

ARUNDEL DOMAIN.

Reserve No. 2965, Block III, Town of Arundel. Area, 4 acres 1 rood 6 perches.

Work done during year: Hedges trimmed, gorse grubbed, trees topped, and trees dug around. Proposed operations for ensuing year: Erecting new gate and attending to fences.

ASHBURTON DOMAIN.

Area, 89 acres 1 rood 24 perches, situated in the Town of Ashburton.

Work done during year: Grounds maintained, and new flower-beds and gardens formed. A new horse lawn-mower was purchased during the year. Improvements now on domain: Four miles and a half fencing, curator's lodge, propagating-house, pavilion and stand in sports-ground, shadehouse, tool-house, bathing and other sheds, three asphalt and nine grass tennis-courts, meteorological station, tennis and bowling pavilions, water-supply with tanks, stand, water-wheel, and pipes, asphalt cycling-track, cricket-ground, croquet and bowling greens, lakes, rosery, plantation, flower-gardens, and wood, iron, and stone gates. The domain is used for all purposes of recreation, and is visited by picnic parties from various parts of Canterbury. Proposed operations for ensuing year: Improving swimming-baths by adding to the present dressing-shed and erecting iron fencing, rebuilding conveniences, erecting a second propagating-house, and generally maintaining the grounds.

ASHLEY DOMAIN.

Reserve No. 3102, Blocks IV, VI, VII, and VIII, Rangiora Survey District. Area, 1,920 acres.

Domain Board appointed, 7th November, 1910; first meeting held, 19th December, 1910.

ASHLEY GORGE DOMAIN.

Reserves Nos. 3094, Block IV, Oxford Survey District, and 3231, Blocks XVI, Upper Ashley Survey District, XII, Mount Thomas Survey District, IV, Oxford Survey District, and I, Mairaki Survey District. Area, 74 acres.

Work done during year: Notice-board erected. Improvements now on domain: Road, fencing, retiring-room for ladies, concrete fireplaces, plantation, and native bush. Used for picnics. Proposed operations for ensuing year: Repairing road.

ATAAHUA DOMAIN.

Reserve No. 3705, Block III, Ellesmere Survey District. Area, 5 acres 3 roods 35 perches.

Work done during year: Trees attended to and fences kept in repair. Proposed operations for ensuing year: Planting trees.

BURKE'S PASS DOMAIN.

Reserve No. 1595, Block VIII, Burke Survey District. Area, 45 acres and 3 perches.

Work done during year: Fences repaired and noxious weeds cleared. Improvements now on domain: Fencing, 3 acres fenced off and planted with trees, and grassing. Used for picnics and general recreation; portion used for grazing.

CARLETON DOMAIN.

Reserves Nos. 2808 and 2858, Block V, Mairaki Survey District. Area, 13 acres 3 roods.

Improvements now on domain: Fences, hedges, trees, building, concrete cricket-pitch, and conveniences. Used for sports, cricket, picnics, and general recreation.

CASHMERE HILLS DOMAIN.

Reserve No. 161, Halswell Survey District. Area, 188 acres 3 roods 11 perches.

Work done during year: Trees planted. Improvements now on domain: Cottage, stable and trap-shed, cowshed, Victoria Memorial Pavilion, Rolleston Memorial, fences, nursery, and plantations. Used for picnics and general recreation. Leased, one of the conditions being that the lessee shall supply visitors with refreshments at reasonable prices.

CAVE DOMAIN.

Reserve No. 3683 (Rosewill Settlement), Block IX, Pareora Survey District. Area, 10 acres 1 rood 35 perches.

During the year the domain was sown in grass, clover, and oats, and this has been fed off. A fence was also erected and another strengthened. Proposed operations for ensuing year: Planting trees.

CHERTSEY DOMAIN.

Reserves Nos. 2376, Ashburton Survey District, and 3057, Town of Chertsey. Area, 32 acres 2 roods 27 perches.

Work done during year: About 8 chains gorse hedge removed and replaced by a standard-and-wire fence. Improvements now on domain: Fencing, trees, bath, bath-house, water-races, racing-track, and grassing. Used for general recreation.