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*Lands reserved as Endowments for Education.*

[L.S.]

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, the lands enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto were temporarily reserved as endowments for educational purposes as specified in the second column of the said Schedule, upon the respective dates specified in the third column, and severally set opposite the respective descriptions of the said lands:

And whereas notices of such reservations were laid before both Houses of Parliament: And whereas the two Houses have passed resolutions, upon the dates specified in the fourth column, approving, in terms of the three-hundred-and-twenty-fourth section of the Land Act, 1908, of the lands being permanently set aside as endowments for educational purposes:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power and authority vested in me by the Land Act, 1908, do hereby proclaim and declare that the lands enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto shall be reserved as endowments for educational purposes as specified in the second column of the said Schedule.

### SCHEDULE.

First Column.				Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.	
Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose.	Date of Temporary Reservation.	Date of Resolutions of the General Assembly.	
<i>Auckland Land District.</i>							
A. R. P.							
Matakohe Parish ..	265	..	1 2 37.4	Endowment for secondary education	16th Feb., 1916	} Resolution of the Legislative Council dated 21st June, 1916, and resolution of the House of Representatives dated 3rd August, 1916.	
Kaiaka Parish ..	135, 136	..	3 0 28.2	Endowment for primary education	23rd May, 1916		
<i>Nelson Land District.</i>							
Matakitaki Survey District	9	XII	383 0 0	Endowment for primary education	16th Feb., 1916		
<i>Southland Land District.</i>							
Toetoes Survey District ..	6	IV	0 0 33	Endowment for primary education	27th Oct., 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 twentieth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

**E**RRATUM.—In the nineteenth item of the third column of the Schedule to the Proclamation published in *Gazette* No. 135, page 3900, of 25th November, 1915, laying out and taking a road in Mapara, Otanake, Pakaumanu, Rangi, and Tangitu Survey Districts, Ohura and Waitomo Counties, for "XII" read "VIII."

*Crown Lands 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 areas of Crown land 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.

*Weber County.—Tautane Survey District.*

SECTION 6, Block XIII: Area, 422 acres 3 roods 9 perches.

*Dannevirke County.—Tahoraite Survey District.*

Section 16, Block II: Area, 28 acres 0 roods 26 perches.

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-third day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Crown Lands set apart for Disposal by Way of Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers, under Special Tenures, in the Wellington 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 areas of Crown land 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.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.

*Kaitieke County.—Retaruke Survey District.*

SECTION	Block	Area	A.	R.	P.
SECTION 2,	Block X	Area, 1,114	3	0	0
"	10 " XI	" 578	0	33	
"	11 " XI	" 508	1	32	
"	1 " XV	" 408	0	0	

*Kaitieke County.—Whirinaki Survey District.*

Section 5, Block III: Area, 653 acres.

*Masterton County.—Puketoi Survey District.*

Section 5, Block III: Area, 106 acres 0 roods 10 perches.

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-third day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Lands proclaimed as a Road in Block V, Wainuioru Survey District, Wellington Land District.*

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owners and the mortgagees of the lands described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Wairarapa South County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said lands are situated, proclaim as a road the lands described in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
2	2	23	Lot 3 on D.P. 3172, part Te Wera-a-Whaitiri A No. 2 Block; coloured purple.
0	0	4	Lot 1 on D.P. 3172, part Te Wera-a-Whaitiri B Block; coloured red.
0	0	22	Lot 2 on D.P. 3172, part Te Wera-a-Whaitiri B Block; coloured neutral.
2	0	7	Te Wera-a-Whaitiri B Block; coloured yellow.
4	3	21	Lot 2 on D.P. 3174, part Ngawaka-a-Kupe 4c Block; coloured blue.
8	1	11	Lot 3 on D.P. 3174, part Ngawaka-a-Kupe 4c Block; coloured red.

Situated in Block V, Wainuioru Survey District.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 26/5/1a, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Change of Name of Borough, Campbelltown to Bluff.*

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Council of the Borough of Campbelltown has, pursuant to section two of the Designation of Districts Amendment Act, 1909, passed a resolution that the name of such borough be changed to "Bluff":

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

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

G. W. RUSSELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Additional Land at Auckland taken for the Purposes of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway.*

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

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway to take further land at Auckland, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections twenty-nine and one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land:—

	Plan W.R. 22802 (S.O. 18353, blue).
A. R. P.	
0 0 21·6,	portion of Allotment 116, Section 1, Suburbs of Auckland.
0 0 18,	portion of reclaimed land, Mechanics Bay.
	Plan W.R. 23931 (S.O. 19020, blue).
0 1 32·8,	portion of Factory Road.
0 1 17·1	„ „
0 0 15·3	„ „ King's Drive.

Situated in Block VIII, Rangitoto Survey District, City of Auckland.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked as above mentioned, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways 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 nineteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. H. HERRIES,  
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Allocating Land reserved and taken for a Railway to the Purposes of a Road near Oamaru in the Waitaki County.*

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

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land taken for the purposes of the Waitaki-Bluff Railway, and it is considered desirable to allocate such land to the purposes of a road:

And whereas it has been certified by the Minister of Railways that such land is not required for railway purposes: And whereas such land is situated in the County of Waitaki, the local authority of which has assented to the issue of this Proclamation:

And whereas His Excellency the Governor is of opinion that the said local authority can conveniently construct and maintain the said 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 powers and authorities vested in me by section one hundred and ninety-seven of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a road, and that the said road shall be under the control of the Waitaki County Council, and shall be maintained by the said Council in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Council.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land: 20 perches.  
Portion of railway reserve, Block I, Oamaru Survey District, Waitaki County.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 23892, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways 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 nineteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

W. H. HERRIES,  
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

RANGITOTO-TUHUA 6B Block: Approximate area, 96 acres 3 roods; Ongarue Survey District.

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

W. H. HERRIES,  
Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for a Further Portion of the Kawakawa-Hokianga Railway and for Road-diversions in connection therewith.*

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

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a further portion of the Kawakawa-Hokianga Railway, and for road-diversions 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 mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for a further portion of the said line of railway hereinbefore specified, and for the road-diversions in connection therewith as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Sheet No. of Plan.	Coloured on Plan
<b>FOR RAILWAY.</b>				
A. R. P. 3 0 21-8 0 1 28-5 1 0 19-7 2 0 8-4 8 1-35	Taraire No. 2, Section M	XV	1	Red.
11 1 35-4	Taraire No. 2, Section J	XI, XV	2, 3	Red.
2 3 24	Taumatarao ..	XI	3	Yellow.
0 0 1-8	Omapere No. 1B ..	"	3	Purple.
5 2 3	" No. 1C ..	"	3	Red.
2 2 32	" No. 1B ..	"	3	Purple.
0 3 20	" No. 1B ..	"	3	"
1 1 12	" No. 3 ..	"	3	Yellow.
4 2 16	Papakauri D ..	"	3, 4	Blue.
1 2 0	" B No. 1 ..	"	4	Purple.
1 1 15	" B No. 2 ..	X, XI	4	Yellow.
2 2 30	" C ..	"	4	Neutral.
2 2 28	Omapere No. 1 K.G.R.	X	4	Red.
1 0 16	Ditto ..	"	4, 5	"
5 0 10	" ..	"	4, 5	"
4 0 30	" ..	"	5	"
1 3 31	" ..	"	5	"
2 3 12	Crown land ..	"	4, 5	Blue.
0 0 18	" ..	"	5	"
1 2 10	Section 15 ..	VI, X	5	"
2 3 25	" 30 ..	VI	5, 6	Yellow.
0 0 31-5	" 30 ..	VI, VII	6	"
1 2 18-6	Section 22 ..	"	6	Purple.
1 3 17				
0 0 1	Closed road ..	X	5	Green.
0 2 3				
0 1 31	" ..	VI, VII	6	"
0 3 6	" ..	VI	6	"
0 0 29	" ..	VI, VII	6	"
0 2 29	" ..	VII	6	"
0 0 29	" ..	"	6	"
4 2 30	Section 30 ..	"	6	Yellow.
7 2 24	" 30 ..	"	6	"
<b>FOR ROAD-DIVERSIONS.</b>				
1 0 33	Taraire No. 2, Section M	XV	1	Neutral.
1 1 28-3	Omapere No. 1 K.G.R.	X	5	"
2 2 6				
0 0 0-04	Section 22 ..	VI	6	Blue.
0 3 10	" 30 ..	VI, VII	6	Neutral.
0 3 32	" 22 ..	"	6	Blue.
4 2 16	" 30 ..	VII	6	Neutral.
0 0 3	Section 1, Okaihau Parish	"	6	Yellow.

Situated in Omapere Survey District (S.O. 18889).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39682, 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-first day of September, 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 Blocks VIII and XII, Wangapeka Survey District, Waimea County.

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

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A. R. P.  
1 0 38, portion of part Section 95; Block XII. Coloured purple on plan.  
10 0 9, portion of Sections 91, 92, 93, 94, and part 95; Blocks VIII and XII. Coloured pink on plan.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A. R. P.  
1 0 37, adjoining or passing through part Section 95; Block XII.  
7 2 15, adjoining or passing through Sections 92, 93, 94, and part 95; Blocks VIII and XII.  
Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in "Upper Motueka," Wangapeka Survey District (Nelson R.D.).

All in the Nelson Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 40399, 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 twentieth day of September, 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 House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR 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, providing, *inter alia*, that no lures or baits other than artificial fly or artificial minnow shall be used in any of the rivers or streams set forth in the proviso to clause five of the said regulations:

And whereas by subsequent Orders in Council dated respectively the ninth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven, the fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and nine, the thirtieth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the twenty-sixth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, the fourteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and the eleventh day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, the names of rivers or streams have been added to or removed from the list set forth in the aforesaid proviso to section five :

And whereas it is desirable to revoke such regulations and proviso and make fresh provisions in lieu thereof :

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 revoke the Orders in Council of the ninth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seven, the fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, the twenty-sixth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, the fourteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and the eleventh day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen; and doth also hereby revoke the proviso to clause five of the said regulations of the twenty-seventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and six, and substitute the following proviso in lieu thereof : Provided that no lures or baits other than artificial ones shall be used in the following rivers and streams and their tributaries—the Wainui-omata, the Wainui tributary of the Whakatiki, the Mungaroa, the Korokoro (Hutt County), the South Karori, the Porirua, the Kaiwarra (Makara County), the Mangaone, the Waitohu, the Waikawa, the Waikanae above Buchanan's house, the Tokomaru, the Makaretu, the Makahiki (tributaries of the Ohau), the Ohau above the railway bridge (Horowhenua County), the Mangatarera (Wairarapa), the Kahutarawa, the Tiritia (Kairanga County), the Makakahi from its source to the bridge at Newman (Eketahuna County), and the Hautapu from Jacobsen's Bridge, north of Taihape, southwards (Rangitikei County).

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

*Authorizing the Expenditure of Wanganui River Domain Funds on River-works.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section forty-four of the Reserves and Other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1916, 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 determine that for a period of twelve months from the date hereof the revenue accruing in respect of the leasing or other disposition of any part of the lands for the time being comprised in the Wanganui River Domain may, after the payment of costs of survey, maintenance, road access, fencing, and other expenses in connection with the domain, be applied in or towards the opening-up or improving of such part of the Wanganui River as is within the jurisdiction of the Wanganui River Trust.

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

*Appointing a Trustee for Management of Wharf at Waitangi, Chatham Islands.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the eighth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 88, of the eleventh day of the same month, the management of the wharf at Waitangi, Chatham Islands, was vested in Messrs.

Charles Wishart, Thomas Patrick G. Miller, James J. Fougere, and Franz Regnault, as trustees for the inhabitants of the district :

And whereas Thomas Patrick G. Miller has resigned his position as trustee, and it is desirable to appoint another person in his place :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance of the power conferred upon him by the Harbours Act, 1908, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint THOMAS RITCHIE to be a trustee, in conjunction with Charles Wishart, James J. Fougere, and Franz Regnault, for the management of the said wharf at Waitangi, Chatham Islands.

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

*Conferring on Heathcote County Council Powers of Borough Councils with respect to Lighting and the Supply of Electricity.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted by the Lake Coleridge Water-power Act, 1915 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), that the Governor may by Order in Council confer on any local authority proposing to contract with His Majesty the King for the supply of electricity from the works established at Lake Coleridge by the Minister of Public Works such of the powers of Borough Councils with respect to lighting and the supply of electricity as he thinks fit, and with such restrictions, modifications, and conditions as he thinks fit, and thereupon that local authority shall have and may exercise the said powers accordingly pursuant to the tenor of the said Order in Council :

And whereas the Heathcote County Council proposes to contract as aforesaid with His Majesty the King, and it is expedient to confer upon the said County Council certain of the said powers of Borough Councils, subject to certain restrictions and conditions :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him in that behalf by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby confer on the said Heathcote County Council all the powers exercisable by a duly constituted Borough Council under sections two hundred and seventy-seven and three hundred and twenty-nine of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, section thirty-three, and subsection one as regards paragraph (a), and subsection two of section forty-five of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1913, and section five of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1915, subject to the restriction and condition that such powers shall be exercisable by the said Heathcote County Council only within the Cashmere Riding of the County of Heathcote as existing on the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

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

*Consenting to a Mortgage of Native Land.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

**SCHEDULE.**

TAHORAITI 2A, Section 32E: Approximate area, 357 acres; Wellington Provincial District.

