



THE COUNTY OF  
**WESTLAND GAZETTE.**

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HOKITIKA, MONDAY, MAY 19, 1873.

IN pursuance of the provisions of sections eighty and eighty-one of "The Westland Waste Lands Act, 1870," the Waste Lands Board have reserved from public sale the land described in the schedule hereunto annexed, to be granted in payment for public works.

G. G. FITZGERALD,  
 Chief Commissioner of the Waste Lands Board.

SCHEDULE.  
 Block V. (Rural.)  
 ARAHURA DISTRICT.

One hundred and twenty-one acres, more or less, situate on the south side of the Hokitika and Christchurch road, commencing at a point south of and opposite to the south-west corner of section 1059, extending easterly along said road, and running back southerly an average distance of forty chains; subject to reserves and gold-workings.

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 22, of the 10th April, 1873.]

G. F. ARNEY, Administrator of the Government.

WHEREAS by the ninth section of "The Secondary Punishments Act, 1854," it is enacted that every person, except as hereinafter mentioned, who shall be kept in penal servitude, shall, during the time of his servitude be employed on the roads or

public works, or otherwise be kept to hard labour, in such part of the Colony of New Zealand as the Governor shall in that behalf direct, and either in irons or under such other restraint, and subject to such other correction, as may be necessary for his safe custody and strict discipline; and for the purpose of being so employed as aforesaid, every such convict may be removed from place to place, either by sea or land, and may be confined in such public gaol, at such penal station, or in such place of confinement, or may otherwise be kept in custody as the Governor shall from time to time direct:

And whereas by the seventeenth section of the said Act, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, by instructions under his hand, to delegate to the Superintendent of any Province on such terms and conditions, and subject to such limitations and restrictions as may be prescribed in that behalf, all or any of the powers thereinbefore reserved to the Governor by the ninth clause of the said Act:

And whereas by the seventh section of "The County of Westland Act, 1868," it is enacted that in any Act of the General Assembly, except such as relate to the election of Superintendents and Provincial Councils, and to legislation by such Councils, and to appointments of Deputy Superintendents, and to audit of Provincial Accounts

and matters of a like kind, the word "Province" shall include "County of Westland," and the word "Superintendent" shall include, with regard to such County, any person whom the Governor may from time to time appoint to perform within such County those duties and exercise those powers under any such Act which might, if such duties or powers had to be performed or exercised within a Province, be exercised or performed by the Superintendent of such Province:

And whereas it is expedient that the powers reserved to the Governor by the said ninth section of the said "Secondary Punishment Act, 1854," should so far as the same are exercisable with regard to persons sentenced to penal servitude by any Court of competent jurisdiction sitting within the County of Westland, and so far as the same are exercisable with regard to persons sentenced to penal servitude by any Court of competent jurisdiction sitting and acting beyond the limits of the said County, and removed under lawful authority to any prison within the said County, should be delegated to the Chairman of the Council of the said County:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Alfred Arney, the Officer Administering the Government of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers vested in me by the said seventeenth section, do hereby, by this instrument under my hand, delegate to

HENRY LEE ROBINSON, Esq.,

so long as he shall hold the office of Chairman of the Council of the said County all the powers reserved to the Governor by the ninth section of the said Act; but only so far as the same are exercisable with regard to persons heretofore or hereafter to be sentenced to penal servitude by any Court of competent jurisdiction sitting and acting within the said County, and so far as the same are exercisable with regard to persons heretofore or hereafter to be sentenced to penal servitude by any Court of competent jurisdiction sitting and acting beyond the limits of the said County, upon such persons being removed under lawful authority to any prison within such County.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Alfred Arney, Knight, the Officer administering the Government of New Zealand, and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies and Vice-Admiral of the same, at the Government House at Wellington,

this first day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 27, of the 8th of May, 1873.]

*Member of Central Board of Health, Westland, appointed.*

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Wellington, May 2, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint

HENRY WIDENHAM MAUNSELL, Esq.,  
to be a Member of the Central Board of Health of Westland, in the room of T. H. Garland, Esq., who has left the Colony.

