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Land proclaimed as a Road in Block VIII, Paeroa Survey District, Auckland Land District.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the Crown land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land proclaimed as a road: 11 acres 3 roods 30.6 perches and 1 acre 2 roods 38.2 perches.

Portions of Crown land, situated in Block VIII, Paeroa Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 46272, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land set apart for Selection.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section sixty-three of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is, amongst other things, enacted that in no case shall any moneys be expended under the provisions of the said section sixty-three in connection with any block of land, unless that block is set apart for selection under that section pursuant to Proclamation in that behalf:

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Swanson Block.

SECTIONS 288 to 298 (inclusive), 300 to 314 (inclusive), 316 to 336 (inclusive), and 338 to 340 (inclusive), Waipareira Parish: Area, 1,109 acres 3 roods 24 perches.

As the same is delineated upon the plan marked L. and S. 5/92, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Allocating Land reserved and taken for a Railway to the Purposes of a Road at Maimai.

[L.s.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land taken for the purposes of the Stillwater-Reefton 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 Inangahua, 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 Inangahua 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 areas of the pieces of land: 2 roods 4 perches and 30·7 perches.

Portions of railway reserve, Block IV, Mawhera-iti Survey District, Inangahua County.

In the Nelson Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 24363, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured blue and red.

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

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Land in Block XI, Karioi Survey District, set apart for the Purposes of a Road.

[L.s.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is Crown land, and is required to be set apart for the purposes of a road in Block XI, Karioi Survey District:

And whereas by section twenty-one of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is enacted that whenever any Crown land is required to be set apart for any public work, the Governor may at any time, by Proclamation, set the same apart for such public work without complying with any of the provisions of that Act in respect of the taking or setting-apart of other lands for such purposes:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby set apart for the purposes of the said road; and I also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of Crown land set apart: 59 acres 1 rood 24 perches.

Portion of Section 4 (Auckland R.D.), Block XI, Karioi Survey District (S.O. 15343).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41992, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured purple.

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 fifth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

[L.s.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to declare such land to be Crown land:

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of stopped road declared to be Crown land: 1 rood 8 perches.

Adjoining or passing through land granted to J. Toms, Block X, Linkwater Survey District (Marlborough R.D.).

In the Marlborough Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41760, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

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

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

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

And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to declare such land to be Crown land:

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of stopped road declared to be Crown land:—

A.	R.	P.	
0	1	16,	adjoining or passing through Sec. 178.
1	1	18.7	" 175 (E.R.).
1	2	34.7	" 174.

Situated in Kawakawa Parish, Block VIII, Kawakawa Survey District (S.O. 19385).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41582, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

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

And whereas it is further provided by section five of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, that in the case of

any land so taken, purchased, or acquired for a Government work and not required for that purpose the Governor may, on the recommendation of the Minister, and without complying with any other requirements of the aforesaid section thirty, by Proclamation declare such land to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908, and thereupon the land may be administered and disposed of under that Act accordingly:

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

And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to declare such land to be Crown land:

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of stopped road declared to be Crown land:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
4	0	32	Sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11, Block XIII; coloured green.
3	2	11	Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, Block IX; coloured green.
0	2	20	Sections 2 and 8, Block IX; coloured blue.

Situated in Clutha District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 40945, 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 fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

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

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

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

And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to declare such land to be Crown land:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the above-in-part-

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of stopped road declared to be Crown land: 1 acre 1 rood 25 perches.
Adjoining or passing through E.R. 130, Mangatepe Parish, Block XI, Rangaunu Survey District (S.O. 19249).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41373, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block V, Maramarua Survey District.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under the Public Works Act, 1908, for a certain public work—to wit, for the purposes of a road in Block V, Maramarua Survey District:

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

And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor to issue a Proclamation taking the land as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, and being satisfied of the sufficiency of the agreement hereinbefore referred to, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the said road; and I also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 3 acres 3 roods.
Portion of Section No. 149A, Onewhero Parish (S.O. 14659). Situated in Block V, Maramarua Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41868, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XIV, Orahiri Survey District.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under the Public Works Act, 1908, for a certain public work—to wit, for the purposes of a road in Block XIV, Orahiri Survey District:

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the said road; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 3 roods 35·8 perches.

Portion of Pehitawa No. 2B No. 2, Block XIV, Orahiri Survey District (S.O. 18908).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41286, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured blue.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks VIII and XII, Kaihu Survey District, Hobson County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owners and mortgagees of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Hobson County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Kaihu 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.	Portion of
6	0	1	Kaihu No. 2, D.P. 1147, Block XII; coloured blue.
25	3	6	Waimata No. 2, Blocks VIII and XII; coloured red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 17 acres 0 roods 22 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Waimata No. 2, Blocks VIII and XII.

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Kaihu Survey District (S.O. 18235).
 All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39332, 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 fifth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
 Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Amending Regulations under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
 ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this second day of April, 1917.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend, in the manner set forth in the Schedule hereto, the regulations under the said Act made by Order in Council dated the eighth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eleventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

SCHEDULE.

1. CLAUSE 14 of the regulations made under the said Act on the 8th day of November, 1915, is hereby amended by adding thereto a reference to section 57 of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908 (except paragraph (d) thereof).

2. Clauses 23, 24, and 25 of, and the Second Schedule to, the regulations under the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, made on the 16th day of March, 1909, shall, so far as applicable, and with the necessary modifications, apply to lands with buildings thereon disposed of under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act in the same manner as they apply to lands with buildings thereon disposed of under the Land for Settlements Act.

F. W. FURBY,
 Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Altering Representation of certain Combined Districts on Auckland Harbour Board, and appointing Principal Authorities.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
 ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this second day of April, 1917.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twelve of the Harbours Amendment Act, 1910 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is enacted that the creation, abolition, merger, union, division, or other alteration of any constituent or combined district shall not in itself have any operation so as to affect the then existing membership of the Board, and that the Governor may from time to time by Order in Council, whenever in his opinion it becomes necessary or expedient so to do, make such provision with respect to the representation of any part of any constituent or combined district as he thinks fit:

And whereas certain alterations have been made in certain combined districts, the electors of which elect members of the Auckland Harbour Board, and it is desirable to make provision as hereinafter described for the representation of

the electors of the local authorities forming the said combined districts as altered, and to select and appoint the principal authorities for the said combined districts for the purposes of such election:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the said Act, and 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 make the following provision for the representation of the combined districts hereinafter mentioned on the Auckland Harbour Board, in lieu of the representation of districts included therein as provided for in the First Schedule to the said Act:

Three members shall be elected by the electors of the City of Auckland (in which have been merged the Boroughs of Parnell and Grey Lynn, and the Road Districts of Eden Terrace, Remuera, Arch Hill, and Epsom); one member by the electors of the Boroughs of Mount Eden and Mount Albert, and the electors of the Mount Roskill, Avondale, and Point Chevalier Road Districts; one member by the electors of the Boroughs of Newmarket and Onehunga, and the electors of the Road Districts of One Tree Hill, Panmure, Orakei, Mount Wellington, and Tamaki West, and the Town District of Ellerslie.

And His Excellency doth hereby, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section seven of the said Act, select and appoint the Auckland City Council, the Mount Eden Borough Council, and the Newmarket Borough Council to be the respective principal authorities for the purposes of the election of the members as aforesaid by the electors of the respective combined districts

F. W. FURBY,
 Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Lomain Board appointed to have Control of the Brownston Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
 ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this second day of April, 1917.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING 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 the said Act, control of such domain:

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the fifth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, the domain described in the Schedule hereto was brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act:

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

NEIL SMALL,
 ALEXANDER PRATT,
 WALTER JOHN PARKER,
 WILLIAM GRIFFIN, and
 ALFRED VALENTINE UDY

to be the Brownston Domain Board, having the 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 seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Hukanui Public Hall, Hukanui, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

BROWNSTON DOMAIN.

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-west 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.

F. W. FURBY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this second day of April, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is at present subject to Part XIV of the said Act, and is vested in the Tokerau District Maori Land Board, which Board has recommended that such land be no longer subject as aforesaid and that it be re-vested in the Native owners :

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing 81 acres 1 rood, more or less, and known as Pipiwai No. 2c Block, situate in the Mangakahia Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland.

F. W. FURBY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this second day of April, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is at present subject to Part XIV of the said Act, and is vested in the Tokerau District Maori Land Board, which Board has recommended that such land be no longer subject as aforesaid and that it be re-vested in the Native owners :

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land containing 60 acres 2 roods, more or less, and known as Pipiwai 2E 1 Block, situate in the Mangakahia Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland.

F. W. FURBY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Postage Rates for Parcels for Soldiers.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this second day of April, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, and of all powers and authorities 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 make the regulations and fix the rates and charges given in the Schedule hereto for the posting of parcels addressed to soldiers, and doth order and declare that any regulations and charges of similar purport heretofore made are hereby revoked in so far as they are not in agreement with the regulations and charges made in the said Schedule, but that otherwise any such other regulations and charges shall remain in full force and virtue, and shall be read and applied together with the regulations and charges hereby made and fixed; and doth further order and declare that this Order in Council shall come into force on the sixteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

PARCEL-POST.

Special Rates for Parcels addressed to Soldiers.

1. THE rates of postage for parcels addressed to soldiers and nurses of British, New Zealand, Australian, or other colonial or allied troops on active service in any part of the world (including members of New Zealand Volunteer Sisterhood) are—

	s.	d.
For parcels not exceeding 3 lb.	1	0
7 lb.	2	0

These rates also apply to parcels addressed to New Zealand sailors on board the "Philomel" and any other of H.M. ships manned by New Zealand crews.

The maximum weight for parcels under the regulation is 7 lb.

2. Parcels for soldiers, sailors, &c., on active service cannot be registered or insured.

F. W. FURBY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Savings-bank.—Interest-bearing Deposits by Secondary School Board.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this second day of April, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power conferred upon him by section seventy-seven of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, 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 prescribe that the limitation of the amount of interest-bearing deposits in the Post Office Savings-bank, as fixed by

the said section seventy-seven as amended by section four of the Post and Telegraph Amendment Act, 1913, shall not apply to deposits of the bodies named in the Schedule hereto (being non-mercantile bodies within the meaning of the said section seventy-seven).

SCHEDULE.

THE Board or governing body of any secondary school within the meaning of the Education Act, 1914.

F. W. FURBY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this second day of April, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

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

And whereas the Wellington City Council, the local authority having control of the portion of street described in the Schedule hereto, has passed the following resolution—viz., "The Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Wellington, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to that portion of Waripori Street in the said city beginning at a point one hundred and two feet from the western side of Adelaide Road and extending to the termination of the said street at the Town Belt";

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved, subject to the condition hereinafter mentioned :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the above-in-part-recited Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the said resolution, subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on either side of the said street within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said street.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Waripori Street, in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, commencing at a point 102 ft. west of the western side of Adelaide Road, and proceeding thence in a westerly direction to its junction with the Town Belt. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41888, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

F. W. FURBY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this second day of April, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING 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 Auckland 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; and such reserve shall hereafter be known as the Ruakaka Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

RUAKAKA DOMAIN

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, being Allotment 90, Parish of Ruakaka, containing by admeasurement 26 acres 2 roods 24 perches, more or less. Bounded, commencing at peg marked 1, being 538156.8 links north and 139158.6 links west of Mount Eden Trig. Station; towards the east generally by a reserve along the Ruakaka River, 983.8, 418.7, and 1186 links; towards the south by Crown land, 1341.5 and 604.4 links; towards the west generally by a reserve along the Ruakaka River, 601.6, 255, 467.9, 529, and 924.5 links, to the point of commencement.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, being Allotment 91, Parish of Ruakaka, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 2 roods 10 perches, more or less. Bounded, commencing at peg marked XIV, being 539507 links north and 138179.7 links west of Mount Eden Trig. Station; towards the north-east and south-east by Crown land, 558.4 and 459.3 links respectively; towards the south-west and north-west by a reserve along the Ruakaka River, 558.4 and 459.3 links respectively, to the point of commencement.

Be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same are delineated on plan marked L and S. 1/594, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan No. 19095.)

F. W. FURBY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulation under the Labour Disputes Investigation Act, 1913.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this second day of April, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by section eighteen of the Labour Disputes Investigation Act, 1913, that the Chairman of a Labour Disputes Committee under that Act shall be entitled to receive out of the Consolidated Fund such fees as are prescribed by regulations :

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 that Dominion, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the said Act in that behalf, doth hereby make the following regulation under that Act.

REGULATION.

THE Chairman of any Labour Disputes Committee under the Labour Disputes Investigation Act, 1913, shall be entitled to receive out of the Consolidated Fund the sum of £2 2s. for every day or part of a day during which he is actually engaged in the investigation of a dispute under that Act, or during which he is actually engaged in travelling to or from the place of sitting of the Committee.

This regulation shall be deemed to have taken effect from the 1st day of February, 1917.

F. W. FURBY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations under the Land Act, 1908, and the Land Transfer Act, 1915.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this second day of April, 1917.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section three of the Land Act, 1908, it is enacted that the Governor may from time to time make regulations for the purposes of that Act :

And whereas by section two hundred and nineteen of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, it is enacted that the Governor may, by Order in Council gazetted, make regulations for regulating the practice and conduct of business under that Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the said Acts, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations for the purposes of the said Acts; and doth hereby declare that such regulations shall come into force on the day of the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

REGULATIONS.

In any case where a lease or license under the Land Act, 1908, or any former Land Act has been registered under the Land Transfer Act, 1915, or any former Land Transfer Act, if any part of the land comprised in such lease or license is subsequently proclaimed as a road or street in terms of section 11 of the Land Act, 1908, and by reason thereof a reduction is made in the rental payable under the lease or license, or if a road or street intersecting or adjoining the lands comprised in any such lease or license has been closed under the said section 11, and subsequently added to the land comprised in such lease or license, and by reason thereof an increase is made in the rental payable under the lease or license, the following provisions shall apply:—

(a.) The Commissioner of Crown Lands shall forward to the District Land Registrar a certificate under his hand in the form No. 1 or No. 2 in the Schedule hereto, as the case may require, specifying the portion of land taken or added, and the corresponding reduction or increase of rent.

(b.) The District Land Registrar shall deposit such certificate in his office, and shall note on the folio of the Register-book constituted by the lease or license, and on the duplicate lease or license when forwarded to him for that purpose, a memorandum in the form No. 3 or No. 4 in the Schedule hereto as may be applicable.

SCHEDULE.

Form No. 1.

In the matter of lease or license from His Majesty to [Name of lessee or licensee], dated the day of 19, Register-book, Vol. , folio , of [Specify the land].

THIS is to certify that from the land comprised in the above-mentioned lease or license, portion thereof—to wit, the portion described in the Schedule hereto—was, on the day of 19, proclaimed as a road [or street] under section 11 of the Land Act, 1908; and that on and after that date the yearly rental reserved by the lease or license is reduced from [Name original amount] to [Name reduced amount].

Dated at this day of 19.

SCHEDULE.

[Specify the land by description and plan.]

Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Form No. 2.

In the matter of lease or license from His Majesty to [Name of lessee or licensee], dated the day of 19, Register-book, Vol. , folio , of [Specify the land].

THIS is to certify that the road [or street] described in the Schedule hereto was, on the day of 19, closed under section 11 of the Land Act, 1908, and has been granted under the said section 11 to the owner of the above lease or license; and that on and after the said date [or as the case may be] the land comprised in the said closed road [or street] is to be included in the said lease or license, and the yearly rental reserved by the said lease or license is from such date increased from [Name original amount] to [Name increased amount].

Dated at this day of 19.

SCHEDULE.

[Specify the land by description and plan.]

Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Form No. 3.

PORTION of land in this lease or license as described in deposited certificate under the hand of the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Land District, dated

19, taken for road [or street], and yearly rent reduced to [Name reduced rent].

Particulars entered the day of 19, District Land Registrar.

Form No. 4.

PORTION of land as described in deposited certificate under the hand of the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Land District, and dated 19, added to this lease or license, and yearly rent increased to [Name increased rent].

Particulars entered the day of 19, District Land Registrar.

