German Lutheran Trusts.

Letter from Mr. Schumacher to the Secretary to the Commission.

No. 16 Grant, area 1 rood 8 perches.

With respect to your inquiry respecting the grant in Nelson to the Lutheran community, I beg leave to inform you the terms of the trust have been complied with. A church has been built upon the land, that it is kept in repair, and Divine Service is performed in it every Sunday.

Waimea East, Raglan.-No. 19 Grant, area 1 acre 2 roods.

The same evidence as to this grant.

F. SCHUMACHER.

Nelson Central Board of Education.

Letter from Mr. W. C. Hodgson to the Secretary to the Commission.

Nelson, 14th February, 1870. In compliance with the request contained in your memorandum of the 7th instant, I have the honour to enclose a schedule of the various properties granted to the Nelson Central Board of Education, showing the present position of the trust, and the purpose to which the revenues derived urpose ... I have, &c., W. C. Hodgson, therefrom are applied.

F. Wakefield, Esq., Secretary to the Commission, Wellington.

Secretary to the Central Board of Education for Nelson.

(Enclosure in above.)

Schedule of Reserves granted to the Nelson Central Board of Education, showing specifically how each has been dealt with to 1st January, 1870.

A.—Reserves Let.

Number.	District.	Acreage.	Term of Lease.	Rent per Annum.	Name of Lessee.
30 to 43 inclusive 110 6 of Square 7	Amuri Motupiko Motueka Valley	275 0 0	14 years from 1st Jan., 1862 14 years from 30th Dec., 1862 14 years from 1st Aug., 1862	£166 12s. 6d £10 £1 14s. first 3 years; £2 11s. remainder of term	T. H. Wigley. John Sharp. James Wilkie.
38 and 39 3 of Part 36 29 1 88 111	Upper Moutere Lower Moutere Maitai Valley Westport Westport Westport Dovedale	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	14 years from 7th Aug., 1862 14 years from 1st Aug., 1862 7 years from 1st Sept., 1864 14 years from 5th Jan., 1867 14 years from 4th Jan., 1867 14 years from 1st July, 1867 14 years from 1st Nov., 1868	£3 £2 £2 £2 £12 6s £10 £10 £7 10s £5 first 5 years; £10 next 5; £14 rem.	J. Drummond. William Cook. R. Richardson. C. L. Maclean. John Crate. H. D. Jackson. John W. Harvey.

B.—RESERVES UNLET

D.—IMESERVES UNDET.												
Number.		District.		Acr	eage.	Number.	District.	Acreage.				
33, 34, 35, 36 43 3 of Square 23 13 Part 2, 165 49 of Square 8 8 of Square 11 46 55 and 56 13, 42, 59, 87 2 20 20 19, 58, 80 19, 50, 99 16, 17, 29 208, 204 56, 16, 63 6		Waimea West Wai-iti Hills Suburban North Takaka Ditto Upper Takaka Ditto Clifton Ditto Milnthorpe Milnthorpe Suburb Ditto Ditto Town of Bulwer Town of Howard Westport Suburban Collingwood Suburk Aorere Valley Tadmor		A. 200 279 66 150 75 55 79 3 7 44 15 37 43 1 0 15 50 63 44	R. P. O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O O	71	Ngatimoti	A. R. P. 85 0 0 45 0 0 54 0 0 136 0 0 0 2 16 0 3 0 1 0 10 1 1 4 1 2 12 1 0 32 2 2 0				
5	• •	Thorpe Suburban	••	26	0 0	106 and 107	Upper Motueka	476 0 0				

The rents derived from such of the above reserves as are let are applied annually by the Central Board of Education to the maintenance of the Nelson Public Schools.

W. C. Hodeson, Secretary to the Central Board of Education for the Province of Nelson.