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1906.
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DEPARTMENT OF LANDS:
SCENERY PRESERVATION.

REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1906; TOGETHER WITH STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS AND SCHEDULES OF ALL LANDS ACQUIRED AND RESERVED UNDER "THE SCENERY PRESERVATION ACT, 1903."

Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly pursuant to Sections 4 and 10 of "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

Department of Lands,

Wellington, 23rd June, 1906.

SIR,—

I have the honour to submit herewith report on scenery-preservation for the twelve months ended the 31st March, 1906.

I have, &c.,

WILLIAM C. KENSINGTON,

Under-Secretary for Lands.

The Hon. T. Y. Duncan, Minister of Lands.

SCENERY PRESERVATION.

REPORT OF LANDS ACQUIRED, RESERVES MADE, AND PROCLAMATIONS ISSUED, TOGETHER WITH A STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS, ETC., FOR THE YEAR ENDED THE 31ST MARCH, 1906.

THE following schedules and particulars give in tabular form the exact position of the various scenic areas inspected and reported on by the Scenery Preservation Commission, and the steps taken in connection therewith:—

Schedule A.—The lands acquired under the provisions of "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

Schedule B.—The lands proclaimed as acquired, but payment for which has not yet been made.

Schedule C.—The lands gazetted and set apart as reserves under the Act.

Statement of accounts showing the total expenditure and the purposes to which applied.

Schedule D.—List of recommendations, showing the areas recommended for acquisition and reservation, and action taken thereon.

From a perusal of the foregoing it will be seen that since the appointment of the Scenery Preservation Commission in March, 1904, up to the 31st March last, an area of 14,565 acres 2 roods 3 perches has been reserved under the Act, and the total expenditure has been £7,175 1s 3d., of which the expenses of the Commission amounted to £3,043 3s. 4d.; compensation for land taken included £3,552 6s. 1d.; and the balance of £579 11s. 10d. went in payment of miscellaneous expenses such as surveys, valuations, advertising, legal and travelling expenses. In addition to the above area of reservations actually effected, the Commissioners have submitted proposals for the acquisition and reservation of some 350,000 acres, details of which will be found in Schedule D. Many of the areas recommended are now in course of acquisition: in some cases the forest on the lands has been so destroyed that reservation is no longer

desirable; whilst in the majority of cases negotiations are being conducted with a view to definitely ascertaining the exact cost and area of the places worth acquiring before a final decision is arrived at in the matter. Many of such recommendations have unavoidably to be held over for the present through many reasons, such as the lands being held under lease, and when they are suffering no injury meanwhile it is considered judicious to await the termination of such lease or title before setting the lands apart; several areas being included in pastoral runs, which are not capable of resumption under the Land Act, are also in this category, and in other cases the prospects of the land being better suited for settlement, mining, and suchlike purposes, have to be carefully considered before it is decided to reserve the land for scenery-preservation. Thus it will be seen that though consideration of the Commissioners' proposals may have been held over, it does not follow that no action will eventually be taken, but only that at the present time it is injudicious to attempt to deal with the land as recommended. It has also happened that the proposed reserve has already been set apart for other purposes, and special legislation is required to effect any change. Besides recommending the detailed areas set forth in the list, the Commissioners have inspected lands in all parts of the colony, and collected valuable information to enable their successors to deal with suggestions for reserving same. A number of proposals from residents and others interested in the matter have been received, and will be dealt with shortly, and with the assistance of the various Commissioners of Crown Lands full reports will be obtained and the matters dealt with by the new Commission to be appointed to administer the Act.

During the last twelve months the Commissioners held meetings at Queenstown (April), Wellington (9th June), Palmerston North (12th, 13th, and 14th October), Napier (25th October), Taupo (2nd November), Rotorua (11th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, and 18th November), again at Rotorua (22nd November), New Plymouth (16th, 17th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, and 24th February), whilst in addition the several Commissioners visited and inspected places of scenic or historical interest in the following localities and districts: North of Auckland—Swanston, Dargaville, Tangitororia, Hokianga, Rawene, Mangonui, Whangarei; South of Auckland—Taupo, Tokaanu, Wairakei, Orakei-Korako, Waiotapu, Te Teko, Maketu, Matata, Opotiki, Whakatane, Te Puke, Kati Kati, Athenree, Tauranga, Waihi, Thames, Te Kaha, Kawhia, Hangatiki, Te Kuiti, Okoroire; Hawke's Bay—around Napier, Taradale, Hastings, Porangahau, Dannevirke, Woodville, Pohui, Tarawera, Makaretu, Waipukurau, Ormondville; Taranaki—around New Plymouth, Waitara, Waitotara, Hawera; Wellington—Trentham, Featherston, Greytown North, Masterton, Mauriceville, Eketahuna, Pahiatua, Palmerston, Ohingaiti, Mangaweka, Utiku, Waikanae, Levin, Paraparaumu, Wanganui; Marlborough—many localities; Westland—many localities; Canterbury—Puketeraki Range, Raincliff, Dipton, Kinloch, Akaroa, Riccarton; Otago—Wakatipu, Paradise, Mount Earnslaw, Dart River, Routeburn Valley, Seacliff, Evansdale Gorge, Hampden, Humbolt Range; Southland—Kingston.

During the term of the Commission the administrative work has been performed by the Department of Tourist and Health Resorts, but upon the conclusion of its labours all the duties appertaining to scenery-preservation have reverted to the Department of Lands. It must not be overlooked that this latter Department has for many years been steadily reserving large areas of Crown lands in every part of the colony for scenery-preservation, under the powers conferred by "The Land Act, 1892," and for the year ended 31st March, 1906, nearly 3,000 acres were set apart for scenic reserves under the provisions of this Act, whilst large areas of Crown lands covered with forests have been reserved for the growth and preservation of timber, State forests, &c. Details of these are given in the annual report of the Department.

SCHEDULE A.—Showing the Lands acquired under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903," during the year 1905-6, and paid for in Full.

Locality.	District.	Area.	Recom- mendation No.	Price paid.
<i>Hawke's Bay Land District.</i>				
Lindsay Settlement	Section 18, Block XIV, Waipukurau ...	A. R. P. 22 0 32	194	£ s. d. 310 16 0
<i>Taranaki Land District.</i>				
Turuturumokai Pa	Part Section 143, Block VI, Hawera ...	14 1 17	144	358 18 0
<i>Canterbury Land District.</i>				
Raincliff Bush ...	Part Rural Section 7554, Block IX, Opihi	62 0 35	62	497 15 0
<i>Otago Land District.</i>				
Bailey's, Flagstaff Hill, Dunedin	Part Section 2 of 35, Dunedin and East Taieri	24 3 35	169	*20s 17 2
<i>Southland Land District.</i>				
Edendale Settlement (forest in)	Sections 134E and 135E ...	205 2 0	219	1,335 15 0
Totals ...	...	329 0 39	...	2,710 1 2

* Includes payment for 142 acres 3 roods 29 perches acquired the previous year.

SCHEDULE B.—Showing the Lands proclaimed as acquired under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903," but the Full Price for which has not yet been paid.

Locality.	District.	Area.	Recom- mendation No.	Amount paid.
<i>Auckland Land District.</i>				
Wairua Falls ...	Sections 7, 8, Block XVI, Mangakahia	A. 74 R. 0 P. 0	74	£ s. d. Nil.
<i>Hawke's Bay Land District.</i>				
Aorangiwai ...	Block I, Mata Survey District	100 0 0	46	Nil.
<i>Taranaki Land District.</i>				
Ratapihipihi Bush	Block VIII, Paritutu	50 0 0	140	Nil.
<i>Wellington Land District.</i>				
Paraparaumu Forest	Ngarara West C Block, Block IX,	185 0 0	265	300 0 0
	Kaitawa	409 0 0	...	300 0 0
Totals ...	...	...	...	...

SCHEDULE C.—Reserves made in 1905-6 under the Provisions of "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

Land District.	No.	Acreage.		
		A.	R.	P.
Auckland ...	14	7,310	3	11
Hawke's Bay ...	4	247	0	12
Taranaki ...	4	766	3	22
Wellington ...	7	217	0	14
Canterbury ...	1	62	0	35
Otago ...	15	2,857	1	32
Southland ...	10	2,189	1	14
Totals ...	55	13,650	3	20
Previously reserved in 1904-5	6	914	2	23
Grand totals ...	61	14,565	2	3

RESERVES MADE.

Locality.	District.	Area.	Recom- mendation No.	Proclaimed.
<i>Auckland Land District.</i>				
Hahei, Mercury Bay	Section 13, Block XII, Otama ...	109 1 0	84	8 Aug., 1905.
Tapuwae, Hokianga...	Section 1, Block XIII, Manga- muka	499 0 31	343	1 Sept., "
Pukorokoro, Hapua- kohe Range	Section 9, Block XVI, Piako ...	1,140 0 0	88	30 Oct., "
Waikato River banks	Section 1, Block XI, Section 2, Block XIV, Section 1, Block XV, Tatua	585 0 0	98	30 " "
Opapuka Gorge ...	Section 196, Waipareira Parish	47 0 0	91	30 " "
Taupiri Hills ...	Section 223, Blocks III and IV, Newcastle	2,770 0 0	79	29 Nov., "
Ruakuri Caves ...	Section 7, Block X, Orahiri ...	192 0 0	199	14 Dec., "
Takahue Bush ...	Section 31, Block XV, Takahue	44 1 20	320	15 Jan., 1906.
Waihoango Falls ...	Section 3, Block II, Omapere ...	500 0 0	72	6 Feb., "
Wairua Falls ...	Section 7, Block XVI, Manga- kahia	25 0 0	74	8 " "
" ...	Section 8, Block XVI, Manga- kahia	49 0 0	74	8 " "
Lake Taupo shores ...	Section 1, Block V, Karangahape	700 0 0	94	24 " "
" ...	Section 1, Block X, Karangahape	300 0 0	94	24 " "
" ...	Section 1, Block II, Pukawa ...	350 0 0	94	24 " "
		7,310 3 11		

RESERVES MADE—continued.

Locality.	District.	Area.	Recom- mendation No.	Proclaimed.
<i>Hawke's Bay Land District.</i>				
		A. R. P.		
Aorangiwai ...	Block I, Mata ...	100 0 0	46	31 May, 1905.
Ruakituri River bank	Section 1, Block XIII, Tuahu ...	123 0 0	29	8 Aug., "
Near Kumeroa ...	Section 15, Block XIII, Tahoraite	1 3 20	28	16 " "
Lindsay Settlement ...	Section 18, Block XIV, Waipukura	22 0 32	194	14 Dec., "
		247 0 12		
<i>Taranaki Land District.</i>				
Te Kawau Pa ...	Block I, Mimi ...	2 2 5	118	17 April, 1905.
Rotokohu Lake, Waitotara	Section 2, Block II, Kapara ...	700 0 0	192	21 June, "
Ratapihipihi Bush ...	Block VIII, Paritutu ...	50 0 0	140	27 Aug., "
Turuturumokai Pa ...	Part Section 143, Block VI, Hawera	14 1 17	144	25 Nov., "
		766 3 22		
<i>Wellington Land District.</i>				
Silverhope Reserve, near Marton	Section 1, Block VI, Ongo ...	0 1 11	57	30 Oct., 1905.
Ditto ...	Section 2, Block VI, Ongo ...	0 3 39	57	30 " "
" ...	Section 4, Block VI, Ongo ...	7 3 27	57	30 " "
" ...	Section 3, Block VI, Ongo ...	18 1 27	57	30 " "
" ...	Section 48, Block VI, Ongo ...	2 0 33	57	30 " "
" ...	Section 1, Block IX, Ongo ...	2 0 37	57	30 " "
Ngarara West C Block (Paraparaumu Bush)	Block IX, Kaitawa ...	185 0 0	265	13 Feb., 1906.
		217 0 14		
<i>Canterbury Land District.</i>				
Raincliff Bush ...	Part Rural Section 7554, Block IX, Opihi	62 0 35	62	16 June, 1905.
		62 0 35		
<i>Otago Land District.</i>				
Bailey's, Flagstaff Hill	Part of Section 2 of 35, Dunedin and East Taieri	24 3 35	169	8 Aug., 1905.
Heywood's Point ...	Section 50, Block V, North Harbour and Blueskin	110 0 0	159	8 " "
Waipati Beach ...	Sections 5, 6, Block X, Tautuku	134 0 18	186	8 " "
Taieri River banks ...	Sections 28, 29, Block I, Clarendon	200 1 24	161	8 " "
Tautuku Beach Bush	Sections 22, 24, Block VIII, Tautuku	334 3 18	184	8 " "
Tahakopa Beach Forest	Section 1, Block IX, Woodland	786 3 0	181	8 " "
Catlin's River banks...	Section 24, Block IV, Woodland	27 2 0	178	16 " "
Purakauti Forest ...	Sections 49-52, Block VII, Woodland	393 2 0	179	1 Sept., "
Papatowai Bush ...	Section 28, Block X, Woodland	179 0 0	183	1 " "
Mount Fortune ...	Section 17, Block XIV, Moeraki	316 0 0	252	30 Oct., "
Island in Pomahaka River	Section 14, Block XII, Glenkenich	2 0 0	217	29 Nov., "
Akatore Forest ...	Sections 29-30, Block VIII, Akatore	290 1 36	213	29 " "
Waterfall Creek, Lake Wanaka	Section 4, Block XII, Wilkin ...	0 0 33	261	7 Dec., "
Mount Iron, Wanaka	Section 40, Block IV, Lower Wanaka	20 0 0	259	14 " "
Sampson Hill ...	Section 40, Block XII, Tautuku	37 2 28	187	24 Feb., 1906.
		2,857 1 32		
<i>Southland Land District.</i>				
Waikawa Harbour ...	Sections 38, 39, Block II, Waikawa Town	1 0 0	190	4 May, 1905.
Lake George, Uruwera	Section 12, Block X, Longwood ; Section 21, Block XI, Longwood	272 0 0	220	22 Sept., "
" "	Sections 10, 11, Block XI, Longwood	43 0 0	220	22 " "

RESERVES MADE—continued.

Locality.	District.	Area.	Recom- mendation No.	Proclaimed.
<i>Southland Land District—continued.</i>				
Waiau River bank, Lake Manapouri	Section 1, Block I, Titiroa ...	A. R. P. 800 0 0	226	18 Nov., 1905.
Near Manuka Island, Alton Bush	Section 5, Block II, Alton ...	46 0 0	223	12 Mar., 1906.
Ditto ...	Section 6, Block II, Alton ...	103 0 0	223	12 " "
Manuka Island ...	Section 28, Block III, Alton ...	123 0 0	223	12 " "
Waiau River bed ...	Blocks XV, XVII, Longwood ...	400 0 0	222	12 " "
Pahia Hill ...	Sections 35, 36, Block, IV, Long- wood	380 3 14	221	12 " "
The Narrows, Pura- purakene River	Section 60, Block III, Jacob's River Hundred	20 2 0	231	30 " "
		2,189 1 14		

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS SHOWING THE AMOUNTS EXPENDED, AND THE PURPOSES TO WHICH THE
MONEYS EXPENDED HAVE BEEN APPLIED.