F. W. FURBY, Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Opening National Endowment Lands in Otago 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 eleventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, 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.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—MANIOTOTO COUNTY.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rental.
<i>St. Bathans Survey District.</i>				
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
37	II	297 0 0	225 0 0	4 10 0
38	"	274 0 0	210 0 0	4 4 0
39	"	308 0 0	210 0 0	4 4 0
40	"	221 0 0	185 0 0	3 14 0
41	"	196 0 0	165 0 0	3 6 0
42	"	337 0 0	280 0 0	5 12 0
43	"	195 0 0	165 0 0	3 6 0
44	"	162 0 0	185 0 0	3 14 0
45	"	440 0 0	370 0 0	7 8 0
46 and 51	"	186 0 0	120 0 0	2 8 0
47	"	193 0 0	170 0 0	3 8 0
48	"	154 0 10	105 0 0	2 2 0
<i>Blackstone Survey District.</i>				
13	VIII	480 0 0	440 0 0	8 16 0
14	"	519 0 0	550 0 0	11 0 0

Weighted with valuation for fencing as follows: Section 37, £65 3s. 6d.; Section 38, £29 2s. 6d.; Section 39, £14 2s.; Section 41, £14 1s.; Section 42, £2 14s.; Section 44, £5 8s. 6d.; Sections 46 and 51, £15 6s.; Section 47, £12 15s.; Section 48, £13 12s.; Section 14, £14 14s.

These sections are subdivisions of the Downs Block of Hawkdun Station, and are situated close to St. Bathans, which is a mining township in Central Otago. Access is from two railway-stations on the Otago Central line—viz., Otarehua and Lauder. The distance from Otarehua is from nine to fourteen miles; that from Lauder is from nine to seventeen miles. There are formed roads from both places. The sections comprise undulating and ridgy land intersected by gullies. The greater part of nearly every section is ploughable. The soil is a black loam, good in places and light in places, on a clay, shingle, and sand formation. Generally speaking, the land is not well watered, but water might be obtained by sinking. The altitude is from 1,600 ft. to 2,200 ft. above sea-level.

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

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

Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 31st March, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE WILLIAM STONE

to be the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Riverton, on and from the 2nd April, 1917.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Inspector of Clubs appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 10th April, 1917.

IT is hereby notified that

SAMUEL PERCIVAL NORWOOD

has been appointed, under the Licensing Act, 1908, to be an Inspector of Clubs for the purpose of inspecting and reporting upon chartered clubs, as defined by the said Licensing Act, 1908.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Member of Canterbury Land Board resigned.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 5th April, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has accepted the resignation of

JAMES STEVENSON

as a member of the Canterbury Land Board.

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

Native Interpreters appointed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 3rd April, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to authorize

JOHN WEBSTER, of Horeke, Hokianga;
TAARE WAAKA, of Rotorua; and
PARATENE NGATA, Jun., of Rangitukia,

to act as licensed Native Interpreters of the First Grade, under the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1909, and the regulations made thereunder.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

Judges of the Native Land Court Districts appointed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 4th April, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT NOBLE JONES, Esq.

(a Judge of the Native Land Court), to be the Judge of the Ikaroa and South Island Native Land Court Districts, *vice* M. Gilfedder, Esq., transferred;

CHARLES EDWARD MACCORMICK, Esq.

(a Judge of the Native Land Court), to be the Judge of the Waikato-Maniapoto Native Land Court District, *vice* A. G. Holland, Esq., transferred;

JAMES WAKELIN BROWNE, Esq.

(a Judge of the Native Land Court), to be the Judge of the Aotea Native Land Court District, *vice* J. B. Jack, Esq., resigned;

MICHAEL GILFEDDER, Esq.

(a Judge of the Native Land Court), to be the Judge of the Tairāwhiti Native Land Court District, *vice* R. N. Jones, Esq., transferred;

ALBERT GEORGE HOLLAND, Esq.

(a Judge of the Native Land Court), to be the Judge of the Tokerau Native Land Court District, *vice* T. H. Wilson, Esq., transferred; and

THOMAS HENRY WILSON, Esq.

(a Judge of the Native Land Court), to be the Judge of the Wairariki Native Land Court District, *vice* J. W. Browne, Esq., transferred.

The appointments to take effect on and from the 11th April, 1917.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

License of Native Interpreter revoked.

Native Department,
Wellington, 5th April, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to revoke the license granted to

WI KARENA WIHAPI, o Te Puke,

authorizing him to act as an Interpreter under the Native Land Act, 1909; and also to remove the said Wi Karena Wihapi from his office as an Interpreter under the said Act.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

Licensing Officers under Arms Act, 1908, appointed.

Police Department,
Wellington, 5th April, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant DONALD CHARLES FRASER and
Constable WILLIAM EDWARD HUNT,

of the New Zealand Police Force, to be Licensing Officers under the Arms Act, 1908.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Minister in Charge of Police Department.

Inspector for the Purposes of the Stock Act, 1908, appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 30th March, 1917.

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

JOHN CASE

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Stock Act, 1908, as from the 27th day of March, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Registrar of Brands appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 30th March, 1917.

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

JOHN CASE

to be Registrar of Brands for the Wairoa Branding Registration District, as from the 27th day of March, 1917, in lieu of Walter Dalglish.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Registrars of Electors and Returning Officers appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 5th April, 1917.

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

JAMES MCINDOE

to be Registrar of Electors and Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Grey, under the Legislature Act, 1908, as from the 9th February, 1917.

WILLIAM HENRY FREEMAN

to be Registrar of Electors and Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Egmont, under the Legislature Act, 1908, as from the 18th January, 1917.

WILLIAM DRYBURGH WALLACE

to be Registrar of Electors and Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Buller, under the Legislature Act, 1908, as from the 5th day of February, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 10th April, 1917.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned persons have been appointed to be the Deputies of the Regis-

trars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the districts set respectively opposite their names, viz. :—

Name.	District.
CHARLES JAMES GWYNNE ..	Wellington (at Courtenay Place).*
THOMAS CHRISTENSON ..	Waipu.
JOHN LEO SAGE ..	Wairoa.
AGNES GWENDOLINE COOKSEY ..	Mangawai.
JAMES WILLIAM HOLLAND ..	Featherston.
CECIL JOHN WILLIAMS ..	Dipton.
CECIL ELLEN MARY KEASBERRY ..	Awakino.
ARTHUR TRENWITH CREAGH ..	Weber.
HUGH GEORGE SPIERS COOMBE ..	Lumsden.
ARTHUR FREDERICK MASSEY ..	Auckland (at Takapuna).*
ELMA KATE DEVLIN ..	Manaia.
CATHERINE McILWRAITH ..	Tairua.

* Births and Deaths only.

W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.

Special Order made by the Howick Township Road Board.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 5th April, 1917.

THE following special order, made by the Howick Township Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Road Boards Act, 1908.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

THE following special order was passed by the Howick Township Road Board, 20th March, 1917 :—

That all the weeds named in the Third Schedule of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, be declared noxious weeds within the boundaries of the Howick Township Road District.

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

A. GERRING,
Clerk, Howick Township Road Board.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 10th April, 1917.

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

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Acting Minister of Finance.

THAMES COUNTY COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Puriri Ferry and Approach Roads Special-rating Area, a special district duly constituted within the County of Thames, taken on the 29th day of March, 1917, on the proposal of the Thames County Council to borrow the sum of £4,000 for the purpose of the construction of a ferry across the Waihou River at Puriri, and the forming and metalling of the approach roads thereto, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 41, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 21.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.
Dated this 31st day of March, 1917.

B. W. BAGNALL,
Chairman of the Thames County.
WILLIAM H. POTTS, Returning Officer.

Transmitting and Receiving Officer for the Service of Notices by Telegraph.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 11th April, 1917.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), and by the regulations made on the 12th May, 1914, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 21st May, 1914, the following officer, at the address set against his name, is hereby appointed a Transmitting and Receiving Officer for the purpose of dealing with all notices by telegraph sent under the said Act or regulations, and of signing such certificates in relation to the service of any

such notices as are required or authorized to be signed or given under the said Act or the regulations aforesaid :—

SIDNEY FADE HASZARD, Chief Postmaster, Greymouth.
W. D. S. MACDONALD,
For Minister of Telegraphs.

Prohibiting Money-orders and Postal Correspondence for National Institute of Sciences, &c.

THE Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand having reasonable ground for supposing that the institution and persons whose names and addresses are shown in the Schedule hereunder are engaged in a fraudulent undertaking, it is hereby ordered, under section 28 of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, that no money-order in favour of the said institution or either of the said persons shall be issued, and that no postal packet addressed to the said institution or to the manager, secretary, or other officer thereof, or to either of the said persons (either by his own or any fictitious or assumed name), or addressed to either of the addresses in the Schedule hereunder without a name, shall be either registered or forwarded by the Post Office of New Zealand.

SCHEDULE.

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF SCIENCES	258, 260, 262 Westminster Bridge Road, London, S.E.
ELMER E. KNOWLES	258, 260, 262, Westminster Bridge Road, London, S.E., and
ELMER S. PRATHER	126 West 34th Street, New York, N.Y.

Dated this 5th day of April, 1917.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
For Postmaster-General.

Prohibition of Postal Packets and Telegrams under War Regulations Act.

I, WILLIAM DONALD STUART MACDONALD, 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 any of the addresses in the Schedule hereunder shall be forwarded or delivered by the Post Office or transmitted by telegraph.

Dated this 10th day of April, 1917.

SCHEDULE.

ALLAIRE, Brixton T., Rome, Italy.
Alofsin, I. J., Travelling Representative, I.N.S., New York (or any address).
Atlanta American, The, Atlanta, Georgia.
Atlanta Georgian, The, Atlanta, Georgia.
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Hartrick, E. B., I.N.S., New York.
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Holmes, George, Day Editor, International News Service, Chicago, Ill.
I.N.S., The, at the following addresses: 80 Summer Street, Boston, Mass.; Call Building, San Francisco, P.Q.; Herald Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.; 1606 Ridge Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.; 204 Camp Street, New Orleans, La.; 13th and G. Streets, Washington, D.C.; Kansas City, Denver, Col.; Indianapolis, Ind., Pittsburg, Pa.; Columbus, Ohio, Atlanta, Ga.; St. Louis, Mo.; Springfield, Ill.; Birmingham, Ala.; Cleveland, Ohio; Memphis, Tenn.; Spokane, Wash.
International News Service, Hearst Building, Chicago.
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International News Service (any address).
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Los Angeles Examiner, The, Los Angeles, Cal.
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 Cal.; Seattle, Wash.; Tacoma, Wash.; Portland, Oregon;
 Spokane, Wash.
 Rankin, C. C., I.N.S., New York.
 San Francisco Examiner, The, San Francisco, Cal.
 Viburg, George, I.N.S., New York.
 Wilson, Frederick J., Manager, I.N.S., New York.

W. D. S. MacDONALD,
 Acting Postmaster-General.

Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.—Declaration by the Registrar dissolving a Society.

I, ROBERT EDWARD HAYES, Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that the Clevedon Medical Club is no longer carrying on its operations and has no assets, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved, in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington this 30th day of March, 1917.

R. E. HAYES,
 Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

Immigration and Emigration Returns.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of MARCH, 1917, showing the Places from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure.

ARRIVALS FROM AND DEPARTURES TO DIFFERENT PLACES.

Countries.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	
United Kingdom	865	139	29	36	1,069	924	2	..	..	926
Australian Commonwealth	333	393	45	59	830	608	698	65	62	1,433
British S. Africa	8	4	2	1	15	..	..	..	..	..
Cook Islands	3	5	1	3	12	15	4	4	1	24
Fiji	20	13	7	4	44	16	16	5	6	43
Canada	15	16	3	3	37	23	17	2	1	43
United States	13	12	5	4	34	28	21	2	2	53
Hawaii	15	17	1	..	33	..	..	..	..	..
Foreign Pacific Islands (undefined)	29	7	4	1	41	25	22	5	7	59
Totals, March, 1917	1,301	606	97	111	2,115	1,639	780	83	79	2,581
Totals, March, 1916	770	567	82	86	1,505	859	848	89	72	1,868

The excess of the departures from New Zealand over the arrivals therein during the month of March, 1917, was therefore 466 persons, as against 363 in the corresponding month of 1916.

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.*

Ports.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
Auckland	1,364	121	1,092	393	1,485	559	63	286	336	622
Wellington	543	87	306	324	630	1,860	99	1,436	523	1,959
Totals, March, 1917	1,907	208	1,398	717	2,115	2,419	162	1,722	859	2,581
Totals, March, 1916	1,337	168	852	653	1,505	1,707	161	948	920	1,868

CHINESE (included above).

Arrivals.					Departures.			
		Males.	Females.				Males.	Females.
At Auckland	..	2	1		From Wellington	..	38	3
.. Wellington	..	11	..					
		13	1					

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

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

Census and Statistics Office,
 Wellington, 10th April, 1917.

MALCOLM FRASER,
 Government Statistician.

Officers appointed.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 5th April, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments in the Post and Telegraph Department.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Acting Postmaster-General.

NON-PERMANENT APPOINTMENTS.

Name.	Office.	District.	Date.
POSTMASTERS AND TELEGRAPHISTS.			
<i>Railway Officers.</i>			
Burgess, Stanley Smart	Turakina	Wanganui	2 Jan., 1917.
Coutts, Magnus	Greatford	"	29 Dec., 1916.
Denz, Frederick Charles	Opua	Auckland	29 Nov., ..
Edwards, Lionel Edward Bruce	Opakau	Dunedin	8 Jan., 1917.
McIver, Henry Percival	Sefton	Christchurch	11 " ..
Morgan, Gerald Hackett Walter	Penrose	Auckland	13 " ..
Roberts, William Leith	Waihola	Dunedin	12 " ..
Taylor, Alfred Edward	"	"	10 July, 1915.
Whitelaw, William	Drury	Auckland	8 Jan., 1914.
POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS.			
<i>Railway Officers.</i>			
Delany, Francis Michael	Henderson	Auckland	25 Nov., 1916.
Mackley, Garnet Hercules	Onerahi	"	28 Dec., ..
POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS.			
Abbott, Harry Dunbar	Pukemiro	Auckland	18 Nov., 1916.
Anderson, Herbert	Awhitu	"	1 Dec., ..
Arrow, Elizabeth Mary	Turangaarere	Wanganui	8 Oct., ..
Baker, Elizabeth Amelia	Tangitu	Auckland	15 Nov., ..
Bassett, Frances Mary	Ohariu	Wellington	9 Dec., ..
Bell, Elizabeth	Lismore	Christchurch	1 Jan., 1917.
Boyle, William	Manutahi	Wanganui	4 " ..
Bratlie, Asta Grace	Ngatea	Thames	1 " ..
Driffin, Mabel Mary	Ruakaka	Auckland	1 " ..
Eyre, Thomas Edwardes	Tryphena	"	1 " ..
Fairbairn, Herbert	Teddington	Christchurch	19 Dec., 1916.
Foster, John Durham	Waimaiku	Auckland	4 Jan., 1917.
Francois, Gordon	Motupiko	Nelson	4 Feb., ..
French, James Bernard	Onamalutu	Blenheim	20 Dec., 1916.
Hartnett, Kathleen	Hinuera	Auckland	6 Jan., 1917.
Hoff, William	Hermitage	Timaru	15 " ..
Hughes, Patrick	Domett	Christchurch	1 " ..
Kearns, Elizabeth	Te Moana	Timaru	1 Oct., 1916.
Lynn, Florence	Teddington	Christchurch	1 Jan., 1917.
Nisbet, Jessie	Athol	Invercargill	11 " ..
Ollington, Emily Jane	Taringamotu	Auckland	22 " ..
Owen, William Percival	Matemateonga	New Plymouth	1 Dec., 1916.
Pearson, Annie Elizabeth	Moonlight	Dunedin	11 " ..
Ramsay, Margaret Isabella	North Chatton	Invercargill	1 Sept., ..
Rugg, George	Waituna West	Wellington	1 Jan., 1917.
Sarich, John Wlad	Leithfield	Christchurch	19 Dec., 1916.
Saxelby, Tom Petford	Matainui	Hokitika	8 Jan., 1917.
Sheehan, Henry	Puketui	Thames	8 " ..
Stanton, William Edward	Kaimatarau	Wellington	1 " ..
Tait, Margaret Ann	Clarendon	Dunedin	8 Dec., 1916.
Taplin, Anna Rosette	Patiti	Oamaru	6 " ..
Thomas, Edward William	Netherton	Thames	1 Jan., 1917.
Thompson, Grace Eccles	Karioi	Wanganui	18 Dec., 1916.
Tobin, Patrick	Blackwater	Greymouth	18 Jan., 1917.
Wagner, Albert Ulysses	Pukenui	Auckland	1 Oct., 1916.
Wiley, Maud Eveline	Waimiha	"	29 Nov., ..
POSTMASTERS.			
Belshaw, James	Horrelville	Christchurch	8 Jan., 1917.
Breayley, Alexander Thomas	Erua	Wanganui	11 Dec., 1916.
Bromell, Edmond Hacker	Baton	Nelson	1 Jan., 1917.
Cotton, Dorothy Almena	Tuhipa	Auckland	11 " ..
Ferguson, Isabella	Tutukaka	"	11 Nov., 1916.
Forrest, James Russell	Horrelville	Christchurch	1 July, ..
Hinton, Pauline Dorothy	Arakihi	Gisborne	1 Nov., ..
Hunter, Francis Louisa	Wharehuanui	Invercargill	1 Oct., ..
Johns, Eileen	Whatarama	Christchurch	20 Jan., 1917.
McKeown, Thomas	Erua	Wanganui	17 Nov., 1916.
McNamara, David	Cairnbrae	Christchurch	23 Jan., 1917.
Mills, Philomena Roberta	Brightlands	Blenheim	27 Nov., 1916.
Osborne, Mary Isabella	Opuatia	Auckland	1 Jan., 1917.
Peglar, George Sparks	Hurapepe	"	10 Oct., 1916.
Redwood, Hamilton Joseph	Okaha	Blenheim	1 Jan., 1917.
Rodgers, William	Tauriko	Thames	9 " ..
Shilton, Mary Ann	Coutts Island	Christchurch	1 Dec., 1916.
Stack, Alan Montreson	Glendhu	Dunedin	2 Jan., 1917.

