duncan .....	" " 467 " .....	15	2 0	20	0	0		" "
	John Henson .....	Suburban Section 35, Motoa .....	3	0 16	20	0	0		" "
	D. G. Monrad .....	Suburban " 36, Motoa, & Rural Sections 33, 34, 35, 36 & 39, Karere .....	483	2 36	54	0	0		" "
	Henry Elkins .....	Suburban Section 45, Motoa .....	1	0 0	20	0	0		" "
	Thomas Norton .....	" " 71 " .....	1	2 13	10	0	0		" "
	John Warden .....	" " 73 " .....	5	0 32	3	0	0		" "
	J. Mitchell & J. T. Stewart .....	" " 77 and 78 Motoa .....	136	3 0	16	4	0		" "
	Thomas Edwards .....	" " 53, Motoa, Suburban Sections 241, 242, and Rural Sections 356, 357, 358, 407, 408 and 409, Palmerston .....	583	0 28	694	15	0		" "
	John Smith .....	Suburban " 59 and 60 Motoa .....	73	3 34	176	0	0		" "
	William R. Howe .....	" " 63 " .....	34	1 8	53	0	0		" "
	William L. Hirst .....	Town " 263, 264 and 265, Palmerston .....	3	0 0	7	14	0		" "
	Sir George Grey .....	Town Sections 276, and Suburban Sections 210, 211, 212, 213 214, Palmerston .....	25	1 0	109	0	0		" "
	John Rees George .....	Town Sections 325 and 343, and Suburban Section 188, Palmerston .....	7	1 0	6	0	0		" "
	J. Jordan & W. J. Tagg... ..	" " 340 and 342, Palmerston .....	2	2 0	6	0	0		" "
	Amos Burr .....	" " 331 " .....	1	1 0	1	5	0		" "
	R. Kirton & E. Cook .....	Suburban Section 195 " .....	4	2 0	22	10	0		" "
	John T. Dalrymple .....	Rural Sections 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404 and 405, Palmerston .....	815	3 2	150	0	0		" "
	Thomas Wing .....	Rural Section 443 " .....	206	1 12	21	0	0		" "
	George T. McEwen .....	" " 19, Karere .....	121	1 0	121	5	0		" "
	David W. Watson .....	" " 20 and 21 Karere .....	581	0 0	581	0	0		" "
	Peter Stewart .....	" " 22, 23 and 24 " .....	434	0 0	451	0	0		" "
	James Charlton Sly .....	" " 25 " .....	200	0 0	200	0	0		" "
		Carried Forward .....	6810	2 20	5216	1	0		

Return of Lands (Continued.)

District.	Purchasers.	Land selected or applied for.	Contents.	Payment.			Remarks.
				Cash	Naval and Military Land Orders.		
			A. R. P.	£	s.	D.	
		Brought Forward .....	6810 2 20	5216	1	0	
Manawatu .....	John Mason .....	Rural Sections 37 and 38, Karere .....	93 0 0	131	0	0	Purchased at Auction.
	Walter Alzodorf .....	" " 66, 70 and 76, Karere .....	9 0 0	7	0	0	" "
	William Sannoeks .....	" " 72 " .....	3 0 0	1	0	0	" "
	Richard Bart .....	" " 82 " .....	3 0 0	1	0	0	
	Gibbes W. Jordan .....	Town " 76, 77, 78, 79, Foxton, and Suburban Section 227, Palmerston .....	7 0 0	70	0	0	
	Archibald P. Stuart .....	Town Section 80, Foxton .....	0 2 0	10	0	0	
	James Mitchell, sen. ....	Suburban Section 89, Foxton, Suburban Sections 25, 26 and 31 Motoa, and Town Section 252, Palmerston .....	45 2 9	105	10	0	
	Ernest Wright .....	Town Section 61, Suburban Sections 361, 362, 363, and Rural Section 457 Foxton .....	24 2 19	63	0	0	
	William J. Port .....	Suburban Section 27, Foxton .....	1 0 28	11	10	0	
	Frances London .....	" " 330 " .....	3 0 0	9	0	0	
	W. J. London .....	" " 331 " .....	3 0 0	9	0	0	
	William J. Tagg .....	Town " 75 " .....	0 2 0	10	0	0	
	J. Mitchell & J. T. Stewart	Part of Suburban Section 82, Motoa .....	135 0 0	135	0	0	
	Henry Elkins .....	Suburban Sections 12, 13, 14 and 15, Motoa .....	21 0 25	£7	5	0	
	Thomas Edwards .....	" " 240, and Rural Section 359, Palmerston, and Rural Sections 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, Karere .....	324 2 31	342	10	0	
	William B. Howe .....	Suburban Sections 7 and 20, Motoa .....	10 0 35	20	0	0	
	Sir George Grey .....	Town Sections 219, 220, & Suburban Sections 209 & 228, Palmerston .....	11 2 0	82	10	0	
	Robert Menzies .....	Town Section 275, Palmerston .....	1 0 0	15	0	0	
	George F. Roe .....	" " 261, 262, 331, and Suburban Sections 199 and 200 Palmerston .....	11 1 0	94	10	0	
	Henry Russell Kane .....	Town Sections 270 and 332, Palmerston .....	2 1 0	40	0	0	
	John A. Allan .....	" Section 1, Palmerston .....	0 1 0	15	0	0	
	Alexander Dundas .....	Suburban Sections 5, 6, 21 and 22, Motoa .....	23 1 24	46	15	0	
		Carried Forward .....	7544 2 31	6492	11	0	

