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Lands proclaimed as a Road in Block XII, Waiwhero Survey District, Westland Land District.

[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 lessees of the lands described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Grey County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands described in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land proclaimed as a road:—

A. R. P.		
7	1	39, portion of Section 3121; coloured red.
9	0	22 " " " 13 " violet.

Situated in Block XII, Waiwhero Survey District.

In the Westland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. XVI/171, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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Land proclaimed as a Road in Block I, Tutaki Survey District, Murchison 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 and mortgagee of the Crown land described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Murchison County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Tutaki Survey District, described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land proclaimed as a road: 2 roods 5 perches and 1 acre 0 roods 15 perches. Portions of Section 7, Block I, Tutaki Survey District.

In the Nelson Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37737, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 thirteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in Nelson Land District declared to be subject to Section 127 of the Land Act, 1908.

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

WHEREAS the Land Board of the Nelson Land District has recommended that the Crown tenants of the lands enumerated in the Schedules hereto should be afforded relief, owing to exceptional circumstances over which they have no control preventing the profitable occupation of such lands:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section twenty-five of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1911, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare the lands enumerated in the Schedules hereto to be subject to the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-seven of the Land Act, 1908; and I do further fix four years in the case of the lands in the First Schedule, three years in the case of the lands in the Second Schedule, two years in the case of the lands in the Third Schedule, and one year in the case of the lands in the Fourth Schedule, from the dates mentioned in the said Schedules, as the periods for which the said lands shall be exempt from payment of rent.

SCHEDULES.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Date of Commencement of Period of Exemption.
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FIRST SCHEDULE.

(Exempt for Four Years.)

9	III	Burnett	1 July, 1913.
6	VIII	Rahu	1 January, 1911.
2	XII	"	1 January, 1914.
2	XV	"	1 January, 1912.
9	III	Lewis	1 July, 1914.
14	"	"	1 July, 1915.
4	I	Matakitaki	1 January, 1916.
1	II	"	1 January, 1915.
2	V	"	1 " "
3	"	"	1 " "
4	"	"	1 July, 1915.
5	"	"	1 January, 1915.
6	"	"	1 " "
1	"	"	1 July, 1915.
4	VI	"	1 " "
7	"	"	1 " "
6	"	"	1 " "
8	"	"	1 " "
18	"	"	1 " "
1	IX	"	1 January, 1914.
2	X	"	1 July, 1915.
11	IX	"	1 " "
12	"	"	1 July, 1912.
1	XIV	"	1 July, 1911.
22	I	"	1 July, 1915.
1	II	Una	1 " "
1	VI	"	1 " "
2	II	"	1 " "
1	VI	Matiri	1 January, 1915.
2	"	"	1 January, 1912.
25	XIV	"	1 January, 1915.
18	VI	Tutaki	1 July, 1914.
19	"	"	1 July, 1913.
3	VII	"	1 July, 1915.
4	"	"	1 July, 1912.
3	VIII	Maruia	1 January, 1915.
6	"	"	1 " "
7	"	"	1 " "
8	"	"	1 " "
9	"	"	1 " "
1	XII	"	1 July, 1914.
1	XV	"	1 " "
16	"	"	1 July, 1913.
19	"	"	1 January, 1911.
6	XVI	"	1 January, 1915.
19	IX	Aorere	1 July, 1915.
5	II	Pakawau	1 " "
7	"	"	1 " "
23	XII	Mount Arthur	1 January, 1912.
6	II	Wangapeka	1 July, 1916.
13	III	"	1 January, 1915.
14	"	"	1 July, 1915.
15	"	"	1 " "

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Date of Commencement of Period of Exemption.
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(Exempt for Four Years—continued.)

19	III	Wangapeka	1 July, 1912.
3	VI	"	1 July, 1915.
28	"	"	1 July, 1914.
25	VII	"	1 July, 1915.
3	V	Brighton	1 " "
4	"	"	1 " "
10	"	"	1 July, 1914.
12	I	Otumahana	1 January, 1915.
21	"	"	1 July, 1914.
1	II	"	1 January, 1915.
2	V	"	1 July, 1915.
10	VI	"	1 " "
10	IX	"	1 " "
11	"	"	1 " "
12	"	"	1 " "
2	X	"	1 " "
4	"	"	1 January, 1915.
32	XV	Oparara	1 July, 1915.
2	X	"	1 " "
35	II	Kongahu	1 July, 1913.
36	"	"	1 " "
3	IV	"	1 July, 1915.
1	V	"	1 " "
2	"	"	1 January, 1915.
3	VI	"	1 July, 1913.
4	"	"	1 January, 1914.
3	VIII	Mokihinui	1 January, 1915.
14	VI	Totaranui	1 July, 1915.
4	XIV	Takaka	1 January, 1911.
18	VIII	Inangahua	1 July, 1909.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

(Exempt for Three Years.)

2	VI	Howard	1 January, 1916.
6	X	"	1 January, 1915.
11	"	"	1 July, 1915.
12	"	"	1 " "
3	XIV	"	1 " "
6	"	"	1 January, 1915.
12	I	Hope	1 January, 1916.
13	"	"	1 " "
9	VII	"	1 " "
4	III	Matiri	1 January, 1910.
5	IV	"	1 January, 1915.
11	XV	"	1 July, 1915.
12	"	"	1 " "
11	VIII	Wangamoa	1 " "
12	"	"	1 " "
1	II	Tapamutu	1 January, 1915.
6	I	"	1 July, 1915.
7	"	"	1 " "
8	"	"	1 " "
9	"	"	1 " "
10	"	"	1 January, 1915.
2	II	"	1 " "
Pt. 3	Sq. 20	"	1 July, 1915.
5	II	Tadmor	1 " "
6	"	"	1 January, 1914.
7	"	"	1 July, 1911.
9	"	"	1 July, 1915.
10	"	"	1 " "
2	XV	"	1 " "
3	"	"	1 " "
13	II	Rintoul	1 " "
2	III	"	1 " "
11	V	"	1 January, 1915.
9	VI	"	1 July, 1915.
10	"	"	1 " "
14	II	"	1 " "
15	"	"	1 " "
6	IV	Gordon	1 " "
16	"	"	1 " "
17	"	"	1 " "
18	"	"	1 July, 1918.
3	VIII	"	1 July, 1915.
4	"	"	1 January, 1919.
5	"	"	1 July, 1915.
7	"	"	1 July, 1918.
8	"	"	1 July, 1917.
2	XI	"	1 July, 1915.
12	XIV	Waimea	1 " "
7	XV	"	1 January, 1915.
8	"	"	1 July, 1915.
23	X	Wangapeka	1 January, 1915.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Date of Commencement of Period of Exemption.
(Exempt for Three Years—continued.)			
27	XIV	Wangapeka ..	1 July, 1915.
25	"	" ..	1 " "
26	"	" ..	1 " "
1	XV	Motupiko ..	1 January, 1914.
2	"	" ..	1 " "
9	XIV	" ..	1 July, 1915.
12	IX	Motueka ..	1 " "
5	VIII	Waitapu ..	1 " "
6	"	" ..	1 " "
12	IX	" ..	1 January, 1915.
20	"	" ..	1 January, 1911.
15	XV	Takaka ..	1 July, 1918.
2	I	" ..	1 January, 1915.
23	IV	" ..	1 July, 1914.
24	"	" ..	1 " "
25	"	" ..	1 " "
29	"	" ..	1 " "
12	VI	" ..	1 January, 1915.
4	X	" ..	1 January, 1910.
3	XIV	" ..	1 July, 1910.
39	V	Inangahua ..	1 July, 1915.
17	VIII	" ..	1 January, 1910.
5	IX	" ..	1 January, 1915.

THIRD SCHEDULE.

(Exempt for Two Years.)

6	I	Hope ..	1 January, 1915.
2	V	" ..	1 " "
13	II	Tutaki ..	1 July, 1915.
14	"	" ..	1 " "
15	"	" ..	1 " "
4	III	" ..	1 July, 1912.
5	"	" ..	1 January, 1915.
5	VII	" ..	1 July, 1915.
4	IV	Maruia ..	1 January, 1915.
8	"	" ..	1 July, 1915.
11	VI	Tadmor ..	1 " "
2	XI	" ..	1 July, 1914.
3	"	" ..	1 " "
26	"	" ..	1 January, 1915.
29	"	" ..	1 July, 1915.
40	II	Motueka ..	1 July, 1914.
29	"	" ..	1 July, 1915.
5	VII	Hope ..	1 January, 1915.
6	"	" ..	1 July, 1915.
8	"	" ..	1 January, 1915.
6	I	Waitakere ..	1 July, 1914.
9	"	" ..	1 July, 1915.
8	IX	Waitapu ..	1 January, 1915.
9	"	" ..	1 " "
15	II	Takaka ..	1 July, 1915.
16	"	" ..	1 " "
2 of 54	IV	Inangahua ..	1 January, 1913.
25	V	" ..	1 July, 1912.
10	"	" ..	1 July, 1915.
5	"	" ..	1 January, 1916.
20	VIII	" ..	1 January, 1912.

FOURTH SCHEDULE.

(Exempt for One Year.)

4	X	Hope ..	1 January, 1915.
3	XVI	Lyell ..	1 January, 1913.
13	IV	Maruia ..	1 July, 1915.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block I, Rimutaka Survey District, Hutt 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 mortgagee of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Hutt County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Rimutaka 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:—

A.	R.	P.
0	1	28, portion of Section 212.
0	2	0.3 91.

Coloured on plan: Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 2 roods 1.6 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Section 91.
Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Hutt R.D., Block I, Rimutaka Survey District.

All in the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 35679, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 twelfth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block X, Waipara Survey District, Waipara 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 lessee of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Waipara County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Waipara 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:—

A.	R.	P.
0	2	9, portion of E.R. 20H; coloured red.
0	0	11.5 " "
8	2	23 " "
0	1	9 " "
0	0	27 " "
0	0	16.6, portion of R.S. 35171; coloured neutral tint.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	
0	2	28	adjoining or passing through E.R. 2011.
8	0	1	" " " " E.R. 2011.
0	1	7	" " " " E.R. 2011.
0	0	33	" " " " E.R. 2011.
0	0	13	" " " " R.S. 35171.
0	0	1	" " " " E.R. 2011.

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Canterbury R.D., Block X, Waipara Survey District.

All in the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 36350, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 twelfth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VI, Onewhero Survey District, Raglan 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 of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Raglan County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Onewhero 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 ROAD.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 3 acres 2 roods 12.5 perches.

Portion of Allotment 70A.

Coloured on plan: Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 3 acres 3 roods 16.7 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Allotment 70A.

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Onewhero Parish (S.O. 17733), Block VI, Onewhero Survey District.

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 36675, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 twelfth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Blocks XIII and XIV, Waitoa Survey District.

[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 the purposes of a road in Blocks XIII and XIV, Waitoa Survey District: And whereas all the conditions precedent required by law to be observed and performed prior to the taking of such land for the purposes hereinbefore specified have been observed and performed:

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, 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 purposes of a road; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	
4	0	13.6	portion of Lot 2, Section 1; coloured red.
3	1	17	" " " " " " " " purple.

Situated in Blocks XIII and XIV, Waitoa Survey District (S.O. 17481).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37861, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 twelfth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XVI, Matakoho Survey District.

[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 the purposes of a road in Block XVI, Matakoho Survey District:

And whereas an agreement has been entered into, in terms of section twenty-seven of the said Act, to take such land for the public work hereinafter set forth:

And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to issue a proclamation taking the land, 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, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, and being satisfied of the sufficiency of the agreement hereinbefore referred to, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the said road; and I also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 acre 3 roods 5 perches.

Portion of Pukehuia Block (S.O. 18261).

Situated in Block XVI, Matakoho Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37966, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 twelfth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purpose of paddocking Driven Cattle in Block XVI, Mangaoporo Survey District, Waiapu County.

[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 the purpose of paddocking driven cattle in Block XVI, Mangaoporo Survey District:

And whereas the Waiapu County 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 Public Works Amendment Act, 1908, and the Counties 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 purpose of paddocking driven cattle, and shall vest in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Waiapu; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect from and after the eleventh day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 4 acres 2 roods 11 perches.

Portion of Manutahi 2B (Poverty Bay R.D.),
Situating in Block XVI, Mangaoporo Survey District.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 36617, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured pink.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 twelfth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Allocating to the Purposes of Roads Land in Blocks I and III, Beaumont Survey District, reserved or taken for a Railway.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land reserved or taken for the purposes of the Lawrence-Roxburgh Railway, and it is considered desirable to allocate such land to the purposes of roads:

And whereas it has been certified by the Minister of Public Works that such land is not required for railway purposes: And whereas such land is situated in the Tuapeka County, the local authority of which has consented to the issue of this Proclamation, and appears to be the local authority most capable of conveniently and effectively controlling and maintaining the said roads:

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 section one hundred and ninety-seven of the Public Works 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 shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become roads, and that the said roads shall be maintained by the Tuapeka County Council in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Council.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land dealt with:—

28.4 perches, portion of railway reserve. Situated in Block I. Coloured sepia on plan.

2 roads 28 perches, portion of railway reserve. Situated in Block I. Coloured yellow on plan.

8.5 perches, portion of railway reserve. Situated in Block III. Coloured yellow on plan.

Situated in Beaumont Survey District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37542, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 twelfth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Defining the Middle-line of a Further Portion of the Kawakawa-Hokianga Railway—viz., from 21 Miles to 25 Miles.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS a portion of the Kawakawa-Hokianga Railway—namely, from Kaikohe to near Horeke (hereinafter termed "the said railway")—is a railway the construction of which is authorized by the Railways Authorization Act, 1911: And whereas the said railway has been partly constructed, and it has been determined to construct and maintain a further portion of the same:

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 Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the middle-line of the said further portion of the said railway shall be that defined and set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point in Te Taraire No. 2 Native Block, Block XI, Omapere Survey District, marked 21 miles, which point is also the termination of the railway described in a Proclamation dated the 31st day of May, 1915, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 70, page 1992, of the 4th day of the following month; proceeding thence in a northerly direction generally for a distance of about four miles, and passing in, into, through, or over the following lands, &c.—viz., part of Te Taraire No. 2, Block XI; Omapere 1C, Block XI; part of Omapere 1B, Block XI; Omapere No. 3, Block XI; Papakauri D, Papakauri B No. 1, Papakauri B No. 2, and Papakauri C; Omapere No. 1 (kauri-gum reserve), Blocks X and XI; Section 15, Blocks X and VI; Sections 30 and 22, Blocks VI and VII; all in Omapere Survey Dis-

trict; and terminating at a point in the said Section 30, Block VII, Omapere Survey District, marked 25 miles: including all adjoining and intervening places, lands, reserves, roads, tracks, lakes, rivers, streams, and watercourses: all in the Land District of Auckland. As the same is delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37906, 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 Grand Cross 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 twelfth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping Government Roads in Block XIII, Wairere 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 roads described in the Schedule hereto are no longer required for the purpose of roads:

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 roads described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road hereby stopped: 3 acres 0 roods 6·8 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Sections 10A, 26, 27, and Lots 1 to 7, Block IV, Waharoa Township (S.O. 17911). Situated in Block XIII, Wairere Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38150, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 twelfth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping a Government Road in Block VII, Patoka 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 areas of the pieces of road hereby stopped:—

A.	R.	P.	
0	3	30·9	adjoining or passing through Section 102.
0	0	0·01	102.
0	0	23·7	" 50.
0	0	34	" 102.
0	0	0·5	" 102.
0	0	0·9	" 49.
0	1	18	" 102.
1	0	23	" 102.
0	0	0·002	" 102.

Situated in Patoka Crown-grant District (Hawke's Bay R.D.); Block VII, Patoka Survey District.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38249, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 twelfth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping Government Roads in Blocks V, IX, and X, Hapuakohe 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 roads described in the Schedule hereto are no longer required for the purpose of roads:

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 roads described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road hereby stopped.	Adjoining or passing through Section	Situated in Block
A. R. P.		
1 3 12 8	244, C.L.	V.
7 1 26·2	247, "	X, IX.
0 0 3	251, "	X.
2 1 33·4	"	"
0 0 7·3	252, "	"
5 1 22·9	253, "	"

Situated in Taupiri Parish (S.O. 17590), Hapuakohe Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38218,

deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 thirteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as Roads, and Roads closed, in Avon Survey District, Wairau Road District, Marlborough 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 of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Wairau Road Board, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as roads the land in Avon Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the roads described in the Second Schedule hereto, which are not required by reason of the roads described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.
LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.
(Coloured Pink on Plan.)

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land proclaimed as a Road.	Being Portions of Sections	Situated in Blocks
A. R. P.		
14 2 18	7, 8, 11, Wairau Valley R.D. ..	III.
	12, Wairau Valley R.D. ..	IV.
20 2 17	9, 10, 12, 13, 14, Wairau Valley R.D.; 23, Waihopai R.D. ..	IV.
8 1 26	23, Waihopai R.D. ..	
11 3 7	23, 24, 25, Waihopai R.D. ..	IV, V.
7 3 23	25, 26, Waihopai R.D. ..	V.
19 2 24	27, 28, 29, Waihopai R.D. ..	IX.
0 1 13	62, Waihopai Runs R.D. ..	XII.
23 3 1	44, 46, 47, Waihopai R.D. ..	VIII.
	48, Waihopai R.D. ..	XIII.
0 2 11	67, Waihopai Runs R.D. ..	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.
ROAD CLOSED.
(Coloured Green on Plan.)

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road closed,	Adjoining or passing through Sections	Situated in Block
A. R. P.		
2 2 16	76, Bankhouse Runs R.D. ..	III.
6 2 27	74, 75, Bankhouse Runs R.D. ..	IV.
3 3 24	23, Waihopai R.D. ..	"
9 3 26	23, 24, 25, Waihopai R.D. ..	"
1 1 39	23, Waihopai R.D. ..	"
5 3 9	23, 24, Waihopai R.D. ..	"
35 2 17	25, 26, 68, Waihopai R.D.; 69, 70, 71, Bankhouse Runs R.D. ..	V.
0 3 3	26, Waihopai R.D. ..	"
17 1 37	27, 28, 29, Waihopai R.D. ..	IX.
9 2 10	62, 63, 64, Waihopai Runs R.D. ..	XII.
14 2 6	44, 46, 47, Waihopai R.D. ..	VIII.
26 2 30	48, Waihopai R.D.; 67, Waihopai Runs R.D. ..	XIII.
1 2 25	67, Waihopai Runs R.D. ..	"
0 1 28	67, " ..	"

All situated in Avon Survey District.
All in the Marlborough Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37251, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross 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 twelfth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Altering Boundaries of Ridings, County of Manukau.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Manukau County Council, by special orders made on the fourteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the third day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, altered the boundaries of the Howick Township, Pakuranga and Paparoa Road Districts:

And whereas the effect of such alteration of the boundaries of the said road districts is such that the Pakuranga and Turanga Ridings of the said county are not now in conformity with section twenty of the Counties Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"):

And whereas the Manukau County Council has not altered the boundaries of such ridings as required by section twenty-six of the said Act:

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 section twenty-six of the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby alter the said Pakuranga and Turanga Ridings, and doth hereby order and declare that the boundaries thereof shall be those set forth in the First and Second Schedules hereto respectively.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF PAKURANGA RIDING.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District bounded towards the north-east by the sea from the Tamaki River to Allotment No. 69, Parish of Pakuranga; thence towards the south generally by that allotment and its northern boundary produced to the middle of the road at its north-western corner and a line along the middle of the road forming the eastern boundaries of Lots 14 and 8 of Section No. 7, Suburbs of Howick, and forming the southern boundaries of Lots 8, 7, and 6 of Section No. 7 aforesaid, and by the middle of the road forming the north-western boundaries of Lots 4, 5, and 6 of Section No. 8, Suburbs of Howick, to a point in line with the northern boundary of Lot 5 of Section No. 12, Suburbs of Howick, by a line to the north-eastern corner of that lot, by Lots 5, 12, 4, and 3, across a road, by Lot 1, Section No. 12 aforesaid, Lot 8, Section No. 11, across a road, and by Lots 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, and 1, Section No. 11, Suburbs of Howick, and a line to the middle of Ridge Road; thence towards the east by a line along the middle of Ridge Road and the road forming the eastern boundaries of Allotments No. 73 and 79, Pakuranga Parish, to a point opposite the south-eastern corner of the last-mentioned allotment; again towards the south by a line to the south-eastern corner of that allotment, by the southern boundary of the said Allotment No. 79 and of Allotment No. 20, Pakuranga Parish, to the Pakuranga Creek, and by that creek to the Tamaki River; and towards the west generally by the Tamaki River to the sea, the place of commencement.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF TURANGA RIDING.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District bounded towards the north generally by the Pakuranga Riding, hereinbefore described, from the middle of Ridge Road near the northernmost corner of Lot 1, Section No. 2, Suburbs of Howick, to the sea at the north-eastern corner of Allotment No. 69, Parish of Pakuranga, and by the sea to the northernmost corner of the Maraetai Block; towards the east generally by Maraetai and Papeape Blocks, and the Wairoa Parish to the Pakuranga Riding, as described in the *New Zealand Gazette* of 30th May, 1912, page 1772; thence towards the south-east and south-west by the said Pakuranga Riding to the Pakuranga Riding aforesaid; and thence by the said Pakuranga Riding to the middle of Ridge Road, the place of commencement.

