The ballot will be held immediately upon conclusion of the examination of applicants, and the successful applicant is required to pay immediately at conclusion of ballot a deposit comprising the first half-year's rent, broken-period rent, and lease fee.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—EDUCATION RESERVE. Waimea County.-Motueka Survey District.

Lot 3 of 36 "Moutere Original," Block XI: Area, 13 acres 2 roods 37 perches. Capital value, £84; half-yearly rent, £2 2s.

This property is situated at Braeburn about five miles from Motueka and fronts the main Nelson-Motueka road. Access to the section is very difficult, the Moutere River having to be crossed to get on to the section from the road The frontage and the greater part of the section are covered with gorse, broom, blackberry, and willow. The section is all flat land, about 10 acres ploughable, the soil being inferior quality clay resting on gravel formation; well watered by the Moutere Stream and a lagoon on the back portion. There are no buildings on the property.

Any further information desired may be obtained from the undersigned.

> P. R. WILKINSON, Commissioner of Crown Lands.

(H.O. 20/830; D.O. E.R. 192.)

Town Lands in Westland Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office, Hokitika, 19th September, 1939.

Notifika, 19th September, 1939.

Notifice is hereby given that the undermentioned sections are open for selection on renewable lease under the Land Act, 1924; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Hokitika, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 13th November, 1939.

Applicants should appear personally for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Hokitika, on Wednesday, 15th November, 1939, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., but if any applicant is unable to attend he may be examined by any other Land Board or by any Commissioner of Crown Lands.

The ballot will be held immediately upon conclusion of the examination of applicants, and the successful applicants are required to pay immediately at conclusion of ballot a deposit comprising the first half-year's rent, broken-period rent,

comprising the first half-year's rent, broken-period rent, lease fee, and in the case of Section 9, Block III, and Section 6,

lease fee, and in the case of Section 9, Block 111, and Section 9, Block VII, the amount of the weighting for improvements. North —These lands are offered in terms of section 153 of the Land Act, 1924, which provides that no right to any mineral under the surface shall pertain to the lessees, whose rights shall be to the surface soil only.

SCHEDILE

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN LANDS.

Grey County .--Cobden Survey District.—Westland Mining District.—Town of Rapahoe.

SECTION 4, Block III: Area, 32.7 perches. Capital value,

£50; half-yearly rent, £1 5s.
Section 5, Block III: Area, 32·7 perches. Capital value, £55; half-yearly rent, £1 7s. 6d.

Section 9, Block III: Area, 1 rood. Capital value, £50; half-yearly rent, £1 5s.

Weighted with £38 (payable in cash) for improvements, comprising hut and clearing.

Section 6, Block VII: Area, 1 rood. Capital value, £45; half-yearly rent, £1 2s. 6d.

Weighted with $\pounds 4$ (payable in cash) for improvements, comprising clearing and stumping.

These are residential sections in Town of Rapahoe, which is adjacent to the new Strongman State Mine, and nine miles from Greymouth by good metalled road.

Any further information required may be obtained from the undersigned.

> B. KING. Commissioner of Crown Lands.

(H.O. 25/1029; D.O. 14/14/373.)

Settlement Lands in Canterbury Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

> District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, 19th September, 1939.

OTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned sections are onen for selection on recommendation on recommendations. are open for selection on renewable lease under the Land Act, 1924, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1925; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, up to 4 p.m. on Friday, 10th November, 1939.

Applicants should appear personally for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, on Tuesday, 14th November, 1939, at 10.30 a.m., but if any applicant is unable to attend he may be examined by any other Land Board or by any Commissioner of Crown Lands. Applicants are required to produce for inspection when

examined documentary evidence of their financial position, such as bank pass-books, certificates or letters of credit from managers of banks, financial institutions, or mercantile firms, managers of banks, financial institutions, or mercantile firms, or from private persons or parents undertaking to give financial assistance. Persons undertaking to assist financially should state to what extent they are prepared to do so and supply guarantees of their own financial position.

The ballot will be held immediately upon conclusion of the examination of applicants, and the successful applicants are required to pay immediately at conclusion of ballot a deposit comprising the first half-year's rent, broken-period rent, lease fee, and amount of weighting for improvements.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—FIRST-CLASS LAND.— SETTLEMENT LAND.

Waimairi County.—Block X, Christchurch Survey District.— Avonhead No. 2 Settlement.

Section.		Area.			Weighting for Improvements (Payable in Cash).			Capital Value.	Half- yearly Rent.		
Subdivision Section 2	part	Α.	R.	Р.	£	s.	d.	£	£	s.	d.
Lot 1		3	0	0.1	125	0	0	155	3	17	6
Lot 2		2	1	$7 \cdot 5$	4	0	0	120	3	0	0
Lot 3		2	1	$6 \cdot 7$	2	10	0	120	3	0.	0
Lot 4		1	0	0	3	. 0	0	70	1	15	0
Lot 5		1	0	0	2	10	0	65	1	12	6
Subdivision Section 15	part				2 1)						
Lot $2 \dots$		1	3	$23 \cdot 1$	2	10	0	100	2	10	0
Lot 3		1	3	$25 \cdot 2$	2	0	0	100	2	10	0
Lot 4		3	2	$18 \cdot 6$	6	0	0	170	4	5	0
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The improvements on Lot 1 of part Section 2 comprise cottage, shed, piggery, and outhouse, water-supply, and fencing. The improvements on the remaining subdivisions comprise fencing only.

These subdivisions are situated on the Avonhead No. 2 Settlement, two miles from Riccarton Post-office and School and approximately five miles and a half from Christchurch and approximately we lines and a hair from Christenurch Post-office. Lots 1, 2, and 3 of part Section 2 have frontages to Avonhead Road, Lot 4 of part Section 2 is a corner section with frontages to Avonhead Road and Withells Road, while the remaining lots have frontages to Withells Road. The ubdivisions offer good residential-sites for any one with outside work in the district.

For any further particulars required apply to the under-

N. C. KENSINGTON, Commissioner of Crown Lands.

(H.O. 26/25550; D.O. R.L. 865 and 874.)

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

NOTICE is hereby given that VICTOR JOHN SANSON, of Sanson, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 27th day of September, 1939, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

Dated at Palmerston North, this 13th day of September,

F. C. LITCHFIELD, Deputy Official Assignee.