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Constituting the Town District of Matamata, in the County of Matamata

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

WHEREAS it is enacted by the Town Boards Act, 1908, that the Governor may declare that any locality outside a borough wherein there are not less than fifty householders shall be a town district:

And whereas a petition has been presented to the Governor by the inhabitants within the area mentioned and described in the said petition, praying that such area may be constituted a town district under the Town Boards Act, 1908:

And whereas a Commission appointed in pursuance of section two of the Town Boards Amendment Act, 1912, held an inquiry, and reported that the locality defined in the said petition was suitable for municipal control, and made certain alterations of the boundaries thereof:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the Town Boards Act, 1908, and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the area described in the Schedule hereto, being the locality defined in the said petition, with boundaries as altered by the said Commission, shall be a town district, and the same is hereby constituted a town district, under the Town Boards Act, 1908, by the name of the Matamata Town District. And in further pursuance and exercise of the said powers I do hereby proclaim, declare, and appoint that the Board of Commissioners for the said district shall consist of five members.

SCHEDULE.

MATAMATA TOWN DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, situated in Blocks II and III, Tapapa Survey District, Matamata County, bounded towards the north-east by Section 15, Matamata Settlement, from its westernmost corner to a point 1000 links from its southernmost corner; thence towards the north-west by a line bearing 60° 14', distance 1300 links; thence again towards the north-east by a line bearing 150° 14', distance 1000 links, across a public road 200 links wide, and by Section 40, 1157.6 links; thence towards the south-east by

lines bearing 240° 14', distance 3800.9 links, 216° 38' 30" distance 6753.2 links; thence towards the south-west by a line bearing 300° 25', across a public road 200 links wide, by that line continued across the Rotorua-Auckland Railway and a public road 100 links wide, and that line continued to Section 106; thence again towards the north-west by the aforesaid Section 106, to and across a public road 100 links wide, and by Section 107; thence again towards the south-west by the aforesaid Section 107 and Sections 110, 109, and 82, and across a public road 100 links wide; thence again towards the north-west by Section 2, by a line across a public road 100 links wide, across the Rotorua-Auckland Railway, and again across a public road 100 links wide, and by Section 13 to the place of commencement: all the aforesaid sections being of the Matamata Settlement.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Lands set apart for Selection by Discharged Soldiers, under Ordinary Tenures, in the Auckland Land District.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

CROWN LAND.

Pirongia Survey District.

	A.	R.	P.
SECTION 9, Block XIII	Area, 604	0	0
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NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.

Waikī South Survey District.

Section 10, Block IX	Area, 693	1	33
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Waipareira Parish.

Section 258	Area, 12	0	20
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Omapere Survey District.

Sections 2 and 3, Block III	Area, 665	1	12
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Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Lands set apart for Selection by Discharged Soldiers, under Ordinary Tenures, in the Auckland Land District.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LANDS.

Tokatoka Survey District.

	A.	R.	P.
SECTION 75, Block XI	Area, 73	2	59

Purua Survey District.

Section 41, Block IX	Area, 211	0	0
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Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me

by sections twenty-nine and one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 3 acres 3 roods 33.2 perches, portion of King's Drive (S.O. 19020).

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

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 23931, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured 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 second day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

RANGITOTO-TUHUA 35B No. 2 Block: Approximate area, 472 acres 1 rood 10 perches; Mangaorongo Survey District.

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

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section three hundred and seventy-four of the Native Land Act, 1909 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), and by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, it is provided, *inter alia*, that,

on being satisfied that the purchase of any Native land has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under the authority of the said Act, the Governor may issue a Proclamation that such land has become Crown land :

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

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

SCHEDULE.

WHARAWHARA No. 4 Block: Approximate area, 189 acres 1 rood 27 perches; Mangatoro Survey District.

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

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Amending a Proclamation proclaiming Land as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VII, Waikaka Survey District, Southland County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section five of the Land Act, 1908, it is provided that every Proclamation, Order in Council, and other instrument, whether made under or by virtue of that Act or of any former Land Act, and all regulations, by-laws, conditions, or rules made by the Governor, the Minister, or any Land Board, may be altered, amended, or revoked from time to time :

And whereas it is necessary to amend a Proclamation issued under the said Act, proclaiming land as a road and road closed in Waikaka Survey District, dated the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fourth day of the following month, and hereinafter referred to as "the said Proclamation" :

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, do hereby amend the said Proclamation as follows—namely, by inserting the following Schedules in the said Proclamation in lieu of the Schedules mentioned therein, which are hereby revoked.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.
0	0	28.8
0	0	3.6
1	3	16.7

Coloured on plan: Pink.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.
0	0	27
0	0	2.93
1	3	25.7

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Block VII, Waikaka Survey District.

All in the Southland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42088,

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 May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Declaring Land purchased 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 purchased for the purposes of an automatic telephone exchange: And whereas such land is not now required for the purposes for which it was purchased, and it is desirable to declare such land to be Crown land :

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land declared to be Crown land: 0.62 perch.

Portion of Allotment 23, Section 24, Kaikorai Township (City of Dunedin), Block IV, Upper Kaikorai District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42045, 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 thirtieth 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 the pieces of stopped road declared to be Crown land:—

A.	R.	P.	Sections	Adjoining or passing through
0	1	5		110 and 129.
1	0	5		110 and 129.
3	3	37		106, 108, 109, 129, 130, and 130A.
2	2	15.5		106 and 114.
2	1	32		110 and 113.
2	2	37		111, 112, and 113.
1	1	35		112, 113, and 115.

Situated in Kawakawa Parish, Block VII, Kawakawa Survey District (S.O. 15826).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 28286, 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 third day of May, 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 Post-office in Block IV, Upper Kaikorai 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 post-office in Block IV, Upper Kaikorai 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 post-office; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the nineteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 0.62 perch. Portion of Allotment 22, Section 24, Kaikorai Township (City of Dunedin), Block IV, Upper Kaikorai District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42045, 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 thirtieth 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 Drill shed in Block V, Takahue 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 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), for a certain public work—to wit, for the purposes of a drill-shed in Block V, Takahue Survey District:

And whereas by section eighty-eight of the Defence Act, 1909, it is enacted that the Governor may take land for the purposes of drill-sheds:

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 the Defence Act, 1909, 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 drill-shed; and I also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the nineteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

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

Portion of Church Mission Estate at Kaitais, Block V, Takahue Survey District (S.O. 19318).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41710, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured edged pink.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	
1	0	4	portion of Section 1; coloured blue.
5	2	0	" " 2 " " red.

Situated in Block I, Rangaunu Survey District (S.O. 19139).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41757, 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 May, 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 XI, Rangiriri 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 XI, Rangiriri 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 nineteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 acre 2 roods 15 perches.
Portion of Section 1, Block XI, Rangiriri Survey District (S.O. 18939).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42126, 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 May, 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 XCIX, Clutha District, Clutha County.

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 acre 1 rood 24.5 perches.
Portion of Section 12 and closed road, Block XCIX, Clutha District (Otago R.D.).

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42076, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red edged green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 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 a Further Portion of the Picton-Hurunui Railway (Portion of Kekerangu Section).

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

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a further portion of the Picton-Hurunui Railway (portion of Kekerangu Section):

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by section one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for a further portion of the said line of railway hereinbefore specified.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
32	1	0	Section 2, Block XVIII, Cape Campbell Survey District; sheets 1 and 2 of plan.
17	2	0	Section 1, Block X, Whernside Survey District; sheet 2 of plan.
32	2	22	Section 2, Block X, Whernside Survey District; sheets 2 and 3 of plan.

In the Marlborough Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41126, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured edged 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 third day of May, 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 in Block VI, Titirangi Survey District, Waitemata County.

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

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

SCHEDULE

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

A.	R.	P.	
2	1	4.5	portion of Section 63; coloured red.
0	0	22.4	" 63A " blue.

Situated in Block VI, Titirangi Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 18780.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42096, 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 May, 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 Street in the City of Wellington.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a street: 3 roods 16.8 perches.

Portion of College Site Reserve, City of Wellington.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42144, 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 May, 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 Block II, Titirangi Survey District, Waitemata County.

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

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	
0	0	2.7	portion of Section 106.
0	0	3.9	" "

Coloured on plan: Blue.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	
0	0	0.7	adjoining or passing through Section 106.
0	0	2.9	" "
0	0	24	" "

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Waikomiti Parish, Block II, Titirangi Survey District (S.O. 18044).

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42057,

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 thirtieth 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 III and VI, Tuapeka West District, Tuapeka County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owners and mortgagee of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Tuapeka County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Tuapeka West 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 area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 3 acres 0 roods 25.8 perches.
Adjoining or passing through Sections 22, 23, 24, Block III.
Coloured on plan: Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 3 acres 0 roods 37.1 perches.
Adjoining or passing through Sections 22, 23, 24, 16, 14, 15, Blocks III and VI.
Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Tuapeka West Survey District.

All in the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42064, 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 thirtieth 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 Block VII, Catlins Survey District, Clutha 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 lessees and mortgagee of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Clutha County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Catlins Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.			
0	2	14	portion of Section 8;	coloured	blue.
0	2	6	"	7	" sepia.
0	2	30	"	7	" purple.
6	1	3	"	5	" red.
4	0	20	"	4	" blue.
4	1	5	"	33	" red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 2 roods 8 perches.
Adjoining or passing through Section 5.
Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Block VII, Catlins Survey District.

All in the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42002, 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 May, 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 III and V, Whangape Survey District, Hokianga County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	Section	Portion of	
4	3	32	3,	Block III;	coloured red.
0	0	0.01	"	5	" "
3	1	37.6	"	2	" "
3	2	31.1	"	3,	Block V
1	3	27.6	"	3	" "
0	3	25.7	"	3	" "
2	0	13	"	6	" coloured blue.
0	1	10.8	"	6	" "
1	3	32.9	"	5	" "
2	1	10.7	"	E.R. 4,	Block V; coloured yellow.
4	3	10.1	"	"	" "

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	1	1	Sections 3 and 5, Block III.
2	3	2	" 3 and 5 "
4	0	17.5	" 2, 3, and 4, Block III.
1	2	4	" 3 and 6, Block V.
1	1	31.2	" 3 and 6 "
2	0	17.2	" 3 and 6 "
1	1	36.3	Section 3, Block V.
0	0	23.2	Sections E R 4 and 6, Block V.
0	0	0.08	Section 6, Block V.
1	2	9	Sections 4 E.R., 5, and 6, Block V.
0	3	32.9	" 4 E.R. and 5, Block V.
3	0	37.7	" 4 E.R. and 5 "
0	3	30.2	Section 5, Block V.

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Whangape Survey District (S.O. 19301).

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41921, 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 May, 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 Block X, Mimi Survey District, Clifton 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 Clifton County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Mimi 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
0	0	1.3	Section 76; coloured pink.
0	0	0.2	" 74 " purple.
0	0	8.2	" 74 " purple.
0	0	17.7	Sec. 36, Pukearuha District; coloured purple.
5	3	32	" 54 " pink.
0	2	9.2	" 54 " pink.
0	1	7.8	" 54 " pink.
0	0	6	" 54 " pink.
1	0	36.8	" 44 " purple.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
5	1	31	Section 54, Pukearuha District.
3	1	5	" 54 "
1	1	10	" 44 "

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Block X, Mimi Survey District (Taranaki R.D.).

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

42130, 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 May, 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 Block IX, Awitu Survey District, Franklin County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owner, lessee, and mortgagee of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Franklin County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Awitu 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.
2	2	36.4
1	3	32.3

Coloured on plan: Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 3 acres 3 rods 39 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Section 251 and road.

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Waipipi Parish, Block IX, Awitu Survey District (S.O. 19001).

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41779, 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 May, 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 Block I, Maungaru Survey District, Hobson County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the

Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owners 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 Maungaru Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
0	0	14.8	Section 3; coloured yellow.
0	1	20.8	" 4A " red.
0	0	11.6	" 4B " blue.
0	0	1.3	" 4A " red.
0	2	33	" 4A " red.
0	1	8.3	" 4A " red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 3 rods 13.1 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Sections 4A and 15.
Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Avoca Special Settlement, Block I, Maungaru Survey District (S.O. 18950).

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42011, 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 May, 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 VII and XI, Alexandra Survey District, Raglan County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owner and mortgagee of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Raglan County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Alexandra 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
0	0	30.7	Section 137, Karamu Parish, Block VII; coloured red.
0	3	23.8	Section 138, Karamu Parish, Block VII; coloured blue.
0	2	34	Sections 162N and C.G. 1090g, Block VII; coloured yellow.

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SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
2	1	7.8	Sec. 138, Karamu Parish, Blocks VII & XI.
1	3	6.6	" 137 " Block VII.

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in the Alexandra Survey District (S.O. 18966).

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41751, 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 May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Amended Regulations relating to the Stamping of Eggs imported into New Zealand.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council made on the twenty-second day of February, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, regulations were made relating to the stamping of eggs imported into New Zealand: And whereas it is desirable that eggs known as "Hahm Dahn" should be exempted from such regulations if intended for consumption by Chinese:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the Sale of Food and Drugs Act, 1908, and the Sale of Food and Drugs Amendment Act, 1915, and all other powers 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 declare that the hereinbefore-recited regulations shall not apply to the eggs known as "Hahm Dahn" (being salted eggs imported from China, coated with a preservative composition consisting mainly of salt and ashes), providing that before obtaining delivery of any such eggs the importer shall be required to make and sign in the presence of an officer of Customs a declaration that they are intended only for sale to and consumption by Chinese.

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

Amending Regulations under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., 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 No-

vember, 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 5 of the said regulations is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph:—

(d.) Residence on any land held under license to occupy shall be compulsory, and shall commence in case of bush or swamp land within four years, and in case of open or partly open land within one year, from the date of the license, and shall thereafter be continuous during the whole of the remainder of the term of the license; provided that the Land Board shall have discretionary power to dispense with personal residence on sufficient and satisfactory grounds being shown for non-residence.

2. The occupation license (form No. 4) in the Schedule to the said regulations is hereby amended by inserting the following paragraph after paragraph 3 thereof:—

(4.) The licensee will commence to reside on the said land on or before the day of , 191 , and will thereafter reside continuously thereon during the term of the license.

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

Appointment of Nelson Creek Domain Board revoked.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council made on the eighteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and published in the *Gazette* of the twenty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, a Domain Board was appointed to have control of the Nelson Creek Domain therein described:

And whereas it appears expedient to revoke the said Order in Council:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the aforesaid Order in Council of the eighteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

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

Appointment of Ahaura Domain Board revoked.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council made on the thirteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and published in the *Gazette* of the fourteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, a Domain Board was appointed to have control of the Ahaura Domain therein described:

And whereas it appears expedient to revoke the said Order in Council:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the aforesaid Order in Council of the thirteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

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

Appointment of Moana Domain Board revoked.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING IN
COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council made on the sixth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and published in the *Gazette* of the eleventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, a Domain Board was appointed to have control of the Moana Domain therein described:

And whereas it appears expedient to revoke the said Order in Council:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the aforesaid Order in Council of the sixth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Ruakaka Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the second day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twelfth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, the Ruakaka 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

THE WAIPU NORTH ROAD BOARD

to be the Ruakaka Domain Board, having the control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, at two o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the North River School, Waipu, as the place where, the first meeting of the said Board shall be held.

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.)

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Kakahi Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., 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 twenty-second day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eleventh day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, 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

CHARLES HENRY HUMPHREY,
STEPHEN ENDRES,
FREDERICK WALTER JAMES GREENSTREET,
FRANK BARNETT,
ERNEST ALBERT LINTHERN,
GEORGE JAMES BELL, and
BASIL HERBERT HUMPHREY

to be the Kakahi 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 Tuesday, the fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Kakahi Public Hall, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

KAKAHI DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 20 acres 3 roods 22 perches, more or less, being Section 12, Block VI, Hunua Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west and north-east generally by a road and riverbank reserve, and by a public road; towards the south by Section 29, Block VI, Hunua Survey District, 642.15 links; towards the south-west by Crown land, 1733.4 links, bearing 286° 22' 43"; and towards the west by Section 1, Block VI, aforesaid: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked 1484, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Declaring Portions of Road in Block XIV, Waiapu Survey District, to be a Government Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excel-

lency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a Government road.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	0	10	Ahikouka No. 2b Block.
0	0	18	Reporua No. 3 Block.
0	1	6	
0	0	3	
0	1	5	
0	0	2	

Situated in Block XIV, Waiapu Survey District (Poverty Bay R.D.).

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42101, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured pink.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a Government road.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road declared a Government road: 2 roods 17.1 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Section 9, Block II, Nukumarū Survey District.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42032, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

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

Declaring Portion of Lester Bank Road Deviation, in the Murchison County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Lester Bank Road deviation, in the Nelson Land District, Murchison County, commencing at a point near the northern bank of Ten-mile Creek, on the

western boundary of Section 3, Block XIII, Tutaki Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a south-westerly direction, adjoining or passing through portion of the said Section 3, and terminating at a point about two chains south of the southern boundary of Section 9, Block XIII aforesaid; being a distance of forty-five chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42080, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green.

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

Declaring Portion of Reid Road, in the Opotiki County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Reid Road, in the Hawke's Bay Land District, Opotiki County, commencing at its junction with the Motu-Opotiki Road, and proceeding thence generally in a south-westerly direction, adjoining or passing through Sections 27, 17, and part 18, Block II, Motu Survey District, and terminating at a point on the northern boundary of said Section 18; being a distance of twenty-five chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42091, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Declaring Portion of Anderson Road, in the Wanganui County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Wellington Land District, Wanganui County, known as Anderson Road, commencing at its junction with the Wanganui to Raetihi Road at a point about thirteen chains from the northern boundary of Maraetana 2B 3B Block, Block II, Mangawhero Survey District, thence proceeding generally in a south-westerly direction through the said Maraetana 2B 3B Block to and along the eastern bank of the Mangawhero River, and terminating at and including Anderson's Bridge over the said Mangawhero River, being a distance of forty-one chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42158, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured blue.

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

Declaring Ball Road, in the Patea County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that road in the Taranaki Land District, Patea County, known as Ball Road, commencing at its junction with Tarere Road, and proceeding thence generally in an easterly direction, adjoining or passing through Run No. 4, Block X, Opaku Survey District, and terminating at the Patea River; being a distance of 2 miles 39 chains, more or less. As the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42132, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red and marked A B.

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

Licensing Henry Thomas Gillies to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Tamaki River, Hauraki Gulf, as a Site for a Boat-shed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Henry Thomas Gillies, of Hamilton (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor in Council for a license, under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore at Tamaki River, Hauraki Gulf, in order to erect thereon a boat-shed in accordance with plan marked M.D. 4759, and in the position shown on plan marked M.D. 4769, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington:

And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and it is desirable that a license should be granted and issued to the licensee under the said Act for the purpose aforesaid:

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 approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee to use and occupy that part of the foreshore on which the said boat-shed is to be erected, as shown on the aforesaid plan so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of maintaining the said structure thereon; such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister of Marine as defined by the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the authority of such Minister.
2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to that part of the

foreshore occupied by the said boat-shed, as shown on plan marked M.D. 4769.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

11. In case the licensee shall—

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

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

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Waitara Borough Council (hereinafter referred to as "the licensee") desires to erect lines within

the area of supply as defined in the Schedule hereto, and hereinafter called "the area of supply," and it is expedient accordingly to issue a license in respect thereof under the said section:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the said section, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth, subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto, and to the regulations made under section two of the aforesaid Act, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* dated the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and hereinafter referred to as "the regulations," hereby authorize the licensee to erect and maintain electric lines for lighting, power, and heating purposes within the area of supply hereinafter described.

SCHEDULE.

1. AREA OF SUPPLY.

The area of supply comprises the Borough of Waitara as at present constituted.

2. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

The system of supply shall be as described in paragraph (b) (1) of clause 2 of the regulations.

The generating voltage shall be approximately 440 to 500 volts between the terminals.

3. DATUM TEMPERATURE.

For the purpose of calculating the stresses as provided in clause 12 of the regulations, the datum temperature shall be taken as 20 degrees Fahrenheit.

4. NOTICES *re* EXTENSIONS, ETC.

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

5. CHARGES FOR ELECTRIC ENERGY.

The charge for electrical energy shall not exceed 9d. per unit for lighting purposes, and 4d. per unit for motor-power, heating, or cooking purposes; provided that "lighting purposes" shall include the operation of motor generators for lighting purposes.

6. DURATION OF LICENSE.

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

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

Native Land in Block XIV, Hastings Survey District, taken for the Purposes of a Public School.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is Native land, and is required to be taken under the Public Works Act, 1908, for the purposes of a public school: And whereas the said land is held or occupied by Native owners under a title which is not derived from the Crown: And whereas a map of the said land has been prepared in duplicate, as required by section ninety of the Public Works Act, 1908:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby proclaim and declare that the land shown upon such map, and described

in the Schedule hereto, is hereby taken for the purposes of a public school; and the said land shall vest in the Education Board of the Education District of Auckland as from the eleventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 acre 0 roods 13·2 perches.

Being Native land situated in Block XIV, Hastings Survey District (S.O. 19336).

