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Change of Name of Locality, "Wade" to "Silverdale."

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS settlers in the locality known as "Wade," in the County of Waitemata, desire that the name of such locality be changed to "Silverdale": And whereas the Council of the County of Waitemata has, by resolution adopted at an ordinary meeting thereof, consented to the name of "Silverdale" being substituted for the existing name of "Wade":

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by the Designation of Districts Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the name of the locality now known as "Wade," in the County of Waitemata, shall be and the same is hereby altered to "Silverdale," and do assign the last-mentioned name to such locality accordingly; and also do hereby proclaim and declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, not being earlier than six months after the first publication thereof in the *Gazette*.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land set apart for Selection.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section seventy-seven of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Act, 1909, as amended by section twenty-two of the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Amendment Act, 1910, it is, amongst other things, enacted that in no case shall any moneys be expended under the provisions of the said section seventy-seven in connection with any block of land unless that block is set apart for selection under that section pursuant to Proclamation in that behalf:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of every power and authority enabling me in this behalf, and for the purposes of the aforesaid Acts, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land described in the Schedule hereto as set apart for selection.

SCHEDULE.
WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.
Manawatu Gorge Block (4,039 Acres).

| Area. | Section | Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Edged on Plan |
|----------|---------|-------|--------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| A. R. P. | | | | | |
| 421 0 0 | 28 | I | Mangahao | L. 4484/1 | Red. |
| 415 0 0 | 30 | " | | | |
| 404 0 0 | 35 | " | | | |
| 467 0 0 | 36 | " | | | |
| 414 0 0 | 18 | II | | | |
| 346 0 0 | 19 | " | | | |
| 417 0 0 | 21 | " | | | |
| 360 0 0 | 22 | " | | | |
| 373 0 0 | 25 | " | | | |
| 419 0 0 | 26 | " | | | |

ERRATA.—In *Gazette* No. 57, of 21st July, 1913, at page 2236, for "Kent, Johnston Joseph Stuart," read "Kent-Johnston, Joseph Stuart"; and at page 2243, for "Sutter, R.," read "Latter, R."

As the same is delineated upon the plan marked as above mentioned, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above noted.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eleventh day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Resuming Land for a Site for a Public School, Matawai Township, Hawke's Bay Land District.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and forty-four of the Land Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor in Council may by Proclamation resume possession of any land leased under Part III of the said Act, or under any corresponding Part of the Land Act, 1892, which in his opinion is required for any public purpose:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land which is held under lease in perpetuity from His Majesty the King under Part III of the Land Act, 1892, dated the twenty-fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eleven:

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required for a public purpose—that is to say, for a site for a public school:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby proclaim and declare that I hereby resume possession of the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto for the public purpose hereinbefore mentioned, the same being part of the land held under lease in perpetuity as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres, more or less, being Section 16, Block III, Matawai Township, Block X, Motu Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Kura Street for a distance of 359.9 links; towards the north-east by Sections 15 and 25 of Block III, Matawai Township, for a distance of 507.9 links; towards the south-east by Sections 25 and 17 of said Block III, for a distance of 390.8 links; and towards the south-west by Kerei Street for a distance of 79.87 and 469.05 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1913/919, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured purple.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Amending Part of a Proclamation proclaiming Land as a Road in Block VIII, Kawhia South Survey District, Kawhia County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section five of the Land Act, 1908, it is therein provided that every Proclamation, Order in Council, or other instrument, whether made under any Act in force prior to the commencement of that Act, or made under or by virtue of that Act, and all regulations, by-laws, conditions, or rules made by the Governor, the Minister, or any Land Board, may be altered, amended, or revoked from time to time:

And whereas it is necessary to amend a Proclamation issued under the said Act, proclaiming land as a road in Kawhia South Survey District, dated the sixth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fourteenth day of the same month, and hereinafter referred to as "the said Proclamation":

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby amend the said Proclamation as follows—namely, by the substitution of XII in lieu of VIII in the heading and in the third column of the Schedule to the said Proclamation.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Declaring Land taken for a Public Work, and not required for such Public Work, to be Crown Land.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it is provided by section thirty of the Public Works Act, 1908, that if it is found that any land held, taken, purchased, or acquired at any time under this or any other Act or Provincial Ordinance, or otherwise howsoever, for any public work, is not required for such public work, the Governor may, by an Order in Council publicly notified and gazetted, cause the same to be sold under the conditions therein mentioned:

And whereas it is further provided by section five of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, that in the case of any land so taken, purchased, or acquired for a Government work and not required for that purpose, the Governor may, on the recommendation of the Minister, and without complying with any other requirements of the aforesaid section thirty, by Proclamation declare such land to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908, and thereupon the land may be administered and disposed of under that Act accordingly:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto was taken for a road: And whereas such road has been closed, and it is desirable to declare the land contained therein to be Crown land: And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to declare such land to be Crown land:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the above-in-part-recited Acts, and of all other powers in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare the land described in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908, and that such land may be administered and disposed of under that Act accordingly.

SCHEDULE.

| Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land declared to be Crown Land. | Being | Situated in Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|--|---|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| A. R. P. 7 0 27 | Closed road adjoining or passing through Sections 2, 3, 4, 6, & 7, R. 1454, Ahaura (Suburban) | IV | Mawheranui | P.W.D. 33650 | Green. |
| 0 1 3 | Closed road adjoining or passing through Section 5, Ahaura (Suburban) | " | Ditto | Ditto | " |

All in the Westland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block IX, Ohura Survey District, Ohura County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the lessee of the Crown land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Ohura County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Ohura Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.
LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

| Approximate Area of the Piece of Land proclaimed as a Road. | Being Portion of Section | Situated in Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|---|--------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| A. R. P. 0 3 1.7 | 20 (Crown land), Taranaki R.D. | IX | Ohura.. | P.W.D. 33955 | Red. |

SECOND SCHEDULE.
ROAD CLOSED.

| Approximate Area of the Piece of Road closed. | Adjoining or passing through Sections | Situated in Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|---|---------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| A. R. P. 0 1 32.8 | 11, 20, and 21 (C.L.), Taranaki R.D. | IX | Ohura .. | P.W.D. 33955 | Green. |

All in the Taranaki Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this sixteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block IV, Waikaka Survey District, Southland County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owners and mortgagees of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Southland County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Waikaka Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.
LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

| Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land proclaimed as a Road. | Being Portion of Section | Situated in Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|---|--------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| A. R. P. 0 3 32.4 0 0 23.8 0 0 15.6 | 3, Southland R.D. | IV | Waikaka .. | P.W.D. 34106 | Red. |

SECOND SCHEDULE.
ROAD CLOSED.

| Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road closed. | Adjoining or passing through Section | Situated in Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| A. R. P. 1 0 10.3 0 0 15.3 0 0 17.7 | 3, Southland R.D. | IV | Waikaka .. | P.W.D. 34106 | Green. |

All in the Southland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block X, Kowai Survey District, Tawera County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owner of the land described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Tawera County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Kowai Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

| Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land proclaimed as a Road. | Being Portion of | Situated in Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|---|------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| A. R. P. 2 0 37 | R.S. 31454 .. | X | Kowai .. | P.W.D. 34104 | Red. |
| 0 3 38 | R.S. 31456 .. | " | " .. | Ditto | " |

All in the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for Tramway Purposes in the City of Wellington.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under the Public Works Act, 1908, for a certain public work, to wit, for tramway purposes in the City of Wellington:

And whereas the Wellington City Council has laid before the Governor a memorial, accompanied by a map (in duplicate), and also the statutory declaration, as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, the Tramways Act, 1908, and the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the said tramway purposes as from the date hereinafter specified, and shall vest in the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Wellington; and I do also direct that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the eleventh day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

SCHEDULE.

| Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken. | Being | Situated in the City of | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|--|---|-------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| A. R. P. 0 0 25 | Part of Lot 2 on D.P. 1611 (part of Original Section 887) | Wellington | P.W.D. 34127 | Blue. |
| 0 1 10.7 | Lots 21, 22, and 23 on D.P. 1611 (part of Original Section 890) | Ditto .. | Ditto.. | Edged red. |

All in the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Laying out and taking a Road in Block IX, Whangarei Survey District, Whangarei County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section three hundred and eighty-nine of the Native Land Act, 1909, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby lay out and take as a road the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

| Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road laid out and taken. | Being Portion of | Situated in Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| A. R. P. 5 1 2.8 | Waimahanga Block (7123, blue) | IX | Whangarei | P.W.D. 34095 | Red. |

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking a Proclamation taking Land for a Further Portion of the Kaihu Valley Railway.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, it is enacted that if at any time after the issue or making of any Proclamation taking land under the Public Works Act, 1908, and before the payment or award of any compensation in respect of the taking thereof, it is found that the land, or any part thereof, is not required for the purpose for which it was taken, or that any error in form or substance exists in or in relation to that Proclamation, or the making or gazetting thereof, the Governor may, by a subsequent Proclamation gazetted, revoke the former Proclamation, either wholly or so far as he thinks necessary:

And whereas it is found that the land in Block XIII, Tutamoe Survey District, taken for a further portion of the Kaihu Valley Railway by a Proclamation made under the Public Works Act, 1908, and dated the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (hereinafter termed "the said Proclamation"), and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 46, page 1878, of the twelfth day of the following month, is incorrectly described: And whereas compensation in respect of the taking of the said land has not been paid or awarded:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, do hereby revoke the said Proclamation.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking Part of a Proclamation taking Land for a Further Portion of the Gisborne-Rotorua Railway (Otoko Section).

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, it is enacted that if at any time after the issue or making of any Proclamation taking land under the Public Works Act, 1908, and before the payment or award of any compensation in respect of the taking thereof, it is found that the land or any part thereof is not required for the purpose for which it was taken, or that any error in form or substance exists in or in relation to that Proclamation, or the making or gazetting thereof, the Governor may, by a subsequent Proclamation gazetted, revoke the former Proclamation, either wholly or so far as he thinks necessary:

And whereas it is found that the pieces of land described in the Schedule hereto, being part of the land taken for a further portion of the Gisborne-Rotorua Railway (Otoko Section) by a Proclamation made under the Public Works Act, 1908, dated the fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and ten (hereinafter termed "the said Proclamation"), and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 67, of the seventh day of the same month, are not required for the purpose for which they were taken: And whereas compensation in respect of the taking of the said land has not been paid or awarded:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, do hereby revoke so much of the said Proclamation as affects the pieces of land described in the Schedule hereto, being part of the land taken by the said Proclamation.

SCHEDULE.

| Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land not required for Railway Purposes. | Being | Situated in Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|--|---|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| A. R. P. 5 2 0 | Lot 1 of railway land, formerly part of Section 2 | IV | Ngatapa | P.W.D. 33735 | Edged green. |
| 1 1 9 | Lot 2, ditto | " | " | Ditto.. | Ditto. |
| 0 1 12 | " 3, " | " | " | " " | " |
| 0 0 19 | " 4, " | " | " | " " | " |
| 3 0 20 | " 5, " | " | " | " " | " |
| 4 1 0 | " 6, " | " | " | " " | " |
| 1 0 0 | " 7, " | " | " | P.W.D. 34144 | " |

All in the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping a Government Road in Block VI, Waitapu Survey District.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by paragraph (c) of section one hundred and thirty-three of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is enacted that the Governor may, by Proclamation publicly notified, stop or alter the course of any Government road or any part thereof:

And whereas the Government road described in the Schedule hereto is no longer required for the purpose of a road:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the above-in-part-recited Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim as stopped the road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

| Approximate Area of the Piece of Road hereby stopped. | Adjoining or passing through Sections | Situated in Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|---|---|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| A. R. P. 0 2 11 | B 6 and B 7, Takaka Original, Nelson R.D. | VI | Waitapu | P.W.D. 34063 | Red. |

In the Nelson Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as

above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Commercial Road, Takaka County, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this fourteenth day of July, 1913.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by subsection one of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is, *inter alia*, provided that the said section shall not apply in any case where the local authority having control of any road or street by resolution declares that the provisions thereof shall not apply to any specified road or street, or any specified part thereof, and such resolution is approved by the Governor in Council:

And whereas by subsection two of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is provided that such approval may be either absolute or subject to such conditions with respect to the building-line as the Governor, by Order in Council, thinks fit to impose:

And whereas the Takaka County Council, being the local authority having control of the road described in the Schedule hereto, did by resolution declare that the provisions of the said section one hundred and seventeen should not apply to the said road:

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the above-in-part-recited Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the said resolution, in so far as it affects the said road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that road in the Takaka County, Nelson Land District known as Commercial Road, commencing at its junction with Motupipi Road on the southern boundary of Section 21, Block X, Waitapu Survey District, and running in a north-easterly direction through the said Section 21, Sections 18, 20, and 19, in the said Block X, to its junction with Factory Road; as the said road is more particularly delineated on plan marked P.W.D. 33772, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured burnt sienna.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Authorizing the Christchurch City Council to erect Electric Lines within the City of Christchurch.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1913.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, it is provided that no person shall lay, construct, put up, place, or use any electric line except

under the authority of a license issued to him by the Governor in Council under that Act:

And, whereas the Christchurch City Council (hereinafter referred to as "the licensee") desires to erect electric lines in the City of Christchurch, and it is expedient accordingly to issue a license in respect thereof under the said section:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by the said section, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth, subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto, hereby authorize the licensee to erect and maintain, for lighting, heating, and power purposes within the City of Christchurch as at present constituted, the electric lines indicated by red lines on the plan marked P.W.D. 30871, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and such further lines as may from time to time be required within the said city.

SCHEDULE.

1. In the following conditions—

"Minister" means the Minister of Public Works.

"Council" means the Christchurch City Council.

"Inspecting Engineer" means the engineer or other officer appointed by the Minister of Public Works for the purpose of inspecting the works to be constructed or maintained under this license.

"Telegraph" includes telephone.

"Pressure" means difference of electric potential between any two conductors through which supply of energy is given, or between any part of either conductor and the earth.

"Earthed" applied to any conductor means that such conductor shall be so connected to the general mass of earth as to ensure at all times an immediate and safe discharge to earth of electric energy.

"Electric line" means any wire, wires, conductor, or other means used for conveying, transmitting, or distributing electricity for power, lighting, or heating purposes, and includes any instrument, insulator, casing, tubing, pipe, covering, or post enclosing or supporting an electric line or anything connected therewith.

"Electric telegraph line" means any wire, wires, or cables belonging to the Post and Telegraph Department, or erected under authority granted by the Minister of Post and Telegraph Department.

"Consumer's wires" means any electric lines on the consumer's premises which are connected with the Council's electric lines.

"Distribution line or lines" means the portion of any line from which service wires are connected for the purpose of supplying consumers.

"Street" includes road.

SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

2. Electrical energy shall be supplied to private consumers on one of the following systems:—

(a.) Direct-current two-wire or three-wire systems, at a pressure not exceeding 460 volts across the outers or 230 volts between each outer and the neutral wire.

(b.) Three-phase four-wire system, at a frequency of 50 cycles per second, and at a pressure not exceeding 400 volts between phases or 230 volts between each phase wire and the neutral wire.

(c.) Three-phase three-wire system, at a frequency of 50 cycles per second, and at a pressure not exceeding 11,000 volts between phases.

In addition to the above system of private supply, street lighting may be supplied on either of the systems "a" and "b" above, or on a constant-current series system at a voltage not exceeding 3,300 volts.

NEUTRAL WIRES TO BE EARTHED.

3. The neutral wires of both direct and three-phase systems shall be efficiently insulated throughout their length, and each neutral system shall be earthed at the switchboard or transformer only.

REGULATION OF PRESSURE.

4. The pressure shall be maintained within 4 per cent. above or below the declared pressure at the consumers' terminals. The Council shall maintain a suitable recording voltmeter, and, on complaint by any consumer that the variations in voltage exceed these limits, or on the instructions of the Inspecting Engineer, the Council shall connect a recording

voltmeter to record the pressure between the lines at their entrance to the consumers' premises, and shall supply to the Inspecting Engineer a chart showing the variations in voltage between the lines at this point for a period of seven consecutive days. If the variations thus recorded exceed the above limits, the Council shall take immediate steps to comply with this regulation. If after thirty days a similar chart shows that the above limits of variation in voltage are not complied with, a breach of these regulations shall be deemed to have been committed. If the accuracy of the Council's recording voltmeter is questioned by the consumer, a standard instrument shall be supplied by the Inspecting Engineer, the readings of which shall be accepted as final.

SWITCHBOARD.

5. All switchboards shall be made of and mounted on material that is not inflammable, and no switchboard conductor shall carry electric current at a density exceeding one thousand amperes per square inch. No conductor at a pressure above 600 volts shall be exposed on the front of any switchboard, and the back of any switchboard carrying exposed conductors at a pressure over 600 volts shall be screened off and accessible only to authorized persons.

CIRCUIT-BREAKERS.

6. All outgoing feeders and distributors from any power-house or sub-station shall be provided with automatic circuit-breakers or fuses, set to open circuit at 50 per cent. excess current over the rated full load of such feeder or distributor, with a time-limit not exceeding ten seconds.

DISTRIBUTION.

7. The distribution may be carried out either by underground or overhead conductors, provided that if at any time it is deemed by the Minister to be detrimental to the public safety for the conductors or any particular class of conductors to be overhead they shall, on receipt of notification to that effect from the Minister, and within ten months of such notification, be laid underground, and all consequent and necessary alterations made by and at the cost of the Council.

OVERHEAD ELECTRIC LINES.

8. Overhead electric lines at a pressure of 460 volts or less shall be of stranded hard-drawn copper, aluminium, or other material of not less than .0129 square inches in section, provided that service wires of short span may be not less than .0072 square inches. The lines shall be covered throughout with triple braiding thoroughly impregnated with weather-proofing compound, provided that where circumstances permit the lines may, with the consent of the Minister, be bare.

Electric lines at a pressure exceeding 460 volts shall be insulated, and may be either laid underground or carried overhead. If carried overhead the electric lines shall be insulated with vulcanized indiarubber of 600-megohm grade, or lead-covered and suspended from bearer-wires; provided that where circumstances permit, consent of the Minister may be obtained to such electric lines being bare and carried overhead. The sheathing of lead-covered cables and all bearer-wires shall be earthed.

The stress in overhead conductors shall not exceed 25,000 lb. per square inch for copper and 12,000 lb. per square inch for aluminium in the extreme case of a temperature of 20° Fahr. and a wind-pressure of 18 lb. per square foot of diametrical plane occurring simultaneously. The span between supports and the sag shall be determined to conform with the above limiting stresses, provided that the span shall not exceed 200 ft.

No overhead electric lines shall come within 2 ft. of any other aerial wires or cables except where it may be permitted to pass either wires between other wires at a pole or support.

SUPPORTS FOR OVERHEAD ELECTRIC LINES.

9. All overhead electric lines at a pressure not exceeding 460 volts shall be carried at a minimum height of 18 ft. above the ground.

All overhead electric lines at a pressure over 460 volts shall be carried at a minimum height of 22 ft. above the ground.

Series street-lighting wires insulated with 600-megohm grade indiarubber may be carried at a minimum height of 18 ft. above the ground.

All aerial wires shall be attached to suitable insulators, carried on cross-arms of suitable material and cross-section, and they shall be so attached to the insulators or guarded that they cannot fall away from the support. Conductors, covered with insulating material, shall be so attached that their insulation shall not be impaired where they are secured to the insulator.

Every support for an aerial line shall be of durable material, and properly strengthened against forces due to wind-pressure,

change of direction of line, and unequal length of span. The factor of safety of such supports shall be at least three if of iron, steel, or reinforced concrete, and four if of wood, taking into consideration all possible stresses, including wind-pressure at 30 lb. per square foot on plane surfaces and 18 lb. per square foot of diametrical plane for cylindrical surfaces.

LOCATION OF OVERHEAD LINES.

10. Except by permission of the Minister of Telegraphs, or subject to an agreement between the Post and Telegraph Department and the Council, all overhead electric-light pole lines shall be placed on the opposite side of the street to that on which any telegraph lines exist; and where the erection of the electric-light wires necessitates the alteration of any existing telegraph wires, and such alteration is approved by the Minister of Telegraphs, the expense of the alteration shall be borne by the Council.

Where electric lines are on one side of a street and electric telegraph lines on the other, and service is required to be given from either to the other side of the street, the Council and the Minister of Telegraphs shall give to each other reasonable facilities as far as possible to effect supply.

In running the lines authorized by this license through streets where no telegraph line exists the Council shall keep to the one side of the street, and in running wires to the opposite side of the street the Council shall arrange so as to interfere as little as possible with the route on that side of any future telegraph line.

TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE WIRE CROSSINGS.

11. Where electric lines are permitted to be supported on telegraph poles, all details of the support and of the insulation of the adjacent spans shall be approved by the Minister of Telegraphs, who may require such electric lines at any time to be removed from such telegraph poles, on reasonable notice and without compensation of any description.

Where overhead electric lines at a pressure not exceeding 460 volts cross telegraph lines the electric lines shall be protected for the crossing-span with a triple covering of jute braiding and thoroughly compounded. Where overhead electric lines at high or extra high pressure cross telegraph lines, the electric lines shall be subject to special conditions to be imposed by the Minister of Telegraphs in each case of such crossing.

The cost of all necessary guard-wires and special provisions required to comply with this clause, or deemed to be necessary as a protection to telegraph wires generally, shall be borne by the Council, whether the telegraph lines are erected before or after the electric lines. In the latter case the Council, on receipt of notice from the local officer of the Telegraph Department that it is proposed to run a telegraph line along the route, shall forthwith make the necessary changes required to comply with this clause at any points at which electric lines already cross such routes.

RAILWAY CROSSINGS.

12. No work of any nature shall be erected or constructed upon, over, or under any part of the New Zealand Government railways until the Board has obtained the consent of the Minister of Railways thereto, as required by section 4 of the Government Railways Amendment Act, 1910 (No. 2).

SERVICE CONNECTIONS TO OVERHEAD LINES.

13. Service lines from aerial lines shall be taken from insulators, and shall not be tapped off between insulators. They shall be led as directly as possible to insulators firmly attached to some portion of the consumer's premises, which is not accessible to any person without the use of a ladder or other special appliance. Every portion of any service line which is outside a building and accessible therefrom shall be rubber-insulated.

MAINTENANCE.

14. Every aerial line, including its supports, its conductors, and their insulating covering, and all structural parts and electric appliances and devices belonging to or connected with the line, shall be duly and efficiently maintained by the Council as regards both electrical and mechanical conditions.

TRANSFORMERS.

15. Transformers shall be placed either on poles or in substations. The cases of all transformers shall be earthed by means of a copper conductor at least .022 square inch in section. Within substations all high-tension conductors shall be thoroughly insulated or protected from accidental contact, the walls shall be lined with plaster, sheet asbestos, or other insulating material, a substantial insulating rubber mat and rubber gloves shall be supplied, and the sub-station shall be entirely inaccessible to unauthorized persons.

LIGHTNING-ARRESTERS.

16. Where any portion of an electric line or any support for an electric line is exposed to such a position as to be liable to injury from lightning, it shall be efficiently protected against such liability.

UNDERGROUND CONDUCTORS.

17. Underground conductors shall be thoroughly insulated, and shall be protected from mechanical damage by a wooden boxing or earthenware or stoneware conduit. They shall be laid, wherever possible, under the footpaths, and with a cover of at least 12 in. from the surface of the pavement. Where laid under the roadway this cover shall be increased to 2 ft.

All conduits, pipes, casings, and street boxes used as receptacles for electric lines shall be constructed of durable material, and shall be of ample strength to prevent damage from heavy traffic, and reasonable means shall be taken to prevent the accumulation of gas in such receptacles.

Where any underground line crosses or is in proximity to any metallic substance, special precaution shall be taken against the possibility of any electrical charging of the metallic substance from the line, or from any metallic conduit pipe or casing enclosing the line.

EARTHING CONDUITS.

18. All underground metal conduits, pipes, or casings containing an electric line shall be efficiently earthed, and shall be so jointed and connected across all street boxes and other openings as to make good electrical contact throughout their whole length.

STREET BOXES.

19. The covers of street boxes shall be so secured that they cannot be opened except by means of a special appliance. Street boxes shall be either filled solid with cable compound or, if not so filled, shall be inspected from time to time for the presence of gas, and suitable action shall be taken to check its influx and accumulation.

INSULATION OF ELECTRIC MAINS.

20. Every main, either overhead or underground, shall be tested for insulation after having been placed in position and before it is used for the purposes of supply, the testing pressure being at least 500 volts; and the Council shall duly record the results of the tests of each main or section of a main, and forthwith forward a report thereof to the Resident Engineer of the Public Works Department at Christchurch.

The insulation of every complete circuit used for the supply of energy, including all machinery, apparatus, and devices forming part of or in connection with such circuit, shall be so maintained that the leakage current shall not under any conditions exceed one-thousandth part of the maximum supply current. Every leakage shall be remedied by the Council without delay. Every such circuit shall be tested for insulation at least once in every week, and the Council shall duly record the results of the tests, and forward a report thereof at the end of each month to the Resident Engineer of the Public Works Department at Christchurch.

CONTINUITY OF SUPPLY.

21. From and after the time when the Council commences to supply energy in pursuance of this license, it shall maintain continuously sufficient power for the use of all the consumers for the time being entitled to be supplied, provided that, for any purposes connected with the efficient working of the undertaking, the Minister may give permission to the Council to discontinue the supply at such intervals of time and for such periods as he may think expedient. When the supply is so discontinued, public notice shall be given, when practicable of such discontinuance, and of the probable duration thereof.

SUPPLY TO CONSUMERS.

22. The owner or occupier of any premises within the area of supply included in the license shall be entitled to a supply of electrical energy on the following conditions:—

(a.) If such premises are situated within 60 ft. of the boundary of any street in which an electric line belonging to the Council exists the service shall be made free of cost.

(b.) If such premises are more than 60 ft. distant from such street boundary, the Council shall run the necessary service mains for a distance of 60 ft. free of charge, and the consumer shall pay the cost of the service wires for the balance of the distance, such payment not exceeding 1s. per foot of distance.

(c.) If the plant or mains of the Council are insufficient to supply the applicant with electrical energy the service may, with the consent of the Minister, be postponed for a period not exceeding twelve months. Otherwise service shall be made within twenty-eight days of application.

(d.) Every consumer within any part of the area included in the license shall be entitled to a supply of electrical energy on the same terms on which any other consumer in such part of the area is entitled under similar circumstances to a corresponding supply.

(e.) If the nature of the proposed consumption of energy by any applicant is such as is likely to seriously interfere with the maintenance of a constant pressure on the lines in accordance with clause 4, the Council may, with the approval of the Minister, require the consumer to install such apparatus as shall enable the conditions of clause 4 to be complied with.

(f.) The Council may require services to be wired or installed by competent tradesmen, but no preference shall be given to services wired or installed by any individual contractor or firm of contractors.

(g.) The charge for electrical energy if paid within fourteen days of the rendering of a correct account shall not exceed an average rate of 6d. per unit for lighting purposes, and an average rate of 3d. per unit for motor-power, heating, or cooking purposes, provided that "lighting purposes" shall include the operation of motor-generators for lighting purposes.

(h.) No meter rent shall be charged, but a minimum charge may be made monthly, independent of the consumption, not exceeding 2s. 6d. per K.W. or part of a K.W. of maximum capacity of each service. Where more than one meter is required to be installed in one building each meter shall, for the purpose of this clause, be considered an independent service.

(i.) If payment by the consumer is delayed more than thirty days after the date of rendering a correct account, the supply of electricity to such premises may be cut off without notice, and need not be restored until all arrears are paid.

SERVICE CONNECTIONS.

23. The Council shall be responsible for all electric lines or wires, fittings, and apparatus belonging to it or under its control which may be upon a consumer's premises being maintained in a safe condition, and in all respects fit for supplying energy.

In delivering the energy to a consumer's terminals the Council shall exercise all due precautions, so as to avoid risk of causing fire on the premises.

A suitable safety-fuse or other automatic circuit-breaker shall be inserted in each service line within a consumer's premises as close as possible to the point of entry, and contained within a suitable locked or sealed receptacle of fire-proof construction.

