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Declaring certain Area added to the County of Kairanga to be included in Fitzherbert Riding thereof.

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

WHEREAS by a Proclamation dated the eleventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the sixteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, the boundaries of the Counties of Kairanga and Horowhenua were altered by the exclusion of a certain area from the County of Horowhenua and the inclusion of such area in the County of Kairanga: And whereas it is desirable that the area so added to the County of Kairanga should be included in the Fitzherbert Riding of that county:

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 upon me by section twenty-two of the Counties Act, 1908, do hereby declare that the area included as aforesaid in the County of Kairanga shall be included in the Fitzherbert Riding of the said county, and that the boundaries of that riding shall be those set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF FITZHERBERT RIDING, COUNTY OF KAIRANGA.

ALL that area in the Kairanga County bounded by a line along the middle of the Manawatu River from the northern boundary of Horowhenua County to the northern boundary of Kairanga County, along the northern boundary of that county to the north-western corner of Pahiatua County, thence along the boundary between Kairanga and Pahiatua Counties to Horowhenua County, and along the boundary between Horowhenua and Kairanga Counties to the middle of the Manawatu River, the place of commencement.

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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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Lands set apart for Disposal by Way of Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers, under Special Tenures, in the Otago Land District.

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

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section four of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby set apart and declared open for disposal by way of sale or lease to discharged soldiers, under special tenures, in the manner provided in the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Crown Land.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 21,100 acres, more or less, being Runs 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, and 564, Ahuriri, Benmore, and Ohau River Survey Districts, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the south-east corner of Run 534; thence towards the west generally by Runs 534, 535, and a proposed afforestation reserve; towards the north, west, and again towards the north by Run 543; towards the east and south by a public road; again towards the east by a tree-planting reserve; towards the south and south-east generally by a chain-wide reserve along the north bank of the Ahuriri River, a tree-planting reserve, and again by the reserve along the north bank of the Ahuriri River to the point of commencement: excepting from the above-described boundaries three public roads, each one chain wide; and three gravel reserves.

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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands set apart for Disposal by Way of Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers, under Ordinary Tenures, in the Wellington Land District.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section three of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby set apart for selection by discharged soldiers, under the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.

SECTION 17, Block XVI, Huangarua Survey District, Featherston County: Area, 707 acres.

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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land set apart for Disposal by Way of Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers, under Special Tenures, in the Hawke's Bay Land District.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section four of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby set apart and declared open for disposal by way of sale or lease to discharged soldiers, under special tenures, in the manner provided in the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Crown Land.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 112 acres 1 rood 18 perches, more or less, being Section 23, Block II, Takapau Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Otawhao A No. 4 and A No. 11 Blocks for 9101.4 links, towards the south-east by railway reserve for 1340.96 links, towards the south-west by Otawhao 5B Block for 8844.2 links, and towards the north-west by public road for 1279 links.

Also all that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 16 acres 0 roods 37 perches, more or less, being Section 29, Block VI, Takapau Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by Otawhao 5B Block for 2702.9 links, towards the south-east by railway reserve for 3832.7 links, and towards the north-east by public road for 2094.9 links.

Be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Land Board of the Nelson Land District has recommended that the Crown tenant of the land described in the Schedule hereto should be afforded relief, owing to exceptional circumstances over which he has no control preventing the profitable occupation of such land:

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

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 9, Block X, Brighton Survey District: 1st July, 1915.

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

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of stopped road declared to be Crown land: 3 acres 1 rood 9.5 perches. Adjoining or passing through Okahuatū No. 1A (Poverty Bay R.D.), Block XV, Waikohu Survey District.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39669, 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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of stopped road declared to be Crown land: 9 perches.
Adjoining or passing through Section 3 C.L., Block XI, Waihi South Survey District (S.O. 18528).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39364, 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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road declared to be Crown land:—

5 acres 0 roods 30 perches, adjoining or passing through Sections 4, 64, and 65. Situated in Block XIII, Matiri Survey District.

2 acres 0 roods 4 perches, adjoining or passing through Sections 79 and 80. Situated in Block I, Tutaki Survey District.

In the Nelson Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37133, 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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for a Further Portion of the Huntly-Awaroa Branch of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway, and for Road Approaches thereto.

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

WHEREAS part of the land mentioned in the First Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a further portion of the Huntly-Awaroa Branch of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway, and for road approaches thereto:

And whereas all the conditions precedent required by law to be observed and performed prior to the taking of such land for the purposes hereinafter specified have been observed and performed:

And whereas it is desirable to take only the surface of such land for the purposes hereinafter specified, together with a portion of the subsoil thereof:

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 section one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and section seven of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the surface of the land mentioned in the First Schedule hereto, together with that part of the subsoil of such land below the formation-levels of the said railway shown on the plan marked P.W.D. 39959, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, as is described in the Second Schedule hereto, is hereby taken for a further portion of the aforesaid line of railway and for the said road approaches.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

The pieces of land mentioned in the list hereunder of which surface is taken:—

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land.	Being Portion of	Coloured on Plan
FOR RAILWAY.		
A. R. P. 0 0 1-29	Lot 21, D.P. 752, Subdivision of part Section 53	Blue.
0 0 11-55	Lot 3, D.P. 10263, Subdivision of part Section 53	Red.
0 0 0-91	Lot 14, D.P. 752, Subdivision of part Section 52	Blue.
0 0 19-17	Section 52	Red.
FOR ROAD APPROACHES.		
0 0 9-57	Lot 14, D.P. 752, Subdivision of part Section 52	Orange.
0 0 3-04	Lot 12, D.P. 752, Subdivision of part Section 52	Sepia.
0 0 1-04	Lot 12, D.P. 752, Subdivision of part Section 52 (S.O. 18834)	"

Situated in Taupiri Parish, Block XV, Rangiriri Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39959, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

SUBSOIL TAKEN.

As to all the areas mentioned in the First Schedule: All the subsoil down to a plane one hundred (100) feet below and approximately parallel to the said line of formation-levels, such plane being horizontal transversely to the said line of formation-levels.

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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for a Portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Portion of Athenree Section) and for a Road-division in connection therewith.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (portion of Athenree Section) and for a road-division in connection therewith:

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 conferred on 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 land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for a portion of the said line of railway hereinbefore specified, and for the road-division in connection therewith as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Coloured on Plan
FOR RAILWAY.			
A. R. P. 0 2 32-2	Quarry res., Waihi Township	XV	Blue.
0 0 34-8	Section 150,	"	Yellow.
0 0 13-55	" 149B,	"	Red.
0 0 13-03	" 149,	"	Green.
0 0 8-73	" 268,	"	Blue.
0 0 27-39	" 120,	"	Yellow.
0 0 0-73	" 121,	"	Red.
0 0 0-2	" 135,	"	Neutral tint.
0 1 14-6	" 136,	"	Green.
0 0 20-9	" 137,	"	Yellow.
0 1 0-1	" 137A,	"	Blue.
0 0 5-17	" 151A,	"	Red.
0 1 5-85	" 152A,	XV, XVI	Neutral tint.
0 1 1-5	" 152,	XVI	Yellow.
0 0 5-25	" 153,	"	Blue.
0 0 1-76	" 170,	"	Neutral tint.
0 0 20-3	" 171,	"	Yellow.
0 0 23-46	" 171A,	"	Green.
0 0 39-03	" 472,	"	Blue.
0 0 1-66	" 472A,	"	Yellow.
0 0 25-7	" 471,	"	Red.
0 0 7-8	Right-of-way, Section 471, Waihi Township	"	Blue.
0 0 22-7	Sec. 468, Waihi Township	"	Neutral tint.
0 0 28-73	" 467,	"	Yellow.
0 0 20-2	" 466,	"	Green.
0 0 17-7	" 465,	"	Blue.
0 2 6-4	" 34	"	Red.
0 1 27-4	Quarry reserve	"	Blue.
0 1 12-6	Road	"	Green.
0 0 1-6	Crown land	"	Neutral tint.
FOR ROAD-DIVERSION.			
0 1 13-3	Crown land	XVI	Red.

Situated in the Borough of Waihi, Ohinemuri Survey District (S.O. 17696).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39748, 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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Use, Convenience, or Enjoyment of a Road in Block XV, Whakatane Survey District.

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

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken under the Public Works Act, 1908, for the use, convenience, or enjoyment of a certain public work—to wit, a road in Block XV, Whakatane 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 use, convenience, or enjoyment of the said road; and I also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the thirteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	
0	1	14	portion of Section 246.
0	3	13	" 241.
1	0	1	" 242.
0	0	19.3	" 249.
0	0	5.2	" 249.

Situated in Waiotahi Parish, Block XV, Whakatane Survey District (S.O. 17445).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39801, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured yellow.

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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Gravel-pit in Block III, Waitaki Survey District, Waimate County.

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

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under the Public Works Act, 1908, for a certain public work—to wit, for the purposes of a gravel-pit in Block III, Waitaki Survey District, Waimate County:

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and the Counties Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the said gravel-pit as from the date hereinafter specified, and shall vest in the Corporation of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Waimate; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twentieth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 4 acres 0 roods 10 perches.

Portion of Education Reserve No. 1177, Block III, Waitaki Survey District (Canterbury R.D.).

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39552, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon edged 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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block I, Patetere South Survey 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 land described in the Schedule hereto, proclaim as a road the land in Patetere South Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	
5	0	0	portion of Waotu South C No. 3; coloured blue.
4	1	19.4	" C No. 4 " red.
5	0	15.5	" D No. 7 " blue.
0	1	7	" D No. 7 " blue.

Situated in Block I, Patetere South Survey District (S.O. 16724).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39818, 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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block I, Tiritiri Survey District, Waitemata County.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 6 acres 1 rood 7 perches. Portion of Section 6, Waiwera Parish (S.O. 18769), Block I, Tiritiri Survey District (Auckland R.D.).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39908, 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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block III, Whangape Survey District, Hokianga County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owner and mortgagee of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Hokianga County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Whangape 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: 1 acre 2 roods 17 perches and 19.5 perches. Portion of Section 37. Coloured on plan: Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 1 acre. Adjoining or passing through Sections 37 and 38. Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Block III, Whangape Survey District (S.O. 17635).

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39909, 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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping a Government Road in Blocks IX and XIII, Coleridge Survey District.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road hereby stopped:—
14 acres 2 roods, adjoining or passing through R.S. 30100, Blocks IX and XIII.
3 roods 16 perches, adjoining or passing through part R.S. 30100, Block XIII.

Situated in Coleridge Survey District.

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 33552, 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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping Government Roads in Blocks IX and XIII, Maketu 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.	B.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	0	0.4	Section 2A, Blocks IX and XIII.
5	2	15	
0	0	0.3	Whakauma No. 2A C.L., Block IX.

Situated in Maketu Survey District (S.O. 18213).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 38634, 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 eleventh day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping a Government Road in Block XVI, Maketu Survey District.

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road hereby stopped:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	0	35.1	.. Road adjoining Section 2a.
1	1	6.5	.. Section 4.

Situated in Block XVI, Maketu Survey District (S.O. 18591).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39398, 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 twenty-ninth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Altering Regulations for Trout and Perch Fishing in the Wellington Acclimatization District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present:
THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted in Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908, that the Governor in Council may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, make regulations to

have force and effect throughout New Zealand or only in such waters or places as are specified in the regulations:

And whereas by Order in Council, dated the twenty-seventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 75, of the thirtieth day of the same month, regulations for the Wellington Acclimatization District were made fixing, among other things, the open and close season for trout and perch:

And whereas it is desirable to amend such regulations in respect of perch:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the said Act, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that, notwithstanding anything contained in the aforesaid regulations of the twenty-seventh August, one thousand nine hundred and six, the Secretary of the Wellington Acclimatization Society, or any person authorized by the said Secretary in that behalf, may issue a license in the form set forth in the First Schedule hereto to any person on payment of the sum of five shillings, authorizing the holder to fish for perch in that part of the Wellington Acclimatization District described in the Second Schedule hereto, for the period commencing on the first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and ending on the thirtieth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, both days inclusive.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LICENSE TO FISH FOR PERCH.

Fisheries Act, 1908, and Amendments.

THE holder of this license [Name in full], of [Address], [Calling or occupation], having this day paid the sum of 5s., is hereby authorized to fish for perch within that part of the Wellington Acclimatization District described on the endorsement hereon, from the 1st day of May, 1916, to the 30th day of September, 1916, subject to the said Acts and to the regulations made thereunder for the time being in force in the said district.

Dated at this day of , 1916.

Secretary, Acclimatization Society.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

THE following lagoons in the Palmerston North portion of the Wellington Acclimatization District:—

Mr. F. Robinson's Lagoon, known as Himatangi.

Mr. C. S. Keeble's Lagoon, known as Fitzherbert.

Mr. A. Grant's Lagoon, known as Te Wi-Stoney Creek.

Mr. H. Akers' Lagoon, known as Riversdale, Linton.

Mr. J. C. Batchelor's Lagoon, known as Fitzherbert.

The Hokowhitu Lagoon, and two lagoons on Ruakawa, about four miles from Ashhurst, on Palmerston North side.

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

Approving Blenheim Building Society under the Trustee Amendment Act, 1914.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present:
THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is expedient to approve the Blenheim Building Society as an institution for the purposes of section three of the Trustee Amendment Act, 1914:

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 approve the said Blenheim Building Society as an institution with which, subject to the provisions of the said Act, it shall be lawful for a trustee, unless expressly forbidden by the instrument (if any) creating the trust, to invest any trust funds in his hands on deposit at interest.

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

Amending Order in Council fixing Dues for the Use of the Akaroa Wharf.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the fifteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 91, of the eighteenth day of the same month, the dues and rates specified in the Second Schedule thereto were prescribed for the use of the Akaroa Wharf :

And whereas it is desirable that certain of the dues prescribed in the said Order in Council should be altered :

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 subsection two of section thirteen of the Harbours Act, 1908, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the following charges prescribed by the hereinbefore-recited Order in Council of the fifteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, namely :—

	s.	d.
Calves, one year old and over, each ..	1	2
Calves, under one year old ; sheep, lambs, goats, and pigs ; per score (20) ..	3	4

and doth hereby substitute the following charges in lieu thereof :—

Calves, one year old and over, each ..	0	9
Calves, under one year old ; sheep, lambs, goats, and pigs ; per score (20) or part of a score ..	2	0

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

Cancelling Portion of the License authorizing the Invercargill Borough Council to erect Electric Lines within the Borough of Invercargill, Portion of the Borough of South Invercargill, and Portion of the Southland County.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by a license dated the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and issued under section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911 (and hereinafter referred to as "the said license"), the Invercargill Borough Council was authorized to erect electric lines within the Borough of Invercargill, portion of the Borough of South Invercargill, and portion of the Southland County :

And whereas the South Invercargill Borough Council has made application to have cancelled that portion of the said license which refers to the Borough of South Invercargill, and the Invercargill Borough Council has no objection thereto :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the said section, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby cancel and annul so much of the said license as refers to the Borough of Invercargill South.

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

Closing Makaraka Cemetery, County of Cook.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it appears to the Governor that burials in the Makaraka Cemetery, in the County of Cook, which said cemetery is described in the Schedule hereto,

should be wholly discontinued : And whereas a sufficient cemetery not within the limits of any borough or town district has been provided, and has been prepared for the interment of the dead, as required by the Cemeteries Act, 1908 :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Dominion of New Zealand, and in pursuance of the authorities vested in him by the said Cemeteries Act, 1908, doth hereby order and direct that, from and after the first day of November, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, the Makaraka Cemetery, in the County of Cook, described in the aforesaid Schedule, shall be closed and burials therein discontinued ; and, further, that the said cemetery shall, from and after the said first day of November, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, be vested in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Cook County, under the provisions and for the purposes of the seventy-eighth section of the said Cemeteries Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

MAKARAKA CEMETERY.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres 3 roods, more or less, being Section 5, Block II, Turanganui Survey District. Bounded towards the north by the Taruheru River ; towards the east by the Matawhero B or 5 Block, 835.6 links ; towards the south by a public road, 68.3, 50.1, and 982.5 links ; and towards the west by a domain reserve, 1079.9 links : be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L and S. 2/27, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road permitted to be stopped: 1 acre 2 roods 7.7 perches. Adjoining or passing through Section 155, Horotiu Parish (S.O. 17783), Block XI, Newcastle Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District ; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37705, 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.

Consenting to the Raising of a Loan of £1,200 by the Palmerston North Hospital and Charitable Aid Board.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twenty-six, subsection one, of the Appropriation Act, 1915, it is provided that, notwithstanding any Act to the contrary, it shall not be

lawful or competent for any local authority or for any Harbour Board, during the present war with Germany, to borrow or contract to borrow any money (otherwise than by way of bank overdraft within the limit of its powers, if any, in that behalf), whether from the State Advances Office or from any other source whatever, and whether in pursuance of a special Act or under any other authority whatever, without the precedent consent of the Governor in Council:

And whereas application has been made for the consent of the Governor in Council to enable the Palmerston North Hospital and Charitable Aid Board to raise a loan of one thousand two hundred pounds for the purchase of land adjoining its present property:

And whereas it is expedient that the precedent consent of the Governor in Council should issue:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the borrowing of the said loan by the Palmerston North Hospital and Charitable Aid Board; provided that the rate of interest at which the loan to be raised shall not exceed five and one-quarter per centum per annum. And it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Appropriation Act, 1915, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the raising of the loan hereby authorized.

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

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

RUANGAREHU H 1 part Sub. 1 Block: Approximate area, 8 acres 0 roods 6 perches; Auckland Provincial District.

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

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND PROVINCIAL DISTRICT.

	A.	R.	P.
Waiomatatini Block: Approximate area,	686	0	0
Tutarawananga No. 1 Block	307	1	36
Tutarawananga No. 2 Block	144	0	20
Turitaka Block	165	3	0
Turitaka No. 2 Block	81	1	24
Putiki Block	115	2	0

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

Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

Lor 215, Parish of Waimana: Approximate area, 26 acres 2 roods 29 perches; Auckland Provincial District.

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

Declaring that the Provisions of Section 109 of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, shall apply to a certain Block of Native Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twenty-three of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor may by Order in Council at any time declare that the provisions of section one hundred and nine of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, shall apply

to any block, section, or subdivision of land comprised in leases granted or confirmed under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1881, and the amendments thereof:

And whereas it is expedient that the provisions of section one hundred and nine aforesaid shall apply to the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, for the purchase of which the Crown desires to negotiate:

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 section twenty-three of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the provisions of section one hundred and nine of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, shall apply to the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

SECTION 2, Block I, Cape Survey District (Grant 3839):
Approximate area, 127 acres.

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

Declaring Land to be no longer subject to Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section ninety-six of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time by Order in Council declare that any land subject to Part XIV or XV of the Native Land Act, 1909, and vested in a Maori Land Board, shall no longer be subject to such Parts of that Act, and shall be reverted in the Native owners thereof:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto and known as the Ruapekapeka No. 7a Block is now, by virtue of an Order in Council made on the third day of November, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and by virtue of the provisions of section two hundred and thirty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, subject to Part XIV of the said Act, and vested in the Tokerau District Maori Land Board accordingly:

And whereas the Governor is satisfied that the said land is not subject to any lease, license, contract for sale, or other alienation, and that no moneys are charged on the said land or on the revenue thereof in accordance with the said Act or under any other authority:

And whereas it is expedient that the said land should cease to be subject to Part XIV of the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section ninety-six of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall no longer be subject to Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

ALL those parcels of land in two pieces, together containing by admeasurement 140 acres 2 roods 12 perches, more or less, situated in the Hukerenui Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Ruapekapeka No. 7a Block, the north-western portion being bounded towards the north by the Huiarau Block; towards the east generally by a road, the crossing of a road, Ruapekapeka No. 7e Block, and a road; towards the south generally by Ruapekapeka No. 7b Block, the crossing of a road, and Ruapekapeka No. 7f Block; and towards the north-west by Section 1 of Block I, Hukerenui Survey District: save and excepting a road intersecting the land herein described, the south-eastern portion being bounded towards the north by Ruapekapeka No. 7d Block, towards the east by Ruapekapeka No. 5 Block, and towards the west by a road.

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

Declaring Land to be no longer subject to Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section ninety-six of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time by Order in Council declare that any land subject to Part XIV or XV of the Native Land Act, 1909, and vested in a Maori Land Board, shall no longer be subject to such Parts of that Act, and shall be reverted in the Native owners thereof:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto, and known as Whangaihe No. 3 Block, is now, by virtue of an Order in Council made on the thirtieth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and by virtue of the provisions of section two hundred and thirty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, subject to Part XIV of the said Act, and vested in the Tokerau District Maori Land Board accordingly:

And whereas the Governor is satisfied that the said land is not subject to any lease, license, contract for sale, or other alienation, and that no moneys are charged on the said land or on the revenue thereof in accordance with the said Act or under any other authority:

And whereas it is expedient that the said land should cease to be subject to Part XIV of the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section ninety-six of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall no longer be subject to Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 350 acres, more or less, situated in the Whangaroa Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as the Whangaihe No. 3 Block. Bounded towards the north-east generally by the ocean and Whangaihe Nos. 2 and 1 Blocks, towards the south-east by the Wainui No. 2 Block, towards the south-west by Crown land, and towards the north-west by Kairawaru Block.

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

Declaring Land to be no longer subject to Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section ninety-six of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time by Order in Council declare that any land subject to Part XIV or XV of the Native Land Act, 1909, and vested in a Maori Land Board, shall no longer be subject to such Parts of that Act, and shall be reverted in the Native owners thereof:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto, and known as Pipiwai 2d Block, is now, by virtue of an Order in Council made on the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and by virtue of the provisions of section two hundred and thirty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, subject to Part XIV of the said Act, and vested in the Tokerau District Maori Land Board accordingly:

And whereas the Governor is satisfied that the said land is not subject to any lease, license, contract for sale, or other alienation, and that no moneys are charged on the said land or on the revenue thereof in accordance with the said Act or under any other authority:

And whereas it is expedient that the said land should cease to be subject to Part XIV of the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section ninety-six of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall no longer be subject to Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land known as Pipiwai No. 2b Block, containing 116 acres 0 roods 15 perches, situated in the Mangakahia Survey District, and being the lands described in the partition order of the Native Land Court dated the 12th November, 1908.

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

Declaring Land to be no longer subject to Part XV of the Native Land Act, 1909.

**LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section ninety-six of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time by Order in Council declare that any land subject to Part XIV or XV of the Native Land Act, 1909, and vested in a Maori Land Board, shall no longer be subject to such Parts of that Act, and shall be re-vested in the Native owners thereof :

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto, and known as Paeroa 2E 4 Block, is now, by virtue of an Order in Council dated the fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and issued under the provisions of section eight of the Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905, and by virtue of the provisions of section two hundred and thirty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, subject to Part XV of the said Act, and vested in the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board accordingly.

And whereas the Governor is satisfied that the said land is not subject to any lease, license, contract for sale, or other alienation, and that no moneys are charged on the said land or on the revenue thereof in accordance with the said Act or under any other authority :

And whereas it is expedient that the said land should cease to be subject to Part XV of the said Act :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section ninety-six of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall no longer be subject to Part XV of the Native Land Act, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land known as Paeroa No. 2E 4 Block, containing 39 acres 0 roods 3 perches, more or less, situate in Block XIII, Opoiti Survey District, in the Land District of Hawke's Bay. Bounded on the north by Kahuroa Stream ; on the east by Paeroa 2B Block, the crossing of a road, and by Paeroa 2C Block ; on the south by Paeroa 2F Block ; and on the west by Paeroa 2E 3 Block.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Declaring Land to be no longer subject to Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909.

**LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section ninety-six of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time by Order in Council

declare that any land subject to Part XIV or XV of the Native Land Act, 1909, and vested in a Maori Land Board, shall no longer be subject to such Parts of that Act, and shall be re-vested in the Native owners thereof :

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto, and known as Ruapekapeka No. 7c, is now, by virtue of an Order in Council made on the third day of November, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and by virtue of the provisions of section two hundred and thirty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, subject to Part XIV of the said Act, and vested in the Tokerau District Maori Land Board accordingly :

And whereas the Governor is satisfied that the said land is not subject to any lease, license, contract for sale, or other alienation, and that no moneys are charged on the said land or on the revenue thereof in accordance with the said Act or under any other authority :

And whereas it is expedient that the said land should cease to be subject to Part XIV of the said Act :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section ninety-six of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall no longer be subject to Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 140 acres 0 roods 16 perches, more or less, situated in the Hukerenui Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Ruapekapeka No. 7c Block. Bounded towards the north-east by a road ; towards the south-east by Section 84, Block V, Hukerenui Survey District ; towards the south-west by Ruapekapeka Nos. 6B, 6A, and again by 6B Blocks ; and towards the north-west by Ruapekapeka No. 7B Block.

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

Declaring Land to be no longer subject to Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909.

**LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section ninety-six of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor in Council may from time to time by Order in Council declare that any land subject to Part XIV or XV of the Native Land Act, 1909, and vested in a Maori Land Board, shall no longer be subject to such Parts of that Act, and shall be re-vested in the Native owners thereof :

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto, and known as Te Pikinga Block, is now, by virtue of an Order in Council made on the fifth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and by virtue of the provisions of section two hundred and thirty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, subject to Part XIV of the said Act, and vested in the Tokerau District Maori Land Board accordingly :

And whereas the Governor is satisfied that the said land is not subject to any lease, license, contract for sale, or other alienation, and that no moneys are charged on the said land or on the revenue thereof in accordance with the said Act or under any other authority :

And whereas it is expedient that the said land should cease to be subject to Part XIV of the said Act :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section ninety-six of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall no longer be subject to Part XIV of the Native Land Act, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 30 acres, more or less, situated in the Hokianga Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland, and known as Te Pikinga Block. Bounded towards the north-east by the Pakia Block,

towards the south-east by Waiwhatawhata Block, towards the south-west by the Hunoke Block, and towards the north-west by the Hokianga River (save and except roads which intersect).

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas a parcel of land known as Nuhaka 2d 2c 4 has, by an Order in Council dated the eighteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eight, been brought under the provisions of Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909: And whereas application has been made to revoke the said Order in Council in so far as it affects the said parcel of land:

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the said Order in Council in so far as it affects Nuhaka 2d 2c 4; and it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas a parcel of land known as Nuhaka 2d 2e 1 has, by an Order in Council dated the eighteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eight, been brought under the provisions of Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909: And whereas application has been made to revoke the said Order in Council in so far as it affects the said parcel of land:

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the said Order in Council in so far as it affects Nuhaka 2d 2e 1 Block; and it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor in Council to the proceedings hereby authorized.

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

Declaring Portion of the Waiouru-Tokaanu Road, in the Waimarino County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
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 county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Wellington Land District, Waimarino County, known as the Waiouru-Tokaanu Road, commencing at its junction with the Ohakune-Waiouru and Waiouru-Taihape Roads, and proceeding in a north-easterly direction, adjoining or passing through Section 7, Town of Waiouru, Block IX, Moawhango Survey District, Waiouru Reserve, and part Rangituhia Block, Block IX aforesaid, and terminating at a point one mile from the aforesaid junction: being a distance of eighty chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 40005, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring Portion of the Mangahouhou Road, in the Hawke's Bay County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
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 county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, Hawke's Bay County, known as Mangahouhou Road, commencing at a point marked B on the eastern boundary of Section 5, Block XI, Patoka Survey District, about a quarter of a mile on the Ngaroto side of the Mangaoe Stream Bridge, and proceeding thence in a north-westerly direction generally, adjoining or passing through the said Section 5, and terminating at a point F on the northern boundary of the said section opposite the Waihau Homestead; being a distance

of three miles, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39965, 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.

Declaring Portions of the Opotiki-Motu Road, in the Opotiki County, to be County Roads.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
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 road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become county roads.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of the Opotiki-Motu Road, situated in the Auckland Land District, Opotiki County, commencing at a point in Section 5, Block V, Waiawa Survey District, at the crossing known as the Willow Ford (bridge-site) on the Waiawa River, near the junction with the Te Whaiti Stream, and proceeding thence in a south-easterly direction generally, adjoining or passing through Sections part 5, 4, 3, and 6, Blocks V, IX, and X, Waiawa Survey District, Section 1, Blocks IX and X, Section 3, Block IX, Sections 3 and 4, Block X, and Section 2, Block IX, and terminating at a ford near the northernmost corner of forest reserve, Block XIV, Waiawa Survey District; being a distance of five miles and a half, more or less.

Also all that portion of the said Opotiki-Motu Road commencing at a point on the southern boundary of Section 1, Block XV, Waiawa Survey District, and proceeding thence in a southerly direction generally, adjoining or passing through Section 2, Block XV, Waiawa Survey District, Sections 1, part 2, and stock reserve, Block III, Urutawa Survey District, and terminating at the south-western corner of the said stock reserve; being a distance of two miles, more or less.

As the said portions of road are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39977, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

License authorizing the Pahiatua Borough Council to erect Electric Lines within the Borough of Pahiatua.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, it is provided that no person shall lay, construct, place, put up, or use any electric line except under the authority of a license issued by the Governor in Council under that Act :

And whereas the Pahiatua Borough Council (hereinafter referred to as "the licensee") desires to erect lines within the area of supply as defined in the Schedule hereto, and hereinafter called "the area of supply," and it is expedient accordingly to issue a license in respect thereof under the said section :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the said section, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the

said Dominion, doth, subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto, and to the regulations made under section two of the aforesaid Act, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* dated the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and hereinafter referred to as "the regulations," hereby authorize the licensee to erect and maintain electric lines for lighting, power, and heating purposes within the area of supply hereinafter described.

SCHEDULE.

1. AREA OF SUPPLY.

THE area of supply comprises the Borough of Pahiatua as at present constituted, the boundaries of such borough being shown by a distinctive border coloured red on P.W.D. 39591, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

2. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

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

The generating voltage shall be approximately 460 to 520 volts between the terminals.

3. DATUM TEMPERATURE.

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

4. NOTICES *re* EXTENSIONS, ETC.

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

5. CHARGES FOR ELECTRIC ENERGY.

The charge for electrical energy shall not exceed 1s. per unit for lighting purposes, and 4d. per unit for motor-power, heating, or cooking purposes; provided that "lighting purposes" shall include the operation of motor generators for lighting purposes.

6. DURATION OF LICENSE.

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

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

Portion of the Northern Side of Charles Street, Linwood Ward, in the City of Christchurch, 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 Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas by subsection two of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, 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 Christchurch 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") has passed the following resolution—viz., "That the Christchurch City Council, being the local authority having control of Charles Street, Linwood Ward of the City of Christchurch, hereby resolves that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to that portion of the north side of Charles Street lying between Osborne Street and Ensors Road":

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved in so far only as it refers to the northern 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 northern side of the said portion of street within a distance of thirty feet of the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Charles Street, Linwood Ward, City of Christchurch, Canterbury Land District, situated between Osborne Street and Ensors Road. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39734, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

Portion of the Hope Main Road, in the Waimea County, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

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

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

And whereas the Waimea County Council, being the local authority having control of the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto did on the second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, pass the following resolution—viz., "The Waimea County Council, being the local authority having control of that portion of the Hope Main Road fronting Section 114, Block VI, Waimea Survey District, by resolution declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the said portion of the Hope Main Road":

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the above-in-part-recited Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the said resolution.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of the Hope Main Road, situated in the Nelson Land District, Waimea County, adjoining Section 114, Block VI, Waimea Survey District. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39805, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Taranaki Provincial War Relief Association incorporated under the War Funds Act, 1915.

LIVERPOOL, Governor. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twelve of the War Funds Act, 1915 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is provided that the Governor may, by Order in Council gazetted, incorporate a society possessing a war fund, or the trustees of such fund: And whereas application, in writing addressed to the Minister, has been made by the Taranaki Provincial War Relief Association (being a society possessing a war fund), praying for the incorporation of that association: And whereas it is considered desirable to grant such application:

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 acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the association known as the Taranaki Provincial War Relief Association is hereby incorporated for the purposes of the said Act as from the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, and shall be known as the "Taranaki Provincial War Relief Association."

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £3,500. Taihape Borough Council.

LIVERPOOL, Governor. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of April, 1916.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Taihape Borough Council lately proposed to raise a loan of three thousand five hundred pounds, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), for procuring and supplying supplementary plant for the water and electric-lighting works of the borough:

And whereas the proceedings in connection with the poll of ratepayers taken upon the proposal were irregular, in that, firstly, the notice pursuant to section nine of the said Act was not published once in each week for four successive weeks as by the said section provided, and, secondly, in that the term of the proposed loan (namely, thirty-six years) was omitted from the said notice:

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on him by section one hundred and eleven of the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby validate the said proceedings, and declare that the same shall be as valid as though the said notice had been duly published and had contained the said term of the proposed loan, and that the said proceedings shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularities aforesaid.

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

Special Shooting Season for Imported and Native Game, License Fee, &c., Coromandel Acclimatization District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby exempt from the operation of section twenty-six of the said Act the Coromandel Acclimatization District, and do hereby notify that the following imported game—viz., cock pheasants—may be killed within

the Coromandel Acclimatization District, comprising the County of Coromandel and Gannet Island (except in the areas mentioned in the Schedule hereto), from the first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, both days inclusive; and do hereby restrict the number of cock pheasants that may be killed by any one person in any one day to twelve. And I do further notify that licenses to kill such imported game within the said district shall be issued to any person on payment of the sum of twenty shillings each; and the Postmasters at Whitianga, Cabbage Bay, Kuaotuna, and Coromandel are hereby appointed to sign and issue the said licenses to kill imported game.

And I do further notify that the following native game—viz., grey duck, spoonbill duck, teal, black swan, and pukeko—may be killed within the above-mentioned district (except in the areas mentioned in the Schedule hereto) from the first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, both days inclusive; and do hereby restrict the number of such native game that may be killed by any one person in any one day to not more than twenty-five head in all.

SCHEDULE.

AREAS WHEREIN IMPORTED AND NATIVE GAME SHALL NOT BE KILLED.

GANNET Island.

All lands notified or set apart as sanctuaries or reserves for the preservation of imported or native game.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Special Regulations for Deer-shooting, Waitaki.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

REGULATIONS.

1. NOTWITHSTANDING anything contained in the regulations made under the Animals Protection Act, 1908, dated 11th March, 1916, the Secretary of the Waitaki Acclimatization Society at Oamaru, or any person or persons duly authorized in writing by such Secretary, may, during the period hereinafter mentioned, kill red and fallow deer of either sex and of any age which, in the opinion of the said Secretary or of the said authorized persons, should be destroyed either by reason of age, deformity, or other physical imperfection.

2. Such deer may be destroyed as aforesaid from the date hereof to 31st December, 1916.

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

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

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

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Special Regulations for Deer-shooting, Otago.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

REGULATIONS.

1. NOTWITHSTANDING anything contained in the regulations made under the Animals Protection Act, 1908, dated 21st March, 1916, the Secretary of the Otago Acclimatization Society at Dunedin, or any person or persons duly authorized in writing by such Secretary, may, during the period hereinafter mentioned, kill red and fallow deer of either sex and of any age which, in the opinion of the said Secretary or of the said authorized persons, should be destroyed either by reason of age, deformity, or other physical imperfection.

2. Such deer may be destroyed as aforesaid from the date hereof to 31st December, 1916.

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

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

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

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Special Shooting Season for Native Game, Chatham Islands.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby exempt from the operation of section twenty-six of the said Act the Chatham Islands County, comprising the Chatham Islands; and do notify that the following native game—namely, grey duck, black swan, pukeko, and teal—may be killed within the said Chatham Islands County from the first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, both days inclusive.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Appointing Commissioners to classify Pastoral Run in Nelson 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

GEORGE WALKER,
WILLIAM CHARLES BAIGENT, and
FREDERICK AUGUSTUS THOMPSON

Commissioners to classify and report to me upon the rural lands in the Nelson Land District known as Pastoral Run No. 19, Tairādale, containing 160,000 acres, as provided by the said section two hundred and twenty-five.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of a Reserve in the Town of Foxton, 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 reserve described in the Schedule hereto from a site for a post-office and telegraph-station to a reserve for railway purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section 583, Town of Foxton. Bounded towards the north by Government reserve, 200 links; towards the east by Main Street, 125 links; towards the south by a closed street, 200 links; and towards the west by Government reserve, 125 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. VI/3 (35), deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this eighth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Raurimu Public Cemetery appointed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the fourth section of the Cemeteries Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

WILLIAM CROFT,
JOHN CONNORS, and
BENJAMIN LENORD KNIGHT

to be Trustees, in the place of Charles Philip Smith, William Joseph Woolston, and Thomas Ernest James Mincher, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Raurimu Public Cemetery, in conjunction with John McLennan and Frederick Rowland Lacon, previously appointed.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Notifying Lands in Wellington Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-twenty-sixth 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 Tuesday, the twentieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, as the time at which the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF OHAKUNE.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
3	VI	0 0 33	40 0 0
4	"	0 0 38	50 0 0
6	"	0 1 0	50 0 0

Situated in Borough of Ohakune, near Mangawhero River. Open land, with soil of a pumiceous nature on volcanic-grit formation.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Notifying Lands in Wellington Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-twenty-sixth 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 Thursday, the twenty-second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, as the time at which the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Price.
<i>Town of Ohango.—Kaitieke County.</i>			
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
2	VIII	0 0 32	35 0 0
3	"	0 0 32	35 0 0
4	"	0 0 32	35 0 0
5	"	0 0 32	50 0 0
6	"	0 0 30	30 0 0
7	"	0 0 30	50 0 0
8	"	0 0 33	30 0 0
9	"	0 0 33	30 0 0
10	"	0 0 33	50 0 0
1	IX	0 0 32	50 0 0
2	"	0 0 32	25 0 0
3	"	0 0 32	25 0 0
6	"	0 0 32	50 0 0
7	"	0 0 32	25 0 0
9	"	0 0 32	25 0 0
10	"	0 0 32	40 0 0
1	X	0 0 32	40 0 0
2	"	0 0 32	20 0 0
3	"	0 0 32	20 0 0
4	"	0 0 32	20 0 0
5	"	0 0 32	35 0 0
6	"	0 0 32	35 0 0
7	"	0 0 32	20 0 0
9	"	0 0 32	20 0 0
10	"	0 0 32	30 0 0
1	XI	0 0 32	20 0 0
8	"	0 0 32	15 0 0
9	"	0 0 32	15 0 0
10	"	0 0 32	20 0 0
3	XII	0 0 33	40 0 0
5	"	0 0 33	30 0 0
6	"	0 0 33	40 0 0
1	XIII	0 1 0	25 0 0
2	"	0 1 0	25 0 0
3	"	0 1 0	25 0 0
4	"	0 1 0	25 0 0
5	"	0 1 0	20 0 0
1	XIV	0 1 0	30 0 0
2	"	0 1 0	15 0 0
1	XV	0 1 0	25 0 0
2	"	0 1 0	15 0 0

Owango is situated on the North Island Main Trunk Railway, 191 miles from Auckland and fifteen miles south of Taumarunui. The main road passes through the town, and Hikimutu, Kawatahi, and Oio No. 2 Roads converge upon it. The sections for the most part comprise flat land, a small portion being natural clearing. The remainder is covered with bush and scrub. The soil varies in quality from light pumice to sandy loam, partly on clay and partly on pumice subsoil.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

*Limits of Upper Waihou Harbour.***LIVERPOOL, Governor.**

IN pursuance of the power and authority in me vested by the sixth section of the Harbours Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby define the limits of the Harbour of Upper Waihou, in the said Dominion, to be—

“All that part of the Waihou River extending downstream from the Shaftesbury Bridge to the southern boundary of the Thames Harbour District, together with portions of the tributaries Hikutaia Stream and Ohinemuri River. As the said area is delineated on the plan marked M.D. 4610, deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington.”

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Marine.

Members of Raurimu Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 17th April, 1916.

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

WILLIAM CROFT,
JOHN CONNORS, and
BENJAMIN LENORD KNIGHT

to be members of the Raurimu Domain Board, in place of Charles Philip Smith, William Joseph Woolston, and John William Massey Singleton, who have resigned.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

Inspector of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 1st May, 1916.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant WILLIAM JOHN QUINN

to be an Inspector under the Factories Act, 1908. The appointment is dated the 22nd day of April, 1916.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Appointment of Members of Westport Harbour Board.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 29th April, 1916.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of the provisions of section 5 of the Harbours Amendment Act, 1910, and of subsection (2) of section 2 of the Westport Harbour Amendment Act, 1912, appointed

HUGH GILLEN,
JAMES HORACE GREENWOOD, and
LESLIE DUNCAN MACGEORGE

to be members of the Westport Harbour Board.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Marine.

Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 1st May, 1916.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS WILLIAM TAYLER

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Temuka, *vice* H. B. Reid, transferred.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Justice.

Chairman of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 1st May, 1916.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

FRANCIS VERNON FRAZER, Esq., S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Manakau and Franklin, *vice* E. Page, Esq., S.M.

ROBERT McNAB,
Minister of Justice.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1916

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

Name.	District.
JOHN CORMACK	East Taieri.
ALBERT ERNEST MOORE	Ngaruawahia.
LILIAN SOPHIA HILL	Orepuki.

W. W. COOK,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Appointments of Officers of the New Zealand Staff Corps and Royal New Zealand Artillery.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 22nd April, 1916.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the appointments of the undermentioned officers of the New Zealand Staff Corps and the Regiment of Royal New Zealand Artillery :—

New Zealand Staff Corps.

The undermentioned Staff Cadets (Royal Australian Military College) to be Lieutenants. Dated 4th April, 1916 :—
Leonard George Goss.
Keith Lindsay Stewart.
Donald Hamish William Hawken Donaldson.

The Regiment of Royal New Zealand Artillery.

The undermentioned Staff Cadets (Royal Australian Military College) to be Lieutenants. Dated 4th April, 1916 :—
Graham Beresford Parkinson.
James Byrt Jordan.
James Thomas Kibblewhite.
William Ivory.
Ronald Stuart Park.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

New Zealand Military Forces.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 29th April, 1916.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments :—

Commands and Staff.

Major-General Sir Alexander John Godley K.C.M.G., C.B., to be temporary Lieutenant-General. Dated 25th November, 1915.
Brigadier-General Sir Andrew Hamilton Russell, K.C.M.G., A.D.C., to be temporary Major-General. Dated 27th November, 1915.
Colonel Edward Walter Clervaux Chaytor, C.B., to be temporary Brigadier-General. Dated 21st December, 1915.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Alexander Burnett Charters to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 21st October, 1915.
Lieutenant-Colonel James Jacob Esson, A.Q.M.G., to be Colonel. Dated 1st January, 1916.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) George Thompson Hall to be a Staff Officer with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st January, 1915.

General Staff Officers.

1st Grade.—Major William Richard Pinwill, “The King’s Liverpool Regiment,” General Staff Officer, 2nd Grade, and to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonel whilst so employed. Dated 21st December, 1915.
2nd Grade.—Major Arthur Cecil Temperley, Norfolk Regiment, *vice* Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) William Richard Pinwill, “The King’s Liverpool Regiment.” Dated 21st December, 1915.
Major Hector Gowans Reid, D.A.Q.M.G., to be A.A. and Q.M.G., with the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst so employed. Dated 7th December, 1915.
Major Murray Menzies Gardner to be D.A.Q.M.G. Dated 7th December, 1915.
Captain C. W. Melvill to be a Brigade Major with the temporary rank of Major whilst so employed. Dated 7th December, 1915.
Captain A. G. McNeill, Royal Engineers, to be temporary Major whilst Acting C.R.E. of a division. Dated 30th November, 1915.

ESTABLISHMENTS.—MOUNTED TROOPS.

Auckland Mounted Rifles.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 21st October, 1915 :—

- No. 13/631. Regimental Sergeant-Major Douglas Manners.
- No. 13/264. Staff Sergeant-major Frank Allsopp.
- No. 13/404. Staff Sergeant-major Alexander Martin.
- No. 13/301. Regimental Quartermaster-Sergeant Vernon Clifton Bigg-Withers.
- No. 13/991. Staff Sergeant-major William Henry Coates.
- No. 13/70. Sergeant Arthur Charles Hinman.

Wellington Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant John Burnett Davis to be temporary Captain. Dated 22nd October, 1915.

Canterbury Mounted Rifles.

Lieutenant Cuthbert William Free to be temporary Captain. Dated 21st October, 1915.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 21st October, 1915 :—

- No. 7/109, Sergeant A. E. T. Rhodes.
- No. 7/612, Regimental Sergeant-major Gerald Lomax Stedman.
- No. 7/92, Sergeant William Barnet Menzies.
- No. 7/735, Sergeant Duncan Bain Murchuson.
- No. 7/103, Sergeant Roy Simpson Priest.
- No. 7/149, Staff Sergeant-major John Leslie Wilson.
- No. 517, Sergeant Robert Paul Harper.
- No. 7/516, Sergeant C. G. Harper.
- No. 7/157, Quartermaster-Sergeant A. Anderson, and to be temporary Quartermaster.

New Zealand Field Artillery.

Major Ivon Tatham Stanlish to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd February, 1916.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 5th December, 1915 :—

- Frederick Malcolm Turner.
- Stanley William Morton.
- Norman Harry Purdy.
- Walter Lancelot Moore.
- James Gordon Jeffery.
- Henry Purse Warnock.
- William John Baxter.
- Henry Macdougall.
- Philip John Ellis.
- Victor George Jones.
- James Girdwood McKenzie.

Corps of New Zealand Engineers.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains :—

- Charles Darwin Cooke. Dated 17th November, 1915.
- Edward James Hulbert. Dated 18th November, 1915.

2nd Lieutenant Henry Masterton Clark to be temporary Lieutenant. Dated 23rd January, 1915.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be temporary Lieutenants :—

- Ralph John Black. Dated 15th November, 1915.
- C. W. Salmon. Dated 15th November, 1915.
- Horace William Newman. Dated 15th November, 1915.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants :—

- No. 4/881, Staff Sergeant-major (temporary Second Lieutenant) Thomas Dollimore. Dated 21st October, 1915.
- No. 4/115A, Sergeant (temporary Second Lieutenant) Horace William Newman. Dated 21st October, 1915.
- No. 4/501, Sergeant Wilfred Fosberry Stilwell. Dated 9th November, 1915.

NEW ZEALAND INFANTRY.

Staff.

Major Robert Oswald Chesney to be Brigade Major. Dated 10th November, 1915.

Captain Francis Henry Lampden to be a Staff Captain. Dated 11th November, 1915.

2nd Lieutenant Alexander Smith Falconer to be Orderly Officer. Dated 9th August, 1915.

Auckland Regiment.

Captain Charles Eric Andrews to be temporary Major whilst in command of a company. Dated 18th November, 1915.

Wellington Regiment.

Lieutenant William Eugene Stafford Furby to be Captain. Dated 22nd September, 1915.

Lieutenant Frank Kingdon Turnbull to be temporary Captain. Dated 21st October, 1915.

2nd Lieutenant Percy James North to be temporary Quartermaster. Dated 11th October, 1915.