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

*Partial Revocation of Order in Council prohibiting all Private Alienation of certain Native Lands.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

**ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

**W**HEREAS by section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted that any Order in Council made under that section may at any time be varied or revoked:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority hereinbefore mentioned, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the Order in Council as set out in Part I of the Schedule hereto, only in so far as it affects the land mentioned in Part II of the said Schedule.

**SCHEDULE.**

**PART I.**

**ORDER** in Council under section 363 of the Native Land Act, 1909, dated the 10th July, 1916, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* dated the 13th July, 1916.

**PART II.**

All that piece of land containing 2,965 acres, more or less, being that portion of Waimarino Reserve A No. 21 lying to the south and west of the Tokitokirau-Ameku Road.

J. F. ANDREWS,  
Clerk of the Executive Council

*Declaring Portions of Road in Block III, Waioneke Survey District, to be Government Roads.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

**ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

**I**N 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 Government roads.

**SCHEDULE.**

APPROXIMATE area of the pieces of road declared Government roads: 27 acres 0 roods 10 perches. Adjoining or passing through Crown land, Block III, Waioneke Survey District (S.O. 19137).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 40938, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

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

*Declaring Portion of the Blenheim-Kaikoura Road, in the Kaikoura County, to be a County Road.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

**ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

**I**N 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 the Blenheim-Kaikoura Road, in the Marlborough Land District, Kaikoura County, commencing at the south-eastern corner of Section 7 of 2A, Maungamaunu N.R., Block III, Mount Fyffe Survey District, and running generally in a westerly direction, adjoining or passing through Section 7 of 2A, Block III, Sections 8 and 12 of 2A, Block V, (Maungamaunu Native Reserve), Mount Fyffe Survey District; Sections 14, Kaiwhare N.R. 58, 52, and 57, Kincaid Run, Block II, Mount Fyffe Survey District; thence in a south-westerly direction across the Hapuku River, including the bridge built over the Hapuku River bed; thence through Section 59, Block V, Mount Fyffe Survey District, and terminating at its junction with the Kincaid Road; being a total distance of 2 miles 13½ chains, more or less. As the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 40946, 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.

*Directing Sale of Land in Block XV, Rangiriri Survey District, under the Public Works Act, 1908.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

**ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

**W**HEREAS by the thirtieth section of the Public Works Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted 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 set forth in the said Act:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto was taken under the Public Works Act, 1908, for the purposes of the Huntly-Awaroa Branch of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway:

And whereas the said land is not now required for the public work for which it was taken, and it is desirable to sell the same:

And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to issue an Order in Council directing the sale of the land described in the Schedule hereto:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers 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 direct the sale of the said land.

**SCHEDULE.**

APPROXIMATE area of land directed to be sold: 1 acre 0 roods 34 perches. Portion of railway reserve, formerly portion of road, Block XV, Rangiriri Survey District (S.O. 16756).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 32660 (sheet 2), deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

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

*Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Waipahi Domain.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

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

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

ROBERT MELROSE,  
PHILIP HENRY JONES,  
ANDREW MURRAY,  
FRANCIS BANKS, and  
JAMES CAMPBELL

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

SCHEDULE.

WAIPAHI DOMAIN, CLUTHA COUNTY.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres 2 roods 16 perches, more or less, being Section No. 14, Block VII, Town of Waipahi. Bounded towards the north-east by Sections Nos. 12 and 13, Block VII, Town of Waipahi, 500 links, and by Derwent Street, 231 links; towards the south-east by a road-line, 878 links and 210.3 links; towards the south-west by said road, 180.5 links; and towards the north-west by said road, 264.5 links, 315.1 links, and by railway reserve, 410.2 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1199, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

*Licensing Walter Baxendale Giesen to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark at Horehore, Kaipara Harbour, as a Site for a Wharf.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), Walter Baxendale Giesen, of Horehore (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license under the said Act to use and occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark at Horehore, Kaipara Harbour, as shown on plan marked M.D. 2519, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, in order to maintain a wharf thereon: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the said wharf will not be or tend to the injury of navigation,

and the said plan marked M.D. 2519 has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved of by the Governor in Council: And whereas it is desirable that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensee for the term and subject to the conditions hereinafter expressed :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto necessary for the maintenance of the said wharf, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark occupied by the said wharf as shown on plan marked M.D. 2519.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council the licensee shall pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £1 in advance, dating from the 1st August, 1916, the first of such annual payments to be made on the licensee being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. All persons shall, at all reasonable times and upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the said wharf, and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

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

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

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

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

9. The ballast of all vessels loading at the said wharf shall be taken away by the licensee and deposited above high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister, or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

10. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue to be in force for fourteen years from the 1st August, 1916, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensee shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the written consent of the Minister first obtained.

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

12. The licensee shall be liable for any injury which the said wharf may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on his part.



## 13. In case the licensee shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions herein before set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Become bankrupt, or be brought under the operation of any law for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy; or
- (4.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions,—

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

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

*License authorizing the Wellington City Council to erect and lay Electric Lines from the Tramway Trolley-wire and Rail in Constable Street, to the adjoining Premises of the South Wellington Picture and Investment Company (Limited).*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Wellington City Council (hereinafter referred to as "the licensee") desires to erect and lay electric lines from the tramway trolley-wire and rail in Constable Street, Wellington, to the adjoining premises of the South Wellington Picture and Investment Company (Limited), (hereinafter referred to as "the said electric lines"), and it is expedient accordingly to issue a license in respect thereof under the said section :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred on him by the said section, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth, subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto, hereby authorize the said licensee to erect, lay, and maintain the said electric lines for the purpose of supplying a ten-horse-power motor in the premises of the South Wellington Picture and Investment Company (Limited), at the corner of Riddiford and Constable Streets, Wellington, such electric lines and the position of the premises being indicated on the plan marked P.W.D. 40698, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

## SCHEDULE.

## CONDITIONS.

1. In this license the following words and phrases shall have the meanings hereby attached to them respectively:—

"Earthed" means connected to the general mass of earth in such a manner as to ensure at all times an immediate and safe discharge to earth of electric energy.

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

"Inspecting Engineer" means and includes any Inspecting Engineer appointed by the Minister to inspect the works to be constructed or maintained by virtue of electric-line licenses issued under the Public Works Act, 1908, and any or all of its amendments, or under any one or more of such amendments only, or any Act or Acts passed in amendment thereof or substitution therefor.

"Minister" means Minister of Public Works.

"Telegraph" includes telephone.

"Telegraph line" has the same meaning as "electric line" in the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, and also includes all telegraph, telephone, and electric signalling wires belonging to the Government Railways Department.

2. The conductors shall not be less than 7/20 S.W.G. hard-drawn copper wires, firmly attached to porcelain insulators, and erected on supports placed not more than 150 ft. apart. The positive conductor shall be covered throughout, and the covering may consist of vulcanized indiarubber or of triple braiding thoroughly impregnated with weatherproof compound. The negative conductor may be bare.

3. The conductors shall be carried on substantial and durable supports, which shall be designed to have a factor of safety of four in the case of steel, iron, or ferro-concrete, and five in the case of wood, calculated upon the ultimate strength of the material, assuming the wind-pressure to be 20 lb. per square foot upon a plane surface, and 12 lb. per square foot upon a diametral plane upon a cylindrical surface.

4. The conductors shall not in any part thereof be at a less height than 18 ft. from the surface of the ground.

5. A single-pole fuse cut-out shall be inserted in the positive conductor, and arranged to operate with an overload of 100 per cent. above the rated full load of the circuit. Such fuse cut-out shall be placed in a suitable locked or sealed receptacle of fireproof construction fixed at a convenient height on the pole nearest the point where the positive conductor leaves the trolley-wire or feeder. At the distributing-point of a lighting circuit there shall be inserted in the positive conductor a single-pole switch, together with a fuse arranged to operate with an overload of 50 per cent. above the rated full load of such circuit. In a motor circuit there shall be provided, in the immediate vicinity of each motor connected thereto, a double-pole switch and fuse cut-out or circuit-breaker arranged to operate with an overload of 50 per cent. above the rated full load of the motor so controlled. Each motor shall be fitted with a no-volt release and a series resistance.

6. The negative conductor shall, in a lighting circuit, be continuous throughout its length from the lamps to the tramway-rail, to which it shall be effectively bonded, and in a motor circuit from the switch terminal to the tramway-rail, to which it shall be effectively bonded.

7. At telegraph-line crossings the conductors shall pass over or under, as may be decided by the Minister of Telegraphs. In every crossing-span the maximum tension in any conductor shall not exceed one-half the elastic limit of the conductor under the conditions of a minimum temperature of 12° F. and wind-pressure as specified in clause 3 occurring simultaneously. Efficiently earthed guard-wires, to the satisfaction of the Minister of Telegraphs, shall be erected where such protection may be considered necessary by the Minister of Telegraphs, and earth-wires where led down poles shall be protected by a casing for a distance of 8 ft. from the ground. Guard-wires shall be carried on substantial supports at a height of 2 ft. above the said electric lines if the telegraph lines pass over the said electric lines, or 2 ft. above the telegraph lines if they pass under the said electric lines. In addition to the above precautions, telegraph lines shall be suitably insulated if deemed necessary by the Minister of Telegraphs. The cost of all necessary guard-wires and special provisions required to comply with this clause, or deemed to be necessary as a protection to telegraph lines generally, shall be borne by the licensee when the telegraph lines are erected before the said electric lines. In cases where the said electric lines are erected before the telegraph lines, the licensee, on receipt of notice from the District Telegraph Engineer of the Post and Telegraph Department, or his deputy, that it is proposed to run a telegraph line along the route, shall forthwith make the necessary changes required to comply with this clause at any points at which the said electric lines already cross such routes, the cost of such changes being borne by the Post and Telegraph Department.

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

9. The construction of the works hereby authorized shall be substantially commenced on or before the 1st day of November, 1916, and shall be completed on or before the 1st day of January, 1917.

10. The licensee shall, prior to the completion of the said works, give to the Minister at least seven days' notice in writing of the estimated date of such completion.

11. The licensee shall not use the said electric lines, or permit the same to be used, until the Minister has given notice in writing to the licensee that he has received from the Inspecting Engineer a certificate that the work hereby authorized has been satisfactorily carried out.



12. The said electric lines shall be duly and efficiently supervised and maintained by the licensee as regards both electrical and mechanical conditions, and shall not be permitted by the licensee to remain erected after they have ceased to be used for the supply of electricity.

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

14. The Minister may at any time order an inspection to be made of the said electric lines. If any defect is found to exist it must be remedied forthwith; and if, in the opinion of the officer or person inspecting, such defect is serious the Minister may, on receipt of the report, direct the licensee to at once cease transmitting energy either over the whole of the said electric lines or over any specified part thereof until such defect is repaired or remedied. In default of the licensee remedying the defect or ceasing to transmit energy the licensee shall be liable to a penalty of £20 for each day during which the defect remains if energy is transmitted, such penalty to be recoverable by or on behalf of the Minister as a debt due to the Crown. The cost of such inspection shall be borne by the licensee.

15. If the licensee fails to comply with any of the conditions of this license the Minister may, by notice in writing, require the licensee within thirty days to remedy the default specified in that notice; and if the licensee fails to comply with the terms of the notice within the said period, the licensee shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £20, to be recoverable by or on behalf of the Minister as a debt due to the Crown.

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

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

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

19. The regulations made under section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* dated 29th day of April, 1915, shall not apply to this license.

20. 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 expiry of the said term, or upon 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.

*Recreation Reserve in Marlborough Land District brought under Part II of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-sixth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the reserve for recreation in the Marlborough Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act;

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and such reserve shall hereafter be known as the Hillersden Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

HILLERSDEN DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Marlborough Land District, containing by admeasurement 34 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Section 5, Block IV, Mount Olympus Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Section 4, Block IV, aforesaid, 2681.7 links; towards the north-east by part Section 18, Block IV aforesaid, 1674.1 links; towards the south-east by Section 41, Block IV aforesaid, and a public road, 2446.2 links; and towards the south-west by the Northbank Road, 957.2 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. I/563, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

*Requiring Customs Carriers at Palmerston North to be licensed.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and one of the Customs Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time by Order in Council appoint places at which goods subject to the control of the Customs shall not be carried except by licensed Customs carriers:

And whereas it is deemed expedient that the Borough of Palmerston North should be so appointed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section two hundred and one of the Customs Act, 1913, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, doth hereby appoint the Borough of Palmerston North as a place at which goods subject to the control of the Customs shall not be carried except by licensed Customs carriers.

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

*Revoking the Vesting in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Eketahuna County of a Gravel Reserve, Section 133, Block I, Mangaone Survey District, Wellington Land District.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is vested in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Eketahuna County, in trust, as a reserve for gravel purposes, by an Order in Council dated the twenty-third day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and published in *Gazette* of the twenty-sixth day of that month, in pursuance of section four of the Public Reserves Act, 1881, but a certificate of title has not issued in respect of the said reserve:

And whereas it is expedient that the said Order in Council should be revoked in so far as it relates to the land described in the Schedule hereto, and the Eketahuna County Council has duly consented to such revocation:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by subsection two of section three of the Public Reserves and Domains Amendment Act, 1914, doth hereby revoke the Order in Council hereinbefore referred to so far as it relates to the land described in the Schedule hereto.