All electric wires and apparatus on a consumer's premises, except such parts as require to be earthed, shall be highly insulated, and suitable for the voltage at which the supply is given. They shall be thoroughly protected against injury to the insulation or access of moisture. All electric wires shall be so fixed and protected as to prevent the possibility of electrical discharge to any adjacent metallic substance.

INSULATION ON CONSUMER'S INSTALLATION.

24. The Council shall not connect the wires and fittings on a consumer's premises with its mains, or, in the case of premises already connected, continue the supply from its mains, unless it is reasonably satisfied that the requirements of this license are complied with, that the wiring and fittings are suitable for the voltage at which supply is being given, that the installation generally is in accordance with the requirements of good practice, and that the connection or continuance of supply would not cause a leakage from those wires and fittings exceeding one ten-thousandth part of the maximum supply current to the premises.

For the purpose of satisfying itself that the requirements of this license are being observed, in so far as they apply to wires on a consumer's premises, the Council may require that notice be served upon it of the intention to instal wires, fittings, lamps, motors, or other apparatus on any premises, and may inspect the same during any reasonable hours while the installation of such is in progress.

TESTING CONSUMER'S INSTALLATION.

25. If the Council is reasonably satisfied, after making all proper examination by testing or otherwise, that the wiring and fittings are not suitable for the voltage being employed, or that a leakage exists at some part of a circuit of such extent as to be a source of danger, and that such leakage does not exist at any part of the circuit belonging to the Council, or that any other requirements of this license are not being complied with, then and in such case any officer of the Council duly authorized by it in writing may, for the purpose of discovering whether the leakage exists at any part of a circuit within or upon any consumer's premises, or whether the

wiring is suitable and the general requirements of the license are complied with, by notice require the consumer, at some reasonable time after the service of the notice, to permit him to inspect and to test the wires and fittings belonging to the consumer and forming part of the circuit.

If on such testing and inspection the officer discovers a leakage from the consumer's wires exceeding one ten-thousandth part of the maximum supply current to the premises, or that the requirements of this license are not properly conformed to, or if the consumer does not give all due facilities for inspection and testing, the Council shall either not commence the supply or shall forthwith discontinue the supply of energy to the premises in question, giving immediate notice to the consumer of its reasons for not commencing or for discontinuing the supply; and in either case supply shall not be given until the Council is reasonably satisfied that the installation is in conformity with the requirements of this license.

If any consumer is dissatisfied with the action of the Council in refusing to give, or in discontinuing, or in not commencing the supply of energy to his premises, the wires and fittings of that consumer may, on his application to the Minister and on payment of the cost, be inspected and tested by the Inspecting Engineer.

PLANS.

26. The Council shall, before the erection or construction of any part of the work hereby authorized is begun, submit for the approval of the Minister such plans and other information showing and describing such work as he may require. In the event of the Council at any time desiring to make alterations to the work involving a departure from the type of construction shown on the approved plans, it shall submit for the Minister's approval plans showing such type of construction as it is proposed to adopt, and with such approval the alterations may be carried out.

NOTICE REGARDING EXTENSIONS, ETC.

27. Before commencing the erection of any part of the lines hereby authorized, or the extension of any line already erected, the Council shall give at least seven days' notice in writing to the Resident Engineer of the Public Works Department in Christchurch, and also to the District Engineer of the Post and Telegraph Department in Christchurch, of its intention to carry out the work, and shall forward to the Minister of Public Works a locality plan showing the route of any extension.

NOTICE OF COMPLETION.

28. The Council shall, prior to the completion of the said works, or any separate portion thereof, give to the Minister at least one month's notice in writing of the estimated date of such completion.

COMMENCEMENT OF SUPPLY.

29. The Council shall not use any portion of the electric lines authorized by this license, or permit the same to be used, for any purpose until the Minister has given notice in writing to the Council that he has received from the Inspecting Engineer a certificate that the said works in respect of that portion have been satisfactorily carried out.

INSPECTION OF WORKS.

30. The Minister may at any time order an inspection to be made of the works, lines, and wires of the Council used for electric lighting, heating, and power purposes. If any defect is found to exist it must be remedied forthwith; and if, in the opinion of the officer or person inspecting, such defect is serious the Minister may, on receipt of the report, direct the Council to at once cease transmitting energy either over the whole of the Council's line and wires or over any specified part thereof until such defect is repaired or remedied. The cost of such inspection shall be borne by the Council.

COMPLIANCE WITH CONDITIONS.

31. For the purpose of ascertaining whether the conditions of this license are being faithfully complied with by the Council, the Minister, or any person appointed by him in that behalf, may at all reasonable times enter on the lands and works and inspect the same.

ASSIGNMENT.

32. This license, and the benefits and obligations hereunder, shall not be assigned by the Council without the express consent in writing of the Minister first had and obtained; but such consent shall not be withheld if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Minister that the transferee is financially and otherwise able to carry out the obligations specified in this license.

DEFAULT AND PENALTY.

33. If the Council fails to comply with any of the conditions of this license the Minister may, by notice in writing, require the Council within thirty days to remedy the default specified in that notice; but it shall not be held to have committed default for any failure to maintain power continuously if such failure is due to the breakdown of machinery or other accident, unless such breakdown or accident is proved to be due to negligence on the part of the Council; and if the Council fails to comply with the terms of the notice within the said period it shall be liable to a penalty of £20, to be recoverable by or on behalf of the Minister as a debt due to the Crown. The recovery of a penalty under this license shall not affect the liability (if any) of the Council to pay or make compensation in respect of any damage or injury which may be caused by reason of the default.

REVOCATION OF LICENSE.

34. Notwithstanding anything in the last preceding clause of these conditions, if the Council fails to comply with the terms of any such notice for ninety days after the receipt thereof, the Governor in Council may thereupon revoke this license without further notice.

PUBLIC WORKS, COMPENSATION, ETC.

35. Nothing in this license shall be deemed in any way to interfere with, affect, or abridge any rights or powers vested in His Majesty the King, or in the Governor on his behalf, authorizing the construction, management, or working of any public works; nor shall any compensation be payable to or on behalf of the Council for injury done to the works herein authorized by the construction, management, or working of any such public work as aforesaid, or for the loss occasioned thereby, or for the exercise of any such right or power as aforesaid.

COMMENCEMENT OF LICENSE.

36. This license shall come into force on and after the date of publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Bringing certain Provisions of the Mining Act into Force within certain Parts of New Zealand.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1913.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two of the Mining Amendment Act, 1911, it is provided that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time declare that any of the provisions of the Mining Act, 1908, shall apply to prospecting and mining for and the storage of petroleum and other mineral oils and of natural gas, and also define the district within which any such Order in Council shall take effect: And whereas by section seventy-five of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1912, it is further provided that any public reserve, endowment, or Native reserve within the meaning of the Mining Act, 1908, whether or not the same is situated within a mining district, may be included in any district as so defined:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the Mining Amendment Act, 1911, and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the provisions of the Mining Act, 1908, set out in the First Schedule hereto, and including all amendments thereof, shall apply to prospecting and mining for and the storage of petroleum and other mineral oils and of natural gas within the district described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

PROVISIONS OF MINING ACT APPLIED.

The Mining Act, 1908.—Part II: Section 11, subsection (a); sections 76 to 85, both inclusive; and section 165. Part V: Sections 261 to 276, both inclusive.

Regulations under Mining Act, 1908.—Nos. 1, 33, 91, 102, 147 to 150 (both inclusive).

SECOND SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District contained in Blocks 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16, Purua Survey District, Blocks 2, 5, and 6, Tangihua Survey District, and Block 4, Maungaru Survey District, inclusive of the Kioreroa Block, an endowment of the Whangarei High School situated within that area.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to Land being taken for the Purposes of a Post-office in Block XIII, Town of Buckley.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the Public Works Act, 1908, it is, in section fifteen thereof, *inter alia*, enacted that, except for the purpose of a railway or defence purposes, or for the purposes of any other work to be made under the authority of a special Act, nothing in this Act contained shall authorize the taking of any land occupied by any building, yard, garden, or vineyard, or in *bona fide* occupation as an ornamental park or pleasure-ground, without the previous consent of the Governor in Council:

And whereas part of the land described in the Schedule hereto is occupied by a building, and the Minister of Public Works has recommended the Governor to issue an Order in Council under the said Act consenting to the taking of the said land for the purposes of a post-office in Block XIII, Town of Buckley:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the above-mentioned Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the land described in the Schedule hereto being taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

| Approximate Area of the Piece of Land being taken. | Being | Situated in Block | Situated in the | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|--|---------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|
| A. B. P. 0 1 0 | Section 11 .. | XIII | Town of Buckley | P.W.D. 34112 | Red. |

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and thirty of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is provided that no instrument of alienation of Native land by way of mortgage or charge, other than a mortgage or charge in favour of a State Loan Department, shall be confirmed by a Board or the Court without the precedent consent of the Governor in Council:

And whereas application has been made for the consent of the Governor in Council to a mortgage of the block or parcel of land mentioned in the Schedule hereto: And whereas it is expedient that the precedent consent of the Governor in Council should issue:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the confirmation of an alienation by way of mortgage of the block or parcel of land set out in the Schedule hereto. And it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

SCHEDULE.

| Block. | Approximate Area. | Provincial District. |
|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Okaihau No. 3A .. | A. B. P. 778 0 28 | Hawke's Bay. |

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to the Granting of a License to remove Timber under Section 280 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and eighty of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted, *inter alia*, that a Maori Land Board may grant licenses for the removal of timber, flax, kauri-gum, or minerals from any land vested in that Board and subject to Part XIV of the said Act, provided that no such license shall be granted without the consent of the Governor in Council:

And whereas application has been made to the Tokerau District Maori Land Board for the issue of a license to remove timber in and over the Kaurinui 3B Nos. 1 and 2 Blocks, which land is vested in the said Board and subject to the aforesaid Part XIV: And whereas it is expedient that a license to remove timber be granted:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby consent to the issue and the granting of a license to remove timber, by the Tokerau District Maori Land Board, in and over the aforesaid blocks or parcels of land. And it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to stopping a Road in Block XVI, Newcastle Survey District, Newcastle Road District, Waipa County.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and thirty-three (a) of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is enacted that a local authority shall not declare any county road or district road to be stopped until the consent thereto of the Governor by Order in Council gazetted is obtained:

And whereas the Newcastle Road Board has applied for such consent in respect of the road described in the Schedule hereto:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the above-mentioned Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the Newcastle Road Board stopping the road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

| Approximate Area of the Piece of Road permitted to be stopped. | Adjoining | Situated in Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|--|--|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| A. R. P. 1 3 30 | Sections 100, 100A, 100B, Parish of Pukete (17112, blue) | XVI | Newcastle | P.W.D. 34026 | Green. |

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Portion of the Glenhope-Westport-Reefton Road, in the Buller County, to be a Government Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a Government road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Nelson Land District, Buller County, known as the Glenhope-Westport-Reefton Road, commencing at the Westport Borough boundary, and proceeding thence in a south-easterly direction generally to the Inangahua Junction, and then in a north-easterly direction generally to a bridge on the Eight-mile Creek, being a distance of 47 miles 60 chains, more or less; as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 33906, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Portion of the Glenhope-Westport-Reefton Road, in the Waimea and Murchison Counties, to be a Government Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a Government road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Nelson Land District, Waimea and Murchison Counties, known as the Glenhope-Westport-Reefton Road, commencing at Glenhope Railway-station, and proceeding thence in a south-westerly direction generally along the western bank of the Hope River to its confluence with the Buller River; thence in a westerly direction generally along the northern side of the Buller River to the junction with the Owen River; thence continuing in a south-westerly direction generally along the western bank of the Buller River to the junction with the Mangles River, crossing the river at this point over the Longford Bridge, and thence along the southern bank of the Buller and Public Utility Reserve 117 to the north-west corner of Section 9, Block II, Tutaki Survey District; thence through Murchison Township via Chalgrave Street in a southerly direction to the south-east corner of Section 11, Square 170; thence westerly along Waller Street to the north-west corner of Section 37; thence southerly along Fairfax Street to the south-west corner of Section 50; thence westerly along Hotham Street and across Matakītaki River Bridge; thence north-westerly generally along the west bank of the Buller River to Sections 86 and 87, Block I, Tutaki Survey District; thence by the unlegalized portion of the road through the Four River Plain, through Sections 78, 77, and 76, Block I, Tutaki Survey District, Sections 68, 67, 60, 59, and along the frontages of Sections 63, 58, 57, and 62, Block XIII, Matiri Survey District, to the mouth of the Doughboy Creek; thence in a westerly direction generally along the south bank of the Buller River to O'Sullivan's Bridge, crossing the bridge; thence in a westerly direction generally on the north side of the Buller River, and terminating at its junction with the Eight-mile or Boundary Creek, being a distance of 48 miles, more or less: as the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 33871, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Radio-telegrams with Chatham Islands.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the seventeenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-fifth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, regulations were made under the authority of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), fixing charges for the transmission of radio-telegrams: And whereas it is desirable to add to the said regulations in the manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the additional regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto, and doth declare that such regulations shall be read as part of the hereinbefore-mentioned regulations, and shall have effect from the date of the publication of this Order in Council in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

CHARGES.

Ordinary Charge.—The charge for the transmission of a radio-telegram between the mainland of New Zealand and Chatham Islands, either way (including New Zealand inland charges), shall be 6d. per word.

Transit Charge.—Whenever Chatham Islands is used as a transmitting station, 4d. per word.

Press Messages.—The charge for Press radio-telegrams between the mainland of New Zealand and Chatham Islands, either way, shall be 5s. per 100 words or fraction thereof.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations under the Plumbers Registration Act, 1912.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section sixteen of the Plumbers Registration Act, 1912 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the regulations hereinafter set forth; and doth hereby declare that such regulations shall come into force on the twenty-fifth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

REGULATIONS.

EXAMINATION AND REGISTRATION.

1. (a.) THE Board shall from time to time, at intervals of not less than twelve months, hold, at such convenient places as the Board may decide, an examination of candidates for registration as plumbers under paragraph (a) of section 7 of the said Act.

(b.) The Board shall, by advertisement in such of the principal newspapers published in New Zealand as it thinks fit, give notice, not less than forty-two days beforehand, of the date and the places at which such examination will be held.

2. Every candidate must give notice in the form provided by the Board, and such notice must be sent so as to reach the Chairman of the Board at least twenty-eight days before the date of the examination at which the candidate wishes to present himself.

3. Such notice must be accompanied by evidence of the number of years of apprenticeship served by the candidate, or that he has been engaged in the plumbing trade for not less than seven years, and by the fee stated in Regulation 6 hereof.

4. The subjects in which a candidate shall be examined are those set out in the syllabus in the First Schedule hereto.

5. The examination shall consist of two parts—(a) by written answers to questions, for the answering of which not less than three hours shall be allowed; (b) a practical test of workmanship. The material for the practical test shall be supplied by the Board, but each candidate must provide his own tools. The examination may be passed in two parts or as a whole, but no candidate shall be allowed to present himself for the written examination until he has served at least five years of his apprenticeship, nor for the practical test until he has served an apprenticeship of six years, or has been engaged in the plumbing trade for not less than seven years. In no case may the practical test be taken prior to the written examination.

6. (a.) The fee for examination or re-examination, including registration, shall be 17s. 6d. if taken as a whole, or 7s. 6d. for the written and 12s. 6d. for the practical if taken in two parts.

(b.) The fee for registration under section 8 of the said Act shall be 5s., except where the candidate has passed an examination prescribed by the Board. The certificate of registration to be provided on payment of the fee shall be in pocket form, and worded as set out in the Second Schedule hereto.

(c.) The fee for the annual publication of the name of any registered person in the *Gazette* shall be 2s. 6d., and such fee shall entitle that registered person to a renewal of the pocket certificate referred to in Regulation 6 (b) hereof; provided that the previous certificate has been returned to the Board, or that it is proved to the satisfaction of the Board that same has been lost or destroyed.

(d.) The fee for a certificate under the hand of the Chief Health Officer of the entry of the name of any person in the Register, pursuant to section 12 of the said Act, shall be 5s.

7. The form of certificate of having passed an examination under the said Act shall be that set out in the Third Schedule hereto.

8. Every person passing an examination under these regulations shall be entitled to a certificate under Regulation 7 hereof without payment of any fee.

9. The districts or localities within which, after six months from the date of the coming into force of these regulations, all sanitary plumbing shall be done by a person registered under the said Act, are as set out in the Fourth Schedule hereto.

APPEAL.

10. In the event of the Board refusing to cause the name of any person to be entered in the Register, or of the Board removing any person's name from the Register, the Board shall forthwith inform such person clearly of the reason for such refusal or removal.

11. Any person wishing to appeal under section 14 of the said Act shall give notice of appeal in the form set out in the Fifth Schedule hereto.

12. Within twenty-one days of receipt of such notice of appeal the Board shall inform the appellant of the name of the Magistrate before whom the appeal will be heard, and of the assessor appointed by the Board, and shall at the same time forward a copy of the Board's decision and the notice of appeal therefrom to such Magistrate.

13. The Magistrate and assessors shall hear and determine such appeal at such convenient place and time as may be decided by the Magistrate, to be not more than forty-two days from the receipt by the Board of the notice of appeal. At least five days' previous notice of such place and time shall be given to the assessors, the Board, and the appellant.

14. The appellant may himself appear or may be represented by some person on his behalf, and the Board as respondent may be represented by any member thereof appointed by the Board, or some other person appointed by the Board, but no solicitors or counsel shall appear or be heard.

15. The order made by the Magistrate and assessors in respect of the appeal shall be in writing, signed by the Magistrate, and a copy thereof shall be given to the appellant and to the Board; and the Board shall at once give effect to such order.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

SYLLABUS OF THE EXAMINATION.

(A.) Written Examination.

1. Workshop arithmetic, geometry and drawing as applied to plumbing-work.

2. The properties and uses of metals and other materials, tools, and appliances relating to general plumbing-work, hot- and cold-water supplies and sanitary plumbing.

3. General plumbing practice.

4. A knowledge of the design and construction of sanitary appliances and of the principles relating to the flushing, ventilation, and disconnection of sanitary fittings, wastes, drains, &c.

5. The testing of soil, vent, and waste pipes, and of drains and sanitary fittings.

6. An elementary knowledge of the scientific principles applicable to plumbing-work.

7. An elementary knowledge of the properties and of the principles affecting the storage, conveyance, and distribution of water.

(B.) Practical Test in Workmanship.

This part will be of an advanced character, and will be such as to show that the candidate can execute in a satisfactory manner within a reasonable time any piece of plumbing-work without the use of lamp or gas jet or blowpipe.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

(N.Z.)

The Plumbers Registration Act, 1912.

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION.

THIS is to certify that _____ is a registered plumber, his name having been duly entered in the Register of Plumbers of New Zealand on _____ Registered No. _____

Dated this _____ day of _____, 19 _____

Chief Health Officer.

[On back: "New Zealand Registered Plumber's Certificate." To be in pocket form. Cover: Blue, red, green for successive years, with 1912 inside, white paper, and date in colour of cover.]

THIRD SCHEDULE.

(N.Z.)

The Plumbers Registration Act, 1912.

EXAMINATION CERTIFICATE.

THIS is to certify that _____, at an examination held by the Plumbers Board of New Zealand on the _____ day of _____, 19 _____, satisfied the Examiners as to his knowledge of the theory and practice of plumbing, and that he is fully competent to perform the duties of a sanitary plumber.

In testimony whereof this certificate has been awarded to him, whereby he is entitled to registration as a plumber under the Plumbers Registration Act, 1912.

.....
Chairman of the Plumbers Board of
New Zealand.

.....
Member of the Plumbers Board of
New Zealand.

[On the back: Copy of syllabus of examination, and names of the members of the Plumbers Board of New Zealand.]

FOURTH SCHEDULE.
(N.Z.)

The Plumbers Registration Act, 1912.

DISTRICTS or localities within which, after six months from the date of the coming into force of these regulations, all sanitary plumbing shall be done by a person registered under the above Act:—

All districts where the local authorities have previously to 1st April, 1913, issued plumbers' licenses, and the following:—

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|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| Birkenhead Borough. | Rangiora Borough. |
| Northcote Borough. | Ashburton Borough. |
| Tauranga Borough. | Temuka Borough. |
| Te Kuiti Borough. | Oamaru Borough. |
| Taumarunui Borough. | Hokitika Borough. |
| Miramar Borough. | Queenstown Borough. |
| Onslow Borough. | Helensville Town District. |
| Karori Borough. | Frankton Town District. |
| Eastbourne Borough. | Te Awamutu Town District. |
| Kaiaipo Borough. | Johnsonville Town District. |

FIFTH SCHEDULE.
NOTICE OF APPEAL.

To the Chairman of the Plumbers Board of New Zealand, Wellington.

TAKE notice that I, [Full name], of [Full postal address], do hereby appeal, under section 14 of the Plumbers Registration Act, 1912, against the decision of the Plumbers Board of New Zealand conveyed to me by letter dated the day of _____, 19____; [Here write either refusing to cause my name to be entered on the register or removing my name from the register].

The following are the grounds upon which I make my appeal:—

And I do hereby appoint [Name in full], of [Full postal address], as one of the assessors for the purposes of this appeal.

Dated at _____ this _____ day of _____, 19____.
[Signature of Appellant.]

I hereby consent to act as an assessor for the purposes of this appeal.

.....
[Signature of Assessor for Appellant.]
J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations for Trout-fishing, South Canterbury Acclimatization District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1913.

Present :
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the Fisheries Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations for the South Canterbury Acclimatization District, which district includes the Counties of Geraldine and Levels, and that portion of the County of Mackenzie lying to the east of a line commencing at Mount Cook, and proceeding by a right line over the Ball Hut to the Tasman Glacier, and thence along the western boundary of the Tasman Glacier to the Tasman River; thence by a

line along the middle of that river and the middle of Lake Pukaki and the middle of Pukaki River to the Waitaki River; together with the boroughs and town districts within the same, and hereinafter called "the said district."

REGULATIONS.

1. LICENSES are issued subject to the General Regulations made by the Governor in Council, and for the time being in force, affecting trout-fishing, and to the following regulations:—

2. No person shall fish with more than one rod and line, and with the following baits only: Natural or artificial fly, natural or artificial minnow, and any small indigenous fish, grasshopper, beetle, spider, caterpillar, creeper, or worm.

3. Not more than one bait shall be used in minnow fishing, and no minnow shall be used with more than four sets of triple hooks.

4. No flies shall be used in conjunction with a minnow.
5. No bare hooks shall be used.

6. Not more than three flies shall be used for fly-fishing on any one cast in the daytime, and not more than two at night, and no double-hooked flies shall be used, or lead used with flies.

7. No person shall use any other bait, or any method, device, or contrivance whatever, for the purpose of fishing, taking, catching, or killing trout except a rod and line, and a landing net or gaff for fish taken with rod and line.

8. No cross-line fishing, stroke-hauling, or any other un-sportsmanlike device shall be used for the purpose of taking, catching, or killing trout, nor shall any of the baits above mentioned be used with any medicated or chemical preparation whatever.

9. No person shall take or attempt to take trout without a license, and every person taking or attempting to take trout shall, on demand of any Ranger, constable, or person producing a license, produce and show to such Ranger, constable, or license-holder his license, and the contents of his creel or bag, and the bait used by him for taking, catching, or killing trout.

10. Every trout not exceeding 9 in. in length from nose to tip of tail taken or caught by any person shall be immediately returned alive into the water from which the same is taken.

11. Any person committing a breach of any of the above regulations is liable to a fine not exceeding £50.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Withdrawing Land from the Operation of the Kauri-gum Industry Acts.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1913.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section thirty-three of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may by Order in Council declare that land set apart under the said Act as a kauri-gum reserve, and which is no longer required for the purpose of gum-digging, shall be no longer subject to the said Act, and thereupon the land shall cease to be a kauri-gum reserve, and shall be dealt with by the Land Board as ordinary Crown land; provided that such Order in Council shall only be issued in pursuance of a resolution of the Land Board, supported by such independent evidence as the Governor in Council deems necessary:

And whereas the Land Board of the Auckland Land District passed a resolution recommending that the portion of Marsden Kauri-gum Reserve described in the Schedule hereto be declared to be no longer subject to the said Act, and such resolution was duly gazetted and publicly notified in accordance with section nine of the Kauri-gum Industry Amendment Act, 1910: And whereas no objection has been received to the said proposal, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section thirty-three of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908, and section nine of the Kauri-gum Industry Amendment Act, 1910, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the portion of

Marsden Kauri-gum Reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall be no longer subject to the provisions of the Acts aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing 25 acres, more or less, being part of Marsden Kauri-gum Reserve set apart by Order in Council, dated the 25th day of September, 1899, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 79, of 28th September, 1899. Bounded towards the north-east by northern portion of Allotment 7, Ruakaka Parish; towards the south-east by Allotment 70 of the aforesaid parish; towards the south-west by a public road; and towards the north-west by south-west portion of Allotment 7 and Allotment 5 of the aforesaid parish: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1913/567, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Withdrawing Land from the Operation of the Kauri-gum Industry Acts.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this twenty-second day of September, 1913.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section thirty-three of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may by Order in Council declare that land set apart under the said Act as a kauri-gum reserve, and which is no longer required for the purpose of gum-digging, shall be no longer subject to the said Act, and thereupon the land shall cease to be a kauri-gum reserve, and shall be dealt with by the Land Board as ordinary Crown land; provided that such Order in Council shall only be issued in pursuance of a resolution of the Land Board, supported by such independent evidence as the Governor in Council deems necessary:

And whereas the Land Board of the Auckland Land District passed a resolution recommending that the portion of Kapiro Kauri-gum Reserve described in the Schedule hereto be declared to be no longer subject to the said Act, and such resolution was duly gazetted and publicly notified in accordance with section nine of the Kauri-gum Industry Amendment Act, 1910: And whereas no objection has been received to the said proposal, and it is deemed expedient to give effect to such recommendation:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section thirty-three of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908, and section nine of the Kauri-gum Industry Amendment Act, 1910, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the portion of Kapiro Kauri-gum Reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall be no longer subject to the provisions of the Acts aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, situated in Block XII, Kaeo, and Block VI, Kerikeri Survey Districts, Bay of Islands County, containing 352 acres, more or less, being portion of Kapiro Kauri-gum Reserve, set apart by Order in Council dated 6th May, 1901, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 46, of the 9th May, 1901, page 1020. Bounded towards the north-east and south-east generally by the Waipapa Stream; towards the south generally by a public road; and towards the west by a public road forming the eastern boundary of Section 13, Block XII, Kaeo Survey District; towards the north and again towards the west by Section 7 of last-mentioned block; and again towards the north and west by Section 1 of said Block XII: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1912/1292, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring a Road-line through Land in the Clareview Settlement to be closed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS a report has been received from the Surveyor-General from which it appears that the road described in the Schedule hereto is unformed and unused, and that the said road intersects land acquired under the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and is not suitable for the subdivision of such land:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of section eighty of the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do by this notice hereby close the road hereinafter described, and I do hereby declare that the said road shall thereupon become subject to the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

CLAREVIEW SETTLEMENT.

| Approximate Area of the Piece of Road closed. | Between Original Sections | Situated in Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|---|--|-------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| A. R. P. 3 3 0 | 10, 39, 40, part 41, and 11, 38, 37, 36, part 35 | III | Otepopo | L. & S. 19449/17 | Green. |

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventeenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Land temporarily reserved as a Site for a Public Hospital in Block IV, Orahiri Survey District, Auckland Land District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by the three-hundred-and-twenty-first section of the Land Act, 1908, it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, either by general or particular description, and whether the same has been surveyed or not, reserve from sale temporarily, notwithstanding that the same may be then held under pastoral license, any Crown lands which in his opinion are required for any of the purposes in the said section mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the land in the Auckland Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written, as a site for a public hospital.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres 1 rood 6 perches, more or less, being Section 7A, Block IV, Orahiri Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Section 7, Block IV, Orahiri Survey District, 821.4 links; towards the south-west by Otorohanga B 2 Section 1 Block, 1086.3 links; and towards the north-west by the Otorohanga-Kihikihiki Road, 127.7, 202.3, 367.5, and 288.9 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1913/571, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan 12186, blue.)

