And it is hereby further declared that the revenues of the Colony of New Zealand alone are liable in respect of the stock hereinbefore described and the dividends thereon, and that the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom and the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are not directly or indirectly liable or responsible for the payment of the stock or of the dividends thereon, or for any matter relating thereto.

In witness whereof the said Sir Penrose Goodchild Julyan and Westby Brook Perceval have hereunto set their hands this eleventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

The Schedule hereinbefore referred to.

Date of Deed-Poll.	By whom executed.	Amount created.	Rate of Interest.	Repayable.
1st Dec., 1879	Sir Penrose Goodchild Julyan, K.C.M.G., C.B., Sir Julius Vogel, K.C.M.G., and Montagu Frederic Ommanney, Esq.	£6,000,000	£4 per cent.	1st Nov., 1929
1st Jan., 1883	Sir Penrose Goodchild Julyan, K.C.M.G., C.B., and Sir Francis Dillon Bell, K.C.M.G.	£1,000,000	£4 per cent.	1st Nov., 1929
30th Oct., 1883	Sir Francis Dillon Bell, K.C.M.G., and Sir Penrose Goodchild Julyan, K.C.M.G., C.B.	£9,400,000	£4 per cent.	1st Nov., 1929
1st Jan., 1884	The like	£1,000,000	£4 per cent.	1st Nov., 1929
30th Dec., 1884	The like	£764,240	£4 per cent.	1st Nov., 1929
1st Jan., 1885	The like	£1,000,000	£4 per cent.	1st Nov., 1929
1st June, 1885	The like	£1,520,000	£4 per cent.	1st Nov., 1929
20th May, 1886	The like	£10,000,000	£4 per cent.	1st Nov., 1929
6th Oct., 1886	The like	£1,567,800	£4 per cent.	1st Nov., 1929
30th May, 1888	The like	£2,000,000	£4 per cent.	1st Nov., 1929
31st Oct., 1889	The like	£3,000,000	£3 10s. per cent.	1st Jan., 1940
12th Mar., 1891	The like	£1,000,000	£3 10s. per cent.	1st Jan., 1940
26th Jan., 1893	Sir Penrose Goodchild Julyan, K.C.M.G., C.B., and Westby Brook Perceval, Esq.	£500,000	£3 10s. per cent.	1st Jan., 1940

Signed by the above-named Sir Penrose Goodchild Julyan in the presence of— P. G. JULYAN.
JOHN R. CURRIE,
Colonel, Torquay.

Signed by the above-named Westby Brook Perceval in the presence of— WESTBY B. PERCEVAL.
RICHARD HACKWORTH,
Clerk, New Zealand Government Office, 13, Victoria Street, London, S.W.

No. 30.

The AGENT-GENERAL to the PREMIER.

(No. 338.)
Westminster Chambers, 13, Victoria Street, London, S.W.,
30th March, 1893.

SIR,—

Referring to my letter No. 299, of the 15th instant, I beg to advise the sale of £25,000 4-per-cent. Stock, being part of the released Sinking Fund of the £500,000 Imperial guaranteed debentures of the loan of 1863.

The amount (£26,656 4s.) realised has been paid over to the Bank of England as part payment of the purchase-money of the above-mentioned debentures.

I enclose copy of the contract notes.

I have, &c.,
W. B. PERCEVAL.

The Hon. the Premier, Wellington.

No. 31.

The AGENT-GENERAL to the PREMIER.

(No. 402.)
Westminster Chambers, 13, Victoria Street, London, S.W.,
13th April, 1893.

SIR,—

Referring to my letter No. 338, of the 30th ultimo, I beg to advise the sales of the following amounts of stock—namely, £35,000 4-per-cent. Stock, part of the released Sinking Fund of the £500,000 Imperial guaranteed debentures of the loan of 1863, and £30,000 3½-per-cent. Stock, part of that into which the above-mentioned debentures have been converted.

The amount (£65,874 18s.) realised has this day been paid over to the Bank of England as part payment of the purchase-money of the debentures in question.

I attach hereto copies of the contract notes.

I have, &c.,
W. B. PERCEVAL.

The Hon. the Premier, Wellington.

No. 32.

The PREMIER to the AGENT-GENERAL.

(No. 24.)
Premier's Office, Wellington, 15th June, 1893.

SIR,—

In connection with the conversion of the half-million guaranteed loan of 1863, and to the amount of stock required to be realised to enable payment to be made to the Bank of England, it is, I am sure, unnecessary for me to urge upon you to take advantage of a fair market with the view of having sales effected as speedily as possible. The transaction is of so large dimensions that I cannot help feeling anxiety as to its being brought to a successful issue; at the same time I am quite satisfied that no effort will be lost on your part to take every advantage of a suitable market as opportunity arises. After the £585,000 has been paid to the Bank, the further proceeds of the sale