In the Land District of Auckland; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41807, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

Portion of Church Street, in the Borough of Richmond, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., 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 Richmond Borough Council, being the local authority having control of the portion of street described in the Schedule hereto has passed the following resolution—viz., "The Richmond Borough Council declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to that part of Church Street between the Church of England and Gladstone Road":

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Church Street situated in the Nelson Land District, Borough of Richmond, commencing at its junction with Gladstone Road and terminating at the site of the Church of England. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41920, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Prohibiting all Private Alienation of certain Native Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section,

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 prohibit, for the period of one year from the date of this Order in Council, all alienations of the Native lands specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienations in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

TOTORO SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area	
	A.	R. P.
UMUKAIMATA 1A 2B 3B	325	3 17
" " 1A 2B 3C	164	2 0
Umukaimata 1A 2B 3D No. 2 (part), being the whole of 1A 2B 3D No. 2 after excluding an area of 450 acres subject to lease to Charles E. Thomas (registered number 10378)	384	2 23

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

Road in the Portobello Road District exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., 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 Portobello Road Board, being the local authority having control of the road described in the Schedule hereto, did, on the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, pass the following resolution—viz., "That the Portobello Road Board hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the road forming the north-eastern boundary-line of Section 19, Block VII, Portobello Survey District":

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that road in the Otago Land District, Portobello Road District, forming the north-eastern boundary of Section 19, Block VII, Portobello Survey District. As the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41981, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

The South-western Side of District Road, in the Portobello Road District, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by subsection one of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is, *inter alia*, provided that the said section shall not apply in any

case where the local authority having control of any road or street by resolution declares that the provisions thereof shall not apply to any specified road or street, or any specified part thereof, and such resolution is approved by the Governor in Council:

And whereas by subsection two of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, and clause (b) of subsection one of section thirteen of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, it is provided that such approval may be either absolute or subject to such condition as the Governor in Council thinks fit to impose, and may refer to one or both sides of the road or street:

And whereas the Portobello Road Board, the local authority having control of the road described in the Schedule hereto (hereinafter referred to "as the said road"), has passed the following resolution—viz., "That the road-line abutting on the north-eastern side of Section 30, Upper Harbour East District, be exempted from the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908":

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved in so far as it refers to the south-western side of the said road:

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that road in the Otago Land District, Portobello Road District, known as District Road, commencing at its junction with Beach Road, and proceeding thence in a south-easterly direction, adjoining Section 30, Upper Harbour East District. As the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41948, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow.

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

Vesting a Gravel-pit Reserve in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Southland County.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR JAMES ALLEN, K.C.B., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart for a gravel-pit: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient that the said land should be vested in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Southland County:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section four of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Southland County, in trust, for a gravel-pit.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement, 6 acres 1 rood 16 perches, more or less, being Section 49, Block V, Mabel Hundred. Bounded towards the south-west by a public road, 191 and 916 links; towards the east by a public road, 1239 links; and towards the north-west by Section 3 of said Block V, 1272.2 links. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/5/40, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

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

Amending Notice under Animals Protection Act.—Southland Acclimatization District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend, in manner hereinafter provided, the notification made under the Animals Protection Act, 1908, dated the thirtieth day of

March, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the fourth day of April, declaring the shooting season for imported and native game in the Southland Acclimatization District:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the following native game—namely, teal—may not be killed within the Southland Acclimatization District; and the Warrant of the thirtieth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, is amended accordingly.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Certain Land at Tuakau (Waikato) declared a Sanctuary for Imported and Native Game.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

PURSUANT to the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that the area described in the Schedule hereto, the properties of Messrs. Murray Bros., C. and K. Orr, and L. J. McGuire, shall be a sanctuary for the purposes of the said Animals Protection Act, and that no imported or native game shall be taken within the said area.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that block of land in the Auckland Land District lying to the left of enclosure by the Pukekura main road from the Waikato River via Boxe's Cutting to Bagneley's corner, thence by the Mill Bush Road and Murray Road to junction with main road at river.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Inspector of Sea Fishing appointed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in me vested by subsection one of section four of the Fisheries Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, G.C.M.G., M.V.O., the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint you

SYDNEY BROADLEY,

of Portobello, to be an Inspector of Sea Fishing under the above-mentioned Act.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor, this fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Marine.

Notifying the Proposed Exchange of Crown Land in the Hawke's Bay Land District for other Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and forty-two of the Land Act, 1908, as amended by section seven of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor, whenever he deems it expedient in the public interest, to grant in fee-simple any area of Crown land which is subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, in exchange for the fee-simple of any other land, and on any such exchange to pay or receive by way of equality of exchange any sum not exceeding twenty-five per centum of the estimated value of the Crown land so granted:

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor, it is expedient to exchange the Crown land described in the First Schedule hereto for the land described in the Second Schedule hereto, and the owner of the land described in the Second Schedule has agreed to such exchange, and has agreed to pay to the Crown a sum of money by way of equality of exchange, and such sum does not exceed twenty-five per centum of the estimated value of the Crown land hereinbefore mentioned:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the aforesaid powers and authorities, doth hereby declare that it is his intention to grant in fee-simple the area of Crown land described in the First Schedule hereto in exchange for the fee-simple of the land described in the Second Schedule upon payment by the owner thereof of the sum of money hereinbefore referred to by way of equality of exchange.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF CROWN LAND AUTHORIZED TO BE EXCHANGED.

ALL those areas in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement a total of 783 acres 0 roods 19 perches, more or less, being Section 2, Block IX, Patoka Survey District, containing 435 acres 2 roods; Section 3, Block IX aforesaid, containing 59 acres 2 roods; and Section 1, Block X, Kuripapanga Survey District, containing 288 acres 0 roods 19 perches. As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 22/44, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND TO BE OBTAINED IN EXCHANGE THEREFOR.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 3,495 acres, more or less, being Lot 1 on plan No. 3282, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Napier, and situated in Blocks III and VI, Kuripapanga Survey District, and Blocks I and V, Patoka Survey District. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 22/44, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered green.

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

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

Opening Settlement Lands in Auckland Land District for Selection by Discharged Soldiers.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and amendments, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the settlement lands described in the Schedule hereto which have been set apart for selection by discharged soldiers shall be open for selection by discharged soldiers on renewable lease on Monday, the twenty-fifth 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 Acts.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Waipa County.—Reynolds Settlement.

SECTION 17: Area, 94 acres 2 roods 35 perches; capital value, £1,220; half-yearly rent, £27 9s.

Section 18: Area, 85 acres 1 rood 29 perches; capital value, £1,180; half-yearly rent, £26 11s.

Improvements included in capital value: Section 17—thirty-six chains boundary fence (half value), thirty-seven chains boundary drain; value, £27 10s. Section 18—forty chains boundary fence (half value), and wooden trough; value, £12.

Level land, formerly swamp, partly drained, covered with short manuka and fern and a little grass. Soil of a good quality, being a peaty loam, more or less consolidated; no surface water in summer, but water can be obtained by sinking. Distant about five miles and a half from Cambridge, of which about four miles is by Cambridge-Roto-o-rangi Road; balance unformed, but passable for wheeled traffic in summer-time.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Waitakaruru Settlement.—Piako Survey District.

Section 5, Block III: Area, 125 acres 3 roods; capital value, £360; half-yearly rent, £7 17s. 6d.

Undulating land, covered with scrubby manuka and fern. Clay soil, of only moderate quality, on sandstone formation; poorly watered by small streams in gullies. Distant about six miles from Waitakaruru Landing by formed cart-road.

Matamata County.—Patetere Survey District.—Selwyn Settlement.

Section 107, Block VII: Area, 193 acres 1 rood 25 perches; capital value, £300; half-yearly rent, £6 15s.

Weighted with £186, valuation for improvements comprising about 135 chains of fencing, about 30 acres grassed, and 1 acre ploughed, also a one-span totara bridge.

Undulating land, about 30 acres ploughed and grassed, balance open fern and tea-tree land. Soil of a light and sandy nature, well watered by permanent stream. Distant about four miles from Putaruru Railway-station by a good dray-road, the greater part being metalled.

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

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

Opening National Endowment Lands in Auckland Land District for Selection by Discharged Soldiers on Renewable Lease.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the national endowment lands described in the Schedule hereto, which have been set apart for selection by discharged soldiers shall be open for selection by discharged soldiers on renewable lease on Monday, the twenty-fifth 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 and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Waitemata County.—Waipareira Parish.

SECTION 258: Area, 12 acres 0 roods 20 perches; capital value, £140; half-yearly rent, £2 16s.

Altitude, 100 ft. to 250 ft. above sea-level. Undulating land, all ploughable, covered with manuka and fern. Soil a stiff loam, on clay subsoil; poorly watered, but water can be obtained by sinking. Distant about three miles from Henderson by good cart-road, two miles and three-quarters of which is metalled.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Rotorua County.—Waihi South Survey District.

Section 10, Block IX: Area, 693 acres 1 rood 33 perches; capital value, £390; half-yearly rent, £7 16s.

Weighted with £225, valuation for improvements comprising shed, ploughing, grassing, fencing, and well.

Altitude, 300 ft. to 600 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken land, covered with manuka and fern. Soil of a poor quality, of poor sandy pumice nature, on pumice formation; poorly watered by streams on east and west boundaries. Distant fourteen miles from Paengaroa Village by formed road.

Bay of Islands County.—Omapere Survey District.

Sections 2 and 3, Block III: Area, 665 acres 1 rood 12 perches; capital value, £450; half-yearly rent, £9.

Weighted with £30, valuation for thirty chains fencing.

Altitude, from 800 ft. to 1,000 ft. above sea-level. Undulating land, covered with scrub and fern. Clay soil, on sandstone formation; well watered. Situated about twelve miles from Kerikeri by fair road.

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

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

Opening Lands in Auckland Land District for Selection by Discharged Soldiers on Renewable Lease.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto, which have been set apart for selection by discharged soldiers, shall be open for selection by discharged soldiers on renewable lease on Monday, the twenty-fifth 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 Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and section one hundred and thirty-five of the Land Act, 1908, as they contain or are supposed to contain, metal, mineral, or valuable stone.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAITOMO COUNTY.—PIRONGIA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

SECTION 9, Block XIII: Area, 604 acres; capital value, £910; half-yearly rent, £18 4s.

Section 10, Block XIII: Area, 513 acres 1 rood 24 perches; capital value, £900; half-yearly rent, £18.

Altitude, 300 ft. to 1,500 ft. above sea-level. Broken country, covered with heavy mixed forest comprising tawa, rimu, rata, tawhero, rewarewa, &c., with heavy undergrowth of mahoe, makomako, supplejack, &c. Soil of medium quality, on volcanic formation; well watered by small streams. Distant about ten to fourteen miles from Otorohanga by formed dray-road. Section 10 is about three miles from Te Rauamo Post-office and school.

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

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

Opening Lands in Auckland Land District for Selection by Discharged Soldiers on Renewable Lease.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto, which have been set apart for selection by discharged soldiers, shall be open for selection by discharged soldiers on renewable lease on Monday, the twenty-fifth 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 Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and section one hundred and thirty-five of the Land Act, 1908, as they contain, or are supposed to contain, metal, mineral, or valuable stone.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Kawhia County.—Pirongia Survey District.

SECTION 11, Block XIII: Area, 605 acres; capital value, £1,210; half-yearly rent, £24 4s.

Section 12, Block XIII: Area, 622 acres; capital value, £1,240; half-yearly rent, £24 16s.

Altitude, 400 ft. to 1,500 ft. above sea-level. Fairly broken country, covered with heavy mixed forest comprising rata, rimu, miro, tawa, kohekohe, &c., with moderate undergrowth of punga, supplejack, mahoe, &c. Soil of medium quality, on volcanic formation; well watered by small streams. Distant about fourteen miles and a half from Otorohanga by formed dray-road, and three miles from Te Rauamo Post-office and school.

Waitomo County.—Pirongia Survey District.

Section 11, Block XIV: Area, 411 acres 0 roods 32 perches; capital value, £930; half-yearly rent, £18 12s.

Altitude, 300 ft. to 1,500 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken country, about 30 acres covered with manuka scrub, balance heavy mixed forest comprising tawa, rata, rimu, kohekohe, tawhero, miro, &c., with heavy undergrowth of mahoe, makomako, supplejack, &c. Soil of medium quality, on volcanic formation; well watered by small

streams. Distant about thirteen miles from Otorohanga. twelve miles of which is by formed road.

Section 12, Block XIV: Area, 445 acres 2 roods 16 perches; capital value, £890; half-yearly rent, £17 16s.

Altitude, 300 ft. to 800 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken country, about 70 acres covered with fern and tutu, balance heavy mixed forest comprising tawa, kohekohe, tawhero, rimu, rata, &c., with heavy undergrowth of mahoe, makomako, konini, supplejack, &c. Soil of medium quality, on volcanic formation; well watered by small streams. Distant about twenty-four miles from Te Awamutu, via Pirongia, about twenty-two miles of which is formed dray-road, balance unformed.

Section 13, Block XIV: Area, 425 acres 3 roods; capital value, £850; half-yearly rent, £17.

Altitude, 250 ft. to 750 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken land, about 60 acres fern, manuka, and tutu country, balance heavy mixed forest comprising tawa, rimu, rata, tawhero, kohekohe, &c., with heavy undergrowth of mahoe, konini, supplejack, makomako, &c. Soil of medium quality, on volcanic formation; well watered by streams. Distant about fourteen miles from Otorohanga—twelve miles and a half by formed dray-road, balance unformed; or about twenty-four miles from Te Awamutu, twenty-two miles of which is by formed dray-road, balance unformed.

Section 14, Block XIV: Area, 338 acres 2 roods; capital value, £760; half-yearly rent, £15 4s.

Altitude, 250 ft. to 750 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to slightly broken country, about 150 acres mixed forest comprising tawa, rata, rimu, kohekohe, &c., with heavy undergrowth of mahoe, makomako, supplejack, konini, &c.; balance fern, tutu, and manuka. A fair portion of the open country is ploughable. Soil of medium quality, on volcanic formation; well watered by small streams. Distant about twenty-three miles from Te Awamutu—twenty-two miles formed dray-road, balance unformed.

Section 15, Block XIV: Area, 331 acres 1 rood 24 perches; capital value, £500; half-yearly rent, £10.

Altitude, 250 ft. to 850 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to slightly broken land, about 50 acres mixed forest comprising tawa, rewarewa, rata, rimu, tawhero, &c., with heavy undergrowth of makomako, mahoe, konini, supplejack, &c. Soil of medium quality, on volcanic formation; well watered by small streams. Distant about twenty-three miles from Te Awamutu, twenty-two miles of which is by formed dray-road, balance unformed.

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

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

Opening National Endowment Lands in Auckland Land District for Selection by Discharged Soldiers on Renewable Lease.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the national endowment lands described in the Schedule hereto, which have been set apart for selection by discharged soldiers, shall be open for selection by discharged soldiers on renewable lease on Monday, the twenty-fifth 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 and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Otamatea County.—Tokatoka Survey District.

SECTION 75, Block XI: Area, 73 acres 2 roods 5-9 perches; capital value, £910; half-yearly rent, £18 4s.

Altitude, about 5 ft. above sea-level. Level land, covered with stumps and heads of worked-out kahikatea forest, and a little raupo and cabbage-trees. Rich alluvial soil, on marine-deposit formation; not watered by streams, but water can be obtained by boring artesian wells. Distant about three miles and a half to four miles from Naumai Village.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Whangarei County.—Purua Survey District.

Section 41, Block IX: Area, 211 acres; capital value, £420; half-yearly rent, £8 8s.

Level land, covered with fern, manuka, and rushes; about 20 acres of a swampy nature. Poor semi-volcanic soil, on clay subsoil; section has been dug over for gum; no surface water, but water may be obtained by sinking. Distant about fourteen miles from Whangarei by cart-road, of which about twelve miles is metalled.

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

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

Vesting the Control of a Scenic Reserve in the New Plymouth Scenic Reserves Board.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section thirteen of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand doth hereby vest the control of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto (being land reserved under the said Act), in trust, for the purposes of scenery preservation, as from the date of this notice until the thirtieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty (unless previously altered or revoked under the said Act), in the New Plymouth Scenic Reserves Board, as constituted by notification dated the eleventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and published in *Gazette* of the eighteenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

SCHEDULE.

"MEETING-OF-THE-WATERS" SCENIC RESERVE.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 39 acres 0 roods 20 perches, more or less, being portion of Native Reserve J, portion of Section 158, and portion of the Waiwakaiho River bed, all situated in the Hua and Waiwakaiho Registration District, Block X, Paritutu Survey District, bounded as follows: Towards the north and west generally by the Waiwakaiho River to its intersection with a right line across that river, thence along that line 246 links to the junction of the left bank of the aforesaid river and the right bank of the Mangorei Stream; towards the west by the Mangorei Stream to the Junction Road; towards the south-west by the aforesaid road, 2175 links; towards the south-east by the Waiwakaiho Road, 1180.9 links; towards the east generally by other parts of Section 158 aforesaid and of Native Reserve J aforesaid, 4518.2 links.

Also all that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being portion of Section 158, Hua and Waiwakaiho Registration District, Block X, Paritutu Survey District. Bounded towards the west and south generally by the Waiwakaiho River, towards the east by the Araheke Stream, and towards the north by the Waiwakaiho Road, 1435 links.

Also all that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres 2 roods 20 perches, more or less, being portion of Section 158, Hua and Waiwakaiho Registration District, Block X, Paritutu Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west and west generally by other part of Section 158 aforesaid, 3328.4 links; towards the south by the Waiwakaiho Road, 525 links; towards the south-east generally by the Araheke Stream; and towards the north-east by other part of Section 158 aforesaid, 115.1 links.

Also all that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 13 acres 3 roods, more or less, being portion of Native Reserve L, Hua and Waiwakaiho Registration District, Block X, Paritutu Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west generally by the Araheke Stream, towards the south-east by the Waiwakaiho Road, 1827.4 links; towards the north-east by part of Native Reserve L aforesaid, 814 links.

Also all that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 0 roods 30 perches, more or less, being portion of Native Reserve L, Hua and Waiwakaiho Registration District, Block X, Paritutu Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west generally by the Waiwakaiho Road, 1952.7 links; towards the west by the Araheke Stream; towards the south-west, south, and south-east by the Waiwakaiho River; towards the north-east by other part of Native Reserve L aforesaid, 37 links.

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

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

BY virtue and in pursuance of the power and authorities vested in me by the one-hundred-and-twenty-fifth, one-hundred-and-twenty-sixth, one-hundred-and-twenty-seventh, and one-hundred-and-twenty-eighth sections of the Harbours Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, on behalf of His Majesty the King, give notice to the Auckland Harbour Board that one month from the day of the date hereof I shall enter upon and take possession of the land described in the Schedule hereto for railway purposes.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land:—

A.	R.	P.
0	0	20.9, being Lot 49 (plan 4563, green).
0	0	24.2 " 52 " "

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

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

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

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

Warrant vesting Control of Portion of Auroa Road in the Eltham County Council, and apportioning the Cost of Reconstruction and Maintenance of the same.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

WHEREAS by section twelve of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, as amended by section thirteen of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1910 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is provided that where a road or street lies along the boundary of two or more districts, whether that road or street is wholly within one or is partly within one and is partly within another of those districts, or is within none of those districts, the Governor may from time to time, by Warrant under his hand and gazetted, direct which of the local authorities of those districts shall have control of the road or street, or any part thereof, and also may in like manner determine from time to time whether any other of those local authorities shall contribute to the cost of the construction, reconstruction, or maintenance of that road or street, and, if so, in what proportions: And whereas the portion of the road known as Auroa Road described in the Schedule hereto, and hereinafter termed "the said road," forms the boundary between the Eltham and Egmont Counties:

And whereas a dispute has arisen as to which local authority should have control of the said road, and what proportion of the cost of reconstructing and maintaining the said road should be borne by the local authorities affected:

And whereas an inquiry was duly held and a report was made in respect to the matter:

And whereas it is expedient that effect should be given to the recommendations contained in the said report, and that provision should be made for the purposes and in the manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the said Act, and all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby direct that, from and after the date of this Warrant, the road described in the Schedule hereto shall be under the control of the Eltham County Council; and, in further pursuance of the aforesaid powers and authorities, I do hereby fix and determine that the cost of reconstructing and maintaining the said road shall be borne in the following proportions—viz., the Eltham County Council to bear one-half of such cost, and the Egmont County Council to bear one-half of such cost:

And I do also further direct that any contribution hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the Egmont County Council shall be paid from time to time, in the proportion hereinbefore prescribed, out of the funds of the said County Council, within a period of thirty days after demand in

writing made by or on behalf of the Eltham County Council, and that such payment shall be made from time to time to the Clerk of the Eltham County Council, for and on account of the Egmont County Council.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Auroa Road, in the Taranaki Land District, situated on the boundary between the Eltham and Egmont Counties, commencing at the southern boundary of the Egmont National Park, and running generally in a southerly direction along the eastern boundary of Blocks V and IX, Kaupokonui Survey District, and terminating at the south-eastern corner of the said Block IX. As the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41531, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured red.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

Honours conferred by His Majesty.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to direct the publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of a notification of the appointment by His Majesty the King of

The Honourable JAMES ALLEN as a Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath (Civil Division); and
The Honourable Mr. Justice JOHN EDWARD DENNISTON as a Knight Bachelor.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1917.

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

GEORGE SIM, of Wharepapa,
JOHN PATRICK HAND, of Helensville,
WILLIAM REYLAND, of Helensville,
ROBERT CRANSTONE DEWNER, of Kaukapakapa,
AUGUSTUS TILBY, of Helensville,
HENRY HOOPER, of Makarau, and
ROBERT EAST, of Helensville,

to be Officers for the purposes of Part II of that Act.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 4th May, 1917.

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

FRANK MCGUIRE, of Tuakau, and
ALFRED SAMUEL DRAKE, of Pukekawa, Tuakau,

to be Officers for the purposes of Part II of that Act.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Appointment of Member of Foxton Harbour Board.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 5th May, 1917.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has, in pursuance of the provisions of paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section 4 of the Harbours Amendment Act, 1910, of the provisions of section 5 of the same Act,

and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, appointed

EDWARD REUBEN BENJAMIN HOLBEN

to be a member of the Foxton Harbour Board for a period of three years from the last Wednesday in April, 1917—that is, from the 25th day of that month.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Marine.

Member of Patea Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 2nd May, 1917.

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

ANDREW JAMES THOMPSON

to be a member of the Patea Domain Board, in the place of James Douglas Fairweather, resigned.

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

Member of Cust Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 2nd May, 1917.

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

GEORGE COWENS, Jun.,

to be a member of the Cust Domain Board, in the place of David Arnott, resigned.

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

Member of Auckland Land Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 8th May, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

JOHN EDWARD WELLS

to be a member of the Auckland Land Board, as from the 8th May, 1917.

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

Licensing Officer under Arms Act, 1908, appointed.

Police Department,
Wellington, 8th May, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant LOTT EDWARD O'HALLORAN,

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

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

Member of Licensing Committee removed from Office.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 7th May, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to remove

THOMAS PEARCE MABLEY,

of Kaiapoi, from the Office of Member of the Licensing Committee for the Licensing District of Kaiapoi.

J. A. HANAN,
Minister of Justice.

Member of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 2nd May, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

HECTOR JAMES BOOTH

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Oroua.