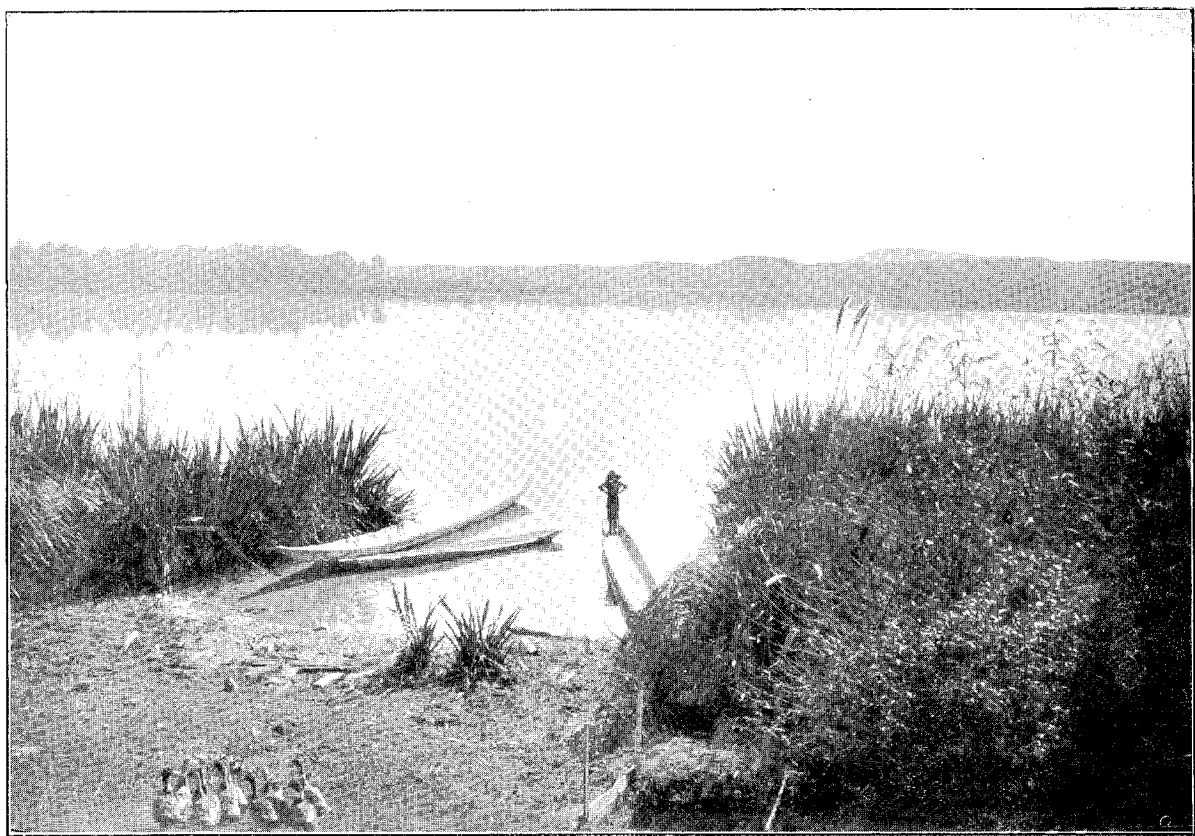
Purpose to which applied.	Expenditure.		
	1904-5.		
Purchase of land—	£	s.	d.
Flagstaff Hill, Dunedin ...	146	17	2
Nubaka Caves, Hawke's Bay ...	69	7	8
Edendale Settlement, forest in Sections 134E and 135E ...			1,335 15 0
Lindsay Settlement, Section 18, Block XIV ...			310 16 0
Turuturumokai Pa, Hawera district, Taranaki ...			358 18 0
Raincliff Bush, part Section 7554, Block IX, Opihi ...			497 15 0
Paraparaumu Forest, Ngarara West C Block ...			300 0 0
Mount Cargill Forest, Dunedin ...			195 0 0
Whangamomona Saddle, Taranaki ...			179 11 3
Pahia Hill, Longwood district, Southland ...			19 2 0
Parahaki Hills, Bay of Islands, Auckland ...			20 0 0
Pukorokoro-Hapuakohe Range, Auckland ...			50 0 0
Makohine Gorge (Pawerawera Block), Wellington ...			5 0 0
	216	4	10
Expenses of Commission—			3,336 1 3
Allowances, travelling and other expenses of members ...	1,821	17	2
Miscellaneous expenses—			1,221 6 2
Valuations, surveys, travelling-expenses, legal expenses, advertising, &c. ...	52	0	1
			527 11 9
Total expenditure ...	£2,090	2	1
			£5,084 19 2

SCHEDULE D.—Recommendations made by the Scenery Preservation Commission, and Action
taken in connection therewith.

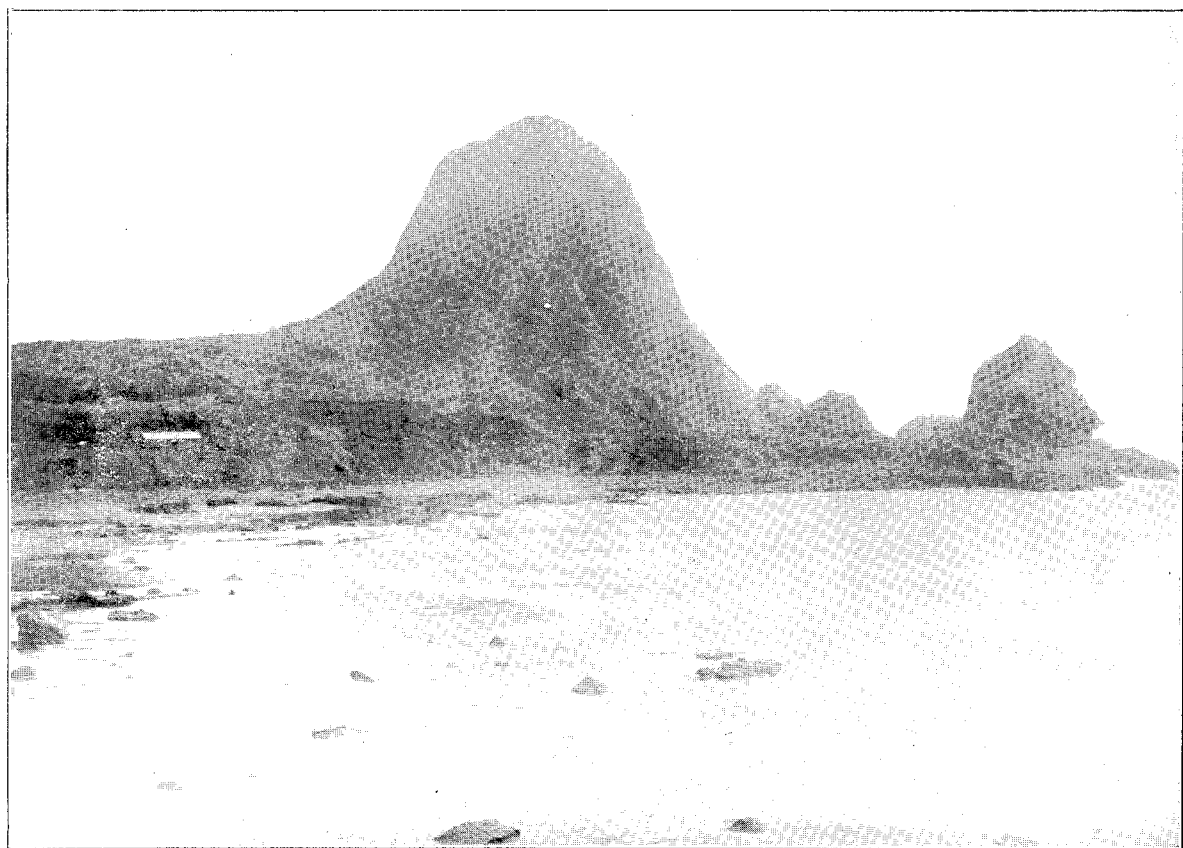
Recom- mendation No.	Locality.	Area.	Action taken.
		A. R. P.	
1	Around Kanieri Lake, Westland (Crown land)	11,250 0 0	About to be reserved under "The Land Act, 1892," for forest and scenic pur- poses.
2	Barrett's Lagoon, Arapepe, Tara- naki	23 0 0	Transferred to Crown from Native owners, now under "Public Domains Act, 1881."
	Honeyfield's Estate, Barrett's Reserve, Taranaki	21 0 0	Matter held over, as reported that bush has been cut.
3	Section 7, Block III, Waitara Survey District (pn.) (Native land)	4 0 0	Action deferred at request of Public Trustee.
4	(Same matter as dealt with in Resolution No. 122).		
5	Pukerangiora and Te Arai Pas, Taranaki (Native land)	36 0 0	Vested in Public Trustee, who wishes to deal with these reserves <i>en bloc</i> .
6	Otaiaoa Block, Taranaki (Native land)	65 0 0	Ditto.

SCHEDULE D.—Recommendations made by the Scenery Preservation Commission—*continued*.

Recommendation No.	Locality.	Area.			Action taken.
		A.	R.	P.	
7	Pukearinga, Taine's Mountain, Auckland	196	2	0	Price asked by owner too high. Land sold to private bidder.
8	Waitomo Caves, Auckland ...	3	0	0	Reserved, 8th September, 1904.
9	Wilton's Bush, Wadestown (Native land)	135	3	0	Land taken for scenic purposes as from 14th April, 1906. Compensation not yet assessed.
10	Around Mahinapua Lake, Westland	3,600	0	0	About to be reserved under "The Land Act, 1892."
14	Hutt River banks, Wellington (private land)	311	0	0	Now being surveyed prior to acquisition.
15	Island in Lake Tekapo, Canterbury (private land)	60	0	0	Matter deferred.
16	(Dealt with in Resolution No. 121.)				
17	Junction of Waiwakaiho and Mangorei Rivers, Taranaki (Education reserve)	13	0	0	Matter deferred pending inspection of land.
18	Te Wharau-o-Kena, Lower Wairarapa, Wellington	2	0	0	Matter held over.
19	Maxwelltown Gorge, near Kai-iwi, Wellington	200	0	0	Price asked considered too high. No action.
20	Tangingongoro Stream bank, Westmere, near Wanganui	70	2	0	Land taken under Public Works Act, and now being surveyed preparatory to gazetting as reserve.
21	Horowhenua Lake shores, Wellington	157	0	0	Survey now being made of area to be taken and reserved.
22	Riddiford's Bush, Feilding, Wellington	45	0	0	Cost too great. No action taken.
23	Section 18, Block XI, Puhipuhi Survey District, Marlborough	121	0	0	No action; land cleared.
24	Maungamaunu Native Reserve, Marlborough	3,286	0	0	Held over pending result of partition survey applied for by Natives.
25	Ponui Lake, near Featherston, Wellington	600	0	0	Held over.
26	Kakahimakatea Pa, near Featherston, Wellington	32	0	0	"
27	Section 33, Block X, Norsewood (Matamau), Hawke's Bay	7	2	0	Special legislation required.
28	Near Kumeroa, Hawke's Bay	1	3	20	Reserved 16th August, 1905.
29	Ruakituri River bank, Hawke's Bay	123	0	0	Reserved 8th August, 1905.
30	Ngatapa Pa, on Mohaka River, Hawke's Bay	240	0	0	Matter held over, as site not decided on.
31	Ngatapa Pa, Wharekopae, Hawke's Bay	40	0	0	Area to be reserved and proclaimed under Act.
32	Whakapunake Mountain, Manga-poike Block, Hawke's Bay	100	0	0	Area to be acquired and reserved under Act.
33	Maunga-pohatu Mountain, Urewera district, Hawke's Bay	1,000	0	0	Special legislation required.
34	Mangahei Waterfall, Manga-atoto district, Hawke's Bay	10	0	0	Bush destroyed. No action.
35	Kidnapper Point, Hawke's Bay	75	0	0	Matter held over.
36	Te-iho-e-terei Island, site of Ngatikahungunu Pa (in Hawke's Bay)	2	0	0	"
37	Te Mata Caves, near Napier, Hawke's Bay	20	0	0	"
38	Horehore Pa, Takapau, Hawke's Bay	10	0	0	"
39	Heipipi Pa, Petane, Hawke's Bay	15	0	0	"
40	Tongoio Waterfalls, near Napier, Hawke's Bay	95	0	0	Area to be acquired and reserved under Act.
41	Matahoura Gorge, Hawke's Bay	88	0	0	Held over.
42	Te Reinga Falls, Hawke's Bay	173	0	0	Land to be inspected before definite recommendation is made.
43	Motu Forest Reserve, at river-crossing, Hawke's Bay	910	0	0	Reserved under "The Land Act, 1892," for scenic purposes.



HOROWHENUA LAKE.
(Resolution No. 21.)



PARITUTU MOUNT, NEW PLYMOUTH.
(Resolution No. 116.)

SCHEDULE D.—Recommendations made by the Scenery Preservation Commission—*continued*.

Recommendation No.	Locality.	Area.			Action taken.
		A.	R.	P.	
44	Waikare Lake outlet, Hawke's Bay	143	0	0	No action taken.
45	Nuhaka Caves, Hawke's Bay ...	1	2	33	Reserved for scenic purposes under "The Land Act, 1892."
46	Aorangiwai, Poverty Bay ...	100	0	0	Reserved 31st May, 1905.
47	West bank Rangitikei River, Mangaweka, Wellington	17	0	0	No action taken.
48	East bank Rangitikei River, Mangaweka, Wellington (Section 3)	80	0	0	Now being surveyed for reservation purposes.
49	East bank Rangitikei River, Mangaweka, Wellington (Section 2)	12	0	0	Bush cleared. No action taken.
50	East bank Rangitikei River, Mangaweka, Wellington	22	0	0	Negotiations now in progress for acquisition.
51	Otara Bridge crossing, Mangamako Native Reserve, Wellington	91	0	0	
52	Makohine Gorge, near Viaduct, Wellington	44	0	0	Now being surveyed for reservation purposes.
53	Otamakapua Reserve, Wellington	16	2	0	Acquisition and resumption approved. Negotiations in progress.
54	Mangawharariki Stream, Wellington	200	0	0	Matter held over.
55	(Cancelled by Resolution No. 193.)				
56	Waihirere Gully, near Gisborne, Hawke's Bay	30	0	0	Education reserve to be acquired by exchange. Negotiations in progress.
57	Silverhope, near Marton ...	175	0	0	Negotiations in progress for acquisition.
58	Cook's Cove, Tolago Bay, Paremata Block, Hawke's Bay	32	0	14	Reserved 30th October, 1905.
59	Pukeamaru Range, near Hicks Bay, Hawke's Bay	90	0	0	Acquisition approved. Negotiations in progress.
60	Motutawa Island, Mokau, Taranaki	1,983	0	0	Reservation approved. Matter in progress.
61	Rewatu Pa, Poverty Bay ...	3	0	0	Negotiations in progress for acquisition.
62	Raincliff Bush, Canterbury ...	640	0	0	Negotiations in progress.
63	Kahutara Bush, Manga-te-te, Wairarapa, Wellington	62	0	35	Reserved 16th June, 1905.
64	Three Kings Islands, Auckland	7	0	0	Land acquired. About to be proclaimed.
65	Huia Falls, Mangakahia, Auckland	1,692	0	0	No action taken.
66	Papakauri Falls, Taheke, Auckland	5	0	0	Matter deferred pending report from valuer.
67	St. Paul's Mount, Ohakiri Block, Whangaroa, Auckland	7	2	0	Held over.
68	Parahaki Hills, Bay of Islands, Auckland	13	0	0	"
69	Rere-o-te-Kerikeri Falls, Kaiakohe, Auckland	200	0	0	Area acquired and proclaimed, 13th June, 1906.
70	Rakapuka Pa, Bay of Islands, Auckland	37	0	0	Area to be surveyed and acquired for preservation.
71	Old Russell, Bay of Islands, Auckland	18	0	0	Held over.
72	Waihoanga Falls, Hokianga, Auckland	25	0	0	"
73	Bream Head Mountain, Whangarei, Auckland	17	0	0	Reserved 6th February, 1906.
74	Wairua Falls, Whangarei, Auckland	500	0	0	Reserved 2nd February, 1905.
75	Marahemo Hill, Hobson County, Auckland	185	0	0	Reserved 8th February, 1906.
76	Motukaraka Island, Waiheke	12	0	0	Held over.
77	Pukorokoro Range, Waikato, Auckland	14	0	0	Reserved 23rd March, 1905.
78	Puketapu Hills, Hamilton-Raglan Road, Auckland	400	0	0	Acquisition approved. Reservation to be made.
79	Taupiri Hills, Auckland ...	1,500	0	0	Not suitable.
		2,770	0	0	Reserved 29th November, 1905.