No. 11/102, Sergeant Ewen MacIntyre to be 2nd Lieutenant, and is temporarily appointed Adjutant. Dated 21st October, 1915.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 21st October, 1915 :—

- No. 10/281, Sergeant-major C. C. Brinsley.
- No. 10/990, Sergeant S. G. Guthrie.
- No. 10/132, Sergeant C. A. Bicknell.
- No. 11/1400, Sergeant D. E. Batchelor.
- No. 11/1398, Corporal E. G. Williams.
- No. 11/74, Sergeant Caro James Pierce.
- No. 11/489, Sergeant Cecil Howard Melbon Allison.
- No. 11/1395, Corporal A. L. O. Hewitt.
- No. 11/31, Sergeant Ian Barton Cruickshank.
- No. 11/736A, Sergeant Edward Stewart Fossett.
- No. 11/1247, Sergeant W. G. Lyons.
- No. 11/179, Sergeant C. B. Easter.
- No. 15/47, Sapper Abraham Hall.
- No. 10/162, Regimental Quartermaster-Sergeant James Type Dallinger.
- No. 11/74, Sergeant-major Edward Levien.

Canterbury Regiment.

Major Robert Amos Row to be temporary Lieutenant-Colonel whilst in command. Dated 3rd November, 1915.

Major Robert Amos Row relinquishes the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th November, 1915.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Robert Young to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th November, 1915.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors :—

- Peter Bain Henderson. Dated 11th August, 1915.
- Arthur Cunliffe Bernard Critchley-Salmonson (Adjutant). Dated 25th September, 1915, and to remain seconded.

Nathan William Benjamin Butler Thoms. Dated 25th September, 1915, and to remain seconded.

Felix Ballard Brown. Dated 25th September, 1915.

Captain Hugh Stewart to be temporary Major. Dated 21st October, 1915.

Lieutenant Albert Edward Conway to be Captain. Dated 25th September, 1915.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 21st October, 1915 :—

- No. 6/718, Company Quartermaster Sergeant T. W. L. Rutherford.
- No. 6/838, Company Sergeant-major J. W. Langridge.

Otago Regiment.

The undermentioned Captains to be temporary Majors Dated 21st October, 1915 :—

- Duncan Colquhoun.
- David White.

Lieutenant Louis Geldart Wilson to be temporary Captain. Dated 21st October, 1915.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be temporary Lieutenants. Dated 21st October, 1915 :—

- Alexander Smith Falconer.
- Henry Robert Ker.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 21st October, 1915 :—

- No. 9/571, Regimental Sergeant-major Sydney Wood.
- No. 11/1623, Sergeant James Edward Biggar.
- No. 9/688, Quartermaster-Sergeant Albert Arthur Chapman.
- No. 9/573, Sergeant Phillip Dorham Russell.
- No. 9/783, Sergeant Ernest Richard Black.
- No. 8/626, Quartermaster-Sergeant Augustus Phillip McCormac.

New Zealand Medical Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Mackie Begg, to be temporary Colonel whilst employed as Assistant Director of Medical Services. Dated 12th November, 1915.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Colonel) Charles Mackie Begg relinquishes his temporary rank and appointment as Assistant Director of Medical Services. Dated 5th January, 1916.

Lieutenant-Colonel Eugene Joseph O'Neill to be temporary Assistant Director of Medical Services. Dated 5th January, 1916.

Lieutenant-Colonel Percival Clennell Fenwick to be Senior Medical Officer. Dated 1st August, 1915.

Major Mathew Holmes to be Deputy Assistant Director of Medical Services. Dated 12th November, 1915.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Henry Perkes, M.D., to be temporary Colonel whilst employed as Deputy Director of Medical Services. Dated 1st January, 1915.

New Zealand Chaplains Department.

The Reverend Arthur Mitchell, Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, to be 3rd Class. Dated 1st January, 1916.

New Zealand Army Ordnance Corps.

No. 12/689. Sergeant Alfred James Bond to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 19th January, 1916.

New Zealand Pay Corps.

No. 15/121. Sergeant James Seaton Martin to be Honorary Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1916.

New Zealand Rifles.

Major Murray Menzies Gardner to be Brigade Major.
Captain Thomas Ralph Eastwood to be Staff Captain.
Captain Alfred James Powley to be temporary Adjutant.
Band-Sergeant P. E. Cole to be Honorary 2nd Lieutenant.
Dated 11th January, 1916.

Maori Contingent.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 15th November, 1915:—

No. 15/161. Sergeant-major Henry Ray Vercoe.

No. 16/518. Sergeant Edward Renata Muhunga Broughton.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Appointment of Officers to New Zealand Military Forces.

Department of Defence.

Wellington, 29th April, 1916.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned appointments of officers to the New Zealand Military Forces with the ranks specified, and with effect from 29th April, 1916:—

Mounted Rifles.

Captain Thomas Butler Bax, late 9th (Wellington East Coast) Mounted Rifles.
2nd Lieutenant Alexander Rueil Livingstone, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant Alexander Byers Johnstone, Unattached List (b), General List.

New Zealand Field Artillery.

Lieutenant William Henry Jones, "F" Battery.
2nd Lieutenant William Eric Maitland Lees, Unattached List (b) General List.
2nd Lieutenant James Alexander Guild, Unattached List (b), General List.

New Zealand Engineers.

Lieutenant Silston Cory-Wright, New Zealand Garrison Artillery, Auckland Division.
2nd Lieutenant Edward Morton, Unattached List (b), General List.

Signal Units.

2nd Lieutenant James Francis Flynn, Unattached List (b), General List.

Cyclist Units.

Major Charles Hellier Davis Evans, Reserve of Officers, 9th (Wellington East Coast) Mounted Rifles.
2nd Lieutenant James Thompson Steven, 8th (South Canterbury) Mounted Rifles.
2nd Lieutenant George Leslie Comer, 10th (Nelson) Mounted Rifles.
2nd Lieutenant George Clark-Walker, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant Charles George Gordon Johnston, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant Reginald William Kebell, Unattached List (b), General List.

Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Roy William Cumming, 16th (Waikato) Regiment.
Captain Lawrence Victor Porteous, Unattached List (b).
Captain James Blackwood Neely, 3rd (Auckland) Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own).

Lieutenant (*temp.* Captain) John Henry Grover, New Zealand Staff Corps.

Lieutenant Ernest Edmund Somervell, Unattached List (b).

Lieutenant Lawrence Henry Gillett, 16th (Waikato) Regiment.

Lieutenant Colin McGregor Littlejohn, Unattached List (b).

Lieutenant Alfred George Bryan, Unattached List (b), General List.

Lieutenant George Brooke Carter, Reserve of Officers, New Zealand Garrison Artillery.

2nd Lieutenant Thomas Brewer, 3rd (Auckland) Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own), Coast Defence Detachment.

2nd Lieutenant John Southward, Unattached List (b).

2nd Lieutenant John James Kernohan, 4th (Otago) Regiment, Coast Defence Detachment.

2nd Lieutenant Arthur Sager Bailey, Unattached List (b).

2nd Lieutenant Frederick Russell Baker, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Reginald George Armitage, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Frederick Edwin Ashby, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Walter George Gibbs, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant William Nixon Elliott, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant William Scott-Higginson, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant John Grierson Foster, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Henry Sorley Maclean, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Walter William Chapman, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Lionel Marmaduke Dixon, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Andrew Douglas Bremner, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Frederick William Medcalf, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Digory Warne Pearce, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Arthur Armstrong Edward Pennefather, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Victor R. S. Scott, Unattached List (b), General List.

New Zealand Rifles.

Captain Charles John Hollard, Reserve of Officers, 17th (Ruahine) Regiment.

Lieutenant John Peter Shea, New Zealand Garrison Artillery, Auckland Division.

2nd Lieutenant Thomas Brown, Unattached List (b).

2nd Lieutenant Alexander Hamilton, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant John Patterson Jerrat, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Arthur Clifford Long, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant James Harold Clark, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Geoffrey Fitzhardinge Kingscote, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Selwyn Gorton Woods, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Francis Taylor Pennington, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant William Robert Setter, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Charles Cairns Best, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Robert Joseph Grant, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Athelstone Harold Marshall, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Robert Goldsman, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Edward Hulbert, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Alexander Gunn Polson, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant James Russell, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Robert William Turner, Unattached List (b), General List.

2nd Lieutenant Erling Ziesler, Unattached List (b), General List.

New Zealand Army Service Corps.

2nd Lieutenant George Gabriell Stephenson, Unattached List (b), General List.

New Zealand Medical Corps.

Captain Herbert Miller Hay.
 Captain Rex Carrington Brewster.
 Captain Oswald James Reid.
 Captain Alexander Kinder.
 Captain William Henry Simpson.

New Zealand Chaplains Department.

The Rev. Henry Clark, Chaplain to the Forces, 4th class.
 J. ALLEN,
 Minister of Defence.

Disbandment of a Defence Rifle Club.

Department of Defence,
 Wellington, 22nd April, 1916.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the disbandment, under section 43 (1) and (2), and section 44 of the Defence Act, 1909, of the under-mentioned Defence Rifle Club:—

The Pohokura Defence Rifle Club,
 with headquarters at Pohokura, Stratford (Wellington Military District).
 Date of disbandment, 18th April, 1916.

J. ALLEN,
 Minister of Defence.

Special Order made by the Taranaki County Council altering Boundaries of Moa Road District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
 Wellington, 3rd May, 1916.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
 Minister of Internal Affairs.

COUNTY OF TARANAKI.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 10 of the Road Boards Act, 1908, and section 34 of the Counties Amendment Act, 1913, the Council of the County of Taranaki resolves, by way of special order, that the portion of the Moa Road District as described in the Schedule hereunder be annexed to the adjoining outlying district of the Mangorei Riding of the County of Taranaki, and cease to form part of the Moa Road District as from the date of the coming into force of this special order—namely, 31st March, 1917.

Schedule.

All that area in the Provincial District of Taranaki bounded as follows: Commencing from a point the summit of Mount Egmont; thence bounded generally towards the north-west by a right line to the source of the Waiwakaiho Stream; thence by a line along the middle of the Waiwakaiho Stream to a point where the Waiwakaiho Stream is intercepted by the Junction Road; thence along the northern boundary of the said Junction Road to the Waiongona Stream; thence generally towards the south-west by the east side of the Waiongona Stream to the Bedford Road; thence by the north side of the Bedford Road to a point in line with the north-west boundary of Section 1, Block 8, Egmont Survey District; thence by a right line across the Bedford Road and the north-west and part of the south-west boundaries of the said Section 1 to the northern corner of Section 14, Block 7, Egmont Survey District; thence by the north-west boundaries of Sections 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, and 20, Block 7, Egmont Survey District, to the Cambridge Road; thence by the northern side of the Cambridge Road to a point in line with the north-west boundary of Section 1, Block 11, Egmont Survey District; thence by a right line across the Cambridge Road and the north-west boundary of the said Section 1; thence to the south-west corner to same Section 1; thence by a right line to the summit of Mount Egmont, the commencing-point.

The foregoing resolution, intended to operate as a special order, will be submitted for confirmation at the ordinary meeting of the Council at 11 a.m. on Monday, the 7th February, 1916.

JOSEPH BROWN,
 County Chairman.

New Plymouth, 14th January, 1916.

Description certified as correct.—G. H. Bullard, Chief Surveyor, New Plymouth, 26th April, 1916.

I hereby certify that the above special order has been duly made.

ROBERT ELLIS,
 County Clerk.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 28th April, 1916.

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

J. G. WARD,
 Minister of Finance.

KAWHIA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Notice of 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 County of Kawhia taken on the 5th day of April, 1916, on the proposal of the Kawhia County Council to borrow the sum of £800 for the construction of a wharf, with shed and approaches, at Kawhia, and to expend the loan of £1,000 already raised for the extension of the present wharf and shed at Kawhia, together with the said sum of £800, in the construction of a new wharf, with shed and approaches, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 77, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 1.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated at Kawhia this 12th day of April, 1916.

WILLIAM J. SHAW,
 Chairman, Kawhia County Council.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 28th April, 1916.

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

J. G. WARD,
 Minister of Finance.

HOKIANGA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Proposed Horeke Loan, £400.—Notice of Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Horeke Riding was taken on the 6th day of April, 1916, on the proposal of the Hokianga County Council to borrow the sum of £400 for the purpose of metalling the Okaihau to Horeke Road.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was fifteen (15); the number of votes recorded against the proposal was five (5).

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 7th day of April, 1916.

REDDY G. COCHRANE,
 Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 28th April, 1916.

THE following notice, received from the Woodlands Drainage Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

J. G. WARD,
 Minister of Finance.

WOODLANDS DRAINAGE BOARD.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers in that portion of the Woodlands Drainage District known as the Woodlands Special-rating Area, taken on the 6th day of April, 1916, upon the proposal of the Woodlands Drainage Board to borrow the sum of £1,000 for the purpose of widening and deepening main drains, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 7, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was nil.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

EDWIN THOMAS,
 Chairman, Woodlands Drainage Board.

T. B. INSOLL,
 Returning Officer.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 28th April, 1916.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

COUNTY OF MAKARA.

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 No. 3 Special-rating District of the Porirua Riding of County of Makara, taken upon the 12th day of April, 1916, on the proposal of the Makara County Council to borrow the sum of £1,000 for the purposes of re-erecting bridges destroyed by flood, and effecting other extraordinary repairs occasioned by the same flood, throughout the Porirua Riding of the said county, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 89, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 21.

I therefore declare the proposal carried.
Dated this 14th day of April, 1916.

H. J. MONAGHAN,
Chairman, Makara County Council.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 1st May, 1916.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Ngaruawahia Town Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

NGARUAWAHIA TOWN BOARD.

IN pursuance of section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Ngaruawahia Town District was taken on the 2nd day of October, 1915, upon the proposal to borrow the sum of £2,500 for the purpose of duplicating the plant for generating electricity for street and house lighting in the Ngaruawahia Town District.

The number of votes received for the proposal was 69. The number of votes received against the proposal was 19. I therefore declare the proposal is carried.

J. R. HETHERINGTON,
Chairman.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 1st May, 1916.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Ohakune Fire Board—
William Ernest Albert Gill, *vice* R. J. White, resigned.

The Shops and Offices Act, 1908.—Amended Notice specifying Combined District of Auckland.

PURSUANT to the provisions of section 10 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, I, William Ferguson Massey, Minister of Labour, do hereby specify that the Combined District of Auckland comprises the City of Auckland, the Boroughs of Birkenhead, Devonport, Mount Albert, Mount Eden, Newmarket, Northcote, Onehunga, and Takapuna, and the Town Districts of Ellerslie and New Lynn.

Dated at Wellington this 17th day of April, 1916.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

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

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the chemists' shops within the Borough of Dannevirke has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops in the district shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays at 6 p.m.; Wednesdays, 12 noon, open from 7 to 8 p.m.; Saturdays, 10 p.m.; Sundays, open from 7 p.m. to 8.30 p.m.:

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

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 8th day of May, 1916, all chemists' shops in the Borough of Dannevirke shall be closed as follows: On Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays at 6 p.m.; on Saturdays at 10 p.m., subject to the closing at not later than 1 p.m. for the statutory half-holiday in each week: Provided, however, that on the statutory half-holiday chemists' shops may reopen from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. only for the supply of medicines and surgical appliances.

The notice gazetted on the 28th September, 1911, is hereby cancelled.

Dated at Wellington this 1st day of May, 1916.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Labour.

Ashburton Borough Council's Abattoir made available for the Purposes of the Town Boards of Hampstead and Tinwald.—Notice No. 1830.

IN pursuance of section 15, paragraph (f), of the Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1908, it is hereby notified that the abattoir authorized to be established by the Ashburton Borough Council for the district comprising the Borough of Ashburton has, by agreement between the said Borough Council and the Hampstead and Tinwald Town Boards, been made available for the purposes of the Hampstead and Tinwald Town Districts; and that the Ashburton Borough Council is the controlling authority of the said abattoir.

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this 26th day of April, 1916.

A. L. HERDMAN,
For Minister of Agriculture.

Ashburton Borough Council's Abattoir made available for the Purposes of Part of Ashburton County.—Notice No. 1831.

IN pursuance of section 16 of the Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1908, it is hereby notified that the abattoir authorized to be established by the Ashburton Borough Council for the district of the Borough of Ashburton has been made available for the purposes of the district comprising part of the Ashburton County described in the Schedule hereto, and that the Ashburton Borough Council is the controlling authority of the said abattoir.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District bounded towards the west by the north branch of the Ashburton River from the Borough of Ashburton to Rural Section 20864, and along the western boundary of that section for about thirty chains; thence towards the north-west by a right line to the northernmost corner of Rural Section 10091; thence towards the north-east by the road forming the north-eastern boundaries of Rural Sections 10091, 10092, and 4109 to the railway-line; thence towards the south-east by the railway-line to the Borough of Ashburton; and towards the south-west and again towards the south-east by that borough to the north branch of the Ashburton River, the place of commencement.

Signed at Wellington this 26th day of April, 1916.

A. L. HERDMAN,
For Minister of Agriculture.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Blocks IV, Awakino East, and XII, Otanake Survey Districts, for Road Purposes.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a road in Blocks IV, Awakino East, and XII, Otanake Survey

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land required to be taken:—

- 9 acres 0 roods 19 perches, portion of Karu-o-te-Whenua B No. 2B No. 4, Block IV, Awakino East Survey District. Coloured red on plan.
1 acre 1 rood 8 perches, portion of Karu-o-te-Whenua B No. 2B No. 7, Block IV, Awakino East Survey District. Coloured blue on plan.
0.2 perch, portion of Section 9, Block XII, Otanake Survey District. Coloured blue on plan.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39877, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned. (S.O. 18521.)

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 1st day of May, 1916.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block IX, Awakino East Survey District, for Road Purposes.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a road in Block IX, Awakino East Survey District; and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Mahoenui, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land required to be taken:—

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|----|----|-----|-------------------------------|
| A. | R. | P. | |
| 4 | 3 | 20, | portion of Mahoenui A No. 2B. |
| 0 | 3 | 11 | 2A. |

Situated in Block IX, Awakino East Survey District (S.O. 18364).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39083, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 1st day of May, 1916.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block XI, Waipakura Survey District, for a Native School.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a Native school in Block XI, Waipakura Survey District; and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Makirikiri, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded

objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works at Wellington.

SCHEDULE

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land required to be taken:—

1 acre 1 rood 38 perches.

Portion of Pukekohai No. 2, Block XI, Waipakura Survey District.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39645, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured yellow.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 1st day of May, 1916

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block X, Gordon Survey District, for Road Purposes.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a road in Block X, Gordon Survey District; and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Golden Downs, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land required to be taken:—

- | | | | |
|----|----|-----|---|
| A. | R. | P. | |
| 6 | 0 | 24, | portion of Reserve B, Upper Motueka Original. |
| 1 | 3 | 33, | Section 11. |

Situated in Block X, Gordon Survey District.

In the Nelson Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39932, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured pink.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 28th day of April, 1916.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

Notice to Mariners No. 31 of 1916.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—AMENDED POSITION OF KOHIMARAMA WHARF.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 2nd May, 1916.

THE Auckland Harbour Board have notified that Kohimarama Wharf and light is incorrectly charted on the latest Admiralty Chart (No. 1970) of Auckland Harbour, and that the correct position is determined by the following bearings from light on end of Kohimarama Wharf:—

St. Heliers Wharf light bears $96^{\circ} 7'$ (N. $80^{\circ} 37'$ E. magnetic).

Orakei Wharf light bears 274° (S. $78^{\circ} 30'$ W. magnetic).

Mount Victoria Trig. Station bears $302^{\circ} 11'$ (N. $73^{\circ} 19'$ W. magnetic).

Bean Rock Lighthouse bears $342^{\circ} 16'$ (N. $33^{\circ} 14'$ W. magnetic).

The direction of the wharf from the light on the end is 140° (S. $24\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ E. magnetic).

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 1970 and 1896; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter ii, page 38.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