J. A. HANAN,
Minister of Justice.

Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 9th May, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

GUY NORMAN MORRIS

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Tauranga, on and from the 12th day of April, 1917, *vice* T. R. W. Phillpotts, deceased.

J. A. HANAN,
Minister of Justice.

Members of the Board of Agriculture appointed.—Notice No. 1883.

Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1917.

IT is hereby notified for public information that His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint, in terms of the Board of Agriculture Act, 1913:—

E. AVERILL, Esq.,
W. F. M. BUCKLEY, Esq.,
O. J. HAWKEN, Esq.,
W. D. HUNT, Esq.,
W. R. MAX, Esq.,
A. S. ORBELL, Esq.,
W. PERRY, Esq.,
R. REYNOLDS, Esq.,
J. C. N. GRIGG, Esq.,
E. HALL, Esq., and
Sir J. G. WILSON, Kt.,

to be members of the Board of Agriculture established by the above-mentioned Act.

Sir J. G. Wilson, Kt., has been named as President, and J. C. N. Grigg, Esq., as Vice-President, of the Board in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

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

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 8th May, 1917.

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

Name.	District.
FRANK CHARLES MALBON ALLISON	Oxford.
EDWARD NATHAN FALCK	East Taieri.
HERBERT JAMES KING WINSTONE	Rangiora.
WILLIAM PENN SMITH	Bull's.
JOHN SIDNEY WINSTANLEY.. ..	Murchison.
ISABELLA LUCY MAY KING.. ..	Matiere.

W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.

Harbourmaster, Pilot, and Customs Officer appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 1st May, 1917.

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

WILLIAM GORDON

to be Harbourmaster, Pilot, and Customs Officer at Picton for the purposes of the Harbours Act, 1908, and the Customs Law Act, 1908, as from the 14th day of March, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Clerk of Magistrate's Court appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 1st May, 1917.

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

JOHN LEO DUGGAN

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Balclutha for the purposes of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1908, as from the 11th day of April, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Clerk of Magistrate's Court appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 1st May, 1917.

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

GUY NORMAN MORRIS

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Tauranga for the purposes of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1908, as from the 12th day of April, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Inspector of Machinery appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1917.

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

GEORGE EDWARD BREEZE

to be an Inspector of Machinery for the purposes of the Machinery Act, 1908, as from the 17th day of April, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Surveyor of Ships appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1917.

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

JAMES BROADHOUSE

to be a Surveyor of Ships for the purposes of the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, as from the 20th day of February, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1917.

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

HENRY HOWARD CORK

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Levin, as from the 1st May, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Registrars of Births and Deaths of Maoris appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 4th May, 1917.

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

EVA NELLIE CARTER (Mrs.)

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris for Te Haroto, as from the 1st April, 1917.

RIWAI HIWINUI TAWHIRI

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris for Wharekahika, as from the 1st May, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Appointments and Promotions of Officers on Active Service, New Zealand Expeditionary Force.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 2nd May, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the appointments and promotions of officers on active service with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force (*vide* List No. 37, N.Z. Expeditionary Force Orders).

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temp. Brigadier-General) W. G. Braithwaite, C.M.G., D.S.O., p.s.c., Royal Welsh Fusiliers, resumes command of 2nd N.Z. Infantry Brigade. Dated 22nd February, 1917.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temp. Colonel) C. W. Melville, D.S.O., p.s.c., N.Z. Staff Corps, relinquishes the temporary command of the 2nd N.Z. Infantry Brigade and the temporary rank of Colonel. Dated 22nd February, 1917.

Major J. E. Duigan, p.s.c., s., General Staff Officer, 3rd Grade, N.Z. Division, to be General Staff Officer, 2nd Grade, 6th Corps. Dated 15th February, 1917.

Major N. W. B. B. Thoms, M.C., N.Z. Staff Corps, to be General Staff Officer, 3rd Grade, N.Z. Division. Dated 27th February, 1917.

WELLINGTON MOUNTED RIFLES.

2nd Lieutenant E. J. Grey is transferred to the Royal Navy, and is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 7th February, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND FIELD ARTILLERY.

2nd Lieutenant S. O. Burrell, transferred from R.F.A., is taken on the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 16th February, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND ENGINEERS.

Divisional Signal Company.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants, supernumerary to Establishment. Dated 16th February, 1917:—

4/520, Company Sergeant-major W. M. Arcus.

4/488, Corporal L. G. Michaels.

4/468, Sapper N. Brindley.

AUCKLAND REGIMENT.

Major A. G. McKenzie, D.S.O., to temporarily command a battalion, and is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst so employed. Dated 6th January, 1917.

CANTERBURY REGIMENT.

2nd Lieutenant J. W. Langridge to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th January, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

H. Fryer. Dated 8th January, 1917.

L. W. Bishop. Dated 13th January, 1917.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) A. W. Wellstead relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 20th February, 1917.

OTAGO REGIMENT.

Major (temp. Lieutenant-Colonel) G. Mitchell, from O.C. 3rd Reserve Battalion, Auckland-Wellington Regiments, to be O.C. N.Z. Base Depot, Etapes, and retains the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst so employed. Dated 27th February, 1917.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

E. S. McIntyre (temp. Captain). Dated 30th December, 1916.

W. F. Tracy, M.C. Dated 5th January, 1917.

J. E. Cuthill. Dated 5th January, 1917.

J. P. Hewat (temp. Captain). Dated 13th January, 1917.

J. McPherson. Dated 25th January, 1917.

A. S. Falconer, M.C. (temp. Captain). Dated 25th January, 1917.

M. McP. Watt. Dated 25th January, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

D. J. Walls. Dated 30th December, 1916.

A. J. France. Dated 5th January, 1917.

T. Brewer. Dated 6th January, 1917.

W. W. Chapman. Dated 13th January, 1917.

R. J. Hill. Dated 25th January, 1917.

D. Glanfield. Dated 25th January, 1917.

K. O. De Cent. Dated 29th January, 1917.

Captain (temp. Major) W. G. A. Bishop, M.C., relinquishes the temporary rank of Major. Dated 5th December, 1916.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) D. S. Chisholm relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 1st December, 1916.

WELLINGTON REGIMENT.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) A. S. Muir relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 24th January, 1917.

Major (temp. Lieutenant-Colonel) E. H. Saunders, from O.C. N.Z. Base Depot, Etapes, to be O.C. 3rd (Reserve) Battalion, Auckland-Wellington Regiments, and retains the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst so employed. Dated 27th February, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant C. L. Nicholls, 5th (Royal Irish) Lancers (Attached), is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant whilst employed as Assistant to the Commandant, N.Z. Divisional School. Dated 24th January, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MACHINE-GUN CORPS.

2nd Lieutenant R. H. Buchanan to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th February, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

5/160, Staff Sergeant-major J. W. H. Cahill to be 2nd Lieutenant, supernumerary to Establishment. Dated 25th February, 1917.

Lieutenant F. H. Anderson to be Captain. Dated 15th February, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MEDICAL CORPS.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors. Dated 31st January, 1917:—

A. M. Trotter, M.B.

C. E. Hercus, M.B. (temp. Major).

R. L. Withers, M.B.

C. V. A. Baigent, M.B.

NEW ZEALAND ARMY NURSING SERVICE.

Staff Nurse Mary Shirley is taken on the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 10th February, 1917.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Appointments and Promotions of Officers on Active Service, New Zealand Expeditionary Force.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 2nd May, 1917.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the appointments and promotions of officers on active service with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force (*vide* List No. 36, N.Z. Expeditionary Force Orders).

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Major (temp. Brigadier-General) F. E. Johnston, C.B., relinquishes the command of the 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade, and to command the N.Z. Infantry Reserve Group, England. Dated 14th February, 1917.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temp. Colonel) C. H. J. Brown, D.S.O., N.Z. Staff Corps, to command the 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade, and is granted the temporary rank of Brigadier-General whilst so employed. Dated 14th February, 1917.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temp. Colonel) H. Hart, D.S.O., relinquishes the temporary command of the 3rd (N.Z. Rifles) Brigade, and the temporary rank of Colonel. Dated 5th February, 1917.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) A. S. Falconer, M.C., performed the duties of Brigade-Major from 3rd December, 1916, to 28th January, 1917.

Lieutenant F. G. Massey performed the duties of Staff Captain, 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade, from 4th December, 1916, to 28th January, 1917, and is granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst so employed.

AUCKLAND MOUNTED RIFLES.

Captain M. Aldred is granted the temporary rank of Major whilst commanding a squadron, as from 12th December, 1916, and relinquishes the temporary rank of Major on ceasing to command a squadron. Dated 19th December, 1916.

NEW ZEALAND CAMEL CORPS.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) J. G. McCallum to be Captain. Dated 1st November, 1916.

The undermentioned to be Lieutenants. Dated 1st November, 1916:—

2nd Lieutenant (temp. Lieutenant) H. C. Hemphill.

2nd Lieutenant (temp. Lieutenant) R. S. Priest.

NEW ZEALAND FIELD ARTILLERY.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 25th January, 1917:—

R. G. Milligan.

J. C. Dunnett.

F. W. Reed.

W. R. Golden.

R. W. Dunn.

C. H. G. Jophon (temp. Captain).

H. H. Whyte (temp. Captain).

P. J. Ellis, M.C.

J. G. McKenzie.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 25th January, 1917:—

J. E. L. Gardner.

F. J. W. Stallard (temp. Lieutenant).

J. M. T. Downey.

E. R. Winkler (temp. Lieutenant).

W. Ibbotson.

F. C. Soar.

NEW ZEALAND ENGINEERS.

Field Companies.

4/41A, Sergeant H. A. Foote to be 2nd Lieutenant, supernumerary to Establishment. Dated 27th January, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND TUNNELLING COMPANY.

Lieutenant N. Thompson to be Captain. Dated 11th January, 1917.

AUCKLAND REGIMENT.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temp. Colonel) C. H. J. Brown, D.S.O., to command the 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade, and is granted the temporary rank of Brigadier-General whilst so employed. Dated 14th February, 1917.

Major R. C. Allen to be Lieutenant-Colonel, and to command a battalion. Dated 14th February, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant W. R. Lang to be Lieutenant. Dated 21st January, 1917.

CANTERBURY REGIMENT.

2nd Lieutenant F. H. Dodd to be Lieutenant. Dated 7th February, 1917.

OTAGO REGIMENT.

9/965, Private J. R. Quarton to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 24th January, 1917.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) A. S. Falconer, M.C., performed the duties of Brigade-Major, 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade, from 3rd December, 1916, to 28th January, 1917.

WELLINGTON REGIMENT.

2nd Lieutenant A. G. Melles to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st January, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND RIFLE BRIGADE.

The undermentioned are taken on the strength. Dated 29th January, 1917:—

Major W. L. Robinson, N.Z. Staff Corps.

Captain V. H. Baker.

Captain H. C. Collett.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

T. G. Vincent. Dated 12th January, 1917.

E. Hollis. Dated 22nd January, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MACHINE-GUN CORPS.

Lieutenant H. H. Hayhurst is granted the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 1st January, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Lieutenant S. H. Crump is granted the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 1st January, 1917.

Captain (temp. Major) J. B. Whyte relinquishes the temporary rank of Major. Dated 1st January, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MEDICAL CORPS.

Captain A. L. Singer is taken on the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 2nd February, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.

9/39, Conductor Charles Ingram Gossage to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 24th January, 1917.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Appointments, Promotions, Resignations, and Transfers of Officers of the New Zealand Staff Corps and Territorial Force.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 2nd May, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, resignations, and transfers of the undermentioned officers of the N.Z. Staff Corps and Territorial Force.

STAFF.

Major Peter Bain Henderson, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength, and absorbed into the N.Z. Staff Corps, with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., Lieutenant, as from 19th January, 1914 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* of 12th February, 1914), and to retain the temporary rank of Captain in the N.Z. Staff Corps until further notice. Dated 30th April, 1917.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) Edward Purdon, N.Z. Staff Corps, performed the duties of Chief Musketry Instructor, N.Z. Expeditionary Force Training-camps, from 14th October, 1914, and is confirmed in the appointment with effect from that date, and retains the temporary rank of Captain whilst so employed. Dated 13th April, 1917.

7TH (SOUTHLAND) MOUNTED RIFLES.

Major Donald Bruce McKenzie, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength, and absorbed into the Establishment, with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., Major, as from 2nd July, 1912 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 64, of 25th July, 1912). Dated 16th May, 1917.

Captain Arthur James Millard, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength, and absorbed into the Establishment, with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., Major, as from 11th October, 1916 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 126, of 9th November, 1916). Dated 18th May, 1917.

10TH (NELSON) MOUNTED RIFLES.

Major Daniel Willis Talbot, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength, and absorbed into the Establishment, with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., Captain, as from 1st September, 1914 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 121, of 12th November, 1914). Dated 16th May, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 19th April, 1917:—

Russell Bernard MacMahon.

Francis George Painter, under the provisions of paragraph 111, General Regulations, 1913.

Reginald William Sparrow, under the provisions of paragraph 111, General Regulations, 1913.

NEW ZEALAND FIELD ARTILLERY.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (on probation) James Gordon Jeffery, B Battery, is confirmed, under the provisions of paragraph 111, General Regulations, 1913.

CORPS OF NEW ZEALAND ENGINEERS.

Mounted Signal Troops.

Lieutenant Thomas Lomax Gibbs to be Captain, under the provisions of paragraph 111, General Regulations, 1913. Dated 19th April, 1917.

DIVISIONAL SIGNAL COMPANIES.

Lieutenant Philip Brunskill Cooke is appointed to the N.Z. Expeditionary Force as Lieutenant, with effect from 1st October, 1915.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAY BATTALIONS.

North Island.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (on probation) Murdock Macaskill is confirmed.

Quartermaster-Sergeant John French to be 2nd Lieutenant (temp.). Dated 13th April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND POST AND TELEGRAPH CORPS.

South Island.

The appointment of Captain (on probation) Frederick William Mathews is confirmed.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—James Wallace Logan, under the provisions of paragraph 111, General Regulations, 1913. Dated 19th March, 1915.

William John Stafford. Dated 19th March, 1915.

7TH (WELLINGTON WEST COAST) REGIMENT.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (on probation) Piriwi Rota Tahivi is confirmed, under the provisions of paragraph 111, General Regulations, 1913.

8TH (SOUTHLAND) REGIMENT.

Lieutenant Arthur Victor Valentine, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength, and absorbed into the Establishment, with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., Lieutenant, as from 30th August, 1916 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 126, of 9th November, 1916). Dated 17th May, 1917.

9TH (HAWKE'S BAY) REGIMENT.

Captain Ernest Sirdefield Harston, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength, and absorbed into the Establishment, with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., Major, as from 27th October, 1916 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 128, of 16th November, 1916). Dated 17th May, 1917.

10TH (NORTH OTAGO) REGIMENT.

2nd Lieutenant James Wyllie Smellie, from the Unattached List (b), to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 12th April, 1917.

11TH REGIMENT (TARANAKI RIFLES).

2nd Lieutenant Robert Henry Espiner, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength, and absorbed into the

Establishment, with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., 2nd Lieutenant, as from 31st May, 1915 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 89, of 22nd July, 1916). Dated 17th May, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant Gordon McIntosh resigns his commission. Dated 19th April, 1917.

12TH (NELSON) REGIMENT.

Major Herbert John Robinson to be Lieutenant-Colonel, and to command the regiment, with effect from 7th March, 1917.

Captain William Carrol Harley, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength, and absorbed into the Establishment, with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., Captain, as from 8th December, 1916 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 4, of 11th January, 1917). Dated 1st February, 1917.

13TH (NORTH CANTERBURY AND WESTLAND) REGIMENT.

Lieutenant Nicholas Lawn to be Captain. Dated 19th April, 1917.

15TH (NORTH AUCKLAND) REGIMENT.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (on probation) James Joseph Butler lapses. Dated 19th April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND RIFLE BRIGADE (TERRITORIAL).

2nd Lieutenant William Robert Bamford, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength, and absorbed into the Establishment, with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., 2nd Lieutenant, as from 1st April, 1916 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 139, of 14th December, 1916). Dated 12th May, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

The undermentioned appointments are confirmed, under the provisions of paragraph 111, General Regulations, 1913:—
2nd Lieutenant (on probation) Ingram Milnes.
2nd Lieutenant (on probation) Allan McClune Woodward.

NEW ZEALAND FORCES MOTOR SERVICE CORPS.

Motor-car Section.

2nd Lieutenant (on probation) John Alexander is temporarily attached to the N.Z. Garrison Artillery, Auckland Garrison Artillery Division. Dated 3rd April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MEDICAL CORPS.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Malcolm Mason, M.D., L.R.C.P. Edin., L.R.C.S. Edin., L.F.P.S. Glasg., is posted to the Retired List, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 31st March, 1917.

Captain Ernest Augustus Boxer is granted the temporary rank of Major whilst in command of No. 8 Field Ambulance. Dated 19th April, 1917.

The undermentioned to be Captains whilst doing duty with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 1st July, 1915:—

Bertram Hazelwood Gilmour, M.B., B.S., N.Z. Univ.
Arthur Stanley Addison, M.B., B.S., Melb.
Roland Græme Scott Orbell, M.B., B.S., N.Z. Univ.
John Stott Beedie, M.B., C.M., Aberd.
William Farquhar Findlay, M.B., B.S., N.Z. Univ.
Dated 26th August, 1915.

Arthur Humphrey Curtis, M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond.
Dated 28th September, 1915.

Captain Roland Græme Scott Orbell, M.B., B.S., N.Z. Univ., N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength and absorbed, with his original rank and seniority—viz., Captain, as from 1st July, 1915. Dated 27th March, 1917.

The undermentioned to be Captains:—

William Jamieson Reid, M.B., B.S., N.Z. Univ. Dated 10th September, 1915.
John Davis Marks, M.B., B.S., N.Z. Univ. Dated 13th April, 1917.

The undermentioned to be Lieutenants (temp.) whilst doing duty with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 2nd April, 1917:—

Robert Roy Douglas Milligan, M.B., Ch.B., N.Z.
William Fleming Currie.

NEW ZEALAND DENTAL CORPS.

Leslie Fosbery Nancarrow is granted the rank of honorary Captain (temp.) whilst acting as Dental Examining Officer to a District Medical Board during the period of the war. Dated 20th March, 1917.

The undermentioned to be Lieutenants:—

Edward Arthur Wilson. Dated 1st March, 1917.
Ruskin Burritt Cranwell. Dated 24th March, 1917.
Kenneth Francis Petrie. Dated 24th March, 1917.

Thomas Joseph Rowley. Dated 2nd April, 1917.
Edward Guthrie Currie. Dated 2nd April, 1917.
Garnet Stafford Gresham. Dated 2nd April, 1917.
Percy Frank Phillips. Dated 19th April, 1917.
Thomas Bryan Riordan. Dated 19th April, 1917.
William Robert Reyburn. Dated 19th April, 1917.
Edmund Louis Renton. Dated 19th April, 1917.
Harry Wilfred Swinburn. Dated 19th April, 1917.
Eric Spencer Bayley. Dated 19th April, 1917.
Howard Edward Jackson. Dated 21st April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND VETERINARY CORPS.

Frederick Crossley, M.R.C.V.S., to be Captain. Dated 17th April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The undermentioned to be Chaplains to the Forces, 4th Class:—

The Reverend Cyril Herbert Harvey. Dated 20th April, 1917.
The Reverend James Rarity Young. Dated 23rd April, 1917.

The commission granted the Reverend John Henderson Mackenzie, Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, is cancelled. Dated 24th April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND ARMY NURSING SERVICE.

Ethel Lewis to be Staff Nurse. Dated 19th April, 1917.

UNATTACHED LIST (a).

The appointment of Captain Harry Stephen Winthrop lapses. Dated 13th April, 1917.

UNATTACHED LIST (b).

Lieutenant John William Stevenson resigns his commission. Dated 12th April, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant James Wylie Smellie is transferred to the 10th (North Otago) Regiment. Dated 12th April, 1917.

The undermentioned appointments are confirmed:—

2nd Lieutenant (on probation) Ferdinand John Coe.
2nd Lieutenant (on probation) John Edgar Wade.
2nd Lieutenant (on probation) Ernest John Amos.

2nd Lieutenant Frederick William Blennerhassett resigns his commission. Dated 5th April, 1917.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants (temp.):—

John Dash. Dated 29th March, 1917.
William Osric Robert Gilling. Dated 10th April, 1917.
Percy William Hargreaves. Dated 10th April, 1917.

GENERAL LIST.

Captain Robert Charles Smith, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength and absorbed, with his original rank and seniority—viz., Captain, as from 11th February, 1915 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* of 22nd April, 1915.) Dated 16th May, 1917.

Lieutenant Andrew Melville Jameson, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength and absorbed, with his original rank and seniority—viz., 2nd Lieutenant, as from 16th September, 1915 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 107, of 21st September, 1916). Dated 16th May, 1917.

Lieutenant Percy Alexander Spurdle, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength and absorbed, with his original rank and seniority—viz., 2nd Lieutenant, as from 1st November, 1915 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 128, of 11th November, 1915). Dated 17th May, 1917.

Sergeant William Benzie, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 1st March, 1916.

2nd Lieutenant William Benzie, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength and absorbed, with his original rank and seniority—viz., 2nd Lieutenant, as from 1st March, 1916. Dated 17th May, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant Alfred Armstrong Edward Pennefather, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength and absorbed, with his original rank and seniority—viz., 2nd Lieutenant, as from 29th April, 1916 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 54, of 4th May, 1916). Dated 17th May, 1917.

Sergeant James Macrae, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 26th August, 1916.

2nd Lieutenant James Macrae, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength and absorbed, with his original rank and seniority—viz., 2nd Lieutenant, as from 26th August, 1916. Dated 17th May, 1917.

Sergeant David Darcy Dun, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 26th August, 1916.

2nd Lieutenant David Darcy Dun, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength and absorbed, with his original rank and seniority—viz., 2nd Lieutenant, as from 26th August, 1916. Dated 17th May, 1917.