SCHEDULE D.—Recommendations made by the Scenery Preservation Commission—*continued*.

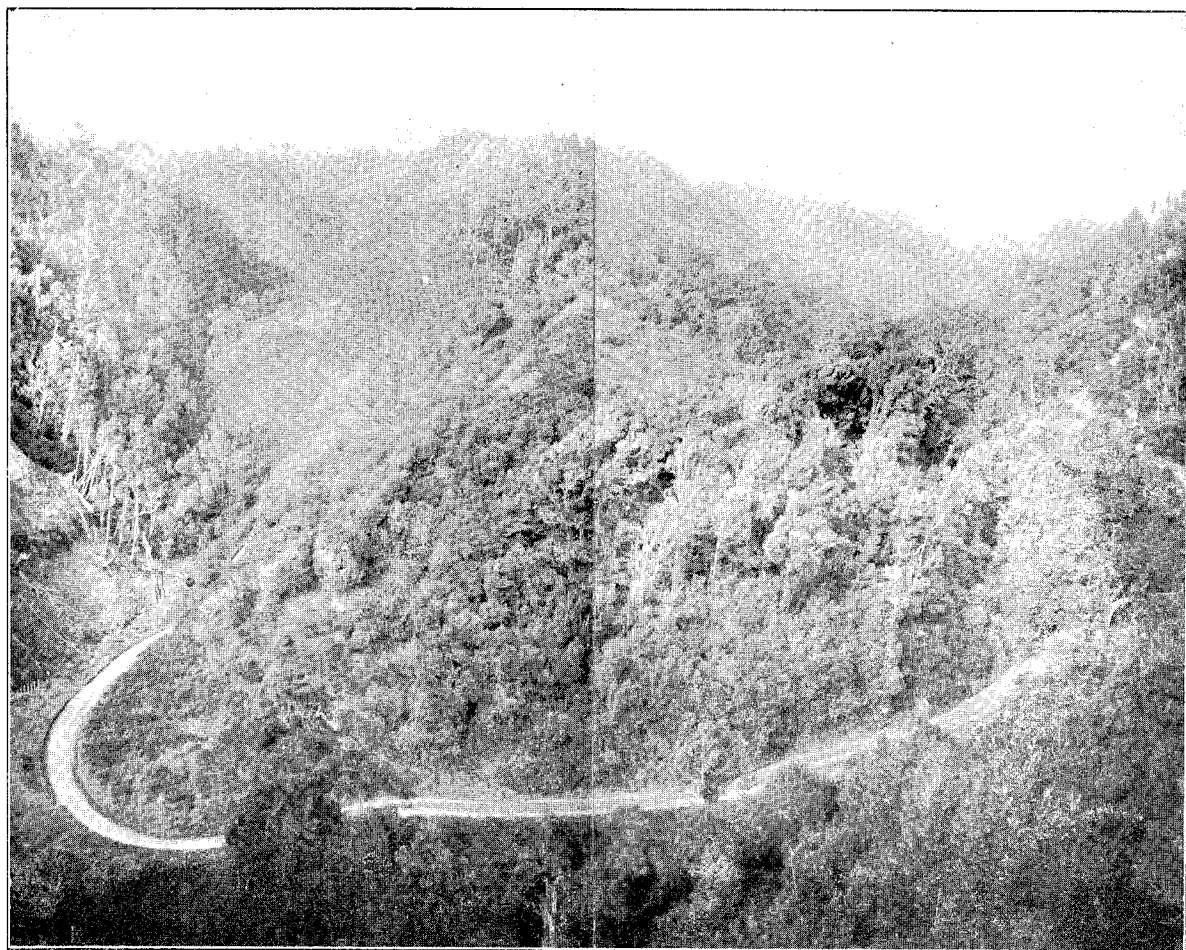
Recommendation No.	Locality.	Area.			Action taken.
		A.	R.	P.	
80	Mangaotaki Gorge, Mokau, Auckland	750	0	0	To be surveyed and acquired.
81	Cook's Observatory, Mercury Bay, Auckland	190	0	0	Held over.
82	Cape Colville, Auckland ...	12,930	0	0	Land to be reported on prior to decision being arrived at.
83	Puhoi Bluff, Waiwera, Auckland	50	0	0	Decided that acquisition unnecessary.
84	Hahei Hot Springs, Auckland...	109	1	0	Reserved 8th August, 1905.
85	Waterfall, Cabbage Bay, Coromandel, Auckland	160	0	0	Negotiations in progress for reservation.
86	Bush near Wairoa Falls, Hunua, Auckland	160	0	0	Held over.
87	Tauhinu Pa, Waitemata, Auckland	1	0	0	"
88	Pukorokoro-Hapuakohe Range, Auckland	1,140	0	0	Reserved 30th October, 1905.
89	Hay's Creek Gorge, Papakura, Auckland	180	0	0	Acquisition approved. Negotiations in progress.
90	Kauri Bush, Northcote, Auckland	24	1	30	Ditto.
91	Opapuka Gorge, Auckland ...	47	0	0	Reserved 30th October, 1905.
92	Katikati Range, near Te Aroha, Auckland	3,500	0	0	Objections on account of mining district.
93	Tuhua Range, near Taupo, Auckland	48,730	0	0	Report required as to suitability.
94	Lake Taupo shores, Auckland...	1,350	0	0	Reserved 24th February, 1906.
95	Coromandel Range, near Thames, Auckland	8,330	0	0	Awaiting completion of mining survey.
96	Main Range, near Wairere Falls, Thames, Auckland	3,400	0	0	Objections on account of mining district.
97	Motukaru Pa, Coromandel, Auckland	1	0	0	Held over.
98	Waikato River banks, Auckland	585	0	0	Reserved 30th October, 1905.
99	East Rangitaiki Ranges, Te Whaiti, Auckland	44,500	0	0	Inspection to be made before decision arrived at.
100	Okareka Lake, near Rotorua, Auckland	6,400	0	0	Not desirable to take any steps at present.
101	Bush on Rotorua-Wairoa Road, Auckland	538	0	0	Acquisition approved. Negotiations in progress.
102	Limestone Rocks, Kamo, Whangarei, Auckland	2	0	0	Held over.
103	Whangarei Falls, Auckland ...	24	0	0	"
104	Lake Ora, Whangarei, Auckland	60	0	0	"
105	Limestone Rocks, Waro, Whangarei, Auckland	54	0	0	Inspection and report to be made before decision arrived at.
106	Manaia Mountains, Whangarei, Auckland	260	0	0	Held over.
107	Aubrey's Hill, also Motukaroro and Aubrey's Islands, Whangarei, Auckland	175	0	0	"
108	Pataua Island, Whangarei, Auckland	20	0	0	"
109	Maungatapere Hill, Whangarei, Auckland	45	0	0	"
110	Hurupake Hill, Kamo, Whangarei, Auckland	50	0	0	"
111	Forest near Kamo Springs, Whangarei, Auckland	60	0	0	"
112	Komutumutu Gorge, Rotorua, Auckland	12	0	0	"
113	Pekebahu Spring and Pukeroa Pa, near Rotorua, Auckland	10	0	0	"
114	Forest along Auckland-Rotorua Railway-line (Whaiti-Kuranui and Okohiriki Blocks)	3,428	0	0	Acquisition of portion of land approved. Negotiations in progress for purchase of 748 acres.
115	Ngongotaha Mountain, Rotorua, Auckland. (Transferred to Resolution 340.)				

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Recommendation No.	Locality.	Area.			Action taken.
		A.	R.	P.	
116	Paritutu Mount, New Plymouth, Taranaki	21	0	0	Acquisition approved. Special legislation required.
117	Whangamamona Saddle Forest, Taranaki	568	0	0	Reserved 23rd March, 1905.
118	Kawau Pa, Mohakatino, Taranaki	2	2	5	Reserved 17th April, 1905.
119	Katikatiaka Pa and Forest, Taranaki	23	0	0	No action.
120	Henui Gorge, Taranaki	10	0	0	Held over.
121	Pukepapa Flat, Pukerangiora, Taranaki	10	0	0	Vested in Public Trustee, who wishes to deal with reserves <i>en bloc</i> .
122	Cliffs at Huirangi, Waitara River, Taranaki	25	2	0	Matter held over, as too high compensation demanded.
123	Redoubt No. 8, Waitara, Taranaki	...			No action, as place destroyed.
124	Waitakerei Gorge Forest, Auckland	311	0	0	Matter held over, as price asked too high.
125	Henui River crossing on Carrington-Mangorei Road, Taranaki	22	0	0	Held over.
126	Puketarata Pa, New Plymouth, Taranaki	6	0	0	Acquisition approved. About to be reserved.
127	Koru Pa, near New Plymouth, Taranaki	46	0	0	Public Trustee wishes to deal with these areas <i>en bloc</i> .
128	Urenui Pa, near Waitara, Taranaki	10	0	0	Ditto.
129	Ohoki Pa, near Waitara, Taranaki	42	0	0	"
130	Onaero River crossing and forest near Waitara, Taranaki	21	0	0	Acquisition approved. About to be reserved.
131	Tataraimaka Pa, near Cape Egmont, Taranaki	3	0	0	Acquisition approved. About to be reserved.
132	Ngaweka Pa, near Cape Egmont, Taranaki	7	2	0	Action deferred at request of Public Trustee, in whom land is vested.
133	Whakarewarewa Pa, near Cape Egmont, Taranaki	8	0	0	Ditto.
134	Te Namu Pa, near Opunake, Taranaki	3	2	0	"
135	Rimupiko Pa, Opunake, Taranaki	8	0	0	Acquisition approved. Negotiation in progress.
136	Opunake Redoubt, Opunake, Taranaki	1	0	0	Situated on public road. Cannot be reserved.
137	Waimate and Orangituapeka Pas, near Manaia, Taranaki	23	0	0	Vested in Public Trustee, who wishes to deal with reserves <i>en bloc</i> .
138	Ohawe Pa, Waingongoro River mouth, Taranaki	10	0	0	Ditto.
139	Waihi Graveyard, near Normanby, Taranaki	...			Recommended that graveyard be repaired.
140	Ratapihipihi Bush, Taranaki	50	0	0	Reserved 27th August, 1905.
141	Araukuku Pa, near Ngaire, Taranaki	9	0	0	Held over.
142	Mangamingi Gorge, Tiro-tiro-moana Reserve, Taranaki	86	1	30	Negotiations in progress.
143	Te Ruaki Pa, Whareroa Reserve, Taranaki	7	0	0	Public Trustee wishes to deal with these reserves <i>en bloc</i> .
144	Turuturu-mokai Pa, Taranaki	14	1	17	Reserved 25th November, 1905.
145	Ohaku Pa, near Hawera, Taranaki	8	3	0	Ditto.
146	Connor's Bush, Puketarata, Wanganui River, Wellington	50	0	0	Held over, as compensation demanded considered too high.
147	Poroa Lake, Awarua Block, Wellington	70	0	0	Held over.
148	Forest at junction of Hautapu and Rangitikei Rivers, Wellington	57	0	0	Acquisition approved. Negotiations in progress.
149	Torere Gorge, Rangitikei River, Wellington	35	0	0	Ditto.

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Recommendation No.	Locality.	Area.			Action taken.
		A.	R.	P.	
150	Wanganui River bank, Paetawa, Wellington	120	0	0	Land leased recently by Maori Land Council.
151	Otoki Gorge (Pukemoko) near Hawera, Taranaki	90	0	0	Acquisition approved. Negotiations in progress.
152	Taumaha Gorge, Ohingahape Stream, Taranaki	200	0	0	Held over.
153	Flagstaff Hill, Dunedin ...	142	3	29	Acquired and reserved 16th March, 1905.
154	Outlet of Kanieri Lake, Westland	20	0	0	Acquisition approved. Negotiations in progress.
155	Signal Hill, West Harbour, Dunedin, Otago	221	2	15	Ditto.
156	Carey's Creek, Blueskin Bay, Otago	69	0	0	Held over.
157	Nicholl's Creek Falls, Water of Leith, Otago	8	0	0	Acquisition approved. Negotiations in progress.
158	Mount Cargill Forest, near Dunedin, Otago	350	0	0	Ditto.
159	Heywood's Point, near Dunedin, Otago	110	0	0	Reserved 8th August, 1905.
160	East bank of Taieri River, Otago	174	0	0	Held over.
161	West bank of Taieri River, Otago	200	1	24	Reserved 8th August, 1905.
162	Forest on west side Taieri River, Otago	29	0	0	Held over.
163	Forest on west bank Taieri River, Otago	68	0	0	"
164	Bush on Saddle Hill, Taieri, Otago	32	0	0	"
165	Grant's Hill, Waitati, Otago ...	11	0	0	Negotiations in progress for acquisition.
166	Water of Leith Valley, Dunedin, Otago	71	0	0	"
167	Silverstream Bush, Dunedin, Otago	81	0	0	Held over.
168	Hills west of Purakanui, Otago	79	0	0	"
169	Bailey's, Flagstaff Hill, Dunedin	24	3	35	Reserved 8th August, 1905.
170	Mihiwaka Hill, Dunedin, Otago	205	0	0	Acquisition approved. Negotiations in progress.
171	Mount Pleasant, near Port Chalmers, Otago	63	0	0	Ditto.
172	Forest near Nugget's Point, Otago	60	0	0	Held over.
173	Karoro Stream, Glenomaru, Otago	100	0	0	Negotiations in progress for acquisition.
174	Totara Bush on Catlin's River, Otago	10	0	0	Held over.
175	Opito Blow-hole, Woodlands, Otago	45	0	0	"
176	Rata Bush, Catlin's, Glenomaru, Otago	4	0	17	Matter held over.
177	Forest on ranges at Catlin's River, Otago	352	0	0	Area amended to 565 acres. Negotiations in progress.
178	Bush along Catlin's River, Otago	27	2	0	Reserved 16th August, 1905.
179	Parakaiti Forest, in Otago ...	393	2	0	Reserved 1st September, 1905.
180	Left bank of Maclean River, Otago	360	0	0	Held over.
181	Tahakopa Beach Forest, Otago	786	3	0	Reserved.
182	Caberfeidh Mountain, Tahakopa River, Otago	775	0	0	Held over.
183	Papatowai Bush, in Otago ...	179	0	0	Reserved 1st September, 1905.
184	Tautuku Beach Forest, in Otago	334	3	18	Reserved 8th August, 1905.
185	Tautuku River Forest, Fortrose Road, Otago	782	1	32	Negotiations in progress.
186	Waipati Beach Forest, Otago...	134	0	18	Reserved 8th August, 1905.
187	Sampson Hill, Tautuku, Otago	37	2	28	Reserved 24th February, 1906.
188	Scotchman's Bonnet, Owaka River	10	0	0	Held over.
189	Waikawa Harbour Forest, Southland	227	0	0	"



OTOKI GORGE, TARANAKI.
(Resolution No. 151.)