W. H. REYNOLDS.

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 27, of the 8th May, 1873.]

*Auditor of Trust Accounts appointed.*

Office of the Minister of Justice,  
Wellington, May 5, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint

JOHN FRAME MCBETH, Esq.,  
to be Auditor of the Courts of Law Trust Accounts for the District of Greymouth, under "The Courts of Law Trust Moneys Act, 1868," *vice* H. F. Andrews, Esq., resigned.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS,  
(in the absence of the Minister of Justice.)

[Extracted from *The New Zealand Gazette*, No. 27, of the 8th of May, 1873.]

*Coroner Appointed.*

Office of the Minister of Justice,  
Wellington, May 7, 1873.

HIS Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint

ALEXANDER GROVES DUFF, Esq., M.D.,  
of Ross, Westland, to be a Coroner within the Colony.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS,  
(in the absence of the Minister of Justice.)

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 27, of the 8th of May, 1873.]

*Receiver of Gold Revenue appointed.*

Treasury,  
Wellington, May 2, 1873.

**H**IS Excellency the Officer Administrating the Government has been pleased to appoint

MR. HUGH BOYLE  
to be Receiver of Gold Revenue at Maori Gully, Grey District, in the County of Westland.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS.

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 25, of the 24th of April, 1873.]

*Upset Price and Size of Sections fixed under "The Westland Waste Lands Act, 1870."*

G. A. ARNEY, Administrator of the Government.

**I**N pursuance of the power and authority vested in me for that purpose by the thirty-third section of "The Westland Waste Lands Act, 1870," I, Sir George Alfred Arney, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, hereby authorise the sale of the unsold portion of the Kanieri Township, as described in the attached Schedule, at the upset price of thirty-five pounds per acre; and I do hereby determine that the size of the sections shall be one-eighth of an acre in the case of unoccupied sections, and in the case of occupied sections as laid out by the Chief Surveyor, the upset price and size of such sections, hereby determined, being fixed in accordance with the recommendation of the County Council of the said County, as expressed in a resolution passed by that body on the tenth of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

#### SCHEDULE.

All that parcel of land in the County of Westland, bounded on the Westward by the east boundary of Section 20, Kanieri Township; on the Southward by Cobden's Quay; on the Eastward by the west boundary of Camp Reserve, No. 464; and on the Northward by a line 250 links north of and parallel to the north boundary of Cobden's Quay.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Alfred Arney, Knight, Administrator of the Government, and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-

Admiral of the same; and issued at Wellington, this nineteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

G. MAURICE O'RORKE.

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 25, of the 24th April, 1873.]

*Sale of Land to Henry Diedrichs authorised at Ten Shillings per Acre.*

G. A. ARNEY, Administrator of the Government.

**I**N exercise of the power in me for this purpose vested by "The Westland Waste Lands Act, 1870," I, Sir George Alfred Arney, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby authorise the sale of the land described in the Schedule hereto to Henry Diedrichs, at the rate of ten shillings per acre.

#### SCHEDULE.

All that parcel of land in the County of Westland, containing by admeasurement two thousand acres, more or less, situate in Block XXVIII., Arahura District, commencing at a point on the north bank of the Hokitika River, about three-quarters of a mile to the west of the first gorge, and from thence extending westerly along the Hokitika River, and bounded on the northward by G.K. track, and on the eastward and westward by straight lines at right angles to the general direction of G.K. track. Subject to necessary reserves and gold workings.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Alfred Arney, Knight, Administrator of the Government, and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued at Wellington, this nineteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

G. MAURICE O'RORKE.

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 25, of the 24th April, 1873.]

*Sale of Land to Charles Morton Ollivier, authorised at Ten Shillings per Acre.*

G. F. ARNEY, Administrator of the Government.

**I**N exercise of the power in me for this purpose vested by "The Westland

Waste Lands Act, 1870," I, Sir George Alfred Arney, the Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby authorise the sale of the land described in the Schedule hereto to Charles Morton Ollivier, at the rate of ten shillings per acre.

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SCHEDULE.

