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Land proclaimed as a Street in the Suburbs of Auckland.

[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 consent of the Auckland City Council, being the local authority in whose district the land described in the Schedule hereto is situated, proclaim as a street the land described in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a street: 1 acre 2 roods 3·6 perches.
Portion of Allotment 83, Section 16, Suburbs of Auckland (E.R.).
Situating in Block VIII, Rangitoto Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. XVI/179, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red. (Auckland Plan 18406.)

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 second day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands proclaimed as a Road in Block II, Waitemata Survey District, Auckland 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 owners of the lands described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Waitemata 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.	
2	0	29·4	portion of Section 183; coloured red.
0	0	4·3	184 " purple.

Situating in Paremoremo Parish, Block II, Waitemata Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1912/360B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned. (Auckland Plan 17899)

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 second day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

F. H. D. BELL,
For Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

ERRATA.—In *Gazette* No. 73, of the 10th June, 1915, page 2048, Appointments Unattached List (b), for "2nd Lieutenant (on probation), Patrick Smyth, dated 26th April, 1915," read "2nd Lieutenant Patrick Smyth, dated 26th April, 1915."

In *Gazette* No. 101, of the 26th August, 1915, page 3034, Appointments Unattached List (b), for "2nd Lieutenant (on probation), Sydney Charles Kendall, dated 28th July, 1915," read "Sydney Charles Kendall Smith, dated 28th July, 1915."

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block VI, Harataunga Survey District, Auckland 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 consent of the owner of the land described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Coromandel County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land described in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 1 acre 2 roods 31.3 perches.
Portion of Waikanae No. 3 Block.
Situating in Block VI, Harataunga Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. XVI/174, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red. (Auckland Plan 17516, blue.)

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 second day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Native Land to be Crown Land under Section 374 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

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

WHEREAS by section three hundred and seventy-four of the Native Land Act, 1909 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), and by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, it is provided, *inter alia*, that, on being satisfied that the purchase of any Native land has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under the authority of the said Act, the Governor may issue a Proclamation that such land has become Crown land:

And whereas the purchase of the Native land set out in the Schedule hereto has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under the authority of the said Act:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section three hundred and seventy-four of the said Act, and by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land set out in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land.

SCHEDULE.

WHAREPUHUNGA No. 6 Block: Approximate area, 1,628 acres; Ranginui Survey 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 third day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block VI, Newcastle 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 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 Newcastle Survey District, described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

A. R. P.	
0 3 15.7,	portion of Section 177E (D.P. 9316).
1 1 34.5	" " 177W "

Situated in Waipa Parish (S.O. 18110), Block VI, Newcastle Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38287, 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 second day of September, 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 IX, Maungaru Survey District, Hobson 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 Hobson County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Maungaru 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.	
5 2 16.7,	portion of Kaihu No. 2B 3; coloured pink.
1 3 30.1	" " " pink.
1 3 31.8	" " " blue.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A. R. P.	
8 0 24.1,	adjoining or passing through Kaihu No. 2B 3.
3 3 25.1	" " "

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Block IX, Maungaru Survey District (S.O. 18084).

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D.

37407, 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 sixth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land in Mahoe Survey District taken for the Purposes of the Stratford-Kawakawa Railway.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, or enjoyment of the Stratford-Kawakawa Railway to take further land in Mahoe Survey District, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections twenty-nine and one hundred and eighty-eight 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 is hereby taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken: 7.9 perches (coloured yellow), 33.6 perches (coloured pink), 1 rood 7.9 perches (coloured yellow), being portion of Section 57 (E.R.).

Situated in Block I, Mahoe Survey District (Taranaki R.D.).

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38328, 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 sixth day of September, 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 XIV and XV, Rimu Survey District, taken for a Railway.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land taken for the purposes of the Catlins-Seaward Bush 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 Clutha 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 Clutha 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:—

1 rood 36 perches, being part railway land adjoining Section 10, Block XV. Coloured sepia on plan.

12.5 perches, being part railway land adjoining road adjoining Section 5, Block XIV. Coloured yellow on plan.

Situated in Rimu Survey District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37541 (sheet 2), 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 sixth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in the Borough of Gisborne taken for the Purposes of the Gisborne Gaol (Warder's Cottage).

[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 the Gisborne Gaol (warder's cottage) in the Borough of Gisborne:

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 the said gaol; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the eighteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 rood.

Portion of Allotment 104, Waiohiora No. 1B (Poverty Bay R.D.).

Situated in the Borough of Gisborne.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37684, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon edged 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 second day of September, 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 XIII,
Waitemata 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 XIII, Waitemata 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 the said road; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the eighteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	
0	1	33	portion of Section 113; coloured blue.
0	3	26	" 113 " yellow.
1	0	20	" 113 " red.
0	2	15	" 25 of Lot 190, L.T. Plan 7398; coloured blue.

Situated in Parish of Waipareira (S.O. 17770), Block XIII, Waitemata Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37988, 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 second day of September, 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,
Mangaorongo, and I, Pakaumanu Survey Districts.*

[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, Mangaorongo, and I, Pakaumanu Survey Districts:

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 the said road; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the eighteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

- 1 acre 2 roods 28 perches, portion of Rangitoto-Tuhua 69B, Blocks XIII, Mangaorongo, and I, Pakaumanu Survey Districts (S.O. 18173). Coloured red on plan.
2 roods 2 perches, portion of Section 7, Block XIII, Mangaorongo Survey District (S.O. 18173). Coloured yellow on plan.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37956, 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 sixth day of September, 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 IX,
Kuripapanga 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 IX, Kuripapanga Survey District:

And whereas agreements have 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 agreements 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 eighteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	
1	0	35	portion of Kohurau No. 2a Block; coloured red.
1	3	5.7	" 2b " " purple.

Situated in Block IX, Kuripapanga Survey District (Hawke's Bay R.D.).

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38169, 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 sixth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land in Turanganui, Patutahi, and Waikohu Survey Districts taken for the Purposes of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Gisborne Southwards) and for Road-diversions in connection therewith.

[L.S.]

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Gisborne southwards), and for road-diversions in connection therewith, to take further land in Turanganui, Patutahi, and Waikohu Survey Districts, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

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 on me by sections twenty-nine and one hundred and eighty-eight 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 is hereby taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being Whole or Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Coloured on Plan	Sheet No. on Plan.
FOR RAILWAY.					
A. R. P.					
1 0 10	Lot 43 of Matawhero C or 6	I	Turanganui ..	Green border	Sheet 1.
1 0 33	Lot 44 " No. 4	"	" ..	"	" 1.
0 1 39	Lot 1 of Section 64	IV	Patutahi ..	Green " ..	" 2.
1 3 0	" 5	XV	Waikohu ..	Green border	" 4.
1 0 14	Lot 1 of Okahuatiu No. 1A	"	" ..	Red border ..	" 5.
1 0 0	Lot 2 "	"	" ..	"	" 5.
0 2 6	Part "	"	" ..	Yellow ..	" 6.
0 0 11	Part "	"	" ..	"	" 6.
0 0 7	Part "	"	" ..	"	" 6.
0 0 23	Part of Section 1	"	" ..	Red ..	" 6.
0 2 5	"	"	" ..	"	" 6.
FOR ROAD-DIVERSIONS.					
0 0 3	Okahuatiu 1E	XV	Waikohu ..	Red ..	Sheet 3.
0 0 32.9	Part of Section 130	III	Patutahi ..	" ..	" 7.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37898, 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 sixth day of September, 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 North Auckland Railway.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS a further portion of the North Auckland Railway—namely, from McCarroll's Gap to the left bank of the Wairoa River, in Block VII, Maungaru Survey District (hereinafter termed "the said railway")—is a railway the construction of which is authorized by the Railways Authorization Act, 1911: And whereas it has been determined to construct and maintain the portion of the said railway described in the Schedule hereto:

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 section one hundred and eighty-eight 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 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 Section 228, Mareretu Parish, Block VIII, Matakohu Survey District, which is marked 97 M., and is about nine chains north and ten chains west of the south-eastern corner of the said Section 228, and is also the terminating-point of the railway described in a Proclamation dated the 31st day of July, 1915, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 93, page 2683, of the 5th

day of August, 1915; proceeding thence generally in a northerly direction for a distance of three miles, and passing in, into, through, or over the following lands, &c.—viz., Sections 228, 200, 199, Parish of Mareretu, Block VIII, Matakohu Survey District; Section 140, Parish of Mareretu, Blocks VIII and IV, Matakohu Survey District; Sections 233, S.W. 135, and 134, Parish of Mareretu, Block IV, Matakohu Survey District; and terminating at a point in the said Section 134, marked 100 M., which point is about thirteen chains north and fourteen chains west of the southernmost corner of the said Section 134: 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. 38333, 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 sixth day of September, 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 VI and X,
Otanewainuku 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:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
1	2	36.6	Section 511. Block VI.
0	2	39	508, 511
1	1	31	512
0	3	14	512
1	1	30	509, 512
0	3	33	510, 512, 293
0	3	0	293
0	0	0.08	293
1	2	13	65, 293
1	0	38	66, 294
0	0	32	289
0	2	31	68, 346
0	2	1	68, 346
0	2	5	69, 580. Blocks VI, X.
0	2	35	70, 580. Block X.

Situated in the Te Papa Parish (S.O. 17628), Otanewainuku Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37622, 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 sixth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Amending the Description of a Reserve vested in the Corporation of the Borough of Otahuhu.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixth day of September, 1915.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and published in the *Gazette* of the twenty-seventh day of that month, the reserve known as the Otahuhu Public Cemetery was vested in the Corporation of the Borough of Otahuhu in terms of section four of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908: And whereas an error was made in the description of the said reserve in the Schedule to the said Order in Council, inasmuch as the land was described as being "Allotments 43 and 44, Suburbs of Otahuhu," instead of "Allotments 43 and 44 of small lots near Otahuhu": And whereas it is desirable that the error of description should be rectified:

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 conferred upon him by the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority enabling me in this behalf, do hereby amend the Schedule to the said Order in Council dated the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and hereinbefore referred to, by substituting the words "Allotments 43 and 44 of small lots near Otahuhu" for the words "Allotments 43 and 44, Suburbs of Otahuhu."

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

Agricultural and Pastoral Statistics.—Fixing the Date for the Taking of the Account under the Census and Statistics Act, 1910.—Notice No. 1795.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixth day of September, 1915.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the Census and Statistics Act, 1910 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby direct that the account prescribed in section twenty-eight of the said Act shall be taken—

- In the North Island, on the twentieth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.
- In the Provincial Districts of Nelson, Marlborough, Westland, and Canterbury, on the tenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.
- In the Provincial District of Otago, on the thirtieth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

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

Control and Management of Panmure Basin vested in Panmure Domain Board.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixth day of September, 1915.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1914, it is enacted that the Governor may, by Order in Council gazetted, vest in the Panmure Domain Board, subject to such terms and conditions as he thinks fit, the control and management of all that area in the Auckland Land District known as the Panmure Basin:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the control and management of the area of land in the Auckland Land District known as the Panmure Basin, and described in the Schedule hereto, shall from the date hereof be vested in the Panmure Domain Board, and be dealt with as part of the Panmure Domain; and that the Board shall accordingly have the same powers in respect of the said area as it has in respect of the Panmure Domain, under Part II of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 129 acres, more or less, known as Panmure Basin. Bounded towards the north-east generally by the Village of Panmure; towards the east by the Tamaki River; towards the south generally by Lots 17, 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, and 11 of Section No. 4, small lots near Panmure; towards the west generally by Lot 3 of Section No. 4 aforesaid; and towards the north-west generally by Lots 2 and 1 of the said Section No. 4. As the same is shown on plan No. 1/343, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring Road in Block XIII, Maungaharuru Survey District, to be a Government Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixth day of September, 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 : 3 acres 3 roods 10·7 perches and 0·01 perch. Adjoining or passing through Kaiwaka No. 1 Block (Hawke's Bay R.D.).

Situated in Block XIII, Maungaharuru Survey District.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District ; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38388, 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 Otau Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixth day of September, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty-seven of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, appoint any local authority to be a Domain Board having, subject to the said Act, control of any public domain :

And whereas it appears expedient to appoint a Domain Board to control the Otau 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

THE WAIROA ROAD BOARD

to be the Otau Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act ; and doth hereby appoint Monday, the eleventh day of October, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, at twelve o'clock noon, as the time when, and the Public Hall at Clevedon as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

OTAU DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, being Allotments Nos. 14, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, of Section No. 1 of the Village of Otau, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 0 roods 8 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by Allotment No. 37 of Section No. 1 of the village aforesaid, 210 links ; towards the south-east by a public road, 508 and 195 links ; towards the south-west by Allotment No. 1 of Section No. 1 of the village aforesaid, 137 links ; and towards the north-west by a public road, 194·5 links, 120 links, and 395 links, to the point of commencement : be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. I/592, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, being Allotments Nos. 41, 42, and 43 of Section 1 aforesaid of the village aforesaid, and containing by admeasurement 1 rood 4 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 290 links and 208·7 links ; towards the south-west by a public road, 223 links and 115 links ; and towards the west by a public road aforesaid, 231·2 links, to the point of commencement : be all the aforesaid linkages more or

less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. I/592, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, being Allotment No. 26 of Section No. 2 of the village aforesaid, containing by admeasurement 26 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by Allotments Nos. 20 and 21 of Section 2 of the village aforesaid, towards the south-east by a public road, towards the south-west by the Wairoa River, and towards the north-west by Allotment No. 27 of Section No. 2 aforesaid to the point of commencement. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. I/592A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, being Allotments Nos. 28, 31, 32, of Section No. 2 of the village aforesaid, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 22 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by Allotment No. 25 of Section No. 2 of the village aforesaid, towards the south-east by Allotments Nos. 29 and 30 of the said Section No. 2, again towards the north-east by the said Allotment No. 30, again towards the south-east by a public road, towards the south-west by the Wairoa River, and towards the north-west by a public road to the point of commencement. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. I/592A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Declaring Portions of Roads in Blocks II and III, Piopotea West Survey District, to be Government Roads.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixth day of September, 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 portions of roads described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become Government roads.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of roads declared Government roads :—

A. R. P.	Adjoining or passing through
3 3 39·2 ..	Section 5, Block II.
1 2 10·6 ..	" 6, Block III.
0 0 0·9 ..	" 6 "
0 1 29 ..	" 6 "
0 0 27 ..	" 6 "
2 3 26·1 ..	" 6 "
3 0 0·7 ..	" 6 "
0 0 21·8 ..	" 6 "
0 2 2·8 ..	Road adjoining Sec. 6, Block III.

Situated in Piopotea West Survey District (Taranaki R.D.).

In the Taranaki Land District ; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38508, 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.

License authorizing Jonathan Gilbert, of Hundalee, Settler, to use Water from the Te Umu Kuri Stream for the Purpose of generating Electricity, and to erect Electric Lines across the Cheviot-Kaikoura Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixth day of September, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section five of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1908, it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time by Order in Council grant to any person or body corporate a license to use water from any fall, river,

stream, or other source for the purpose of generating electricity for electric light, mechanical power, or other uses, and to exercise in respect of that purpose any of the powers and authorities specified in that behalf in the said section: And whereas it is further provided by the said section that any such license may confer upon the licensee a right at any time or times during the continuance of the license (but subject to such conditions and restrictions as are expressed in the license) to enter upon any road, railway, or other land, whether vested in or occupied by the Crown, or any other person or body corporate, and there to construct, erect, lay down, maintain, renew, or repair all such cables, wires, and other things as are required for the transmission of electricity between the fall, river, stream, or other source aforesaid and any place to which the licensee is authorized to transmit electricity in pursuance of the license:

And whereas Jonathan Gilbert, Settler, of Hundalee, in the Provincial District of Marlborough (hereinafter, with his successors and assigns, referred to as "the licensee"), has applied for a license under the said section to take and use water from the Te Umu Kuri Stream, in the Provincial District of Marlborough (hereinafter referred to as "the said stream"), for the purpose of generating electricity as aforesaid, and it is expedient to issue such license accordingly:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him as aforesaid, and of the powers conferred by section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, 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 hereby grant to the licensee (subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto) a license to take and use from the stream aforesaid, for the purposes hereinafter set forth, a stream of water (hereinafter referred to as "the said water") not exceeding five cubic feet per second at any one time; and also to erect and maintain electric lines for power, lighting, heating, or other uses along the route mentioned in clause four of the Schedule hereto, and subject to the regulations 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."

SCHEDULE.

1. PLANS.

The licensee shall, before the works hereby authorized are commenced, forward for the approval of the Minister of Public Works (hereinafter referred to as "the Minister")—

- (a.) Full detailed drawings and specifications of the diverting weir and dam.
- (b.) Drawings showing how and in what manner the water diverted is to be returned to the said stream.
- (c.) Contour plan showing difference in level of water due to the construction of the headworks.

2. UTILIZATION OF THE WATER.

The said water shall be used solely for the purpose of generating electricity, and shall be returned to the said stream at or near the power-house.

3. LOCATION OF HEADWORKS.

The said water shall be taken from the said stream at the headworks, situated about 20 chains above the junction of the said stream with the Oaro River in S.G.R. 94, Block 15, Hundalee Survey District, at a point indicated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37593, deposited in the office of the Minister at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

4. GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF WORKS.

The licensee is hereby authorized to construct, maintain, and use the following works for the purposes of this license, the position of the said works being indicated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37593 hereinbefore referred to:—

- (a.) Headworks consisting of a dam and necessary intake.
- (b.) Race leading from such dam to the power-house hereinafter referred to.
- (c.) A power-house with all necessary equipment, including water-turbines, generators, transformers, lightning-arresters, switchboards, switches, exciters, and other appliances for generating electricity.
- (d.) Transmission and other lines over the route commencing at the power-house in S.G.R. 94, and proceeding in a southerly direction across the Te Umu Kuri Stream and through portion of S.G.R. 93, Block XV, Hundalee Survey District, over the Oaro River, through portion of Section 4 to Stanford's House, and then in a north-easterly direction through portion of the said Section 4 and through portion of Section 3 to Gilbert's House, Block XVI, Hundalee Survey District, all as shown by means of a broken black line on the said plan.

5. INSPECTION OF WORKS.

The Inspecting Engineer, both during and after the construction of the works, shall have free access to and liberty at any time to inspect the same so as to ensure that the provisions of this license are given due effect to.

6. MAINTENANCE OF WORKS.

After the said works have been completed, the licensee shall maintain the same in proper working-order during the continuance of this license.

7. 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.

8. RENTAL.

The licensee shall, in respect of this license, pay to the Public Works Engineer for the district, or otherwise as the Minister may from time to time require, the sum of 10s. per annum.

9. GRANTING OF OTHER WATER-RIGHTS.

Nothing herein shall prevent the Governor in Council from granting to any person or body corporate other than the licensee a license to take water from any portion of the said stream except at the place where the licensee is by this license empowered to take it; provided that no such license shall so operate as to reduce the natural fall between the headworks and tail-water, or the volume of the water which the licensee is by this license authorized to take from the said stream.

10. FINES.

If the licensee fails or neglects—

- (a.) To use or maintain the said works, after completion, so as to secure the full benefit of the undertaking; or
- (b.) To observe any of the conditions or obligations herein imposed,—

then and in any such case the licensee shall be liable to a fine of £20 for every week or part of a week during which such default or neglect continues; or the Governor may by Order in Council revoke this license.

11. SERVICE OF NOTICE.

Notwithstanding anything in the last preceding clause, this license shall not be revoked, and no proceedings shall be taken for the recovery of a fine in respect of the breach thereof, unless and until notice in writing of the intention so to revoke the license or to take such proceedings has been served upon the licensee, or placed upon some principal or conspicuous part of the works, and default has been made by the licensee in repairing or remedying the breach or breaches specified in the said notice for the following periods:—

- (a.) For any breach which in the opinion of the Governor can be met by a fine, for thirty days after the service of such notice.
- (b.) For any breach which in the opinion of the Governor is of such a nature as to require the revocation of this license, for ninety days after the service of such notice.

12. VARIATION IN CONDITIONS OF LICENSE.

The terms and conditions of this license may at any time or from time to time, at the request or with the consent in writing of the licensee, be altered by the Governor by Order in Council.

13. SURRENDER OF LICENSE.

The licensee may at any time, with the consent of the Minister, surrender this license, and shall thereupon, if so required by the Minister, remove from the ground all removable equipment, machinery, buildings, poles, transmission-lines, and other plant herein authorized to be installed or provided. If the licensee fails or neglects so to remove the said plant within twelve months after being required so to do, such equipment, machinery, buildings, poles, lines, and other plant shall, without payment or compensation, vest in and become the property of the Crown.

14. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

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

The generating voltage shall be approximately 250 volts between the terminals.

15. DATUM TEMPERATURE.

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

16. NOTICES *re* RESULTS OF TESTS, ETC.

Records of results of tests (Regulation 37) and notices *re* commencement of work (Regulation 44) and alterations (Regulation 49) should be sent to the Public Works Engineer at present stationed at Blenheim, and to the Telegraph Engineer of the district, or his deputy, at present stationed at Christchurch.

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

Licensing Mrs. Catherine Sophia Walschleger to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Half-moon Bay, Stewart Island, as a Site for a Boat-shed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-third day of August, 1915.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and one, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 48, of the tenth day of the same month, Manasseh Walschleger, of Half-moon Bay, was licensed to use and occupy a part of the foreshore at Half-moon Bay, in Stewart Island, as shown on plan marked M.D. 2418, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, in order to erect thereon a boat-shed, as shown on the plan so deposited as aforesaid, for a term of fourteen years, computed from the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and one :

And whereas, the said license having expired, Catherine Sophia Walschleger (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has made application for a fresh license under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), for a term of fourteen 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 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 which is particularly shown and delineated on the plan so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of using the aforesaid boat-shed in connection therewith, 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 that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark occupied by the said boat-shed, as shown on plan marked M.D. 2418.

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 £1, and thereafter an annual sum of 5s. 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 without payment.

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

6. Any person authorized by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said boat-shed and view the

state of repair thereof ; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known registered office of the licensee in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such wharf, requiring her, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, she 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 to be in force for fourteen years from the thirteenth day of May, 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 licensee 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 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 in New Zealand.

10. The licensee shall be liable for any injury which the said boat-shed may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on her part.

11. In case the licensee 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 boat-shed for a period of thirty days ;
- (3.) Become bankrupt, or be brought under the operation of any law for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy ; 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 licensee 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 licensee, 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.

Portion of the North-western Side of Bidwell 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 sixth day of September, 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 a 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, and clause (b) of subsection one of section thirteen of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, it is provided that such approval may be either absolute or subject to such conditions as the Governor in Council thinks fit to impose, and may refer to one or both sides of the road or street :

And whereas the Wellington City Council, the local authority having control of the portion of street described in the Schedule hereto (hereinafter referred to as "the said portion of street"), did, on the fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, pass the following resolution, viz. : "The Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Wellington, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred

and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to Bidwell Street, subject, however, to the condition that no new building shall be erected with a frontage to such street at a less distance than thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the street in that portion of the street extending from its western end to a distance of ninety-six feet from Wallace Street”:

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved in so far as it refers to the north-western side of the said portion of street described 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 Acts, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the said resolution to the extent hereinbefore mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Bidwell Street, situated in the City of Wellington, Wellington Land District, commencing at its junction with Wallace Street, and proceeding thence in a south-westerly direction for a distance of 145 45 links, adjoining Lot 3 of part Section 684, Town of Wellington. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38479, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon shown coloured red.