Notice published pursuant to the Provisions of Section 15 of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and Sections 18 and 19 of the Public Trust Office Amendment Act, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that, no person having taken out administration, the Public Trustee has filed in the Office of the Supreme Court at Wellington an election to administer the several estates of the persons deceased whose names, residences, and occupations (so far as known) are hereunder respectively set forth, their gross properties being estimated not to exceed £400 in each case.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date of Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.
1	Adamson, William Albert	Invercargill	Clerk	4/9/15	21/3/16	Testate.
2	Anderson, Frederick	Napier	Settler	2/3/16	4/4/16	"
3	Andrews, James Edward	Hastings	Gardener	20/2/16	15/3/16	"
4	Bailey, Reginald Henry	Sutton	Farmer	10/8/15	23/2/16	"
5	Bain, George Traill	Roslyn	Contractor	3/12/15	5/4/16	Intestate.
6	Bain, James	Gisborne	Painter	5/8/15	11/3/16	Testate.
7	Bassett, Samuel Eric	Washdyke	Farm Labourer	23/1/15	6/4/16	Intestate.
8	Bayne, George Anderson	Morrinsville	Soldier	3/8/15	19/4/16	Testate.
9	Becker, Henry	Coromandel	Settler	20/3/13	26/2/16	"
10	Border, Henry	Rotorua	Pastrycook	2/4/15	13/4/16	Intestate.
11	Bradley, James Flynn	Hinuera	Farmer	17/5/15	31/3/16	Testate.
12	Bradshaw, Edward	Bluff	Miner	6/1/16	23/2/16	"
13	Burgess, Arthur Clements	Timaru	Labourer	8/10/15	11/4/16	"
14	Burns, Henry John	Tuakau	Farmer	29/6/15	11/4/16	"
15	Butler, Ellen	Auckland	Married Woman	31/12/15	5/4/16	Intestate.
16	Campbell, Edward	Christchurch	Labourer	16/5/10	31/3/16	Testate.
17	Chapman, Robert Sampson	Queenstown	Farm Hand	1/5/15	11/3/16	"
18	Clark, Mary	Kohekohe	Widow	5/6/14	11/4/16	Intestate.
19	Colley, William Latham	Mercer	Engine-driver	3/12/15	29/3/16	Testate.
20	Constance, John Edward	Belfast	Butcher's Assistant	2/9/15	29/3/16	"
21	Cowley, Ralph Tugi	Auckland	Farm Hand	27/7/15	10/4/16	Intestate.
22	Craig, Andrew	Invercargill	Cabinetmaker	11/2/16	7/3/16	Testate.
23	Cross, Jennet	Auckland	Married Woman	21/1/16	11/4/16	Intestate.
24	Croudis, Hannah Mary	Grovetown	"	18/2/16	29/3/16	Testate.
25	Cuff, Nora	Edwood	"	14/2/16	16/3/16	"
26	Dunham, Herbert John	Hawera	Sergeant-major	27/8/15	23/2/16	"
27	Egglestone, Richard Ewen	Dunedin	Telegraphist	3/5/15	29/4/16	"
28	Elwood, Alfred Terah	Sydney	Carpenter	17/5/15	18/4/16	"
29	Feeney, Hugh Morrison	Eketahuna	Timber-worker	27/7/15	20/4/16	"
30	Finch, Frederick Arthur	Wellington	Retired Blacksmith	5/2/16	9/3/16	"
31	Foster, John William	"	Printer	23/8/15	15/3/16	"
32	Frazer, Robert McKinley	Seacliff	Carpenter	4/9/15	24/3/16	"
33	Galgey, Christopher Davis	Auckland	Signalman	31/8/15	29/3/16	"
34	Gillett, William John	Invercargill	Wool-classer	26/8/15	20/4/16	"
35	Glant, Charles William (or Charles)	Doyleston	Retired Engine-driver	30/12/15	4/3/16	"
36	Gundry, George	Pukekohe	Farmer	30/5/15	27/4/16	"
37	Hall, Stanley	Wellington	Coach Agent	11/9/15	16/3/16	"
38	Hall, John Ticehurst	Westport	Saddler	30/3/16	13/4/16	Intestate.
39	Hanson, George	Masterton	Carpenter	16/12/15	6/4/16	Testate.
40	Harris, Charles Henry (or Harris, Henry)	Clarkville	Farm Labourer	4/1/16	6/4/16	Intestate.
41	Harwood, August	Te Aroha West	Labourer	5/5/15	16/3/16	Testate.
42	Hellyer, Philip	Owaka	Farmer	13/2/16	11/4/16	"
43	Hunter, James	Wellington	Civil Servant	8/8/15	9/3/16	"
44	Jones, Walter	Hunterville	Shepherd	8/5/15	12/4/16	"
45	Knowles, Thomas Edward	Taihape	Railway Employee	11/5/15	26/2/16	"
46	Levie, Maggie Cargill	Napier	Domestic	19/2/16	23/3/16	"
47	Lewis, Henry Josiah	New Plymouth	Presbyterian Minister	18/2/16	6/4/16	"
48	Looney, Wilfred George	Opunake	Carpenter	26/4/15	22/2/16	"
49	Lusk, Robert	Christchurch	Shepherd	7/8/15	15/3/16	"
50	Madden, Catherine (or Kate)	Ashburton	Married Woman	25/10/12	24/3/16	"
51	Madden, Patrick	"	Labourer	9/8/15	20/4/16	"
52	Marshall, Minnie Ann	Styx	Married Woman	24/2/16	12/4/16	"
53	Meadowcroft, James Gregory	Parenga	Photographer	9/8/15	11/4/16	Intestate.
54	Miller, Andrew	Gordonton	Labourer	4/12/15	23/3/16	Testate.
55	Moriarty, Timothy	Stillwater	Tally Clerk	3/5/15	23/2/16	"
56	Morrison, Edward Duncan Rutherford (otherwise known as Edwin Duncan Rutherford Morrison)	Napier	Labourer	23/8/15	15/3/16	"
57	Morrison, Edward Gonnell	"	Wool-drier	8/2/16	5/4/16	Intestate.
58	Mylroi, Sophia	Runanga	Domestic	31/12/15	20/4/16	"
59	McCarthy, Justin Francis	Gisborne	Baker	8/5/15	20/4/16	Testate.
60	McEachen, Percy James	Dunedin	Railway Porter	13/7/15	11/3/16	"
61	McFarlane, David Stewart	Wellington	Railway Fitter	9/8/15	29/3/16	"
62	McLaughlin, Patrick	Ngahere	Driver	4/9/15	23/3/16	"
63	McNabb, Cyril Haase	Motueka	Labourer	30/4/15	3/4/16	Intestate.
64	Neylon, Mary Ann	Invercargill	Widow	12/1/16	31/3/16	Testate.
65	O'Connor, Hanna (or Hannah)	Auckland	"	17/11/15	14/4/16	Intestate.
66	O'Doherty, Patrick	Greymouth	Labourer	12/7/15	21/3/16	Testate.
67	O'Keefe, Victor Alfred	Dunedin	Clerk	23/8/15	19/4/16	"
68	Pascoe, Louisa Jane (or Louisa Pascoe)	Rutherglen	Married Woman	29/1/16	6/4/16	"
69	Paterson, Hugh Wotherspoon	Gore	Medical Student	7/6/15	5/4/16	Intestate.
70	Patterson, Alexander	Marakopa	Settler	22/5/15	31/3/16	Testate.
71	Pearce, Anna Capon	Auckland	Widow	25/9/15	4/4/16	"
72	Perry, Ernest Washington	Invercargill	Insurance Traveller	8/5/15	11/3/16	"
73	Quayle, Angus David George	Tapanui	Plumber	3/8/15	7/3/16	"
74	Rhodes, Sarah Elizabeth	Auckland	Widow	22/10/15	23/3/16	"
75	Robb, Thomas Greig Branford	Nelson	Marine Engineer	7/7/15	11/3/16	"
76	Rose, Charles	Ngahere	Bushman	9/5/15	31/3/16	"
77	Ross, David Bacon	Brunswick	Farmer	28/8/15	8/4/16	Intestate.
78	Rothwell, Richard (or Richard Thomas)	Dunedin	Porter	19/3/16	5/4/16	"
79	Senior, Henry	Brunnerton	Miner	31/12/15	9/3/16	Testate.
80	Shannon, Leslie Richard	Dunedin	Engineer	9/1/16	20/4/16	"
81	Sherratt, Alfred	Maungaturoto	Labourer	8/8/15	7/3/16	"
82	Simmonds, William	Gore	Carpenter	8/2/16	13/4/16	Intestate.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date of Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.
83	Smale, Henry Thomas	Dannevirke	Salesman	9/5/15	1/3/16	Testate.
84	Smith, Georgine	Picton	Married Woman	16/8/15	29/3/16	..
85	Stephens, John (also known as Stephens, John Alexander)	Winton	Labourer	13/3/16	19/4/16	Intestate.
86	Taylor, Archibald	Wanganui	School-teacher	8/8/15	9/3/16	Testate.
87	Torrie, Robert	Dunedin	Gardener	3/5/15	21/3/16	..
88	Wells, Robert Wilford	Glenham	Bushman	3/5/15	26/2/16	..
89	Williams, George	Auckland	Storeman	9/6/15	11/3/16	..
90	Willetts, Alice Maud Mary	Hokitika	Domestic	11/3/16	13/4/16	Intestate.
91	Wilkie, Jane Ann (also known as Wilkie, Jane Ann Leavers)	Waikaia	Widow	30/11/15	19/4/16	Testate.
92	Williams, Cecil Horatia Childe	Suva	Overseer	26/4/15	23/3/16	..
93	Wyse, Charles	Kelso	Woolclasser	15/1/15	8/4/16	Intestate.
94	Yeoman, George Frederick	Christchurch	Carpenter	8/7/15	29/3/16	Testate.
95	Young, Charles	Westport	Cook	7/10/15	31/3/16	..
96	Young, Francis (or Frank Young)	Brighton	Fruitgrower	27/12/15	29/2/16	..
97	York, George William	Ohakune	Sawmill Hand	11/5/15	22/2/16	..

FRED FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

Wellington, 2nd May, 1916.

Exports.—Weekly.

RETURN of PRINCIPAL EXPORTS of NEW ZEALAND PRODUCE from the Dominion during the Week ended Tuesday, 2nd May, 1916.

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	33,976	28,416	..	..	36,307	23,209
Kaipara
Tauranga
Gisborne
New Plymouth
Waitara
Patea
Wanganui	2,699	..	..	17,361	..
Wellington	132	12,891	3,392	3,254	..
Napier	528	6,177	3,313	7,052	..
Wairau (including Picton)
Nelson	771	..	..	..	..
Westport
Greymouth
Hokitika	5,524
Lyttelton	2,259	2,546	..	..	..	..
Timaru
Oamaru
Dunedin	2,338	..	..	12,009	..
Invercargill	2,014	..	..	..	..
Totals	36,235	39,444	19,068	6,705	75,983	28,733

Districts.*	Grain and Pulse.	Hides and Skins.	Kauri-gum.	Phormium (including Tow).	Tallow.	Timber.	Wool.
Auckland	34	18,696	23,159	6,290	..	751	69,861
Kaipara	9,138	..
Tauranga
Gisborne
New Plymouth
Waitara	700	..	..	..	..	..
Patea
Wanganui
Wellington	756	..	..	4,175	..	..	18,373
Napier	16,610	..	..	..	..	..
Wairau (including Picton)	21	..	..	..	..	..
Nelson	193	..	..	235	..	2,986
Westport
Greymouth
Hokitika
Lyttelton	44	9,338	..	..	1,284	..	42,973
Timaru	1,005	..	..	..	..	649
Oamaru
Dunedin	3,743	..	..	672	..	11,742
Invercargill	1,478	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	834	51,784	23,159	10,465	2,191	9,889	146,584

Customs Department,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1916.

W. B. MONTGOMERY,
Comptroller of Customs

NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

PASSENGERS,—	1916.			1915.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	18,374	41,470	59,844	22,167	54,566	76,733
2nd Class	120,394	386,482	506,876	136,713	440,242	576,955
Total	138,768	427,952	566,720	158,880	494,808	653,688
Season Tickets			17,304			17,856

GOODS,—	1916.		1915.		PARCELS, ETC.
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	
Drays	118	117			64,134
Cattle	17,480	17,527			71,231
Calves	3,270	4,753			
Sheep	430,315	547,117			
Pigs	20,831	19,206			
Total	472,014	588,720			

REVENUE,—	1916.			1915.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	81,354	13	1	80,402	1	4
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	9,017	1	11	11,645	1	8
Goods	106,438	19	10	101,482	6	11
Miscellaneous	13,302	13	11	2,206	17	4
Rents and Commission	1,960	17	7	2,432	1	10
Total	£212,074	6	4	£198,168	9	1

SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

PASSENGERS,—	1916.			1915.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	12,522	38,492	51,014	16,024	51,202	67,226
2nd Class	61,436	203,984	265,420	76,077	267,274	343,351
Total	73,958	242,476	316,434	92,101	318,476	410,577
Season Tickets			9,015			9,555

GOODS,—	1916.		1915.		PARCELS, ETC.
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	
Drays	115	150			51,420
Cattle	8,749	8,425			68,022
Calves	591	682			
Sheep	557,661	527,896			
Pigs	3,851	4,509			
Total	570,967	541,662			

REVENUE,—	1916.			1915.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	40,091	3	4	44,544	16	6
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	7,126	12	8	7,965	13	7
Goods	79,560	8	2	89,849	9	7
Miscellaneous	2,062	4	11	3,158	15	6
Rents and Commission	1,445	15	3	1,670	5	3
Total	£130,286	4	4	£147,189	0	5

WESTLAND SECTION.

PASSENGERS,—	1916.			1915.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	968	1,336	2,304	1,386	2,364	3,750
2nd Class	6,638	13,288	19,926	9,589	24,642	34,231
Total	7,606	14,624	22,230	10,975	27,006	37,981
Season Tickets			494			535

GOODS,—	1916.		1915.		PARCELS, ETC.,
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	
Drays	2	7			2,887
Cattle	267	382			3,522
Calves	35	46			
Sheep	4,725	3,168			
Pigs					
Total	5,029	3,603			

REVENUE,—	1916.			1915.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Passengers	1,914	17	4	2,703	18	10
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	423	16	3	469	14	4
Goods	9,883	6	10	10,480	17	0
Miscellaneous	358	4	7	404	14	3
Rents and Commission	129	0	6	166	7	8
Total	£12,709	5	6	£14,225	12	1

WESTPORT SECTION.

				1916.			1915.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	12	108	120	62	184	246
2nd Class	..	..	..	1,646	3,548	5,194	2,103	5,134	7,237
Total	..	..	..	1,658	3,656	5,314	2,165	5,318	7,483
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	43	..	..	87

				1916.		1915.	
GOODS,—				No.	No.	No.	No.
Drays	..	..	..	1	2	620	590
Cattle	..	..	..	4	3	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	1	48	..	..
Sheep	..	..	..	40	786	..	..
Pigs	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	..	..	..	46	839	..	..

				Tons.		Tons.	
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	..	240	36	..	..
Wool	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firewood	..	..	..	306	486	..	..
Timber	..	..	..	153	160	..	..
Grain	..	..	..	239	221	..	..
Merchandise	..	..	..	291	348	..	..
Minerals	..	..	..	52,013	59,805	..	..
Total	..	..	..	53,242	61,056	..	..

				1916.		1915.	
REVENUE,—				£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Passengers	..	..	..	361	4 8	454	15 0
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	..	..	..	84	14 5	72	2 6
Goods	..	..	..	7,544	11 8	7,763	15 9
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	226	11 5	453	8 3
Rents and Commission	..	..	..	36	3 11	49	2 4
Total	..	..	..	£8,253	6 1	£8,793	3 10

NELSON SECTION.

				1916.			1915.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	246	1,418	1,664	254	1,182	1,436
2nd Class	..	..	..	2,961	4,766	7,727	3,901	8,014	11,915
Total	..	..	..	3,207	6,184	9,391	4,155	9,196	13,351
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	16	..	..	47

				1916.		1915.	
GOODS,—				No.	No.	No.	No.
Drays	..	..	..	2	3	639	847
Cattle	..	..	..	4	22	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Sheep	..	..	..	7,248	8,051	..	..
Pigs	..	..	..	57	..	..	..
Total	..	..	..	7,311	8,077	..	..

				Tons.		Tons.	
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	..	390	424	..	..
Wool	..	..	..	30	23	..	..
Firewood	..	..	..	396	282	..	..
Timber	..	..	..	322	276	..	..
Grain	..	..	..	561	963	..	..
Merchandise	..	..	..	751	851	..	..
Minerals	..	..	..	690	1,087	..	..
Total	..	..	..	3,140	3,906	..	..

				1916.		1915.	
REVENUE,—				£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Passengers	..	..	..	693	12 10	890	6 3
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	..	..	..	124	19 4	162	15 1
Goods	..	..	..	1,868	16 6	1,833	7 6
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	187	10 0	178	16 6
Rents and Commission	..	..	..	36	12 10	63	19 4
Total	..	..	..	£2,911	11 6	£3,129	4 8

PICTON SECTION.

				1916.			1915.		
PASSENGERS,—				S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	..	..	..	452	1,256	1,708	607	1,734	2,341
2nd Class	..	..	..	1,647	3,778	5,425	2,337	7,300	9,637
Total	..	..	..	2,099	5,034	7,133	2,944	9,034	11,978
Season Tickets	..	..	..	..	..	42	..	..	17

				1916.		1915.	
GOODS,—				No.	No.	No.	No.
Drays	..	..	..	1	1	547	626
Cattle	..	..	..	5	25	..	..
Calves	..	..	..	150	3	..	..
Sheep	..	..	..	19,061	3,876	..	..
Pigs	..	..	..	17	116	..	..
Total	..	..	..	19,234	4,021	..	..

				Tons.		Tons.	
Chaff, Lime, &c.	..	..	..	1,944	1,386	..	..
Wool	..	..	..	41	26	..	..
Firewood	..	..	..	42	78	..	..
Timber	..	..	..	52	90	..	..
Grain	..	..	..	1,258	1,159	..	..
Merchandise	..	..	..	748	576	..	..
Minerals	..	..	..	482	1,131	..	..
Total	..	..	..	4,567	4,446	..	..

				1916.		1915.	
REVENUE,—				£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Passengers	..	..	..	564	0 8	725	3 5
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	..	..	..	109	5 11	110	6 4
Goods	..	..	..	1,473	13 3	1,267	3 8
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	356	10 2	330	19 2
Rents and Commission	..	..	..	42	1 11	92	16 4
Total	..	..	..	£2,545	11 11	£2,526	8 11

LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.

PASSENGERS,—	1916.			1915.		
	S.	R.	Total.	S.	R.	Total.
1st Class	178	890	1,068	217	1,532	1,749
2nd Class	269	434	703	290	586	876
Total	447	1,324	1,771	507	2,118	2,625
Season Tickets .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..

GOODS,—	1916.		1915.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
Drays .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Cattle	23	6	6	..
Calves .. .. .	..	..	3	..
Sheep	1,290	4,959	4,959	..
Pigs .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Total	1,313	4,968	4,968	..

CHAFF, LIME, &c.	1916.		1915.	
	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.
Wool	62	57	57	12
Firewood .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Timber	32	57	57	..
Grain	95	138	138	..
Merchandise	117	148	148	..
Minerals	130	179	179	..
Total	436	591	591	..

PARCELS, ETC.	1916.		1915.	
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
.. .. .	723	..	770	..

REVENUE,—	1916.		1915.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	324	6 1	482	18 7
Parcels, Luggage, and Mails	76	0 5	72	4 4
Goods	227	5 10	291	2 9
Miscellaneous	0	13 8	8	16 0
Rents and Commission	2	16 7	1	6 7
Total	£631	2 7	£856	8 3

J. MACDONALD,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department, 1st May, 1916.

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1915-16.

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 31st March, 1916.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period, Average to Date.								
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.	Per Cent. of Revenue.					
NORTH ISLAND,—														
Whangarei	74	£ 4,454	s. d. 1 9	£ 51,149	s. d. 17 5	£ 2,486	s. d. 18 7	£ 32,290	s. d. 3 2	63·13	£ 691	s. d. 4 3	£ 436	s. d. 7 1
Kaihu	20	563	5 10	5,884	2 6	590	4 11	5,569	17 9	94·66	294	4 1	278	9 11
Gisborne	44	2,475	15 2	28,777	16 10	1,311	7 6	18,228	2 10	63·34	654	0 10	414	5 6
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,108	212,074	6 4	2,503,216	10 4	119,521	17 21	1,528,832	16 1	61·07	2,269	8 5	1,386	0 11
Total	1,246	219,567	9 1	2,589,028	7 1	123,910	8 21	1,584,920	19 10	61·22	..	..	..	..
SOUTH ISLAND,—														
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,404	130,286	4 4	1,618,740	3 8	85,126	18 10	1,122,910	7 7	69·37	1,152	19 0	799	15 10
Westland	157	12,709	5 6	162,735	9 2	6,500	19 1	97,431	3 7	59·37	1,036	10 7	620	11 7
Westport	36	8,253	6 1	108,452	5 1	3,504	13 2	52,132	16 5	48·12	3,012	11 3	1,449	10 3
Nelson	61	2,911	11 6	33,932	13 5	1,925	13 7	24,368	11 2	71·81	556	5 5	399	9 8
Pierson	56	2,545	11 11	28,224	1 4	1,638	1 5	22,691	16 6	80·40	557	12 4	448	6 4
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	631	2 7	7,242	14 9	500	7 7	6,376	15 3	88·04	..	..	..	..
Total	1,714	157,337	1 11	1,959,327	7 5	99,196	13 8	1,325,961	10 6	67·67	..	..	..	..
Grand total	2,960	376,904	11 0	4,548,355	14 6	223,107	1 10	2,910,882	10 4	64·00	..	..	..	..

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period, Average to Date.								
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.	Per Cent. of Revenue.					
NORTH ISLAND,—														
Whangarei	74	£ 4,269	s. d. 12 2	£ 49,232	s. d. 13 10	£ 2,459	s. d. 11 2	£ 31,196	s. d. 6 9	63·37	£ 679	s. d. 8 8	£ 480	s. d. 10 5
Kaihu	20	601	0 5	5,575	9 3	172	2 5	5,447	14 2	97·71	286	4 1	279	12 11
Gisborne	44	2,405	4 9	22,857	5 2	753	3 3	15,396	10 0	67·36	620	6 10	417	17 2
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,101	198,168	9 1	2,166,669	2 7	136,105	15 10	1,535,137	3 7	70·85	1,972	9 2	1,397	10 8
Total	1,239	205,444	6 5	2,244,334	10 10	139,490	12 8	1,587,177	14 6	70·72	..	..	..	..
SOUTH ISLAND,—														
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,404	147,189	0 5	1,513,191	11 7	97,713	17 8	1,121,219	1 3	74·10	1,095	7 1	811	12 5
Westland	157	14,225	12 1	161,075	7 4	6,728	9 5	94,415	13 8	58·62	1,047	12 11	614	1 9
Westport	36	8,793	3 10	117,118	8 8	5,096	11 9	59,243	1 7	50·58	3,253	5 10	1,645	12 10
Nelson	61	3,129	4 8	31,477	12 8	2,292	14 1	25,212	4 1	80·10	516	0 6	418	6 4
Pierson	48	2,526	8 11	31,408	7 8	2,088	15 4	27,101	12 10	86·29	654	6 10	564	12 4
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	856	8 3	6,851	1 11	552	12 7	6,085	9 8	88·83	..	..	..	..
Total	1,706	176,719	18 2	1,861,122	9 10	114,473	0 10	1,333,277	3 1	71·64	..	..	..	..
Grand total	2,945	382,164	4 7	4,105,457	0 8	253,963	13 6	2,920,454	17 7	71·14	..	..	..	..

J. MACDONALD,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

Railway Department, 1st May, 1916.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF TRAFFIC ON ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1915, to 31st March, 1916.

All Sections.				First-class Passengers.		Second-class Passengers.		Total.	Season Tickets.
				S.	R.	S.	R.		
1916	..	..	..	463,532	1,395,812	2,872,006	9,470,156	14,201,506	330,622
1915	..	..	..	467,691	1,502,530	2,766,263	8,829,288	13,565,772	302,912
Increase	..	..	..	..	..	105,743	640,868	635,734	27,710
Decrease	..	..	..	4,159	106,718	..	..	..	..

All Sections.				Parcels, &c.	Drays.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.
				No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1916	..	..	..	1,488,806	3,406	333,929	37,600	7,204,826	182,443	7,762,204
1915	..	..	..	1,485,977	3,090	273,443	40,776	6,923,306	163,155	7,403,770
Increase	..	..	..	2,829	316	60,486	..	281,520	19,288	358,434
Decrease	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,176	..	..	..

All Sections.				Chaff, Lime, &c.	Wool.	Firewood.	Timber.	Grain.	Merchandise.	Minerals.	Total.
				Tons c.	Tons c.	Tons c.	Tons c.	Tons c.	Tons c.	Tons c.	Tons c.
1916	..	..	..	291,380 0	154,633 4	103,470 0	625,865 14	1061987 6	891,266 10	2,831,958 17	5,960,561 11
1915	..	..	..	218,668 0	162,001 12	119,478 0	621,963 3	1103352 8	861,790 13	2,988,027 19	6,075,281 15
Increase	..	..	..	72,712 0	..	..	3,902 11	..	29,475 17	..	..
Decrease	..	..	..	..	7,368 8	16,008 0	..	41,365 2	..	156,069 2	114,720 4

ESTIMATED COST OF CONSTRUCTION OF RAILWAYS, ROLLING-STOCK, ETC., TO 31st MARCH, 1915, AS FURNISHED BY PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT AND BY GREYMOUTH AND WESTPORT HARBOUR BOARDS RESPECTIVELY.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.			Cost of Unopened Lines.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Whangarei	754,565	0	0	35,799	0	0
Kaihu	103,913	0	0	99	0	0
Tauranga	..	..	..	194,459	0	0
Gisborne	573,189	0	0	175,538	0	0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	14,554,271	0	0	676,960	0	0
South Island Main Lines and Branches	14,321,252	0	0	60,738	0	0
Westland	2,052,264	0	0	514,115	0	0
Westport	591,045	0	0	86,638	0	0
Nelson	538,615	0	0	26,807	0	0
Picton	587,361	0	0	79,128	0	0
Lake Wakatipu Steamer Service	43,661	0	0	..	..	..
In Suspense—	..	..	..	..	..	..
Surveys, North Island	..	..	..	34,368	0	0
Miscellaneous, North Island	..	..	..	5,169	0	0
Surveys, South Island	..	..	..	5,752	0	0
Miscellaneous, South Island	..	..	..	5,168	0	0
P.W.D. Stock of Permanent-way	..	..	..	98,592	0	0
W.R.D. Stock of A.O.L. Stores	13,689	0	0	..	..	..
Totals	£34,133,825	0	0	£1,999,330	0	0

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER, AMOUNT, &c., of MONEY-ORDER AND SAVINGS-BANK TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1916.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	Money-order Offices open at End of Quarter.	MONEY-ORDERS.						Savings-bank Offices open at End of Quarter.	SAVINGS-BANKS.							
		Issued.		Paid.		Accounts.			Number of Deposits.	Number of Withdrawals.	Amount of Deposits.	Amount of Withdrawals.	Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals.	Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits.		
		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Opened.	Closed.									
			£ s. d.		£ s. d.						£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Auckland	234	39,911	188,371 10 3	41,999	221,076 7 11	227	4,684	2,713	50,543	34,615	676,941 2 3	537,284 13 0	139,656 9 3	..		
Blenheim	16	2,352	11,724 0 11	1,267	10,457 9 11	16	279	208	3,102	1,677	51,189 9 0	37,220 6 3	13,969 2 9	..		
Christchurch	72	13,727	72,829 7 4	16,856	112,520 11 5	72	2,324	1,701	36,701	26,189	516,266 14 1	439,889 3 5	76,377 10 8	..		
Dunedin	69	13,845	65,440 13 10	14,683	83,220 10 2	66	1,972	1,228	28,849	16,723	382,963 8 1	300,557 6 6	82,406 1 7	..		
Gisborne	22	4,336	26,785 12 0	1,719	10,535 10 2	22	722	421	7,364	4,198	103,572 0 1	69,488 0 7	34,083 19 6	..		
Greymouth	19	4,181	19,936 14 11	2,056	12,399 19 3	19	234	311	3,009	2,031	40,666 4 4	44,682 4 7	..	4,016 0 3		
Hokitika	9	853	4,198 8 4	731	3,286 2 9	9	69	72	619	461	8,596 15 5	7,813 17 7	782 17 10	..		
Invercargill	34	6,756	31,563 10 9	4,481	22,865 3 11	32	851	562	9,129	4,876	140,550 11 9	89,643 4 3	50,907 7 6	..		
Napier	49	8,543	56,990 1 5	6,025	46,818 17 8	45	1,340	798	14,080	7,002	221,900 8 5	141,222 3 6	80,678 4 11	..		
Nelson	27	4,286	21,446 4 9	3,663	20,562 18 7	27	471	292	5,208	2,795	89,397 7 10	63,654 11 6	25,742 16 4	..		
New Plymouth	32	7,048	41,947 8 1	4,230	34,115 4 1	30	1,362	543	10,794	4,320	206,835 19 2	96,203 18 10	110,632 0 4	..		
Oamaru	11	2,098	22,074 2 4	1,108	7,004 19 9	11	276	205	2,818	1,613	51,170 17 0	38,338 4 1	12,832 12 11	..		
Thames	31	6,745	35,188 8 4	2,933	17,987 11 6	30	699	488	5,758	3,332	80,438 15 7	65,861 12 8	14,577 2 11	..		
Timaru	16	4,230	52,971 2 4	2,501	14,427 11 4	16	679	423	7,174	4,110	115,534 13 9	96,495 19 10	19,038 13 11	..		
Wanganui	43	9,193	58,774 17 2	5,690	35,232 16 1	43	1,243	1,098	13,078	7,100	191,896 3 7	141,018 0 3	50,878 3 4	..		
Wellington	100	33,916	187,379 6 5	32,588	185,725 13 1	101	5,864	3,082	68,355	39,567	846,694 7 8	577,066 14 2	269,627 13 6	..		
Westport	19	3,068	14,495 6 2	1,291	7,084 17 5	18	176	210	1,957	1,288	29,777 4 1	27,159 7 2	2,617 16 11	..		
Totals 1st quarter in 1916	803	165,088	912,116 15 4	143,921	845,322 5 0	784	23,245	14,355	263,538	161,897	3,754,392 2 1	2,773,599 8 2	980,792 13 11	..		
Totals 1st quarter in 1915	788	163,441	854,405 9 8	139,328	781,136 9 10	770	21,022	12,714	234,983	156,368	3,159,907 4 7	2,405,182 15 7	754,724 9 0	..		