Sergeant George Bickerton Fisher to be 2nd Lieutenant, and is attached for duty to the New Zealand Army Service Corps at Featherston Camp. Dated 19th September, 1916.

MEMORANDUM.

The commission granted Captain James Frank Percival Howden, N.Z. Garrison Artillery (Reserve of Officers), lapses, under the provisions of paragraph 85, General Regulations, and he retains the rank of Captain, N.Z. Forces Motor Service Corps (Motor-boat Section), with seniority as from 29th July, 1915.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 4th May, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve of the award of a Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration to

Lieutenant-Colonel ALEXANDER EDWARD STEWART, 14th (South Otago) Regiment,

he having a total rank and commissioned service to the 31st March, 1917, entitling him thereto of twenty-seven years three hundred and fifty-six days.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of Long-service and Good-conduct Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 30th April, 1917.

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

No. 873, Staff Sergeant NEIL QUINN, R.N.Z.A.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Notice respecting Proposed Drainage District, Lower Mangapiko, County of Waipa.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 7th May, 1917.

IT is hereby notified that a petition has been presented to His Excellency the Governor, under the Land Drainage Act, 1908, praying that the area described in the Schedule hereto may be constituted a drainage district under the said Act, by name of the Drainage District of Lower Mangapiko. All persons affected are hereby called upon to lodge any written objections to or petitions against the constitution of the said drainage district which they desire to lodge within one month from the first publication of this notice, such objections or petitions to be addressed to the Minister of Internal Affairs, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF BOUNDARIES OF PROPOSED DRAINAGE DISTRICT OF LOWER MANGAPIKO.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District bounded by a line commencing at a point on the Paterangi-Ngaroto Road, being the south-western corner of Ngaroto Drainage District; thence along the southern boundaries of Ngaroto and Rotomanuka Drainage Districts, the south-western boundary of Tuatamoana Drainage District, the western boundary of Upper Mangapiko Drainage District, and the northern boundary of Mangahoe Drainage District to the Borough of Te Awamutu, and along the northern and western boundaries of that borough to the south-eastern corner of Allotment 243, Mangapiko Parish; thence along the main Te Awamutu-Pirongia Road to the junction of roads on the south-western boundary of Allotment 251, Mangapiko Parish, and along the road passing Allotments 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 266, 267, 268, 278, 280, 282, 284, 286, 288, 290, and 292, and northerly along the eastern boundary of the Township of Pirongia to and along Kane Street to Franklin Street, northerly along Franklin Street to and across the Mangapiko Stream; thence to and along the road forming the north-western boundary of Allotment 100, Mangapiko Parish, and along the road passing Allotments 89,

91, 92, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 121, 122, 153, 133, 134, and 135 to the south-western boundary of Ngaroto Drainage District, the place of commencement.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

By-laws of the Tinwald Town Board confirmed under the By-laws Act, 1910.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 4th May, 1917.

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of by-laws made by the Tinwald Town Board on the 31st day of July, 1914.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION.

In pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the above-written by-laws, and declare that the same came into force on the 10th day of August, 1914.

Dated this 4th day of May, 1917.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 7th May, 1917.

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of by-laws made by the Thames Borough Council on the 31st day of August, 1916.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION.

In pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the within-written by-laws, and declare that the same came into force on the 1st day of October, 1916.

Dated this 7th day of May, 1917.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Blocks I, II, V, and VI, Pukaumanu Survey District, for the Purposes of a Road and Gravel-pit.

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

SCHEDULE.

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

			FOR ROAD.
A.	R.	P.	Portion of
6	3	37.2	Rangitoto-Tuhua 26F No. 2c, Blocks I and II; coloured red.
16	0	5.4	Rangitoto-Tuhua 35G No. 2, Blocks II and VI; coloured purple.

FOR GRAVEL-PIT.

3	0	20	Rangitoto-Tuhua 26F No. 2c, Blocks I and V; coloured edged red.
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Situated in Pukaumanu Survey District (S.O. 17413A). In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42111, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 2nd day of May, 1917.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Amending Regulations made by the Public Service Commissioner for the Examination of Draughtsmen of the Lands and Survey Department.

IN pursuance and exercise of the authority conferred on him by the Public Service Act, 1912, the Public Service Commissioner, with the approval of the Governor in Council, doth hereby revoke the regulations relating to the examination of draughtsmen for a certificate of competency, made on the twenty-fifth day of June and twenty-fourth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the ninth day of July and twenty-seventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, respectively, and doth substitute for them the regulations hereinafter set forth.

Such substituted regulations shall have effect from and after the date of publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, and shall form the conditions governing the promotion of officers of the computing and draughting staffs of the Lands and Survey Department.

REGULATIONS.

DEFINITION.—“Commissioner” means the Commissioner appointed under the Public Service Act, 1912.

1. Examinations (limited to officers of the Lands and Survey Department) for certificate of competency as Computer and Draughtsman, as the subjects of Computations and Draughting are practised and understood in the Department of Lands and Survey, shall be held yearly in or about the month of August, at such times and places as the Commissioner may appoint; provided that a sufficient number of candidates for examination shall have sent in applications before the 1st day of June preceding to sit for examination.

2. The examiner or examiners shall be such person or persons as the Commissioner shall from time to time determine.

3. There shall be separate papers for and separate certificates issued in connection with each subject.

4. (1.) The certificate obtainable in each examination shall be of three grades, viz. :—

1st Grade: Qualifying for a salary exceeding £260 per annum.

2nd Grade: Qualifying for a salary exceeding £165 per annum.

Elementary: Qualifying for the position of Assistant Draughtsman and a salary exceeding £95 per annum.

(2.) Notwithstanding anything in the foregoing provisions of this regulation, an officer who has obtained a second-grade certificate in each of the subjects of Computations and Draughting as aforesaid shall be qualified to receive a salary exceeding £260 per annum.

(3.) Nothing in these regulations shall be so construed as to entitle an officer to claim as of right any salary which he may be qualified to receive by virtue of these regulations, or so as to deprive an officer of any qualification to receive a salary of more than £260 per annum which he had acquired before the date of these regulations coming into force; provided that an officer who has obtained a partial pass in the Public Service Senior Examination shall, if he completes such examination before the 31st day of March, 1918, be exempted from further examination under these regulations.

(4.) Each candidate passing the examination to the satisfaction of the Commissioner shall be entitled to a certificate accordingly.

5. The syllabus for the examinations shall be as set out in the Schedules hereto.

6. In order to obtain a first-grade certificate in Computing, a candidate must gain not less than the following percentages in the subjects set out in Schedule A, viz. :—

In subjects Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 5, 70 per cent.

In subjects Nos. 6 and 7, 60 per cent.

In subjects Nos. 4, 8, and 9, 50 per cent.

And not less than 75 per cent. of the total possible maximum of marks assignable on the whole paper.

In order to obtain a second-grade certificate in Computing, a candidate must gain not less than the following percentages in the subjects set out in Schedule A, viz. :—

In subjects Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, 50 per cent.

And not less than 60 per cent. of the total possible maximum of the marks assignable on the whole paper required for this grade.

Subjects Nos. 6, 7, 8, and 9 are not required for this grade.

7. In order to obtain a first-grade certificate in Draughting, a candidate must gain not less than the following percentages in the subjects set out in Schedule B, viz. :—

In subject No. 1 (plans), 80 per cent.

In each subject of the written examination, 75 per cent.

And not less than 80 per cent. of the total possible maximum of marks assignable on the whole of the paper.

In order to obtain a second-grade certificate in Draughting, a candidate must gain not less than the following percentages in the subjects set out in Schedule B, viz. :—

In subjects Nos. 1 (plans), 2, and 4, 50 per cent.

In subject No. 3, 40 per cent.

And not less than 55 per cent. of the total possible maximum of marks assignable on the whole paper.

8. In addition to the foregoing requirements of these regulations, a candidate for a certificate of competency under these regulations must gain not less than 50 per cent. in a paper on General Departmental Knowledge.

9. In order to obtain the elementary certificate, a candidate must gain not less than 33 per cent. in each of the subjects Nos. 1, 2, and 3 of the Computation paper, and Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4 of the Draughting paper.

10. Exemption in subject No. 1 of the Computers examination shall be granted to any officer who has passed in mathematics, including trigonometry, for the Public Service Entrance Examination or for the Matriculation Examination of the New Zealand University.

11. If a candidate sitting for the elementary or second-grade of the examination obtains the percentage of marks required for a higher grade in any subject, he shall thereafter receive exemption from that subject in his subsequent examinations or re-examination.

12. Should a candidate fail to pass the examination in not more than two subjects, he may be allowed to sit again to complete the examination in which he has failed, at one or both of the two succeeding examinations, but will not be allowed any further supplementary examination. Should he at a later date present himself, he must take the whole examination again, provided that if he passes in subject No. 1 (plans) in the Draughting examination at any stage he will not be required to pass in it again for that stage.

13. Applications must be made on the prescribed form as hereunder, which shall be received by the Surveyor-General not later than the 1st day of April in any year :—

APPLICATION FOR EXAMINATION.

Under the Public Service Commissioner's Regulations.

To the Surveyor-General, Government Buildings, Wellington.

I, [Full name], hereby give you notice that I desire to sit for examination for a first-grade [or second-grade, or elementary] certificate of competency in Computing [or Draughting] under the above-mentioned regulations at the examination to be held at about June, 19

[Date.]

[Signature.]

[Address.]

NOTE.—This form should be posted so as to reach the Surveyor-General on or before the 1st day of April, and should be sent direct by the candidate.

SYLLABUS.

14. The scope of the examinations is generally set out in the following syllabus, but is not necessarily confined thereto, nor to the subjects dealt with in the text-books suggested for the guidance of officers.

Schedule A.—Computations.

(1.) Elementary theory in plane and analytical trigonometry: The trig. ratios and definitions, supplements and complements of an angle, relationships between the trig. ratios, two angles and their ratios. Trigonometrical equations, right-angled triangles, oblique-angled triangles, and solutions of the cases. (50 marks.)

(2.) Elementary practice: A traverse line; co-ordinates; what they are. Theory of closure. A closed polygon. Rule for elimination of error in co-ordinates.

Areas of triangles and area of trapezoids, with examples of methods of obtaining. Areas by calculation from co-ordinates. Logarithms (common) of natural numbers, theory of. Logarithms of trig. functions. (50 marks.)

(3.) Practical examples: Opposite sides of roads. Intersection of section lines and road; crossing of roads. Bearing and distance from co-ordinates of two points, with diagram of the triangle involved; calculation and closure of a traverse. Area of enclosed polygon by calculation. Area of irregular portion from offsets by calculation. (50 marks.)

(4.) Instruments: Planimeter, polar and rolling (diagram of the figure mechanically traced by each; mathematical formula for area of each figure); function of the measuring-roller; relationship of roller and arms of instruments; unit of measurement engraved on roller, and relationship to length of tracer-arm.

Line of slipping (without rolling), datum circle and constant, pole within figure; position of figure measured in relation to datum circle.

Pantograph: Relation of tracer, pencil, and fulcrum. Geometrical figures on which instrument is based; how to find scales not marked on instrument. The suspended pantograph.

Eidograph: Relation of tracer, pencil, and fulcrum. Geometrical figures on which instrument is based. Rule for setting instrument readings. (75 marks.)

(5.) Measurements in the field: Reduction for slope, sag, and temperature; check chainage, standard traverse, limit of error; relationship of limit of error to area-limit. Methods of keeping a field-book. (50 marks.)

Computations, Advanced.

(6.) Observations of trig. angles, methods followed by observers in the field, desirable conditions in field, repetition under different circumstances, micrometer and level readings and corrections, number of readings. The deduced angles. Criteria for rejection of observations, least square adjustments. Base measurements. Elasticity and expansion of tapes. Catenary curve of suspended tape. Temperature corrections. (75 marks.)

(7.) Triangulation: Adjustment of a triangle and of a polygon, practical example of; adjustment of quadrilateral and practical example. Breaking down by ray trace; practical example. Circuit and true meridian. Convergence. Comparison of meridian on boundaries of circuits. Spherical excess. (50 marks.)

(8.) Latitudes, longitudes, and azimuth: Spheroidal earth, compression, ellipticity; definitions; computation of a latitude from tables of geodetic factors, computation from earth's axis, &c.; geodetic and astronomical latitude. Azimuth of a line at each end; computation of the great-circle length and bearing between two distant places. Computation of longitude and convergence. Computation of geographical co-ordinates for projection on a polyconic projection. Conic, polyconic, and rectangular projection compared. Classes into which projections fall; equal areas; representation of straight lines, of great circles, and shortest distances. (50 marks.)

Elementary Practical Astronomy.

(9.) Time; sidereal, solar, mean, civil, astronomical: Relation between longitude and time. Relation between sidereal time, right ascension, and hour angle. Relation between sidereal and mean time. Standard time. Civil and astronomical dates. Equation of time, acceleration and retardation.

Latitude, zenith, nadir, horizon, rational and apparent horizons, vertical circle, almucantars, poles, equator, hour circles, parallels of declination, meridian, prime vertical, ecliptic, equinoxes. Relation between zenith, altitude of pole, and latitude. Relation between latitude declination, and altitude of a star. The astronomical triangle.

Observed altitudes of a heavenly body; corrections required to obtain true altitude. The simpler methods of obtaining latitude and time applicable to theodolites of 5 in. to 8 in. size.

Azimuth, true bearing, referring-mark. Methods of observing for azimuth with above instruments. Sun and star azimuths. Solar attachment. Use of nautical almanac, star catalogues, and star maps.

Practical examples in all the foregoing. (50 marks.)

Suggested Text-books.

Elementary Trigonometry ...	Hamblin Smith. Locke.
Planimeters ...	Surveying, by Johnson and Smith.
Pantograph ...	”
” ...	”
Suspended Pantograph ...	Drawing Instruments, Stanley.
Limits of Error and Length Relation ...	Coradi Instructions.
Relation ...	<i>The Surveyor</i> for September, 1905.
	Cadet's Manual.
Precise Surveying and Geodesy	Merriman.
Hints to Travellers ...	Royal Geographical Society.
Practical Astronomy ...	Hosmer.
Departmental Manuals.	
Text-book of Topographical Surveying ...	Close.

Schedule B.—Draughtsmanship.

(1.) The candidate shall lodge, not less than seven days before the examination,—

- (a.) A working-plot of rural sections, drawn to a scale of 10 chains to an inch, not less than 2 square miles in area.
- (b.) A town plan illustrating standard and Land Transfer work, on a scale of not less than 2 chains to an inch.
- (c.) A plan of a railway and road (or water-race), according to regulations, representing a plan of land to be taken under the Public Works Act.
- (d.) A map in black and white for reduction to half-scale by photo-lithography, the work on which shall cover not less than 15 in. square, half the area being covered with plain sectional detail and half with topographical drawing in any style suitable for the above method of reproduction.

(150 marks.)

The above plans shall each be certified to by some responsible officer of the Department as being the applicant's own work.

Materials.

(2.) The drawing-paper—its composition, best components, adulterations, characteristics of the best quality. Composition of second-class papers, bleaching, chemical bleaching, fibre of paper, sizing, effect of damp, mildew, effect of erasure, methods of erasure, chemical erasure, methods and precautions, restoring surface of erasures. Storing of paper.

The surfaces of paper, characteristics of each, purposes for which most suitable or not suitable. Mounted paper, advantages and drawbacks of. Mounting paper, the best mountant; sourness of paste; preservatives, their effect on colours, &c.; effects of bad or adulterated paste.

Stretching paper on drawing-board, method of; advantages of; result of over-damping paper in doing so.

The colours, vegetable, animal, mineral, and chemical. respective permanence. Permanent, fugitive, and intermediate classes of colours; meaning of “fugitive”; causes of lack of permanence or fading of colours; action of light; impure atmosphere; chemical interaction. Bleaching out colour with chemicals; which colours are insusceptible; effect of doing so on paper substance. Liquid colours, waterproof colours; circumstances under which they may be used; drawbacks to use of. Waterproofing ordinary colours with bichromate of potash, how this acts. Best paper surfaces for colouring; overcoming greasiness of surface; oxgall, soap; drawbacks of latter. Transfer-paper, making of.

India ink, characteristics of the best; grain, fracture, colour; difference of fresh and stale ink.

Lettering and figuring: Principal styles used in survey draughting; names and characters and principal uses; best proportions. Spacing methods. Designing of titles on maps.

Hill work, vertical hachure, contour-lines, form-lines, difference between these latter; wash methods; conventional lighting; steep hills, precipices, rolling country, plains. (50 marks.)

Instruments.

(3.) The pencil, the pencil-point, drawing a straight line with; soft and hard pencil lines; inking over.

The pen, the drawing-pen, best pattern of; point of pen, use of pen, holding of pen, cleaning pen. The straight-edge, testing of, care of; cutting-edge, ruling-edge. The parallel ruler, sliding, rolling, care of, testing of. Compasses, the different kinds of, and their purposes. The compass joint, and the compass-points.

The scales, measuring with; are not rulers; testing of. Offset scales, plotting scales, diagonal scales, vernier scales, marquois scales, scales of equal parts, logarithmic scales. Artificial and natural units, definitions, translation from each to each.

Protractors, purpose of, rectangular, circular, vernier.

The drawing-board, ebony edge; warping and preventives.

The pantograph and eidograph; interrelation of fulcrum, tracer, and pencil-point; positions when reducing or enlarging; rule for setting eidograph; to find scales not on pantograph.

The planimeter, fixed and rolling patterns and Coradi compensating pattern; rule for areas on different scales; what unit is the result given in; point in centre and the figure on the weight. (50 marks.)

Practice.

(4.) Drawing a straight line, drawing a very long one, producing a line accurately. Drawing a right angle accurately in middle of a line, at end of a line.

Purpose of maps, selection of a projection, and principles governing the selection. The graticule, method of laying it down, purpose of the graticule (*a*) in a rectangular system, (*b*) in a curvilinear system of projection. Plotting by rectangular co-ordinates, by geographical co-ordinates, by protractor, by the natural functions of angles.

The field-book, methods of keeping, exercises in reading and the plotting from.

Scaling lines, use of pricker, parallax of edge of scale, plotting to scale on shrunk or expanded paper, laying down scales on artificial and natural scale for the same map.

Enlarging and reducing a map by pantograph or eidograph, by plotting, by other methods—*i.e.*, photography, radial scaling, elastic band, &c.

Reproduction of maps by photography, outlined sketch of process; character of original required. (50 marks.)

Schedule C.—General Departmental Knowledge.

Administrative divisions of New Zealand—*i.e.*, Land districts, names of centres of; field staff, indoor staff.

Functions of Department: Survey and settlement of land; land and forest and reserves administrations. Acts administered by Department.

Details of practice and procedures in work of departmental branches (Land Transfer, Native, Statutory, Titles, &c.).

Organization of Department and duties of officers: Permanent Head; technical head; clerical staff, computing staff, draughting staff; maps controlled by draughting staff, the public maps, lithograph maps, county index or tenure maps, sale-plans, professional maps, the working plan and field-book, semi-public maps.

Departmental map indexes, the record map. Crown grant, Land Transfer, and road Record maps are not public maps, but office indexes only.

Kinds of surveys—trig., topo., towns, settlement, Land Transfer, Public Works, roads, and railways. Districts required for survey and mapping purposes; meridional circuits; survey districts; survey blocks; irregular or old districts; system of plotting required by departmental regulations; true bearing, magnetic bearing, variation, the unit of length.

The working plan and field-book, their supreme importance, unique value as evidence, basis of title, of reproduction of boundaries, consequent care in preservation and handling; copies valueless as evidence, foundation of subsequent transactions of the Department.

The regulations generally; knowledge of storing of maps in safe; portfolios *v.* drawers. (50 marks.)

SUGGESTED TEXT-BOOKS.

Survey Cadets Manual, Part I	...	Department.
Proportions and Spacing of Roman Lettering	...	"
Chemistry of Paints and Painting...	...	A. H. Church.
Modern Water-colour Pigments, No. 43	...	Winsor and Newton.
Drawing Instruments	...	Stanley.
Mathematical Instruments	...	Heather.
Text-book, Topo. Surveying*	...	Close.
Topographical Drawing and Sketching*	...	H. A. Reed.
Maps, their Uses and Construction	...	Morrison.
Surveying, Theory and Practice*	...	Johnson and Smith.

* Chapters only.

As witness my hand this thirteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

D. ROBERTSON,
Public Service Commissioner.

In pursuance of the provisions of the Public Service Act, 1912, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, approves the foregoing regulations.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

Approved in Council this twenty-fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

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

Amendments and Additions to the Regulations under the Public Service Act, 1912.

IN pursuance and exercise of the authority conferred on him by the Public Service Act, 1912 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), the Commissioner, with the approval of the Governor in Council, doth hereby, in respect of the regulations made under the said Act on the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and the amendments thereof, make the amendments shown in the Schedule hereto, and doth also make the additional regulations set forth in the said Schedule.

Such amendments and additional regulations shall, except as hereinafter otherwise provided, have effect from and after the date of the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

REGULATION No. 164 is hereby revoked, and the following regulation inserted in lieu thereof:—

LIMITATION OF CHOICE OF APPOINTMENTS.

164. Appointments will be made according to the order of merit in the list of applicants who have passed the Entrance Examination: Provided that if any person is available and otherwise eligible who has at any time passed the Civil Service Senior Examination, or the examination hereinafter called the Senior Examination, or the Matriculation Examination of the New Zealand University, although in any of these cases he may not have passed the Entrance Examination, he shall take precedence over candidates who have

passed the Entrance Examination only. Every applicant for examination shall state in his application whether he is willing to accept appointment—

- (a.) In any part of New Zealand in which a vacancy may occur, or only in some particular part of New Zealand:
- (b.) In any Department of the Public Service in which a vacancy may occur, or only in some particular Department or Departments.

As witness my hand this sixteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

D. ROBERTSON,
Public Service Commissioner.

In pursuance of the provisions of the Public Service Act, 1912, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, approves the foregoing regulations.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

Approved in Council this twenty-fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

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

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 3rd May, 1917.

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

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Acting Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF PALMERSTON NORTH.

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

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Palmerston North was taken on the 28th day of March, 1917, on the proposal of the Palmerston North Borough Council to borrow the sum of £4,000 for the purpose of purchasing sections in North Street for a public park and constructing a road at the Esplanade.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 564, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 254.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 11th day of April, 1917.