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

Portion of the North-western Side of Bidwell Street, in the City of Wellington, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixth day of September, 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 a 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, and clause (b) of subsection one of section thirteen of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, it is provided that such approval may be either absolute or subject to such conditions as the Governor in Council thinks fit to impose, and may refer to one or both sides of the road or street:

And whereas the Wellington City Council, the local authority having control of the portion of street described in the Schedule hereto (hereinafter referred to as “the said portion of street”) did, on the fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, pass the following resolution, viz.: “The Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Wellington, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to Bidwell Street, subject, however, to the condition that no new building shall be erected with a frontage to such street at a less distance than thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the street in that portion of the street extending from its western end to a distance of ninety-six feet from Wallace Street”:

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved in so far only as it refers to the north-western side of the said portion of street, subject to the condition hereinafter mentioned:

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 Acts, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the said resolution to the extent hereinbefore mentioned, subject to the condition that no new buildings or part of a building shall be erected at any time on the north-western side of the said portion of street within a distance of thirty-three feet of the centre-line of the said portion of street,

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Bidwell Street, situated in the City of Wellington, Wellington Land District, commencing at a point 145 45 links from its junction with Wallace Street, and proceeding thence in a south-westerly direction for a distance of 128 84 links, adjoining Lots 2 and 1 of part Section 684, Town of Wellington. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38479, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured blue.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Vesting a Reserve in the Auckland City Council.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixth day of September, 1915.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart for a site for a public library and reading-room: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Corporation of the City of Auckland:

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 four 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 Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Auckland, in trust, for a site for a public library and reading-room.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing 16.8 perches, more or less, being Lot 4 of Allotment 71, Section 1, Suburbs of Auckland (Block VIII, Rangitoto Survey District). Bounded towards the north-west by Lot 3 of Allotment 71, Section 1, Suburbs of Auckland, 138.26 links; towards the north-east by Lot 5 of the aforesaid allotment and section, 76.81 links; towards the south-east by Russell Street, 135.25 links; and towards the south-west by Manukau Road, 77.75 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 42421/21, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixth day of September, 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, by Order in Council gazetted, may, 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 Otaika Kauri-gum Reserve Extension No. 3 described in the Schedule hereto be excepted 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 Otaika Kauri-gum Reserve Extension No. 3 described in the Schedule hereto shall, from the ninth day of September, 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, situated in Block XVI, Purua Survey District, and Block IV, Tangihua Survey District, Whangarei County, containing 61 acres, more or less, being part of Otaika Kauri-gum Reserve Extension No. 3, set apart by Order in Council dated 6th July, 1901, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 67, of 11th July, 1901, page 1437. Bounded towards the north generally by a public road; towards the east generally by Allotment No. 134A, Maungatapere Parish, and Kauri-gum Lease No. 72; towards the south generally by Allotments 18 and 89 of the aforesaid parish; and towards the west by a public road: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. XXII/350, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

Regulations under the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910, as amended.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this sixth day of September, 1915.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor may by Order in Council make such regulations, not inconsistent with the said Act, as may be necessary for the effectual carrying-out of that 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 Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke all existing regulations respecting workers' dwellings, and doth hereby make the following regulations in lieu thereof.

REGULATIONS.

APPLICATIONS FOR WORKERS' DWELLINGS.

1. EVERY application to purchase a worker's dwelling shall be in the Form W.D. 1A in the Schedule hereto, and shall specify the particulars indicated in that form.
2. Every application for a renewable lease of a worker's dwelling shall be in the Form W.D. 1B in the Schedule hereto, and shall specify the particulars indicated in that form.
3. Every application for a weekly or monthly tenancy (as the case may be) of a worker's dwelling shall be in the Form W.D. 1C in the Schedule hereto, and shall specify the particulars indicated in that form.
4. Every application for a worker's dwelling shall be accompanied by a fee of £1.
5. The declaration required by section 8 of the said Act to accompany an application in respect to a worker's dwelling shall be in the Form W.D. 1D in the Schedule hereto.
6. In disposing of applications as aforesaid in respect of workers' dwellings, applications to purchase shall be preferred to applications for lease or other tenancy; and (without limiting the preceding provisions of this regulation) the Board may give preference to those applicants who, in its opinion, are most in need of such dwellings.

AGREEMENTS AS TO WORKERS' DWELLINGS.

7. Where any application in respect to a worker's dwelling is approved by the Board, an agreement in respect of the same shall be executed in duplicate by the Superintendent and by the applicant.
8. Every agreement to purchase a worker's dwelling shall be in the Form W.D. 2A in the Schedule hereto.
9. Every agreement for a renewable lease of a worker's dwelling shall be in the Form W.D. 2B in the Schedule hereto.
10. Every agreement in respect of the weekly or monthly tenancy (as the case may be) of a worker's dwelling shall be in the Form W.D. 2C in the Schedule hereto.

11. Where upon the approval of an application in respect of the purchase of a worker's dwelling the terms and conditions to be contained in an agreement in respect of the same have not yet been determined, a provisional agreement may be executed (in duplicate) by the Superintendent and the applicant in the Form W.D. 2D.

In the case of an application in respect of the lease or other tenancy of a worker's dwelling, a provisional agreement may be executed in a form to the like effect, with such alterations and additions as the circumstances of the case may require.

12. If, for any reason other than that specifically authorized by the terms of any agreement in respect of a worker's dwelling, an applicant withdraws his application he shall not be entitled to a refund of his deposit or fee in respect of his purchase-money or rent; but the Board may, if it thinks fit, refund the balance of such deposit after deducting an amount not less than £1 in respect of expenses.

13. If a worker's dwelling, in respect to which an agreement to purchase has been entered into, is destroyed or damaged by fire, earthquake, tempest, or other cause, and the purchase-money has not been paid, the Board may expend such insurance-money as may be available for the purpose, pursuant to Regulation 18, in the re-erection or restoration of the dwelling; and if the occupancy of the dwelling has ceased on account of the fire, earthquake, or tempest, or other cause, the payments due under the agreement to purchase may be suspended by the Board until the dwelling has been re-erected or restored, and the currency of the agreement to purchase shall be extended accordingly. In lieu of re-erecting or restoring the dwelling the Board may, by agreement of the purchaser, cancel the agreement to purchase, refunding to him such sum as is agreed upon from the amount paid on account of principal.

14. If a worker's dwelling, in respect of which an agreement for lease or tenancy has been entered into, is destroyed or is damaged so that occupation cannot be continued, the agreement shall be deemed to be cancelled.

15. If the purchaser, lessee, or tenant permits any nuisance to exist on or about his dwelling, and fails to remove the same on receiving notice from or on behalf of the Board so to do, the Board may thereupon terminate the agreement on such terms as it thinks fit; or may, in the case of a purchaser, itself have the nuisance removed, and may recover the sum thus expended from the purchaser by such weekly, fortnightly, or monthly instalments of principal and interest (computed at 5 per cent. per annum) as it thinks fit. The amount of such instalments shall be added to the instalments payable under the agreement to purchase the dwelling, and the agreement shall, until the additional instalments aforesaid are paid, be deemed to be amended accordingly.

16. (1.) If the purchaser, lessee, or tenant of a worker's dwelling fails at any time to comply with any of the provisions of the said Act or of these regulations, or makes default in the due payment of any purchase-money or rent in respect of that dwelling, the Board may, if it thinks fit, cancel the agreement in respect of that dwelling.

(2.) The Superintendent may also, if he thinks fit, sue the purchaser, lessee, or tenant of a worker's dwelling for the recovery of any damages which may have been caused in respect of a worker's dwelling, or of a breach of the agreement made in respect thereto.

(3.) No cancellation or termination shall affect any right or remedy on the part of the Superintendent as to the recovery of instalments, interest, or rent in arrears, or shall otherwise release the purchaser, tenant, or lessee from any penalty or liability in respect to anything done or omitted to be done by him.

17. (1.) If an agreement to purchase is for any reason terminated before the purchase-money has been paid, the Board may, if it thinks fit, pay to the purchaser by way of compensation for any permanent improvements effected by him a sum not exceeding the increase in the capital value of the dwelling for the purposes of this Act by reason of those improvements.

(2.) On the termination of a lease or other tenancy of a worker's dwelling the Board may pay to the outgoing lessee or tenant, by way of compensation for improvements as aforesaid, a sum not exceeding the increase in the capital value of the dwelling for the purposes of this Act by reason of those improvements.

18. The Superintendent may, in such manner as he thinks fit, insure to the full extent of the risk of loss by fire, earthquake, tempest, or other cause every worker's dwelling in respect of which the purchase-money has not been paid by the occupant; and the purchaser, lessee, or tenant shall, with his weekly, fortnightly, or monthly payments, as the case may be, pay to the Superintendent all amounts due in respect of the insurance on his dwelling.

19. The purchaser of a worker's dwelling shall pay all rates and taxes levied on or payable in respect of his dwelling in such manner as the Superintendent may determine.

20. (1.) Whenever any additional sum of not less than £5 is paid in advance by the purchaser of a worker's dwelling, in pursuance of section 11 of the said Act, the sum so paid shall be disposed of by the Superintendent as hereinafter mentioned.

(2.) If the purchaser so desires, the amount so paid shall be received in advance in respect of so many of the half-yearly instalments of principal and interest as the said amount is sufficient to satisfy; and the purchaser shall not be required to make any further payments in respect of the purchase-money until the expiration of the time in respect of which such payment in advance is made. In any such case the Superintendent may credit the purchaser with a sum for interest computed at 5 per cent. per annum on the amount so paid in advance.

(3.) In lieu of making any such break as aforesaid in the continuity of the payments in respect of purchase-money, the Superintendent shall, if the purchaser so desires, accept the amount so paid in advance in satisfaction of so many of the next succeeding half-yearly instalments of principal as that amount is sufficient to satisfy; and the corresponding instalments of interest shall not be payable. The subsequent half-yearly instalments of principal and interest shall then be payable without any break in the periodical continuity of the payments until the total amount of purchase-money has been paid, either at the same rate for the remainder of the shortened term of the agreement to purchase, or at such reduced rate for the full term of the agreement to purchase as is necessary for the payment of the remainder of the purchase-money and of the interest payable thereon.

21. The certificate referred to in section 14 of the said Act, to be granted by the Board on the fulfilment of the terms of an agreement to purchase a worker's dwelling, shall be in the Form W.D. 3A in the Schedule hereto.

22. Every worker who is desirous of making a disposition of his dwelling under section 15 of the said Act shall apply in writing to the Board for its consent to the proposed disposition, and such application shall be in the Form W.D. 4A in the Schedule hereto, and shall specify the particulars indicated in that form.

23. Every application for such disposition shall be accompanied by a declaration by the proposed transferee, and shall be in the Form W.D. 4B in the Schedule hereto.

24. If the Board shall consent to the application, then a certificate shall be endorsed on the original agreement or lease, as the case may be, evidencing the title of the transferee to the worker's dwelling in the Form W.D. 4C in the Schedule hereto.

25. (1.) Subject to these regulations, the Board shall from time to time cause all necessary repairs to be made to workers' dwellings in respect of which an agreement to lease or for a weekly or other tenancy is in force, if those repairs are necessitated by fair wear-and-tear, or damage by fire, or other cause. Subject as aforesaid, the lessee or tenant of a worker's dwelling shall keep the same in good order and condition to the satisfaction of the Board.

(2.) The purchaser of a worker's dwelling shall, until the total purchase-money has been paid, keep his dwelling in good order and repair to the satisfaction of the Board. Without limiting the foregoing provision, the purchaser of a worker's dwelling shall have all exterior woodwork of his dwelling painted with two coats of paint at least every five years, and all exterior metalwork shall be painted with one coat of paint at least once in five years. In the event of any purchaser being unable to the satisfaction of the Board to comply with this regulation, or with the directions of the Board pursuant to these regulations, the Board may, in its discretion, out of the amount which the purchaser has paid off the principal, carry out such work as it deems necessary, and may recover the sum thus expended from the purchaser by such weekly, fortnightly, or monthly instalments of principal and interest (computed at 5 per cent. per annum) as it thinks fit. The amount of such instalments shall be added to the instalments payable under the agreement to purchase the dwelling, and the agreement shall, until the additional instalments aforesaid are paid, be deemed to be amended accordingly.

(3.) No alterations to a worker's dwelling other than those required or authorized by this regulation shall be made except with the consent of the Board or Superintendent.

26. If the by-laws of the local authority of the district in which any worker's dwelling is situated require any alterations or additions to be made to that dwelling in pursuance of any authority conferred upon it by any Act or otherwise, the Board may, in the case of a tenant or lessee, or of a purchaser, who is unable to its satisfaction to effect such alterations or additions, have the required alteration or addition made, and the cost of same shall be added to the capital value of the dwelling. The agreement in respect thereof shall be amended accordingly, and thereafter for the remainder of

the currency of the agreement such increased rent or other payments shall be payable as are necessary to repay the addition to the capital value, together with interest thereon (computed at 5 per cent. per annum).

27. Any member of the Board or of a District Board, or any person appointed by such Board for that purpose, shall at all reasonable times be entitled to inspect any worker's dwelling.

SCHEDULE.

Form W.D. 1A.

APPLICATION TO PURCHASE A WORKER'S DWELLING.

(Under Section 8 of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.)

To the Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings, Wellington.

I, [Name in full], of [Address], [Occupation], hereby apply to the Workers' Dwellings Board to purchase (a) a worker's dwelling to be erected in accordance with the particulars set out in the first part of the Schedule hereto; or (b) [in the case of a dwelling already erected] the worker's dwelling, being [Specify number, street, and other particulars sufficient to identify the dwelling].

I enclose herewith the sum of one pound (£1), being the amount of fee required by section 8 of the above-mentioned Act, as amended by section 7 of the 1914 Act.

I also enclose statutory declaration (Form W.D. 1D) made by me in accordance with the said section 8, and I further declare that the particulars set out in the second part of the Schedule hereto are correct.

Dated at this day of 19

[Signature of Applicant.]

SCHEDULE.

Part I.

PARTICULARS OF WORKER'S DWELLING.

Site:—

1. Particular locality desired (if any):
2. Approximate size of section desired [Where workers' dwellings land is available, specify number of section or portion desired]*:

Dwelling:—

3. Number of rooms required:
4. Number of design selected*:
5. Any other particulars concerning land or dwelling that applicant desires to submit:

* Designs of dwellings may be inspected, and particulars of land available (if any) may be obtained, at the nearest office of the Department of Labour; the Board will be prepared to consider any reasonable alterations of designs to suit the requirements of applicants.

Part II.

PARTICULARS AS TO APPLICANT.

1. Age:
2. Occupation:
3. State whether married or single:
4. Name and address of employer:
5. Rate of earnings at time of application:
6. Proposed occupants of worker's dwelling, stating ages and sexes of children:

Form W.D. 1B.

APPLICATION FOR RENEWABLE LEASE OF A WORKER'S DWELLING.

(Under Section 8 of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.)

To the Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings, Wellington.

I, [Name in full], of [Address], [Occupation], hereby apply to the Workers' Dwellings Board for a renewable lease for twenty-one years of (a) [in the case of a dwelling already erected] the worker's dwelling being [Specify number, street, and other particulars sufficient to identify the dwelling]; or (b) a worker's dwelling to be erected in accordance with the particulars set out in the first part of the Schedule hereto.

I enclose herewith the sum of one pound (£1), being the amount of fee required by section 7 of the Amendment Act, 1914.

I also enclose statutory declaration (Form W.D. 1D) made by me in accordance with section 8 of the said Act, and I further declare that the particulars set out in the second part of the Schedule hereto are correct.

Dated at this day of 19

[Signature of Applicant.]

SCHEDULE.

Part I.

PARTICULARS OF WORKER'S DWELLING.

Site:—

1. Particular locality desired (if any):
2. Approximate size of section desired [*Where workers' dwellings land is available, specify number of section or portion desired*]*:

Dwelling:—

3. Number of rooms required:
4. Number of design selected*:
5. Any other particulars concerning land or dwelling that applicant desires to submit:

* Designs of dwellings may be inspected, and particulars of land available (if any) may be obtained, at the nearest office of the Department of Labour; the Board will be prepared to consider any reasonable alterations of designs to suit the requirements of applicants.

Part II.

PARTICULARS AS TO APPLICANT.

1. Age:
2. Occupation:
3. State whether married or single:
4. Name and address of employer:
5. Rate of earnings at time of application:
6. Proposed occupants of worker's dwelling, stating the ages and sexes of children.

Form W.D. 1c.

APPLICATION FOR WEEKLY (OR MONTHLY) TENANCY OF A WORKER'S DWELLING.

(Under Section 8 of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.)

To the Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings, Wellington.

I, [*Name in full*], of [*Address*], [*Occupation*], hereby apply to the Workers' Dwellings Board for a weekly [or monthly] tenancy of (a) [*in the case of a dwelling already erected*] the worker's dwelling, being [*Specify number, street, and other particulars sufficient to identify the dwelling*]; or (b) a worker's dwelling to be erected in accordance with the particulars set out in the first part of the Schedule hereto.

I enclose herewith the sum of one pound (£1), being the amount of fee required by section 7 of the Amendment Act, 1914.

I also enclose statutory declaration (Form W.D. 1d) made by me in accordance with section 8 of the said Act, and I further declare that the particulars set out in the second part of the Schedule hereto are correct.

Dated at this day of , 19 .

[*Signature of Applicant.*]

SCHEDULE.

Part I.

PARTICULARS OF WORKER'S DWELLING.

Site:—

1. Particular locality desired (if any):
2. Approximate size of section desired [*Where workers' dwellings land is available, specify number of section or portion desired*]*:

Dwelling:—

3. Number of rooms required:
4. Number of design selected*:
5. Any other particulars concerning land or dwelling that applicant desires to submit:

* Designs of dwellings may be inspected, and particulars of land available (if any) may be obtained, at the nearest office of the Department of Labour; the Board will be prepared to consider any reasonable alterations of designs to suit the requirements of applicants.

Part II.

PARTICULARS AS TO APPLICANT.

1. Age:
2. Occupation:
3. State whether married or single:
4. Name and address of employer:
5. Rate of earnings at time of application:
6. Proposed occupants of worker's dwelling, stating the ages and sexes of children.

Form W.D. 1d.

STATUTORY DECLARATION.

(Under Section 8 of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.)

I, [*Name in full*], of [*Address*], [*Occupation*], do solemnly and sincerely declare that I am a "worker" within the meaning of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910, that my earnings do not exceed £175 per annum, and that I am not, either by myself

or conjointly with any person, the owner in fee-simple or the tenant or occupier under a lease of any land in New Zealand. And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

Declared at this day of , 19 ,
before me— Justice of the Peace [or Solicitor].

DEFINITION OF "WORKER."

Section 2.—"Worker" means every person, male or female, who is employed in work of any kind in manual labour, or whose earnings at the time of his application do not exceed one hundred and seventy-five pounds per annum, and who is landless—meaning thereby that he is not, either by himself or jointly with any other person, the owner in fee-simple or the tenant or occupier under a lease of any land in New Zealand.

Form W.D. 2A.

AGREEMENT TO PURCHASE A WORKER'S DWELLING.

(Under Section 9 of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.)

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT made this day of 19 , between the Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings (hereinafter called "the Superintendent"), on behalf of His Majesty the King, of the one part, and [*Name in full, address, and occupation*], a worker within the meaning of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910 (hereinafter called "the purchaser"), of the other part, whereby it is agreed as follows:—

(1.) Subject to the provisions of the said Act and of the regulations thereunder the Superintendent agrees to sell and the purchaser agrees to purchase [*Strike out (a) or (b), as the case may be*] (a) a worker's dwelling, to be erected on the land described in the Schedule hereto in accordance with the particulars set out therein; or (b) [*in the case of a dwelling already erected*] the worker's dwelling being [*Specify number, street, and other particulars sufficient to identify the dwelling*].

(2.) That the purchaser shall pay to the Superintendent aforesaid, at such place as the Superintendent may from time to time direct, the sum of as purchase-money (being the capital value of the said dwelling, less the deposit of ten pounds paid in advance), together with interest thereon at the rate of five pounds per centum per annum.

(3.) That the purchaser shall, in addition, pay to the Superintendent the amount of premium required, as determined by the Superintendent, to insure the dwelling against loss by fire or other cause, and the amount of rates to be levied by the local authority from time to time.

(4.) Such payments shall be made by instalments of , consisting partly of principal, partly of interest, and partly of insurance premium and rates, and shall extend over a period of years.

(5.) That the purchaser shall enter into possession (a) not later than fourteen days after notice of the date of the completion of the dwelling has been given to the purchaser by or on behalf of the Superintendent, (b) as from the day of , 19 ; and the instalments aforesaid shall be calculated as from such date of entry into possession.

(6.) That the purchaser shall have all exterior woodwork of the dwelling painted with two coats of paint at least every five years, and all exterior metalwork shall be painted with one coat of paint at least once in five years.

(7.) And it is hereby further expressly stipulated and agreed that this agreement is entered into subject to the provisions and conditions relating thereto contained in the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910, and the regulations at present in force thereunder, which said provisions and conditions shall be deemed to be contained herein.

(8.) The purchaser hereby acknowledges to have received on the execution hereof a copy of the said Act and the regulations thereunder.

In witness whereof the parties have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.

Signed by the Superintendent of the Workers' Dwellings in the presence of

Signed by the said in the presence of

SCHEDULE.

Site:—

1. Description and area of section:

Dwelling:—

2. Number of rooms:
3. Number of departmental design in accordance with which the building is to be erected:
4. Capital value:
5. Any other particulars concerning land or building:

ENDORSEMENT.

Dated , 1915.
The Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings,
and

Purchaser.
Agreement to purchase Worker's Dwelling,
Settlement.

Section No.
Capital value: £

Form W.D. 2b.

AGREEMENT FOR RENEWABLE LEASE OF WORKER'S DWELLING.
(Under Section 9 of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.)

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT made this day of 19, between the Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings (hereinafter called "the Superintendent"), on behalf of His Majesty the King, of the one part, and [Name in full, address, and occupation], a worker within the meaning of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910 (hereinafter called "the lessee"), of the other part.

Subject to the provisions of the said Act and of the regulations thereunder, the Superintendent agrees to grant and the lessee agrees to accept a renewable lease for a term of twenty-one years of (a) [in the case of a dwelling already erected] the worker's dwelling, being [Specify number, street, and other particulars sufficient to identify the dwelling], as from the day of , 19; or (b) a worker's dwelling to be erected on the land described in the Schedule hereto in accordance with the particulars set out therein, as from a date to be hereafter fixed by the Superintendent [being not later than fourteen days after notice of the date of the completion of the dwelling has been given to the lessee by or on behalf of the Superintendent.]

It is also agreed that the lessee shall pay to the Superintendent aforesaid by payments, at such place as the Superintendent from time to time directs, the sum of per as rent in respect to the said dwelling.

And it is hereby further expressly stipulated and agreed that this agreement is entered into subject to the provisions and conditions relating thereto contained in the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910, and the regulations at present in force thereunder, which said provisions and conditions shall be deemed to be contained herein.

The purchaser hereby acknowledges to have received on the execution hereof a copy of the said Act and the regulations thereunder.

In witness whereof the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.

Signed by the Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings in the presence of

Signed by the said in the presence of

SCHEDULE.

Site:—

1. Description and area of section :
- Dwelling:—
2. Number of rooms :
3. Number of departmental design in accordance with which building is to be erected :
4. Capital value :
5. Any other particulars concerning land or building :

Form W.D. 2c.

AGREEMENT FOR WEEKLY [or MONTHLY] TENANCY OF WORKER'S DWELLING.

(Under Section 9 of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.)

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT made this day of 19, between the Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings (hereinafter called "the Superintendent"), on behalf of His Majesty the King, of the one part, and [Name in full, address, and occupation], a worker within the meaning of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910 (hereinafter called "the tenant"), of the other part.