General Post Office, Wellington, 2nd May, 1916.

W. R. MORRIS, Secretary.

RETURN of REVENUE collected at the GENERAL POST OFFICE and in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND for the Quarter ended 31st March, 1916.

	POSTAL REVENUE.						TELEGRAPH REVENUE.				Total Post and Telegraph Revenue.
	Private Box and Bag Rents.	Money-order Commission.	Postages.	Postal-note Commission.	Miscellaneous Receipts (Postal).	Total Postal.	Telegrams.	Telephone Exchanges.	Miscellaneous Telegraph.	Total Telegraph.	
	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.
General Post Office ..	39 18 2	346 2 9	505 8 10	..	12,441 15 9½	13,333 5 6½	..	9,310 17 8	156,656 14 9	165,967 12 5	179,300 17 11½
Auckland	2,212 11 1	920 15 1	48,374 18 5½	662 16 2	6 13 10	52,177 14 7½	21,566 12 0½	1,202 8 6½	188 15 0	22,957 15 7	75,135 10 2½
Blenheim	299 5 5	47 13 0	2,334 3 4½	35 10 9	0 17 10	2,717 10 4½	1,733 13 5	1,747 9 9	53 15 0	3,534 18 2	6,252 8 6½
Christchurch	1,523 18 8	336 9 7	27,732 8 1½	220 9 9	7 4 0	29,820 10 1½	10,559 10 2	949 14 10	234 12 11	11,743 17 11	41,564 8 0½
Dunedin	1,006 15 4	318 7 6	18,578 11 2½	233 5 10½	17 15 8	20,154 15 7	8,419 11 11½	13,276 13 9	159 15 3	21,856 0 11½	42,010 16 6½
Gisborne	696 0 11	108 5 7	3,960 19 7	53 6 10	4 12 6	4,823 5 5	3,371 2 10	4,363 17 1	12 14 6	7,747 14 5	12,570 19 10
Greymouth	205 18 0	89 17 7	2,493 19 3	37 15 6	1 14 2	2,829 4 6	1,688 6 2	1,046 17 9	41 12 11	2,776 16 10	5,606 1 4
Hokitika	87 7 6	16 7 6	770 7 9½	13 7 10	0 4 0	887 14 7½	632 15 9	326 7 9	6 1 6	965 5 0	1,852 19 7½
Invercargill	811 15 2	132 15 2	8,897 8 10	130 12 6	4 8 2	9,976 19 10	4,558 0 5	5,030 18 1	29 9 5	9,618 7 11	19,595 7 9
Napier	1,544 12 5	192 4 7	10,974 3 0½	141 19 8½	9 4 6	12,862 4 3	7,164 11 4	10,780 3 9½	44 11 9	17,989 6 10½	30,851 11 1½
Nelson	239 17 9	90 3 10	2,840 6 11½	55 5 8	2 3 8	3,227 17 10½	2,496 1 1	2,228 0 2	25 2 1	4,749 3 4	7,977 1 2½
New Plymouth	659 19 0	145 2 6	8,047 7 5½	118 9 3	1 14 6	8,972 12 8½	4,139 17 6	4,966 3 11½	35 11 9	9,141 13 2½	18,114 5 11
Oamaru	158 14 5	37 5 3	2,643 10 0	40 7 1½	1 16 2	2,881 12 11½	1,526 14 10½	1,169 18 0	5 10 0	2,702 2 10½	5,583 15 10
Thames	355 0 1	123 2 0	5,649 16 5	110 19 6½	0 4 6	6,239 2 6½	3,011 9 8	2,325 4 6	49 11 7	5,386 5 9	11,625 8 3½
Timaru	452 3 5	79 13 9	6,715 10 9	59 8 5	2 16 0	7,309 12 4	3,042 1 11	124 4 9	47 4 6	3,213 11 2	10,523 3 6
Wanganui	808 7 5	173 18 0	10,460 14 5	142 4 6½	2 14 2	11,587 18 6½	5,057 8 8½	6,933 19 2½	49 6 3	12,040 14 2	23,628 12 8½
Wellington	2,261 9 9	871 10 3	55,296 15 11½	436 8 1	6 6 4	58,372 10 4½	25,310 9 1	1,471 12 0	253 14 4	27,035 15 5	85,908 5 9½
Westport	79 18 8	66 7 10	1,382 3 4	24 0 7	0 9 0	1,552 19 5	1,003 8 1	448 15 5	118 2 2	1,570 5 8	3,123 5 1
Totals 1st quarter in 1916	13,443 13 2	4,096 1 9	217,658 13 9½	2,516 8 1½	12,512 14 9½	250,227 11 7½	105,281 15 0	67,703 7 0	158,012 5 8	330,997 7 8	581,224 19 3½
Totals 1st quarter in 1915	13,107 11 4	4,089 16 6	151,214 15 5½	2,516 3 4½	9,606 11 11	180,534 18 7	88,373 10 10	63,323 1 11	5,038 18 11	156,735 11 8	337,270 10 3

General Post Office, Wellington, 2nd May, 1916.

W. R. MORRIS, Secretary.

STATEMENT of TELEGRAPH BUSINESS within the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1916.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	Number of Offices open at End of Quarter.	Ordinary Telegrams, including Paid Govern- ment Telegrams.			Urgent Ordinary Telegrams.		Press Telegrams.*		Bureau Communications.		Total.					
		Number.	Amount.		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.				
Auckland	622	352,876	£ 13,626	s. d. 4 10	17,039	£ 1,301	s. d. 11 2	8,046	£ 778	s. d. 14 10	201,532	£ 5,860	s. d. 1 2½	579,493	£ 21,566	s. d. 12 0½
Blenheim	97	25,874	1,005	6 8½	1,275	94	5 10	65	120	1 0½	22,975	513	19 10	50,189	1,733	13 5
Christchurch	231	156,743	6,485	1 1½	8,311	727	17 6	3,577	846	7 2½	81,922	2,500	4 4	250,553	10,559	10 2
Dunedin	246	133,430	5,476	7 3½	4,957	424	14 0	3,695	398	15 8½	67,955	2,119	14 11½	210,037	8,419	11 11½
Gisborne	38	39,046	1,654	2 8	2,120	174	0 3	785	246	16 9½	34,958	1,296	3 1½	76,909	3,371	2 10
Greymouth	38	28,045	1,145	13 5	895	70	10 2	409	223	4 9	9,390	248	17 10	38,739	1,688	6 2
Hokitika	52	8,693	396	16 5	233	17	18 8	96	113	2 4	7,554	164	18 4	16,576	632	15 9
Invercargill	203	52,984	2,008	5 6	1,276	94	12 0	787	259	19 7½	76,165	2,195	3 3½	131,212	4,558	0 5
Napier	93	80,024	3,161	5 9	4,274	300	18 10	2,028	422	2 3½	127,730	3,280	4 5½	214,056	7,164	11 4
Nelson	99	38,822	1,549	0 8½	1,661	117	18 0	23,483	232	14 2½	22,261	596	8 2	86,227	2,496	1 1
New Plymouth	112	60,012	2,381	14 8½	3,207	190	12 7	964	342	14 7	57,223	1,224	15 7½	121,406	4,139	17 6
Oamaru	51	16,299	674	5 0½	653	46	13 7	307	189	15 6	15,880	616	0 9	33,139	1,526	14 10½
Thames	81	50,425	1,876	13 8	2,059	153	7 9	423	220	10 2½	29,513	760	18 0½	82,420	3,011	9 8
Timaru	74	33,972	1,295	5 0½	1,325	81	11 5	838	239	8 10½	45,589	1,425	16 7	81,724	3,042	1 11
Wanganui	108	75,174	2,931	1 11	4,510	281	13 9	1,599	288	4 5	60,068	1,556	8 7½	141,351	5,057	8 8½
Wellington	217	361,985	16,849	0 1	21,406	1,810	2 1	27,041	1,014	18 3	193,095	5,636	8 8	603,527	25,310	9 1
Westport	51	16,873	662	10 9	906	70	1 7	133	116	7 10	4,935	154	7 11	22,847	1,003	8 1
Totals first quarter in 1916	2,413	1,531,277	63,118	15 7½	76,107	5,953	9 2	74,276	6,053	18 5½	1,058,745	30,150	11 9	2,740,405	105,281	15 0
Totals first quarter in 1915	2,386	1,575,692	51,712	2 5½	79,601	5,502	13 3	111,500	4,893	19 2	945,636	26,264	15 11½	2,712,429	88,373	10 10

* The bulk of Press telegrams are forwarded as "Collect" on delivery.

General Post Office, Wellington, 2nd May, 1916.

W. R. MORRIS, Secretary.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER, AMOUNT, &c., of POSTAL-NOTE TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1916.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	No. of Postal-note Offices open at the End of the Quarter.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES SOLD.										Total Amount of Postal Notes sold, including Commission.		Commission on Postal Notes sold.	
		At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/0	At 2/6	At 3/0	At 5/0	At 10/0	At 15/0	At 20s.	Total.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Auckland ..	296	12,578	7,816	21,176	24,908	17,941	30,452	20,544	6,628	11,549	153,592	44,205	3 2	662	16 2
Blenheim ..	22	688	356	1,161	1,281	936	1,499	1,056	375	759	8,059	2,451	15 3	35	10 9
Christchurch ..	81	3,586	2,028	6,229	6,597	4,890	9,296	7,365	2,424	4,979	47,344	15,533	18 3	220	9 9
Dunedin ..	92	4,275	2,576	7,334	7,716	5,706	10,446	7,559	2,595	4,290	52,497	15,821	5 10½	233	5 10½
Gisborne ..	25	1,028	548	1,394	1,822	1,443	2,199	1,549	498	1,335	11,816	3,762	3 10	53	6 10
Greymouth ..	20	654	387	949	1,220	974	1,529	1,166	450	863	8,192	2,658	15 0	37	15 6
Hokitika ..	14	256	147	279	452	346	533	429	140	315	2,897	941	5 4	13	7 10
Invercargill ..	55	2,310	1,420	3,978	4,328	3,206	5,840	4,233	1,474	2,436	29,225	8,890	6 6	130	12 6
Napier ..	62	2,476	1,633	4,327	5,207	3,714	6,287	4,220	1,495	2,912	32,271	9,743	18 8½	141	19 8½
Nelson ..	36	999	772	1,813	1,996	1,500	2,448	1,585	543	1,137	12,793	3,767	13 8	55	5 8
New Plymouth	33	1,809	1,379	3,652	4,146	2,766	5,004	3,603	1,387	2,594	26,340	8,297	8 9	118	9 3
Oamaru ..	14	900	363	1,178	1,222	1,035	1,579	1,375	482	763	8,897	2,745	2 7½	40	7 1½
Thames ..	40	2,060	1,555	3,456	3,916	2,822	4,853	3,386	1,208	2,139	25,395	7,540	5 0½	110	19 6½
Timaru ..	16	799	642	1,678	1,933	1,430	2,453	1,887	714	1,325	12,861	4,188	13 11	59	8 5
Wanganui ..	67	2,457	1,504	4,167	5,001	3,408	6,276	4,280	1,610	3,053	31,756	9,900	8 0½	142	4 6½
Wellington ..	121	6,298	4,068	12,042	14,508	10,111	19,844	13,728	4,801	9,633	95,033	30,649	10 1	436	8 1
Westport ..	22	431	310	704	987	728	981	686	252	483	5,562	1,632	1 1	24	0 7
Totals 1st qr. in 1916	1,016	43,504	27,504	75,517	87,240	62,956	111,519	78,651	27,076	50,563	564,530	172,729	15 1½	2,516	8 1½
Totals 1st qr. in 1915	988	44,309	27,150	76,170	85,250	65,419	110,992	79,114	25,647	50,754	564,805	172,148	4 4½	2,516	3 4½

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES PAID.											Total Amount of Postal Notes paid.	
	At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/0	At 2/6	At 3/0	At 5/0	At 10/0	At 12/6	At 15/0	At 20s.	Total.	£	s. d.
Auckland ..	12,560	8,574	23,425	22,192	16,341	28,504	22,444	..	7,530	12,882	154,452	45,716	4 0
Blenheim ..	251	139	476	382	326	559	513	..	151	342	3,139	1,018	14 6
Christchurch ..	4,058	2,452	7,519	7,562	5,835	10,461	8,884	..	2,824	6,107	55,702	18,241	9 0
Dunedin ..	4,968	3,240	9,373	8,777	6,634	11,998	9,574	..	3,287	5,186	63,037	18,958	13 6
Gisborne ..	393	240	646	628	517	871	668	..	280	533	4,776	1,553	1 0
Greymouth ..	328	227	543	1,160	456	883	773	..	267	572	5,209	1,680	12 6
Hokitika ..	95	47	152	172	133	313	246	..	78	152	1,388	476	13 6
Invercargill ..	1,577	823	2,563	2,241	1,787	3,231	2,817	..	961	1,648	17,648	5,530	1 0
Napier ..	1,564	980	2,923	2,854	2,160	4,617	3,051	..	1,090	1,882	21,121	6,504	0 0
Nelson ..	595	467	1,245	1,064	908	1,552	1,140	..	439	792	8,202	2,537	14 6
New Plymouth	975	700	2,046	1,974	1,413	2,590	2,105	..	889	1,612	14,304	4,743	6 0
Oamaru ..	269	166	506	461	362	616	619	..	208	457	3,666	1,265	2 6
Thames ..	649	460	1,226	1,146	848	1,586	1,354	..	516	854	8,639	2,774	10 0
Timaru ..	656	368	1,128	1,143	951	1,613	1,458	..	492	1,035	8,844	2,994	19 6
Wanganui ..	1,248	775	2,372	2,320	1,787	3,103	2,604	..	885	1,904	16,998	5,561	5 6
Wellington ..	12,092	7,221	18,120	33,030	20,689	37,215	20,285	..	6,478	14,448	169,578	48,943	0 6
Westport ..	161	114	319	263	219	351	381	..	136	297	2,246	792	2 0
Totals 1st qr. in 1916	42,439	26,993	74,584	87,374	61,366	110,063	78,916	..	26,511	50,703	558,949	169,291	9 6
Totals 1st qr. in 1915	43,052	26,532	74,979	83,989	62,902	108,749	78,932	..	25,219	50,751	555,105	167,892	16 6

General Post Office,
Wellington, 2nd May, 1916.

W. R. MORRIS,
Secretary.

STATEMENT showing DISCOUNT-STAMP TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st March, 1916.

Postal District.	Discount-stamps sold.	Discount-stamps redeemed.	Unsold Discount-stamps on Hand on 31st March, 1916.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland	2 10 0	2 13 0	9 5 0
Blenheim .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	3 0 0
Christchurch	4 0 0	5 19 0	30 0 0
Dunedin .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	30 0 0
Gisborne .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	7 0 0
Greymouth .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Hokitika .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	2 0 0
Invercargill .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	2 10 0
Napier .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	3 10 0
Nelson .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	11 15 0
New Plymouth .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	12 15 0
Oamaru .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	4 0 0
Thames .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	5 0 0
Timaru .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	5 0 0
Wanganui .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	5 0 0
Wellington	201 19 0	167 0 0	64 0 0
Westport .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	2 0 0
Totals, 1st quarter, 1916	208 9 0	175 12 0	196 15 0
Totals, 1st quarter, 1915	193 0 0	175 5 0	282 15 0

General Post Office,
Wellington, 2nd May, 1916.

W. R. MORRIS,
Secretary.

Tenders for Cartage.

General Post Office, Wellington, 26th April, 1916.

THE following list of tenders for cartage at Wellington is published for general information.

W. R. MORRIS,
Secretary.

Name of Tenderer.	Description of Service and Amount of Tender.									
	Tip-dray with One Horse.		Tip-dray with Two Horses.		Express with One Horse.		Lorry with Two Horses.		For each Additional Horse.	
	(1) Per Day.	(2) Per Hour.	(3) Per Day.	(4) Per Hour.	(5) Per Day.	(6) Per Hour.	(7) Per Day.	(8) Per Hour.	(9) Per Day.	(10) Per Hour.
<i>Accepted.</i> Alfred Reeve * ..	£ s. d. 0 14 6	s. d. 2 6	£ s. d. 1 0 0	s. d. 3 9	£ s. d. 0 19 0	s. d. 2 6	£ s. d. 1 5 0	s. d. 3 9	s. d. 6 0	s. d. 1 6
<i>Declined.</i> Munt, Cottrell, and Co. (Limited)	1 0 0	3 0	1 6 0	4 0	1 0 0	3 0	2 0 0	5 6	6 0	1 0

Name of Tenderer.	Description of Service and Amount of Tender: Between any Two of the Places named in the Footnote.									
	(11) Per Ton or Part Ton Dead-weight or Measurement, Tonnage being calculated on Ship's Measurement.	(12) Telegraph Poles: Per Pole.					(13) Iron and Steel Rails: Per Ton.	(14) Iron and Steel Tubular Poles: Per Ton.	(15) Timber other than Telegraph Poles: Per 100 Sup. Ft.	
		20 ft.	25 ft.	30 ft.	35 ft.	40 ft. and upwards.				
<i>Accepted.</i> Alfred Reeve * ..	s. d. 1 2	s. d. 0 4	s. d. 0 5	s. d. 0 6	s. d. 1 0	s. d. 2 0	s. d. 1 6	s. d. 1 3	s. d. 0 4	
<i>Declined.</i> Munt, Cottrell, and Co. (Limited)	1 6	0 6†	0 9†	1 0†	1 6†	2 0	1 9	1 9	0 6†	

* All carting to and from Clyde Quay Wharf on time rates. † Minimum load, 1s. 6d.

NOTE.—The following are the places mentioned in columns Nos. 11-15: Post and Telegraph Department Stores Yards, Pipitea Point; Post and Telegraph Department Stores, Stout and Maginnity Streets; Post and Telegraph Department Stores, Harris Street; Telephone Exchange; Railway-station and Yards; Government Printing Office; Departmental Offices at General Post Office; and wharves.

Government Meteorological Observatory.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the month of March, 1916. Observations taken 9 a.m.

Altitude of Observatory, 8 ft.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected in Inches to Lat. 45°.	From Self-registering Instruments for Twenty-four Hours previously.						Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.	Direction of Wind.	Rainfall, in Points (100 to 1 Inch).
		Max. Temp. in Shade.	Min. Temp. in Shade.	Mean Temp. in Shade.	Solar Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation.	Veloc. Wind in Miles.			
1	30-090	72.0	63.4	67.7	113.6	56.0	340	8	N.	..
2	30-062	73.2	65.0	69.1	119.0	60.0	350	8	N.	..
3	30-179	72.4	61.8	67.1	69.8	60.6	310	10	S.	..
4	30-119	74.0	58.8	66.4	89.6	54.4	110	8	Calm	..
5	30-049	77.8	62.6	70.2	85.8	58.2	190	8	N.	..
6	30-049	75.6	65.0	70.3	96.4	60.6	220	5	N.	34
7	30-289	79.0	59.6	69.3	71.8	58.0	230	10	S.	1
8	30-229	64.8	58.8	61.8	69.6	57.4	330	10	S.	..
9	30-149	65.0	59.4	62.2	99.8	58.6	310	6	S.	..
10	30-050	73.6	60.2	66.9	111.6	55.2	183	8	S.E.	..
11	29-949	79.8	61.2	70.5	87.8	56.4	107	8	N.E.	..
12	29-813	79.8	56.6	68.2	111.4	48.6	70	0	N.	..
13	29-919	75.0	60.2	67.6	67.8	58.8	200	10	S.	..
14	30-050	66.8	59.4	63.1	83.6	53.6	100	8	N.E.	..
15	30-120	80.4	62.6	71.5	94.8	59.4	120	8	S.	..
16	30-139	75.6	54.4	65.0	112.6	45.2	87	4	N.E.	..
17	30-049	80.0	62.8	71.4	85.8	56.4	160	10	S.	6
18	30-029	75.2	61.8	68.5	72.4	60.0	303	10	S.	3
19	29-939	73.4	65.2	69.3	112.6	62.6	177	5	S.	..
20	29-899	80.0	60.8	70.4	118.8	55.4	73	6	N.	70.
21	29-672	78.6	64.6	71.6	117.4	62.2	350	8	N.W.	..
22	29-940	61.2	57.4	59.3	71.6	53.6	530	10	S.	..
23	29-933	61.6	54.4	58.0	86.0	48.6	400	8	N.E.	..
24	29-602	69.6	52.4	61.0	114.6	52.0	240	8	N.	2
25	29-499	68.6	56.8	62.7	106.8	48.6	247	5	W.	..
26	29-939	72.4	47.8	60.1	104.0	37.4	170	3	N.	..
27	30-120	67.8	60.6	64.2	108.6	53.2	310	3	N.	..
28	30-109	70.0	63.8	66.9	102.8	59.6	563	8	N.	26
29	30-399	69.6	55.4	62.5	59.8	53.0	357	10	S.	..
30	30-330	62.8	52.4	57.6	99.6	42.4	123	0	Calm	..
31	30-359	73.4	56.8	65.1	87.8	54.2	237	5	S.	..
*	30-036	72.5	59.4	66.0	94.6	54.8	242	7.0	..	142
†	30-029	66.8	54.0	60.5	117.1	47.1	238	..	..	334

* Means, &c. † Means previous years.