WILTON'S BUSH, WELLINGTON.
(Resolution No. 9.)

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Recommendation No.	Locality.	Area.	Action taken.
190	Waikawa Harbour, Southland	A. 1 R. 0 P. 0	Reserved 4th May, 1905.
191	Helena Falls, Woodlands district, Otago	10 0 0	Survey to be made.
192	Rotokohu Lake, Waitotara, Taranaki	700 0 0	Reserved 21st June, 1905.
193	Hawaenga Village Bush, Wellington	13 3 17	Reserve made under "The Land Act, 1892."
194	Mount Vernon Bush, Hawke's Bay	22 0 32	Reserved 14th December, 1905.
195	Matarawa Bush, near Wanganui, Wellington	44 0 0	Held over, as price too high.
196	Wanganui River banks, Wellington	29,628 0 0	Acquisition authorised. Survey in hand.
197	Waharangi Block, Pipiriki-Raetihi Road, Wellington	5,280 0 0	Held over.
198	Pipiriki Redoubt, Wellington ...	2 0 0	Negotiations in progress, prior to acquisition.
199	Ruakura Caves, Auckland ...	192 0 0	Reserved 14th December, 1905.
200	Waitangi Hot Springs, Rotoehu, Auckland	100 0 0	Held over pending further inquiries to be made as to conserving the rights of the Natives.
201	Forest in Ngarara Block, Waikanae	850 0 0	Held over.
202	Elders' Bluff, Waikanae, Wellington	100 0 0	Final action deferred.
203	Forest near Ngaturi Township, Wellington	18 0 0	Held over.
204	Makuri Gorge, near Pahiatua, Wellington	25 0 0	Acquisition approved. Negotiations in progress.
205	Forest at Makuri Gorge, Wellington	43 0 0	Held over.
206	Forest near Makuri Gorge, Wellington	25 0 0	Education reserve. Negotiations in progress.
207	Pipinui Hill and Perry's Waterfall, near Makuri, Wellington	32 0 0	Acquisition approved. About to be reserved.
208	Waewaepa Bush, Makairo Road, near Makuri, Wellington	1,215 0 0	Boundaries not yet decided on.
209	Stock Reserve, near Makuri, Wellington	20 2 0	About to be gazetted.
210	Peel Forest, Canterbury ...	40 0 0	Acquisition approved. Boundaries of reserve not yet decided on.
211	...	48 0 0	
212	Trotter's Creek, near Palmerston, Otago	6 0 0	Held over.
213	Akatore Forest, Otago ...	290 1 36	Reserved 29th November, 1905.
214	Island in Clutha River, Otago	110 3 0	Special legislation required.
215	Whiskey Gully, Tapanui, Otago	1,410 0 0	Portion already reserved for timber. Balance to be surveyed.
216	Rankleburn Road Bush, Otago	49 3 0	About to be proclaimed.
217	Island in Pomahaka River, Otago	2 0 0	Reserved 29th November, 1905.
218	Mimihau Gorge, near Wyndham, Southland	320 0 0	Price asked too high. Matter held over.
219	Forest on Edendale Settlement and vicinity, Southland	205 2 0	Acquisition approved. About to be proclaimed.
220	Lake George (Uruwera), Southland	315 0 0	Reserved 22nd September, 1905.
221	Pahia Hill, Southland ...	380 3 14	Reserved 12th March, 1906.
222	Waiau River islands and bed, Southland	1,000 0 0	400 acres reserved, 12th March, 1906.
223	Manuka or Tua-tapere Island, and Alton Bush, Southland	366 0 0	272 acres reserved, 12th March, 1906.
224	Limestone Cliffs, Clifden, Southland	523 2 32	Matter held over.
225	Shore of Lake Manapouri and bank of Waiau River, Southland	4,700 0 0	Held over owing to difficulty of acquisition.
226	Waiau River outlet and banks, Southland	800 0 0	Reserved 18th November, 1905.
227	Eastern shore of Lake Te Anau, Southland	5,220 0 0	Matter being attended to.

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Recommendation No.	Locality.	Area.			Action taken.
		A.	B.	P.	
228	Bluff Hill, Southland ...	110	0	0	Acquisition approved. About to be proclaimed.
229	Pourakino Forest, near Riverton, Southland	558	0	0	Held over for present.
230	Mouth of Shag River, Otago ...	16	0	0	Matter now being dealt with.
231	The Narrows, Purapurakene River, Southland	20	2	0	Reserved 30th March, 1906.
232	Lagoon near Riverton, Southland	22	2	13	Under consideration.
233	Forest on Wainumu Stream, near Gore, Southland	501	0	0	Reserved for State forest purposes.
234	Odd pieces of land, Waiau district, Southland	87	0	0	Under consideration.
235	Forest in Stewart Island, Southland	40,860	0	0	Already reserved for State forest purposes.
236	Kerikeringa Pa, near Tarata, Taranaki	31	0	0	Acquisition approved. Negotiations in progress.
237	Okuratope Pa, Waimate, Bay of Islands, Auckland	70	0	0	Survey about to be made prior to acquisition
238	Makarewa Junction Bush, Southland	35	0	0	Held over.
239	Forest on Mataura River, Southland	78	0	0	Proclaimed 12th April, 1906, under Act.
240	Forest in Hokonui and Forest Hill districts, Southland	777	0	0	Matter being considered.
241	Castle Rocks, near Lumsden, Southland	100	0	0	Held over.
242	Lake Mavora, and Mararoa River, Southland	23,000	0	0	Pastoral runs that cannot be resumed.
243	Forest near Dome Pass, Southland	160	0	0	Twelve months' notice of resumption needed
244	Allen's Creek Gully, near Kingston, Southland	600	0	0	Land to be surveyed prior to reservation.
245	South-west shore, Lake Wakatipu, Southland	3,200	0	0	Twelve months' notice of resumption needed.
246	Islands off Coromandel Coast, Auckland	280	0	0	Matter under consideration.
247	Kawarau Falls, Lake Wakatipu, Southland	16	0	0	"
248	Forest at Bob's Cove, Lake Wakatipu, Southland	90	0	0	Action deferred for the present.
249	Lake Luna and Simpson's Creek, Lake Wakatipu, Southland	440	0	0	Under consideration.
250	Bush near Puketeraki Station, Otago	50	0	0	Held over.
251	Waianakarua Forest, near Herbert, Otago	5,500	0	0	Action deferred for the present.
252	Mount Fortune, Otago ...	316	0	0	Reserved 30th October, 1905.
253	Nikau Palm Gully, Akaroa, Canterbury	13	2	16	Under consideration.
254	Aylmer's Valley, Akaroa, Canterbury	3	0	32	Held over.
255	Onawe Pa, Akaroa, Canterbury	3	2	0	Action deferred for present.
256	Lane Wanaka Neck, Otago ...	180	0	0	Negotiations in progress.
257	Forest on shore of Lake Hawea, Otago	5,200	0	0	"
258	Diamond Lake and Rocky Hill, Wanaka, Otago	100	0	0	"
259	Mount Iron, Wanaka, Otago ...	20	0	0	Reserved 14th December, 1905.
260	Minaret Bush, Wanaka, Otago	360	0	0	Matter under consideration.
261	Waterfall Creek, Wanaka, Otago	0	0	33	Reserved 7th December, 1905.
262	Run 427, Manapouri, Southland	4,700	0	0	Commissioner of Crown Lands to report.
263	Waikare-iti Lake, near Wairoa, Hawke's Bay	6,200	0	0	Already reserved under State Forests Act.
264	Maunga-rata-iti Lake, Onga, Wellington	23	0	0	Held over.
265	Paraparaumu Forest, Wellington	185	0	0	Reserved 13th February, 1906.

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Recommendation No.	Locality.	Area.			Action taken.
		A.	B.	P.	
266	Kairoa Pa, Taranaki...	10	3	0	Held over.
267	Manganoho, or Hales Bush, Tiriraukawa, Wellington	270	0	0	Under consideration.
268	Kelsey's Bush, Waimate, Canterbury	150	0	0	Offer declined, as price asked too high.
269	Pahiatua Hill, Wellington	15	0	0	Three acres given by Mrs. Nini Koro, and balance under negotiation.
270	Karaka Groves, Turanganui, Wairarapa, Wellington	5	0	0	Held over.
271	Onaukawa Stream, near Taihape, Wellington	194	0	0	Action now being taken for reservation purposes.
272	Weraroa Pa, Waitotara, Taranaki	5	0	0	Held over.
273	Ihupuku Pa, Waitotara, Taranaki	4	0	0	"
274	Bush in Morice Settlement, Pigeon Bay, Canterbury	124	0	0	About to be reserved.
275	Utiku Forest, Wellington	220	0	0	Under consideration.
276	Forest on Mangahao River, Wellington	45	0	0	Held over.
277	Mangamingi Gorge, Tirotiro-moana, Taranaki	85	0	0	Negotiations in progress.
278	Hunderlee Stream, Cheviot-Kaikoura Road, Marlborough	17	0	0	No action yet taken.
279	School-site, Hunderlee, Marlborough	25	0	0	"
280	Limestone Stream, Hunderlee, Marlborough	20	0	0	"
281	Wooded hill, Limestone Stream, Hunderlee, Marlborough	75	0	0	"
282	Okarakia Stream, Hunderlee, Marlborough	75	0	0	"
283	Ditto	80	0	0	"
284	Bush on main road, Hunderlee, Marlborough	18	0	0	"
285	Oaro River, Hunderlee, Marlborough	7	0	0	"
286	Tahoraite No. 2 Block, Hawke's Bay	24	0	0	Decided not to proceed with acquisition.
287	Oringi-Waiaruhe Forest, near Dannevirke, Hawke's Bay	20	0	0	No action yet taken.
288	Onamalutu (Ohinemutu) Forest, Marlborough	67	1	0	"
289	Hamuri Bay, Marlborough	9	0	0	"
290	Forest north of Oaro River, Marlborough	207	0	0	"
291	Native Reserve J, Hunderlee, Marlborough	12	0	15	"
292	Peketa coastline, Hunderlee, Marlborough	153	0	0	"
293	Waipapa Point, Maungamaunu, Marlborough	55	0	0	"
294	Part of Mount Cargill, Otago	71	0	0	"
295	Marstrand Hill, New Plymouth, Taranaki	2	3	2	"
296	Section 54, Block IX, Pohangina, Wellington	8	0	0	"
297	Makopua Forest, near Mangaweka, Wellington	94	2	0	"
298	Te Tarata Pa, Wairarapa, Wellington	12	2	0	"
299	Mangaweka Reserve, Wellington	120	0	0	"
300	The Rocks, Amberley, Canterbury	100	0	0	"
301	Motu-Nau Island, Canterbury	16	0	0	"
302	Ohuarau, Ahuriri Inner Harbour, Hawke's Bay	1	2	0	"

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Recommendation No.	Locality.	Area.			Action taken.
		A.	R.	P.	
303	Maraetaira Point, Ahuriri Inner Harbour, Hawke's Bay	6	2	0	No action yet taken.
304	Otiare Point, Ahuriri Inner Harbour, Hawke's Bay	3	0	0	"
305	Pohue Bluff, Napier—Taupo Road, Hawke's Bay	54	0	0	"
306	Tarawera Hot Springs, Napier—Taupo Road, Hawke's Bay	10	0	0	"
307	Eparaima Bush, near Wallingford, Hawke's Bay	20	0	0	"
308	Te Haroto, Napier—Taupo Road, Hawke's Bay	480	0	0	"
309	Bush near Turanga-a-kumu Hill, Napier—Taupo Road, Hawke's Bay	100	0	0	"
310	Hot Spring on Stoney Creek, near Tarawera, Hawke's Bay	10	0	0	"
311	Whakaipu Bluff, Lake Taupo, Auckland	140	0	0	"
312	Te Ita-rata Bluff, Lake Taupo, Auckland	60	0	0	"
313	Motutaiko Island, Lake Taupo, Auckland	30	0	0	"
314	Aratiatia Rapids, Taupo, Auckland	140	0	0	"
315	Orakeikorako, near Taupo, Auckland	50	0	0	"
316	Maungaongaonga Forest, Waiotapu	113	0	0	"
	Ngapouri Lake, Waiotapu ...	106	0	0	"
	Tuhiaruru Hot Springs ...	106	0	0	"
	Rotowhero Lake, Waiotapu, Auckland	17	0	0	"
317	Tauhara Mountain, Taupo, Auckland	2,150	0	0	"
318	Wharerarauhe, Orakeikorako, Auckland	200	0	0	"
319	Hamurana Springs, Rotorua, Auckland	100	0	0	"
320	Takahue Bush, Auckland ...	44	1	20	Reserved 15th January, 1906
321	Tongaporutu Forest, Taranaki	1,200	0	0	No action yet taken.
322	Cathedral Gorges, Cheviot, Canterbury	155	0	0	"
323	Mokau River banks, Auckland and Taranaki	12,365	0	0	"
324	Junction of Awakino and Mangawai Rivers, Auckland	250	0	0	"
325	Mokau River mouth, Taranaki	110	0	0	"
326	Outlet of Lake Tarawera, Auckland	7,500	0	0	"
327	Kahikatea Bush, Te Kumi, Auckland	24	0	0	"
328	Hangatiki Forest, Waikato, Auckland	25	0	0	"
329	Forest on Hauturu Block, Hangatiki, Auckland	80	0	0	"
330	Bush around Ruakuri Caves, Auckland	30	0	0	"
331	Waitomo Bush, Otorohanga, Auckland	40	0	0	"
332	Manga-o-kewa Gorge, Te Kuiti, Auckland	138	0	0	Negotiations in progress for acquisition.
333	Wairakei Geyser Valley, Taupo, Auckland	70	0	0	No action yet taken.
334	Kapiti Island, Wellington ...	1,039	2	20	Acquisition approved.
335	Waikakarapiti Forest, Rotoma, Auckland	795	0	0	No action yet taken.