NON-PERMANENT APPOINTMENTS—*continued.*

Name.	Office.	District.	Date.
POSTMASTERS—<i>continued.</i>			
Stevenson, John Kennedy	Spar Bush	Invercargill	1 Jan., 1917.
Stringer, Henry Watson	Waianakarua	Oamaru	22 nd Dec., 1916.
Sutherland, James	Clearburn	"	6 " "
Tait, Bridget	Kawarau Gorge	Dunedin	4 Jan., 1917.
Tarlton, Howard Sidney	Whareatea Bay	Nelson	1 " "
Thompson, Garnett	Ohautira	Auckland	4 Nov., 1916.
Welsh, Elizabeth	Inchclutha	Dunedin	1 Dec., "
TELEPHONISTS.			
Burns, Sarah Catherine	Pukemaori	Invercargill	10 Nov., 1916.
Howe, Robert	Kokohuia	Wanganui	8 Jan., 1917.
Johnston, Joseph William	Kennedy's Bush	Christchurch	4 Dec., 1916.
Kerr, David Alexander	Kikiwa	Nelson	12 " "
Moore, William James	Te Tuhi	Wanganui	18 " "
Newman, Frederick Leonard	Owen River	Nelson	28 " "
Rodgers, William	Tauriko	Thames	11 Jan., 1917.
Russek, Paul Herbert	Kereta	"	1 " "
Todd, Margaret	Coutts Island	Christchurch	1 Dec., 1916.
Wastney, Walter Lewis	Ngapeka	Blenheim	19 th Jan., 1917.
Whitelaw, Matthew James	Waitangi	Auckland	23 rd Dec., 1916.

Offices opened and closed, &c.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 5th April, 1917.

THE following particulars of offices opened and closed, &c., are published for general information.

W. D. S. MacDONALD,
Acting Postmaster-General.

OFFICES.

Office.	District.	Date.
POST-OFFICES OPENED.		
Clearburn	Oamaru	6 December, 1916.
Glendhu	Dunedin	2 January, 1917.
Tauriko	Thames	9 " "
Tutukaka	Auckland	11 November, 1916.
Whareatea Bay	Nelson	1 January, 1917.
Whatarama	Christchurch	20 " "
POST-OFFICES CLOSED.		
Ashley Downs	Dunedin	31 December, 1916.
Dillmanstown	Hokitika	31 " "
Koromatua	Auckland	31 " "
Moehau	"	30 November, "
Ngahinapouri	"	11 January, 1917.
Ngatira	"	15 April, 1916.
Orari Bridge	Timaru	31 December, "
Retaruke	Auckland	31 " "
Taumata	Dunedin	31 " "
Tuhikaramea	Auckland	31 " "
Whareponga	Gisborne	2 " "
MONEY-ORDER OFFICES AND POST-OFFICE SAVINGS-BANKS OPENED.		
Mapiu	Auckland	24 January, 1917.*
Turangaarere	Wanganui	16 February, "
* Amending entry in <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 22, of the 8th February, 1917.		
POSTAL-NOTE OFFICE OPENED.		
Otekaieke	Oamaru	24 February, 1917.
POSTAL-NOTE OFFICE CLOSED.		
Puketui	Thames	7 January, 1917.
TELEGRAPH-OFFICE OPENED.		
Ruatorea*	Gisborne	30 January, 1917.
* Post and telegraph combined.		
TELEPHONE-OFFICES OPENED.		
Howard	Nelson	2 February, 1917.
Tepene	Auckland	27 January, "
Waikukupa	Hokitika	30 " "
Whatarama	Christchurch	29 " "
TELEPHONE OFFICES AND BUREAUX CLOSED.		
Macetown	Invercargill	3 January, 1917.
Rolleston Bureau*	Christchurch	7 December, 1916.
* Bureau only.		
TELEPHONE EXCHANGE OPENED.		
Taupiri	Auckland	30 January, 1917.
TELEPHONE BUREAUX OPENED.		
Howard	Nelson	2 February, 1917.
Ruatorea	Gisborne	30 January, "
Tepene	Auckland	27 " "
Waikukupa	Hokitika	30 " "

Deceased Persons' Estates.

THE PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE OF NEW ZEALAND. — INCORPORATED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE ACT, 1908.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE during the Month of March, 1917.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
1	Adams, Thomas Charles	Belfast	Wool-sorter	7/2/17	Testate.
2	Addison, George	Oamaru	Farmer	24/9/16	"
3	Argyle, Leonard Charles	Bunnythorpe	Farm labourer	8/8/15	"
4	Ballard, Frank Ernest	Johnsonville	Clerk	28/7/16	"
5	Balloch, William	Heriot	Labourer	6/1/17	Intestate.
6	Bates, William Askin or William	Christchurch	Gasfitter	4/12/16	"
7	Baxter, Isaac	Patea	Nightwatchman	16/11/12	"
8	Baxter, Thomas Lindsay	Kew (Melbourne).. ..	Grocer	24/8/16	Testate.
9	Bell, John	Hamilton	Labourer	25/5/16	"
10	Benge, James	Wellington	"	7/2/17	"
11	Birnie, Robert Raphaill	Matata	"	15/11/16	Intestate.
12	Blayney, Job	Hawera	Storekeeper	27/2/17	Testate.
13	Boddy, Richard	Greymouth	Labourer	1/2/17	"
14	Bosworth, Percy William	Mahirakan	"	4/4/16	"
15	Brandt, William	Hokitika	Blacksmith	3/3/17	"
16	Bridson, Mathias Joseph	Devonport	Engineer	2/2/17	Intestate.
17	Brown, Felix Ballard	Christchurch	Insurance clerk	7/3/17	Testate.
18	Browne, Colin Birnie	Silverdale, Auckland	Fruitgrower	29/10/16	"
19	Burgess, John	Christchurch	Labourer	1/1/17	Intestate.
20	Cambridge, Robert	"	Ironmonger	12/2/17	Testate.
21	Campbell, Catherine	Marton	Widow	23/2/17	"
22	Carey, Bridget	Westport	Married woman	8/3/17	"
23	Chaloner, Sarah Jane	Waihi	Widow	14/10/16	"
24	Cheer, William	Waipawa	Farmer	26/9/14	"
25	Clark, Sarah	Wellington	Widow	29/12/16	Intestate.
26	Cole, John Robert	Masterton	Painter	25/2/17	Testate.
27	Cook, Thomas Albert	Waipukurau	Blacksmith	10/11/16	"
28	Cowie, Oswald Ferguson	Wellington	Bank officer	23/2/17	"
29	Craig, William	"	Storeman	24/3/17	"
30	Crawford, Stewart	Auckland	Labourer	31/12/16	Intestate.
31	Crompton, William Evan	Waihi	Shift boss	22/2/17	Workers' Compensation Act.
32	Davies, Sarah	Auckland	Widow	5/1/17	Testate.
33	Day, Mary Elizabeth	Taihape	"	5/2/11	Intestate.
34	Dolman, John Edward	Gisborne	Fruitgrower	20/2/17	Testate.
35	Duff, Cæsarion Joseph	Taumarunui	Labourer	21/2/17	"
36	Duncan, John William McNary	Makuri	"	17/2/17	Workers' Compensation Act.
37	Dunk, Harry	Ohura	Medical practitioner	10/1/17	Intestate.
38	Eatock, Joseph	Hawera	Farmer	8/2/17	Testate.
39	Eckford, John	Blenheim	"	1/3/17	Intestate.
40	Farbrother, Douglas John Cunningham	Hoanga, Auckland	Farmer	21/2/17	Testate.
41	Faulkner, William Henry	Auroa	Contractor	"	Intestate.
42	Fisher, Robert	Christchurch	Farmer	16/2/17	Testate.
43	Fleming, James	Dunedin	Labourer	11/12/16	Workers' Compensation Act.
44	Halmyard, Harry	Auckland	Gardener	23/1/17	Testate.
45	Handley, Walter George Nixon	Christchurch	Linotypist	15/3/17	"
46	Haywood, Horatio Charnock; also known as Charles Parker	Auckland	Retired master mariner	25/1/16	Intestate.
47	Hazlett, Joseph Bamford	South Hillend, Otago	Farm hand	15/9/16	Testate.
48	Hole, Richard	Marsden	Miner	6/2/17	Intestate.
49	Hotton, Christopher Peace	Auckland	Mining prospector	2/9/16	"
50	Garvey, Michael	"	Farmer	22/9/16	"
51	Gibb, Douglas Keir	Wellington	Clerk	10/3/17	Testate.
52	Gregan, Patrick	Hamilton East	Commercial traveller	8/12/16	Workers' Compensation Act.
53	Johnstone, Robert	Auckland	Debt-collector	9/11/16	Intestate.
54	Lawson, Christopher	Muka	Gum-digger	7/10/16	"
55	Lietze, Michael	Chatton	Farmer	12/2/17	"
56	Macanergny, Bertram Patrick	Orakukra	Bushman	23/8/16	"
57	Macdonald, Jane	Dunedin	Housewife	2/2/17	Testate.
58	Mackay or Mackey, Josiah Gilbert	Takaka	Police pensioner	27/12/16	Intestate.
59	Male, Frank Herbert	Blenheim	Farmer	18/7/16	Testate.
60	Mansel, Agnes	Mount Eden	Widow	4/1/17	Intestate.
61	Martin, Owen	Greymouth	Farmer	24/1/17	Testate.
62	McAllister, George	"	Miner	23/2/17	"
63	McCarthy, William Edward	Bluff	Fisherman	23/9/16	"
64	McElligot, John	Dunedin	Miner	28/10/16	"
65	McIntosh, David Michael	Karangarua	Farm labourer	14/2/17	"
66	McKay, John	Napier	Station hand	28/9/16	"
67	McNeil, John Stewart	Balcarrn, North Canterbury	Farmer	16/9/16	"
68	Mercer, Thomas	Dunedin	Draper	18/2/17	"
69	Miller, Esther Eunice	Halcombe	Domestic	2/1/17	Intestate.
70	Mock, William	Islington	Labourer	"	"
71	Moosman, John Lewis	Hawera	Farmer	1/10/16	Testate.
72	Morris, Elizabeth	Dunedin	Widow	18/11/14	Intestate.
73	Mundie, William	Christchurch	Farmer	26/12/16	Testate.
74	Munro, John Henry	Auckland	Ironmonger	21/1/17	"
75	Murray, David; or Rewe Ngatote	Whangape	Labourer	15/11/16	Workers' Compensation Act.
76	Murray, John Morley	Karamea	Farmer	13/11/16	Intestate.
77	Mutrie, John	Masterton	Labourer	29/1/17	"
78	Mutrie, Henry	Manaia	Farm labourer	13/3/17	"
79	Nankivell, Albert	Christchurch	Soldier	27/2/17	Testate.

* 10/2/17 or 11/2/17.

DECEASED PERSONS' ESTATES - continued.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
80	Nimmo, Janet	Brunnerton ..	Married woman ..	1/1/17	Intestate.
81	Pardington, William Giles..	Auckland ..	Railway employee ..	17/12/16	Testate.
82	Partridge, Joseph Ernest ..	Whangarei ..	Sergeant-major in- structor	4/5/15	"
83	Paterson, Ellen Ann	Christchurch ..	Widow	1/3/17	"
84	Pearce, George W.	Dannevirke ..	Seaman	"	"
85	Pearson, John Henry	Auckland ..	Metal-broker ..	23/12/15	"
86	Pearson, William	Mangawai ..	Gum-digger ..	24/10/16	Intestate.
87	Pierce, John	Silverstream ..	Labourer	19/7/16	Testate.
88	Pye, Bertie George	Rawarawa ..	Farm labourer ..	6/2/17	"
89	Quick, William Beynon Austin	Wellington ..	Architect	10/12/16	"
90	Ralph, William Walter	Blockhouse Bay ..	Gardener	12/1/17	Intestate.
91	Rawlings, John Lowe	Papatoitoti ..	"	1/10/16	Testate.
92	Richmond, Robert R.	Wellington ..	Surveyor	16/10/16	"
93	Riddle or Cross, Ann	Waitara ..	Nurse	10/11/16	Intestate.
94	Salmon, Thomas Victor	Marton ..	Farmer	27/9/16	Testate.
95	Schaw, Alexander Henry	Aramoho ..	Railway employee ..	21/2/17	"
96	Schmidt, Bessie	Newton ..	Widow	29/1/17	Intestate.
97	Scott, James	Christchurch ..	Dredge hand ..	23/4/16	Testate.
98	Shand, James Taylor	Keig, Scotland ..	Farmer	21/2/17	"
99	Shortland, Edith	Whananaki ..	Widow	23/10/16	Intestate.
100	Simpson, Gilbert	Auckland ..	Surveyor's chainman	17/1/14	"
101	Simpson, George	" ..	Seaman	21/8/15	Testate.
102	Small, James George	Tangitu Block ..	Settler	30/9/15	Intestate.
103	Smith, Edward John	Kalala ..	Labourer	13/2/17	Testate.
104	Stancoombe, Robert Ewen ..	Athol ..	Surfaceman ..	18/11/16	Workers' Compen- sation Act.
105	Stewart, Elizabeth	Wellington ..	Domestic duties ..	18/7/16	Intestate.
106	Tombs, Charles	Blenheim ..	Chainman	19/2/17	Testate.
107	Turner, Andrew	Auckland ..	Storekeeper ..	7/11/15	Intestate.
108	Utterson, Thomas	Mangaohutu ..	Labourer	23/11/16	"
109	Walker, John	Blenheim ..	Farmer	6/8/16	Testate.
110	Walmsley, Sheriff Benjamin Frederick	Waiki ..	Settler	2/1/17	"
111	Watson, Walter Robert	Nelson ..	Farmer	20/3/17	"
112	Weir, Hugh Campbell	Poolburn ..	Station-manager ..	18/2/17	Intestate.
113	White, Walter Henry Holmes ..	Pukekohe ..	Farm hand	3/7/16	Testate.
114	Whyman, Frederick Cecil ..	Waipawa ..	Labourer	19/7/16	"
115	Williams, Rose	Wanganui ..	Married woman ..	5/3/17	Intestate.
116	Winter, Andrew	Te Atutu ..	Farmer	9/12/16	"
117	Winterbottom, Joseph Henry ..	Hamilton (Australia)	Unknown	24/7/16	Testate.

Wellington, 5th April, 1917.

