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Declaring "The Regulation of Local Elections Act, 1876," in force within the Taradale River District.

(L.S.) Wm. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by the third section of "The Regulation of Local Elections Act, 1876," I, William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the said Act shall come into force in respect of all the elective offices of the Board of Conservators of the Taradale River District, within the district known as the Taradale River District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond Jervis, Lieutenant-General in Her Majesty's Army, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Waimakariri Water-races, County of Selwyn.

(L.S.) Wm. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN exercise and pursuance of the powers and authority vested in me by the thirty-second section of "The Counties Acts Amendment Act, 1883," and at the request of the Selwyn County Council, I, William Francis Drummond Jervis, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare the lands described in the Schedule hereto to be water-races as defined by the thirty-first section of the said Act, to be known by the name of the "Waimakariri Water-races;" and, further, that the River Waimakariri, in the County of Selwyn, shall be a stream

which may be taken for the purpose of supplying the said water-races:

SCHEDULE.

WAIMAKARIRI WATER-RACES.

No. 1.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Survey Districts of Rolleston and Leeston, commencing at a point on the Waimakariri River known as No. 1 Groin, and proceeding south-easterly intersecting Reserve No. 947, Crown lands, and Sections Nos. 25780, 17192, Reserve No. 1458, and Sections Nos. 9164, 6695, 6694, all of the Rolleston Survey District, to the north-west corner of Section No. 6282; thence intersecting the last-mentioned section and Section No. 6281 to the Sandy Knolls Road; thence south-easterly and south-westerly along the western side of that road to the Main South Road; and thence south-easterly along the southern side of the road leading to and past the Burnham Railway Station to the Selwyn and Coal Tramway Road.

No. 2.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Survey Districts of Rolleston and Christchurch, commencing at the southern boundary-line of Reserve No. 1458, Rolleston Survey District, and proceeding easterly along the northern side of the West Coast Road to the Harewood Road by Riccarton; and thence along the northern side of the latter road to the Riccarton Road.

No. 3.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Rolleston Survey District, commencing at the northernmost corner of Section No. 6522, and proceeding easterly along the southern side of Halkett's Road to Bealey's Road.

No. 4.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Survey Districts of Rolleston and Christchurch, commencing at the north-western corner of Section No. 6467, Rolleston Survey District, and proceeding easterly along the southern side of Bealey's Road to the West Coast Road.

No. 5.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Rolleston Survey District, commencing at the north-western corner of Section No. 27744, and proceeding generally easterly along the southern side of the road forming the southern boundaries of Sections Nos. 6467, 5913, 5914, 5923, 28243, 12602, 20684, 10477, 20658, and 10812 to the Weedon and Ross Road; and thence along the western side of that road to the Newton and Coal Tramway Road.

No. 6.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Rolleston Survey District, commencing at the south-western

corner of Section No. 9067, and proceeding south-easterly along the northern side of Hoskyn's Road to the Newton and Coal Tramway Road; and thence north-easterly along the southern side of the latter road to Reserve No. 702.

No. 7.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Survey Districts of Rolleston and Christchurch, commencing at the westernmost corner of Section No. 12690, Rolleston Survey District, and proceeding south-easterly along the southern side of Hoskyn's Road to the southernmost corner of Section No. 7498; thence north-easterly along the southern side of the road forming the northern boundaries of Sections Nos. 7684, 7633, 7795, 9456, 13598, Reserves Nos. 1453 and 1596, Sections Nos. 14513, 19021, 14864, 14127, 13940, 9841, 9499, 6896, 6500, 6510, 8897, 9004, Reserve No. 922, Sections Nos. 10219, 9218, 5504, 4843, 2918, 3965, and 4359, Rolleston Survey District, and 2855, Christchurch Survey District, to the north-eastern corner of the last-mentioned section.

No. 8.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Survey Districts of Rolleston, Leeston, and Christchurch, commencing at the north-western corner of Section No. 31590, Rolleston Survey District, and proceeding south-easterly along the southern side of Ward's Road to the Kowai and Rolleston Tramway Reserve, Leeston Survey District; thence north-easterly along the southern side of the Main South Road to Spring's Road.