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

Authorizing the Exchange of a Primary-education Endowment in the Otago Land District for other Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the First Schedule hereto is vested in the Crown, in trust, as an endowment for primary education: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to exchange the said land for the land described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is deemed by the Governor to be of equal value and more suitable for the purposes of an endowment for primary education:

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, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section twelve of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that the land described in the First Schedule hereto may be exchanged for the land described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF RESERVE AUTHORIZED TO BE EXCHANGED.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 199 acres 1 rood 8 perches, more or less, being Sections 13 and 14, Block I, Kauroo Survey District, and bounded as follows: On the north by Sections 7, 6, the crossing of a public road 50 links wide, Sections 64 and 15, Block I, Kauroo Survey District, 5710 links; on the east by Section 23 of said block, 4170 links; on the south generally by a public road, 6214 links; and on the west by Section 12 of said block, 4253 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: excepting out of the said boundaries a road-line 50 links wide, allowance for which has been made in the area. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. XXI/8A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND TO BE OBTAINED IN EXCHANGE THEREFOR.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 327 acres 3 roods 38 perches, more or less, being parts of Sections 48, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 63, and 65, Block I, Kauroo Survey District, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point in Section 54, 5082.2 links north and 3167.7 links west of Trig. V; thence by right lines 73° 56', 1895 links, 92° 27', 2129.9 links, 48° 1', 847.1 links, 53° 20', 315.8 links, 73° 50', 644.2 links, 68° 41', 1958 links, 177° 58', 756.8 links, 144° 31', 644.1 links, 126° 19', 274.2 links, 207° 11', 2824.4 links, 169° 17', 346.6 links, 180° 11', 232.2 links to a public road, by said road 208° 2', 949 links, across said road 185°, 70.6 links; thence by the Island Stream, 740 links; thence by right lines 265° 35', 595.6 links, across said road 265° 35', 78.9 links, and by said road 226° 15', 378.3 links, 252° 37', 1220.2 links, 248° 15', 757.2 links, 253° 50', 700 links, 283° 1', 174.5 links, 275°, 150 links, 338° 1', 5515.4 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid bearings and linkages more or less: excepting out of the said boundaries a road-line 50 links wide, allowance

for which has been made in the area. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. XXI/8B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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 sixteenth day of August, 1915.

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.

PAKARAKA 1F 2A Block: Approximate area, 174 acres 1 rood; 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 sixteenth day of August, 1915.

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.

WAITARA WEST 30A Block: Approximate area, 31 acres 2 roods 11 perches; Taranaki 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 sixteenth day of August 1915.

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.

PART MARAKOWHAI A 3a 3 Block: Approximate area, 100 acres; Wellington Provincial District.

J. F. ANDREWS.

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Revocation of an Order in Council under Section 296 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and ninety-six of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted that any Order in Council made under Part XVI of that Act, or under Part II of the Native Land Settlement Act, 1907, may be at any time revoked, either wholly or as to any part or parts of the land included therein, by the Governor by Order in Council; and thereupon the land so subject to that Part of that Act shall, to the extent of that revocation, cease to be so subject: No land shall by reason of any such order of revocation cease to be subject to that Part of that Act at any time during the continuance of the term of any lease of that land granted by a Maori Land Board under that Part of that Act (including in that term the term of any renewal to which the licensee is entitled):

And whereas the parcels of land known as Herupara 2d and 2b 2 Blocks have, by an Order in Council dated the thirtieth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nine, been brought under the provisions of Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909: And whereas application has been made to revoke the said Order in Council in so far as it affects the said parcels of land:

And whereas the Tairawhiti District Maori Land Board recommends accordingly: And whereas it is expedient so to do:

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 revoke the said Order in Council in so far as it affects Herupara 2d and 2b 2 Blocks; 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.*Declaring Road in Block IX, Leaning Rock Survey District, to be a Government Road.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

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.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road declared a Government road: 2 roods 20 perches.

Adjoining and passing through Section 28.

Situated in Block IX, Leaning Rock Survey District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38320, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

J. F. ANDREWS,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Road in Block I, Leaning Rock Survey District, to be a Government Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

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 road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a Government road.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road declared a Government road: 3 acres 1 rood 24 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Original Section 72.

Situated in Block I, Leaning Rock Survey District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38321, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

J. F. ANDREWS,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Portion of Road in Block XIII, Tauranga Survey District, to be a Government Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

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.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road declared a Government road:—

- 2 acres 0 roods 19.3 perches, adjoining or passing through Section 231.
- 6 acres 0 roods 2.8 perches, adjoining or passing through road adjoining Section 194.
- 2 acres 2 roods 3.1 perches, adjoining or passing through Sections 231 and 227.
- 17 acres 2 roods 22.1 perches, adjoining or passing through road adjoining Section 193.

Situated in Te Puna Parish (S.O. 17735A), Block XIII, Tauranga Survey District.
In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38332, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

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

Declaring Portion of Road in Block II, Patetere North Survey District, to be a Government Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

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.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road declared a Government road: 2 roods.

Adjoining or passing through Section 2.
Situated in Block II, Patetere North Survey District (S.O. 18339).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38190, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Ruapuna Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the thirtieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eleventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eight, a Domain Board was appointed to control the Ruapuna Domain:

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the twenty-ninth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen:

And whereas it appears expedient to again appoint a Domain Board to control the domain:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and

consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint

WILLIAM JAMES ALLEN,
THOMAS BENNETT,
HENRY WILSON,
WILLIAM BROWN MORRIS, and
JOSEPH HEMSLEY BOALER

to be the Ruapuna Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Monday, the thirteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and Ruapuna Library as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

RUAPUNA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 31 acres 3 roods 32 perches, more or less, being Reserve No. 3034, situated in Block X, Shepherds Bush Survey District, and bounded as follows: Towards the north-west by the road forming the south-east boundary of Section 36487 and Reserve 3033; towards the north-east by the road forming the south-west boundary of Reserve 2729; towards the south-east by the road forming the north-west boundary of Section 33104; and towards the south-west by Section 36494. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1/15 deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured pink.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Domett Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the seventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and eight, a Domain Board was appointed to control the Domett Domain:

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the sixth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen:

And whereas it appears expedient to again appoint a Domain Board to control the domain:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint

PATRICK MURPHY,
BENJAMIN MARTIN,
HARVEY TAYLOR,
EDWIN JAMES JACKMAN,
JAMES UPRICHARD,
HARRY GEFSON, and
JOHN HERBERT LIONEL HIATT

to be the Domett Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the fourth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, at half past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Schoolroom at Domett as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

DOMETT DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 11 acres 1 rood, more or less, being Reserve No. 3177, Cheviot Estate, Block XIX, Lowry Peaks

Survey District. Bounded on the north-east by Sections 2, 3, and 4, Domett Village Settlement, 9342.4 links; on the east by a road, 108 links; on the south-west by Section 4 before mentioned, a road along the Hurunui River, and by Section 1, Block XIX, Lowry Peaks Survey District, 9138.5 links; on the west by Crown lands, 469.8 links; and on the north by Darroch Road, 130.4 links. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1/271B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 8 acres 3 roods 38 perches, more or less, being Reserve No. 3241, Cheviot Estate, Block XVI, Lowry Peaks Survey District. Bounded on the north-east by Reserve 3043, 997 links; on the south-east by Reserve 3158 and Section 32, Block XVI, Lowry Peaks Survey District, 901.6 links; on the south-west by Section 32 before mentioned, and Section 37, Domett Village, 997 links; and on the north-west by the Waipara Road, 901.6 links. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1/271A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 12 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Reserve No. 3148, Cheviot Estate, Block XI, Cheviot Survey District. Bounded on the north-east by the Hurunui Road, 2393.8 links; on the south by a road along the bank of the Hurunui River; and on the west by the road forming the eastern boundary of Reserve 3149, 1160.2 links. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1/271, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres 2 roods 7 perches, more or less, being Reserve No. 3158, situate in Block XVI, Lowry Peaks Survey District. Bounded on the north-west by Reserves 3043 and 3241, 1399.4 links; on the south-west by Section 32, Block XVI, Lowry Peaks Survey District, 802.8 links; on the south-east by Section 23, Block XVI of the said district, 1229.4 links; and on the north-east by a public road, 821 links; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1/271A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 0 roods 24 perches, more or less, being Reserve No. 3895, situated in Block XVI, Lowry Peaks Survey District. Bounded on the south-east by Lot 20, Domett Village Settlement, 762.1 links; on the south-west by Darroch Road, 688.1 links; and on the north-west and north-east by the Waipara-Cheviot Road, 1018.4 links and 115.8 links. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1/271B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Wakefield Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the tenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eight, certain powers were delegated to the Wakefield Domain Board for a period of seven years:

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen:

And whereas it appears expedient to again appoint a Domain Board to control the domain:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice

and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint

WALTER RELF PEARLESS, M.D.,
ERNEST WILLIAM HODGSON,
GEORGE ROBERTSON,
ERNEST McLAREN McPHERSON, and
IVANHOE TUNNICLIFFE, J.P.,

to be the Wakefield Domain Board, having control of the land described in the said Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Monday, the sixth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Rechabite Lodge-rooms, Wakefield, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

WAKEFIELD DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres 3 roods 20.2 perches, more or less, being Section 1, Block XVI, Wai-iti Survey District. Bounded towards the south-east by a road, 953 links; towards the west generally by right lines, 270.8, 84.8, 182.1, 30, 186.8, 289.9, and 110.3 links respectively; towards the north by a right line, 620.4 links; and towards the north-east generally by right lines, 164.9, 60, and 120 links respectively to the road first mentioned. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 51237/76, deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Lands and Survey at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

Also all that area in the said land district, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 16.6 perches, more or less, being Section 2, Block XVI, Wai-iti Survey District. Bounded towards the east generally by the boundary-lines of Section 1 of the said block, 110.3, 289.9, and 186.8 links respectively; towards the south-west by a right line, 438.8 links; and towards the north-west by a right line, 276.2 links. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 51237/76, deposited in the Head Office of the Department of Lands and Survey at Wellington, and thereon edged green.

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

Portion of Goa Street, in the City of Wellington, 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 sixteenth day of August, 1915.

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 Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the portion of the street described in the Schedule hereto, did, on the 22nd day of July, 1915, pass the following resolution—viz., "That the provisions of section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the portions of Moxham Avenue and Goa Street on which Section 39 on the plan deposited in the Land Registry Office at Wellington as No. 65 fronts and abuts": And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved in so far as it refers to the portion of Goa Street referred to in the Schedule hereto:

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 street described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Goa Street, in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, situated between the Town Belt and Moxham Avenue, and adjoining Lot 39, D.P. 65 (C.T. 19/87), being part of Section 4, Evans Bay R.D., Block VII, Port Nicholson Survey District. As the said portion of the street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37869, 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.

Exportation of Rock, Shore, Drift, and Mangrove Oysters prohibited.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted by section twelve of the Fisheries Act, 1908, that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, regulate or prohibit the export from New Zealand of any fish caught or produced in New Zealand :

And whereas it is also provided that for the purposes of the said section "fish" includes oysters :

And whereas it is advisable to prohibit the export of the oysters known as *Ostrea purpurea*, *Ostrea glomerata*, *Ostrea mordax*, or the rock, shore, drift, or mangrove oysters respectively :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prohibit the export from the Dominion of all oysters known as *Ostrea purpurea*, *Ostrea glomerata*, *Ostrea mordax*, or rock oysters, shore oysters, drift or mangrove oysters, or by whatever name they may be locally known respectively, taken or produced in the waters of the said Dominion, to any destination, save with the consent of the Minister of Marine.

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

License authorizing the Otago Hospital and Charitable Aid Board to erect Electric Lines from the Generating-house of the New Zealand Coal and Oil Company (Limited) to the Hospital at Kaitangata.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

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, place, put up, or use any electric line except under the authority of a license issued by the Governor in Council under that Act :

And whereas the Otago Hospital and Charitable Aid Board (hereinafter referred to as "the licensee") desires to erect lines as defined in the Schedule hereto, and hereinafter called "the said electric lines," 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 upon him by the said section, and of all other powers in anywise 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, subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto, and to the regulations made under section two of the aforesaid Act and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* dated the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and hereinafter referred to as "the regulations," hereby authorize the licensee to erect and maintain electric lines for lighting, power, and heating purposes along the route indicated by means of a dotted red line on the plan marked P.W.D. 37613, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

SCHEDULE.

1. ROUTE OF LINES.

THE route of the electric lines hereby authorized commences at the generating-station in McDonald Street, and runs in a north-westerly direction generally across Coal Reserve and Section 16, Block LXXXVI, across Exmouth Street, and terminates at the Hospital in Section 3, Block LXXV, in the Town of Kaitangata ; as indicated by a broken red line on P.W.D. 37613, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

2. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

The system of supply shall be as described in paragraph (c) of clause 2 of the regulations.

The generating voltage shall be approximately 440 volts between the phases.

3. DATUM TEMPERATURE.

For the purpose of calculating the stresses as provided in clause 12 of the regulations, the datum temperature shall be taken as 22 degrees Fahrenheit.

4. DURATION OF LICENSE.

This license shall, unless sooner determined in accordance with the provisions hereinafter expressed, continue in force for a period of forty-two years from the date hereof. Upon the expiry of the said term, or upon the sooner determination of this license by revocation or otherwise, all rights hereby granted to the licensee shall thereupon cease and determine ; but such expiration or determination shall not relieve the licensee of any liability theretofore incurred under this license.

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

Licensing John Nicholson to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark at Kohukohu, Hokianga Harbour, as a Site for a Boat-shed and Slip.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), John Nicholson (hereinafter called "the licensee") has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the said Act to occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark at Kohukohu, Hokianga Harbour, in order to erect and maintain a boat-shed and slip thereon ; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fiftieth section of the said Act, has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 4468), showing the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied, and the manner in which it is proposed to erect the said boat-shed and slip : And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation ; and the said plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor in Council : And whereas it is expedient that a license should be granted and issued to the licensee under the said Act, for the purpose last aforesaid, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid ; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark on which the said boat-shed and slip are to be erected, as shown on the plan M.D. 4468 so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining the said boat-shed and slip ; such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister of Marine as defined by the Shipping and Seamen

Act, 1908, and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark necessary for the erection of the said boat-shed and slip, as shown on the plan marked M.D. 4468.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council, the licensee shall, on being supplied with a copy thereof, pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £1 in advance, dating from the date hereof, the first of such annual payments to be made on the licensee being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. His Majesty or the Governor, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, and out of the said boat-shed and slip without payment.

5. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned boat-shed and slip in good order and repair.

6. Any person authorized by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said boat-shed and slip and view the state of repairs thereon; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensee a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such structures, or any of them, requiring him, with a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, he shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

7. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the licensee to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1908, or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

8. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue in force for the term of fourteen years computed from the date thereof, unless such rights, powers, and privileges are sooner altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensee shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister.

9. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensee three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the licensee.

10. In case the licensee—

- (1.) Commits or suffers a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Ceases to use or occupy the said boat-shed and slip; or
- (3.) Becomes bankrupt or is brought under the operation of any law in force for the time being relating to bankruptcy,—

then and in any such case this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege thereby conferred, may be revoked and determined by the Governor in Council, without any notice to the licensee or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice of the fact to the licensee, and to all persons concerned or interested, that the license, rights, and privileges hereby conferred have been revoked and determined.

11. The erection of the said boat-shed and slip shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensee of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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

Licensing the Kauri Timber Company (Limited) to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark of the Waiwawa River, Mercury Bay, as a Site for Timber-booms.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the twenty-second day of August, one thousand nine hundred and one, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 80, of the twenty-ninth day of the same month, the Kauri Timber Company (Limited), of Auckland (hereinafter called "the company"), was licensed to use and occupy a part of

the foreshore and land below low-water mark at Waiwawa River, Mercury Bay, as shown on plans marked M.D. 632, 648, and 649, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, in order to erect thereon timber-booms, as shown on the plans so deposited as aforesaid, for a term of fourteen years, computed from the twenty-second day of August, one thousand nine hundred and one:

And whereas, the said license having expired, the company has made application for a fresh license under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), for a term of seven years, computed from the expiry of the term of the above-mentioned license, and it is expedient to grant the same for the term and subject to the conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the company as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the company to use and occupy that part of the foreshore, and land below low-water mark immediately contiguous thereto, which is particularly shown and delineated on the plans so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of using the aforesaid timber-booms in connection therewith, such license to be held and enjoyed by the company upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister of Marine as defined by the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark occupied by the said booms, as shown on plans marked M.D. 632, 648, and 649.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council the company shall, on being supplied with a copy thereof, pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £5 in advance, payable on the 1st day of August, dating from the 1st day of August, 1915, the first of such annual payments to be made on the company being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. His Majesty or the Governor, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, and out of the said booms without payment.

5. The company shall maintain the above-mentioned booms in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom and maintain at its own cost suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels; provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

6. Any person authorized by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said booms and view the state of repair thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known registered office of the company in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such booms, requiring it, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, it shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

7. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the company to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1908, or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

8. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue to be in force for seven years from the first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the company shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the written consent of the Minister first obtained.

9. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the company three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known registered office of the company in New Zealand.

10. The company shall be liable for any injury which the said booms may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on its part.

13. In case the company shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said booms for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Be in any manner wound up or dissolved; or
- (4.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions,—

then and in either of the said cases this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege, may be revoked and determined by the Governor in Council without any notice to the company or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the company, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the license, rights, and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Revoking the Vesting in the Hawke's Bay County Council of River-conservation Reserves in Heretaunga Survey District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the lands described in the Schedule hereto have been duly vested in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Hawke's Bay County in trust for river-conservation, by an Order in Council dated the thirteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and published in *Gazette* of the fifteenth day of that month, in pursuance of section four of the Public Reserves Act, 1881, but a certificate of title has not issued in respect of the said reserves :

And whereas it is expedient that the said Order in Council should be revoked, and the Hawke's Bay County Council has duly consented to such revocation :

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, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by subsection two of section three of the Public Reserves and Domains Amendment Act, 1914, doth hereby revoke the Order in Council hereinbefore referred to.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 15 acres 3 roods 38 perches, more or less, being Suburban Section 76, Meeanee, Heretaunga Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 1149 and 1364.9 links; towards the south by a line, 574.5 links; towards the south-west by a line, 1485 links; and towards the north-west by a line, 802.8 links.

All that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 1 rood 10 perches, more or less, being Suburban Section 74, Meeanee, Heretaunga Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 200 and 531.3 links; towards the south by lines 100 and 528.8 links; and towards the north-west by a public road, 455.5 links.

All that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres 3 roods 14 perches, more or less, being Suburban Section 75, Meeanee, Heretaunga Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 1052.7, 578.3, and 299.6 links; towards the south-east by a public road, 560.2 links; towards the south-west by lines, 146.1, 1436.3, and 621.6 links; towards the north-west by a public road, 75 links.

All that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 18 acres 2 roods 26 perches, more or less, being Section 51, Block XII, Heretaunga Survey District. Bounded towards the north by the Tutaekuri River and a public road, 270 links; towards the east by a public road, 148.4 links; towards the south-east by a public road, 1272.5 and 3318.4 links; and towards the north-west by a public road, 694.5 and 2580 links.

Be all the aforesaid linkages more or less : as the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 53438/68, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

State Guarantee of a Loan of £1,650 applied for by the Havelock North Town Board for the Erection and Completion of Offices and Buildings, for the Purchase of certain Lots of Land, &c.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Havelock North Town Board has made application to the Minister of Finance for a State guarantee of a loan of one thousand six hundred and fifty pounds for the erection and completion of offices and buildings, for the purchase of certain lots of land, &c., pursuant to section seventy-five of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913 :

And whereas the Minister of Finance is satisfied that a special rate has been made sufficient to pay the interest, sinking fund, and other charges payable in respect of the said loan, and that the said Board is duly empowered to raise such loan, and has taken all the necessary steps to obtain the same, as required by section seventy-nine of the said Act :

And whereas it appears expedient to grant the said application :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section seventy-five of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby guarantee the said loan, subject to the provisions of Part IV of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £700 proposed to be raised by the Portobello Road Board.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Portobello Road Board did, on the twenty-first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, take a poll of the ratepayers for the purpose of constructing a bridge at Anderson's Bay, and of making the proposed deviation of Hooper's Inlet Hill Road :

And whereas the above proposal was duly declared to be carried, and the result thereof gazetted on page 4043 of the *New Zealand Gazette*, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen :

And whereas one public notice signed by the Returning Officer setting forth the date on which the said poll was to be taken was given instead of not less than four of such notices published by the Chairman, as required by section ten, subsection two, of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913 :

And whereas the public notice hereinbefore mentioned was not given not less than fourteen days before the said date, as required by the said section ten, subsection two :

And whereas the steps required to be taken by sections eight to twelve (both inclusive) of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, have otherwise been duly taken, and the provisions of such sections been otherwise duly complied with, but the public notices and voting-paper referred to the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and its amendments, instead of to the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913 :

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers entitled to vote at such poll were not misled by such irregularities, and it is expedient to validate the same :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section one hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the said poll and the proceedings in connection with the said loan are validated, and shall be valid to all intents and purposes; and that the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularities aforesaid.