FRED. FITCHETT, Public Trustee.

ESTATES of Deceased Persons reported to the Public Trustee during the Month of March, 1917, for Administration under Section 16 of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, pending Grant of Administration.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
1	Anderson, William Dickson ..	Kurow ..	Labourer	1/4/16	Intestate.
2	Barnett, Howard George	Christchurch ..	Accountant	8/5/15	"
3	Behrent, Walter Henry	Rongotea ..	Labourer	8/8/15	"
4	Bicknell, Cyril Alfred	Greytown North ..	Farmer	23/6/16	"
5	Cate, Wallace Grenfell	Toko ..	Shepherd	15/9/16	"
6	Challies, Charles Henry	Appleby ..	Farmer	22/8/17	"
7	Clements, Percy	Westland ..	Labourer	Unknown	"
8	Cress, Leonard James	Trentham ..	Clerk	17/9/16	"
9	Dods, John	Opotiki ..	Farm labourer ..	10/10/16	"
10	Dunnage, Robert Gordon	Dannevirke ..	Labourer	8/5/15	"
11	Gilchrist, Alexander Andrew or Alex- ander	Dunedin ..	"	15/9/16	"
12	Kent, Alfred William	Tauranga ..	Assistant turnlock ..	8/8/15	"
13	Lowry, Samuel Thomas Alexander ..	Hikutaia ..	Farmer	8/8/15	"
14	Macdiarmid, John Campbell ..	Huntly ..	Doctor	18/3/17	"
15	Manuel, Richard	Te Kao ..	Farm hand	8/8/15	"
16	McCulloch, William	Kaiwairai ..	Plumber	8/8/15	"
17	McFarlane, Wilfred Vivian	Gisborne ..	Settler	7/8/15	"
18	McKenzie, Donald Roderick	Hakataramea ..	Sheep-farmer ..	21/9/16	"
19	Moody, Robert Henry Ernest ..	Whangarei ..	Bank clerk	18/11/16	"
20	Moore, Frederick William Wallace ..	Jarraahwood, West Australia	Bushman	30/5/16	"
21	Ngakapa, Tahu	Repia ..	Aboriginal Native ..	6/8/15	"
22	Olen, Victor Albert	Taneatua ..	Assistant surveyor ..	8/8/15	"
23	Palmer, Walter William	Auckland ..	Labourer	22/9/16	"
24	Pareiha, Tuati	Thames ..	"	16/8/15	"
25	Ritchie, John	Napier ..	"	Unknown	"
26	Sewell, Edgar	Gisborne ..	Steward	8/8/15	"
27	Sheed, Charles Gordon	Gore ..	Carpenter	27/9/15	"
28	Stevens, Richard	Sumner ..	Labourer	12/9/15	"
29	Stewart, David	Dunedin ..	Painter	4/7/15	"
30	Tebbutt, Arthur Rufus	Auckland ..	Labourer	28/8/15	"
31	Thompson, Charles Walter	Takapau ..	Shepherd	8/8/15	"
32	Waiko, Whari Tamarapa	Ohangai ..	Milking	12/10/15	"
33	Walsh, Norman Hackett	Ponsonby ..	Sailor	2/9/15	"
34	Warren, James Carson	Dunedin ..	Machinist	6/5/15	"
35	Young, Lynn Robert	Feilding ..	Farm assistant ..	27/8/15	"

Wellington, 5th April, 1917.

FRED. FITCHETT, Public Trustee.

Exports.—Weekly.

RETURN of PRINCIPAL EXPORTS of NEW ZEALAND PRODUCE from the Dominion during the Week ended Tuesday, 10th April, 1917.

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. † Figures relating to the export of gold will not be available until the cessation of hostilities.

Districts.*	Butter.	Cheese.	Frozen Meats.			Gold.†
			Lamb.	Mutton.	Other.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland	192,103	96,557	..	3,936	59,296	..
Kaipara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tauranga .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gisborne .. ..	..	..	..	10,036	5,878	..
New Plymouth ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waitara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Patea .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wanganui	23,278	29,233	16,920	13,966	41,759	..
Wellington .. ..	..	..	23,527	9,338	11,121	..
Napier	896	16,907	12,911	32,750	4,469	..
Wairau (including Picton)..	..	3,267	..	12,990	..	..
Nelson .. ..	..	651	..	..	..	..
Westport .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hokitika	1,341	1,152	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton	1,160	..	..	..	..	..
Timaru .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oamaru	5,279	..	..	..	..	..
Dunedin	7,825	15,798	..	3,708	4,289	..
Invercargill	9,305	60,201	..	..	..	..
Totals	241,187	223,766	53,358	86,724	126,812	..

Districts.*	Grain and Pulse.	Hides and Skins.	Kauri-gum.	Phormium (including Tow).	Tallow.	Timber.	Wool.
Auckland	2,986	10,057	11,371	1,751	56,968
Kaipara
Tauranga
Gisborne
New Plymouth
Waitara
Patea
Wanganui	2,338	..	..	7,166	..	43,860
Wellington	11,962	..	1,934	1,532	..	48,664
Napier	7,501	..	..	2,900	..	211,581
Wairau (including Picton)..	291	..	..	..	3,636	..	52,931
Nelson	3,707
Westport
Greymouth	3,843	..
Hokitika
Lyttelton	4,085	..	..	..	..	..
Timaru
Oamaru
Dunedin	975	..	..	..	..	..
Invercargill	2,678	..	3,568	810	..	54,704
Totals	291	29,539	2,986	15,559	27,415	5,594	471,915

Customs Department,
Wellington, 11th April, 1917.

W. B. MONTGOMERY,
Comptroller of Customs.

Government Meteorological Observatory.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the month of February, 1917. Observations taken 9 a.m.

Altitude of Observatory, 8 ft.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected in inches to Lat. 45°.	From Self-registering Instruments for Twenty-four Hours previously.							Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.	Direction of Wind.	Rainfall, in Points (100 to 1 inch).
		Max. Temp. in Shade.	Min. Temp. in Shade.	Mean Temp. in Shade.	Solar Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation.	Veloc. Wind in Miles.	Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.			
1	29.879	80.2	59.4	69.8	143.0	52.4	50	7	Calm	8	
2	29.828	80.6	65.2	72.9	143.0	63.2	34	10	Calm	6	
3	29.553	80.2	65.8	73.0	151.0	60.2	39	10	N.W.	65	
4	29.399	69.0	64.0	66.5	107.0	62.0	216	9	N.	2	
5	29.190	70.4	58.6	64.5	146.0	55.0	397	2	NNW	Trace	
6	29.398	69.0	53.3	61.1	139.0	47.0	216	9	S.	8	
7	29.825	63.4	51.0	57.4	121.0	47.0	171	2	S.	..	
8	29.856	65.0	53.6	59.3	132.0	46.5	149	4	N.	..	
9	29.724	66.2	59.2	62.7	140.5	55.2	393	1	N.	..	
10	29.634	64.8	52.2	58.5	130.0	47.8	259	0	N.	..	
11	29.505	65.5	51.5	58.5	128.0	42.5	234	1	N.W.	15	
12	29.526	69.0	51.0	60.0	140.0	49.5	305	10	S.S.E.	4	
13	29.674	64.2	49.6	56.9	125.5	43.8	83	10	S.	10	
14	29.711	62.6	51.0	56.8	113.0	46.0	256	5	N.	30	
15	30.049	67.6	51.3	59.4	130.0	48.0	330	1	S.S.E.	..	
16	30.206	65.7	60.0	62.8	123.5	57.0	219	10	S.	..	
17	29.967	70.2	60.4	65.3	125.5	54.2	184	2	N.W.	..	
18	29.885	67.0	56.0	61.5	132.0	50.0	303	10	S.	Trace	
19	30.216	70.0	52.5	61.2	141.8	55.0	268	0	S.	..	
20	30.413	71.5	48.0	59.7	133.0	38.2	121	0	Calm	..	
21	30.363	76.2	57.0	66.6	132.4	50.0	169	10	S.E.	17	
22	30.064	72.9	61.2	67.0	135.0	57.5	157	5	S.E.	..	
23	29.862	79.2	61.0	70.1	140.0	55.8	66	3	N.W.	..	
24	29.736	79.0	61.1	70.0	140.0	53.3	99	1	N.W.	..	
25	29.703	66.0	60.0	63.0	119.0	58.0	153	10	N.	1	
26	29.811	67.8	63.2	65.5	121.0	62.0	245	9	N.W.	..	
27	29.765	73.9	61.7	67.7	137.0	58.5	346	10	NNW	..	
28	29.898	69.3	60.3	64.8	134.0	54.5	365	4	N.W.	..	
*	29.808	70.2	57.1	63.6	132.3	52.5	208	5.6	..	166	
†	29.981	69.2	55.5	62.3	123.5	48.3	236	..	..	331

* Means, &c. † Means previous years.

DIRECTION OF WIND.

N.	N.E.	E.	S.E.	S.	S.W.	W.	N.W.	Calm.
6	..	..	4	6	..	..	9	3

NOTE.—The weather during the month has been cloudy and showery, with precipitation 50 per cent. below the mean of previous years. Temperatures were above the average, but barometric pressure and sunshine were below the mean. Total bright sunshine, 180 hours 16 minutes; giving an average of 6 hours 26 minutes per diem. Mean dew-point, 54.8°; mean elastic force of vapour, 0.430 in.; and mean relative humidity, 73 per cent. of saturation.

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE.

MEANS AND TOTALS FROM THE CHIEF STATIONS.

February, 1917.

Altitude above Sea-level.	Name of Station and Observer.	Absolute Mean Temp. Air in Shade.	Extremes.		Total Rainfall (100 Points to the Inch).	Days with Rain (3 Point or more).
			Mean Max. Temp.	Mean Min. Temp.		
Ft.	NORTH ISLAND.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Points.	Dys.
125	AUCKLAND .. F. A. F. Burnett	65.4	70.6	60.2	1267	20
46	TE AROHA .. G. F. McGirr	62.1	71.2	53.1	1352	12
925	ROTORUA .. S. R. Edwards	63.4	72.4	54.5	523	14
340	WAIHI .. P. A. Clifford	65.2	72.8	57.6	1205	12
..	TAURANGA .. C. J. Butcher	64.2	73.6	54.8	783	12
160	NEW PLYMOUTH .. W. W. Smith	64.4	71.6	57.2	494	20
250	MOUMAHAKI .. T. W. Lonsdale	64.1	73.9	54.4	279	16
2080	TAIHAPE .. A. R. Fannin	58.4	60.1	50.8	398	15
100	PALMERSTON NORTH .. J. E. Vernon	63.2	71.3	55.1	287	13
186	GREYTOWN .. W. C. Davies	63.3	74.5	52.1	298	13
377	MASTERTON .. Wm. Hood	63.4	75.1	51.7	396	12
70	GREENMEADOWS, NA-PIER .. T. B. McBreen	66.4	74.3	58.5	406	11
10	WELLINGTON ..	63.6	70.2	57.1	166	11
	SOUTH ISLAND.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Points.	
34	NELSON .. J. R. Dart	64.4	73.8	55.1	517	10
1220	HANMER SPA .. J. W. McKinna	59.7	71.4	48.1	87	3
25	CHRISTCHURCH .. H. F. Skey	60.8	68.4	53.2	166	14
42	LINCOLN .. L. J. Wild	62.0	71.7	52.3	205	12
..	RAKAI .. Miss A. Hardy	61.9	72.1	51.8	169	13
130	TIMARU .. Caretaker of Domain	60.9	69.8	52.1	192	13
200	WAIMATE .. F. Akhurst	58.7	67.3	50.1	130	11
300	DUNEDIN .. D. Tannock	58.1	66.0	50.2	240	15
245	GOBE .. H. Dolamore	56.9	66.3	47.5	601	19
12	HOKITIKA .. F. T. Sandford	58.4	65.5	51.3	942	12
12	INVERCARGILL .. L. Lennie	56.7	64.5	49.0	702	22

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1917.

With the exception of some places along the northern portion of Cook Strait and a few scattered stations in the South Island, the total rainfall was everywhere above the average, the greatest excess being in the northern and southernmost districts.

The two chief causes of excessive rains were both extra-tropical cyclones. One which ruled during the first few days of the month moved from the north-west down towards the West Coast of the South Island, and passed in the South on the 5th.

The other passed in the Northern districts on the 21st, and was followed by a "secondary" centre, which was effective until the 25th. The latter disturbance was responsible for extremely heavy rain and flooded rivers in the Northern and East Coast districts of the North Island. Some of the northern stations recorded over 5 in. on three consecutive days—viz., 21st, 22nd, and 23rd.

About the 16th a small anticyclone prevailed, and on the 21st and 22nd anticyclonic pressure ruled in and southwards of Cook Strait; otherwise atmospheric pressure was generally below normal, and in consequence dull skies were the rule.

D. C. BATES, Director.

NEW ZEALAND RAINFALL FOR FEBRUARY, 1917.

New Zealand Rainfall for February, 1917—continued.

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

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
NORTH ISLAND.		
(A.) NORTH-EAST ASPECT—NORTH CAPE TO EAST CAPE.		
Mangonui	1169	19
Pakarakā, Ohāeawai .. .. .	..	..
Waimatenui	1919	19
Tahunakura, Bay of Islands .. .. .	..	..
Pūhipūhi Plantation, Whakapara, Whangarei	1482	8
Aponga	1156	18
Ruatangata	1665	15
Wairau Falls, Power Station	1277	16
Whangarei	1092	15
Whangarei Heads	894	8
Mount Eden, Auckland	1341	18
Kaukapakapa, Auckland	1328	17
Cuvier Island	302	12
Rocky Bay, Waiheke	1153	17
Tairua	640	12
Turua, Thames	729	11
The Domain, Paeroa	966	10
Karaka	1155	16
Riverside, Clevedon	1126	16
Morrinsville	467	8
Whakarewarewa, Rotorua	561	13
Waiotapu	679	12
Ruatoki	1627	9
Opotiki	808	7
Marāehako, Opotiki	1226	9
Strathmore, Opotiki .. .. .	..	..
Mautotara, Te Ararua	3128	16
Raukokore, Thames	1770	13
Te Kaha .. .. .	..	..
Pakira Station, Cape Runaway .. .. .	..	..
(B.) NORTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE MARIA VAN DIEMEN TO CAPE EGMONT.		
Rangitīhi	976	17
Kaitiāia	851	15
Herekino North	1101	19
Umawera, Hokianga	1482	13
Waoku, Taheke	2458	19
Te Karae, Broadwood .. .. .	..	..
Wekaweka	2209	21
Rangīshua, Hokianga Harbour	1597	19
Kohukohu	1286	16
Keretoki Station, Waimatenui	2015	13
Matakohe, Kaipara	996	8
Mangarata, Dargaville	1114	10
Terawhātī, Pakotai	2731	23
Helenaville	1349	17
Onehunga	1156	18
Mangere School, Auckland	1300	19
Waiuku, Auckland	956	14
Onewhero	889	16
Kawhia	513	18
Turangaomoana, Matamata	1138	12
Taupo	800	9
Taharua Station, East Taupo	584	16
Otewa, Waitomo County	433	9
Putake, Waitomo	883	21
Waitomo Caves	818	18
Te Kuiti	408	15
Mangakohi, Piopio	460	16
Puketitī, Piopio	718	20
Hamilton, Waikato .. .. .	..	..
State Farm, Waerenga	770	12
Glen Murray	881	15
Ngaruawahia	696	12
“Waitere,” Kihikihi	521	10
Putaruru	563	9
Waiatua, Kaitieke, Raurimu .. .. .	..	..
Mangaotaki (550 ft.)	663	12
Paekaka, Paemako	548	17
Okoke	442	17
Purangi	314	16
Ngatimaru, Tarata	294	7
Riversdale, Inglewood (817 ft.)	514	16
Inglewood	464	14
Upper Mangorei (1,000 ft.)	990	22
(C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGMONT TO CAPE PALLISER.		
Opunake	325	19
Riverlea, Kaponga	888	19
Eltham	321	17
Rawhitiroa, Mata, Eltham	142	13