Subject to the provisions of the said Act and of the regulations thereunder, the Superintendent agrees to let and the tenant agrees to take, on a weekly [or monthly] tenancy at a weekly [or monthly] rent of , payable at such place as the Superintendent from time to time directs, (a) [in the case of a dwelling already erected] the worker's dwelling, being [Specify number, street, and other particulars sufficient to identify the dwelling], as from the day of 19; or (b) a worker's dwelling to be erected on the land described in the Schedule hereto in accordance with the

particulars set out therein, as from a date to be hereafter fixed by the Superintendent [being not later than fourteen days after notice of the date of the completion of the building has been given to the tenant by or on behalf of the Superintendent].

And it is hereby further expressly stipulated and agreed that this agreement is entered into subject to the provisions and conditions relating thereto contained in the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910, and the regulations for the time being in force thereunder, which said provisions and conditions shall be deemed to be contained herein.

In witness whereof the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.

Signed by the Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings in the presence of

Signed by the said in the presence of

SCHEDULE.

Site:—

1. Description and area of section :
- Dwelling:—
2. Number of rooms :
3. Number of departmental design in accordance with which building is to be erected :
4. Capital value :
5. Any other particulars concerning land or building :

Form W.D. 2d.

PROVISIONAL AGREEMENT TO PURCHASE A WORKER'S DWELLING.

To the Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings on behalf of His Majesty the King.

In consideration of your acquiring for workers' dwellings under the powers contained in the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910, or any amendment thereof, all that parcel of land situate , and being , I agree, whenever called upon by you so to do, to enter into an agreement to purchase, under the provisions of the said Act, a worker's dwelling to be erected on that parcel of land, marked on the plan produced to me and signed by me, at a price not exceeding . I herewith hand you the sum of nine pounds, which, together with the fee of one pound already paid, shall be the deposit of ten pounds required by the Act, and I agree that if I shall fail to enter into an agreement for purchase in terms of the said Act, when the cost of the land and dwelling has been ascertained, the said sum of ten pounds shall be absolutely forfeited to you, and you shall be at liberty to recover from me all loss or damages that you may have sustained by reason of my failure to carry out the undertaking on my part herein contained.

Dated this day of , 19

Name :
Address :
Occupation :
Witness :

Form W.D. 3a.

CERTIFICATE OF BOARD ENTITLING PURCHASER TO CERTIFICATE OF TITLE FOR WORKER'S DWELLING.

(Under Section 14 of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.)

This is to certify that [Name in full], of [Address], [Occupation], a party to an agreement, dated the day of 19, to purchase the worker's dwelling comprised in Lot and the buildings erected thereon, has paid the full amount payable under that agreement, and that the Board is satisfied that the terms and conditions contained in the said agreement have been duly complied with.

A copy of the said agreement is attached hereto.
Dated at this day of , 19

Signed by the Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings, the day of , 19

Form W.D. 4a.

APPLICATION TO TRANSFER INTEREST IN PURCHASE OR LEASE OF WORKER'S DWELLING.

To the Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings, Wellington.

I, [Name in full], of [Address], hereby apply to transfer to [Name in full], of [Address], [Occupation], my interest in the purchase or lease of the worker's dwelling situated on Section , Settlement, District, and I propose to sell my interest in the said worker's dwelling to him

[her] for the sum of £ (this sum being made up of deposit, £ ; amount paid off principal, £ ; and improvements, £), subject to the approval of the Board. My reasons for desiring to transfer are

[Signature of Seller.]

[Witness to signature.]

Form W.D. 4B.

DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION TO TRANSFER.

I, , do hereby declare—

(1.) That I am a worker within the meaning of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.

(2.) That no money or money's worth is being paid by me for goodwill.

(3.) That I am acquainted with all the obligations and conditions required to be fulfilled by the transferor of the above-named worker's dwelling, and I agree to accept a transfer of the agreement to purchase the said worker's dwelling [or a transfer of the lease of such worker's dwelling] and to fulfil all conditions under which it is issued.

(4.) I attach the necessary application for transfer, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

Declared at this day of , 191 , before me— , a Justice of the Peace [or Solicitor].

Form W.D. 4C.

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSFER.

WHEREAS , within-named, has agreed with the consent of the Board to transfer to , of , all his right, title, estate, and interest in the property comprised in the within-written document :

Now it is hereby agreed that the said [Transferee] shall be substituted for the said [Transferor] wherever the latter's name appears in the above-written document, and the said [Transferee] shall be bound by and shall fulfil all agreements, stipulations, and conditions therein contained or implied therein on the part of the said [Transferor], and the said written document shall be read and construed henceforth as if the name of the said [Transferee] had been inserted herein throughout in place of the said [Transferor].

Dated the day of , 19 .

Signed by the Superintendent of Workers' Dwellings in the presence of

Signed by the said in the presence of

Signed by the said in the presence of

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Approving the Southland Patriotic Fund under the War Contributions Validation Act, 1914 (No. 2).

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by section two of the War Contributions Validation Act, 1914 (No. 2), (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is enacted as follows:—

Contributions, whether in money or kind, may be made by any local authority or body of persons, whether corporate or unincorporate, other than private trustees under a settlement or will,—

(a.) For the relief of distress occasioned by the war in which His Majesty is at present engaged, whether such distress exists in New Zealand or elsewhere in the British Dominions, or in any country allied to His Majesty ;

(b.) For any patriotic objects approved for the purposes of this Act by the Governor :

Provided that every such contribution is paid either—

(i.) Into a public fund, established by the Government, or by any local authority, for the purposes of such relief of distress or patriotic objects ; or

(ii.) Into a fund established by persons other than the Government or a local authority, where such fund and the conditions of control and expenditure thereof are approved for the purposes of this Act by the Governor :

And whereas certain persons in the Provincial District of Southland have formed themselves into a body for the following purposes, namely:—

- (a.) To provide comforts and necessaries for the members of the New Zealand Expeditionary Forces ;
- (b.) To provide horses, equipment, and moneys for the New Zealand Expeditionary Forces ;
- (c.) To provide for the care and comfort of sick or wounded members of the New Zealand Expeditionary Forces and other military forces engaged in the present war ;
- (d.) To assist maimed and injured members of the New Zealand Expeditionary Forces in commencing business ;
- (e.) To provide for or give assistance to the dependants of those members of the New Zealand Expeditionary Forces who die or are killed during service with the colours or as the result of such service ;
- (f.) To assist in equipping military hospitals, hospital ships, and to support red-cross work generally ;
- (g.) To assist any cases of distress arising directly or indirectly out of the present war, either in New Zealand, Great Britain, its dominions, colonies, or dependencies, or in countries allied thereto in the present war ;
- (h.) To compile a Roll of Honour of Southland men serving with the colours ;
- (i.) To assist in recruiting for the Expeditionary Forces ;
- (j.) To erect or assist in erecting a provincial or national memorial or memorials to perpetuate the memory of our soldiers who may fall in the present war ;
- (k.) To take all such steps for the securing, collecting, obtaining, and providing of such moneys and relief, and to expend the same in such manner for any of the above or similar objects, as the Executive may think fit :

And whereas the said body of persons has established a fund known as the Southland Patriotic Fund, for the promotion of the objects hereinbefore expressed, and has submitted the said fund and the conditions of control and expenditure thereof for approval, as required by the hereinbefore-quoted provisions of the said Act :

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby approve for the purposes of the said Act—

- (1.) The Southland Patriotic Fund hereinbefore referred to, established by the said body of persons ; and
- (2.) The conditions of control and expenditure of the said fund, as set out in the rules adopted by the said body of persons on the day of , one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Appointing Commissioners to classify Pastoral Runs in Marlborough Land District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the two-hundred-and-twenty-fifth section of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

HENRY GAUNT PRICE,
EVERARD ALOYSIUS WELD, and
HAROLD FRANKLYN HURSTHOUSE

Commissioners to classify and report to me upon the rural lands in the Marlborough Land District known as Runs Nos. 107A, 109, and 110, as provided by the said section two hundred and twenty-five.

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

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

Appointing Commissioners to classify Pastoral Runs in Marlborough Land District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the two-hundred-and-twenty-fifth section of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito

Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

HENRY GAUNT PRICE,
EVERARD ALOYSIUS WELD, and
ERNEST EDWARD TOWNSHEND

Commissioners to classify and report to me upon the rural lands in the Marlborough Land District known as Ruus Nos. 117 (28,400 acres), 119 (123,400 acres), part 120 (29,200 acres), part 120 (6,900 acres), and 128A (1,900 acres), as provided by the said section two hundred and twenty-five.

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

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

Declaring Road-lines through Land in the Glenham Settlement, Southland 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.

GLENHAM SETTLEMENT.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of roads closed: 2 acres 0 roods 31.4 perches and 39.7 perches.

Passing through Section 25A, Block V, Wyndham Survey District.

In the Southland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 19241/263, 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 second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

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

Notifying the Areas to be retained as Scenic Reserves and the Areas to be disposed of as Crown Land in the Mangoira Nos. 1 and 2 Blocks.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation dated the tenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, the Mangoira Numbers One and Two Blocks, in the Auckland Land District, containing respectively two hundred and sixty acres and two thousand six hundred and ninety acres, were taken for scenic purposes under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910:

And whereas it is deemed expedient that the portions of the said blocks described in the First Schedule hereto should be permanently retained as scenic reserves, and that the residue of the said blocks described in the Second Schedule should be disposed of as Crown lands under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify that the portions of the Mangoira Numbers One and Two Blocks described in the First Schedule hereto will be retained as scenic reserves under the provisions of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and its amendments, and the land described in the Second Schedule hereto, being the residue of the said blocks, will be disposed of as Crown land under the Land Act, 1908, in pursuance of the power conferred by section eight of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 365 acres 2 roods 16 perches, more or less,

being Section No. 3, Block X, Awakino North Survey District; Sections Nos. 3, 4, and 5, Block II, Awakino Survey District; and Sections Nos. 1 and 2, Block III, Awakino Survey District.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2,571 acres 2 roods, more or less, being the land proclaimed a scenic reserve in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 13, of the 15th February, 1912, page 698; excepting the area described in the First Schedule hereto.

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

F. H. D. BELL,
For Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of Portion of a Reserve in Maungakaretu Survey District, Wellington 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 the Wellington Land District, containing 15 acres 1 rood, more or less, being Section 1, Block XVI, Maungakaretu Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east generally by Murray's Track, towards the south generally by Murray's Track and Rongoiti Road, and towards the north-west by Section 20, Block XVI, Maungakaretu Survey District.

Permanently set apart as a reserve for travelling stock by Warrant published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 79, of the 3rd day of November, 1898.

PART II.

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

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres 3 roods 6 perches, more or less, being Section 32 (formerly part of Section 1), Block XVI, Maungakaretu Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Section 20, Block XVI, Maungakaretu Survey District, 674.3 links; towards the north-east generally by Murray's Track; and towards the south-west by Section 1 of said block, 1106.4 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. VI/1 (15), deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

PART III.

Intended Purpose.

Site for a roadman's cottage.

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

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

Lands permanently reserved.

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 three-hundred-and-twenty-second section of the said Act it is provided that land temporarily reserved under the said three-hundred-and-twenty-first section may, at the expiration of one month but not later than six months after the publication in the Gazette of notice of such temporary reservation, be permanently reserved, and that notice of such permanent reservation shall be published in the Gazette:

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:

And whereas the lands specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto were, by the Warrants the dates of which are specified in the third column of the said Schedule, and the notifications of which were published in the Gazettes specified in the fourth column, temporarily reserved under the authority of the said Acts for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule:

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 permanently reserve the lands so temporarily reserved as aforesaid, and enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto, for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule, being the same purposes for which the said lands were so temporarily reserved as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	Gazette.
				A. R. P.		1915.	1915.
Auckland ..	Mamari Village ..	15	..	0 2 0	Site for a post-office	26 May..	No. 70, 4 June.
" ..	Kawhia North S.D.*	14	XIV	3 1 24	Public cemetery ..	4 June	No. 73, 10 June.
" ..	Teasdale Settlement	9	..	2 1 10	Site for a drill-shed	4 "	"
" ..	Kawakawa S.D. ..	57	XVI	13 0 8	Sanitary reserve ..	24 "	No. 79, 1 July.
Taranaki ..	Ohura Township ..	1 to 8	VII	2 0 12-95	Site for public buildings of the General Government	21 "	No. 77, 24 June.
" ..	" ..	9	"	1 0 0	Public recreation-ground	24 "	No. 79, 1 July.
" ..	" ..	1	XXII	3 2 0	Ditto	24 "	" "
" ..	Ohura S.D.* ..	31	V	10 2 0	"	24 "	" "
" ..	" ..	32	"	10 2 0	"	24 "	" "
Wellington	Hunua S.D.* ..	27	IX	6 1 23	Site for a public school	26 May..	No. 70, 4 June.

* Survey District.

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

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

Opening Lands in Hawke's Bay 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 Wednesday, the tenth day of November, 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.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—DANNEVIRKE COUNTY.—TAHORAITA SURVEY DISTRICT.

First-class Land.

SECTION 55, Block I: Area, 95 acres 3 roods 24 perches; capital value, £1,470. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £36 15s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £29 8s.

Undulating and level country, suitable for dairying and mixed farming. Good soil, on clay and shingle formation; fairly well watered. Distant five miles from Dannevirke

by good metalled dray-road, through a well-established dairying district. Altitude, 600 ft. to 700 ft. above sea-level. Most of the area was originally bush country, now felled, cleared, and grassed, and all ploughable. Included in the price of the land is boundary and subdivisional fencing valued at £32 15s.

Section 2, Block V: Area, 175 acres 0 roods 27 perches; capital value, £2,360. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £59. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £47 4s.

Flat land, all ploughable. Light alluvial soil, on shingle formation; was originally mostly open Native clearing, now in native and exotic grasses; well watered by streams. Suitable for dairying. A little firewood bush along margin of stream on south boundary. Distant five miles and a half from Dannevirke by good metalled road. Altitude, 575 ft. to 600 ft. above sea-level. Included in the price of the land is boundary and subdivisional fencing valued at £28 10s.

Section 3, Block V: Area, 81 acres 2 roods 15 perches; capital value, £1,350. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £33 15s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £27.

Situated on the Oringi-Kiritaki Road, three-quarters of a mile from Oringi Railway-station and six miles from Dannevirke by good metalled dray-roads. First-class dairying land, all ploughable; well watered by streams. Originally bush land, now in grass, with a little firewood bush along the stream-bed. Good alluvial soil, on clay and shingle formation. Altitude, about 580 ft. to 600 ft. above sea-level. Included in the price of the section are the following improvements: Four-roomed dwelling, cow-shed and stable, all in advanced state of decay, and valued at £60; boundary and subdivisional fences, valued at £19; total, £79.

Section 4, Block V: Area, 172 acres 3 roods 21 perches; capital value, £1,640. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £41. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £32 16s.

Situated seven miles from Dannevirke and a mile and a half from Oringi Railway-station, to which latter it has access by formed dray-road, of which about a mile is metalled. Open country, mostly undulating, with a few acres of flat land in the north-eastern and south-western corners. About one-half of the area is in native and exotic grasses, and the remainder manuka and mingi scrub and red rushes. The hilly country is poor, with a clay subsoil and an outcrop of stones in places. There are some 118 chains of old fencing on the ground of little value at the present time, and which goes with the land.

Section 5, Block VI: Area, 80 acres 1 rood 37 perches; capital value, £1,560. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £39. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £31.

First-class dairying land, all ploughable. Distant four miles from Dannevirke by good metalled dray-road. Has eleven chains frontage to main Dannevirke-Woodville coach-road, and forty-eight chains frontage to Dannevirke-Kiritaki Road. Water can probably be obtained by sinking. Good loamy soil, on shingle formation. Originally covered in mixed bush, which has been felled and cleared, and the land sown in native and exotic grasses. Altitude, about 630 ft. above sea-level. The following improvements are included in the price of the land: Boundary and subdivisional fencing, valued at £18 15s.

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

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

Opening Lands in Nelson Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

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, do hereby declare and provide as follows, that is to say:—

The rural lands enumerated in the Schedules hereto are hereby set apart for selection on renewable lease on Wednesday, the tenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, at the respective rentals specified in the said Schedules. The lands enumerated in the First Schedule shall be deemed to be "heavy bush land," and the lands in the Second Schedule shall be deemed to be "scrub land."

After the first half-year's rent has been paid by the selector the further instalments of rent payable by him for a period of four years in the case of "heavy bush lands," and two years in the case of "scrub land," shall not be demanded; provided that if at any time during the first five years of his occupancy the selector disposes of his interest in the land, the rent so conceded shall be paid by him in full, and thereupon the Land Board may remit such instalments of rent payable by the incoming tenant, not exceeding in the aggregate the amount of rent previously conceded to the selector, as the Board shall think fit.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

SECOND-CLASS HEAVY BUSH LAND.

(Exempt from Rent for Four Years.)

Buller County.—Kongahu Survey District.

SECTION 34, Block II: Area, 303 acres; capital value, £155; half-yearly rent, £3 4s.

Weighted with £48, valuation for improvements consisting of a drain 32 chains long.

All flat low-lying swampy land, covered with small flax, toitoi, and light scrub. Soil is good, but requires draining. Situated four miles and a half from Port of Karamea by a good dray-road, thence 52 chains by a good bridle-track, and thence two miles and three-quarters by an unformed road.

Waimea County.—Tadmor Survey District.

Section 9, Block XV: Area, 1,000 acres; capital value, £750; half-yearly rent, £15.

Broken pastoral country, well watered; covered with forest of birch and cedar, with a little rimu, rata, and totara. Fair soil. Altitude, 1,200 ft. to 2,000 ft. Seven miles and a half from Glenhope Railway-station—seven miles by main road, balance unformed road; or eight miles from Kohatu

Railway-station—seven miles and a half by main road, balance unformed road.

Section 10, Block XV: Area, 1,018 acres; capital value, £620; half-yearly rent, £12 8s.

Broken pastoral country, well watered; covered with forest consisting of birch, with a little rimu and totara. Fair soil. Altitude, 1,200 ft. to 2,000 ft. Four miles from Kaka Railway-station—half a mile formed road, balance unformed road along river-bank.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

SECOND-CLASS SCRUB LAND.

(Exempt from Rent for Two Years.)

Inangahua County.—Inangahua Survey District.

Section 1 of 54, Block IV: Area, 589 acres; capital value, £400; half-yearly rent, £8.

Distant about a mile and three-quarters from Inangahua Junction by the main Reefton-Inangahua Junction Road. About 40 acres flat, and of fair to good quality. The forest is chiefly silver-birch, the remainder being brown and red birch with a few miro and white and red pines. The balance of the area ranges from easy sloping spurs to very steep sidelings; it is good pastoral country, and the formation is limestone and marls principally; on the lower terraces bands of sandstone overlie the limestone marls; the forest is brown, silver, and red birch, with a few very large totara; rimu, white-pine, and miro are scattered about the spurs and gullies.

Waimea County.—Motueka Survey District.

Section 9, Block I: Area, 313 acres; capital value, £160; half-yearly rent, £3 4s.

All hill, covered with mixed bush of no commercial value; suitable for pastoral purposes only; limestone formation. About twelve miles and a half from Motueka, five miles and a quarter being by level metalled road, balance well-graded track.

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

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

Powers delegated to the Otari Scenic Board under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section thirteen of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand doth hereby vest the control of the reserve described in the Schedule below (being land reserved under the said Act), for the period of three years from the date hereof (unless previously altered or revoked under the said Act), in the undermentioned persons, namely,—

Martin Chapman, K.C., Wellington;
Leonard Cockayne, Ph.D., F.R.S., Wellington;
Boulton Merlin Molineaux, Wellington;
William Russell Morris, Wellington;
Leonard Owen Howard Tripp, Wellington;
The Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Wellington Land District (*ex officio*);
The Chairman, Reserves Committee of the Wellington City Council (*ex officio*);

who are hereby constituted for that purpose a special Board by the name of the Otari Scenic Board (herein referred to as "the Board"), in trust, for the preservation of scenery, and with the powers and subject to the conditions hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the first Monday in each month, at four o'clock p.m., at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Monday, the fourth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

2. The Commissioner of Crown Lands shall be the Chairman of the Board, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote.

3. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting; and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

4. Any four members of the Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

5. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

6. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose some one of their number to be chairman of such meeting.

7. If, by resignation, death, incapacity, or otherwise, the seat of any member shall be or become vacant, or if any member absents himself, without reasonable cause, from three consecutive meetings of the Board, the Governor shall have power to appoint any other person to be a member of the Board in his stead.

8. The Board shall prepare and submit at an annual meeting to be held in the month of April in each year a report of the proceedings of the Board for the previous year ending on the thirty-first day of March, together with a statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Board for such year. A copy of every such report and statement, certified by the Chairman to be correct, shall be sent to the Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation as soon as possible after each annual meeting.

9. The Board shall control the said reserve in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the regulations made thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

OTARI SCENIC RESERVE (FORMERLY KNOWN AS WILTON'S BUSH).

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 135 acres 3 roods, more or less, being Subdivisions Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 of Lot IX, Otari Native Reserve, Port Nicholson Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Subdivisions Nos. 7, 6, 5, 4, and 13 of Otari Native Reserve A, 4861.6 links; towards the north-east by Lot VIII, Otari Native Reserve, 3344.5 links; towards the south-east generally by the centre of the Kaiwarawara Stream and by Sections Nos. 31 and 33, Block VI, Port Nicholson Survey District, 1390.6 links; and towards the south-west by Section No. 56, Block VI aforesaid, 2479.7 links.

Also all that area in the Wellington Land District, containing 6 acres 3 roods 12 perches, more or less, being parts of Lots VI, VII, and VIII, Otari Native Reserve, Port Nicholson Survey District, City of Wellington. Bounded towards the south-west by Subdivision No. 1 of Lot IX aforesaid, 419.6 links; towards the west and north-west generally by other parts of Lots VIII, VII, and VI aforesaid, 439.9 links, 422.2 links, and 513.7 links; towards the north-east by other parts of Lots VI and VII aforesaid, 483.1 links; and towards the south-east generally by the bank of the Kaiwarawara Stream.

Also all that area in the Wellington Land District, containing 28 perches, more or less, being part of Section 2, Block VI, Port Nicholson Survey District, City of Wellington. Commencing at a point on the south-eastern bank of the Kaiwarawara Stream where it is intersected by a continuation of the line forming the north-eastern boundary of the last-described area, and bounded towards the north-east and south-east by other parts of Section No. 2 aforesaid, 22.9 links, 125.3 links, and 255.7 links, to the bank of the Kaiwarawara Stream aforesaid; and towards the north-west generally by that stream to the place of commencement.

Also all that area in the Wellington Land District, containing 1 rood 39 perches, more or less, being part of Section 2, Block VI, Port Nicholson Survey District, City of Wellington. Commencing at the south-eastern corner of the last-described area, and bounded towards the north-east by other part of Section 2 aforesaid, 100 links, on a continuation of the line forming the north-eastern boundary of the last-described area; towards the south-east generally by other part of Section 2 aforesaid, 138.5 links, 276.1 links, 70.2 links, and 90 links to the bank of the Kaiwarawara Stream; towards the north-west generally by the Kaiwarawara Stream and by the south-eastern boundary of the last-described area, 255.7 links and 125.3 links, to the place of commencement.

Be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

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

F. H. D. BELL,
For Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

Primary Education Endowment in Fitzroy District (New Plymouth Town Belt) set apart as a Site for a Girls' High School.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by section five of the Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1911, it is enacted that the Governor may, on the recommendation of the Land Board of the district in which are situated any reserves or endowments vested in the Crown by or in pursuance of section two of the Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1910, set apart as sites

for public schools, secondary schools, or technical schools any part of such reserves or endowments:

And whereas the Land Board of the Taranaki Land District has duly passed a resolution recommending that the primary-education endowment described in the Schedule hereto should be set apart as a site for a girls' high school, 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 powers conferred by the Acts aforesaid, do hereby set apart the primary education endowment described in the Schedule hereto as a site for a girls' high school.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 1 rood 20 perches, more or less, being Section K, part of G, New Plymouth Town Belt, Fitzroy District, Paritutu Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Section 129A, New Plymouth, Baring Terrace, and part of H, New Plymouth Town Belt, 1011 links; towards the north-east by Mangorei Road, 349.4 links; towards the south-east by Section L, part of G aforesaid, 958 links; and towards the south-west by Henui Stream, 360 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1912/1345, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered green.