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 6 acres 1 rood 36 perches, more or less, being Section No. 133, Block I, Mangaone Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by the railway-line, 321.2 links, 50 links, and 262.1 links; towards the north-east by Mangatainoka K Block, No. 2c No. 3, 1484.3 links; towards the south-east by Jackson Street, 490 links; and towards the south-west by Sections Nos. 1 to 7, Block XIV, Township of Brownston, 1151.1 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/5/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

*Transfer of Fernhill Patriotic Fund to the Hawke's Bay War Relief Association, incorporated under the War Funds Act, 1915.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section thirteen of the War Funds Act, 1915 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is provided that any person, society, or trustees (whether such society or trustees are incorporated or not) having control of any war fund may, with the consent of the Governor in Council, transfer such fund to any other society or trustees incorporated pursuant to section twelve of the said Act, to be applied by such last-mentioned society or trustees for the purposes for which such last-mentioned society or trustees were incorporated, notwithstanding that such purposes may not be identical with the purposes for which the fund to be transferred was established; provided that consent shall not be given to any application under this section unless the Governor in Council is satisfied that the fund to be transferred can be administered by the incorporated society or trustees for substantially the same purposes as those for which the fund was established: And whereas an application has been made by Ethel Gertrude Dugleby, of Fernhill, and Alexander O'Dowd, of Crissoge, Napier, as trustees of the fund entitled "The Fernhill Patriotic Fund," for the transfer of that fund to the Hawke's Bay War Relief Association (Incorporated): And whereas the Governor in Council is satisfied that such fund can be administered by the Hawke's Bay War Relief Association for substantially the same purposes as those for which that fund was established: And whereas it is considered desirable to consent to such transfer:

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 consent to the transfer of the fund held by the said Ethel Gertrude Dugleby and Alexander O'Dowd entitled "The Fernhill Patriotic Fund" to the Hawke's Bay War Relief Association (Incorporated).

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

*Validating Proceedings of the Hawke's Bay County Council in the Matter of the Mokopeka-Kahuranaki Road.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-sixth day of September, 1916.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS some time since the Hawke's Bay County Council, acting under and in pursuance of section sixteen (e) of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, raised a special loan of three thousand pounds, known as the Moko-peka-Kahuranaki Road Loan, for the purpose of making a road within the Mokopeka-Kahuranaki Special-rating District, being that portion of the County of Hawke's Bay which is defined in a resolution of the said Council levying a special rate as security for the loan, as the said resolution is set out at length in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-seventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen:

And whereas the "ratepayers' consent" given under section sixteen (e) aforesaid is irregular, in that one of the subscribing ratepayers has attested the signatures of other subscribers thereto:

And whereas the said ratepayers have not been in any way misled by the said irregularity, and it is expedient that the irregularity should be validated:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power conferred upon him by section one-hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the proceedings taken by the Hawke's Bay County Council in or about the raising of the said special loan shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the signatures to the said ratepayers' consent had been properly witnessed, and that the validity of the said proceedings or of the security for the said special loan shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

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

*Opening Lands in Otago Land District for Sale or Selection.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

## SCHEDULE

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

*Lake County.—Lower Wanaka Survey District.*

SECTION 51, Block XIV: Area, 3 acres 3 roods 3 perches. Capital value, £8. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, 4s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 3s. 2d.

*Tairi County.—Sutton Survey District.*

Section 67, Block IV: Area, 10 acres 2 roods 21 perches. Capital value, £160. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £4. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £3 4s.

Weighted with £172 10s., valuation for improvements.

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

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

*Opening Lands in Taranaki Land District for Sale or Selection.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

*Patea County.—Kapara Survey District.*

SECTION 2, Block V: Area, 952 acres. Capital value, £480. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £12. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £9 12s.

Weighted with £105, valuation for improvements consisting of 100 acres felled and in grass, and malthoid whare.

Situated at the junction of Mataimoana and Ridge Roads. Access from Waverley, about twenty-three miles distant, by unmetalled dray-road to within about a mile of section; balance 6 ft. road. The section comprises steep broken country, falling away from the road frontages to the north-eastern boundary. Heavy forest of tawa (principally), rimu, rata, pukatea, tawhero, rewarewa, totara, birch, &c.; dense undergrowth of supplejacks, mahoe, raurekau, ferns, &c. Soil fair, on papa and sandstone; well watered. Elevation, 300 ft. to 1,780 ft. above sea-level. About 150 acres have been felled, and out of this 100 acres are valued as improved to the extent of 20s. per acre.

*Eltham County.—Omona Survey District.*

Section 22, Block XI: Area, 110 acres 1 rood 3 perches. Capital value, £170. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £4 5s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £3 8s.

Situated on the Rawhitiroa Road, about twenty-nine miles from Eltham by a good dray-road. The land comprises mostly steep sidelings falling away to a creek on the northern end. It is better towards the southern end, especially in the south-eastern corner, where there is some good undulating country. The land is covered with a heavy forest of tawa, rimu, rata, hinau, &c. The soil is of good quality, on a formation principally of papa and sandstone, and the section is well watered.

*Whangamomona County.—Pouatu Survey District.*

Sections 1 and 3, Blocks V and VI: Area, 314 acres. Capital value, £160. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £4. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £3 4s.

Situated between the Rimuputa and Maikai Roads. Access from Tahora Railway-station, about two miles and three-quarters distant, by dray-road to within about half a mile from section, balance bridle-track; also from the Kohuratabi Railway-station, about ten miles distant, nine miles and a half being dray-road, balance bridle-track. The sections comprise steep broken country, with papa cliffs; fair building-sites on road frontages. The forest is heavy, comprising tawa, rimu, rata, &c., with a dense undergrowth of supplejacks, mahoe, raurekau, tree-ferns, &c. About 50 acres of Section 3 has been felled and grassed, but is now in high fern and second growth. Soil is of good quality, on blue papa formation, and the land is well watered. Elevation from 400 ft. to 800 ft. above sea-level.

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

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

*Opening National Endowment Lands in Taranaki Land District for Selection.*

## LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

*Whangamomona County.—Pouatu Survey District.*

SECTION 9, Block VII: Area, 1,255 acres; capital value, £1,570; half-yearly rent, £31 8s.

Section 1, Block VIII: Area, 774 acres; capital value, £970; half-yearly rent, £19 8s.

Situated on the Tangarakau Stream and road. Access from the Tahora Railway-station from four miles and a half

to four miles and three-quarters distant—by dray-road for about a mile, good pack-track about three miles, balance unformed road. Later on there may be a railway-station where the Raekohua Road crosses the Tangarakau Stream. The land comprises undulating to broken country, mostly broken, but about 80 acres of Section 9 and 35 acres of Section 1 comprise undulating slopes and flats. Light to heavy forest of tawa, rimu, hinau, totara, pukatea, miro, rata, tawhero, rewarewa, kahikatea, towhai, &c.; dense undergrowth of mahoe, karamu, angeange, kotukutuku, supplejacks, pitau, poro-kaiwhiria, makomako, manuka, pongas, hoho, patate, tupari, &c. Good soil, on papa and sandstone formation; well watered. Elevation, 420 ft. to 1,685 ft. above sea-level.

*Ohura County.—Waro Survey District.*

Section 2, Block XII: Area, 511 acres; capital value, £1,030; half-yearly rent, £20 12s.

Situated on the Weraroa Road, about eight miles and a half from the Town of Ohura. About seven miles and a half is by dray-road, balance horse-track only. The section comprises flat to easy sloping and very steep country, with a narrow strip of easy to flat land along Weraroa Stream. The forest is heavy, comprising rata, rimu, miro, matai, totara, kahikatea, tawa, tawhero, hinau, &c., and a dense undergrowth of raurekau, kotukutuku, mahoe, pongas, supplejacks, &c. Soil of fair quality, on papa and sandstone formation; well watered. Elevation, 1,300 ft. to 1,850 ft. above sea-level.

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

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

*Trustees for the Clifton (Nelson) Public Cemetery appointed.*

## LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Cemeteries Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke a Warrant dated twenty-fourth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, appointing Trustees for the Clifton (Nelson) Public Cemetery, and do hereby appoint

GEORGE ARTHUR HARWOOD and  
HERBERT NALDER

to be Trustees, in the places of George Winter, sen., and David James Winter, who have resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Clifton (Nelson) Public Cemetery, in conjunction with Peter Bartram Packard, George Winter, jun., William Baird, Charles Baird, Isaac Jefford Manson, and Henry Ellis, previously appointed.

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

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

*Trustees for the Campbelltown (Rongotea) 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

JOHN BLEAKLEY,  
JOHN GLOYN,  
AUGUST GUSTAV GUST,  
WARREN INNESS HUNT, and  
HEBBERT HILL HUNT

to be Trustees, in the places of James Penney, Vincent Christopher Ransom, William Hunt, John Dalton, and William Tucker, who have ceased to hold office, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Campbelltown (Rongotea) Public Cemetery, in conjunction with William Darragh, Julius Simonsen, John Glover, and John Andrew Rodgers, previously appointed.

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

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

Trustee for the Springston 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

FREDERICK HUBBARD

to be a Trustee, in the place of George Rennie, who has left the district, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Springston Public Cemetery, in conjunction with Henry Pannett, Richard Morrish, Henry Neale, George McBean, Henry Watson Kime, and Joseph Watson Kime, previously appointed.

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

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

Notice of taking Land at Auckland under Sections 125, 126, 127, and 128 of the Harbours Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

BY virtue and in pursuance of the power and authorities vested in me by the one-hundred-and-twenty-fifth, one-hundred-and-twenty-sixth, one-hundred-and-twenty-seventh, and one-hundred-and-twenty-eighth sections of the Harbours Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liver-

pool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, on behalf of His Majesty the King, give notice to the Auckland Harbour Board that one month from the day of the date hereof I shall enter upon and take possession of the land described in the Schedule hereto for railway purposes.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land :—

A.	R.	P.	
0	0	36.96	being Lot 41 (plan 2933, green).
0	1	3.34	" 42 "
0	1	9.71	" 43 "
0	0	22.9	50 (plan 4563, green).
0	0	24.2	51 "
0	0	31.8	56 "
0	0	18.4	57 "
0	0	18.4	58 "
0	0	18.5	59 "
0	0	18.6	60 "
0	0	31	61 "

Portions of Auckland Harbour Board's Endowments. Situated in Block VIII, Rangitoto Survey District, City of Auckland (S.O. 19020, blue).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 23931, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured blue.

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

W. H. HERRIES,  
Minister of Railways.

Lands permanently reserved.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

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

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

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

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Acts, do hereby permanently reserve the lands so temporarily reserved as aforesaid, and enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto, for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule, being the same purposes for which the said lands were so temporarily reserved as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

First Column. DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	<i>Gazette</i> .
Auckland ..	Parish of Titirangi	Alloement 184	..	A. R. P. 0 1 15.75	Site for public buildings of the local governing body	1916. 22 July	No. 81, 27 July.
Taranaki ..	Mapiu Village ..	2	III	4 3 22.8	Public recreation ground	"	"
" ..	Suburbs of Aria ..	10	X	0 3 33	Site for buildings of the General Government	15 April	No. 47, 20 April.
Marlborough	Town of Ward ..	15	VII	0 0 14	Addition to a site for a public school	22 July	No. 81, 27 July.

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

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

*Additional Rule under Part III of the Infants Act, 1908 (relating to the Adoption of Children).*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by Warrant dated the thirteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-second day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, rules were made under the provisions of section twenty-five of the Infants Act, 1908, relating to the adoption of children: And whereas it is expedient to amend such rules in the manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in me in that behalf by the twenty-fifth section of the Infants Act, 1908, do hereby make the additional rule set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1A. Every such application shall be accompanied by a certified copy of the entry of the registration of the birth of the child referred to therein.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Justice.

*Appointing a Member of the Bluff Harbour Board.*

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS it is provided by section seventeen of the Harbours Amendment Act, 1910, that the office of any member of a Harbour Board shall become vacant if, *inter alia*, he dies:

And whereas it is provided by subsection two of section eighteen of the said Act that when an elective member other than a representative of a constituent district vacates his office on the Board through the operation of the said section seventeen the Governor may, by Warrant under his hand, appoint some qualified person in his place:

And whereas William Fraser Inder, an elective member of the Bluff Harbour Board, being the representative of the electors of the Boroughs of Gore and Mataura, has died, and it is desirable to appoint a qualified person as a representative of the electors of the said boroughs in his place:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, doth hereby appoint JOHN LOWDEN, of Mataura, to be a member of the Bluff Harbour Board, as a representative of the electors of the Boroughs of Gore and Mataura, in place of William Fraser Inder, deceased.

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

ROBERT McNAB,  
Minister of Marine.