No. 9.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Survey Districts of Rolleston and Leeston, commencing at the westernmost corner of Reserve No. 1464, and proceeding south-easterly along the southern side of the road forming the western boundaries of said Reserve No. 1464 and of Sections Nos. 32253 and 32119; thence intersecting Reserve No. 309 and along the southern side of the road forming the western boundaries of Sections Nos. 32955, 34199, 32954, 32953, 32952, 28110, 24317, 19076, and 10768, all of Leeston Survey District, to the southernmost corner of the last-mentioned section.

No. 10.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Survey Districts of Leeston and Halswell, commencing at the north-western boundary of Reserve No. 309, Leeston Survey District, where it is intersected by the south-western boundary-line of Section No. 32119 produced, and proceeding north-easterly along the northern side of the road forming the north-western boundaries of Reserve No. 309 aforesaid and Sections Nos. 27982, 7397, 5717, and 4603 to the Lincoln and Coal Tramway Road; and thence south-easterly along the south side of the latter road to the Springston Road.

No. 11.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Survey Districts of Rolleston and Halswell, commencing at the north-western corner of Section No. 967, Rolleston Survey District, and proceeding southerly along the western side of the Weedon and Springs Road to the Ellesmere Junction Road.

No. 12.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Survey Districts of Rolleston, Leeston, and Halswell, commencing at the north-western corner of Section No. 5389, Rolleston Survey District, and proceeding southerly along the western side of Broadfield Road to Halswell Road by Ladbroke's; thence easterly along the western side of the latter road to the Lincoln and Prebbleton Road.

No. 13.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Christchurch Survey District, commencing at the north-western corner of Section No. 424, and proceeding south-easterly along the western side of the Prebbleton and Waimakariri Road to the Lincoln and Prebbleton Road.

No. 14.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Christchurch Survey District, commencing at the north-western corner of Section No. 2715, and proceeding south-easterly along the western side of the Prebbleton Road to the Springs Road.

No. 15.—All that area, 12½ links in width, situate in the Leeston Survey District, commencing at the northernmost corner of Section No. 4390, and proceeding south-westerly along the western side of the Weedon and Ellesmere Road to the Ellesmere Junction Road.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir William Francis Drummond Jeroivs, Lieutenant-General in Her Majesty's Army, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the same; and issued under the Seal of the said Colony, at the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

THOMAS DICK.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Altering Boundaries of Ridings in the County of Waipawa.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of May, 1884.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by a special order published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twentieth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, the Waipawa County Council altered the boundaries of the Tamumu and Oero Road Districts, and thus caused the boundaries of the Waipawa, Patangata, and Tamumu Ridings to be not in conformity with the provisions of section twenty-three of "The Counties Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1882:" And whereas the said County Council has neglected to pass a special order altering the said ridings as required by the said Act within six months from the said twentieth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said Act, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby order that, from and after the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, the boundaries of the aforesaid Ridings of Waipawa, Patangata, and Tamumu shall be those set forth in the Schedule hereto under their respective headings.

SCHEDULE.

WAIPAWA RIDING.

ALL that area in the County of Waipawa bounded towards the North-east by the County of Hawke's Bay; towards the South-east by the eastern side of Te Aute Road to the south-western boundary line of Block XLIX.; again towards the North-east by that block to the easternmost corner of Block XIV.; thence by a right line to the junction of the Patangata and Tamumu Roads, and by the Waipawa and Tamumu Road to the new Waipawa River; thence again towards the South-east by that river; and towards the South-west generally by the Road Districts of Waipukurau, Ruataniwha, and Makaretu, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 42, of the 18th May, 1883.

PATANGATA RIDING.

All that area in the County of Waipawa bounded towards the North-east generally by the County of Hawke's Bay; towards the South-east by the ocean; towards the South-west by Blocks XL., XXXIX., XXXVIII., XXXVII., XXXVI., XXIV., XXV., XXVI., XXVII., XXVIII., and XXIX., in the Pouterere Survey District, to the Mangarara Stream; thence by the left bank of that stream to the Tukituki River; thence again towards the South-east by the right bank of that river to its confluence with the Mangatarata River; thence across and by the said Tukituki River and the Waipawa River to the new course of the latter river; and thence towards the North-west and again towards the South-west and North-west by the Waipawa Riding, hereinbefore described.

TAMUMU RIDING.