Station	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
NORTH ISLAND—continued.		
(C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGMONT TO CAPE PALLISER—continued.		
Stratford (1,020 ft.)	431	16
Ohawe, Hawera	242	15
Hawera	256	19
Patea	193	9
Mataimoana	546	15
Oruamata, Moawhango	296	7
Whangamomona	397	12
Taumarunui	268	12
Okahukura	271	12
Manunui .. .. .	..	..
Tokaanu	507	11
Raurimu (1,920 ft.) .. .. .	..	..
Ohakune	336	13
Raetihi	396	13
Horopito	518	15
Waiouru	499	..
Mangapora .. .. .	..	..
Newtonlees, Kaitoke, Wanganui	242	13
Parikino, Wanganui River	229	14
Maungakaretu, Mangamahua .. .. .	..	..
Marybank, Wanganui	256	13
Belmont, Tayforth, Wanganui	287	13
Waitahinga, Kai Iwi	381	13
Wanganui	262	8
Ruanui .. .. .	..	..
Dalvey, Turakina	279	15
Erewhon Station, Moawhango	341	13
Hunterville	457	14
“The Ratas,” Hunterville	512	11
Waituna West, Feilding	402	15
Thoresby, Marton	280	12
Halcombe .. .. .	..	..
Waitatapia, Bull's	159	9
Glen Oroua	199	7
Foxton	256	8
Ngahiwa, Himatangi	199	12
Feilding	317	13
Komako	524	8
Kairanga	219	8
Fitzherbert West, Palmerston North .. .. .	..	..
Arapeti, Tokomaru	420	13
Otaki	170	10
“Tiroroa,” Hautere Cross .. .. .	..	..
Kapiti Island	188	10
Waikanae	224	10
Pahautanui	126	7
Khandallah	179	12
Opau, North Makara	193	9
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER.		
East Cape	489	9
Waitakaro	3068	13
Pakihiroa	2703	14
Tolaga Bay	1978	16
Waihau, Tolaga Bay	1910	18
Kaharoa, Waimata Valley	1608	16
Motu .. .. .	..	..
Koranga Valley	977	14
Otoko	945	14
Waitahōata, Whatatutu	837	11
Te Karaka	719	13
Puha, Poverty Bay	741	13
Glenroy Station, Gisborne	2073	15
Waihuka, Gisborne	662	12
Ormond	953	12
Patutahi, Gisborne	916	13
Whakapunake	1096	15
Strathblane, Hangaroa	1133	14
Muriwai	886	11
Tahora, Gisborne	1075	16
Tiniroto, Gisborne .. .. .	..	..
Gisborne	1195	14
Morere	746	13
“Pihanga,” Ruakituri Valley, Napier	803	11
Mangone Valley, Tangitere	1040	15
Portland Island	490	14
Kaihunahuna, Wairoa	648	10
Spring Hill, Mohaka .. .. .	..	..
Puketitiri .. .. .	..	..
Tarawera	495	15
Tutira Lake	690	12
Eskdale, Hedgeley	581	10
Riverbank, Rissington, Napier	678	14
Napier	441	12
Wahine, Sherenden, Hastings	746	14

New Zealand Rainfall for February, 1917—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
NORTH ISLAND—continued.		
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER—continued.		
Mokopeka, Hastings ..	463	13
Frimley, Hastings ..	485	13
Whanawhana, Hastings ..	984	17
Maraekakaho, Hastings ..	538	16
Te Roto, Ponkawa ..	348	12
Pukehou, Te Aute ..	349	17
Gwavas, Tikokino ..	537	18
Aramoana, Waipawa ..	293	7
Rangitapu, Waipawa ..	426	13
Mount Vernon, Waipawa ..	368	18
Norsewood ..	..	..
Waimarama, Hawke's Bay ..	454	10
Mangakuri ..	..	..
Waipukurau ..	..	..
Motuotaraia, Wanstead ..	300	12
Makaretu ..	..	..
Oruawharo, Takapanu ..	372	14
Tangarewa Station, Takapanu ..	662	6
Ormondville ..	391	17
Dannevirke ..	..	..
Umutaeroa (top end) ..	795	16
Porangahau ..	..	..
Pourerere ..	..	..
Woodbank, Wimbledon ..	301	11
Pine Grove, Dannevirke ..	294	7
Mangatainoka ..	354	14
Pahiatua ..	..	..
Makuri, Pahiatua ..	..	..
Eastry, Tane, Eketahuna ..	280	12
Tawataia, Eketahuna ..	353	12
Nireaha, Eketahuna ..	..	..
Eketahuna ..	389	11
Castlepoint ..	200	11
Annedale, Te Nui ..	215	10
Ditton, Masterton ..	326	12
Bush Grove, Masterton ..	317	12
Marangai ..	201	12
Eringa, Masterton ..	265	10
Hikurangi College, Clarendon ..	264	5
Waihakeke, Carterton ..	271	13
Martinborough ..	179	12
Featherston ..	452	12
Summit ..	377	10
Waiwetu ..	116	9
Wainniomata Reservoir ..	178	12
Whiteman's Valley, Silverstream ..	159	9
Lower Hutt ..	115	..
Western Hutt ..	177	11
Whangai Moana, Pirinoa ..	182	9
Karori Reservoir ..	226	12
Seatoun ..	170	11
Somes Island ..	85	10

SOUTH ISLAND.

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

Collingwood ..	1302	12
Paturau, via Collingwood ..	727	11
Bainham ..	1976	9
Parapara ..	1339	9
Motneka ..	963	11
Stanley Brook, Nelson ..	872	12
Aporo, Nelson ..	..	..
"Harakeke," Central Moutere ..	628	9
Upper Sherry River ..	783	12
Highfield, Kohatu ..	734	12
Tophouse ..	813	11
Brightwater ..	734	11
Hope, Nelson ..	..	..
Port Hardy, French Pass ..	..	..
Stephen Island ..	196	5
The Brothers ..	263	8
Cape Campbell ..	204	7
Picton ..	..	..
Freezing-works, Picton ..	485	8
Endeavour Inlet ..	554	9
Manaroa, Pelorus Sound ..	372	8
Waitata Bay, Pelorus Sound ..	337	8
"Te Aruhe," Pelorus Sound ..	..	..
Hartley Hills, Hillersden ..	438	8
Ugbrooke, Blenheim ..	..	..
Robin Hood Bay ..	359	10
Seddon ..	276	8
"Chancet," Ward ..	414	9

New Zealand Rainfall for February, 1917—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
SOUTH ISLAND—continued.		
(E.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO KAIKOURA—continued.		
Mirza Downs, Flaxbourne ..	392	9
Timara Station, Renwicktown ..	217	7
Kaituna, Marlborough ..	256	7
Spring Creek, Blenheim ..	264	11
Avondale Station, Blenheim ..	367	11
Hapuku ..	445	14
(F.) WEST ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO PUYSEGUR POINT.		
Farewell Spit ..	323	7
Karamea, Westport ..	877	14
Millerton ..	..	..
Westport ..	673	19
Warwick Junction ..	638	14
Reefton (643 ft.) ..	677	14
Moana ..	880	10
Greymouth ..	1108	12
Lake Hochstetter, Greymouth ..	752	11
Otira ..	1215	15
Otira (1,255 ft.) ..	1262	15
Ross, Westland ..	834	12
Okura ..	617	8
Puysegur Point ..	..	..
(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS.		
Hanmer Springs Nursery ..	196	11
Culverden ..	..	..
Riverside Farm, Amuri ..	154	13
Highfield, Amuri ..	222	10
Keinton Combe, Waiau, Amuri ..	246	13
Waiau ..	205	11
Mackenzie, Cheviot ..	..	..
Gore Bay, Cheviot ..	245	8
Oxford East ..	304	10
Amberley ..	210	10
Mount Whitnow, Woodgroove ..	204	11
Singletree, Alford Forest ..	298	8
Mount Somers ..	261	11
Bealey ..	512	6
Bealey Flat ..	1009	10
Rhodes Convalescent Home, Cashmere Hills ..	188	15
Islington ..	184	11
Governor's Bay ..	218	12
New Brighton ..	190	12
Otahuna, Tai Tapu ..	206	12
Little River ..	220	11
Hikuraki Bay, Little River ..	134	6
Pigeon Bay ..	167	7
Coalgate ..	242	12
Hororata ..	211	11
Akaroa ..	123	9
Mount Torlesse, Springfield ..	338	11
Methven ..	259	11
Rudstone, Methven ..	277	12
Kisselton, Lake Coleridge ..	267	6
Lake Coleridge Homestead ..	305	8
Glenariffe, Double Hill ..	383	9
Winchmore, Ashburton ..	175	9
Brackley, Mayfield ..	186	11
Ashburton ..	130	12
Fairview, Springburn ..	207	10
Staveley ..	265	9
Evandale, Mount Somers ..	173	8
Lynnford, Hinds ..	158	13
Coniston, Ashburton ..	..	..
Mount Peel, Rangitata ..	264	8
Peel Forest ..	181	8
Kapunatiki, Rangitata ..	176	12
The Heights, Geraldine ..	168	14
Waitui, Geraldine ..	136	11
Orari Gorge ..	235	14
Orari Estate, Orari ..	157	12
Balmoral ..	..	..
Braemar ..	76	5
"Foyers," Fairlie ..	126	9
Lambrook, Fairlie ..	112	9
"Craigieburn," Kimbell ..	115	12
Mary Burn Station, Mackenzie Country ..	50	7
Godley Peaks, Te Kapo, Mackenzie Country ..	52	4
Rhoborough Downs, Lake Pukaki, Mackenzie Country ..	..	..
Athlone, Albury ..	147	9
Waratah, Albury ..	111	8

Revoking Notices under the War Regulations declaring certain Persons, Firms, and Companies to be Enemies.

IN pursuance of clause 20 of the War Regulations of the 3rd day of April, 1916, I, Alexander Lawrence Herdman, His Majesty's Attorney-General for the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the notices in the *Gazette* of the 20th April, the 9th May, the 8th June, the 10th August, the 19th September, and the 5th October, 1916, respectively, declaring certain persons, firms, and companies to be enemies in so far as they relate to the persons, firms, and companies mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

Dated this 11th day of April, 1917.

SCHEDULE.

HEALD and Gray, Merchants, Manchester, England.
Arton Heald, Merchant, Manchester, England.
John Oswald Gray, Merchant, Manchester, England.
Walter Rhodius, Antwerp and Amsterdam.
Richard Rhodius, Antwerp and Amsterdam.
Felix Rhodius, Antwerp and Amsterdam.
Alfred Rhodius, Antwerp and Amsterdam.
Richard Rhodius and Co, Antwerp and Amsterdam.
Edward Jacot, Manufacturers' Representative, Melbourne.
George W. McNear, Inc., Insurance Exchange Building,
433 California Street, San Francisco, California.
The G. W. McNear Company, San Francisco.
The Petroleum Products Company, San Francisco.
Bausch and Lomb Optical Company, Rochester, U.S.A.

A. L. HERDMAN,
Attorney-General.

Notice to make Returns of Land under the Land and Income Tax Act, 1916.

Land and Income Tax Department,
Wellington, 10th April, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the above Act and the regulations made thereunder, every person and company within the meaning of the said Act, being owner of land in New Zealand, is hereby required to make and furnish to me, in the prescribed form, returns of such land as at 12 o'clock noon on the 31st day of March 1917.

And, further, notice is hereby given that such returns shall in all cases be delivered at or forwarded to the office of the Commissioner of Taxes, in the Government Buildings at Wellington, on or before the 1st day of May, 1917.

D. G. CLARK,
Commissioner of Taxes.

NOTE.—Forms of return may be obtained at any postal money-order office, but will not be sent to taxpayers from the office of the Commissioner of Taxes unless written application is made for them.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 30 of 1917.

THAMES HARBOUR LIGHT.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 10th April, 1917.

THE Thames Harbour Board have notified that on 1st May, 1917, the beacon white light about three cables to westward of Shortland Wharf on the port-hand bank of the Kanaeranga Stream, which formerly marked the turning-place for the channel making straight for the Shortland Wharf, will be removed.

The red and white light at the seaward end of Shortland Wharf has been removed, and a red light is now exhibited in its place, and a green light has been placed 340 ft. behind it on the inner end of the wharf, to act in conjunction with the red light as leading-lights for the channel.

Charts, &c., affected.—Admiralty Chart No. 1108; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter iii, page 90.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 31 of 1917.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—DREDGER "HAPAI."

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 10th April, 1917.

THE Auckland Harbour Board have notified that the dredger "Hapai" is now working on the eastern side of the Central Wharf in Commercial Harbour, commencing

off the N.E. corner and working to the southward, and has six moorings laid out in N., S., E., and W. directions.

Charts, &c., affected.—Admiralty Chart No. 1970; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter ii, page 39.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 32 of 1917.

WAIKATO BEACONS.—RE-ERECTION OF BEACONS AT RIVER ENTRANCE AND DIRECTION FOR VESSELS ENTERING.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 10th April, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that since the *Gazette* Notice to Mariners No. 50, of the 13th June, 1916, was issued three-quarters of a cable of the North Head, Waikato River entrance, has washed away, and where the seaward beacon stood is now under water. The tail of the southern bank which was opposite the seaward beacon is now one cable to seaward, and has extended considerably in a N.W. direction.

Two white beacons, 24 ft. high, with a black diamond shape painted in their centres, have now been erected on North Head 30 ft. and 35 ft. respectively above H.W. mark; they bear when in line with one another $60\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ (N. 45° E. magnetic) and lead vessels over the bar in safety. Recent soundings taken on the bar by steamers entering the river give the same soundings as previously obtained in 1916—viz., $6\frac{3}{4}$ ft. at M.L.W. springs.

After vessels have negotiated the bar and are bound inwards they should steer a course on the line of beacons and continue so until within three-quarters of a cable of the seaward beacon (this course will lead vessels clear of southern bank). They should then round in on the port helm keeping close to the northern shore of the river with the white beacons (which were previously painted red) and situated on the southern shore bearing when in line with one another 103° (N. $87\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ E. magnetic). These beacons should be kept nothing open to the northward, as a soft (steep-to) mud-and-sand bank, which is not buoyed, exists on the port hand opposite Putataka Point.

The anchorage for vessels drawing from 10 ft. to 13 ft. is close in shore opposite the Courthouse and school, but vessels of less draught may anchor on quarter of a cable off the wharf. Vessels should not lie alongside the wharf at low water or half ebb tide, as several broken piles are standing up on end.

Bottom hard, coarse, black and white sand mixed with pumice, and under this there is mud. Ebb tide runs at the rate of from four to six knots opposite inner bar beacon, and the flood from three to four and a half knots.

Any vessels drawing more than 13 ft. run a risk in negotiating the bar.

Charts, &c., affected.—Admiralty Chart No. 2535 (see plan); "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter vii, page 220; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1917, page 452.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Hokitika, 15th February, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 326 of the Land Act, 1908, that the undermentioned land will be disposed of under section 140 of the Land Act, 1908, on or after Thursday, the 17th May, 1917.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 3369, Block XIV, Wataroa Survey District: Area, 1 rood.

THOS. BROOK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Lands classified in Otago Land District.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 6th April, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners appointed to classify and report upon lands in Otago Land District have classified the pastoral runs in the Schedule hereto as therein noted, and the classification has been approved by His Excellency the Governor under section 225 of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Class A.—Pastoral Land.

Being Lands suitable exclusively for Pasturage and not capable of being used with Profit in Areas of a Carrying-capacity of less than 5,000 Sheep.

Run.	County.	Area.			Crown Land or National Endowment.
		A.	R.	P.	
221, 221E	Vincent	15,264	0	0	National endowment.*
243J	Maniototo	8,630	0	0	Ditto.
248K	Taieri	8,580	0	0	"
248M	"	7,780	0	0	"
248L	"	7,670	0	0	"
479, 480	Tuapeka	8,000	0	0	Crown land.
261D, 261E, part	Vincent	39,348	0	0	National endowment.
261C, Sections 8, 9, Block IV, Tiger Hill					
213B, 213C	Taieri	33,610	0	0	Ditto.
247B, 247C, 247D, Section 16, Block VI, Upper Taieri	Vincent Maniototo	36,058	0	0	"

* Approximately 700 acres on lower side, Government race, not to be again let for pastoral purposes.

Class B.—Pastoral-Agricultural Lands.