*Postmasters appointed to take and receive Statutory Declarations.*

PURSUANT to the authority conferred upon me by the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that the persons set out in the Schedule hereto, being persons holding the office of Postmaster under the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, at the places set opposite their names in the said Schedule, are authorized to take and receive statutory declarations under the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

BROWN, THOMAS	..	..	..	Tokaanu.
SEELLEN, ALBERT GEORGE	..	..	..	Methven.

As witness my hand this twentieth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

*Member of Spreydon Domain Board appointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 26th September, 1916.

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

HERBERT EDMUND GREEN

to be a member of the Spreydon Domain Board, in the place of William Baxter Gow, who has resigned.

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

*Inspector under the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, appointed.— Notice No. 1847.*

Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce,  
Wellington, 22nd September, 1916.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ALBERT ROSS

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, for the district under the jurisdiction of the Mount Wellington Road Board; the appointment to date as from the 16th September, 1916.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,  
Minister of Agriculture and of Industries and Commerce.

*Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages appointed.*

Office of Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 21st September, 1916.

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

(Mrs.) CELIA ISABELLA GRANT

to be Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages for the District of Wanaka, as from the 4th September, 1916.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,  
Secretary.

*Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages appointed.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 27th September, 1916.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

SAMUEL BRODIE HILL

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Mauriceville, on and from the 9th September, 1916.

G. W. RUSSELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 27th September, 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.
ROBERT MARTIN .. ..	Helensville.
PERCIVAL LOUIS HESTER .. ..	Kaiapoi.
CHARLES ALLEN McLAREN .. ..	Waimate Plains.
FRANK LEWIS CUNNOLD .. ..	Whakatane.
EDWARD NATHAN FALCK .. ..	Mount Benger.
ROLAND JOHN WEBB .. ..	Opotiki.

W. W. COOK,  
Deputy Registrar-General.

*Disbandment of a Defence Rifle Club.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 20th September, 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 undermentioned Defence Rifle Club:—

THE MARIMA DEFENCE RIFLE CLUB,

with headquarters at Marima, Wellington Military District. Date of disbandment, 19th September, 1916.

J. ALLEN,  
Minister of Defence.

*Disbandment of a Defence Rifle Club.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 20th September, 1916.

**H**IS 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 undermentioned Defence Rifle Club:—

THE PONGAROA DEFENCE RIFLE CLUB,  
with headquarters at Pongaroa, Wellington Military District.  
Date of disbandment, 19th September, 1916.

J. ALLEN,  
Minister of Defence.

*Disbandment of a Defence Rifle Club.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 20th September, 1916.

**H**IS 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 undermentioned Defence Rifle Club:—

THE TE KAPU DEFENCE RIFLE CLUB,  
with headquarters at Frasertown, Wellington Military District.  
Date of disbandment, 19th September, 1916.

J. ALLEN,  
Minister of Defence.

*Disbandment of a Defence Rifle Club.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 20th September, 1916.

**H**IS 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 undermentioned Defence Rifle Club:—

THE HINAKURA DEFENCE RIFLE CLUB,  
with headquarters at Hinakura, Wellington Military District.  
Date of disbandment, 19th September, 1916.

J. ALLEN,  
Minister of Defence.

*Acceptance of Services of a Defence Rifle Club.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 20th September, 1916.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to accept, under section 43 (1) and (2) of the Defence Act, 1909, the services of—

THE REMUERA DEFENCE RIFLE CLUB,  
with headquarters at Remuera, Auckland Military District.  
Date of acceptance, 19th September, 1916.

J. ALLEN,  
Minister of Defence.

*Grant of Temporary Rank to an Officer, New Zealand Staff Corps.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 27th September, 1916.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the grant of temporary rank to the undermentioned officer, dated 1st April, 1916:—

*New Zealand Staff Corps.*

Lieutenant Douglas Bryan is granted the temporary rank of Captain while holding the appointment of Assistant Military Secretary and Aide-de-Camp to the Commandant, New Zealand Military Forces.

J. ALLEN,  
Minister of Defence.

*Special Order made by the Waitaki County Council altering Boundaries of Ridings.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 20th September, 1916.

**T**HE following special order, made by the Waitaki County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Counties Act, 1908.

G. W. RUSSELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

## COUNTY OF WAITAKI.

*Alterations of Boundaries of Ahuriri and Otekaieke Ridings.*

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers, provisions, and authorities contained and conferred by the Counties Act, 1908, or any amendment thereof, the Council of the County of Waitaki resolves by way of special order as follows:—

That the boundaries of the Ahuriri and Otekaieke Ridings be altered, and that they be as follows:—

*Ahuriri Riding.*—Bounded towards the north by the Westland County; towards the east by the Mackenzie and Waimate Counties to the junction of the Awakino River with the Waitaki River; thence by the Awakino River to the junction of the east and west branches of the same river; thence by the east branch of the Awakino River to block-line running north and south, being the western boundary of Block 9, Kurov Survey District, to the southern boundary of Block 9; thence in a line due south through Trig. 1, being the block-line between Domett and Mount Buster Survey Districts to the Maniototo County boundary; thence by the Maniototo County boundary to the point of commencement.

*Otekaieke Riding.*—Bounded towards the west by the Ahuriri Riding; towards the north-east by the Waimate County; towards the south-east and east by the Maerewhenua River as far as Block 9, Maerewhenua; thence by the western boundaries of Blocks 7 and 8, Maerewhenua, and Blocks 10 and 9, Kauroo, as far as the Kakanui River; thence by the Kakanui River; thence by the south branch of the Kakanui River and northern boundary of Run 217 to Kakanui Peak; and towards the south-west and south by the Maniototo County; thence by the Maniototo County boundary to the point of commencement.

I certify that the above description is sufficient to identify the proposed boundaries on the maps of this Department.

ROBT. T. SADD, Chief Surveyor.

18th September, 1916.

The above special order was passed at a special meeting of the Council of the County of Waitaki held on the 5th day of August, 1916, and duly confirmed at a special meeting of such Council held on the 9th day of September, 1916.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Waitaki was affixed to the above-written special order, in the presence of—

GEO. LIVINGSTONE, Chairman.  
G. A. TRAVIS, County Clerk.

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

GEO. LIVINGSTONE, Chairman.

Oamaru, 9th September, 1916.

*Special Order made by the Omaka Road Board.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 27th September, 1916.

**T**HE following special order, made by the Omaka Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Road Boards Act, 1908.

G. W. RUSSELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

## OMAKA ROAD BOARD.

*Extract from the Minutes of Proceedings at a Meeting held on the 10th Day of August, 1916, at 11 a.m.—Special Order authorizing Loan of £666.*

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by section 41 of the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909, and by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and of every other power (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Omaka Road Board hereby resolves by way of special order, as follows:—

1. That the Board proceed to raise a loan of six hundred and sixty-six pounds (£666) for the purpose of paying the balance due by the Board on a levy made by the Wairau Hospital and Charitable Aid Board on the 13th day of October, 1915, for the purpose of the erection of the Nurses' Home and the completion of the new hospital at Blenheim.

2. That the said loan be called "The Omaka Road Board Hospital Contribution Loan of £666, 1916."

3. That the currency of the said loan shall be for a period of thirty-six (36) years, commencing on the 1st day of August, 1916, and maturing on the 1st day of August, 1952.

4. That the interest on the said loan shall be at the rate of five pounds five shillings (£5½) per centum per annum, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st days of February and August.



5. That the form of security for the repayment of principal and interest of the said loan shall be three (3) debentures of two hundred and twenty-two pounds (£222) each, and relative coupons in a form in conformity with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

6. That the Board doth hereby appropriate and pledge as security for the repayment of the said loan, and the interest, sinking fund, and other charges thereon, the special rate of one seventy-fifth (1/75th) of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the Omaka Road District.

7. That the principal and interest shall be payable at the Bank of New Zealand, Wellington.

8. That the cost of raising the loan be paid out of the said loan.

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order was passed at a special meeting of the Omaka Road Board held on the 10th day of August, 1916, and confirmed at a subsequent meeting held on the 14th day of September, 1916; and that public notice of the time and place fixed for such subsequent meeting and of such special order was duly given once in each of the four weeks immediately preceding the said day on which the subsequent meeting was held—namely, in the *Marlborough Express* newspaper, published at Blenheim on the following dates: 16th August, 1916; 23rd August, 1916; 30th August, 1916; 6th September, 1916; 13th September, 1916.

C. G. COLEMAN, Clerk.

*Special Order made by the Maniototo County Council altering Ridings and adjusting Representation.*

Department of Internal Affairs  
Wellington, 27th September, 1916.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

MANIOTOTO COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Special Order.*

In the matter of the Counties Act, 1908; and in the matter of a resolution to alter the number and boundaries of the ridings in the County of Maniototo for the purpose of adjustment of representation in the Maniototo County Council.

At a special meeting of the Maniototo County Council held at the Council Chambers, Naseby, on Friday, the 11th day of August, 1916, to consider if the representation of the ridings of the Maniototo County required adjustment, the following resolution was adopted:—

“That, in order to make the representation of the separate ridings as far as possible proportionate to the rateable value of each riding, the alteration of the ridings within the county, and the boundaries thereof, as set forth in the Schedule hereinafter written, and as shown on the map deposited in the office of the Maniototo County Council, should be made, and that each of the said newly defined ridings should elect one Councillor only, and a special order embodying the foregoing resolution should be made, and should come into full force on the 31st day of March, 1917.”

*Schedule.*

(1.) *Lauder Riding.*—Commencing at the junction of Lauder Creek with the Manuherikia River, Lauder Riding is bounded on the west by Vincent County to a point where Dunstan Creek crosses the boundary between Vincent and Maniototo Counties; thence along the Dunstan Creek to the north-west corner of Run 228B; thence along the north boundary of Run 228B to the north-east corner of the said Run 228B; thence along the centre-line of the road known as the Downs Road to the point where the road crosses the Manuherikia River; thence along the centre of the Manuherikia River to the starting-point at its junction with the Lauder Creek.

(2.) *St. Bathans Riding.*—Commencing at the junction of the Poolburn with the Manuherikia River, St. Bathans Riding is bounded on the west by Lauder Riding to a point where the Dunstan Creek crosses the boundary between Maniototo and Vincent Counties; thence on the north-west by Vincent County to Mount St. Bathans; thence on the

north and east by Waitaki County to the boundary between Small Grazing-runs 227B and 227C; thence along the boundary between the said small grazing-runs to the eastern boundary of Block XXII, Blackstone Survey District; thence along the centre of the Home Hills road-line to its junction with the main road Blackstone Hill to St. Bathans; thence along the centre of the said main road to its junction with the Blackstone Hill to Ida Valley Road; thence along the centre of the said Blackstone Hill to Ida Valley Road to its junction with the main Ida Valley Road; thence along the centre of the main Ida Valley Road to the boundary between Vincent and Maniototo Counties; thence on the south-west by Vincent County to the starting-point at the junction of the Poolburn with the Manuherikia River.

(3.) *Idaburn Riding.*—Commencing at a point where the main Ida Valley Road crosses the boundary between Maniototo and Vincent Counties, Idaburn Riding is bounded on the north-west by St. Bathans Riding to the boundary between Waitaki and Maniototo Counties; thence on the north-east by Waitaki County to the north corner of Run 306A; thence along the south-eastern boundary of Run 306A to District Road from Wedderburn to Run 306A; thence along the centre of the said road from Wedderburn to Run 306A to its junction with the main Wedderburn to Naseby Road; thence along the centre of the said main Wedderburn to Naseby Road to the north-west corner of Section 13, Block VII, Naseby Survey District; thence along the west boundary of Sections 13 and 12, Block VII, Naseby Survey District, to the north-east corner of Block VII, Gimmerburn Survey District; thence along the south boundary of Naseby Survey District to the main White Sow Valley Road; thence along the centre of the Highfields Runs Road to the south-east corner of Run 261K; thence along the centre of the road-line bounding Run 261K on the south side to the point where it crosses the boundary between Maniototo and Vincent Counties; thence along the boundaries between the said counties to the starting-point at the Ida Valley main road.

(4.) *Gimmerburn Riding.*—Commencing at the northern boundary of Block XI, Gimmerburn Survey District, Gimmerburn Riding is bounded on the north-west and north by Idaburn Riding to the Wedderburn-Naseby main road; thence along the centre of the main road Wedderburn to Ranfurly and the centre of main road Ranfurly to Patearoa to the centre of the Taieri River Bridge; thence along the centre of the Taieri River to its junction with the Gimmerburn Creek; thence along the centre of the Gimmerburn Creek to the north-western corner of Block III, Gimmerburn Survey District; thence by the block-line due west to the starting-point.

(5.) *Mount Ida Riding.*—Commencing at the centre of the Taieri River Bridge on the Ranfurly-Patearoa main road, Mount Ida Riding is bounded on the western side by Gimmerburn and Idaburn Ridings to the boundary-line between Waitaki and Maniototo Counties; thence on the north by Waitaki County to the point at the head of the Little Kyeburn River; thence along the Little Kyeburn River to its junction with the main Kyeburn River; thence along the said main Kyeburn River to road known as White's Road; thence along the centre of said White's Road to its junction with main Naseby-Kyeburn Road; thence along the centre of the main road Naseby to Kyeburn to its junction with Geddes's Road; thence along the centre of Geddes's Road to the boundary between Blocks III and IV, Maniototo Survey District; thence due south along the block-line to centre of road at the north corner of Section 18, Block XI, Maniototo Survey District; thence along the centre of said road to the south-west corner of gravel reserve; thence along the centre of the Taieri River to the starting-point at bridge.