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twentieth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Exempting Land from the Operation of Part II of the Coal-mines Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

PURSUANT to the provisions of Part II of the Coal-mines Act, 1908, and in exercise of the powers thereby conferred, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby exempted from the operation of Part II of the said Act, and I do hereby direct that the said land shall be disposed of under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District known as Sections 73 and 74, Block XV, Mokihinui Survey District.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this seventeenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Mines.

Appointment of Vice-Consul of Spain at Wellington recognized.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 17th September, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that he has been instructed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies to recognize the appointment of

WILLIAM HENRY DILLON BELL, Esq., M.P.,

as Vice-Consul of Spain at Wellington, with jurisdiction throughout the Dominion of New Zealand.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 24th September, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept the resignation by

ARTHUR WILLIAM YARRALL, Esq.,

of Wellington, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for New Zealand.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Clerk of Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 24th September, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable DAVIS LEWIS CALWELL

to be Clerk of the Magistrates' Court at Houhora, on and from the 2nd day of September, 1913, *vice* J. Beazley, resigned.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Appointment of Secretary to the Stores Tender Board.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 19th September, 1913.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointment in the Public Service:—

JOHN BATHURST JORDAN

to be Secretary to the Stores Tender Board, as from the 15th day of July, 1913.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

Registrars of Births, &c., appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 23rd September, 1913.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointments in the Public Service.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

| Name. | District. | Position. | Date of Appointment. |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|--|----------------------|
| Collier, James Thomas Williams | Oheawai | Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages | 15th Sept., 1913. |
| Hovell, Mary Lilian | .. Tokaanu | " " " | 11th " " |
| Macaulay, Samuel Ure | .. Dargaville | " " " | 15th " " |
| Tait, James | .. Waipukurau | " " " | 12th " " |

Registrars of Births and Deaths of Maoris appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 23rd September, 1913.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointments in the Public Service.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

| Name. | District. | Position. | Date of Appointment. |
|-------------------------|--------------------|--|----------------------|
| Harper, Arthur Seppings | .. Taemaro | Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris | 1st August, 1913. |
| Hodson, Susan | .. Waimamaku | " " " | 7th " " |
| Patience, Frederick | .. Touwai | " " " | 1st " " |

Appointments, Promotions, Resignations, and Transfers of New Zealand Staff Corps and Territorial Force Officers.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 20th September, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, resignations, and transfers of the undermentioned New Zealand Staff Corps and Territorial Force Officers:—

New Zealand Staff Corps.

Captain Richard John Spotswood Seddon is restored to the establishment. Dated 26th August, 1913.

Command.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Augustus Grace to command a New Zealand Field Artillery Brigade. Dated 27th January, 1913.

Queen Alexandra's 2nd (Wellington West Coast) Mounted Rifles.

The undermentioned officers are transferred to the Reserve of Officers:—

Lieutenant-Colonel William James Davis. Dated 11th August, 1913.

Captain James McGregor Elmslie. Dated 1st August, 1913.

Lieutenant Albert Glanville William Muir. Dated 17th July, 1913.

Captain John Stevenson resigns his commission. Dated 14th April, 1913.

4th (Waikato) Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant Patrick Keegan resigns his commission. Dated 18th April, 1913.

5th Mounted Rifles (Otago Hussars).

2nd Lieutenant John McLean resigns his commission. Dated 3rd July, 1913.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants (on probation):—

Sergeant-major Edgar Thomson Shand. Dated 8th July, 1913.

Corporal John Lindsay Lethbridge. Dated 11th July, 1913.

7th (Southland) Mounted Rifles.

2nd Lieutenant Kenneth Seymour Cox resigns his commission. Dated 7th August, 1913.

9th (Wellington East Coast) Mounted Rifles.

Major Charles Hellier Davis Evans is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 18th July, 1913.

10th (Nelson) Mounted Rifles.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
Ronald Alistair Forsyth, *vice* Prichard, retired. Dated 13th March, 1913.

Edward Andamus Maude, *vice* Freeth, transferred to Reserve of Officers. Dated 1st May, 1913.

New Zealand Garrison Artillery.

Captain Arthur Henry Hollis to be Major. Dated 1st July, 1913.

2nd Lieutenant Robert Wakelin Dunn to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd July, 1913.

2nd (South Canterbury) Regiment.

Lieutenant Percy Louis Orr to be Captain, *vice* Boys, resigned. Dated 18th February, 1913.

5th (Wellington) Regiment.

The undermentioned officers are transferred from the 9th (Wellington East Coast) Regiment, with their present seniority. Dated 21st August, 1913:—

Major Fleming Ross.

Captain Thomas William Slinn.

Lieutenant Bernard Russell Lankshear.

2nd Lieutenant Octavius Ralph Featherston Johnston resigns his commission. Dated 1st November, 1912.

9th (Wellington East Coast) Regiment.

The undermentioned officers are transferred to the 5th (Wellington) Regiment. Dated 21st August, 1913:—

Major Fleming Ross.

Captain Thomas William Slinn.

Lieutenant Bernard Russell Lankshear.

13th (North Canterbury and Westland) Regiment.

Lieutenant Andrew Parkhill is transferred to the Unattached List (b), for service with the Senior Cadets. Dated 27th August, 1913.

15th (North Auckland) Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant Arnold Cecil Wallace resigns his commission. Dated 15th August, 1913.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant Arthur Louis Winter resigns his commission. Dated 13th May, 1913.

New Zealand Medical Corps.

Major Tracy Russell Inglis to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 16th September, 1913.

Major James Fitzgerald, from the Reserve of Officers, to be Major. Dated 29th August, 1913.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant Peter Francis Finlayson is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 3rd September, 1913.

Charles Treweeke Hand Newton, M.D., F.R.C.S. (Edin.), to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th August, 1913.

New Zealand Chaplains Department.

The Reverend George Benjamin Stephenson to be Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class. Dated 25th August, 1913.

The Reverend Alfred Laishley, Chaplain, 4th Class, resigns his commission. Dated 22nd August, 1913.

New Zealand Branch of Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service.

Miss Hester Maclean to be Matron-in-Chief. Dated 7th August, 1913.

Unattached List (a).

Captain Charles Henry McKay, from the Unattached List (b), to be Captain. Dated 11th August, 1913.

Unattached List (b).

(Senior Cadets.)

Captain Charles Henry McKay is transferred to the Unattached List (a). Dated 11th August, 1913.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

Norman Annabell. Dated 1st July, 1913.

d'Auvergne Stanley Leigh Grut. Dated 29th July, 1913.

Lieutenant Andrew Parkhill, from the 13th (North Canterbury and Westland) Regiment, to be Lieutenant, with seniority next below Lieutenant d'Auvergne Stanley Leigh Grut. Dated 27th August, 1913.

Bombardier Cyril Laughton Crump to be 2nd Lieutenant (on probation). Dated 22nd April, 1913.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants resign their commissions:—

Reginald Frederick Parsons. Dated 24th July, 1913.

Herbert John Moore. Dated 27th August, 1913.

Captain Ernest Frank Purdon is dismissed from the Defence Forces, under section 5 (a), Part I, of the Defence Act, 1909, for absence without leave. Dated 16th September, 1913.

New Zealand Forces Motor Reserve of Officers.

Lieutenant Charles Rutherford Orr Walker resigns his commission. Dated 27th August, 1913.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 20th September, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the award of a Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration to

Quartermaster (Honorary Lieutenant) ALEXANDER FERGUSON, 8th (Southland) Regiment,

he having a total rank and commissioned service to the 28th August, 1913, entitling him thereto of twenty years and forty-five days.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 20th September, 1913.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the award of a Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal to

No. 45/17, Sergeant-major HUGH MONTGOMERY, New Zealand Garrison Artillery,

he having a total service to the 11th August, 1913, entitling him thereto of twenty years and nineteen days.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Approval of Fees for Licensing of Vehicles fixed by Halswell County Council.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 18th September, 1913.

IT is hereby notified, in accordance with section 107 of the Counties Act, 1908, that so much of the By-law No. 1, made by the Halswell County Council, and sealed on the 4th day of September, 1913, as appoints the several sums to be paid to the Halswell County Fund for the licensing of vehicles has this day been approved by His Excellency the Governor.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Special Order made by the Wallace County Council altering Ridings and fixing Representation.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 19th September, 1913.

THE following special order, made by the Wallace County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Counties Act, 1908.

H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

SPECIAL ORDER.

IN exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 23 of the Counties Act, 1908, the Wallace County Council resolves by way of special order as follows:—

1. The present division of the County of Wallace into six ridings is revoked, and in lieu thereof the said county shall be divided into nine ridings to be called respectively Orepuki, Pourakino, Waimatuku, Aparima, Otatau, Mararoa, Wairio, Wairaki, and Waiau, which ridings are respectively described in the Schedule hereto.

2. The said Wallace County Council shall consist of nine members, who shall be elected as follows: The electors of each riding shall elect one Councillor.

3. The alteration hereby made shall take effect on and after the 10th day of November, 1914.

SCHEDULE.*Orepuki Riding.*

The Orepuki Riding comprises the whole of the Longwood Survey District, and is bounded towards the north by the Waiau Survey District, towards the east by the Aparima and Jacobs River Hundreds to the sea, towards the south by the sea, and towards the west by the Waiau River to the starting-point.

Pourakino Riding.

Bounded commencing at the north-west corner of Block XXI, Jacobs River Hundred; towards the north by the Aparima Hundred; towards the north-east by the main Otatau-Riverton Road; towards the north by the Fairfax-Calcium Road; towards the east (generally) by the Jacobs River and the Jacobs River Estuary to a point in line with the north-west boundary of Section 7, Block I, Jacobs River Hundred; thence towards the north-west, the south-west (generally), and the south-east by part of the Borough of Riverton to the sea; thence generally towards the east and south by the sea to a point in line with the western boundary of Block XVIII, Jacobs River Hundred; thence towards the west by the Orepuki Riding and the Longwood Survey District to the starting-point.

Waimatuku Riding.

Bounded towards the north by the Fairfax-Calcium Road; towards the west (generally) by the Jacobs River, part of the Borough of Riverton, and part of the Jacobs River

Estuary to the sea; towards the south by the sea to the mouth of the Waimatuku Stream; towards the east by the Southland County, by a line running up the centre of the Waimatuku Stream, to the starting-point.

Aparima Riding.

Bounded commencing at the south-west corner of the Aparima Hundred; towards the west (generally) by the Orepuki Riding and the Waiau Survey District to the eastern angle of Section 173, Block IX, Waiau Survey District; towards the north generally by part of the Wairio Survey District, by right lines running between aforesaid eastern angle of said Section 173, Trig. F (Woodlaw), Trig. V, and the western angle of Lot 7b, part Waicola Estate; towards the north-east by said Lot 7b; towards the south-east by part of the main Waikouro-Wairio Road; towards the north-east by the Woodlaw Railway-station Road; towards the south-east by a road-line to the hundred line; towards the north by the road along the hundred line; towards the south-east (generally) by the Jacobs River to where it touches the northern boundary of the Otatau Town District; towards the south generally, the east generally, and the north generally by the Otatau Town District to the Jacobs River; towards the east (generally) by the Jacobs River to the Fairfax-Calcium Road; towards the south, west, and south by the Fairfax-Calcium Road, the main Otatau-Riverton Road, and the Pourakino Riding respectively to the starting-point.

Otatau Riding.

Bounded commencing where the northern boundary of the Oreti Hundred runs into the Jacobs River, towards the north by the road along the southern boundary of the Taringatura Survey District, towards the east (generally) and south by the Southland County, towards the south by the Fairfax-Calcium Road and the Waimatuku Riding, towards the west (generally) by the Jacobs River to the starting-point.

Waiau Riding.

Bounded commencing at a point on the southern shore of Lake Manapouri, at its intersection with the county boundary; towards the north-east by Lake Manapouri; towards the east (generally) by the Waiau River; towards the north by the Wairaki River; towards the north-east by a road-line along part of eastern boundary of Section 63, Block II; towards the north-west by road along part the north-west boundary of Section 14, Block II; towards the north by Section 13, Block II; towards the east by part Section 90, Block II; towards the north by said Section 90 and part Section 30, Block II; towards the east (generally) by road-line along western boundaries of Sections 74, 73, 72, Block V; towards the north by said Section 72; towards the east by Sections 77 and 78, Block VI; towards the north (generally) by road along southern boundary of said Section 78; towards the north by Section 79, Block VI, to the Orawia River; towards the east (generally) by the Orawia River; towards the north by Sections 104 and 103, Block VI, all in the Waiau Survey District; towards the north-east by the Wairio Survey District to the eastern angle of Section 173, Block IX, Waiau Survey District; towards the east (generally) by the Aparima Riding; towards the south by the Orepuki Riding; towards the south-east by the Waiau River; towards the south (generally) by the sea; towards the west by the Fiord County to the starting-point.

Mararoa Riding.

Bounded commencing at Cloudy Point, Bligh Sound; towards the north and east by the Lake County to Hummock Peak; thence towards the south by the Southland County along a right line due west to the middle of the Oreti River; towards the east by the Southland County by a line down the middle of the Oreti River to a point in line with south boundary of Section 18, Taringatura Survey District; thence towards the south by the Southland County to the south-east angle of Section 186, Taringatura Survey District; towards the west and south-west by said Section 186; towards the south (generally) by said Section 186, Section 184, and Section 298, Taringatura Survey District; towards the south-east by the Jacobs River; towards the south (generally) and west (generally) by part Wairaki Survey District, along the Dunrobin Station boundary to the Jacobs River; towards the south-west by the Wairaki Survey District along the Jacobs River to its junction with the Spence Burn; towards the south by parts of the Wairaki and Takitimo Survey Districts from said junction to where the Whare Creek cuts eastern boundary of E.R. 56, Takitimo Survey District; towards the south by the Whare Creek; towards the south-west by the Waiau Riding along the Waiau River and the southern shore of Lake Manapouri to the county boundary; towards the west (generally) by the Fiord County to the starting-point.

Wairio Riding.

Bounded towards the south by part of the Southland County, the Otautau and Aparima Ridings, being parts Oreti and Aparima Hundreds; towards the north-west and south-west by the Aparima Riding to the main Waikouro-Wairio-Nightcaps Road; towards the west (generally) by part of the said main Waikouro-Wairio-Nightcaps Road, part Hall and Gallahers Road, the Wairio Stream, and Section 38, Wairio Survey District; towards the north, west, and south by part Section 36, Block XXVIII, Wairaki Survey District; towards the west by Section 38, Block XXVIII; towards the north and west by Section 86, Block XXVIII; towards the north by road along northern part Section 87, Block XXVIII; towards the west (generally) by Small Grazing-run No. 10; towards the west and south-west by Small Grazing-run No. 9, all in the Wairaki Survey District; towards the north (generally), the north-west, north, and east by the Mararoa Riding, along the southern boundary of Dunrobin Station, the Jacobs River, and part of the Mararoa Riding boundary before described to the south-east angle of Section 186, Taringatura Survey District; towards the south and west by the Southland County to the starting-point.

Wairaki Riding.

Bounded commencing at the junction of the Waiau and Wairaki Rivers; thence towards the west (generally) by the Waiau Riding before described along the Waiau River to the junction with the White Creek; thence towards the north-east by the Mararoa Riding before described; thence generally towards the east by the Mararoa and Wairio Ridings before described; thence generally towards the south-west by parts of Aparima and Waiau Ridings before described to the starting-point.

I, John McNaughton, Chairman of the Wallace County Council, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a special order passed at a special meeting of the Wallace County Council held on the 15th day of August, 1913, and confirmed at a special meeting of the said Council held on the 13th day of September, 1913. And I further certify that the said special order has been duly made in accordance with the Counties Act, 1908.

JOHN McNAUGHTON,
Chairman, Wallace County Council.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Fairfax Road, in the Town of Penrose Extension No. 3, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 19th September, 1913.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying off of Fairfax Road, in the Town of Penrose Extension No. 3, Auckland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Alfred and Walter Streets, in the Town of Claudelands Extension No. 26, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 19th September, 1913.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Alfred and Walter Streets, in the Town of Claudelands Extension No. 26, Auckland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Ngapua, Edward, William, Oliver, Station, and George Streets, in the Town of Kaikohe Extension No. 3, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 19th September, 1913.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Ngapua, Edward, William, Oliver, Station, and George Streets, in the Town of Kaikohe Extension No. 3, Auckland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Knighton and Morningside Avenues, in the Town of Hamilton Extension No. 1, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 19th September, 1913.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Knighton and Morningside Avenues, in the Town of Hamilton Extension No. 1, Auckland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Selwyn and Cowie Roads, in the Town of St. Heliers Extension No. 16, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 19th September, 1913.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Selwyn and Cowie Roads, in the Town of St. Heliers Extension No. 16, Auckland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Notice fixing Closing-hours of Pork-butchers' Shops in the Borough of Stratford, under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the pork-butchers' shops in the Borough of Stratford, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops in the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: At 1 p.m. on the statutory half-holiday, to wit, Thursday; at 10.30 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays; and at 11 p.m. on Saturdays:

And whereas the Stratford Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the pork-butchers' shops within the Borough of Stratford:

Now, therefore, I, William Ferguson Massey, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, do hereby direct that from and after the 29th day of September, 1913, all such shops in the Borough of Stratford shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

The varied notice gazetted on 13th February, 1913, fixing the closing-hours of all shops, with exceptions, is hereby superceded accordingly.

Dated at Wellington this 24th day of September, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Notice fixing Closing-hours of all Shops in the Strath-Taieri Riding, in the Taieri County, under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the shops in the Strath-Taieri Riding, in the Taieri County, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all shops in the riding shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays, at 6 p.m.; Thursdays, at 1 p.m.; Saturdays at 10 p.m.:

And whereas the Taieri County Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the shops within the Strath-Taieri Riding:

Now, therefore, I, William Ferguson Massey, Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, do hereby direct that from and after the 29th day of September, 1913, all shops in the Strath-Taieri Riding, in the Taieri County, shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

The statutory half-holiday is on Thursday from 1 p.m.

Dated at Wellington this 24th day of September, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Approving and appointing a Bonding Warehouse.

CUSTOMS.—In exercise of the powers in me for this purpose vested by the Customs Law Act, 1908, I, the Minister of Customs, do hereby approve and appoint the undermentioned warehouse to be a warehouse for the reception of goods under bond, namely:—

Port of Auckland.

Part of the ground floor of a brick building, roofed with iron, situated in Fort Street Lane, City of Auckland, to be known as

LEVER'S BOND.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this 19th day of September, 1913.

F. M. B. FISHER,
Minister of Customs.

Minister's Order No. 1056.]

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block V, Rangitaiki Upper Survey District, for Road Purposes.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a road in Block V, Rangitaiki Upper Survey District, and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken.

And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Te Teko, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

| Approximate Area of the Pieces of Land required to be taken. | Being | Situated in Block | Situated in Survey District of | Shown on Plan | Coloured on Plan |
|--|------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| A. R. P. 4 1 18 | Part Sec. 1, Matata Ph. | V | Rangitaiki Upper | P.W.D. 34103 | Red. |
| 10 3 0 | Severance of Sec. 1, Matata Parish | " | Ditto .. | Ditto.. | Edged red. |
| 0 1 23 2 1 27 | Part Sec. 167, Matata Ph. | " | " .. | " .. | Red. |

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this eighteenth day of September, 1913.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Prohibition of Money-order and Postal Correspondence for J. Stellin, Wellington.

THE Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand having reasonable ground for supposing that the person whose name and address are shown in the Schedule hereunder is engaged in receiving money as the consideration for an assurance or agreement implied to pay money on events relating to horse-races, it is hereby ordered, under section 28 of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, that no money-order in favour of the said person shall be issued, and that no postal packet addressed to the said person (either by his own or any fictitious or assumed name), or to such address without a name, shall be either registered, forwarded, or delivered by the Post Office of New Zealand.

SCHEDULE.

J. STELLIN, Post-office Box 430, Wellington.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1913.

R. HEATON RHODES,
Postmaster-General.

Government Offices to be closed on Monday, 27th October (Labour Day).

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 18th September, 1913.

AS provided under Public Service Regulations, the Government offices throughout New Zealand will be closed on Monday, 27th October, 1913, being Labour Day.

D. ROBERTSON,
Public Service Commissioner.

Applications invited for the Position of Station Superintendent for the Lake Coleridge Electric Power Plant.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 23rd September, 1913.

APPLICATIONS will be received in this office up till noon on the 20th October next for the position of Station Superintendent for the Lake Coleridge Electric Power Plant.

Applications must be addressed to the Secretary to the Public Service Commissioner, and must embrace a statement of education and experience, particulars of age, &c.

Applicants must (1) be trained mechanics, and have had experience in erecting heavy machinery, in operating electric generating stations with units of 1,000 kilowatts or larger, and in operating large alternators in parallel; (2) submit particulars of any experience in the operation of hydraulic turbines, high-tension electric power transmission, and of any marine service.

The successful applicant will be required to take up his duties on the 1st December, 1913. Such duties will consist, during erection, in supervising the erection of the Lake Coleridge Power-station, and, after completion, in superintending the operation and maintenance of the plant and headworks and the installation of extensions as required. The Superintendent will be responsible for all records and reports on the operation and conditions of the plant as they are required. His normal duties will occupy forty-eight hours per week at such time as the conditions of operation require, but, to meet any emergencies, whatever attention is required will have to be given.

The Superintendent will be entitled to three weeks' holiday in each year on full pay, but shall give such attention as the duties require on Sundays and public holidays. He will be responsible to the Engineer in Charge of the system in Christchurch, to whom he will report.

Salary, £300 per annum, rising to £365; Professional Division.

A six-roomed house, with sanitary conveniences, water-supply, and electric lighting will be available at a rental of 15s. per week.

The appointment will be subject to the provisions of the Public Service Act, 1912.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

Applications invited for the Position of Ranger for the Rotorua Acclimatization District.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 24th September, 1913.

APPLICATIONS will be received in this office up till noon on the 20th October, 1913, for the position of Ranger for the Rotorua Acclimatization District.

Applications must be addressed to the Secretary to the Public Service Commissioner, and must embrace a statement of education and experience, particulars of age, &c.

Applicants must be able to drive an oil-launch, and must also be good horsemen. The successful applicant will be required to reside at Rotorua, and make himself thoroughly conversant with the fisheries and animals protection laws of the Dominion, and the local regulations for trout-fishing, and to actively range the district with a view to preventing or discovering breaches of the laws or regulations. He will be required to conduct prosecutions for breaches of Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908, and any amendments thereto or regulations thereunder, and also for breaches of the Animals Protection Act, 1908, and the amendments thereto or regulations thereunder.

The Ranger will be an officer of the Department of Tourist and Health Resorts. The appointment will be subject to the provisions of the Public Service Act, 1912. Salary, £160 per annum; General Division.

Actual and reasonable travelling-expenses when absent from headquarters will be paid.

A. J. H. BENGE,
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 100 of 1913.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 16th September, 1913.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Marine Department, Brisbane, Queensland, is published for general information.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

QUEENSLAND.

Floating Wreckage, Vicinity of Cairns.

NOTICE is hereby given that on several occasions floating wreckage has been seen in the vicinity of Cairns. The obstruction was first reported in April last in lat. 16° 37' 30" S., long. 145° 46' 30" E., Double Island bearing S. 35° W. distant about 7 miles; again on the 16th August, the Cairns clock beacon bearing S. 15° W. distant 6 miles; and on 19th August the wreckage was sighted on Fringing Reefs, north side of Grafton Passage.

The wreckage is reported to be a large spar apparently attached to a submerged hull. Searches have been made in the endeavour to locate same, but without success.

Masters of vessels are cautioned to keep a good lookout when navigating in the locality.

"Australia Directory," Vol. ii; charts affected, Nos. 2924 and 2350.

JOHN MACKAY,
Portmaster.
Marine Department,
Brisbane, 22nd August, 1913.

Notice to Mariners No. 102 of 1913.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 23rd September, 1913.

THE following Notice to Mariners, received from the Port Officer, Melbourne, Victoria, is published for general information.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

VICTORIA.

Portsea Gas-buoy, South Channel.—Port Phillip.

REFERRING to General Notice to Mariners dated 1st August, 1907, page 69, mariners are hereby notified that the present fixed red light shown from the gas-buoy at the south-west extremity of the shoals in South Channel between Nos. 1 and 2 buoys will be altered on the 1st October, 1913, to a flashing red light, giving a flash of 3-10ths of a second duration every three seconds. The light will be visible in clear weather for a distance of 3 miles.

C. W. MACLEAN,
Port Officer.
Melbourne, 16th August, 1913.

Town of Rotorua.—Order levying a Fire-prevention Rate, 1913-14.

WHEREAS by the Rotorua Town Act, 1907, provision is made for the management of the Town of Rotorua by the Department of Tourist and Health Resorts, and the said Department is, in respect of the said town, created a body corporate:

And whereas by section 5 of the said Act it is enacted that, for the purposes of any Act relating to local authorities, the said Department shall, in respect of the said town, be deemed to be a local authority, and that the provisions of any such Act shall (subject to such modifications or exceptions as the Governor by Order in Council directs) extend and apply as if the said town were a borough:

And whereas the said Department has become the contributory local authority to the Rotorua Fire Board, constituted under the provisions of the Fire Brigades Act, 1908:

And whereas on the 11th day of April, 1908, His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers conferred in that behalf by the Rotorua Town Act, 1907, did by Order in Council make certain regulations for the effectual carrying-out of that Act, which regulations appear in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 16th day of April, 1908:

And whereas by clause 3 of the said regulations it is provided that an order or direction in writing, signed by the

General Manager of the said Department, shall be sufficient in all cases in which (amongst other things) a resolution or special order of a Council is necessary in a borough:

Now, therefore, I, the undersigned, Benjamin Marcus Wilson, the General Manager of the said Department, in exercise of the powers and authorities given by the Rotorua Town Act, 1907, and the said regulations, and also by section 24 of the Fire Brigades Act, 1908, do hereby order, direct, and declare that a separate rate of 3d. in the pound on the value of the buildings in the Rotorua Fire District, exclusive of the value of the sites on which such buildings are erected, is hereby made and levied for the year commencing on the 1st day of July, 1913, and ending on the 30th day of June, 1914, and that such rate shall be payable in one sum on the 25th day of September, 1913.

As witness my hand this 24th day of September, 1913.

B. M. WILSON,
General Manager.
Witness—W. H. Frethey.

Town of Rotorua.—Order levying a Hospital Rate, 1913-14.

WHEREAS by the Rotorua Town Act, 1907, provision is made for the management of the Town of Rotorua by the Department of Tourist and Health Resorts, and the said Department is, in respect of the said town, created a body corporate:

And whereas by section 5 of the said Act it is enacted that for the purposes of any Act relating to local authorities the said Department shall, in respect of the said town, be deemed to be a local authority, and that the provisions of any such Act shall (subject to such modifications or exceptions as the Governor by Order in Council directs) extend and apply as if the said town were a borough:

And whereas by section 80 of the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909, and the Sixth Schedule thereto, it is provided that the said Department shall be deemed to be a contributory local authority of the Waikato Hospital District, and that the said Department, for the purpose of providing funds for the payment of contributions payable to the Waikato Hospital and Charitable Aid Board, shall have the same power of making, levying, and collecting rates in the Town of Rotorua as if the town were a borough and the Department were a Council thereof:

And whereas on the 11th day of April, 1908, His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the powers conferred in that behalf by the Rotorua Town Act, 1907, did by Order in Council make certain regulations for the effectual carrying-out of that Act, which regulations appear in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 16th day of April, 1908:

And whereas by clause 3 of the said regulations it is provided that an order or direction in writing, signed by the General Manager of the said Department, shall be sufficient in all cases in which (amongst other things) a resolution or special order of a Council is necessary in a borough:

Now, therefore, I, the undersigned, Benjamin Marcus Wilson, the General Manager of the said Department, in exercise of the powers given to local authorities by the Rating Act, 1908, and also in exercise of the powers and authorities given by the Rotorua Town Act, 1907, and the said regulations, do hereby order, direct, and declare that a rate of one-tenth of a penny in the pound on the capital value of all rateable property in the Town of Rotorua is hereby made and levied for the year commencing on the 1st day of April, 1913, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1914, and that such rate shall be payable in one sum on the 25th day of September, 1913.