Being Lands adapted in Part for Pasturage and in Part for Agricultural Purposes, but suitable for Subdivision in Areas not exceeding 5,000 Acres.

Run.	County.	Area.			Crown Land or National Endowment.
		A.	R.	P.	
212E, 212F	Tuapeka	3,407	0	0	Crown land.*
Section 28, Block VII, Table Hill	"	649	3	14	"
Section 29, Block VII, Table Hill	Bruce	145	1	27	"
Section 72, Block IV, Table Hill					
261K	Maniototo	1,005	0	0	"
Section 70, Block IV, Table Hill	Bruce	174	0	0	"

* Set apart for afforestation.

W. H. HERRIES,
For Minister of Lands.

Lands in Southland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 31st March, 1917.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section 31a, Block VIII, Winton Hundred.

TENURE: O.R.P. Lease No. 634. Formerly held by Francis Frew. Reason for forfeiture: Non-residence and insufficient improvements.

Section 9, Block XIII, Waikawa District.

Tenure: O.R.P. Lease No. 727. Formerly held by Alexander Alfred Wilfred Biggar. Reason for forfeiture: Arrears of rent and non-improvement.

Section 6, Block VIII, Tuturau District, Waiariki Settlement.

Tenure: R.L.L.F.S. Lease No. 59. Formerly held by Public Trustee in estate of John McMenamin, deceased. Reason for forfeiture: At request.

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

Lands in Wellington Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 21st February, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction for cash or on deferred payments at the Public Hall, Owhango, on Friday, 13th April, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—KAITIEKE COUNTY.—
KAITIEKE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Rural Land.

SECTION 16, Block IV: Area, 6 acres; upset price, £48.

Section 17, Block IV: Area, 6 acres 0 roods 6 perches; upset price, £43.

Section 18, Block IV: Area, 6 acres 0 roods 12 perches; upset price, £43.

Section 19, Block IV: Area, 6 acres 0 roods 7 perches; upset price, £49.

Section 20, Block IV: Area, 6 acres 0 roods 37 perches; upset price, £50.

Situated immediately to the south of and adjoining Owhango Township, on Main Trunk Railway. These sections front the Owhango and Kawautahi Roads, and are level, with light soil of fair quality mixed with pumice on papa formation. The bush, which has been milled, comprises rimu, matai, tawhero, &c. Elevation about 1,490 ft. above sea-level. Suitable for building and grazing.

Suburban Land.—Suburbs of Raurimu.

Section 2: Area, 9 acres 0 roods 15 perches; upset price, £46.

Section 3: Area, 10 acres 0 roods 18 perches; upset price, £51.

These sections are situated about a mile and a half from Raurimu Railway-station, the access being by formed dray-road to about five chains from Section 3; the remainder is surveyed road only. Each section is hilly, and comprises about one acre under bush and the rest is fern. About one acre of Section 2 is flat. Soil on both lots is of good quality, on papa formation. Elevation nearly 2,000 ft. above sea-level. Suitable for building and grazing.

TERMS OF SALE.

1. *Cash.*—One-fifth of the purchase-money on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown-grant fee (£1), within thirty days thereafter.

2. *Deferred Payments.*—5 per cent. of the purchase-money and license fee (£1 1s.) on the fall of the hammer; balance by equal annual instalments extending over nineteen years, with interest payable half-yearly at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on the unpaid purchase-money; but with the right to pay off at any time the whole or any part of the outstanding amount. In either case if the purchaser fails to make any of the prescribed payments by due date, whether of purchase-money or interest, the amount (if any) already paid shall be forfeited and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void.

Titles will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1908.

Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.

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

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICE.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Hastings.

Office of the Ikaroa District Native Land Court, Wellington, 11th April, 1917.
NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Hastings on the 24th day of April, 1917, to hear and determine the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

At the conclusion of local business the Court will adjourn to Waipukurau and Dannevirke.

L. A. TEUTENBERG, Registrar.

[Wellington, 1917-8.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR INVESTIGATION OF TITLES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Boundaries.
1	T. Pomare and others ..	Urewiri and other blocks..	On the map.
2	" ..	Te Ruataniwha (Tikokino) ..	"

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
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ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.

3	Paumana Whanga and others ..	Pakuratahi.
4	Pukepuke Tangiora (T. W. Lewis) ..	Puketi.
5	Hana Pewa Tawhai and Atareta Titapu (Norris and Larnach) ..	Tapairu, Section 14.
6	Te Whatu Renata ..	Rotoakiwa No. 2.
7	Hoani Ratima ..	Te Rowhitu.
8	Retia and Makere Pareihe ..	Patangata 1G, 1H 1, and 1H 2.
9	" ..	" 2D, 2H, 2K, and 2M.
10	" ..	" 3E Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8.
11	" ..	" 4A 2.
12	Putiputi Rameka (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood) ..	Omahu 2M.
13	Rarati Hinerangia and others ..	Poukawa No. 4.
14	Rapihana Hawaikirangi ..	Pukerowhitu No. 2.
15	Tangatake Hapuku ..	"
16	" ..	Patangata No. 4A 1B.
17	Mereana Ngaihi ..	Rakautatahi 1J.
18	Keita Tanatiu (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood) ..	Waipuka 2K (Reserve).
19	" ..	" 3A No. 4A.
20	" ..	Waimarama No. 2D 2.
21	Arthur Harmer ..	Koparakore A No. 2.
22	Utiera ..	Tarawera.
23	Nepata Puhara and others ..	"
24	Ekengarangi Hapuku (E. J. W. Hallett) ..	Te Aute 5c.
25	Hutitia Hoata ..	Wharerangi No. 7.
26	Wi Edwards (Dolan, Hallett, and Major) ..	Kakawahine No. 1A.
27	Pirihira Hoani ..	Otawhao A 3, Section 15.
28	" ..	" A 3, Section 53.
29	Raina Mangai and others ..	Papaaruhe No. 1.
30	Arapera Waipari ..	Porangahau 1B 11.
31	Mepera Maku Erihana ..	Pukekura East No. 3.
32	Keita Tanatiu (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood) ..	Waipuka 3A 3.
33	Wikitoria and Turoa Matene (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood) ..	Whawhakanga F No. 5.
34	Irihapeti te Wheoro (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood) ..	Waimarama 3A 4B.

NEW APPLICATIONS.

35	Under-Secretary, Native Department ..	Mangaorapa 2B and 2C.
36	" ..	Waimarama 3A 6B 1.
37	John Holden (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood) ..	Whawhakanga F No. 5.
38	Hami Tutu ..	Arapawanui.
39	Wahanga Hinerohē (Dolan, Hallett, and Major) ..	Poukawa No. 3 7.
40	Ruiha Papi and another (T. W. Lewis) ..	Kahumoko D No. 7.
41	Karetu Nikera and others (T. W. Lewis) ..	Kakiraawa 2B 2N.
42	Tiritā Ngawhiro and others ..	Wharerangi No. 8c.
43	Tira Hone (T. H. R. Anaru) ..	Pukahu.
44	Rora te Oiroa (Bullock, Currie, and Douglas) ..	Owhaoko C No. 3.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
44A	The Public Trustee ..	Poukawa Native Reserve, Subdivision 13 (the lake and swamp)	Authorizing the Ikaroa District Native Land Court to partition the said land.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Minor.
94	Rikirangi Hanita (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Omahu 2D 1	Waengarangi Hanita.
95	Ditto	"	Waengarangi Hanita and Apatu Hanita.

APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
96	Joseph Gillies (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Tuakana Gillies.
97	Tuahine Hata	Te Otene Hata.

APPLICATION FOR DEFINITION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
98	Miraka Ratima (Dolan, Hallett, and Major)	Puketahinu.

APPLICATIONS IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 9 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT AND NATIVE LAND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENT ACT, 1916.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
99	Kaninamu Hona and others (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams)	Tapairu No. 19 ..	Applying that a portion of the said block be vested in the "Waipapu Board of Diocesan Trustees" as a church reserve.
100	Paora Kurupo and others (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams)	Moteo Hapua te Pirau 1A	Ditto.
101	Tuahine Renata and another (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams)	Waimarama 3A No. 1G ..	"
102	Teteira te Paea and others (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams)	Tangoio South D No. 1 ..	"
103	Katene Pukerna (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams)	Omahu 2s	"
104	P. H. Tomoana and another (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams)	Karamu H 3F.. ..	"

APPLICATION IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 121 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
105	Kaninamu Hona and others (E. J. W. Hallett)	Tapairu No. 6.. ..	Applying for cancellation of partition orders made on the 10th February, 1916.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
106	David Scannell (for applicants) ..	Porangahau 1B 1C and 1B 1E	Applying that a road-line be laid over Porangahau 1B 1E so as to give access to Porangahau 1B 1C.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 59 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1913.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
107	Rupuha te Ngaero and others (T. W. Lewis)	Tarewa, Sections A, B, and C	Applying for variation of boundaries.
108	Nerita Paraone (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Waipuka 3B 1A, Section 2, and 3B 1B	"

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE OF LAND.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
109	(Te Uira Akuira (R. H. Robertshawe) Hohepa Akuira	Tutira or Manawatu 4D. Tahoraiti 1G 1.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.	Date from which Interest is calculated.
110	Chief Surveyor, Napier ..	Omahu 2A 2A	£ s. d. 3 6 10	16 February, 1917.
		.. 2A 2B	2 8 3	16 .. 1917.
		.. 2A 2C	7 10 5	16 .. 1917.
		.. 2A 2D	1 19 0	16 .. 1917.
		.. 2A 2E	1 19 0	16 .. 1917.
		.. 2A 2F	1 13 5	16 .. 1917.
		.. 2A 2G	0 16 9	16 .. 1917.
		.. 2A 2H	10 8 1	16 .. 1917.
111	" " ..	Otuarumia B 6A 4A	3 6 3	6 .. 1917.
		.. B 6A 4B	3 14 6	6 .. 1917.
		.. B 6A 4C	3 6 3	6 .. 1917.
112	" " ..	Mangareia B 3A	9 9 0	16 .. 1917.
		.. B 3B	9 9 0	16 .. 1917.
113	" " ..	Whakawiringa 2A	3 2 9	28 .. 1917.
		.. 2B	6 5 6	28 .. 1917.
		.. 2C	3 18 5	28 .. 1917.
		.. 2D	6 5 8	28 .. 1917.
		.. 2F	2 18 5	28 .. 1917.
		.. 2G	3 4 0	2 .. 1917.
		.. 2H	2 7 7	28 .. 1917.
		.. 2J	5 0 4	28 .. 1917.
		.. 2K	8 15 0	28 .. 1917.
		.. 2L	6 16 5	28 .. 1917.
.. No. 1	6 6 10	28 .. 1917.		

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Tairarwhiti District Maori Land Board.

Gisborne, 7th April, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Tairarwhiti District Maori Land Board to be held at Gisborne on Tuesday, the 1st day of May, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

It is hereby notified, for the general information of parties, that, unless reason is shown to the contrary, the Board will dismiss, on the ground of non-prosecution, any of the applications hereinafter referred to as "Adjourned Applications" which are not brought on for consideration at the meeting.

[T. 1917-3.]