(6.) *Kyeburn Riding.*—Commencing at a point in the Taieri River at the southern boundary of gravel reserve, Kyeburn Riding is bounded on the western side by the Mount Ida Riding to the boundary between Waitaki and Maniototo Counties at the head of the Little Kyeburn River; thence on the northern and eastern sides by Waitaki County to Kakanui Peak; thence on the south-eastern corner by Waihemo County to the main Palmerston-Kyeburn Road; thence along the centre-line of said road to the most northerly point of Run 203A; thence along the north and west boundaries of said Run 203A to the Houndburn Creek; thence along the Houndburn Creek to the main Houndburn Road; thence along the centre-line Houndburn Road to its junction with the Taieri River; thence along the Taieri River to the starting-point.

(7.) *Hyde Riding.*—Commencing at a point in the Taieri River at its junction with the Eweburn Creek, Hyde Riding is bounded on the north by Mount Ida and Kyeburn Ridings to the boundary-line between Maniototo and Waihemo Counties at the main road from Kyeburn to Palmerston; thence on the east by Waihemo County to the boundary-line between

Waihemo and Taieri Counties; thence along the south boundary of S.G. Run 205E to Sowburn Creek; thence along the Sowburn Creek and the western boundary of Run 204 to the boundary-line of Blocks VII and VIII, Upper Taieri Survey District; thence due north along the said block-line to the main Patearoa to Waipiata Road; thence along the centre-line of said road to its junction with the Pigburn Road; thence along the Pigburn Road to the starting-point.

(8.) *Puketoi Riding*.—Commencing at a point on the boundary-line between Vincent and Maniototo Counties three-quarters of a mile south of surveyors' Trigonometrical Station W, Puketoi Riding is bounded on the west by Vincent County to the Idaburn Riding; thence on the north by Idaburn, Gimmerburn, and Mount Ida Ridings to the junction of Mount Ida and Hyde Ridings; thence on the east by Hyde Riding to the south-eastern corner of S.G. Run 248F; thence on the south by Run 248J, and on the south-west by Run 248E to the main road Patearoa to Paerau; thence along the boundary between Sections 13 and 14, Block VI, Upper Taieri District, to the Taieri River; thence along the Taieri River to its junction with Totara Creek; thence due west along the south boundary of Run 247D to the starting-point.

(9.) *Serpentine Riding*.—Commencing at a point on the boundary-line between Vincent and Maniototo Counties at the south-western corner of Puketoi Riding, the Serpentine Riding is bounded on the north by Puketoi and Hyde Ridings to the boundary-line between Taieri and Maniototo Counties; thence on the south-east and west by the Taieri, Tuapeka, and Vincent Counties to the starting-point at the south-west corner of Puketoi Riding.

I, Alexander Barrie Mann, Chairman of the Maniototo County Council, do hereby certify that the above special order was duly made and passed at a special meeting of the Maniototo County Council held on the 11th day of August, 1916, and was duly confirmed at a special meeting of the said Maniototo County Council held on the 19th day of September, 1916.

In testimony whereof the common seal of the Maniototo County Council has been hereto affixed.

Dated this ninth day of September, 1916.

A. B. MANN, Chairman.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Maniototo was hereunto affixed in the presence of—

H. WILSON, County Clerk.

I certify that the above description is sufficient to identify the proposed boundaries on the maps of this Department—D. M. CALDER, C.D., for Chief Surveyor. 21st September, 1916.

#### Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 27th September, 1916.

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

A. M. MYERS,  
Acting Minister of Finance.

#### MANUKAU COUNTY COUNCIL.

##### *Papatoetoe Riding.*

I HEREBY give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Papatoetoe Riding was taken on Saturday, the 9th day of September, 1916, for the purpose of obtaining their consent of raising a special loan of £750 for the purpose of effecting the purchase by the Manukau County Council of the Papatoetoe Recreation-ground.

And at such poll 274 votes were recorded for the proposal, 32 votes against the proposal, and 1 informal vote.

I therefore declare the proposition carried.

H. R. MACKENZIE, Chairman.

12th September, 1916.

*Correspondence prohibited under the War Regulations Act, 1914.—John Németh, New York, Philadelphia, Passaic, and St. Louis, U.S.A.*

ROBERT McNAB, Acting Postmaster-General of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance of clause 2 of the War Regulations of the 17th day of December, 1914, order that no postal packet or telegram addressed to or intended

for the person named in the Schedule hereto shall be forwarded or delivered by the Post Office or transmitted by telegraph respectively.

Dated this 18th day of September, 1916.

#### SCHEDULE.

JOHN NÉMETH, 395 Broadway, New York; 227 10th Avenue, New York; 1597 Second Avenue, New York; 1361 Germantown Avenue, Philadelphia; 150 Second Street, Passaic, New Jersey; 1416 South Broadway, St. Louis, Missouri.

ROBERT McNAB,  
Acting Postmaster-General.

#### Subsidies to Public Libraries.

Education Department,  
Wellington, 20th September, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the sum of £2,500 has been voted by Parliament for distribution to public libraries in country districts.

The distribution will take place about the 1st March, 1917, and no claim will be entitled to consideration that shall not have been sent in in due form and received by the Secretary, Education Department, Wellington, on or before the 26th January, 1917.

1. A library to be entitled to a subsidy must be public in the sense of belonging to the public, and of not being under the control of an association, society, or club whose membership is composed of a section of the community only; and if it is within a borough a reading-room where the books may be read, and containing newspapers and periodicals, must be provided for the public free of charge; in addition, it must not be situated in a borough, town, or town district the population of which exceeds one thousand. The receipts for the year from subscriptions and donations must not have been less than £2, exclusive of moneys received from endowments, or from Government, or from Borough or County Councils, or for special building purposes, or as rent, hire, or consideration for the use of any room, or building, or land belonging to the institution, in respect of none of which will subsidy be allowed. The net proceeds of concerts, lectures, or other entertainments on behalf of the current expenses of the library will be regarded as voluntary contributions. A subsidy will not be given to more than one library in the same town.

2. In the division of the vote a nominal addition of £25 will be made to the amount of the income of each library derived from subscriptions, donations, and rates, and the vote will be divided according to the amounts thus augmented; but no library will receive credit for a larger income than £25—that is, in no case will the augmented amount on which distribution is based exceed £50.

3. The whole of the subsidy must be expended without delay in the purchase of books for the library.

4. It is particularly enjoined upon the authorities in charge of the public libraries concerned that a due proportion of the books purchased shall be books having a permanent value—that is, on books of more than merely passing interest.

5. Application to share in the distribution must be by means of a statutory declaration by the Chairman, or Secretary, or Treasurer of the institution on behalf of which it is made, and must be accompanied by a statement of the receipts and expenditure of the institution for the year ending on the 31st day of December, 1916, and such declaration must be on the form provided for the purpose, which form shall be as follows:—

#### DECLARATION.

I, [Name], of [Place of abode], [Occupation], do solemnly and sincerely declare that I am Chairman [or Secretary, or Treasurer] of the [Name of institution]; that during the year ending on the 31st day of December, 1916, the receipts of the aforesaid institution for the maintenance of the library only were as follows: From rates levied by a local governing body under Part I of the Libraries and Mechanics' Institutes Act, 1908, or the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, pounds shillings and pence; from the subscriptions of members, pounds shillings and pence; from voluntary contributions other than members' subscriptions and net proceeds of entertainments, pounds shillings and pence; that the library is public in the sense of belonging to the public, and is not under the control of an association, society, or club whose membership is composed of a section of the community only; that the information hereinafter furnished by me in the appendix hereto is correct in every particular; that the abstracts of accounts is a true statement of the receipts and

expenditure of the institution for the year herein specified; that the whole of the subsidy received during the year was expended in the purchase of books for the library; [and that by the rules of the library the reading-room is open to the public free of charge].

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1918.

[Signature.]

Declared at \_\_\_\_\_, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 191\_\_\_\_, before me— \_\_\_\_\_, Justice of the Peace [or Solicitor, or Notary Public].

[Here affix and cancel a stamp at 3s.]

[NOTE.—The words relating to last year's subsidy and to free admission may be struck out if they are not applicable. The words in brackets are not part of the form, but indicate matter to be inserted or substituted.]

6. Copies of the form of application may be obtained from the Secretary, Education Department, Wellington, and from the Secretary of any Education Board.

J. HANAN,  
Minister of Education.

Notice to Mariners No. 77 of 1916.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 26th September, 1916.

THE following Notices to Mariners, received from the Hydrographic Office, London; the Hydrographic Office, Washington; and the Acting Governor, Balboa Heights, C.Z., are published for general information.

GEORGE ALLPORT,  
Secretary.

WASHINGTON.

PUGET SOUND.—PULLY POINT LIGHT.—CHARACTERISTIC TO BE CHANGED.—About 15th August, 1916, the characteristic of Pully Point light will be changed from fixed white to occulting white every 6 seconds—thus, light 3 seconds, eclipsed 3 seconds—of 50 candle-power.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VANCOUVER ISLAND.—BARKLEY SOUND.—SECHART CHANNEL.—SWALE ROCK LIGHT.—CHARACTERISTIC CHANGED.—NEW STRUCTURE.—Information has been received that on or before 1st September, 1916, and without further notice, the characteristic of Swale Rock light will be changed from fixed white to occulting white. The new light will be an unwatched acetylene light, exhibited 35 ft. above high water, and visible 11 miles from all points of approach. The light will be shown from a steel cylindrical tank surmounted by a steel frame supporting the lantern, the whole painted white, erected on the eastern end of the rock.

Approx. position: Lat. 48° 55' 45" N., long. 125° 13' 12" W.  
H.O. Charts Nos. 527, 903, 1450, and 1449.  
U.S. Coast Survey Charts Nos. U, 7002, and 6400.  
H.O. Light List, Vol. I, 1916, No. 1892.  
Light List, Pacific Coast, 1916, page 72, No. 383.  
H.O. Pub. No. 175, 1916, page 458.

PANAMA CANAL.

NOTICE TO STEAMSHIP LINES.

1. In view of the present high price and scarcity of bottoms, and the difficulty experienced in maintaining the coal reserve on the Isthmus, on and after 1st October, 1916, and until further notice, the following prices will obtain at the Panama Canal for coal supplied steamships, including warships of all nations:—

Cristobal—Colon.

Delivered alongside of vessel in lighters or in cars on the wharves, trimmed in bunkers, when handled by ship's gear (per ton) .. .. \$7.50

Balboa.

Delivered alongside of vessel in lighters or in cars on the wharves, trimmed in bunkers, when handled by ship's gear (per ton) .. .. \$9.00

An additional charge of \$2.00 per hour will be made for the use of each mechanical hoist or crane furnished by the Panama Railroad Company.

2. These changes apply to the prices given on pages 41-42 of the Sailing Directions and General Information, the Panama Canal, and its supplements.

HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

OAHU ISLAND.—PEARL HARBOUR ENTRANCE.—TORPEDO-RANGE BUOYS ESTABLISHED.—On 27th July, 1916, the following torpedo-range buoys were established off the entrance to Pearl Harbour:—

Torpedo-range East Buoy, a white, first-class can, in 7 fathoms of water, on the bearings—

Oahu Mill chimney .. .. 336° 15'  
Hammer Point, tangent .. .. 353° 30'  
Honolulu Mill chimney .. .. 24° 00'

Torpedo-range Middle Buoy, a white, first-class can, in 7 fathoms of water, on the bearings—

Oahu Mill chimney .. .. 346° 30'  
Tripod .. .. 17° 00'  
Queen Emma's, east corner .. .. 41° 15'

Torpedo-range West Buoy, a white, first-class nun, in 16½ fathoms of water, on the bearings—

Oahu Mill chimney .. .. 356° 45'  
Keanapuaa Point .. .. 27° 15'  
Queen Emma's, east side .. .. 52° 15'

H.O. Charts Nos. 1216 and 867.

U.S. Coast Survey Charts Nos. 4102, 4116, and 4107.

Coast Pilot Notes on Hawaiian Islands, 1912, page 35.

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN.

COOK ISLANDS.—ROCK REPORTED.

Position (approximate).—Lat. 20° 38' S., long. 161° 2' W.  
Details.—A vessel reports having passed close to what appeared to be a pinnacle rock, with an estimated depth of about 3¼ fathoms, in approximately the above position.

Note.—The rock is to be marked "(P.A.)" and "Reported (1916)" on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 783, Pacific Ocean, south-east sheet; No. 2683, Pacific Ocean; No. 2483, Atlantic and Indian Oceans, &c.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. III, 1909, page 39.

Public Service Stores Tender Board.—Supply and Delivery of Stores.

Wellington, 21st September, 1916.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the Chairman, General Post Office, Wellington, not later than 4 p.m. on Wednesday, the 11th October, 1916, for the supply and delivery, C.I.F. and E., Wellington, of 4,500 cords, telephone, 3-conductor, and 4,000 switchboard plugs.