All that area in the County of Waipawa bounded towards the North-west and North-east by the Patangata Riding, hereinbefore described; towards the South-east by the ocean; towards the South-west by the Road Districts of Wallingford and Wanstead, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 42, of the 18th May, 1883; and towards the North-west by the Road District of Waipukurau, as described in the aforesaid *Gazette*.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Time for preparing County Rolls, County of Piako.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of May, 1884.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that certain things required to be done by "The Counties Act, 1876," in connection with the making and revision of the county roll of the County of Piako, cannot be done by or within the times required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, in exercise and pursuance of the powers

and authorities vested in him by the said "Counties Act, 1876," and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, doth hereby extend the times for doing the said things in connection with the county roll of the said County of Piako, and doth declare that the time for the doing of such several things shall be those which are specified in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. For the preparation of the county roll: On or before the 24th May, 1884.
2. Rolls shall be open for inspection: From the 28th May, 1884, to the 11th June, 1884.
3. Objections to rolls received: Until the 21st June, 1884.
4. Day appointed for revision of roll: Some day after the 23rd June, 1884, but Revision Court shall not sit after the 7th July, 1884.
5. Roll shall come into force: On the 14th July, 1884.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Time for holding Elections, Te Puke Road District, County of Tauranga.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of May, 1884.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Board of the Te Puke Road District, being unable to get the annual balance-sheet and statement of account audited in sufficient time to lay before the annual meeting required by "The Road Boards Act, 1882," to be held during the first week in May, have failed to hold such meeting: And whereas the said Board have also failed to hold an election of members during the first week in May, as required by "The Road Boards Act 1882 Amendment Act, 1883:" And whereas it is expedient to extend the time for holding such annual meeting and such election:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the said "Road Boards Act, 1882," doth hereby order and declare that the time for holding the aforesaid annual meeting and for holding the aforesaid election is hereby extended, and that such annual meeting and election may be held during the month of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Time for holding Elections, Pokororo Road District, County of Waimea.

WM. F. DRUMMOND JERVOIS,
Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this thirtieth day of May, 1884.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Board of the Pokororo Road District failed to appoint a Returning Officer to conduct the elections of members of the said Board, and an election has not consequently been held during the first week in May, as required by "The Road Boards Act 1882 Amendment Act, 1883," and it is expedient to extend the time for holding such elections:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said colony, and in exercise and pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by "The Road Boards Act, 1882," doth hereby order and declare that the time for holding the election of members of the said Pokororo Road Board under the first-mentioned Act is hereby extended, and that such election may take place during the month of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

FORSTER GORING,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

By-laws made by Selwyn County Council.—Water-Races.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 29th May, 1884.

THE following by-laws, made by the Selwyn County Council, are published in accordance with "The Counties Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1882."

THOMAS DICK.

SPECIAL ORDER.

County of Selwyn.—Water-race By-laws.

In exercise and execution of the powers conferred upon it by "The Counties Act, 1876," "The Counties Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1882," and "The Counties Acts Amendment Act, 1883," the Council of the County of Selwyn doth hereby make the following by-laws, and prescribe the following terms and conditions, and make the following scale of rates and charges, which by-law, terms and conditions, rates and charges, shall apply to every part of the county declared, or to be declared, a district under section 34 of "The Counties Acts Amendment Act, 1883:"—

Interpretation.

1. In these by-laws the following words shall have the following meanings, that is to say,—

The word "Council" shall mean the Council of the County of Selwyn, as constituted under "The Counties Act, 1876:"

The word "county" shall mean the County of Selwyn, constituted as aforesaid:

The word "proprietor" shall mean an owner or occupier of land, situate within the county, who shall make application to the Council for the use of a water-race, or who shall permit or shall have permitted a water-race, or any pipe or contrivance for the distribution of water to be made, laid, or placed in, on, or under his land:

The word "head-race" shall mean a stream of water which shall be taken from the water-race and shall be supplied to one proprietor or divided among several adjoining proprietors of land, on the basis of an equal volume of water being allowed to each proprietor in proportion to the acreage of the land occupied by him.

2. A proprietor of land may apply to the Council for one head-race, or two or more several head-races, in the proportion of one head-race for every 1,500 acres of land in his occupation.

3. Every application shall be in the form in the First Schedule hereto, and shall be signed by the applicant, who, in making his application, shall truly state the matters and things following, that is to say,—

- (a.) The number or numbers of the rural section or of all the rural sections comprising the land which he desires to be supplied with water from the water-race, or such an accurate description of the land as shall plainly indicate the same and the boundaries thereof;
- (b.) The acreage of such land, according to the Government survey thereof;
- (c.) The point or points on the line of the water-race from which he desires the head-race or head-races to be taken for supplying his land;
- (d.) The direction through his land in which he desires the water to flow.