R. N. JONES, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF SALES.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
1	5	Tarewauru A 2F 1	Himiona Tipuna to Margaret Ann Parker.
2	8	Whakaongaonga 2E (part)	Huruhuru Nikora and Oriwia Tipoki to George Henry Lysnar.
3	150	Waipapa 135	Harata Heretaunga and Nepia Heretaunga to Ernest Oldham and Lewis R. H. Oldham.
4	189	Rangaiohinehau 4B 3B	Te Oti Aira to Stanley K. White.
5	228	Umukapua C	Kaha, Ereti Matete, Hinga te Rito, Kaura Matete, Hinepoka Matete to Joseph E. Daulton.
6	240	Taoroa 2D 3A	Warihi Horua and Huhu Horua to James Fownes Somerville.
7	272	Rotokautuku 6K 2C	Wiremu Karaka to Hubert Charles Beach.
8	273	Taupara 2J	Hune Hukanui to Henry Thompson Johnson.
9	274	Opoho 3C 2	Akenehi Neke and others to Mary Vaughan.
10	286	Manukawhitikitiki B	Turi te Huhu, Winiata te Huhu, Hoera Kewa, Te Rito Kewa, and Erina Kewa to W. T. Pitt.
11	305	Rotokautuku 6K 1 (part)	Te Hau Konatu (Iharaira Kopa) to Hubert Charles Beach.
12	312	Makarika D	Tuta Ngangira Wirihana to Marjorie Fownes Porcher.
13	328	Herheretau B 5	Enoha te Ro to Materoa Huka.
14	349	Rangatira 3A 3B (part)	The Proprietors to Keita Puia.
15	357	Tarewauru A 2 A 2 B 1	Rihara Katekate Wirihana and Wiremu Kajmoana Wirihana to Fred. Stuart.
16	367	Tuahu 3D 1J	Te Ata Hakiaha, Puhinga Rangī, Te Iriheke Rangī, Mere Rangī, and Numi Rangī to T. B. Spence.
17	369	Hereheretau B 4 H and L	Karena Taranui to Patu te Rito.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF SALES—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS— <i>continued.</i>			
18	371	Poutaka 17	Kaita Mitira to Daniel Maher.
19	382	Rotokautuku 2D	Edith May Parker to Athel Lewis Kemp.
20	383	Nukutaurua 2c 3c	Hinewhata Watene to Mary Miller.
21	384	Kiwi No. 20	Erami Kaihue, Kingita Piha, and Kingi Nau to Haami Kata te Ao.
22	387	Nuhaka 2A 4s 1	Raharuhi Poki, Rapata te Waha, Hopa te Mano, and Wi Pani to Myra Powdrell.
23	388	.. 2A 4P 3	Kingi Nau and Apikara Hiraka to Myra Powdrell.
24	406	.. 2c 2w 154	Heneriata Matewai, Pita Mete, Ruiha Pepi to Tuahine Runga.
25	409	Reporua No. 1	Pene Heihi to Hera Kaiwai and others.
26	416	Nuhaka 2B 2A, 2B 2F, and 2B 2G	Tiemi Wirihana to Agnes Clementina Bowen and William Cooper.
27	417	Ahirau 2E 1	Mere Roihi and Pere Morete to Kate Emily Telford and Violet Ellen Scott.
28	418	Mangaose 1P 2	Mere Roihi to Kate Emily Telford and Violet Ellen Scott.
29	433	Makarika D	Mate Tahora, <i>alias</i> Hamiora Mate Tahora, to Marjorie Fownes Porcher.
30	435	Rotokautuku 2D	William Leonard Parker to Athel Lewis Kemp.
31	437	Whareongaonga C 12/6	Rare Toheriri to Herbert Bartlett.
32	439	Wharepu 1K	Paora Hoetawa, Ereti Hoetawa, Mereketete Hoetawa, and Puku Waata to Phillip Henry Summerfield.
33	440	Whakapau 3A	Paora Koroua, <i>alias</i> Paora Ko, and Ereti Okeroa to Phillip Henry Summerfield.
34	442	Pipiwahakao 2B 3	Wiremu Hoeta, Mere Kiki, Tapine te Paiho, Hohipene Wi, Hipora Niania, Te Otene Tawhaitari, <i>alias</i> Tawhaitiri, to Eva Reynolds.
35	443	.. 2B 4B	Mereana Hamure to Eva Reynolds.
36	444	.. 2B 4C 1	Whetu Kara, or Kahutia, to Eva Reynolds.
37	445	Tawapata North 2, Sub. 4	Mihi Whaanga, Katerina Whaanga, and Tuahine Runga to Mary Miller.
38	446	Moutere 1, Sub. 4	Rangi Ehu to Mary Miller.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
39	449	Takopa 1A	Kauna Paratene to Edwin Pascoe Roberts.
40	450	Mangahauini 7 (part)	Proprietors to The Waipau County Council.
41	451	Poutaka 6	Hata Tipoki to Simon Raffol.
42	452	Nuhaka 2D 2G 10	Kerenapu Ngahua to Anne Douglas Stewart.
43	453	Repongaere 4c	Hau Mihaere and Wi Haronga Mihaere to David Hair and William Alexander Hair.
44	454	.. 4H 2C	Te Ohaki to David Hair and William Alexander Hair.
45	455	Te Kiwi 27	Wharete Korukoru and Tiemi Morera to William John Telford.
46	456	Nuhaka 2E 3D 4	Mihi Whaanga, Waaka Toroaiwhiti, and Harata Toroaiwhiti to Runga te Ngaio and Karepa Mataira (junior).
47	457	Kiwi 20	Kingi Maremare, Mohi Hamuera, Matekino Hamuera, and Apikara Hiraka to Hami Kata Teao.
48	458	Mahanga 1D 7	Turei Rarere to Agnes Clementina Bowen.
49	459	Matarau 1A 9A	Peneha Tahu to Arthur William Kirk.
50	460	Marangairoa 1B 4, Lot 4	Katene Huriwai to Nehe Rapata Totorewa.
51	461	.. .. 12	Tuhaka Ngapo to Reweti Totorewa.
52	462	Nuhaka 2A 4F 2	Ani Kara, Tepora te Mano, and Ahimereki Koikoi to Myra Powdrell.
53	463	.. 2E 3C 7	Ropitini Whakahemo to Agnes Clementina Bowen.
54	464	Orangitirohia 15A	Rangituanui Moa to Charles Hamlin.
55	465	Pirauau 1	Mere Roihi to Jane Wallis.
56	466	Pouawa 3D 12	Nopera Kiwi, or Matamata, to Ralph Manley Gore.
57	467	Puninga 7A	Rina Turupa and Retini Tamihana to George Godfrey Duncan MacDonald.
58	468	.. 7B	Tini Tawiri, Eruera Tawiri, Pene Mataora Tawiri, and Ka Moko to George Godfrey Duncan MacDonald.
59	469	.. 7C	Horiwia te Urupa and Matuakore Waipara to George Godfrey Duncan MacDonald.
60	470	.. 7D	Hemi te Ngaio, Kereama te Ngaio, and Miria Tapapa to George G. D. MacDonald.
61	471	Tawapata South 4A	Powhiro Watene, <i>alias</i> Pohiro Watene, to Mary Miller.
62	472	Tuawhatu 4B 2E	Hina Ruki and Rongotipare Ruki to Jessie Edith Loisel.
63	473	Uawa 2E 1	Waaka Taketake to Jessie Edith Loisel.
64	474	Whakapau 5c 2	Ruki te Kuru to Phillip Henry Summerfield.
65	475	Whareongaonga C 2	Eparaima Wahatoa and Hemi Ngarangikatuku to Rina Matauhi.
66	476	Mangaheia 1B 2D	Hoani Noanoa to John Summerwell.
67	477	Waituhi 2c	Kino Tataipine to Alice Jones.
68	478	Kaiti 336D No. 2	Mereana Hone, or Waipara, to John Harold Kane.
69	479	Whangara L 2	Hori Noanoa to Thomas Fraser, junior.
70	480	Hauomatuku 9D 3	Erena Heni and Mere Roihi to Ernest Ferdinand Krause.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF LEASES.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
71	4	Mangawhariki 1E	Ihipera Makinare and others to Keti Makinare.
72	31	Taumataoteo	Teo Paata, Mere Paata, Paea Heremia, Maehe te Popo, Paku Heremia, <i>alias</i> Paku te Popo, to Heremia Maehe te Popo.
73	157	Whareongaonga C 12/2	Pakiha Riki to John Porter Caulfield.
74	98	Tokomaru B 5f	Haranga, Raiha Haranga, Hekiera Riki, and Turu Riki to John Green.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF LEASES—continued.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS—continued.			
75	108	Poho (Pohonga) 1A	Rangi Maitu te Atu, Ihapera te Atu, Maaka te Atu to Robert Preston.
76	152	Mautotara 2	Hera Pariohe, Matauru Wanoa, Marara Mahue, Wi Pahuru, Hana Wakana, Pera Ngatoro, Turuhira Kerena, Mere Wanoa, Matehaere Pakou, Hariata Patuwai, Tawhiro Patuwai, and Ema Tiakitai to Arthur William Henderson.
77	166	Tutaekuri 1C 4B	Hurae Toti, Morehu Urumingi, Paku Neera, Ropiana Matiaha, Rawiri Neera, Tangiora Toti, and Wiremu Neera to Hori Tupaea and Paku Neera.
78	169	Kourateuwhi 2C 4B 3	Moana Tautau, Waikatohu Tautau, Hone Tautau, Honiana Tautau, Te Moana Paku Tautau, Ani Huatau to Mary Evelyn Maude.
79	192	Epeha	Otene Pitau, Tuchu Pomare, Ereata Rangiwahitiri, Pimia Mills, Amiria Tipoki, and Peti Karaitiana to Joseph Edward Daulton.
80	193	Poho 1B	Toke Ingarihi to Joseph Edward Daulton.
81	203	Manutahi 2C 3 and 2A 4 (part)	Hone Mauwhare, Mate Ngarimu, and Tuta Ngarimu to Hubert Charles Beach.
82	206	Whareongaonga C 12B 4	Mihi Maku and Maku Ngarangi to Tame Patereti.
83	22	Wharekahika 17 and 18	Manahi Parapara and others to William A. Martin.
84	209	Nuhaka 2D 2o 1	Paora te Hau, Pita te Hau, and Aira te Oti to William Cooper.
85	225	.. 2E 3C 6	Watene Hatepe, Ihaka Maihi Whaanga, Hira Mane, Heneriata Paku, Koroniria Ratau, and Tawa Tiwai to Niri Whaanga.
86	226	Whareongaonga C 11B 4	Maku, <i>alias</i> Mihi Maku, and Maku Ngarangi to Tame Patereti.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
87	227	Mangaheia 1B 2D	Heni Noanoa, Hoani Noanoa, and Hori Noanoa to John Somervell
88	228	Awapuni A 2 4A 2	Iwi Ruru, Paku Ruru, and Whiti Hami to Hone Hami.
89	229	Taumataoteo 3A	Kingita Kaimoana and Rauhina Kaimoana to Mako Kara.
90	230	Whareongaonga C 12 6	Hera Unumia to Herbert Bartlett.
91	231	Puhatikotiko 3B 2C 1	Himiona Katipa to Lionel Walter Manning.
92	232	Nuhaka 2E 3C 6	Watene Hatepe, Ihaka Maihi Whaanga, Hira Mane, Hirini Kino, Heneriata Paku, <i>alias</i> Paku Whaanga, Koroniria Ratau, <i>alias</i> Niri Whaanga, and Tawa Tiwai to Niri Whaanga.
93	233	.. 2E 3C 7	Ropitini Matawhiua or Whakahemo, Harata Toroawhiti, and Erena te Whai to Agnes Clementina Bowen.
94	234	.. 2E 3C 14	Ropitini Whakahemo, Harata Toroawhiti, and Erena te Whai to Agnes C. Bowen.
95	235	Whareongaonga C 1A 4	Tini Tawiri, Erucra Tawiri, and Pene Mataora Tawiri to Tawa Maru.
96	236	Tei-o-te-Kainga	Te Ohaki to Charles Gibson.

APPLICATIONS TO SUMMON MEETINGS OF OWNERS UNDER PART XVIII OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
97	1	Hurakia 1	Lease to (1) Raana Walker and (2) Pahoc Morete.
98	2	.. 2 (part)	Lease to Rawhiti Paraone.
99	3	.. 3	Lease to Maaka Rapana.
100	4	.. 4 (part)	Lease to Henare Pokai.
101	5	.. 5	Lease to Pahau Pokai.
102	6	.. 6	Lease to Tamati Houkamau and Huna Houkamau.
103	7	.. 6	Lease to Tipiwhi Houkamau.
104	9	.. 9 (part)	Lease to Turei Maki.
105	8	.. 7	Lease to Timi Heihi.
106	41	Whakaongaonga 1	Sale to George H. Lysnar.
107	155	Ngamoe 1A	Lease to Rex Watkins.
108	166	Waiohiharore B	Sale to Charles Parker.
109	238	Tihiomanono (part)	Lease to Huripara Huihui and Pita Huihui.
110	236	Whetumatarau (part)	Lease to Tame Kiwara.
111	237	Tihiomanono (part)	Lease to Wi Taotu.
112	239	Maraetaha 2B	Sale to Tiemi Wirihana.
113	240	Kahotea East	Lease to George Arthur Kent.
114	280	Tihiomanono (part)	Lease to Matire Teketai.
115	282	Marangairoa 1A	Lease to Hohepa Waikato and Peti Purukina.
116	293	Nuhiti	Lease to Harata te Iringaio and Clarence Yates.
117	299	Tokata 1	Lease to Manahi Parapara and Harete Ngarori.
118	300	Tihiomanono (part)	Lease to Roka Tiareti and Duncan Brooking.
119	301	Taumataoteo 1B 1	Sale to Philip Henry Summerfield.
120	309	Whetumatarau (part)	Lease to Arthur William Henderson.
121	313	.. ..	Lease to Riwai Rangihuna.
122	321	Tangihanga	Lease to Henare Poreto.
123	337	Tihiomanono (part)	Lease to Riwai Rangihuna.
124	257	Whetumatarau (part)	Lease to Hori Kingi Parapara.
125	259	.. ..	Lease to Poneke Huihui.
126	261	.. ..	Lease to Henare Ahuriri and Maaka Tauranga.
127	266	.. ..	Lease to Hirai te Ngahue.
128	267	Marahaea	Lease to Katere Lockwood.
129	269	Waihoa 1B	Lease to Wakarara Karaka.
130	274	Mangaharei 2	Lease to the Waiapu Farmers' Co-operative Company (Limited) and the Tokomaru Farmers' Co-operative Company (Limited).
131	272	Nuhaka 2A 4L	Sale to Tame Mete.

APPLICATIONS TO SUMMON MEETINGS OF OWNERS UNDER PART XVIII OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
132	344	Marangairoa 1	Lease to Mate Tiarete and Mihi Tiarete.
133	345	Marataha 2D	Sale to Tiemi Wirihana.
134	346	Whakaangi 4B 2	Sale to the trustees of the Waiapu Returned Soldiers' Trust.
135	347	" 6B 2B	" "
136	348	Waiaranga 1	Lease to Tuta Oriki and Ani Rangi.
137	349	Paraeroa 1	Sale to Julia Orr.
138	350	" 2A	" "
139	351	" 2B	" "
140	352	Wharekahika 17 and 18K	Lease to Tamati Houkamau.
141	353	Whangara E	Lease to Ann Fraser.

APPLICATIONS TO BOARD TO CONFIRM RESOLUTIONS BY ASSEMBLED OWNERS UNDER PART XVIII.

No.	Record No.	Name of Block.	Nature of Resolution.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
142	18	Tikapa-o-hinekopeka 3	Lease to Ahipene te Maro Paku.
143	23	Pukewhinau	Lease to Wiremu Oriwa.
144	25	Moutere 2, Sub. 3	Sale to George Edward Ormond.
145	50	Waiohiharore B	Sale to Claude E. Bolton.
146	98	Pokotakina D	Lease to John Biddles.
147	100	Pokotakina E	Lease to Jane Wallis.
148	119	Wharekahika 3B	Lease to Elsie Walker.
149	143	" 8A	Lease to Annie Leonora Kirk.
150	169	Okahuatui 1A 2	Lease to Eria Raukura.
151	173	Wharekahika 18F	Lease to Heni Houkamau.
152	176	Pakihikura 3	Lease to H. T. Walford.
153	198	Tikapa-o-hinekopeka 3B	Lease to Henare Raroa.
154	206	Totaranui 5B	Lease to Erutera Whangapirita.
155	207	Waihoru 4	Lease to Charles Ernest Gibson.
156	243	Pourewa Island	Lease to Jessie Edith Loisel.
157	258	Tihiomanono (part)	Lease to Henare Pereto.
158	260	Wharekahika 6C	Lease to Henare Ahuriri and Miritene te Mataku.
159	273	Tutuwhinau 1G 1H	Lease to Eru Whangapirita.
160	288	Nuhaka 2C 2B	Lease to Ree Tawhiri.
161	295	Kahotea West 2	Lease to Pero Hamutana.
162	298	Nuhaka 2A 4C	Lease to James Middleton Taylor.
163	302	Tawapata North 1, Sub. 2	Lease to Ihaka Miahia Whaanga and Epanaia Whaanga.
164	303	" 2, " 4	Lease to Ihaka Maihi Whaanga and Epanaia Whaanga.
165	333	Pipiwahakao 2B 4D	Sale to Eva Reynolds.
166	334	Takarararoa 2	Sale to Agnes Clementina Bowen.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
167	326	Manukawhitikitiki 1A 3	Sale to Charles Eardley Wilmot Parker.
168	332	Nuhaka 2F 2A 7	Lease or sale to Hugh Marshall.
169	330	Tutuotekaha 2D 1	Lease to John Issac MacAndrew.
170	335	Nuhaka 2B 2A	1. Release from Part XVI. 2. Sale to Agnes Clementina Bowen.
171	336	Wharepu 1B	Lease to John Henry Webber.
172	297	Kahaatureia A	Sale to Myra Powdrell.
173	323	Kopua A	Sale to Maud Mary Hamlin.
174	339	" A	Lease to John MacAndrew.
175	329	Hereheretau B 2	Lease to Watene Huka and Teotaea Mataitai.
176	315	Paeroa 2F 3	Sale to Maud Edith te Urupu.
177	327	Hereheretau B 2 (part)	Lease to Mako Carroll.
178	341	" B 2	Lease to Te Rauna Hape.
179	340	" B 2	Lease to Patu te Rito.
180	342	" 2A	Sale to the Crown.
181	338	" B 7	Lease to Pora Hakere.
182	320	Nuhaka 2D 2F 6	Lease to Mita Mihingare.
183	318	" 2E 3B 1	Lease to Matene Whaanga.
184	319	" 2D 2F 2	Lease to Hone Pomana.
185	325	" 2E 3C 13	Lease to Koroniria Ratau, <i>alias</i> Niri Whaanga.
186	312	Opoho 3C 2	Sale to Mary Vaughan.

MISCELLANEOUS APPLICATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
187	8	Pouawa 3D 3	Revocation of Order in Council under Part XVI.
188	29	Mohaka 6	Issue of lease under Part XVI to Waata te Kani.
189	40	Nuhaka 2C 2W 148 and 125; and Nuhaka 2C 2 and 2B 2	Revocation of Order in Council under Part XVI.
190	104	Mohaka 4	Consent of Native Minister and Board to transfer of lease from Robert Keefe to George Melville.
191	106	Nuhaka 2D 2L 1, 3, 6, and 7	Consent to assignment of lease from Matenga Taniwha to Mere Morera.
192	135	Waipaoa 5A	Issue of lease to Tangi Whareraupo and Tamao Onekawa.
193	141	Mohaka 1 and 2	Revocation of Order in Council under Part XVI.
194	146	Ohinepoutea, Section 6	Consent to assignment of lease from Amiria Tawha to Bertrand Coleman Watkins.