Particulars and conditions of tendering may be obtained at the office of the Controller of Stores, Post and Telegraph Department, Wellington; the District Storekeeper, Post and Telegraph Department, Christchurch; or at the offices of the Telegraph Engineers at Auckland and Dunedin.

J. ORCHISTON,  
Chairman.

Scale for General Division Officers of the Public Service.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 19th September, 1916.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following scales for General Division Officers of the Public Service specified below.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,  
Secretary.

Position.	Yearly Rate of Pay.		Annual Increments.
	Minimum.	Maximum.	
<i>Printing and Stationery Department.</i>			
Readers .. .. .	£ 215	£ 215	£ ..
<i>Public Works Department.</i>			
Blacksmith's Striker .. .. .	140	170	5

## Exports.—Weekly.

**R**ETURN of PRINCIPAL EXPORTS of NEW ZEALAND PRODUCE from the Dominion during the Week ended Tuesday, 26th September, 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 .. ..	2,319	34	..	9,414	10,927	57,005
Kaipara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tairanga .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gisborne .. ..	..	..	..	..	269	..
New Plymouth ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waitara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Patea .. ..	..	..	..	1,448	..	..
Wanganui .. ..	..	..	3,888	8,226	6,977	..
Wellington .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Napier .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wairau (including Picton)..	..	..	8,602	8,800	388	..
Nelson .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westport .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hokitika .. ..	..	417	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton .. ..	758	..	..	..	..	..
Timaru .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oamaru .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dunedin .. ..	..	458	..	..	8	..
Invercargill .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals .. ..	3,077	909	12,490	27,883	18,569	57,005

Districts.*	Grain and Pulse.	Hides and Skins.	Kauri-gum.	Phormium (including Tow).	Tallow.	Timber.	Wool.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland .. ..	62	4,471	389	..	4,325	4,022	..
Kaipara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tairanga .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gisborne .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
New Plymouth ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waitara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Patea .. ..	..	507	..	..	32	..	..
Wanganui .. ..	..	903	..	..	1,674	..	3,526
Wellington .. ..	..	1,292	..	5,475	2,309	..	695
Napier .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wairau (including Picton)..	1,590	..	..	..	..	..	10,222
Nelson .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westport .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hokitika .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton .. ..	2,531	7,200	..	..	292	..	..
Timaru .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oamaru .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dunedin .. ..	403	2,604	..	863	47	..	26,054
Invercargill .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals .. ..	4,586	16,977	389	6,338	9,179	4,022	40,497

Customs Department.  
Wellington, 27th September, 1916.

W. B. MONTGOMERY,  
Comptroller of Customs

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 Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.
1	Agnew, John .. .. .	Paparoa .. .. .	Accountant .. .. .	10/9/15	19/9/16	Intestate.
2	Anderson, Arthur Phillips .. .. .	Mataura .. .. .	Engineer .. .. .	25/8/15	19/9/16	"
3	Barnett, Eva Alberta Marion .. .. .	Dunedin .. .. .	Spinster .. .. .	11/8/16	19/9/16	"
4	Bond, Philip Richard .. .. .	Nelson .. .. .	Labourer .. .. .	5/6/15	19/9/16	"
5	Broadbent, Lawrence .. .. .	North Sydney, New South Wales	Steamship officer .. .. .	20/11/15	19/9/16	"
6	Burton, Albert .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	Seaman .. .. .	*	19/9/16	"
7	Byrne, John .. .. .	Stafford .. .. .	Labourer .. .. .	12/10/15	19/9/16	"
8	Cooper, Albert George .. .. .	Wairoa .. .. .	Painter .. .. .	26/12/14	20/9/16	"
9	Douglas, George Alexander .. .. .	Gisborne .. .. .	Shepherd and drover .. .. .	8/8/15	20/9/16	"
10	Eades, Joseph William .. .. .	Te Awamutu .. .. .	Labourer .. .. .	25/4/15	20/9/16	"
11	Early, Emily Francis .. .. .	Oxford .. .. .	Spinster .. .. .	8/1/16	19/9/16	"
12	Farr, Arthur John .. .. .	Waimate N. .. .. .	Farmer .. .. .	8/8/15	20/9/16	"
13	Haycock, Fred Ellis .. .. .	Kiokio .. .. .	Farm hand .. .. .	25/4/15	20/9/16	"
14	Henley, John .. .. .	Christchurch .. .. .	Chauffeur .. .. .	26/6/16	19/9/16	"
15	Herald, Peter; or Herald, Patrick	Dunedin .. .. .	Labourer .. .. .	2/5/16	19/9/16	"
16	Jefferies, William .. .. .	Te Puke .. .. .	Bushman .. .. .	†	19/9/16	"
17	Jones, Edward Herbert .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	Steward .. .. .	‡	19/9/16	"
18	Klein, Charles .. .. .	Half-moon Bay .. .. .	Retired seaman .. .. .	1/7/16	19/9/16	"
19	Lambert, Thomas .. .. .	Cheviot .. .. .	Labourer .. .. .	8/5/15	19/9/16	"
20	Leeks, Osric Harold .. .. .	Ohingaiti .. .. .	Sawmill hand .. .. .	5/9/15	20/9/16	"
21	Mason, Ernest .. .. .	Masterton .. .. .	Labourer .. .. .	8/8/15	22/9/16	"
22	McAneny, Catherine Elizabeth .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	Domestic duties .. .. .	27/7/16	20/9/16	"
23	Munro, Robert William .. .. .	Clevedon .. .. .	Farrier and blacksmith .. .. .	23/5/15	19/9/16	"
24	Ormiston, Thomas .. .. .	Waipiata .. .. .	Farmer .. .. .	18/6/16	20/9/16	"
25	Rice, Edward Thomas .. .. .	Northcote .. .. .	Labourer .. .. .	6/6/16	19/9/16	"
26	Richard, Hugh Liddon .. .. .	Milton .. .. .	Commercial agent .. .. .	3/5/15	19/9/16	"
27	Richards, Robert .. .. .	Lawrence .. .. .	Electrical engineer .. .. .	3/5/15	19/9/16	"
28	Ross, James .. .. .	Wanganui .. .. .	Carpenter .. .. .	8/8/15	20/9/16	"
29	Simpson, Alan Lawson .. .. .	Hastings .. .. .	Farm hand .. .. .	11/6/15	19/9/16	"
30	Somerset, Herbert Edward .. .. .	Ashhurst .. .. .	Farmer .. .. .	29/5/15	19/9/16	"
31	Sprott, Percy George .. .. .	Momona .. .. .	" .. .. .	9/8/16	22/9/16	"
32	Stewart, Randolph, or Randolph Oliphant, or Randolph Ollivant	Wellington .. .. .	Tramway conductor .. .. .	31/12/15	19/9/16	"
33	Vincent, Thomas Bullen or Thomas Buller	Bluff .. .. .	Painter .. .. .	10/8/15	19/9/16	"
34	Ward, Henry James .. .. .	Marton .. .. .	Labourer .. .. .	8/8/15	19/9/16	"
35	Williams, Herbert .. .. .	Frankton Junction	Coach-painter .. .. .	4/6/15	20/9/16	"

\* Between 1/5/15 and 23/5/15.

† Between 1/5/16 and 23/5/16.

‡ Between 25/4/15 and 13/5/15.

Wellington, 27th September, 1916.

FRED. FITCHETT,  
Public Trustee.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in Westland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 25th September, 1916.

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

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Lease No.	Tenure.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
113	Reg. Lic.	2718	X	Mawheranui ..	Frances Mulcare ..	Request of lessee.
864	P.R.	Run 626	..	Christobel ..	James Macfarlane ..	Non-payment of rent.
590	Reg. Lic.	2550	VII	Waimea .. ..	Eli Greatbatch .. ..	No improvements.
942	P.R.	Run 633	..	Porth River ..	Hugh Martin Smyth ..	Non-payment of rent.
945	"	" 103	..	Mount Graham	Jane Gardiner .. ..	"
129	R.L.	2598, 2599	I	Punakaiki .. ..	Ernest William Stevens	Request of lessee.
301	"	4	VI	Runanga Town-ship	Thomas James Pinn ..	"

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

*Land in Taranaki Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 25th September, 1916.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 5, Block VII, Omona Survey District. Formerly held by Harriet Lewis. Tenure: O.R.P. Reason for forfeiture: Non-compliance with improvement conditions.

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

*Land in Otago Land District for Sale to Owners of Adjoining Lands.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Dunedin, 19th September, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the land described in the Schedule below, being land formerly reserved for railway purposes, will be sold to the owners of adjoining lands, in terms of section 131 of the Land Act, 1908, on or after Thursday, 28th December, 1916.

## SCHEDULE.

## OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—TUAPEKA COUNTY.—BEAUMONT SURVEY DISTRICT.

	A.	R.	P.
SECTION 40, Block III .. .. .	0	2	28
" 41 " .. .. .	4	0	25

ROBT. T. SADD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Auckland Land District for Disposal.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 20th July, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that an area of about 27 acres of Crown land situated in Block X, Otanewainuku Survey District, will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 19th day of October, 1916.

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 17th July, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 5, Block IX, Hunua Survey District, containing 12 acres 1 rood 20 perches, will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 19th day of October, 1916.

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 24th July, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 21, Block XII, Mangakahia Survey District, Whangarei County, Auckland

Land District, area 51 acres 1 rood 34 perches, will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Monday, 23rd October, 1916.

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 13th July, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 14, Block X, Makotuku Survey District, Wellington Land District, containing 3 acres 2 roods 26 perches, will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Friday, the 13th day of October, 1916.

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

*Land in Nelson Land District for Disposal.*

District Lands and Survey Department,  
Nelson, 4th July, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the "map" education reserve, containing 865 acres, more or less, situated in Block VI, Motupiko Survey District, Nelson Land District, will be disposed of under the provisions of the Discharged Soldiers Act, 1915, on or after the 5th day of October, 1916.

F. A. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 26th June, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 11A, Block V, Tutamoe Survey District, Auckland Land District, containing 3 acres, will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after Thursday, the 28th day of September, 1916.

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Auckland, 5th July, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 5, Block XII, Tutamoe Survey District, Auckland Land District, containing 21 acres 2 roods 10 perches, will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act on or after the 5th day of October, 1916.

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Auckland Land District for Disposal.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 20th July, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that Section 92, Block III, Patetere North Survey District, Selwyn Settlement, Matamata County, Auckland Land District, containing 2 acres, will be disposed of under the provisions of the said Act and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, on Friday, the 27th day of October, 1916.

H. M. SKEET,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.



## NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

*Sitting of the Native Appellate Court at Auckland.*

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 26th September, 1916.  
 NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Appellate Court will be held at Auckland on the 10th day of October, 1916, to hear and determine the matter set forth in the Schedule hereto.  
 All persons interested in the said matter are hereby notified to attend at the time and place aforesaid.  
 [Auckland, 1916-14.]

E. P. EARLE,  
 Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
25	Takerei Kingi Wetere (A. F. Howarth) .. .. .	Tahaia B 2A.

*Sitting of the Native Appellate Court at Rotorua.*

Registrar's Office, Rotorua, 23rd September, 1916.  
 NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Appellate Court will be held at Rotorua on the 24th day of October, 1916, to hear and determine the matters set forth in the Schedule hereto.  
 All persons interested in the said matters are hereby notified to attend at the time and place aforesaid.  
 Waiariki, 1916-20.]

H. S. KING,  
 Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

APPEALS AGAINST DECISIONS OF THE NATIVE LAND COURT.

No.	Name of Appellant.	Name of Land.	Decision in respect of which Appeal is made.
1	Kemara Tapeta .. .. .	Omaio .. .. .	Decision dated 11th June, 1915, on investigation of title.
2	Te Ara Ngamoki and another .. .. .	" .. .. .	Decision dated 1st November, 1915, on investigation of title.
3	Waea Ngaroma .. .. .	Waotu South No. 9 .. .. .	Decision dated 21st August, 1915, partitioning the said land.
4	Henare Taratoa and others .. .. .	Opata, Lot 211 .. .. .	Decision dated 13th October, 1915, on ascertaining beneficial owners.
5	Raiha Rihitahi .. .. .	Motiti 3 .. .. .	Decision dated 29th September, 1915, on application under section 121 of the Native Land Act, 1909.
6	Puata Nikora .. .. .	Ngapeke 15 .. .. .	Decision dated 2nd March, 1912, appointing successors to Mita Tamatarau, deceased.
7	Te Pere Pomare .. .. .	Ahiroa 2 .. .. .	Decision dated 22nd September, 1915, appointing successors to Te Haurawhiti Wharetaka.
8	Te Kauri Hohepa .. .. .	Te Whaiti .. .. .	Decision appointing successors to Heta Iraia, deceased.
9	Whareake te Rini and others .. .. .	Matata 39A .. .. .	Decision dated 30th June, 1916, partitioning the said land.
10	W. K. Wihapi .. .. .	Pukaingataru B 3, Section 1B .. .. .	Decision dated 12th August, 1916, partitioning the said land.
11	Keehi Hemi and others .. .. .	Ruatoki 1B (Rewarewa Pakainga) .. .. .	Decision dated 20th July, 1916, partitioning the said land.