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

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

Warrant vesting Control of Waiau River Bridge, Tuatapere, in the Wallace County Council, and apportioning the Cost of maintaining the Same.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and twenty of the Public Works Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor may, by Warrant under his hand publicly notified and gazetted, direct that any bridge already constructed, or which may hereafter be constructed, over or across any river or arm of the sea respectively shall, from and after the date to be fixed in such Warrant, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of such local authority as shall be mentioned in that behalf in such Warrant; and may by any such Warrant as aforesaid fix and determine whether all or any, and, if so, what part of the cost, whether theretofore incurred or thereafter to be incurred, of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing any such bridge is to be provided and paid by the local authority or local authorities, and, if so, by what local authority or local authorities; and may by any such Warrant as aforesaid direct how, when, and to whom any such payment is to be made:

And whereas it is considered expedient to make provision under the said Act for the purposes and in the manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby direct that the bridge known as the Waiau River Bridge, Tuatapere, as described in the Schedule hereto (and hereinafter referred to as "the said bridge") shall, from and after the date of the gazetting hereof, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of the Wallace County Council; and, in further pursuance and in exercise of the aforesaid powers and authorities, I do hereby fix and determine that the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the said bridge shall be borne by the Wallace County Council.

SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge over the Waiau River known as the Waiau River Bridge, Tuatapere, situated at the west end of Bridge Street, in Tuatapere Township (No. 2 Extension), in the Wallace County, Southland Land District. As the site of the said bridge is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38496, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Appointment of Acting Consular Agent of Italy at Auckland recognized provisionally.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor directs it to be notified that he has recognized provisionally the appointment by the Consul of Italy in Australasia of

GIOVANNI (J. H.) PAGNI, Esq.,

as Acting Consular Agent of Italy at Auckland during the absence of the Consular Agent.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Inspectors of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 7th September, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable FREDERICK THOMAS BELCHER,
" ARTHUR ALBERT O'DONNELL,
" CHARLES HENRY PRATT, and
" CHARLES WALTER TONKINSON

to be Inspectors under the Factories Act, 1908. The appointments are dated respectively the 31st, 31st, 30th, and 28th days of August, 1915.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Member of Arundel Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 6th September, 1915.

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

JAMES LEWIS

to be a member of the Arundel Domain Board, in place of John William Hammond, resigned.

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

Member of Waimamaku Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 6th September, 1915.

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

WILLIAM SAMUEL FELL

to be a member of the Waimamaku Domain Board, in place of Ernest Thomas Fell, retired.

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

Members of Waimana Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 6th September, 1915.

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

ALLAN JOHN MITCHELL,
EDWARD PERCY WOOLFELD, and
WILLIAM LUSBY RICHARDSON

to be members of the Waimana Domain Board, in place of John Joseph Healey, deceased, and Robert Ruddick and James Palmer, retired.

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

Member of Canterbury Land Board reappointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 2nd September, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to re-appoint

ROBERT MACAULEY

to be a member of the Canterbury Land Board, as from the 31st August, 1915.

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

Justice of the Peace appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 1st September, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES SELWOOD PLANK, Esq.,

of Christchurch, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Dominion of New Zealand.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Justice.

Justices of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 1st September, 1915.

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

WILLIAM GEE, Esq., of Nelson, and
GEORGE FREDERICK FURBY, Esq., of Christchurch,

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

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Justice.

Clerks of Courts, &c., appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 1st September, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Constable JOHN MCCLINCHY

to be Clerk of the Magistrates' Court at Matamata, vice Constable W. R. Lowry;

Constable CHARLES WALTER TONKINSON

to be Clerk of the Magistrates' Court at Otatau, vice Constable J. McClinchy, transferred;

Constable FREDERICK THOMAS BELCHER

to be Clerk of the Magistrates' and Warden's Courts, Receiver of Gold Revenue, and Mining Registrar at Karama, vice Constable Douglas Johns, transferred; and

Constable DOUGLAS JOHNS

to be Clerk of the Magistrates' and Warden's Courts, Receiver of Gold Revenue, and Mining Registrar at Collingwood, vice Constable T. Hickey, transferred.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Justice.

Chairmen of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th September, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK JAMES BURGESS, Esq., S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committee for the District of Thames, vice G. Cruickshank, S.M.; and

JOHN GEORGE LEWIS HEWITT, Esq., S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committee for the District of Waimarino, vice W. R. Haselden, S.M.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Justice.

Members of State Fire Insurance Board appointed.

Wellington, 1st September, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN WILLIAM ALLMAN MARCHANT, Esq., of Wellington, and

GEORGE ROBERT NICOL WRIGHT, Esq., of Wellington,

to be members of the State Fire Insurance Board, under the State Fire Insurance Act, 1908, as from the 1st September, 1915.

W. D. S. MacDONALD,
Minister in Charge, State Fire Insurance Office.

Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 6th September, 1915.

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

Mrs. ADA EMILY GAW

to be Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages for the District of Tokaanu, as from the 30th August, 1915.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 7th September, 1915.

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

EDWARD HOWARD LOGIE

to be Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages for the District of Blueskin, as from the 3rd September, 1915.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

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

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 28th 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:—

5th Mounted Rifles (Otago Hussars).

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants (supernumerary to establishment):—

Sergeant George Gourley. Dated 11th August, 1915.
Sergeant Arthur Briscoe Moore. Dated 12th August, 1915.

11th (North Auckland) Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant Richard Feaver, from the Unattached List (a), to be Lieutenant (supernumerary to establishment). Dated 12th July, 1915.

New Zealand Field Artillery.

2nd Lieutenant John Duggan, from the Unattached List (b), to be 2nd Lieutenant (supernumerary to establishment). Dated 19th July, 1915.

*Corps of New Zealand Engineers.**New Zealand Railway Battalions (North Island).*

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

Sergeant William Robert Setter. Dated 22nd June, 1915.
Quartermaster-Sergeant Archibald Wallace. Dated 9th August, 1915.
Quartermaster-Sergeant Charles George Dunham. Dated 9th August, 1915.
Quartermaster-Sergeant Murdock Macaskill. Dated 9th August, 1915.

4th (Otago) Regiment.

Sergeant Eric Claude Spedding. Dated 15th July, 1915.
Sergeant William Keith Hamilton. Dated 15th July, 1915.

Sergeant George Edgar Henderson Garden. Dated 16th July, 1915.

2nd Lieutenant Vernon Augustus Norrish, from the 13th (North Canterbury and Westland) Regiment, to be 2nd Lieutenant (supernumerary to establishment). Dated 10th August, 1915.

5th (Wellington) Regiment.

Ernest Marsden to be Lieutenant (temporary during the period of the war). Dated 28th June, 1915.

13th (North Canterbury and Westland) Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant Vernon Augustus Norrish is transferred to the 4th (Otago) Regiment. Dated 10th August, 1915.

17th (Ruahine) Regiment.

Lieutenant Edward Harold Sharpe, from the Unattached List (b), to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd August, 1915.

New Zealand Medical Corps.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:—
Archer Hosking, M.B. Dated 19th August, 1915.
James Whitton, M.D. Dated 16th February, 1915.

Unattached List (a).

Lieutenant Richard Feaver is transferred to the 11th (North Auckland) Mounted Rifles. Dated 12th July, 1915.

Unattached List (b).

Lieutenant Edward Harold Sharpe is transferred to the 17th (Ruahine) Regiment. Dated 3rd August, 1915.

2nd Lieutenant Louis Wilfred Metcalfe to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th January, 1915.

2nd Lieutenant John Duggan is transferred to the New Zealand Field Artillery. Dated 19th July, 1915.

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

William James Little. Dated 16th June, 1915.
Claude Henry Thomas Skelley. Dated 13th August, 1915.

*New Zealand Motor Service Corps.**Motor-car Section.*

Major Norton Francis to be District Senior Officer (Canterbury Military District). Dated 8th July, 1915.

Motor-boat Section.

Alfred Charles Hanlon to be District Senior Officer (Otago Military District), with the rank of Captain. Dated 29th July, 1915.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Meritorious-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 24th August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 12, Appendix IX, of the Regulations for the New Zealand Military Forces, 1911, of the award of the Meritorious-service Medal to

No. 441, Sergeant-major Artificer HENRY ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, Royal New Zealand Artillery.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Long-service and Good-conduct Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 24th August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 14, Appendix IX, of the Regulations for the New Zealand Military Forces, 1913, of the award of a Long-service and Good-conduct Medal to

No. 798, Gunner ALBERT ERNEST BERESFORD MCCLUSKEY, Royal New Zealand Artillery.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Long-service and Good-conduct Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 24th August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 14, Appendix IX, of the Regulations for the New Zealand Military Forces, 1913, of the award of a Long-service and Good-conduct Medal to

No. 800, Corporal PETER JOHN WALSH, Royal New Zealand Artillery.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Long-service and Good-conduct Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 24th August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 14, Appendix IX, of the Regulations for the New Zealand Military Forces, 1913, of the award of a Long-service and Good-conduct Medal to

No. 807, Regimental Quartermaster-Sergeant THOMAS WEBSTER PAGE, Royal New Zealand Artillery.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Long-service and Good-conduct Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 24th August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 14, Appendix IX, of the Regulations for the New Zealand Military Forces, 1913, of the award of a Long-service and Good-conduct Medal to
No. 732, Bombardier HARRY GRAHAM PORTEOUS, Royal New Zealand Artillery.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Dismissal of Members of the Territorial Force.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 23rd August, 1915.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to dismiss the undermentioned members of the Territorial Force from the New Zealand Defence Forces, under section 6(b), Defence Act, 1909, they having been convicted by the Civil power:—

Private Albert James Kerr, 12th (Nelson) Regiment.
Dated 29th April, 1915.
Private Joseph Hazeldine, 13th (North Canterbury and Westland) Regiment. Dated 2nd July, 1915.
Private Edward Kelly, 3rd (Auckland) Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own). Dated 8th July, 1915.
Private William Prentice, No. 2 Field Company, New Zealand Engineers. Dated 8th July, 1915.
Private Francis Hagin, No. 2 Company, New Zealand Army Service Corps. Dated 6th August, 1915.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 3rd September, 1915.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

HAMILTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of that portion of the Borough of Hamilton which was included in the borough on the 30th day of September, 1912, taken on the 1st day of September, 1915, on the proposal of the Hamilton Borough Council to borrow the sum of £7,500 for the following purposes—(a) to provide and place additional water-pipes, with all necessary fittings and appliances for the supply of water, in that part of the Borough of Hamilton which was included in the borough on the 30th day of September, 1912, including all necessary materials, appliances, labour, and supervision, £7,000; and (b) to defray the costs and charges of Messieurs H. Metcalfe and Sons for examining and reporting upon the proposed supply of water to the borough from Kaniwhaniwha, £500—the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 31, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 11; total, 42.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.
Dated this 2nd day of September, 1915.

A. E. MANNING,
Mayor.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 8th September, 1915.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

BULLER COUNTY COUNCIL.*Notice of Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.*

IN accordance with section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of ratepayers of the Riding of Wareatea South, County of Buller, taken on the 27th August, 1915, on the proposal of the Buller County to borrow the sum of £750 for the purpose of completing the

construction of the Westport Cape Foulwind Road, the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 15, and the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 60.
I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

DENIS Q. O'BRIEN,
County Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 8th September, 1915.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF TAKAPUNA.*Result of Poll.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Takapuna taken on the 28th day of August, 1915, on the proposal of the Takapuna Borough Council to borrow the sum of £2,000 for the purposes of erecting municipal offices and other buildings at Takapuna, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 432, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 74; informal, 4.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.
Dated this 31st day of August, 1915.

W. BLOMFIELD,
Mayor.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 8th September, 1915.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF TAKAPUNA.*Result of Poll.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Takapuna taken on the 28th day of August, 1915, on the proposal of the Takapuna Borough Council to borrow the sum of £50,000 for the purposes of road improvements, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 419, and the total number of votes recorded against the proposal was 89; informal, 2.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.
Dated this 31st day of August, 1915.

W. BLOMFIELD,
Mayor.

Redefining Boundaries of the Borough of Paeroa and the County of Ohinemuri.

Department of Internal Affairs,

Wellington, 8th September, 1915.

PURSUANT to the provisions of section 20 of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1910, the boundaries of the Borough of Paeroa are hereby defined as set out in the First Schedule hereto, the said borough being a new borough constituted by Proclamation dated the 12th day of June, 1915, made under the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, as amended by the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1913, and published in *Gazette* No. 75, of the 17th day of June, 1915.

And also, in pursuance of the provisions of the said section 20 of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1910, the boundaries of the County of Ohinemuri affected by the constitution of the Borough of Paeroa, made by the said Proclamation dated the 12th day of June, 1915, are hereby defined as set out in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.**BOUNDARIES OF BOROUGH OF PAEROA.**

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District bounded by a line commencing at a point in the middle of the Waihou River in line with the south-western boundary of Rau-o-te-huia No. 2 Block, in Block XII, Waihou Survey District; thence

to and along the south-western and south-eastern boundaries of that block and the southern and north-eastern boundaries of Rau-o-te-huia Block to Tawa Stream, along the left bank of that stream and the north-eastern boundary of Part D of Taiwhakarewakauri Block to the Paeroa-Thames Road, across that road to the south-western corner of Taiwhakarewakauri A Block and along the south-western boundary of that block to a point distant 1360 links from its south-eastern corner; thence along a right line to a point on the southern boundary of that part of the eastern portion of Hararahi No. 1 Block, shown on Land Transfer plan No. 2720A, distant 27 chains from the Paeroa-Thames Road; thence westerly along the said southern boundary for a distance of 940 links; thence along a right line to a point on the northern side of the road forming the northern boundary of Aorangi Block, distant 850 links from the south-eastern corner of Te Arero-huatata No. 2 Block, across that road to the north-western corner of Aorangi B Block, along the western and southern boundaries of that block, the southern boundaries of Aorangi C and D Blocks, by the eastern boundary of Te Puru-o-te-rangi No. 2 Block, crossing the rifle range to Te Huruhuru No. 2A Block; thence along the northern and north-western boundaries of that block and the north-western boundary of Te Huruhuru No. 2c Block, and that boundary produced to the middle of a public road; thence along the middle of the road forming the north-eastern boundaries of Te Huruhuru No. 2D and Pukerimu No. 2 Blocks to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary of the latter block; thence to and along the south-eastern boundary of the last-mentioned block and its production to the middle of the Ohinemuri River, and along the middle of that river to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary of parts of Ikutaratara and Muraoteahi Blocks, shown on plan No. 2031, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Auckland; thence along a right line to and by that boundary and its production to the Paeroa-Waihi Railway Reserve, and by that railway reserve to the northern boundary of Papaturoa Block; thence across the railway reserve and along the northern boundary of the said Papaturoa Block and its production to the middle of the Ohinemuri River; thence northerly along the middle of that river to a point in line with the middle of the proposed new cut, known as Pereniki's; thence to and along the middle of the said proposed new cut and its continuation to the middle of the Ohinemuri River; and thence again northerly along the middle of that river and the Waihou River to the place of commencement.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF COUNTY OF OHINEMURI.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District bounded towards the north-east by the sea from the mouth of the Otahu River to the mouth of the Waihi River; thence towards the south-east by a right line to the summit of Te Aroha Mountain; thence towards the south by a right line running due west to the confiscation boundary-line being the eastern boundary of Waikato County; thence towards the west generally by the eastern boundary of that county to a point due west of the confluence of the Hikutaia River with the Waihou River; and thence towards the north by a right line to the confluence of the said rivers, a line along the middle of the said Hikutaia River to the source nearest to the source of the Otahu River, a right line to the source of the said Otahu River, and a line along the middle of that river to the sea, the place of commencement; excepting the Boroughs of Waihi and Paeroa.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs

By-laws of the Mosgiel Borough Council confirmed under the By-laws Act, 1910.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 29th August, 1915.

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of by-laws made by the Mosgiel Borough Council on the 10th day of August, 1914.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION.

IN pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the within-written by-laws, and declare that the same came into force on the 1st day of November, 1914.

Dated this 29th day of August, 1915.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

First Meeting of the Woolston Fire Board.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 3rd September, 1915.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Fire Brigades Act, 1908, I, George Warren Russell, Minister of Internal Affairs of the Dominion of New Zealand, hereby appoint the Woolston Borough Council Chambers, Woolston, at 8 p.m. on Thursday, the 16th September, 1915, to be the place and date for holding the first meeting of the Woolston Fire Board.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Notice fixing the Closing-hours of all Shops in the Borough of Te Awamutu, under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all shops in the Borough of Te Awamutu, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all shops in the borough shall be closed as follows: During the months of January, February, March, April, September, October, November, and December, on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays at 6 p.m., and Saturdays, 9 p.m.; during the months of May, June, July, and August, on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays at 5.30 p.m., and Saturdays, 9 p.m.: And whereas the Te Awamutu Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the shops within the borough of Te Awamutu:

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 13th day of September, 1915, all shops in the Borough of Te Awamutu shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

Dated at Wellington this 7th day of September, 1915.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Notice fixing the Closing-hours of Butchers' Shops in the Borough of St. Kilda, under the Shops and Offices Act.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the butchers' shops in the Borough of St. Kilda, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops within the borough shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Subject to the closing at not later than 1 p.m. for the statutory weekly half-holiday under sections 11 and 18 (b), Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, 5.30 p.m., Saturdays, 6 p.m.: Provided that (1) in the case of any shopkeeper whose shop is closed on Saturday for the statutory half-holiday, the hour of closing on the preceding Friday shall be 9 p.m.; (2) on the day immediately preceding any day which is generally observed as a public holiday, the closing-hour shall be 6 p.m., excepting that on Christmas Eve, New Year's Eve, and the Thursday before Good Friday, the closing-hour shall be 9 p.m.: And whereas the St. Kilda Borough Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the butchers' shops within the Borough of St. Kilda:

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 13th day of September, 1915, all butchers' shops in the Borough of St. Kilda shall be closed in accordance with such requisition.

Dated at Wellington this 7th day of September, 1915.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Consent under Section 298 of the Native Land Act, 1909.

IN pursuance of the power conferred upon the Native Minister by subsection (b) of section 298 of the Native Land Act, 1909, I, William Herbert Herries, Native Minister, acting on the recommendation of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board, do hereby consent to a lease of Ngapeke No. 5D Block, containing 81 acres, situated in the Tauranga Survey District, subject to the same restrictions and to the same requirements as to confirmation and otherwise as if the land was not subject to Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909.

As witness my hand this 7th day of September, 1915.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

Agricultural and Pastoral Statistics.—Prescribing the Manner in which the Account under the Census and Statistics Act, 1910, shall be taken.—Notice No. 1794.

Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce,
Wellington, 1st September, 1915.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Census and Statistics Act, 1910, I, William Donald Stuart MacDonald, Minister of Agriculture, hereby direct that the account referred to in section 28 of the said Act shall be taken in respect of the following subjects:—

Extent of land in wheat.	barley.
„	oats.
„	maize.
„	peas.
„	sown grasses.
„	turnips and rape.
„	mangold.
„	potatoes.

And, in further exercise of the said powers and authorities, I do hereby prescribe and direct that the collection of returns in connection with the said account shall be carried out through the post or by Sub-Enumerators in accordance with the instructions contained on the forms issued for the purposes of the collection, and that the forms (duly filled up) shall be delivered to the person designated thereon not later than ten days after the date fixed by Order in Council for the taking of the said account.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Minister of Agriculture.

Agricultural and Pastoral Statistics.—Appointing Enumerators under the Census and Statistics Act, 1910.—Notice No. 1796.

Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce,
Wellington, 1st September, 1915.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Census and Statistics Act, 1910, I, William Donald Stuart MacDonald, Minister of Agriculture, do hereby divide New Zealand for the purposes of the account referred to in section 28 of the said Act into the districts specified below, and do hereby appoint the officers of the Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce whose names appear below the said districts to be the Enumerators for the said districts.

Auckland District, comprising the counties of Mangouui, Whangaroa, Bay of Islands, Hokianga, Whangarei, Otamatea, Hobson, Rodney, Great Barrier Island, Waitemata, Eden, Manukau, Franklin, Coromandel, Thames, Ohinemuri, Waikato, Raglan, Waipa, Piako, Matamata, West Taupo, Kawhia, Awakino, Waitomo, Ohura, Rotorua, East Taupo, Tauranga, Whakatane, and Opotiki:

SPICER, JOHN EDWARD DIGGLE.

Hawke's Bay District, comprising the counties of Waiapu, Cook, Waikohu, Wairoa, Hawke's Bay, Waipawa, Waipukurau, Patangata, Weber, Dannevirke, Woodville, and Pahiatua:

KEENAN, RICHARD ALPHONSUS.

Wanganui District, comprising the counties of Clifton, Taranaki, Egmont, Stratford, Whangamomona, Eltham, Hawera, Waimate West, Patea, Waitotara, Waimarino, Kaitieke, Wanganui, Rangitikei, Oroua, Kairanga, Kiwitea, Pohangina, and Manawatu:

PHILPOTT, ARTHUR COLIN.

Wellington District, comprising the counties of Horowhenua, Hutt, Makara, Featherston, South Wairarapa, Masterton, Castlepoint, Akitio, Eketahuna, Mauriceville, Waimea, Takaka, Collingwood, Sounds, Marlborough, Awatere, Kaikoura:

WENYARD, WILLIAM THOMAS.

Canterbury District, comprising the counties of Buller, Inangahua, Murchison, Grey, Westland, Amuri, Cheviot, Waipara, Ashley, Kowai, Oxford, Rangiora, Eyre, Tawera, Malvern, Papanui, Waimairi, Heathcote, Akaroa, Wairewa, Mount Herbert, Halswell, Springs, Ellesmere, Selwyn, Ashburton, Geraldine, Levels, Mackenzie, Waimate:

ANDREWS, JAMES.

Otago District, comprising the counties of Waitaki, Maniototo, Vincent, Waihemo, Waikouaiti, Peninsula, Taieri, Bruce, Clutha, Tuapeka:

ROWDEN, ARTHUR EDWARD.

Southland District, comprising the counties of Southland, Lake, and Wallace:

MILLER, WALTER MCNAIR.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Minister of Agriculture.

New Zealand School of Mines.—Further Amended Scholarship Regulations.

Mines Department,

Wellington, New Zealand, 4th September, 1915.

1. SIX Scholarships are offered annually for competition by Students attending Schools of Mines within the Dominion—one for Otago, two for the West Coast of the Middle Island, and three for the North Island. Of these, four will be for Students in gold-mining subjects, and two for coal-mining subjects.

2. The Scholarships will be granted to those candidates who comply with the conditions and obtain the highest percentage of marks, which must not be less than specified in Reg. 9.

3. Holders of Scholarships are to attend at the University of Otago, and no class fees will be charged on subjects pertaining to the session of the School of Mines.

4. The Scholarships will be of the annual value of £50 each to successful candidates who may reside three miles or more beyond the boundaries of the Borough of Dunedin or of the borough in which the affiliated institution is situated, and of £30 to successful candidates who reside within the boundaries of any such borough, or within three miles thereof.

5. The Scholarships will be tenable for three years, or for such other period less than three years as may at the discretion of the Minister appear to be necessary.

6. The Scholarships will be open to all Students as aforesaid who are not less than eighteen years of age on the day appointed for receiving applications, and who shall have attended regularly at any School of Mines within the Dominion for not less than two years at least 80 per cent. of the lectures in each subject of the examination course.