MISCELLANEOUS APPLICATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
<i>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS—continued.</i>			
195	155	Paeroa 2, Lot 17	Consent to transfer of lease from Maraera Ropihana to Maude Edith te Urupu.
196	156	Tikapa-o-hinekopeka 4B]	Consent to lease under section 301, subsection (2), to Frank Manuel.
197	178	Mangatuna 2C]	Revocation of Order in Council under Part XVI.
198	181	Nuhaka 2E 3A 4 and 2E 3A 16	Consent to lease under section 301, subsection (2), to Karepa Mataira.]
199	182	„ 2E 3A 7 and 2E 3A 12	Ditto.
200	183	„ 2E 3A 2 and 2E 3A 12	„
201	188	„ 2E 3D 5	Consent to lease under section 301, subsection (2), to Itunga te Ngaio and Karepa Paku.]
202	189	„ 2E 3D 6	Ditto.
203	201	Marangairoa 2A	Consent to payment of rents direct to the owners by the lessees.
204	228	Paeroa 2G 8, 2E 4, Lots 7 and 9	Consent of Governor in Council under section 230 to mortgage (Haenga Paretipua to Ethel Humphries).
205	235	Kopua A, B, C, D	Precedent consent to assignment of flax-cutting rights (M. F. Bourke to Carroll and Co.).
206	236	Ohuia 3 and 4	Precedent consent to assignment] of lease from J. J. Carroll to Carroll and Co. (Limited).
207	238	Nuhaka 2A 4L	Revocation of Order in Council under Part XVI.]
208	239	„ 2D 2B 2	Issue of lease under Part XVI to Tiemi Mete.
209	241	Ohuia 3 and 4	Precedent consent to assignment of flax-cutting rights (M. F. Bourke to Carroll and Co. (Limited)).
210	244	Te Araroa Native Township, Sections 2/7	Consent of transfer of lease to Joseph Woodford and Joseph Pool.
211	245	Tahoka 2 and Taruhera L	Consent of Governor in Council under section 230 to mortgage (Mahaki Paraone to G. H. Williams).
212	248	Mangatuna B and E	1. Consent of Governor in Council under section 230 to mortgage (Hariata Tautau to G. M. Colebrook). 2. Confirmation of the said mortgage.
213	249	Waipaoa 5A	Issue of lease under Part XVI to Paratene, Hune, and Arani Kunaiti.
214	251	Kopua D	Precedent consent to assignment of lease from M. F. Bourke to Carroll and Co. (Limited).
215	260	Tutuotekaha 1B 6	Revocation of Order in Council under Part XVI.
216	261	Nuhaka 2D 2L 1	„
217	266	„ 2E 3A 9, 2E 3A 12, 2E 3A 13, 2E 3A 15, and 2E 3A 16	Issue of lease under Part XVI to Iopa te Hau.
218	275	„ 2A 4A 12 A and 2A 4A 11 B 2	Revocation of Order in Council under Part XVI.
219	278	Paeroa 2F 1 and 2F 2	„
220	280	Mangapoike 1B 2	Consent to transfer of lease from Heihei Hemara to Henare Kemara.
221	281	Tutaekuri 1A	Revocation of Order in Council under Part XVI.
222	282	Paeroa 2G 8 and 2E 4	Confirmation of mortgage from Haenga Paretipua to Ethel Humphries.
223	287	Nuhaka 2D 2P 4	Issue of lease under Part XVI to Hone Pomana.
224	294	„ 2D 2L 1	Revocation of Order in Council under Part XVI.
225	296	„ 2D 2C 1	„
226	304	Anaura 6	Consent to sublease from te Hau Kareti to William Hall.
227	305	Nuhaka 2E 3A 7	Revocation of Order in Council under Part XVI.
228	306	„ 2E 3A 13	„
229	308	„ 2D 2L 5	„
230	311	„ 2D 2P 4	„
231	313	„ 2D 2M 4	„
232	315	Paeroa 2E 2D	„
233	319	Tuahu 3D 1	„
234	321	Tokomaru H	To recommend the Native Minister to consent to sale to Thomas Bruce Spence.
235	199	Paokahu 2	Confirmation of mortgage from Hemi Kaipau Ratapu to the Bank of New Zealand.
236	326	Nuhaka 2D 2G 10	Precedent consent of Native Minister to sale from the Committee to C. G. Shierlaw.
			Consent of the Native Minister to sell to Anne Douglas Stewart.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
237	327	Marangairoa 1B 4	Confirmation of mortgage by the proprietors to the Bank of New South Wales.
238	328	Te Araroa N.T., Sections 91 and 92	Consent to surrender of Crown lease and issue of new lease to E. H. Henderson.
239	329	Waipiro N.T., Sections 3, 4, and 5, Block 1, and Sections 1, 2, and 3, Block 4	Ditto.
240	330	Ditto	Issue of new leases to Arthur Merritt Beale and Albert Tuckwell and Richard Stevenson.
241	331	Te Araroa N.T., Sections 89 and 90	Issue of new lease to E. H. Henderson.
242	332	Waipiro N.T., Section 1, Block 1, and Section 5, Block 4	Consent to surrender of Crown lease.
243	333	Ditto	„
244	334	Nuhaka 2E 3C 14	Consent to issue of new lease to Arthur Merritt Beale.
245	335	„ 2A 4E	Consent and recommendation to issue a lease to Agnes Clementina Bowen.
246	336	„ 2D 2L 7	Revocation of Order in Council under Part XVI.
247	337	„ 2A 4A 1	„
248	338	Puninga 12B No. 1	1. Consent of Governor in Council under section 230 to mortgage (Ihaka Ngarangione to W. C. Pilmer). 2. Confirmation of the said mortgage.
249	339	Tokomaru G 2A	Revocation of Order in Council under Part XVI.

Meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 11th April, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board to be held at Hastings on Wednesday, the 25th day of April, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

L. A. TEUTENBERG, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.
APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	1916/273	Lease ..	20 September, 1916	Wharerangi No. 7A ..	Tohea Ngarangi Puawahia and others to Charles Codd (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
2	1916/294	Transfer ..	8 December, 1916..	Papaaruhe No. 2B ..	Hotene te Ruru to Thomas Samuel Roper (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
3	1916/297	Lease ..	8 " 1916..	" No. 2B ..	Ditto.
4	1917/36	" ..	20 January, 1917 ..	Waipuka 3A No. 3A ..	Keita Tanatiu to Rere Maurice Field (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
5	1917/43	Transfer ..	4 October, 1916 ..	Rotopounamu 2B No. 3 ..	Taiawhio Toheriri, <i>alias</i> Toheriri Aomarama (T. W. Lewis).
6	1917/45	" ..	1 January, 1917 ..	Kaitoke No. 2G ..	Te Mana Tawhai to Marjorie Young Bates (R. H. Robertshawe).
7	1917/76	" ..	15 " 1917 ..	Omahu 1B No. 2A ..	Ahere Hohepa to Blanche M. Coleman (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
8	1917/77	" ..	15 " 1917 ..	" 1B No. 2D ..	Pera Hohepa to Blanche M. Coleman (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
9	1917/78	Lease ..	18 " 1917 ..	Te Aute 3D No. 2 and Pukerowhitu 1A No. 4	Ewi Hapuku and others to George Priest (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
10	1917/81	" ..	6 March, 1917 ..	Waimarama 3A No. 6B ..	Hiki Haronga and others to Turoa Renata (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
11	1917/82	Transfer ..	7 February, 1917 ..	Waipuka No. 20 ..	Horiana Mataira to Miki Thomas (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
12	1917/83	Lease ..	24 " 1917 ..	Pukerowhitu 1A No. 5 ..	Te Nahu Watene to Mere Tupaea (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
13	1917/84	" ..	4 October, 1916 ..	Rotopounamu 2B No. 3	Taiawhio Toheriri to Angela Elizabeth Simson (T. W. Lewis).
14	1917/85	" ..	24 February, 1917 ..	Waimarama 3A No. 5, Section 6	Tu Tiakitai to James Robson (T. W. Lewis).
15	1917/86	" ..	8 March, 1917 ..	Kahumoko D No. 7 ..	Te Aukati Heretaunga to Tamati Tamarana (T. W. Lewis).
16	1917/87	Transfer ..	12 " 1917 ..	Waipuka 2r, Section 8 ..	Raniera te Huango to Whakaiti Mohi (T. W. Lewis).
17	1917/88	" ..	12 " 1917 ..	" 2r, Section 1 ..	Ditto.
18	1917/93	" ..	3 April, 1917 ..	Te Kuta A ..	Hami Tutu and another to John Tait (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
19	1917/95	Lease ..	3 " 1917 ..	Tahoraiti 1k No. 2A ..	Mariana Manahi to William Henry Cawood Henderson (R. H. Robertshaw).

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

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Proposed Resolution for Consideration.
20	1917/94	Transfer or lease ..	Mangateretere East or "Wairua"	That the land be sold to Nathaniel Hewson Beamish at the price of the Government valuation, but not less than £40 per acre; or, in the alternative, that the land be leased to Nathaniel Hewson Beamish for a term of ten years from the 1st day of November, 1916, at an annual rental of 5 per cent. on the Government valuation, but not less than £2 per acre.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Huiarau Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kawakawa on Saturday, the 28th day of April, 1917, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the portion of the said land to the West of the Touwai-Ruapekapeka Road be sold to William James Ross for the sum of £2 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 10th day of April, 1917.

T. H. WILSON,
President

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Ruapekapeka No. 7G will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kawakawa on Saturday, the 28th day of April, 1917, at 11 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the balance of the said block be sold to John Thomas Pringle at £3 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 10th day of April, 1917.

T. H. WILSON,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 1s. 3¹/₂d. in the pound on all proved claims is now payable at my office, Blenheim, in the estate of J. C. RODDEN, Storekeeper, Wakamarina.

3rd April, 1917. RICHARD WANDEN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends in the following estates are now payable on all proved claims at my office, Blenheim:—

Arthur Buckman: First of 2s. in the pound.
A. T. Daken: First and final of 4s. 2d. in the pound.

5th April, 1917. RICHARD WANDEN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 14th day of May, 1917.

1477. CHRISTIAN AUGUST JENSEN.—562 acres 3 roods 10 perches, part of Block 120, Ruataniwha Crown-grant District, shown on deposited plan 3357. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 10th day of April, 1917, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

W. JOHNSTON,
District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL RESOLUTION MADE ON 16TH DAY OF MARCH, 1917.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £300, authorized to be raised by the Cook County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for constructing one and half miles of Pungia Road, the said Cook County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of seven-eighths of a penny in the £1 upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Pungia Special-rating District, comprising Sections 8, 9, 10, 7, Pungia Block; 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 July in each and every year during a period equal to the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The rate of interest to be four pounds ten shillings per cent.

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

252 F. J. LYSNAR, Chairman.
JOHN WARREN, Clerk.

GUARDIAN, TRUST, AND EXECUTORS COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND (LIMITED).

I, PERCY HENRY UPTON, Manager of the Guardian, Trust, and Executors Company of New Zealand (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare—

1. That the liability of the members is limited.
2. That the capital of the company is £100,000, divided into 20,000 shares of £5 each.
3. That the number of shares issued is 20,000.
4. That calls to the amount of three pounds (£3) per share on 2,500 shares, and three shillings (3s.) per share on 17,500 shares, have been made, under which the sum of £10,125 has been received.
5. That the amount of all moneys received on account of estates on the 1st day of January last is £118,044 3s.
6. That the amount of all moneys paid on account of estates on that day is £116,447 12s. 6d.
7. That the amount of the balance held to the credit of estates under administration on that day is £1,596 10s. 6d.
8. That the liabilities of the company as on the 1st day of January last were nil.

9. That the contingent liabilities of the company on deposits on the 1st day of January last were nil.

10. That the assets of the company on that day were £14,503 3s. 8d.

11. That the first annual license was issued on the 10th day of March, 1911.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

P. H. UPTON.

Declared at Auckland this 2nd day of April, 1917, before—
Thos. Peacock, J.P.

In accordance with the provisions of the Guardian, Trust, and Executors Company Amendment Act of 1911, No. 17, I have examined this statement with the books of the company, and I hereby certify it to be correct.

Auckland, 2nd April, 1917.

260 ALEX. GRIERSON,
A.C.A. Eng. & Wales, F.P.A. (N.Z.),
Auditor appointed by the Auditor-General.

WAITOA DRAINAGE BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—LOAN OF £5,000.

IN pursuance and in 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 £5,000, 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 No. 2 Special-rating District of the said Waitoa Drainage District, the Waitoa Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate, on a graduated scale according to the classification list of the lands within the said Tatuani No. 2 Special-rating District, of one and five-eighths of one penny in the pound on the rateable value of all lands in Class "A," one and nine-sixteenths of one penny in the pound on the rateable value of all lands in Class "B," and one and one-half penny in the pound on the rateable value of all lands in Class "C," all of which classes and the lands therein, together with their rateable values as appearing on the valuation roll of the district, are set out in the classification list of the Tatuani No. 2 Special-rating District. Such special rates shall be annually recurring rates during the currency of the said loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of January and the first day of July 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 in the Waitoa Drainage District bounded by a line commencing at a point on the Piako River where the No. 5 Line of the Waitoa Estate Subdivision intersects the said river; thence following such line to the No. 8 Road, which along on its eastern side to the north-west corner of Lot 3 of the subdivision of Section 67 of the Waitoa Estate Subdivision; thence following along the northern boundary of the said Lot 3 to its north-east corner; thence along the eastern boundary-line of Lots 3 and 4, and the eastern boundary of Buchanan's and Caton's sections to the southern boundary-line of the Waitoa Estate Subdivision; thence following such line to the railway-line on its south-eastern side, and along same to the Waitoa River (the eastern boundary-line of the Waitoa Drainage District); then following the said boundary of the Waitoa Drainage District in a southerly direction; thence south-westerly, thence westerly and northerly, and again westerly to the Piako River, which along to the No. 5 Line of the Waitoa Estate Subdivision, the point of commencement.

Dated at Waihou this 5th day of April, 1917.

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

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE FOR A WATER-RACE.

UNDER THE MINING ACT, 1908.

To the Warden of the Otago Mining District at Roxburgh.

PURSUANT to the Mining Act, 1908, the undersigned, Campbell Watson and Robert Watson, both of Roxburgh, Farmers, hereby apply 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: 5 p.m., 29th March, 1917.

Date and number of miner's right: 29th March, 1917; No. 111363 and No. 111364.

Address for service: At the office of Stewart Fletcher, Scotland Street, Roxburgh.

Dated at Roxburgh this 2nd day of April, 1917.

Schedule.

Locality of the race and of its starting and terminal points: Commencing below the main road from Miller's Flat to Roxburgh on the west side of the Molyneux River at the creek running through the pre-emptive right on Run 369, Application No. 5377, south-eastern district of Otago, where such creek enters the lower part of such pre-emptive right (being freehold land owned and occupied by the applicant), and terminating in such pre-emptive right. Pegs marked X.

Length and intended course of race: 30 chains; east.

Points of intake: One.

Estimated time and cost of construction: Three days; £1 10s.

Mean depth and breadth: 6 in. by 9 in.

Number of heads to be diverted: One.

Purpose for which water is to be used: Irrigation.

Proposed term of license: Forty-two years.

CAMPBELL WATSON
ROBERT WATSON
(By their Solicitor, STEWART FLETCHER),
Applicant.

Precise time of filing the foregoing application: 3 p.m. on 3rd April, 1917.

Time and place appointed for the hearing of the application and all objections thereto: Wednesday, 23rd May, 1917, at 4 p.m., at Warden's Court at Roxburgh.

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

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A. J. CHING, Mining Registrar.

WAIROA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION LEVYING SPECIAL RATE, LOAN OF £500, MAHIA-TABLE CAPE ROAD.

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 £500, authorized to be raised by the Wairoa County Council, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of forming and metalling the Mahia - Table Cape Road from Kaiuku towards Table Cape, the said Wairoa County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-twentieth of a penny (1/20d.) in the pound sterling upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Mahia - Table Cape Special-rating District, comprising the whole of the lands on the Mahia Peninsula south of Kaiwaitau Native Block, excluding the Mahia Township and including Portland Island; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I, George Canning Ormond, Chairman of the Wairoa County Council, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly submitted to and passed at a meeting of the said Council held on Friday, the 9th day of March, 1917.

G. C. ORMOND, Chairman.

In testimony whereof the common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Wairoa was hereunto affixed in the presence of—

G. C. ORMOND, Chairman.

B. G. SIGNALL, County Clerk.

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MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, JOHN RUSSELL WELLS, M.B., Ch.B., N.Z., now residing in Awapuni Camp, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 5th May, 1917, next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Wellington.

J. R. WELLS.

Dated at Wellington 4th April, 1917.

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FRANKLIN 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 Franklin County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of one hundred pounds, authorized to be raised by the Franklin County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of formation and metalling of Jamieson's Road, Buckland, the said Franklin County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of three-eighths of a penny (3d.) in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Jamieson's Road (Buckland) Special-rating Area, comprising the following sections of the Parish of Pukekohe: Part Section 37, 22 acres 3 roods 26 perches; part Section 36, 82 acres; part Section 36, 48 acres 2 roods; part Section 36, 119 acres 2 roods 14 perches; part Section 37, 3 acres 2 roods; and part Section 37, 80 acres; the said sections being portion of the Pukekohe Riding of Franklin County, and situate in Blocks XV and XVI of the Drury Survey District. 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 April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution passed at the ordinary monthly meeting of the Franklin County Council held on the 1st day of March, 1917.

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ALAN P. DAY, County Clerk.

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