J. A. NASH, Mayor.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 3rd May, 1917.

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

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Acting Minister of Finance.

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The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 638, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 186.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 11th day of April, 1917.

J. A. NASH, Mayor.

Result of Road Board Election.

Department of Internal Affairs,

Wellington, 4th May, 1917.

THE following notice of the election of members of a Road Board has been received at this office, and is published in accordance with the provisions of the Road Boards Act, 1908.

J. HISLOP,
Under-Secretary.

Suburban North Road Board, County of Waimea—

John Corder.
Ernest W. Fr.st.
B. F. Weller.

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

Wellington, 1st May, 1917.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the Chairman, not later than 4 p.m. on Tuesday, the 22nd May, 1917, for the supply and delivery at Tauranga, Whangarei, Mangapai or Opua, and Blenheim, of cement, lime, drainpipes, bricks, &c., for the year ending 30th June, 1918.

Forms and conditions of tender may be obtained at the offices of the Public Works Department, Tauranga, Whangarei, Auckland, and Blenheim, or at the office of the Secretary to the Board, Post and Telegraph Stores, Wellington.

J. ORCHISTON,
Chairman.

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

Wellington, 4th May, 1917.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the Chairman, not later than 4 p.m. on Tuesday, the 22nd May, 1917, for the supply and delivery at Auckland, Christchurch, Dunedin, Wellington, Gisborne, Wanganui, Napier, Stratford, New Plymouth, Nelson, Greymouth, and Invercargill of bricks, cement, lime, disinfectants, drainpipes, ironmongery, oils, spirits, and other stores required by the New Zealand Government, for the period ending 30th June, 1918.

Forms and conditions of tender for all places except New Plymouth and Wellington may be obtained at the local offices of the Public Works Department. At New Plymouth the forms may be obtained at the Chief Post-office, and at Wellington at the office of the Secretary to the Board, Post and Telegraph Stores.

J. ORCHISTON,
Chairman.

Exports.—Weekly.

RETURN of PRINCIPAL EXPORTS of NEW ZEALAND PRODUCE from the Dominion during the Week ended Tuesday, 8th May, 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	1,391	123,297	395	16,206	21,619	..
Kaipara .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tauranga .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gisborne	6,422	..	..	25,291	3,609	..
New Plymouth .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waitara .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Patea .. .. .	..	254,762	4,465	968	8,665	..
Wanganui .. .. .	..	20	180	3,454	3,003	..
Wellington .. .. .	..	41,712	23,125	30,776	19,152	..
Napier .. .. .	..	13,998	6,304	4,831	..	..
Wairau (including Picton)..	..	3,353	11,996	3,348	..	..
Nelson .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Westport .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hokitika .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton .. .. .	..	1,456	..	..	2,885	..
Timaru	43	..	..	..	..	..
Oamaru	3,733	..	2,513	10,469	..	..
Dunedin .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invercargill .. .. .	..	8	591	2,000	46,914	..
Totals	11,589	433,606	49,569	97,343	105,847	..

Districts.*	Grain and Pulse.	Hides and Skins.	Kauri-gum.	Phormium (including Tow).	Tallow.	Timber.	Wool.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland	106	9,110	19,914	8,014	4,867	7,375	106,010
Kaipara .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tauranga .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gisborne .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1,294	..	39,731
New Plymouth .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waitara .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Patea .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wanganui .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3,023	..	3,445
Wellington	1,771	15,328	..	2,685	5,883	..	66,930
Napier .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,679
Wairau (including Picton)..	1,965	..	..	2,668	882	..	10,480
Nelson .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,598
Westport .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1,009	..
Hokitika .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton	868	11,155	..	195	..	..	115
Timaru .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	11,590
Oamaru .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dunedin	138	..	..	..	2,025	..	14,382
Invercargill .. .. .	..	..	..	579	821	..	63,572
Totals	4,848	35,593	19,914	14,141	18,800	8,384	324,532

Customs Department,
Wellington, 9th May, 1917.

W. B. MONTGOMERY,
Comptroller of Customs

Immigration and Emigration Returns.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of APRIL, 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	288	87	19	24	418	67	..	..	..	67
Australian Commonwealth	360	335	57	48	800	737	623	80	60	1,500
British South Africa	6	4	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	..
Cook Islands	1	..	..	..	1	9	6	3	1	19
Fiji	27	26	6	4	63	30	42	9	10	91
Canada	26	17	..	4	47	15	10	1	1	27
United States	8	3	2	1	14	7	2	..	1	10
Hawaii	7	5	..	..	12	7	2	..	..	9
Samoa	47	7	..	1	55	59	9	..	..	68
Foreign Pacific Islands (undefined)	90	4	4	2	100	10	7	1	1	19
Totals, April, 1917	860	488	88	84	1,520	941	701	94	74	1,810
Totals, April, 1916	998	503	83	100	1,684	1,387	943	143	119	2,592

The excess of the departures from New Zealand over the arrivals therein during the month of April, 1917, was therefore 290 persons, as against 908 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	645	89	485	249	734	703	99	388	414	802
Wellington	703	83	463	323	786	831	55	604	282	886
Invercargill .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	108	14	43	79	122
Totals, April, 1917	1,348	172	948	572	1,520	1,642	168	1,035	775	1,810
Totals, April, 1916	1,501	183	1,081	603	1,684	2,330	262	1,530	1,062	2,592
CHINESE (included above).										
Arrivals.					Departures.					
			Males.	Females.				Males.	Females.	
At Auckland			4	..	From Wellington			29	..	
" Wellington			17	..						
			21	..						

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, 7th May, 1917.

MALCOLM FRASER,
Government Statistician.

Population of the Dominion.

RETURN of the Estimated Population of the Dominion of New Zealand on the 31st March, 1917.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Estimated population (exclusive of Maoris, also Cook and other Pacific Islands), on 31st December, 1916	550,033	550,125	1,100,158
Increase during March quarter, 1917—			
By excess of births over deaths	2,203	2,569	4,772
By excess of immigration over emigration (including members of Expeditionary Forces)	-4,463*	294	-4,169*
Estimated population (exclusive of Maoris and residents of Cook and other Pacific Islands) on 31st March, 1917	547,773	552,988	1,100,761
Maori population, Census, 1911	26,475	23,369	49,844
Population of Cook and other Pacific Islands, Census, 1911	6,449	6,149	12,598
Total estimated population of the Dominion on 31st-March, 1917	580,697	582,506	1,163,203

* Decrease—Excess of emigration over immigration.

Census and Statistics Office,
Wellington, 7th May, 1917.

MALCOLM FRASER,
Government Statistician.

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 31st March, 1917, and for the corresponding period 1916:—

WHANGAREI SECTION.				GISBORNE SECTION—continued.			
		1917.	1916.			1917.	1916.
		No.	No.			Tons.	Tons.
PASSENGERS,—				GOODS—continued.			
1st Class	.. ..	2,074	1,512	Timber .. ..	.. ..	1,088	1,802
2nd Class	.. ..	12,937	10,550	Minerals .. ..	.. ..	2,255	1,713
Total	.. ..	14,911	12,062	Other Goods .. ..	.. ..	1,145	1,050
Season Tickets	.. ..	102	96	Total	.. ..	4,488	4,565
GOODS,—		No.	No.	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Cattle .. ..	.. ..	997	381	Passengers .. ..	.. ..	646 9 6	617 15 1
Calves .. ..	.. ..	37	1	Parcels .. ..	.. ..	109 5 6	109 13 6
Sheep .. ..	.. ..	3,803	3,255	Goods .. ..	.. ..	1,536 6 3	1,705 2 2
Pigs .. ..	.. ..	22	37	Miscellaneous .. ..	.. ..	23 13 6	3 3 8
Total	.. ..	4,859	3,674	Rents and Commission	.. ..	40 19 3	40 0 9
Timber .. ..	.. ..	Tons. 1,720	Tons. 4,453	Total .. ..	.. ..	£2,406 14 0	£2,475 15 2
Minerals .. ..	.. ..	5,000	9,711	NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.			
Other Goods	.. ..	1,984	1,541			1917.	1916.
Total	.. ..	8,704	15,705			No.	No.
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	PASSENGERS,—			
Passengers .. ..	.. ..	1,198 3 4	812 17 4	1st Class	.. ..	71,383	59,844
Parcels .. ..	.. ..	158 4 1	149 12 8	2nd Class	.. ..	572,016	506,876
Goods .. ..	.. ..	2,054 7 11	3,358 2 0	Total	.. ..	643,399	566,720
Miscellaneous .. ..	.. ..	23 17 6	56 16 10	Season Tickets	.. ..	16,547	17,304
Rents and Commission	.. ..	59 11 8	76 12 11	GOODS,—		No.	No.
Total .. ..	.. ..	£3,494 4 6	£4,454 1 9	Cattle .. ..	.. ..	21,554	17,480
				Calves .. ..	.. ..	3,928	3,270
				Sheep .. ..	.. ..	576,130	430,315
				Pigs .. ..	.. ..	18,200	20,831
				Total	.. ..	619,812	471,896
						Tons.	Tons.
						20,811	21,953
						63,149	56,669
						87,662	79,249
				Total	.. ..	171,622	157,871
				REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
				Passengers .. ..	.. ..	94,325 2 5	81,354 13 1
				Parcels .. ..	.. ..	11,198 9 6	9,017 1 11
				Goods .. ..	.. ..	118,239 5 2	106,438 19 10
				Miscellaneous .. ..	.. ..	7,300 4 10	13,302 13 11
				Rents and Commission	.. ..	2,518 7 1	1,960 17 7
				Total .. ..	.. ..	£233,581 9 0	£212,074 6 4
				SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.			
						1917.	1916.
						No.	No.
				PASSENGERS,—			
				1st Class	.. ..	55,037	51,014
				2nd Class	.. ..	277,008	265,420
				Total	.. ..	332,045	316,434
				Season Tickets	.. ..	8,796	9,015
				GOODS,—		No.	No.
				Cattle .. ..	.. ..	9,686	8,749
				Calves .. ..	.. ..	701	591
				Sheep .. ..	.. ..	675,937	557,661
				Pigs .. ..	.. ..	2,871	3,851
				Total	.. ..	689,195	570,852
						Tons.	Tons.
						11,078	11,724
						56,925	52,116
						139,249	108,141
				Total	.. ..	207,252	171,981
				REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
				Passengers .. ..	.. ..	44,772 18 5	40,091 3 4
				Parcels .. ..	.. ..	7,564 17 4	7,126 12 8
				Goods .. ..	.. ..	94,710 2 6	79,560 8 2
				Miscellaneous .. ..	.. ..	4,537 1 5	2,062 4 11
				Rents and Commission	.. ..	1,497 16 0	1,445 15 3
				Total .. ..	.. ..	£153,082 15 8	£130,286 4 4
KAIHU SECTION.				GISBORNE SECTION.			
		1917.	1916.			1917.	1916.
		No.	No.			No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—				PASSENGERS,—			
1st Class	.. ..	121	174	1st Class	.. ..	1,146	988
2nd Class	.. ..	1,830	2,103	2nd Class	.. ..	5,008	5,123
Total	.. ..	1,951	2,277	Total	.. ..	6,154	6,111
Season Tickets	.. ..	..	..	Season Tickets	.. ..	8	13
GOODS,—		No.	No.	GOODS,—		No.	No.
Cattle .. ..	.. ..	..	2	Cattle .. ..	.. ..	116	5
Calves .. ..	.. ..	..	..	Calves .. ..	.. ..	2	48
Sheep .. ..	.. ..	13	7	Sheep .. ..	.. ..	24,615	23,086
Pigs .. ..	.. ..	..	..	Pigs .. ..	.. ..	36	21
Total	.. ..	13	9	Total	.. ..	24,769	23,160
Timber .. ..	.. ..	Tons. 2,198	Tons. 1,559				
Minerals .. ..	.. ..	40	15				
Other Goods	.. ..	242	414				
Total	.. ..	2,480	1,988				
REVENUE.—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.				
Passengers .. ..	.. ..	135 15 1	122 16 0				
Parcels .. ..	.. ..	43 14 3	47 0 5				
Goods .. ..	.. ..	453 17 10	364 7 0				
Miscellaneous .. ..	.. ..	1 11 0	22 2 1				
Rents and Commission	.. ..	15 3 0	7 0 4				
Total .. ..	.. ..	£650 1 2	£563 5 10				

WESTLAND SECTION

	1917.	1916.
	No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—		
1st Class	2,609	2,804
2nd Class	19,054	19,926
Total	21,663	22,230
Season Tickets	694	494
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle	504	267
Calves	37	35
Sheep	4,078	4,725
Pigs	85	..
Total	4,704	5,027
Timber	Tons. 9,132	Tons. 7,833
Minerals	35,880	43,005
Other Goods	2,834	3,831
Total	47,846	54,669
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	2,046 16 2	1,914 17 4
Parcels	411 8 2	423 16 3
Goods	9,203 6 6	9,833 6 10
Miscellaneous	324 12 11	358 4 7
Rents and Commission	123 5 7	129 0 6
Total	£12,109 9 4	£12,709 5 6

WESTPORT SECTION.

	1917.	1916.
	No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—		
1st Class	168	120
2nd Class	6,184	5,194
Total	6,352	5,314
Season Tickets	79	43
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle .. ..	..	4
Calves	33	1
Sheep	60	40
Pigs .. ..	..	..
Total	93	45
Timber	Tons. 218	Tons. 153
Minerals	54,019	52,013
Other Goods	1,193	1,077
Total	55,430	53,243
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	432 19 9	361 4 8
Parcels	88 15 4	84 14 5
Goods	8,013 17 3	7,544 11 8
Miscellaneous	341 16 4	226 11 5
Rents and Commission	36 14 8	36 3 11
Total	£8,914 3 4	£8,253 6 1

NELSON SECTION.

	1917.	1916.
	No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—		
1st Class	1,888	1,664
2nd Class	9,004	7,727
Total	10,892	9,391
Season Tickets	22	16
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle	99	4
Calves	1	..
Sheep	3,627	7,248
Pigs	31	57
Total	3,758	7,309

NELSON SECTION—continued.

	1917.	1916.
	Tons.	Tons.
GOODS—continued.		
Timber	398	322
Minerals	604	690
Other Goods	2,398	2,130
Total	3,400	3,142
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	817 15 7	693 12 10
Parcels	128 17 11	124 19 4
Goods	1,801 15 1	1,868 16 6
Miscellaneous	450 11 7	187 10 0
Rents and Commission	37 5 8	36 12 10
Total	£3,236 5 10	£2,911 11 6

PICTON SECTION.

	1917.	1916.
	No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—		
1st Class	1,978	1,708
2nd Class	6,630	5,425
Total	8,608	7,133
Season Tickets	7	42
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle	70	5
Calves	131	150
Sheep	23,599	19,061
Pigs	15	17
Total	23,815	19,233
Timber	Tons. 46	Tons. 52
Minerals	458	482
Other Goods	6,277	4,034
Total	6,781	4,568
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	693 18 9	564 0 8
Parcels	144 17 7	109 5 11
Goods	2,192 4 11	1,473 13 3
Miscellaneous	200 15 7	356 10 2
Rents and Commission	54 0 6	42 1 11
Total	£3,285 17 4	£2,545 11 11

LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.

	1917.	1916.
	No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—		
1st Class	1,286	1,068
2nd Class	868	708
Total	2,154	1,771
Season Tickets .. ..	..	..
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle	32	23
Calves	19	..
Sheep	3,881	1,290
Pigs .. ..	..	..
Total	3,932	1,313
Timber	Tons. 12	Tons. 32
Minerals	190	130
Other Goods	232	274
Total	434	436
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	336 11 4	324 6 1
Parcels	96 4 3	76 0 5
Goods	277 7 0	227 5 10
Miscellaneous	Cr. 0 5 7	0 13 8
Rents and Commission	1 6 7	2 16 7
Total	£711 3 7	£631 2 7

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1916-17.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF TRAFFIC ON ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1916, to 31st March, 1917.

All Sections.			First-class Passengers.		Second-class Passengers.		Total.	Season Tickets.
			S.	R.	S.	R.		
1917	..	..	468,115	1,414,044	2,742,744	9,548,212	14,178,115	355,832
1916	..	..	463,532	1,395,812	2,872,006	9,470,156	14,201,506	330,622
Increase	..	..	4,583	18,232	..	78,056	..	25,210
Decrease	..	..	..	..	129,262	..	28,391	..

All Sections.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.	Timber.	Minerals.	Other Goods.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1917	359,955	42,314	7,106,174	163,370	7,672,313	579,423	2,787,523	2,459,314	5,826,265
1916	333,929	37,600	7,204,826	182,443	7,758,798	625,866	2,831,959	2,504,439	5,962,264
Increase	26,026	5,214	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Decrease	..	..	98,652	19,073	86,485	46,438	44,436	45,125	135,999

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 31st March, 1917.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period, Average to Date.								
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.						
NORTH ISLAND,—														
Whangarei ..	74	£ 3,494	s. d. 4 6	£ 53,965	s. d. 9 1	£ 2,973	s. d. 0 3	£ 34,920	s. d. 9 5	64.71	£ 729	s. d. 5 3	£ 471	s. d. 18 0
Kaihu ..	20	650	1 2	6,477	13 3	899	4 1	7,821	11 7	120.75	323	17 8	391	1 7
Gisborne ..	44	2,406	14 0	27,970	13 1	1,993	16 11	17,261	19 3	61.71	635	13 11	392	6 4
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,108	233,581	9 0	2,683,080	7 11	145,742	18 7	1,539,790	9 7	57.39	2,421	11 0	1,389	14 0
Total	1,246	240,132	8 8	2,771,494	3 4	151,608	19 10	1,599,794	9 10	57.72				
SOUTH ISLAND,—														
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,404	153,082	15 8	1,682,638	7 8	110,013	7 2	1,122,511	1 4	66.71	1,198	9 2	799	10 2
Westland ..	157	12,109	9 4	162,528	14 0	6,977	9 5	99,188	5 4	61.03	1,036	4 4	631	15 5
Westport ..	36	8,914	3 4	113,101	3 8	3,513	13 1	50,380	8 0	44.54	3,141	14 0	1,399	9 1
Nelson ..	61	3,236	5 10	34,019	0 0	2,297	6 3	26,231	12 3	77.11	557	13 9	430	0 6
Picton ..	56	3,285	17 4	29,844	0 7	2,409	2 9	22,156	12 8	74.24	532	18 7	395	13 1
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	711	3 7	7,184	4 4	531	1 10	6,601	10 3	91.89	..	..	..	..
Total	1,714	181,339	15 1	2,029,315	10 3	125,742	0 6	1,327,069	9 10	65.39				
Grand total	2,960	421,472	3 9	4,800,809	13 7	277,351	0 4	2,926,863	19 8	60.97				

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period, Average to Date.								
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.						
NORTH ISLAND,—														
Whangarei ..	74	£ 4,454	s. d. 1 9	£ 51,149	s. d. 17 5	£ 2,486	s. d. 18 7	£ 32,290	s. d. 3 2	63.13	£ 691	s. d. 4 3	£ 436	s. d. 7 1
Kaihu ..	20	563	5 10	5,834	2 6	590	4 11	5,569	17 9	94.66	294	4 1	278	9 11
Gisborne ..	44	2,475	15 2	28,777	16 10	1,311	7 6	18,228	2 10	63.34	654	0 10	414	5 6
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,108	212,074	6 4	2,503,216	10 4	119,521	17 2	1,528,832	16 1	61.07	2,269	8 5	1,386	0 11
Total	1,246	219,567	9 1	2,539,028	7 1	123,910	8 2	1,584,920	19 10	61.22				
SOUTH ISLAND,—														
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,404	130,286	4 4	1,618,740	3 8	85,126	18 10	1,122,910	7 7	69.37	1,152	19 0	799	15 10
Westland ..	157	12,709	5 6	162,735	9 2	6,500	19 1	97,431	3 7	59.87	1,036	10 7	620	11 7
Westport ..	36	8,253	6 1	108,452	5 1	3,504	13 2	52,182	16 5	48.12	3,012	11 3	1,449	10 3
Nelson ..	61	2,911	11 6	33,932	13 5	1,925	13 7	24,368	11 2	71.81	556	5 5	399	9 8
Picton ..	56	2,545	11 11	28,224	1 4	1,638	1 5	22,691	16 6	80.40	557	12 4	448	6 4
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	631	2 7	7,242	14 9	500	7 7	6,376	15 3	88.04	..	..	..	..
Total	1,714	157,337	1 11	1,959,327	7 5	99,196	13 8	1,325,961	10 6	67.67				
Grand total	2,960	376,904	11 0	4,548,355	14 6	223,107	1 10	2,910,882	10 4	64.00				

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION of RAILWAYS, ROLLING-STOCK, ETC., to 31st March, 1916, as furnished by Public Works Department and by Greymouth and Westport Harbour Boards respectively

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.		Cost of Unopened Lines.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Whangarei	760,095	0 0	124,909	0 0
Kaihu	99,962	0 0	17,194	0 0
Tauranga .. .. .	..	..	255,719	0 0
Gisborne	585,768	0 0	231,245	0 0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	15,049,532	0 0	821,396	0 0
South Island Main Lines and Branches	14,431,457	0 0	122,625	0 0
Westland	2,054,716	0 0	588,288	0 0
Westport	592,089	0 0	95,672	0 0
Nelson	542,171	0 0	35,189	0 0
Picton	672,439	0 0	14,981	0 0
Lake Wakatipu Steamer Service	43,708	0 0	..	..
In Suspense—				
Surveys, North Island .. .. .	..	..	35,701	0 0
Miscellaneous, North Island .. .. .	..	..	5,169	0 0
Surveys, South Island .. .. .	..	..	5,752	0 0
Miscellaneous, South Island .. .. .	..	..	5,168	0 0
P.W.D. Stock of Permanent-way .. .. .	..	..	118,190	0 0
W.R.D. Stock of A.O.L. Stores .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Totals	£34,857,882	0 0	£2,477,198	0 0

Railway Department, 7th May, 1917.