As witness my hand this 24th day of September, 1913.

B. M. WILSON,
General Manager.
Witness—W. H. Frethey.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies Registry Office,
Wellington, 19th September, 1913.

THE Court Karamea, No. 6247, situated at Karamea, is registered as a branch of the Nelson District of the Ancient Order of Foresters Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 19th day of September, 1913.

ROBT. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Tenders for Mental Hospitals' Supplies for Three Years ending 31st August, 1916.

Public Service Stores Tender Board,
Wellington, 19th September, 1913.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders is published for general information.

J. MACKAY,
Chairman.

SCHEDULE NO. 1.—ARTICLES OF NEW ZEALAND MANUFACTURE.

Accepted at Schedule Rates.

| | | | |
|--|--------|----|----|
| Kaiapoi Woollen Manufacturing Company (Limited), Christchurch .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | *3,787 | 7 | 1 |

Declined.

| | | | |
|---|--------|----|----|
| Wellington Woollen Manufacturing Company (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | *3,789 | 13 | 7 |
| Ross and Glendining (Limited), Dunedin .. | *4,096 | 19 | 9 |
| Sargood, Son, and Ewen (Limited), Wellington .. | *4,128 | 19 | 11 |

Bing, Harris, and Co. (Limited), Wellington: Price for making up uniform suits not given.

* Including price of making up uniform suits, but less item caps, uniform, which was eliminated from schedule.

SCHEDULE NO. 2.—APPAREL, DRAPERY, HABERDASHERY, ETC.

Accepted at Schedule Rates.

| | | | |
|--|-------|----|----|
| Bing, Harris, and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 5,455 | 1 | 5 |

Declined.

| | | | |
|---|-------|----|----|
| Sargood, Son, and Ewen (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 5,480 | 12 | 7 |
| Ross and Glendining (Limited), Dunedin .. | 5,825 | 1 | 4 |

SCHEDULE NO. 3.—LEATHER, SHOEMAKERS' MATERIAL, ETC.

Accepted at Schedule Rates.

| | | | |
|--|-----|----|----|
| Michaelis, Hallenstein, and Farquhar, Dunedin .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 320 | 10 | 2 |

Informal.

Brace, Windle, Blyth, and Co. (Limited), Dunedin.

Tenders.

Public Service Stores Tender Board,
Wellington, 5th September, 1913.

THE following list of successful and unsuccessful tenders is published for general information.

J. MACKAY,
Chairman.

100,000 BOLTS, INSULATOR, POST OFFICE.

Accepted.

| | | | |
|--|-------|----|----|
| Richardson, McCabe, and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 1,292 | 0 | 0 |

Declined.

| | | | |
|--|--------|----|----|
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 1,680 | 0 | 0 |
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. | 1,337 | 10 | 0 |
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | *2,895 | 16 | 8 |
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | *4,350 | 0 | 0 |
| Indiarubber, Guttapercha, and Telegraph Works Company (Limited), Christchurch .. | *2,997 | 10 | 0 |
| A. D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | *4,110 | 0 | 0 |

* Including cups.

100,000 CUPS, INSULATOR, POST OFFICE.

Accepted.

| | | | |
|--|-------|----|----|
| Richardson, McCabe, and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 1,573 | 0 | 0 |

Declined.

| | | | |
|--|--------|----|----|
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 1,550 | 0 | 0 |
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | *2,895 | 16 | 8 |
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | *4,350 | 0 | 0 |
| Indiarubber, Guttapercha, and Telegraph Works Company (Limited), Christchurch .. | *2,997 | 10 | 0 |
| A. D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | *4,110 | 0 | 0 |

* Including bolts.

¼ MILE CABLE, LEAD-COVERED, SILK AND COTTON, 312 PAIRS.

Accepted.

| | | | |
|--|-----|----|----|
| A. D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 327 | 15 | 0 |

Declined.

| | | | |
|---|-----|----|----|
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 335 | 0 | 0 |
| A. and T. Burt (Limited), Wellington .. | 337 | 10 | 0 |
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | 348 | 0 | 0 |

10 MILES CABLE, AERIAL, D.C.L.C., 26 PAIRS.

Accepted.

| | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------|----|----|
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 1,397 | 0 | 0 |

Declined.

| | | | |
|--|-------|----|----|
| A. D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 1,420 | 0 | 0 |
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. | 1,440 | 0 | 0 |
| A. and T. Burt (Limited), Wellington .. | 1,480 | 0 | 0 |

15 MILES CABLE, AERIAL, D.C.L.C., 52 PAIRS.

Accepted.

| | | | |
|---|-------|----|----|
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 3,330 | 0 | 0 |

Declined.

| | | | |
|--|-------|----|----|
| A. D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 3,405 | 0 | 0 |
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | 3,446 | 15 | 0 |
| A. and T. Burt (Limited), Wellington .. | 3,585 | 0 | 0 |

7 MILES CABLE, AERIAL, D.C.L.C., 78 PAIRS.

Accepted.

| | | | |
|---|-------|----|----|
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 2,219 | 0 | 0 |

Declined.

| | | | |
|--|-------|----|----|
| A. D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 2,275 | 0 | 0 |
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | 2,297 | 8 | 0 |
| A. and T. Burt (Limited), Wellington .. | 2,352 | 0 | 0 |

15 MILES CABLE, AERIAL, D.C.L.C., 104 PAIRS.

Accepted.

| | | | |
|---|-------|----|----|
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 5,730 | 0 | 0 |

Declined.

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|--|-------|----|----|
| A. D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 5,865 | 0 | 0 |
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | 5,879 | 0 | 0 |
| A. and T. Burt (Limited), Wellington .. | 6,015 | 0 | 0 |

8 MILES CABLE, D.C.L.C., 208 PAIRS, AIR-SPACE.

Accepted.

| | | | |
|---|-------|----|----|
| A. and T. Burt (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 7,784 | 0 | 0 |

Declined.

| | | | |
|--|-------|----|----|
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 7,893 | 12 | 0 |
| A. D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | 7,912 | 0 | 0 |
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. | 8,080 | 0 | 0 |

2 MILES 66 YARDS CABLE, D.C.L.C., 208 PAIRS, AIR-SPACE.

Accepted.

| | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------|----|----|
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 1,483 | 6 | 0 |

Declined.

| | | | |
|--|-------|----|----|
| A. D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 1,495 | 10 | 6 |
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. | 1,515 | 17 | 0 |
| A. and T. Burt (Limited), Wellington .. | 1,568 | 17 | 6 |

5 MILES 2 YARDS CABLE, D.C.L.C., 312 PAIRS, AIR-SPACE.

Accepted.

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|--------------------------------------|-------|----|----|
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 4,546 | 0 | 6 |

Declined.

| | | | |
|--|-------|----|----|
| A. D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 4,556 | 0 | 9 |
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. | 4,651 | 1 | 3 |
| A. and T. Burt (Limited), Wellington .. | 4,701 | 1 | 4 |

1 MILE CABLE, D.C.L.C., 416 PAIRS, AIR-SPACE.

Accepted.

| | | | |
|--|-----|----|----|
| A. D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 939 | 0 | 0 |

Declined.

| | | | |
|---|-----|----|----|
| A. and T. Burt (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 968 | 0 | 0 |
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | 969 | 14 | 0 |
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. | 970 | 0 | 0 |

1 MILE CABLE, D.C.L.C., 520 PAIRS, AIR-SPACE.

Accepted.

| | | | |
|--|-------|----|----|
| A. D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 1,152 | 0 | 0 |

Declined.

| | | | |
|---|-------|----|----|
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 1,174 | 0 | 0 |
| A. and T. Burt (Limited), Wellington .. | 1,185 | 0 | 0 |
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | 1,185 | 15 | 0 |

3 MILES CABLE, D.C.L.C., 624 PAIRS, AIR-SPACE.

Accepted.

| | | | |
|--|-------|----|----|
| A. D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 4,095 | 0 | 0 |

Declined.

| | | | |
|---|-------|----|----|
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington .. | £ | s. | d. |
| .. | 4,200 | 0 | 0 |
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington .. | 4,214 | 14 | 0 |
| A. and T. Burt (Limited), Wellington .. | 4,230 | 0 | 0 |

20 MILES WIRE, GALVANIZED, STEEL STRAND SUSPENSION,
7/11.

| | | £ | s. | d. |
|---|----|-----|----|----|
| <i>Accepted.</i> | | | | |
| J. Nathan and Co. (Limited), Wellington | .. | 253 | 10 | 0 |
| <i>Declined.</i> | | | | |
| Mason, Struthers, and Co. (Limited), Christchurch | .. | 255 | 5 | 3 |
| S. Brown (Limited), Wellington | .. | 262 | 1 | 0 |
| Turnbull and Jones (Limited), Wellington | .. | 262 | 10 | 0 |
| E. W. Mills and Co. (Limited), Wellington | .. | 262 | 10 | 0 |
| P. R. Baillie and Co., Wellington | .. | 263 | 0 | 0 |
| Richardson, McCabe, and Co. (Limited), Wellington | .. | 267 | 13 | 4 |
| A. D. Riley and Co. (Limited), Wellington | .. | 300 | 0 | 0 |
| A. and T. Burt (Limited), Wellington | .. | 350 | 10 | 0 |

Conscience-money received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 19th September, 1913.

THE Minister of Finance directs me to acknowledge the receipt of £2, forwarded to the Railway Department from Petone as conscience-money to the New Zealand Government.

G. F. C. CAMPBELL,
Secretary to the Treasury.

Conscience-money received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 24th September, 1913.

THE Minister of Finance directs me to acknowledge the receipt of five shillings (5s.) forwarded to the Railway Department by some person unknown as conscience-money to the New Zealand Government.

G. F. C. CAMPBELL,
Secretary to the Treasury.

Te Makarini Scholarships, held at Te Aute College, Hawke's Bay.

TWO scholarships of the yearly value of £35, tenable for two years, are offered for competition. One of these scholarships, to be called the senior scholarship, is open to all Maori boys not over sixteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination: the other, to be called the junior scholarship, is open to all Maori boys under fourteen years of age at the end of the month preceding the date of the examination who have attended a Native school or schools under the control of the Education Department, and whose attendance at school during the previous year is considered by the Inspector of Native Schools to have been satisfactory. The scholarships are open to Maori boys on the conditions laid down in the regulations of the Trustees of the Te Makarini Scholarships Fund, as printed in the Appendix to the Native Schools Code, 1908. The examination will be held at convenient centres on the 8th and 9th of December, 1913.

Candidates must, either directly or through their teachers, send notice to the Inspector of Native Schools, Education Department, Wellington, of their intention to present themselves for examination. Such notice must be posted so as to reach the Department not later than the 30th of September, 1913.

Copies of the regulations and forms of notice may be obtained from teachers of Native schools and boarding institutions, the Secretaries to Education Boards, or the Secretary for Education, Wellington.

W. W. BIRD,
Inspector of Native Schools.

Education Department,
Wellington, 12th July, 1913.

Examination in Drawing only.

Education Department,
Wellington, 18th June, 1913.

IT is hereby notified that candidates for teachers' certificates, pupil-teachers, probationers, students of technical schools, or other persons may, upon making application in due form, be examined in drawing only either at the Intermediate Examination of November, 1913, or at the Teachers' Certificate Examination of January, 1914, and may take at such examination one or more of the branches of Drawing as prescribed for general candidates in each case; that is, at the Intermediate Examination either Drawing I or Drawing II, or both these branches, and at the Teachers' Certificate Examination Drawing I, or Drawing II, or Drawing III, or any group thereof.

For an entry in Drawing only at the November (Intermediate) examination a fee of 2s. 6d. for each branch taken, or of 5s. for both branches together, is payable, except in the case of pupil-teachers and probationers for the time being in the service of an Education Board, or of senior free-place candidates who require this subject only to complete a senior free-place qualification. By such persons no entrance fee is payable.

For the January (Teachers' Certificate) examination the entrance fee (pupil-teachers and probationers as before excepted) will be 5s. for one or two branches of Drawing, and 7s. 6d. for the three branches taken together.

Passing in any branch of Drawing at the certificate examination of January under the circumstances herein stated will exempt a candidate from further examination in the same branch under the requirements for a teacher's certificate. A similar exemption will also be granted to successful candidates at the November examination who pass the examination in Drawing I or Drawing II with credit, obtaining not less than 60 per cent. of the maximum marks assignable in each case.

Applications on the forms provided, accompanied by a bank receipt for the necessary fee, are required to be made to the Inspector-General of Schools, Wellington, not later than the 15th September for the November examination, and not later than the 15th October for the January examination.

Forms of application to be examined will be obtainable at the offices of Education Boards or from the Education Department after the 1st July.

G. HOGBEN,
Inspector-General of Schools.

Notice of Date of Examinations.

Education Department,
Wellington, 30th April, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned examinations will be held on the dates specified in each case:—

Intermediate Competitive (Education Board Senior Scholarship Examination): On or about 18th November, 1913, and following days.

Intermediate Non-competitive, for Senior Free Places in Secondary Schools and District High Schools and for the First Examination of Pupil-teachers: On or about 18th November, 1913, and following days.

Junior National Scholarship: On or about the 27th and 28th November, 1913.

Junior Free Place (including the examination for Junior Free Places in Technical Schools): On or about the 27th and 28th November, 1913.

Teachers' Certificate Examinations, Class C and Class D: On or about the 5th January, 1914, and following days.

NOTE.—The Civil Service Junior (Public Service Entrance) Examination being now confined exclusively to candidates desirous of entering the Public Service, Scholarship candidates who are required by the various scholarship regulations to take this examination will now enter as Intermediate Competitive candidates.

Entries for Junior National Scholarships and Junior Free Places and for the First Examination of Pupil-teachers must be made through the principals or head teachers of the schools attended, and will be received by Secretaries of Education Boards not later than the 15th September, 1913. Junior Scholarship and Junior Free Place entries received after that date can be accepted only with the consent of the Education Department, which, if satisfied in any special case that there has been reasonable ground for the delay, may allow not more than seven days of grace.

Late entries for the First Examination of Pupil-teachers can be accepted only under conditions applicable to the Intermediate Examination.

Entries for the Intermediate Competitive and Non-competitive Examinations will be received by the Inspector-General of Schools, Wellington, until the 15th September, 1913, or, with a late fee of £1, until the 22nd September, 1913.

Entries for the Teachers' C and D Certificate Examinations will be received by the Inspector-General of Schools, Wellington, until the 15th October, 1913, or, with a late fee of £1 in addition to the ordinary fee, until the 31st October, 1913.

For Scholarship and Free Place entries, and for entrance to the First Examination of Pupil-teachers, no entrance fee is payable.

All entries must be made on the proper forms, which may be obtained after 1st July from the office of any Education Board or of the Education Department.

GEORGE HOGBEN,
Inspector-General of Schools.

Government Meteorological Observatory.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the Month of August, 1913. Observations taken 9 a.m.

Altitude of Observatory, 8 ft.

| Date. | Barometer reduced and corrected in Inches to Lat. 45°. | From Self-registering Instruments, for Twenty-four Hours previously. | | | | | Solar Radiation. | Terrestrial Radiation. | Veloc. Wind in Miles. | Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10. | Direction of Wind. | Rainfall, in Points (100 to 1 Inch). |
|-------|--|--|----------------------|-----------------------|-------|------|------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | | Max. Temp. in Shade. | Min. Temp. in Shade. | Mean. Temp. in Shade. | Fah. | Fah. | | | | | | |
| 1 | 29.619 | 56.2 | 50.4 | 53.3 | 105.0 | 48.6 | 82 | 10 | S. | 3 | | |
| 2 | 29.509 | 53.0 | 43.8 | 48.4 | 71.2 | 32.0 | 22 | 6 | S.E. | .. | | |
| 3 | 29.932 | 52.2 | 43.0 | 47.6 | 78.4 | 34.2 | 120 | 8 | N. | 1 | | |
| 4 | 29.839 | 55.4 | 47.2 | 51.3 | 108.6 | 46.0 | 256 | 10 | N.W. | 6 | | |
| 5 | 29.903 | 55.6 | 51.8 | 53.7 | 84.6 | 46.2 | 396 | 8 | N. | 2 | | |
| 6 | 30.139 | 56.0 | 47.2 | 51.6 | 104.0 | 42.6 | 266 | 8 | S. | .. | | |
| 7 | 30.129 | 49.8 | 45.8 | 47.8 | 60.4 | 44.6 | 329 | 8 | S. | 1 | | |
| 8 | 29.879 | 54.6 | 44.8 | 49.7 | 101.8 | 42.8 | 195 | 10 | S. | 1 | | |
| 9 | 29.743 | 57.8 | 36.2 | 47.0 | 112.0 | 28.0 | 20 | 10 | S. | .. | | |
| 10 | 29.930 | 54.2 | 45.4 | 49.8 | 98.0 | 41.0 | 210 | 8 | N. | 3 | | |
| 11 | 29.859 | 58.2 | 50.0 | 54.1 | 116.6 | 47.6 | 145 | 10 | N. | 60 | | |
| 12 | 29.711 | 60.4 | 51.0 | 55.7 | 68.2 | 49.2 | 167 | 8 | N. | 27 | | |
| 13 | 29.419 | 60.0 | 53.4 | 56.7 | 105.2 | 51.6 | 298 | 6 | N. | 20 | | |
| 14 | 29.559 | 61.2 | 49.6 | 55.4 | 107.2 | 46.6 | 162 | 10 | S. | .. | | |
| 15 | 29.549 | 51.6 | 45.6 | 48.6 | 63.0 | 39.2 | 172 | 8 | S. | 5 | | |
| 16 | 29.730 | 52.6 | 47.2 | 49.9 | 99.6 | 46.6 | 426 | 10 | S. | 26 | | |
| 17 | 30.129 | 50.2 | 45.2 | 47.7 | 72.6 | 44.2 | 438 | 8 | Calm | 1 | | |
| 18 | 30.312 | 58.2 | 37.0 | 47.6 | 105.2 | 29.0 | 61 | 3 | N. | 1 | | |
| 19 | 30.379 | 57.0 | 38.2 | 47.6 | 108.2 | 31.0 | 37 | 3 | S.E. | .. | | |
| 20 | 30.419 | 59.0 | 40.2 | 49.6 | 109.4 | 34.6 | 40 | 4 | S.E. | 1 | | |
| 21 | 30.269 | 59.4 | 36.6 | 48.0 | 114.6 | 28.0 | 28 | 0 | N.E. | 1 | | |
| 22 | 29.949 | 57.0 | 37.2 | 47.1 | 100.0 | 30.0 | 1 | 0 | N. | 2 | | |
| 23 | 29.530 | 62.4 | 46.2 | 54.3 | 117.6 | 40.2 | 3 | 10 | Calm | 40 | | |
| 24 | 29.860 | 54.6 | 49.2 | 51.9 | 71.6 | 47.4 | 186 | 8 | N. | 18 | | |
| 25 | 29.583 | 55.0 | 46.2 | 50.6 | 113.6 | 42.0 | 262 | 8 | S. | 148 | | |
| 26 | 30.059 | 51.8 | 42.8 | 47.3 | 90.8 | 41.6 | 542 | 10 | S. | 32 | | |
| 27 | 29.919 | 45.2 | 40.8 | 43.0 | 99.6 | 38.0 | 280 | 8 | S. | 2 | | |
| 28 | 29.782 | 49.2 | 42.0 | 45.6 | 90.4 | 39.0 | 144 | 8 | S. | 9 | | |
| 29 | 29.960 | 51.6 | 43.2 | 47.4 | 108.2 | 40.2 | 268 | 10 | S. | 17 | | |
| 30 | 30.040 | 50.0 | 40.8 | 45.4 | 104.2 | 36.8 | 232 | 4 | N. | .. | | |
| 31 | 29.813 | 56.2 | 43.2 | 49.7 | 99.6 | 41.2 | 142 | 8 | N. | 3 | | |
| * | 29.869 | 55.0 | 44.5 | 49.7 | 96.4 | 40.3 | 191 | 7.5 | .. | 430 | | |
| † | 29.948 | 54.2 | 42.7 | 48.4 | 94.9 | 35.7 | 242 | .. | .. | 466 | | |

* Means, &c. † Means previous years.

DIRECTION OF WIND.

| | N. | N.E. | E. | S.E. | S. | S.W. | W. | N.W. | Calm. |
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| 11 | 1 | .. | 3 | 13 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | |

NOTE.—The weather during the month has been fair to cloudy, except towards the close, when unsettled conditions were experienced. Moderate southerly and south-easterly winds have prevailed. Total bright sunshine, 115 hours, and 6 sunless days. Six frosts were recorded on the grass. Mean earth-temperature at 1 ft. was 49.1°, and 48.6° at 3 ft. Mean dew-point, 43.8°; mean elastic force of vapour, 0.286 inches; mean relative humidity, 80 per cent of saturation.

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE.

MEANS AND TOTALS FROM THE CHIEF STATIONS.

August, 1913.

| Altitude above Sea-level. | Name of Station and Observer. | Absolute Mean Temp. Air in Shade. | Extremes. | | Total Rainfall (100 Points to the Inch). | Days with Rain (4 Points or more). |
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| | | | Mean Max. Temp. | Mean Min. Temp. | | |
| Ft. | NORTH ISLAND. | Deg. | Deg. | Deg. | Points. | Dys. |
| 20 | DARGAVILLE .. Dr. H. M. Levinge | 57.1 | 63.3 | 51.0 | 473 | 23 |
| 125 | AUCKLAND .. T. F. Cheeseman | 53.0 | 57.7 | 48.3 | 574 | 23 |
| .. | TE AROHA .. G. F. McGirr | 50.5 | 60.0 | 40.9 | 675 | 20 |
| 925 | ROTORUA .. J. F. Robieson | 48.5 | 55.4 | 41.5 | 585 | 13 |
| 370 | WAIHI .. H. B. Devereux | 49.7 | 58.1 | 41.3 | 1164 | 25 |
| .. | TAURANGA .. C. J. Butcher | 51.3 | 59.9 | 42.5 | 732 | 25 |
| 63 | NEW PLYMOUTH .. W. D. Fletcher | 55.2 | 65.3 | 45.1 | 532 | 19 |
| 250 | MOUMAHAKI .. A. S. Huntington | 48.8 | 55.5 | 42.1 | 335 | 12 |
| 2080 | TAIHAPE .. A. R. Fannin | 43.8 | 49.8 | 37.9 | 258 | 17 |
| .. | PALMERSTON NORTH .. J. E. Vernon | 53.5 | 62.3 | 44.8 | 420 | 14 |
| 186 | GREYTOWN * .. W. C. Davies | 47.1 | 53.6 | 40.6 | 180 | 20 |
| 377 | MASTERTON .. Wm. Hood | 46.2 | 54.2 | 38.3 | 203 | 18 |
| .. | GISBORNE .. C. H. Ferris | 50.5 | 59.2 | 41.8 | 335 | 20 |
| 14 | GREENMEADOWS, NA-PIER .. Very Rev. Dean Smyth | 49.5 | 56.0 | 43.2 | 289 | 14 |
| 10 | WELLINGTON .. F. W. Simms | 49.7 | 55.0 | 44.5 | 430 | 25 |
| 34 | SOUTH ISLAND. | Deg. | Deg. | Deg. | Points. | Dys. |
| .. | NELSON .. Rev. J. P. Kempthorne | 48.9 | 56.9 | 40.9 | 527 | 10 |
| 1218 | HANMER SPA .. Dr. J. C. Duncan | 41.4 | 51.3 | 31.5 | 224 | 8 |
| 25 | CHRISTCHURCH .. H. F. Skey | 43.7 | 50.7 | 36.7 | 337 | 20 |
| 42 | LINCOLN .. G. Gray | 45.1 | 52.2 | 38.0 | 321 | 18 |
| 130 | TIMARU .. Caretaker of Domain | 43.4 | 50.3 | 36.6 | 202 | 10 |
| 90 | WAIMATE .. G. V. Cochrane | 43.2 | 49.3 | 37.0 | 331 | 13 |
| 300 | DUNEDIN .. D. Tannock | 44.9 | 50.9 | 39.0 | 771 | 14 |
| 350 | GORE .. Captain A. A. Scott | 42.6 | 52.3 | 33.0 | 388 | 12 |
| 12 | HOKITIKA .. F. T. Sandford | 46.6 | 54.6 | 38.6 | 749 | 15 |
| 18 | INVERCARGILL .. L. Lennie | 43.9 | 52.3 | 35.6 | 336 | 15 |

SUMMARY FOR AUGUST.

The month of August was notable for three extensive cyclonic systems, two whose centres passed over the South Island—viz., on the 12th and 24th respectively. The third passed in the north on the night of the 15th. About these three dates extensive rains were experienced, the heaviest occurring in the south-eastern portion of the South Island, where the total exceeded the average considerably.

There was, however, a predominance of fair and mild weather during the month, except towards the close, when very cold southerly winds prevailed.

NEW ZEALAND RAINFALL FOR AUGUST, 1913.