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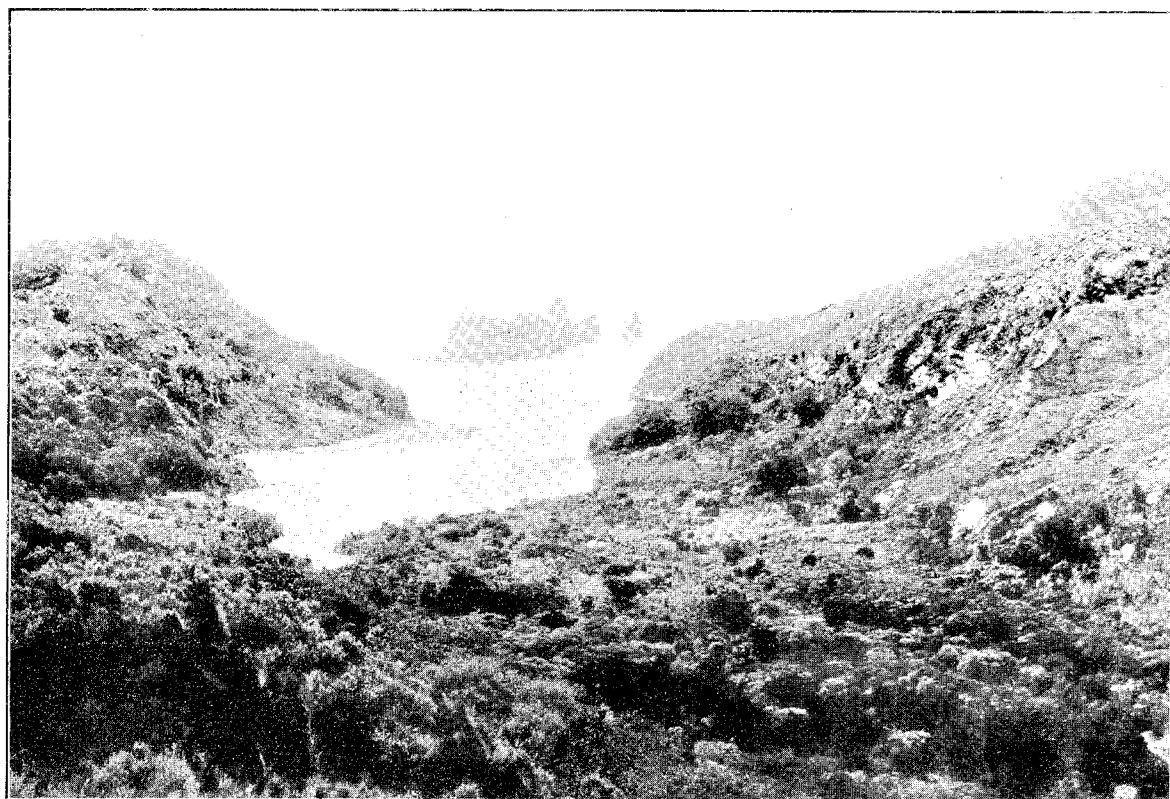
Recommendation No.	Locality.	Area.			Action taken.
		A.	R.	P.	
336	Rotoiti-paku, Rotorua Lakes, and Onepu Hot Springs, near Rotorua, Auckland	1,050	0	0	No action yet taken.
337	Taumurenu Lake, near Rotorua, Auckland	35	0	0	"
338	Forest on Rotorua - Okoroire Road, Auckland	950	0	0	"
339	Forest in Selwyn Estate, Auckland	2,800	0	0	"
340	Ngongotaha Mountain, Rotorua, Auckland	480	0	0	"
341	Waiora Hot Springs, Katikati, Auckland	100	0	0	"
342	Tapuae Creek, Hokianga, Auckland	10	0	0	"
343	Tapuae Creek. (Reserve made.)				
344	Kennedy's Bush, Halswell district, Canterbury	52	2	39	Acquisition approved. Negotiations in progress.
345	Mangaorewa Gorge, Tauranga-Rotorua Road, Auckland	2,172	0	0	No action yet taken.
346	Mangaorewa Gorge, north side Auckland	2,100	0	0	"
347	Ruaroa Pa, Northern Wairoa, Auckland	20	0	0	"
348	Devil's Elbow, Wairoa River, Auckland	40	0	0	"
349	Bush near Kaihu River, Marapiu, Auckland	10	0	0	"
350	Island in Kaihu River, Auckland	20	0	0	"
351	Junction of Waima and Mangatu Rivers, Kaihu Valley, Auckland	25	0	0	"
352	Takapuna Pa, Taheke River, Auckland	12	0	0	"
353	Forest in Otantau Block, Taheke River, Auckland	156	0	0	"
353A	Te Ana-tangata Pa, Te Tio Block, near Hokianga, Auckland	10	0	0	"
353B	Rangitoto Pa, near Hokianga, Auckland	5	0	0	"
353c	F. White's old land claim, near Hokianga, Auckland	325	0	0	"
354	The Narrows, Hokianga, Auckland	50	0	0	"
355	Puoi Pa, Kohukohu, Hokianga, Auckland	5	1	17	"
356	Oriwa Island, Mangamuka River, Hokianga, Auckland	5	0	0	"
	Pikiparia Block, Mangamuka River	65	1	0	"
357	East and west sides of Mangamuka River, Hokianga, Auckland	802	0	0	"
358	Motukaraka Bush, Hokianga, Auckland	1,810	0	0	"
359	Motukaraka Island, Hokianga, Auckland	10	0	0	"
360	Entrance to Whangape Harbour, Auckland	355	0	0	"
361	Taromaua Bush, near Kawakawa, Auckland	20	0	0	"
362	Pukeatua Pa, near Kawakawa, Auckland	10	0	0	"
363	Maunganui (Deep-water Cove), Bay of Islands, Auckland	450	0	0	"
364	Parekura Bay, Bay of Islands, Auckland	183	0	0	"

SCHEDULE D.—Recommendations made by the Scenery Preservation Commission—*continued*.

Recommendation No.	Locality.	Area.			Action taken.
		A.	R.	P.	
365	Oraukaua Bay, Bay of Islands, Auckland	410	0	0	No action yet taken.
366	Forest near Paroa Bay, Bay of Islands, Auckland	87	0	0	"
367	No recommendation.				
368	Mangawhero River bank, north of Wangaehu, Wellington	2,397	0	0	"
369	Te Totara Pa, Thames-Paeroa Road, Auckland	10	0	0	"
370	Tutaepuehu Gully, Ohinemuri, Auckland	460	0	0	"
371	Ongare Pa, near Katikati, Auckland	14	0	0	"
372	Papamoa Pas, Tauranga-Maketu Road, Auckland	15	0	0	"
373	Horoauahi and Pukerimu Pas, near Te Puke, Auckland	15	0	0	"
374	Pa in Pukehina Block, Tauranga-Opotiki Road, Auckland	5	0	0	"
375	Two pas at Pikowai and Whakarewa Streams, near Matata, Auckland	10	0	0	"
376	Cliffs at Matata, Richmond Township, Auckland	150	0	0	"
377	Whakatane - Opotiki Road, forest, Auckland	25	0	0	"
377A	Ditto	6	0	0	"
377B	"	20	0	0	"
377C	"	200	0	0	"
378	Whakatane Forest, Opouriao, Auckland	1,300	0	0	"
379	Old pa near Ohiwa, Whakatane, Auckland	20	0	0	"
380	Forest at Waiwakaiho River, and Arakeke Stream, near New Plymouth, Taranaki	28	0	0	"
381	Forests at West Harbour, Dunedin, Otago	221	2	15	"



BARRETT'S LAGOON, ORAPEPE (WAIKARE LAKE).
(Resolution No. 2.)



COOK'S COVE, TOLAGO BAY.
(Resolution No. 58.)

APPENDIX.

COPIES OF PROCLAMATIONS.

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And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Native land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Native land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Te Kawau Pa.

ALL that parcel of land in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 2 roods 5 perches, more or less, being part of the Mohakatino-Parininihi Block No. 1c, Mimi Survey District, Block 1, and known as the Kawau Pa, a tidal island situated at the mouth of the Kuwhatahi Stream, and separated by a channel from 1 to 2 chains in width from the mainland, at the north-west corner of Mohakatino-Parininihi No. 1B Block.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this seventeenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

ALBERT PITT,

For Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Sections Nos. 38 and 39, Block II, Town of Waikawa. Bounded towards the north-west by Sections Nos. 30 and 29 of the Town of Waikawa; towards the north-east by Antrim Street; towards the south-east by River Street; and towards the south-west by Carrickfergus Street: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53570, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fourth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

T. Y. DUNCAN,

For Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

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And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Native land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

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SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 100 acres, more or less, situated in Block I, Mata Survey District. Bounded towards the north by the Aorangiway No. 1A Block, 3900 links; towards the west by the Aorangiway No. 1 Block aforesaid, 2900 links; and towards the south and east by the Aorangiway River: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirty-first day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in Block IX, Opihi Survey District, taken for the Purposes of Scenery-preservation.

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under "The Public Works Act, 1894," and "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903," for the purposes of scenery-preservation:

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, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1894," and "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903," and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of scenery-preservation as aforesaid. And it is hereby declared that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twelfth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and five.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.			Being Portion of	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. 62	B. 0	P. 35	R.S. Section 7554	IX	Opihi.

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 21406, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

WM. HALL-JONES,

Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing approximately 700 acres, being Section No. 2, Block II, Kapara Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Section No. 9 (State Forest Reserve), Block II, Kapara Survey District; towards the east generally by the Poheka Stream, by the Rotokohu Lake, by the Rotokohu Stream and Road, and by the left bank of the Waitotara River; and towards the south-west by Crown land: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53623/5, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged with red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and five.

T. Y. DUNCAN,

For Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

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LANDS TO BE OPENED.

An available area of 117,082 acres will probably be dealt with during the coming year; 100,524 acres in the Cook and Waipapu Counties under the optional and small-grazing-run systems, and 16,558 acres in Hawke's Bay and Waipawa Counties, the area under the optional system being 2,888 acres; pastoral run, 11,000 acres; and small grazing-run, 2,670 acres.

IMPROVED-FARM SETTLEMENTS.

The position with regard to the Waikopiro and Akitio Improved-farm Settlements remains practically the same, Waikopiro showing an increase in area felled and grassed and value of improvements.

DEPARTMENTAL.

The Land Board held eighteen meetings during the year, and made several visits of inspection to localities requiring same. Some seventeen hundred letters, applications, and papers were dealt with, being a considerable increase over the previous year's figures.

20,964 letters and 724 telegrams were received and despatched, and 601 vouchers, representing payments of £15,618, were dealt with during the year. Receipts for rent totalled 2,903, cards to Auditor 142, reports to Government Advances to Settlers Department 231, and transfers recorded 169.

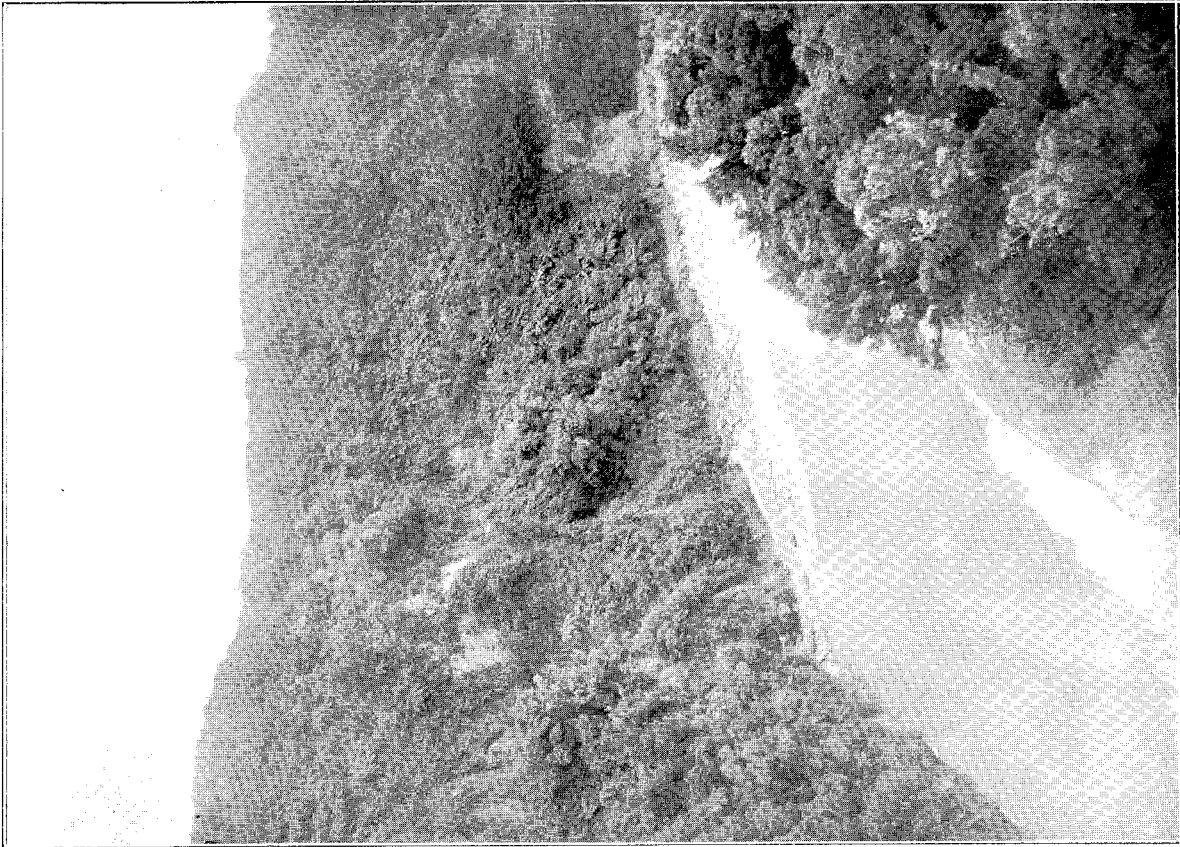
The preparation of the numerous special and periodical returns involves a large amount of time and work. Members of the staff have been kept exceptionally busy, and in the performance of their numerous duties have displayed efficiency, interest, and zeal, and I have much pleasure in placing on record my appreciation thereof.

ERIC C. GOLD SMITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

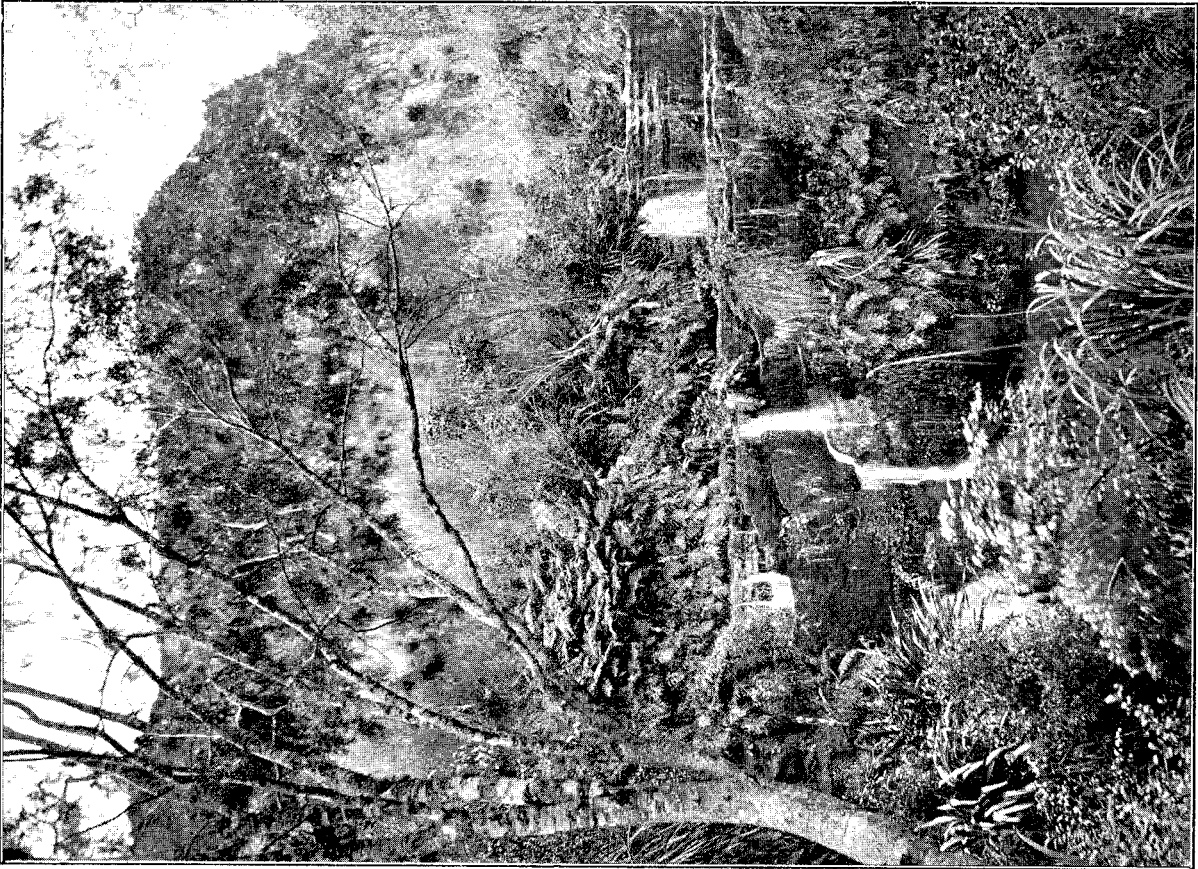
TARANAKI.