All that parcel of land in the County of Westland, containing by admeasurement two thousand acres more or less, situate in the Grey District, and bounded on the Northward by the Crooked River; on the Eastward by Bell Hill Road; on the Southward by a straight line at right-angles to Bell Hill Road; and on the Westward by the Poerua or right-hand branch of the Crooked River. Subject to necessary reserves and gold workings.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Alfred Arney, Knight, Administrator of the Government, and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued at Wellington, this nineteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

G. MAURICE O'RORKE.

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 26, of the 1st May, 1873.]

*Site for a Town determined under "The Westland Waste Lands Act, 1870."*

G. A. ARNEY, Administrator of the Government.

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A PROCLAMATION.

**W**HEREAS by the thirty-second section of "The Westland Waste Lands Act, 1870," it is enacted that the sites of towns shall from time to time be determined by the Governor upon the recommendation of the County Council, and shall be notified by Proclamation in the *The County of Westland Gazette*: and whereas the said County Council has recommended that the land described in the Schedule hereto should be a site for a town, within the meaning of the said section of the Act:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Alfred Arney, Knight, Administrator of the Government of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of all powers

and authorities enabling me in this behalf, do hereby determine and fix the land described in the Schedule hereto to be a site for a town, within the meaning of the thirty-second section of the said Act.

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SCHEDULE.

GREENSTONE.

Situated in the Grey District opposite the old Greenstone Township, containing eleven (11) acres more or less, and bounded on the North-east by a line bearing  $155^{\circ} 36'$  magnetic through road traverse peg No. 42; on the South-east and South by lines 270 links distant and parallel to road traverse lines 4241 and 4140; on the South-east by a line 275 links east of road traverse peg No. 40, and bearing  $172^{\circ} 2'$  magnetic; and on the North and North-west by the Hohou River.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Alfred Arney, Knight, Administrator of the Government, and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

G. MAURICE O'RORKE.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 9, of the 1st May, 1873.]

*Upset Price and Size of Sections fixed under "The Westland Waste Lands Act, 1870."*

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G. F. ARNEY, Administrator of the Government.

**I**N pursuance of the power and authority vested in me for that purpose by the thirty-third section of "The Westland Waste Lands Act, 1870," I do hereby authorise the sale of the Greenstone Township, as described in the attached Schedule, at the upset price of thirty-five pounds per acre; and I do hereby determine that the size of the sections shall be one-eighth of an acre,—the upset price and size of such sections, hereby determined, being fixed in accordance with the recommendation of the County Council of Westland, as expressed in a resolution passed by that body on the nineteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

## SCHEDULE.

All that parcel of land in the County of Westland situated in the Grey District, opposite the old Greenstone Township, containing eleven (11) acres, more or less, and bounded on the North-east by a line bearing  $155^{\circ} 36'$  magnetic through road traverse peg No. 42; on the South-east and South by lines 270 links distant and parallel to road traverse lines 4241 and 4140; on the South-east by a line 275 links east of road traverse peg No. 40, and bearing  $172^{\circ} 2'$  magnetic; and on the North and North-west by the Hohonu River.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Alfred Arney, Knight, Administrator of the Government, and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

G. MAURICE O'RORKE.

[Extracted from the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 26, of the 1st May, 1873.]

*Limits and Description of Railway from a point on the South Bank of the Grey River, opposite the Brunner Coal Mine to Grey-mouth, in the County of Westland, being a portion of the Line from Brunner to Grey-mouth.*

(L.S.) G. A. ARNEY,  
Officer Administering the Government.

## A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1870," it is enacted that the railways to be constructed under the said Act shall be only such railways as shall from time to time be determined by the General Assembly: And it is also thereby enacted that, subject to the provisions contained therein, the Governor may construct, or cause to be constructed, any lines of railway which shall be prescribed by the General Assembly as railways to be constructed under the said Act, or any part or parts thereof, and acquire the necessary engines, plant, and machinery for working and using the same, or any of them: And it is also thereby enacted that, whenever the Governor shall determine to construct any such railway, or any part thereof, it shall be lawful for him, by Proclamation published in the "New Zealand Gazette," to declare and define the limits and description and line thereof, and the lands proposed to be taken for the purpose of such railway, subject to the provisions of any Act defin-