[NOTE.—Late returns for stations appear at end of table.]

| Station. | Observer. | Total Fall, Points (100 to inch). | Days with Rain. | Maximum Fall, and Date. |
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| NORTH ISLAND. | | | | |
| (A.) NORTH-EAST ASPECT—NORTH CAPE TO EAST CAPE. | | | | |
| Mangonui | Nevill Ray | 1158 | 23 | 355 on 19th |
| Pakarakā, Ohāesawai | Kenneth F. Gordon | 767 | 19 | 167 on 19th |
| Waimatenui | J. H. Orr | 1097 | 28 | 128 on 15th |
| Tahunakura, Bay of Islands | J. Bagnall | 696 | 18 | 167 on 19th |
| Leigh | Jno. M. Murray | 557 | 19 | 104 on 15th |
| Mount Eden, Auckland | C. Cooper | 583 | 25 | 121 on 11th |
| Silverdale, Auckland | T. R. Koller | 591 | 23 | 183 on 11th |
| Cuvier Island | Lightkeeper | 543 | 18 | 105 on 15th and 17th |
| Tairua | G. Cory Wright | 776 | 19 | 127 on 18th |
| Turua, Thames | R. W. Bagnall | 411 | 16 | 148 on 11th |
| Karaka | H. E. Glasson | 422 | 20 | 113 on 11th |
| Whakarewarewa, Rotorua | H. A. Goudie | 529 | 16 | 134 on 13th |
| Waimangu | R. H. Ingle | .. | .. | .. |
| Waiotapu | J. Mason | 532 | 15 | 121 on 11th |
| Ruatoki | C. Mahoney | 907 | 17 | 173 on 11th |
| Ngaparahi, Opotiki | S. Hutchison | 1202 | 19 | 268 on 12th |
| Tangihanga, Te Araroa | G. W. Heald | 2161 | 22 | 518 on 12th |
| Raukokore, Thames | William Allison | 1081 | 14 | 203 on 12th |
| Te Kaha | Duncan Cameron | 637 | 15 | 153 on 15th |
| (B.) NORTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE MARIA VAN DIEMEN TO CAPE EGDMONT. | | | | |
| Kaitiā | J. H. Bedgood | 834 | 19 | 253 on 19th |
| Wekaweka | E. J. Hawkings | 1300 | 28 | 172 on 19th |
| Rangiahua, Hokianga Harbour | W. R. Coxhead | 953 | 25 | 306 on 19th |
| Kohukohu | A. C. Yarborough | 753 | 26 | 137 on 19th |
| Aponga | G. Alban King | 680 | 30 | 104 on 18th |
| Kiripaka | Handyside, F. | 887 | 23 | 183 on 19th |
| Whangarei | R. Mair | 932 | 22 | 180 on 20th |
| Pūhipūhi Plantation, Whakapara, Whangarei | R. Anderson | 870 | 23 | 250 on 19th |
| Whangarei Heads | F. McKenzie | 766 | 17 | 165 on 19th |
| Matakohe, Kaipara | Francis Walker | 480 | 19 | 93 on 24th |
| Helensville | A. J. Hill | 435 | 18 | 70 on 11th |
| Onehunga | C. A. Senior | 635 | 24 | 165 on 11th |
| Waiuku, Auckland | D. Makgill | 466 | 24 | 110 on 11th |
| Kawhia | J. K. Newton | 319 | 13 | 69 on 11th |
| Turangaomoana, Matamata | Wm. A. Kirkness | 511 | 22 | 185 on 11th |
| Taupo | Rev. H. J. Fletcher | 761 | .. | .. |
| Taharua Station, East Taupo | J. D. Macfarlane | 790 | 14 | 340 on 12th |
| Otewa, Waitomo County | Ferguson Bros. | 539 | 17 | 234 on 11th |
| Waitomo Caves | C. Johnston | 375 | 8 | 135 on 11th |
| Te Kuiti | T. E. Foy | 581 | 21 | 154 on 11th |
| Mangakohi, Piopio | C. B. Hobson | 543 | 18 | 150 on 11th |
| Ruakura State Farm | C. Cussen | 416 | 19 | 100 on 12th |
| Hamilton, Waikato | Dr. H. Douglas | 419 | 23 | 125 on 11th |
| State Farm, Waerenga | J. F. Shepherd | 512 | 16 | 98 on 24th |
| Glen Murray | R. A. Arnaboldi | 442 | 21 | 122 on 11th |
| Ngaruawahia | W. P. Mead | 594 | 19 | 184 on 11th |
| Waikeria, Kihikihi | P. M. Page | 461 | 14 | 141 on 12th |
| Putaruru | W. W. King | 668 | 17 | 203 on 11th |
| Waiatua, Raurimu | H. C. Wedde | 483 | 15 | 110 on 11th |
| Mangaotaki (550 ft.) | Mrs. M. L. Symonds | 616 | 13 | 92 on 23rd |
| Paekaha, Paemako | N. A. Robison | 538 | 16 | 91 on 11th |
| Paparāhia, Awakino | J. E. C. Harrison | 220 | 12 | 50 on 25th |
| Okoke | P. Darke | 615 | 18 | 127 on 11th |
| Parangi | B. J. Field | 463 | 16 | 114 on 11th and 23rd |
| Ngatimaru, Tarata | R. Drummond | 622 | 14 | 121 on 11th |
| Riversdale, Inglewood (817 ft.) | Miss N. Trimble | 717 | 21 | 188 on 11th |
| Inglewood | D. Gault, M.D. | 834 | 17 | 171 on 11th |
| Upper Mangorei (1,000 ft.) | Mrs. J. Brown | 890 | 24 | 226 on 11th |
| (C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGDMONT TO CAPE PALLISER. | | | | |
| Mount Egmont | G. W. Albertson | 2295 | 22 | 370 on 12th |
| Opunake | A. H. Moore | 411 | 20 | 106 on 11th |
| Riverlea, Eltham | M. F. Voullaire | 413 | 18 | 72 on 11th |
| Eltham | L. N. Fairhall | 456 | 17 | 131 on 11th |
| Omoana | Jno. Cocker, jun. | 458 | 18 | 88 on 11th and 23rd |
| Stratford (1,020 ft.) | T. H. Penn | 607 | 21 | 166 on 11th |
| Ohawe, Hawera | Jas. Livingston | 311 | 14 | 70 on 1st |
| Patea | H. E. Adams | 193 | 18 | 60 on 11th |
| Oruamatua, Moawhango | R. M. Williamson | 344 | 19 | 104 on 11th |
| Taumataahi, Upper Waitotara | J. D. T. Smith | 330 | 16 | 62 on 3rd |
| Whangamomona | R. Fawcner | 351 | 10 | 112 on 25th |
| Manunui | W. C. Wilson | 464 | 12 | 85 on 9th |
| Raurimu (1,920 ft.) | G. C. Overton | 524 | 12 | 170 on 12th |
| Ohakune | Mrs. W. Seth-Smith | 373 | 16 | 104 on 11th |
| Horopito | W. T. Susans | 473 | 23 | 131 on 11th |
| Waiouru | A. Peters | 436 | 19 | 142 on 11th |
| Newtonlees, Kaitoke, Wanganui | R. Morgan | 110 | 5 | 55 on 11th |
| Koriniti, Wanganui River | H. McNeish Walker | 222 | 12 | 54 on 24th |
| Marybank, Wanganui | R. Hughes | 140 | 11 | 45 on 25th |
| Belmont, Tayforth, Wanganui | H. A. Lambert | 114 | 9 | 26 on 1st |
| Wanganui | M. C. Corliss | 197 | 9 | 47 on 1st and 26th |
| Ruanui | E. Norris-Borlase | 413 | 17 | 109 on 12th |
| Dalvey, Turakina | H. Y. Lethbridge | .. | .. | .. |
| Erewhon Station, Moawhango | W. C. Caccia Birch | 350 | 23 | 98 on 11th |

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| NORTH ISLAND—continued. | | | | |
| (C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGDMONT TO CAPE PALLISER—continued. | | | | |
| Hunterville | S. A. R. Mair | 278 | 18 | 116 on 9th |
| Awakiltia, Hunterville (1,451 ft.) | P. R. Earle | 325 | 15 | 139 on 11th |
| Waituna West, Feilding | J. Guylee | 244 | 19 | 100 on 11th |
| Thoresby, Marton | W. J. Birch | 148 | 14 | 38 on 11th |
| Halcombe | L. A. MacDonald | .. | .. | .. |
| Waitatapia, Bull's | K. W. Dalrymple | .. | .. | .. |
| Glen Oroua | Miss K. J. Sanson | 128 | 10 | 31 on 12th |
| Foxton | A. D. Clelland | 92 | 6 | 40 on 11th |
| Makino, Feilding | F. T. Lethbridge | 200 | 19 | 64 on 11th |
| Feilding | William Walpole | 147 | 16 | 54 on 11th |
| Komako | J. T. Shore | 348 | 16 | 86 on 11th |
| Fitzherbert West, Palmerston North | C. J. Monro | 172 | 13 | 56 on 11th |
| Otaki | W. Burns-Smith | 185 | 18 | 43 on 11th |
| Kapiti Island | J. L. Bennett | 223 | 14 | 61 on 11th |
| Waikanse | S. Duncan | 231 | 16 | 41 on 11th |
| Pahautanui | J. Pearce | 315 | 19 | 131 on 25th |
| Opau, North Makara | W. H. Wallace | 452 | 14 | 145 on 25th |
| (D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER. | | | | |
| Waitakaro | John B. Lee | 1310 | 21 | 329 on 16th |
| Tolaga Bay | W. E. Holder | 604 | 23 | 108 on 15th |
| Kaharoa, Waimata Valley | F. M. Twisleton | 537 | 18 | 146 on 16th |
| Hinemoa, Motu | H. Oldridge | .. | .. | .. |
| Waihan, Gisborne | J. Loisel | 574 | 23 | 96 on 13th |
| Eastwoodhill, Gisborne | W. Douglas Cook | 388 | 25 | 111 on 12th |
| Otoko | E. Hooper | 481 | 21 | 87 on 27th |
| Waitahoata, Whatatutu | E. V. Palmer | 558 | 21 | 120 on 15th |
| Te Karaka | J. G. Appleton | 343 | 23 | 96 on 16th |
| Patutahi, Gisborne | J. C. Woodward | 292 | 16 | 90 on 17th |
| Strathblaine, Hangaroa | J. B. Graham | 546 | 21 | 97 on 7th |
| Tahora, Gisborne | Vernon Mitford | 584 | 22 | 126 on 12th |
| Tiniroto, Gisborne | J. C. McGregor | 595 | 17 | 97 on 28th |
| Spring Hill, Mohaka | C. J. Ward | 742 | 17 | 224 on 28th |
| Portland Island | Lightkeeper | .. | .. | .. |
| Patunamu, Wairoa | J. B. Gould | 658 | 23 | 171 on 28th |
| Tarawera | R. Cropp | 485 | 21 | 111 on 12th |
| Tutira Lake | H. Guthrie-Smith | 607 | 22 | 143 on 17th |
| Eskdale, Hedgeley | Thomas Clark | 351 | 19 | 76 on 27th |
| Riverbank, Rissington, Napier | J. Moore | 465 | 23 | 83 on 16th |
| Napier | L. Azzopardi | 393 | 18 | 94 on 27th |
| Frimley, Hastings | J. N. Williams | 341 | 26 | 47 on 12th |
| Whanawhana, Hastings | G. R. Beamish | 414 | 22 | 90 on 11th |
| Maraekakaho, Hastings | A. Lockie | 345 | 21 | 55 on 16th |
| Te Roto, Poukawa | A. M. Smith | 364 | 18 | 59 on 25th |
| Pukehou, Te Aute | S. B. Ludbrook | 432 | 23 | 76 on 14th |
| Gwavas, Tikokino | H. Irwin | 367 | 23 | 79 on 14th |
| Aramoana, Waipawa | J. G. Speedy | 460 | 25 | 110 on 26th |
| Rangitapu, Waipawa | G. C. Williams | 516 | 24 | 102 on 15th |
| Mount Vernon, Waipawa | J. W. Harding | 310 | 23 | 58 on 14th |
| Norsewood | Joseph Chicken | 376 | 26 | 75 on 11th |
| Waimarama, Hawke's Bay | Miss Meinertzhagen | 372 | 22 | 58 on 25th |
| Mangakuri | J. Miller | 411 | 17 | 91 on 25th |
| Waipukurau | F. B. Curd | 395 | 22 | 68 on 6th |
| Motuotaraia, Wanstead | Melville Johnstone | 359 | 12 | 82 on 17th |
| Makaretu | C. Lewis | 520 | 21 | 73 on 15th |
| Oruawharo, Takapau | J. W. Leithhead | 363 | 21 | 86 on 12th |
| Ormondville | W. Davidson | 301 | 16 | 65 on 11th |
| Dannevirke | G. Harvey | .. | .. | .. |
| Umutaoroa (top end) | T. H. C. Hitchings | 515 | 20 | 124 on 11th |
| Porangahau | Rev. F. E. Telling-Simcox | 377 | 7 | 106 on 14th |
| Pourerere | David Douglas | 473 | 22 | 97 on 26th |
| Woodbank, Wimbledon | H. C. Speedy | 405 | 21 | 143 on 25th |
| Pine Grove, Dannevirke | Dr. J. E. Riddell | 486 | 22 | 120 on 17th |
| Mangatainoka | Edwin Ashby | 253 | 13 | 96 on 11th |
| Pahiatua | W. Tosswill | 337 | 14 | 105 on 12th |
| Makuri, Pahiatua | H. F. Coom | 529 | 26 | 124 on 16th |
| Eastry, Tane | F. White | 320 | 16 | 85 on 11th |
| Tawataia, Eketahuna | T. H. Groves | 302 | 19 | 63 on 11th |
| Eketahuna | Railway-station | 281 | 20 | 53 on 25th |
| Castlepoint | A. B. Nicholls | 487 | 21 | 103 on 16th |
| Annedale, Te Nui | H. A. Nevins | 551 | 22 | 188 on 16th |
| Ditton, Masterton | S. Mawley | 334 | 21 | 84 on 25th |
| Bush Grove, Masterton | H. G. Groves | 364 | 22 | 130 on 16th |
| Eringa, Masterton | Percy H. Nathan | 327 | 21 | 75 on 25th |
| Hikurangi College, Clareville | F. S. Ramson | 183 | 11 | 40 on 24th |
| Waihakeke, Carterton | A. Peters | 184 | 19 | 54 on 25th |
| Martinborough | J. K. Edie | 171 | 22 | 41 on 25th |
| Featherston | D. MacDonald | 211 | 20 | 36 on 25th |
| Waiwetu | H. M. Hayward | 416 | 14 | 152 on 25th |
| Wainuiomata Reservoir | H. D. Drummond | 958 | 27 | 311 on 25th |
| Silverstream | J. Gibson Stott | 364 | 21 | 115 on 25th |
| Stokes Valley | Miss May Delaney | 322 | 11 | 128 on 24th |
| Lower Hutt | Dr. C. M. Hector | 340 | 23 | 112 on 25th |
| Lower Hutt | Miss H. M. Heaton | 394 | 22 | 111 on 25th |
| Karori Reservoir | E. K. Robinson | 408 | 16 | 150 on 25th |

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| SOUTH ISLAND. | | | | |
| (E.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO KAIKOURA. | | | | |
| Parapara | J. Bassett | 989 | 14 | 280 on 10th |
| Motueka | G. S. Huffam | 892 | 9 | 295 on 10th |
| Murchison | Wm. J. Stone | 487 | 12 | 162 on 12th |
| Stanley Brook, Nelson | A. W. Fugle | 837 | 8 | 267 on 13th |
| Aporo, Nelson | F. S. Nottage | 782 | 9 | 252 on 10th |
| Waterworks, Nelson | J. E. Stone | 572 | 9 | 153 on 11th |
| Nelson North | N. A. McLaren | .. | 8 | .. |
| Upper Sherry River | F. Paige | 797 | 9 | 236 on 12th |
| Port Hardy, French Pass | S. W. Wiggins | 295 | 13 | 105 on 23rd |
| Stephen Island | Lightkeeper | 248 | 7 | 76 on 11th |
| The Brothers .. .. . | .. .. . | 213 | 12 | 95 on 11th |
| Cape Campbell .. .. . | .. .. . | 210 | 13 | 55 on 12th |
| Pictou | G. C. Edwards | 414 | 12 | 105 on 11th |
| Manaroa, Pelorus Sound | Mrs. M. C. Masefield | 463 | 11 | 114 on 13th |
| Yncyca, Pelorus Sound | Alex. W. Nisbet | 765 | 6 | 200 on 4th |
| Ugbrooke, Blenheim | H. D. Vavasour | 188 | 14 | 65 on 11th |
| Robin Hood Bay | E. M. Stace | 395 | 12 | 129 on 11th |
| Seddon | G. Horn | 170 | 10 | 70 on 12th |
| "Chancet" Ward | Miss Doris Thomson | 223 | 10 | 85 on 11th |
| Lynton Downs, Kaikoura | T. Harrison | 267 | 10 | 111 on 25th |
| Timara Station, Renwicktown | R. F. Goulter | 382 | 9 | 115 on 11th |
| Spring Creek, Blenheim | T. C. Prichard | 262 | 8 | 105 on 11th |
| Avondale Station, Blenheim | J. Teschemaker-Shute | 415 | 10 | 149 on 12th |
| Langridge Station, Upper Awatere | G. R. Ritchie | 356 | 7 | 124 on 12th |
| (F.) WEST ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO PUYSEGUR POINT. | | | | |
| Farewell Spit | Lightkeeper | 641 | 12 | 140 on 11th |
| Pakawau | T. C. V. Field | 1088 | 17 | 340 on 9th |
| Karamea, Westport | E. J. Gilmor | 319 | 17 | 91 on 12th |
| Millerton | Dr. Sinclair | 743 | 13 | 217 on 10th |
| Westport | M. Furneaux | 583 | 15 | 230 on 10th |
| Reefton (643 ft.) | J. F. McPadden | 499 | 13 | 175 on 11th |
| Greymouth | J. Connor | 593 | 12 | 135 on 13th |
| Otira (1,255 ft.) | J. Manson | 747 | 12 | 225 on 4th |
| Ross, Westland | W. Winchester | 629 | 12 | 100 on 12th |
| Okura | J. Cuttance | 761 | 13 | 198 on 4th |
| Puysegur Point | Lightkeeper | 881 | 19 | 327 on 3rd |
| (G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS. | | | | |
| Hanmer Springs Nursery | W. A. Morrison | 304 | 11 | 128 on 16th |
| Highfield, Amuri | F. S. Northcote | 158 | 10 | 47 on 25th |
| Keinton Combe, Waiapu, Amuri | Colonel R. A. Chaffey | 365 | 12 | 145 on 15th |
| Mackenzie, Cheviot | A. C. Bellwood | 417 | 11 | 175 on 15th |
| Waikari | C. Blake | .. | .. | .. |
| Oxford East | R. H. Gainsford | 213 | .. | 86 on 25th |
| Amberley | F. G. Lewton | 236 | 9 | 91 on 26th |
| Singletree, Alford Forest | A. J. Grigg | 263 | 9 | 85 on 15th |
| Mount Somers | Rev. P. H. Pritchett | 171 | 12 | 50 on 24th |
| Bealey | L. Mills | 398 | 9 | 80 on 11th |
| Bealey Flat | A. F. Roberts | 564 | 7 | 152 on 23rd |
| Port Hills, Rhodes Convalescent Home | The Matron (R. M. Hayward) | 416 | 19 | 175 on 24th |
| Ngapua, Cashmere Hills | W. Guise Brittan | 387 | 19 | 173 on 24th |
| New Brighton | Rev. H. H. Mathias | 284 | 16 | 142 on 24th |
| Otahuna, Tai Tapu | R. H. Rhodes, M.P. | 413 | 14 | 117 on 24th |
| Hororata | G. Hall | 367 | 7 | 119 on 15th |
| Little Akaloa | E. Coombs Newton | 499 | 19 | 180 on 24th |
| Mount Torlesse, Springfield | P. H. Johnson | 147 | 4 | 67 on 24th |
| Methven | S. Smith | 215 | 10 | 89 on 25th |
| Rudstone, Methven | James Carr | 127 | 12 | 36 on 24th |
| Lake Coleridge | F. Kissel | 134 | 10 | 29 on 13th |
| Glenariffe, Double Hill | Mrs. W. G. Gallagher | 175 | 7 | 59 on 14th |
| Rakaia | G. S. Hardy | 376 | 7 | 151 on 24th |
| Kyle | J. Lambie | 288 | 9 | 120 on 16th |
| Winchmore, Ashburton | A. Curtis | 291 | 11 | 85 on 24th |
| Porateko, Mayfield | Miss Gladys Wood | 165 | 11 | 50 on 25th |
| Ashburton | J. Readhead | 352 | 11 | 160 on 16th |
| Evandale, Mount Somers | Capt. W. A. Morgan | 193 | 15 | 41 on 16th |
| Lynnford, Hinds | J. W. Dell | 306 | 16 | 132 on 15th |
| Coniston, Ashburton | Capt. W. A. Morgan | 357 | 11 | 160 on 16th |
| Mount Peel, Rangitata | Mrs. Geo. Dickson | 209 | 8 | 72 on 24th |
| Peel Forest | W. E. Barker | 269 | 12 | 74 on 15th |
| Huntsham, Peel Forest | C. A. Dunn | 278 | 12 | 75 on 15th |
| Kapunatiki, Rangitata | L. J. Grant | 302 | 12 | 76 on 25th |
| The Heights, Geraldine | W. M. Moore | 269 | 18 | 79 on 15th |
| Orari Gorge | A. J. Blakiston | 393 | 17 | 110 on 15th |
| Orari Estate, Orari | G. A. Macdonald | 260 | 14 | 78 on 15th |
| Balmoral | W. T. Sams | 175 | 8 | 48 on 15th |
| Fairlie | Mrs. Annie C. Bowe | 138 | 9 | 49 on 14th |
| Lambrook, Fairlie | R. E. Gillingham | 183 | 9 | 62 on 13th |
| Mary Burn Station, Mackenzie Country | Mrs. W. R. Day | 126 | 10 | 38 on 14th |

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SOUTH ISLAND—continued.

(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIROURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS—continued.

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|---|--------------------------------|------|----|-------------|
| Waratah, Albury | N. Spence | 177 | 10 | 66 on 13th |
| Kakahu Bush, Geraldine | Miss A. Thomson | 321 | 13 | 84 on 31st |
| Pleasant Point | J. Bishop | 146 | 8 | 46 on 13th |
| Timaru Reservoir | J. Courtney | 226 | 10 | 74 on 15th |
| Hermitage, Mount Cook (2,510 ft.) | O. R. Cook | 716 | 10 | 261 on 4th |
| Benmore Station, Omarama | J. Sutherland | 163 | 6 | 68 on 4th |
| Otekaike | G. Benstead | .. | .. | .. |
| Otiake | Geo. D. Grant | 181 | 11 | 118 on 13th |
| Borton's Siding | T. Pryor | .. | .. | .. |
| Livingstone | T. Charters | 593 | 10 | 210 on 14th |
| Armore, Windsor | P. S. Shand | 279 | 8 | 120 on 13th |
| Totara Station, near Oamaru | J. Macpherson | 485 | 11 | 132 on 13th |
| Oamaru | J. Patterson | 436 | 8 | 158 on 24th |
| Trotter's Creek, Hillgrove | W. S. D. Trotter | 712 | 14 | 196 on 13th |
| Kawoo Hill, Maheno | A. Robertson | 323 | 8 | 152 on 13th |
| Bushey Park, Palmerston South | Mrs. Roderick McKenzie | 597 | 16 | 139 on 24th |
| Opoho, Dunedin (383 ft.) | J. W. Paulin | .. | .. | .. |
| Fish-hatchery, Portobello | P. Anderton | 535 | 9 | 146 on 24th |
| Whare Flat | R. McMeeking | 1479 | 17 | 405 on 13th |

(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT.

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|--|-------------------------------|-----|----|-------------|
| Paerau | Charles Cattnach | 500 | 9 | 176 on 24th |
| Great Moss Swamp, via Patearoa | Elizabeth Henderson | 300 | 8 | 119 on 13th |
| Eweburn Nursery, Ranfurly | A. W. Roberts | 180 | 10 | 65 on 13th |
| Naseby | J. Reed | 186 | 11 | 59 on 25th |
| Kokonga | John R. Peterson | 430 | 10 | 112 on 16th |
| Gladbrook Station, Middlemarch | A. McKinnon | 438 | 22 | 145 on 13th |
| Duntroon | James E. Tallentire | 202 | 11 | 100 on 14th |
| Mount Pisa Station, Cromwell | W. A. Scaife | .. | .. | .. |
| Luggate, Cromwell | C. W. Grierson | 188 | 9 | 90 on 4th |
| Manorburn Dam | James A. Begg | 175 | 11 | 51 on 14th |
| Queenstown | J. A. Algie | 293 | 9 | 100 on 13th |
| Lower Crawford's, Moa Creek | Robt. F. Smith | 140 | 9 | 56 on 13th |
| Galloway, Alexandra South | A. Gunn | 88 | 5 | 51 on 14th |
| St. Bathans | R. W. Noake | 284 | 9 | 105 on 13th |
| Clyde | J. S. Dickie | 142 | 9 | 62 on 14th |
| Roxburgh | Dr. J. R. Gilmour | .. | .. | .. |
| Balclutha | H. W. Kiernan | 628 | 11 | 205 on 14th |
| Owaka | W. Allan | 636 | 10 | 182 on 13th |
| Tapanui Nursery | R. G. Robinson | 573 | 14 | 183 on 13th |
| Waikawa Valley | J. H. Buckingham | 641 | 13 | 201 on 13th |
| Uplands, Waimahaka | Miss E. Middleton | 342 | 8 | 110 on 24th |
| Roslin Estate, Woodlands | J. D. Trotter | 335 | 14 | 143 on 24th |
| Hamilton Burn, Mossburn | W. Menlove | .. | .. | .. |
| Dipton | Miss H. E. MacLachlan | 347 | 12 | 104 on 13th |
| Bluff | E. F. Nichol | 378 | 17 | 85 on 24th |
| Nightcaps | James Ritchie | 405 | 9 | 120 on 24th |
| Rannock, Orawia | Wm. Lambie | 472 | 7 | 150 on 13th |
| Riverton | J. M. Geary | 358 | 7 | 114 on 23rd |
| Manapouri | R. Murrell | 472 | 12 | 190 on 25th |

(I.) ISLANDS.

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|---|----------------------|-----|----|-------------|
| Centre Island | Lightkeeper | 184 | 16 | 70 on 22nd |
| Stewart Island | W. Traill | 582 | 19 | 176 on 12th |
| Niue Island | H. Cornwall | .. | .. | .. |
| Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Islands | H. M. Connal | 205 | 15 | 72 on 8th |
| Chatham Islands | F. A. D. Cox | 519 | 30 | 55 on 2nd |

LATE RETURNS.

| | | | | |
|---|-----------------------------------|------------|----|-------------|
| Cuvier Island, July, 1913 | Lightkeeper | 281 | 16 | 75 on 31st |
| Taupo, July, 1913 | Rev. H. J. Fletcher | 411 | .. | .. |
| Porangahau, July, 1913 | Rev. F. E. Telling-Simcox | 153 | 4 | 75 on 13th |
| Tawataia, July, 1913 | T. H. Groves | 341 | 13 | 105 on 19th |
| Nelson, Suburban North, July, 1913 | N. A. McLaren | Incomplete | .. | .. |
| Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Islands, June, 1913 | H. M. Connal | 683 | 17 | 239 on 25th |
| July, 1913 .. .. . | .. .. . | 105 | 15 | 22 on 3rd |
| Niue Island, July, 1913 | H. Cornwall | 194 | 10 | 67 on 22nd |
| Chatham Islands, June, 1913 | F. A. D. Cox | 427 | 29 | 100 on 3rd |

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Land in Nelson Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 23rd September, 1913.
NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the undermentioned land having been forfeited by resolution of the Nelson Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

| Tenure. | Section. | Block. | District. | Area. | Formerly held by |
|---------|----------|--------|-----------|---------------------|---------------------|
| R.L. | 7 | II | Pakawau | A. R. P. 49 0 24 | Wiggo Peter Lumbye. |

H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands

Land in Marlborough Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 23rd September, 1913.
NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the undermentioned land having been forfeited by resolution of the Marlborough Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

| Tenure. | Lease No. | Section. | Block. | District. | Formerly held by | Reason for Forfeiture. |
|---------|-----------|----------|--------|-----------|------------------|------------------------|
| O.R.P. | 72 | 3 | VII | Heringa | Thomas Leeson | At lessee's request. |

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Lands in Otanomomo Settlement, Otago Land District, for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 23rd September, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 11th November, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—CLUTHA COUNTY.—CLUTHA SURVEY DISTRICT.—OTANOMOMO SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

| Section. | Area. | Capital Value. | | Half-yearly Rental. | |
|----------|----------|----------------|-------|---------------------|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| 7A | 91 3 34 | 1,820 | 0 0 | 40 | 19 0 |
| 8A | 71 1 37 | 1,290 | 0 0 | 28 | 16 0 |
| 10A | 105 1 16 | 2,580 | 0 0 | 58 | 1 0 |
| 11A | 78 0 0 | 1,900 | 0 0 | 42 | 15 0 |
| 12A | 71 2 38 | 1,620 | 0 0 | 36 | 9 0 |
| 14A | 73 3 21 | 1,460 | 0 0 | 32 | 17 0 |
| 15A | 79 3 39 | 1,580 | 0 0 | 35 | 11 0 |
| 16A | 87 3 32 | 1,820 | 0 0 | 40 | 19 0 |
| 17A | 77 0 30 | 1,320 | 0 0 | 29 | 14 0 |
| 18A | 65 1 30 | 1,110 | 0 0 | 24 | 19 6 |
| 21A | 94 2 18 | 1,420 | 0 0 | 31 | 19 0 |
| 22A | 70 2 26 | 1,000 | 0 0 | 22 | 10 0 |

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements included in the capital values of the allotments consist of boundary and internal fences and ditches valued as follows: Section 7A, £52 5s.; Section 8A,

£36 17s.; Section 10A, £62; Section 11A, £56 5s.; Section 12A, £48 10s.; Section 14A, £13 4s.; Section 15A, £13 12s.; Section 16A, £15 4s.; Section 17A, £21 12s.; Section 18A, £16; Section 21A, £63 5s.; Section 22A, £35 12s.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

Otanomomo Settlement is situated near the coast, between the Molyneux and Puerua Rivers. The land is flat, and is only a few feet above sea-level. It is rich swamp land, suitable for dairying. Originally a flax swamp, it has now, by cutting and burning off the flax, by draining and by surface sowing, been brought to a state fit for cultivation. Parts have already been broken up, and good crops and grass grown. A large amount of draining has been done, and there are some good fences on the ground, both of which have been utilized as far as possible for allotment boundaries. The soil is first class, but will be at first somewhat difficult to work owing to the amount of timber in the ground.