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

Validating the Public Notifications in connection with Proceedings taken for the Raising of a Loan of £800 proposed to be raised by the Council of the County of Opotiki.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Opotiki County Council lately proposed to raise a loan of eight hundred pounds for the purpose of widening the Pakihi Track to a dray-road from the end of the present dray-road formation to Section 17, Block XIII, Waiawa Survey District (stock reserve), under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913 :

And whereas the public notifications of the special order authorizing the raising of the above loan, although published four times, were not published once in each of the four weeks immediately preceding the day on which the subsequent meeting was to be held, inasmuch as no public notice was given in the last week preceding the date of confirmation of the special order, as required by the provisions of section ninety-seven of the Counties Act, 1908 :

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularity, and it is expedient to validate the said proceedings :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section one hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby validate the said proceedings; and doth hereby order and declare that the said public notifications of the special order authorizing the loan shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the same had been published in the proper manner, and that the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

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

Validating the Public Notifications in connection with Proceedings taken for the Raising of a Loan of £10,000 proposed to be raised by the Council of the County of Opotiki.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Opotiki County Council lately proposed to raise a loan of ten thousand pounds for the purpose of constructing the roads and bridges mentioned in the voting-paper submitted to the ratepayers on the above proposal under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913 :

And whereas the public notifications of the proposal to raise the above loan, although published four times, were not published once in each week for four successive weeks in the manner required by section nine of the above-mentioned Act :

And whereas the first public notice setting forth the date on which the poll of ratepayers was to be taken was published thirteen days instead of not less than fourteen days before the said date, as required by section ten, subsection two, of the said Act :

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularities, and it is expedient to validate the same :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section one hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby validate the said proceedings; and doth hereby order and declare that the said public notifications of the proposal to raise the loan and of the date of the poll of ratepayers shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the said public notifications had been published in the proper manner, and that the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularities aforesaid.

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £90 proposed to be raised by the Council of the County of Stratford.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Stratford County Council lately proposed to raise a loan of ninety pounds, under the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of forming, grading, culverting, and metalling Kelly Street, Midhirst :

And whereas the special roll, though deposited for public inspection, was not deposited seven days prior to the obtaining of the written consent of the ratepayers as required by section seventeen of the said Act :

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularity, and it is expedient to validate the same :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section one hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby validate the said proceedings; and doth hereby order and declare that the said proceedings shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the said roll had been deposited at the proper time, and that the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

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

Withdrawing Land from the Operation of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty-six of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor may, by Order in Council gazetted, on the recommendation of the Land Board, declare that any land comprised in a kauri-gum reserve shall, from a date to be specified in the Order, cease to be subject to the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908, and on and after the date so specified the land to which the Order relates shall become subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908 :

And whereas the Land Board of the Auckland Land District has duly passed a resolution recommending that the portion of the Poroti Kauri-gum Reserve described in the Schedule hereto be exempted from the operations of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908, 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 forty-six of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, 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 Poroti Kauri-gum Reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall, from the nineteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, cease to be subject to the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing 7 acres, more or less, situated in Block IX, Purua Survey District, Whangarei County, and being portion of Poroti Kauri-gum Reserve, set apart by Order in Council dated 25th September, 1899, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 79, of 28th September, 1899. Bounded towards the north generally by a public road, 1134 and 350 links; towards the east, south, and west by the Poroti Kauri-gum Reserve, 656, 838-2, 129-8, 672-6, and 332-3 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L and S. VI/6 (28), deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

Vesting a Reserve in the Cheviot County Council.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixteenth day of August, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart for quarry purposes: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Corporation of the Cheviot County:

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, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the fourth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Corporation of the Cheviot County, in trust, for quarry purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 roods 25 perches, more or less, being Reserve 3972, Block XI, Cheviot Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west and north-east, 707.9 links and 133.3 links respectively, by Lot 2, Cheviot Estate; towards the south-east, 652 links, by Reserve 3709; and towards the south, 144.5 links, by Reserve 3213: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 52729/22, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow.

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

Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of Portion of a Reserve in Lewis and Travers Survey Districts, Nelson Land District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, it is, amongst other things, enacted that the Governor may declare his intention to change, exchange, or alter the dedication of any public reserve now or hereafter vested in His Majesty or the Governor for any of the purposes named in Class II of the Second Schedule to the said Act, whether the same be granted or not; and in the case of any reserve made under the authority of section three hundred and twenty-one of the Land Act, 1908, if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to change the purpose for which such reserve was set apart to any other purpose, or if it shall, in the opinion of the Governor, be expedient to exchange any of the land comprised in such reserve for other land of equal value, to be dedicated to one or more of the purposes named in the said Class II, the Governor may, by notice gazetted, make such change, exchange, or dedication, as the case may be, and in such notice declare the manner and terms in which the same is intended to be so made:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, aforesaid, declare my intention to change the specific purpose of the portion of the reserve described in Part II of the Schedule hereto from that named in Part I of the said Schedule to that named in Part III of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.

Description and Purpose of Original Reserve.

ALL that area in Lewis and Travers Survey Districts, in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 6,000 acres, more or less, and being Section 2 of Square 182. Bounded towards the north generally (52,000 links and 18,800 links), towards the east (8,400 links), towards the south generally (20,400 links and 52,000 links), and towards the west (8,400 links), by Crown lands: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: the northernmost corner commencing at a point about 150 chains from the junction of the Alfred and Maruia Rivers.

Reserved for purposes of public utility by notification in the *Nelson Provincial Gazette* of the 24th of February, 1875, page 22.

PART II.

Description of Portion of Reserve the Purpose of which it is intended to change.

All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 17 acres 2 roods 15 perches, more or less, being part of Section 2 of Square 182, and now numbered as Section 2, Block IV, Lewis Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by a part of the first-mentioned Section 2, 1971.6 links; towards the north-east by a road along the left bank of the Maruia River, 1040.7 links; towards the south-east by another part of the first-mentioned Section 2, 1637 links; and towards the south-west by a line being part of the south-western boundary of the said Section 2, Square 182, 1093.4 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: excepting the road one chain wide which intersects the land included within the above-described boundaries. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1911/723A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

PART III.

Intended Purpose.

Resting-place for travelling stock.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-sixth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

F. H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Lands.

Regulations respecting Forfeiture and Disposal of Birds, Animals, and Skins taken from Persons illegally in Possession.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

PURSUANT to the powers vested in me in that behalf by the Animals Protection Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby make the following regulations respecting the disposal of birds and animals and the skins of birds and animals taken from persons illegally in possession thereof.

REGULATIONS.

1. ALL birds and animals and all skins of birds and animals which have been unlawfully taken or which have been lawfully seized under the provisions of the said Act shall be forfeited to His Majesty.
2. It shall be the duty of every Ranger or other proper officer who has seized such birds or animals or skins as aforesaid, or into whose possession they have come, to forward immediate notification thereof to the Minister of Internal Affairs, who shall give such orders for the disposal of such birds or animals or skins as he thinks fit, and such orders shall immediately on receipt thereof be carried out by the person or persons to whom they are given.
3. If any person commits a breach of any of these regulations he shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding £10.
4. No proceedings for a breach of these regulations shall be commenced without the consent of the Minister of Internal Affairs.
5. These regulations shall take effect on the day of the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twelfth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Special Regulations for Deer-shooting, Hawke's Bay.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby make the following regulations prescribing the conditions under which certain red and black tail Virginian deer may be destroyed in the Hawke's Bay Acclimatization District.

REGULATIONS.

1. NOTWITHSTANDING anything contained in the regulations made under the Animals Protection Act, 1908, dated 3rd March, 1915, the Secretary of the Hawke's Bay Acclimatization Society at Napier, or any person or persons duly authorized in writing by such Secretary, may, during the period hereinafter mentioned, kill red and black tail Virginian deer of either sex and of any age which, in the opinion of the said Secretary or of the said authorized persons, should be destroyed either by reason of age, deformity, or other physical imperfection.

2. Such deer may be destroyed as aforesaid during the period from the date hereof to the 30th September, 1915.

3. A return shall be furnished to the Minister of Internal Affairs by the said Secretary within one calendar month after the expiry of the aforesaid period, and such return shall state the number and sexes of all red and black tail Virginian deer so destroyed as aforesaid, the dates, and name of person by whom and the locality in which the deer were destroyed.

4. Nothing herein contained shall extend to authorizing any person to sell any deer or any portion thereof.

5. Any person who commits a breach of any of the provisions of these regulations shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £20.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twelfth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Declaring Road-lines through Land in the Waihou Settlement, Hawke's Bay Land District, to be closed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS a report has been received from the Surveyor-General, from which it appears that the roads described in the Schedule hereto are unformed and unused, and that the said roads intersect land acquired under the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and are not suitable to 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 roads hereinafter described; and I do hereby declare that the said roads shall thereupon become subject to the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

WAIHOU SETTLEMENT.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road required to be closed.	adjoining or passing through Blocks	Situated in Block	Shown on Plan
A. R. P.			
0 3 39.3	118	X	L. & S. 19441/87A.
8 3 11	118, 52, 102, 50	XI	"
0 1 32.5	50, 102	"	L. & S. 19441/87B.
0 0 37.4	102	"	"
0 0 0.02	102	"	"
0 0 26.6	102	"	"
0 0 2.3	49	"	"
1 3 34.9	49, 102	"	"
0 0 25	102	"	"
0 0 15.7	102	"	"
	(Patoka Crown-grant District)		

Situated in the Patoka Survey District.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked as above mentioned, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

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

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Lands temporarily reserved in the 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:

And whereas by the sixty-ninth section of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, it is further provided that the Governor may from time to time, as he thinks fit, set aside reserves for any specified public purpose out of land acquired under the last-mentioned Act, provided that no land so acquired shall be set aside for endowments:

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 Acts, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands in the Auckland Land District described in the Schedule hereunder written for the purposes in the said Schedule specified at the end of the respective descriptions of the lands so intended to be temporarily reserved.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing two acres, more or less, being Section 1B, Tautari Settlement (Block X, Maungatautari Survey District). Bounded towards the south-west and north-west by Section 1, Tautari Settlement, 400 and 518.3 links respectively; towards the south-east and north-east by the Maunga Road, 92.1, 240.2, and 90.3 links; and again towards the south-east by Maungatautari No. 40 Section 3 Block, 549.2 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 2/281, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan 14694/2, blue). For a public cemetery.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing 5 acres 3 roods 14 perches, more or less, being Section 1, Block VIII, Purua Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Sections 3 and 4, Block VIII, Purua Survey District, 1023.1 links; towards the south-east and south-west by Section 4 aforesaid and the abutment of a public road, 62.3, 177.3, 109.3, and 1060.3 links; and towards the north-west by Whauwhaupounamu Block, 699.1 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1913/1553, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan 15957, blue.) For water-conservation purposes.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this eleventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Opening Settlement Land in Auckland Land District for Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and amendments, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the settlement land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Tuesday, the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, at the rental mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said land shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—OTAMATEA COUNTY.—OTAMATEA SURVEY DISTRICT.—BICKERSTAFFE SETTLEMENT.

Second-class Land.

SECTION 46, Block I: Area, 249 acres 1 rood 20 perches; capital value, £500; half-yearly rent, £11 5s.

Weighted with £90, valuation for improvements consisting of 90 chains fencing.

Altitude, 25 ft. to 100 ft. above sea level. Easy undulating country; about 30 acres manuka forest, balance manuka scrub. Good heavy black soil, on limestone formation, on about half the section; brown loam and clay of inferior quality on balance; badly watered, supply disappearing in summer time. Distant five miles from Batley by cart-road.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this eleventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Opening Settlement Lands in Wellington Land District for Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and amendments, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the settlement lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Tuesday, the fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, at the rentals mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—BOROUGH OF PETONE.—
WILFORD SETTLEMENT.
First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
15	VI	0 0 14-69	60 0 0	1 7 0
17	"	0 0 14-69	60 0 0	1 7 0
19	"	0 0 14-69	60 0 0	1 7 0
21	"	0 0 14-69	55 0 0	1 4 9
23	"	0 0 14-69	60 0 0	1 7 0
25	"	0 0 14-69	60 0 0	1 7 0
27	"	0 0 14-69	60 0 0	1 7 0
29	"	0 0 14-69	60 0 0	1 7 0
1	X	0 0 18-61	75 0 0	1 13 9
2	"	0 0 17-98	75 0 0	1 13 9
3	"	0 0 14-68	50 0 0	1 2 6
4	"	0 0 14-68	60 0 0	1 7 0
5	"	0 0 14-68	65 0 0	1 9 3
6	"	0 0 17-5	80 0 0	1 16 0
1	XV	0 0 19-73	60 0 0	1 7 0
3	"	0 0 14-69	60 0 0	1 7 0
5	"	0 0 14-69	45 0 0	1 0 3
7	"	0 0 14-69	55 0 0	1 4 9
9	"	0 0 14-69	60 0 0	1 7 0
11	"	0 0 26-05	120 0 0	2 14 0
13	"	0 0 26-05	120 0 0	2 14 0

Wilford Settlement is situated at the eastern end of the Borough of Petone, and is about one mile distant from Petone Railway station, which is reached in eighteen minutes by train from the City of Wellington. Steps are being taken by the Petone Borough Council to establish a motor-bus service, which will serve the lots under offer. These lots are all in grass and are generally of a dry nature, somewhat sandy, on gravel formation, between Heretaunga and High Streets, and with a heavy loam between High and Manchester Streets. The streets on which they abut are formed and metalled, with concrete kerbing and channeling. An opportunity is here afforded of securing very desirable residential sites close to school and sea-shore.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twelfth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in Marlborough Land District for Sale or Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided by section one hundred and fifty-four of the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Friday, the twenty-fourth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on renewable lease; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Cash Purchase: Total Price.	Occupation with Right of Purchase: Half-yearly Rent.	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
<i>Marlborough County.—Tennyson Survey District.</i>					
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1	III	578 0 0	640 0 0	16 0 0	12 16 0
2	"	730 0 0	880 0 0	22 0 0	17 12 0
3	"	555 0 0	615 0 0	15 7 6	12 6 0
4	"	564 0 0	680 0 0	17 0 0	13 12 0
5	"	710 0 0	790 0 0	19 15 0	15 16 0
<i>Marlborough County.—Wakamarina Survey District.</i>					
10	II	402 0 0	890 0 0	22 5 0	17 16 0
11	"	510 0 0	935 0 0	23 7 6	18 14 0
12	"	678 0 0	990 0 0	24 15 0	19 16 0
13	"	233 0 0	690 0 0	17 5 0	13 16 0
14	"	245 0 0	1095 0 0	27 7 6	21 18 0
15	"	284 0 0	555 0 0	13 17 6	11 2 0
16	"	448 0 0	880 0 0	22 0 0	17 12 0
17	"	342 0 0	1015 0 0	25 7 6	20 6 0
52	I	125 0 0	570 0 0	14 5 0	11 8 0
53	"	113 0 0	620 0 0	15 10 0	12 8 0

The following sections are weighted with the amount set against each for cost of grassing: Section 12, £16 5s.; Section 13, £52 15s.; Section 14, £40 10s.; Section 15, £16 5s.; Section 16, £20 5s.; Section 17, £73; Section 52, £40 10s.; Section 53, £24 5s.

DESCRIPTIONS OF SECTIONS.

Sections 1 to 5.—From three miles and a half to six miles from Timatanga Post-office. The nature of the country varies from easy spurs and slopes in heavy mixed bush (and contains patches of fair soil) to inferior steep spurs in light birch bush. Sections 1, 3, and 5 are on shady side of the valley, but Sections 2 and 4 lie fairly well to the sun. Altitude, from 220 ft. to 2,800 ft.

Section 10.—Situate about three miles and a half from the Timatanga Post-office. The milling-timber has been cut out from a small area, the balance of the bush comprises tawa, birch, and rimu on the lower slopes and spurs, with birch on the higher land. The section is mostly hilly country, lies well to the sun, and contains good flats suitable for paddocks and homestead-site. Altitude, from 220 ft. to 2,500 ft.

Section 11.—Distant about four miles from Timatanga Post-office. Mostly hilly country in heavy bush, comprising tawa, birch, and rimu on the lower slopes, and light birch on the higher portions. The section lies well to the sun, and contains good flats suitable for paddocks and homestead-site. Altitude, from 230 ft. to 2,800 ft.

Section 12.—Distant about two miles from Timatanga Post-office. All the milling-timber on the lower portion of the section has been cut out, the bush fired, and grass-seed sown. The country is generally inferior and hilly, and on the shady side of the valley, but contains a few flats and patches of fair land. The bush comprises mostly birch, with a few rimu. Altitude varies from 200 ft. to 2,000 ft.

Section 13.—Distant about two miles from Timatanga Post-office. The milling-timber has been cut out of the greater part of the bush, the remainder fired and sown in grass. The green bush remaining consists chiefly of tawa and tawhiro, with birch on the higher country. The section lies well to the sun, and the soil throughout is good, though there is no extent of flat land, but sufficient for a homestead-site and paddocks. Altitude varies from 200 ft. to 1,500 ft.

Section 14.—Distant about a mile and three-quarters from Timatanga Post-office. The bush has been milled and mostly burnt out, and sown in grass-seed. The bush remaining is chiefly tawa, with a little birch. About one-half of the section is undulating country, good soil, balance good river-flats. Altitude, from 200 ft. to 1,450 ft.

Section 15.—Distant about two miles from Timatanga Post-office. Most of the milling-timber has been taken out, the bush fired, and grass-seed sown. About half of the section consists of easy spurs with fair soil, and balance is good river-flats, but rather broken with creeks. The bush is chiefly tawa, hinau, miro, and tawhero on the flats and low country, and birch, with a few rimu, on the spurs. Altitude, 200 ft. to 1,500 ft.

Section 16.—Distant about three miles from Timatanga Post-office. The milling-timber has been cut out, portions of the bush burnt, and grass-seed sown. The northern part of the section is poor, cold, birch country, steep and broken

in places, but the frontage and lower portions of the spurs contain good soil. Bush consists chiefly of tawa, hinau, tawhero, and mahoe. Altitude varies from 200 ft. to 2,500 ft.

Section 17.—About a mile and a half from Timatanga Post-office. The milling-timber has been cut out, the bush has been fired, and grass-seed sown. About 70 acres of the land are good river-flats, 180 acres good easy spurs and slopes; balance of section is very rough, steep, birch country, inferior soil. The section is suitable for dairying and pastoral purposes. Altitude, from 200 ft. to 1,500 ft.

Section 52.—Distant about three-quarters of a mile from Timatanga Post-office, along Opouri Road, which is partly formed. All the milling-timber has been milled, and bush mostly burnt out, and sown in grass; bush remaining comprises generally tawa, hinau, tawhero, and mahoe. About one-half of section is good river-flats, swampy in places, balance low easy spurs. Section when cleared and grassed is suitable for dairying purposes. Altitude varies from 175 ft. to 650 ft.

Section 53.—All milling-timber has been removed, the bush mostly burnt out, and grass-seed sown. With the exception of a low spur adjoining northern boundary, the land consists of good river-flats well adapted for dairying purposes. Altitude, from 175 ft. to 500 ft. Distant about a mile and a half from Timatanga Post-office.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twelfth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale or Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided by section one hundred and fifty-four of the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Tuesday, the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on renewable lease; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Otamatea County.—Mareretu Parish.

SECTION S.W. 45: Area, 68 acres 0 roods 38 perches. Capital value, £45. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £1 2s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 18s.

Altitude, 50 ft. to 100 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to hilly land, covered with fern and manuka. Inferior clay soil, on slate formation; watered by stream, which fails in very dry summers. Distant eleven miles and a half from Mangapai—eleven miles by cart-road, balance not yet formed.

Hokianga County.—Waoku Survey District.

Section 13, Block X: Area, 338 acres 0 roods 29 perches. Capital value, £380. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £9 10s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £7 12s.

Altitude, 700 ft. to 1,600 ft. above sea-level. Undulating, hilly, and broken land, covered with heavy mixed forest comprising rimu, totara, taraire, towai, rata, kohekohe, mamaku, rewarewa, &c., with dense undergrowth of kohutuhutu, makomako, mahoe, kawakawa, hangehange, nikau, punga, kiekie, &c. Soil of good second-class quality (stony in places), on sandstone formation; well watered by streams. Distant six miles from Waimamaku—a mile and a half by cart-road, four miles formed bridle-track, balance unformed as yet.

Bay of Islands County.—Ruapekapeka Parish.

Section 106: Area, 308 acres. Capital value, £155. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £3 17s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £3 2s.

Altitude, 100 ft. to 600 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to hilly and broken land; about 15 acres mixed forest, balance fern and manuka country. Soil rubbly clay and pipeclay of

inferior quality, on papa and clay formation; well watered by streams. Distant six miles from Taumarere Railway-station—four miles by cart-road, balance rough bridle-track.

Bay of Islands County.—Kawakawa Parish.

Section 193A: Area, 60 acres 2 roods. Capital value, £70. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £1 15s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £1 8s.

Altitude, 550 ft. to 700 ft. above sea-level. Level to undulating land, all ploughable, covered with manuka and fern. Soil heavy clay of inferior quality, on clay subsoil; indifferently watered by stream at north-western corner of section. Distant three miles from Otiria Railway-station by good cart-road.

West Taupo County.—Wharepapa Survey District.

Section 12, Block XV: Area, 470 acres 3 roods. Capital value, £710. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £17 15s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £14 4s.

Altitude, 1,500 ft. to 1,800 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken land, about one-third manuka scrub, balance fairly heavy mixed forest comprising tawa, rewarewa, rata, tawhero, and a few rimu, with heavy undergrowth of raurekau, supplejack, makomako, &c. Soil of medium quality, on volcanic formation; well watered by small streams. Distant thirty-five miles from Te Awamutu by formed dray-road.

Section 4, Block XV: Area, 220 acres. Capital value, £360. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £9. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £7 4s.