7. The examinations will be held in the month of December in each year, on days which will be duly announced.

8. The examination will be conducted in writing, and embrace six of the following subjects:—

- Theoretical Chemistry.
- Practical Chemistry.
- Metallurgy of Gold and Silver; or Drainage, Haulage, and Winding; or Electricity.
- Mining "Coal" or "Metal."
- Ventilation.
- General and Mining Geology.
- Land and Mine Surveying.
- Mathematics.

The branches of subjects (c) and (d) shall be at the option of the candidates, who must state in their applications the branch of each subject they intend to take up.

9. No Scholarship shall be awarded to any candidate who does not obtain 60 per cent. of the marks in each of the six subjects.

10. The examination may be passed as a whole or in sections. In the latter case the first section must consist of not less than two subjects, and the whole examination must be concluded within three years from the date of the first application.

11. No payment on account of the Scholarship will be made until the whole examination is passed.

12. Applications from candidates, accompanied by a fee of 10s., must reach the Mines Department at Wellington not later than the 1st November in each year, accompanied by the certificate of the Director that the Student has attended the necessary number of lectures in each subject at the school for two years.

13. Candidates must present themselves for examination on the day fixed, as provided in Regulation No. 7.

14. The Minister of Mines retains to himself the right of cancelling any Scholarship should the holder attend irregularly or be reported for idleness or bad conduct.

15. Holders of Scholarships having to pay more than £5 for their return railway or steamer fare to Dunedin will be paid by the Mines Department any excess over the sum of £5, but such payment will only be paid once in each year.

16. These regulations supersede the further amended regulations published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 68, of the 4th September, 1913.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Minister of Mines

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies Department,
Wellington, 7th September, 1915.

THE Star of Opunake Lodge No. 31, situated at Opunake, is registered as a branch of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 3rd day of September, 1915.

ROBT. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Vital Statistics.

GOVERNMENT STATISTICIAN'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of August, 1915:—

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the undermentioned Boroughs, during the Month of August, 1915.

BOROUGH.	ESTIMATED POPULATION 1ST JANUARY, 1915.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGH.	DEATHS IN BOROUGHS REGISTERED IN AUGUST, 1915.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, August, 1915.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1914.
			Males.			Females					
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.			
Auckland	65,005	115	4	3	28	1	1	19	56	0.86	10.43
Newmarket	2,842	5	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.35	5.63
Mount Eden	11,802	22	1	..	1	1	1	2	6	0.51	9.41
Mount Albert	9,105	25	2	1	..	..	..	1	4	0.44	7.19
Birkenhead	2,219	4	..	..	1	..	..	2	3	1.35	14.28
Northcote	1,791	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8.02
Devonport	7,863	12	..	..	2	1	..	..	3	0.38	6.63
Takapuna	3,023	7	..	..	..	..	1	3	4	1.32	3.89
Totals Auckland and suburban boroughs	103,650	191	7	4	32	3	3	28	77	0.74	9.42
Population of other suburbs*	14,143										
Total population of Greater Auckland	117,793										
Wellington	67,446	118	7	1	23	6	1	26	64	0.95	10.73
Onslow	2,006	3	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	1.00	4.49
Karori	1,620	5	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.62	8.05
Miramar	1,771	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9.03
Eastbourne	650	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1.54	11.06
Totals Wellington and suburban boroughs	73,493	130	8	1	25	7	1	26	68	0.93	10.47
Population of other suburbs*	1,318										
Total population of Greater Wellington	74,811										
Christchurch	58,169	114	3	..	19	4	..	24	50	0.86	10.02
Woolston	3,820	4	..	..	..	..	..	4	4	1.05	10.00
New Brighton	2,119	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8.10
Sumner	2,159	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4.81
Spreydon	4,035	16	1	..	2	..	..	2	5	1.24	8.20
Riccarton	3,121	5	..	..	1	..	..	2	3	0.96	6.79
Totals Christchurch and suburban boroughs	73,423	145	4	..	22	4	..	32	62	0.84	9.58
Population of other suburbs*	14,333										
Total population of Greater Christchurch	87,756										
Dunedin	49,446	75	5	1	20	5	2	24	57	1.15	11.00
West Harbour	1,975	3	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	1.01	7.27
Maori Hill	2,347	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.43	8.16
Mornington	5,374	11	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	0.37	7.69
St. Kilda	5,398	14	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	0.56	7.77
Green Island	2,011	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.50	9.26
Totals Dunedin and suburban boroughs	66,551	109	5	1	26	5	2	27	66	0.99	10.22
Population of other suburbs*	2,607										
Total population of Greater Dunedin	69,158										

* These remaining suburbs do not lie within borough boundaries, and particulars respecting them have not been obtained for the Vital Statistics. Closely correct annual statements of population outside boroughs are not obtainable.

In the above table are given the deaths and death-rates for each of the four cities, for the suburban boroughs severally, and for each city with its suburban towns.

Deaths occurring at hospitals, of persons not residents of the borough wherein the hospital is situated, have been allotted in each case to the borough where the disease was contracted, and not to that in which the death actually took place.

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Centres registered during August, 1915—continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
I.—GENERAL DISEASES—continued.									
<i>(b.) Other General Diseases—continued.</i>									
34. Tuberculosis of Kidney	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
37. Syphilis	1	..	1	2
39. Cancer of Tongue	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
40. " Stomach, Liver, &c.	4	..	2	..	1	..	1	8
41. " Intestines, Rectum	1	..	1	..	2	..	1	5
42. " Uterus	1	..	3	..	3	..	..	7
43. " Breast	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
47. Rheumatic Endocarditis	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
50. Diabetes	2	..	..	..	..	..	3	5
54. Pernicious Anæmia	1	..	..	..	1	2
II.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.									
61. Meningitis	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	3
61. Cerebro-spinal Meningitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
63. Paralysis Agitans	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
63. Myelitis	1	..	..	..	..	1
63. Bulbar Paralysis	1	..	1	2
64. Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy	1	..	3	..	..	..	2	6
65. Cerebral Softening	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
66. Hemiplegia	1	..	..	1
66. Paraplegia	1	..	..	..	..	1
66. Paralysis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
68. Organic Brain-disease	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
71. Convulsions of Infants	1	..	1	..	1	..	3
III.—DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.									
78. Acute Endocarditis	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
79. Heart-disease	1	9	1	8	..	9	..	2	30
80. Angina Pectoris	1	..	1	..	..	1
81. Arterio-sclerosis	1	..	..	..	..	1
82. Cerebral Embolism, Thrombosis	2	..	1	..	..	3
84. Bubo	1	1
IV.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.									
87. Acute Laryngitis	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
89. Bronchitis (acute)	2	..	1	..	..	..	3
90. " (chronic)	3	..	2	..	1	..	5	11
91. Broncho-pneumonia	1	1	2	1	1	1	..	..	8
92. Pneumonia	1	1	1	4	..	..	2	3	12
93. Empyema	1	1
96. Asthma	1	..	..	1
98. Hæmorrhage of Lungs	1	..	..	1
V.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.									
100. Septic Tonsillitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
101. Oesophageal Obstruction	1	1
102. Gastric Ulcer	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
104. Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under two years)	1	..	1	..	..	..	2
105. Diarrhœa and Enteritis (over two years)	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
108. Appendicitis	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
109. Intestinal Obstruction	1	..	..	1
109. Intussusception	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
110. Intestinal Stasis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
113. Cirrhosis of Liver	1	..	1	..	1	3
114. Gall-stones	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
115. Cholecystitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
115. Perihepatitis	1	1
117. Peritonitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
VI.—NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.									
119. Acute Nephritis	1	..	..	1
120. Bright's Disease, Chronic Nephritis	1	..	4	..	1	..	..	6
122. Pyelitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
122. Renal Abscess	1	1
126. Enlarged Prostate	1	1
129. Fibroid of Uterus	1	..	..	1

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Centres registered during August, 1915—continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		TOTAL.
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
VII.—PUERPERAL STATE.									
134. Accidents of Pregnancy .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	3
136. Obstructed Labour .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
VIII.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.									
144. Cellulitis of the Leg .. ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
IX.—DISEASES OF THE BONES AND OF THE ORGANS OF LOCOMOTION.									
146. Osteomyelitis	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
X. MALFORMATIONS.									
150. Congenital Heart-disease	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3
150. Patent Foramen Ovale	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
150. Spina Bifida .. ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
XI.—DISEASES OF EARLY INFANCY.									
151. Marasmus, &c. .. ..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
151A. Premature Birth	2	..	2	..	1	..	4	..	9
152. Inspiration of Vaginal Mucus .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
152. Atelectasis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
152. Congenital Peritonitis .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
XII.—OLD AGE.									
154. Senility .. ..	..	5	..	4	..	8	..	10	27
XIII.—VIOLENCE.									
157. Suicide by Strangulation .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
158. " Drowning .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
159. " Firearms .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
172. Accident—Fall .. ..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	4
174. " Crushed in Machinery .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
175. " Collision with Car, &c. .. ..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	3
XIV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.									
187. Dropsy .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
188. Cardiac Syncope .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2
189. Heart-failure .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	2
Totals	17	60	17	51	8	54	13	53	273

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the undermentioned Boroughs, during the Month of August, 1915.

BOROUGHS.	ESTIMATED POPULATION, 1st JANUARY, 1915.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGHS.	DEATHS IN BOROUGHS REGISTERED IN AUGUST, 1915.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, August, 1915.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1914.
			Males.			Females.					
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.			
Thames	3,761	8	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.27	8.28
Gisborne	9,859	23	2	..	2	1	..	6	0.61	11.51	
Napier	11,125	33	1	..	5	1	1	8	0.72	9.56	
New Plymouth	7,625	16	..	..	2	..	..	3	0.66	15.18
Wanganui	13,955	23	1	1	2	..	6	10	0.72	9.19	
Palmerston North	12,206	37	3	..	1	..	1	2	0.57	10.17	
Maertton	5,690	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7.21
Petone	7,107	15	2	..	3	1	..	8	1.13	6.05	
Blenheim	3,885	14	..	..	3	..	..	4	1.03	9.27
Nelson	8,565	25	1	..	5	..	..	8	0.93	11.95
Greymouth	5,663	13	..	..	3	..	..	5	0.88	18.54
Hokitika	2,238	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12.53
Lyttelton	4,396	12	1	..	..	..	2	3	0.68	7.72
Timaru	13,123	32	..	..	8	..	1	6	1.14	11.24
Oamaru	5,560	8	..	..	3	..	1	4	1.44	9.78
Invercargill	14,592	35	3	1	6	1	..	7	1.23	8.50	
Invercargill South	1,727	3	..	..	1	..	..	1	0.58	10.71

Exports.—Weekly.

RETURN of PRINCIPAL EXPORTS of NEW ZEALAND PRODUCE from the Dominion during the Week ended Tuesday, 7th September, 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 ended 31st August, 1915, *New Zealand Gazette* No. 103, page 3117), whether exported through the port for such district or not.

Districts.*	Butter.	Cheese.	Frozen Meats.			Gold.
			Lamb.	Mutton.	Other.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland	749	87	..	..	1	..
Kaipara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tauranga .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gisborne .. ..	..	..	8,742	19,262	..	..
New Plymouth ..	..	6,750	..	..	..	..
Waitara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Patea .. ..	..	8,708	..	..	..	..
Wanganui	373	226	121	31,424	..	..
Wellington	1,749	1,829	18,566	100,394	12,538	..
Napier .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wairau (including Picton) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nelson .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westport .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hokitika .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton .. ..	..	..	6,807	6,453	..	..
Timaru .. ..	..	..	16,528	6,990	642	..
Oamaru .. ..	..	..	4	..	..	..
Dunedin .. ..	..	218	24,126	8,626	179	4,995
Invercargill .. ..	..	1,260	..	..	..	..
Totals	2,871	19,078	74,894	173,149	13,360	4,995

Districts.*	Grain and Pulse.	Hides and Skins.	Kauri-gum.	Phormium (including Tow).	Tallow.	Timber.	Wool.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland	257	1,927	1,554	277	607	469	189
Kaipara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	8,645	..
Tauranga .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gisborne .. ..	..	49	..	..	..	..	3,019
New Plymouth ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waitara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Patea .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wanganui .. ..	..	197	..	..	..	1,226	1,073
Wellington	142	17,808	..	37,533	3,639	..	35,457
Napier .. ..	..	3,923	..	324	847	..	2,667
Wairau (including Picton) ..	515	51	..	1,185	..	..	638
Nelson .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westport .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	825	..
Hokitika .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton	1,547	9,633	..	..	5,402	..	16,431
Timaru .. ..	..	1,218	..	..	4,075	..	17,423
Oamaru .. ..	..	..	..	..	247	..	3,030
Dunedin .. ..	..	568	..	..	3,853	..	2,028
Invercargill .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	47	431
Totals	2,461	35,374	1,554	39,319	18,670	11,212	82,386

Customs Department,
Wellington, 8th September, 1915.

W. B. MONTGOMERY,
Comptroller of Customs.

Minister's Decisions under Customs Duties Act.

Customs Department, Wellington, 8th September, 1915.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Hon. the Minister of Customs has decided to interpret the Customs Duties Act in relation to the undermentioned articles as follows:—

NOTE.—“Not otherwise enumerated” appears as n.o.e.; “other kinds” as o.k.; “articles and materials suited only for, and to be used solely in, the fabrication of goods in the Dominion” as a. & m.s. Articles marked thus † are revised decisions.

Record.	Goods.	Classification under Tariff, and Item No.	Rate of Duty.	
			General Tariff.	Preferential Surtax on Foreign Goods
2/38/3	A. & m.s., viz.:— Aeroplane propellers	As a. & m.s. (482)	Free.	
3/93	Brass sludge screws (fittings for hot-water cylinders)	As manufactured articles of metal n.o.e. (183)	20 per cent...	10 per cent.
3/181	“Clinton fabric” for reinforcing concrete	As manufactured articles of metal n.o.e. (183)	20 per cent...	10 per cent.
	Surgical appliances, &c., liable to duty, viz.:—			
† 3/69	† Sterilizer cabinets, of wood and glass .. of metal and glass ..	As cabinetware n.o.e. (111) .. As hardware n.o.e. (178) ..	25 per cent... 20 per cent...	12½ per cent. 10 per cent.
2/37/3	Truck for (and imported with) portable sawmill	As manufactured articles of metal n.o.e. (183)	20 per cent...	10 per cent.

Minister's Order D. 11.]

W. B. MONTGOMERY,
Comptroller of Customs.Applications invited for the Position of Workshops Foreman,
Public Works Department, Wellington.Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 30th August, 1915.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the undersigned up till noon on the 20th September, 1915, for the position of Workshops Foreman, 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 must be first-class carpenters and joiners, and must have a good knowledge of cabinetmaking, office fittings and appliances; must be capable of setting out work, taking out quantities of materials, and preparing details and estimates (both materials and labour); and must be familiar with and capable of taking charge of all classes of work connected with alterations and additions to fittings and furnishing.

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, £220.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.Applications invited for the Position of Engineer's Assistant
Public Works Department, Whangarei.Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 8th September, 1915.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the undersigned up till noon on the 25th September, 1915, for the position of Engineer's Assistant, Public Works Department, Whangarei.

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. The successful applicant will be required to perform elementary instrument-work, comprising levelling, use of clinometer, prismatic compass, chain, and the occasional use of theodolite on railway survey parties; also the use of the same instruments in road-grading.

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

The position will be graded in the General Division. Salary, £180; maximum, £250.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.Applications invited for the Position of Clerk-storekeeper,
Mental Hospital Department, Porirua.Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 8th September, 1915.

APPLICATIONS will be received by the undersigned up till noon on the 14th September, 1915, for the position of Clerk-storekeeper, Mental Hospital Department, Porirua.

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 have a good business knowledge and be efficient in stores details.

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

The position will be graded in the Clerical Division, Class VII. Salary, £165; maximum, £220.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.Agencies opened at the Military Camps at Waikanae,
Rangiotu, and Tauherenikau.Government Insurance Department,
Wellington, 2nd September, 1915.

AGENCIES of the Life Branch of the above Department will be opened at the post-offices at the military camps at Waikanae, Rangiotu, and Tauherenikau, as from the 6th September, 1915. Policyholders who desire to do so may pay their premiums at these agencies.

J. H. RICHARDSON,
Commissioner.

The Foreign Insurance Companies' Deposits Act, 1908.

THE Public Trustee hereby gives notice, pursuant to section twenty of the above Act, that the Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society (Limited), by a notice dated the 14th December, 1914, and served on the Public Trustee on 7th January, 1915, duly notified the Public Trustee that it had ceased to carry on business in New Zealand, and proposed to withdraw from the Public Trustee the deposits made under the provisions of the above Act; that such proposal was duly advertised, and no objections having been received and the said society having satisfied the Public Trustee that from the date of such notice the society has not, except as to policies or contracts granted or made before such date, carried on business in New Zealand, and that all the liabilities of the society in New Zealand are fully liquidated or provided for, the Public Trustee has decided to allow such withdrawal.

Dated 31st day of August, 1915.

T. S. RONALDSON,
Deputy Public Trustee.

Notice to Mariners No. 72 of 1915.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 7th September, 1915.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Department of Ports and Harbours, Melbourne; Department of Trade and Customs, Melbourne; the Minister of State for Communications, Tokyo; Board of Trade, London; and the Hydrographic Office, London, are published for general information.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST.

INNER BARRIER ROUTE.—HOME GROUP.—CLERKE ISLAND.—NEW LIGHT.—Mariners and others are hereby notified that the new light on Clerke Island will be exhibited experimentally on or about 15th November, 1915.

Position.—Lat. 11° 58½' S., long. 143° 17¼' E.

Structure.—Steel skeleton tower painted white.

Character.—Single flashing white light showing one flash every 3 seconds, thus: Flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 2·7 secs.

Elevation.—Approximately 70 ft.

Visibility.—Fourteen miles, through an arc of 255°, from 139° (S. 46° E. mag.) through south, west, and north to 34° (N. 29° E. mag.), obscured elsewhere.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Publications affected.—Admiralty Lists of Lights and Time Signals, Part vi; Australia Directory, Vol. ii; "Sailing Directions and other Information for the Ports and Harbours of Queensland."

Charts affected.—Admiralty Charts Nos. 2919, 2920, 2354, 3088, 2764, 780.

VICTORIA.

ANDERSON'S INLET.—INVERLOCH JETTY LIGHT.—Referring to General Notice to Mariners dated 1st August, 1907, page 102, mariners and others are hereby notified that a green light, visible for about two miles in clear weather, has now been established on the outer end of the Inverloch Jetty.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

NEWCASTLE HARB.—The sig. station at Signal Hill (Fort Scratchley) has been transferred to Nobby Head (32° 55¼' S., 151° 48' E.), where all sigs. will continue to be ex. from masts est. for that purpose. July.

JAPAN.

GULF OF TOKYO.—Notice is hereby given that Fort No. 3 Lighthouse, Gulf of Tokyo, has been moved to S.E. ward, distant about 138 shaku from the old position.

HOKKAIDO.—HAKODATE HARBOUR.—Notice is hereby given that Hakodate Lightship, N. of Benten-zaki (Point Anama), Hakodate Harbour, Hokkaido, will be permanently withdrawn at the end of June this year, 1915, and at the same time Hakodate lighted fog-signal buoy be established as follows:—

Hakodate Lighted Fog-signal Buoy.—Description: Iron, cylindrical, red, surmounted by a latticework supporting a lantern, a fog-bell, and a fog-siren. Height of light: 15 shaku above the water. Character of light: Acetylene gas, flashing white, showing one flash every 3 seconds. Illuminated arc: The whole horizon. Candle-power: 150. Visible distance: Nine nautical miles in clear night. Fog-signals: Both the fog-bell and the fog-siren are operated automatically by the waves.

Further notice will be given after the works have been effected.

CHINA.

East Coast.—Yang-tse-kiang Approach.—Tungsha Light-vessel.—Alteration in Period of Light.

Position.—Lat. 31° 8' N., long. 122° E.

New abridged description.—Lt. gp. fl. (3) ev. 30 secs., 34 ft., vis. 11 m.

Details.—The period of the group flashing light has been altered from forty-five to thirty seconds.

Remarks.—The light has an elevation of 34 ft., and a power of 21,000 candles; the other characteristics remain unchanged.

Charts affected.—No. 1602, Approaches to the Yang-tse-kiang; No. 1199, Kue-shan Islands to the Yang-tse-kiang.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part vi, 1913, No. 1586; China Sea Pilot, Part v, 1912, page 376.

Notice to Mariners No. 73 of 1915.

LIGHT ON KARORI ROCK, COOK STRAIT.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 7th September, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lighthouse which is being erected on Karori Rock in Cook Strait is now nearly completed, and that it is expected that the light will

be exhibited on or about Wednesday, the 20th October, 1915. A notice giving the date definitely will, however, be issued later.

The light will be an *unwatched* acetone acetylene flash light of 2,790 candle-power, and will be exhibited at a height of 65 ft. above the sea, and should be visible at a distance of fourteen miles. It will show a flash of ½ second with an eclipse of 3½ seconds.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2054, 3629, and 1212; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter v, page 150.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners, No. 74 of 1915.

WHAU CREEK, AUCKLAND.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 8th September, 1915.

THE Auckland Harbour Board have notified that Nos. 3 and 4 wooden beacons in the Whau Creek have been shifted approximately 300 ft. in S.S.W. and W.S.W. directions respectively, and a red painted wooden bar has been placed 2 ft. below the red triangle of No. 3 beacon, as this beacon is now the elbow and marks the turning-point of the creek.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Chart No. 2546; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter ii, page 42.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Land in Taranaki Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 6th September, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned license having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Taranaki Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Section 4, Block XII, Upper Waitara Survey District.

TENURE: O.R.P. 647. Formerly held by Adolph Johnson. Reason for forfeiture: Non-residence and non-improvement.

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 31st 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 provisions of the said Act on or after Monday, the 13th December, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 12, Block XIV, Takahue Survey District: Area, 30 acres 3 roods 35 perches.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Opening Settlement Land in Wellington Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 6th September, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 21 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 28th September, 1915.

The ballot will be held at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, on Thursday, the 30th September, 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 been twice unsuccessful at former ballots.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—MAKARA COUNTY.—BELMONT SURVEY DISTRICT.—PAPARANGI SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

SECTION 21, Block XII: Area, 1 acre 0 roods 37 perches; capital value, £185; half-yearly rental, £4 3s. 3d.

Weighted with £306 12s., valuation for improvements.

Situated near the north boundary of Johnsonville Township, the access being from Johnsonville Railway-station, which is about thirty-five chains distant by a metalled dray-road. Easy sloping land in grass, with good building-site. Soil is of a light nature, on clay formation. Elevation about 400 ft. above sea-level.

The improvements, which must be paid for in cash by the selector, comprise about eleven chains of fencing, six-roomed house with verandah, double brick chimney, &c., wash-house and copper, dairy, excavation, stable, and sheds, the whole valued at £306 12s.

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Wellington Land District open for Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 6th September, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 21 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, that the under-mentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 28th September, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Featherston County.—Haurangi Survey District.
(National Endowment.)

SECTION 7, Block XII: Area, 1,430 acres; capital value, £3,400; half-yearly rent, £68.

Situated at the headwaters of the Ruakokopatuna River and on the road of that name. Access is from Martinborough, about sixteen miles distant—ten miles formed and metalled road, two miles formed unmetalled road, quarter-mile formed bridle-track, remainder surveyed unformed road. Comprises hilly land, which has been fire-swept many years ago. Most of the spurs have a fair amount of Native grass, which affords a considerable amount of feed. The soil is of a loose rocky nature, on rock formation. The forest is practically nil, comprising sufficient dry birch for fencing, with a second growth of makomako in the gullies, &c.; well watered by running streams. Elevation from about 600 ft. to 1,500 ft. above sea-level. Any fencing erected on the boundaries has been done by the adjoining selectors, and the incoming tenant will be liable for half cost of same.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Horowhenua County.—Waiopahu Survey District.—
Bartholomew Settlement.