The settlement is about six miles from Balclutha by formed road partly metalled, and the nearest railway-station is Otanomomo, on the Balclutha—Catlins River line, a mile and a half away. At the south-east corner of the settlement the Puerua River is bridged, giving access to Port Molyneux, just across the river. At this township there is a school and post and telegraph office. There is a creamery close to the settlement.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

E. W. WILMOT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Taranaki Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 23rd September, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction for cash at this office at 11 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, the 18th November,

1913, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—TARANAKI COUNTY.—BLOCK IV, PARITUTU SURVEY DISTRICT.—SPOTSWOOD SETTLEMENT.

Rural Land.

| Section. | Area. | | | Upset Price. | | | Section. | Area. | | | Upset Price. | | |
|----------|-------|----|----|--------------|----|----|----------|-------|----|----|--------------|----|----|
| | A. | R. | P. | £ | s. | d. | | A. | R. | P. | £ | s. | d. |
| 30, 34 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 80 | 0 | 0 | 37 | 1 | 0 | 26 | 50 | 0 | 0 |
| 31 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 90 | 0 | 0 | 101 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| 32 | 1 | 0 | 32 | 80 | 0 | 0 | 102 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| 33 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 90 | 0 | 0 | 27, 107 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 80 | 0 | 0 |

These sections are situated in the northern part of the Spotswood Settlement, about two miles and a half from New Plymouth, and half to three-quarters of a mile from the Breakwater (Port of New Plymouth). Sections 30 and 34 comprise gently rising and undulating land, about three-quarters being in old grass, the remainder at the back being in furze and lupin. Sections 31 and 32 comprise easy slopes on the immediate frontages, falling somewhat steeply to the Hongihongi Stream; all in grass. Section 33 is fairly flat on frontage, rises slightly to the south-east, and then falls steeply to the Hongihongi Stream; all in grass. About two-thirds of Section 37 towards the front is gently rising land in oat stubble and coarse grass, the remainder being furze and fern intermixed with grass, &c. Sections 101 and 102 comprise broken sloping land, in rough grass, fern, and scattered furze. Sections 27 and 107 consist of somewhat steeply falling rough grass land, with fern and lupin; about half the frontage of Section 107 is flat. The soil of the sections is generally good, being generally a sandy loam on a kind of free-clay formation.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Balachraggan Settlement, Auckland Land District, for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 23rd September, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease under the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908; and applications will be received at this office and at the Theatre Royal, Te Aroha, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 3rd November, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—OHINEMURI AND PIAKO COUNTIES.—WAITOA SURVEY DISTRICT.—BALACHRAGGAN SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | | | Capital Value. | | | Half-yearly Rental. | | |
|----------|--------|-------|----|----|----------------|----|----|---------------------|----|----|
| | | A. | R. | P. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| 10 | XI | 10 | 0 | 0 | 130 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 18 | 6 |
| 11 | .. | 10 | 0 | 0 | 130 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 18 | 6 |
| 12 | .. | 10 | 0 | 0 | 130 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 18 | 6 |
| 13 | .. | 10 | 0 | 0 | 130 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 18 | 6 |
| 14 | .. | 10 | 0 | 0 | 130 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 18 | 6 |
| 15 | .. | 102 | 0 | 20 | 1,410 | 0 | 0 | 31 | 14 | 6 |
| 16 | .. | 83 | 0 | 16 | 880 | 0 | 0 | 19 | 16 | 0 |
| 17 | .. | 83 | 0 | 16 | 980 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 1 | 0 |
| 18 | .. | 83 | 0 | 6 | 980 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 1 | 0 |
| 19 | .. | 84 | 3 | 26 | 1,190 | 0 | 0 | 26 | 15 | 6 |
| 20 | .. | 84 | 3 | 23 | 1,190 | 0 | 0 | 26 | 15 | 6 |
| 21 | .. | 92 | 0 | 34 | 1,270 | 0 | 0 | 28 | 11 | 6 |
| 22 | .. | 92 | 0 | 36 | 1,270 | 0 | 0 | 28 | 11 | 6 |
| 23 | .. | 97 | 0 | 15 | 1,300 | 0 | 0 | 29 | 5 | 0 |
| 24 | .. | 69 | 1 | 3 | 1,010 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 14 | 6 |
| 25 | .. | 97 | 0 | 4 | 1,190 | 0 | 0 | 26 | 15 | 6 |
| 26 | .. | 34 | 3 | 16 | 490 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 6 |
| 27 | .. | 34 | 3 | 16 | 410 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 4 | 6 |
| 28 | .. | 34 | 3 | 10 | 410 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 4 | 6 |
| 29 | .. | 34 | 3 | 10 | 410 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 4 | 6 |
| 30 | .. | 62 | 3 | 32 | 920 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 14 | 0 |
| 1 | XV | 96 | 3 | 33 | 1,030 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 3 | 6 |
| 2 | .. | 97 | 1 | 20 | 1,030 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 3 | 6 |

* Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £215, to be paid for in cash, or in ten years by twenty equal half-yearly instalments of £13 18s. 5d. Total half-yearly payment, £33 0s. 11d.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements which are included in the capital values of the sections consist of fences and drains as follows: Section 10, Block XI—Half-share in 13½ chains of fencing. Sections 11 to 14, Block XI—Half-share each in 6½ chains of fencing. Section 15, Block XI—29½ chains of road fencing, 34½ chains of boundary fencing, and 34½ chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £43. Section 16, Block XI—18½ chains of road fencing, 18½ chains of boundary fencing, and 18½ chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £24. Section 17, Block XI—37 chains of boundary fencing, 54 chains of subdivisive fencing, and 18½ chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £45. Section 18, Block XI—82 chains of boundary fencing, 19 chains of subdivisive fencing, and 57 chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £71. Section 19, Block XI—61 chains of boundary fencing and 21½ chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £35. Section 20, Block XI—42½ chains of fencing and 21½ chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £38. Section 21, Block XI—63 chains of fencing and 23½ chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £29. Section 22, Block XI—86 chains of boundary fencing and 57 chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £61. Section 23, Block XI—20 chains of fencing and 49 chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £32. Section 24, Block XI—75 chains of boundary fencing and 83½ chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £66. Section 25, Block XI—39½ chains of boundary fencing and 20 chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £25. Section 26, Block XI—54½ chains of fencing and 10 chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £23 7s. Section 27, Block XI—42 chains of boundary fencing, 10 chains of subdivisive fencing, and 32 chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £32 15s. Section 28, Block XI—20 chains of boundary fencing, 32½ chains of subdivisive fencing, and 10 chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £25. Section 29, Block XI—88 chains of boundary fencing, 10½ chains of subdivisive fencing, and 10½ chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £38. Section 30, Block XI—88 chains of boundary fencing, 64 chains of subdivisive fencing, and 18½ chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £66. Section 1, Block XV—39½ chains of boundary fencing and 19½ chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £24 14s. Section 2, Block XV—89 chains of fencing and 19½ chains of boundary drain; half-share valued at £43.

The improvements which are not included in the capital values of the sections, but which must be paid for separately, consist of: Section 30, Block XI—Homestead of six small rooms, with outbuildings, valued at £215.

DESCRIPTIONS OF SECTIONS.

Block XI, Waitoa Survey District.

Sections 10 to 14—Level land, six miles from Waitoa Railway-station. Section 15—Open land, six miles from Waitoa. Section 16—Level land, six miles from Waitoa; surface-sown. Section 17—Level open land, five miles and a half from Waitoa; surface-sown. Section 18—Level open land, five miles from Waitoa; 20 acres ploughed and grassed; section carries rough feed. Section 19—Level open land, six miles from Waitoa; 30 acres recently surface-sown; section carries rough feed. Section 20—Level open land, six miles from Waitoa; about 30 acres surface-sown. Section 21—Level open land, six miles from Waitoa; 20 acres of ti-tree felled but not burnt; balance rushes. Section 22—Level open land, five miles and a half from Waitoa; the section is surface-sown and carries rough feed; the drain now being constructed will take all surplus water from centre of section. Section 23—Level open land, five miles from Waitoa; scrub and manuka have been cut, but not burnt. Section 24—Level open land, five miles from Waitoa; 24 acres ploughed and grassed, 10 acres ploughed; balance in rape and stubble. Section 25—Four miles and a half from Waitoa; about 24 acres of high manuka, balance open land on which manuka has been cut but not burnt; there is about 20 acres of rough feed. Section 26—Level open land, four miles and a half from Waitoa; about 25 acres is at present in turnips, balance in grass. Section 27—Level open land, four miles and a half from Waitoa; 11 acres in grass, balance in turnips and fescue. Section 28—Level open land, four miles from Waitoa; all in grass, with some fescue. Section 29—Level open land, four miles from Waitoa; all in grass, with some fescue. Section 30—Level open land, four miles from Waitoa; 9 acres plantation, balance is subdivided and is in good grass; a drain forms the south-west boundary, all other boundaries being fenced.

Block XV, Waitoa Survey District.

Section 1—Level land, four miles from Waitoa; 60 acres manuka, balance in rough grass and wiwi. Section 2—Level land, four miles from Waitoa; covered with wiwi and short scrub; a good drain forms the north-east boundary.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

The settlement was formerly the property of Matthew Henry, Esq., and is situated about five miles from Waitoa Railway-station, on the Morrinsville—Te Aroha line. The access to every section on the estate is by formed road from this station, and the general quality of the land is first class. The average height above sea-level is about 40 ft. The soil throughout is rich loam, resting on a clay formation, and all the sections are surface-watered. In most cases the boundaries are either fenced or are formed by drains. The land on the western side of the estate is mostly surface-sown, and is rather low-lying, but a new drain is now being cut through this part by the Department, and this will effectually remove any surplus water. There is a large outfall drain on the eastern side of the estate, which gives a good outlet for all drains on that side. A creamery has just been erected on the north-west corner of the estate by the Te Aroha Co-operative Dairy Company, which operates largely throughout the surrounding district.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale or Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 23rd September, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or selection under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, either for cash, for occupation with right of purchase, or for renewable lease, at the option of the applicant; and applications will be received at this office, and at the Theatre Royal, Te Aroha, on Monday, the 3rd day of November, 1913, up to 4 o'clock p.m.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—OHINEMURI COUNTY.—WAIHOU SURVEY DISTRICT.—PART OF HAURAKI PLAINS.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | Cash Purchase: Total Price. | | | Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent. | | | Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent. | | |
|---------------------------|--------|----------|-----------------------------|----|----|--|----|----|------------------------------------|----|----|
| | | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| <i>First-class Land.</i> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 23 | XIII | 10 0 0 | 140 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 0 |
| 24 | " | 10 0 0 | 140 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 0 |
| 25 | " | 10 0 0 | 140 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 0 |
| 26 | " | 10 0 0 | 140 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 0 |
| 27 | " | 10 0 0 | 140 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 0 |
| 28 | " | 10 0 0 | 140 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 0 |
| 29 | " | 10 0 0 | 140 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 0 |
| 30 | " | 9 1 16 | 130 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 0 |
| 31 | " | 173 1 20 | 1,220 | 0 | 0 | 30 | 10 | 0 | 24 | 8 | 0 |
| 33 | " | 56 1 10 | 680 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 12 | 0 |
| 34 | " | 56 1 20 | 680 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 12 | 0 |
| 35 | " | 56 1 10 | 620 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 10 | 0 | 12 | 8 | 0 |
| 36 | " | 96 1 20 | 870 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 15 | 0 | 17 | 8 | 0 |
| 37 | " | 129 1 15 | 910 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 12 | 6 | 18 | 2 | 0 |
| 38 | " | 156 1 20 | 1,100 | 0 | 0 | 27 | 10 | 0 | 22 | 0 | 0 |
| 39 | " | 156 3 0 | 1,020 | 0 | 0 | 25 | 10 | 0 | 20 | 8 | 0 |
| 40 | " | 157 1 0 | 1,020 | 0 | 0 | 25 | 10 | 0 | 20 | 8 | 0 |
| 42 | " | 101 1 0 | 1,170 | 0 | 0 | 29 | 5 | 0 | 23 | 8 | 0 |
| 43 | " | 71 2 6 | 860 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 10 | 0 | 17 | 4 | 0 |
| 44 | " | 69 2 0 | 800 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| 45 | " | 60 0 0 | 720 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 8 | 0 |
| 46 | " | 57 2 10 | 690 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 5 | 0 | 13 | 16 | 0 |
| 47 | " | 60 0 0 | 630 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 15 | 0 | 12 | 12 | 0 |
| 48 | " | 70 3 30 | 710 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 15 | 0 | 14 | 4 | 0 |
| 49 | " | 60 0 0 | 660 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 10 | 0 | 13 | 4 | 0 |
| 50 | " | 59 2 0 | 630 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 15 | 0 | 12 | 12 | 0 |
| <i>Second-class Land.</i> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 32 | XIII | 160 0 0 | 720 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 8 | 0 |
| 41 | " | 289 0 0 | 1,450 | 0 | 0 | 36 | 5 | 0 | 29 | 0 | 0 |

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements which are included in the capital value of the sections are as follows: Section 31—Half-share in

about 85 chains of drain on south-eastern boundary. Section 33—Half-share in about 49 chains of drain on north-western boundary; also half-share in about 11 chains of drain on eastern boundary. Section 34—Half-share in about 12 chains of drain on eastern boundary. Section 35—Half-share in about 12 chains of drain on eastern boundary. Section 36—Half-share in about 34 chains of drain on eastern boundary. Section 38—Half-share in about 78 chains of drain on southern boundary. Section 39—Half-share in about 78 chains of drain on northern boundary. Section 40—Half-share in about 79 chains of drain on southern boundary. Section 41—Half-share in about 79 chains of drain on northern boundary; also whole of 87 chains of drain on southern boundary. Section 42—Whole of about 10 chains of surface drain on northern boundary; half-share in about 20 chains of subdivisional drain; also full share in about 60 chains of fencing on northern boundary and along road frontage. Section 43—Whole of about 30 chains of surface drain, and half-share of 29 chains of subdivisional drain on southern boundary. Section 44—Half-share in about 20 chains of subdivisional drain on northern boundary; half-share of 15 chains of drain on southern boundary; also whole of 26 chains of fencing along road frontage. Section 45—Half-share of 29 chains of subdivisional drain on northern boundary; also half of 29 chains on southern boundary. Section 46—Half-share in 15 chains of subdivisional drain on northern boundary, and whole of 23 chains of fencing on road frontage. Section 47—Half-share of 29 chains of subdivisional drain on northern boundary. Section 48—Half-share in 13 chains of subdivisional drain on south-western boundary; whole of 12 chains of fencing on road frontage; and half-share of 21 chains of fencing on southern boundary. Section 49—Half-share in 29 chains of subdivisional drain on southern boundary. Section 50—Half-share in 42 chains of subdivisional drain on western and northern boundaries, and also full share in 10 chains of drain on southern boundary.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

All the sections are situated at the edge of the foot-hills lying to the west of the Piako River. The road access is from Morrinsville Railway-station, distant about twenty-four miles by the Morrinsville—Waitakaruru Road, which is formed for dray traffic for the whole distance. The Waikaka Tramway Road, which is at the present time under construction, leads to the Piako River, one mile and thirty chains from the eastern boundary of the block. At this point on the river there is a wharf, to which launches from Thames (about twenty-three miles down the river) deliver goods at regular intervals. The road to Waitakaruru, twenty miles from the Waikaka Tramway Road, is formed for dray traffic for about eight miles, after which there is a riding-track for about four miles, the balance being formed dray-road. The gap of four miles of unformed road is at the present time under construction, and the major part will probably be completed during the year.

The land consists of partially drained swamp land and several dry spurs. The spurs are situated along the Morrinsville—Waitakaruru Road, and have a light soil, resting on a clay subsoil. Adjacent to the spurs are several rich alluvial flats, which are covered with cabbage-trees, manuka, and flax; but the majority of the sections consist of good and inferior peaty swamp, varying in depth at the present time from a few inches to several feet, and resting on timber and a clay subsoil. The sections are all situated above flood-level, and average from 10 ft. to 80 ft. above sea-level.

Sections 31 and 32 are covered with flax, rushes, and small manuka, the formation being rich peat on Section 31 and inferior on the frontage of Section 32. Sections 33 to 36 and 23 to 30 are covered with flax, manuka, kamaka, cabbage-trees, and scrub, the soil being of a rich peaty nature, resting on a clay subsoil on timber. On Sections 33, 34, and 35 there is a small patch of kahikatea and pukatea bush. The frontage to the Patetonga Road of Sections 37 to 41 is good, consisting of shallow peat, resting on clay and timber, whilst the back of these sections runs into deeper peat country. The vegetation on these sections consists of flax, raupo rushes, and scrub. Sections 42 to 50 are of excellent quality, the frontages to the Patetonga Road being all shallow peaty soil, resting on a clay subsoil and timber. Further back the country is alluvial, whilst the frontage to the main Morrinsville Road consists of several low-lying easy spurs, covered with fern and manuka, the soil being light, on a clay subsoil. With the exception of Sections 46 and 50, all the sections have a small area of kahikatea and pukatea bush, the balance of the sections, except the spurs, being covered with manuka, flax, cabbage-trees, makaka, and rushes.

All the necessary main drains and roads to sections have either been constructed or are under construction, and the same applies to all necessary bridges and culverts. There are main outlet drains along each road, whilst in addition

there are two large outlet drains, one being situated on the reserve along northern boundary of Section 37, and the other along the southern boundary of Section 41. In addition there is a small drain along the southern boundaries of Sections 42 and 43 and 44 and 45; also along the western and southern boundaries of Section 50. It is intended to construct drains on the southern boundaries of Sections 38 and 40.

The Waikaka Outlet Drain, on the reserve between Sections 36, 31, 32, and 37, carries good water from the Waikaka Stream all the year round; consequently a good supply of water can be obtained for stock. In addition, good water can also be obtained from the subdivisional drain on the southern boundary of Section 50, as this drain taps a creek rising in the hills.

At Waikaka there is a store and post-office, known as Patetonga, which has telegraphic communication with Thames over a private line. The nearest school and creamery is at Tahuna, some eight miles distant by formed road. A village (to be known as Patetonga) is now being laid out in the vicinity of the lands to be offered, and in due course will be put up for public auction. Creamery and school sites are laid off in this vicinity.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands

Land in Hawke's Bay Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 25th June, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be disposed of under the provisions of Part III of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 2nd day of October, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | Locality. | Area. |
|----------|--------|---------------------------|--------------------|
| 37 | .. | Mahia (rural sections) .. | A. R. P. 30 0 0 |
| 1 | II | Waiau | 121 1 8 |

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Milling-timber in Nelson Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 18th August, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned timber will be offered for sale by public auction at this office at 10 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, 9th October, 1913, in terms of the Land Act, 1908, and the Timber Regulations thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Sections 14 and 15, Block III, Wai-iti Survey District.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|----|
| 227,500 sup. feet of rimu, at 6d. per 100 ft. .. | 56 | 17 | 6 |
| 47,500 ,, birch, at 6d. per 100 ft. .. | 11 | 17 | 6 |
| 16,300 ,, matai, at 1s. per 100 ft. .. | 8 | 3 | 0 |

291,300 sup. feet. Upset price: £76 18 0

The sections are situated seventeen miles from Wakefield Post-office and railway-station—sixteen miles by good dray-road, balance by unformed road.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The right to cut and remove the timber will be generally in accordance with the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Timber Regulations made thereunder.

2. The purchaser shall pay the purchase-money as follows: 10 per cent. on the fall of the hammer, together with £1 ls. (license fee), half of the balance in three months and the other half in six months.

3. The purchaser shall have the right to cut the timber under license during the period of six months from date of sale.

4. The licensee shall not put, throw, or place, or allow to be put, thrown, or placed, in any river, stream, or watercourse, or into any place where it may be washed into a stream, river, or watercourse, any sawdust or refuse.

5. In the event of the timber not being disposed of at auction, applications may be received and dealt with at any time within six months from the above date of sale (unless previously formally withdrawn); provided, however, that the amount offered is not less than the upset price stated herein.

6. No compensation will be given, nor shall any be claimed, for any error, discrepancy, or misdescription whatever in respect to the timber, or in these conditions.

7. The attention of intending purchasers is directed particularly to clauses 9, 17, 18, 22, and 27 of the Timber Regulations, copies of which may be obtained on application.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 20th August, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 30th September, 1913.

Applicants will have to appear personally before the Land Board at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, at 10 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 2nd October, 1913, to answer any questions the Land Board may ask, but if any applicant so desires he may be examined by the Land Board of the district in which he resides.

The ballot for the section, if there is more than one applicant, will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, on Thursday, 2nd October, 1913, at the conclusion of the examination of applicants.

Preference will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years been twice unsuccessful at former ballots.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—ASHBURTON COUNTY.—CORWAR SURVEY DISTRICT.—AVENEL SETTLEMENT.

First-class land.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | Capital Value. | | Half-yearly Rental. | |
|----------|--------|----------------------|----------------|-------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| 2 | IX | A. R. P. 125 3 30 | 2,000 | 0 0 | 45 | 0 0 |

The improvements which are included in the price of the section consist of 186 chains of fencing, valued at £80.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans obtained at this office.

C. R. POLLEN,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Marlborough Land District for Disposal under Section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 19th August, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be disposed of under the provisions of section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on or after Thursday the 27th November, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | District. | Area. |
|----------|--------|-----------|---------------------|
| 21 | I | Orieri .. | A. R. P. 176 0 0 |
| 25 | " | Gore .. | 180 0 0 |
| | | | (approximate) |

W. H. SKINNER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands

Lands for Lease in the Town of Runanga, Westland Land District.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Hokitika, 19th August, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are opened for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 14th October, 1913.

The ballot for the sections for which there are more than one applicant will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Hokitika, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 15th October, 1913.

Preference will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years been twice unsuccessful at former ballots.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF RUNANGA.
Town Land.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | Capital Value. | Half-yearly Rental. |
|----------|--------|----------|----------------|---------------------|
| | | A. R. P. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1 * | V | 0 1 1 | 50 0 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 2 † | | 0 1 1 | 50 0 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 13 ‡ | XV | 0 1 0 | 40 0 0 | 1 0 0 |
| 7 § | XIX | 0 1 12 | 50 0 0 | 1 5 0 |
| 4 \|\| | XXI | 0 1 0 | 40 0 0 | 1 0 0 |
| 6 ¶ | | 0 1 0 | 40 0 0 | 1 0 0 |
| 10 ** | XXX | 0 1 0 | 20 0 0 | 0 10 0 |
| 9 | XXXII | 0 1 9 | 20 0 0 | 0 10 0 |
| 1 | XXXIII | 0 1 6 | 20 0 0 | 0 10 0 |

* Weighted with £10, valuation for improvements consisting of clearing and cultivation.

† Weighted with £1, valuation for clearing.

‡ Weighted with £5, valuation for clearing.

§ Weighted with £4, valuation for clearing.

|| Weighted with £2, valuation for clearing.

¶ Weighted with 15s., valuation for clearing.

** Weighted with 10s., valuation for clearing.

Runanga Township is situated at the State Coal-mine, about three miles by road or railway from Greymouth.

The valuation for improvements must be paid immediately the applicants have been declared successful at the ballot.

Full particulars may be ascertained and plans seen at this office.

H. D. M. HASZARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Taranaki Land District for Disposal under Section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 9th July, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on or after Thursday, the 16th day of October, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—OHURA SURVEY DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | Area. |
|----------|--------|----------|
| | | A. R. P. |
| 41 | XIV | 3 0 0 |

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Taranaki Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 2nd September, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under section 138 of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 4th day of December, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—MAPARA SURVEY DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | Area. |
|----------|--------|--------------------------|
| | | A. R. P. |
| 8 | VII | 448 0 0 (approximate) |

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Land in Auckland Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 24th June, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned Crown land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 2nd day of October, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—KAIPARA SURVEY DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | Area. |
|----------|--------|----------|
| | | A. R. P. |
| Part 2 | IX | 3 0 21 |

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land to be disposed of under Section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 8th July, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the land described in the Schedule hereto will be disposed of under the provisions of section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on or after Thursday, the 16th October, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.—ALTON SURVEY DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | Area. |
|----------|--------|----------|
| | | A. R. P. |
| 11 | XI | 15 1 32 |

G. H. M. McCLURE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Southland Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 15th July, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, 23rd October, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—HOKONUI SURVEY DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | Upset Price. |
|----------|--------|----------|--------------|
| | | A. R. P. | £ s. d. |
| 938 | XXX | 26 0 32 | 53 0 0 |

G. H. M. McCLURE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Marlborough Land District for Disposal under Section 129 of the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 26th August, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under section 129 of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 4th day of December, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—GORE SURVEY DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | Area. |
|----------|--------|---------------------|
| 26 | I | A. R. P. 345 0 0 |

W. H. SKINNER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 8th September, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned Crown land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 11th day of December, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TAURANGA COUNTY.—VILLAGE OF ATUAROA.

| Lot. | Section | Area. |
|------|---------|-------------------|
| 6 | I | A. R. P. 0 1 0 |
| 5 | II | 0 1 0 |
| 3 | III | 0 1 2-75 |
| 14 | VII | 0 1 0 |

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Southland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 15th July, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, at this office at 11 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, 23rd October, 1913, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—HOKONUI SURVEY DISTRICT.
Rural Land.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | Upset Price. |
|----------|--------|---------------------|-------------------|
| 938 | XXX | A. R. P. 26 0 32 | £ s. d. 53 0 0 |

The section has been cultivated and laid down in grass; light soil resting on gravelly subsoil. Situated about four miles from Riversdale by formed and partly gravelled road.

TERMS OF SALE.

One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, together with Crown grant fee (£1), within thirty days thereafter; otherwise the part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit shall be forfeited and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void.

Title will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1908. Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.

G. H. M. McCLURE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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Crown Land in Auckland Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 24th June, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 2nd day of October, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—ALEXANDRA SURVEY DISTRICT.—PIRONGIA PARISH.

| Section. | Block. | Area. |
|----------|--------|---------------------|
| 381 | XIV | A. R. P. 195 0 0 |

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Land in Auckland Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 24th June, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned Crown land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 2nd day of October, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TUTAMOE SURVEY DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | Area. |
|----------|--------|-------------------|
| 12A | V | A. R. P. 4 0 0 |

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Southland Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 18th August, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, 27th November, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—FOREST HILL HUNDRED.

| Section. | Block. | Area. |
|-------------|--------|----------------------|
| 359 and 360 | XVI | A. R. P. 321 3 16 |

G. H. M. McCLURE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Education Reserves in the Town of Patea and Suburbs, Taranaki Land District, for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 8th September, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for leases of the undermentioned reserves for terms of twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years, will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 29th October, 1913, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1910, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—EDUCATION RESERVES.

| Section. | Area. | Minimum Annual Rental. |
|------------------------------------|----------|------------------------|
| <i>Block XXVII, Town of Patea.</i> | | |
| | A. R. P. | £ s. d. |
| 9 and 10 | 0 2 0 | 2 0 0 |

The improvements on the sections are the property of the Crown, and consist of three sheds valued at £19, and hedges valued at £8.

Situated on Suffolk Street. Level land in grass. The hedges, except on road frontage, are well grown, but require trimming.

Part Section 42, Suburbs of Patea.

| | | |
|------------------|----------|-------|
| Subs. 31, 32, 33 | 0 1 23.9 | 8 0 0 |
|------------------|----------|-------|

The improvements on the sections are the property of the Crown, and consist of buildings valued at £50, and fencing valued at £3.