Altitude, 1,500 ft. to 1,900 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to slightly broken country, about one-third manuka scrub, balance heavy mixed forest comprising tawa, rata, rewarewa, tawhero, and a few rimu and totara, with heavy undergrowth of makomako, raurekau, supplejack, &c. Soil of medium quality, on volcanic formation; well watered by small streams. Distant thirty-five miles from Te Awamutu by formed dray-road.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this eleventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale or Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided by section one hundred and fifty-four of the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Tuesday, the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on renewable lease; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Waitemata County.—Makarau Parish.

SECTIONS N.W. 76 and N.E. 123: Area, 60 acres 2 roods; capital value, £60. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £1 10s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £1 4s.

Sections 78, 124, and N.E. 125: Area, 195 acres 1 rood 34 perches: capital value, £200. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £5. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £4.

Undulating land, covered with light manuka and fern. Inferior clay soil, on pipeclay formation; well watered by running streams. Distant a mile and a quarter to two miles from Kanohi Railway-station, or a mile to a mile and a half from Makarau Railway-station, by formed road in each case.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twelfth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Notice exempting Crown Lands from the Operation of the Mining Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Mining Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby exempt the lands referred to and described in the Schedule hereto from the operation of the Mining Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Southland Land District, containing 85,800 acres, more or less, being the whole of Lillburn and parts of Alton and Hauroto Districts, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the north-west corner of Block II, Alton District; thence due west along the south boundaries of Lillburn and Hauroto Districts to the south-east corner of the Sounds National Park; thence north along the eastern boundary of the Sounds National Park aforesaid to the north boundary of the said Hauroto District; thence east along the north boundaries of Hauroto and Lillburn Districts aforesaid to the Waiau River; thence southerly along the right bank of the said Waiau River to a point in line with the south-west boundary of Section 3A, Block III, Alton District aforesaid; thence to and along the said south-west boundary and that boundary continued to the south-east boundary of Section 3I of the said Block III; thence north-easterly along the aforesaid boundary and that boundary continued to the south-west corner of Block II of the said Alton District; thence northerly along the western boundary of the said Block II to the commencing-point: including the island containing Section 16, Block I, Lillburn District.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twelfth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Mines.

Postmaster appointed to take and receive Statutory Declarations.

PURSUANT to the authority conferred upon me by the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that

JAMES MAXWELL,

being a person holding the office of Postmaster under the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, at Mangatoki, is authorized to take and receive statutory declarations under the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

As witness my hand this eleventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

Minister of Immigration appointed.

Private Secretary's Office,
Wellington, 16th August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

The Hon. Sir FRANCIS HENRY DILLON BELL, K.C.M.G., K.C., to be Minister of Immigration, in place of the Hon. Josiah Alfred Hanan, who has resigned that office.

By Command.

GAVIN M. HAMILTON,
Private Secretary.

Officer for the Purposes of Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908, appointed.

Government Buildings,
Wellington, 13th August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 79 of the Fisheries Act, 1908, appointed

ALEXANDER PEARSON,

of Kyeburn, to be an Officer for the purposes of Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs

Member of South Orari River Board appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 12th August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM QUIRK

to be a member of the South Orari River Board, in terms of subsection (2) of section 6 of the River Boards Amendment Act, 1913.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Trustees of Sefton-Ashley Drainage District appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 16th August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased, in terms of section 10 of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, to appoint

FREDRICK LANG and
GEORGE HERBERT MINTON

to be Trustees of the Sefton-Ashley Drainage District.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Members of Wanaka Islands Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 16th August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of section 41 of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, been pleased to appoint

THOMAS MCKENZIE and
JAMES MACPHERSON, M.B.,

to be members of the Wanaka Islands Domain Board, in place of George Patterson and the Rev. James Henry Thomson, who have resigned.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Inspector of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 18th August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM JAMES VERNON

to be an Inspector of Factories under the Factories Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of June, 1915.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Inspectors of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 11th August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable JAMES O'HALLORAN

to be an Inspector under the Factories Act, 1908. The appointment is dated the 10th day of August, 1915.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Justices of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 14th August, 1915.

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

FRANK FROUDE GERVIS CRESPIN, Esq., of Mount Eden, Auckland; and
ANDREW FRASER, Esq., of Glenorchy,

of their appointments as Justices of the Peace for the Dominion of New Zealand.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

King's Counsel appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 9th August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM MACGREGOR, Esq.,
of Dunedin, to be King's Counsel, the Honourable the Chief Justice having concurred in such appointment, as provided in regulations made by Order in Council dated 21st January, 1907.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister of Justice.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 17th August, 1915.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned persons have been appointed to be the Deputies of the Registrars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the districts set respectively opposite their names, viz. :—

Name.	District.
HORACE PAUL DUFF	Mauriceville.
HARRY WHITEHEAD	Ormondville.

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General

Official Assignees appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 18th August, 1915.

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

THOMAS DICK KENDALL

to be Official Assignee for the Supreme Court District of Canterbury, for the purposes of the Bankruptcy Act, 1908, as from the 2nd day of December, 1914.

CHARLES ZECHARIAH

to be Official Assignee for the Supreme Court District of Otago and Southland for the purposes of the Bankruptcy Act, 1908, as from the 26th day of November, 1914.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Appointments, Promotions, Resignations, and Transfers of Officers of the Territorial Force.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 18th August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, resignations, and transfers of the undermentioned officers of the Territorial Force:—

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

Sergeant-major Charles Stanley Billingham to be 2nd Lieutenant (on probation), supernumerary to establishment. Dated 9th July, 1915.

6th (Manawatu) Mounted Rifles.

Captain Francis Strachan Goldingham, from the Reserve of Officers, to be Captain. Dated 20th July, 1915.

New Zealand Field Artillery (A Battery).

Lieutenant Walter Leigh Titchener to be Captain. Dated 16th February, 1915.

New Zealand Garrison Artillery.

Lieutenant Charles David Hill to be Captain. Dated 16th February, 1915.

2nd Lieutenant John Peter Shea to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th July, 1915.

1st (Canterbury) Regiment.

Major William Joseph Francis Barnett resigns his commission. Dated 19th July, 1915.

2nd Lieutenant Montague Harry Tisdall to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st May, 1915.

2nd (South Canterbury) Regiment.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 22nd July, 1915.

Sergeant Ivor Alfred Bristol.
Sergeant Harry Fryer.

3rd (Auckland) Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own).

2nd Lieutenant Wilfred James Cox to be Lieutenant, vice McKenzie, transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 2nd February, 1915.

2nd Lieutenant Thomas Milliken, from Unattached List (b), to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 2nd July, 1915.

2nd Lieutenant Valentine Freke Maxwell, from Unattached List (b), to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 2nd July, 1915.

2nd Lieutenant (on probation) Peter Robertson Gardner, from the Unattached List (b), to be 2nd Lieutenant (on probation). Dated 2nd July, 1915.

10th (North Otago) Regiment.

Major John Meggett Forrester, from the Reserve of Officers, to be Major. Dated 19th July, 1915.

13th (North Canterbury and Westland) Regiment.

Lieutenant George Sidey Lambie, from the Unattached List (b), to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th July, 1915.

New Zealand Medical Corps.

Captain Joseph Patrick Frengley, M.D., F.R.C.S.I., D.P.H., is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst employed on special duty at Trentham Camp. Dated 14th July, 1915.

Captain Hugh Earnshaw Finch, M.B., is granted the temporary rank of Major whilst employed on special duty at Trentham Camp. Dated 14th July, 1915.

Captain Sydney Smith, M.D., is granted the temporary rank of Major whilst employed on special duty at Trentham Camp. Dated 14th July, 1915.

The undermentioned to be Captains. Dated 9th July, 1915.

William Crawford Macknight.
Henry Hardwick Smith, M.B., F.R.C.S., Eng.
George Basil Doyne Adams, M.D., M.R.C.S., Eng.

Unattached List (b).

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants:—

Sergeant-major William Calder Mackay. Dated 26th June, 1915.

Sergeant Michael Robert Downey. Dated 13th July, 1915.

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

Norman Hugh Hogg. Dated 18th June, 1915.
Stanley Gordon Robinson. Dated 21st July, 1915.

The appointments of the undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants (on probation) are confirmed:—

Ernest Leonard Hammond.
Lance Buchler.
Harold John Drummond Sheldon.
Robert Henry Espiner.
Ernest John Brammall.
Harley Hodgson Donald.

2nd Lieutenant Thomas Milliken is transferred to the 3rd (Auckland) Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own). Dated 2nd July, 1915.

2nd Lieutenant Valentine Freke Maxwell is transferred to the 3rd (Auckland) Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own). Dated 2nd July, 1915.

2nd Lieutenant (on probation) Peter Robertson Gardner is transferred to the 3rd (Auckland) Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own). Dated 2nd July, 1915.

Lieutenant George Sidey Lambie is transferred to the 13th (North Canterbury and Westland) Regiment. Dated 5th July, 1915.

New Zealand Motor Service Corps (Motor-car Section).

(Auckland.)

Eliot Rypinski Davis to be 2nd Lieutenant (on probation). Dated 13th July, 1915.

New Zealand Motor Service Corps (Motor-boat Section).

(Auckland.)

Charles Henry Tarr Palmer to be District Senior Officer (Auckland Military District), with the rank of Major. Dated 29th July, 1915.

Alexander Burt, jun. to be Major. Dated 29th July, 1915.

The undermentioned to be Captains. Dated 29th July, 1915.

Samuel Herbert Leyland.
James Frank Percival Howden.
Alfred Arthur Brook.
Charles James Collings.

The undermentioned to be Lieutenants. Dated 29th July, 1915.

Charles Edward Mackie.
Henry Wilfrid Lane.
Edward Percy Earle.
Albert Edward Morran.
George Hodgson.
James Patrick Maguire.
Roland Evelyn Fry.
Ernest Athole Edgumbe.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 29th July, 1915.

Alfred Henry Bentley.
Harold Victor Lester.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 16th August, 1915.

THE following notice, received from the Whangaroa County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

WHANGAROA COUNTY.

Notice of Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Kaeo and Whangaroa Ridings of the County of Whangaroa taken on Wednesday, the 28th day of July, 1915, on the proposal of the Whangaroa County Council to borrow the sum of £1,500 for constructing bridges and culverts and forming approaches thereto on the main Kaeo to Whangaroa Road, and for forming, metalling, and generally improving the said road, upon the terms set out in the public notice published in the North Auckland Age newspaper on the 18th and 25th days of June, 1915, and the 2nd and 9th days of July, 1915, in accordance with the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 89, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was nil.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.
Dated at Whangaroa this 30th day of July, 1915.

JOSEPH SOLLOWAY LANE,
Chairman of the Whangaroa County Council.

Result of Election of a Member of the Rotorua Fire Board by Fire-insurance Companies.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 10th August, 1915.

THE following result of the election of a member of the Rotorua Fire Board by fire-insurance companies has been reported to the Minister of Internal Affairs, and is notified in accordance with the rules made under the Fire Brigades Act, 1908.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Rotorua Fire Board—

Herbert Percy Kissling, *vice* Lancelot W. D. Andrews, resigned.

Notice respecting Raffles, &c., under the Gaming Act, 1908.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 14th August, 1915.

THE following section of the Gaming Act, 1908, is published for general information:—

"42. (1.) If any person being the owner of any painting, drawing, sculpture, or other work of art, or literature, or mineral specimens, or mechanical models, applies to the Minister of Internal Affairs for permission to dispose of the same by raffle or chance, the said Minister may, if he thinks fit, grant a license for that purpose, subject to such conditions and restrictions as he thinks right to impose.

"(2.) If such conditions and restrictions are complied with, the provisions of this Act, or any other law for the time being in force relating to gaming and lotteries, shall not apply to such owner or to any other persons who may be *bona fide* concerned in such transaction."

The words "or other work of art" in the above extract are held to mean articles of the nature of paintings, drawings, or sculptures. No articles except those mentioned in any

license granted by the Minister of Internal Affairs shall be disposed of by raffle or chance, either as gifts to prize-winners or on any other pretext.

A copy of each license granted by the Minister will be sent to the Police, in order that proceedings may be taken in the event of any infringement of the Act.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Post Officers appointed to take Statutory Declarations of Postmasters and other Post Officers.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office,
Wellington, 16th August, 1915.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated to me under section 8, clause (d), of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, I, Joseph George Ward, the Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting under the authority conferred by section 9, subsection (2), of the said Act, do hereby appoint the following persons to take statutory declarations of Postmasters and other Post officers:—

WATERS, F. V., First Assistant Secretary, General Post Office.

MORRIS, R. B., Chief Inspector, General Post Office.

WARD, W. T., Chief Postmaster, Christchurch.

GEE, W., Chief Postmaster, Nelson.

HARLE, G. H., Postmaster, Ashburton.

SCULLY, F. M., District Accountant, New Plymouth.

PRICE, C. M., Assistant Inspector, West Coast District.

COLLINS, J. F., Chief Mail Clerk, Christchurch.

MISSEN, B. T., Postmaster, Taihape.

McNICKLE, W., Postmaster, Auckland S.C.

LECHNER, R. E., Postmaster, Reefton.

J. G. WARD,
Postmaster-General

Notice fixing Closing-hours of Chemists' Shops in the Borough of Devonport, under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the chemists' shops in the Borough of Devonport, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops within the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, 8 p.m.; and Friday, 9.30 p.m.:

And whereas the Devonport Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the chemists' shops within the Borough of Devonport:

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 23rd day of August, 1915, all chemists' shops in the Borough of Devonport shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

NOTE.—The statutory half-holiday is on Saturday, on which day chemists' shops may reopen from 7 p.m. till 9 p.m. only for the supply of medicines and surgical appliances.

Dated at Wellington this 16th day of August, 1915.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Canceling of Mackerras and Hazlett's Warehouse, Dunedin.

Customs Department,
Wellington, 3rd August, 1915.

I HEREBY give notice that the license of Mackerras and Hazlett's warehouse, Dunedin, issued on the 5th January, 1915, is cancelled as from the 26th day of July, 1915, such warehouse having on that date ceased to be occupied by the licensee as a licensed warehouse.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Customs.

Officiating Ministers for 1915.—Notice No. 27.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 18th August, 1915.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.
The Reverend SAMUEL FOWLER HUNTER,

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

Notice to Mariners No. 66 of 1915.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—DREDGING OFF FREEMAN'S BAY RECLAMATION.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 14th August, 1915.

THE Auckland Harbour Board have notified that suction dredger No. 2 is now moored approximately 350 ft. E.N.E. of the north-east corner of the Freeman's Bay Reclamation, and is connected to the reclamation by a line of pipes placed on punts.

All vessels entering this basin must pass to the eastward of the dredger. The channel side of the dredger will be marked by a red light at night-time.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 1970 and 1896; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter II, page 39.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 67 of 1915.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 16th August, 1915.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Hydrographic Office, Washington; the Marine Department, Brisbane; and the Department of Trade and Customs, Melbourne, are published for general information.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

WASHINGTON.

COLUMBIA RIVER ENTRANCE.—SOUTH CHANNEL.—RANGE-LIGHTS ESTABLISHED.—On 21st June, 1915, two fixed white range-lights, each of 2,500 candle-power, were established on Cape Disappointment to mark the South Channel, Columbia River entrance.

The front light is exhibited, 57 ft. above the water, from a small white house set in the rocky cliff, on the bearings—

South Jetty, right tangent	..	204°
McKenzie Head, left tangent	..	284°

The rear light is exhibited, 172 ft. above the water and 23 ft. above the ground, from a white skeleton tower 625 yards 29° from the front light.

U.S. Coast Survey Charts Nos. 6100 and 6151.
Light List, Pacific Coast, 1915, page 38, Nos. 169A and 169B.
U.S. Coast Pilot, Pacific Coast, 1909, page 123.

URUGUAY.

MONTEVIDEO.—LIGHT-BUOY ESTABLISHED.—A black light-buoy, showing a flashing white light, visible six miles, has been moored for dredging purposes 426 yards 54° from Mole B in Montevideo Harbour.

H.O. Charts Nos. 1130, 1132, 616, 930, and 672.
Bureau List of Lights, Vol. I, 1915, No. 1603 (remarks).
H.O. Publication No. 88, East Coast of South America, 1904, page 558.

HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

OAHU.—HONOLULU HARBOUR.—LIGHT TO BE TEMPORARILY DISCONTINUED.—LIGHTED BUOY TO BE ESTABLISHED.—About 15th July, 1915, Honolulu Harbour Light No. 6 will be temporarily discontinued pending the completion of dredging in the vicinity and the erection of a new structure.

A second-class nun buoy, showing a fixed red light, will be established about 40 yards 180° from the present structure, in 1½ fathoms of water.

H.O. Charts Nos. 1216 and 867.
U.S. Coast Survey Charts Nos. 4102, 4116, and 4109.
Bureau List of Lights, Vol. I, 1915, No. 2074.
Light List, Pacific Coast, 1915, page 136, No. 732.
Pacific Islands, Vol. III, 1909, page 244.
Coast Pilot Notes on the Hawaiian Islands, 1912, page 39.

HONOLULU HARBOUR ENTRANCE.—POSITION OF LIGHT-BUOY.—Outside entrance gas-buoy No. 2, showing an occulting red light, is moored about 1,975 yards 178° from Honolulu Harbour Lighthouse, and not in the position shown on H.O. Chart No. 867.

Entrance buoy 2, a red first-class tall nun, is moored in the position of the light-buoy as shown on H.O. Chart No. 867.

Approximate position of outside entrance gas-buoy No. 2, latitude 21° 16' 50" N., longitude 157° 52' 7" W.

H.O. Charts Nos. 1216 and 867.
U.S. Coast Survey Charts Nos. 4102, 4116, and 4109.
Bureau List of Lights, Vol. I, 1915, No. 2073.
Light List, Pacific Coast, 1915, No. 728.
Pacific Islands, Vol. III, 1909, page 244.
Coast Pilot Notes on Hawaiian Islands, 1912, page 8.

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN.

NEW CALEDONIA.—PORT NOUMEA.—RADIO-STATION ESTABLISHED.—Mr. W. Anderson, third officer of the steamer "Sonoma," reports, under date of 8th June, 1915, that a radio-station has been established at Port Noumea.

The station appears to be open from 5 p.m. to 1 a.m. for public business, and is equipped with a 2-kilowatt low-frequency set working regularly at night with the radio-station at Brisbane, Australia.

The call letters are A D O.
H.O. Charts Nos. 2180, 825A, 2027, 2873, 2874, and 2875.

B.A. Chart No. 936B.
Pacific Islands, Vol. II, 1908, page 254.

H.O. Publication No. 87, International Code of Signals, 1914, page 123.

AUSTRALIA.

Pullen Reef, Lark Pass, East Coast of Australia.

Notice is hereby given that a black cask buoy, with flag topmark, has been placed to mark the position of Pullen Reef.

The buoy is moored in 14 fathoms at low-water ordinary spring tides, with the north-west extreme of Pullen Reef bearing S. 10° E. distant about 200 yards.

Chart affected, No. 2923; Australia Directory, Vol. II.

Queensland.—Inner Barrier Route.—Princess Charlotte Bay.—Dhu Reef.—New Light.

Mariners and others are hereby notified that the new light on Dhu Reef will be exhibited experimentally on or about 1st September, 1915.

Position.—Lat. 14° 8' S., long. 144° E.

Structure.—Steel skeleton tower, painted red, on concrete pier.

Character.—Single flashing white light showing one flash every 3 seconds, thus: Flash 0.3 sec., eclipse 2.7 secs.

Elevation.—56 ft.

Visibility.—Thirteen miles all round the horizon.

Publications affected.—Admiralty List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI; Australian Directory, Vol. II; Sailing Directions and other Information for the Ports and Harbours of Queensland.

Charts affected.—Admiralty Charts 2922 (3136), 2764 (3156).

Inner Barrier Route.—Howick Group.—Coquet Island.—New Light.

Mariners and others are hereby notified that the new light on Coquet Island will be exhibited experimentally on or about 1st October, 1915.

Position.—Lat. 14° 32½' S., 144° 59½' E.

Structure.—Steel skeleton tower painted white, on concrete pier.

Character.—Single flashing white light showing one flash every 5 seconds, thus: Flash 0.5 sec., eclipse 4.5 secs.

Elevation.—65 ft.

Visibility.—Fourteen miles all round the horizon.

Publications affected.—Admiralty List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI; Australian Directory, Vol. II; Sailing Directions and other Information for the Ports and Harbours of Queensland.

Charts affected.—Admiralty Charts 3088, 2922, 2764, 780.

Northern Territory.—Fort Point, Port Darwin.—New Light.

Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 2 of 1915, mariners and others are hereby notified that the new light at Fort Point, Port Darwin, is now exhibited experimentally.

Position.—Lat. 12° 28' S., long. 130° 51' E.

Structure.—Iron post, 9 ft. high, painted white.

Character and Colour.—A group flashing white light with red sector, showing a group of two flashes every six seconds, thus: Flash 0.3 sec., eclipse 0.9 sec.; flash 0.3 sec., eclipse 4.5 secs.

Sector.—Shows white from 251° (S. 68° W. mag.) through west, north, and east to 97° (S. 86° E. mag.), red thence to 115° (S. 68° E. mag.), obscured elsewhere.

Elevation.—20 ft.

Visibility.—White, ten miles; red, five miles.

Publications affected.—Admiralty List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI; Australian Directory, Vol. III.

Charts affected.—Admiralty Charts 613, 925 (2991).

Emery Point, Port Darwin.—Alteration of Light.

Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 1 of 1915, mariners and others are hereby notified that the light on Emery Point, Port Darwin, is now altered experimentally.

Position.—Lat. 12° 27' S., long. 130° 49' E.

Structure.—Steel skeleton tower, 31 ft. high, painted white.

Character and Colour.—Single flashing white light, with red sector, showing one flash every three seconds, thus: Flash 0.3 sec., eclipse 2.7 secs.