Section 5: Area, 12 acres 2 roods 3 perches; capital value, £430*; half-yearly rent, £9 13s. 6d.

*The improvements included in the value of the section are 27½ chains of boundary and internal fencing valued at £7.

Comprises level land in grass. Situated on the north side of Beach Road, a few chains west of Levin Racecourse, and opposite Weraroa State Farm. Access is from Levin Railway-station, about a mile distant by metalled dray-road in first-class order. The soil is of a light nature, on shingle formation, and the whole area has been ploughed; well watered by a water-race. Elevation about 100 ft. above sea-level. The general quality of the section is fair, and the land is suitable for fruit-growing, poultry farming, &c. The adjoining owner has erected half of the boundary fence on Section 6.

T. N. BRODRICK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserve in Otago Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 6th September, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for a lease of the undermentioned reserve will be received at this office up to 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, the 9th day of October, 1915, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—CLUTHA COUNTY.—WOODLAND SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTION 13, Block I: Area, 86 acres 1 rood; term, twenty-one years; minimum annual rent, £5; valuation for buildings, £35.

The section is known as the Catlin's River Pilot-station Reserve. The land is of very fair quality, and the position is very good, lying well to the sun. About 10 acres has been cleared and grassed, and part of the boundary has been fenced.

ABSTRACT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

1. The period for which the lease will be granted will be twenty-one years from the date of the acceptance of the tender.

2. The rent shall be paid yearly in advance.

3. The successful tenderer shall pay, within thirty days of the date of the acceptance of his tender, the sum of £35 as valuation for a four-roomed house and two huts.

4. The Government shall have the right to use the flag-staff at any time should it be required for the purposes of the port, and the right of removing it from the land; also the right of erecting and maintaining on the land any beacons that may be required for the purposes of navigation, no compensation being payable on account of the exercise of the rights reserved under this clause.

5. If at any time the land should be required for purposes of the harbour the lease will be determined on three months' notice being given, and the Crown will not be liable for the payment of any sum by way of compensation.

6. The lessee shall keep the land clear of noxious weeds and rabbits.

7. Tenders to be marked on outside "Tender for Reserve," and to be accompanied by a deposit of one year's rent at the rate offered and £1 ls. lease fee. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 6th September, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash, under the provisions of the said Act, on Wednesday, 15th December, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Section.	Block.	Area.
<i>Town of Hirstfield.</i>					
12	II	A. R. P. 0 1 0	2, 3	XIV	A. B. P. 0 2 0
13	V	0 1 3	10	"	0 1 0
13	VII	0 0 39	13	"	0 2 33
9	IX	0 1 0	4	XV	0 1 0
3	XII	0 1 0	12	"	0 2 0
9	"	0 2 37	7	XVI	0 2 0
2	XIII	1 0 0			
<i>Town of Hodgkinson.</i>					
3	..	10 0 0	51	..	5 2 0
9, 10	..	16 0 27			

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 1st September, 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 6th day of December, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 2A, Block XII, Gore Survey District: Area, 74 acres.
H. G. PRICE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 1st September, 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 6th day of December, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 14A, Block XII, Gore Survey District: Area, 13 acres
0 roods 21 perches.
H. G. PRICE,
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

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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.
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			A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
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.

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 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 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 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.

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.

Section.	Block.	A. R. P.			£ s. d.		
		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.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
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.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
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.

Town of Komako.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
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.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Town of Waipahi.</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
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.

RURAL LAND.
Oamaru Survey District.

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.

Reserve in Auckland Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 30th August, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Friday, 8th October, 1915, for a lease for ten years of the undermentioned reserve, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAIPIA COUNTY.

SECTION 19, Whatawhata Suburbs: Area, 1 acre 2 roods 12 perches; minimum annual rental, £1 10s.

Public utility reserve, situated on main Hamilton—Whatawhata Road, close to Whatawhata Hotel.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The lessee shall have no right to compensation for improvements put on the land; but he may, on the expiration or sooner determination of the lease, remove all buildings or fences erected by him, but not otherwise.

2. 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.

3. 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.

4. The lessee shall not be entitled to cut or make use of any timber on the land, and shall take all reasonable steps to preserve such timber from destruction by fire or otherwise.

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.

Education Reserve in the Hawke's Bay Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 1st September, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned education reserve will be offered for lease by public auction for terms of twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years, at the local Lands Office, Gisborne, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, the 27th day of October, 1915, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF GISBORNE.

SECTION 36A: Area, 1 acre 2 roods; upset annual rental, £75.

Situated in Carnarvon Street, about a mile from the Gisborne Post-office. Flat section, at present used as a timber-yard, for which purpose it is well adapted.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A half-year's rent at rate offered, lease and registration fees (£2 2s.), to be paid on fall of hammer.

2. Term of lease twenty-one years from 1st January, 1916, with perpetual right of renewal for successive terms of twenty-one years.

3. Rent of renewal lease to be fixed by arbitration. If lessee does not desire a new lease at the end of the term, land to be leased by auction.

4. No transfer or sublease allowed without the consent of the Land Board.

5. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrears.

6. Buildings which may be erected on the land to be kept in good repair and condition.

7. No gravel to be removed from the land without the consent of the Land Board.

8. Lessee will not carry on any offensive trade.

9. Lessee to give notice to Land Board before making improvements.

10. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.

11. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

12. Outgoing lessee to be allowed one month from 1st January, 1916, to remove improvements, comprising small office, stable, old sawmill, and open sheds for drying and stacking timber.

Form of lease may be perused and plans and full particulars obtained at the District Lands and Survey Office, Napier and the local Lands and Survey Office, Gisborne.

W. H. SKINNER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 23rd August, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of in accordance with the provisions of the said Act on or after Monday, the 29th November, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 4, Block I, Horohoro West Survey District: Area, 1,332 acres.

Section 15, Block VIII, Whangape Survey District: Area, 14 acres 2 roods.

Parts of Sections 1 and 2, Block IX, Takahue Survey District: Area, 254 acres.

Forest reserve, Blocks VI, VII, VIII, X, XI, XII, Rotoma Survey District: Area, 7,700 acres (approximate).

Bush reserve, Section 8, Block VIII, Rotoma Survey District: Area, 1,187 acres (approximate).

Scenic reserve, Section 9, Block VIII, Rotoma Survey District: Area, 905 acres (approximate).

Scenic reserve, Section 1, Block XII, Rotoma Survey District: Area, 1,588 acres (approximate).

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 23rd 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 provisions of the said Act on or after Monday, the 29th day of November, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 8, Block III, Tutaki Survey District: Area, 4 acres

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, 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.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Hastings.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Hastings on the 21st 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. At the conclusion of local business the Court will adjourn to Dannevirke.
[Wellington, 1915-23.]

L. A. TEUTENBERG,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.		
1	Tuahine Renata (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	Te Apati No. 2D.
2	"	" No. 2E.
3	Mere Kirita and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell)	Te Aute No. 4A.
4	Hera te Rori (by their solicitor, D. Scannell)	Te Awaoteatua No. 2.
5	Te Aohau Mita	Arapawanui.
6	Waka Puna	Awaototara.
7	John Holden, jun., and others (by their solicitors, Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Eparaima H.
8	Ditto	" West.
9	Rihi te Awa and others (by their solicitor, T. W. Lewis)	Heru-o-Tureia.
10	Raniera te Huang, trustee for Te Rangī Hone (by his solicitor, T. W. Lewis)	Hikutoto South No. 1.
11	Akonga Mohi (by his solicitors, Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Kakiraawa 2B No. 20.
12	Horomona Koko (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	" 2B No. 2U.
13	Wikitoria Anaru and others	Kaimotumotu North.
14	Horomona Koko (by his solicitors, Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Kakiraawa 2B No. 2N.
15	Rihi te Awa (by her solicitor, T. W. Lewis)	Te Kuta.
16	Iriapa Aranui and others	"
17	Rewi Tutu Taiwhanga and another	Kuta.
18	Mere Kirita and others (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Koparakore.
19	John Holden, jun., and others (by their solicitors, Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Mangarapa No. 2.
20	Wiremu te Aomarama (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Mahanga North.
21	Morehu te Hira and another (by their solicitor, T. W. Lewis)	Matahiwi No. 1.
22	Wiremu te Aomarama (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Mahanga South.
23	Amia Whanaka and others	Manawatu No. 3.
24	Miraka Ratima (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Mangamaire B No. 1.
25	"	" B No. 15.
26	Hikawera Akuhata and others (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Matahiwi No. 3.
27	Wiremu Ponatahuri	Ngapaeruru 7F No. 2B.
28	Warena Hunia and others (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Ngatarawa 2E No. 5.
29	Noho Apirana and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell)	" 2C No. 1.
30	John T. Blake and another (by their solicitor, D. Scannell)	" 2E No. 2.
31	Mahanga Kaiwhata (Cotterill and Humphries)	Omahu No. 2B.
32	Paerikiriki Otene (D. Scannell)	" 3CB No. 1.
33	Wariha Ihukino and another (by their solicitor, T. W. Lewis)	Omahaki A.
34	Hare Hohepa (by his solicitors, Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Omahu 1B No. 2.
35	Totaea Paraone and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell)	Otuarumia B 6A No. 5B.
36	Noho Apirana and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell)	" C No. 2A.
37	Hami Whakahou (by his solicitor, E. J. W. Hallett)	" B 6A, Section 4.
38	Tipene Matua	Porangahau 2B No. 9.
39	Amiria Nepe and another (by their solicitors, Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	" 1A No. 3A.
40	John Holden, jun., and others (by their solicitors, Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	" No. 2A.
41	Ditto	" No. 2B.
42	Tangatake Hapuku (by his solicitor, T. W. Lewis)	Poukawa No. 5.
43	Te Aohau Mita	Purahotanghia.
44	Ahitana Topi and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell)	Patangata No. 1.
45	"	" No. 4.
46	Te Wira te Aomarama (by her solicitors, Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Pekapeka No. 2B.
47	Ditto	Poukawa No. 7.
48	Tangatake Hapuku	Pukerowhiti No. 1.
49	Urupene Puhara (by his solicitor, D. Scannell)	" No. 2.
50	"	" No. 2.
51	Whakatangi Wiremu (Paku and Rapaea)	Porangahau 1B No. 4L.
52	Maata te Heipora and others (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	" No. 2B.
53	Nepe Apirana	Rakautatahi No. 1C.
54	Te Whatu Renata	Rotoakiwa No. 2.
55	Kau Nepe (E. J. W. Hallett)	Rakautatahi No. 1E.
56	"	" No. 1G.
57	Arapera Panapa (T. W. Lewis)	" No. 5B.
58	Tamahine Tangitangi and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell)	Raukawa No. 2.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS—*continued.*

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS— <i>continued.</i>		
59	Urupene Puhara (by his solicitor, T.W. Lewis)	Te Rohitu.
60	Rangi Manaena (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Rotopounamu 1c No. 1.
61	Katerina Pikihiua (by her solicitor, H. F. Norris)	Rakautatahi No. 1g.
62	Raniera Erihana (for Mepera Maku Erihana)	Raukawa No. 2b.
63	Tinikirangi Tunuiarangi	Rotopounamu 1c No. 4.
64	Temana, Tawhai and others	Tahoraiti No. 2k.
65	Ahitana, Topi and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell)	Tapairu No. 4.
66	Kau (E. J. W. Hallett)	Tapairu.
67	Morehu Raina (by her solicitor, D. Scannell)	Waipuka 2c No. 4.
68	Urupene Puhara and others (by their solicitor, D. Scannell)	Waitapuke.
69	Ngawaka Peraniko and others (by their solicitors, Cotterill and Humphries)	Wharerangi No. 7.
70	Meri Kiritā	Whakawiringa.
71	Tareha Kingi (by his solicitors, Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	"
72	Rangi Parahi	Whenuakura No. 8.
73	"	" Nos. 8 and 11.
74	Wiremu Ponatahuri and others	Whakawiringi No. 2.
75	Miriama Peraniko (by her solicitors, Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Wharerangi No. 7.
76	Paraire Henare Tomoana (by his solicitors, Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	" No. 8.
77	Norman Moore White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Waitapuke.
78	Morehu Turoa (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Kairakau No. 2.
79	Emma Jane Glazebrook (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Ngatarawa 2E No. 5.
80	Tangatake Hapuku (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Whakawiringa.
81	Hare Reupena (E. J. W. Hallett)	Patangata 4A 6.
82	Wiremu Ponatahuri (by his solicitors, O. and R. Beere)	Porangahau No. 2B 9 (township).
83	Retia Pareihe and others (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Whataarakai No. 2.
84	Rihimona te Ngaero and another	Tarewa.
85	Hakopa te Ahunga (T. W. Lewis)	Omahu No. 2B.
86	Toheriri Aomarama and others (T. W. Lewis)	Waiohiki No. 1E.
87	Wiremu Ngaihi and others (T. W. Lewis)	Otarata No. 2c.
88	Henry Robert Cannon (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Koparakore B 2d.
89	"	" A 2.
90	Karena Eralhia	Patangata 2r, Section 2.
91	Tutata Peraniko and others	Te Rakautatahi No. 1g.
92	Tuahine Renata (A. L. D. Fraser)	Kairakau 2d.
93	Remuera te Urupu (Cotterill and Humphries)	" No. 2e.
94	Horomona Kiritā and others (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Koparakore A.
95	Te Rohutu Mohi (T. W. Lewis)	Omahu 4A, Section 2.
96	Mepera Maku Erihana	Pukekura East.
97	"	" West.
98	Horianā Morehu (E. J. W. Hallett)	Poupoutahi D.
99	Paora Tanatiu and others (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Waipuka 3A 4A.
100	Te Aohau Mita and others (Cotterill and Humphries)	Arapawanui.
101	Commissioner of Crown Lands	Mangamaire B 6.
102	"	" B 14.
103	Waikari Karaitiana (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Omahu 2b.
104	Hawira Tamihana (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Tapairu 13.
105	John Holden (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Whawhakanga C 2.
106	"	Wharerangi 7.
107	Arapera Waipari (E. J. W. Hallett)	Eparaima.
108	Kaninamu Hona	Eparaima West No. 3.
109	Paumana Whanga and others	Pakuratahi.
110	Pukepuke Tangiora (T. W. Lewis)	Puketī.
111	Peti Te Wheoro	Waimarama No. 3.
112	Hikawera Akuhata (George Ebbett)	Waipuka 2f.
113	Wikitoria Ropiha and others (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Whawhakanga F No. 5.
114	Miriama Peraniko (E. J. W. Hallett)	Moteo B.
115	Hori Tupaea (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Kakiraawa 2B 2g.
116	Heni Pohehe	" 2B 2s.
117	Wira te Aomarama (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Te Kēna.
118	John Holden (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Mangarara 3.
119	"	Mangareia B.
120	John Holden (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Paerahi D.
121	Takurua te Kuru	Pekapeka 1.
122	Arapera Waipari (E. J. W. Hallett)	Eparaima B.
123	"	" C.
124	"	" D.
125	Meriana Takerei	Korongota.
126	Rewi Tutu Taiwhanga and others	Te Kuta.
127	Mohi Karena and others	Omahu 2d 1.
128	Pateriki te Aue and others (Kahu te Kuru)	Pekapeka 2b.
129	Wereta Ponatahuri and others	Poukawa No. 9.
130	Moko Kingi (E. J. W. Hallett)	Porangahau 2B 23b.
131	Topi Kuru (Cotterill and Humphries)	Mangamaire B No. 13.
132	"	Porangahau 1b No. 4 No. O 3.
133	Warhia Ihukino	Rotopounamu No. 1b.
134	" (T. W. Lewis)	" No. 1b, Section 1.
135	"	" No. 1b, Section 3.
136	Hana Pēwa Tawhai (Norris and Larnach)	Tapairu, Section 15.
137	Ngahua Tamihana and others (McCarter and Dorrington)	Tahoraiti 1f.
138	Wiremu Mihaere and others	Tangoio South (Papakainga).

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
NEW APPLICATIONS.		
139	Ruihi Kapereira (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood) ..	Karamu C.
140	Tio Kirihi, trustee for the children of Whitirina Tuakana (A. L. D. Fraser)	Kairakau No. 2c.
141	Maremare Eria (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood) ..	"
142	Wiki te Ngaro ..	Kairakau No. 1.
143	Pineaha Mokihi (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood) ..	Omahu 2k 3.
144	Hami Tutu ..	Waowaototara.
145	Tunuiarangi (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood) ..	Rotopounamu 2b 2.
146	Hiraani Pupu (E. J. W. Hallett) ..	Papaaruhe 4e.
147	Hinetaurara and Taiawhio Toheriri ..	Rotopounamu No. 2.
148	Heta Kani (E. J. W. Hallett) ..	Pukerowhiti.
149	Ekengarangi Hapuku (E. J. W. Hallett) ..	Te Kena 1a 3.
150	Amiria Nepe (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood) ..	Porangahau 1a 3b, Section 1.
151	Hon. the Native Minister ..	Tiratu or Manawatu 4d.
152	Thomas George Prescott (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams) ..	Otawhao A No. 3, Section 54.
153	" ..	Section 55.
154	" ..	Section 60.
155	H. G. Ballantyne (H. J. Ferguson) ..	Wharerangi No. 2.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 16 OF THE WEST COAST SETTLEMENT RESERVES ACT, 1892.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
156	The Public Trustee ..	Poukawa Native Reserve, Subdivision 13 (the lake and swamp)	Authorizing the Ikaroa District Native Land Court to partition the said land.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 49 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1913.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
287	E. J. W. Hallett ..	Patangata No. 4b ..	Applying for road access to various subdivisions.
288	Hoani Ratima ..	Kahumoko D 1b ..	Applying for road access over the said subdivision for Kahumoko D 1a to the public road.
289	Aperata Takana (McCarter and Dorrington)	Tahoraiti 2c ..	Applying that a public road be laid over the said block.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
290	Erena Rangiwahakairi Ranapiri ..	Harawira Renata Tipuna.
291	Pihikete Takerei (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams) ..	Wikera te Koro.

APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
292	Taranaki te Ua ..	Wiki te Umairangi.
293	Mepera Maku Erihana ..	Hapuku te Nahu.
294	Horiane Nepe ..	Nepe Apatu.
295	Keita Tanatiu (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Joseph Thomas Newton.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 140 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
296	Annie Haira (McCarter and Dorrington)	Mangatoro and Kaitoki ..	Applying to the Court to appoint her an interest in such part of the real and personal estate of Te Hore Haira, deceased, as in the opinion of the Court is required for her maintenance; or, to make such other order as the Court may deem just.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 27 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
297	Paora Hiha (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Whareraungi No. 5B 2 ..	Applying to the Court to amend the partition order of the said land, as the applicant is entitled to an estate and interest and was erroneously omitted therefrom.

APPLICATIONS IN PURSUANCE OF THE POWERS OF THE TRUSTEE ACT, 1908 AND NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Nature of Application.
298	Putiputi Ratima (E. J. W. Hallett) ..	Applying to the Court for an order directing that Ratima Wairoa, of Porangahau, be forthwith ordered to furnish to the Court an account in writing showing his administration of my estate during the period of my minority.
299	Miraka Ratima ..	Ditto.
300	Tukeke Ratima ..	"

APPLICATION FOR ADOPTION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Parent.	Name of Child.
301	Aperahama Tukotahi ..	Waikau Pohio and Repora Pohio ..	Kahutapoa Waikau Pohio.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 91 OF THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1908.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
302	Under-Secretary ..	Porangahau 1B 40, Section 1 (part), Block II, Tautane S.D.	Applying to the Court to assess the amount of compensation payable for a portion of the said land taken for a road.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 121 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
303	Kaninamu Hona (G. Hutchison)	Patangata 1E ..	Applying for cancellation of partition order.
304	Tuahine Renata and others (A. L. D. Fraser)	Kairakau No. 2 ..	"

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 12 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1912.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
305	Morehu Raina ..	Waikopiro No. 2B ..	That the Court lay out a road-line over the said subdivisions so as to afford access to a public road.
306	Wiremu Ponatahuri (by his agent, E. R. Broughton)	Porangahau 2B Nos. 8, 11, and 13	That the Court lay out a road-line over the said Section 13 along the river-bank boundary of the said Sections 8 and 11 so as to give access to the main public road to the occupants of the said Section 13.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 317 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
307	Hoera Rapaea (by his agent, C. R. Parata)	Kairakau No. 2 ..	Application under section 317 of the Native Land Act, 1909, for an order of incorporation.

APPLICATIONS FOR ORDERS OF THE COURT DIRECTING THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE TO PAY OUT CERTAIN MONEYS HELD BY HIM.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
308	Wi Kingi te Tau (E. R. Broughton, agent)	Mangamaire B 6 and B 16	Under section 29 of the Native Land Act, 1909, for an order directing the Public Trustee to pay to him the sum of £433 17s. 1d., as trustee for Mihi Dorothy Hinepare te Tau.
309	Te Rangikapurohu	Porangahau 1A 3B No. 2	Under section 29 of the Native Land Act, 1909, for an order directing the Public Trustee to pay to the applicant the sum of £111 2s. 3d.
310	Wharekauri Kerei (Cotterill and Humphries)	Te Pirau No. 2	Under section 184 of the Native Land Act, 1909, for an order directing the Public Trustee to pay him the sum of £48 6s. 8d., as trustee for Tanatihu Kerei and others.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Minor.
311	David Scannell and another (by their solicitors, Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Porangahau No. 2B	John Wi te Ota Wellwood and Ralph Holden Wellwood.
312	John Holden and another (by their solicitors, Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Waikopiro B No. 2	Ralph Holden Wellwood and John Wi te Ota Wellwood.
313	Ditto	" B No. 3	Ditto.
314	"	" B No. 4	"
315	"	" B No. 5	Te Rangi Paraihe, Kui Hapuku, and Taurua Hapuku.
316	T. Nikora	Putere A	Piriha Nikora.
317	"	Mohaka 15	"
318	"	Puketapu	"
319	E. G. W. Hallett	Patangata 4B 2	Pani Paora.
320	Rikirangi Hanita (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Omahu 2D 1	Waengarangi Hanita.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Minor.	Name of Present Trustee.
321	Otene Kuku Karaitiana	Te Oreore No. 3A	Maukuuku Kingi, Tamawhati Kingi, Tamati Kingi, Peeti Kingi, Miki Kingi, Mane Kingi, and Hinekirangi Kingi	Waimatao Kingi.
322	"	Akura No. 3	Ditto	"
323	"	" No. 14B	"	"
324	"	Waipoua No. 47	"	"
325	"	Otawhao A 3 No. 49	"	"
326	Miraka Ratima (E. J. W. Hallett)	Porangahau No. 2B	Aniwa Hurae	Ratima Wairoa.
327	Ditto	Manawaangiangi	"	"
328	"	Ngapaeruru No. 7	"	"
329	"	" No. 10	"	"
330	"	Mangamaire No. 1	"	"
331	"	Wangahau No. 4	"	"
332	"	Mangaorapa No. 2	"	"
333	"	Whakawiringa	"	"
334	"	Poukawa	"	"
335	"	Te Aute 3	"	"
336	Ekara and Mihi (E. J. W. Hallett)	Raukautatahi 2B	Ekara Rawiri Turi and Mihi Rawiri Turi	Rawiri Turi.
337	Ditto	Patangata No. 1	Ditto	"
338	"	Tapairu 4	"	"
339	"	Tiratu	"	"
340	"	Patangata 4A 5F	"	"
341	"	Rohitu	"	"
342	"	Patangata 4A 6	"	"
343	"	Otawhao A 1E	"	"
344	"	Waikopiro 3B 2A, Section 2	"	"
345	"	" 3B 2C " 2	"	"
346	Te Ao Raniera	Tiratu-Manawatu 4D	Hikurangi Wirihana and others	Haromi Kaninamu.
347	"	Mangatoro 1A 3G	Ditto	"
348	"	Tahoraiti 2C 9	"	"

APPLICATIONS FOR DETERMINATION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
349	Raniera te Huango (T. W. Lewis)	Te Rowhitu.
350	Hape Nikora	Tarawera.