Situated on Victoria Street, about five minutes' walk from the Patea Post-office. Level land, most of which has been used for a garden, but has now run to waste. The hedges are in fair condition, but the fencing is not in good order.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A half-year's rent at rate offered, and lease and registration fees, £2 2s., must accompany each tender.
 2. Term of lease is twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for successive terms of twenty-one years.
 3. Rent of renewal lease to be fixed by arbitration. If lessee does not desire new lease at end of any term, land to be leased by auction. The incoming lessee to pay the value of the improvements, which is to be handed over to outgoing lessee, less any sums due to the Crown.
 4. No transfer or sublease allowed without consent.
 5. Lessee to cultivate and improve land, and keep it clear of weeds. Creeks, drains, and watercourses to be kept open.
 6. Interest at rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrear.
 7. Buildings on land to be kept in good order, repair, and condition.
 8. No gravel to be removed from land without consent of the Land Board.
 9. Lessee will not carry on any offensive trade.
 10. Lessee to give notice to Land Board before making improvements.
 11. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
 12. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated. Envelopes should be marked on the outside "Tender for Reserve."
- Form of lease may be perused and full particulars obtained at this office.

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Taranaki Land District for Disposal under the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 15th September, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on or after Thursday, the 18th day of December, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—MAPARA SURVEY DISTRICT.

| Section. | Block. | Area. |
|----------|--------|---------------------|
| 15 | XII | A. R. P. 170 0 0 |

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Education Reserves in the Town of Gore, Southland Land District, for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 20th August, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned sections will be offered for lease by public auction, for terms of twenty-one years, at the Courthouse, Gore, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, 7th October, 1913, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF GORE.

Education Reserves.

| Section. | Block. | Area. | Upset Annual Rental. |
|--------------------|--------|--------------------|----------------------|
| Allotment 1* of 23 | XVI | A. R. P. 0 1 11 | £ s. d. 7 10 0 |
| " 2† | " | 0 1 13 | 6 10 0 |
| " 3 | " | 0 1 22 | 6 10 0 |
| " 4 | " | 0 1 31 | 6 10 0 |
| " 5 | " | 0 0 32 | 4 0 0 |
| " 6 | " | 0 0 32 | 4 0 0 |
| " 7 | " | 0 0 29 | 4 10 0 |
| " 8 | " | 0 1 7 | 3 15 0 |
| " 9 | " | 0 1 7 | 3 15 0 |
| " 10 | " | 0 1 29 | 3 15 0 |
| " 11 | " | 0 0 30 | 4 10 0 |
| " 12 | " | 0 0 32 | 4 0 0 |
| " 13 | " | 0 0 39 | 4 0 0 |
| " 14 | " | 0 0 39 | 4 0 0 |
| " 15 | " | 0 1 1 | 3 15 0 |
| " 16 | " | 0 1 12 | 3 10 0 |
| " 1 of 12 | " | 0 1 20 | 3 10 0 |
| " 2 | " | 0 1 9 | 3 10 0 |
| " 3 | " | 0 1 1 | 3 10 0 |
| " 4 | " | 0 1 1 | 3 10 0 |
| " 5 | " | 0 1 16 | 3 10 0 |
| " 6 | " | 0 1 5 | 3 10 0 |
| " 7 | " | 0 1 5 | 3 10 0 |
| " 8 | " | 0 1 5 | 3 10 0 |
| " 9 | " | 0 1 5 | 3 10 0 |
| " 10 | " | 0 1 5 | 3 10 0 |
| " 11 | " | 0 0 34 | 2 10 0 |
| " 12 | " | 0 1 0 | 3 10 0 |
| " 13 | " | 0 1 0 | 3 10 0 |
| " 14 | " | 0 1 0 | 3 10 0 |
| " 15 | " | 0 1 0 | 3 10 0 |
| " 16 | " | 0 1 0 | 3 10 0 |
| " 17 | " | 0 1 9 | 3 15 0 |
| " 18‡ | " | 0 3 9 | 12 0 0 |

* Weighted with £10, valuation for stable.

† Weighted with £5, valuation for wash-house.

‡ Weighted with £110, valuation for five-roomed house, stable, and fencing.

Good building-sites, fronting on formed streets, situated 18 to 40 chains from Gore Railway-station and post-office.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A half-year's rent at the rate offered, valuation for improvements, lease and registration fees (£2 2s.) to be paid on the fall of the hammer.
2. The term of the lease is twenty-one years, without right of renewal.
3. At the end of term lease to be offered at auction for further term of twenty-one years at rent to be fixed by arbitration, the incoming lessee to pay the value of the improvements, which is to be handed over to the outgoing lessee.
4. No transfer or sublease allowed without consent of Land Board.
5. Interest at rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrear.
6. Consent of Land Board to be obtained before erecting any building or cutting up or subdividing the allotments.
7. Lease will be registered under the Land Transfer Act.
8. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions violated.

G. H. M. McCLURE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Crown Land in Southland Land District for Disposal under the Land Act, 1908.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 17th September, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of section 140 of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 18th day of December, 1913.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.—TOWN OF WAIMATUKU.

| Sections. | Block. | Area. |
|-----------|--------|-------------------|
| 24 and 25 | VI | A. R. P. 0 2 0 |

G. H. M. McCLURE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICE.

Special Sitting of Native Land Court at Opotiki.

Native Land Court, Wellington, 24th September, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that a special sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Opotiki on the 8th October, 1913, for the purpose of holding the inquiry authorized by section 28 of the Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1910, in respect of the petition of Kopu Erueti and others in connection with Tunapahere Block.

JACKSON PALMER,
Chief Judge.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

Meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 24th September, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board to be held at Wellington on Tuesday, the 7th day of October, 1913, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

At the conclusion of local business the Board will adjourn to Masterton and Hastings.

C. T. H. BROWN,
President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

| No. | Record No. | Nature of Alienation. | Date. | Name of Land. | Names of Parties. |
|-----|------------|-----------------------|-------------------|---|---|
| 1 | 1913/286 | Transfer .. | 29 November, 1912 | Tahoraiti No. 2A No. 20B | Te Mana Tawhai to John Thomas Wilson (T. H. G. Lloyd). |
| 2 | 1913/287 | .. .. | 29 .. 1912 | .. No. 2A No. 20C | Waiti Hori to Anna Karey Wilson (T. H. G. Lloyd). |
| 3 | 1913/288 | .. .. | 29 .. 1912 | .. No. 2A No. 20A | Hori Haira to Anna Karey Wilson (T. H. G. Lloyd). |
| 4 | 1913/290 | .. .. | 10 June, 1913 | Mangatoro 1A No. 3F, Lots 1 and 2 | Te Po (Porangi) Eriwhata and Eri Eriwhata to Leslie Pettit (Fitzherbert and McCarter). |
| 5 | 1913/293 | .. .. | 13 May, 1913 | Okurupatu A 3 No. 2B No. 3 | Hiria Raharuhi and others to Euphemia McKay (G. H. Cullen) |
| 6 | 1913/294 | .. .. | 16 June, 1913 | Okurupatu B No. 4B No. 1A | Waata Paraone and others to Henry Heathcote Mawley (W. G. Beard). |
| 7 | 1913/297 | Lease .. | 18 .. 1913 | Tahoraiti 1A, Section 3 .. | Horomona Ratima, trustee for Waikare Ratima, to Patrick Buckley (Fitzherbert and McCarter). |
| 8 | 1913/298 | Transfer .. | 17 .. 1913 | Okurupatu B No. 4B No. 1B | Huatahi Aporo and others to Ross Jackson (Gawith and Logan). |
| 9 | 1913/299 | .. .. | 17 .. 1913 | Okurupatu B No. 4B No. 1A | Waata Paraone and others to Louis Jackson (Gawith and Logan). |
| 10 | 1913/300 | .. .. | 17 .. 1913 | Okurupatu B No. 4B No. 1F | Ngarori Tamihana to Ross Jackson (Gawith and Logan). |
| 11 | 1913/302 | Transfer of leases | 18 .. 1913 | Pukerua No. 3C No. 2A No. 2 and Pukerua No. 3C No. 1E | Ringi Horomona to Isabella Wall (A. Dunn). |
| 12 | 1913/303 | Transfer .. | 19 .. 1913 | Okurupatu A No. 3 No. 2A No. 2B No. 3 | Hiria Raharuhi and others to Euphemia McKay (Pownall, Lavery, and Moran). |
| 13 | 1913/312 | Lease .. | 1 May, 1913 | Rotopounamu 1c 2 and 1c 4 (interest in) | Timikirangi Tunuiarangi to R. Gregory (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 14 | 1913/313 | Transfer .. | 1 July, 1913 | Mangareia D .. | Pamoa Tutere and Hunia Tutere to Emily Mary St. Hill (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 15 | 1913/314 | .. .. | 1 .. 1913 | .. C .. | Rupuha te Hirangi to Nora Mabel St. Hill (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 16 | 1913/315 | .. .. | 24 June, 1913 | Omahu 1B No. 3A .. | Rukarei Tamarakai to Hedley Vickers Clodd (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 17 | 1913/316 | .. .. | 6 .. 1913 | Wharerangi 8B No. 1 .. | Tirita Haukere and Hone Haukere to William Stanley Jones (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 18 | 1913/317 | .. .. | 28 .. 1913 | Matahiwi No. 4C .. | Hinetanaraia to Joseph Satterthwaite (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 19 | 1913/318 | Mortgage .. | 21 .. 1913 | Ohiti-Waitio 1E No. 4 .. | Teone Kere to John Holden, sen. (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 20 | 1913/319 | .. .. | 25 October, 1912 | Okoura No. 1 .. | Hoani te Whaiti to Lionel Lancelot Hitchings and Leopold Tocker Wakelin (Webb and Holmden). |
| 21 | 1913/323 | Transfer .. | 19 June, 1913 | Makuratawhiti No. 8B, Section 2B | Hori te Waru to Walter Manning (R. J. Staveley). |

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| No. | Record No. | Nature of Alienation. | Date. | Name of Land. | Names of Parties. |
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| 22 | 1913/324 | Lease | 9 July, 1913 | Tahoraiti 2A, Section 11 | Tangihare Whaitiai and Hoani Whaitiri to Tu Karaitiana (Fitzherbert and McCarter). |
| 23 | 1913/325 | Transfer | 10 „ 1913 | Te Aute No. 4A No. 1 | Meri Kirita and others to Colin Kinross White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 24 | 1913/326 | „ | 5 „ 1903 | „ No. 4B No. 2 | Makeke Pareihe and others to Colin Kinross White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 25 | 1913/327 | „ | 14 „ 1913 | Omahu No. 2D No. 7 | Heni Mokokino to Hemi Kupa (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 26 | 1913/328 | „ | 9 „ 1913 | Otuarumia B No. 6A No. 4 | Hami Whakahoa and others to Carl Fredsberg (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 27 | 1913/329 | „ | 5 „ 1913 | Pukemapou A (part) | Makeke Pareihe and others to Colin Kinross White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 28 | 1913/330 | „ | 2 „ 1913 | „ „ | Horomona Kirita and others to Colin Kinross White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 29 | 1913/331 | Lease | 12 „ 1913 | Pukehou No. 3 | Ruihi Pahi to Hani Pera (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 30 | 1913/332 | Agreement for sale and purchase | 8 „ 1913 | Mangatainoka 1BC No. 2A | Hare Pini Takirangi to Robert Beatson Ross (Blakiston and Blakiston). |
| 31 | 1913/334 | Transfer | 2 June, 1913 | Taumanuka 4B No. 2A | Meretina Kipa to Ernest Hopkins (Kirk and Rapley). |
| 32 | 1913/335 | „ | 15 July, 1913 | Piritaha No. 9A | Ani Patene to George McBeath (Kirk and Rapley). |
| 33 | 1913/336 | „ | 4 June, 1913 | Waiohiki No. 2B | Merita Ringa to Charles Dugald Kennedy (Kennedy, Lusk, and Morling). |
| 34 | 1913/337 | „ | 17 January, 1913 | „ No. 2E | Paora Kurupo and Porokoru Mapi to Charles Dugald Kennedy (Kennedy, Lusk, and Morling). |
| 35 | 1913/338 | „ | 1 July, 1913 | Rakautatahi 1B No. 1B | Hera Tipene to William Francis Wood (Kennedy, Lusk, and Morling). |
| 36 | 1913/340 | „ | 14 „ 1913 | Te Iringa A (part) | Ngahina te Ihi to John Cundy (Menteath and Ward). |
| 37 | 1913/341 | „ | 7 „ 1913 | Otuarumia B No. 6A No. 3 | Pinia Hineirangia and others to Carl Fredsberg (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 38 | 1913/342 | „ | 2 June, 1913 | Waipuka 3A No. 4D | Paora Tanatiu to S. A. Field (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 39 | 1913/343 | „ | 14 „ 1913 | „ 3A No. 4C | Tami Tongi to E. A. Field (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 40 | 1913/344 | „ | 1 July, 1913 | Karamu H No. 3E | Paraire Henare Tomoana to Taranaki te Umairangi and others (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 41 | 1913/345 | „ | 7 „ 1913 | „ B No. 1 | Horomona Waimarama and others to Ripeka Tomoana (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 42 | 1913/346 | „ | 7 June, 1913 | Pukemapou B | Rawiri Kereama and others to Colin Kinross White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 43 | 1913/347 | „ | 9 July, 1913 | Te Whareateate Puru (part) | Koputauake te Hoata and others to Colin Kinross White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 44 | 1913/348 | „ | 2 „ 1913 | „ „ | Horomona Kirita and others to Colin Kinross White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 45 | 1913/349 | Lease | 7 June, 1913 | Raukawa No. 3 | Rawiri Kereama and others to Norman Moore White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 46 | 1913/350 | „ | 9 July, 1913 | Tahoraiti 2A, Section 12 | Horomona Ratima and others to Tu Karaitiana (Fitzherbert and McCarter). |
| 47 | 1913/351 | Transfer | 24 June, 1913 | Papaaruhe 4I, Section 4 | Urania te Pou to George Priest (Dolan, Hallett, and Co.). |
| 48 | 1913/352 | „ | 23 April, 1913 | Patangata 4B, Section 2 | Hami Wehi and others to A. D. Priest (Dolan, Hallett, and Co.). |
| 49 | 1913/358 | Lease | 9 July, 1913 | Tahoraiti 2A, Section 10, Lot 3 | Pani Hirai to Tu Karaitiana (Fitzherbert and McCarter). |
| 50 | 1913/359 | Mortgage | 28 June, 1913 | Parangarahu No. 1A No. 2, and Parangarahu No. 1A No. 1 (part) | Emma te Puni (otherwise Emma Morrison) to the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company (Limited), (E. Stafford). |
| 51 | 1913/362 | Transfer | 18 July, 1913 | Parangarahu No. 1B No. 3 | Iwa te Puni to Emma Morrison (O. and R. Beere). |

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|-----|------------|-----------------------|-----------------|---|---|
| 52 | 1913/365 | Lease | 17 June, 1913 | Himitangi 2B No. 1c, Section 2 | Ritia Hori te Waru and others to Alice Barber (Field and Luckie). |
| 53 | 1913/369 | " | 16 " 1913 | Rotopounamu No. 1c No. 1 | Porokoru Tiakipou to R. Gregory (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 54 | 1913/370 | " | 16 " 1913 | " No. 1c No. 2 | Rangi Manaena to R. Gregory (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 55 | 1913/371 | Transfer | 19 July, 1913 | Whakakoro A No. 2 | Iraia Karauria to Arthur Alexander Hollis (T. W. Lewis). |
| 56 | 1913/372 | Lease | 19 " 1913 | Pukehou 5L No. 1B | Wiremu Otene te Umakaihau Taipua to Reginald Michael Burdett D'Ath (G. H. Harper). |
| 57 | 1913/373 | Mortgage | 19 " 1913 | Ngakaroro 1A, Section 6B | Matenga Noroati to George Herbert Harper (G. H. Harper). |
| 58 | 1913/374 | Transfer | 24 April, 1913 | Otaki Township, Sections 131 and 133 | Pene Kotene to Tame Kotene (G. H. Harper). |
| 59 | 1913/375 | " | 6 June, 1913 | Ngakaroro 3c No. 5B | Akuhata Pango and Kapo Pango to Reginald Michael Burdett. |
| 60 | 1913/376 | " | 10 July, 1913 | Horowhenua 11B No. 36, No. 2L No. 2 | Wharepumi Hetariki and others to James Leydon (G. H. Harper). |
| 61 | 1913/377 | Lease | 19 " 1913 | Tahoraiti 2A, Section 6 (part) | Whangakau Kuiti and Te Aroha Kuiti to Edward Cook (Fitzherbert and McCarter). |
| 62 | 1913/378 | Transfer | 19 " 1913 | Tahoraiti 2A, Section 2 (part) | Kairama Pirihiira to Margaret Rathbone (Fitzherbert and McCarter). |
| 63 | 1913/380 | " | 7 June, 1913 | Otarata No. 2A, Section 1 | Ratana Whanako to Arthur Alexander Hollis (T. W. Lewis). |
| 64 | 1913/381 | " | 21 " 1913 | " No. 2A, Section 4 | Amio Whanako to Arthur Alexander Hollis (T. W. Lewis). |
| 65 | 1913/382 | Lease | 28 May, 1913 | " No. 2B, Section 1 | Hirini Hauwaho to Arthur Alexander Hollis (T. W. Lewis). |
| 66 | 1913/383 | Transfer | 31 1913 | Waipuka No. 2A | Tu Tiakitai to Emily Beatrice Powdrell (T. W. Lewis). |
| 67 | 1913/384 | " | 5 July, 1913 | Kohurau No. 2B (part) | Pani Karauria to David Lumsden (T. W. Lewis). |
| 68 | 1913/385 | " | 28 June, 1913 | " " " | Erena Karauria to David Lumsden (T. W. Lewis). |
| 69 | 1913/386 | " | 29 May, 1913 | " " " | Iraia Karauria to David Lumsden (T. W. Lewis). |
| 70 | 1913/387 | Lease | 28 June, 1913 | Puninga No. 4B (part) | Ngamihi te Kehu to Horare Ian Simpson (T. W. Lewis). |
| 71 | 1913/388 | Transfer | 28 May, 1913 | " " " | Takurua te Kuru to George Bulled (T. W. Lewis). |
| 72 | 1913/389 | Lease | 18 June, 1913 | Rotopounamu Nos. 2E, 2F, and 2B No. 3 | Hinetaurara to Horace Ian Simpson (T. W. Lewis). |
| 73 | 1913/391 | Transfer | 25 April, 1913 | Himatangi No. 5, Section 1c | Amiria Nepe to Percy Robert Siggs (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers). |
| 74 | 1913/392 | " | 9 July, 1913 | Hauganoaiho No. 2 | Pumipi Matenga te Hiko and another to Charles Bell (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers). |
| 75 | 1913/393 | " | 15 March, 1913 | Manawatu - Kukutauaki 4c No. 5A, Section 1E, No. 1 (part) | Hokinga Karehana te Whena to Loeta Constance Drake (Bell, Bully, Bell, and Myers). |
| 76 | 1913/395 | Mortgage | 19 " 1913 | Ohiti-Waitio No. 1c | Pirika Toatoa and others to Harold Crispe Mellsop (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers). |
| 77 | 1913/397 | Lease | 28 April, 1913 | Horowhenua 11A No. 15 | Tamati Hetarika and others to Walter Ryder (W. S. Park). |
| 78 | 1913/399 | Transfer | 11 " 1913 | Tahoraiti 1D, Lot 1 | Hana Waitiri to James McDermott (Fitzherbert and McCarter). |
| 79 | 1913/400 | " | 11 June, 1913 | Okurupatu Subdivision B, No. 4B No. 2 | Hakaraia Hariatiera to Gerald Mawley (W. G. Beard). |
| 80 | 1913/401 | " | — January, 1913 | Mangatainoka K No. 2 | John Herbert Hankins and Walter Rutherford, as trustees for Ereni te Awe Awe, to Robert Dougherty and Patrick Augustus Dougherty (W. G. Beard). |
| 81 | 1913/402 | Lease | 19 June, 1913 | Wainuioru B and 1c, and Tahuroa C (part) | Horiana Natanahira to William Robert Percy Cooper (W. G. Beard). |
| 82 | 1913/403 | " | 19 " 1913 | Tahuroa C (part) | Horiana Natanahira to Alice Maud Mary Cooper (W. G. Beard). |
| 83 | 1913/404 | Transfer | 18 July, 1913 | Ahitainga Subdivision No. 4A No. 1 | Kawana Wi Tinitara to Bartholomew Culloty (W. G. Beard). |
| 84 | 1913/408 | " | 26 May, 1913 | Otawhao A No. 3, Section 54 (part) | Hori Tupaca to Rose Jane Prescott (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams). |
| 85 | 1913/409 | " | 3 June, 1913 | Peka Peka No. 2A (part) | Kani Hori to the Paki Paki Brick and Lime Company (Limited), (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams). |

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| 86 | 1913/410 | Transfer | 16 June, 1913 | Wharerangi No. 6B, Section 4A | Hemi Nuku to Charles Codd (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams). |
| 87 | 1913/411 | " | 21 " 1913 | Otawhao A No. 9 (part) | Rarati Hineirangia to Rose Jane Prescott (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams). |
| 88 | 1913/415 | " | 31 May, 1913 | Rangitikei-Manawatu B No. 4 (part) | Emma Heni te Rangiotu to Kenneth McDonald and Charles Edwards, jun. (Luke and Kennedy). |
| 89 | 1913/416 | " | " | Pukengaki No. 25 | Manuere Ngatuere and others to Olive Fitzgerald Jury (Izard and Weston). |
| 90 | 1913/417 | Lease | 21 April, 1913 | Himatangi 5A No. 10 | Hurunui Poriana and others to Ann Rachel Barber (Hawkins and Lockhart-Fitzherbert). |
| 91 | 1913/418 | " | 31 July, 1913 | Horowhenua 11B 41 North A 1, Section 1B | Te Rangi Maria and Noa Heremia by their trustee Kirihoa to David Edmond Porter (C. Blenkorn). |
| 92 | 1913/422 | Transfer | 30 June, 1913 | Pukerua 3A No. 4 | Ruta Maaka and others to Elizabeth Laing Gray (Field and Luckie). |
| 93 | 1913/424 | " | 8 August, 1913 | Tahoraiti 1D, Section 2 | Hoani Whaitiri to James McDermott (Fitzherbert and McCarter). |
| 94 | 1913/426 | " | 16 " 1913 | Mangatainoka J 4F No. 1 | Meri Ngawhiro to Peter Tulloch (Morison and Smith). |
| 95 | 1913/427 | Lease | 24 February, 1913 | Akura 3C No. 1C (part) | Ihakara Karaitiana to Elizabeth Isabella Buick (W. G. Beard). |
| 96 | 1913/428 | Transfer | 5 August, 1913 | Matahiwi No. 5B | Hiraani Tiakitai to Tame Tongi (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 97 | 1913/429 | " | 5 " 1913 | Ngatarawa No. 2D | Ngamotu Kowhai to J. T. Blake (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 98 | 1913/430 | " | 24 July, 1913 | Porangahau 1A No. 3A, Lot 1 | Amiria Nepe and another to L. White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 99 | 1913/431 | " | 24 " 1913 | Porangahau 1A No. 3A, Lot 2 | Amiria Nepe and another to D. F. White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 100 | 1913/432 | " | 24 " 1913 | Porangahau 1A No. 3A, Lot 3 | Amiria Nepe and another to F. White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 101 | 1913/433 | " | 1 August, 1913 | Mangareia, Section E | Wiremu Tutere to B. B. Lemon (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 102 | 1913/434 | " | 1 " 1913 | " Section F | Ratima Ropiha and others to B. B. Lemon (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 103 | 1913/435 | " | 1 " 1913 | " Section G | Wereta Tutere to B. B. Lemon (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 104 | 1913/436 | Mortgage | 22 July, 1913 | Ohiti-Waitio No. 1B | Warihia Rota to David Fidelis Scannell (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 105 | 1913/437 | Transfer | 20 August, 1913 | Waipuka 3A No. 4B, Lot 1 | Keita Tanatiu to E. A. Field (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 106 | 1913/438 | " | 14 July, 1913 | Mangatoro No. 1A No. 2A | Khipane Ihaka to Christina Watson Russell Rose (T. H. G. Lloyd). |
| 107 | 1913/439 | " | 15 " 1913 | " No. 1A No. 2B | Mori Ihaka to Christina Watson Russell Rose (T. H. G. Lloyd). |
| 108 | 1913/440 | " | 13 August, 1913 | " No. 1A No. 2C | Urikore Ihaka to Kate Lillian Rose (T. H. G. Lloyd). |
| 109 | 1913/441 | " | 14 July, 1913 | " No. 1A No. 2D | Kehu Ihaka to Kate Lillian Rose (T. H. G. Lloyd). |
| 110 | 1913/442 | " | 21 " 1913 | " No. 1A No. 2E | Raniera Ihaka to Kate Lillian Rose (T. H. G. Lloyd). |
| 111 | 1913/443 | " | 7 August, 1913 | " No. 1A No. 2F | Ihaka Rautahi, as trustee for Rahiri Ngatuna, to Kate Lillian Rose (T. H. G. Lloyd). |
| 112 | 1913/444 | " | 7 " 1913 | " No. 1A No. 2G | Ihaka Rautahi, as trustee for Hiraka Ihaka, to Agnes Isabella Macallan (T. H. G. Lloyd). |
| 113 | 1913/445 | " | 22 July, 1913 | " No. 1A No. 2H | Ranginui Ihaka to Agnes Isabella Macallan (T. H. G. Lloyd). |
| 114 | 1913/446 | " | 19 " 1913 | " No. 1A No. 2J | Te Motu Ihaka to Agnes Isabella Macallan (T. H. G. Lloyd). |
| 115 | 1913/447 | " | 22 " 1913 | " No. 1A No. 2K | Matene Ihaka to Agnes Isabella Macallan (T. H. G. Lloyd). |
| 116 | 1913/448 | " | 1 March, 1913 | Otawhao A 3, Section 64D | Te Kihiri-o-te-Rangi Nia Nia and others to Mabel Etta Wood (Dolan, Hallett, and Co.). |