Sector.—Shows white from 335° (N. 28° W. mag.) through north and east to 139° (S. 44° E. mag.), red thence to 181° (S. 2° E. mag.), obscured elsewhere.

Elevation.—60 ft.

Visibility.—White, thirteen miles; red, six miles.

Publications affected.—Admiralty List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI; Australian Directory, Vol. III.

Charts affected.—Admiralty Charts 613, 925 (2991).

Notice to Mariners No. 68 of 1915.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 17th August, 1915.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Hydrographic Office, London, are published for general information.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

ITALY.

Extinction of Lights. — Dangerous Areas. — Regulations respecting Navigation and Pilotage.

1. Extinction of Lights.

Caution.—All lights on the coasts of Italy and the Italian colonies are extinguished.

2. Dangerous Areas.

In consequence of the laying of mines, navigation along the Adriatic coast of Italy has become very dangerous within a distance of 6 miles off the coast. All fishing and other vessels wishing to enter or leave the Adriatic must pay the strictest attention to the orders of the Port Authorities.

The undermentioned tracts of water are dangerous to navigation:—

Gulf of Spezia.—The portion of the gulf comprised within a line joining Scoula Tower and Maralunga Point.

Venetian Estuary.—The tract of water off that portion of the coast which lies between Porto Cortellazzo (lat. 45° 32' 30" N., long. 12° 45' 50" E.) and Porto Levante (lat. 45° 3' 50" N., long. 12° 21' 40" E.) and is bounded on the seaward side by a line drawn 6 miles from the shore.

Caution.—The Ports of Spezia, Taranto, Brindisi, and Venice are mined, and also the port of Maddalena on the north coast of Sardinia.

3. Regulations respecting Navigation and Pilotage.

Genoa.—During the night (namely, from sunset to sunrise) all vessels and boats are forbidden to enter the port of Genoa.

During the day (namely, from sunrise to sunset) no steamship must approach the port without a pilot.

Exceptions are made in the case of steamships of less than 100 tons net tonnage; but these, before approaching the port, must close the pilot-tug in order to obtain the necessary instructions regarding the course to be followed.

Sailing-vessels must avail themselves of the services of a tug.

Departure is only permitted by day, and the captain of every ship must personally attend at the Port Captain's office the day before leaving, to receive his papers and the necessary instructions, to which he must strictly adhere.

Gulf of Spezia.—On account of evolutions and works in progress rendering navigation dangerous in the waters of the gulf, the entrance and departure from this roadstead of all merchant vessels is only permitted in clear weather during the day, in the hours notified from time to time by the Maritime Defence Command.

All vessels are strictly forbidden to enter or leave the roadstead without a pilot.

The eastern passage is entirely prohibited.

Vessels arriving from the open sea and desiring to approach the Piazza should remain under weigh about 2½ miles from the Palmaria semaphore, and request permission to proceed by hoisting the pilot flag and indicating their names. The pilot boat or tug will carry the distinctive mark prescribed on the bow or on the mast. Vessels must on no account proceed beyond the parallel passing through Tino Island until the arrival of the pilot.

Vessels wishing to leave must obtain permission from the Captain of the Port of Spezia at least 6 hours beforehand, and at the appointed time they must proceed in the direction of the passage westward of the breakwater, stopping when they reach Panigaglia Bay, and await the arrival of the pilot.

In navigating the western passage steamers must stop their engines at a distance of about a cable from the passage, and may start them again when about half a cable beyond it.

Vessels, whether entering or leaving, must follow exactly in the track of the pilot-boat until notified that they are free.

Porto Venere (Little) passage is closed from sunset to sunrise.

Maddalena.—Vessels bound for Maddalena on the north coast of Sardinia can only enter by the eastern entrance.

Vessels are forbidden to enter or leave the port without a pilot.

Entry and exit of vessels is only allowed between sunrise and sunset.

Straits of Messina.—Navigation through the Straits of Messina is prohibited from half an hour after sunset to half an hour before sunrise.

Navigation is permitted during the day in clear weather, but all merchant vessels must stop and await permission before entering the Straits; vessels coming from the north must stop on the meridian passing through Fort Spuria at a distance of at least 3 miles from the shore and communicate with Spuria semaphore station; vessels coming from the south must stop off Capo dell Armi and follow the same procedure.

Gulf of Taranto.—Vessels are forbidden to enter the area to the northward of a line joining Ovo Tower (lat. 40° 18' N., long. 17° 30½' E.) and the mouth of the Basento River (lat. 40° 20½' N., long. 16° 50' E.) between sunset and sunrise.

Vessels are forbidden to approach the coast within a distance of 6 miles in that portion of the gulf comprised between the meridians passing through Ovo and San Vito Towers; they are also forbidden to enter the area northward of a line joining the eastern extremity of San Pietro Island and the mouth of the Basento River between sunrise and sunset.

Taranto.—Entry and exit of vessels to or from the Mar Grande di Taranto is only allowed between sunrise and sunset.

Vessels coming from the open sea must stop outside at a distance of 2 miles westward of Cape San Vito light, and wait authority to enter.

Vessels are forbidden to approach the coast within a distance of 5 miles between sunset and sunrise.

Vessels wishing to leave the port are to inform the Commander-in-Chief of the Navy Department at least 6 hours beforehand, and request the services of a pilot.

Brindisi.—Vessels are forbidden to enter or leave the port of Brindisi without a pilot.

Entry and exit of vessels is only allowed between sunrise and sunset.

Vessels making for the anchorage and not obeying the order from the semaphore station to "Stop the engines" or "Furl sails" are liable to be fired upon.

Vessels on arrival are to hoist the signal for a pilot and stop at a distance of not less than 3 miles to the northward of Pedagne Lighthouse (Traversa Islet).

Vessels wishing to leave should make a request for the pilot-vessel to the Captain of the Port at least one hour previous to their leaving.

Ancona.—Owing to works in progress, the entrance to the Port of Ancona has become dangerous.

(a) By Day.—Vessels approaching the port should not navigate in depths of less than 8 fathoms, and are to stop outside at a distance of 4 miles to the northward of Monte Capuccini semaphore station, hoist their flag and indicate their name, and await permission to enter.

Anchorage in the roadstead during the day in the vicinity of the port is restricted, except in special cases, to the space east of the meridian passing through the semaphore.

(b) By Night.—Entry of vessels into the port and roadstead is forbidden between sunset and sunrise, except by special prearranged permission of the Port Authorities, and the fulfilment of the following regulations:—

Vessels approaching by night, wishing to enter the port, must stop in the offing, in the limits of the zone referred to above, and hoist the pilot flag.

If through stress of weather the pilot cannot go out, or if the Port Authorities decline to give permission to enter, two white lights (vertical) will be hoisted at the semaphore to indicate that entrance is prohibited.

In this case the vessel should proceed to sea and remain at the Cape till daylight for further signals.

Venetian Estuary.—Entry and exit of vessels by the Lido, Malamocco, and Chioggia channels is only permitted under clear conditions of atmosphere and between sunrise and sunset.

Vessels from the open sea wishing to enter the Venetian Estuary between sunrise and sunset must stop outside at a distance of 12 miles to the eastward of the pilot tower semaphore, lat. 45° 21' N., long. 12° 19' 40" E., hoist the pilot flag, indicate their names, and wait to be conducted by a pilot to the ports of the estuary.

Vessels wishing to leave the foregoing ports must notify the Port Authority.

(Notice No. 513 of 1915.)

MEDITERRANEAN.—EGYPTS.

Alexandria and Port Said.—*Caution re Extinction of Lights.*

Former Notice.—No. 312 of 1915; hereby cancelled.

1. ALEXANDRIA.—*Caution*: The following lights at Alexandria are extinguished until further notice—Great Pass leading-lights, and lights on all beacons and light-buoys marking the Great Pass; light on southern extremity of Outer Breakwater; light on light-buoy off Quarantine Breakwater. *Remarks*: Ships will not be permitted to enter Alexandria Harbour between sunset and sunrise.

2. PORT SAID.—*Caution*: All lights at Port Said are liable to be extinguished without notice.

DARDANELLES APPROACH, RABBIT ISLANDS.

Mavro Island.—*Rock Southward of.*

Position.—At a distance of 5.7 cables, 123° (S. 54° E. mag.), from the north-eastern point of Praso Island. Lat. 39° 55½' N., long. 26° 4½' E.

Depth.—4¼ fathoms.

Remarks.—The extent of the shoal ground is reported to be about one cable.

Variation.—3° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1599, Cape Eski Stambul to Kum Kale; No. 1608, Entrance of the Dardanelles; No. 1087, Thaso Island to Dardanelles; No. 224, Sea of Marmara; No. 2836B, Grecian Archipelago, northern sheet.

Publication.—Mediterranean Pilot, Vol. IV, 1908, page 113.

Immigration and Emigration Returns.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of JULY, 1915, showing the Places from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES FROM AND TO DIFFERENT PLACES.

Countries.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	
United Kingdom	107	192	58	39	396	156	80	6	9	251
Australian Commonwealth	663	405	51	66	1,185	925	535	88	59	1,607
Fiji	35	18	3	2	58	48	35	12	6	101
Canada	22	6	..	3	31	43	20	2	..	65
British South Africa	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
United States	16	5	..	..	21	10	3	4	7	24
South America .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	12	3	1	..	16
Foreign Pacific Islands	22	6	1	..	29	30	21	4	..	55
Totals, July, 1915	868	632	113	110	1,723	1,224	697	117	81	2,119
Totals, July, 1914	1,415	727	111	101	2,354	1,651	801	99	100	2,651

The excess of the departures from New Zealand over the arrivals therein during the month of July, 1915, was therefore 396 persons, as against 297 in the corresponding month of 1914.

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.*

Ports.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.					
	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	
Auckland	542	54	348	248	596	532	72	368	236	604	
Wellington	849	148	558	439	997	1,260	112	873	499	1,372	
Lyttelton .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	2
Dunedin	1	1	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..
Invercargill	108	20	74	54	128	127	14	98	43	141	
Totals, July, 1915	1,500	223	981	742	1,723	1,921	198	1,341	778	2,119	
Totals, July, 1914	2,142	212	1,526	828	2,354	2,452	199	1,750	901	2,651	
CHINESE (included above).											
Arrivals.					Departures.						
					Males.	Females.					
At Auckland					7	..	From Auckland				
" Wellington					26	..	" Wellin. ton				
					33	..					
							Males. Females.				
							3 14 17				

NOTE.—Figures of arrivals and departures do not include members of Expeditionary Forces.

* It is important to mention that, in the returns from which this table is made up, immigrants to the Dominion are all counted at the first port of arrival, and emigrants at the final port of departure.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 17th August, 1915.

MALCOLM FRASER,
Government Statistician.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block VI, Maungaru Survey District, for the Purposes of a Post-office.

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 post-office in Block VI, Maungaru 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 Tangowahine, 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 piece of land required to be taken: 1 rood.

Portion of Waiaruru Block, L.T. 10252 (S.O. 18330).
Situating in Block VI, Maungaru Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38217, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 12th day of August, 1915.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Notifying Land in the Canterbury Land District subject to the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

Office of Board of Land Purchase Commissioners,
Wellington, 14th August, 1915.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and its amendments, I hereby notify that the undermentioned Crown land, being the land known as the Glenmark Settlement, which has been acquired under the said Acts, is subject to the said Acts as from the 24th March, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

GLENMARK SETTLEMENT.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 11,431 acres, more or less, situated in Blocks I, T, victdale, XVI, Waipara, and XII, XIII, XVI, and XVII, Waikari Survey Districts, being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, Volume 295, folio 181, in the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch; as the same is delineated on the plan marked L and S. 7161, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered yellow.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Town of Rotorua.—Order levying a Fire-prevention Rate, 1915-16.

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 three-eighths of a penny 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, 1915, and ending on the 30th day of June, 1916, and that such rate shall be payable in one sum on the 1st day of September, 1915.

As witness my hand this 14th day of August, 1915.

B. M. WILSON,
General Manager.

Witness—W. H. Frethey.

Town of Rotorua.—Order levying a Hospital Rate, 1915-16.

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-ninth 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, 1915, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1916, and that such rate shall be payable in one sum on the 1st day of September, 1915.

As witness my hand this 14th day of August, 1915.

B. M. WILSON,
General Manager.

Witness—W. H. Frethey.

Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.

NOTICE.—DENIS LEO BENEDICT GLASHEEN, Esquire, of West Maitland, New South Wales, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New South Wales, has this day been appointed by His Honour the Chief Justice a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in New South Wales, under the 47th section of the Judicature Act, 1908, for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington this 13th day of August, 1915.

R. GOLDSMAN,
Deputy Registrar, Supreme Court.

Deceased Persons' Estates.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons which have been placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE for Management during the Month of July, 1915.

No.	Name of Deceased.	New Zealand Residence.	Supposed British or Foreign Residence.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
1	Barbour, John	Christchurch	Scotland	28 June, 1915..	Testate
2	Barnett, Sybil Florence	Waerengaahika	England	3 " " ..	Intestate.
3	Bennett, William	Lincoln	" "	1 May, " ..	"
4	Bennington, Alexander John	Geraldine	New Zealand	2 June, " ..	Testate.
5	Black, Thomas	Winton	Ireland	30 May, " ..	Intestate.
6	Breach, Samuel Augustus	Hawera	England	13 June, " ..	Testate.
7	Breen, Daniel	Petone	" "	25 " " ..	Intestate.
8	Bridgman, Percival	Te Aroha	England	26 April, " ..	"
9	Brown, James	Ashburton	Scotland	29 Mar., " ..	Testate.
10	Buchanan, John	Marybank	" "	10 July, " ..	Intestate.
11	Burton, Thomas	Marshlands	" "	6 " " ..	"
12	Calder, James Bell	Nelson	New Zealand	19 June, 1913..	Testate.
13	Campbell, William Walker	Tikokino	" "	12 July, 1915 ..	"
14	Coker, Frederick William	Invercargill	" "	27 April, " ..	"
15	Connell, Alexander	Auckland	Scotland	27 " " ..	"
16	Coyle, Michael	Wellington	Ireland	30 May, " ..	Intestate.
17	Darnill, William	Invercargill	New Zealand	2 " " ..	Testate.
18	Douglas, William	Westland	England	22 Jan., 1904 ..	"
19	Duirs, William	Westmere	New Zealand	20 June, 1915 ..	"
20	Finlay, William H.	Dunedin	" "	4 Jan., " ..	Intestate.
21	Fitzgibbon, Elizabeth	Wellington	New Zealand	21 Mar., " ..	Testate.
22	Forsyth, James	Whangarei	Scotland	6 Dec., 1914..	Intestate.
23	Fowler, Thomas	Nelson	" "	About 10/5/15..	"
24	Frandi, Atio	Wellington	Italy	2 June, 1915..	Testate.
25	Gardner, J. A.	Dunedin	Canada	8 May, " ..	"
26	Gilbertson, Georgina	Nelson	New Zealand	26 Mar., " ..	"
27	Goss, Samuel George	Wellington	England	2 June, " ..	"
28	Harris, Thora Annie or Anna	Timaru	Denmark	26 May, " ..	Intestate.
29	Hatfield, William	Waikouaiti	England	7 " " ..	Testate.
30	Heinz, Albert William	Hokitika	New Zealand	9 July, " ..	Intestate.
31	Howard, Henry or Harry	Invercargill	England	14 June, " ..	"
32	Jeal, Thomas	Halkett	" "	12 " " ..	Testate.
33	Johnson, John Thompson	Napier	Ireland	3 Nov., 1901 ..	"
34	Kelly, Florence May	Turakina	New Zealand	26 Mar., 1915..	"
35	Kerr, Angus McQuilkan	Hokonui	" "	23 May, " ..	Intestate.
36	Kirkus, Joseph James	Miramar, Wellington	England	Disappeared 3/3/15	"
37	Kneebone, Thomas	Hinuera	New Zealand	8 April, 1915..	Testate.
38	Lewis, Richard	Tahatika	England	26 May, " ..	Intestate.
39	Lind, George	Palmerston North	Sweden	12 June, " ..	"
40	Macdonald, Margery Cumming Cameron	Dunedin	Scotland	10 July, " ..	Testate.
41	Mallabarr, Robert Harrison	Mauriceville	England	27 June, " ..	"
42	McGregor, Donald	Otatara	Scotland	22 May, " ..	Intestate.
43	McKenzie, William	Ashburton	Ireland	7 April, " ..	"
44	McKeogan, Owen	Wai-iti	" "	19 June, " ..	Testate.
45	McLennan, Edward Duncan	Riversdale	New Zealand	Unknown	"
46	McMuller, John	Auckland	Ireland	21 June, 1915..	"
47	Mewhinney, Mary Ann	Tarras	" "	17 May, " ..	Intestate.
48	Murphy, Daniel	Wellington	" "	20 " " ..	"
49	Murphy, John	Napier	Ireland	3 Nov., 1901..	Testate.
50	Nielson, Peder; or Neilson, Peter; or Nielson, Peiter	Wellington	Denmark	25 May, 1915 ..	Intestate.
51	Noble, William	Rapahoe	England	31 " " ..	"
52	O'Donnell, Dennis	Thornbury	New Zealand	15 June, " ..	Testate.
53	Peterson, Peter	Clive	Norway	21 " " ..	"
54	Roberts, Robert Swan	Dannevirke	Scotland	14 " " ..	Intestate.
55	Smeaton, Smith Hadfield	Kumara	New Zealand	11 " " ..	"
56	Sodervall, Agnes Merrilies Johan- sen; or Johansen, Agnes	Wellington	" "	11 Mar., " ..	"
57	Stocker, Ingelow Penrose Dunbar	Christchurch	" "	11 June, " ..	Testate.
58	Taylor, Thomas	Ophir	Ireland	15 May, " ..	Intestate.
59	Wallace, Henry Lionel	Napier	England	27 " " ..	"
60	Wardlaw, Henry	Waikaia	Ireland	27 " " ..	"
61	Wildermoth, John Layton	Invercargill	New Zealand	2 " " ..	Testate.
62	Williams, Alfred Edward	Waiongona	" "	30 Jan., " ..	Intestate.
63	Williams, George	Inglewood	England	10 June, " ..	"

Dated the 7th day of August, 1915.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

Exports.—Weekly.

RETURN of PRINCIPAL EXPORTS of NEW ZEALAND PRODUCE from the Dominion during the Week ended Tuesday, 17th August, 1915.

NOTE.—These figures are subject to alteration. They represent the entries from the ports received at Head Office, Wellington, up to 5 p.m. on Tuesday. * Goods exported are credited, as far as possible, to each district of production (as per list appended to return for week ending 19th January, 1915, *New Zealand Gazette* No. 8, page 287), whether exported through the port of such district or not.

Districts.*	Butter.	Cheese.	Frozen Meats.			Gold.
			Lamb.	Mutton.	Other.	
Auckland	£ 5,542	£ 6,411	£ 10,866	£ 5,152	£ 18,279	£ 516
Kaipara
Tauranga
Gisborne	2,642	8,671	..	..
New Plymouth
Waitara	112	3,638	14,382	..
Patea	19,680	..	..	..	..
Wanganui	5,621	3,983	62	..
Wellington	8,116	2,092	5,525	1,214	..
Napier	432	531	4,773	5,034	..	..
Wairau (including Picton)	220	..	..	..	..
Nelson
Westport
Greymouth
Hokitika
Lyttelton	57,904	33,915	542	..
Timaru
Oamaru
Dunedin	1,900	..	..	..	..
Invercargill	2,801	..	..	..	..
Totals	5,974	39,659	84,010	65,918	34,479	516

Districts.*	Grain and Pulse.	Hides and Skins.	Kauri-gum.	Phormium (including Tow).	Tallow.	Timber.	Wool.
Auckland	£ 106	£ 12,335	£ 24,683	£ 11,145	£ 5,395	£ 2,963	£ 13,533
Kaipara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tauranga .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gisborne .. ..	..	3,949	..	..	2,228	..	..
New Plymouth ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waitara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Patea .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wanganui .. ..	..	1,084	..	..	1,176	1,081	2,792
Wellington	759	5,177	..	14,126	420	..	..
Napier .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,256
Wairau (including Picton) ..	..	..	..	152	..	..	..
Nelson .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westport .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hokitika .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton	1,866	19,036	..	..	8,409	..	38,584
Timaru .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oamaru .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	132
Dunedin	27	..	..	936	..	..	510
Invercargill	571	100	..	2,222	..	..	..
Totals	2,829	41,631	24,683	28,581	17,628	4,044	59,807

Customs Department,
Wellington, 18th August, 1915.

W. B. MONTGOMERY,
Comptroller of Customs.

Notice of Vesting of Land in the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, Part II, Unclaimed Lands.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee has, for the purpose of Part II of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its amendments (relating to unclaimed lands), made due inquiries with respect to the land described in the Schedule hereunder, and the whereabouts of the owner thereof, and has, in respect of the said land, given the notices prescribed by section 66 of the said Act, and has in all respects complied with the provisions of that Act pertinent hereto: And whereas the Public Trustee has not thereby ascertained the whereabouts of the owner or of any agent of such owner in New Zealand, nor has such owner established his title to the said land, as required by the said Act:

Now, I, the undersigned, the Public Trustee, hereby give notice that the said land is, under and by virtue of the said Act, vested in the Public Trustee as aforesaid, as from the date of the publication hereof, and will be administered under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its amendments; the value of the land for the purposes of section 67 (d) of the said Act being less than £100.