Return of Lands (Continued.)

District.	Purchasers.	Land Selected or applied for.	Contents.	Payments.			Remarks.
				Cash.	Naval and Military Land Orders.		
			A. R. P.	£	S.	D.	A. R. P.
		Brought Forward	7544 2 31	6492	11	0	
Manawatu	Joseph Trask	Suburban Sections 39 and 40 Foxton	2 0 0	20	0	0	
	A. Stuart and J. Mowlem	Rural " 392, Palmerston	113 1 27	113	10	0	
	Pawroa and Hori	Part of Rural Section 361	9 0 29	9	3	6	
	Hapara te Matiu	" " " 361	8 1 3	8	5	6	
	Wi Waka	" " " 361	4 3 28	4	18	6	
	Matiu	" " " 361	4 2 10	4	11	6	
	Piha	" " " 361	4 0 11	4	1	6	
	Renata	" " " 361	5 0 26	5	3	6	
	Hutana	" " " 361	6 2 1	6	10	0	
	Heta	" " " 361	4 1 4	4	5	6	
	David W. Watson	Rural Section 18, Karere	...	...	...	...	Reselection.
	James Mitchell, jun.	Town " 260, Palmerston	0 1 0	15	0	0	
Wairarapa and East Coast	William Nicols	Suburban " 206, Featherston	5 0 34	15	0	0	
	Robert Wilson	In the Warekaka Block	50 0 0	25	0	0	
	Richard Burt	" Waipoua "	200 0 0	100	0	0	
	H. S. Palmerson	" Taratahi Plain Block	80 0 0	40	0	0	
	G. G. Buck & R. Kemble	" " " "	700 0 0	350	0	0	
	Dugald Cameron & others	" Pahau "	...	76	7	6	
	James William Fox	" Taratahi Plain "	60 0 0	...	60	0 0	Deposit for 3055 acres of 5s. land.
	Isaac Earl Featherston	" Akitio "	15 0 0	7	10	0	Balance after Survey.
	TOTALS		8817 2 4	7301	18	0	60 0 0

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NOTE.—Where Lands are described in this Return as selected on any Run, the Runholder will regard the Return as a Notice within the meaning of Section XI, Clause 3, of the "Additional Land Regulations."

Crown Lands Office, Wellington, 14th December, 1866.

WM. HOLMES,  
For the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*General Abstract of the Liabilities and Assets, and of the Capital and Profits of the undermentioned Banks of the Colony of New Zealand, for the Quarter ended 30th September, 1866.*

BANKS.	LIABILITIES.														
	Notes in Circulation.			Bills in Circulation.			Balances due to other Banks.			Deposits.			Total Liabilities.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Bank of New Zealand .....	326,395	9	11	29,861	4	3	91,451	4	1	1,301,087	17	2	1,746,795	15	5
Union Bank of Australia .....	141,276	5	10	19,066	15	3	2,749	12	3	807,515	14	5	970,608	7	9
Bank of New South Wales .....	152,468	9	11	652	18	6	9,968	11	11	753,228	18	1	916,308	18	5
Bank of Australasia .....	18,922	0	1	2,354	4	8	.....	.....	.....	84,387	9	5	105,663	14	2
Bank of Otago .....	28,083	0	0	509	19	6	12,687	6	10	127,622	7	8	168,852	14	0
Bank of Auckland .....	9,549	1	6	83	6	11	6,457	8	9	34,677	16	2	50,767	13	4
Totals .....	£ 676,684	7	3	52,528	9	1	123,264	3	10	3,108,520	2	11	3,960,997	3	1