ing such limits and descriptions, and any such Proclamation may refer to maps, plans, or drawings to be deposited in the office of the Registrar or Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court in the Province in which such railway or part thereof is proposed to be constructed, and any maps, plans, or drawings so referred to shall be deemed to form part of such Proclamation; and upon the publication of such Proclamation, the provisions and regulations contained in the Seventh Part of the said Act shall be applicable to the railway, and to the lands to which the Proclamation shall relate: And it is also thereby enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor to make, construct, and maintain any such railway as aforesaid, with proper works, approaches, and conveniences connected therewith, commencing at the place delineated on, and extending along the lines set forth in, and terminating at a point described in the Act or Proclamation proclaiming and defining such railway, or shown in the maps, plans, or drawings referred to in such Act or Proclamation: And it is also thereby enacted that the Governor may direct that any part of such line of railway may be constructed on and along any part of any public highway, and that any part of any such line of railway may be constructed on or through any public reserves: And it is also thereby enacted that, subject to the provisions of that Part of the said Act and of the Acts incorporated therewith, the Governor may exercise all or any of the powers by that Part of the said Act or the said incorporated Acts conferred upon him for the construction of any such railway, and may enter upon, and cause to be entered upon, all lands within the Colony for the purpose of making such surveys as may be necessary, and may take and hold all the lands required for the railway along the line set forth and described as aforesaid, or within the limits of deviation described in the Proclamation relating thereto, and may temporarily occupy and use such lands as may be necessary on either side of the railway, during the construction thereof:

And whereas by "The Railways Act, 1871," and "The Railways Act, 1872," it is enacted that the Governor may, under the provisions of the hereinbefore firstly recited Act, and of the now reciting Acts, construct and maintain, or cause to be constructed and maintained, the several lines of railway specified therein: And it is also thereby enacted that the line of the railways thereby authorized to be constructed shall be fixed by the Governor, and shall commence and terminate at points to be fixed by the Governor: And whereas by "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1872," it is enacted that as to any railway which the Governor has been authorised to construct, and to fix the commencing and termination points and line thereof, it shall be competent for him, if he thinks fit, instead of fixing and proclaiming such points and the whole line at one time, to fix and proclaim portions of

such line from time to time, and the commencing and termination points of any such portion or portions, and the limits and description of any such portion or portions, and the lands proposed to be taken for the purpose of any such portion or portions, and to construct any portion or portions so fixed, and to take the lands for the same; and any such portion so proclaimed shall be deemed to be a railway within the meaning of the said Act and the said amending Act, and this Act:

And whereas by the said last-mentioned Act it is also enacted that, at any time after the expiration of twenty-one days from the publication in the "New Zealand Gazette," and in a newspaper ordinarily circulating in the district, of a Proclamation under the thirteenth section of the said Act, whether of the whole or a portion or portions of a line of railway, the Governor, on behalf of Her Majesty, may enter upon, take possession of, use and hold, or cause to be entered upon, taken possession of, used and held, so much of the lands defined in such Proclamation as proposed to be taken as shall be required to be taken, purchased, or permanently used for the purposes of such railway, notwithstanding that an agreement shall not have been come to or an award made for the purchase or compensation money to be paid in respect of such lands:

And whereas by the said last-mentioned Act it is also enacted that in any case in which a road or right of road has been or hereafter may be reserved in any Crown grant, and in any case in which, under "The Native Lands Act, 1865," or any law for the time being in force relating to the sale of waste lands of the Crown, or any law whatever, there is a right to take a public road through any lands, it shall be lawful, after such road shall have been surveyed, to construct under the said Acts any railway or any part of any railway, on the road so surveyed, notwithstanding that such road may not have been made:

And whereas the Governor has determined to construct and maintain a railway from a point on the south bank of the Grey River, opposite the Brunner Coal Mine, to Greymouth, being a portion of the railway authorised to be constructed from Brunner to Greymouth by "The Railways Act, 1871:"