Dated at Wellington this 17th day of August, 1915.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 67 acres, more or less, being eastern portion of Allotment No. 67, Parish of Matakohe.

Notice of Vesting of Land in the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, Part II, Unclaimed Lands.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee has, for the purpose of Part II of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its amendments (relating to unclaimed lands), made due inquiries with respect to the land described in the Schedule hereunder, and the whereabouts of the owner thereof, and has, in respect of the said land, given the notices prescribed by section 66 of the said Act, and has in all respects complied with the provisions of that Act pertinent hereto: And whereas the Public Trustee has not thereby ascertained the whereabouts of the owner or of any agent of such owner in New Zealand, nor has such owner established his title to the said land, as required by the said Act:

Now, I, the undersigned, the Public Trustee, hereby give notice that the said land is, under and by virtue of the said Act, vested in the Public Trustee as aforesaid, as from the date of the publication hereof, and will be administered under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its amendments; the value of the land for the purposes of section 67 (d) of the said Act being less than £100.

Dated at Wellington this 17th day of August, 1915.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Wellington, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section 210 on the plan of the Township of Halcombe, deposited in the Lands Registry Office at Wellington, under No. 42.

Notice of Vesting of Land in the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, Part II, Unclaimed Lands.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee has, for the purpose of Part II of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its amendments (relating to unclaimed lands), made due inquiries with respect to the land described in the Schedule hereunder, and the whereabouts of the owner thereof, and has, in respect of the said land, given the notices prescribed by section 66 of the said Act, and has in all respects complied with the provisions of that Act pertinent hereto: And whereas the Public Trustee has not thereby ascertained the whereabouts of the owner or of any agent of such owner in New Zealand, nor has such owner established his title to the said land, as required by the said Act:

Now, I, the undersigned, the Public Trustee, hereby give notice that the said land is, under and by virtue of the said Act, vested in the Public Trustee as aforesaid, as from the date of the publication hereof, and will be administered under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its amendments; the

value of the land for the purposes of section 67 (d) of the said Act being less than £100.

Dated at Wellington this 17th day of August, 1915.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 36 acres, more or less, being Allotment 19, Parish of Waiheke, County of Eden. Bounded on the north-east, by a line 1375 links; on the south-east by Allotments 17 and 18, 2270 links; on the south-west by Allotment 20, 2920 links; and on the north-west by a road 100 links wide.

Land Surveyors' Examination, September, 1915, Australia and New Zealand.

The Surveyors' Board of New Zealand,
Wellington, 14th August, 1915.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Surveyors' Board, in conjunction with the Australian Surveyors' Boards, will conduct an examination of candidates for licenses to survey, commencing at 10 a.m. on Monday, 20th September, 1915, at Wellington.

Candidates are notified that their applications, on the proper form, must reach the Secretary of the Board not later than 5 p.m. on the 9th September, and that the examination fee of £1 1s. must be paid, at least seven days before the date of the examination, to the Secretary of the Board, from whom examination regulations, application forms, and other particulars may be obtained.

The amount of postage must also be remitted if plans and field-books are desired to be returned.

M. C. SMITH,
Secretary, Surveyors' Board.

Government Buildings, Wellington.

Applications invited for the Position of Matron, Justice Department, Addington Prison.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 11th August, 1915.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the undersigned up till noon on the 31st August, 1915, for the position of Matron, Justice Department, Addington Prison.

2. Applications (to be made on P.S.C. Form 17A, obtainable at principal post-offices) must be addressed to the Secretary to the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, and must embrace a statement of education and experience, particulars of age, &c.

3. Applicants must be of good education and have some experience of institutional management.

4. In addition to the duties of Matron the successful applicant will be required to act as Assistant Inspector of Women's Prisons.

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

The position will be graded in the General Division. Salary, £200; maximum, £250.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Applications invited for the Position of Overseer, Public Works Department, Nelson.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 14th August, 1915.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the undersigned up till noon on the 3rd September, 1915, for the position of Overseer, Public Works Department, Nelson.

2. Applications (to be made on P.S.C. Form 17A, obtainable at principal post-offices) must be addressed to the Secretary to the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, and must embrace a statement of education and experience, particulars of age, &c.

3. Candidates should show that they possess experience in the construction of roads and railways, including earthworks, tunnels, culverts, and minor bridges.

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

The position will be graded in the General Division. Salary, £210 per annum.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Applications invited for the Position of Assistant Engineer, Chief Electrical Engineer's Branch, Public Works Department, Wellington.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 13th August, 1915.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the undersigned up till noon on the 3rd September, 1915, for the position of Assistant Engineer, Chief Electrical Engineer's Branch, Public Works Department, Wellington.

2. Applications (to be made on P.S.C. Form 17A, obtainable at principal post-offices) must be addressed to the Secretary to the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, and must embrace a statement of education and experience, particulars of age, &c.

3. Applicants should show that they possess the following qualifications:—

- (a.) University or secondary and technical education.
- (b.) Workshop experience in mechanical or electrical engineering.
- (c.) Competent to take charge of survey party and carry out engineering surveys for hydro-electric developments.
- (d.) Experience in water-power development and the lay-out of power-stations.

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

The position will be graded in the Professional Division, Class E. Salary, £235; maximum, £300.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Applications invited for the Position of Draughtsman, Electrical Engineering Staff, Public Works Department, Wellington.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 17th August, 1915.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the undersigned up till noon on the 3rd September, 1915, for the position of Draughtsman, Electrical Engineering Branch, Public Works Department, Wellington.

2. Applications (to be made on P.S.C. Form 17A, obtainable at principal post-offices) must be addressed to the Secretary to the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, and must embrace a statement of education and experience, particulars of age, &c.

3. Applicants should show that they possess—

- (a.) Mechanical or electrical workshop practice;
- (b.) Capability of designing and drawing out details of headworks, pipe-lines, buildings, and the lay-out of machinery in connection with hydro-electric power schemes.

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

The position will be graded in the Clerical Division, Class VI. Salary, £200; maximum, £260.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Applications invited for the Positions (Two) of Harbourmaster and Customs Officer, Marine and Inspection of Machinery Department, Picton and Hokianga.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 17th August, 1915.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the undersigned up till noon on the 7th September, 1915, for the positions (two) of Harbourmaster and Customs Officer, Marine Department, Picton and Hokianga.

2. Applications (to be made on P.S.C. Form 17A, obtainable at principal post-offices) must be addressed to the Secretary to the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, and must embrace a statement of education and experience, particulars of age, &c.

3. An applicant must be not less than twenty-five and not more than forty-five years of age, and must hold a foreign-going certificate of competency as master ordinary.

4. He must produce certificates to date of good conduct and sobriety and certificates of service at sea, also medical certificate that he is in good health and not afflicted with any bodily infirmity rendering him unfit for the duties of the position.

5. He must also produce a recent form and colour test certificate as required by the latest Board of Trade regulations for examination of masters and mates.

6. The selected candidate will be required to pass the examination for pilots prescribed by the Harbour Regulations published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 14th June, 1915.

7. The Department will supply a house to the Harbourmaster at Hokianga, for which a rental of £25 per annum will be charged.

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

The positions will be graded in the Professional Division Class E. Salary, £250; maximum, £300.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Settlement Land in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 17th August, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash or on deferred payments, at this office on Friday, the 1st day of October, 1915, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAITEMATA COUNTY.—HETANA HAMLET.

First-class Land.

SECTION 14, Block XIV: Area, 5 acres; upset price, £150.

Altitude, 60 ft. to 160 ft. above sea-level. Undulating land, rather steep, but ploughable; covered with light manuka. Soil a stiff loam, on clay subsoil; poorly watered by head of small stream. Distant a mile and a quarter from New Lynn Railway-station by good cart-road.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District open for Sale or Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 16th August, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 21 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, that the undermentioned land is open for sale or selection on the optional system; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, 9th September, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—OPOTIKI COUNTY.—WAIOEKA SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTION 2, Block VIII: Area, 1,325 acres. Cash purchase: Total price, £665. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rental, £16 12s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rental, £13 6s.

Weighted with £200, valuation for improvements comprising iron shanty, felling and grassing, and 26 chains of fencing.

Altitude, 300 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level. Broken country; 240 acres cleared and grassed, but 140 acres of this is somewhat overgrown; balance of section covered with heavy mixed forest comprising tawa, rimu, rata, tawai, tawhero, miro, and hinau, with moderate undergrowth of raurekau, rangiora, supplejack, &c. Soil of fair quality, slightly sandy, on sandstone formation; well watered by small streams. Situated fourteen miles from Opotiki, seven miles of which is by cart-road, balance bridle-track.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 26th July, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that six acres of Crown land adjoining Section 1, Block IX, Mangamuka Survey District, Auckland Land District, will be disposed of, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, on or after Monday, 1st November, 1915.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 2nd August, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provision of section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on and after Monday, the 8th day of November, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

PART of Section 12, Block VII, Matiri Survey District:
Area, 170 acres.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 12th July, 1915.

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 Monday, the 18th day of October, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 2, Block VII, Kawatiri Survey District: Area,
5 acres.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 12th July, 1915.

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 Monday, the 18th day of October, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 131, Block XIII, Matiri Survey District: Area,
61 acres 0 roods 18 perches.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 5th July, 1915.

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 14th day of October, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—OMAPEPE SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTION 9, Block III: Area, 144 acres 0 roods 20 perches.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 28th June, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of, in terms of section 138 of the Land Act, 1908, on or after Friday, 1st October, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—TUAPEKA COUNTY.—GREENVALE SURVEY DISTRICT.

PART Section 2, Block XIII: Area, 51 acres 3 roods 17 perches.

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 7th June, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms 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 16th day of September, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—PIRONGIA PARISH.

Section 167: Area, 55 acres.

" 168: " 50 "

" 172: " 50 "

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 7th June, 1915.

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 16th day of September, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

PART Section 10, Block V, and Section 3, Block IX, Wharepapa Survey District: Area, 54 acres 3 roods 16 perches.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Otago Land District open for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 10th August, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease for thirty-three-year terms; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 9th day of November, 1915.

The ballot for the sections will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin, on Wednesday, the 10th day of November, 1915, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

Preference will be given to landless applicants who have children dependent on them, or who have within the preceding two years applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Alexandra Borough.—Town of Alexandra.—Block XXXVII.
SUBURBAN LAND.

SECTION 2: Area, 15 acres 0 roods 5 perches; capital value, £150; half-yearly rent, £3 15s.

Section 3: Area, 10 acres 2 roods 39 perches; capital value, £110; half-yearly rent, £2 15s.

Section 4: Area, 10 acres 2 roods 37 perches; capital value, £110; half-yearly rent, £2 15s.

Section 5: Area, 10 acres 2 roods 37 perches; capital value, £110; half-yearly rent, £2 15s.

Section 6: Area, 11 acres 0 roods 33 perches; capital value, £110; half-yearly rent, £2 15s.

Section 7: Area, 11 acres 2 roods 19 perches; capital value, £120; half-yearly rent, £3.

Section 8: Area, 10 acres 3 roods 12 perches; capital value, £110; half-yearly rent, £2 15s.

Section 9: Area, 13 acres 2 roods 21 perches; capital value, £140; half-yearly rent, £3 10s.

Weighted with valuation for fencing as follows: Section 2, £13 7s. 6d.; Section 3, £3 5s.; Section 4, £3 5s.; Section 5, £3 5s.; Section 6, £11 10s.; Section 7, £11 15s.; Section 8, £3 5s.; Section 9, £10 15s.

Open level land, with a light soil on a shingle subsoil; formerly part of the Alexandra Racecourse. Situated within a few chains of Alexandra Railway-station. Altitude, about 450 ft. above sea-level.

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Otago Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 10th August, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction for cash, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and amendments, on Friday, 5th November, 1915, at 11 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
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TOWN LAND.

Town of Ranfurly.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
28	V	0 1 0	7 10 0
29	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
30	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
31	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
32	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
33	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
18	VIII	0 1 0	7 10 0
20	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
22	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
28	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
29	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
30	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
31	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
13	IX	0 1 0	7 10 0
15	"	0 1 0	7 10 0
28	XII	0 1 0	7 10 0
29	"	0 1 0	7 10 0

Level sections; good building-sites. Situated at Ranfurly, on the Otago Central Railway line.

SUBURBAN LAND.

Town of Bannockburn.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1	II	1 1 15	3 10 0
1	VIII	1 2 35	7 0 0
3	"	2 3 0	10 0 0
1	IX	1 2 31	7 0 0
1	XI	2 0 20	6 10 0
2	"	2 1 12	7 0 0

Good building-sites, and suitable for fruit-growing where water can be obtained. About four miles from the Borough of Cromwell.

Town of Dunkeld.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
6	XXV	0 0 28-5	5 0 0
7	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
8	"	0 0 37-5	5 0 0
9	"	0 0 25	5 0 0
11	"	0 0 34	5 0 0
12	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
13	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
14	"	0 0 38-7	5 0 0
15	"	0 0 38-3	5 0 0
16	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
17	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
18	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
19	"	0 1 10	5 0 0
1	XXXIV	0 1 0	5 0 0
2	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
3	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
4	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
5	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
8	"	0 3 8	15 0 0
9	"	0 3 8	15 0 0
10	"	0 3 8	15 0 0
11	"	0 3 8	15 0 0

These sections are nearly level, have a good soil, and are situated within half a mile of Beaumont Railway-station.

own of Komako.

		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
106	..	1 2 35	10 10 0
107	..	2 0 17	12 15 0

Level sections; good building-sites. Situated at Waipiata Railway-station, on the Otago Central line.

RURAL LAND.

Oamaru Survey District.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
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Town of Waipahi.

5	XIV	0 1 0	4 0 0
6	"	0 1 0	4 0 0
11	"	0 1 0	4 0 0
12	"	0 1 0	4 0 0

Level land, subject to flood by Waipahi Stream. Within a quarter of a mile of railway-station.

77	I	0 3 20	15 0 0
78	"	1 0 0	20 0 0

Level land situated at Boundary Creek, about four miles north of Oamaru on main North Road. The sections are well watered by Landon Creek. The soil is of good quality. The access is from main North Road, about ten chains distant.

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,

Invercargill, 19th July, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale, for cash, by public auction at this office at 11 a.m. on Friday, 22nd October, 1915, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Locality.	Area.	Upset Price.
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Southland County.—Suburban Land.

			A. R. P.	£ s. d.
10	I	Wallacetown Town	0 1 0	10 0 0
9	II	"	0 1 0	10 0 0
8	III	"	0 1 0	8 0 0
6	IV	"	0 1 0	8 0 0
4	V	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
6	"	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
2	VI	"	0 1 0	7 0 0
10	VII	"	0 1 0	7 0 0
16	IX	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
8	X	"	0 1 0	6 0 0
2	XI	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
6	XII	"	0 1 0	6 0 0
4	XIII	"	0 1 0	6 0 0
14	"	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
15	"	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
16	"	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
17	"	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
2	XIV	"	0 1 0	6 0 0
20	XV	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
8	XVI	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
16	XVII	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
14	XVIII	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
17	XIX	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
15	XX	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
13	XXI	"	0 1 0	3 0 0
11	XXII	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
9	XXIII	"	0 1 0	5 0 0
7/12	XXIV	"	1 2 14	30 0 0
1/2	XXV	"	0 2 10	10 0 0
4	XXXI	"	1 0 0	16 0 0
3	XXXV	"	1 0 0	15 0 0
2	XXXVIII	"	3 2 0	60 0 0
3	"	"	3 2 0	60 0 0
4	"	"	11 0 3	190 0 0
9	"	"	6 1 0	100 0 0

The following sections are weighted with valuation for fencing: Section 4, Block V, £1; Section 15, Block XX, £1 10s.; Section 3, Block XXV, £3 10s.; Section 2, Block XXXVIII, £6; Section 3, Block XXXVIII, £6; Section 4, Block XXXVIII, £8.

The owner of the cow-byre on Section 17, Block XIII, shall have the right to remove same after the sale, and former licensees of other sections may also remove their fencing in cases where sections have not been loaded with value of same.

Open, level sections, mostly in grass, situated about eight miles from Town of Invercargill.

Section.	Block.	Locality.	Area.	Upset Price.
5	I	Town of Lochiel	1 0 7	15 0 0
7	II	"	1 0 0	10 0 0

Section 5 is fair land, now in old grass. Section 7 is partly wet and peaty, all in natural state; will be good land when drained. Access to both sections by gravelled road.

9 XXVI Town of East Gore 4 1 0 25 0 0
 7 XXVII " " 3 0 14 25 0 0
 Soil good; land broken by lagoons, subject to flood; not fit for building-sites. Section 9 has frontage to main road, Gore to Clinton. Access to Section 9 by unformed road. Both sections about half a mile from McNab's Siding.

Wallace County.—Suburban Land.

4	II	Town of Wrey's Bush	0 2 0	5 0 0
13	"	"	2 0 0	20 0 0
5	III	"	0 1 39	5 0 0
8	"	"	2 0 0	20 0 0
3	IV	"	1 2 39	15 0 0
11	"	"	0 3 12	8 0 0
5	V	"	0 2 0	5 0 0
6	"	"	0 2 0	5 0 0
7	"	"	0 2 0	5 0 0
8/10	"	"	1 2 0	15 0 0
14	"	"	1 1 37	15 0 0
1	VI	"	0 2 0	5 0 0
2	"	"	0 2 0	5 0 0
3	"	"	0 2 0	5 0 0
5	"	"	0 2 0	5 0 0
6	"	"	0 2 0	5 0 0
7	"	"	0 2 0	5 0 0
8	"	"	0 2 0	5 0 0
10	"	"	1 2 39	15 0 0
6	VII	"	2 0 4	20 0 0
3	IX	"	0 2 0	5 0 0
12	"	"	2 0 7	20 0 0
14	X	"	1 3 0	15 0 0
2	XI	"	1 2 39	15 0 0

All level land, fair quality. Situated four miles from Wairoa Railway-station by good level metal road. Post-office, school, &c., in Wrey's Bush Township.

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

Education Reserve in Marlborough Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
 Blenheim, 26th July, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned education reserve will be offered for lease by public auction at this office on Friday, the 3rd day of September, 1915, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 1025, 1026, and 1028 (education reserve), Town of Picton; upset annual rent, £5; area, 3 roods.

Level land, well adapted for a site for a gentleman's residence and garden; creek runs through lower portion.

TERMS AND CONDITION OF LEASE.

1. Possession will be given on the 1st day of January, 1916, and rent will commence from that date.
2. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance, free from all deductions whatsoever, on the 1st day of January and 1st day of July in each year.
3. The lease shall be for the term of twenty-one years from 1st day of January, 1916, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years.
4. Rent of renewal lease to be fixed by arbitration. If lessee does not desire a 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 the outgoing lessee.
5. No assignment, sublease, or other disposition of lease without consent of the Land Board.
6. Lessee to improve the land, and keep it clear of all noxious weeds.
7. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on all rent in arrear.

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8. Consent of Land Board to be obtained before subdividing, erecting any building, or effecting other improvements.
9. Lease will be registered under the Land Transfer Act.
10. Lease liable to forfeiture if conditions violated.

H. G. PRICE,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Village-homestead Allotment in Wellington Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
 Wellington, 9th August, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the land described in the Schedule hereto is open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and amendments; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 29th day of September, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—OHAKUNE VILLAGE SETTLEMENT.—FIRST-CLASS LAND.

SECTION 31: Area, 17 acres 3 roods 5 perches; capital value, £180; half-yearly rent, £3 12s. Weighted with £25 for improvements.

Situated in the Ohakune Borough, on the branch railway-line from Ohakune to Raetihi. Access is from Ohakune Township, which is about three-quarters of a mile distant by formed and partly metalled road. All flat land; with soil of good quality, though light, on clay and grit formation. All large milling-trees have been removed; fire has been through the remaining standing bush. Watered by stream. Elevation about 2,030 ft. above sea-level. The improvements comprise felling and fencing valued at £25.

T. N. BRODRICK,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserve in Auckland Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
 Auckland, 2nd August, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Friday, the 10th day of September, 1915, for a lease for ten years of the undermentioned land, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—HOKIANGA COUNTY.—RAWENE TOWN.

SECTION 248B: Area, 31 perches; annual rental (minimum), £20.

Situated adjoining Courthouse at Rawene. Weighted with £550, being valuation for improvements consisting of four houses, garden, fencing, &c.

Abstract of Terms and Conditions of Lease.

1. The lease shall be subject to resumption by six months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Crown.
2. The lessee shall have no right to compensation, either for improvements put on the land or on account of the aforesaid possible resumption, or for any other cause; but he may, on the expiration or sooner determination of the lease, remove all buildings or fences erected by him, but not otherwise.
3. The lessee shall not sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of his interest in the lease without the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
4. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of all noxious weeds on the land, and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all noxious weeds or plants as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
5. The lessee shall discharge all rates, taxes, charges, and other assessments that may become due and payable.
6. Rental payments in arrear for two calendar months shall render the lease liable to termination; or a breach of covenant in the lease, expressed or implied, shall entitle the Crown to re-enter and determine the lease.
7. Tenders to be endorsed on the outside "Tender for Lease," and to be accompanied by the first half-year's rent, at the rate tendered, and lease fee (£1 1s.).
8. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Full particulars may be ascertained on application at this office.

H. M. SKEET,
 Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Ngaruawahia.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 12th August, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Ngaruawahia on the 6th day of September, 1915, to hear and determine the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Auckland, 1915-10.]