  

BANKS.	ASSETS.																				
	Coin.			Bullion.			Landed Property.			Notes and Bills of other Banks.			Balances due from other Banks.			Notes and Bills discounted, and all other Debts due to the Banks.			Total Assets.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Bank of New Zealand .....	323,984	2	8	135,516	6	5	19,765	13	0	4,483	3	0	12,175	0	5	1,846,051	4	11	2,341,975	10	5
Union Bank of Australia .....	258,998	12	5	5,559	11	3	38,333	6	8	6,546	9	3	13,205	13	5	831,163	16	10	1,153,747	9	10
Bank of New South Wales .....	252,159	10	11	35,891	12	5	17,255	6	2	1,485	16	10	7,390	8	3	867,187	0	8	1,181,319	10	3
Bank of Australasia .....	45,703	16	11	68	16	5	19,300	0	0	254	12	7	.....	.....	.....	370,889	17	9	436,167	3	8
Bank of Otago .....	28,621	8	2	8,348	14	1	18,566	8	2	1,392	0	0	527	7	9	455,888	5	1	513,314	3	3
Bank of Auckland .....	11,192	16	2	.....	.....	.....	2,180	8	1	8	0	0	1,070	7	2	89,959	9	2	104,411	0	7
Totals .....	£ 920,660	7	3	185,385	0	7	115,421	2	1	14,170	1	8	34,368	12	0	4,460,929	14	5	5,730,984	18	0

  

BANKS.	CAPITAL AND PROFITS.																
	Capital paid up.			Rate per annum of last Dividend.						Amount of last Dividend declared.			Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend.				
	£	s.	d.							£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Bank of New Zealand .....	500,000	0	0	17 per cent.	per annum	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	42,500	0	0	199,067	1	9
Union Bank of Australia .....	1,250,000	0	0	17 per cent.	per annum	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	106,250	0	0	357,729	7	8
Bank of New South Wales .....	1,000,000	0	0	20 per cent.	per annum	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100,000	0	0	536,917	8	1
Bank of Australasia .....	1,200,000	0	0	14 per cent.	per annum	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	78,750	0	0	370,000	9	3
Bank of Otago .....	200,785	0	0	6 per cent.	per annum	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,868	15	1	2,773	7	7
Bank of Auckland .....	52,408	0	0	10 per cent.	per annum	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,228	16	7	1,750	0	0
Totals .....	£ 4,203,193	0	0							335,597	11	8	1,268,237	14	4		

Treasury, Wellington, 21st November, 1866.

J. WOODWARD, Assistant Treasurer.

*Entitled to Crown Grants.*

I, DAVID LEWIS, a Commissioner duly appointed by virtue of the Ordinance No. 15, Session XI., of the Legislative Council of the Islands of New Zealand, to hear and decide Claims to Land by persons claiming Title thereto from, through, or under the New Zealand Company, report that the Claims of the undermentioned persons having been duly referred to me for investigation, I do hereby decide that the said persons are respectively entitled to Crown Grants of the land set against their names in the annexed Schedule.

DAVID LEWIS,  
Commissioner.

New Zealand Company's Land Claimant's Office,  
Wellington, 15th November, 1866.