J. MACDONALD,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

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

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

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.
1	Allen or Allan, Bertram	Dunedin	Labourer	26/4/15	4/5/17	Intestate.
2	Bonsor, Eugene Alfred	Ingkeside, England	Clerk	11/4/15	4/5/17	..
3	Devenny, Francis	Napier	Coach-driver	28/7/16	30/4/17	..
4	Dove, Wilfred Ellis	Longbeach	Labourer	25/4/17	30/4/17	..
5	Knight, or Ward, or Moran, James	Howard, Hope, and Murchison	Miner	17/3/17	3/5/17	..
6	Macanergny, Bertram Patrick	Raetihi	Bushman	23/8/16	4/5/17	..
7	Marshall or Thomas, Gilbert	Wellington	Engineer	8/12/16	3/5/17	..
8	McIntyre, Alexander Frederick	Greymouth	Labourer	5/5/15	4/5/17	..
9	Patten, William John	Waihi	Miner	25/2/17	4/5/17	..
10	Pickering, John	Ashburton	Baker	16/6/16	30/4/17	..
11	Svenson, John	Morrison's Bush	Farm labourer	29/9/10	4/5/17	..
12	Thompson, John	Dunedin	Upholsterer	7/8/15	30/4/17	..
13	Turner, Arthur Morris	Tolaga Bay	Station hand	11/5/15	30/4/17	..

Wellington, 7th May, 1917.

FRED. FITCHETT, Public Trustee.

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

Land and Income Tax Department,
Wellington, 9th May, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the above Act and the regulations made thereunder, every person and company having derived income within the meaning of the said Act during the year ending 31st March, 1917, from any source or by any means which is made the subject of taxation under the said Act, is hereby required to make and furnish to me, in the prescribed form, returns of such income on or before the 1st day of June, 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.

D. G. CLARK,
Commissioner of Taxes.

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

SPECIAL NOTE.—Any person failing to furnish a return at the prescribed time is liable to a penalty up to £100.

Conscience-money received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1917.

THE Minister of Finance directs me to acknowledge the receipt of the sum of £1 3s. 6d., forwarded to the Railway Department by some person unknown, as conscience-money to the New Zealand Government.

G. F. C. CAMPBELL,
Secretary to the Treasury.

Surveyor licensed.

Surveyors' Board of New Zealand,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1917.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a license under the Surveyors' Institute and Board of Examiners Act, 1908, has been issued by the Surveyors' Board to the following surveyor:—

Surveyor. Address.
CHARLES JOHN DUNN Invercargill.

M. CROMPTON SMITH,
Secretary, Surveyors' Board.

Tenders for Indiarubber Goods.

Railway Department (Head Office),
Wellington, 4th May, 1917.

THE undermentioned tender-rates for the supply and delivery of indiarubber goods for the New Zealand Government Railways from 1st April, 1917, to 31st March, 1919, are published for general information.

E. H. HILEY,
General Manager, New Zealand Railways.

Contractor: THE COLONIAL RUBBER COMPANY (Limited),
40 Albert Street, Auckland.

SCHEDULE No. 1.

HOSE, INDIARUBBER, VULCANIZED, IN 30 FT. AND 60 FT. LENGTHS.

Quality: Colonial Rubber Company's Standard.

Item No.	Size, &c.	Description.	Rate per Foot.
1	$\frac{3}{4}$ in. x 1 ply	Delivery, for cold water ..	s. d. 0 3
2	$\frac{1}{2}$ in. x 3 ply	" " ..	0 5
3	$\frac{3}{4}$ in. x 3 ply	" " ..	0 6 $\frac{1}{2}$
4	1 in. x 6 ply	" " ..	1 1 $\frac{1}{2}$
5	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. x 6 ply	" " ..	1 6 $\frac{1}{2}$
6	$\frac{1}{2}$ in. x 3 ply	Armoured, delivery, for cold water	0 6
7	$\frac{3}{4}$ in. x 3 ply	Ditto	0 7
8	1 in. x 4 ply	"	1 0 $\frac{1}{2}$
9	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. x 5 ply	"	1 9 $\frac{1}{2}$
10	$\frac{1}{2}$ in. x 6 ply	Delivery, for air at 100 lb. working-pressure	0 9
11	$\frac{3}{4}$ in. x 6 ply	Ditto	1 2
12	$\frac{1}{2}$ in. x 3 ply	Armoured, delivery, for air at 100 lb. working-pressure	0 7 $\frac{1}{2}$
13	$\frac{3}{4}$ in. x 4 ply	Ditto	0 10 $\frac{1}{2}$

SCHEDULE No. 2.

INDIARUBBER SHEET AND INSERTION-SHEET, VULCANIZED, WHITE OR GREY.

Item No.	Description.	Quality.	Rate per Pound.
1	Indiarubber sheet ..	No. 200	s. d. 2 5
2	" insertion-sheet ..	No. 1g	1 0

Officiating Ministers for 1917.—Notice No. 16.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 9th May, 1917.

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

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.

Mr. EBENEZER SWINERD.

Roman Catholic Church.

The Reverend RICHARD HEGARTY.

Methodist Church of New Zealand.

Mr. JAMES HENRY ALLEN.

Mr. CYRIL BROWN.

Mr. THOMAS HERBERT BURTON.

Mr. NORMAN CHALLENGER.

The Reverend FRED COPELAND.

The Reverend FRED GREENWOOD.

The Reverend GEORGE W. JACKSON.

Mr. ALFRED ERNEST JEFFERSON.

Mr. FRANK C. PACE.

Mr. CHARLES JOHN PEAPLE.

Mr. W. RICHARDS.

Mr. WILLIAM WALLACE.

Unitarian Church.

The Reverend J. H. G. CHAPPLE.

[ERRATUM.—In Notice No. 1, page 305, *et seq.*, of Gazette of 25th January, 1917, under Methodist Church of New Zealand, for "The Reverend Brooks, Leslie A. G." read "Mr. Brooks, Leslie A. G."; for "Mr. Costain, Alfred M." read

"The Reverend Costain, Alfred M."; for "Mr. Nelson, John R." read "The Reverend Nelson, John R."; for "Mr. Dent, Tom" read "The Reverend Dent, Tom."]

W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.

Officiating Ministers for 1917.—Notice No. 17.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 9th May, 1917.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned names have been withdrawn from the list of Officiating Ministers by request:—

Methodist Church of New Zealand.

Mr. JAMES WILLIAM BAYLISS.

Mr. WESLEY BRATT.

Mr. FREDERICK GARDINER BROWN.

Mr. JOHN D. BURNAND.

Mr. JOHN H. COMBES.

Mr. JOHN COMMON.

Mr. JAMES CRAWFORD.

The Reverend MATTHEW J. EVANS.

The Reverend PAUL W. FAIRCLOUGH, F.R.A.S.

Mr. TOM FLOWER.

Mr. W. A. HITCHINSON.

Mr. HARRY STANLEY KINGS.

Mr. JAMES A. LAMOND.

Mr. JOHN OLIVER.

The Reverend CHARLES PENNEY.

Mr. PHILIP BRENTON STRONGMAN.

W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 37 of 1917.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—ERECTION OF BEACON OFF
ST. MARY'S BAY.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 7th May, 1917.

THE Auckland Harbour Board have notified that on and after 9th May, 1917, two single pile beacons surmounted by staff and cage, the whole painted black, will be displayed in the following positions off St. Mary's Bay, Ponsonby:—

Eastern Beacon.—Trig. Station, Stokes Point, 338 $\frac{1}{2}$ ° (N. 37° W. magnetic); Trig. Station, Watchman Island, 276 $\frac{1}{2}$ ° (S. 81° W. magnetic).

Western Beacon.—Trig. Station, Stokes Point, 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ ° (north magnetic); Trig. Station, Watchman Island, 266° (S. 80° W. magnetic).

Charts, &c., affected.—Admiralty Charts Nos. 2546, 1970, and 1896; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter ii, page 42; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac, 1917," plan facing page 244.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 38 of 1917.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 8th May, 1917.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Minister of State for Communications, Tokyo; the Governor, Balboa Heights; the Department of Navigation, Sydney; the Department of Ports and Harbours, Melbourne; the Harbour Board Offices, Adelaide; the Hydrographic Office, London; and the Hydrographic Office, Washington, are published for general information.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

CHINA.

SOUTH-EAST COAST.—KAP SING MUN APPROACH.—THE BROTHERS.—WRECK EASTWARD OF.

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about one mile eastward from the northern extremity of Motoe (East Brother) Island. Lat. 22° 20' 30" N., long. 114° E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of the French steamer "American," with mast showing above water.

JAPAN.

INLAND SEA.—SHIMONOSERI STRAIT APPROACH.—WRECK.—GAS-BUOY ESTABLISHED.

A green conical gas-buoy showing, 10 ft. above the water, an occulting green light every 8 seconds—thus, light 4 seconds,

eclipsed 4 seconds—visible 4 miles, has been established, in about 7 fathoms of water, to mark the wreck of the steamer "Daini Sakihana Maru," sunk in the eastern approach to Shimonoseki Strait, on the bearings—

He Saki Lighthouse	220°
Kanabuse beacon light	270°
Kanju Shima, southern extremity	313°

HONSHU.—GULF OF TOKYO.—FUNABASHI RADIO STATION.—
TIME-SIGNAL.

The Japanese Government has given notice that radio time-signals are sent out from Funabashi Radio Station daily except Sunday at 9 h. 00 m. 00 s., 9 h. 01 m. 00 s., 9 h. 02 m. 00 s., 9 h. 03 m. 00 s., and 9 h. 04 m. 00 s. p.m., standard mean time (135th meridian) corresponding to 0 h. 00 m. 00 s., 0 h. 01 m. 00 s., 0 h. 02 m. 00 s., 0 h. 03 m. 00 s., and 0 h. 04 m. 00 s. Greenwich mean time, respectively.

Each time impulse is preceded by a preparatory signal.

The preparatory signal preceding the first time impulse consists of a series of dashes beginning at 8 h. 59 m. 00 s. and continuing until 8 h. 59 m. 55 s. p.m. (135th meridian time).

The preparatory signal preceding the second time impulse consists of a series of dashes, each followed by a dot, thus (—.), beginning at 9 h. 00 m. 30 s. and continuing until 9 h. 00 m. 55 s. p.m. (135th meridian time).

The preparatory signal preceding the third time impulse consists of a series of dashes, each followed by two dots, thus (—.), beginning at 9 h. 01 m. 30 s. and continuing until 9 h. 01 m. 55 s. p.m. (135th meridian time).

The preparatory signal preceding the fourth time impulse consists of a series of dashes, each followed by three dots, thus (—...), beginning at 9 h. 02 m. 30 s. and continuing until 9 h. 02 m. 55 s. p.m. (135th meridian time).

The preparatory signal preceding the fifth time impulse consists of a series of dashes, each followed by four dots, thus (—....), beginning at 9 h. 03 m. 30 s. and continuing until 9 h. 03 m. 55 s. p.m. (135th meridian time).

The preparatory signal in each case is followed by a silent interval of 5 seconds, which is succeeded immediately by the time impulse consisting of a dash 1 second in duration, the beginning of the dash being the instant of the signal.

The following diagram presents a concise graphic illustration of the method of making the signals:—

	0s 5s 10s 15s 20s 25s 30s 35s 40s 45s 50s 55s	9 h. 0 m. 0s
(1) 8 h. 59 m.	-----	1 m.-----
(2) 9 h. 00 m.	-----	2 m.-----
(3) 9 h. 01 m.	-----	3 m.-----
(4) 9 h. 02 m.	-----	4 m.-----
(5) 9 h. 03 m.	-----	-----

The signals from this station are sent out on 4,000-meter waves, while those from Choshi Ko Radio Station are sent out on 600-meter waves.

Approx. position: Lat. 35° 42' 00" N., long. 139° 59' 30" W.

EAST COAST OF HONSHU.—NEW LIGHT TO BE SHOWN.

Notice is hereby given that newly established Katsuura Lighthouse, on Hiramaga Dai, outside of Katsuura Bay, Province of Kadzusa, will be shown as follows on the 1st of March, 1917:—

Katsuura Lighthouse.

Position.—Lat. 35° 8' 13" N., long. 140° 19' 15" E. (According to the Japanese Admiralty Chart No. 58.)

Description.—Octagonal concrete tower, painted white.

Height of Light.—60 shaku above the base, 231 shaku above the water.

Character of Light.—Fourth-order group-flashing white, showing a double flash in quick succession during 8 seconds, followed by an eclipse of 22 seconds.

Illuminated Arc.—From S. 52° 30' W., through W. and N. to N. 76° 30' E. (Magnetic bearings taken from seaward.)

Power.—36,000 candles.

Visible Distance.—22 nautical miles in clear night.

SHIMONOSEKI STRAIT.

Notice is hereby given that the following lighted buoy has been moored on the south-west side of Gomiyoze Su, west entrance to Shimonoseki Strait:—

Gomiyoze Su Lighted Buoy.

Description.—Iron frustum of cone, painted black, surmounted by a lattice-work supporting a lantern.

Height of Light.—10 shaku above the water.

Character of Light.—Pintsch gas occulting green, light 4 seconds, eclipse 4 seconds.

Illuminated Arc.—The whole horizon.

Visible Distance.—4 nautical miles in clear night.

Depth of Water.—About 5 fathoms at L.W.S.T.

Magnetic Bearings taken from the Buoy.—Wakamatsu Lighthouse, N. 88° 30' W.; Shira Su Lighthouse, N. 51° 30' W.; the stone post of Maiko Jima, N. 5° 5' E.

WEST INDIES.

PUERTO RICO, NORTH-EAST COAST.—CAPE SAN JUAN LIGHT.
—ALTERATION IN CHARACTER.

Position.—Lat. 18° 23' N., long. 65° 37¼' W.

Abridged Description.—Lt. gp. fl. (2), ev. 20 secs., 260 ft., vis. 22 m.

Details.—The alternating fixed and flashing white and red light has been replaced by a group flashing white light showing two flashes every twenty seconds—thus, flash ½ sec., eclipse 4½ secs.; flash ½ sec., eclipse 14½ secs.

Remarks.—The light has a power of 22,000 candles.

Variation.—3° W.

BRAZIL.

PORTS CLOSED BY NIGHT.

Mariners are warned that entry and exit of vessels to all ports on the coasts of Brazil, between sunset and sunrise, is prohibited until further notice.

CENTRAL AMERICA.

PACIFIC COAST.—PANAMA.—PANAMA CANAL APPROACH.—
ALTERATION IN LIGHTING.

Position.—Balboa, lat. 8° 57½' N., long. 79° 34' W.

1. Rear Leading-light No. 2.—*Alteration:* The entrance channel rear leading-light has been altered from flashing white to occulting white every five seconds.

2. Light-buoys.—*Alteration:* The lights on the two light-buoys, marking the entrance to the dredged channel, have been altered as undermentioned:—

(a.) No. 1, from fixed white to flashing white.

(b.) No. 2, from fixed red to flashing red.

PANAMA.—LIMON BAY.—CHANNEL CLOSED.

Until further notice all vessels entering Limon Bay will use the channel between the East and West Breakwaters. The channel between the East Breakwater and Margarita Island is closed to navigation.

CANADA.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.—VANCOUVER ISLAND, JUAN DE FUCA STRAIT.—CARMANAH LIGHTHOUSE.—OCCASIONAL FOG-SIGNAL DISCONTINUED.

Position.—Carmanah Lighthouse, lat. 48° 36¾' N., long. 124° 45' W.

Details.—The steam whistle, formerly used in answer to signals of passing vessels during foggy weather, has been discontinued, and is to be expunged from the charts.

Remarks.—Reference to this whistle has already been deleted from the Admiralty List of Lights, 1917.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

PORT OF NEWCASTLE.—ALTERATIONS IN FAIRWAY LEADING-MARKS.

Notice is hereby given that on 1st May, 1917, the use of the present fairway leading-marks at the Port of Newcastle will be discontinued, and new leading-marks of the following descriptions will be brought into use in their stead:—

Main Bar Leads.

Front Tower,—

Structure.—Steel-framed tower painted white.

Position.—Immediately at the back of Market Wharf.

Character of Light.—Fixed red.

Height of Light above Mean Sea-level.—107½ ft.

Back Tower,—

Structure.—Steel-framed tower painted red.

Position.—Off the west end of Church Street.

Character of Light.—Fixed white.

Height of Light above Mean Sea-level.—137½ ft.

These Main Bar leads, when in line, will bear S. 47° 30' west mag., and will lead in over the bar at a minimum depth of 23 ft. 6 in. at low-water ordinary spring tides.

Coal Channel Leads.

Front Tower,—

Structure.—Steel-framed tower painted white.

Position.—Western slope of Nobby's.

Character of Light.—Fixed red.

Height of Light above Mean Sea-level.—79 ft.

Back Tower,—

Structure.—Steel-framed tower painted red.

Position.—Western slope of Nobby's.

Character of Light.—Fixed white.

Height of Light above Mean Sea-level.—100 ft.

These Coal Channel leads, when in line, will bear N. 59° 22¼' east mag., and will lead in mid-channel from the inter-

section of the main bar leads to their intersection with the basin leads.

POINT STEPHENS LIGHT.—CORRECTION TO ADMIRALTY PUBLICATIONS.

Position.—Lat. 32° 45½' S., long. 152° 12½' E.
New Abridged Description.—Lt. alt. rev. W.R. ev. min., 126 ft., vis. 14 and 8 m.
Alteration.—The light is incorrectly described in Admiralty publications as an alternating flashing white and red light; it is an *alternating revolving white and red light every minute*—thus, red light 50 secs., eclipse 10 secs.; white light 50 secs., eclipse 10 secs.

The publications are to be amended accordingly.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 2566; Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, page 92; Revised Supplement, 1913.

VICTORIA.

PORTSEA GAS-BUOY.—SOUTH CHANNEL.—PORT PHILLIP.

Mariners are hereby notified that a shoal carrying 26 ft. to 27 ft. low water has formed about a cable south-westward of the gas-buoy opposite Portsea, at the western end of the South Channel. Mariners are therefore advised that the gas-buoy will be shifted to mark the south-western end of the shoal as soon as possible; but mariners in charge of vessels over 24 ft. draught are advised in the meantime to keep about 2 cables off to the south-westward when rounding such buoy.

POINT RICHARDS BUOY.—PORT OF GEELONG.

Notice is hereby given that on or about the 27th March, 1917, this buoy will be temporarily removed for overhaul, and during such time will be replaced by a barge with a structure thereon painted black, and from which, at 20 ft. above sea-level, a single red flashing light will be exhibited.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

GULF ST. VINCENT.—OYSTER BAY SPIT BEACON.

Masters of vessels and others are hereby informed that the beacon on the north end of the South Spit, which had disappeared, has been replaced temporarily with a black buoy. This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 2152 and 2389.

PORT ADELAIDE HARBOUR.

Masters of vessels, pilots, and others are hereby warned that a high-tension electric submarine cable is now laid across the stream between Ocean Steamers and Birkenhead Wharves, and that great care must be taken so as not to drop anchors, &c., in its vicinity.

In the daytime a pole 50 ft. high, with a white diamond head, erected at the back of Ocean Steamers Wharf, brought into line with a white mark 12 ft. high by 1½ ft. wide on the power-station chimney, indicates the direction of the cable.

On and after 1st April a red light will be exhibited at night-time from each of the above marks, one higher than the other.

This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 1750, 1752, 2389.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 39 of 1917.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—BEACON OFF BROWN'S ISLAND.

Marine Department,
 Wellington, N.Z., 5th May, 1917.

THE Auckland Harbour Board has notified that the beacon on the reef off Brown's Island (Motukoreho) has been knocked down by some vessel, and will be re-erected as soon as possible.

Charts, &c., affected.—Admiralty Chart No. 1896; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter ii, page 43.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
 Secretary.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in the Auckland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 7th May, 1917.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure, Lease or License No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Lessee or Licensee.	Reason for Forfeiture.
O.R.P. 3280	9	XV	Waioeka Survey District	C. J. Wood	Non-payment of rent.
" 5187	199, 200	..	Okura Parish	A. R. Kirchner	Non-fulfilment of conditions.
" 5031	5	VIII	Kawakawa Survey District	K. H. Brown	"
R.L. 148	9	III	Maungataniwha S.D.	T. E. Sherman	At request.
" 907	275	..	Paremoremo Parish ..	A. Aikman	Non-fulfilment of conditions and non-payment of rent.
" 1042	274	..	"	"	Ditto.
" 1210	5	V	Matakohe	Florence George	Non-fulfilment of conditions.

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

Land in Taranaki Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
 Wellington, 8th May, 1917.

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

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Section 1, Block II, Rangī District.

TENURE: O.R.P. License No. 960. Formerly held by F. J. Churchill. Reason for forfeiture: Selector's request.

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

Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers.

District Lands and Survey Office,
 Auckland, 7th May, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or lease to discharged soldiers, under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and the regulations thereunder; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 25th June, 1917.

The lands may be purchased for cash or on deferred payments, or selected on lease for thirty-three years, with right of renewal for further successive terms of thirty-three years, and a right to acquire the freehold.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, on Wednesday, 27th June, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

The ballot will be held at the conclusion of the examination of applicants.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—MATAMATA COUNTY.—TAPAPA SURVEY DISTRICT.—TAPAPA SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Area.			Capital Value.	Annual Instalment on Deferred Payment (without Interest).			Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
	A.	R.	P.		£	£	s.		d.
1s	100	1	20	1,310	65	10	0	29 9 6
2s	150	0	0	1,870	93	10	0	42 1 6
3s	154	0	20	2,370	118	10	0	58 6 6
4s	129	0	0	450*	22	14	6†	22 14 6†
				1,590	79	10	0	35 15 6
5s	119	0	0	500*	25	5	0‡	25 5 0‡
				1,930	96	10	0	43 8 6
6s	98	0	0	1,090	54	10	0	24 10 6
7s	87	0	0	1,410	70	10	0	31 14 6
8s and 13s	128	3	11	1,550	77	10	0	34 17 6
9s	110	0	0	1,590	79	10	0	35 15 6
10s	69	0	0	1,490	74	10	0	33 10 6

* Buildings.

† Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £450; payable in cash, or by twenty-eight half-yearly instalments of £22 14s. 6d. Total half-yearly instalment on lease, £81 1s.