E. P. EARLE,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Constance Jessica Craig (Earl and Kent)..	Akau B 12c 2.
2	Mihi Tirua ..	" B 15.
3	Raiha te Kaka (Hally and Hally) ..	Au-o-Waikato 5.
4	T. Awhe Toataua ..	Kawhia R 2A.
5	Kiwi Toi (Broadfoot and Finlay) ..	" S 2.
6	Mahara Waikato and others ..	" S 2.
7	Toi Katipa ..	Koheroa 91A 2.
8	T. Maitai Hoera ..	" 91A 2B.
9	Taiaha Hori Toitoti ..	Komakorau 204B.
10	Mariu Tutea (Hally and Hally) ..	Konehu.
11	Tuteao te Uira and others ..	Maketu B.
12	Ratapu Kewane and others ..	Manuaitu B 7.
13	Kura Patehau and Tawara Morewa ..	Matamata North 1.
14	Ani Waata and Karepe Keepa ..	Maungatautari 3A 5, Section 4.
15	Whakarua Hakopa and Tanu Taranui ..	" 3A 5A 4H.
16	Tuwahakarau Waitoa and others ..	" 3A 5E.
17	Rikihana Winika and others ..	" 4H 2B.
18	Maraea Karena (Earl and Kent) ..	" 5A 1A 2A.
19	Tuwahakaririka Patena and others ..	" 5A 1B 3.
20	Epiha Ngarua ..	" 5A 1B 3.
21	Poihi Pakeho ..	" 5A 1C 1.
22	Tiatia Heruika, Waata Pumipi, and others ..	Moerangi 1A.
23	Nganehu K-reti ..	" 1E.
24	Raiha Tiki Penaina ..	" 1E.
25	Tai Mokau Rakena and others ..	" 1E.
26	Tete Tawhiao ..	" 3B.
27	Hone Pehimana ..	" 3L.
28	Hone Hira te Aho (Earl and Kent) ..	Motutieke A.
29	Erueti Taiporutu Matete (John St. Clair) ..	" B.
30	" and others ..	" B.
31	Ngati te Kauri, <i>alias</i> Hohaia te Kauri, and others ..	Okauia 2.
32	Wiremu Rewharewha ..	Opuatia 10.
33	Huirua Totaea ..	" 16.
34	Ehau Pita Mahu and others ..	Pahi.
35	Tohi Pirika Apiti ..	"
36	Tiki Erueti ..	Pirongia West 3B 2B.
37	Ani Ngaiwi Keeti ..	" 3B 2c.
38	Erueti Taiporutu ..	Puehunui (Auahi).
39	Mihi Tirua ..	Putataka 25.
40	Turanga Henare ..	Taharoa A 1B.
41	Turanga Kiingi ..	" A 1c.
42	Ruru te Waiponga and others ..	" A 1c.
43	Hariata Wahawaha ..	" A 6D 2.
44	Huia Pihopa and others ..	" A 7j.
45	Tahuna Herangi ..	Tangirau 1.
46	Tami Wharetotara and others ..	Tauranga C.
47	P. Hopere ..	Waipa 58B.
48	Te Hui Poroaki ..	" 66A 1.
49	Maata Patene and Haara Patene ..	" 66B 3D.
50	Ngawaiata Hunter ..	Waipipi 2, Lot 47.
51	Nepia Katipa ..	" 358.
52	Taiwiwi Tukumana te Taniwha ..	Whangamarino 213.
53	Nehemia Wetini ..	Whangape 58.
54	Nehemia Wetini ..	" 60B 3.
55	Tame Pene (Earl and Kent) ..	Whareraurekau C.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 121 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
56	Tote Mitai and others ..	Hocotainui North 2B 3.
57	Iatarawa Pohepohe and Haki Ponui ..	Kawhia R 2B 1 and 2.
58	Wiremu Matewha ..	Maungakawa B.
59	Te Arani Parata ..	Maungatautari 4B.
60	A. A. Martin ..	" 4H.
61	Katerina Tanikena ..	Opuatia 3B and 3C.
61A	Tireni Ihaka ..	Taharoa A.

APPLICATIONS FOR ROAD ACCESS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
62	Tukua te Ngahuru	Komakorau 204A.
63	Alfred Fred. Pickering	Pirongia West 2c 1A.
64	Matthew Friar	Waipa 63E.
65	Hira Patene and others	„ 64B.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS AND FOR DEFINED PORTIONS OF LAND IN LIQUIDATION OF SURVEY FEES.

N	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Date from which Interest is calculated.	Amount.
				£ s. d.
66	Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Akau B 11	8 July, 1914	15 9 0
		„ B 12A	8 „ 1914	18 16 6
		„ B 12B	8 „ 1914	33 19 2
		„ B 12C 1	8 „ 1914	9 4 2
		„ B 12C 2	8 „ 1914	36 6 4
		„ B 12D	8 „ 1914	8 0 0
		„ B 12E	8 „ 1914	21 17 2
		„ B 12F	8 „ 1914	16 13 5
		„ B 12G	8 „ 1914	18 7 11
		„ B 12H	8 „ 1914	33 5 0
		„ B 12I	8 „ 1914	57 12 6
		„ B 12J	8 „ 1914	16 12 1
		„ B 12K	8 „ 1914	31 19 0
		„ B 12L	8 „ 1914	45 14 5
		„ B 15B	8 „ 1914	125 15 11
67	„	Hoeotainui South 1A	14 October, 1913	24 4 10
	„	„ 1A 1	1 June, 1915	5 10 0
	„	„ 1A 2	1 „ 1915	16 16 0
68	„	„ 1B 1	1 „ 1915	6 5 0
	„	„ 1B 2	1 „ 1915	11 0 6
	„	„ 1B 3	1 „ 1915	15 15 0
	„	„ 1B 4	1 „ 1915	21 4 11
69	„	Koheroa 89A	1 April, 1915	6 17 9
	„	„ 89B	1 „ 1915	24 15 5
70	„	Maungatautari 1A West 1	6 May, 1915..	5 5 9
	„	„ 1A West 2	6 „ 1915..	9 2 3
	„	„ 4H 4B 1	31 March, 1915	43 5 0
	„	„ 4H 4B 2	31 „ 1915	54 8 7
71	„	„ 4H 5A 1	31 „ 1915	7 0 4
	„	„ 4H 5A 2	31 „ 1915	8 14 2
	„	„ 4H 5B	31 „ 1915	20 11 2
	„	Moerangi 1A	13 October, 1914	91 9 0
	„	„ 1B	13 „ 1914	50 16 3
72	„	„ 1C	13 „ 1914	9 0 11
	„	„ 1D	13 „ 1914	8 16 6
	„	„ 1E	13 „ 1914	256 16 11
	„	Opuatia 11A 1	4 December, 1914	12 9 7
	„	„ 11A 2B	4 „ 1914	5 7 1
73	„	„ 11A 2C	4 „ 1914	6 11 4
	„	„ 11A 2D	4 „ 1914	8 18 1
	„	„ 11A 2D 1	13 April, 1915	5 8 3
74	„	„ 11A 2D 2	13 „ 1915	5 8 3
75	„	Pepepe 25A	23 June, 1915	4 0 4
	„	„ 25B	23 „ 1915	10 18 5
76	„	Tauhei 3A 1	7 April, 1915	7 11 0
	„	„ 3A 2	7 „ 1915	7 7 7
	„	„ 3B 1	7 „ 1915	2 8 6
	„	„ 3B 2	7 „ 1915	4 12 9
77	„	„ 4B 1	27 „ 1915	4 17 8
	„	„ 4B 2	27 „ 1915	6 9 6
	„	Taupiri 174	21 June, 1913	16 15 6
78	„	„ 175	21 „ 1913	13 15 6
	„	„ 176	21 „ 1913	4 16 6
	„	„ 335	21 „ 1913	16 14 6
	„	Waipa 62A 1	8 February, 1915	11 1 3
	„	„ 62A 2	8 „ 1915	28 8 10
	„	„ 62A 3	8 „ 1915	11 18 7
	„	„ 62A 4	8 „ 1915	13 1 6
	„	„ 62B 1	8 „ 1915	21 9 3
	„	„ 62B 2A	8 „ 1915	10 0 5
	„	„ 62B 2B	8 „ 1915	11 17 5
	„	„ 62B 3	8 „ 1915	11 5 7
	„	„ 62B 4	8 „ 1915	11 17 9
79	„	„ 62B 5	8 „ 1915	26 10 6
	„	„ 62B 6	8 „ 1915	20 4 5
	„	„ 62B 7	8 „ 1915	7 18 4
	„	„ 62B 8	8 „ 1915	12 17 9
	„	„ 62B 9	8 „ 1915	13 3 10
	„	„ 62B 10	8 „ 1915	13 18 3
	„	„ 62B 11	8 „ 1915	9 0 1
	„	„ 62B 12	8 „ 1915	4 13 11
	„	„ 62B 13	8 „ 1915	10 18 1

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS AND FOR DEFINED PORTIONS OF LAND IN LIQUIDATION OF SURVEY FEES—*continued.*

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Date from which Interest is calculated.	Amount.
80	Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Waipa 72A	25 May, 1915 ..	£ s. d. 9 9 7
		" 72B 1	25 " 1915 ..	8 16 7
		" 72B 2	25 " 1915 ..	10 1 9
		" 72B 3	25 " 1915 ..	30 8 11
81	" ..	" 73A	14 November, 1914 ..	14 17 9
		" 73B	14 " 1914 ..	26 4 0
		" 73C 1A	14 " 1914 ..	12 7 7
		" 73C 1B	14 " 1914 ..	5 13 5
		" 73C 2	14 " 1914 ..	7 3 9
82	" ..	" 73C 3	14 " 1914 ..	7 11 8
		" 74A	14 " 1914 ..	11 11 9
		" 74B 1	14 " 1914 ..	11 4 8
		" 74B 2A	14 " 1914 ..	11 17 5
		" 74B 2B	14 " 1914 ..	34 15 4

APPLICATIONS FOR DEFINITION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
83	Wiremu Henare	Okauia 2.
84	"	"

APPLICATION FOR REHEARING.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
85	Paora te Ahuru (Hally and Hally)	Waiharakeke East No. 2 and Ngaruawahia, Lot 125	Decision dated 20th day of May, 1915, appointing successors to Hakiriwhi Awaroa, deceased.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 11 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1912.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
86	The Hon. Minister of Lands ..	Section 56, Karioi Parish ..	For inquiry and report by the Native Land Court as to what persons shall be included in the instrument of title to this block.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXCHANGES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land proposed to be exchanged.
87	(Pita Haimona, Mata Haimona, Raiha Haimona, and Hemi Haimona	Waipa 62A 1.
88	(Arekabanara Rira Patene	" 62B 4.
	(Margaret Emma Hilton Beale	Whangamarino 242.
	(Tarehurangi te Waari	" 268, 271, 278.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
89	Ngarongo Kabira te Apiti	Haeata (Haeata Pirika).
90	Wiremu Henare Tawharangi	Haebae te Amo.
91	Toihau Kumete	Kamariera.
92	Benjamin William Marshall and Henry Scribe Marshall	William Hitchins Marshall.

APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION IN PERSONAL ESTATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
93	Roka H. Hopere	Amohia te Wherowhero.

APPLICATIONS FOR ASSESSMENT OF COMPENSATION FOR LAND TAKEN UNDER THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1908.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area taken.	Purpose for which taken.
94	Minister of Public Works	Pepepe 164	A. R. P. 0 0 21.8	A railway.
		Lot 2 of Lot 9 ..	3 3 4	
		" 47	3 0 18	
		" 164	2 2 16	
		" 164	0 0 21.8	
		Lot 2 of Lot 9 ..	3 3 4	
95	"	" 47	3 0 18	"
		" 164	2 2 16	

APPLICATION FOR ADOPTION.

No	Name of Applicant.	Name of Child.	Names of Parents.
96	Maaka P. Patene	Maaka Ihimera Tukoréhu	Tukorehu Maniapoto and Kahu Maketu.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Names of Parties.
97	William Begg Nicholson (Earl and Kent)	Horo	Memorandum of transfer	14 June, 1894 ..	Mita Arama Whakatau and others to William Begg Nicholson.
98	Ditto ..	Rautawhiri ..	Ditto ..	9 April, 1894 ..	Ditto.
99	" ..	Taumatawahine ..	" ..	26 July, 1898 ..	Rahera Tanui and Erana te Onerere to William Begg Nicholson.

APPLICATION TO FURNISH STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Nature of Application.
100	Tohi Pirika Apiti and Te Apiti te Ranga ..	To order the production of accounts in the estate of Te Haata Pirika, deceased.

APPLICATION THAT NATIVE MAY BE DECLARED A EUROPEAN UNDER SECTION 17 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1912.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Nature of Application.
101	John Ormsby	That John Ormsby may be declared a European.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Rawene.

Registrar's Office, Tokerau District, Auckland, 17th August, 1915.
NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Rawene on the 13th day of September, 1915, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Tokerau, 1915-22.]

C. P. NEWTON,
 Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
380	Wiremu Moka and Taipari Heihei W. H. Kirkpatrick)	Kaahu.
381	Hekiira Reihana	Waiwhatawhata 1A 3.

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
382	{ Wiremu Mete Rihari Mete	Mangamuka East C. " West 37.

APPLICATION TO DETERMINE RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
383	Atareta Morunga	Pikinga.

APPLICATION FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS AND FOR DEFINED PORTIONS OF LAND IN LIQUIDATION OF SURVEY FEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Date from which Interest is calculated.	Amount.
384	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland ..	Mangamuka West 2A ..	17 July, 1915 ..	£ s. d. 1 1 0
		" " 2B ..	" " ..	2 2 0

Sitting of the Native Appellate Court at Rotorua.

Registrar's Office, Rotorua, 13th August, 1915.
NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Appellate Court will be held at Rotorua on the 7th day of September, 1915, to hear and determine the matters set forth in the Schedule hereto.
 All persons interested in the said matters are hereby notified to attend at the time and place aforesaid.
 [Waiariki, 1915-14.]

H. S. KING,
 Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPEALS AGAINST DECISIONS OF THE NATIVE LAND COURT.

No.	Name of Appellant.	Name of Land.	Decision in respect of which Appeal is made.
1	Tapu Ruka and others ..	Ngapeke No. 5 ..	Decision dated 10th February, 1912, partitioning the said land.
2	Mere Putiputi Hunia ..	Awaawakino and other blocks	Decision dated 21st September, 1911, appointing successors to Maata Matihi.
3	Takao Tamaikoha ..	Tahora 2A D 2 ..	Decision dated 28th October, 1914, appointing successors to Ngahoro Mata Kereopa.
4	Wenarata Pirimi (Carter) ..	Utuhina No. 3 ..	Decision dated 19th December, 1914, partitioning the said land.
5	Hira Rangimatini and others ..	Tatua East ..	Decision dated 13th March, 1915, ascertaining equitable owners.
6	Mareti te Riwa Watene ..	" ..	Ditto.
7	Rameka Henare ..	" ..	"
8	Mihipeka Ihaka and others ..	" ..	"
9	Pitiroi Mohi ..	" ..	"
10	Rira Ihaka ..	" ..	"
11	Winiata Rutene ..	" ..	"
12	Taraipine Hunia ..	" ..	"
13	Pirika Hohepa ..	Pahou ..	Decision dated 11th September, 1914, on investigation of title.
14	Koopu Erueti ..	Whitianga ..	Decision dated 5th June, 1915, on investigation of title.
15	Weihana Delamere ..	" ..	Ditto.
16	Te Ara Ngamoki and another ..	" ..	"
17	Reweti Manuariki ..	Haroharo ..	Decision dated 25th August, 1914, on investigation of title.
18	Te Ahomiro Ngakuku ..	" ..	Ditto.
19	Henry Mitchell ..	Rauotehuia B ..	Decision appointing successors to Aporo Tipitipi, deceased.
20	Mita Nikora ..	Ngapeke No. 13 ..	Decision appointing successors to Mita Tamatarau, deceased.
21	Taitumu Kitua ..	Owhata ..	Decision on investigation of title.
22	Maihi Tamatamaarangi ..	Te Kaha ..	Decision dated 9th June, 1915, partitioning the said land.

APPLICATIONS THAT NATIVE LAND MAY BE HELD AS EUROPEAN LAND.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
23	William Rogers (Urquhart)	Owhatiura South No. 3.
24	Te Honihana Pokaihu (Hampson)	Miringa No. 1A.
25	Colin Murray (Hampson)	Kaitao-Rotohokahoka No. 1A, Section 2.

The following application under section 50 of the Native Land Act, 1909, will be dealt with by the Chief Judge:—

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Decision in respect of which Leave to appeal is applied for.
26	Heperi Taiwhakarere ..	Runanga No. 2 ..	Decision dated 28th February, 1911, ascertaining equitable owners.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Murupara.

Registrar's Office, Rotorua, 14th August, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Murupara on the 7th day of September, 1915, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wairiki, 1915-15.]

H. S. KING,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
111	Mehaka Tokopounamu	Maraetahia.

APPLICATIONS FOR DETERMINATION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
112	Raihanua te Rongo	Manuoha.
113	"	"

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 178 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
114	P. A. Harron (solicitor for applicant)	Waimana No. 1c No. 2 ..	Asking for certificate declaring Raha Manuera an adult.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Nuhaka.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 14th August, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Nuhaka on the 30th day of August, 1915, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Gisborne, 1915-14.]

HAROLD CARR,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
799	Wepiha te Wainohu	Mohaka 52.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.
800	The Chief Surveyor	Paeroa 2d 1	£ s. d. 6 19 0
801	"	Taumataoteo 1 to 35	151 11 2
802	"	Whakapau 5J 1 to 5J 4	7 14 10
		" 5K 1 and 5K 2	13 10 8

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 2 OF THE NATIVE LAND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENT ACT 1914.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
804	Rangi te Ngaio	Nukutaurua	Application to exercise, in respect of those portions of the Nukutaurua Block which remain to the Native owners, the jurisdiction conferred upon the Court by Part V of the Native Land Act, 1909.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Karae No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kohukohu on Wednesday, the 15th day of September, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any particular leased sections within the block at Government valuation shall be accepted.”

Dated at Auckland this 13th day of August, 1915.

T. H. WILSON,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Karae No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kohukohu on Wednesday, the 15th day of September, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any particular leased sections within the block at Government valuation shall be accepted.”

Dated at Auckland this 13th day of August, 1915.

T. H. WILSON,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Karae No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kohukohu on Wednesday, the 15th day of September, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any particular leased sections within the block at Government valuation shall be accepted.”

Dated at Auckland this 13th day of August, 1915.

T. H. WILSON,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Karae No. 4 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kohukohu on Wednesday, the 15th day of September, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any particular leased sections within the block at Government valuation shall be accepted.”

Dated at Auckland this 13th day of August, 1915.

T. H. WILSON,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Motatau 5E No. 23B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kawakawa on Friday, the 3rd day of September, 1915, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to John Alexander Lindsay Hall at the amount of a special Government valuation.”

Dated at Auckland this 13th day of August, 1915.

T. H. WILSON,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Motatau No. 3L will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kawakawa on Friday, the 3rd day of September, 1915, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be mortgaged to the State Advances Office.”

Dated at Auckland this 13th day of August, 1915.

T. H. WILSON,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Okataina No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Matata on Tuesday, the 7th day of September, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

“(1.) That a proposed alienation of part of the said land by way of lease to Alice N. Verner shall be agreed to.

“(2.) That a proposed alienation of part of the said land by way of lease to William Charles Mellars shall be agreed to.

“(3.) That a proposed alienation of part of the said land by way of lease to Edward Mallaby Goodwin shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 12th day of August, 1915.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Okataina No. 4 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Matata on Tuesday, the 7th day of September, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation by way of lease of the said land to Elizabeth Jane Mellars shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 12th day of August, 1915.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Okataina No. 9 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Matata on Tuesday, the 7th day of September, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation by way of lease of the said land to Elizabeth Jane Mellars shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 12th day of August, 1915.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Ikaroa Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Moutere-Tahuna, Sub. 2, which was adjourned on Friday, the 6th day of August, 1915, will be continued at Otaki on Friday, 3rd September, 1915, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated at Wellington this 18th day of August, 1915.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Ikaroa Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Moutere-Tahuna, Sub. 6, which was adjourned on Friday, the 6th day of August, 1915, will be continued at Otaki on Friday, 3rd September, 1915, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated at Wellington this 18th day of August, 1915.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Ikaroa Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Moutere-Tahuna, Sub. 5, which was adjourned on Friday, the 6th day of August, 1915, will be continued at Otaki on Friday, 3rd September, 1915, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated at Wellington this 18th day of August, 1915.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Ikaroa Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waiorongomai No. 9A, which was adjourned on Friday, the 6th day of August, 1915, will be continued at Otaki on Friday, 3rd September, 1915, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated at Wellington this 18th day of August, 1915.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Ikaroa Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Horowhenua 9B No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otaki on Friday, the 3rd day of September, 1915, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land, containing 447 acres 2 roods 18 perches, be sold to James Joseph Bourke at a price of £6 per acre.”

Dated at Wellington this 18th day of August, 1915.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that STEPHEN B. HURD, of Kohimarama, near Auckland, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 24th day of August, 1915, at 2 o'clock p.m.

13th August, 1915.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Westport.

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT FRANCIS MULLAN, Jun., of Westport, Chemist, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 26th day of August, 1915, at 2 o'clock p.m.

12th August, 1915.

W. T. SLEE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Christchurch.

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE MILNE, of Christchurch, trading as “Gamage Cycle Company,” 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 Tuesday, the 24th day of August, 1915, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

14th August, 1915.

T. D. KENDALL,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Christchurch.

In the matter of the Administration Act, 1908; and in the matter of JAMES SMITH ANDERSON, late of Christchurch, Accountant (deceased).