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| 117 | 1913/449 | Transfer .. | 17 July, 1913 .. | Waikopiro 2B 2A, Section 1, and Tapairu No. 6 | Kaninamu Hona to Puhī Maihi (G. Hutchison). |
| 118 | 1913/450 | .. .. | 30 August, 1913 .. | Te Aute 3E No. 2 .. | Ekengarangi Hapuku and others to Colin Kinross White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 119 | 1913/451 | .. .. | 14 July, 1913 .. | Ohiti-Waitio No. 1E1 .. | Porokoru Kaweka to Makere te Ua (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 120 | 1913/452 | Lease .. | 30 August, 1913 .. | Horowhenua 11B, Sub. 36 No. 3F (part) | Rora Korako to Charles Blenkorn (C. Blenkorn). |
| 121 | 1913/453 | Transfer .. | 15 March, 1913 .. | Waimarama No. 1B .. | Timoti te Ahatahi and others to James Adams (T. W. Lewis). |
| 122 | 1913/454 | Lease .. | 26 April, 1913 .. | Sub. A, Section 542, and Sub. B, Section 544, City of Wellington | Arthur Piti Porutu to William Andrew Koster (D. R. Hoggard). |
| 123 | 1913/455 | Transfer .. | 9 September, 1913 | Himatangi No. 4B .. | Ieni Ropiha to Tonga Rangiheneua (Bunny and Ayson). |
| 124 | 1913/456 | .. .. | 23 August, 1913 .. | Whareama No. 884B .. | Tu Hirini and others to Arthur Stephen McShane (Pownall, Lavery, and Moran.) |
| 125 | 1913/458 | .. .. | 15 September, 1913 | Manawatu - Kuketauaki 2E, Section 9 (part) | Kireona Tupatahi to Samuel William Carter (Young and Tripe). |
| 126 | 1913/460 | Agreement for sale and purchase | 1 July, 1913 .. | Turanganui No. 3, Sub. 1 | Iriapa Rangitiki to Rina Ihakara (Gawith and Logan). |
| 127 | 1913/461 | Transfer .. | 4 September, 1913 | Rakautatahi 1B No. 1A .. | Kotua Maike (Hira) and others to William Francis Wood (Kennedy, Lusk, and Morling). |
| 128 | 1913/462 | Lease .. | 1 August, 1913 .. | Kaitoke 2K, Section 1 (part) | Hare Haira to George Macintosh (Fitzherbert and McCarter). |
| 129 | 1913/464 | Transfer .. | 23 .. 1913 .. | Otaki, Section 45A, Sub. 3, and Kiharoa No. 2, Sub. 4 | Kingi Hakopa and others to Honora Bright and Margaret Bright (Buddle, Anderson, and Bolton). |
| 130 | 1913/465 | Lease .. | 19 March, 1913 .. | Waiohiki 2B, Section 2 (part) | Merita Runga to Arapera Raupo (Dolan, Hallett, and Co.). |
| 131 | 1913/466 | .. .. | 18 August, 1913 .. | Ohau No. 3B and other blocks | Robert Ransfield to Annie Inge (C. H. Treadwell). |
| 132 | 1913/467 | .. .. | 17 September, 1913 | Manawatu - Kuketauaki 4D 1, Section 3C, Sub. 2 | Robert Ransfield and Ihaka Ransfield (Ranapiri) to Henry Fielding and Robert Maxwell Fielding (Kirk and Rapley). |
| 133 | 1913/468 | Transfer .. | 29 March, 1913 .. | Whakahokiatapano D .. | Wiremu te Kingi and others to George McBeath (Kirk and Rapley). |
| 134 | 1913/469 | .. .. | 14 July, 1913 .. | Patangata 4A No. 5A .. | Te Ao Rukiruki and others to Henry Lionel Priest (Dolan, Hallett, and Co.). |
| 135 | 1913/470 | Lease .. | 5 September, 1913 | Himatangi No. 1F (part) | Makareta Raimapaha and Wiremu Pakaki to Otho Barber (Field and Luckie). |
| 136 | 1913/471 | Transfer .. | 12 .. 1913 | Te Weraawhaitiri C .. | Ahenata Matene and Maata te Heipora to Annie Stella Willoughby (Field and Luckie). |
| 137 | 1913/472 | .. .. | 10 July, 1913 .. | Omahu 2C No. 1 (part) .. | Rora te Oiroa to Edward Renata Broughton (Bunny and Ayson). |
| 138 | 1913/473 | .. .. | 16 and 18 July, 1913 | .. .. | Wiremu Kaurepa Broughton and Tameteaiti Broughton to Edward Renata Broughton (Bunny and Ayson). |
| 139 | 1913/474 | .. .. | 5 September, 1913 | .. .. | Paramena Broughton to Edward Renata Broughton (Bunny and Ayson). |
| 140 | 1913/476 | .. .. | 13 and 16 Sept., 1913 | Waikikino No. 6 .. | Kohea Tahana and others to Margaret Cameron (Pownall, Lavery, and Moran). |
| 141 | 1913/477 | .. .. | 16 September, 1913 | .. No. 5B .. | Te Heke Hokotoki to Margaret Cameron (Pownall, Lavery, and Moran). |
| 142 | 1913/478 | .. .. | 16 .. 1913 | .. 2B No. 5 .. | Hiria Peeti to Margaret Cameron (Pownall, Lavery, and Moran). |
| 143 | 1913/479 | .. .. | 16 .. 1913 | .. 2B No. 4 .. | Tawhiro Renata to Mary Eliza Cameron (Pownall, Lavery, and Moran). |
| 144 | 1913/480 | .. .. | 15 .. 1913 | .. 2B No. 3 .. | Rangitaurira Hamuera to Margaret Cameron (Pownall, Lavery, and Moran). |
| 145 | 1913/481 | .. .. | 16 .. 1913 | .. 2B No. 1 .. | Materoa Hamuera to Margaret Cameron (Pownall, Lavery, and Moran). |
| 146 | 1913/482 | | 16 .. 1913 | .. No. 2A .. | Kohai Hoera to Margaret Cameron (Pownall, Lavery, and Moran). |

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| 147 | 1913/483 | Transfer | 16 September, 1913 | Waikikino No. 3A | Kohai Hoera to Margaret Cameron (Pownall, Lavery, and Moran). |
| 148 | 1913/485 | " | 19 May, 1913 | Horowhenua 11B 32 | Miriama Patu and others to William Batten (Harper and Harper). |
| 149 | 1913/486 | " | 18 August, 1913 | Ngapuketuru Sub. 5B (part) | Taiawhio te Tau to Pani te Tau (W. G. Beard). |
| 150 | 1913/487 | " | 5 September, 1913 | Okurupatu A No. 3 No. 2B 2, Sub. 2A | Wi Tinitara Hanita and others to Grace Shaw (W. G. Beard). |
| 151 | 1913/488 | " | 18 " 1913 | Okurupatu A No. 3, Sub. 2a No. 1 | Mereana Kingi (Heremaia) and others to Grace Shaw (W. G. Beard). |
| 152 | 1913/489 | Lease | 19 June, 1913 | Wainuioru B, Wainuioru 1c and Tahuroa C Blocks | Horiana Natanahira to Annie McLachlan (W. G. Beard). |
| 153 | 1913/490 | Mortgage | — September, 1913 | Lower Aorangi 3c 2B, Lots 1 and 4 | Manawaroa te Aweawe to James Bruce Beale (Gifford Moore and Beale). |
| 154 | 1913/491 | " | " | Manawatu - Kukutaauaki No. 3, Section 1A 1 | Aputa Tukumarū (Ihakara) to James Bruce Beale (Gifford Moore and Beale). |
| 155 | 1913/492 | Transfer | 29 July, 1913 | Himatangi 2A No. 7A, Sub. 1 | Wiri Wata te Rangī to Mabel Emily Beale (Gifford Moore and Beale). |
| 156 | 1913/493 | " | 29 " 1913 | Himatangi 2A No. 7A, Sub. 2 | Piki Eparaima and others to Mabel Emily Beale (Gifford Moore and Beale). |
| 157 | 1913/494 | " | 29 " 1913 | Himatangi 2A No. 7B | Pape Nikora and another to Mabel Emily Beale (Gifford Moore and Beale). |
| 158 | 1913/495 | " | 12 August, 1913 | " No. 1E | Noti Pineaha and another to Mabel Emily Beale (Gifford Moore and Beale). |
| 159 | 1913/496 | " | 16 September, 1913 | Pukengaki No. 1A No. 1 | Hare Rangitakaiwaho and others to Emily Maude Swanson (Izard and Weston). |
| 160 | 1913/497 | Lease | 12 August, 1913 | Te Weraawhaitiri No. 2B | Ahenata Matini and another to Henry Sidney Mason (R. Ward Tate). |
| 161 | 1913/498 | Transfer | 12 " 1913 | " No. 3D | Rihara Ihaia to William Munro (R. Ward Tate). |
| 162 | 1913/499 | Lease | 12 " 1913 | " No. 4A | Ahenata Matini and others to Francis McGregor (R. Ward Tate). |
| 163 | 1913/500 | " | 12 " 1913 | " No. 4B (part) | Areti Mahupuku and others to Herbert Henry Hawkins (R. Ward Tate). |
| 164 | 1913/501 | " | 12 " 1913 | " No. 4B (part) | Areti Mahupuku and others to Robert McGregor (R. Ward Tate). |
| 165 | 1913/502 | " | 12 " 1913 | " No. 5. | Arete Mahupuku and others to Herbert Henry Hawkins (R. Ward Tate.) |
| 166 | 1913/503 | Mortgage | 8 September, 1913 | " 2A, 5, and 4B | Maata Mahupuku to John Strang (R. Ward Tate). |
| 167 | 1913/504 | Lease | 12 August, 1913 | " No. 2A | Arete Mahupuku and others to James Edgar Mason (R. Ward Tate). |
| 168 | 1913/505 | Transfer | 14 July, 1913 | Wainuioru No. 1D | Niniwa Heremaia and others to Isabel Morison (R. Ward Tate). |
| 169 | 1913/506 | " | 11 " 1913 | Pahaoa 3A No. 2A | Te Hikonga Raharuhi and another to George Charles Summerell (R. Ward Tate). |
| 170 | 1913/507 | Lease | 6 September, 1913 | Okoura 5A No. 1 | Eruha te Maari to Arapata te Maari (R. Ward Tate). |
| 171 | 1913/508 | Transfer | 8 August, 1913 | Ohau No. 3, Section 20 (part) | Roha Wehipeihana to Thomas Hillard (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers). |
| 172 | 1913/509 | " | 10 September, 1913 | Otaki, Sections 177 and 185 | Haimona Ranapiri to William McKegg (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers). |
| 173 | 1913/510 | " | 12 and 19 August, 1913 | Makirikiri No. 3 | Hema te Ao and others to William McKegg (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers). |
| 174 | 1913/511 | " | 30 August, 1913, and other dates | Otawhao A No. 3, Section 28B | Hotene te Ruri and others to Norman Matthias Paulsen (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams). |
| 175 | 1913/512 | " | 13 September, 1913 | Otawhao A No. 3, Section 48A | Rupuha te Hianga and another to Norman Matthias Paulsen (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams). |
| 176 | 1913/513 | Lease | 11 August, 1913 | Te Weraawhaitiri No. 3A | Whakaangi te Rangī to William Munro (R. Ward Tate). |
| 177 | 1913/514 | " | 20 September, 1913 | Pahawai No. 18 (part) | Wharetaura-o-te-Rangitakaiwaho and others to Richard Robert Tilson (R. Ward Tate). |

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

| No. | Record No. | Nature of Alienation. | Date. | Name of Land. | Names of Parties. |
|-----|------------|-----------------------|--------------------|--|--|
| 178 | 1913/515 | Transfer .. | 31 July, 1913 .. | Wainuioru No. 1E .. | Miriama te Whare and others to Isabel Morison (R. Ward Tate). |
| 179 | 1913/516 | .. .. | 22 April, 1913 .. | Makuratawhiti 9A No. 1 .. | Ariki Hopihona to Robert J. Staveley (R. J. Staveley). |
| 180 | 1913/518 | .. .. | 8 August, 1913 .. | Ngakaroro 3D No. 3 (interest in) | Manahi Apiata and another to John David Howell (G. H. Harper). |
| 181 | 1913/519 | .. .. | 17 April, 1913 .. | Pukekaraka 4A No. 5 .. | Te Iwi Kooro to Tereturu Hamahona (G. H. Harper). |
| 182 | 1913/520 | .. .. | 13 September, 1913 | Otaki Township, Section 129 (interests in) | Ani Patihona and another to Catherine Robinson (G. H. Harper). |
| 183 | 1913/521 | .. .. | 20 August, 1913 .. | Pukekaraka A .. | Patuaka Tauchi to Martha Mary Taylor (G. H. Harper). |
| 184 | 1913/522 | .. .. | 22 September, 1913 | Himatangi 2B No. 1B .. | Kararaina Hohepa to Harold Barker (Field and Luckie). |
| 185 | 1913/523 | .. .. | 5 August, 1913 .. | Kehemane 2A No. 3 .. | Maata Mahupuku (Martha McGregor) to Harold Arthur Evans (Menteath and Ward). |
| 186 | 1913/524 | Lease .. | 24 June, 1913 .. | Manawatu - Kukutauaki 4E 2B, Subs. 7 and 8 | Tame Reone to Ihaka Ranapiri (C. H. Treadwell). |
| 187 | 1913/525 | Transfer .. | 2 April, 1913 .. | Ngarara West A, Section 19 (part) | Amapiria Tuku to William Hughes Field (Field and Luckie). |

APPLICATIONS IN TERMS OF SECTION 341 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909, THAT MEETINGS OF ASSEMBLED OWNERS BE SUMMONED.

| No | Record No. | Nature of Proposed Alienation. | Name of Land. | Proposed Resolution for Consideration. |
|------|------------|--------------------------------|--|--|
| 189 | 1913/295 | Lease .. | Puketotara No. 8 (part) .. | That the land be leased to William Thomas Jewell for a term of six years at a rental of 15s. per acre per annum (Innes and Oakley). |
| 189A | 1913/305 | Sale .. | Otuarumia A No. 2B .. | That the land be sold to Carl Fredsberg at a price of £12 per acre (T. W. Lewis). |
| 190 | 1913/310 | .. .. | Omahu 2A No. 2 .. | That the land be sold to Elizabeth Blake at a price equal to the Government valuation (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 191 | 1913/311 | .. .. | Pukengaki No. 16c .. | That the land be sold to Emily Jury at a price equal to the Government valuation (Gawith and Logan). |
| 192 | 1913/333 | .. .. | Akitio, Section 28 .. | That the land be sold to Sydney Claude Humphries at a price to be not less than £5 per acre (Cotterill and Humphries). |
| 193 | 1913/423 | .. .. | Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 3, Section 2c .. | That the land be sold to Charles Thomas Easton at a price not less than the Government valuation (Harper and Harper). |
| 194 | 1913/475 | .. .. | Hutt, Block 12, Section 7, No. 3 .. | That the land be sold to the Gear Meat Preserving and Freezing Company of New Zealand (Limited) at the price of £144 (O. and R. Beere). |
| 195 | 1913/484 | .. .. | Okurupatu A 3 No. 2B No. 2 .. | That the land be sold to Euphemia McKay for the sum of £27 per acre (Pownall, Lavery, and Moran). |
| 196 | 1913/517 | .. .. | Ngawhakakaraua 1B .. | That the land be sold to Theresa Alve at £32 per acre; or, in the alternative, that the land be leased to Theresa Alve at £1 12s. per acre for a term of twenty-one years from date (Gifford Moore and Beale). |

APPLICATIONS TO RECOMMEND HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR TO CONSENT TO MORTGAGE UNDER SECTION 230 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

| No. | Record No. | Name of Land. | Names of Parties. |
|-----|------------|--|---|
| 197 | 13/318 | Ohiti-Waitio 1E No. 4 .. | Te One Kere to John Holden, senior (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 198 | 13/319 | Okoura No. 1 .. | Hoani te Whaiti to Lionel Lancelot Hitchings and another (Webb and Holmden). |
| 199 | 13/373 | Ngakaroro 1A, Section 6B .. | Matenga Moroati to George Herbert Harper (G. H. Harper). |
| 200 | 13/395 | Ohiti-Waitio No. 1c .. | Pirika Toatoa and others to Harold Crispe Mellsoy (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers). |
| 201 | 13/436 | .. No. 1B .. | Warhia Rota to David Fidelis Scannell (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood). |
| 202 | 13/490 | Lower Aorangi 3G 2B, Lots 1 and 4 .. | Manawaroa te Awe Awe to James Bruce Beale (Gifford Moore and Beale). |
| 203 | 13/491 | Manawatu-Kukutauaki No. 3, Section 1A No. 1 .. | Aputa Tukumarū (Ihakara) to James Bruce Beale (Gifford Moore and Beale). |
| 204 | 13/503 | Te Weraawhaitiri 2A, 5, and 4B .. | Maata Mahupuku to John Strang (R. Ward Tate). |

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Auckland.

NOTICE is hereby given that HERMANN SCHORMANN, of Te Kuiti, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Te Kuiti, on Thursday, the 25th day of September, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 18th September, 1913.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Hamilton.

NOTICE is hereby given that ANNIE CROSSBY, of Rotorua, Restaurant Proprietress, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 30th day of September, 1913, at 10 o'clock.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 16th September, 1913.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Hamilton.

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES HANCOX, of Piriaka, near Taumarunui, Boardinghouse-keeper and Store-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 26th day of September 1913, at 11 o'clock.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 17th September, 1913.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is now payable in the undermentioned estate on all proved claims. Promissory notes (if any) to be produced for endorsement prior to payment of dividend.

Cooper, Edward David John, of Opunake, Contractor: First dividend, of 3s. in the pound.

ALFRED COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Stratford, 17th September, 1913.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM THOMAS CLEAVER, of Hawera, Share Milker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Borough Chambers, on Friday, the 3rd day of October, 1913, at 2 o'clock p.m.

C. A. BUDGE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Hawera, 20th September, 1913.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES GRUBB COLVILLE, of Greytown North, Bootmaker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Official Assignee's office, Wellington, on Friday, the 26th day of September, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon.

W. B. CHENNELLS,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Masterton, 17th September, 1913.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Christchurch.

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE KINLEY, of Rangiora, Dealer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Public Trust Buildings, 96 Gloucester Street, Christchurch, on Thursday, the 2nd day of October, 1913, at 11 o'clock a.m.

GEO. A. SMYTH,
Acting Official Assignee.

Christchurch, 18th September, 1913.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court, holden at Timaru.

NOTICE is hereby given that MARY CALDWELL, of Timaru, Confectioner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office at Arcade, Timaru, on Friday, the 26th day of September, 1913, at 2 o'clock.

ALEX. MONTGOMERY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

Timaru, 19th September, 1913.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 25th day of October, 1913.

4620. GERTRUDE MARIA WYNYARD.—Part Allotment 21, Section 17, City of Auckland, containing 12.7 perches (fronting Albert Street), together with right-of-way. Occupied by Auckland Drug Company. Plan 5618A.

5449. CHARLES JAMES TUNKS and FRANCIS ALFRED DALY TUNKS.—Allotment 451, Section 2, Town of Tauranga, containing 1 rood (fronting Cameron Street). Unoccupied. Plan 7779.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 20th day of September, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 29, folio 144, of the Register-book, in favour of TAMAI-WHUIA RAWIRI and two others, Aboriginal Natives of New Zealand, for Section 29, Block IX, of the Aroha Survey District, having been lodged with me, and application made to issue a provisional certificate of title, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue a provisional certificate of title accordingly at the expiration of fourteen days from the 2nd day of October, 1913.

Dated the 23rd day of September, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 25th day of October, 1913.

Application 4620 (Plan, provisional, 1294). EMILY CATHERINE WINTERINGHAM.—26.6 perches, part Ngaumutawa Block No. 33N, Tiffin Survey District. Occupied by Patrick Reardon.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 24th day of September, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the publication hereof.

SAMUEL WILSON GEDDES.—Sections 51 and 52, Block V, City of Dunedin. Unoccupied. No. 5112.

EVELYN ISAACS.—Allotments 8 and 9, being part Section 44, Block VI, City of Dunedin. Occupied by Annie Gray. No. 5113.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 19th day of September, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

C. E. NALDER,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1908, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

3003. JOHN JAMES WESNEY.—2 acres and 5 perches, part of Section 46, Block XIX, Invercargill Hundred. Unoccupied.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 1913, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

W. W. DE CASTRO,
District Land Registrar.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of "J. and N. Philips and Company (Australia), Limited," a company duly incorporated in Great Britain.

NOTICE is hereby given that the office or place of business of the above-named company in New Zealand where legal proceedings of any kind may be served upon it, and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered, has been removed to the offices of Messieurs Newburgh, Best, and Co., Public Accountants, Dominion Buildings, Cathedral Square, Christchurch.

Dated this 10th day of September, 1913.

W. S. NEWBURGH,
W. E. BEST,

Attorneys for the said company within New Zealand.

Witness to both signatures—W. J. Hunter, Solicitor, Christchurch. 719

AUCKLAND FIRST BATTALION BRASS BAND (REGD.)
IN LIQUIDATION.

THE final meeting of the above society will be held in Kent St. Bandroom, Newton, on Thursday, 25th September, 1913, at 7.30 p.m.

Business.—To receive Liquidators' report and balance-sheet.

738 P. ROSE,
A. W. TATTON, } Liquidators.

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, THOMAS HARRISON HORRAX, M.B., Bac. Surg. 1912, M.D. 1913, Univ. Edin., now residing in Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 20th October next to have my name placed on the Medical Register for the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar-General.

THOMAS HARRISON HORRAX.

Dated at Wellington, 19th September, 1913. 739

OPOTIKI COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION STRIKING ADDITIONAL SPECIAL RATE AS SECURITY FOR THE GENERAL ROADS AND BRIDGES LOAN OF £12,000.

WHEREAS the Opotiki County Council has been authorized by the ratepayers to borrow twelve thousand pounds (£12,000) for the purpose of formation, construction, and metalling of roads, the erection of bridges and making the approaches thereto, in the Opotiki County, the purchase of land required for the said roads, or any portion thereof,

and generally all things necessary or incidental to the execution and completion of the said works; the said sum to be expended in three successive years, and to be apportioned as follows:—

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|--|--------|
| Kutarere Road from Waitotahi Bridge to Nukuhou Bridge | £ 750 |
| Nukuhou Bridge to Waimana | 450 |
| Waingarara to Wainui via Nukuhou | 1,300 |
| Nukuhou Bridge to Waingarara | 200 |
| Wainui Bridge to Maraetotara | 350 |
| Road to Freezing works | 1,000 |
| Waitotahi Valley Road from Ohiwa Road to Cottrell's Gabriell's Gully Road to Conical Hill | 400 |
| Crooked Road from Waioeka Bridge to Paerata Ridge Paerata Ridge Road from Beach to Crooked Road | 250 |
| Verrall's Road from Waitotahi to Paerata Ridge Road Opotiki to Ohiwa | 200 |
| Bridge across Waitotahi River at Cheese-factory | 80 |
| Waioeka Road from town boundary to Maori Pah | 100 |
| Otara Road from town boundary to Tutaeotoko Stream Upper Otara Road from Tutaeotoko Stream to Pakihi Domain Road from Otara Road to Steele's | 370 |
| Road from Steele's to McGinley's Road along river-bank | 200 |
| No. 2 Cross Road from Waioeka to Otara via Dr. Reid's Road to reserve from Bishop's Road | 400 |
| Bishop's Road | 100 |
| Warrington Road | 75 |
| Waioeka Gorge Road from Maori Pah to Matahanea | 150 |
| Road from Otara Road to river past McGinley's and Wilson's | 450 |
| Opotiki to Tirohanga Creamery | 75 |
| Tirohanga Road | 700 |
| Tirohanga Creamery to Ross Ford | 100 |
| Motu Road from Waiawa Flat to Tauwhare Pukatea Tableland Road | 600 |
| Bridge and approaches, Waiawa River (East Coast Road) | 300 |
| Road from Ross to Omaramutu | 100 |
| Omaramutu to Hawai | 600 |
| Waioeka Bridge | 500 |
| | 400 |
| | 400 |
| | 12,000 |

And the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Board has finally granted the application for such loan at the rate of £3 10s. per centum per annum: And whereas the New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Office Superintendent is unable to advance part of such loan (namely, £3,000) at the said rate of interest, but can advance the same at the rate of £4 10s. per centum per annum:

Now, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and section 4 of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1910, the Opotiki County Council hereby resolves that, for the purpose of providing moneys sufficient to cover the increased payments in respect of such part of such loan (namely, £3,000), the said Opotiki County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one two-hundredths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the whole of the County of Opotiki; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such part of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until such part of such loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution passed at the ordinary monthly meeting of the Opotiki County Council held on the 8th August, 1913.

740 ALAN P. DAY,
County Clerk.

CHANGE OF NAME.

NOTICE is hereby given by William Barker Ramsbottom, Farmer, Emma Abel Ramsbottom, Wife of the said William Barker Ramsbottom, Winifred Ramsbottom, Spinster, Daughter of the said William Barker Ramsbottom, and Adrien Arnold Ramsbottom, Son of the said William Barker Ramsbottom, all of Bombay, in the Provincial District of Auckland, that they have assumed and intend henceforth upon all occasions and at all times to sign and use and be called and known by the surname of RAMSEY in lieu of and in substitution for the present surname of RAMSBOTTOM, and that such intended change or assumption of surname applies also to William Parker Ramsbottom and Lydia Isafrel Ramsbottom, Infant Children of the said William Barker Ramsbottom, and is formally declared and evidenced by a deed-poll under the respective hands and seals of the said William Barker Ramsbottom, Emma Abel Ramsbottom, Winifred

Ramsbottom, and Adrien Arnold Ramsbottom, dated this third day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and intended to be forthwith enrolled in the office of the Supreme Court of New Zealand at Auckland.
Bombay, 3rd September, 1913.

W. B. RAMSBOTTOM.
E. A. RAMSBOTTOM.
W. RAMSBOTTOM.
A. A. RAMSBOTTOM.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned EDMUND ANSCOMBE and LESLIE DOUGLAS COOMBS, carrying on business as Architects at Union Bank Building, Princes Street, Dunedin, and in the National Bank Buildings, "The Crescent," Invercargill, under the style or firm of "Edmund Ancombe and Leslie D. Coombs, A.R.I.B.A.," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said EDMUND ANSCOMBE, who will continue the said business under his own name at the above address; and the said LESLIE DOUGLAS COOMBS will be carrying on practice on his own account in Dunedin aforesaid at an address to be advertised.

As witness our hands this third day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

EDMUND ANSCOMBE.

Signed by the said Edmund Ancombe in the presence of—
C. C. Chalmers, Solicitor, Dunedin.

LESLIE D. COOMBS.

Signed by the said Leslie Douglas Coombs in the presence of—
A. J. W. Wood, Solicitor, Dunedin.

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WANGANUI COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF RESULT OF POLL ON PROPOSAL TO RAISE A LOAN.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the County of Wanganui taken on the 10th day of September, 1913, on the proposal of the Wanganui County Council to borrow the sum of £2,000 for the purpose of erecting County Council Offices and acquiring a site for same, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 69, and the number of votes recorded against proposal was 6.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.
Dated this 12th day of September, 1913.

W. J. POLSON,
Chairman.

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MAORI HILL BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESULT OF POLL.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of September, 1913, a proposal was submitted by the Maori Hill Borough Council to the ratepayers of West Ward of the said borough for raising a special loan of five hundred and fifty pounds for the purposes of street-construction and street-lighting within the said ward, and that the number of votes recorded respectively for and against the proposal was as follows: For the proposal, 17 votes; against the proposal, 0 votes; majority for the proposal, 17.

The said proposal is hereby declared to be carried.
Dated at Maori Hill this 6th day of September, 1913.

GEO. BUTLER,
Mayor of the Borough of Maori Hill.

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MAORI HILL BOROUGH COUNCIL.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of September, 1913, a proposal was submitted by the Maori Hill Borough Council to the ratepayers of North Ward of the said borough for raising a special loan of three hundred pounds for the purpose of street-lighting within the said ward, and that the number of votes recorded respectively for and against the proposal was as follows: For the proposal, 27 votes; against the proposal, 8; majority for the proposal, 19.

The said proposal is hereby declared to be carried.
Dated at Maori Hill this 6th day of September, 1913.

GEO. BUTLER,
Mayor of the Borough of Maori Hill.

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FRANKTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESULT OF POLL.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Frankton taken on the 27th day of August, 1913, on the proposal of the Frankton Borough Council to borrow the sum of £6,000 (six thousand pounds) for the purposes of liquidating the liabilities on the waterworks and electric light, and for further extensions of same within the Borough of Frankton or otherwise, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 75, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 10.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 8th day of September, 1913.

F. B. JOLLY,
Mayor.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NEW ZEALAND LAW SOCIETY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual general meeting of members of the New Zealand Law Society, provided by section 79 of the Law Practitioners Act, 1908, will be held on Friday, the 10th day of October, 1913, at 8 p.m., in the Supreme Court Library, Wellington.

F. HARRISON,
Secretary, N.Z. Law Society.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately existing between CHARLES TAZEWELL NEWTON and CHARLES WOOD, carrying on business as Sheep-farmers, under the style of "Wood and Newton," at Cheddar Valley, near Waiiau, in the Land District of Canterbury, was dissolved on the 14th day of August, 1912, by mutual consent.

Dated this 9th day of September, 1913.

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C. T. NEWTON.

CONSOLIDATED STATUTES.

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JOHN MACKAY,
Government Printer.

Printing and Stationery Department,
10th September, 1913.

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