And whereas Sir George Ferguson Bowen, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, hath departed thence for the Colony of New South Wales, and Sir George Alfred Arney, Knight, the Chief Justice of the said Colony, under or by virtue of a certain warrant under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet, is now the person lawfully administering the Government of the said Colony:

Now therefore, I, Sir George Alfred Arney, Knight, the Officer Administering the Government of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred on me by the herein-before in part recited Acts, and in exercise of every other power enabling me in

this behalf, do hereby proclaim, declare, and define the limits, description, and line of the said railway from a point on the south bank of the Grey River, opposite to the Brunner Coal Mine, to Greymouth, to be those set forth in the First Schedule hereto; and that the lands specified and described in the Second Schedule hereto are proposed to be taken for the purposes of the said railway; and that the limits of deviation shall be those set forth in the said First Schedule hereto; and in pursuance and exercise of all powers and authorities conferred on me in that behalf, I do hereby fix the point of commencement of the said railway, being a portion of the said railway from Brunner to Greymouth, to be at a point on the south bank of the Grey River, opposite the Brunner Coal Mine, and the point of termination to be a point on Mawhera Quay in a line with Werita-street, Greymouth.

#### FIRST SCHEDULE.

Limits, Description, Line, and Limits of Deviation of a portion of the Railway from Brunner to Greymouth, being that portion lying between a point on the South Bank of the Grey River, opposite the Brunner Coal Mine, to Greymouth, in the County of Westland.

Commencing at a point on Mawhera Quay, Greymouth; thence through Native Reserve No. 31; thence through Reserve No. 4 (in red) and Rural Block I., Grey District; thence through Native Reserve No. 33; thence through Coal Reserve No. 274 (in red) as the limits, description, and line thereof are set forth on the plan and described in the book of reference referred to on the face of the said plan, and which plan and book are authenticated for the purposes of this Proclamation by the signature of the Honorable William Hunter Reynolds, Minister acting for the Minister for Public Works, to be deposited in the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court at Hokitika, or within the limits of deviation set forth in the said plan by dotted red lines, being not more than one hundred and ten yards on either side of the line, and passing through or over the several sections of Crown and other lands, sections, reserves, roads, water-courses, rivers, and beaches, as enumerated in the Second Schedule hereto.

#### SECOND SCHEDULE, OR BOOK OF REFERENCE.

Lands and Roads proposed to be taken for the purposes of the Railway from a point on the South Bank of the Grey River, opposite the Brunner Coal Mine, to Greymouth.

So much of the lands and roads hereinafter mentioned as are required for the said railway along the line of the said railway hereinbefore defined, or within the limits of deviation aforesaid, as the lands are described and defined in the plan or book of reference aforesaid.

Mawhera Quay, Town Sections 1, 2, 86, 87, 88, 89, Mackay-street, Mount-street, Lots IX., X., 8, 324, 323, 326, 322, 227, 228, Native Reserve No. 31, Public Roads, Reserve No. 4, Grey District Block I., Rural Sections 7798, 1233, 1237, 1105, 1111, 1316, 7804, 1363, 1323, 1318, 1115, 1140, 1306, 1099, 1161, 1098,

1113, Native Reserve No. 33, and *Land Reserve* No. 274; and all adjoining and *unreserved* Crown and other lands, sections, reserves, roads, watercourses, rivers, and beaches.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Alfred Arney, Knight, the Officer Administering the Government, and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at Wellington, this first day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

WILLIAM H. REYNOLDS,  
Minister, Acting for the Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

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**P**ARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the charge of James Meacham Batham, Esq., Curator of the Estates of Deceased Persons, during the month of April, 1873.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Colonial Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Rule or Order.	Value or estimated value of Personal Estate.	Time of Deceased's Death.	Remarks.
1	Fisher, Samuel M'Dowell Elliott.	Greymouth.	Belfast, Ireland.	None required.	£ s. d. 12 7 6	1873. March 15.	Drowned in Grey River.
2	Fletcher, George.	Greymouth.	Worcester, England.	None required.	3 0 0	March 29.	Effects left in hands of Grey Hospital, on account of funeral expenses.

Dated the first day of May, 1873.

J. M. BATHAM, Curator for Westland District.

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