DIRECTION OF WIND.

N.	N.E.	E.	S.E.	S.	S.W.	W.	N.W.	Calm.
10	4	..	1	12	..	1	1	2

NOTE.—A fine autumn month, with temperatures considerably above the mean of previous years, and rainfall 58 per cent. below the mean. Total bright sunshine, 186 hours 31 minutes, and two sunless days. Thunder and lightning occurred on the 6th, 21st, and 24th, and fog on the 9th. The mean earth-temperature at 1 ft. was 68.7°, and 68.5° at 3 ft. Mean dew-point, 57.4°; mean elastic force of vapour, 0.472 in.; and mean relative humidity, 74 per cent. of saturation.

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE.

MEANS AND TOTALS FROM THE CHIEF STATIONS.

March, 1916.

Altitude above Sea-level.	Name of Station and Observer.	Absolute Mean Temp. Air in Shade.	Extremes.		Total Rainfall (100 Points to the Inch).	Days with Rain (to include more).
			Max. Temp.	Min. Temp.		
Ft.	NORTH ISLAND.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Points.	Dys.
125	AUCKLAND .. F. A. F. Burnett	67.8	73.3	62.2	378	11
46	TE AROHA .. G. F. McGirr	63.4	76.0	50.8	806	16
925	ROTORUA .. S. R. Edwards	65.1	74.2	56.0	465	15
340	WAIHI .. P. A. Clifford	..	..	..	..	..
..	TAURANGA .. C. J. Butcher	66.7	76.2	57.3	692	13
160	NEW PLYMOUTH .. W. W. Smith	67.8	76.3	59.3	144	10
250	MOUMAHAKI .. J. Kirkland	64.9	74.3	55.5	258	7
2080	TAIHAPE .. A. R. Fannin	61.4	69.6	53.3	484	10
100	PALMERSTON NORTH .. J. E. Vernon	66.1	75.9	56.3	137	6
186	GREYTOWN .. W. C. Davies	66.1	75.6	56.7	317	14
377	MASTERTON .. Wm. Hood	66.4	77.2	55.7	302	16
70	GREENMEADOWS, NAPIER .. W. B. Buckley	68.8	78.1	59.6	314	8
10	WELLINGTON .. F. W. Simms	66.0	72.5	59.4	142	7
	SOUTH ISLAND.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Points.	Dys.
34	NELSON .. A. E. Hedges	66.1	73.0	59.2	263	10
1220	HANMER SPA .. J. F. Robieson	58.8	65.8	51.9	335	8
25	CHRISTCHURCH .. H. F. Skey	61.9	69.0	54.8	154	17
42	LINCOLN .. L. J. Wild	62.4	70.0	54.8	184	11
..	RAKATA .. Miss A. Hardy	61.2	69.4	53.1	208	14
130	TIMARU .. Caretaker of Domain	61.5	69.0	54.0	148	12
90	WAIMATE .. W. M. Hamilton	58.9	66.4	51.5	251	11
300	DUNEDIN .. D. Tannock	58.8	65.7	51.9	224	9
245	GORE .. H. Dolamore	58.2	69.2	47.2	400	14
12	HOKITIKA .. F. T. Sandford	63.2	69.4	57.0	1096	16
12	INVERCARGILL .. L. Lennie	59.0	69.0	49.0	533	13

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1916.

The outstanding feature of the month of March was the continuous exceedingly warm weather between the 1st and 20th.

On the night of the 20th widespread thunderstorms, accompanied with heavy rain, were experienced on account of the passage of a double-centred depression over the South Island.

The winds changed to southerly generally on the 22nd, causing cooler conditions, an appreciable change which continued to the close of the month.

The total rainfall was above the average in the northernmost and southernmost districts, and also in portions of the west coast of the South Island, but in most other parts of the Dominion it was below the mean.

D. C. BATES, Director.

NEW ZEALAND RAINFALL FOR MARCH, 1916.

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

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
NORTH ISLAND.		
(A.) NORTH-EAST ASPECT—NORTH CAPE TO EAST CAPE.		
Mangonui	371	9
Pakarakā, Ohāeawai	868	9
Waimatenui	511	13
Tahūnakura, Bay of Islands .. .. .	..	..
Pūhīpūhī Plantation, Whakapara, Whangarei	832	11
Apōnga	667	18
Ruatāngata	566	14
Wairau Falls, Power Station	435	12
Whangarei	500	15
Whangarei Heads	606	9
Mount Eden, Auckland	359	8
Kaukapakapa, Auckland	346	13
Cuvier Island	750	19
Rocky Bay, Waiheke	508	10
Tairua	600	12
Turua, Thames	224	12
The Domain, Paeroa	541	10
Karaka	441	10
Riverside, Clevedon	432	10
Morrinsville	217	9
Whakarewarewa, Rotorua	400	13
Waioatapu	300	10
Ruatōki .. .. .	..	..
Opotiki	293	6
Maraekakā, Opotiki	521	7
Strathmore, Opotiki	746	9
Mautotara, Te Ararua	2225	18
Raukokore, Thames	717	8
Te Kaha	428	13
Pakira Station, Cape Runaway .. .. .	..	..
(B.) NORTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE MARIA VAN DIEMEN TO CAPE EGMONT.		
Rangitihī	304	10
Umawera, Hokianga .. .. .	..	..
Waoku, Taheke	784	15
Te Karae, Broadwood .. .. .	..	..
Wekaweka	475	15
Rangiahua, Hokianga Harbour	792	15
Kohukohu	336	7
Keretoki Station, Waimatenui	593	13
Matakōhe, Kaipara	275	10
Terawhātī, Pakotai	641	18
Holensville	236	10
Onēhunga	361	7
Mangere School, Auckland	506	9
Waiuku, Auckland	223	11
Onēwhero	521	10
Kawhia	121	6
Turangaomoana, Matamata	529	13
Taupo	219	6
Taharua Station, East Taupo .. .. .	..	..
Otewa, Waitomo County	185	8
Waitomo Caves	144	6
Te Kuiti	218	10
Mangakohi, Piopio	233	10
Pukētītī, Piopio	358	9
Hamilton, Waikato .. .. .	..	..
State Farm, Waerenga	471	9
Glen Murray	297	12
Ngaruawahia	188	9
"Waitere," Kihikihī	123	5
Putaruru .. .. .	..	..
Waiatua, Kaitieke, Raurimu	520	13
Mangaotaki (550 ft.)	406	6
Paekaha, Paemako	262	8
Okoke	281	12
Purangi	312	12
Ngatimaru, Tarata	321	6
Riversdale, Inglewood (817 ft.)	311	13
Inglewood	342	11
Upper Mangorei (1,000 ft.)	428	18
(C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGMONT TO CAPE PALLISER.		
Opunake	190	12
Riverlea, Kaponga	384	10
Eltham	435	9
Omoana	373	9
Stratford (1,020 ft.)	353	12
Ohawe, Hawera	238	9
Patea	283	10

New Zealand Rainfall for March, 1916—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain
NORTH ISLAND—continued.		
(C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGMONT TO CAPE PALLISER—continued.		
Mataimoana	339	9
Ornamatua, Moawhango .. .. .	..	..
Whangamōmona	509	13
Taumarunui .. .. .	..	..
Okahukura	173	8
Manunui .. .. .	..	..
Raurimu (1,920 ft.) .. .. .	..	..
Ohakune	466	12
Raetihi	488	10
Horopito	402	16
Waiouru	251	9
Mangaporau	586	9
Newtonlees, Kaitoke, Wanganui	95	9
Parikino, Wanganui River	120	9
Marybank, Wanganui	80	8
Belmont, Tayforth, Wanganui	136	6
Wanganui	159	6
Ruanui .. .. .	..	..
Dalvey, Turakina	191	7
Erewhon Station, Moawhango	296	10
Hunterville	179	8
Awakiltā, Hunterville (1,451 ft.) .. .. .	..	..
Waituna West, Feilding	330	13
Thoresby, Marton	173	6
Halcombe .. .. .	..	..
Waitatapia, Bull's	151	7
Glen Oroua	129	6
Foxton	59	7
Ngahiwa, Himatangi	97	5
Feilding	227	7
Komako	256	8
Kairanga	85	4
Fitzherbert West, Palmerston North .. .. .	..	..
Arapeti, Tokomaru	222	11
Otaki	41	7
"Tiroroa," Hautere Cross .. .. .	..	..
Kapiti Island	61	9
Waikanae .. .. .	..	..
Pahautanui	63	4
Khandallah	228	9
Opau, North Makara	106	6
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER.		
Waitakaro	1769	21
Pakihiroa	2114	13
Toiāga Bay	918	15
Kaharoa, Waimata Valley	996	17
Motu	1417	5
Koranga Valley	1368	18
Waihau, Gisborne	751	18
Otoko	975	17
Waitahoata, Whatatutu	980	18
Te Karaka	799	17
Glenroy Station, Gisborne	1167	20
Waihuka, Gisborne	722	14
Ormond	823	11
Patutahi, Gisborne	685	14
Whakapūnake	803	18
Stratbblane, Hangaroa	715	17
Lower Hangaroa .. .. .	..	..
Muriwai .. .. .	..	..
Tahora, Gisborne	1003	19
Tinirotō, Gisborne .. .. .	..	..
Morere	719	17
Mangaone Valley, Tangitere	868	17
Spring Hill, Mohaka .. .. .	..	..
Portland Island	343	16
Patunamu, Wairoa .. .. .	..	..
Puketitiri	608	11
Tarawera	229	14
Tutira Lake	432	10
Eskdale, Hedgeley	300	10
Riverbank, Rissington, Napier	380	13
Napier	244	8
Wahine, Sherenden, Hastings	552	11
Mokopeka, Hastings	342	14
Frimley, Hastings	314	10
Whanawhana, Hastings	551	19
Maraekakaho, Hastings	299	13
Te Roto, Poukawa	357	15
Pukehou, Te Aute	336	14
Gwavas, Tikokino	492	22
Aramoana, Waipawa	478	11

New Zealand Rainfall for March, 1916—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
NORTH ISLAND—continued.		
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER— continued.		
Rangitapu, Waipawa	542	12
Mount Vernon, Waipawa	422	20
Norsewood .. ..	..	..
Waimarama, Hawke's Bay	393	14
Mangakuri .. ..	..	..
Waipukurau	379	14
Motutaraia, Wanstead	285	10
Makaretu	643	19
Oruawharo, Takapanu	488	19
Ormondville	428	16
Dannevirke .. ..	..	..
Umutaeroa (top end)	695	18
Porangahau	434	7
Pourerere	466	13
Woodbank, Wimbledon	454	14
Pine Grove, Dannevirke .. ..	..	..
Mangatainoka	269	14
Pahiatua	361	13
Makuri, Pahiatua	613	18
Eastry, Tane, Eketahuna	181	15
Tawataia, Eketahuna	408	16
Nireaha, Eketahuna	303	6
Eketahuna	225	11
Castlepoint	324	13
Annedale, Te Nui	360	15
Ditton, Masterton	325	18
Bush Grove, Masterton .. ..	..	..
Marangai	527	15
Eringa, Masterton	239	16
Hikurangi College, Clarendon	257	6
Waihakeke, Carterton	225	18
Martinborough	163	15
Featherston	333	14
Summit	906	14
Waiwetu	60	7
Wainuiomata Reservoir	105	10
Whiteman's Valley, Silverstream	85	9
Lower Hutt	53	6
Western Hutt	71	8
Whangai Moana, Pirinoa	63	7
Karori Reservoir	154	7
Seatoun	130	7

SOUTH ISLAND.

(E.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO KAIKOURA.

Paturau, via Collingwood	487	17
Parapara	541	13
Motueka	512	13
Stanley Brook, Nelson	446	13
Aporo, Nelson .. ..	..	..
"Harakeke," Central Moutere	780	11
Upper Sherry River	333	13
Highfield, Kohatu	419	13
Tophouse	455	14
Hope, Nelson	603	9
Port Hardy, French Pass	111	10
Stephen Island	175	7
The Brothers .. ..	..	..
Cape Campbell	101	10
Picton	232	10
Endeavour Inlet	453	11
Manaroa, Pelorus Sound	368	8
Ynceya, Pelorus Sound .. ..	..	..
Hartley Hills, Hillersden	369	9
Ugbrooke, Blenheim	143	11
Robin Hood Bay	493	12
Seddon	176	10
"Chancet," Ward	236	10
Mirza Downs, Flaxbourne	232	13
Timara Station, Renwicktown	151	4
Kaituna, Marlborough	187	9
Spring Creek, Blenheim	218	11
Avondale Station, Blenheim	322	11
Hapuku	566	16

(F.) WEST ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO PUYSEGUR POINT.

Farewell Spit	326	9
Karama, Westport	711	17
Millerton .. ..	..	..
Westport	573	16
Warwick Junction	605	18
Reefton (643 ft.)	597	17
Moana .. ..	..	..

New Zealand Rainfall for March, 1916—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
SOUTH ISLAND—continued.		
(F.) WEST ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO PUYSEGUR POINT— continued.		
Greymouth	883	15
Lake Hochstetter, Greymouth	495	14
Otira	1505	13
Otira (1,255 ft.)	1543	17
Ross, Westland	1076	18
Okura .. ..	..	..
Puysegur Point .. ..	..	..

(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS.

Hanmer Springs Nursery	388	12
Culverden .. ..	..	..
Highfield, Amuri	373	13
Keinton Combe, Waiau, Amuri	401	10
Waiau	316	12
Mackenzie, Cheviot	402	11
Gore Bay, Cheviot	540	15
Oxford East	375	13
Amberley	245	14
Singletree, Alford Forest	186	5
Mount Somers	377	16
Bealey	361	10
Bealey Flat .. ..	..	..
Rhodes Convalescent Home, Cashmere Hills	164	11
New Brighton	209	14
Otahuna, Tai Tapu	246	11
Little River	258	11
Hororata	318	10
Akaroa	204	10
Mount Torlesse, Springfield .. ..	..	..
Viewlea, Methven	291	13
Rudstone, Methven	298	12
Kisselton, Lake Coleridge	208	8
Lake Coleridge Homestead	182	9
Glenariffe, Double Hill	252	10
Winchmore, Ashburton	192	9
Porateko, Mayfield	288	8
Ashburton	139	10
Fairview, Springburn	273	10
Staveley	364	8
Evandale, Mount Somers	406	14
Lynnford, Hinds	141	13
Coniston, Ashburton	176	9
Mount Peel, Rangitata	427	9
Peel Forest	422	17
Kapunatiki, Rangitata	180	12
The Heights, Geraldine	290	14
Waitui, Geraldine	255	13
Orari Gorge	465	17
Orari Estate, Orari	229	11
Balmoral .. ..	..	..
Braemar	198	4
"Fogers," Fairlie	212	11
Lambrook, Fairlie	192	6
"Craigieburn," Kimbell	356	14
Mary Burn Station, Mackenzie Country .. ..	..	..
Godley Peaks, Te Kapo, Mackenzie Country	187	4
Rhoborough Downs, Lake Pukaki, Mackenzie Country	152	6
Athlone, Albury	280	15
Waratah, Albury	301	11
Kakahu Bush, Geraldine	167	7
Pleasant Point	154	7
Te Pah Farm, Seadown	132	9
Timaru Reservoir	161	9
Hermitage, Mount Cook (2,510 ft.) .. ..	..	..
Benmore Station, Omarama	196	7
Otiake	217	7
Borton's Siding .. ..	..	..
Livingstone	392	12
Armstrong, Windsor	282	15
Totara Station, near Oamaru	222	17
Duntroon	210	10
Oamaru	297	15
Trotter's Creek, Hillgrove	169	14
Kauroo Hill, Maheno	268	13
Balruddery, Kauroo Hill, Maheno	252	14
Bushy Park, Palmerston South	188	14
Opoho, Dunedin (383 ft.)	216	13
Fish-hatchery, Portobello	269	19
Whare Flat	219	10

New Zealand Rainfall for March, 1916—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
SOUTH ISLAND—continued.		
(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT.		
Paerau	390	11
Great Moss Swamp, via Patearoa ..	326	12
Eweburn Nursery, Ranfurly ..	204	9
Waipiata	170	8
Naseby	223	10
Kokonga	55	..
Gladbrook Station, Middlemarch ..	301	14
Mount Pisa Station, Cromwell ..	150	6
Maungawera, Otago	141	11
Luggate, Cromwell	160	5
Manorburn Dam	201	9
Queenstown	296	10
Moa Creek	156	8
Galloway, Alexandra South	151	4
St. Bathans	241	9
Blackstone Hill .. .. .	..	..
Clyde	170	6
Roxburgh .. .. .	..	..
Balclutha .. .. .	..	..
Owaka	374	10
Tapuanui Nursery	315	13
Waikawa Valley	426	14
Wharuarimu	431	12
Uplands, Waimahaka	367	8
Roslin Estate, Woodlands	557	13
Wyndham South	415	9
Dipton	427	10
Bluff .. .. .	..	..
Nightcaps	450	11
Rannock, Orawia .. .. .	..	..
Otautau	445	12
Riverton	660	12
Manapouri	254	10
(I.) ISLANDS.		
Centre Island	535	14
Stewart Island	498	19
Horse-shoe Bay, Stewart Island ..	513	13
Niue Island .. .. .	..	..
Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Islands ..	..	..

New Zealand Rainfall for March, 1916—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
(I.) ISLANDS—continued.		
Aitutaki Island, Cook Islands ..	2438	18
Mangaia, Cook Islands .. .. .	..	..
Chatham Island .. .. .	..	..
LATE RETURNS.		
Turua, February, 1916	49	2
Wairua Falls, February, 1916 ..	643	8
"Waokū," Taheke, Hokianga, February, 1916	532	10
Waiuku, January, 1916	252	..
" February, 1916		
Arapeti, Shannon, November, 1915..	1512	20
" " December, 1915	788	17
" " January, 1916	316	16
" " February, 1916	344	10
Waimata Valley, February, 1916 ..	258	9
Waihau, near Tolaga Bay, Aug., 1915	289	12
Bush Grove, Masterton, Jan., 1916..	244	8
" " Feb., 1916.. .. .	53	7
Whangai, Moana, Pirinoa, Jan., 1916	32	4
Ugbrooke, Blenheim, January, 1915	35	2
" " February, 1915	100	9
" " March, 1915	469	13
" " April, 1915	51	5
" " May, 1915	34	4
" " June, 1915	158	9
" " July, 1915	68	7
" " August, 1915.. .. .	56	6
" " Sept., 1915	78	6
" " October, 1915.. .. .	175	11
" " Nov., 1915	269	7
" " Dec., 1915	91	5
Evandale, Mt. Somers, Feb., 1916 ..	351	13
Waitui, Geraldine, October, 1915 ..	186	10
Queenstown, January, 1916	155	5
" " February, 1916	93	5
Manapouri, February, 1916	255	7
Bushey Park, February, 1916	121	12
Pakihiroa Station, February, 1916 ..	130	2
Aitutaki, January, 1916	1533	21
" " February, 1916	1354	14
Mangaia, February, 1916	601	21

Notice to make Returns of Income under the Land and Income Assessment Act, 1908, and Amendment Acts, 1912-1913, and the Finance Act, 1915.

Land and Income Tax Department,
Wellington, 1st May, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the above Acts and the regulations made thereunder, every person and company having derived income within the meaning of the said Acts during the year ending 31st March, 1916, from any source or by any means which is made the subject of taxation under the said Acts, is hereby required to make and furnish to me, in the prescribed form, returns of such income on or before the 2nd day of June, 1916.

And, further, notice is hereby given that such returns shall in all cases be delivered at or forwarded to the office of the Commissioner of Taxes, in the Government Buildings at Wellington.

D. G. CLARK,
Commissioner of Taxes.

NOTE.—Forms of return may be obtained at any postal money-order office.

Election of Governor.—Auckland Grammar School Board.

IN accordance with the Auckland Grammar School Act, 1899, and with the regulations thereunder, for the election of Governors by the Education Board of the District of Auckland, I hereby notify that at a meeting of the said Board held this day

GEORGE WILLIAM MURRAY

was duly re-elected a Governor of the Board of Governors constituted by the said Act.

G. J. GARLAND,
Chairman of Meeting.

Auckland, 19th April, 1916.

School Colours, &c.

Education Department,
Wellington, 27th April, 1916.

THE following list of claims for registration of school colours, &c., is gazetted, in accordance with regulations published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of 12th August, 1915.

Objections to any of the claims set forth must be addressed to "The Registration Officer for School Colours, &c., Education Department, Wellington," and must be delivered at the address within forty days of the date of the publication hereof.

W. J. ANDERSON,
Registration Officer.

PALMERSTON NORTH HIGH SCHOOL.

Colours.—Navy blue, 2 in. wide, with two white horizontal stripes $\frac{1}{2}$ in. wide and running $\frac{1}{8}$ in. from each edge.

Badge.—A shield surmounted by a lion; the shield divided in two vertically, the left half containing an eagle displayed and the right half a tower surmounted by a flag; the whole surrounded by a garter bearing thereon the motto "Nihil boni sine labore," and in base the letters "P.N.H.S."

OTAGO BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL.

Colours.—Navy blue, 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ in. wide, with white horizontal stripes $\frac{1}{8}$ in. wide running $\frac{1}{16}$ in. from each edge.

Badge.—Circle enclosing the letters "O.B.H.S." divided by a rectangular cross; formal rose in centre.

OTAGO GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL.

Colours.—Navy blue, 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ in. wide.

Badge.—The letters "G.H.S." conjoined in white.

Appointment of Ports in Foreign Countries from which Live-stock for New Zealand must be shipped, and Appointment of Veterinarians in Foreign Countries to Examine Live-stock for Shipment to New Zealand.—Notice No. 1832.

Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce, Wellington, 27th April, 1916.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in accordance with the regulations under the Stock Act, 1908, for the prevention of the introduction into New Zealand of diseases affecting stock, the following places have been appointed as the ports from which the kinds of live-stock mentioned must be shipped when intended for importation into the Dominion of New Zealand:—

Name of Country.	Kinds of Live-stock.	Ports appointed.
United States ..	Horses, mules, and asses	San Francisco.
Canada ..	Horses, mules, asses, and cattle	Vancouver.
France ..	Asses ..	Havre and Marseilles.
Spain ..	" ..	El Ferrol.
Portugal ..	" ..	Lisbon.

In the case of the United Kingdom, London, Liverpool, and Glasgow are the ports appointed by the regulations for the shipment of live-stock to New Zealand.

It is further notified for general information that, in accordance with the regulations referred to above, the following veterinarians have been appointed in the countries mentioned for the inspection of live-stock intended for exportation to the Dominion of New Zealand:—

UNITED KINGDOM: The New Zealand Veterinary Officer attached to the office of the High Commissioner, or any veterinarian nominated by the High Commissioner, for the ports of London, Liverpool, and Glasgow.

CANADA: Any veterinarian in the employ of the Canadian Government for the port of Vancouver.

UNITED STATES: Any veterinarian in the employ of the United States Government for the port of San Francisco.

FRANCE: Any veterinarian nominated by the British Consul-General at Havre or Marseilles for these ports respectively.

SPAIN: Any veterinarian nominated by the British Consul at Corunna for the port of El Ferrol.

PORTUGAL: Any veterinarian nominated by the British Consul at Lisbon for that port.

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

Notice to Mariners No. 32 of 1916.

WANGANUI HARBOUR.—DREDGING.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 3rd May, 1916.

THE Wanganui Harbour Board have notified that the harbour dredge is at present working in the river below Landguard Bluff, and that vessels should pass on the side showing two black balls vertical by day and two red lights vertical by night.