APPLICATIONS THAT NATIVE LAND MAY BE HELD AS EUROPEAN LAND.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
12	Te Honihana Pokaihau (Hampson) .. .. .	Te Miringa 1A.
13	Colin Murray (Hampson) .. .. .	Kaitao-Rotohokahoka 1A 2.
14	Tireni Niramoni Taiehu .. .. .	Whakatoringaringa 2.

## MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

*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 Koheroa 91A 2B 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Mercer on Friday, the 13th day of October, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Thomas Edward Hallett for the sum of £3 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
 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 Wharekawa 4c No. 2c will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Auckland on Monday, the 16th day of October, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Olive Muir for the sum of £1,275."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
 President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waitakaruru 1c 3f will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Auckland on Monday, the 16th day of October, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Julia Hudson for the amount of the Government valuation, but not less than £3 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waitakaruru 1A No. 5 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Auckland on Monday, the 16th day of October, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

"That the land be sold to George McGinnis Henry for the amount of the Government valuation, but not less than £1 10s. per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Hauturu West 2, Section 3b, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi on Tuesday, the 17th day of October, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"(1.) That the land be leased to William Henderson Armstrong for a term of forty-two years at an annual rental of 2s. 6d. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 5 per cent. on the unimproved value during the remaining twenty-one years.

"(2.) That the land be sold to William Henry Armstrong for the sum of £2 10s. per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto Tuhua 73b No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga on Tuesday, the 17th day of October, 1916, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"(1.) That the land be sold to Houpapa te Whakauruhanga for the amount of the Government valuation.

"(2.) That the land be leased to Houpapa te Whakauruhanga 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."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Kakepuku 2c No. 5c will be held, in pursuance

of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga on Tuesday, the 17th day of October, 1916, at 3.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Charles Monrath Alexander for the sum of £4 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Karotewhenua 1c 4b will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga on Tuesday, the 17th day of October, 1916, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Alfred Henry Roe and Thomas Edwin Roe for the sum of £1 10s. per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto A No. 29b will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga on Tuesday, the 17th day of October, 1916, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to the Crown for the sum of £7,290."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 7 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Wednesday, the 18th day of October, 1916, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to J. Coogan for the sum of £3 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Kinohaku East 5E 2B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga on Tuesday, the 17th day of October, 1916, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the western portion of the block, containing 89 acres 1 rood, be leased to Robert Livingston for a term of forty-two years at an annual rental of 4s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 8s. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Pukenui 2c No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Thursday, the 19th day of October, 1916, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be leased to Jessie Russell Jordan for a term of fifty years at an annual rental of 1s. 6d. per acre during the first twenty-five years, and 3s. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.*Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.*

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Otorohanga 1r 5m will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Thursday, the 19th day of October, 1916, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Thomas Tomlins for the sum of £287."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.*Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.*

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Lots 14 and 15, Block VI, Te Kuiti Township, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Thursday, the 19th day of October, 1916, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Messrs. Barraud and Abraham for the sum of £650."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.*Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.*

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 61e will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Thursday, the 19th day of October, 1916, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be reverted in the Native owners."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.*Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.*

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rapaura No. 2a will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Thursday, the 19th day of October, 1916, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Alfred William Jones for the sum of £3 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.*Notice of Meeting of Owners under Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909.*

REGULATION No. 52.

**T**HE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua 78b 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Thursday, the 19th day of October, 1916, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be leased to Patrick Gavin for a term of forty-two years at a rental of 1s. 6d. per acre for the first twenty-one years, and 3s. per acre for the remaining twenty-one years."

Dated at Auckland this 26th day of September, 1916.

A. G. HOLLAND,  
President.

## BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Napier.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given that Lieutenant JOSEPH RAWIRA PAKU, of Narrow Neck Camp, Devonport, Auckland, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Waipukurau, on Thursday, the 5th day of October, 1916, at 11.30 o'clock a.m.

SOMERSET SMITH,  
12th September, 1916. Deputy Official Assignee.*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Masterton.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given that VERA CAMERON, of Featherston, Dining-room Proprietress, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Featherston, on Monday, the 2nd day of October, 1916, at 11.45 o'clock a.m.

T. R. ALLEN,  
20th September, 1916. Deputy Official Assignee.*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Masterton.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given that JOHN JARVIS CAMERON, of Featherston, Photographer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Featherston, on Monday, the 2nd day of October, 1916, at 11.45 o'clock a.m.

T. R. ALLEN,  
20th September, 1916. Deputy Official Assignee.*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Blenheim.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given that JOHN DEVEREUX, of Blenheim, Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 3rd day of October, 1916, at 11 o'clock a.m.

R. WANDEN,  
23rd September, 1916. Deputy Official Assignee.

## LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

**N**OTICE 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 the 30th day of October, 1916.

6001. JAMES SLATER.—Lots 3 and 4 of Allotment 36, Suburban Section 2, Parish of Pukekohe, containing 2 acres 0 roods 3-6 perches, fronting Queen Street, Pukekohe. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 10462.

6051. HUGH ROSS MACKENZIE, WILLIAM CHARLES WATTS, and ARTHUR SELBY.—Parts of Allotment 33, Parish of Papakura, containing together 50 acres 0 roods 34-2 perches. Occupied by William Walters, the younger. Plan 10734.

6058. ELLEN HERD.—Part Lot 7 of Allotment 1, Section 10, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 12 perches, fronting Mount Eden Road. Occupied by G. T. Forrester and Tow Fong Lee. Plan 10774.

6059. ALEXANDER RODERICK McLENNAN.—Part Allotments 41 and 42, Parish of Papakura, containing 97 acres. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 10783.

6060. EWEN DONALD McLENNAN.—Parts Allotments 41 and 42, Parish of Papakura, containing together 241 acres 3 roods 31-4 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 10784.

6067. EVERARD JOHN HOBBS.—Lots 3, 4, and 5 of Allotment 6, Parish of Waiwera, containing 280 acres 0 roods 39 perches. Occupied by A. E. Henley, sen., A. E. Henley, jun., and the Applicant. Plan 10818.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 26th day of September, 1916, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,  
District Land Registrar.

**A**PPPLICATION having been made to me to register a dealing affecting Memorandum of Lease No. 9890, under which IVEY MELVILLE KIDD is the registered lessee, and evidence having been furnished of the loss or destruction of the said memorandum of lease, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with the production of the said lease and register the dealing on or after the 13th day of October, 1916.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 1916, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

A. V. STURTEVANT,  
District Land Registrar.

**E**VIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificates of title, Vol. 36, folio 83, for one undivided moiety in Lot 18, Plan 198, part of Rural Section 99, Vol. 36, folio 84, for the other undivided moiety in the said Lot 18, and Vol. 41, folio 132, for Lot 19, Plan 198, part of Rural Section 99, all situated in the Borough of Woolston, whereof MARGARET ROACH, of Christchurch, Spinster, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me for the issue of provisional certificates of title for the said land, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional certificates of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 26th day of September, 1916, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

W. WYINKS,  
District Land Registrar.

## ADVERTISEMENT.

## APPLICATION FOR LICENSE FOR A WATER-RACE.

UNDER THE MINING ACT, 1908.

To the Warden of the Otago Mining District at Middlemarch.

**P**URSUANT to the Mining Act, 1908, the undersigned, John Roberts, of Dunedin, Merchant, William Murray, of London, Merchant, trading as Roberts and Co., Sheep-farmers, hereby applies for a license for a water-race, as specified in the Schedule hereto, the course whereof has been duly marked out for the purpose.

Precise time of marking out privilege applied for: 8th September, 1916, at 2 p.m.

Date and number of miner's right: 2nd September, 1916; No. 68485.

Address for service: Gladbrook Station, Middlemarch.  
Dated at Middlemarch this 15th day of September, 1916.

## SCHEDULE.

Locality of the race and of its starting and terminal points: Lug Creek, Section 17, Block 2, Strath Taieri Survey District; terminates in Section 11, Block 5, Strath Taieri Survey District.

Length and intended course of race: 36 chains 60 links; east and southerly.

Points of intake: About 25 chains east of where said creek enters Section 17, Block 2, Strath Taieri Survey District.

Estimated time and cost of construction: One week; £14.

Mean depth and breadth: 12 in. by 5 in.

Number of heads to be diverted: One.

Purpose for which water is to be used: Irrigation.

Proposed term of license: Forty-two years.

JOHN ROBERTS,  
WILLIAM MURRAY.

By their Agent, ALEX. MCKINNON.

Precise time of filing the foregoing application: 4 p.m. on 15th September, 1916.

Time and place appointed for the hearing of the application and all objections thereto: Warden's Court, Middlemarch; 2.30 p.m. on 12th October, 1916.

Objections must be filed in the Registrar's office and notified to applicant at least three days before the time so appointed.

GEORGE SCANDRETT,  
Mining Registrar.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of RIMU NUMBER ONE DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED), (NO LIABILITY).

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the office or place of business in New Zealand where legal process of any kind may be served upon the Rimu Number One Dredging Company (No Liability), (hereinafter called "the said company"), and notice of any kind may be addressed or delivered to the said company, is in Wharf Street, Hokitika, in the Provincial District of Westland.

Dated this 30th day of June, 1916.

H. L. MICHEL,  
614 Attorney in New Zealand for the said Company.

## RAETIHI TOWN BOARD.

## RESULT OF POLL FOR RATING ON THE UNIMPROVED VALUE.

**P**URSUANT to section 39 of the Rating Act, 1908, and section 2 of the Amendment Act, 1911, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Raetihi Town District taken on the 20th day of September, 1916, on the proposal that henceforth the system of rating property on the unimproved value thereof with regard to water rates, electric-light rates, sewage rates, and hospital and charitable aid rates be adopted in the Raetihi Town District, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 65, the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 13, and the number of informal votes was six.

I therefore declare the proposal to be carried.

Dated this 20th day of September, 1916.

621 P. G. SMITH, Chairman.

## WAITOIA DRAINAGE BOARD.

## RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL INTEREST RATE.

**I**N pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Waitoia Drainage Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £800, authorized to be raised by the Waitoia Drainage Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the improvement of drains in the Western Area No. 2 Special-rating District of the said Waitoia Drainage District, the Waitoia Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of three-farthings in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property within the Western Area No. 2 Special-rating District, comprising the whole of the lands within the aforesaid Western Area No. 2 Special-rating District; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be pay-

able half-yearly on the first day of February and the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

*Boundaries of Special-rating District.*

All that area commencing at the north-east corner of the Whakahoro Special-rating District, and following along its eastern boundary to the south-east corner of the said Whakahoro Special-rating District, and continuing on in a straight line parallel to the No. 7 Road in a southerly direction across Sections 76/5/4 to the No. 3 subdivision line of the Waitoa Estate; then along such line to the No. 8 Road on its eastern side, which along in a southerly direction to the south boundary-line of Lot 2 of the subdivision of Section 67 of the Waitoa Estate Subdivision; then along such south boundary-line to the western boundary-line of Lot 6 of the subdivision of Sections 64 and 65 of the Waitoa Estate Subdivision; thence along such western boundary-line in a southerly direction to the south-west corner of the aforesaid Lot 6, then follow the south boundary-line of Lot 6 in an easterly direction to the centre-line of No. 7 Road, which along in a northerly direction to the Whakahoro Road; and along same in a westerly direction to the north-east corner of the Whakahoro Special-rating District, the point of commencement.

I, F. W. Walters, Chairman of the Waitoa Drainage Board, do hereby certify that the above resolution was duly passed at a meeting of the Board held on the 22nd day of September, 1916.

In testimony whereof the common seal of the Waitoa Drainage Board was hereunto affixed.

F. W. WALTERS, Chairman.

In testimony whereof the common seal of the Chairman, Trustees, and Inhabitants of the Waitoa Drainage Board was hereunto affixed in the presence of—

622 W. R. JOHNSON,  
Clerk to the Waitoa Drainage Board.

WAITOA DRAINAGE BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

**I**N pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Waitoa Drainage Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £3,000, authorized to be raised by the Waitoa Drainage Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of improving present watercourses and drains, and constructing new watercourses and drains in the Tatuani Special-rating District of the said Waitoa Drainage District, the Waitoa Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special interest rate of one halfpenny in the pound upon the rateable value of all property within the Tatuani Special-rating District, comprising the whole of the lands within the said Tatuani Special-rating District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of February and the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

*Boundaries of the Special-rating District.*

All that area of land commencing at the confluence of the Waiharakeke Stream with the Piako River, and following along its eastern bank to the No. 4 Road on its northern side, which along to the No. 8 Road on its eastern side, thence along such road in a southerly direction to the south boundary-line of Lot 2 of the subdivision of Section 67 of the Waitoa Estate Subdivision; thence along such line to the western boundary-line of Lots 6 and 7 of the subdivision of Sections 63 and 64 of the Waitoa Estate Subdivision, and following along such line to the south boundary-line of the aforesaid Lot 7, which along in an easterly direction to the north-east corner of Buchanan's Section, being part of Section 68A of the Waitoa Estate Subdivision; thence along the eastern boundary-line of Buchanan's and Caton's Sections to the south boundary-line of the aforesaid Section 68A of the Waitoa Estate Subdivision, which along to the railway-line, and across the aforesaid railway-line to its southern side, which along to the Waitoa Railway-station; thence following the southern side of such railway-station, and continuing on the same side of the railway-line to the Waitoa River on its western bank, which along in a southerly direction to the Waiorongomai-Mangakawa Road on its northern side; thence along such road and the Morrinsville-Kerehoni Road to Roache's Road on its eastern side, which along in a northerly direction to the south

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boundary-line of the Waiharakeke Block No. 3010, which along to the Piako River on its eastern side, and along such river to the confluence of the Waiharakeke Stream, the point of commencement.