The land transactions for the year ending the 31st March, 1906, are shown in the subjoined summary:—

Class of Selection.	Transactions during the Year.				Held at 31st March, 1906.				Revenue received during the Year.		
	Number.	Area.			Number.	Area.					
		A.	R.	P.		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
Cash	32	1,771	0	14	...	...	...	...	1,384	9	3
Deferred payment ...	3	637	0	0	3	497	0	0	242	1	10
Perpetual lease ...	...	...	...	...	13	3,961	0	16	301	18	7
Perpetual lease made freehold	3	640	0	0	...	...	...	...	805	5	6
Occupation with right of purchase	28	20,212	0	0	364	157,656	0	5	6,018	16	10
Occupation with right of purchase made freehold	9	1,586	1	0	...	...	...	...	2,431	9	5
Lease in perpetuity ...	20	13,511	3	0	451	169,344	0	10	4,534	18	8
Lease in perpetuity—Land for settlement	...	...	...	...	29	2,418	0	7	2,268	0	5
Village settlements—											
Occupation with right of purchase	...	...	...	...	9	8	1	0	2	4	11
Lease in perpetuity ...	...	...	...	...	10	69	0	8	10	12	3
Special settlement—Lease in perpetuity	...	...	...	...	86	16,268	3	15	1,013	17	3
Improved-farm settlements...	...	10	0	0	250	33,360	2	27	1,165	3	3
Small grazing-runs ...	...	...	...	...	17	16,654	2	6	254	3	1
Miscellaneous leases ...	2	1	1	0	104	1,237	0	39	535	12	9
Transfer and other fees ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	11	0
Miscellaneous receipts ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,046	16	1
Crown-grant fees ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	52	0	6
Endowments ...	...	...	...	...	1	53	2	32	357	15	5
Timber licenses ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	0	0
Totals	97	38,369	1	14	1,337	401,528	2	5	22,617	17	0



ONAERO RIVER CROSSING, TARANAKI.
(Resolution No. 130.)



FALLS ON WAHIRERE STREAM, NEAR GISBORNE.
(Resolution No. 56.)

ing-run No. 86, Block XIIA, Tuahu Survey District, from the road reserve along the left bank of the Ruakituri River to the Ruakituri Road, a distance of 375 links; thence towards the east generally by the said Ruakituri Road in a southerly direction, a distance of 18882·8 links, to a stream shown on the plan hereinafter referred to; thence towards the south-east by the said stream to the road reserve along the left bank of the Ruakituri River aforesaid; and towards the west generally by the last-mentioned road reserve to Small Grazing-run No. 86 first mentioned: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53194/11, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

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SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 24 acres 3 roods 35 $\frac{1}{10}$ perches, more or less, being part of original Section No. 2 of 35, Block V, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District. Commencing at a point on the eastern side of a public road (the said point being the north-west corner of Section No. 1 of 35, Block V, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District), and proceeding thence in a northerly direction along the said road a distance of 1206·5 links; thence in a north-easterly direction along lines bearing respectively N. 82° 12' E., N. 73° 14' E., and N. 62° 40' E., with distances respectively of 562·8, 444·2, and 218·3 links; thence in a south-easterly direction by Sections Nos. 1 of 49, 5 of 49, and 2 of 49 of the said Block V, by the abutment of a closed road, and again by the said Section No. 2 of 49, a distance of 1852·6 links; thence in a westerly direction by Section No. 1 of 35 of the said Block V, by the abutment of a closed road, and again by the said Section No. 1 of 35, a distance of 2468·8 links, to the north-west corner of the last-mentioned section, the place of commencement: exclusive of a road reserve which intersects the above-described area: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53141/30, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

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SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 110 acres, more or less, being Section No. 50, Block V, North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west, towards the north, and towards the north-east by the ocean from the road reserve which forms the northern boundary of Section No. 2 of 8, Block V, North Harbour and Blueskin Survey District, to a point in line with the northern side of the road forming the northern boundary of Sections Nos. 51, 52, and 53 of the said Block V; towards the south by a right line from the aforesaid point to the northern side of the last-mentioned road, and by that road to the eastern boundary-line of Section No. 2 of 8 aforesaid; and towards the west by the said Section No. 2 of 8, the abutment of a road, again by Section No. 2 of 8 aforesaid, and by the abutment of the road reserve first mentioned: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53530/6, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

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Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 134 acres and 18 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 5 and 6, Block X, Tautuku Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the Pokuku Road, by the crossing of a public road, by Section No. 3 of Block X, Tautuku Survey District, and again by the said Pokuku Road; towards the east by a public road; towards the south-east by a beach reserve, by the abutment of a public road, and again by the said beach reserve; and towards the south by the beach reserve aforesaid: exclusive of a road reserve which intersects the above-described area: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53572/5, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Land reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 200 acres 1 rood 24 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 28 and 29, Block I, Clarendon Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 27, Block I, Clarendon Survey District; towards the east generally by the road reserve along the right bank of the Taieri River; towards the south-east by Section No. 2, Block XI, of the said district; towards the south-west by Section No. 67 of the said Block I, by the abutment of a public road, and again by the said Section No. 67; towards the west by the last-mentioned section; and towards the north-west by the said Section No. 67, the abutment of a road reserve, again by the last-mentioned section, by the abutment of a road reserve, and by Section No. 66 of the said Block I: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53833, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

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Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

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five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

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SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 334 acres 3 roods 18 perches, more or less, being Sections No. 22 and 24, Block VIII, Tautuku Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Section No. 21, Block VIII, Tautuku Survey District, the crossing of Middle Road, by Section No. 23 of the said Block VIII, by the Main Road, and by Section No. 25 of Block VIII aforesaid; towards the north-east by a public road; towards the south-east by the Tautuku Beach Reserve; and towards the south-west by a line parallel to the general direction of the left bank of the Tautuku River, and distant on an average therefrom about 1700 links, to Section No. 21 aforesaid: exclusive of that portion of Middle Road which intersects the above-described area: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53571/4, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

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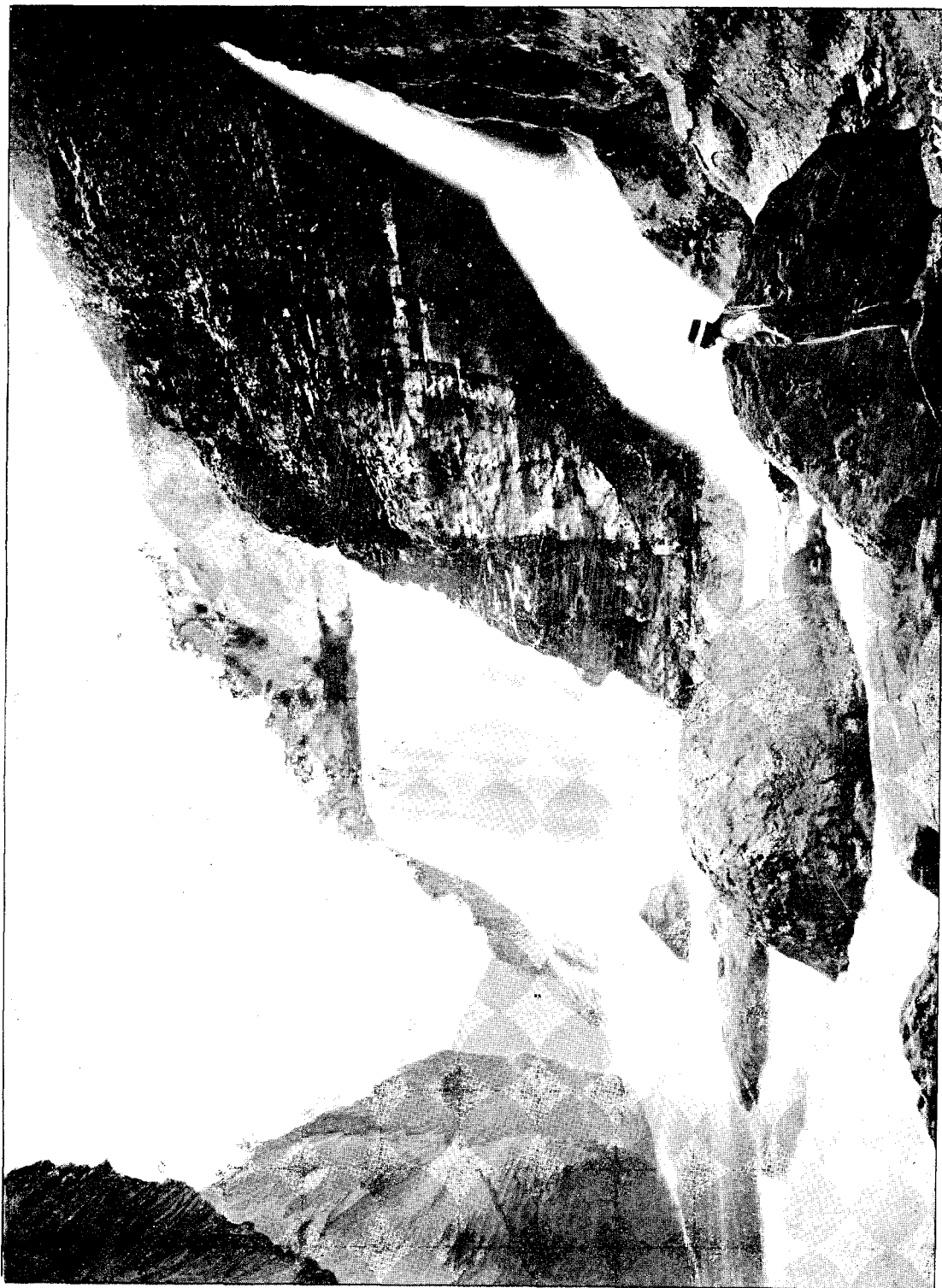
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And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 786 acres 3 roods, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block IX, Woodland Survey District. Bounded towards the north by a public road forming the southern boundary of Sections Nos. 2, 3, 4, 22, and 21, Block IX, Woodland Survey



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(Resolution No. 42.)

District ; towards the east by a public road forming the western boundary of Section No. 20 of Block X of the said district ; towards the south by a public road along the high-water mark of the ocean ; and towards the west by a public road along the left bank of the Tahaukupu River : as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53578/5, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies ; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

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And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof : And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve : And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to :

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 3 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 15, Block XIII, Tahoraite Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by a public road along the left bank of the Manawatu River, and by Section No. 14, Block XIII, Tahoraite Survey District ; towards the east by a public road forming the western boundary of Section No. 13 of the said Block XIII ; towards the south-east and towards the south-west by the public road along the left bank of the Manawatu River : as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53847/3, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies ; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

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Crown Land reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act ; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently

reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof: and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 27 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Section No. 24, Block IV, Woodland Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east generally by the road reserve along the right bank of the Catlin's River; towards the south-east by the public road which forms the north-western boundary of Section No. 18, Block IV, Woodland Survey District; towards the south-west by Sections Nos. 16, 14, and 12 of the said Block IV, and by a public road; and towards the north-west by a public road: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53477/6, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Native Land reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

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And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Native land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Native land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Land District of Taranaki, containing by admeasurement 50 acres, more or less, being Subdivision 1 of part Section No. 5, Native Reserve, Omata District, Block VIII, Paritutu Survey District, and bounded as follows, viz.: On the north-west by part Native Reserve, 5, Omata District, 1973 links; on the north-east by Section 477, Grey District, 2528.8 links; on the south-east by Section 48, Omata District, 1972.6 links; on the south-west by part Native Reserve, 5, Omata District, 2539.2 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Chief Surveyor, New Plymouth.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George,

Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

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SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 499 acres and 31 perches, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block XIII, Mangamuka Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Tapuwae No. 4 Block, a distance of 4560 links; thence towards the north generally by a proposed scenic reserve, No. 1A, a distance of 790 links, and by a road reserve along the right bank of the Tapuwae River, a distance of 8330 links; thence towards the east by the Tapuwae No. 3c Block, a distance of 1070 links; thence again towards the north by the said Tapuwae No. 3c Block, a distance of 1844 links; thence again towards the east generally by a road reserve along the right bank of the Tapuwae River aforesaid, a distance of 4069.2 links; thence towards the south-east by a road reserve, a distance of 616 links, and by Tapuwae No. 3B Block, a distance of 9530 links; and thence towards the south-west by lines bounding Native land, a distance of 4047 links, to Tapuwae No. 4 Block aforesaid: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53949/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

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and thereupon such lands shall be alienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the areas of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as scenic reserves: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the areas of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be reserves under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area of the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 393 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Sections Nos. 49, 50, 51, and 52, Block VII, Woodland Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west generally by Section No. 54, Block VII, Woodland Survey District, by a public road, and by Sections Nos. 48, 47, 46, and 45 of the said Block VII; towards the north-east by the road reserve along the right bank of the Purakaunui Stream; towards the south-east by a public road forming the north-west boundary of Section No. 11, Block X, of the said district; and towards the south-west by public roads to Section No. 54 first mentioned: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53580, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

All that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 179 acres, more or less, being Section No. 28, Block X, Woodland Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road from Section No. 14, Block IX, Woodland Survey District, to the main road from Waikawa to Owaka and by the last-mentioned road; towards the south-east by the aforesaid main road from Waikawa to Owaka; and towards the west by sections Nos. 17, and 14 of the said Block IX: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53580A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this first day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