REFERENCE UNDER SECTION 120 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	By whom referred.	Name of Land.	Nature of Reference.
351	Chief Judge	Omahu 2t	Referring letter from the Chief Surveyor, Napier, asking for directions as to location of Omahu No. 2t.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount of Survey Lien.	Date from which Interest is calculated.
352	Chief Surveyor, Napier ..	Ohiti-Waitio 5A ..	£ s. d. 18 6 9	23 July, 1915.
		" 5B ..	5 10 2	23 " 1915.
353	" " ..	Patangata 3E, Section 1 ..	16 12 8	3 August, 1915.
		" 3E, " 2 ..	3 0 2	3 " 1915.
		" 3E, " 3 ..	2 19 7	3 " 1915.
		" 3E, " 4 ..	2 19 7	3 " 1915.
		" 3E, " 5 ..	2 19 7	3 " 1915.
		" 3E, " 6 ..	9 11 8	3 " 1915.
		" 3E, " 7 ..	17 11 9	3 " 1915.
		" 3E, " 8 ..	9 11 9	3 " 1915.
354	" " ..	Pekapeka 2A 2A ..	5 15 10	17 June, 1915.
		" 2A 2B ..	5 15 8	17 " 1915.
		" 2A 2C ..	5 16 0	17 " 1915.
		" 2A 2D ..	5 15 10	17 " 1915.
355	" " ..	Whawhakanga F 1 ..	30 1 7	21 May, 1915.
		" F 2 ..	14 19 11	21 " 1915.
		" F 3 ..	65 8 0	21 " 1915.
		" F 4 ..	45 7 5	21 " 1915.
		" F 5 ..	15 19 3	21 " 1915.
		" F 6 ..	0 10 11	21 " 1915.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Auckland.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 6th September, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Auckland on the 4th day of October, 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.
1A	Karaina Taupaki and Rikirangi Tiunga ..	Awaiti 1b 2b 1b.
2	Ranginui Kaihe ..	Huruhi 2b.
3	Frederick Band Bushill (Parr and Blomfield) ..	" 5d.
4	" " ..	" 5f.
5	Hiria Hoete ..	" 8.
6	Tiki Erueti ..	Kawhia O 2, Section 5.
7	" " ..	" O 2, Section 6.
8	Alfred William Webb (Wynyard, Skelton, and Wilson) ..	Opuatia, Lot 2.
9	Te Aho Kaihau ..	Waipipi, Lot 361b.
10	Te Tokomanai te Araroa (Earl and Kent) ..	Waitakaruru 1A 7.
11	Ropi Paraoone ..	" 1c 3A.
12	" " ..	" 1c 3G.
13	Hera Maihi ..	" 2A 3.
14	Parearita Karaipu ..	" 2f.
15	Here Piahana, alias Kerei Piahana (Earl and Kent) ..	Wharekawa 1E.
16	Te Kono te Aho (Earl and Kent) ..	" 1f 3.
17	Urikarak te Waero (Earl and Kent) ..	" 4b 2c.
18	Neha Tukaramaene and Murihau Tukaramaene ..	" 4b 3d.
19	Rawiri Puhata (Earl and Kent) ..	" 5b South 3e.
20	Teuri Karaka te Waero ..	" 5 South 4.
21	Tata Tumakere (J. W. Hedley) ..	Whatitokorua B.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 121 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
22	Chief Surveyor, Auckland ..	Otorohanga Q 2d, 2e, 3A, and B.
23	Kati Tipene (Earl and Kent) ..	Waipipi, Lot 358.
24	Tainui Whataroa ..	Waitakaruru 1A 2A.
25	Awatapu Paraoone ..	" 1c 3A.
26	" " ..	" 1c 3A.

MATTER REFERRED BACK TO THE NATIVE LAND COURT BY THE NATIVE APPELLATE COURT FOR REHEARING.

No.	Name of Land.	Matter for Rehearing.
27	Wharekawa 1F 2	Partition of the said land.

APPLICATIONS 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.
28	Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Huruhi 1F 2A 1	11 March, 1915	£ s. d. 2 12 6
		" 1F 2A 2	"	4 17 6
29	"	Huruhi 12B	9 November, 1914	2 10 6
		" 12C	"	2 0 6
		" 13A	"	4 0 6
30	"	Waitakaruru 1A 4A	25 January, 1915	5 9 10
		" 1A 4B	"	10 18 2
31	"	Waitakaruru 5C 2	15 April, 1914	32 4 6
32	"	" 5C 2B	25 January, 1915	5 16 9
33	"	Wharekawa 4C 4B	28 May, 1915	15 3 7

APPLICATION FOR ROAD ACCESS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
34	Tema Pouwhare	Manuaitu B 1.

Sitting of the Native Appellate Court at Wellington.

Office of the Ikaroa District Native Land Court, Wellington, 8th September, 1915.
NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Appellate Court will be held at Wellington on the 28th 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.

[Wellington, 1915-24.]

L. A. TEUTENBERG,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPEALS.

No.	Name of Appellant.	Name of Land.	Decision in respect of which Appeal is made.
1	Whare Turei and Ropata Turei	Tamaki No. 2	Decision dated 31st July, 1915, in the matter of an inquiry held in pursuance of section 12 of the Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1914.
2	Ihaka Hutana .. .. .	.. .. .	Decision dated 1st July, 1915, in respect of the probate of the will of Wi Hutana, deceased.
3	Maui Pomare	Waitara, Block 3, Section 2, and Waitara, Block IV, Sections 24 and 25, and other lands	Decision dated the 8th July, 1913, on succession to Makereta Retimana, deceased.
4	Heera Ranapiri (Morison and Smith)	.. .. .	Decision dated the 21st October, 1914, on filing of accounts in respect of the estate of Thomas Ransfield (Tamati Ranapiri), deceased.
5	Huta P. Paaka	Motueka 127	Decision dated the 2nd November, 1914, on succession to Taare te Ruta.
6	G. Hutchison (solicitor for Taurite Rango and others)	Rangipo North 2c and other lands	Decision dated 5th day of May, 1914, on succession to Ngakaraihe te Rango, deceased.
7	P. E. Baldwin (solicitor for Rakera Hunia and others)	Realty and personalty	Decision dated 26th day of June, 1915, on succession to the real and personal estate of Wirihana Hunia, deceased.
8	Norton Thompson (solicitor for Ngawai Hunia), (Rutukau Warena Hunia)	Ngatarawa 2E Nos. 5 and 6	Decision dated 26th day of June, 1915, on succession to Wirihana Hunia, deceased.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 208 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909, TO DECLARE NATIVE LAND EUROPEAN LAND.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
9	Taare Matai	Horowhenua XIb 36 No. 3H No. 4B.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Tikitiki.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 3rd September, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Tikitiki on the 17th day of September, 1915, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Tairawhiti, 1915-16.]

HAROLD CARR,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
912	Eruera Moeke and others	Ngamoos 3B 1.
913	Mrs. A. M. Beale	Rangikohua 4B.
914	Keepa Patahuri	Whetumatarau (Oruawera).

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Murupara.

Registrar's Office, Rotorua, 4th September, 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 17th day of September, 1915, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Waiariki, 1915-18.]

H. S. KING,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR INJUNCTION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
165	W. A. Carter (for Hinau Kereama)	Rerewhakaitu No. 1B 2 ..	Prohibiting Timoti Moengaroa from selling the timber to C. R. Anderson, farmer.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 8th September, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board to be held at Hastings on Wednesday, the 22nd day of September, 1915, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

L. A. TEUTENBERG,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	1914/337	Transfer ..	7 February, 1914 ..	Otawahao A No. 3 No. 64B	Pare Toka to Rose Jane Prescott (Dolan, Hallett, and Co.).
2	1914/508	Lease ..	22 October, 1914 ..	Tarewa D ..	Mepara Maku Erihana to G. C. Lowe (Dolan, Hallett, and Co.).
3	1914/509	" ..	9 " 1914 ..	" E ..	Hotene te Ruri to G. C. Lowe (Dolan, Hallett, and Co.).
4	1915/78	" ..	16 February, 1915 ..	Ohiti Waitio No. 3c ..	Atareta Hetariki to Eva Harper (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
5	1915/82	" ..	29 August, 1914 ..	Raukawa No. 3 and Te Aute No. 4d	Tuatini Kereama to Norman Moore White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
6	1915/100	" ..	5 November, 1914	Waiohiki 2B, Sections 1 and 2, and Waiohiki 2A, Sections 1 and 2	Arapera Raupa to E. J. Elliott (Dolan, Hallett, and Co.).
7	1915/112	" ..	3 February, 1915 ..	Wharerangi 8B No. 2 ..	Hira Ngarangione and others to Charles Codd (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
8	1915/133	Transfer ..	16 October, 1914 ..	Omahu 1B 3B, Section 1	Miriama Peraniko to Hedley Vickers Codd (Cotterill and Humphries).
9	1915/148	" ..	8 April, 1915 ..	Karamu H, Section 5 ..	Hira Rakena to Paraire Henare Tomoana (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
10	1915/149	" ..	17 " 1915 ..	Ohiti Waitio No. 4A ..	Ngamotu Kowhai and another to Eva Harper (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
11	1915/146	" ..	12 " 1915 ..	Omahu 1B No. 3 ..	Ngawaka Peraniko to Hedley Vickers Codd (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
12	1915/225	Transfer ..	15 May, 1915 ..	Matahiwi No. 2 ..	Pani Karawira to Whetu Pohio (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
13	1915/228	.. ..	30 January, 1915 ..	Whakawiringa No. 2A ..	Wiremu Ponatahuri and another to George Priest (E. J. W. Hallett).
14	1915/233	Lease ..	23 April, 1915 ..	Whawhakanga F No. 5 ..	Hinei Taupe and others to Ngarongo Kahira (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
15	1915/236	.. ..	27 March, 1915 ..	Omahu 4c, Section 7 ..	Hori Mohi to Elizabeth Mary Rosvall (T. W. Lewis).
16	1915/240	.. ..	15 February, 1915 ..	Te Kena 1A No. 6 ..	Hepina te Rohu and another to Te Kuini Hineipaketia Erihana (T. W. Lewis).
17	1915/241	.. ..	16 June, 1915 ..	Rotopounamu No. 2D ..	Paerikiriki Otene to Te Kauru Karaitiana (T. W. Lewis).
18	1915/242	.. ..	17 February, 1915 ..	Whakawiringa No. 2D ..	Wereta Ponatahuri and others to Te Kuini Hineipaketia Erihana (T. W. Lewis).
19	1915/243	.. ..	11 .. 1915 ..	.. No. 2E ..	Epipa te Ahu and others to Te Kuini Hineipaketia Erihana (T. W. Lewis).
20	1915/250	Transfer ..	8 April, 1915 ..	Rotopounamu No. 1A ..	Whitiwhiti Hauwaho to Kapi Tareha (T. W. Lewis).
21	1915/263	Lease ..	30 June, 1915 ..	Whakawiringa No. 2A ..	Wiremu Ponatahuri and another to George Priest (E. J. W. Hallett).
22	1915/264	.. ..	9 July, 1915 ..	Mangareia B, Section 1 ..	John Holden, sen., to Blanche Miriam Zohrab (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
23	1915/265	.. ..	9 .. 1915 ..	.. B, Section 3 (part)	Ditto.
24	1915/266	.. ..	3 May, 1915 ..	Te Aute 3B No. 1 ..	Mangai Uhuuhu to Colin Kinross White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
25	1915/290	.. ..	9 February, 1915 ..	Kaimotomotu South No. 2	Te Kukanga-o-te-Rangi and others to Frederick Sydney Wells (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
26	1915/303	.. ..	27 July, 1915 ..	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki 7D No. 1, Sub. 6	Paora Hirama and others to John Gardner Speirs and Richard Albert Speirs (Webb and Holmden).
27	1915/304	.. ..	23 .. 1915 ..	Wharerangi 5B No. 2 (part)	Ruruarau Hiha and others to Charles Codd (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
28	1915/305	Transfer ..	13 August, 1915 ..	.. ..	Paora Hiha to Charles Codd (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
29	1915/306	Lease ..	30 July, 1915 ..	Kairakau No. 1 (part) ..	Te Aukati Heretaunga to Winifred Cato (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
30	1915/307	.. ..	16 .. 1915 ..	.. ..	Te Kani Hori and others to Winifred Cato (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
31	1915/308	.. ..	16 July, 1915 ..	.. ..	Te Kani Hori to Charles Hardy Cato (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
32	1915/309	.. ..	30 .. 1915 ..	.. ..	Te Aukati Heretaunga to Charles Hardy Cato (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
33	1915/310	.. ..	5 August, 1915 ..	Porangahau 1A No. 2 ..	Te Mare Nepe and others to Minnie Mary Ann White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
34	1915/311	Transfer ..	28 July, 1915 ..	Kaitoke No. 2E ..	Katipo Ihaia to Thomas Montgomery Webb (Blakiston and Blakiston).
35	1915/312	Lease ..	11 August, 1915 ..	Mangareira B No. 3 (part)	Turoa Matene to Blanche Miriam Zohrab (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
36	1915/313	.. ..	25 .. 1915 ..	Tahoraite 1G No. 1 ..	Te Uira Akuira and another to Wiremu Duncan (R. H. Robertshawe).
37	1915/316	Transfer ..	31 .. 1915 ..	Waimarama 2D No. 2 ..	Paora Tanatiu to W. H. Wall (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
38	1915/317	Lease ..	21 .. 1915 ..	Mangatainoka J No. 4F No. 4	Ngawhiro Marakaia to William Edward Collins (Tosswill, Adams, and Tinney).
39	1915/318	.. ..	15 June, 1915 ..	Wharerangi No. 2 ..	Manawa te Whakaete to Herbert Gregory Ballantyne (H. J. Ferguson).
40	1915/320	.. ..	6 August, 1915 ..	.. No. 4B (part)	Nirai Paku to Alexander Gunn (Cotterill and Humphries).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—continued.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
41	1915/321	Lease ..	6 August, 1915 ..	Wharerangi No 4B (part)	Akuhata Heta te Nirai Paku (Cotterill and Humphries).
42	1915/322	.. ..	8 July, 1915 ..	Omahu 1B No. 3B No. 1..	Miriama Peraniko to Hedley Vickers Codd (Cotterill and Humphries).
43	1915/323	.. ..	.. ..	Karamu H No. 8 ..	Tamati Nikera to Arthur William Allen (Cotterill and Humphries).
44	1915/324	Transfer ..	5 August, 1915 ..	Otawahao A No. 3, Section 38	Taraia Tongi to Norman Matthias Paulsen (E. J. W. Hallett).
45	1915/325	.. ..	5 ,, 1915 ..	Otawahao A No. 3, Section 39	Tukehe te Ngaero to Norman Matthias Paulsen (E. J. W. Hallett).
46	1915/326	Lease ..	28 ,, 1915 ..	Tahoraite 2A, Section 32B	Te Uira Akuira to Wiremu Duncan (McCarter and Dorrington).
47	1915/327	.. ..	27 ,, 1915 ..	.. ,, 32c	Emaraina Paewai (Wharekiri) to Wiremu Duncan (McCarter and Dorrington).
48	1915/328	.. ..	30 July, 1915 ..	Omahu 4C, Section 6 ..	Rahira Karaka to Neils Peter Rosvall (T. W. Lewis).
49	1915/329	.. ..	3 September, 1915	Otarata 2F No. 1 ..	Ruiha Puri to Mary Groome (T. W. Lewis).
50	1915/330	.. ..	4 ,, 1915	Tarewa B ..	Tukuhe te Ngaero to William Walker (T. W. Lewis).
51	1915/331	.. ..	14 June, 1915 ..	.. D ..	Te Roera Niania and others to Paranihia Tareha (T. W. Lewis).
52	1915/332	.. ..	22 ,, 1915 ..	.. E ..	Hotene te Ruri and others to William Walker (T. W. Lewis).
53	1915/333	.. ..	3 September, 1915	Rotopounamu 2B No. 3..	Karepe Tuhaha to Te Kauru Karaitiana (T. W. Lewis).
54	1915/334	.. ..	2 ,, 1915	Hikutoto South No. 1 ..	Te Rangi Hone to Howard Moore Glazebrook (T. W. Lewis).
55	1915/335	Transfer ..	— August, 1915 ..	Otarata No. 2D ..	Rawiri Whaturua to Arthur Hollis (T. W. Lewis).
56	1915/336	.. ..	2 September, 1915	Rotopounamu No. 2D ..	Paerikiriki Otene to Te Kauru Karaitiana (T. W. Lewis).
57	1915/337	Agreement to lease	16 August, 1915 ..	Kairakau No. 2F (part) ..	Takopa Kimihanga to Alice Mabel Bibby (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
58	1915/338	Ditto ..	16 ,, 1915 ..	.. ,, ..	Takopa Kimihanga to William Thomas Prentice (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
59	1915/346	Transfer ..	5 ,, 1915 ..	Himatangi 4D No. 3B ..	Noti Pitihira to Percy Edward Baldwin (P. E. Baldwin).
60	1915/347	.. ..	5 ,, 1915 ..	Aorangi 3D No. 1B ..	Rawinia te Rangi to Akuira te Rangi and another (P. E. Baldwin).
61	1915/348	Lease ..	4 September, 1915	Himatangi 4D No. 1 ..	Te Atua Renata to Percy Edward Baldwin (P. E. Baldwin).
62	1915/349	.. ..	4 ,, 1915	.. 4B (part) ..	Te Atua Renata to Percy Edward Baldwin (P. E. Baldwin).
63	1915/350	.. ..	4 ,, 1915	.. 4C No. 1 ..	Te Atua Renata to Percy Edward Baldwin (P. E. Baldwin).
64	1915/351	Transfer ..	5 August, 1915 ..	Aorangi 3D No. 1B ..	Rawinia te Rangi to Frank Kenneth Pearce (P. E. Baldwin).
65	1915/354	Lease ..	20 March, 1915 ..	Ohiti Waitio 2B No. 1 and 4B No. 1	Awhekaihe Mohi and others to Eva Harper (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
66	1915/355	.. ..	20 ,, 1915 ..	Ohiti Waitio 4B No. 4 ..	Rahira Karaka to Eva Harper (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
67	1915/356	.. ..	20 ,, 1915 ..	.. 2B No. 2 ..	Rahira Karaka and another to Eva Harper (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
68	1915/357	.. ..	5 September, 1915	.. 4B No. 3 ..	Ihimaera Karaka to Eva Harper (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).

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

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Proposed Resolutions for Consideration.
69	1915/289	Transfer ..	Papaaruhe No. 4D ..	That the land be sold to Te Warena te Whatu (<i>alias</i> Te Whatuiapiti Renata) for the sum of £18 (McCarter and Dorrington).
70	1915/300	Sale or lease ..	Omahu No. 2B.. ..	That the land be sold to Elizabeth Blake at a price equal to the present Government valuation, or, in the alternative, that the land be leased to Elizabeth Blake at a rental equal to 5 per cent. on the present Government valuation (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
71	1915/301	.. ..	.. 2A No. 2 ..	Ditto.

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

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Proposed Resolutions for Consideration.
72	1915/339	Lease	Koparakore No. 2E ..	That the land be leased to John William White for a term of ten years at a rental of £1 per acre per annum, or 5 per cent. on the present Government valuation (Cotterill and Humphries).
73	1915/340	.. .. ..	Omahu No. 1A ..	That the land be leased to Hedley Vickers Codd at a rental of 12s. per acre per annum, or 5 per cent. on the present Government valuation (Cotterill and Humphries).
74	1915/341	.. .. ..	Karamu C ..	That the land be leased to Arthur William Allen for a term of ten years at a rental of £2 10s. per acre per annum, or 5 per cent. on the present Government valuation (Cotterill and Humphries.)
75	1915/342	.. .. ..	Wharerangi No. 8c ..	That the land be leased to William Stanley Jones for a term of ten years at a rental of £80 11s. per annum (Cotterill and Humphries).
76	1915/352	.. .. ..	Omahu 2A No. 2 ..	That the land be leased to Frank Adam Hamilton Watson for a term of fourteen years at a rental of 14s. 6d. per acre per annum (T. W. Lewis).
77	1915/353	.. .. ..	.. 2A No. 1 ..	Ditto.

Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.

REGULATION No. 48.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tapui B No. 4 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ngaruawahia, on Wednesday, the 29th day of September, 1915, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to Mary Olive Wilson for the sum of £1 19s. 6d. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland this 2nd day of September, 1915.

A. G. HOLLAND,
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 Mimitu-Ruarei No. 21 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whangarei on Thursday, the 30th day of September, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That part of the said land, consisting of about 250 acres, be sold to Noel Hastings Huxtable at the amount of the Government valuation.”

Dated at Auckland this 6th day of September, 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 Kaikou No. 3 Lot 16, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whangarei on Thursday, the 30th day of September, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land be sold to John Finlayson, of Aponga, settler, for the amount of the Government valuation.”

Dated at Auckland this 6th day of September, 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 Mimitu-Ruarei No. 16 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whangarei on Thursday, the 30th day of September, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said block be sold to George Oswald Dysart, of Nukutawhiti, store-keeper, at the amount of special Government valuation.”

Dated at Auckland this 6th day of September, 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 Ikaroa Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rakautatahi 1c, Section 3, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Takapau on Friday, the 24th day of September, 1915, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said land, containing 114 acres 0 roods 10 perches, be leased to Christian Peter Andersen for a term of twenty-one years at a rental of £80 14s. per annum for the first ten years of the term, and thereafter for the remaining eleven years 5 per cent. on a Government valuation to be made in 1925. Any improvements effected by the lessee during the first ten years of the term to be excluded from the computation of the valuation in 1925.”

Dated at Wellington this 8th day of September, 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 Puringa No. 2 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Hastings on Saturday, the 25th 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 139 acres, be sold to Te Kauru Karaitiana at the price of £831.”

Dated at Wellington this 8th day of September, 1915.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Gisborne.

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN CHAMBERS, of Gisborne, Stable-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 13th day of September, 1915, at 2.30 o'clock.

31st August, 1915.

A. G. BEERE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Gisborne.

NOTICE is hereby given that GERALD TATE BARTLETT, of Gisborne, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 14th day of September, 1915, at 2.30 o'clock.

1st September, 1915.

A. G. BEERE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends are now payable in the undermentioned estates on all proved claims. Promissory notes (if any) to be produced for endorsement prior to payment of dividends.

Brocklebank, William and Ernest, both of Stratford, Cabinetmakers: First and final of 4s. 9½d. in the pound.
Carhill, Percy Edward Thornton, of Stratford, Cabinet-maker: First and final of 12s. 11d. in the pound.
Sharrock, Joseph, of Stratford, Labourer: First and final of 4s. 6d. in the pound.

31st August, 1915.

ALFRED COLEMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

A DIVIDEND as under is now payable at my office on all proved accepted claims.

ARCHIBALD KING CAMPBELL, of Eketahuna, Photographer: 9d. in the pound (first and final).

Promissory notes must be produced for endorsement of dividend.

1st September, 1915.

T. R. ALLEN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Masterton.

NOTICE is hereby given that statements of accounts and balance-sheets in respect of the undermentioned estates, together with the report of the Audit Office thereon, have been duly filed in the above Court; and I hereby further give notice that at the sitting of the said Court to be holden on Monday, the 20th day of September, 1915, I intend to apply for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 2nd day of September, 1915.