I, F. W. Walters, Chairman of the Waitoa Drainage Board, do hereby certify that the above resolution was duly passed at a meeting of the Board held on the 22nd day of September, 1916.

In testimony whereof the common seal of the Waitoa Drainage Board was hereunto affixed.

F. W. WALTERS,  
Chairman, Waitoa Drainage Board.

In testimony whereof the common seal of the Chairman, Trustees, and Inhabitants of the Waitoa Drainage Board was hereunto affixed in the presence of—

623 W. R. JOHNSON,  
Clerk to the Board.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Progress Mines of New Zealand (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand: 8th December, 1896.  
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney: Head Office, London; New Zealand Office, Reefton; Victor Hartog.  
Where mines are situate: Reefton.  
Nominal capital: £275,000.  
Amount of capital subscribed: £275,000.  
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand: Nil.  
Price paid to vendors of mines—  
(a.) In fully paid-up shares: £200,000.  
(b.) In partly paid-up shares, credited as £1 paid up: Nil.  
(c.) In cash: Nil.  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 275,000.  
Number of shares on New Zealand Register: 17,406.  
Amount paid per share (New Zealand Register): £1.  
Amount called up per share (New Zealand Register): £1.  
Number and amount of calls in arrear (New Zealand Register): Nil.  
Number of forfeited shares on New Zealand Register sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
Number of shareholders on New Zealand Register: 69.  
Number of men employed by company in New Zealand: 165.  
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 9,445 oz. 2 dwt.; £45,758 6s. 6d. (includes £8,063 3s. 4d., proceeds of concentrates sold).  
Total quantity and value produced since registration of office of company in New Zealand: 423,385 oz. 3 dwt.; £1,343,226 17s. 7d.  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining operations in New Zealand since last statement: £51,047 11s. 10d.  
Total expenditure since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £1,092,013 2s.  
Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand: £5,385 14s. 9d.  
Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: Nil.  
Amount of cash in hand in New Zealand: Nil.  
Amount of debts directly due to company in New Zealand: £88 14s. 2d.  
Amount of such debts considered good: £88 14s. 2d.  
Amount of liabilities of company in New Zealand: £804 11s. 2d.

I, Victor Hartog, of Reefton, the Attorney of the Progress Mines of New Zealand (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as on the 31st December, 1915 (being the date of the last balance-sheet); and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

V. HARTOG, Attorney.

Declared at Reefton this 20th day of September, 1916, before me—H. P. Lawry, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 624

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Blackwater Mines (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand: 25th March, 1907.  
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney: Head Office, London; New Zealand Office, Reefton; Victor Hartog.

Where mines are situate: Westland Mining District.

Nominal capital: £250,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £250,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand: Nil.

Price paid to vendors of mines—

(a.) In fully paid-up shares: £200,000.

(b.) In partly paid-up shares, credited as £1 paid up: Nil.

(c.) In cash: Nil.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 250,000.

Number of shares on New Zealand Register: 32,548.

Amount paid per share (New Zealand Register): £1.

Amount called up per share (New Zealand Register): £1.

Number and amount of calls in arrear (New Zealand Register): Nil.

Number of forfeited shares on New Zealand Register sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders on New Zealand Register: 132.

Number of men employed by company in New Zealand: 207.

Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 27,096 oz. 18 dwt.; £114,444 15s. 5d. (includes £5,159 17s. 9d., proceeds concentrates sold).

Total quantity and value produced since registration of office of company in New Zealand: 148,769 oz. 18 dwt.; £610,789 10s. 5d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining operations in New Zealand since last statement: £77,489 19s. 7d.

Total expenditure since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £439,201 5s. 5d.

Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand: £11,199 6s.

Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: Nil.

Amount of cash in hand in New Zealand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company in New Zealand: £474 13s. 8d.

Amount of such debts considered good: £474 13s. 8d.

Amount of liabilities of company in New Zealand: £3,035 14s. 11d.

I, Victor Hartog, of Reefton, Attorney of the Blackwater Mines (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as on the 31st day of December, 1915 (being the date of the last balance-sheet); and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

V. HARTOG, Attorney.

Declared at Reefton this 20th day of September, 1916, before me—H. P. Lawry, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 625

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Consolidated Goldfields of New Zealand (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand: 22nd January, 1896.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney: Head Office, London; New Zealand Office, Reefton; Victor Hartog.

Where mines are situate: Westland Mining District.

Nominal capital: £250,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £250,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand: Nil.

Price paid to vendors of mines—

(a.) In fully paid-up shares: £17,378.

(b.) In partly paid-up shares, credited as £1 paid up: Nil.

(c.) In cash: £43,416 13s. 4d.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 250,000.

Number of shares on New Zealand Register: 57,990.

Amount paid per share (New Zealand Register): £1.

Amount called up per share (New Zealand Register): £1.

Number and amount of calls in arrear (New Zealand Register): Nil.

Number of forfeited shares on New Zealand Register sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders on New Zealand Register: 191.

Number of men employed by company in New Zealand: 105.

Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 10,250 oz.; £41,577 7s. (includes £887 4s. 6d., proceeds from concentrates sold).

Total quantity and value produced since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £158,390 oz. 7 dwt.; £657,149 1s. 8d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining operations in New Zealand since last statement: £38,464 10s. 5d.

Total expenditure since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £836,888 17s. 9d.

Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand: £12,398 10s. 6d.

Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: £3,680 7s. 8d.

Amount of cash in hand in New Zealand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company in New Zealand: £2,146 19s. 11d.

Amount of such debts considered good: £2,146 19s. 11d.

Amount of liabilities of company in New Zealand: £1,341 8s. 5d.

I, Victor Hartog, of Reefton, Attorney of the Consolidated Goldfields of New Zealand (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as on the 31st day of December, 1915 (being the date of the last balance-sheet); and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

V. HARTOG, Attorney.

Declared at Reefton this 20th day of September, 1916, before me—H. P. Lawry, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 626

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and of the SOUTH TARANAKI BACON COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the South Taranaki Bacon Company (Limited) duly convened and held at the registered office of the company in London Street, Eltham, on Monday, 4th day of September, 1916, the resolution below mentioned was duly passed, and that at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company also duly convened and held at the same place on Friday, 22nd September, 1916, the same resolution was duly confirmed as a special resolution:—

“That the company be wound up voluntarily with a view to the sale and disposal of its assets and undertaking by the Liquidators; and that JOHN LINDSAY WEIR and GEORGE FREDERICK TAYLOR be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding-up.”

Dated at Eltham this 23rd day of September, 1916.

J. LINDSAY WEIR,

G. F. TAYLOR,

Liquidators of the South Taranaki Bacon Company (Limited).

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### ELTHAM COUNTY COUNCIL.

#### RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Eltham County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

“That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £250, authorized to be raised by the Eltham County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of completing the formation of Karewa Road from end of present formation eastward to Perry's Homestead, a distance of 43 chains, more or less, the said Eltham County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of three-eighths of one penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Karewa Road Special-rating Area, comprising Section 1, Block VIII, Section 4, Block VII, and Sections 9 and 10, Block XI, Omona Survey District respectively; 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 October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.”

Certificate.

The foregoing resolution was duly passed at a properly convened special meeting of the Eltham County Council held on the 13th day of September, 1916.

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W. J. TRISTRAM, County Clerk.

### TAUMARUNUI BOROUGH COUNCIL.

#### RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF TAUMARUNUI.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Taumarunui Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—



That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of eight thousand four hundred and thirty-four pounds (£8,434), authorized to be raised by the Taumarunui Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the installation of a sewerage scheme, the said Taumarunui Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one and one-ninth (1 and 1/9) of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property (on the basis of the unimproved value) of the portion of the Borough of Taumarunui comprising Blocks 1 to 9 inclusive and Blocks 13 to 17 inclusive in the Native Township portion of the Borough of Taumarunui, Blocks 1 to 5 inclusive in Bell's Extension, Sections 6 to 11 inclusive and Sections 14, 15, and 16, Block Four, and the whole of Blocks Six and Seven in the Rangaroa Village Settlement; the whole of what is known as Ngatai's Extension. And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable on the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby declare that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution passed at a meeting of the Taumarunui Borough Council held on the 13th day of July, 1915.

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M. E. POWER, Town Clerk.

## BOROUGH OF STRATFORD.

## RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Stratford Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of sixteen thousand pounds (£16,000), authorized to be raised by the Stratford Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the following purposes:—

(a.) Lighting the streets and public places of the Borough of Stratford, and supplying electricity to the inhabitants thereof, to acquire by purchase the whole of the business and undertaking of the Stratford Electrical Supply Company (Limited), and the entire goodwill thereof, and all the freehold and leasehold lands, corporeal and incorporeal rights, easements, and appurtenances, buildings, engines, machinery, poles, lines, plant, stock in trade, materials, and other property of the said company (excepting moneys, securities, and book-debts);

(b.) To purchase or otherwise acquire all such other freehold or leasehold lands, rights, easements, property, machinery, plant, and materials, and to erect all such further buildings and other erections as the Council may consider necessary for the purpose of lighting the streets and public places of the borough with electricity and supplying electricity to the inhabitants thereof;

such said sum of £16,000 to be spent on the said purposes respectively as follows: (a) £15,600, and (b) £400—the said Stratford Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny and one-farthing in the pound sterling upon the rateable value on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Borough of Stratford. 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 April and the first day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six (36) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a resolution passed at a properly constituted meeting of the Stratford Borough Council held on Friday, the 22nd day of September, 1916.

Dated at Stratford this 22nd day of September, 1916.

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PHILIP SKOGLUND, Town Clerk.

## WAIROA COUNTY COUNCIL.

## RESOLUTION STRIKING SPECIAL RATE.—LOAN OF £2,500 FOR HOSPITAL PURPOSES.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Wairoa County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

“That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £2,500, authorized to be raised by the Wairoa County Council, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Act, and section 41 (subsection 10) of the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909, for the

purpose of providing the Wairoa County Council's share of cost of purchase of land and erection of an infectious diseases ward thereon, and also for the erection of a Nurses' Home at the Wairoa County Hospital, and the cost of raising the loan to be paid out of the loan, such loan to be for a period of ten years, and the whole of the principal sum to be repayable at the end of that term, the said Wairoa County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one eighty-second of a penny (1/82d.) in the £1 sterling upon the rateable value of all rateable property within the County of Wairoa; such special rate to be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, being a period of ten years, and to be payable yearly on the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan.”

I, George Canning Ormond, Chairman of the Wairoa County Council, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly passed at a meeting of the Wairoa County Council held on Friday, the 8th day of September, 1916.

G. C. ORMOND,

Chairman, Wairoa County Council.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the Eketahuna and Pongaroa Motor Service Company (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the Eketahuna and Pongaroa Motor Service Company (Limited) held at Eketahuna on 12th September, 1916, at which a quorum of shareholders representing more than one-fifth of the share capital was present, the following extraordinary general resolution was moved and carried:—

“That it is 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 the same; and that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. J. A. HASWELL be appointed Liquidator.”

For and on behalf of the Eketahuna and Pongaroa Motor Service Company (Limited).

P. NIELSEN,

Chairman.

Eketahuna, 20th September, 1916.

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## NORTH KAIPARA CO-OPERATIVE DAIRY COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that at extraordinary general meetings of the above-named company held respectively on the 30th day of August, 1916, and 14th day of September, 1916, at Whakapirau the subjoined special resolution was passed and confirmed:—

That the company be wound up voluntarily.

And at such last-mentioned meeting Mr. T. H. HANNA was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the winding up.

Dated this 18th day of September, 1916.

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T. H. HANNA, Liquidator.

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By the Education Act it is compulsory for deaf children to come under instruction at the age of six, and to continue until the age of twenty-one unless the Education Department previously grants exemption. Though a child is, as a rule, best fitted to begin the school course at the age of six, advice should be obtained as soon as any sign of deafness is observed.

The following classes of deaf children are admitted to the School for the Deaf (sound intellect being always a necessity):—

1. Children born deaf, or who have lost their hearing before learning to speak.
2. Children who can hear a little, but are too deaf to be taught in a public school.
3. Children who have lost their hearing after having learned to speak.

The Act imposes upon every parent, teacher of a school (either public or private), constable, or officer of a charitable or kindred institution who is aware of the place of residence (either temporary or permanent) of a deaf child, and the householder in whose house any such child resides, an obligation to send notification of the fact to the Minister of Education, giving the name, age, and address of the child; and any neglect or failure to comply with this provision involves liability to a fine.

Information and advice may be obtained from the Director, or from

THE SECRETARY FOR EDUCATION,  
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