The two mooring-lines which are across the river will be slacked down when vessels are passing.

Charts, &c., affected: Admiralty Chart No. 2054; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter v, page 156; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," page 299, and plan facing page 298.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

Officiating Ministers for 1916.—Notice No. 15.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1916.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

Methodist Church of New Zealand.

- Mr. WILLIAM ALEXANDER.
- Mr. LESLIE A. G. BROOKS.
- The Reverend GEORGE ERNEST BROWN.
- Mr. TOM DENT.
- Mr. JONATHAN LAWRENCE.
- Mr. WALLACE STANLEY NEAL.
- Mr. ARTHUR NICHOLLS.
- Mr. JOHN REID.
- Mr. JOHN RICHARDS.
- The Reverend HENRY RYAN.
- Mr. THOMAS SKUSE.
- Mr. WILLIAM VICKERS.

[ERRATA.—In list of Officiating Ministers, Notice No. 1, under Methodist Church of New Zealand, for Mr. Hitchinson, W. A., read Mr. Hitchinson, Walter A.; for Mr. Kendon, Charles, read The Reverend Kendon, Charles Hubert; for The Reverend Papakura, Neho Hemi, read The Reverend Papakakura, Neho Hemi; for The Reverend Slade, William Garden, read The Reverend Slade, William Gardner; for Mr. Warburton, Egbert Reuben, read The Reverend Warburton, Egbert Reuben.]

W. W. COOK,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Officiating Ministers for 1916.—Notice No. 16.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1916.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned names have been withdrawn from the list of Officiating Ministers under the Marriage Act, for the current year:—

Methodist Church of New Zealand.

- Mr. REGINALD A. E. BRIGGS.
- Mr. ALFRED HARDY COUCH.
- Mr. GEORGE HERBERT CULE.
- Mr. JOHN FIELD.
- Mr. JOHN SHEPARD FLETCHER.
- Mr. ALBERT E. HAYNES.
- The Reverend WILLIAM SLADE.
- THOMAS TRESTRAIL.

W. W. COOK,
Deputy Registrar-General.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in Auckland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 2nd May, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leases and licenses of the undermentioned lands having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Auckland Land Board, the said lands have thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease or License No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Lessee or Licensee.	Reason for Forfeiture.
O.R.P.	4662	5	III	Omapere ..	W. Sudfeldt ..	Non-payment of rent.
"	4584	N.E. 77	..	Pukeatua Parish ..	M. Dodd ..	Non-fulfilment of conditions.
"	5161	5	XVI	Maketu ..	D. P. T. Brosnan ..	Request of selector.
"	5123	12	V	Waitoa ..	M. R. Read ..	"
"	4596	8	XV	Waoku ..	J. C. Wilson ..	"
"	4756	6	..	Kawakawa ..	H. E. Dowding ..	"
"	5100	3	XII	" ..	H. Goodhue ..	"
R.L.	1176	5	III	Piako ..	E. J. King ..	"
M.D.L.O.	270	42	XIV	Ohinemuri ..	M. E. White ..	"

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 1st May, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the school reserve, containing 13 acres, more or less, adjoining Section 83, in Block XIV, Oparara Survey District, and originally shown on sale poster No. 81, will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 3rd day of August, 1916.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Settlement Lands in Auckland Land District for Renewable Lease, and for Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 27th April, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lands in the First Schedule hereto are open for selection under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and amendments; and that the lands in the Second Schedule hereto are open for sale or lease to discharged soldiers under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 12th June, 1916.

The lands in the First Schedule may be selected on renewable lease only for terms of thirty-three years, with a right to acquire the freehold.

The lands in the Second Schedule may be selected only by discharged soldiers either for cash or on deferred payments, or selected on renewable lease for terms of thirty-three years, with a right to acquire the freehold.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, on Thursday, 15th June, 1916, at 10 o'clock a.m.

The ballot will be held on Friday, 16th June, 1916.

SCHEDULES.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAIIPA COUNTY.—CAMBRIDGE AND HAMILTON SURVEY DISTRICTS.—REYNOLDS SETTLEMENT.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Section.	Area.	Capital Value.	Annual Instalment on Deferred Payment (without Interest).	Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
1	55 3 18	1,840 0 0	..	41 8 0
2	48 0 5	1,580 0 0	..	35 11 0
3	49 3 34	1,700 0 0	..	38 5 0
4	97 2 6	3,480 0 0	..	78 6 0

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Lands open for General Application.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1	55	3	18	1,840	0	0	..	..	..	41	8	0
2	48	0	5	1,580	0	0	..	..	..	35	11	0
3	49	3	34	1,700	0	0	..	..	..	38	5	0
4	97	2	6	3,480	0	0	..	..	..	78	6	0
5	43	1	19	1,520	0	0	..	..	..	*27	15	6
6	38	1	20	1,360	0	0	..	..	..	34	4	0
17	94	2	35	1,220	0	0	..	..	..	30	12	0
18	85	1	29	1,180	0	0	..	..	..	27	9	0
19	60	1	25	860	0	0	..	..	..	26	11	0
21	48	2	14	1,040	0	0	..	..	..	19	7	0
22	56	3	37	1,220	0	0	..	..	..	23	8	0
23	57	2	26	1,240	0	0	..	..	..	27	9	0
24	59	0	3	1,280	0	0	..	..	..	27	18	0
25	124	1	0	1,480	0	0	..	..	..	28	16	0
							..	..	..	33	6	0

* Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £550; payable in cash, or in fourteen years by half-yearly instalments of £27 15s. 6d.: total half-yearly payment, £106 1s. 6d.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Land open for Application by Discharged Soldiers.

	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
7	26	1	26	940	0	0	47	0	0	21	3	0
8	35	1	23	1,260	0	0	63	0	0	28	7	0
9	53	1	7	1,900	0	0	95	0	0	42	15	0
10	37	1	34	1,120	0	0	56	0	0	25	4	0
11	50	0	13	1,280	0	0	64	0	0	28	16	0
12	47	3	34	800	0	0	40	0	0	18	0	0
13	62	0	30	1,020	0	0	51	0	0	22	19	0
14	68	3	5	1,060	0	0	53	0	0	23	17	0
15	73	1	5	1,020	0	0	51	0	0	22	19	0
16	51	3	15	640	0	0	32	0	0	14	8	0
20	58	2	18	960	0	0	48	0	0	21	12	0

REYNOLDS SETTLEMENT.

The Reynolds Estate, consisting of 1,485 acres, formerly the property of Mr. Richards Reynolds, is situated in the Waipa County, about three miles from Cambridge, fronting the main Cambridge-Roto-o-rangi Road. Two creameries and a school are situated at distances of about two miles from the estate. There is a telephone system all over the district, and a rural delivery of mails takes place daily.

The estate is all flat land having been originally nearly all swamp. Practically the whole is now well drained by a complete system of drains, the majority of which are down to the bottom in sand. There is about 300 acres in the south-west corner of the estate which is within a drainage area, and is not yet thoroughly drained.

The soil generally is of very good quality, consisting mostly of consolidated peaty loam.

The estate has been well fenced and subdivided, and the sections have been laid off so as to utilize existing fences as far as possible. The fences are generally good post and seven-wire fences, with some live barberry hedges. The majority of the paddocks have drains round them, and many of the drains are fenced on both sides. There are numerous good shelter-belts and patches of trees in different parts of the estate. With the exception of about 400 acres, mostly at the western end, the whole of the estate is in pasture, generally in very good condition.

Water is obtained from a good permanent stream passing through the property, and from windmills and troughs, and can be obtained by sinking. There are nine windmills on the property, and about twenty troughs, nine of which are large concrete ones, the others being of wood. The lessees of sections containing windmills or water-troughs will be required, for a period of two years from the date of the ballot, to allow free use of and access to same to any of the settlers whose holdings have no water-supply of their own, on reasonable terms in respect to upkeep as may be approved by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

The whole of the improvements at present existing on the different sections, and consisting of grassing, fencing, ditching, windmills, troughs, plantations, &c., are included in the capital value of the sections to which they belong, the only exception being in the case of Section 4, on which buildings to the value of £550 are an extra charge and must be paid for separately. These buildings consist of a good five-roomed house, valued at £250; two-roomed cottage with lean-to, valued at £50; lean-to shed, valued at £30; large milking-shed with concrete floor, engine-room, cart-shed, &c., and milking-machine installed, the whole valued at £200; and four small sheds valued at £20; making a total value of £550, repayable in fourteen years by twenty-eight half-yearly instalments of £27 15s. 6d. each. The successful applicant for this section will be allowed, if so desired, to dispose of any of the smaller buildings for removal, on payment of the value at which they are assessed.

Sale posters and full particulars may be obtained from this office.

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, 21st April, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 37, Whangape Parish, Rangiriri Survey District, Auckland Land District, containing 35 acres 1 rood 5 perches, will be disposed of on or after Friday, the 21st day of July, 1916, under the provisions of the said Act.

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, 13th March, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that part Section 9, Block VIII, Inangahua Survey District, Nelson Land District, containing 2 acres 2 roods 13-4 perches, will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Tuesday, the 13th day of June, 1916.

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, 21st February, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 32, Block XI, Mokihinui Survey District, Nelson Land District, containing 100 acres, will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Monday, the 22nd day of May, 1916.

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, 21st February, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 14, Block X, Reefton Survey District, Nelson Land District, containing 10 acres 2 roods 35 perches, will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Monday, the 22nd day of May, 1916.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 21st February, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned lands will be open for selection on renewable lease on Wednesday, 21st June, 1916.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAIKAKA DISTRICT.

Section	Block	Area	A.	R.	P.
37	VI	29	1	23	
38	"	22	3	10	
39	"	24	3	27	
40	"	4	1	10	
41	"	4	1	5	
42	"	4	1	35	
43	"	5	1	25	
44	"	3	2	0	
45	"	4	3	12	
46	"	7	1	34	
47	"	5	0	10	
48	"	18	1	15	

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 21st February, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 45, Block III, Table Hill Survey District, Otago Land District, containing 96 acres 1 rood 32 perches, will be disposed of to the owner of adjoining land, in terms of section 14 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, on or after Monday, 22nd May, 1916.

D. M. CALDER,
Deputy Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 16th February, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be sold in terms of section 128 of the Land Act, 1908, on or after Wednesday, 17th May, 1916.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—WAIHEMO COUNTY.—WAIHEMO SURVEY DISTRICT.

PART of mining reserve in Block III, Waihemo District: Area, 58 acres.

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 21st February, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, the undermentioned lands will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Monday, 22nd May, 1916.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.
			A. R. P.
28	III	Otama	13 2 16
89	V	Oteramika Hd. ..	193 1 24
8	XV	Waikawa.. ..	108 0 0

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 3rd April, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under the provisions of section 131 of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 6th day of July, 1916.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.

SECTION 801, Block XII, Hokonui Survey District: Area, 39 acres 3 roods 34 perches.

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 13th March, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 4, Block XII, Waiawa Survey District, Auckland Land District, containing 89 acres, will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Tuesday, 13th June, 1916.

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, 3rd April, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be sold to the owner of adjoining land, in terms of section 131 of the said Act, on or after Wednesday, 5th July, 1916.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—VINCENT COUNTY.—TIGER HILL SURVEY DISTRICT.

AN area of 5 acres 3 roods 35 perches, being old railway reserve traversing Section 28A, Block II.

D. M. CALDER,
Deputy Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICE.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wellington.

Office of the Ikaroa District Native Land Court, Wellington, 3rd May, 1916.
NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Wellington on the 16th day of May, 1916, 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, 1916-9.]

L. A. TEUTENBERG,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR DEFINITION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
5	Kohea Tahana (by his solicitors, Pownall, Lavery, and Moran) ..	Oroi.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
6	Hairota Pana	Awapatiki 1B.
7	Heta Namu and Paranihi Heta	" 2.
8	Horomona Rehe	" 2B 3.
9	Paranihia Ranginui (W. G. H. Baillie)	Big Bay, Block VII 49E 2.
10	Hinga Raharuhi (Teo Tipene)	Hitaua.
11	Inia Tuhata	Kekerione 1G.
12	Taare te Ura	" 4.
13	Rakete Tipene	" 24.
14	Taare te Ura	" 40.
15	Ngaurupa (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers)	" 76.
16	Hapurona Pawa	Matarae 2.
17	Henare Hough and others	Matarakau.
18	Archibald A. Brown (Field and Luckie)	Ngarara West A 46B.
19	Hinaki Ropiha	Ohariu 37.
20	"	" 39.
21	Tahuariki Meihana (W. G. H. Baillie)	Orakauhamu 26B 2C.
22	Ngamoni Nga Wharewiti	Otonga 1B 14.
23	Hohua Warena and others]	Parangarahu 2B.
24	"	" 2C.
25	Ngahuia Hami	Parapara.
26	Ereni Makere, or Ereni Kopu	Puketotara 2B 2B 1.
27	Tahana Kawhe (for Waitaoro Raniera and others)	Takapuwhia C 2.
28	Ruta Rene	Tutaeparaikete 2B.
29	Inia Ohau	Wainui, Square 12, Section 11, Subdivision 2B.
30	Wire Teone (H. te Punga)	Wainuiomata 22, Subdivision 2.
31	"	" 22, " 3.
32	Henry Wastney	Whangamo, Section 2, Block I, Subdivisions 1 and 2.
33	Karoraina Tauru Piripi (W. G. H. Baillie)	Wairau, Block XII 6C 2.
34	Wharaki Rapatini (Makareta Rapatini)	Wairewa 887, Block I, Section 12B.
35	Wharaki Tepi (A. Bishop)	" 887, " I, " 12B.
36	Te Whatarauhi and others (A. Bishop)	" 887, " III, " 9B.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Minor.
131	Hare Hoani	Makirikiri 10B	Miriama Hare.
132	Miriana Karena	Hutt, Section 19, Subdivision 3	Miriana Karena.
133	"	" 19, " 17	"
134	"	Korokoro South	"
135	"	Wainuiomata No. 22	"
136	"	Te Momi No. 2	"
137	"	Taita 57, Subdivision 1	"
138	"	Hutt, Section 19, Subdivision 8	"
139	Te Huro te Oka (Chapman, Skerrett, Tripp, and Blair)	Kekerione No. 44	Te Oka Meihana.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Minor.	Name of Present Trustee.
140	The Public Trustee ..	Onuku 886 No. 3 ..	Hinematiao Puhirere ..	Amiria Hokianga.
141	" ..	" ..	" ..	" ..
142	Ruta Rene (Bunny and Ayson)	Whangarae, Section 18, Square 91, Sub. 3F	Waipataka and Taporena Pene	" ..
143	Thomas Goldsmith ..	Arahura B ..	Thomas Goldsmith ..	Hana Rickus.
144	" ..	" C ..	" ..	" ..
145	" ..	" D ..	" ..	" ..
146	" ..	Waikouaiti, Block 12, Section 46.	" ..	" ..
147	Rahera te Roku ..	Wharekauri 1r and other lands	Waipuke te Roku and others	Paniora te Arahu and Rihania Wharepa.
148	Pirihira Utiku (C. R. Parata)	Manawatu - Kukutauaki 3, Section 2c 1B	Kahumoko Utiku, Te Ahua Utiku, and Pani Utiku	Utiku te Ahua.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXCHANGES OF LAND.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
149	{ M. Simpson	Motueka, Section 188 (part).
	{ Warren Rupine Tiwini	" " " " "
150	{ Huta Pamariki Park	" " 183 (part). "
	{ M. Simpson	" " 188 "
151	{ Piripi te Apatu Mohi Heremia	Ohau No. 3, Section 26B.
	{ Perenara Mohi Heremia	" No. 3, " 11A.
152	{ Te Rohi Maaka Mohi Heremia	" No. 3, " 26B.
	{ Perenara Mohi Heremia	" No. 3, " 11A.
153	{ Waata Momo Taituha	Wairewa 887, Block 1, Section 12C.
	{ Makareta Rapatini	" " 887, " 1, " 12B.
154	{ Horomona Rehe	Kekerione 2C.
	{ Ani Wiremu Hoeta Taituha	Awapatiki 2A 2A and 2A 2C.

APPLICATION FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
155	Emma te Puni (O. Beere)	Hori te Puni.

APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
156	Ani Retimana	Harirota Pana.
157	Rorana Pahira Anaru and others	Pahira Anaru.
158	Henare Hough and others	Epiha Coffee.
159	"	Peti Hough.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 17 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1912.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Nature of Application.
160	Pahi Pomare	Applying to the Court for recommendation for the issue of an Order in Council declaring the applicant a European.

MATTER REFERRED BY THE NATIVE APPELLATE COURT FOR REHEARING.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Matter referred.
161	Huta P. Paaka	Motueka 127	Succession to Taare te Rutu, deceased.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 21 OF THE NATIVE RESERVES ACT, 1882.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
162	Harata Toko Nutira and others	Wairewa 902	For an order extinguishing the Native owners' title and vesting the land in the Public Trustee.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 11 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1913.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
163	Minister of Lands	N.R. 885, Little River, Canterbury D.	Applying to inquire and ascertain what persons shall be included in the certificate of title; also to determine the relative interests of the persons so ascertained.

MATTER REFERRED TO THE COURT FOR INQUIRY AND REPORT UNDER SECTION 49 OF THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
164	The Chief Judge of the Native Land Court	Wharekauri No. 10 ..	For inquiry and report as to the nature of the boundaries laid down on partition.

APPLICATION FOR INVESTIGATION OF TITLE TO COMPLETE JUDGE MACKAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Boundaries.
165	Penekoti te Teka	Tutaeparaikete ..	On the map.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Nature of Application.
166	Hinga Raharuhi, or Carrington	Applying to the Court for an order directing Matene Raharuhi to furnish a correct statement of his administration, and in particular the disposal of proceeds for the sale of Aorere No. 13, and all moneys received from the Public Trustee.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 399 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
167	Chief Surveyor	Wharekauri 1B ..	Applying to the Court to appoint the South Island District Maori Land Board to act as a Receiver until the amount of survey lien due, amounting to £78 4s. 7d., with interest at 5 per cent. from 28th October, 1914, is liquidated.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 232 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
168	Wiremu Kiriona and another ..	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki 7D 2d 64	For a recommendation for the issue of an Order in Council setting apart a portion of the said land as a church reserve.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.	Date from which Interest is calculated.
169	Chief Surveyor	Aorangi No. 1 8D 1	£ s. d. 1 10 5	23 February, 1916.
170	"	" No. 1 8D 2	3 19 11	" " 1916.
171	"	" No. 1 8F 1	3 18 1	" " 1916.
172	"	" No. 1 8F 2	5 10 11	" " 1916.
173	"	Kekerone No. 1, Section 24A	21 2 6	17 April, 1916.
174	"	" No. 1, " 24B	44 11 2	17 " 1916.
175	"	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki 4B 2A No. 1 ..	6 11 5	23 February, 1916.
176	"	" 4B 2A No. 2	6 11 5	" " 1916.
177	"	" 4B 2A No. 3	2 7 1	" " 1916.
178	"	" 4B 2A No. 4	4 9 4	" " 1916.
179	"	" 7D 1 No. 6A	28 10 2	21 " 1916.
180	"	" 7D 1 No. 6B	47 0 4	21 " 1916.
181	"	Taonui-Ahuaturanga 2A 1	0 15 0	18 " 1916.
182	"	" 2A 2	4 15 4	18 " 1916.
183	"	" 2A 3	2 10 2	18 " 1916.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 3rd May, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board to be held at Wellington on Wednesday, the 17th day of May, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

Wairarapa applications will be dealt with at Greytown on Friday, the 19th May, 1916, at 10.30 a.m.

L. A. TEUTENBERG,
Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATION.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	1914/473	Lease ..	20 August, 1914 ..	Ngarara West A, Section 79, Lot 2	Rau Winara Parata to Helen Mary Stevens (Bunny and Ayson).
2	1915/390	.. ..	2 October, 1915 ..	Ditto	Noti Winara Parata and others to Archibald Arthur Brown (O. and R. Beere).
3	1915/479	.. ..	28 May, 1915 ..	Gethsemane Reserve No. 6	Niniwa Heremaia to Allen Donald (Bunny and Ayson).
4	1915/509	.. ..	.. ..	Pukehou 4C No. 7F ..	Winia Paehua to William Martin Simcox (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
5	1915/519	.. ..	.. ..	Paruauku 1B No. 2D ..	Rikihana Carkeek and another to William Martin Simcox (Kirk and Rapley).
6	1915/520	.. ..	10 December, 1915	.. 1B No. 2E ..	Pairorouku Rikihana to William Martin Simcox (Kirk and Rapley).
7	1916/3	.. ..	15 July, 1915 ..	Wiremutaone, Section 4, Subdivision 8, Block XI	Taare Rangi Kauwhata and others to Walter Angell.
8	1916/21	.. ..	9 August, 1915 ..	Ngakaroro 5D No. 2 ..	Whioi Kerehoma and another to Epiha Hawea (R. J. Staveley).
9	1916/42	Transfer ..	23 February, 1916 ..	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4D No. 1, Subdivision 4B, No. 3	Raniera Ranapiri to Ihaka Ranapiri (C. H. Treadwell).
10	1916/49	Lease ..	14 September, 1915	Takapuwhia B No. 2 and C No. 2A	Waiataoro Raniera and others to Richard Weller (Bunny and Ayson).
11	1916/68	Transfer ..	4 December, 1915..	Tutaeparaikeke No. 2C ..	Maaka Pukehi to Richard Weller (Morrison and Smith).
12	1916/72	.. ..	6 March, 1916 ..	Waiorongomai No. 2 ..	Whata Hakaraia to Francis Selwyn Simcox (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
13	1916/73	Lease ..	27 .., 1916 ..	Waimakaira No. 1B ..	Paora Hirama te Hoia to Beryl Cameron Davies (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
14	1916/74	Transfer ..	31 .., 1916 ..	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4D No. 1, Subdivision 5	Hapimana Waitete and others to Harriett Drake (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
15	1916/76	Lease ..	10 December, 1915	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4E Section 3 No. 1D	Te Arai and others to Henry James Vaile Nicholson (George H. Harper).
16	1916/77	.. ..	18 April, 1916 ..	Otaki, Section 147 ..	Pirihira Hohepa to the Bank of Australasia (George H. Harper).
17	1916/78	.. ..	29 February, 1916 ..	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4E No. 2A No. 4	Tamihana Ruihi to Henry James Vaile Nicholson (George H. Harper).
18	1916/79	.. ..	10 March, 1916 ..	Katihiku No. 4B ..	Nepia te Rau and others to Hemi Kupa Hawea (George H. Harper).
19	1916/81	.. ..	13 April, 1916 ..	Ohau No. 1, Section 4 ..	Arapata te Hiwi and others to Marjorie Grace Kirkcaldie (W. Stewart Park).
20	1916/82	.. ..	11 .., 1916 ..	Ohau 3A No. 1A, Section 3	Keita Potana to Walter Samuel Langley (W. Stewart Park).
21	1916/83	.. ..	14 March, 1916 ..	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 7D 2D No. 42	Nepia te Rau to Lawrence Auguston McDonald (W. Stewart Park).
22	1916/84	.. ..	13 April, 1916 ..	Horowhenua XI B 41, Subdivision B 3 North, Section 1	Parahi Reihana and another to Rowland Russell (W. Stewart Park).
23	1916/85	.. ..	13 .., 1916 ..	Horowhenua XI B 41, Subdivision B 3 North, Section 2	Tapita Himiona and others to Rowland Russell (W. Stewart Park).
24	1916/86	.. ..	13 .., 1916 ..	Horowhenua XI B 41, Subdivision B 3 North, Section 3	Muna te Pae and another to Rowland Russell (W. Stewart Park).
25	1916/87	.. ..	1 .., 1916 ..	Horowhenua 3E No. 1, Subdivision 4	Areta Nahona and others to John William Perkins (W. Stewart Park).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—continued.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
GREYTOWN APPLICATIONS.					
26	1915/463	Lease ..	2 July, 1915 ..	Waikoukou Nos. 6A and 7F and Hurunuiorangi	Rihara Ihaia to Elizabeth Pike (G. H. Cullen).
27	1915/532	..	12 .., 1915 ..	Te Maipi, Subdivision 7B	Huiana Rahiri and another to Te Whitu Otaria Piripi (W. G. Beard).
28	1916/39	..	19 February, 1916 ..	Tupurupuru, Section 19, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 25 (Waipoapoa A)	Te Wiringaita Rangi Pita to Harry Mason (Tate and Thompson).
29	1916/44	..	26 .., 1916 ..	Waikoukou No. 2 ..	Rawinia te Ao Hemi and others to Harry Mason (Tate and Thompson).
30	1916/46	..	3 March, 1916 ..	Hurunuiorangi 1B No. 3A	Keeti Namana to Amy Ansley Pike (Tate and Thompson).
31	1916/66	..	21 .., 1916 ..	Mangatainoka J No. 4E..	Ngawhiro Marakaia to Peter Tullock (Adams and Tinney).
32	1916/67	..	1 April, 1916 ..	Akura 1A No. 1 ..	Maraea Karaitiana and others to Elizabeth Wagland (Hollings and Pragnell).
33	1916/69	..	27 .., 1916 ..	Turanganui 1H No. 1 ..	Makere Gillies to Ihipera te Miha (Gawith and Logan).
34	1916/75	..	13 March, 1916 ..	.. Nos. 1A and 2K	Irhapa te Rangitekahi to Isabel Roger Agatha Haycock (Gawith and Logan).