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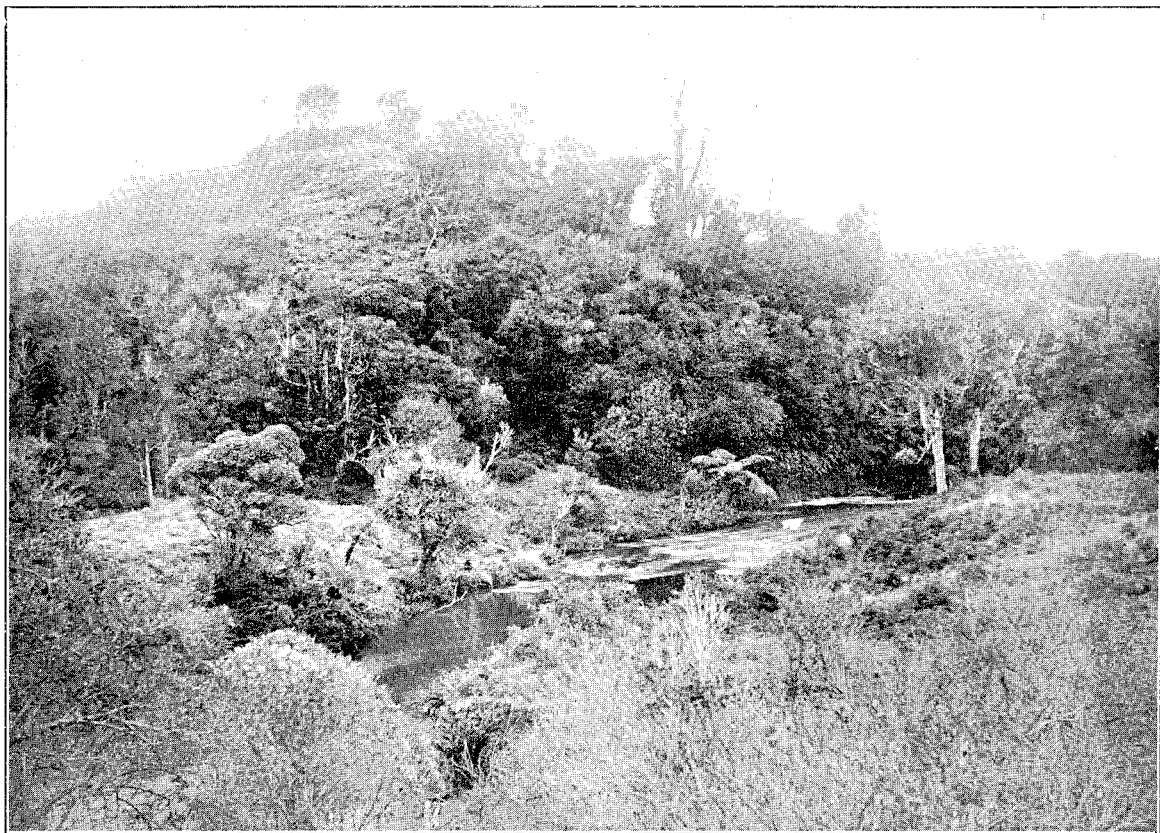
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Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Southland Land District, containing by estimation 272 acres, being Sections Nos. 12, Block X, and 21, Block XI, Longwood Survey District. Commencing at a point on the County Road distant 60 chains, or thereabouts, south-east of the junction of the said road with the western boundary of the said Block X; bounded north-easterly by that road to the north-eastern



PUKE-TARATA PA, TARANAKI.
(Resolution No. 126.)



RATA-PIHI-PIHI BUSH, NEAR HAWERA.
(Resolution No. 140.)

corner of Section No. 2, Block X; thence by the northern boundary of that section to Lake George; thence by Lake George to the north-eastern corner of Section No. 14, Block XI; thence by the northern boundaries of that section and Section No. 15, Block XI, to the north-western corner of the last-mentioned section; thence by a line due north for a distance of 50 chains; thence by a straight line to the point of commencement.

Also all that parcel of land in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 43 acres, more or less, situated in Block XI, Longwood Survey District, being Sections Nos. 10 and 11. Bounded towards the north and north-west by a public road along the shore of Lake George, 5350 links; towards the south-east by a public road, 3938.8 links; towards the south by a public road, 2196 links; and towards the west by Section No. 12 in the said block, 1998.5 links.

Be all the aforesaid linkages a little more or less. As the same are more particularly delineated on the official map in the office of the Chief Surveyor, Invercargill.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Land reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1,140 acres, more or less, being Section No. 9, Block XVI, Piako Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the Kaihere Road; towards the north-east by Sections Nos. 2 and 3, Block XVI, Piako Survey District, and by the Mangawhara Road; towards the south-east by Section No. 3, Block IV, Hapuakohe Survey District; towards the south-west by the Hoe-O-Tainui North Block; and towards the west generally by Section No. 485 of the Taupiri Parish, and by Sections Nos. 456 and 455 of the Whangamarino Parish to the Kaihere Road aforesaid: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53620/7, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Lands reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceed-

ing five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 585 acres, more or less, being Section No. 1 of Block XI, Section No. 2 of Block XIV, and Section No. 1 of Block XV, Tatua Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west, towards the north, and towards the north-east by the right bank of the Waikato River; thence towards the east by the Tauhara North Block (eastern portion) a distance of 1100 links; thence towards the south-west by right lines with distances of 2800 and 5000 links (as shown on plan hereinafter referred to); thence towards the south-east by right lines with distances of 4000, 6500, 1900, 1900, 4000, 4500, 3000, 2500, 4500, 9000, and 5000 links (as shown on plan hereinafter referred to) to the Patuiwi Reserve; and thence towards the south-west by the said Patuiwi Reserve to the said right bank of the Waikato River aforesaid: exclusive of a road reserve which intersects the above-described area: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 52672/10, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

God SAVE THE KING!

Crown Lands reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcels of Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as scenic reserves: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcels of Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be reserves under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 11 perches, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block VI, Ongo Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the

Marton-Murimotu Road towards the north-east by a public road ; towards the south-east by Section No. 38, Block VI, Ongo Survey District ; and towards the north-west by Section No. 3 of Block VI aforesaid.

Also all that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 roods 39 perches, more or less, being Section No. 2, Block VI, Ongo Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the Marton-Murimotu Road ; towards the south-east by the railway reserve and by Section No. 38, Block VI, Ongo Survey District ; and towards the south-west by a public road.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked S.G. 52606/22, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 acres 3 roods 27 perches, more or less, being Section No. 4, Block VI, Ongo Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the railway reserve ; towards the south-east by Section Nos. 38A and 38 of Block VI, Ongo Survey District : as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 52606/22A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres and 33 perches, more or less, being Section No. 48, Block IX, Ongo Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 49, Block IX, Ongo Survey District ; towards the south-east by Rata Road ; towards the south-west and towards the north-west by a public road : as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 52606/22B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 18 acres 1 rood 27 perches, more or less, being Section No. 3, Block VI, Ongo Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the Marton-Murimotu Road ; towards the east by Section No. 1, Block VI, Ongo Survey District ; towards the south-east by Section No. 38 of the said Block VI ; and towards the south-west by a public road.

Also all that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres and 37 perches, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block IX, Ongo Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road ; towards the south-east by Section No. 9, Block IX, Ongo Survey District : and towards the north-west by the Marton-Murimotu Road.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked S.G. 52606/22C, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies ; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING !

Crown Land reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act ; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as a scenic, thermal, or historic reserves ; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof ; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand :

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof : And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve : And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to :

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 316 acres, more or less, being Section No. 17, Block XIV, Moeraki Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 13, Block X, Otepopo Survey District ; towards the east by Section No. 12, Block XIII, Moeraki Survey

District; towards the south by Section No. 16, Block XIV, Moeraki Survey District; and towards the north-west by a public road: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 54014/3, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Land reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 47 acres, more or less, being Section No. 196, Waipareira Parish. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 189, Waipareira Parish, from its westernmost corner to the left bank of the Opapuka Stream; towards the south-east generally by the said bank of the said stream to a line forming the north-east boundary-line of Section No. 7 of the said parish; towards the south-west by the said boundary-line in a north-westerly direction a distance of 1000 links; and thence towards the north-west by a right line to the said westernmost corner of the said Section No. 189: be the aforesaid linkage more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 53162/4, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

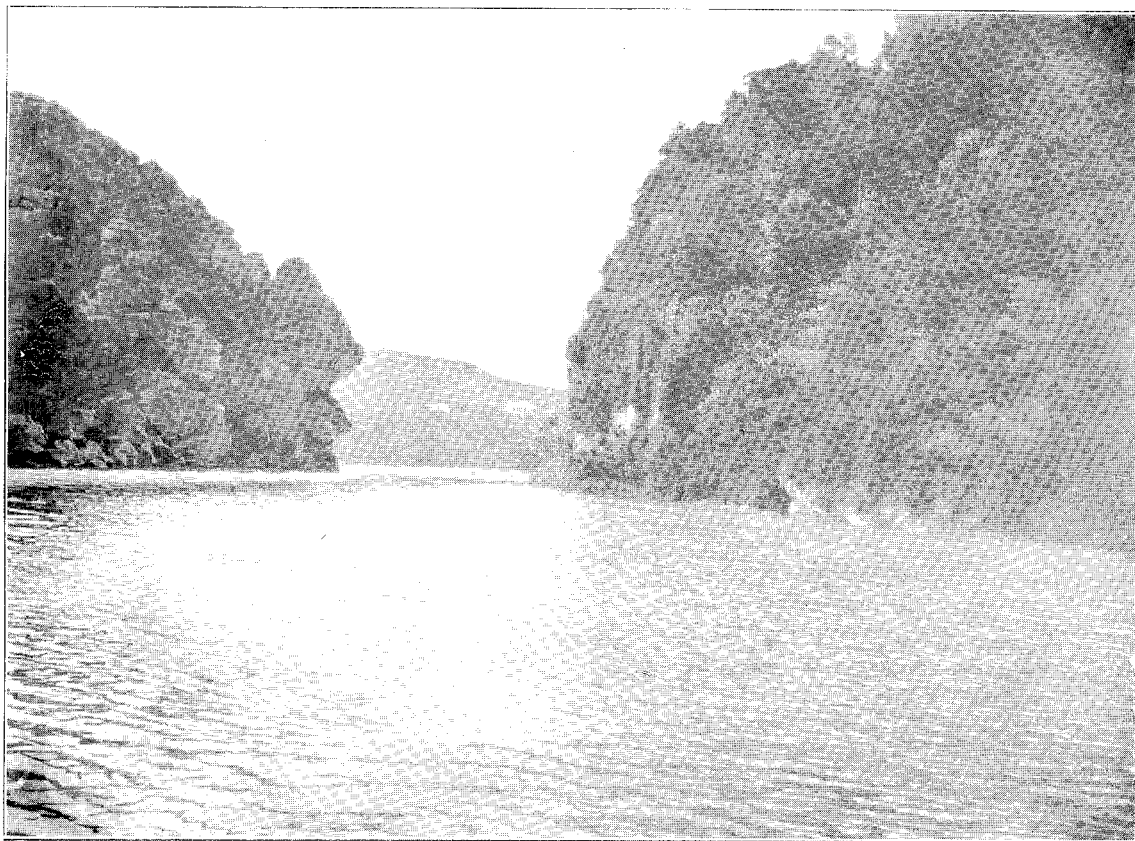
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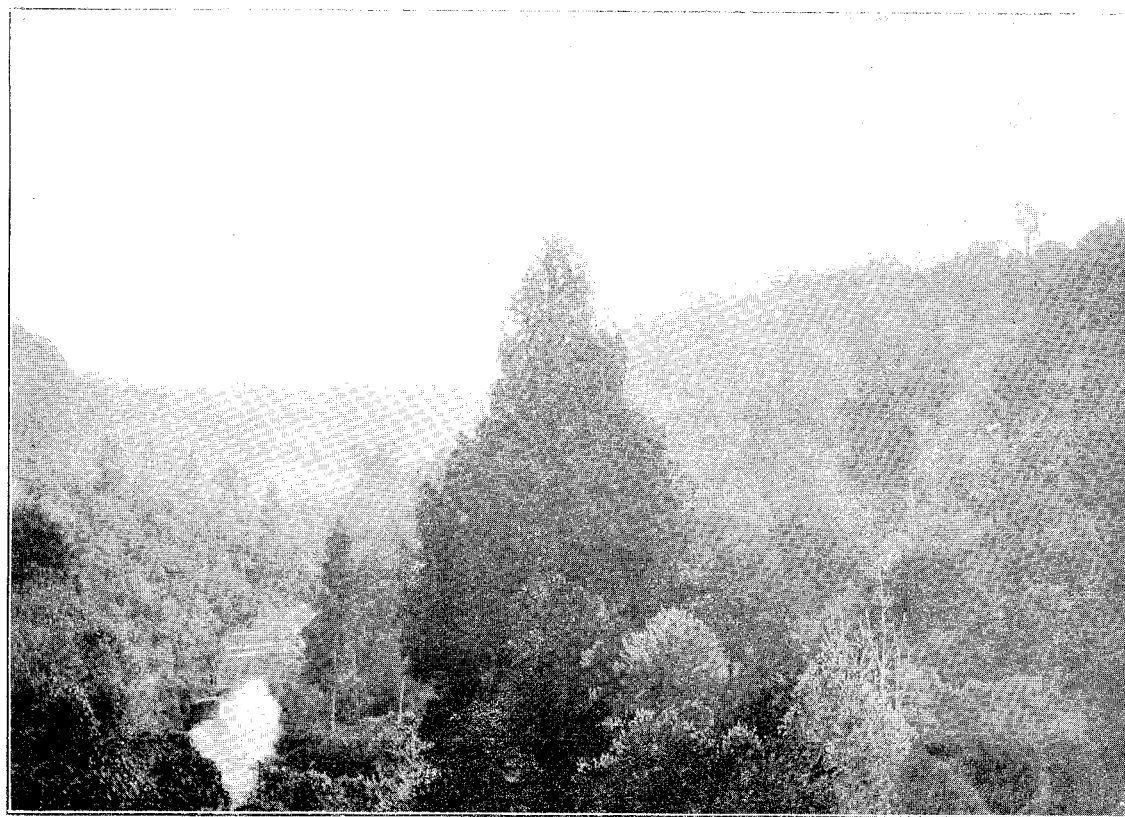
Crown Land reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Pro-



RARANGI (HELL'S GATES), KAWHIA.



MANGAOTAKI GORGE, KING-COUNTRY, AUCKLAND.
(Resolution No. 80.)

clamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing approximately 800 acres, being Section No. 1, Block I, Titiroa Survey District. Bounded by a line commencing at a point on the right bank of the Waiau River due south of Trig. Station Cx, on Freestone Hill, in the Takitimo Survey District, and proceeding thence along a line due south for a distance of 400 links; thence along a line in a north-westerly direction, bearing approximately N. 63° W., to the eastern boundary-line of the National Park; thence north-easterly along the said boundary-line to the right bank of the Waiau River aforesaid; and thence south-easterly along the said bank to the point of commencement: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 54071/3, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighteenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

ALBERT PITT,

For Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Land reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a historic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Turuturumokai Pa.