## SCHEDULE.

No. of Report.	No. of Claim.	Name of Claimant.	Commissioner's Decision.
1404	1622	Edmund Storr Hallswell.	Entitled to Crown Grants of the Sections numbered 20, 62, and 75, in the block of land surveyed by the New Zealand Company at Manawatu, subject nevertheless to the conditions of Clause VI. "Land Orders and Scrip Act, 1858."
1405	1384	Elijah Wilton ... ..	Entitled to a Crown Grant of the Rural Section No. 18, on the plan of the Ohiro District.
1406	1330	Samuel Farrar ... ..	Entitled to a Crown Grant of the Section numbered 3 in the block of land surveyed by the New Zealand Company at Manawatu, subject nevertheless to the conditions of Clause VI. "Land Orders and Scrip Act, 1858."
1407	1669	Lawson Potts ... ..	Entitled to a Crown Grant of a portion of Section No. 11 in the Hutt Valley, containing about five acres.
1408	1660	William Barnard Rhodes.	Entitled to a Crown Grant of Allotment No. 78, part of Rural Section No. 1, Harbour District, commonly called Wade's Town.
1409	1646	Alexander Nairne	Entitled to Crown Grants of the Sections Nos. 765, 832, 848, and 969, in the City of Wellington; also, to Rural Section No. 52, Ohariu District; also, to Rural Sections No. 26, Horowhenua, and No. 237, Manawatu Districts, as surveyed by the New Zealand Company; subject nevertheless to the conditions of Clause VI. "Land Orders and Scrip Act, 1858." Also, to select one hundred acres in respect of an unexercised land order, under the conditions of Clause II. of the before-mentioned Act.

### *Native Land Court.*

Native Land Court Office,  
Auckland, Dec. 19, 1866.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the sitting of the Native Land Court, advertised to be holden at Whanganui on Tuesday, the first day of January next, to adjudicate on certain claims to land in that district, is postponed until Monday, the seventh day of the same month.

A. J. DICKEY,  
Chief Clerk.

Kooti Whakawa Whenua,  
Akarana, 19 Tihema, 1866.

**H**E Panuitanga tenei kia mohiotia ai. Ekore e noho te Kooti Whakawa Whenua ki Whanganui a te Turei, te 1 o nga ra o Hanuere, 1867, hei whakawa i nga take whenua a nga tangata kua Panuitia.

E rangi ka noho te Kooti ki Whanganui, a te 7 o nga ra o Hanuere, 1867.

NA TIKI,  
Kai tuhituhi o te Kooti.

### *District Court.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the next sittings of the District Court of Wellington, for the despatch of Civil Business, will be holden at the Supreme Court House, Wellington, on Friday, the 18th day of January, 1867, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

W. R. E. BROWN,  
Clerk of the Court.

### *Supreme Court.*

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW  
ZEALAND—MIDDLE DISTRICT.

W. W. TAYLOR, on behalf of him-  
and others,

v.

ROBERT SOMERVILLE and ANN  
LAMBERT, Executors of Joseph  
Lambert, deceased.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the Estate of the late Joseph Lambert are requested to prove the same before R. R. Strang, Esq., Registrar of the Supreme Court at Wellington, on or before the

11th day of February next, or they will be excluded from the benefit of the Decree herein.

ROBERT R. STRANG,  
Registrar.

Wellington, 17th Jan., 1867.

### *Supreme Court.*

NOTICE.

DEBTORS AND CREDITORS ACTS

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the said Court will be holden at the Court House, Lambton Quay, Wellington, on Tuesday, the 15th day of January instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the dispatch of all Business accruing under the provisions of the Debtors and Creditors Acts, 1862 and 1865.

ROBERT R. STRANG,  
Registrar.

Supreme Court Office,  
Wellington, 8th January, 1867.

List of Persons applying for Relief under the "Debtors and Creditors Acts," 1862 and 1865, or against whose estates proceedings have been taken by Creditors under the said Acts in the Province of Wellington :-

- Robert Gray—of Wanganui, in the Province of Wellington, Builder.
- Edward Smith—of Wellington, in the Province of Wellington, Painter.
- John Hagan—of the Upper Hutt, in the Province of Wellington, New Zealand, Farmer.
- Wilson Chisholm—of Porirua Road, in the Province of Wellington, Carpenter.
- David George Smale—of Wellington, in the Province of Wellington, Clerk.
- William Bain—of Wellington, in the Province of Wellington, a partner in the firm of Messrs. Bain & Buchanan, Bakers, at Wellington.
- Thomas Herbert Hill—of the Wairarapa, in the Province of Wellington, Sheep Farmer.
- John W. Gerse—of Wanganui, in the Province of Wellington.
- William Blake Graham—of Wanganui, in the Province of Wellington, a Captain in the Colonial Forces.

ROBERT R. STRANG,  
Registrar.

*Errata in Sheep Inspector's Report, Wairarapa District.*

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**T**HE Flocks of A. McMasters and Moritz Herchberg, are returned on page 6 in last *Gazette* (No. 1, 4th Jan., 1867) as "Scabby," instead of "Clean;" and the Flocks of John Richardson, and Cameron and Miller as "Clean," instead of "Scabby."