NOTICE is hereby given that by an order of the above honourable Court, dated the 5th day of August, 1915, the Official Assignee in Bankruptcy for the Canterbury District was appointed Administrator of the above-mentioned estate; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Public Trust Buildings, No. 96 Gloucester Street West, Christchurch, on Thursday, the 19th day of August, 1915, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

16th August, 1915.

T. D. KENDALL,
Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 145, folio 119, of the Register-book, in favour of JOHN DAVID KEMP, of Austin, Farmer, for part Lot 2 on plan deposited in the Lands Registry Office at Auckland under No. 4113, which said parcel of land is portion of Allotment 16, small farms near Onehunga, 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 19th day of August, 1915.

Dated the 11th day of August, 1915, at the Lands Registry Office at Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
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, and its amendment, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 20th September, 1915.

5408. WALTER REID.—Allotment 256, Parish of Tuhi-karamea, containing 49 acres 1 rood 15 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 9023.

5842. INNES CHARLES DURBRIDGE.—Lot 1 on Plan 8834, being portion of Allotment 5, Section 9, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 2 roods 2-6 perches (fronting Greenwood Avenue, Grey Lynn). [Occupied by Applicant. Plan 8834.

5900. ALEXANDER McPHERSON.—Allotments 136, 137, and 138, Parish of Manurewa, containing 41 acres 1 rood 10 perches. Occupied by L. Matuschka. Plan 9971.

5930. CHARLES THOMAS McCALLUM.—Allotments 210 and 216 and part Allotment 219, Parish of Komakorau, containing 353 acres 0 roods 9 perches. Occupied by Robert McCorquindale. Plan 10101.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 17th day of August, 1915, 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, and its amendment, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 20th day of September, 1915.

Application 4708 (Plan, provisional, 1778). THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE.—23-21 perches, being part of Section 253, City of Wellington. Occupied by the Iron and Steel Company of New Zealand (Limited) and the Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 18th day of August, 1915, 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, and its amendment, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

1518. ALEX. DIXON DOUGLAS.—23 acres 2 roods 25 perches, part of Section 245, Motueka. Occupied by Applicant.

1519. HUBERT WILLIAM DOUGLAS.—25 acres 0 roods 16 perches, part of Section 245, Motueka. Occupied by Applicant.

1520. WILLIAM WARING DE CASTRO.—4 acres 1 rood 39-3 perches, Sections 708, 711, and part of Sections 696, 699, 702, and 705, City of Nelson (deposited plan 562). Occupied by Alfred George Thompson.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 16th day of August, 1915, at the Lands Registry Office, Nelson.

W. JOHNSTON,
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, and its amendment, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the publication hereof in the Gazette.

5179. JAMES DORREEN and AGNES DORREEN.—20 acres, Sections 35A and 35B, Block I, Otepopo District. Occupied by David Leslie Reid.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 16th day of August, 1915, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

C. E. NALDER,
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, and its amendment, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 20th September, 1915.

3023. JAMES ALBERT HANAN.—10 perches, part of Section 9, Block LXXII, Town of Invercargill. Occupied by Applicant.

3024. JOSIAH ALFRED HANAN.—2 roods 7 perches, part of Section 22, Block LXVIII, Town of Invercargill (occupied by J. H. Dixon and Sons); and Lots 6 and 7, Block XVIII, of Section 31, Block I, Invercargill Hundred (occupied by Applicant).

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 16th day of August, 1915, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

W. W. DE CASTRO,
District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266.

GLOBE CONTINUOUS PICTURES (LIMITED).

TAKE notice that the name of the above company has been struck off the Register, and the company has been dissolved.

Given under my hand, at Christchurch, this 11th day of August, 1915.

J. P. MURPHY,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266.

CITIZENS FREE DIRECTORY COMPANY (LIMITED). 1911/10.

TAKE notice that the name of the above company has been struck off the Register, and the company is dissolved.

Given under my hand, at Christchurch, this 17th day of August, 1915.

J. P. MURPHY,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of section 302 of the Companies Act, 1908, that the office or place of business within New Zealand of S. OPPENHEIMER & COMPANY (LIMITED), a company incorporated outside New Zealand, is situated in Masonic Chambers, No. 75 Boulcott Street, in the City of Wellington.

MAX EICHELBAUM,
Attorney in New Zealand for S. Oppenheimer & Company (Limited).

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NOTICE is hereby given that the situation and locality of the office or place of business of the WESTINGHOUSE BRAKE COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA (LIMITED) is at No. 93-107, Featherston Street, in the City of Wellington. Dated this third day of August, 1915.

R. W. THOMSON,
Attorney for the Company.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and the Public Works Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Te Kuiti Borough Council proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, to execute certain public works, namely:—

- (a.) River protection and straightening.
- (b.) Street-formation.
- (c.) Public baths and recreation-grounds.

And for the purpose of such public works the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that a plan of the said lands so required to be taken is deposited in the public office of the Town Clerk to the said Council situated in Rora Street, Te Kuiti, and is open to inspection (without fee) to all persons during office hours. All persons affected in the execution of the said public works by the taking of such land, who have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public works or to the taking of the said lands, must state their objections in writing, and send the same, within forty days from the first publication of this notice—viz., August 11th, 1915—to the Town Clerk at the Council Chambers, Rora Street, Te Kuiti.

Schedule.

Area of Land.	Being Portion of	Coloured on Plan	Purpose for which required.
A. R. P.			
2 0 35-2	Te Kuiti 2B	Yellow..	Recreation-grounds.
	No. 1B		
0 3 39	Ditto	Pink ..	Streets.
0 1 32	"	Green ..	River-straightening.
0 0 39-5	Pukenui 2D	Yellow..	Recreation-grounds.
	No. 3A		
0 0 3	Ditto	Pink ..	Streets.
0 0 30-4	"	Green ..	River-straightening.
0 0 2-2	Allotment 10, Block IX, Te Kuiti	Yellow..	Recreation-grounds.
0 0 11-5	Ditto	Pink ..	Streets.
0 0 9-1	"	Green ..	River-straightening.
1 1 19-4	Mangaokewa	Yellow..	Recreation-grounds.
0 2 1-1	"	Pink ..	Streets.
0 2 25-3	"	Blue ..	River-straightening.

Dated this 11th day of August, 1915.

F. EDWARD LAMB,
Town Clerk.

Hine and Vernon,
Solicitors to the Te Kuiti Borough Council.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned WILLIAM ARTHUR BRETTELL and WILLIAM HENRY WILLIAMSON, carrying on business as Manufacturers, Importers, and General Agents, under the style or firm of "The Thistle Manufacturing and Trading Company," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this 24th day of July, 1915.

W. H. WILLIAMSON,
ARTHUR BRETTELL.

Witness to both signatures—George T. Weston, Solicitor, Christchurch.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that, owing to Mr. Polson having volunteered for military service, the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned AUGUSTUS HENRY GILLER and ALEXANDER GUNN POLSON, carrying on business as Grain and Produce Brokers and Commission Agents at Christchurch, under the style or firm of "Giller & Polson," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due to the said late firm will be received by Mr. A. H. GILLER, who will continue business upon his own account.

Dated this 2nd day of August, 1915.

A. H. GILLER.
A. G. POLSON.

Witness to both signatures—George T. Weston, Solicitor, Christchurch. 614

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between GUSTAVUS GUTSCHLAG and JOHN WILSON, carrying on business as Farmers and Coal-pit Proprietors at Gore and Croydon, under the style of "Gutschlag & Wilson," has been dissolved as from the 7th day of August instant. The coal-pit business will be carried on by the said JOHN WILSON.

Dated this 7th day of August, 1915.

GUSTAVUS GUTSCHLAG.
JOHN WILSON.

Witness to both signatures—D. M. Cochrane, Solicitor, Gore. 615

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Waihi Grand Junction Gold Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand: 22nd December, 1897.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney or Attorneys: Waihi and Auckland; William Frank Grace.

Where mine is situate: Waihi.

Nominal capital: £400,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £385,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand: £40,494 14s.

Price paid to vendors of mine—

(a.) In fully paid-up shares: Nil.

(b.) In partly paid-up shares, credited as 15s. paid-up: £112,500.

(c.) In cash: Nil.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 400,000.

Number of shares on New Zealand Register: 209,489.

Amount paid up per share (New Zealand Register): £1.

Amount called up per share (New Zealand Register): £1.

Number and amount of calls in arrears (New Zealand Register): Nil.

Number of forfeited shares on New Zealand Register sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders on New Zealand Register: 1,218.

Number of men employed by company in New Zealand: 440.

Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: £231,546 10s. 3d.

Total quantity and value produced since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £1,034,183 18s. 5d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining operations in New Zealand since last statement: £143,923 2s. 3d.

Total expenditure since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £1,107,818 2s. 8d.

Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand: £53,640 15s. 6d.

Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: £3,848 10s. 8d.

Amount of cash in hand in New Zealand: £20 17s. 8d.

Amount of debts directly due to the company in New Zealand: £108 5s. 6d.

Amount of such debts considered good: £108 5s. 6d.

Amount of liabilities of company (if any) in New Zealand: £3,243 15s. 4d.

I, William Frank Grace, the Attorney of the Waihi Grand Junction Gold Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as on the 31st December, 1914 (being the date of the last balance-sheet); and I make this

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solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

WM. FRANK GRACE,
Attorney.

Declared at Waihi this 12th day of August, 1915, before me—P. G. Brady, J. P. 616

In the matter of "THE N. WAIROA BRICK COMPANY (LIMITED)."

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company duly convened and held at the office of John Reid McNaught, Normanby Street, Dargaville, on the 24th day of June, 1915, the following resolution was passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 15th day of July, 1915, the same resolution was duly confirmed as a special resolution, viz. :—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily; and that JOHN REID McNAUGHT, of Dargaville, Accountant, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

Dated at Dargaville this 5th day of August, 1915.

S. C. COLMORE-WILLIAMS,
Chairman.

Witness—Chas. Darling, Solicitor, Dargaville. 617

WAVERLEY TOWN BOARD.

SPECIAL ORDER MAKING SPECIAL RATE ON LOAN OF £4,780.

THAT, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and amendments, and in exercise of all other powers and authorities it thereunto enabling, the Waverley Town Board hereby resolves:—

That, for the purpose of providing interest and sinking fund and other charges on a loan of £4,780, authorized to be raised by the Waverley Town Board, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the following purposes—to extend and complete plant and machinery for and in the installing of an electric lighting and motive power and other uses and purposes within and without the Township of Waverley, and the acquisition of meters and connections, and to extend and complete the construction of waterworks within the meaning of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and its amendments (including reticulation), within and without the Township of Waverley; building new dam, and preparing site; fencing of catch-water area, and also acquisition of engine for pumping purposes; engineering and contingencies (including compensation, if any, for lands injuriously affected)—the Waverley Town Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one and 15/16ths pence in the pound on the rateable value (on the basis of unimproved value) of the whole of the rateable property of the Waverley Town District; and that such rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and payable at the office of the Waverley Town Board, Waverley, on the first day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty-one years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Waverley Town Board was affixed hereto by resolution of the Board at a special meeting of the Board on the sixth day of May, 1915.

A. R. MACDONALD,
Chairman.

J. E. PALMER,
Clerk.

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HAWERA COUNTY COUNCIL.

PRINCES STREET SOUTH AND GEORGE STREET LOAN.—
SPECIAL ORDER AUTHORIZING RAISING OF LOAN.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by section 16 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and with the consent of the ratepayers of the special-rating area in the Hawera Riding of the Hawera County hereinafter described, testified by a petition signed by not less than three-fourths of the ratepayers of the said special-rating area the capital value of whose properties as appearing in the valuation roll of the said riding is collectively greater than the capital values of the properties of the ratepayers who did not so consent, the Hawera County Council hereby resolves by way of special order as follows:—

For the purpose of constructing Princes Street South to its terminus at Section 217, Block 9, Hawera and George Street, from Princes Street South to the Tawhiti Road, the Hawera County Council hereby authorizes the raising of a loan of £500 at £5 12s. 2d. per cent. per annum (including sinking fund) for a period of 36½ years, and declares that the cost of raising the said loan and the first year's interest thereon shall be payable out of the money so raised.

Special-rating Area.

Subs. 12/15 inclusive, and 24/37 inclusive, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 51, 52, 54, parts Subs. 53 and 55, Subs. 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, and part 72, all being parts of Section 216, Block 9, Hawera Survey District.

The foregoing resolution was passed at a properly convened special meeting of the Council held on the 7th day of August, 1915, and will be submitted for confirmation at a meeting of the Council to be held on Thursday, the 9th day of September, 1915.

Hawera, 9th August, 1915.
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GEO. STRINGER,
County Clerk.

PAHIATUA COUNTY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL LOAN, £800.—MANGATAINOKA NORTH ROAD.—
RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Pahiatua County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of eight hundred pounds, authorized to be raised by the Pahiatua County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for reforming and metalling a portion of the Mangatainoka North Road, the said Pahiatua County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of seven-twelfths of a penny in the pound upon the unimproved rateable value of all rateable property of the Mangatainoka North Road Special-rating Area, comprising Sections 13, part 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, part 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, part 139, and part 140, Block IV, and Section part 14, part 19, part 139, part 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, and 146, Block III, all in the Mangahao Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable 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 the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly passed at a meeting of the Pahiatua County Council held on 10th April, 1915.

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GEO. MOORE,
County Clerk.

THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1908.

IN pursuance of the provisions of the above-mentioned Act, the body corporate called the Education Board of the District of Wanganui hereby gives notice that it intends to acquire, for the purposes of a public-school site, the lands described in the Schedule hereto, and do all works and things incidental thereto; and for the purpose and object of so doing the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required and will require to be taken by the said Board under the provisions of the above Act; and that a survey has been made and a plan prepared and signed by Thomas Ward, of Palmerston North, Licensed Surveyor (red), showing such land, together with the names of the owners and occupiers thereof so far as they can be ascertained; and that a copy of such plan has been deposited in the premises of Messieurs G. H. Bennett & Co., the Square, Palmerston North, the place directed by the said Board, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected are hereby required to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections to the execution of such works or the taking of such lands, and to send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Secretary, Education Board, Wanganui.

Dated at Wanganui this 16th day of August, 1915.

The Schedule.

APPROXIMATE area: 1 acre 0 roods 32 perches.
Being portion of Sections 278 and 277, Borough of Palmerston North.

Coloured on plan: Red.

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W. H. SWANGER,
Secretary to the above-named Board.

WELLINGTON CITY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of the Public Works Act, 1908, and the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and their amendments.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the City of Wellington proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, and all other Acts and powers enabling it in that behalf, to execute a certain public work—namely, the taking of the lands described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of a recreation-ground.

And notice is hereby further given that a plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the public office of the Town Clerk to the said Council, in the Town Hall, Cuba Street, in the said city, and is there open for inspection (without fee) by all persons during ordinary office hours; and that all persons affected by the taking of such lands should, if they have well-grounded objections to the taking of the said lands, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Wellington City Council, addressed to the Town Clerk at his said office.

Schedule.

AREA: 13.62 perches.

Being part of Lot 345, D.P. 172, City of Wellington.

Coloured on plan: Red.

Situate in Section IV, Town District, Block XI, Port Nicholson Survey District, in the Land District of Wellington; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan above mentioned.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 13th day of August, 1915.

622 JNO. R. PALMER,
Town Clerk.

MASTERTON COUNTY.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Masterton County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and annual charges on a loan of £500, authorized to be raised by the Masterton County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for constructing a bridge over the Taueru River, on the Mangarei Road, the said Masterton County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-farthing in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Mangarei Road Loan Special-rating Area, comprising part Section 118, Sections 115, 146, part Section 116, Section 145, Block VII, Sections 144, 211, Block VIII, part Te Pohue, and part Lot A No. 1, Te Pohue, Block XI, Sections 5, 28, 29, 32, 33, and 117, Block XII, Kopuaranga Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of February and the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution passed at a duly convened and constituted meeting of the Masterton County Council held on the 10th day of August, 1915.

623 F. G. MOORE,
County Clerk.

MASTERTON COUNTY.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Masterton County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and annual charges on a loan of £2,100, authorized to be raised by the Masterton County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of constructing headworks and distributing-races in the Te Oreore Water-supply District, the said Masterton County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of seven-eighths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Te Oreore Water-supply Special-rating Area, comprising parts 1 and 3, Ahitainga No. 1; part Okurupatu No. 1; Lot A, Lots 2A No. 2, 3, 4, of Okurupatu No. 3; part Te Ahitainga N.R. 4c No. 1; Okurupatu 2A No. 2; Section 1b No. 1 and part B No. 2, part Lot 3, Te Oreore Estate; Section 2, Te Oreore Estate;

Lots 11/17, parts 20 and 22, Te Oreore Estate; parts 14/39 of Sections 8 and 13, 72x, part Te Oreore No. 1; Te Ahitanga; Te Ahitanga N.R. 4A No. 1; Subdivisions 3/4, Te Oreore Estate; and Lot 3c of 3, Te Oreore Estate; all in Block I, Otahoua Survey District. And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of February and the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 5 years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a resolution passed at a duly convened and constituted meeting of the Masterton County Council held on the 10th day of August, 1915.

F. G. MOORE,
County Clerk.

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HUTT COUNTY COUNCIL.

NO. 117. SPECIAL-RATING AREA.—WAINUIOMATA BRIDGE.—
RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

In the matter of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and its amendments, and regulations thereunder.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it on that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Hutt County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £500, authorized to be raised by the Hutt County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of constructing and erecting a bridge across the Wainuiomata River, on the Wainuiomata Road, the said Hutt County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-fourteenth of a penny (1/14th) in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the No. 11 Special-rating Area (Wainuiomata Bridge), comprising the lands in the said special-rating area, being the several sections and blocks hereinafter enumerated, that is to say,—

Part Allotments 28, 27, 1, 2, 3, Allotments 4 to 26 of Section 21, and part Section 21 and Section 16, Block 14, Belmont S.D.; Sections 19, 7, 6, part Allotments 3, 2, 1, 27, 28, of Section 21, Sections 3, 2, 5, 18, 17, part Sections 25, 27, Harbour District; Sections 41, 4 N.R., 39 E.R., 1, 3, 40 N.R., 42, 4, 5, 43, Block 16, Belmont S.D.; Sections 44, 6, 62, 61, 7, 45, 46, 8, 60, 59, 9, 47, 48, part 49, 10, 58, 57, 56, 55, 11, 12, 13, part 50, 51, Section 14, Block 1, Pencarrow S.D.; part Sections 77, 78, Block 4, Pencarrow S.D.; Allotments 1A, 1B, 3A, 3B No. 1, 4, 2A, 2B, 2c, 3B No. 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, Parangarahu Block 8, Pencarrow S.D.; Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Orongorongo; part Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Block B, Orongorongo; part Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Block A, Orongorongo; part Sections 2, 4, 5, Block A, Orongorongo; part Native Reserve, Orongorongo Block, Block 9, Pencarrow S.D.; Sections 83, 22, 21, 20, 19, 98, 52, 17, 18, 101, 75, 15, 16, 53, 54, Block 5, Pencarrow S.D.; Section 84, Block 2, Pencarrow S.D.; Sections 63, 64, 65, 97, 96, 95, 66, 74, 2, 26, 34, part 94, 35, 36, 69, 68, 67, 27, 79, 80, 8, 20, 81, 28, 29, 85, Block 17, Belmont S.D.; Sections 86, 87, 88, 30, 82, 31, 10, 90, 1, 2, 33, 32, 3, 91, 92, 4, part 5, 93, 71, 70, 37, Block 15, Belmont S.D.; Sections 72, 38, 73, part 5, Block 8, Rimutaka S.D.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable on the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being for a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Hutt was hereto affixed on the 10th day of August, 1915, in the presence of—

W. J. HOWELL,
Chairman.
H. D. ATKINSON,
Clerk.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was passed by the Hutt County Council at an ordinary meeting of the Council held on the 10th August, 1915.

W. J. HOWELL,
Chairman.

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PAHIATUA COUNTY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL LOAN, £1,000.—KAITAWA RIDGE ROAD.—
RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Pahiatua County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of one thousand pounds, authorized to be

raised by the Pahiatua County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for metalling a portion of the Kaitawa Ridge Road, the said Pahiatua County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny and a sixth of a penny in the pound upon the unimproved rateable value of all rateable property of the Kaitawa Ridge Road Special-rating Area, comprising Sections 13, 58, 59, 60, 64, 65, 66, Block XII, Makuri Survey District; Sections 6, 7, 15, Block I, Puketoi Survey District. And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable 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 the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly passed at a meeting of the Pahiatua County Council held on 10th April, 1915.

GEO. MOORE,
County Clerk.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between THOMAS WENTWORTH MARTIN and ERNEST GEORGE CLANCY, carrying on business as Butchers at Kaiti, in the Borough of Gisborne, under the style or firm of "the Kaiti Meat Company," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 4th day of August, 1915.

All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by ERNEST GEORGE CLANCY, who will continue to carry on the business.

Dated the 4th day of August, 1915.

T. W. MARTIN,
E. G. CLANCY.

Witness to both signatures—Harold Bright, Solicitor, Gisborne. 627

RESOLUTION LEVYING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Otahuhu Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of five hundred pounds, authorized to be raised by the Otahuhu Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of constructing sanitary works for the disposal of nightsoil (the scheme having been recommended by the District Health Officer and approved by the Minister of Public Health), the said Otahuhu Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one thirty-fifth of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the Borough of Otahuhu; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 31st day of March and the 30th day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

ALBERT ROSS,
Town Clerk.

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