ALL that parcel of land in the Colony of New Zealand, situated in the Patea District, in the Land District of Taranaki, containing 14 acres 1 rood 17 perches, more or less, being Subdivision 1 of part of Section 143, Block VI, Hawera Survey District. Bounded on the north-east generally by other part of Section 143, 889 links and 317.6 links, and by Section 329, 550 links; towards the south generally by the Turuturu Road, 26.7 links, 610.7 links, 332 links, 358.8 links, 318.5 links, 20 links, and 30.3 links; and towards the west and north-west generally by the Tawhiti Stream: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-fifth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

J. G. WARD,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

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And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres, more or less, being an island in the Pomahaka River, and known as Section No. 14 of Block XII, Glenkenich Survey District: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 50229/19, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

T. Y. DUNCAN,

For Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Land reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

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And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2,770 acres, more or less, being Section No. 223 of Pepepe Parish, situated in Blocks III and IV, Newcastle Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 1 of Pepepe Parish, the crossing of a road reserve, and again by the last-mentioned section; towards the south-east by Section No. 8 of the aforesaid parish and the crossing of a road reserve; again towards the north-east by the road forming the south-western boundary of the last-mentioned section; again towards the south-east by Section No. 7 of the aforesaid parish; towards the south-west by Section No. 101 of Pepepe Parish aforesaid and the abutment of a road reserve; again towards the south-east by the road forming the north-western boundaries of Sections Nos. 101 and 102 of the aforesaid parish; again towards the north-east by the abutment of a road reserve and by Section No. 102 aforesaid; again towards the south-east by Sections Nos. 103 and 104 of the aforesaid parish, by Church Mission land, and by Section No. 105 of Pepepe Parish aforesaid; again towards the south-west by Section No. 107 of the aforesaid parish; again towards the south-east by the last-mentioned section and by Section No. 108 of the said parish; again towards the south-west by a road reserve forming the north-eastern boundary of Section No. 110 of Pepepe Parish aforesaid; towards the north-west by a road reserve forming the south-eastern boundary of Section No. 109 of the aforesaid parish; again towards the south-west by the crossing of the last-mentioned road and by Section No. 109 aforesaid; again towards the north-west and towards the south by Section No. 214 of Pepepe Parish aforesaid; again towards the south-west by Te Wha Stream; and again towards the north-west generally by Section No. 9 of the Pepepe Parish aforesaid, the abutment of a road reserve; again by the said Section No. 9, and by Te Awa-o-te-Atua Stream to Section No. 1 first mentioned: exclusive of a road reserve which intersects the above-described area: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 52635/6, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

T. Y. DUNCAN,

For Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Land reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 290 acres 1 rood 36 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 29 and 30, Block VIII, Akatore Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 28, Block VIII, Akatore Survey District; towards the east by a public road bounding Section No. 32 of the said Block VIII, and by a closed road bounding Section No. 31 of Block VIII aforesaid; towards the south by a closed road bounding Section No. 29, Block IV, of the said district, and by a public road bounding the said Section No. 29 and Section No. 20, Block IX, of the dis-

trict aforesaid; towards the west by Section No. 27 of the said Block VIII; again towards the north and again towards the west by Section No. 67 of the said Block VIII: exclusive of a road reserve which intersects the above-described area: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 54070/5, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-ninth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

T. Y. DUNCAN,

For Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 33 perches, more or less, being Section No. 4, Block XII, Wilkin Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 2, Block XII, Wilkin Survey District; towards the east by a right line from the south-eastern corner of the said Section No. 4 to the north-eastern corner of Section No. 3 of the said Block XII; towards the south by Section No. 3 aforesaid; and towards the west by a public road: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 54009/7, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this seventh day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

T. Y. DUNCAN,

For Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Land reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said

Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 192 acres, more or less, being Section No. 7, Block X, Orahiri Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the Hauturu East No. 2c Block, the crossing of a public road, and again by the said block; towards the north-east by Section No. 8 (N.R.), Block X, Orahiri Survey District, by the crossing of a public road, and again by the said Section No. 8 to the left bank of the Waitomo River; towards the south-east by the said bank of the Waitomo River; and towards the south-west by the said bank of the Waitomo River, and by Section No. 2 of the said Block X to the Hauturu East No. 2c Block aforesaid: exclusive of a road reserve which intersects the above-described area: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 51624/36, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

T. Y. DUNCAN,

For Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Land reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commissioner under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 20 acres, more or less, being Section No. 40, Block IV, Lower Wanaka Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 7, Block XIV, Lower Wanaka Survey District, the abutment of a proposed road reserve, and by Section No. 4, Block IV, of the said district; towards the east by the said Section No. 4; towards the south by the main public road; and towards the west by Section No. 6, Block III, of the said district, and by Section No. 7, Block XIV, aforesaid: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 54015/5, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George,

Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

T. Y. DUNCAN,

For Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

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PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 22 acres and 32 perches, more or less, being Section No. 18, Block XIV, Waipukurau Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Scenic Road and by Section No. 19, Block XIV, Waipukurau Survey District; towards the south and towards the west by the left bank of the Tukituki River: as the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 19283/336, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony at the Government House, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and five.

T. Y. DUNCAN,

For Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Land reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 44 acres 1 rood 20 perches, more or less, being Section No. 31 of Block XV, Takahue Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 32 of Block XV, Takahue Survey District, and by the Herekino-Takahue Road; towards the north-east generally by a public road; towards the south by Section No. 30 of Block XV aforesaid; and towards the west by the abutment and by the crossing of the Herekino-Takahue Road, and by Section No. 11 of Block XIV of the said district: exclusive of that portion of the Herekino-Takahue Road which intersects the above-described area: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 54544/6, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this fifteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

J. G. WARD,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Land reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand.

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 500 acres, more or less, being Section No. 3, Block II, Omapere Survey District. Bounded by a line commencing at a point (marked A on the plan hereinafter referred to) on the northern boundary-line of Section No. 1, Block II, Omapere Survey District, and proceeding thence along a line due north a distance of 6420 links; thence along a line due east a distance of 5150 links to the south-westernmost corner of Old Land Claim No. 15; thence again easterly by the Pirau Stream; thence south-westerly and south-easterly by Old Land Claim No. 15, Block II, Omapere Survey District; thence again south-westerly by the Waikaraka Stream; thence north-westerly by Old Land Claim No. 1 of the said Block II; thence again south-westerly by the said Old Land Claim No. 1 and by Section No. 1 of the said Block II to point marked A, the place of commencement: exclusive of a road reserve 100 links wide which intersects the above-described area: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 53161/6, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

T. Y. DUNCAN,

For Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Lands reserved under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcels of Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as scenic reserves: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcels of Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be reserves under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 25 acres, more or less, being Section No. 7, Block XVI, Mangakahia Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 13, Block XII, Mangakahia Survey District; towards the east by the right bank of the Wairua River; towards the south by the Omiru West No. 2 Block; and towards the north-west by the Mangakahia No. 2B2 Block and by the said Section No. 13.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 49 acres, more or less, being Section No. 8 of Block XVI, Mangakahia Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Omiru East No. 2 Block, from the left bank of the Wairua River to the south-easternmost corner of the said block; towards the east by a right line from the said corner to the easternmost corner of Section No. 4, Block XVI, Mangakahia Survey District; towards the south-west by the last-mentioned section; and towards the north-west by the left bank of the Wairua River.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked S.G. 48920/35, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

J. G. WARD,

Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in Block IX, Kaitawa Survey District, taken for Scenic Purposes.

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken under "The Public Works Act, 1905," and "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903," for scenic purposes:

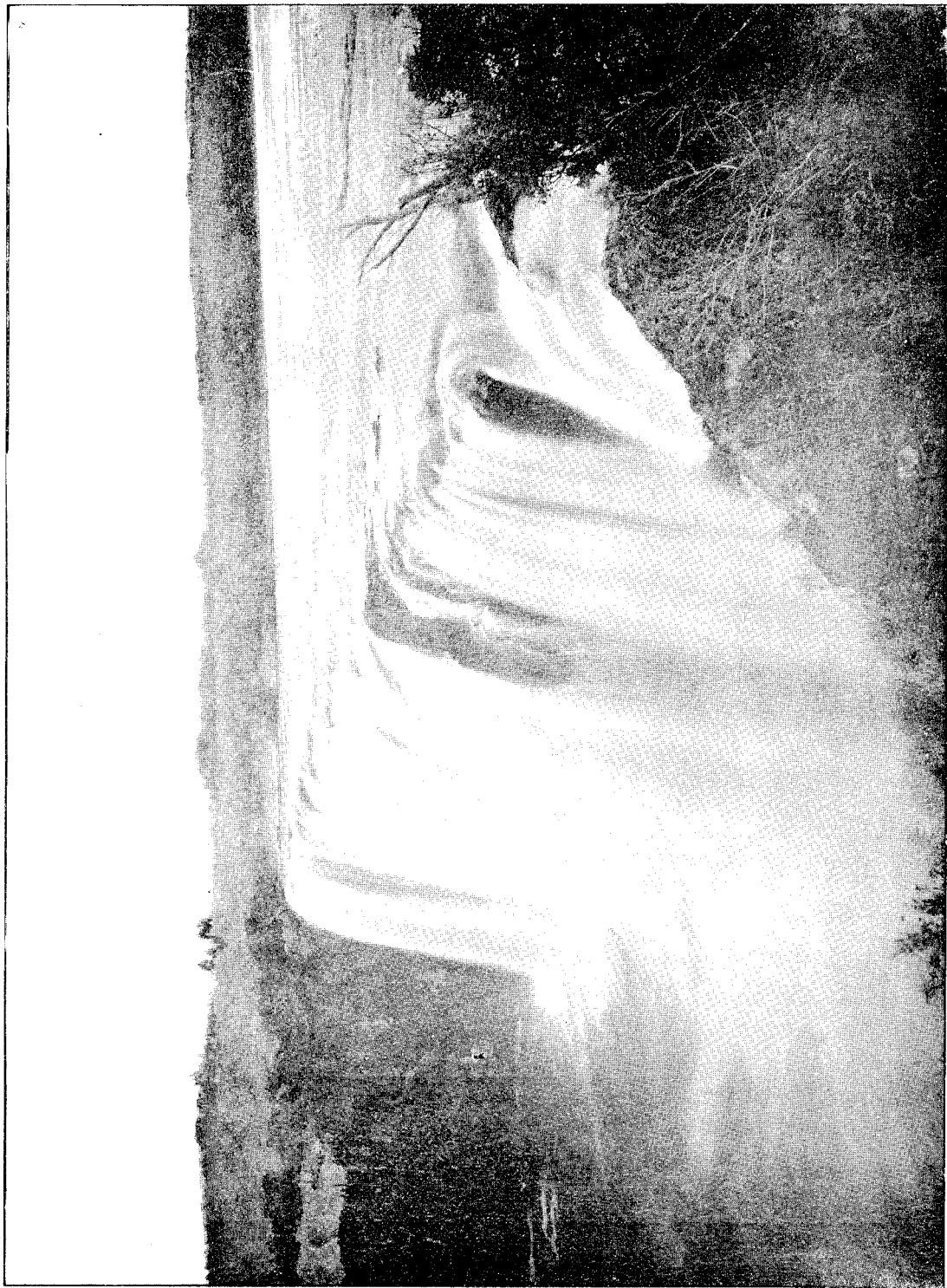
And whereas all conditions precedent required by law to be observed and performed prior to the taking of such land for the purposes hereinbefore specified have been observed and performed:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities in me vested by "The Public Works Act, 1905," and "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903," 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 scenic purposes as aforesaid. And it is hereby declared that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the sixteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and six.

SCHEDULE.

THE parcel of land mentioned hereunder:—

Approximate Area of the Parcel of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block No.	Situated in the Survey District of
A. R. P. 185 0 0	Subdivision No. 7, Ngara West C Block	IX	Kaitawa.



GREAT WAIRUA FALLS, AUCKLAND DISTRICT.
(Resolution No. 74.)

In the Land District of Wellington; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 21846, deposited in the office of the Minister for Public Works, at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

WM. HALL-JONES,
Minister for Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Lands under "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903."

PLUNKET, Governor.—A Proclamation.

WHEREAS by "The Scenery Preservation Act, 1903" (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may from time to time appoint such suitable persons, not exceeding five, as he thinks fit to be a Commission under the said Act; such Commission may, if it deems necessary, inspect any lands possessing scenic or historic interest, or on which there are thermal springs, and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcels of Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as scenic reserves: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcels of Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be reserves under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 700 acres, more or less, being Section No. 1 of Block V, Karangahape Survey District. Bounded towards the north by the right bank of the Oruapuraho Stream; towards the east by the shore of Lake Taupo; towards the south by the Hauhungaroa No. 2 Block; and towards the west by Small Grazing-run No. 68, Block V, Karangahape Survey District.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 300 acres, more or less, being Section No. 1 of Block X, Karangahape Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by the Hauhungaroa No. 2 Block; towards the east by the shore of Lake Taupo; towards the south by the Hauhungaroa No. 1 Block; and towards the west by Small Grazing-run No. 67, Blocks X and XIV, Karangahape Survey District.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 350 acres, more or less, being Section No. 1 of Block II, Pukawa Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by the Hauhungaroa No. 6 Block; towards the east by the shore of Lake Taupo; towards the south by the left bank of the Kuratau River; and towards the west by Small Grazing-run No. 66, in Block II, Pukawa Survey District.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 53063/18, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

JAS. MCGOWAN,
For Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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and shall make inquiries respecting the same and report to the Governor, and shall from time to time recommend what lands, whether Crown, private, or Native lands, in their opinion should be permanently reserved as scenic, thermal, or historic reserves; and that the Governor may from time to time, by Proclamation, declare that any lands so recommended to be reserved shall be a reserve under the said Act, and thereupon such lands shall be inalienable unless by special Act of Parliament passed in that behalf, and no person shall cut or remove timber or in any way interfere with such lands, or damage the scenic features thereof; and such lands may be fenced, preserved, and conserved intact as and for an inalienable patrimony of the people of New Zealand:

And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 37 acres, 2 roods 28 perches, more or less, being Section No. 40, Block XII, Tautuku Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Section No. 4, Block XII, Tautuku Survey District; towards the east and towards the south-east by Section No. 2 of the said Block XII; towards the south-west by the Catlin's-Waikawa Main Road; and towards the north-west by Section No. 3 of Block XII aforesaid: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 53568/8, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-fourth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

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And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve: And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to:

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 46 acres, more or less, being part of Section No. 5, Block II, Alton Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by a public road; towards the north-east by Section No. 4, Block II, Alton Survey District; towards the south-east by a road reserve along the right bank of the Waiau River; and towards the south-west by Section No. 3, Block III, of the said district.

Also all that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 103 acres, more or less, being Section No. 6, Block II, Alton Survey District. Bounded towards the north by a public road; towards the east by Section No. 5, Block II, Alton Survey District; towards the south by a public road; and towards the west by Crown land.

As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 54072/3, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

T. Y. DUNCAN,

For Minister in Charge of Tourist and Health Resorts Department.

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SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing approximately 123 acres, being the island known as Tuatapere or Manuka Island, situated in the bed of the Waiau River, and being Section No. 28, Block III, Alton Survey District.

Also all that area in the Southland Land District, containing approximately 400 acres, being numerous small islands in the bed of the Waiau River, as shown on the plan hereinafter referred to, and situated in Blocks XV and XVII, Longwood Survey District.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 54073/18, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

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And whereas the Governor has, in pursuance of the powers conferred by the said Act, appointed certain persons to be a Commission for the purposes thereof: And whereas the said Commission has, after making inquiries respecting the same, reported to the Governor and recommended that the parcel

of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved as a scenic reserve : And whereas it is expedient that the said recommendation should be given effect to :

Now, therefore, I, William Lee, Baron Plunket, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities aforesaid, do hereby proclaim and declare that, from and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, the parcel of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be a reserve under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 380 acres 3 roods 14 perches, more or less, being Sections Nos. 35 and 36, Block IV, Longwood Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 32, Block IV, Longwood Survey District, and by a public road ; towards the east by a public road, by Section No. 33 of the said Block IV, and again by a public road ; towards the south by Sections Nos. 6, 5, and 31 of the said Block IV ; and towards the west by Sections Nos. 34 and 30 of Block IV aforesaid : as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 54073/19, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies ; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twelfth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

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SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 20 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Section No. 60, Block III, Jacob's River Hundred. Bounded towards the north by Section No. 20, Block III, Jacob's River Hundred ; towards the east by a public road ; towards the south by a public road along the shore of Jacob's River Estuary ; and towards the west by the said Section No. 20 : as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 54386/3, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable William Lee, Baron Plunket, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies ; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six.

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