‡ Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £500; payable in cash, or by twenty-eight half-yearly instalments of £25 5s. Total half-yearly instalment on lease, £61 0s. 6d.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements included in the capital value of the sections are as follows:—

Section 1s.—32 chains boundary fence (half value) and 39 chains road-boundary fence; value, £40 3s.

Section 2s.—75 chains boundary fence (half value) and 20 chains subdivision fence; value, £47 10s.

Section 3s.—32 chains boundary fence (half value), 86 chains subdivision fences, and 37 chains road-boundary fence; value, £87 10s.

Section 4s.—14 chains boundary fence (half value) and 58 chains subdivision fence; value, £37 8s.

Section 5s.—14 chains boundary fence (half value), 45 chains subdivision fence, windmill, tank, and trough; value, £60 18s.

Section 6s.—17 chains boundary fence (half value) and 42 chains subdivision fence; value, £29 10s.

Section 7s.—31 chains boundary fence (half value) and 52 chains subdivision fence; value, £41 10s.

Section 8s.—20 chains boundary fence (half value) and 63 chains subdivision fence; value, £41 10s.

Section 9s.—14 chains boundary fence (half value), 28 chains road-boundary fence, and 26 chains subdivision fence; value, £34.

Section 10s.—39 chains road-boundary fence and 21 chains subdivision fence; value, £30.

Section 13s.—13 chains boundary fence (half value) and 18 chains road-boundary fence; value, £15 10s.

The improvements not included in the capital value of the sections are as follows:—

Section 3s.—Four-roomed house, cow-shed, and separator house, also two sheds; valued at £450.

Section 4s.—Nine-roomed house, dairy, workshop, pataka, stable and implement-shed, shed with loose-box and trap-house; total value of £500.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

Tapapa Settlement is situated in the Matamata County, and is about two miles and a half from Hinuera Railway-station, where there is a store, post-office, and school. The roads in the district are good. The land is flat to undulating, the soil generally being of a dark loamy nature. The fences are principally good post-and-wire fences, and nearly all the sections are watered. With the exception of some waste land along the Okoroire, Mangaroa, and Waihou Rivers, nearly the whole of the area has been ploughed and mostly grassed. On Section 2s, 90 acres was in turnips last winter, and has not been grassed; on Section 6s, 30 acres is in similar condition; and on Section 8s, 25 acres has been in crop and is still fallow.

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

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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Lands in Auckland Land District for Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 7th May, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or lease to discharged soldiers, under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and the regulations thereunder; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, 25th June, 1917.

The lands may be purchased for cash or on deferred payments, or selected on lease for thirty-three years, with right of renewal for further successive terms of thirty-three years, and a right to acquire the freehold.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, on Wednesday, 27th June, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

The ballot will be held at the conclusion of the examination of applicants.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—RODNEY COUNTY.—MAHURANGI SURVEY DISTRICT.—STREAMLANDS SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Area.			Capital Value.	Annual Instalment on Deferred Payment (without Interest).			Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
	A.	R.	P.		£	£	s.		d.
1s	68	3	8	1,080	54	0	0	24 6 0
2s	71	3	29	1,120	56	0	0	25 4 0
3s	122	2	28	1,520	51	0	0	22 19 0
4s	101	0	0	1,020	76	0	0	34 4 0
5s	172	2	0	1,060	53	0	0	23 17 0
6s	94	0	0	760	38	0	0	17 2 0
7s	85	2	38	720	36	0	0	16 4 0
8s	360	0	0	2,160	108	0	0	48 12 0
				600*	30	6	0†	30 6 0†
9s	61	0	0	940	47	0	0	21 3 0
10s	98	0	0	540	27	0	0	12 3 0
11s	103	0	0	480	24	0	0	10 16 0
12s	130	0	0	540	27	0	0	12 3 0

* House.

† Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £600; payable in cash, or by twenty-eight half-yearly instalments of £30 6s. Total half-yearly instalment on lease, £78 18s.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements included in the capital value of the sections are as follows:—

Section 1s.—32 chains boundary fence and 40 chains of subdivision fencing; value, £24.

Section 2s.—25½ chains boundary fence and 44 chains of subdivision fencing, also old three-roomed cottage with iron roof; total value, £41.

Section 3s.—40 chains boundary fence and 10 chains of subdivision fencing; value, £21.

Section 4s.—27½ chains boundary fence and 53 chains of subdivision fencing; value, £27.

Section 5s.—22¼ chains boundary fence and 60 chains of subdivision fencing; value, £26.

Section 6s.—6½ chains boundary fence and 70 chains subdivision fencing; value, £14.

Section 7s.—28½ chains boundary fence and 57 chains subdivision fencing; value, £22 15s.

Section 8s.—123 chains boundary fence and 82 chains subdivision fencing; value, £77.

Section 9s.—49 chains boundary fence; value, £24 10s.

Section 10s.—58 chains boundary fence and 9 chains subdivision fencing; value, £30 16s.

Section 11s.—42¼ chains boundary fence; value, £21 15s.

Section 12s.—69 chains boundary fence; value, £24 10s.

The improvements not included in the capital value of the land are the homestead buildings on Section 8s, valued at £600.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

Streamlands Settlement, consisting of about 1,470 acres formerly the property of Mr. R. F. Perham, is situated about four miles from the Kaipara Flats Railway-station (sixty-two miles north of Auckland), and about an equal distance from Warkworth, by formed cart-roads. There is a school and post-office at Streamlands about two miles and a half distant. The settlement consists of about 900 acres of flat land, the balance being broken and undulating. About 520 acres is

in grass, 320 acres is swamp (through which a main drain will be constructed by the Government), 500 acres is partly bush and manuka (large and small), and the balance of about 130 acres is undulating fern land. There is a considerable amount of rough feed on the easy slopes. The soil along the river is alluvial of good quality, while on the road frontage it is a good clayey loam on clay. Of the swamp land, the western end is peat, mixed with wash off the surrounding country, and is very fair land, and the eastern end is peat of fair quality. The balance of the settlement consists of clayey loam of fair quality.

The property is generally well watered by creeks, with the exception of the northern end of the swamp, where water could probably be obtained by sinking. The land generally is suited for dairying and mixed farming.

The whole of the improvements at present existing on the land, including grassing, fencing, &c., have been included in the capital value of the sections to which they belong, an exception being made in the case of Section 8s, on which is the homestead consisting of seven rooms and scullery.

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

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

Lands in Taranaki Land District for Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 26th March, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or lease to discharged soldiers under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and the regulations thereunder; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 22nd May, 1917.

The lands may be purchased for cash or on deferred payments, or selected on lease for thirty-three years, with right of renewal for further successive terms of thirty-three years and a right to acquire the freehold.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, on Wednesday, 23rd May, 1917, at 10 o'clock a.m.

The ballot will be held at the conclusion of the examination of applicants.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—STRATFORD COUNTY.—NGATI-MARU SURVEY DISTRICT.—TUTUTAWA SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.		Capital Value.	Annual Instalment on Deferred Payment (without interest).			Renewable Lease: Half-yearly Rent.
		£	s. d.		£	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
1s	XIII	183	0 0	2,970	148	10 0	66	16 6
2s	"	198	0 0	2,615	130	15 0	58	16 9
3s	"	345	0 0	3,750	187	10 0	84	7 6
				250*	13	15 0†	13	15 0†

* Buildings.

† Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £250; payable in cash, or in fourteen years by half-yearly instalments of £13 15s.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements included in the capital values of the sections are as follows:—

Section 1s.—123 chains of fencing (half value boundary and all internal and road fences), £80.

Section 2s.—152 chains fencing (half boundary and all internal and road fences), £100.

Section 3s.—285 chains fencing (half boundary and all internal and road fences), £180.

The following improvements are not included in the capital value of the section, and have to be paid for separately: Section 3s, six-roomed dwellinghouse in fair order, together with two rough sheds; value, £250.

DESCRIPTION OF SECTIONS.

Section 1s contains 80 acres or more of land, ploughable, with a little stumping and clearing.

Section 2s contains about 50 acres or more of land fit for dairying, about 40 acres ploughable, with a little stumping and clearing.

Section 3s contains about 60 acres or more fit for dairying, and the rest is generally good sheep and dry cattle country.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

This property is situated on the Mangaotuku Road, about four miles and a half from the Douglas Railway-station, and a little less from the saleyards near there. The roads leading to the railway and dairy factory are metalled. There is a school opposite the southernmost corner of the property, and the cheese-factory is only about twenty chains from the same point. The land has been cleared and grassed for a period of over eighteen years, so that only a little dry timber is left. It carries a good sole of grass, except in a few patches where fern is prevalent. The soil is of good quality, consisting of a volcanic loam covering mixed with papa. The easier portions are adapted for dairying, and the steeper for either sheep or dry cattle. The land is well watered, and the climate is fairly moist. The altitude varies from 470 ft. to 970 ft. above sea-level. Two of the sections have good homestead-sites directly on to the road, but the dwelling on the third has to be reached by a bridge, which will have to be maintained or re-erected by the future tenant. Small bridges or stream crossings will be required for the working of the other sections. Boundaries have been chosen to get good fence-lines and to secure ease in working. The fencing is in fair order. The railway reserve shown on plan is not likely to be used.

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

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands

Kaiuau Domain, Taranaki Land District, for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 18th April, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned domain will be offered for lease by public auction, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and amendments, at the District Lands Office, New Plymouth, on Wednesday, 23rd May, 1917, at 11.30 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—EGMONT VILLAGE—KAIUAU DOMAIN.

SECTIONS 162 to 182: Area, 5 acres 1 rood; upset annual rent, £2 12s. 6d.; term, seven years.

The land is level, with a creek running through it, and has all been ploughed.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Lease fee, £1 1s., and half-year's rent shall be paid upon the fall of the hammer.
2. Possession will be given on the day of sale.
3. The lease shall be for the term specified.
4. The rent shall be paid half-yearly in advance.
5. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease, except with written consent.
6. The lessee will at all times during the said term keep in good repair and condition, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands, all hedges, fences, and gates in, upon, and about the said land, and shall so yield them up at the expiration of the term.
7. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbrier on the land comprised in the lease; and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, sweetbrier, broom, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
8. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee should fail to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to be fulfilled.
9. No buildings shall be erected on any portion of the domain.
10. The lessee shall pay all rates and taxes.

Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICE.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Ngaruawahia.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 4th May, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Ngaruawahia, on the 4th day of June, 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.

[Auckland, 1917-4.]

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Te Kakakura te Aoterangi	Te Akau B 24, 25, and 26.
2	"	" B 27 and 28.
3	Rewatu Hiriako	Aorangi B 1A.
4	Piau Hatara and Paora te Whautere	Hoeotainui North 2A 2.
5	Piri Paraone	" 2B 4A.
6	Hare Taumaihi and others	Kawhia E 2B.
7	Tahuri Kaora	" M 6.
8	Te Puke Taimana	" O 2, Section 2.
9	Te Iataarawa Pohepohe	" R 2B 2.
10	Aremete Paeahu	Kiwitahi 2c.
11	Tua Hotene	" 2c.
12	Parepumi te Whetuiti	" 2c.
13	Tana Tamehana	" 2c.
14	Te Rakairi te Rangī	Koheroa, Lot 84.
15	"	" 90.
16	Nepia Katipa (Wynyard, Skelton, and Wilson)	" 99A 2B 3.
17	Pareauake Wirihana	Komakorau, Lot 213.
18	Pou Manakura (A. F. Howarth)	Mangaora 6c.
19	Taupoki te Aho	Matamata North.
20	Atareta Haare Penetiti (Hampson and Greatbatch)	" 1.
21	Kura Patchau and Tawara Morewa	" 1.
22	Rikihana Winika	" 1.
23	Panapa te Pea (T. A. Moresby)	" 1.
24	W. G. Nicholls	" 1.
25	Hamiora te Keena	" 1.
26	Commissioner of Crown Lands	" 1.
27	"	" 2.
28	Tereo Hoani	Maungatapu D 2.
29	Tana Hakopa	Maungatautari 3A 5A 4H 2.
30	Tuahu Watene	" 3C 2
31	Aopare Ngahuia	Okauia 3A 3.
32	Koohi Takoro	Onewhero, Lot 29.
33	"	" 32.
34	Marac Mahuta	Pepepe, Lot 78B.
35	Te Wehi Ngahiriwa	" 129.
36	"	" 132.
37	Riapeti te Matika and Rangiamohia Hireme	Pukete, Lot 261 and 263.
38	Ripeti Matika and Rangiamohia Hireme	" 261 and 263.
39	Ani Ruihana (Earl and Kent)	Putataka 1c 2A.
40	Turanga Henare	Taharoa A 1B.
41	Turanga Kiingi	" A 1c.
42	Tei Ringa	" A 6A.
43	Te Moerua Kiwi (A. F. Howarth)	" A 6D 4.
44	Tei Ringa	" A 7A.
45	Te Aomarama Puru	" A 7A.
46	Te Huia Pihopa	" A 7J.
47	Tewenui Hoani (J. McDavitt)	Tamahere, Lot 114.
48	Mere Parata (J. McDavitt)	Waihekeau 5.
49	Raiha Hapi (mana) (Wynyard, Skelton, and Wilson)	Waipa, Lot 64B.
50	Under-Secretary of Native Lands	" 74B 2A.
51	Riria Rapana	Whaanga 1A.
52	Hika Hone Kingi	" 1B.
53	E. A. Langley (Hine, Vernon, and Howarth)	" 2A.
54	Winiata Mauriri and Pukekura Pouewea (Earl and Kent)	Whangamarino 47 1D 2.
55	Marama Whakamau	" 47 1D 2.
56	Ratapu te Whakamau	" 47 1D 2.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
57	Tote Mitai	Hoeotainui North 2B 3.
58	Te Awarutu Nikorima	Karamu, Lot 201A 3B.
59	Te Poinga te Uika (Earl and Kent)	Maungatautari 4H 3B 2.
60	R. T. Davies	Pirongia West 3B 2A 1 and 3.
61	"	" 3B 2C 3.
62	Nganeka te Maketu	Waipa 66B 3C.

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land proposed to be exchanged.
63	{ Henare Kahukoti Ngapeti Kahukoti	Waipa, Lot 64A. " " 66B 3c 3d and 3f.

APPLICATION FOR ROAD ACCESS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
64	Wikiriwhi te Rupapere and others	Te Akau B 12B.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS AND FOR DEFINED PORTIONS OF LAND IN LIQUIDATION OF SURVEY FEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Date from which Interest is calculated.	Amount.
65	Chief Surveyor, Auckland ..	Aotea South 3c 1A ..	19 February, 1917 ..	£ s. d. 3 11 3
		" " 3c 1B ..	19 " 1917 ..	6 4 5
66	" " ..	Te Au-o-Waikato A 20 1 ..	30 January, 1917 ..	0 10 6
		" " A 20 2A ..	30 " 1917 ..	4 6 2
67	" " ..	" " A 20 2B ..	30 " 1917 ..	8 16 5
		Te Au-o-Waikato-Maunga-tapu 3g 1 ..	13 October, 1916 ..	7 0 0
68	" " ..	Kaiwaka A 1 ..	24 January, 1917 ..	6 4 2
		" " A 2 ..	24 " 1917 ..	9 15 6
69	" " ..	Karamu 201A 2A 1 ..	5 February, 1917 ..	3 3 10
		" " 201A 2A 2 ..	5 " 1917 ..	3 7 7
70	" " ..	Kawhia F 2A ..	24 November, 1916 ..	4 15 10
		" " F 2B ..	24 " 1916 ..	14 3 5
71	" " ..	Koheroa, Lot 39 ..	24 January, 1917 ..	49 9 0
		" " 91A 2B 2 ..	27 " 1917 ..	5 16 0
72	" " ..	" " 91A 2B 3 ..	27 " 1917 ..	9 9 11
		Maungatapu B 4D 1 ..	11 " 1917 ..	4 10 6
73	" " ..	" " B 4D 2 ..	11 " 1917 ..	7 19 2
		Moerangi 1E 1 ..	6 December, 1916 ..	21 9 2
74	" " ..	" " 1E 2 ..	6 " 1916 ..	23 2 6
		" " 1E 3 ..	6 " 1916 ..	23 14 2
75	" " ..	" " 1E 4 ..	6 " 1916 ..	70 8 3
		" " 1E 5 ..	6 " 1916 ..	31 6 11
76	" " ..	" " 3L 1 ..	11 January, 1917 ..	6 12 5
		" " 3L 2 ..	11 " 1917 ..	8 2 2
77	" " ..	" " 3L 3 ..	11 " 1917 ..	15 2 1
		" " 3L 4A ..	11 " 1917 ..	11 6 1
78	" " ..	" " 3L 4B ..	11 " 1917 ..	15 16 2
		Motutieke A 1 ..	19 " 1917 ..	4 3 0
79	" " ..	" " A 2 ..	19 " 1917 ..	3 5 0
		" " A 3 ..	19 " 1917 ..	5 7 0
80	" " ..	Okauia 2F 1 ..	3 November, 1916 ..	6 16 2
		" " 2F 2 ..	3 " " ..	15 8 0
81	" " ..	Opuatia, Lot 4 No. 49A ..	21 March, 1917 ..	3 0 6
		" " " 4 " 49B ..	21 " 1917 ..	3 0 6
82	" " ..	Puehunui 2A ..	24 January, 1917 ..	6 10 6
		" " 2B ..	24 " 1917 ..	9 10 11
83	" " ..	Taharoa A 1A ..	8 March, 1916 ..	7 18 10
		" " A 1B ..	8 " 1916 ..	33 17 6
84	" " ..	" " A 1C ..	8 " 1916 ..	131 15 7
		" " A 2A ..	8 " 1916 ..	23 4 8
85	" " ..	" " A 2B ..	8 " 1916 ..	26 13 7
		" " A 2C ..	8 " 1916 ..	11 9 10
86	" " ..	" " A 3A ..	8 " 1916 ..	8 3 8
		" " A 3B ..	8 " 1916 ..	39 19 7
87	" " ..	" " A 3C ..	8 " 1916 ..	50 11 1
		" " A 3D ..	8 " 1916 ..	55 16 2
88	" " ..	" " A 4 ..	8 " 1916 ..	10 18 3
		" " A 6A ..	8 " 1916 ..	15 18 3
89	" " ..	" " A 6B ..	8 " 1916 ..	22 4 6
		" " A 6D 1 ..	8 " 1916 ..	31 4 2
90	" " ..	" " A 6D 2 ..	8 " 1916 ..	57 5 8
		" " A 6D 3 ..	8 " 1916 ..	37 1 9
91	" " ..	" " A 6D 4 ..	8 " 1916 ..	70 15 0
		" " A 7A ..	8 " 1916 ..	54 17 7
92	" " ..	" " A 7B ..	8 " 1916 ..	10 8 6
		" " A 7C ..	8 " 1916 ..	10 3 5
93	" " ..	" " A 7D ..	8 " 1916 ..	21 11 11
		" " A 7E ..	8 " 1916 ..	10 12 10
94	" " ..	" " A 7F ..	8 " 1916 ..	28 8 4
		" " A 7G ..	8 " 1916 ..	19 5 4
95	" " ..	" " A 7H ..	8 " 1916 ..	16 6 6
		" " A 7J ..	8 " 1916 ..	120 14 9

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS AND FOR DEFINED PORTIONS OF LAND IN LIQUIDATION OF SURVEY FEES—*continued.*

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Date from which Interest is calculated.	Amount.
81	Chief Surveyor, Auckland ..	Taharoa B 1 & 2 ..	8 March, 1916 ..	£ s. d. 74 13 2
82	" " ..	Takapaunui B 1 ..	15 May, 1916 ..	13 8 7
83	" " ..	" B 2 ..	15 " 1916 ..	57 9 5
84	" " ..	Waipa, Lot 73B 1 ..	29 March, 1917 ..	1 1 0
		Waipipi 366B ..	18 November, 1916 ..	5 0 4
		" 366c ..	18 " 1916 ..	5 0 5
		Whangamarino 473A ..	11 December, 1916 ..	11 9 7
		" 473B ..	11 " 1916 ..	7 18 2
85	" " ..	" 473C 1 ..	11 " 1916 ..	4 11 8
		" 473C 2 ..	11 " 1916 ..	2 16 5
		" 473C 3 ..	11 " 1916 ..	14 0 1
86	" " ..	Whangape 64A 2 ..	20 January, 1917 ..	1 1 0
		Whareraurekau C 1 ..	8 December, 1916 ..	1 1 0
87	" " ..	" C 2 ..	8 " 1916 ..	1 1 0
		" C 3 ..	8 " 1916 ..	1 1 0

APPLICATION FOR REHEARING.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Decision in respect of which Appeal is made.
88	Meri Newton	Decision dated 18th January, 1917, appointing administrator in the estate of Hone Tutere, deceased.

APPLICATION FOR CANCELLATION OF A SUCCESSION ORDER.

No.	Applicant.	Block.	Nature of Application.
89	Maitai Hoera	Onewhero 99N 1 ..	That the order dated the 2nd October, 1916, appointing successors to the interest of Taoho Karepe, <i>alias</i> Taoho Hoera, deceased, in the said land be cancelled on the ground that the alleged deceased is still alive.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Block.	Nature of Application.
90	Pareauake Wirihana ..	Pepepe, Lots 129 and 110	That the shares of the successors to Hohaia Karaka, <i>alias</i> Hohaia Akaraute, be amended.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
91	Hari Keremeta	Maraea Keremeta.
92	Frederick Earl (Earl and Kent)	Meri Paama Tarawhati, <i>alias</i> Meri Weeti.
93	Turanga Kingi	Te Ngana te Ruha.

APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
94	Te Kaingakuru	Te Heke te Matau.
95	Raureti te Huia	Heta Rehua.
96	Roka H. Hopere	Huirua Harihari Totaea.
97	Te Hurihuri te Pakuru te Keepa	Te Pakuru te Keepa.
98	Remana Nutana	Te Tahī Utika.
99	Hakopa te Huia	Tamati te Ironui.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Lot 6A, Parish of Matata, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Raharui Pururu shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tihiotonga C will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Lockie Gannon shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Okataina No. 5 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Okataina No. 8 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Okataina No. 7 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Okataina No. 6B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Okataina No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakapoungakau No. 2A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to William Henry Smith shall be agreed to; or, in the alternative

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to William Henry Smith shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Patetere South No. 3B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Katherine H. Hampson shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Mangorewa-Kaharoa No. 6E 3 No. 2w No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Percy C. Robinson shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Owhatiura South No. 6A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to George William Vaughan shall be agreed to; or, in the alternative

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to George William Vaughan shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakapoungakau No. 1B No. 3F will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to George William Vaughan shall be agreed to; or, in the alternative

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to George William Vaughan shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Kawaha No. 5c will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Arthur William Gillies shall be agreed to; or, in the alternative

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Arthur William Gillies shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rotoiti No. 9 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to William Henry Frost shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners

of Kawaha No. 5H will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Arthur William Gillies shall be agreed to; or, in the alternative

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Arthur William Gillies shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Owhatiura No. 1B No. 2D will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to George William Vaughan shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tapuaeakura will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of portion of the land by way of sale to John Watt shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Heruhiwi No. 4A No. 2B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rotomahana-Parekarangi No. 6L No. 2B No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rotomahana-Parekarangi No. 6L No. 2B No. 5 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Ohau-Taupiri will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to George William Vaughan shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Mourea-Papakainga No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of portion of the land by way of lease to George William Vaughan shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rotomahana-Parekarangi No. 2E No. 4 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to John Fisher Skipper shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rotomahana-Parekarangi No. 2E No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Ohinemutu, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of July, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to John Fisher Skipper shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Paengaroa North D 1F will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Puke on Wednesday, the 27th day of June, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

“(1.) That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to A. Judd shall be agreed to; or, in the alternative

“(2.) That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to A. Judd shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Ohineahuru 10A No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Puke on Wednesday, the 27th day of June, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to S. Jamieson shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Lot 182D, Te Puna, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Tuesday, the 26th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to William Nicholas shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waimanu No. 2B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Tuesday, the 26th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waimanu No. 2A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Tuesday, the 26th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waimanu 1F will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Tuesday, the 26th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waimanu No. 1B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Tuesday, the 26th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waimanu 1B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Tuesday, the 26th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waimanu No. 1A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Tuesday, the 26th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakamarama No. 1A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Tuesday, the 26th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakamarama No. 1B No. 2c will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Tuesday, the 26th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakamarama No. 1B No. 2B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tauranga on Tuesday, the 26th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki 30c No. 8 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 19th day of June, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to W. G. Platt shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki Lot 30c No. 12 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 19th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to A. L. Platt shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki Lot 30c No. 11 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 19th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to T. S. McGregor shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki Lot 30A No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 19th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Leslie Preece shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki 29B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 19th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Rutene te Utauta shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki 43B 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 19th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Agnes Paterson shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitaiki Lot 30B No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 19th day of June, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to J. W. K. Phillips shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Waiti No. 2A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Raukokore on Thursday, the 14th day of June, 1917, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to C. W. Fairweather shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Matapapa No. 2A No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Raukokore on Thursday, the 14th day of June, 1917, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to James Walker, jun., shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungaroa No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kaha on Wednesday, the 13th day of June, 1917, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

"(1.) That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Paerau te Kani shall be agreed to.

"(2.) That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Te Iwingaro Kira and Harehare Ropiha shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Iwiroa No. 7 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kaha on Wednesday, the 13th day of June, 1917, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Ranapia te Kete shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Raekahu No. 17 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kaha on Wednesday, the 13th day of June, 1917, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to D. Stirling shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Waiti No. 2c will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kaha on Wednesday, the 13th day of June, 1917, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Mary Ann Walker shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Opape 12w Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Opotiki on Monday, the 11th day of June, 1917, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to W. Walker shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Omataroa 7B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Teko on Friday, the 8th day of June, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Leslie Preece shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Omataroa 2B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Teko on Friday, the 8th day of June, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Leslie Preece shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Omataroa 5B 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Teko on Friday, the 8th day of June, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Leslie Preece shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Omataroa 1B 5B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Teko on Friday, the 8th day of June, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of sale to Alexander Allan shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tauri Nos. 3B and 3c will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taupo on Tuesday, the 5th day of June, 1917, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tutukau West B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taupo on Tuesday, the 5th day of June, 1917, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Pouakani A No. 2B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taupo on Tuesday, the 5th day of June, 1917, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Taubara North No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taupo on Tuesday, the 5th day of June, 1917, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 3rd day of May, 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 Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 4B 7, Section 3B, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville on Monday, the 28th day of May, 1917, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

“(1.) That the land be sold to Kahurangi Eru Kaka for the sum of £1 10s. per acre.

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

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 4H 3B No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville on Monday, the 28th day of May, 1917, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to Frank F. Hockley for the sum of £3 per acre.”

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Hoesotainui South 1B No. 4 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville on Monday, the 28th day of May, 1917, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to the Crown for the sum of £250.”

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Maungatautari 4B 3 and 6, Section 7, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Morrinsville on Monday, the 28th day of May, 1917, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to Moeakau Rangitaratara for the amount of the Government valuation.”

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Wharepuhunga No. 15 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Putaruru on Monday, the 28th day of May, 1917, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to the Crown for the amount of the Government valuation.”

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 2E will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Tuesday, the 29th day of May, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to John Thomas Tuck for the sum of 15s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua 21B No. 1c will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Tuesday, the 29th day of May, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to William Irvine for the sum of £1 10s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 7 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Tuesday, the 29th day of May, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be leased to Joseph Coogan for a term of forty-two years at an annual rental of £11 1s.”

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Ohura South A 3E 2c 3B 3c 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Tuesday, the 29th day of May, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the western portion of the block, containing 30 acres, be leased to Craven Walker Mirfin for a term of forty-two years at an annual rental of 5s. per acre.”

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Ohura South N No. 2B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Tuesday, the 29th day of May, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the residue of the block, containing 366 acres, be leased to Alexander Bell for a term of forty-two years at an annual rental of 2s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 4s. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years.”

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 2H will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Tuesday, the 29th day of May, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

“(1.) That the land be sold to Te Houpapapa te Uru for the sum of £1 per acre.

"(2.) That the land be sold to George Mirfin for the sum of £1 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua 67B No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Tuesday, the 29th day of May, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That portion of the block, containing 1,000 acres, be sold to John St. Leger Fookes for the sum of £1 5s. per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Section 3, Block XIV, Puniu Survey District (Puketarata No. 6), will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 30th day of May, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be leased to Samuel Thomas for a term of forty-two years at an annual rental of 3s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 6s. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years."

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 61E will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 30th day of May, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to the Crown for the sum of £4,504."

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua 21B No. 1A will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 30th day of May, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to William Irvine for the sum of £1 10s. per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua 74B 6E will be held, in pur-

suance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 30th day of May, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

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

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua 74B 6G 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 30th day of May, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

"(1.) That portion of the block, containing 2,562 acres, be sold to William Standish for the sum of £1 15s. per acre."

"(2.) That the balance of the block, containing 1,499 acres, be sold to Frank R. H. Brice for the sum of £1 15s. per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Manuaitu B No. 4 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi on Thursday, the 31st day of May, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the north-western portion of the block, containing 200 acres, be leased to Edward H. Schnackenberg for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of 3s. per acre during the first ten years, and 4s. 6d. per acre during the remaining eleven years."

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto A 21A No. 2B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi on Thursday, the 31st day of May, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Charles W. Swainson for the sum of £1 2s. per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Wharepungua No. 19 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kihikihi on Thursday, the 31st day of May, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to the Crown for the sum of £3,375."

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Kawhia M (Karewa Township) will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kawhia on Friday, the 1st day of June, 1917, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“ That the land be sold to the Crown for the sum of £1,440.”

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Raoraokauere A No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kawhia on Friday the 1st day of June, 1917, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“ That the land be leased to William S. Phillips for a term of forty-two years at an annual rental of 2s. 6d. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 5s. per acre during the next twenty-one years.”

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1917.

W. H. BOWLER,
Acting President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN LAWLESS, recently of Tokatoka, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 8th day of May, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock.

3rd May, 1917.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that L. R. REX, of Auckland, Agent, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 11th day of May, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock.

3rd May, 1917.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that W. B. EVERETT, of Pokeno, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 9th day of May, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock.

4th May, 1917.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that DENIS QUANE, of Hastings, Salesman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Public Trust Office on Tuesday, the 8th day of May, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

1st May, 1917.

SOMERSET SMITH,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that Low Hoong, of Greytown, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Official Assignee's office on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon.

4th May, 1917.

T. R. ALLEN,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES HAROLD MAWBY, of Wellington, Pastrycook, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 18th day of May, 1917, at 11 o'clock a.m.

8th May, 1917.

S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein-after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 11th June, 1917.

5606. CHARLES DROMGOOL.—Allotment 176, Town of Taukau North, containing 1 rood. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 10596.

5645. CHARLES DROMGOOL.—Allotments 208, 211, 228, 229, 234, 242, 247, 254, 263, 286, 287, 292, 338, and 351, Town of Tuakau North, containing together 3 acres 2 roods. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 10596.

5646. CHARLES DROMGOOL.—Allotments 179, 180, 181, and 184, Town of Tuakau North, containing together 1 acre. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 10596.

5647. CHARLES DROMGOOL.—Allotments 86 and 90, Town of Tuakau North, containing together 2 roods. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 10596.

5702. PATRICK MICHAEL GERAGHTY.—Allotments 361, 370, 373, 377, 380, 391, 392, 396, 398, 409, 561, 570, 572, 573, and 578, Town of Tuakau North, containing together 3 acres 2 roods 38-9 perches. Occupied by Michael Bernard Geraghty. Plan 10596.

5743. WILLIAM BOOKER.—Allotments 1, 5, 32, 138, 160, and 161, Town of Tuakau North, containing together 1 acre 1 rood 8-8 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 10596.

6149. HENRY JOHN HALL.—Portions of Fairburn's Claim No. 269A, fronting Great South Road, Railway Street, Park Road, Queen Street, and Victoria Street, situated in the Borough of Otahuhu, containing 22 acres 0 roods 37-5 perches. Part occupied by Applicant and part unoccupied. Plan 10651.

6175. FREDERIC WILLIAM WAKE.—Lot 12 of Allotment 108, Section 10, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 29 perches, fronting Dominion Road, Mount Eden. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 11331.

6204. WILLIAM FRANCIS McCLINTOCK and ROBERT HENRY McCLINTOCK.—Parts Lots 44, 47, 49, and 50 of Allotment 1, Parish of Whangarei, containing 13 acres 2 roods 11 perches. Occupied by James Edmund Holmes. Plan 11499.

6218. FREDERICK WILLIAM THOMAS.—Allotment 63A, Parish of Pukete, containing 10 acres 0 roods 36 perches. Occupied by Harry Dunstan Matthews and Clive Matthews. Plan 9024.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 7th day of May, 1917, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

LEASE No. 4350 of parts of Rural Sections 4 and 5, Whakaruatapu, containing 85 acres 3 roods 20 perches, from WILLIAM COLLINGBOURNE HEWITT to ALBERT BERTHAL HANSEN (now vested in ROBERT HENRY):

The present lessor, ROBERT LAMB PATERSON, of Napier, Commission Agent, having re-entered and recovered possession of the above land for non-payment of rent and breach of covenants, it is my intention to notify such re-entry upon the Register at the expiration of one month from the 10th day of May, 1917, unless good cause be shown to the contrary.

Dated this 7th day of May, 1917, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

W. JOHNSTON,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 11th day of June, 1917.

Application 4789 (plan, provisional, 2221). MARGARET HELEN ARCHIBALD.—12.6 perches, part Section 255, City of Wellington. Unoccupied.

Application 4791 (deposited plan 3667). WRIGHT, STEPHENSON, AND COMPANY (LIMITED).—2 roods, part Section 186, Taratahi Plain Block. Occupied by George Edward Allen.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 9th day of May, 1917, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the publication hereof in the Gazette.

5232. MATILDA RITCHIE.—29.6 perches, parts Sections 14 and 15, Town of Port Chalmers. Occupied partly by James Pickford Milnes and partly by Applicant and her tenants.

5233. MARGARET MILLS.—8.75 perches, part of Section 44, Block XXVII, Town of Dunedin. Occupied by William Bradley.

5234. MARY MARSHALL.—33.4 perches, part of Allotment 9, plan No. 1217, being subdivision of Section 8, Block IV, Kaikorai District. Occupied by Applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 5th day of May, 1917, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

C. E. NALDER,
District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

SECTION 266, SUBSECTION (4).

TAKE notice that the WESTHAVEN COAL PROSPECTING COMPANY (LIMITED) has been struck off the Register, and the company has been dissolved.

Dated at Wellington this 9th day of May, 1917.

P. G. WITHERS,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266.

TAKE notice that the names of the undermentioned companies have been struck off the Register, and the companies have been dissolved.

Gill's Patent Syndicate (Limited).

The Star of the East Gold-mining Company (Limited).

Given under my hand, at Dunedin, this 2nd May, 1917.

J. MURRAY,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the DUNLOP RUBBER COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA (LIMITED), a company duly incorporated in the State of Victoria, Commonwealth of Australia, intends to commence and carry on business in the City of Auckland, and that its place of business will be situated at Number 62 Fort Street in the said city.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1917.

DUNLOP RUBBER COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA (LIMITED),
By its Attorney,

J. B. BRINDEN.

Witness—A. B. France, Law Clerk,
Wellington.

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ELTHAM COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—MATAIMAROKI BRIDGE LOAN.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £650, authorized to be raised by the Eltham County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of erecting a new bridge over the Mangatoromiro Stream, on Mataimaroke Road (Omona Riding), the said Eltham County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of three-eighths of one penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the special-rating area, comprising part of Matemateonga 4 and parts 1, 4, 5, and 6, Blocks IX, X, XIII, and XIV, Omona Survey District, and Section 1, Block XIV, Omona 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 October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The foregoing resolution was passed at a properly convened meeting of the Eltham County Council held on Saturday, 14th April, 1917.

CHAS. J. BELCHER, Chairman.

W. J. TRISTRAM, County Clerk.

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COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL RESOLUTION MADE ON 23RD DAY OF MARCH, 1917.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it 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 £400, authorized to be raised by the Cook County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for metalling about 30 chains of Taurau Valley Road from centre of boundary of Sec. 4 to centre of boundary of Sec. 8, Block XII, Patutahi S.D., the said Cook County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of two farthings in the £1 upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Taurau Valley Special-rating District, comprising Sections 7, 8, 9, 3A, Block XII, Patutahi 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 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—

F. J. LYSNAR,
Chairman.

JOHN WARREN,
Clerk.

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NEW ZEALAND INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).

TRUSTEE, EXECUTOR, AND AGENCY BRANCH.

In the matter of the New Zealand Insurance Company Trust Act, 1916.—Schedule, as at 30th November, 1917.

I, CHARLES FREDERICK THOMAS, Manager, do solemnly and sincerely declare:—

1. That the liability of the members is limited.
2. That the capital of the company is £1,500,000, divided into 150,000 shares of £10 each.
3. That the number of shares issued is 150,000.
4. That calls to the amount of £3 per share have been made, under which the sum of £450,000 has been received.
5. That the amount of all moneys received on account of estates is £90,600 2s. 7d.
6. That the amount of all moneys paid on account of estates is £83,712 2s. 9d.
7. That the amount of the balance held to the credit of estates under administration is £6,887 19s. 10d.
8. That the liabilities of the company at the close of its financial year (to wit, the 30th day of November last) were—
Debts owing to sundry persons by the company, viz.:
On judgment, nil.
On specialty, nil.
On notes or bills, nil.
On simple contracts, £56,584 14s. 11d.
On estimated liabilities, £270,924 4s. 11d.
9. That the assets of the company on that day were—
Government securities, New Zealand, £71,481 8s.
Government securities, British and British Dependencies, £235,189 6s. 8d.
Bills of exchange and promissory notes, nil.
Cash at bankers, £94,968 10s. 4d.
Other securities, £1,041,929 1s. 6d.

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.

C. F. THOMAS.

Declared at Auckland this second day of May, 1917, before me—Geo. W. Ravenhill, J.P. 310

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I ELDON MUNRO LITCHFIELD, Member of Royal College of Surgeons of England, Licentiate of Royal College of Physicians of London, now residing in Wellington, N.Z., hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 7th June, 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.

ELDON M. LITCHFIELD,
M.R.C.S. (Eng.), L.R.C.P. (Lond.).

Dated at Wellington 7th May, 1917. 311

IN my advertisement appearing on the cover of the local issue of "Stone's Directory" the words "Land and Estate Agent" were passed without my knowledge, during my temporary absence in Australia, and are incorrect.

WM. MITCHELL.

Christchurch, 22nd April, 1917. 312

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the **LONGBUSH CO-OPERATIVE DAIRY COMPANY (LIMITED)**.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of members held at the registered office of the above company, Broadway, Carterton, on the 13th day of April, 1917, the following special resolution was duly passed, viz:—

That the company be wound up voluntarily.

Further notice is hereby given that at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of members held at the same place on the 4th day of May, 1917, the above resolution was duly confirmed.

Mr. J. MONCRIEFF, of Carterton, was appointed Liquidator.
313 JOHN BANNISTER, Chairman of Directors.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between EDWIN ARNOLD HEATH and FREDERICK MORRISON, carrying on business as Drapers at Whangarei, under the style or firm of "Heath & Morrison," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by the said FREDERICK MORRISON, who will continue to carry on the said business on his own account under the style or firm of "F. Morrison & Co."

Dated this twenty-fifth day of April, 1917.

EDWIN A. HEATH.

Witness to the signature of the above-named Edwin Arnold Heath—Hugh C. Rishworth, Solicitor, Whangarei.

FREDERICK MORRISON.

Witness to the signature of the above-named Frederick Morrison—Hugh C. Rishworth, Solicitor, Whangarei. 314

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: **Scandinavian Water-race Company (Limited)**.

When formed, and date of registration: 10th December, 1907 (date of reconstruction).

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Fire Brigade Buildings, Cumberland Street, Dunedin; J. T. Hamann.

Nominal capital: £18,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £7.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £7.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £9,750.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 18,000.

Number of shares allotted: 9,757.

Amount paid per share: £1.

Amount called up per share: Nil (except on 7 shares subscribed for in Memorandum of Association).

Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.

Number of shares forfeited: 501.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: 501; £149 3s. 9d.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 18.

Present number of shareholders: 20.

Number of men employed by company when dredging: 8.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 363 oz. 2 dwt. 10 gr.; £1,393 8s. 10d.

Total quantity and value produced since registration: 7,097 oz. 17 dwt. 16 gr.; £27,001 4s. 3d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £1,295 6s. 2d.

Total expenditure since registration: £29,544 2s. 3d.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash in bank: £24 6s. 11d.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company: £73 11s. 4d.

Amount of debts considered good: £31 3s.

Amount of debts owing by company: £6,561 12s. 3d.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any):

I, John Thomas Hamann, of Dunedin, Secretary of the Scandinavian Water-race Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1916; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

J. T. HAMANN.

Declared at Dunedin this 30th day of April, 1917, before me—Joseph E. White, J.P. 315

HAMILTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of four thousand pounds, authorized to be raised by the said Hamilton Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of completing the undertaking of forming, metalling, and improving streets, for which a loan of forty thousand pounds was previously raised by the said Hamilton Borough Council, the said Hamilton Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-fourteenth of a penny in the pound upon the rateable (unimproved) value of all rateable property of all that area in the present Borough of Hamilton which was included in the Borough of Hamilton as constituted on the sixth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twelve; 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 the period from the date hereof to the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and forty-seven, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of a resolution passed at a duly constituted meeting of the Hamilton Borough Council held on the 16th day of March, 1917, and confirmed at a meeting of the Council held on the 20th day of April, 1917.

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E. J. DAVEY, Town Clerk.

LOWER HUTT BOROUGH COUNCIL.

WATERWORKS CONSTRUCTION LOAN, 1917.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on the loan of £4,000, authorized to be raised by the Council of the Borough of Lower Hutt, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of development of its waterworks undertaking by making certain additions to plant, providing additional wells, extending the reticulation of its streets, acquiring lands and buildings, and for engineering

and other contingencies relating thereto, the said Council of the Borough of Lower Hutt hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1/12th of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Borough of Lower Hutt, comprising the whole of the said borough as constituted by Proclamation of His Excellency the Governor as published in *Gazette* No. 10 on the 29th day of January, 1891, at page 131; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 31st day of March and the 30th day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Lower Hutt Borough Council was hereto affixed on the 2nd day of May, 1917, in the presence of—

H. BALDWIN, Mayor.
WM. NICHOLSON, Town Clerk.

I hereby certify that the above document is an extract under seal from the minutes of the Lower Hutt Borough Council of a meeting held on the 2nd day of May, 1917.

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WM. NICHOLSON, Town Clerk.

KAWA DRAINAGE BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING RATE TO PROVIDE INTEREST AND SINKING FUND ON A LOAN OF £5,000.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also other charges on a loan of £5,000, authorized to be raised by the Kawa Drainage Board, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for constructing, deepening, widening, straightening, and otherwise improving drains and outfalls for the drainage of the Kawa Drainage District, including the purchase of all necessary land, buildings, plant, and materials, the said Kawa Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of five farthings in the pound on the rateable value of all land in the Kawa Drainage District classed as Class "A" under section 33 of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, and of three farthings in the pound on the rateable value of all land in such district classed as Class "B" under the said section; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 31st day of March in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half years, or until the loan is fully paid off, and that the cost of raising same and the first year's interest shall be paid out of the loan.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of a resolution passed by the Kawa Drainage Board on the first day of May, 1917.

Dated at Te Kawa this 5th day of May, 1917.

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R. G. BLENNERHASSETT, Clerk.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between HERBERT SHAW and FREDERICK DUNCAN PAYNE, carrying on business as Builders and Contractors at Wellington and elsewhere under the style or firm of "Shaw and Payne," has been dissolved as from the 16th day of April, 1917.

Dated at Wellington this 16th day of April, 1917.

HERBERT SHAW.
FREDERICK DUNCAN PAYNE.

Witness—A. J. Luke, Solicitor, Wellington.

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