4. Two or more proprietors whose lands adjoin those of each other, and whose lands are in the aggregate of an area of 1,500 acres or thereabouts, may unite in an application to the Council for one or more head-races for the use of their lands; and, in such case, the provisions of Nos. 2 and 3 of these by-laws shall apply to such application, *mutatis mutandis*.

5. In the case of several adjoining properties being supplied by one head-race, the Council shall determine the point on the boundary of the land of each proprietor at which the water shall flow into his land, and the direction in which the water shall flow through his land; and the determination by the Council of the said matters shall be final as between such several proprietors.

6. In the case last mentioned each proprietor shall permit the water which shall flow into his land, over and above the portion thereof which he shall be entitled to consume, to flow through his land, and into the adjoining land of a proprietor entitled to receive the same, without obstruction or diminution, save such as shall occur through ordinary waste: Provided always that the Council shall not be responsible to any proprietor for any loss, diminution, or pollution of water which shall occur in the passage of such water through the adjoining land of any other proprietor.

7. Upon an application being granted, the works necessary for leading the water from the water-race to the boundary of the property to be supplied which is nearest to the water-race shall be done by the Council, and the proprietor or proprietors shall bear and pay all costs and expenses which shall be thereby incurred, including the cost of all necessary

gauges and distributing pipes; save that, whenever distributing pipes or channels are to be made or fixed along or across public highways, the same shall be so made or fixed, and the necessary works for such purposes shall be executed by the proprietor or proprietors to the satisfaction of the Road Board having control of such highway. All works executed and materials used for the purposes of supplying or distributing water into or through lands, except the gauges of all races and pipes connected therewith, shall be maintained by the proprietor or proprietors; and in default thereof the Council may maintain the same, and the cost thereof shall be paid to the Council by the proprietor or proprietors on demand being made for that purpose; and, in case of default in such payment, the amount of such cost may be recovered in the same manner as charges for water supplied may be recovered.

8. In the case of a united application by several proprietors of adjoining lands, all moneys which shall become payable to the Council in respect of such application, whether for water supplied thereunder or for the necessary work done and materials used in supplying such water to or in distributing the same among the lands of such proprietors, may be charged by the Council to and may be demanded and recovered from any one or more of such proprietors, either severally or jointly, as the Council may think proper, and the Council shall not be concerned to see that such moneys are borne and paid by such proprietors in rateable or any other proportions.

9. Every proprietor to whom a head-race shall be granted shall provide and maintain sufficient tanks for the storage and conservation of the water, and shall not allow the water to run to waste; and such proprietor shall be liable to pay and make good all damage and injury which shall happen to any roads, lands, or works in consequence of the overflow of the water from his tanks or races.

10. A proprietor whose land abuts on the water-race may apply to the Council for permission to take water from the water-race into his land to fill a watering-place on such land in lieu of his taking a head-race, and such application shall be in the form in the Second Schedule hereto, and shall be signed by the applicant, who shall truly state therein the matters and things following, that is to say,—

- (a.) The number or numbers of the rural section or of all the rural sections comprising the land which he desires to supply, or such an accurate description of the land as shall plainly indicate the same and the boundaries thereof;
- (b.) The acreage of such land, according to the Government survey thereof;
- (c.) The point on the boundary of his land at which he desires that the water shall enter his land.

11. In case the Council shall grant such application as last mentioned, the works necessary for carrying into effect the purposes of the application shall be approved by and executed under the supervision of the Council, and at the cost of the applicant.

12. Subject to payment of all rates, and of the charges for the use of the water which are hereinafter provided, and to his being duly licensed by the Council for that purpose, any proprietor whose land shall not be supplied under By-law No. 10 shall have access to the water-race at such place or places as the Council may appoint for the purpose of taking away water in vessels. The license for that purpose shall be in the form in the Third Schedule hereto.

13. Nothing in these by-laws contained shall restrict or interfere with the power and control of the Council over the water-race and all branch-races, head-races, streams, and other subdivisions thereof, and the Council shall at all times have and retain full and complete control over the said water and over all works connected therewith or appertaining thereto; and notwithstanding anything herein contained, and the granting of any application under these by-laws, it shall be lawful for the Council from time to time, whenever it shall deem it necessary or expedient so to do, to stop the flow of water in any distributing pipes or channels, or in any branch-race, head-race, or stream of the said water-race, for the purpose of executing repairs or alterations, or for any other purpose which the Council shall deem necessary, and no proprietor shall be entitled to any compensation for loss or deprivation of water occasioned thereby or otherwise.