John Gaskin, of Martinborough, Labourer.
Adam Clark Rowse, of Carterton, Printer.
Archibald King Campbell, of Eketahuna, Photographer.
Ernest Bradley, of Masterton, Clerk.
John McLachlan, of Masterton, Contractor.
Job Salisbury, of Greytown, Labourer.
William Henry Thomas, of Bideford, Labourer.
Thomas Farmer, of Greytown, Labourer.
Frederick Butcher, of Masterton, Labourer.
Annie Edwards (formerly Annie Parkes), of Daleford, Farmer.
William Ignatius Shanley, of Greytown, Plumber.

T. R. ALLEN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Invercargill.

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN ANDREW, of Wai-kawa Valley, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 10th day of September, 1915, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

28th August, 1915.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Invercargill.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM VICTOR COLEMAN, of Invercargill, Boardinghouse-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 7th day of September, 1915, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

3rd September, 1915. CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

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 date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Application No. 1282. THE NEW ZEALAND INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).—11.5 perches, Lot 6, part of Section 37, Town of Gisborne. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 31st day of August, 1915, at the Lands Registry Office, Gisborne.

R. STONE FLORANCE,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the destruction of certificate of title in lieu of Crown grant, Vol. 119, folio 170, for Rural Section 35476, Block VIII, Christchurch Survey District, whereof ROBERT GEORGE ROSS, of Christchurch, Telegraphist, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title for the said land, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional certificate of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, this 7th day of September, 1915.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificates of title, Vol. 118, folio 128, for part of Rural Sections 884 and 2724, Block V, Halswell Survey District, and Vol. 291, folio 199, for Lot 10, Township of Lincoln, part of Rural Sections 884 and 2724, Block V, Halswell Survey District, whereof WILLIAM BENNETT, late of Lincoln, Farmer, but now deceased, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me for the issue of provisional certificates of title for the said land, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional certificates of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, this 7th day of September, 1915.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of the outstanding duplicate of Memorandum of Mortgage No. 92283, affecting Lot 17, plan 863, part of Rural Section 175, Linwood Ward of the City of Christchurch, whereof the late HENRY CHARLES ROSE, of Linwood, Painter, is the registered mortgagee, and application having been made to me to register a certain dealing affecting the said memorandum of mortgage, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to register such dealing dispensing with the production of the said outstanding duplicate at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, this 7th day of September, 1915.

W. WYINKS,
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*.

5180. THOMAS SHEPHERD CULLING, JAMES GIBSON PATTERSON, and ANDREW MCKERROW.—379 acres 1 rood 30 perches, Allotment 3, plan 2554, being parts

of Sections 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 18, 19, 2 of 20, and 21, Block II, Moeraki District. Occupied by Donald James Ross.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 6th day of September, 1915, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

C. E. NALDER,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in favour of JOHN THEOPHILUS MCGREGOR, of Invercargill, Butcher, for Section Eleven (11), Block XI, Town of Winton, being the land contained in certificate of title, Vol. 65, folio 78, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I shall issue a provisional certificate of title as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, the 4th day of September, 1915.

W. W. DE CASTRO,
District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 266, subsection (3), of the above Act, that the undermentioned company will, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, and unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register and dissolved.

1911/25. DUNEDIN BRICK COMPANY (LIMITED).

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at Dunedin this 3rd day of September, 1915.

A. L. B. ROSS,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that W. HOSKEN-LONGSDORF (LIMITED) proposes to commence and carry on business in the City of Wellington, and that its place of business will be situated at Number 157 Featherstone Street, Wellington. Dated this 26th day of August, 1915.

W. HOSKEN-LONGSDORF (LIMITED),
By its Attorney,

648 F. W. MARKMANN.

D. MILLER & CO. (LTD.), HINDS, CANTERBURY.

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company duly convened and held at Christchurch on 30th day of August, 1915, the following extraordinary resolution was unanimously passed:—

"Whereas Thomas Lomax Gibbs, the principal shareholder of this company, is absent at the front with the New Zealand Expeditionary Forces, and has authorized Thomas Butterworth Gibbs, the only other shareholder of the company, to act for him in his place and stead: And whereas in view of the company's present financial position it is desirable to wind up the company's business: Now, therefore, it having been proved to the satisfaction of the company that it cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business, it is advisable to wind up the same, and it is therefore hereby resolved to wind up the business of the company voluntarily; and that Mr. W. E. Best, of Christchurch, Accountant, be and he hereby is appointed voluntary Liquidator."

Dated this 30th day of August, 1915.

THOMAS B. GIBBS,
THOMAS L. GIBBS
(By his proxy, T. B. GIBBS),

651 The only Shareholders of the Company.

IN LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; in the matter of the DOMINION TWINE, ROPE, AND FIBRE COMPANY (LIMITED), (in Liquidation).

PURSUANT to section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the shareholders of the above company will be held at my office on

the Great North Road, Winton, on Wednesday, 29th September, 1915, at 2.30 p.m. The object of the meeting will be to receive the Liquidator's account showing the manner in which the winding-up of the company has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of.

J. A. BROOM,
Liquidator.

Winton, 3rd September, 1915.

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WHANGAREI MEAT SUPPLY CO. (LTD.).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of shareholders of the Whangarei Meat Supply Company (Limited), in Liquidation, will be held at the Odd Fellows' Hall, James Street, Whangarei, on Monday, the 20th September, 1915, at 2 p.m.

BUSINESS.—To receive Liquidator's report and statement of accounts of the winding-up of the company.

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R. J. INGLIS, Liquidator.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

TAKE notice that on and after Thursday, August 26, 1915, the Partnership hitherto existing between READING BROS., Farmers, of Parkvale, Carterton, has been mutually dissolved.

A. B. READING.
T. G. READING.

Parkvale, August 26, 1915.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

I, RICHARD BOHUN COTTON, of Waihao Downs, South Canterbury, Engineer, hereby give notice that the Partnership until recently subsisting between NORMAN HEATON PIKE, of Toatoa, Bay of Plenty, Farmer, and myself in respect of the freehold land comprising 300 acres comprising parts of Section 3, Block 14, Waiaura Survey District, and part Section 1, Block 2, Urutawa Survey District, and of the live and dead stock thereon, has been dissolved as from 1st July, 1915.

Any accounts due by the late Partnership are payable by the said NORMAN HEATON PIKE, and any accounts due to the said Partnership may be paid to him.

Dated this third day of September, 1915.

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R. B. COTTON.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Progress Mines of New Zealand (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand: 8th December, 1896.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney: Head Office, London; New Zealand Office, Reefton; Alfred Winter Evans.

Where mines are situate: Reefton.

Nominal capital: £275,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £275,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand: Nil.

Price paid to vendors of mines—

(a.) In fully paid-up shares: £200,000,

(b.) In partly paid-up shares, credited as £1 paid up: Nil.

(c.) In cash: Nil.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 275,000.

Number of shares on New Zealand Register: 15,968.

Amount paid per share (New Zealand Register): £1.

Amount called up per share (New Zealand Register): £1.

Number and amount of calls in arrear (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: 70.

Number of men employed by company in New Zealand: 162.

Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 10,494 oz. 15 dwt.; £47,766 5s. 11d. (includes £7,015 18s. 6d., proceeds of concentrates sold).

Total quantity and value produced since registration of office of company in New Zealand: 413,940 oz. 1 dwt.; £1,297,468 11s. 1d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining operations in New Zealand since last statement: £51,180 0s. 3d.

Total expenditure since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £1,046,965 10s. 2d.

Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand: £5,385 14s. 9d.

Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: Nil.

Amount of cash in hand in New Zealand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company in New Zealand: £952 7s. 4d.

Amount of such debts considered good: £952 7s. 4d.

Amount of liabilities of company in New Zealand: £1,222 4s. 3d.

I, Alfred Winter Evans, of Reefton, Attorney of the Progress Mines of New Zealand (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 solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

A. WINTER EVANS,
Attorney.

Declared at Reefton this 30th day of August, 1915, before me—H. C. Lawry, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 656

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Blackwater Mines (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand: 25th March, 1907.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney: Head Office, London; New Zealand Office, Reefton; Alfred Winter Evans.

Where mines are situate: Westland Mining District.

Nominal capital: £250,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £250,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand: Nil.

Price paid to vendors of mine—

(a.) In fully paid-up shares: £200,000.

(b.) In partly paid-up shares, credited as £1 paid up: Nil.

(c.) In cash: Nil.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 250,000.

Number of shares on New Zealand Register: 30,378.

Amount paid per share (New Zealand Register): £1.

Amount called up per share (New Zealand Register): £1.

Number and amount of calls in arrear (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: 128.

Number of men employed by company in New Zealand: 213.

Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 23,399 oz. 14 dwt.; £99,938 2s. 9d. (includes £6,089 18s. 11d., proceeds concentrates sold).

Total quantity and value produced since registration of office of company in New Zealand: 121,672 oz. 15 dwt.; £496,294 15s.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining operations in New Zealand since last statement: £70,000 10s. 6d.

Total expenditure since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £361,711 5s. 10d.

Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand: £8,012 5s.

Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: Nil.

Amount of cash in hand in New Zealand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company in New Zealand: £412 11s. 10d.

Amount of such debts considered good: £412 11s. 10d.

Amount of liabilities of company in New Zealand: £3,062 13s. 11d.

I, Alfred Winter Evans, of Reefton, Attorney of the Blackwater Mines (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 solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

A. WINTER EVANS,
Attorney.

Declared at Reefton this 30th day of August, 1915, before me—H. C. Lawry, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 657

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Consolidated Goldfields of New Zealand (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand: 22nd January, 1896.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney: Head Office, London; New Zealand Office, Reefton; Alfred Winter Evans.

Where mines are situate: Westland Mining District.

Nominal capital: £250,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £250,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand: Nil.

Price paid to vendors of mines—

(a.) In fully paid-up shares: £17,378.

(b.) In partly paid-up shares, credited as £1 paid up: Nil.

(c.) In cash: £43,416 13s. 4d.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 250,000.

Number of shares on New Zealand Register: 55,444.

Amount paid up per share (New Zealand Register): £1.

Amount called up per share (New Zealand Register): £1.

Number and amount of calls in arrear (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: 194.

Number of men employed by company in New Zealand: 114.

Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 9,980 oz. 3 dwt.; £39,918 18s. 7d. (includes £466 4s. 4d., proceeds from concentrates sold).

Total quantity and value produced since registration of office of company in New Zealand: 148,140 oz. 7 dwt.; £615,571 14s. 8d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining operations in New Zealand since last statement: £41,508 10s. 7d.

Total expenditure since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £798,424 7s. 4d.

Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand: £12,398 10s. 6d.

Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: £4,109 7s. 2d.

Amount of cash in hand in New Zealand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company in New Zealand: £5,223 7s. 2d.

Amount of such debts considered good: £5,223 7s. 2d.

Amount of liabilities of company in New Zealand: £1,682 18s. 2d.

I, Alfred Winter Evans, of Reefton, Attorney of the Consolidated Goldfields of New Zealand (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 solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

A. WINTER EVANS,
Attorney.

Declared at Reefton this 30th day of August, 1915, before me—H. C. Lawry, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 658

HALL & JONES (LTD.).

(Incorporated under the Companies Act, 1908, as a Private Company.)

RESOLUTION PASSED ON THE 2ND SEPTEMBER, 1915.

IT having been proved to its satisfaction that the company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, it is hereby unanimously resolved by all the members of the company that the company be wound up voluntarily; and that WALTER RUTHERFURD, Accountant, of Palmerston, and RUBEN JAMES JONES, Motor Mechanic, of Palmerston North, be and are hereby appointed Liquidators. 659

HUNTERVILLE TOWN BOARD.

COPY OF RESOLUTION PASSED AT A MEETING ON THE 30TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1915.

THAT the Hunterville Town Board hereby authorizes a special loan of £100 to be raised under the provisions of paragraph (e) of section 16 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of erecting a footbridge over the Porewa Stream, the cost of raising the loan and the first

year's interest to be paid out of the loan; and that such special loan shall be for a period of thirty-six years and one-half, and that the security for such loan shall be a special rate to be levied on the rateable property of the Porewa Footbridge Special-rating District, comprising all the property shown on the plan of the said special-rating district attached to the special roll of such district.

L. J. THOMPSON,
Town Clerk.

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NGARUAWAHIA TOWN BOARD.

EXTRACT FROM MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A MEETING HELD ON THE 21ST JULY, 1915, AT 7.30 P.M.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Ngaruawahia Town Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest and sinking fund and other charges on the loan of £1,600, authorized to be raised by the said Board, under the Town Boards Act, 1908, and its amendments, and by section 119 of the Public Works Act, 1908, and by virtue of a Warrant dated the 25th day of July, 1914, page 2959, for the purpose of paying the amount of the Ngaruawahia Town Board's contribution towards the erection of a bridge authorized by the aforesaid Warrant to be erected over the Waikato River at Ngaruawahia, the said Ngaruawahia Town Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{3}{4}$ of a penny in the pound on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the town district, Ngaruawahia; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and shall be payable yearly on the 21st day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half ($36\frac{1}{2}$) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

J. H. HETHERINGTON,
Chairman.
THOS. PATERSON,
Town Clerk.

We hereby certify that the above is a true copy of and a correct extract from the minutes of proceedings of the Ngaruawahia Town Board at the meeting above mentioned, and that the same was gazetted in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the 9th day of September, 1915, page 3210.

J. H. HETHERINGTON,
Chairman.
THOS. PATERSON,
Town Clerk.

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WANGANUI COUNTY COUNCIL.

WANGAEHU ROAD METALLING LOAN OF £3,000.—RESOLUTION MAKING AND LEVYING SPECIAL RATE PASSED AT A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL HELD ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3RD, 1915.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Wanganui County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of three thousand pounds (£3,000), authorized to be raised by the Wanganui County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the metalling of the Wangaeahu Road from the mouth of the Pangarara Stream to the Karioi Railway-station, the said Wanganui County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of two farthings in the pound upon the rateable (capital) value of all rateable property of the Wangaeahu Road £3,000 Loan Special-rating District, comprising all that portion of the Wanganui County bounded on the north by the northern boundary of the Wanganui County from the north-western corner of Section 1, Block IV, Ngamatea S.D., to the north-eastern corner of Section 7, Block IV, Ngamatea S.D.; on the east and south-east by the eastern boundary of the Ngamatea Survey District and the Koukoupo Stream to the Wangaeahu River, and by the Wangaeahu River to the most southern corner of Section 2A 2A, Parapara No. 2 Block; on the south-west and west by the south-western and western boundaries of Sections 2A 2A, 2B 2D, and 2L, Parapara No. 2 Block, to the Whareponga Stream; thence on the south by the Whareponga Stream from the aforesaid Section 2L to Fields Track; thence on the west by Fields Track to the northern boundary of Section 6A No. 2; thence on the north by the said northern

boundary of Section 6A No. 2 from Fields Track to the Wangaeahu River; and on the west by the Wangaeahu River from Section 6A No. 2 before mentioned to the north-western corner of Section 1, Block IV, Ngamatea Survey District.

And that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off." 662

DUNEDIN CITY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION PASSED ON WEDNESDAY, 25TH AUGUST, 1915, MAKING AND LEVYING A SPECIAL RATE OF THREE FARTHINGS ($\frac{3}{4}$ d.) IN THE POUND (£) ON THE RATEABLE VALUE OF ALL RATEABLE PROPERTY IN THE CITY OF DUNEDIN.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Dunedin City Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of twenty-six thousand pounds (£26,000), authorized to be raised by the Dunedin City Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of enlarging and extending the tramway system controlled by the said Council, the said Dunedin City Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of three farthings ($\frac{3}{4}$ d.) in the pound (£) upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the City of Dunedin; 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 (1st) day of October and the first (1st) day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-six (26) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the resolution passed by the Council making the aforesaid special rate.

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G. A. LEWIN,
Town Clerk.

CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY BOARD.

SPECIAL ORDER FIXING SPECIAL RATE AND DELEGATING THE MAKING, LEVYING, AND COLLECTION OF THE SAME.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in this behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908, and amendments, the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1906, and the Christchurch Tramway District Amendment Act, 1912, and in exercise of all other powers it hereunto enabling, the Christchurch Tramway Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Board") doth by special order hereby resolve as follows, that is to say:—

That, for the purpose of providing for payment of interest, sinking fund, and charges in respect of the loan of £15,000, raised by the Board in connection with the tramway undertaking installed for the benefit of the St. Martins Special-rating Area, and for providing for the repayment to the Board the sum of £978 12s. 9d., being the amount of deficiency under section 2, subsection (i), of the Christchurch Tramway District Amendment Act, 1912, for the year ending March 31st, 1915, in respect of the said tramway undertaking installed for the benefit of the St. Martins Special-rating Area, the said Christchurch Tramway Board doth hereby fix a special rate of 1d. and $\frac{7}{40}$ d. in the pound (being a special rate of 831/1000d. in the pound in respect of the said interest and sinking fund, and a special rate of 344/1000d. in the pound in respect of the balance of the said deficiency, including charges) upon the rateable value of all rateable property (according to the capital rateable value thereof) of and in the St. Martins Tramway Special-rating Area as defined in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-seventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, at pages 724 and 725; and that such special rate of 1d. and $\frac{7}{40}$ d. in the pound be payable on the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

And, in further pursuance and exercise of the powers aforesaid, the said Christchurch Tramway Board doth hereby further resolve that the Christchurch City Council be and it is hereby directed and authorized, for and on behalf of the Board, to make, levy, and collect the said special rate of 1d. and $\frac{7}{40}$ d. in the pound as aforesaid in respect of the said rateable property in that part of the said St. Martins Tramway Special-rating Area as lies within the jurisdiction of the said Christchurch City Council; and that the Heathcote County Council be and it is hereby directed and authorized, on behalf of the Board, to make, levy, and collect the

said special rate of 1d. and 7/40d. in the pound as aforesaid in respect of the said rateable property in that part of the said St. Martins Tramway Special-rating Area as lies within the jurisdiction of the said Heathcote County Council.

Dated at Christchurch this 2nd day of August, 1915.

J. A. FLESHER,
Chairman.

FRANK THOMPSON,
General Manager and Secretary.

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CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY BOARD.

SPECIAL ORDER UNDER SECTION 30, CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY DISTRICT ACT, 1906, DELEGATING COLLECTION OF RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in this behalf by the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1906, and in exercise of all other powers it hereunto enabling, the Christchurch Tramway Board doth by special order hereby resolve as follows, that is to say:—

That the Waimairi County Council be and it is hereby directed and authorized, for and on behalf of the Christchurch Tramway Board, to collect in respect of the rateable property of and in the Papanui Tramway Special-rating Area the special rate made and levied by the Board by special order on the 19th day of August, 1912, which said special order is published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 22nd day of August, 1912, at pages 2552 and 2553.

Dated at Christchurch this 2nd day of August, 1915.

J. A. FLESHER,
Chairman.

FRANK THOMPSON,
General Manager and Secretary.

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CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY BOARD.

SPECIAL ORDER UNDER SECTION 30, CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY DISTRICT ACT, 1906, DELEGATING COLLECTION OF RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in this behalf by the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1906, and in exercise of all other powers it hereunto enabling, the Christchurch Tramway Board doth by special order hereby resolve as follows, that is to say:—

That the Christchurch City Council, Heathcote County Council, and Waimairi County Council respectively be and they are hereby directed and authorized, for and on behalf of the Christchurch Tramway Board, to collect in respect of the rateable property of and in that part of the Dallington Tramway Special-rating Area within the jurisdiction of the said Christchurch City Council, Heathcote County Council, and Waimairi County Council respectively the special rate made and levied by the Board by special order on the 19th day of August, 1912, which said special order is published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 22nd day of August, 1912, at pages 2552 and 2553.

Dated at Christchurch this 2nd day of August, 1915.

J. A. FLESHER,
Chairman.

FRANK THOMPSON,
General Manager and Secretary.

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CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY BOARD.

SPECIAL ORDER UNDER SECTION 30, CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY DISTRICT ACT, 1906, DELEGATING COLLECTION OF RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in this behalf by the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1906, and in exercise of all other powers it hereunto enabling, the Christchurch Tramway Board doth by special order hereby resolve as follows, that is to say:—

That the Halswell County Council, Heathcote County Council, and Spreydon Borough Council respectively be and they are hereby directed and authorized, for and on behalf of the Christchurch Tramway Board, to collect in respect of the rateable property of and in that part of the Hackthorne Road Tramway Special-rating Area within the jurisdiction of the said Halswell County Council, Heathcote County Council, and Spreydon Borough Council respectively the special rate made and levied by the Board by special order on the 17th day of July, 1911, which said special order is published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 27th day of July, 1911, at page 2339.

Dated at Christchurch this 2nd day of August, 1915.

J. A. FLESHER,
Chairman.

FRANK THOMPSON,
General Manager and Secretary.

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CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY BOARD.

SPECIAL ORDER UNDER SECTION 30, CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY DISTRICT ACT, 1906, DELEGATING COLLECTION OF RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in this behalf by the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1906, and in exercise of all other powers it hereunto enabling, the Christchurch Tramway Board doth by special order hereby resolve as follows, that is to say:—

That the Waimairi County Council be and it is hereby directed and authorized, for and on behalf of the Christchurch Tramway Board, to collect in respect of the rateable property of and in the Fendalton Tramway Special-rating Area the special rate made and levied by the Board by special order on the 19th day of August, 1912, which said special order is published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 22nd day of August, 1912, at pages 2552 and 2553.

Dated at Christchurch this 2nd day of August, 1915.

J. A. FLESHER,
Chairman.

FRANK THOMPSON,
General Manager and Secretary.

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KAWA DRAINAGE BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING RATE ON A SUPPLEMENTARY LOAN OF £150.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Kawa Drainage Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £150, being a supplementary loan of ten pounds per centum, authorized to be raised by the Kawa Drainage Board, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and more particularly section 18 thereof, for the purpose of completing the drainage of the Kawa Swamp, the said Kawa Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-eighth of a penny (¼d.) in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property classified "A," and one-sixteenth of a penny (1/16d.) in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property classified "B," of all the rateable property of the Kawa Drainage District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 31st day of March in each and every year during the currency of the loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is paid off.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of a resolution passed by the Kawa Drainage Board on the fourth day of September, 1915.

Dated at Te Awamutu this 4th day of September, 1915.

J. A. HAWKINS,

Secretary, Kawa Drainage Board.

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MANAWATU COUNTY COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Manawatu County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest and sinking fund and other charges on the loan of £450, authorized to be raised by the said Council, under the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909, and under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of paying the Council's contribution to the Palmerston North Hospital and Charitable Aid Board of the amount required for building the Nurses' Home, the new Diphtheria Ward, removing the Fever Ward, and the erection of new buildings at the Awapuni Old Peoples' Home, the said Manawatu County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1/300th of a penny in the pound on the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the Manawatu County; 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 January and July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-five (35) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was passed at a properly constituted meeting of the Manawatu County Council held on the 6th day of July, 1915.

A. K. DREW,
County Clerk.

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NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. Samuel Nathan Graham has acquired the interest of William John Graham in the business heretofore carried on by the undersigned at Hastings and elsewhere as "Graham and Gebbie." The said William John Graham has ceased to be a member of the said firm as from the 1st September, 1915, and from that date the business will be carried on by SAMUEL NATHAN GRAHAM and WILLIAM JAMES GEBBIE alone, under the firm-name of "Graham and Gebbie."

Dated 4th September, 1915.

W. J. GRAHAM.
W. J. GEBBIE.

Witness to the signatures of William John Graham and William James Gebbie—E. J. W. Hallett, Solicitor, Hastings. 671

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