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 Resolution for Consideration.
35	1916/52	Lease ..	Wainuiomata, Section 22 ..	That the existing lease to William Stanley Jones be determined, and a new lease be issued to Messrs. J. and J. W. Burdan for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of 5 per cent. on the Government valuation for the first ten years, and thereafter at 5 per cent. on the Government valuation at the end of ten years for the residue of the term excluding any improvements effected by the lessee during the first ten years (O. and R. Beere).
36	1916/70	..	Te Awaawaroa, Sub. 1 No. 1c	That the land be leased to Arthur Cyrus Mason for a term of twenty-one years at a rental of 5 per cent. on the Government valuation for the first ten years and thereafter at 5 per cent. on the Government valuation at the end of ten years for the residue of the term (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
37	1916/71	Sale ..	Pahaoa, Sub. 2 ..	That the land be sold to George Francis Pearce and Mary Cameron at a price equal to the Government valuation (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
GREYTOWN APPLICATION.				
38	1915/420	Lease ..	Mairirikapua F No. 2 ..	That the land be leased to William Charles Coulter for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of 15s. per acre for the first seven years, 16s. per acre for the second seven years, and 17s. per acre for the residue of the term (Gawith and Logan).

Sitting of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board at Rotorua.

Waiariki Maori Land Board Office, Rotorua, 29th April, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board will be held at Rotorua on the 15th day of May, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow, to hear and determine the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS UNDER SECTION 218 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
112	782	Lease ..	13 November, 1915 ..	Maungarangi B 3D ..	Makete te Moni to Mary Helen Graham (O. J. Hodge).
113	809	Transfer ..	21 October, 1915 ..	Waimana 215 ..	Jack F. Boynton to John Dugald Bryce (Len. Buddle).
114	810	..	11 December, 1915 ..	Rangitaiki 41A 6 ..	Kaiwahie Piripo and others to Lena Davies (P. A. Harron).
115	835	Lease ..	10 March, 1916 ..	Omataroa 5A 1 ..	Ihaka Hori to James Ambrose Eivers (Len. Buddle).

APPLICATIONS TO RECOMMEND THE HON. THE NATIVE MINISTER TO CONSENT TO ALIENATIONS UNDER SECTION 298 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
116	808	Sale	Rangiuru 2B 12	Rangitakaiwaho Nimerata to Owen J. Hodge (O. J. Hodge).
117	811	"	Waimana, Lot 260A No. 8	Keita Rangitukia and others to Tunoa Roihana (P. A. Harron).

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Pukaingataru B 3, Section 1A, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of May, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

"1. That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Perenara Kihirini shall be agreed to.

"2. That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Pirihī Kerei shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rotomahana-Parekarangi No. 6L No. 2B No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of May, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rotomahana-Parekarangi No. 6L No. 2B No. 5 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of May, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Kawaha No. 5N No. 3A No. 4 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of May, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Constance Mary Gillies shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waiteti No. 2A No. 1A No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of May, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Wahiao Simpkins shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Matata, Lot 5, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of May, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Emily F. Abbott shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tihoi No. 4B No. 2B No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taupo on Friday, the 26th day of May, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to William Andrews shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Taubara Middle No. 4A No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taupo on Friday, the 26th day of May, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of portion of the land by way of lease and a proposed alienation of flax-cutting rights to Wiremu te Waiharakeke Honotapu shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tutukau East B No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taupo on Friday, the 26th day of May, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tutukau West B No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taupo on Friday, the 26th day of May, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tutukau West B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taupo on Friday, the 26th day of May, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tauri Nos. 3b and 3c will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taupo on Friday, the 26th day of May, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Poito No. 9 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Raukokore on Wednesday, the 31st day of May, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Herewini Apiata shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Waiti No. 2b will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Raukokore on Wednesday, the 31st day of May, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to A. B. Watene and Herewini Apiata shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whangaparaoa No. 1A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Raukokore on Wednesday, the 31st day of May, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Kuaha Waititi and Hirina Waititi shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungaroa No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kaha on Friday, the 2nd day of June, 1916, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Wikiriwhi te Kani and Whakarau Hatiwira shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Awanui-Haparapara No. 2a will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kaha on Friday, the 2nd day of June, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Harawira Akuhata shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Waiti No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kaha on Friday, the 2nd day of June, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Tunoa Roihana shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Iwiroa No. 8 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kaha on Friday, the 2nd day of June, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Mary Neenan shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Iwiroa No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kaha on Friday, the 2nd day of June, 1916, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to John F. Pettie shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Kaha Papakainga No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kaha on Friday, the 2nd day of June, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Te Tane Tukaki shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki, Lot 41B No. 10c, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

"1. That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Lena Davies shall be agreed to.

"2. That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Agnes Paterson shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waiohau No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

"1. That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Douglas Larnach shall be agreed to.

"2. That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to James C. Cleland and Richard Turpin shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki, Lot 41A 9d, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

"1. That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Lena Davies shall be agreed to.

"2. That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Sarah Phillips shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki, Lot 41A No. 9c, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

"1. That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Lena Davies shall be agreed to.

"2. That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Agnes Paterson shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waiohau No. 1A, Section 11, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waiohau No. 1A, Section 12, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waiohau No. 1A, Section 13, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki, Lot 43B No. 2, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Thomas Paterson shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki, Lot 41B No. 10D, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Sarah Phillips shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki, Lot 41A No. 9A, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Agnes Paterson shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki, Lot 41B No. 10B, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Lena Davies shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki, Lot 41B No. 10A, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Agnes Paterson shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki, Lot 43B 1, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Thomas Paterson shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki, Lot 30C No. 12, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Georgina M. Limbrick shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki, Lot 30C No. 11, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Georgina M. Limbrick shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki, Lot 43B No. 6, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Thomas Paterson shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki, Lot 30A No. 1, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to George Preece shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Whetu No. 3B, Section 4, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Putaruru on Friday, the 16th day of June, 1916, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Charles Bull shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Paengaroa North D 1b will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Puke on Tuesday, the 20th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Ropata te Wharehuia shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Karangi A 5 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Puke on Tuesday, the 20th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to John Edwin Newton shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of April, 1916.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua 78B No. 2a will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Thursday, the 25th day of May, 1916, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be leased to Margaret Jean Goldsmith for a term of forty-two years at an annual rental of 1s. 6d. per acre during the first twenty-one years and 3s. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years. Compensation up to £3 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of April, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM CHARLES SOAR, of Karangahape Road, Auckland, Bootmaker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 4th day of May, 1916, at 2.30 o'clock.

28th April, 1916.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN HENRY DE MARR, of Gisborne, Cycle Agent, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 9th day of May, 1916, at 2.30 o'clock.

26th April, 1916.

A. G. BEERE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FRED ROWE and THOMAS HENRY ROWE, trading as “F. and H. Rowe,” Tailors, 620 Colombo Street, were this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 96 Gloucester Street, on Monday, the 8th day of May, 1916, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

2nd May, 1916.

M. C. BARNETT,
Acting Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CORRIE DUNCAN AYSON, late of Dunedin, but now of Christchurch, Motor-driver, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 203 Princes Street, Dunedin, on Thursday, the 11th day of May, 1916, at 2.30 o'clock.

27th April, 1916.

CHAS. ZACHARIAH,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

DIVIDENDS on all proved and accepted claims in the undermentioned estates are now payable at the office of the undersigned.

Estate of Thomas Horan, of Invercargill, Grocer: First and final of 4s. 4½d. in the pound.

Estate of G. S. Templeton, of Glenham, Flax-miller: First and final of 2s. 6½d. in the pound.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
3rd May, 1916. Deputy Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 5th day of June, 1916.

5950. WILLIAM WILSON.—Parts Allotment 90, Parish of Maungatapere, containing together 95 acres 2 roods 28 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 10140.

6015. ROBERT GLEN MACMORRAN.—Lots 126, 127, and part Lot 128 of Kanaeranga Blocks 13 and 14, Town of Grahamstown, containing 17.2 perches, fronting Albert Street, Thames. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 10537.

6043. HENRY UMPTON POYNTER.—Allotments 234, 235, 237, and 238, Parish of Puketu, containing 90 acres 2 roods 24 perches. Occupied by Charles Jeremiah Corboy, Frederick Joseph Corboy, and Edward Marie Corboy. Plan 10456.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 2nd day of May, 1916, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 8th day of June, 1916.

JOHN GILLMAN BEAMISH.—Parts of Sections 24 and 29, Patea Suburban. Occupied by Applicant. No. 1335.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 2nd day of May, 1916, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

A. V. STURTEVANT,
District Land Registrar.

A PPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the name of JOHN BROWN, of Masterton, Settler, for Lot 27, D.P. 637, of subdivision of Section 22, Taueru Block, being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 70, folio 262, and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate of title, as requested, on the 19th day of May, 1916.

Dated this 3rd day of May, 1916, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

11908. MAUD SUSANNAH SKEVINGTON.—52 acres 3 roods 5 perches, part of Rural Sections 992, 3069, 3101, 3946, Block VIII, Rangiora District. Occupied by Applicant.

12247. COOPER AND DUNCAN (LIMITED).—1 acre 0 roods 28.2 perches, part of Town Reserve 105, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Applicant.

12253. CHARLES HENRY MOIR.—1 acre 0 roods 2.2 perches, Lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, deposited plan No. 3853, part of Rural Section 243E, St. Albans Ward, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Joseph Henry Dearsley.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 2nd day of May, 1916, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the publication hereof in the Gazette.

5198. ELIZABETH THOMSON.—1 rood 0.4 perch, parts Sections 42 and 43, Block XVIII, City of Dunedin. Occupied partly by James Brown and partly by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1916, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

C. E. NALDER,
District Land Registrar.

A PPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the name of GEORGE ROSE, late of Dipton, Farmer, now deceased, for Section 13, Block XXI, Town of Arrowtown, being the land contained in certificate of title, Vol. 59, folio 259, 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, Dunedin, the 1st day May, 1916.

C. E. NALDER,
District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

RANGITIKEI COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—LOAN OF £1,000.—
PUKEMAPOU NO. 2 SPECIAL-RATING DISTRICT.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Rangitikei 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 £1,000, authorized to be raised by the Rangitikei County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of metalling the Pukemapou Road and the cost of raising the loan to be paid out of the loan, the said Rangitikei County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of three-farthings ($\frac{3}{4}$ d.) in the pound sterling upon the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property of the Pukemapou No. 2 Special-rating District, comprising Sections 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 22 in Block III, Section part 23 (100 acres) in Block IV, and Sections 1, 2, 3, 4,

part 5 (100 acres), 22, 23, and 24 in Block VII, all in the Tiriraukawa Survey District; as the said special-rating district is more particularly shown upon the map annexed to the ratepayers' consent to such loan, and thereon bordered red. And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of May in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.”

I, Bennet Perry Lethbridge, Chairman of the Rangitikei County Council, do hereby certify that the above resolution was duly made and passed at a special meeting of the Rangitikei County Council held on the 8th day of April, 1916.

In testimony whereof the common seal of the Council has been affixed this 8th day of April, 1916.

BEN. P. LETHBRIDGE,
Chairman, Rangitikei County Council.
Witness—Harold H. Richardson, County Clerk. 319

RANGITIKEI COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—LOAN OF £300.—
PUKENAUA-NAMUNUI SPECIAL-RATING DISTRICT.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Rangitikei 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 £300, authorized to be raised by the Rangitikei County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of trimming and gravelling the Pukenua Road from the end of the present gravelled portion to its junction with the Namunui Road, a distance of about one mile, and the cost of raising the loan to be paid out of the loan, the said Rangitikei County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny farthing ($\frac{1}{4}$ d.) in the pound sterling upon the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property of the Pukenua-Namunui Special-rating District, comprising Sections 9A, part 11 (32 acres), 14, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, part 22 (45 acres), and part 27 (50 acres), all in Block XIII, Ohinewairua Survey District; as the said special-rating district is more particularly shown upon the map annexed to the ratepayers' consent to such loan, and thereon bordered red. And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of May in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.”

I, Bennet Perry Lethbridge, Chairman of the Rangitikei County Council, do hereby certify that the above resolution was duly made and passed at a special meeting of the Rangitikei County Council held on the 8th day of April, 1916.

In testimony whereof the common seal of the Council has been affixed this 8th day of April, 1916.

BEN. P. LETHBRIDGE,
Chairman, Rangitikei County Council.
Witness—Harold H. Richardson, County Clerk. 320

EKETAHUNA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING AND LEVYING A SPECIAL RATE, ETC.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Eketahuna County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the instalment in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of five hundred pounds, authorized to be raised by the Eketahuna County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for metalling Pori Road, the said Eketahuna County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of nine-sixteenths of one penny in £1 upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Pori Road Loan No. 2 Special-rating Area, comprising part Sec. 13, Block I, part 6 and Secs. 7/8, Block II, Secs. 1, 2, 4, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 17, 21, Block V, part Sec. 1 and Secs. 2, 5, Block VI, Puketoi S.D.; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of February and the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years ($36\frac{1}{2}$), or until the loan is fully paid off.

And that the common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Eketahuna be affixed hereto.

J. B. CARRUTHERS,
Chairman.
F. COWLAM,
County Clerk.

EKETAHUNA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION STRIKING A SPECIAL RATE IN RESPECT OF A LOAN OF £140 (BEING PORTIONS OF A TEN-PER-CENT. LOAN ON £1,445) FOR ALFREDTON-WEBER ROAD.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Eketahuna County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

Whereas a loan of £1,600 was duly authorized for the purpose of extending the metalling of Alfredton-Weber Road, but, as the special rate struck was not sufficient for the full amount of the loan, a sum of £1,445 only was raised:

And whereas the amount so raised has been found insufficient for such purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a supplementary loan of one hundred and forty pounds, authorized to be raised by the Eketahuna County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and more particularly by section 18 thereof, for completing the metalling of Alfredton-Weber Road:

The said Eketahuna County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one twenty-fourth of one penny in the pound (1/24th in £1) upon the unimproved rateable value of all rateable property of the Alfredton-Weber Road Loan Special-rating Area, more particularly set out and described on page 4253, *N.Z. Gazette*, 1914, in connection with the levying of the special rate on the original loan of £1,600. And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of February and the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years (36½), or until the loan is fully paid off.

J. B. CARRUTHERS,
Chairman.

And that the common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Eketahuna be affixed hereto.

We hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the resolution passed Saturday, the eighth day of April, 1916, and appearing in the minute-book of the Council.

J. B. CARRUTHERS,
Chairman.

F. COWLAM,
County Clerk.

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KIWITEA COUNTY COUNCIL.

WAITUNA COTTAGE LOAN.—RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Counties Act, 1908, and amendments thereto, the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and of every other power and authority in that behalf enabling it, the KIWITEA County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £350, authorized to be raised by the KIWITEA County Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of providing the cost of purchase of Lots 21, 22, and 23, Village of West Waitapu, Block XV, Ongo S.D., together with the buildings erected thereon, for the purpose of using same for a roadman's dwelling, the said KIWITEA County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-fortieth of one penny in the pound sterling upon the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property of the Ongo Riding of the County of KIWITEA; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of October and first day of April in each and every year during the currency of the said loan, being a period of ten years, or until the said loan is fully paid off.

We hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution passed at a special meeting of the KIWITEA County Council held on the 15th day of April, 1916.

A. E. PEARCE,
Chairman.

L. J. VERRY,
County Clerk.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between Messrs. S. A. BAMKIN, V. DICKEY, and MYSELF, trading as "Bamkin, Dickey, & Steward," of Wanganui, Tailors, has been dissolved as from the 1st February, 1916, by my retirement from the Partnership business.

A. G. STEWARD.

Witness—G. P. Finlay, Solicitor, Te Kuiti. 324

GOLDEN FLAT MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a special general meeting of the shareholders in the above company held at Wanganui on the 17th day of April, 1916, the following extraordinary resolution was passed by the requisite majority:—

"That as it is proved to the satisfaction of the company that the company cannot, on account of its liabilities and lack of working capital, continue its business, and as it is advisable to wind up the company, the company go into voluntary liquidation forthwith; and that a Liquidator be appointed by the meeting."

R. DUNKLEY, F.I.A.N.Z., Liquidator.
P.O. Box 11, Wanganui. 325

In the matter of ROSS GOLDFIELDS RECONSTRUCTED (LIMITED).

IN terms of section 223 of the Companies Act, 1908, notice is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of Ross Goldfields Reconstructed (Limited) held at the Chamber of Commerce Hall, Swanson Street, Auckland; on Tuesday, the 11th day of April, 1916, at 3.15 o'clock in the afternoon, the following resolution was duly passed as an extraordinary resolution:—

RESOLUTION.

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the company that the company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up same, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908."

HERBERT DOUGLAS VICKERY and GEORGE FRANCIS DAVIS were appointed Liquidators for the purposes of winding-up.

GEO. F. DAVIS,
Chairman.

27th April, 1916, Wellington. 326

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of ROSS GOLDFIELDS RECONSTRUCTED (LIMITED), in Voluntary Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named company are required, on or before the nineteenth day of May, 1916, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any), to GEORGE FRANCIS DAVIS and HERBERT DOUGLAS VICKERY, at 100 Customhouse Quay, Wellington, the Liquidators of the said company; and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidators, are personally or by their solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts or claims are proved.

GEO. F. DAVIS,
H. D. VICKERY,
Liquidators.

Dated at Wellington this 27th day of April, 1916. 327

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE.

I HEREBY certify that the Reverend SAMUEL LAWRY has been duly appointed by the New Zealand Methodist Conference as Authorized Representative for the year 1916-17.

ALBERT C. LAWRY,
President of the Conference.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and of R. D. BARFORD AND COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the Supreme Court was on the 8th day of April, 1916, presented to the Honourable Sir Robert Stout, K.C.M.G., Chief Justice of New Zealand, by Bing, Harris, and Company (Limited), a company registered under the above Act, having its registered office in Dunedin, and carrying on business there and elsewhere in New Zealand as a Merchant, and Fulton and Company, of Wellington, Merchants, creditors of the said company. And the said petition is directed to be heard before a Judge of the said Court at Palmerston North on the 12th day of May, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and any creditor or contributory of the said company desirous of opposing the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company by the Court under the above Act should appear

at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose. And a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same, by the undersigned, upon payment of the regulated charge for the same.

The address for service on the petitioners of any document is at the office of Messieurs Innes and Oakley, Solicitors, Palmerston North.

YOUNG AND TRIPE,
Solicitors for the Petitioners,
Grey Street, Wellington.

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MAKARA COUNTY COUNCIL.

No. 3 SPECIAL-RATING AREA.—RECONSTRUCTION OF, AND OTHER EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO, BRIDGES AND ROADS DAMAGED BY FLOOD.—RESOLUTION MAKING RATE.

In the matter of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Makara County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

"That, for the purpose of providing for the instalments in respect of the principal and interest and other charges on a loan of £1,000, authorized to be raised by the Makara County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of constructing new bridges to replace those that were destroyed by flood in November, 1915, and repairing damage caused by the same flood to other bridges and roads throughout the Porirua Riding of the Makara County, and of refunding to the Porirua Riding Account such sums that have been expended for this purpose prior to the raising of the loan, the said Makara County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1/32 of one penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property (on the basis of capital value) of the No. 3 Special-rating Area, comprising the whole of the Porirua Riding (excepting that portion of the riding known as the No. 2 Special-rating Area, *vide* the *New Zealand Gazette*, page 2243, 18th July, 1912), the lands of the No. 3 Special-rating Area being shown on plan and comprised within the blue tint thereon. And that such rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and shall 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 years and a half (36½), or until the loan is fully paid off."

Passed at a duly constituted meeting of the Makara County Council held in the County Chambers, Ballance Street, Wellington, the fourteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

The common seal of the Makara County Council was hereto affixed this 14th day of April, 1916.

H. J. MONAGHAN,
Chairman.
WILFRED L. BEECH,
Clerk.

I hereby certify that the above is a correct copy of a resolution appearing upon the minute-book of the Makara County Council.

WILFRED L. BEECH,
County Clerk.

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CANTERBURY COLLEGE.

ELECTION OF MEMBER OF BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

IN pursuance of regulations under the Canterbury College and Canterbury Agricultural College Act, 1896, I, George Harry Mason, Returning Officer, do hereby notify that the undermentioned person has been duly elected a member of the Board of Governors of Canterbury College, by the electors on the Graduates Electoral Roll:—

ARTHUR EDWARD FLOWER, M.A.
GEO. H. MASON,
Returning Officer.

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VIVIAN BRIQUETTE COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, that a general meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at the offices of Messrs. Watkins, Hull, and Wheeler, Johnston Street, Wellington, on the twenty-third day of May, 1916, at 2.15 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having

an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators, and also for the purpose of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company and of the Liquidators shall be disposed of.

Dated the first day of May, 1916.

WATKINS, HULL, & WHEELER,
Liquidators.
Johnston Street, Wellington. 332

PALMERSTON NORTH BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

THAT, as the amount of the loan of £100,000 known as "The Gasworks Loan," authorized under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, at a poll of ratepayers taken on the 22nd day of April, 1914, is found insufficient to complete the undertaking in respect of which it was raised, the Council of the Borough of Palmerston North hereby decides to borrow from the same (the Public Trustee) or any other lender a further sum of £10,000 (being one-tenth of the amount originally authorized by the ratepayers) at a rate of interest not exceeding £5 per centum per annum, with a sinking fund of £1 10s. per centum per annum. And, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the said Act, the Council of the Borough of Palmerston North hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the interest and sinking fund and principal and other charges on the said loan or further sum of £10,000, authorized to be raised aforesaid, the said Council hereby makes and levies (in addition to the special rate made and levied in respect of the original loan) a special rate of one-ninth of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Borough of Palmerston North, comprising the whole of the said borough, on the basis of the unimproved value; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan or further sum of £10,000, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of June and the first day of December in each and every year during the currency of such loan or further sum, being a period of 33 years, or until the loan or further sum is fully paid off.

Passed by the Palmerston North Borough Council on the 18th day of April, 1916.

W. H. COLLINGWOOD,
Town Clerk.

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