14. It shall also be lawful for the Council at any time, or from time to time, when there shall, in the opinion of the Council, be occasion so to do, to stop the flow of water in the water-race or in any branch thereof and in so many head-races and streams as they shall think proper, and to supply other head-races and streams, and to alternate such stoppage and supply, and generally to control and manage the said water-race and the several subdivisions thereof in such manner as may, in the opinion of the Council, be best adapted to provide an equal supply of water to every proprietor who shall be entitled thereto.

15. Nothing in these by-laws contained shall be construed to be a guarantee by the Council to provide or supply water,

either in the water-race or in any branch-race, head-race, stream, or other subdivision thereof to any fixed or specific quantity, nor to render the Council responsible for the total or partial failure of such supply by reason of drought, accident, or any other cause whatever, and the Council shall not be responsible for any loss caused by such failure, nor for any damage or injury which shall be occasioned by the flooding of the said water-race on the lands adjacent thereto, or which shall arise from any other cause connected with the said water-race.

16. In case any proprietor shall consider himself aggrieved by the action of any other proprietor in regard to the flow of water in any race, he may submit the cause or matter of such grievance to the Council; and the Council, after hearing both proprietors, or either proprietor in case one of them after due notice shall fail to appear and state his case, may decide the matter in dispute, and may communicate its decision thereon to the parties, and thereupon such decision shall be final and binding between them; and, in case any proprietor shall neglect or refuse to obey any such decision, the Council may proceed to carry out any work it may deem necessary in order to give effect to such decision at the cost of the proprietor against whom such decision is given, and may recover the amount of such cost from such proprietor as a debt due by him to the Council.

17. It shall be lawful for the Council at any time and from time to time, without notice to any person, to enter upon any land in the district which is supplied with water from the water-race, for the purpose of inspecting and ascertaining the state of the water-race, and all branch-races, head-races, streams, and other subdivisions thereof, and all tanks and other receptacles of water, and may require the owner or owners of such land to repair and maintain the same and all works connected therewith when the same shall be necessary.

18. No person shall permit any pigs, geese, or ducks, or other animal or bird belonging to him or in his charge to trespass upon or stray into any water-race, head-race, branch-race, or distributing channel, whereby the water shall be polluted or be fouled in any way whatever.

- (1.) No person shall ride, drive, or lead any horse or other animal, or drive, wheel, or transport any carriage, cart, or other vehicle, engine, or machine across any water-race or branch-race, whereby the same may be damaged, except at the appointed crossings.
- (2.) No person shall suffer any horse, bull, ox, cow, goat, pig, or any other animal belonging to him to trespass in or upon any water-race, head-race, or branch-race which is constructed upon any public road, or to injure or to destroy the same, or to be foul the water thereof.
- (3.) No person shall obstruct by any means whatever, wholly or partially, any field-crossing over any water-race, head-race, or branch-race.
- (4.) No person shall injure or destroy any dam, embankment, weir, bridge, pipe, culvert, notice-board, or plant of the waterworks, or any work constructed by the Council.
- (5.) No person shall bathe in any water-race, head-race, branch-race, or distributing channel, or shall wash, cleanse, or throw, or cause to enter therein any animal or carcass, or any rubbish, filth, stuff, or thing of any kind whatever, or shall cause, permit, or suffer to run or to be brought therein any water of any sewer, drain, or other filthy, unwholesome, or impure water, liquid, or matter, or shall do, permit, or suffer to be done anything whatever whereby any waterworks or any water in any part thereof shall be fouled, polluted, obstructed, impeded, or damaged.
- (6.) All distributing channels on private lands in which more than one proprietor shall receive a supply of water from the same gauge shall be cleansed and repaired by the proprietors on whose land such distributing channel shall be constructed twice in each year, that is to say, in the months of May and November in each year; and such cleansing and repairing shall when completed be inspected and passed by the officer in charge of the waterworks, and, in the event of any of such proprietors failing or neglecting to cleanse and repair the said channels in the manner and at the time stated, the Council may stop the supply of water to any such proprietor, and proceed against him for the penalty imposed for the breach of these by-laws.

19. No person shall obstruct the flow of water in any head-race, stream, pipe, or channel, or unnecessarily diminish the water supplied from the water-race.

20. No person shall obstruct or interfere with any officers, servants, or workmen employed by the Council while engaged in carrying into effect the provisions of these by-laws or any of them.

21. No person shall displace, alter, injure, or interfere with any water-gauge, dam, sluice, pipe, or other works or things

used in the supplying or distributing of the water from the said water-race, and no person shall dam or obstruct the flow of water in any branch-race whereby the supply of water in any head-race or other subdivision shall be increased or diminished.

22. The charges specified in the Fourth Schedule hereto shall be payable in respect of the matters to which such charges are respectively made applicable in the said Schedule.

23. In estimating the amount of the charge to be paid in respect of water to be supplied under By-law No. 10, it shall be lawful for the Council to determine the area of land of each proprietor which shall be considered to be benefited by such supply of water, and the decision of the Council thereon shall be final and binding on such proprietor.

24. All moneys payable to the Council by any proprietor or proprietors, whether for charges for the supply of water, or for the use of the water in the water-race, or for the cost of any works which shall be undertaken by the Council, and for the payment of which a proprietor is by any of these by-laws made liable, or on any other account, shall be paid in advance, and the Council may refuse to supply the land of any such proprietor with water, or permit him to use the water, or to commence any such work as aforesaid, or to permit the same to be commenced, until payment of all such moneys has been made.

For the purposes of this by-law all annual charges shall become payable on the 1st day of January in each year.

25. The Council may, without notice, stop the supply of water to the land of any proprietor, and prevent any proprietor from using any of the water in any of the cases following, that is to say,—

- (a.) In case he shall in his application make an untrue statement as to any matter respecting which he is hereby required to make a statement;
- (b.) In case he shall fail to do and perform any matter or thing which he shall undertake or agree to do;
- (c.) In case he shall fail to pay any charges for the supply of water or for the use of water on the days or at the times when the same shall become payable, or in case he shall fail to pay any rate imposed or levied on his lands situate in the district, in respect of the construction or maintenance of the said water-race, when such rate shall be legally payable by him;
- (d.) In case he shall fail or refuse to submit to and abide by or to obey or carry out any decision of the Council on any matter in respect of which the decision of the Council is by any of these by-laws made binding upon him;
- (e.) In case he shall commit any breach of any of these by-laws;
- (f.) In case he shall fail or neglect to cleanse or repair his distributing channel during the months of May and November in each year, so that the next adjoining proprietor shall be prevented from receiving his fair proportion of the water flowing through the gauge.

The provisions of this by-law shall apply to a case provided for by By-law No. 4, and may be put in force against all the proprietors who shall unite in an application, in case any of the matters or things herein specified shall be done, committed, omitted, or suffered by any one of such proprietors.

26. Any person offending against or committing a breach of or failing to comply with any of these by-laws shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty of not more than £5.

27. All by-laws previously made by the Council respecting water-races under any of the above-mentioned Acts are hereby repealed, but this repeal shall not affect the past operation of any of the said repealed by-laws, or the validity or invalidity of anything done or suffered, or any right acquired or duty or liability incurred under any of such by-laws.

SCHEDULES.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Application for a Race under By-law No. 3.

To the Council of the County of Selwyn,
of _____, being the _____ of the lands mentioned below, do hereby apply for _____ head-race from the water-race into the said lands; and, in case this application shall be granted, _____ agree to and bind _____ to be subject to all by-laws and regulations made by the Council from time to time respecting the supply of water from the said water-race, and to pay all charges by any such by-laws or regulations made payable in respect of the said water supply. And _____ declare that the statement of matters contained below are true, and (notwithstanding section 39 of "The Counties Acts Amendment Act, 1883") _____ hereby consent and specially license and empower the Council, and any person or persons employed by it, to enter upon private land, whenever it, they, or he shall deem it necessary, for the purpose of cleansing or maintaining any distributing

channel made on the same for the supply of water to an adjoining proprietor; and _____ further agree with the Council to pay it all the expenses reasonably incurred in such cleansing or maintenance: Provided that no such work shall be undertaken by the Council or its employes until _____ shall have refused or neglected to do such cleansing or maintaining _____ for the space of one week after receipt of a notice in writing from the Council, or some person employed by it on its behalf, calling upon _____ to do so.

Witness _____ hand this _____ day of _____, 188____,
(Name in full.)
(Residence.)
(Occupation.)

Statement of Matters above referred to.

Number of rural section comprising the above land, or other description thereof:

Acreage of above land according to the Government survey: Point or points on line of water-race from which water is to be taken:

Direction in which water is to flow through land:

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Application for Water under By-law No. 10.

To the Council of the County of Selwyn.

_____ of _____, being the _____ of the land mentioned below, do hereby apply for a supply of water from the water-race into the said land, as provided for by By-law No. 10; and, in case this application shall be granted, _____ agree and bind _____ to be subject to all by-laws and regulations made by the Council from time to time respecting the supply of water from the said water-race, and to pay all charges by any such by-laws or regulations made payable in respect of the said water supply; and declare that the said several matters stated below are true.

Witness _____ hand this _____ day of _____, 188____,
(Name in full.)
(Residence.)
(Occupation.)

Statement of Matters above referred to.

Number of rural section comprising the above land, or other description thereof:

Acreage of above land according to the Government survey: Point on the boundary of above land at which the water is to enter land:

THIRD SCHEDULE.

In consideration of the sum of £1 this day paid by _____ of _____, to _____, the Treasurer of the County of Selwyn, the said _____ is hereby licensed to take water in vessels from the _____ water-race for use on his land at _____ being Rural Section _____, for the year 188____.
Dated this _____ day of _____, 188____.
County Treasurer.

FOURTH SCHEDULE.

	Per annum.
For every head-race the sum of, not exceeding ..	£25 0 0
For every supply granted under By-law No. 10, for every 100 acres of land benefited by such supply, the sum of, not exceeding ..	1 5 0
For a license to take away water in vessels from the water-race ..	1 0 0
For water supplied into tanks through a race, od per 1,000 gallons, whenever filled.	

Made by the Council of the County of Selwyn, at the chambers of the said Council, in the City of Christchurch, this 14th day of May, 1884.

DAVID McMILLAN,
Chairman of the Meeting.
(L.S.) W. JAMESON,
Clerk of the Council.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a special order which was duly made at a meeting of the Council of the County of Selwyn, held on the 14th day of May, 1884.

W. JAMESON,
Clerk of the Council.

By-law, Waipa County Council.—Pigs and Goats running at large.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 29th May, 1884.

THE following by-law, made by the Waipa County Council, is published in accordance with "The Counties Act 1876 Amendment Act, 1882."

THOMAS DICK.

BY-LAW.

A BY-LAW to prohibit the running at large of pigs and goats within the County of Waipa.

1. Any pig or goat found running at large in any part of the county may be impounded by any person in any public pound or in any enclosure specially appointed for the purpose by the Council and publicly notified. Such enclosure shall, for the purpose of this by-law only, be deemed a public pound, and the like fees and damages shall be payable in respect of any pigs or goats impounded therein as in the case of a public pound.

2. The owner of any pig or goat found running at large as aforesaid shall be deemed guilty of an offence, and shall upon conviction forfeit and pay, in addition to the fees and damages mentioned in section 1 of this by-law, a sum not exceeding £1 for every pig or goat so found running at large, to be recovered in the manner provided by the 208th section of "The Counties Act, 1876."

I hereby certify that the above by-law has been duly made by special order as by law required.

N. T. MAUNDER,
Clerk, Waipa County Council.

Ohaupo, 20th May, 1884.

Road Board Elections.

Colonial Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 29th May, 1884.

THE following notices of elections of members of Road Boards are published in accordance with "The Road Boards Act, 1882."

THOMAS DICK.

Panmure Township Road District, County of Eden :
Thomas Cleary,
John Makins.

Otahuhu Road District, County of Manukau :

Thomas Stringer.
Thomas A. Brown.

Tamumu Road District, County of Waipawa :

Kenneth Gollan.
Andrew Logan.
John McKenzie.
Edward Clark.
A. McHardy.

Patangata Road District, County of Waipawa :

Alfred Dillon.
William White.

Sandon and Carnarvon Road District, County of Manawatu :

Subdivision No. 2—
Robert William Bishop.

Richmond Road District, County of Waimea :

George Talbot.
William Rout.
Henry Lankow.
David Johnston.
William Dickson Harkness.

South Rakaia Road District, County of Ashburton :

Caleb Tucker.
Robert Mulligen.

Seaside Road District, County of Taieri :

Kuri Bush Subdivision—
James McNab.
Brighton Subdivision—
John Bruce.
Walton Subdivision—
Thomas Howorth.

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